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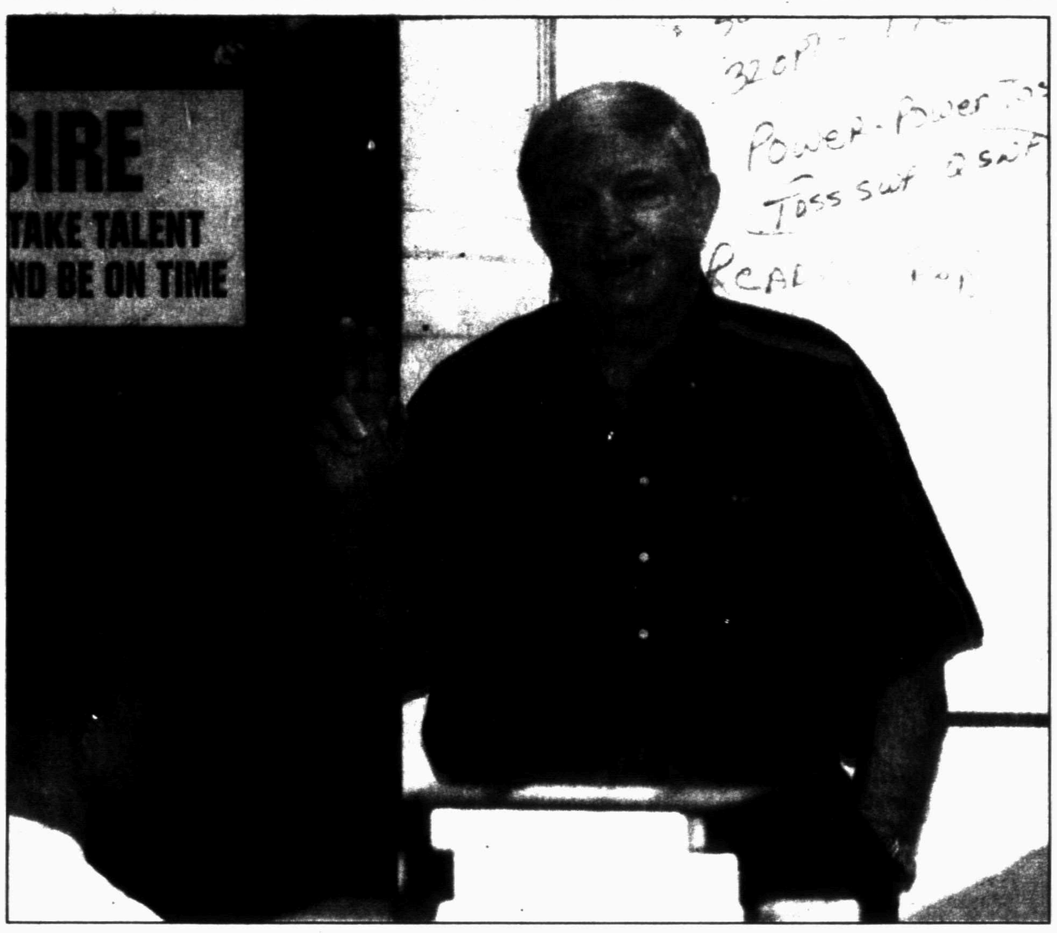
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Home of Christine Stuard



PEP TALK — Snyder native Grant Teaff, executive director of the College Football Coaches Association and former head coach at athletic director at Baylor University, addressed the Tigers Thursday as the team prepared for tonight's game in Fort Stockton. Teaff spoke for 45 minutes about the keys to being successful on and off the field. (SDN Staff Photo by Bobby Allen)

Other events Saturday...

Homecoming game tonight at Hermleigh

Hermleigh Cardinals will host the Loop Longhorns tonight to kick off homecoming weekend.

The non-district, six-man encounter begins at 7:30 and the football sweetheart and hero will be crowned at halftime.

Sweetheart candidates are Brittany Kelley, Alana Culp, Christy Garcia, Brittainy Jones and Alicia Culp.

Hero nominees are Justin Williamson, Dustin Williamson, Joakim Lundvik, Keenon Garcia and Robby Anderson.

A pep rally at 5:45 p.m. today in the gym will get the spirit going. The varsity cheerleaders will lead the event with a special appearance by the "mini cheerleaders."

Registration for homecoming begins at 6 this evening at the high school.

Saturday events begin with 9 a.m. registration at the high school. A share-your-memories program is planned for 10 a.m. The undefeated 1960 regional champions will be recognized as will the pep squad.

Special recognitions are also on the agenda and exes officers will be elected during the business meeting.

The junior and senior classes will sponsor a brisket meal from 11:30 a.m. to 2 p.m. Saturday in the cafeteria. Tickets are $6 for adults and $3 for children eight and under.

Austin opposes Patriot Act

AUSTIN (AP) — The Austin City Council has adopted a resolution opposing the USA Patriot Act, voicing concerns that the federal legislation could violate fundamental liberties.

With Thursday's city council vote, Austin joins more than 170 cities and counties nationwide that have passed similar resolutions against the act, which is intended to fight terrorism.

The act was approved by Congress six weeks after the Sept. 11, 2001, terrorist attacks.

The Patriot Act expanded government surveillance capabilities, toughened criminal penalties for terrorists and removed a legal barrier that for years prevented intelligence agencies and criminal investigators and prosecutors from sharing information.

U.S. Attorney General John Ashcroft, on a nationwide campaign last month to defend the Patriot Act, said the anti-terrorism law is the chief reason America has not suffered another catastrophic terrorist attack since Sept. 11.

But, critics say the law has opened the door to greater government snooping, weakened constitutional protections against searches and seizures, and subjected to FBI scrutiny more records and documents, such as those held by libraries and businesses.

More than 100 people showed up for Thursday's vote.

"As a democracy, we have the right to stand up and say no," said Will Martin, a 15-year-old high school student.

Rainfall Reports

Snyder	.25
North of city	Trace
East of city	.10
Lake Thomas	.15
Hermleigh	.20
Fluvanna	.50
Polar	Trace
Loyd Mountain	Trace
Dunn	.30
Ira	.40
Dermott	.06
Union	.15
Gail	Showers

Totals as reported by area residents for Thursday.

THE SDN COLUMN

MY TURN

by Wade Warren



On the weekend of the White Buffalo Festival — Oct. 10-11 — The Snyder Daily News will publish a combination historical-progress edition.

Many of the stories will focus on what was happening in the busy year of 1953, but there also will be tons of other interesting stories about Snyder, Scurry County and the personalities that have shaped the two over the past 50 years.

And since the city of Snyder is actually 125 years old this year, there will be tales told of early day Snyder at its founding.

There'll pictures from the past and the present as there are lots of things going on here in 2003.

The tremendous project at Kinder Morgan tops the list, while Oxy Permian also is doing its fair share of work in the area.

Major highway projects are underway as evidenced by the work on College Avenue and the Huffman Avenue overpass.

A couple of new homes are being built, and several remodeling jobs are also underway in various neighborhoods.

Hermleigh ISD is in the process of making some improvements to facilities as is the Ira schools. Snyder ISD is making improvements in the form of new and much more efficient heating and cooling systems.

And Cogdell Memorial Hospital this year completed the emergency room and entranceway renovations and additions.

The hospital didn't open in 1953, but work was well underway to see it open in January 1954.

And since the hospital and a pending election to form a hospital district is the topic of many conversations around the county, we thought it would be appropriate to bring you some history of the facility from the pages of the SDN dated January 31, 1954 and April 2, 1964.

In 1950, voters approved the issuance of $400,000 in bonds to be matched by $400,000 in federal aid to construct the hospital.

However, the bond election was contested by a group of citizens who alleged that 482 persons who voted in the bond election were not properly registered.

Plaintiffs lost their court case, but that decision was later overruled. They eventually dropped the suit to allow the construction of the facility.

By then, prices of labor and materials had increased such that the $800,000 was not enough to build the facility.

This prompted rancher-oilman D. M. Cogdell to donate the land and $200,000 for construction and material.

And 10 years later in 1964, a story said the hospital board met to discuss operational problems with the facility, including a grand jury report on the hospital's operations.

The report stated that the profit motive connected with the hospital had contributed greatly to its problems and while the money of Scurry County should not be squandered or wasted, proper patient care in the hospital is more important than having the hospital show a profit, or even break even.

The report went on to say that more nurses could be secured if the salaries could be set at a higher level.

Is this an echo, or what?

House, Senate duel with joint committee

AUSTIN (AP) — House Speaker Tom Craddick wants to make something clear: the redistricting clash between House and Senate Republicans isn't only about West Texas.

"There are major differences across the state. We've got major differences in Central Texas. We've got major differences in northeast Texas. And we've got major differences down in the coastal area," Craddick said.

Wrangling over the congressional redistricting moved Thursday to a joint House-Senate committee charged with sorting out map-drawing disputes between the two chambers. Republicans now must solve conflicts of their own after months of fighting with Democrats.

Perhaps the biggest sticking point is a disagreement over how West Texas should be drawn. Craddick is firm in wanting district that could allow his hometown of Midland, with its oil and gas economy, to anchor a congressional seat.

Fellow Republican Sen. Robert Duncan of Lubbock has pushed a plan that keeps Midland in a district with the larger agriculture-oriented city of Lubbock.

Neither side appeared to be budging.

"I think we've got to deal with West Texas first," said Rep. Phil King, R-Weatherford, author of the House map and leader of the House contingent on the conference committee. He predicted slow negotiations.

Craddick said there are other discrepancies between the two versions that must be ironed out. He said he wants House conferees to defend the House map's creation of a new black congressional district.

Craddick contends the Senate's last-minute decision to split Webb County, where Laredo is located on the Texas-Mexico border, may not win approval from the U.S. Justice Department, which enforces protection of minorities under the federal Voting Rights Act.

Bill Wilson's WWII bomb group due honor tonight

The 43rd Bomb Group, known during World War II as Ken's Men, will be inducted into the Commemorative Air Force American Combat Hall of Fame.

Representing the 43rd Bomb group will be William H. Wilson Jr., longtime Snyder businessman and civic leader.

The presentation will be made this evening at the Midland Center. A reception and dinner begins at 6:30 followed by the induction ceremony to follow. Also scheduled to be inducted into the hall of fame are seven World War II veterans.

Special guest speaker will be actor Cliff Robertson.

Wilson, owner of Wilson Motors in Snyder since 1957, first joined the Royal Canadian Air Force and then was inducted into the U.S. Army Air Force, serving in World War II. He attained the rank of major and was a B-17 pilot.

Wilson's 43rd Bomb Group was activated on Jan. 15, 1941 and first flew the B-17-E Flying Fortress, the early model B-24 Liberator and the B-18 Bolo.

Deployed to the southwest Pacific in February of 1941, the group became part of the fledgling Fifth Air Force commanded by General George Kenney. It was in honor of Kenney that the Bomb Group was tagged Ken's Men.

The 43rd Bomb Group perfected the technique of "skip bombing" where bombs were skipped across the water at Japanese ships from extremely low altitudes. Due to the success of the technique, the 43rd received its first Distinguished Unit Citation.

