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Home Of Rod Anderson

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Ask Us

Q—How much has Snyder ISD had to pay in lawyer's fees so far in the case to determine the Class of 1995 valedictorian?

A—Snyder ISD placed Schwartz & Eichelbaum on retainer at the first of the school year at a cost of $24,000. That covers the cost of the current case as well as any others.

In Brief

Trucker killed

GERLACH, Nev. (AP) — A Texas man died when he lost control of his big-rig truck on Nevada 447 in northern Washoe County.

Robert Huey Hamil, 47, of Odessa, Texas, was northbound when the accident occurred around 6:30 p.m. Monday, 27 miles north of here, the Washoe County Sheriff's Office said.

Hamil was hauling a load of cardboard for recycling in a truck owned by Kenyon Adams of Las Vegas.

Authorities said Hamil was traveling too fast when he entered a curve in the road. The trailer slid and the truck left the roadway and rolled over.

Hamil was not wearing a seat belt. He was flown to Washoe Medical Center in Reno, where he was pronounced dead shortly after his arrival, the sheriff's office said.

Burglary time

AUSTIN (AP) — About 700 burglaries a day will occur in Texas during June, July and August, more than at any other time of year, the Texas Action Council on Theft reported Tuesday.

The summer months are favorites of criminals because so many people are away from home, said Jerry Johns, spokesman for the council, a nonprofit coalition of law enforcement officials, insurance companies and citizens.

"The vacation season when people are away from their homes for extended periods of time always provides burglars with a target of opportunity," Johns said.

The council said the average dollar loss from a residential burglary is about $1,200, while average losses from nonresidential burglaries run about $1,100.

Johns said local police departments are offering advice to residents on ways to avoid being victimized.

"We predict that 65,000 burglaries will be committed in Texas during June, July and August," he said.

Weather

Snyder Temperatures: High Monday, 88 degrees; low, 66 degrees; reading at 7 a.m. today, 67 degrees; no precipitation; total precipitation for 1995 to date, 10.41 inches.

Snyder Area Forecast: Tonight, fair. Low in the upper 60s. Southeast wind 5-10 mph. Wednesday, areas of morning low clouds, otherwise partly cloudy. High in the lower 90s. Southeast to south wind 10-15 mph.

Almanac: Sunset today, 8:51; sunrise Wednesday, 6:40. Of 170 days in 1995, the sun has shone 157 days in Snyder.

Guilty verdict upheld

The 11th Court of Appeals has affirmed a 132nd District Court jury's verdict of guilty against a Scurry County man charged with possession of child pornography.

Cecil Don Vineyard sought that his conviction and sentence be overturned on four points. The appeals court disagreed and in a ruling on June 15 affirmed the trial court's judgment.

Vineyard was found guilty of possession of child pornography on Jan. 19, 1994 and sentenced a day later to 10 years in prison and $10,000.

According to court record, Vineyard was the subject of a covert postal investigation of sexually oriented materials bought, sold and traded through the United States Postal Service. The investigation was initiated by a postal inspector and assisted by federal and local law enforcement officers. According to the trial records, Vineyard was arrested outside the local post office after receiving a package containing two video tapes. Testimony revealed that while executing a search warrant at Vineyard's residence, law enforcement officers discovered various sexually oriented materials, including 633 sexually oriented videotapes. Also confiscated was a list, titled "Films on Video," which described seven sexually explicit videos featuring teen and pre-teen children.

According to testimony at the trial, Vineyard had requested two of the videos on the list, by placing check marks beside the titles.

In his appeal, Vineyard argued that there was insufficient evidence to show that he knew the two tapes he received at the post office contained sexually oriented material involving children; that the trial court erred in admitting six other exhibits because they constituted extraneous misconduct and were therefore inadmissible; that a video tape played for the jury was improperly admitted into evidence; and that the trial court erred in failing to grant a mistrial.

The appeals court rejected Vineyard's arguments.

In a separate case not directly involving last week's appeals court decision, Vineyard was also found guilty of possession of child pornography by another 132nd District Court jury on June 22, 1994, and received another 10-year sentence and $10,000. That verdict is currently being appealed.

SUMMERTIME SKATIN' - Cathy Reed and her son, Tanner, were out and about on their roller-blades this week. Tanner is wearing the recommended safety gear for youngsters including protective headgear and protection for his elbows, hands and knees. (SDN Staff Photo)

County officials seek opinion on combining attorney's offices here

Scurry County officials, hoping to save some money, are seeking an attorney general's opinion on whether the offices of district attorney and county attorney can be combined.

"It's been kicked around in the county before and there's been a lot of talk about it recently. We're going to get an attorney general's ruling and see if it's even a viable process," said County Judge Ricky Fritz.

A number of counties have combined the offices, said Fritz. Normal procedure is to go through the state legislature, but the legislature is not in session. "My understanding is that it would normally take a constitutional amendment and a vote of the people," he said.

Interest in combining the offices grew last week when the district attorney's post became vacant with the appointment of Ernie Armstrong as 132nd District Court judge. Armstrong is expected to take office at the end of the month.

His appointment leaves the office of district attorney vacant. It too, is expected to be filled by appointment from the governor.

Among those who have said they are interested in the district attorney's post are Dana Cooley, current assistant DA, and Pete Greene, county attorney.

Scurry County Commissioners Court wants to inquire whether, in the event that Greene receives the appointment, the county can somehow combine the offices.

"Do we have to fill this position (county attorney), if it becomes vacant, or can the county contract with the DA to also be county attorney?" said Fritz. "We want to look at what the law says about it. That's the extent that we're pursuing it right now. We can answer a lot of questions and find out if it's even viable."

The purpose in combining the offices is to save money.

"With the loss of revenue we've suffered over past years, we need to pursue every option available," said Fritz. "We always need to ask 'Is it legal?' 'Can we afford it?' and 'Is it best for the taxpayers in the county?' Sometimes it's legal and would save money, but it's not best for the taxpayers.

"We're going to look at it. At this point we don't know whether it would be legal, or would even save any money."

Fritz said interest in combining the two office seats has peaked because one is already vacant. He said if that were not the case, commissioners court would not consider consolidating the offices at this time.

He did add that the court may consider asking the legislature to combine the offices sometime in the future.