In June 1943, one of the group's most remarkable missions occurred when a lone B-17, piloted by Capt. Jay Zeamer, was attacked by more than 20 Japanese fighters during a photographic mapping mission over the Solomon Islands. The pilot and bombardier Lt. Joseph Sarnoski each received the Medal of Honor as they managed, despite severe wounds, to thwart the attack and safely return the damaged Fortress to base.

The 43rd began using B-24 Liberator bombers in September 1943, the longer range of bomber important as the Fifth Air Force developed a strategic strike force.

Attacks on oil storage facilities and refineries on Balikpapan, Borneo again put the 43rd in the history books.

After Philippines in November of 1944, the group attacked shipping along the Asiatic coast. Moving to Ie Shima in July 1945, the 43rd conducted missions about land and sea targets until the war's end.

The 43rd Group was deactivated in June, 1952.

After the war, Wilson established an auto dealership in Haskell before opening Wilson Motors in Snyder in 1957.

Wilson has served in various civic capacities including being an original member of the Western Texas College board and served as WTC trustee for 27 years.



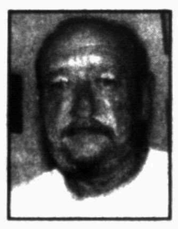
BOMB GROUP HONORED — Bill Wilson Jr. of Snyder will represent the 43rd Bomb Group tonight in Midland.

ASK US

Q – Does the Texas Comptroller's office auction off unclaimed property?

A – Yes. Items currently for sale can be viewed online at: www.window.state.tx.us/up/unclaimed property auction, current auction on e-bay.

MEET YOUR NEIGHBOR



Jack L. Hardin

... a 1964 Snyder High School graduate, moved back to Snyder 13 years ago. Jack works as manager for Fieldcrest Apartments. He has seven siblings. Closest relatives in town include two sisters and a brother — Nancy Blair, John Hardin, and Cindy Garcia. His hobby is, "fishing when I can find time away from Fieldcrest Apartments."

TODAY'S THOUGHT

It is easier to do a job right than to explain why you didn't.
—Martin Van Buren

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events

WHAT'S UP?

ONGOINGS

Hermleigh pep rally

A community-wide homecoming pep rally begins at 5:45 p.m. today in the Hermleigh gym. Mini cheerleaders will also perform. Everyone is invited.

Bake sale

Snyder Church of God will have a bake sale beginning at 9 a.m. Saturday at Wal-Mart. There will be sugar-free and regular baked goods.

Trap shoot

The Scurry County Rodeo Association will hold a trap shoot starting at 10 a.m. Saturday at the rodeo grounds on Gary Brewer Road. Everyone is invited. Concession available. For more information call 573-3712.

Brisket meal fundraiser

Hermleigh junior and senior classes will host a brisket meal fundraiser from 11:30 a.m. until 2 p.m. Saturday in the high school cafeteria. Cost is $6 a plate and $3 for ages eight and under.

Ira Masonic Lodge

50-year pins will be presented by the Ira Masonic Lodge at 5:30 p.m. Saturday at the lodge. All Master Masons are invited. RSVP by today by calling 573-6733.

Annual Jamaica

Our Lady of Guadalupe Catholic Church's annual Jamaica is Sunday from 8 a.m. to 8 p.m. Besides food, DJ and live music, the event will also feature volleyball, horseshoe and washers tournament and a talent show for all ages. Folkorico Dancers will perform and there will also be a celebration of the Holy Eucharist.

Special church services

Word is Life Deliverance Church at 312 Coliseum Dr. will host Pastor Fred Adams of San Angelo during the Sunday morning service. Pastor Adams will bring his anointed youth dance group. Lunch will be served after the service.

First Christian Church

Dr. Jim Clifton, dean of student services at WTC, will be the guest speaker at the 11 a.m. service Sunday at First Christian Church, 37th and Austin.

Stanfield cookie dough

Cookie dough orders can be picked up between 2:30 and 4:30 p.m. Monday in the Stanfield school gym. Persons unable to come during those hours should contact the school office.

Homecoming parade

The lineup for SHS' homecoming parade, hosted by the student council, will begin at 6:30 p.m. Monday. The parade begins at 7 p.m, starting at the old IGA parking lot, then down 42nd Street and end at the football stadium. It will be followed by a candlelight pep rally, also hosted by the student council and the cheerleaders. To participate or enter a float, call Christy Smith at 573-6301.

Bible study tapes

Bible videos air each week on Channel 2. To be shown at 7 p.m. Monday is "The Promise of Christ's Return," followed by "the Gospel of Your Salvation."

Genealogical Society to meet

The Genealogical Society will meet at 7 p.m. Tuesday at the library. The program will be a continuation of stories of childhood pets.

Junior high open house

Snyder junior high will host an open house from 4 to 5:30 p.m. Wednesday. Report cards will be distributed to parents and parents are encouraged to meet the teachers.

SJHS yearbooks

Snyder junior high Tiger Times yearbook goes on sale Wednesday through Nov. 25 in room 110. Cost is $16 or students may make an $8 deposit. No extra copies will be ordered.

Thee Place Women's Ministry study

Thee Place Women's Ministry will begin Beth Moore's study, "A Woman's Heart, God's Dwelling Place" Wednesday at 6 p.m. To order a workbook at $15, contact Melissa Petty at 573-0455 by today. Thee Place is located at 904 26th St.

Important GED dates

Mandatory pre-registration for the GED test will be Thursday at the GED testing center, Western Texas College, Building 7B, from 10:30 a.m. to 3 p.m. The math segment of the GED will begin promptly at 8 a.m. next Friday. For more information about the GED test, call Betty Thompson, 573-2310, or Emily Hataway, 573-8511, ext. 297 or 574-2112. It is recommended that candidates receive some preparation before attempting the test.

First Christian fajita dinner

First Christian Church, 37th and Austin, has set its annual park and eat fajita dinner for next Friday from 5-7 p.m. Call 573-6115 or 573 6877 for advance tickets. Tickets will also be sold at the door.

Quilt showing

Quilts are needed for the quilt display during White Buffalo Days Oct. 10-11 at the Scurry County Coliseum. Persons wishing to put a quilt on display should call Joan Bunch at 573-7404. After 5 p.m. call 573-0047.

Addresses sought

E-mail addresses or phone numbers are still needed for members of Snyder High School class of 1963 to plan a reunion. Information may be sent to t.dolan@mail.utexas or call 325-207-1718 and leave a message.

1950s dance contest

A '50s dance contest will be held Saturday, Oct. 11, in conjunction with the White Buffalo Festival. Judging for the $100 prize will be 50% costume and 50% dance skills. The White Buffalo Committee also solicits 1950s yearbooks for the display. For more information call Jackie at the coliseum at 573-9811.

Organize riding club

Anyone interested in forming a riding club for families is asked to contact Debbie Elder at 325 574-1622.



DANCING BEAUTIES — Yesennia Cabrera, Miriam Arellano, Jessica Guardado, Virginia Torres and Andrea Miranda dance and twirl while celebrating Mexican Independence Day at East Elementary school. (SDN Staff Photo)

Cities, counties officials ask court to dismiss Tulia lawsuit

AMARILLO (AP) — More than 40 cities, counties, and government officials have filed paperwork asking a federal court in Amarillo to dismiss a lawsuit filed by two people arrested in the Tulia drug busts.

The lawsuit, filed in August by Tonya White and Zuri Bosset, accuses the 26 counties and four cities involved in the task force that conducted the drug busts of violating their constitutional rights.

White and Bossett were among 46 people — 39 of them black — who were arrested after an 18-month investigation conducted by undercover agent Tom Coleman.

The suit also names as defendants every official involved in the July 1999 drug busts.

By Thursday, most of the defendants had filed responses and those who had not sought extensions, the Amarillo Globe-News reported.

A majority of defendants claim they should be removed from the suit because they had no control over the task force that worked with Coleman.

In August, Gov. Rick Perry signed pardons for 35 people who were convicted in the drug busts. Perry said he was influenced by questions about the testimony of Coleman, who was later charged with perjury.

Coleman worked alone and used no audio or video surveillance to substantiate drug buys he said he made from the 46 people. No drugs or money were found during the arrests.

Charges against White were dropped after she produced an alibi showing she was in another state when Coleman said he sold drugs to her. Bossett's charges were dropped after prosecutors and defense attorneys reached an agreement to avoid a trial.

Attorneys for many of the defendants did not return calls or declined to comment when contacted by the newspaper.

In their responses, nearly all the defendants said the suit should be dismissed because the task force itself cannot be sued. They cited jural existence, a claim that an organization, such as a task force, cannot be sued until it is determined, generally by the legislature, to be a legal entity with rights in court.

Potter County claimed in its response that it was not responsible for the task force's actions.

"I can say that we are confident that we will prevail on the defenses that we have raised in Potter County's answer to this lawsuit," said Potter County Attorney Sonya Letson.

Attorney Jeff Blackburn, who filed the suit, dismissed the claims. He said the counties and cities turned over their narcotics enforcement responsibilities to the task force, which makes them responsible for the outcome.

"We expected them to make these kinds of arguments," Blackburn said. "This isn't anything new or unusual. This kind of effort at avoiding responsibility and ducking the truth isn't going to do them any good. We're going to get to the truth."

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Bridge

By Phillip Alder

North 09-26-03
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♥ J 9 7
♦ J 10 7
♣ K Q J 10

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

East
♠ 8 6 4 3
♥ A 6 5
♦ A 9 6 4
♣ 5 3

South
♠ K Q 5
♥ K 8
♦ K Q 5 2
♣ A 8 7 2

Dealer: South
Vulnerable: North-South

South	West	North	East
1 NT	Pass	3 NT	All pass

Opening lead: ♥ 3

Friday, Sept. 26, 2003

The leader can also give count

By Phillip Alder

This week, we have been looking at giving count information to partner. Do not think that this happens all the time, but it is important to be ready when it really matters.

Even the opening leader, when he starts with fourth-highest from his longest and strongest, may have to give accurate information to his partner — as in this deal.

After a straightforward auction to three no-trump, West leads the heart three. After winning with his ace, East returns the six, the higher of two remaining cards. Then, East notes West's two, which indicates that he started with five hearts.

Declarer has to try to sneak a diamond trick past the defense. His best shot is to enter the dummy with a spade or club and call for the diamond jack, making it look as though a finesse is being attempted. A sleepy East would fall for it, playing low. But not someone who can see the setting tricks. He rushes to win with the diamond ace and to return his last heart: one down.

That is apparently straightforward, but in Christchurch, New Zealand, a few years ago, at trick one, the declarer, Ken Johns, dropped his heart king under East's ace! Johns was confident that West had the heart queen for her lead, and realized that he always had only one heart trick coming. So, he decided to muddy the waters. Back came the heart six, which West should have ducked, of course. But she was confused, winning with the queen and continuing the suit to dummy's jack. Now, though, declarer drove out East's diamond ace and claimed an overtrick.

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Date book

Friday, Sept. 26, 2003

Today is the 269th day of 2003 and the fourth day of fall.

TODAY'S HISTORY: On this day in 1921, President Herbert Hoover convened a national conference on unemployment.

On this day in 1960, the first televised debate between Richard Nixon and John F. Kennedy was broadcast.

On this day in 1990, the Motion Picture Association of America abolished the X rating and created the NC-17 rating.

TODAY'S BIRTHDAYS: T.S. Eliot (1888-1965), author; Martin Heidegger (1889-1976), philosopher; George Gershwin (1898-1937), composer; Jack LaLanne (1914-), fitness guru, is 89; Serena Williams (1981-), athlete, is 22.

TODAY'S SPORTS: On this day in 1979, television coverage of the 1984 Summer Olympics in Los Angeles was sold to ABC for $225 million.

TODAY'S QUOTE: "Anxiety is the hand maiden of creativity." — T.S. Eliot

TODAY'S MOON: New moon (Sept. 26).

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LOTTO TEXAS
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RESULTS

Thursday's Lottery Numbers
Cash Five

AUSTIN (AP) — Results of the Cash 5 drawing Thursday night:

Winning numbers drawn: 6-12-29-31-34.

Number matching five of five: 0.

Prize per winner: $0.

Matching four of five: 139. Prize: $506.

Matching three of five: 4,386. Prize: $12.

Matching two of five: 47,444. Prize: $2.

Next Cash 5 drawing: Friday night.

Pick 3
(Day) 9-4-6
(Night) 1-2-5

Happy Birthday Christine

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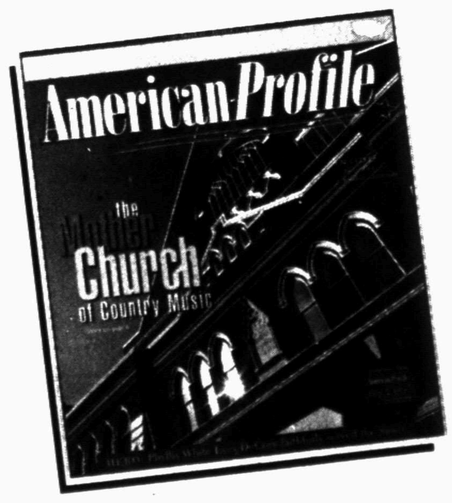
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The many stages of the Ryman

For most country music fans, the Ryman Auditorium is known as the genre's "Mother Church." But this venerable old building has served many purposes in more than a century of existence.



In Addition...
- Our picks
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American Profile
Celebrating Hometown Life

Dear Abby

By Abigail Van Buren



Girl fears parents reaction to news of her pregnancy

DEAR ABBY: I don't know what to do. This morning I found out that I am pregnant. I haven't told my parents, because I'm scared of their reaction. It's so hard. What are my options? — **ALONE AND TERRIFIED IN COLUMBUS, GA.**

DEAR TERRIFIED: You may feel alone right now, but you aren't. If it is at all possible, confide in your mother or another trusted female adult right away. Do not waste any time. You need more support right now than I can give you in this column.

If there is no adult you trust enough to tell, your next best option is to contact Planned Parenthood. The caring and understanding staff will confirm whether or not you are pregnant. They will then explain all of your options to you. They also provide excellent low-cost prenatal care. Planned Parenthood is listed in your phone book.

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DEAR ABBY: My 7-year-old, "Richie," attended a birthday party today. Pizza and cake were served, and goodie bags were handed out at the door as the kids left. In the car, on the way home, Richie opened his and found inside a thank-you note from the birthday boy which read, "Thanks for coming to my party and thanks for the great present!"

Abby, I was shocked. My son repeated the words, "Great present? Mommy, he didn't open his presents during the party. How could he know what I gave him was great?"

After my kids' parties, we sit down together and write an individual thank-you card for each gift, and in it my son mentions the particular present. Sometimes we even enclose a photo of the child taken at the party.

In the past, we have received e-mail thank-yous, but never one in a goodie bag sent home the day of the party. Is this tacky or a sign of the times? No name or location, please. We live in a small town. — **OFFENDED IN THE U.S.A.**

DEAR OFFENDED: The parent who came up with the idea of a generic thank-you did her son no favor. Writing a gracious thank-you note is an acquired skill one with which every child should become familiar as soon as he or she can hold a pen or pencil.

It doesn't have to be long or fancy, but it must be personal and sincere.

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DEAR ABBY: The letter from "Safety Conscious in Northern California," who observed a young child left alone in a car and told another mother instead of calling the police, reminded me of how a friend of mine handled a similar situation.

While driving to work, she saw a child of kindergarten age sitting alone at a bus stop. This went on for several days and she couldn't get him out of her mind, so she decided to take action.

One morning, she stopped her car at the bus stop and asked the boy to give his parents a note. The note said, "I am not a pervert, but I got close enough to your little boy to give him this note. Next time, you might not be so lucky!"

The next morning, and every morning thereafter, that child's mother was waiting with him at the bus stop. — **LOVING KIDS IN OKLAHOMA**

DEAR LOVING KIDS: Your friend is an excellent communicator. She sent a message the boy's mother will never forget.

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Today's chuckle

Ravenous rabbits eat park vegetation

CHICAGO (AP) — Ravenous rabbits are putting a big-time bite on vegetation in Chicago's Grant Park, and city officials are trying to keep the rascally creatures at bay.

"We've never counted them, but there's thousands of them," Sloane Nystrom, deputy director of natural resources for the Chicago Park District, said Thursday.



Joel Brown, a University of Illinois-Chicago biology professor told the Grant Park Advisory Board on Wednesday that the rabbits have been drawn by park vegetation — lawns, plants and the sap behind tree bark.

The advisory board is working with the city to develop a permanent, yet humane, solution to the rabbits, said board president Bob O'Neill. Officials are concerned that the rabbits might harm some 200 elm trees that are to be planted in the park.

The best way to protect the new elms would be to erect wire-mesh fences around the trees, then trap and relocate the rabbits, Brown said.

O'Neill said the city made such a move last year, capturing rabbits and moving them to the Cook County Forest Preserve. But the effort did little to stifle the spread of the floppy-eared critters.

"We're all trying to figure out why there are so many of them," Nystrom said of the rabbits. "Part of the reason may be that a lot of (recent) winters have been more mild, so they're not dying off in the natural way the way they used to."

Brown offered some mathematical reasoning for the problem: The bunnies have a 30-day gestation period and produce four to six rabbits per litter, with as many as four litters per season.

Man survives grizzly bear attack

WASILLA, Alaska (AP) — A hunter attacked by a grizzly bear on a remote trail said he used duct tape to bind his bite wounds, then rode an all-terrain vehicle to his pickup truck and drove himself to a hospital.

Bill Murphy said the Sept. 17 attack happened after he surprised a grizzly cub and its mother on a trail about 50 miles northeast of Anchorage where he was hunting for moose and sheep.

"I didn't even have time to jump," Murphy said.

Murphy grabbed his rifle but before he could raise it, the mother bear pinned him face-down.

It then clamped her jaws around his right shoulder and started shaking him like a rag. He said he felt teeth pressing against his skin, then a pop as they sliced through.

At some point, the bear let go, then stood over Murphy, panting and drooling onto his head. All he could think about was a bear attack over the summer near the Russian River where a man was bitten on the face and blinded.

"I just lay perfectly still and said, 'God, don't bite my head,'" Murphy said.

Finally, the bear moved away. Murphy said he got up, planning to shoot the bear, but it had broken his rifle.

Murphy said he wrapped duct tape around his shoulder and cut up a cloth bag to wrap around his thigh. He hiked out to his four-wheeler, rode about 15 miles back to his pickup truck and drove a half hour to Valley Hospital in Palmer.

The 54-year-old said he has no idea how long the attack lasted, but it felt like "two lifetimes."

"I can laugh about it now, but I wasn't laughing then," he said.

Bruce Willis performs music for soldiers in northern Iraq

TELAFAR, Iraq (AP) — Movie star Bruce Willis brought a rock concert to a desert airfield, with his band entertaining hundreds of soldiers some 35 miles from the Syrian border.

Hundreds of soldiers — some sitting atop helicopters, others lounging in Humvees — sent cheers and whistles into the night air Thursday as Willis and his band belted out rock and roll and the blues.

Most soldiers here said they didn't know Willis was a singer, but they approved of what they heard.

"Somebody that supports the military like he has and that comes to visit soldiers — that's important to us," said Spc. Greg Pagan, a bus driver and a postal officer with the 3rd Brigade of the 101st's Airborne Division in northern Iraq.

"It's awesome. It's great for morale" said Col. Michael Linnington, commander of the brigade's "Iron Rakkasans" — the 187th Infantry Regiment.

"He's my favorite actor and my age," said Linnington, who turns 45 next week. "He's a macho actor. Soldiers identify with action movies and action actors. He's a guy's guy."

Willis, sometimes donning a military hat or a military jacket over his sweat pants, sang mostly oldies as he and his band — the Accelerator — stood atop two flatbed trailer trucks.



BABY WEEK — Baby Week at Wal-Mart kicks off Wednesday. From 10 a.m. to 2 p.m. on that day only, children can have their picture taken in the Pumpkin Patch for a $2 donation. Then bring the picture to the store for a parent/child look-a-like contest. The winner will be announced Oct. 11. A variety of activities and games are also planned that day. Proceeds will benefit local charities. Pictured at a recent planning session are from left, Suzanne Pollard, Scurry County Early Head Start; R.J. Youngclaus, Wal-Mart manager; Mary Rodriguez WIC; Mary Reyes. Early Child Intervention; and Jeanita McIlroy, Early Head Start. Not pictured is Daphny Lopez, Early Head Start. (Contributed Photo)