Chamber grants funding requests

Snyder Chamber of Commerce board of directors, meeting Monday, approved requests for hotel/motel funds and discussed the annual chamber banquet.

Board members approved a request from the Scurry County Rodeo Association for $2,100 in funds to be used toward the annual county rodeo, scheduled for July 13-15.

The board also granted a request of $2,240 in funding to help the Teenage Baseball Association host a state tournament here July 25-29.

"Texas Under the Stars" will be the theme for the annual chamber banquet, set for Aug. 9 at the Jack Greene residence. The presentation of awards, buggy rides and a dance will be held. Other activities are in the planning stages.

Pearlene Stewart-Nolan announced that the annual July 4 Prayer Breakfast will begin at 7:30 a.m. at the Towle Park Pavilion. The program will start at 8.

In other Independence Day news, it was announced that the chamber will offer chances for a bicycle and have a booth in the arts and crafts show to help toward the cost of this year's fireworks.

Board members voted to spend $300 for landscaping the chamber lawn and painting the front of the building. There will be $10 fee charged to anyone using the chamber boardroom to help defray cleaning charges.

Chamber manager Donna Fowler announced that the county commissioners have approved the construction of eight horseshoe pitching courts on the Scurry County Coliseum grounds. She said that the courts will be built to official specifications for tournaments. Local resident Don Duncan has donated $1,000 for the project. The board approved the project, with plans to enclose the courts with a fence later.

Attending the meeting were Stewart-Nolan, Daryl Thomas, Ronnie Shields, Howard Limmer, Keith Hackfeld, Julie Sentell, Gary Luft, Paula McWilliams, Rob Sanders, Jeffrey Martin and staff members Fowler, Mary Westmoreland and Sandra Barbosa.

Missing gas cap led to explosion

BEAUMONT, Calif. (AP) — A missing gas cap turned a car into a fiery coffin for six children and two adults after it was rammed by a drunken driver, authorities said.

"It went from being a bad accident with broken bones ... to a tragedy," California Highway Patrol spokesman Bob Nickel said Monday.

Only three of the 11 people packed into the 1968 Plymouth Valiant survived the crash late Sunday on a freeway about 80 miles east of Los Angeles. After the Valiant crashed into the center divider and overturned, squirting gas coated the car and it exploded, Nickel said.

An eyewitness, Stan Maloof, said the survivors crawled out of the car.

"It was like something out of a movie that you don't want to see," said Lee Page, who was driving with Maloof. "We heard the shrieks coming from the car as they were burning alive. It was heart-wrenching."

Page and his two passengers followed the driver of the pickup as he fled the scene and called police on a cellular phone.

A 9-year-old girl was in critical condition today with third-degree burns over 48 percent of her body. Her name was not released. Mercedes Diaz, 40, was in good condition with minor injuries. Jose Rodrigues, 39, suffered minor injuries, but was listed in serious condition because he was distraught with grief, hospital officials said.

Diaz and Rodrigues were believed to be the parents and grandparents of the victims.

The driver of the pickup that struck the car, Teodolo Gallardo Bermudes, suffered only bruises because his car had an air bag. Nickel said.

Bermudes, 35, who has three previous drunken driving convictions, failed an intoxication test when he was stopped by police, Nickel said. Results of a blood-alcohol test won't be available for about a week.

"I feel bad. I feel sadness. I won't pay even with my life, but I deserve to pay," Bermudes said.

Bombing case...

Fortier's attorney reopens negotiations

OKLAHOMA CITY (AP) — Michael Fortier's attorney has reopened negotiations about a possible plea bargain in the federal building bombing, a federal law enforcement source said.

Negotiations broke down three weeks ago because Fortier, who says he traveled to Oklahoma City with Timothy McVeigh to case the federal building, was not offering prosecutors enough information, officials have said.

"The ball was in his court, now it's time for him to hit it back," the source said Monday on condition of anonymity. "His lawyer set this up. It has to do with deals, and he's going to be talking to the U.S. Attorney."

Spokesmen in Oklahoma City for the U.S. Attorney and the FBI would not comment on the status of any deals or Fortier's whereabouts. CNN reported that Fortier left his Kingman, Ariz., home Sunday and drove to a local National Guard Armory with an FBI escort.

Fortier's attorney, Michael McGuire, did not return calls.

Fortier told FBI agents last month that when he went to Oklahoma City with McVeigh, his friend confided that he planned to blow it up.

McVeigh and Terry Nichols, who both served in the Army with Fortier, are the only suspects charged in the April 19 bombing, which killed 168 people and injured 500.

Fortier's possible plea bargain did not seem to bother McVeigh attorney Stephen Jones. "So they were in Oklahoma City in December, so what?" he said.

He maintained that McVeigh would have traveled through Oklahoma City on the way from Kingman to Kansas, Michigan or New York, where he has friends or family.

Jones said the government is scrambling to repair a case damaged by the revelation that the elusive John Doe No. 2 depicted in FBI sketches had nothing to do with the plot.

The SDN Column

By Roy McQueen

The feller on Deep Creek says, "Parent-child relationships have changed. Two-way communications used to be called "talking back."

It's a typical town in the Midwest - neat houses with picket fences. There's not much unique about this town expect for the basket on Main Street.

Described in the Guinness Book of Records as the world's largest basket, the town's pride is 23 feet high, 48 feet long and 11 feet wide.

The town statue is a weather-proof picnic basket, complete with handles, big enough for an army.

It's a tourist draw. People flock to the basket capital of America just to see it. An estimated 400,000 came last year, most of them on tour buses. After snapping pictures, they often get to meet Dave Longaberg who is responsible for the town's success.

Tourists can go from store to store where they can buy antique baskets, basket liners, basket lids and ribbon to adorn baskets.

Visitors may also tour Longaberger Co., the county's largest maker of hand-woven baskets, with sales of more than $350 million.

The firm employs 4,500 who drive to the small town from 25 counties in Ohio. Last year, the workers made eight million hardwood maple baskets.

The high school actually has basket-weaving in the curriculum. About one-fourth of the seniors become weaving interns at the family-owned business. Graduates are offered jobs in the range of $13 an hour.

Six miles out of town, the basket maker is building a theme park which will cost an estimated $300 million. Plans call for 80 shops and restaurants, most which will look like baskets. The company has already spent $10 million on downtown improvements.