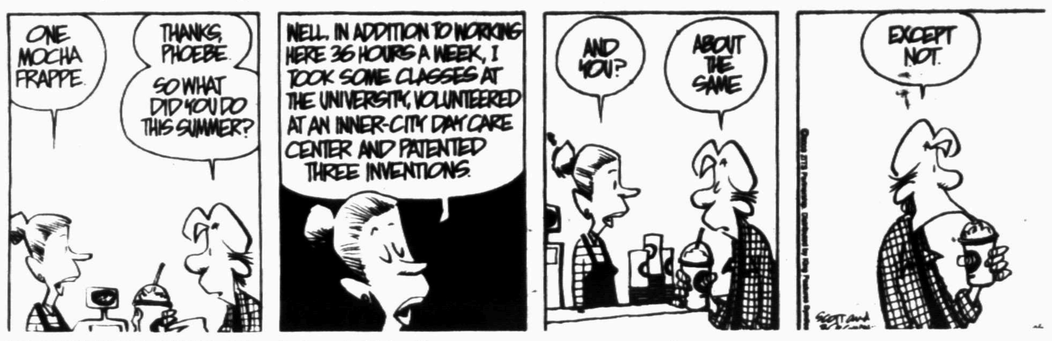
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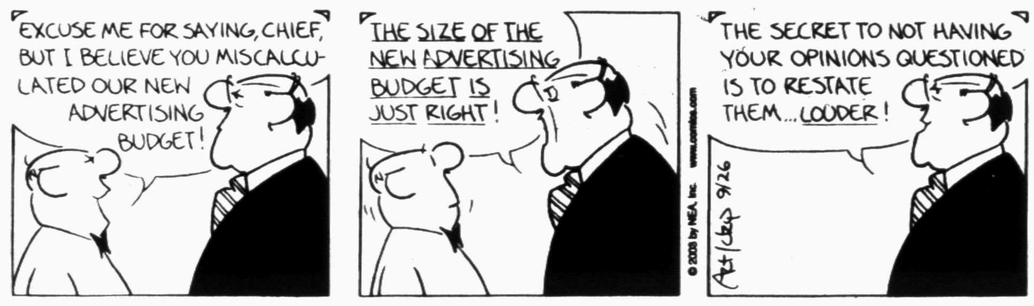
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29 Andy Gump's wife
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34 Pie pans
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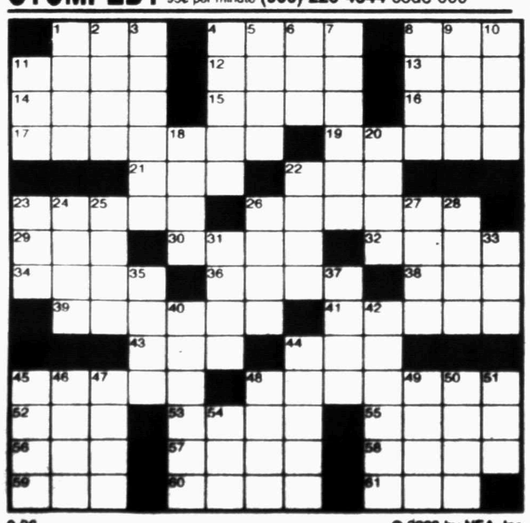
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37 Taxicab
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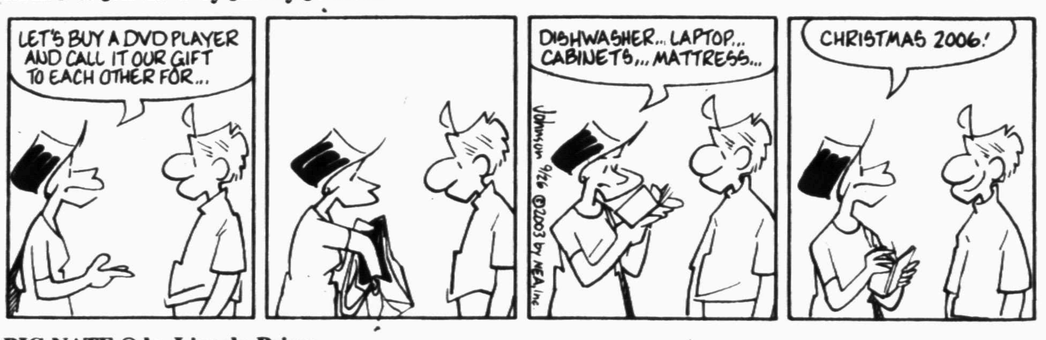


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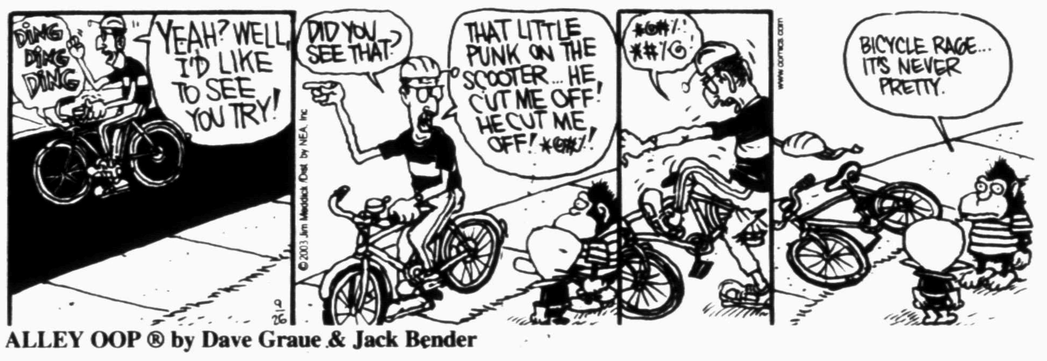
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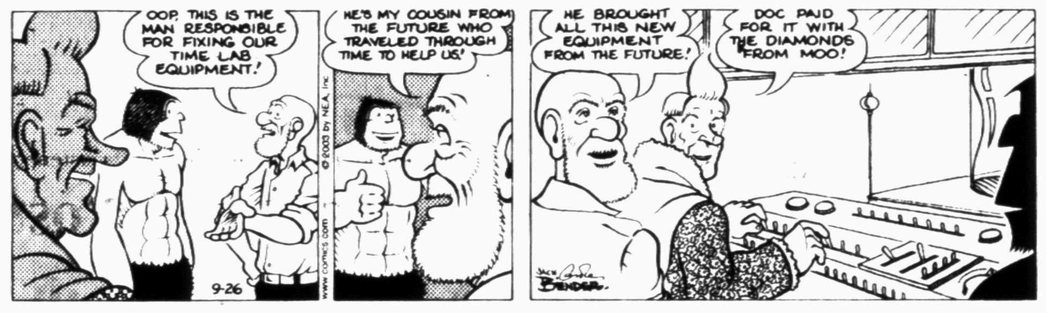
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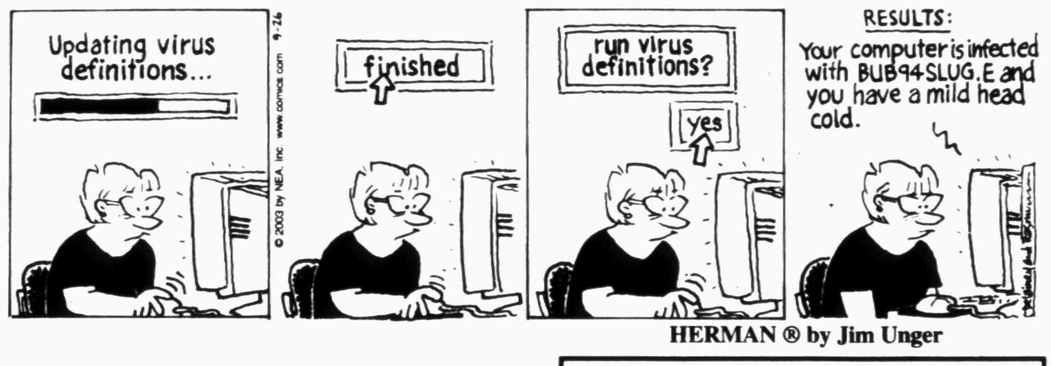
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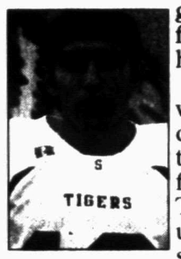
SPORTS

Sideline Views

by Bobby Allen



When starting free safety Israel Sosa planted his left leg chasing down a Dumas ball carrier in the team's final scrimmage this year, he was pushed on the right shoulder by a blocker and crumbled to the ground, pain flaring through his left knee.



Israel Sosa

But that pain was nothing compared to the agony he felt when the Tigers opened up a 2003 season full of promise and high expectations while he stood at the sidelines on crutches.

"I had no idea my season would be over," the senior said of the knee injury. "I didn't know it would be my last play. I never thought it would happen to me. I've never been hurt bad playing football before."

Sosa suffered a complete tear of his left anterior cruciate ligament, one of the most common — and debilitating — injuries in football. Now, with his season finished and his teammates enduring the torrid afternoon practices, Sosa deals with his own suffering after film study, going through a series of leg exercises with trainer Steve Krueger during the time his comrades are learning the playbook.

But Sosa is not angry or bitter, even though he spent his entire summer preparing for a starring role in the Tigers revamped defense. He still patrols the fieldhouse with a smile and an encouraging word, despite his obvious disappointment.

"I just worked so hard all summer. I was looking forward to my senior season, and being the starting free safety," he said.

Sosa said it was difficult for him to watch the team lose its first three games.

"It got me so mad, just standing there instead of being part of the team and making it better," he said. "It's pretty hard to be out there on Friday night."

Sosa is not the only one that is disappointed that his season ended before it ever got started.

"It is a tremendous blow," head coach Chad Rogers lamented. ""Israel's the defensive leader, and anytime you lose a leader it's tough. He epitomizes the Snyder Tiger football program."

Sosa remains positive about his misfortune.

"I'm becoming a better teammate," he said. "I tell the guys to cheer our guys on. They can play and I can't, so if I can cheer, they should, too."

The surgeon that operated on Sosa's knee told the senior to imagine himself lying on a beach somewhere before the surgery began, but Sosa had his own vision to comfort him.

"I thought about winning a state championship and wearing that ring," he said.

When he woke up, the pain was so excruciating that, "I just wanted to go back to sleep."

Now, he spends his time helping his understudy, sophomore Garrett Pinson, understand the intricacies of the position.

"I talk to him a lot in practice and on game night. He's a good listener — he knows I was there, and he takes my advice."

Sosa plans to be ready to play basketball, hopefully by the early part of the district schedule. He will attend Angelo State after graduation, but is undecided about what he wants to do. But he knows he won't be playing anymore football.

And what if his pre-operation dream comes true, and his teammates are crowned state champions?

"I'll be happy, "he said. "I still feel like a big part of this team."

Undoubtedly the heart, if not the soul.

Bulldogs finding their game

One challenge down, seven more to go.

After an opening night loss to Whitharral, the Ira Bulldogs have reeled off two consecutive victories, including a 56-6 pasting of blood rival Borden County last week to turn their season around three games in.

The Bulldogs will look to continue that trend at 7:30 tonight when they host New Home, which was blanked by Patton Springs last Friday, 49-0.

Ira head coach Toby Goodwin thought the Bulldogs would beat the Coyotes, but said he didn't expect such a lopsided contest.

"They are a good program and a good rivalry for us," he said. "I thought we'd play well, but I didn't expect that kind of dominance."

Ira ended the game in the third quarter on the 45-point mercy rule, but Goodwin said the team still needs some work before starting the district schedule.

"We need better execution. We can still get better," he said. "We are improving each week, but we're still not there, we're still doing some things wrong."

Little went wrong last Friday as the Bulldogs tallied 377 total yards on offense, beating Borden County at the line of scrimmage to the tune of 226 rushing yards.

Wes Kellner, playing with a nagging foot injury, scored three touchdowns, and Goodwin said Kellner would be in the line-up tonight.

Joel Lollar will also play, despite a deep shoulder bruise that limited his action against Borden County.

Nose guard and goal-line back Roy Torres will be out this evening with a severe eye infection.

One of the benefits of such a blowout win is that several reserves got extended playing time, Goodwin said.

He added that the defense has been exceptional this season, which has helped Ira overcome some mistakes on offense.

"Coach (Randy) Jones is doing a fabulous job. He's got them believing in what he's doing, and that's the key," he said. "This defense is playing with a lot of confidence right now."

Goodwin added that the club still needed to work on the offensive-line play.

"We are still figuring it out," he said, noting that the type of personnel Ira matches-up with each week is different. "Sometimes we have to block big guys and other teams have small, fast guys, and the techniques are different with each."