There may be only 1,500 residents in the Ohio community of Dresden, but the majority of them are proud to be a basket case.

WTC nurse's aide course set Monday

The Continuing Education Division at Western Texas College will be offering a nurse's aide course to begin Monday, July 24, and end with state certification testing projected for Tuesday and Wednesday, August 15 and 16.

The course is a state-mandated curriculum for persons seeking employment as a nurse's aide in hospitals and long-term care facilities.

Mrs. Velma Clay, B.S.N., M.S. director of WTC's nurse's aide program and Assistant Professor of Nursing for Howard College, will serve as instructor.

The total price is $249 which covers all expenses including tuition and fees, state testing fees, text books and liability insurance.

A $25 deposit is required for pre-registration and will be applied toward the cost of the course. Deposits are refundable if cancellation notice is reported directly to the Continuing Education office by 5 p.m. on Thursday, July 20.

With enrollment limited to 13 spaces and class expected to fill quickly, interested individuals are asked to pre-register as soon as possible. For more information and/or to pre-register, call 573-8511, ext. 390.

Astrograph

By Bernice Bede Osol

Your Birthday

Wednesday, June 21, 1995

Your chart shows that you might be bolder and more enterprising than ever before in situations that could add to your resources. The results could gratify you if you don't take foolish risks.

CANCER (June 21-July 22) Expecting others to shoulder your responsibilities today could turn out to be an exercise in futility. The train that was offering free rides has left the station. Cancer, treat yourself to a birthday gift. Send for your Astro-Graph predictions for the year ahead by mailing $2 and SASE to Astro-Graph, c/o this newspaper, P.O. Box 4465, New York, NY 10163. Be sure to state your zodiac sign.

LEO (July 23-Aug. 22) If you try to negotiate for more than you're entitled to today, the results could be disappointing. Conversely, a fair offer should generate a fair response.

VIRGO (Aug. 23-Sept. 22) You must prime the pump a bit today if you seek material fulfillment. If you don't give, you're not apt to get anything significant in return.

LIBRA (Sept. 23-Oct. 23) Success might elude you today if you lack perseverance and consistency. Subdue your inclination to pack it in just when the end is in sight.

SCORPIO (Oct. 24-Nov. 22) Sometimes it's unwise to do business with friends, and this could be one of those days. Check all other sources before going to your pals.

SAGITTARIUS (Nov. 23-Dec. 21) Do not let your emotions govern your behavior in career matters today that require practical solutions. Think with your head, not your heart.

CAPRICORN (Dec. 22-Jan. 19) A recent experience with an authority figure may have left a bad taste in your mouth. You might have to deal with a subordinate today in a similar situation. Profit from your lesson.

AQUARIUS (Jan. 20-Feb. 19) Guard against the tendency to be overly possessive of those you love today. Pulling the chain too tight could push them away instead of drawing them nearer.

PISCES (Feb. 20-March 20) You might feel inclined to take risks on others today instead of yourself. There are strong indicators that you may end up backing the wrong horse.

ARIES (March 21-April 19) You might not be very interested in your work today, especially if you're watching the clock and want to skip through your tasks.

TAURUS (April 20-May 20) Remain optimistic regarding your financial affairs today, but also realistic. Avoid spending excessively now hoping that it can be covered at a later date.

GEMINI (May 21-June 20) Family members will respond to your mode of behavior today. If you're cranky and ill-tempered, don't expect them to be all sunshine and smiles.

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Home office deducation gets support

WASHINGTON (AP) — Republican legislation liberalizing the tax rules for deducting home offices is fine with only minor changes, the Clinton administration says.

Glen A. Kohl, tax legislative counsel in the Treasury Department, told the Senate Finance taxation subcommittee Monday that the administration supported the bills, which nullify a 1993 Supreme Court decision that made it harder for self-employed people to claim the deduction.

However, he said the administration wanted the bill reworked "so as to minimize the potential for abuse and associated audit difficulties."

"It's important that we make every effort to avoid turning back the clock and creating a level of ambiguity that would result in more disputes between taxpayers and the IRS," Kohl testified.

The bill also must be carefully written to avoid allowing the deduction of commuting expenses that currently aren't deductible, he said.

Until the decision, IRS Commissioner vs. Soliman, small-business owners and professionals could deduct their home office expenses as long as the space was used exclusively and regularly for business.

After the decision, the office also had to be the principal location of the business.

BUTTON VISITORS - A group of women from the Fort Worth area recently visited the button exhibit at the Scurry County Museum. "We drove to Snyder just to see this exhibit," said Marge Crow, a member of the Fort Worth Button Club for over 11 years and whose collection includes buttons from the 1700s. Shown, left to right, are Marge Crow, Susan Barber and Cynthia Boatman. (SDN Staff Photo)

Federal regulators cited for ineptitude

WASHINGTON (AP) — Regulators with the Resolution Trust Corp. testified that mismanagement and ineptitude within the agency caused an abysmal record in collecting money from failed Texas S&Ls.

The House Banking subcommittee on general oversight and investigations heard Monday from current and former regulators at the Dallas office of the RTC. They labeled a 1994 RTC report that absolved the agency of major problems a whitewash.

Roger Altman, the former acting RTC chief who commissioned the report, was to testify before the panel today.

Those speaking Monday, including current RTC Dallas staffers who were issued subpoenas, agreed that the failure of Washington to coordinate with the field offices was one reason for the failure to recover money from savings and loan businesses that collapsed in the 1980s.

They also said that with only six months left on a six-year mandate, there was little chance of further legal action against those who had defrauded consumers of billions of dollars.

Texas thrifts account for $26 billion of the $95 billion already lost as a result of S&L failures, and it's estimated that of $3.7 billion in losses from insider fraud nationwide, $2.1 billion resulted from activities in Texas. But so far the RTC has recovered only $35 million from Texas insiders.

"I have investigated cases of financial fraud most of my adult life and have never seen or heard of an organization that pursued financial fraud by not following the money trail," said William Depugh, a former RTC attorney in Dallas. "Civil fraud cases and penalty potential were ignored. The result was inefficiency, unfairness and poor results."

Washington, said Dallas RTC investigator Larry D. Boren, "has failed completely in fulfilling its duties."

RTC spokesman Steve Katsanos told The Associated Press that one reason for the poor record in Texas was that the state's laws make it very difficult to attach someone's personal property. "It's very defendant-friendly and very difficult to win cases," he said.

Five current Dallas investigators all said they were dissatisfied with the 1994 review that concluded there was no "wide-ranging failure to pursue professional liability claims in Texas."

"They did not look at a single file in the office," said Tammy Chiles-Hurst.

Subcommittee Chairman Spencer Bachus, R-Ala., said he thought it was "truly puzzling" that the review team reached its conclusions after only five days of interviews in Dallas without any review of case files.

Former Dallas attorney Thomas Burnside said he thought it was no coincidence that the report downplaying RTC problems came out around the same time Altman and the RTC were under fire for Altman's contacts with the White House over another failed S&L, Madison Guaranty in Arkansas, which is part of the Whitewater land deal probe.

Burnside noted that the agency issued only 16 subpoenas in the first three years of investigating 86 Texas S&Ls with losses of $16 billion.

The Houston Astro pitching staff had only five complete games in 1992.

Embattled chair resigns state post

AUSTIN (AP) — The chairman of the state's environmental agency, which has come under fire for its emissions testing policies and been accused of racial discrimination under his tenure, will resign next month.

John Hall said Monday he would leave the three-person Texas Natural Resource Conservation Commission effective July 14.

"I have worked in government all of my professional career," said Hall, whose six-year term was due to expire Aug. 31, 1997. "I have had four very productive years here. It's been rewarding, but it's time for me to pursue some opportunities in the private sector."

Hall said he would spend the next four to six weeks determining his options.

Hall, 41, was appointed by former Gov. Ann Richards as chairman of the Texas Water Commission in 1991, becoming the first black named to the panel. He helped oversee the merging of the Water Commission and Texas Air Control Board into the TNRCC in 1993.

With Hall's resignation, Gov. George W. Bush will appoint the entire TNRCC panel this year. In March, Bush named Ralph Marquez to replace Peggy Garner, who stepped down.

Commissioner Pam Reed's term expires in August.

"I thought John did a great job," Bush said. "I think the new commissioner needs to make sure that we set good standards but that we don't have managers attempting to tell industry, cities or municipalities how to achieve the standards."

Said Hall: "The key principle that I always tried to keep in mind was that we did not have to make a choice between environmental quality and economic growth. I think we made progress on the environmental front in the past four years at a time when the state's economy was very dynamic."

The TNRCC has been the frequent target of criticism during Hall's tenure.

Earlier this year, the agency was to implement an emissions testing program for vehicles in Dallas-Fort Worth, Houston-Galveston, Beaumont-Port Arthur and El Paso.

After the TNRCC contracted with Tejas Testing Technology to set up emissions testing stations, the Legislature threw out the plan. Lawmakers said the program was too costly and cumbersome.

Tejas now contends the state owes the company more than $100 million for its investment.

Dear Abby

Wife Wants to Keep Distance From Husband's Close Shave

by Abigail Van Buren

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DEAR ABBY: I had to write when I saw the letter from "St. Paul Wife," who wrote to complain about her husband's unkempt beard, which she hated.

When I dated "Harold," he had only a mustache, and I was crazy about beards. In fact, I did not find Harold really attractive until he grew his beard 13 years ago.

A couple of weeks ago, he decided to shave it off (just for a while, he told me). Now I have a major problem: I find him very unattractive without his beard. I know this may seem shallow, but as time has passed he has lost much of his curly hair, and he also now possesses a very prominent double chin. The loss of his beard exaggerates both.

The other issue with the beard is that it has always been a bone of contention between his parents and me. Harold does not care whether he has a beard or not. Whom should he be more concerned about pleasing other than himself — his parents or me?

When he has made suggestions to me on my appearance, I have always followed his advice, and sometimes just to please him. Now I need a tactful way of telling him that he really doesn't look very good without his beard.

LONG ISLAND WIFE

DEAR WIFE: If he doesn't already know, make him aware of how important his beard is to you. Prepare his favorite dinner, and when the two of you are ready to retire, have this letter on his pillow. It is certain to generate a heart-to-heart discussion — which is long overdue.

If the beard has become a symbol in a power struggle between you and his parents after 13 years of marriage, some counseling may be in order for the two of you.

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DEAR ABBY: I am a 13-year-old girl. I am very mature for my age, and I make straight A's. My parents have always trusted me, but I was forbidden recently to see a boy whom I love very much, and I'm sure he loves me.

When I told my parents this, they said I was too young to be in love. Abby, why am I considered incapable of love? I am just as capable of love as someone twice my age. This boy is responsible and trustworthy. He is also a good student. His parents like me a lot, and my parents are the only barriers between us.

I am forbidden to talk to him on the telephone, and I can't see him anywhere after school. Please don't tell me that it's just a crush, or that it's puppy love. I truly love him with all my heart. What should I do?

FORBIDDEN LOVE

DEAR FORBIDDEN LOVE: When you have a 13-year-old daughter, you will be able to understand your parents' fears and eagerness to protect you. I'm sure your feelings for this boy are sincere, but even though you are both good students and responsible for your age — you are not sufficiently mature to handle a love relationship at 13. Please trust your parents' judgment and honor their wishes. They have your best interests at heart.

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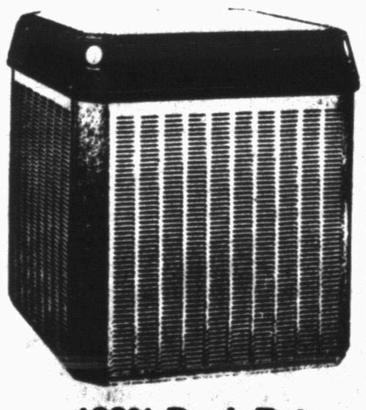

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BRIDAL SHOWER — A bridal shower was held recently in the fellowship hall of Union Baptist Church for Mrs. Brad Robbins, nee Dava Botts, who married on March 25 at Willow Park Inn. Shown from left are Lisa Harris, sister of the groom; Louise Woolever, grandmother of the groom; Darlene Robbins, mother of the groom; the honoree; Mary Botts, mother of the bride; Janet Botts of Hermleigh, her stepmother; and Amy Botts, her sister from Hermleigh. (SDN Staff Photo)