The key to the Bulldogs season rests on how well they play down the stretch in gearing up for district rival Highland on the last week of the season.

"We are improving each wee, and we will continue to improve," Goodwin said.

Cardinals seek to continue improvement against Loop

The Hermleigh Cardinals hope to capitalize on last week's decisive win over Trent JV when it plays its 2003 Homecoming game against Loop at 7:30 tonight in Cardinal Stadium.

Last season, Loop dominated three quarters of play until Hermleigh came alive in the fourth. But it was too little, too late and the game ended in defeat, 44-12.

Mistakes made in the first half really hurt the drive, but Jones said the team has learned a great deal from that contest.

The Cardinals played with desire last week, topping Trent junior varsity 46-0. The Cardinals executed an impressive running game, capitalizing with touchdowns on five turnovers by the Gorillas.

High winds prevented nearly all attempts for extra point conversions. The game ended in the second half with 6:57 left in the fourth.

"They are excited about getting a win," said Jones.

It was not the first time that weather affected the Cardinals game. The season opener with Spade was called off due to inclement weather.

"If we had played the first week, we would've won," Jones said.

The game with Lueders-Avoca was a hard-fought affair with the Cards down, 14-12, with less than a few minutes left to play, before a pair of onsides kick recoveries gave Lueders the 34, 12 victory.

In a gutty performance against Moran, the Cards fell 38-24.

That was when the Cards showed marked improvement, having been iced by the Bulldogs last season, 54-6.

Jones said the club is anxious to get on the field following last week's win, which marked the first victory of his tenure.

"Of course they are excited because it's homecoming," he said. "We're ready to go."

SJHS gridders split with Big Spring

The eighth-grade Gold gridders won a thrilling game over Big Spring Thursday, coming from behind to claim a 24-20 win.

Ryan Claxton had touchdown runs of 70 and 50 yards, and Dustin Murdock added a 12-yard touchdown run on a quarterback keeper.

Lance Day hauled in a pass from Murdock for a two-point conversion, and Brent Bollinger added a two-point run.

Defensively, the Gold squad (1-1-1) recorded a safety, and had excellent coverage to nullify Big Spring's explosive passing attack.

"Our secondary covered like crazy," coach Reagan Key said. "We worked hard on it all week, and it paid off."

The seventh-grade Black team (1-1-1) nabbed its first win of the season, routing Big Spring, 30-6.

Ben Gutierrez sprinted for touchdown runs of 44 and 45 yards, and Robert Casteneda scored on runs of 40 and 8 yards to provide the margin of victory.

Josh Hoover added an interception to kill a Big Spring rally.

Coach Brock Rumfield said a total team effort resulted in the triumph.

The seventh-grade Gold team (1-2) lost a tough contest, 22-20, coming back from a 16-0 halftime deficit to control the second half.

"We played a good game. It was a great effort," Rumfield said. "We didn't lose, we just ran out of time."

Jesse Conner fired a 40-yard touchdown pass to Joe Rivera, and Rivera and Chase Arrendale each had 7-yard touchdown runs.

The eighth-grade Black team was shutout, 12-0.

The seventh-grade clubs will host Levelland Tuesday, and the eighth-graders will travel to Levelland Thursday.

Junior Tigers stomp Post

The junior varsity Tigers tallied over 400 yards of total offense and recovered five fumbles on defense in a 42-0 rout of the Post Antelopes JV squad.

Dustin Williams and Matt Reigh combined for over 100 yards through the air, with each scoring on 1-yard dives, as the Tigers rushed for 300 yards with a backfield rotation of Urbano Hernandez, Jonathan Gonzales and Jonathan Vasquez in the lopsided victory.

Gonzales opened the scoring with touchdown runs of 3 and 25 yards, and posted three two-point conversion in the contest.

Vasquez scampered in from 15 yards out, and Hernandez added a 3-yard scoring run for the Tigers. Hernandez also added a two-point conversion, and connected with Gonzales on another conversion.

JV coach Charles Bollinger said the team played outstanding, with the defense, led by linebacker Chris Vera, having an "excellent" performance.

The junior varsity will travel to Levelland Thursday. Kick-off is scheduled for 7:30 p.m.

Sports Briefs

Football booster club

The football booster club will meet at 7 p.m. Monday in the film room.

Tiger Sharks start practice Monday

The Snyder Tiger Sharks swim team will begin practice Monday. Contact Lisa Christensen at 573-8697 for more information.

Baseball booster club

The baseball booster club will meet at 7 p.m. Tuesday in the film room.

WTC golf tournament

The third annual Western Texas College Student Government Association Golf Tournament will be held Oct. 4 at the WTC golf course. Format is four-person scramble, and cost is $120 per team. Shotgun will start at 9:30 a.m. and 1:30 p.m. Cash prizes will be awarded for the top three teams, and deadline to register is 5 p.m. next Friday. Contact the WTC pro shop at 573-9291 for more information.

Putters and Duffers tournament

The 3rd annual Putters and Duffers tournament will be held Oct. 4-5 at Scurry County Golf Course, with shotgun starts at 8:30 a.m. and 1:30 p.m. both days. Entry fee is $150 per couple and includes lunches, dinner and mulligans. For more information or to register, contact Xalyn at 574-3343 or Judy at 573-0637.

Memorial golf tournament

The 4th annual Lou Loper/Mike Clifton Memorial Golf Tournament will be held Oct. 4 at the Jayton golf course. Tee-off will be at 8:30 a.m. and 1:30 p.m. Cash prizes will be awarded and a raffle will be held for various prizes. Format is four-person scramble and cost is $120 per team, with proceeds going to benefit the cancer relief fund. Contact Susie Scott at 325-574-7098 or 573-0720 for more information.

WTC GLT tournament

Western Texas College will host the golf and landscape technology tournament Oct. 11. Format is nine-hole, lowball-daylight and nine-hole select shot glow ball-dark with tee-off at 5 p.m. Cost is $70 per team with cash prizes. Contact the pro shop at 573-9291 for more information.

Astros move into first place tie with Chicago

HOUSTON (AP) — The Houston fans were almost too supportive.

They did plenty of cheering when Morgan Ensberg hit two home runs and the Astros moved into a tie for the NL Central lead, beating the Milwaukee Brewers 6-1 Thursday night.

But the 27,934 fans also cheered while watching the left-field scoreboard and TV monitors in the concession areas as Cincinnati beat the Chicago Cubs 9-7, enthusiasm that proved distracting for the home team.

The Astros end the regular season with three more games at home against last-place Milwaukee. The Cubs finish with a three-game series at home against Pittsburgh.

If the Astros and Cubs tie for the division title, a one-game playoff would be played Monday at Wrigley Field.

The Astros entered the game having lost four of their previous five. They still had enough to overcome the light-hitting Brewers, who haven't won a season series from Houston since 1997.

Ensberg hit home runs in the fifth and seventh innings for the first two-homer game of his career. He has 24 for the season.

Ensberg's first homer was an opposite field shot.

Sosa enters record book

CINCINNATI (AP) — Sammy Sosa moved ahead of Mickey Mantle with his 537th homer Thursday night, a two-run shot that also made him the first NL player with nine straight 100-RBI seasons.

He added a solo homer in the eighth, his 39th of the season and 538th of his career.

With three homers in the last two games, Sosa moved ahead of Mantle into 10th place on the career list. Next is Mike Schmidt with 548.

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The championship, president's and first flight will tee off at 8 a.m. Saturday and at 1:30 p.m. Sunday.

Second and third flight teams have tee times at 1:30 Saturday and 8 a.m. Sunday.

Blowout Pairings

Championship Flight: Ben Greene, Rocky Minichiello; Larry Anderson, Billy Brock; Curt Rinehart, Scott Rundell.

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Second Flight: Pete Greene, Mickey Nunley; David Maddox, Lee Maddox; Terry Haggerton, Mickey Neff; John Bloom, Phillip Payblas; Eddie Benitez, Ricky Moreno; Ronny Daniel, Dan Daniel; Kim Robertson, Richard Trout; Jay Butler, Reese Grimmett; Barry Blackmon, James Caldwell; Tracy Lammert, Mark Strickland; Johnny Eicke, John Greene; Benton Cowen, Marion Cowen; Clayton Riley, Kinney Riley; Brad Robertson, Dayton Robertson.

Third Flight: Kris Randolph, Jimmy Ingles; Mackey Greene, Dutch Stehley; David Raschke, Gary Smith; Macky Mandrell, Don Murray; Jeff Jinks, Cory Mandrell; Jeris McNamara, Eric Springer; Randy Miles, Jeff Walker; David Harrell, Sam Robertson; Tommy Reeves, Kevin Winter; Gary McLeod, Mike McLeod; Paul Thompson, Dalton Walton; Dink Foree, Les Rinehart; Kenny Miller, Buddy Powell.

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LEGAL AUTHORITY: Chapter 27 of the Texas Water Code, as amended, Title 3 of the Natural Resources Code, as amended, and the Statewide Rules of the Oil and Gas Division of the Railroad Commission of Texas. Requests for public hearing from persons who can show they are adversely affected, or requests for further information concerning any aspect of the application should be submitted in writing, within fifteen days of publication, to the Environmental Services Section, Oil and Gas Division, Railroad Commission of Texas, Drawer 12967, Capitol Station, Austin, Texas 78711-2967 (Telephone 512-463-6792).

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2-FAMILY GARAGE SALE
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3-FAMILY BACKYARD SALE
311 36th St.
Saturday 8a.m. – Noon
Clothes (baby - adult), Maternity clothes, Crib bedding, Fishing poles, Children's books & videos
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Garage Sales

3-FAMILY GARAGE SALE
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Baby clothes, Baby bed, Set of duck dishes, Large mirrors, Bear collectibles, Couch, Lots of treasures!

BACKYARD SALE
1200 28th St. (28th & Ave. L)
Saturday 7a.m. – ??
Coats (all sizes), Jeans, Old plates, Old bikes, Tires, Lots of stuff!!! *bring small change*

BIG GARAGE SALE
3601 44th St.
Saturday
8a.m. – ??

CARPORT SALE
4483 FM 1607
(go out west on 37th St.)
Friday evening
Clothing, Knick-knacks, Lots of odds & ends!

GARAGE SALE
1204 34th St.
Saturday 8a.m. – ??
Refrigerator, Stove, Gas dryer, Dresser, Clothes, Lots of misc.

GARAGE SALE
2317 42nd St.
Saturday 8:30a.m. – ??
Sectional couch, Guitars, Home decor., Porcelain dolls, Saddle, Guns & lots more!

GARAGE SALE
2806 Ave. V
Friday 8 – 11 & 5 – 7
Saturday 8 – 11
Furniture, Clothes, Other misc. items

GARAGE SALE
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Saturday 8a.m. – Noon
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GARAGE SALE
3004 38th St.
Friday & Saturday
8a.m. – 1p.m.
Queen bed, Lamps, Kitchen items, Books, Cassette tapes, misc.

GARAGE SALE
3503 44th St.
Saturday 8a.m. – Noon
Sectional couch w/queen sleeper, Desk, Glider rocker, Baby items, Toys, Lots of good clothes!!