PROGRAM — First grade students at East Elementary presented a program "Amazing Shapes" at the close of the school year. Students of Sami Webb, shown from left on the front row, include Jessica Calvert, Michelle Cave, Bobby Hernandez, Christopher Martinez, Sirena Medrano, Graeg Pesina, Kimberly Rodriguez, Natasha Schwoerer, Tracy Stafford, Nita Swan, Casey Toland, Takiyah Wofford, Steven Wright; Kay Echols's students on the top row are Ashley Barrera, Stanley Forbes, Tabitha Jones, Adam Hopper, Renee Kirkland, Domingo Luera, Katrina Matchett, Ashton Minyard; and the middle row, Danny Ortegon, Jamie Putnam, Brian Villareal and Dustyn Williams. (SDN Staff Photo)

Bridge

By Phillip Alder

NORTH 6-20-95
♠9 4
♥8 7 4
♦K 5 4 2
♣J 7 6 3

WEST
♠7 2
♥9 6 2
♦10 8 7 3
♣10 8 5 4

EAST
♠K 6 5 3
♥A K Q 10 3
♦9
♣Q 9 2

SOUTH
♠A Q J 10 8
♥J 5
♦A Q J 6
♣A K

Vulnerable: Both
Dealer: East

South	West	North	East
			1 ♥
Dbl.	Pass	2 ♣	Pass
2 ♥	Pass	3 ♣	Pass
3 ♠	Pass	4 ♠	All pass

Opening lead: ♥2

To laugh or to die

Did you know that when an actor loses control and starts to laugh, it is known as corpsing? Where did that expression come from?

South held center-stage in today's deal. Yet when the contract died, North wasn't laughing. How should South play in four spades after the opponents have attacked with three rounds of hearts?

After South's strong auction — a takeout double, followed by a cue-bid and a new suit — North did well to raise. He had promised nothing yet he had a king.

South ruffed the third heart, played a diamond to dummy's king, took a successful spade finesse, cashed the spade ace and led a third spade, hoping for a 3-3 break. However, luck was offstage. East won and led another heart, forcing South to ruff with his last trump. East ruffed the second diamond and cashed a heart trick for two down.

South overlooked the value of dummy's spade nine. At trick four, South should lead any spade but the ace. If East wins with the king and plays another heart, it can be ruffed in the dummy. If instead East ducks, declarer enters the dummy, takes a spade finesse, cashes the spade ace and plays off winners. East cannot make more than the spade king.

According to a reader of The Guardian newspaper in England, the expression "corpsing" was coined during a production of Hamlet many years ago. In the last scene, with dead bodies all over the stage, Fortinbras' breeches suddenly fell round his ankles when the elastic snapped, much to the amusement of the corpses.

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Monahans Writers Club will sponsor an all-day writers' conference Aug. 19 in the Monahans Community Center, 400 E. 4th., and all Snyder writers are invited to participate.

The fee, which includes the awards luncheon, will be $40 if postmarked by Aug. 1, or $45 after that date. Checks should be made payable to Monahans Writers Club and mailed to Mary Hallman, 708 S. Eric, Monahans, Tex. 79756.

The club is also sponsoring a writing contest in conjunction with the seminar. The cutoff date for the contest is July 1. For more contest information, send a self-addressed, stamped envelope to Ms. Hallman or call 915-943-8941.

Speakers at the conference will be Jean Price, owner/agent of the Kirkland Literary Agency; DeWanna Pace, published author and creative writing teacher; and Kim Shreffler, an internationally published author who writes under the name of Denise Richards, and Vanessa Reeves, historical and true crime author.

Community Calendar

TUESDAY

Narcotics Anonymous; Winston Park Club; for more information call 573-2101, 573-0900 or 573-1579; 6 p.m.

ACBL Open Pairs Duplicate Bridge; Snyder Country Club; 7 p.m.

Hermleigh Order of the Eastern Star; Masonic Lodge; 8 p.m.

New Horizon Alcoholics Anonymous; Park Club in Winston Park; for information call 573-1141 or 573-2101; 8 p.m.

Al-Anon; Park Club in Winston Park, 37th & Ave. M; for information call 573-3956, 573-2101,573-1141 or 573-8626; 8 p.m.

WEDNESDAY

Narcotics Anonymous; Park Club in Winston Park; for information call 573-2101, 573-0900 or 573-1579; 8 p.m.

TOPS TX56, (take off pounds sensibly); weigh-in and meeting 5:30 to 6:30 p.m.; 2501 35th. For information call Peggy Vernon at 573-3122.

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

Scurry Charter Chapter ABWA; Martha Ann Woman's Club; 7 p.m.

SOS (singles of Snyder) volleyball and games; First Baptist Church Family Center; 7 p.m.

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

New Horizons Alcoholics Anonymous; Park Club Addition in Winston Park; for information call 863-2349 or 573-8626; 8 p.m.

FRIDAY

Free blood pressure clinics; Senior Citizens Center, 9:30 to 11 a.m.

Blood pressures will be taken at Cogdell Hospital Home Health Services, 1800 Cogdell Blvd. Suite B; 1-2 p.m.

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

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

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

SATURDAY

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

Narcotics Anonymous; Winston Park Club; for information call 573-2101, 573-0900 or 573-1579; 8 p.m.

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Piano students receive recognition

Barbara Tune presented her students in a piano recital, "Glad Rags and All That Jazz," recently in the Martha Ann Woman's Club. In addition, the Snyder Junior High Jazz Band performed "Satin Doll," "You, Too," "Lil Darlin," "Watch Your Step," "Heat Seeker," and "Sombrero." Walter Reneau directed the group in David Trevey's absence.

Following the recital, Mrs. Tune recognized students who participated in the Lubbock Music Competition and the Abilene Music Festival held earlier this year.

She also presented guild certificates to Chris Wilson, Katie Kerley, Josh Kelley and Jacob Crawford — Hobbyist; Ryan McKamie, Natalie Hill, Zipporah People and Alicia People — Local; Vanessa Jones, Emily Long, Hayley Grant, Traci Jordan and Monica Barboza — District; Audra Reneau, Windy Wood, Cara Stansell and Susan Bigham — State; Sara Cantu, Jason Hall, Laurie Kerley, Crissida Tyler and Casity Reneau — National.