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GARAGE SALE
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(watch for signs)
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8a.m. – Dark
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GARAGE SALE
413 36th Place
(behind Skinny's on 37th St.)
Saturday
Twin, full & queen mattress sets, Couch & love seat, TV, Microwave, Treadmill, Chest of drawers & lots of misc.

GARAGE SALE
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Saturday 8a.m. – 5p.m.
Too much to mention.
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GARAGE SALE
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Saturday 8a.m. – 3p.m.
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Friday 3p.m. – 6p.m.
Saturday 9a.m. – 1p.m.
(2) pickups, End tables, Coffee table, Lawn mower, Pots & pans, Dresser, Chest of drawers, etc.

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Saturday 7a.m. – 4p.m.
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Thursday Afternoon
Friday 8 – Noon & 6 – ??
Saturday 8 – Noon
Electric stove top, Sink, TV, Entertainment Center, Clothes.
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Saturday 8a.m. – Noon
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Saturday 8a.m. – ??
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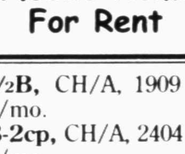
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809 26th Immaculate 3-1-cp, rear apt $40's
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4110 Jacksboro Extra Nice 3-2-2, FP, covered patio, office.....$70's
3789 Ave. V Large Contract Pending, cept $60's
2800 46th - Lovely 4 bedroom, 3 bath, large game room, carport.....$100's
2215 40th 3-1.....Low $30's
2501 36th - Reduced to Sell! - 4 bedroom, 3½ bath, 2 LAs, 3-car garage.....Call
2311 26th - Unique! 1-1 corner.....$30's
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AT&T Corp rs	22.18	21.90	22.15	+ .45
Albertsons	20.83	20.29	20.56	— .41
Alltel	47.45	45.99	46.86	+ .80
AmElPw	29.10	28.57	29.06	+ .11
AndarkPtr	42.28	41.56	41.77	— .15
ATMOS Egy	24.14	23.92	24.05	+ .08
Avigll	12.99	12.74	12.86	— .01
BP PLC	42.25	42.00	42.11	— .80
BakerHughes	30.20	29.32	29.34	— 1.00
Bank of Amer	78.78	78.33	78.68	+ .18
BellSouth	24.01	23.70	23.99	+ .20
BurlNoSFe	28.91	28.63	28.64	— .33
Caterpillar	68.80	67.73	68.16	— .74
CenterPoint	9.03	8.96	9.03	— .05
ChevronTex	71.69	71.32	71.56	— .26
Citigroup	45.98	45.35	45.85	— .12
CocaCola	43.20	42.87	43.03	— .22
ColgatePal	55.89	55.27	55.40	— .31
CmclMetals	18.34	18.1	18.34	+ .13
ConocoPhill	55.24	54.81	54.98	— .17
Cooper Inds	48.99	48.44	48.59	— .12
DaimlrChry	35.36	34.72	34.99	— .67
DeltaAirl	13.55	13.20	13.24	— .24
Dillards Inc	14.80	14.57	14.76	
DowChem	32.73	32.30	32.67	+ .37
DuPont	40.08	39.61	40.08	+ .46
EastmanChem	33.27	33.00	33.08	— .19
EstKodak	22.49	20.39	20.83	— 1.32
EDS Corp	20.27	20.05	20.20	— .14
Entergy	53.85	53.35	53.45	— .34
Exxor Mobil	37.00	36.69	36.71	— .44
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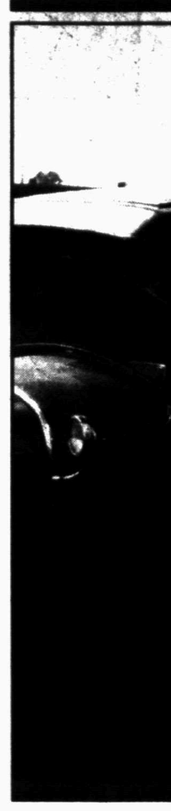
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WHEELS DONATION — Carla Thompson, director of the Scurry County Senior Citizens Center, accepts a $300 check donated by the Snyder Wheels Car Club. Presenting the check are Robbie Glasscock, club publicity representative; Anita Moffett, secretary; and member Joe Dan Jones. (SDN Staff Photo)

Emergency worker on call finds son mortally wounded at school

COLD SPRING, Minn. (AP) — When a second shooting victim was found near the weight room at Rocori High School, emergency worker Tom Rollins was the first to rush downstairs to give first aid.

There, he found his son Aaron, mortally wounded.

The tragic encounter near the bottom of the stairs was yet another mournful note for a community reeling from shock at Wednesday's shooting and the identity of the suspect, a classmate of the two victims.

Rollins was too distraught to give medical assistance, and someone else was sent to help his 17-year-old son, who died at a hospital a short time later. Seth Bartell, 14, remained in critical ~~condition early~~ Friday.

Authorities had not yet identified the suspect, but students and the teacher who apprehended him said he is John Jason McLaughlin, 15, the son of a Stearns County sheriff's deputy. McLaughlin was not immediately charged; authorities had until noon Friday to charge or release him.

By late today, authorities had searched the school and McLaughlin's home, seizing three computers.

Giving the first detailed account of the attack, investigators today said the suspect pulled a .22-caliber gun from a gym bag as he walked out of a locker room, then fired two shots, hitting the victims.

Bartell got up the stairs. The shooter followed and fired again, said Tim O'Malley of the Minnesota Bureau of Criminal Apprehension.

At that point, Mark Johnson, a 27-year teacher and coach, confronted the teen. The student raised the gun and Johnson raised his right hand and shouted "No!"

The shooter emptied the bullets from his gun and dropped it before Johnson grabbed the weapon and hustled the boy to the school office.

"Very quiet," Johnson said. "Didn't say a word. As I escorted him to the office, he didn't say one word. He came with me very willingly."

O'Malley said it did not appear the suspect was intent on a Columbine-style massacre. It wasn't clear whether the shooter knew the victims, and authorities refused to identify a motive.

Emotional parents hugged each other today as they escorted their children to a session at a nearby middle school in Cold Spring, a town of about 3,000 people 60 miles northwest of the Twin Cities.

Rollins' uncle, Russ Van Beck, read a statement on behalf of the family, thanking law enforcement and school officials for their quick response.

"Aaron was a terrific young man with a positive attitude and a great smile which we will all miss," Van Beck said. "We all know that Aaron would expect us to make something positive from this situation. We challenge everyone to help us achieve this outcome."

Earlier today, hundreds of Rocori High School students and their parents met with school officials, counselors and a Columbine survivor to talk about dealing with the shootings.

Holly Pardue was a freshman at Columbine High School in 1999 when two teens shot and killed 12 students and a teacher. Though Pardue was off-campus at the time of that attack, she lived through the aftermath and said she felt compelled to come to Cold Spring when she heard about Wednesday's shootings.

"I wanted to see if there was anything I could do," Pardue said.

Relief groups feed thousands in North Carolina after Isabel

MANTEO, N.C. (AP) — Ozella Scarborough is a lifelong resident of Roanoke Island who has lived through the destruction and rebuilding of uncounted hurricanes.

Until Isabel roared through, she never needed help finding a meal after a storm. This week, with her power out and her food spoiled, the 84-year-old woman tasted her first handout from the American Red Cross — and it was pretty good.

"I had a nice meal," she said Wednesday, after eating hamburger steak, gravy, mashed potatoes and fruit cocktail delivered by one of the red and white food vans of the Red Cross.

Vans from the Red Cross and Salvation Army have prowled the back streets and countryside of eastern North Carolina since Isabel hit last week, looking for the hungry. Between the two agencies, more than 153,000 meals have been served in the week since Isabel struck.

As of Wednesday night, the Salvation Army had served more than 93,947 meals and the American Red Cross more than 60,000.

Volunteers and a few paid staffers are pleased to be sweating in mobile kitchens and driving strange roads littered with storm debris.

"You meet some of the nicest people, folks that you help and folks that you work with," said Red Cross volunteer Beryl Jones, 70, of Oklahoma City. The retired postal service employee is part of a two-person team in a 21-foot van loaded with hot meals, snacks and drinks.

The 12 Red Cross mobile units are resupplied by a 53-foot tractor-trailer van that is a complete relief kitchen, parked near the end of a runway at Manteo's airport. More than 20 Salvation Army feeding vans are supplied by a mobile kitchen based in Belhaven and operated by North Carolina Baptist Men.

"It's completely self-contained. We can pull up in an open field and not need any support," said Sandy Wallace of Gainesville, Va., the Red Cross employee in charge of the kitchen. "As long as we have the supplies, we can be cooking in a half hour. It can do 30,000 meals a day."

The Salvation Army has mobile kitchens on the southern end of Hatteras Island, which was severed from the rest of the island when storm surge created a new inlet. The rest of its feeding stations are farther inland in Dare and Hyde counties.

The three agencies worked together to make sure their serving areas don't overlap.

Before the storm hit, agency officials held a conference call to discuss where they would go and "agreed that we would not be engaged in any turf competition," Salvation Army spokesman John Edwards said. "It's not about us."

Power has been restored to many Outer Banks locations and stores, and some restaurants have reopened. But other areas may wait weeks for electricity — as of Thursday, more than 17,000 customers in the east still were in the dark.

"I believe the people really need the food," Wallace said. "The power is on in the key places, but not where people live."

Father, baby sitter found guilty in death of boy wrapped in tape

OLATHE, Kan. (AP) — The adoptive father and baby sitter of a 9-year-old boy who died after being wrapped from head-to-toe in duct tape were convicted Thursday of murder and child abuse.

Prosecutors said the boy was being punished for stealing cookies Dec. 29 when he was wrapped in duct tape with only his nose uncovered. He was left overnight, and suffocated on his own vomit.

Neil Edgar Sr., 48, and baby sitter Chasity Boyd, 20, were found guilty by a jury of first-degree murder and child abuse. Edgar's wife, Christy, pleaded guilty last week to the same charges.

All three face mandatory sentences of life in prison without the possibility of parole for 20 years, and could face additional time on the child abuse charges.

Attorneys for Edgar Sr. and Boyd said they would appeal.

The defense had argued that Christy Edgar manipulated her husband and other members of the God's Creation Outreach Ministry, a storefront church in Kansas City, Kan., operated by the Edgars.

Witnesses said Christy Edgar was considered a prophet and told church members that God told her to discipline children by tying them up.

The Edgars' 16-year-old son testified that his adoptive mother and the baby sitter wrapped 9-year-old Brian up, but his father went to the store when they ran out of duct tape.

Edgar Sr., the church's pastor, said he did not see what his wife bought. He originally claimed responsibility for Brian's death, but said later that he was only trying to protect his wife.

"He wanted to try and save his wife and his church and look what it got him," said his attorney, Carl Cornwell.

The baby sitter's attorney, Bob Kuchar, said his client, a member of the Edgars' church, had the mental capacity of a 13-year-old.

"She's completely brainwashed by (Christy Edgar)," Kuchar said.

Five other members of the church face charges of abusing three of the Edgars' children and another child. Prosecutors have said church members hogtied children with extension cords or belts and left them overnight.