Receiving composer's pins were Crissida Tyler, five years; Laurie Kerley and Casity Reneau, six years.

Recognized as the top five in guild were: tying for fourth place — Audra Reneau and Susan Bigham; third place — Cara Stansell; second place — Crissida Tyler; and first place — Casity Reneau.

Mrs. Tune also presented special awards: Windy Wood, most promising beginner; Jason Hall, rhythm; Sara Cantu, expressive; Laurie Kerley and Crissida Tyler, progressive; Audra Reneau and Cara Stansell, performance; Casity Reneau and Susan Bigham, outstanding students of the year.

In conclusion, Mrs. Tune expressed her appreciation to parents and grandparents for encouragement and support given during the year.

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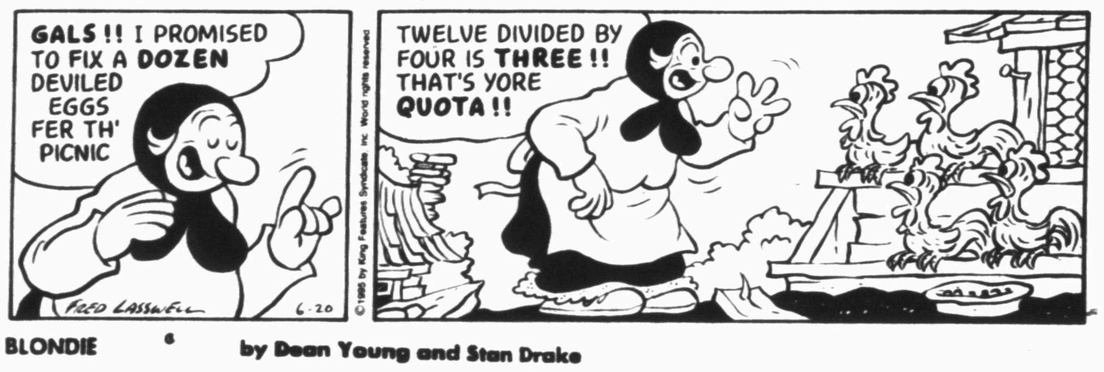

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4 Western resort
9 Race segment
12 Pro
13 Covers
14 First number
15 Marks
17 Compass pt.
18 Drawing room
19 Actress Samantha —
21 Goal
23 Juice drink
24 Lack of sensation
28 Bites
32 Alias (abbr.)
33 Surfeit
34 Writer James —
35 Cozy home
37 Actress Garr
39 Wood sorrel
40 Concerning (2 wds.)
41 Mileage indicator
43 Opp. of max.
45 Hard drinker
46 Peeled
49 Knot in wood
53 Solemn wonder
54 Gains
58 Writing tablet
59 Hamburger garnish
60 Lawyer's org.
61 Yes
62 Two times
63 Touch lightly

DOWN

1 Boxing blows
2 W. Coast coll.
3 Sesame
4 Braiding
5 18th letters
6 Shout of amusement
7 Unclose (poet.)
8 Ancient chariot
9 Protracted
10 Visitor to Siam
11 Equal
16 Biblical land
20 Actress Rowlands
22 Woolen fabric
23 Houston team
24 Zola heroine
25 Hawaiian instruments
26 Ship's pole
27 Took to court
29 — — Rhythm
30 Small dog
31 Char
36 Large volume
38 Comedienne — Coca
42 Famous volcano
44 Fool
46 Mama's guy
47 Out
48 Advise
50 PDQ rel.
51 Entertainer McEntire
52 Future attys.' exam
55 Compass pt.
56 Roman 102
57 Mythical bird

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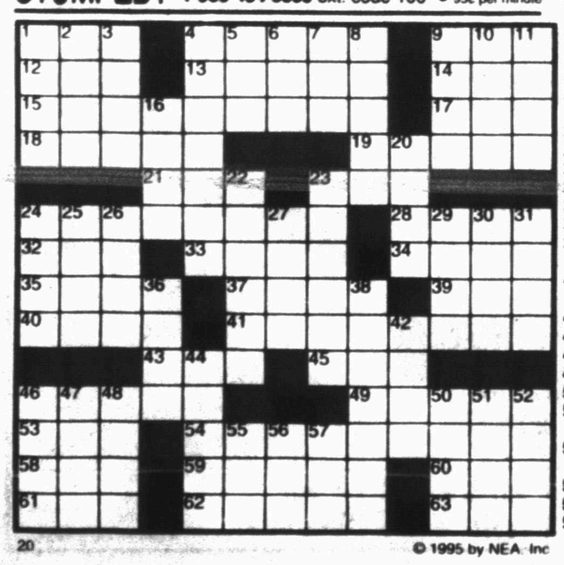

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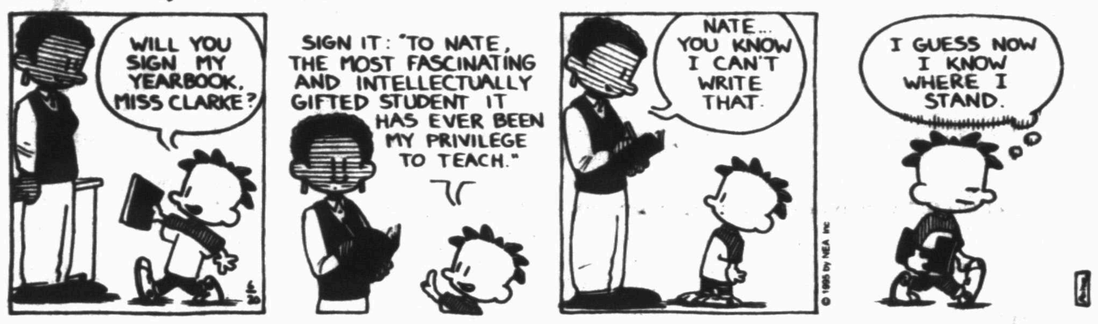