Astro-graph

By Bernice Bede Osol



Your Birthday

Saturday, Sept. 27, 2003

Conditions in general look more favorable for you in the year ahead than usual where your material interests are concerned. Nothing will be handed to you, however — it'll be your effort that brings this about.

LIBRA (Sept. 23-Oct. 23) — In order to get, one must first be a giver. Fortunately for you this won't present any problem. Innately you're a generous person and today this magnanimity will be quite visible to others.

SCORPIO (Oct. 24-Nov. 22) — Situations that call for a unique blend of both assertiveness and kindness should be your cup of tea today. You'll instinctively know when to push and when to give someone a pat on the back.

SAGITTARIUS (Nov. 23-Dec. 21) — Even though showing one's affection for another in intangible ways is more valuable than material expressions, today someone may want to reinforce their love for you with a special little gift.

CAPRICORN (Dec. 22-Jan. 19) — When planning some type of social involvement today, select companions who enjoy lively activities, but who are also very pleasant to be around. It'll mean a happy time for all.

AQUARIUS (Jan. 20-Feb. 19) — Although you are apt to be a bit more daring and bold today than usual, you're not likely to carry it so far that you take foolish risks, especially where the stakes are quite high.

PISCES (Feb. 20-March 20) — Even though you might find it necessary to speak out today in defense of yourself or another, you'll do so with smiles and humor, which makes you 10 times more effective.

ARIES (March 21-April 19) — Try to get off by yourself today where you can spend time reading, probing and investigating. It will prove to be worth your effort to work on projects that require fact-finding.

TAURUS (April 20-May 20) — Someone you meet today may make a great first impression on you. Your judgment won't be ill founded — it will be an association you might want to consider cultivating into a real friendship.

GEMINI (May 21-June 20) — Goals that you couldn't quite get a handle on yesterday might be remarkably easy to achieve today. Instead of writing them off, go back and take a second look at them.

CANCER (June 21-July 22) — Spend your leisure hours today with persons with whom you have loving bonds. Activities will work out very well for everyone concerned, because each will be looking out for the other.

LEO (July 23-Aug. 22) — You'll have a special talent today for turning that which is old and worn out into something useful and functional. Use this gift to improve your home and surroundings.

VIRGO (Aug. 23-Sept. 22) — It could be one of those welcomed days when harmonious conditions are likely to dominate those things that are important in your life. Make the most of these favorable aspects.

Know where to look for romance and you'll find it. The Astro-Graph Matchmaker wheel instantly reveals which signs are romantically perfect for you. Mail $2.75 to Matchmaker, c/o this newspaper, P.O. Box 167, Wickliffe, OH 44092-0167. Visit www.bernice4u.com for more advice.

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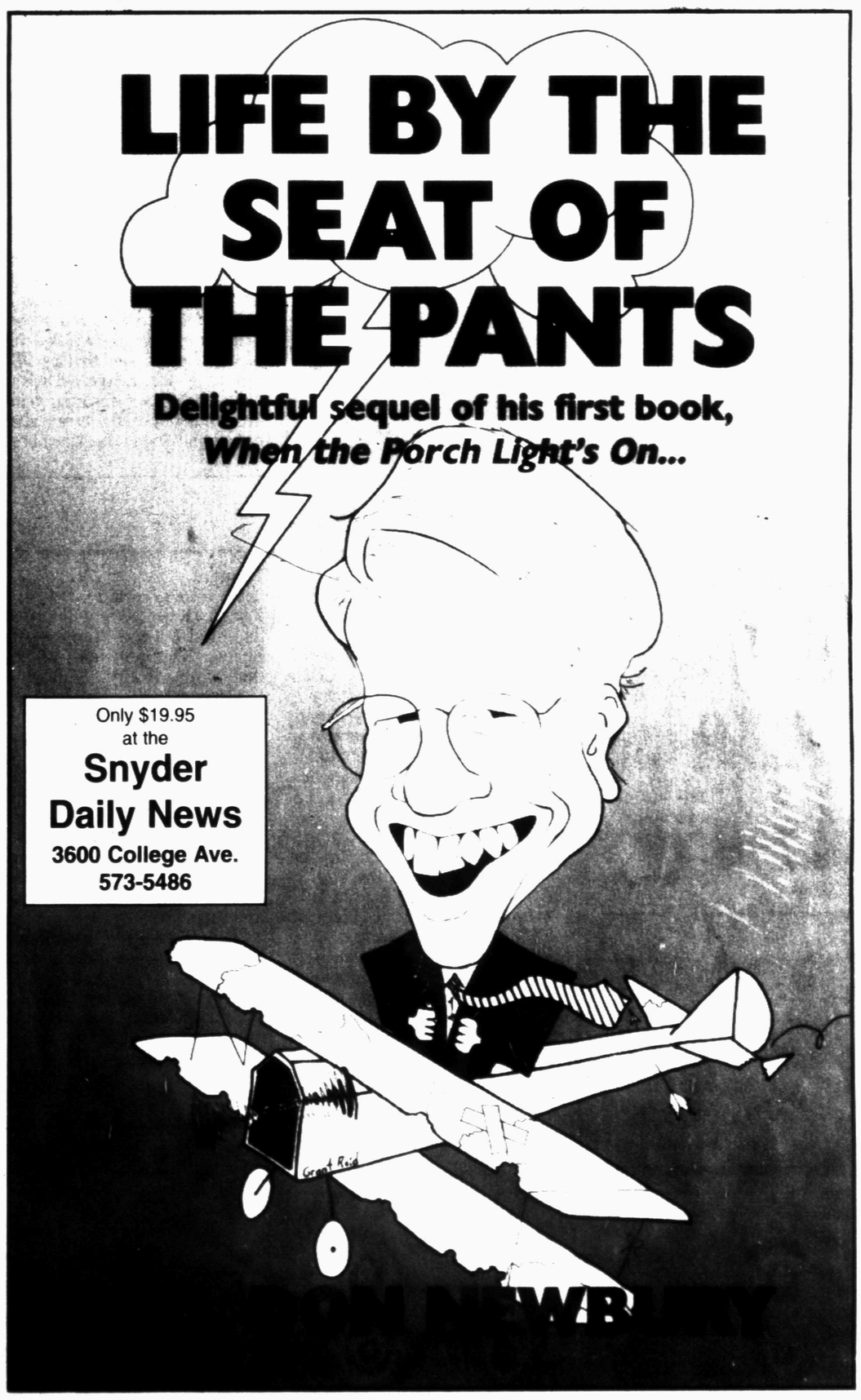
MOVIES

SECONDHAND LIONS PG

Set in 1960s Texas, this is the story of a timid teenager, Walter (Osment), forced to spend the summer by his irresponsible mother (Sedgwick) with his eccentric (and recently rich) great-uncles (Caine and Duvall) on their farm, as he learns more about their mysterious and dangerous pasts, which we see as flashbacks. **Starring: Haley Joel Osment, Michael Caine, Robert Duvall, Kyra Sedgwick, Nicky Katt**

ONCE UPON A TIME IN MEXICO R

Robert Rodriguez returns with the mythic guitar-slinging hero, El Mariachi in the final installment of the Mariachi/Desperado trilogy. The saga continues as El Mariachi makes his way across a rugged landscape on the blood trail of Barrillo a cartel kingpin with one last score to settle who is planning a coup d'etat against the president of Mexico. El Mariachi demands retribution, and the adventure. **Starring: Antonio Banderas, Salma Hayek, Willem Dafoe, Johnny Depp, Ruben Blades**



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THE SNYDER DAILY NEWS

Bush hosts Putin at Camp David

WASHINGTON (AP) — As President Bush and Russian President Vladimir Putin try to bridge differences on Iraq's future, an old feud has taken on new urgency.

"You bet I'll talk to President Putin about it this weekend," Bush said a day before the two leaders meet at the Camp David presidential retreat today and Saturday.

The Bush administration says Russian technology to Iran is helping Tehran develop a nuclear weapons program. Russia has denied that.

And after a decade of U.S. complaints about an $800 million deal to build a reactor for a nuclear power plant in Iran, Russia says it still plans to push ahead with the project.

Bush didn't preview what he would say to Putin on the subject, but offered: "It is very important for the world to come together to make it very clear to Iran that there will be universal condemnation if they continue with a nuclear weapons program."

The Bush-Putin meeting comes as diplomats say U.N. atomic experts have found traces of weapons-grade uranium at a second site in Iran. The diplomats said minute quantities of the substance were found by the International Atomic Energy Agency at the Kalay-e Electric Co., just west of Tehran.

The U.N. agency has set an Oct. 31 deadline for Iran to prove that its nuclear program is for energy purposes as it claims.

There is a more pressing concern for the two leaders: Iraq.

Bush will press Putin on the importance of American-led stabilization and reconstruction efforts, White House spokesman Scott McClellan said this morning.

Putin opposed the war in Iraq and joined French and German efforts to prevent passage of a U.N. resolution that Bush sought authorizing the use of force.

Major earthquake causes little damage

TOKYO (AP) — The world's most powerful earthquake in 21/2 years injured more than 300 people and knocked out power in northern Japan, but experts said it was lucky things weren't far worse. The quake was centered deep under the ocean, and the region it shook was well prepared.

Two fishermen were missing after the pre-dawn magnitude-8 quake, and police suspected they may have been swept away by tsunami, or ocean waves, that followed.

Most of the injured on the northern island of Hokkaido suffered minor scrapes caused by broken glass and falling objects.

The 4:50 a.m. temblor cracked roads, capsized fishing boats, and eaved in part of the roof of the airport in Obihiro, a city of 200,000. It knocked merchandise off store shelves. Kushiro, 560 miles northeast of Tokyo, was believed to be the hardest hit.

It forced the evacuation of 41,000 people and left some 16,000 homes blacked out. By evening, power had been restored to all but 2,000 homes and only 1,400 evacuees remained in shelters, said Hiroyuki Nakao, a local government spokesman.

"My first reaction was that the damage was much smaller than what earthquakes of that magnitude are capable of doing," said Yasuhiro Umeda, a seismologist at the Disaster Prevention Research Institute at Kyoto University.

It was the strongest earthquake in 21/2 years, the U.S. Geological Survey said. On June 23, 2001, an 8.4 magnitude quake struck near the coast of Peru, killing 74 people, said Waverly Person of the USGS in Golden, Colo.

Hokkaido government official Hidenori Hoshino said 323 people were confirmed injured as of 5 p.m., about 12 hours after the quake. Police said 24 were seriously hurt, mostly with broken bones.

Japan's public broadcaster, NHK, put the injury toll at 479.

Police were searching for a 69-year old man and a 66-year old man who were fishing near the mouth of a river on the eastern coast of Hokkaido, said spokesman Akihiro Ishikawa. Authorities believe they may have been washed away by the waves. Their cars remained parked near the river.

Black plumes of smoke and flames leapt from an oil tank in the city of Tomakomai. The fire was contained within three hours and no injuries were reported. Officials said 188,700 barrels of crude oil were lost.

Umeda cited a pair of "fortunate coincidences" concerning where the quake struck as reasons why the country fared so well.