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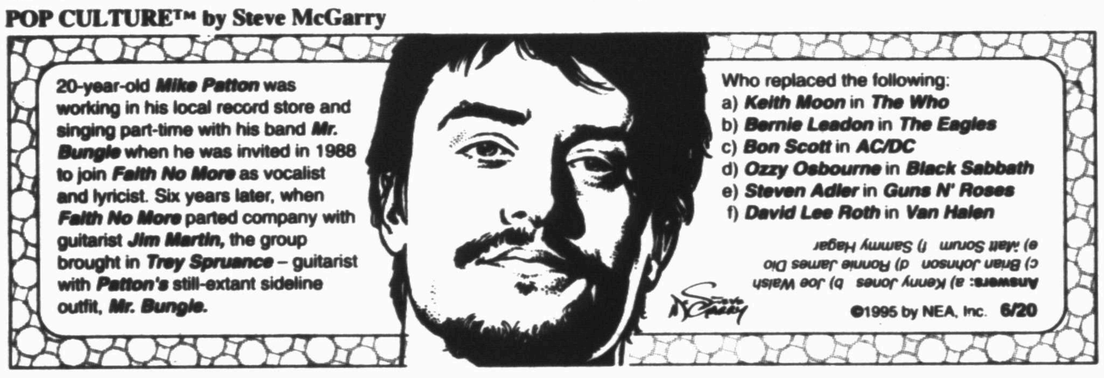

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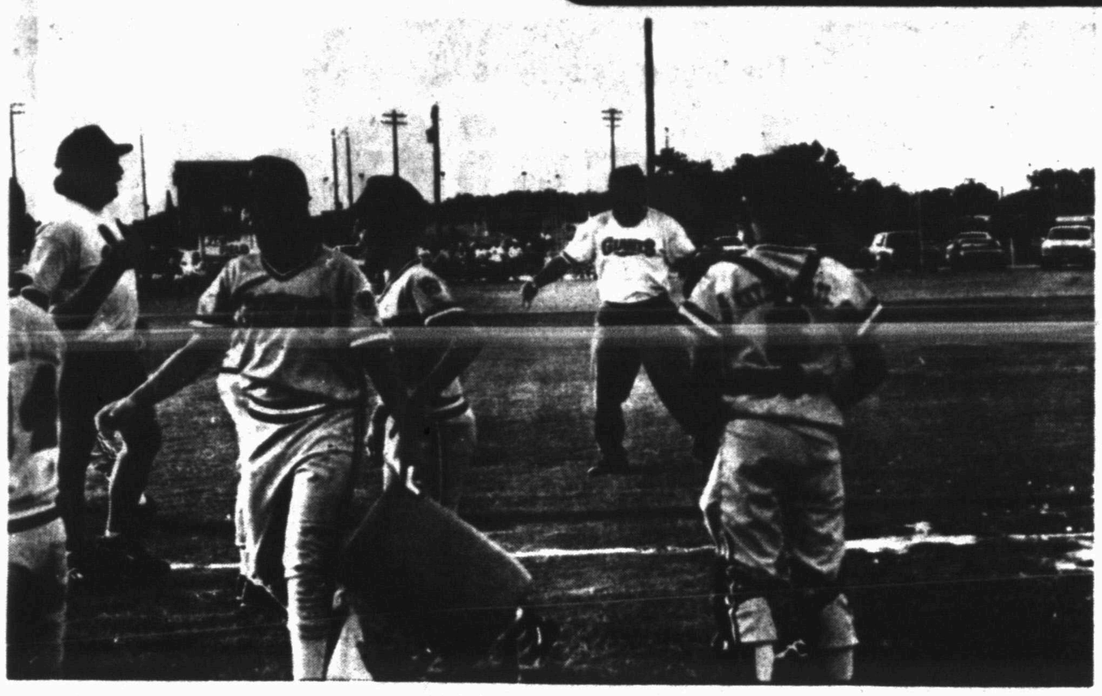

GIANTS LITTLE LEAGUE CHAMPIONS — Little League Giants manager Isrrael Hinojos got a bucket of icy water poured over his head at the end of the 9-1 win over the Braves championship game Monday night. The Giants, champions two seasons in a row, were coached by Hinojos, Jackie Grimmett and Ruben Olvera. Pictured from left are Olvera, Derrick Rushing, Brooks Nunley, Hinojos and Jace Olvera. Following the championship game, a closing ceremony was held naming the seasons all-stars. (SDN Staff Photo)

All-stars chosen for Little League in closing ceremonies

By Laura Barnes
SDN Sports Editor

Snyder Little League named its all-stars during closing ceremonies Saturday.

The Farm League all-stars were divided into four teams and began a tournament Monday in Snyder that will conclude this evening. In games Monday the Gold all-stars crushed the Blue all-stars, 11-7.

Clint Blume took the win, allowing five hits. Joseph Martinez and Tucker Early led the Gold with three singles apiece. Jeffrey Whitt, Travis Thompson, Justin Boyd, Justin Stoker and Teddy Vasquez ripped two singles each. Teddy Vasquez also added a double. Blume and Will Davis each slugged a single.

Josh Gutierrez suffered the loss, allowing 19 hits. Blake Grimmett led with a single and a double. Ryan McKamie popped a double while Josh Wilson finished with two singles.

In the other face-off of the tournament the Black all-stars rose over the Red all-stars, 16-7.

Jed Martin pitched for the win, allowing seven hits. Marcario Martinez, Marcus Villareal, Caleb Durham, Tim Green and Henry Dominguez smashed a single each.

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Isaac Ramon took the loss, allowing five hits. Ramon cracked two doubles while Eric Dickeroff, Adam Lucero and Steven Smith clobbered a double apiece. Tommy Hull and Jordan Dea contributed a single each.

The 9 and 10-year-old all-stars will travel to Sweetwater for a double elimination tournament scheduled for July 3-15. The 11-12-year-old all-stars will be competing in Snyder in a double elimination tournament July 1-13.

Farm League All-Stars

Blue Team— Manager: Steve Grimmett; Players: Caleb Dickerson, Blake Grimmett, Josh Gutierrez, Eric Hatley, Ryan McCamey, Bret McClendon, Tanner Reed, Randall Rich, Lee Scott, Matthew Vasquez, Cody Wall, Dustin Whitson and Josh Wilson.

Black Team— Manager: Paul Dickeroff; Players— Jake Barnes, Jordan Dea, Eric Dickeroff, Tommy Hull, Josh Key, Tyson Kubena, Trake Lee, Adam Lucero, Anthony Perez, Isaac Ramon, Stephen Smith and Jess Wall.