Unlike the magnitude-7.2 earthquake that devastated Kobe in 1995 and was centered directly below that port city, the epicenter today was relatively remote: 26 miles under the seabed 60 miles off the coast.

That may explain in part why tsunami waves that surged to shore were smaller than had been feared, he said.

Clark criticized following debate

NEW YORK (AP) — Igniting a spate of post-debate recrimination, Joe Lieberman accused new presidential rival Wesley Clark on today of taking "a journey of political convenience, not conviction" from the Republican ranks to the Democratic Party. Clark's camp called Lieberman desperate.

On the day after a 10-way Democratic presidential debate, Lieberman took issue with Clark expressing support for the Bush administration's policies in a May 2001 address to the Arkansas GOP. Bush was pushing his tax-cut package at the time.

"I was fighting that reckless economic strategy while Wes Clark was working to forward the Republican agenda by raising money for the Republican Party," the Connecticut senator said.

Clark spokesman Mark Fabiani fired back: "I think Senator Lieberman is an increasingly desperate candidate and it's unfortunate that instead of articulating a vision for the future as General Clark has with his 'New American Patriotism,' Senator Lieberman is attacking other Democrats."

Lieberman, the 2000 Democratic vice presidential nominee, has languished in key state polls and fund raising although his national poll rating is relatively high.

The debate Thursday opened with a question to Clark about the May 11, 2001, address in which he praised President Bush and top administration officials. Clark also has acknowledged supporting Republican Presidents Nixon and Reagan.

Clark replied that he has taken "an incredible journey" since 2001 and is now a strong Democrat. "We elected a president we thought was a compassionate conservative. Instead we got neither conservatism or compassion," the retired general replied.

Eight die in mortar attack as U.N. announces more cutbacks

BAQOUBA, Iraq (AP) — A mortar blast tore through a market north of Baghdad, killing nine civilians and injuring more than a dozen others, Iraqi police said today. Townspeople suspected American soldiers stationed nearby may have been the target.

Also today, the U.S. military said an American soldier was killed in an ambush in Kirkuk. Amid the continuing violence, the United Nations announced it was cutting its staff in Baghdad, and Iraqis prepared to bury an assassinated member of the country's Governing Council.

The mortar round exploded about 9 p.m. Thursday at a market in this Sunni Muslim city about 30 miles north of Baghdad. Police Gen. Waleed Khalid said nine civilians died and 15 were wounded. U.S. officials put the injured figure at 18.

Khalid described the attack as a "criminal act aimed at hurting Iraqi civilians." However, several townspeople, who spoke on condition they not be identified, said they believed the target was a government building about 250 yards away, where U.S. soldiers stay.

About 20 U.S. soldiers from the 4th Infantry Division were at the blast site today, providing security and assisting Iraqi police in the investigation.

In Baghdad, the U.S. military said one soldier from the 173rd Airborne Brigade was killed and two others were wounded during an ambush in northern Iraq. The incident occurred about 11 p.m. Thursday when a rocket-propelled grenade was fired at their vehicle. The names of the victims were withheld pending notification of kin.

The death raised to 86 the number of U.S. soldiers killed by hostile fire since May 1, when President Bush declared an end to major combat in Iraq. The military also announced that a soldier from the 4th Infantry Division died and another was injured in a fire Thursday night in an abandoned building in the Tikrit area.

Felony possession of controlled substance gets man arrested

Arrests

Walter Gilbreath, 26, of Shallowater was arrested at Willow Park Inn at 2:20 p.m. Thursday for felony possession of a controlled substance.

At 6:50 p.m. Thursday, a 20-year-old man was taken into custody at 1300 26th Street on a warrant for motion to revoke probation.

A 28-year-old woman was arrested at 1:25 this morning at 27th Street and Ave. V for Class B public intoxication.

Theft

James Beckham reported an air conditioner unit stolen from a vacant residence at 2901 Ave. V. A report for Class B theft was filed.

Hit and run

Melinda Early requested an officer at Snyder High School in reference to her daughter's vehicle being struck. Time or location of the accident was unknown.

Gas drive off

An employee at Rip Griffin's Thursday reported a gas drive off worth $20.81.

Obituaries

Dan Dever Jr.

1931-2003

Funeral service for E.H. "Dan" Dever Jr., is set for 2 p.m. Saturday in the 37th Street Church of Christ. Dale Huff, minister, will officiate. Burial will follow in Hillside Memorial Gardens under the direction of Bell-Cypert-Seale Funeral Home.



Dan Dever

Mr. Dever, 72, died Tuesday, Sept. 23, in Cogdell Memorial Hospital.

Born July 21, 1931 in Snyder, he was reared in Scurry County and entered the military in 1952 and retired as a master sergeant in 1972. He served in both the Korean Conflict and in Vietnam and was awarded the Bronze Star and Army Commendation Medal.

He married Frieda Whitehurst on Oct. 6, 1953 in Snyder.

Mr. Dever joined the staff of Western Texas College in 1973 as veterans outreach officer. In 1974 he also was named WTC registrar and served in both capacities until his retirement in 1993. At the time of his death, he was serving as part-time county veterans service officer.

Mr. Dever had served as both a deacon and elder of the 37th Street Church of Christ and had been involved in the building of churches in Quito, Ecuador.

Survivors include his wife, Frieda Dever of Snyder; three daughters, Terri Williams and Sharon Wemken, both of Snyder, and Kathy Kelley of Ranger; two sons, Henry Dever of Andrews and Jerry Dever of Temple; several nieces and nephews, Gerald Bullard of Snyder, Jerris Bullard of Manassa, Va., Danny Dever of California, Jack Lambert of Amarillo, Delores Brame of San Antonio, Dean Dever, Doris Mohamed and Bonnie Dever, all of Lawton; 15 grandchildren; and three great-grandchildren.

Visitation will be from 6 to 8 this evening at the funeral home.

Memorial may be made to the library fund, the children's fund or the Sunshine School scholarship fund, all at 37th Street Church of Christ, 2500 37th Street.

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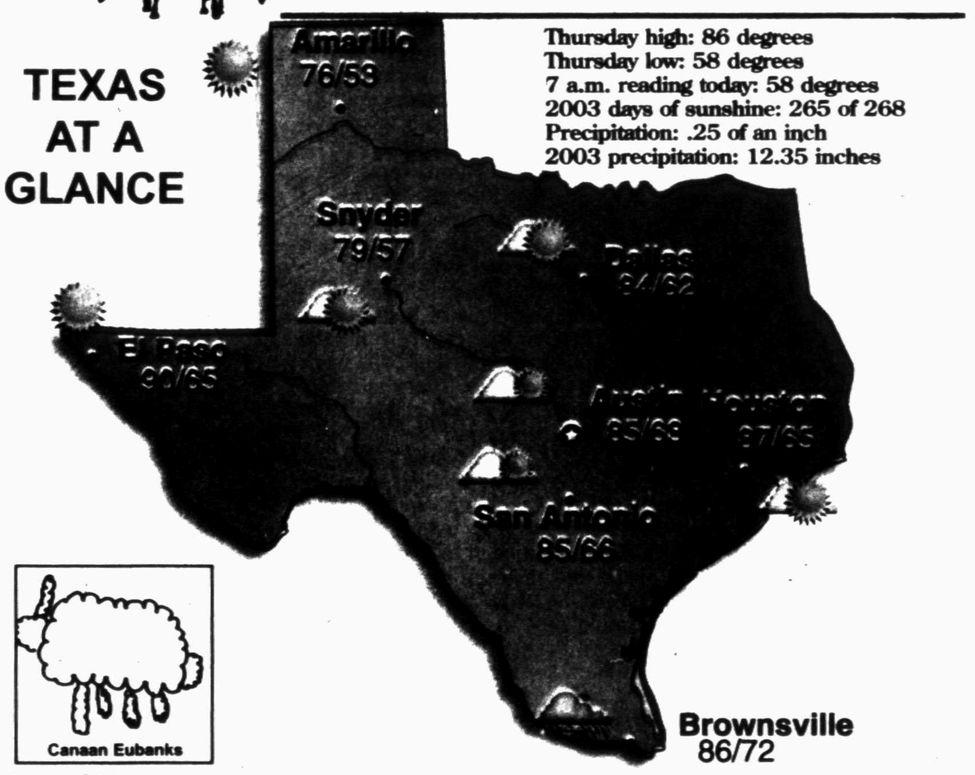
Today's Weather

Local 3-Day Forecast

Sat 9/27	Sun 9/28	Mon 9/29
79/57	77/57	80/57
Mostly sunny skies. High 79F. Winds NE at 10 to 15 mph.	Mostly cloudy, chance of showers.	Mix of sun and clouds. Highs in the low 80s and lows in the upper 50s.
Sunrise 7:35 AM / Sunset 7:34 PM	Sunrise 7:36 AM / Sunset 7:33 PM	Sunrise 7:36 AM / Sunset 7:31 PM

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TEXAS AT A GLANCE



Thursday high: 86 degrees
Thursday low: 58 degrees
7 a.m. reading today: 58 degrees
2003 days of sunshine: 265 of 268
Precipitation: .25 of an inch
2003 precipitation: 12.35 inches

Canaan Eubanks

Area Cities

City	Hi	Lo	Cond
Abilene	80	60	sunny
Amarillo	76	53	sunny
Austin	85	63	pt sunny
Beaumont	87	63	mst sunny
Brownsville	86	72	t-storm
Brownwood	85	60	mst sunny
Corpus Christi	85	69	t-storm
Corsicana	84	59	sunny
Dallas	84	62	mst sunny
Del Rio	85	69	pt sunny
El Paso	90	65	sunny
Fort Stockton	84	62	sunny
Gainesville	82	56	sunny
Greenville	82	56	sunny
Houston	87	65	mst sunny
Kingsville	87	67	t-storm
Livingston	87	60	mst sunny
Longview	83	58	sunny
Lubbock	80	58	mst sunny
Lufkin	86	62	sunny
Midland	82	62	sunny
Raymondville	87	69	t-storm
Rosenberg	88	64	mst sunny
San Antonio	85	66	pt sunny
San Marcos	86	64	pt sunny
Sulphur Springs	82	56	sunny
Sweetwater	80	59	mst sunny
Tyler	84	61	sunny
Weatherford	83	56	sunny
Wichita Falls	81	57	sunny

National Cities

City	Hi	Lo	Cond
Atlanta	79	53	t-storm
Boston	73	62	pt sunny
Chicago	63	45	pt sunny
Dallas	84	62	mst sunny
Denver	72	41	sunny
Houston	87	65	mst sunny
Los Angeles	79	62	mst sunny
Miami	87	76	t-storm
Minneapolis	57	42	rain
New York	77	66	pt sunny
Phoenix	104	79	sunny
San Francisco	74	56	pt sunny
Seattle	80	52	sunny
St. Louis	68	47	pt sunny
Washington, DC	80	61	t-storm

Moon Phases

New	First	Full	Last
Sep 26	Oct 2	Oct 10	Oct 18

UV Index

Sat 9/27	Sun 9/28	Mon 9/29
High	High	High

The UV index is measured on a 0 - 11 number scale, with a higher UV index showing the need for greater skin protection. 0 — 11

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