Red Team— Manager: Rick Martin; Players: Zach Cain, Ty Collier, Henry Dominguez, Caleb Durham, Tim Green, Tim Gutierrez, Jed Martin, Boicy Martinez, Marcario Martinez, Josh Pickerell, Marcus Villareal and Wes White.

Gold Team— Managers: David Tate and Jim Blume; Players: Clint Blume, Justin Boyd, Clint Brausel, Wil Davis, Tucker Early, Lyndell Lee, Joseph Martinez, Justin Stoker, Travis Thompson, Teddy Vasquez, Jeffery Whitt and Thomas Whitt.

10-Year-Old All-Stars
Manager: Jay Roemisch, Coaches: Les Rinehart and Ricky Williams; Players: Josh Green, Chance Greenwood, Logan Hill, T.J. Jones, Cory Lyons, Billy Pena, Tyler Pollard, Brady Reed, Shawn Roemisch, Adam Rogers, Zack Starnes and Clay Williams.

11/12-Year-Old All-Stars
Manager: Isrrael Hinojos, Coaches: Frankie Grimmett and Ruben Olvera; Players: Josh Arizmendi, Ryan Braziel, Marcus Diaz, Matthew Grimmett, Jesse Haines, R.J. Hernandez, Garrett Luft, Brandon McGuire, Chris McLeod, Stephen Ortegon, Ralph Ramon, Allan Smith, Paddy Vantine and Martin Villarreal.

Giants win Little League championship

By Laura Barnes
SDN Sports Editor

Matthew Grimmett pitched a three-hitter and busted two homers, one out of the park, for the Giants' 9-1 victory over the Braves Saturday in the Little League championship game.

Grimmett also added a single to his list. He also had 10 strike-outs. Jace Olvera and Adam Rogers ripped a single each while Michael Qualls cracked two singles.

Brooks Nunley smacked a triple in the first inning, helping to get things going for the Giants.

Brandon McGuire took the loss, allowing eight hits and pitching three strike-outs. Nathan Smith, Jesse Haines and McGuire knocked a single each.

This is the Giants' second year in a row to win the Little League championship. Both winning teams have been under the guidance of coach Isrrael Hinojos

Astros' rookie hits 3-for-5 for 6-3 victory

MONTREAL (AP) — Rookies usually need time to make an impact in the majors. Somebody forgot to tell Brian Hunter.

Hunter, playing in his seventh game with the Houston Astros, went 3-for-5 with a two-run triple and scored the tying run Monday night in Houston's 6-3 victory over the Montreal Expos.

"He's really playing well," Astros manager Terry Collins said of Hunter, who was recalled from Class AAA Tucson at the start of the nine-game road trip to replace the injured James Mouton.

The Astros have gone 5-2 with Hunter batting .294 in the leadoff spot.

"He brings a lot of foot-speed to the club," Collins said. "And he's handling the bat pretty well, too."

Darryl Kile (3-5) was wild but effective, allowing Montreal three runs on seven hits in six innings. Kile struck out six, walked two and hit three batters with off-speed curveballs, lifting his league-leading total to 10.

"Accidents happen," Kile said. "The pitches didn't break and the hitters are crowding the plate expecting the breaking ball. Everybody saw I wasn't trying to hit anybody."

Moises Alou drove in all three Expos runs with an RBI groundout in the first and a two-run double in the third.

Hunter's two-run triple in the fifth off Jeff Fassero (7-4) cut Montreal's lead to 3-2, after Phil Nevin broke out of a 1-for-17 slump with a leadoff double and Orlando Miller reached base by striking out on a wild pitch.

Craig Biggio's sacrifice fly tied the game.

After Fassero issued a pair of one-out walks in the sixth, Miller's two-out, two-run single made it 5-3.

"He struck me out the first two times with the same pitch, a forkball," said Miller, now 9-for-27 on the road trip. "It was a good pitch this time, but I went down to get it."

Fassero, who lost his third straight start, gave up five runs on four hits in six innings. He struck out five and walked five.

"It was stupid," Fassero said of the pitch to Miller. "It was the fourth forkball I threw in a row. Any hitter who sees four in a row gets the timing right."

Timely hitting puts Rangers over Tigers

DETROIT (AP) — The Texas Rangers showed manager Johnny Oates that playing with the power shut off doesn't mean being shut down.

The Rangers hit 10 singles Monday night, their third straight game without an extra-base hit. But they combined timely hitting and relief pitching to produce a 6-4 victory over the Detroit Tigers.

"It's a plus that if you're not hitting home runs to still put six runs on the board, because the object of the game is still to put runs on the board, not home runs," Oates said.

Detroit rookie Pat Ahearne (0-2) suffered his second straight loss when the Rangers put together four straight two-out singles against him and reliever Joe Boever in the sixth inning to take a 5-4 lead.

"I would've liked to win this game, but there are a lot of positives coming from this," said Ahearne, who was rocked for five runs on six hits while losing his big-league debut 12-3 to New York last week.

"I didn't give up any extra base hits tonight. I'm a ground-ball pitcher and I made some good pitches."

Third baseman Mike Pagliarulo, who knocked in a run, scored one and preserved Texas' lead with an outstanding defensive play in the sixth, credited Ahearne with stifling the Rangers' power.

"The guy had a real good sinker," Pagliarulo said. "He's a good pitcher for this ballpark. We just tried to last him out and hit the ball. That's about all we could do."

Despite giving up home runs to Chad Curtis, Cecil Fielder and Bobby Higginson, Texas starter Kevin Gross won for the first time since May 17.

"I threw the ball well; I really did," Gross (2-6) said. "The home runs I gave up were solid shots, but I made a lot of good pitches."

Ahearne exited the game after giving up two-out singles to Pagliarulo and Benji Gil in the sixth, with the latter cutting Detroit's lead to 4-3. Texas went ahead when Boever gave up run-scoring singles to Otis Nixon and Mark McLemore.

Baseball Glance

American League
At A Glance
By The Associated Press
All Times EDT

East Division

	W	L	Pct.	GB
Boston	28	20	.583	-
Detroit	24	27	.471	5½
Toronto	20	26	.435	7
Baltimore	20	28	.417	8
NewYork	20	28	.417	8

Central Division

	W	L	Pct.	GB
Cleveland	35	13	.729	-
KansasCity	28	20	.583	7
Milwaukee	22	25	.468	12½
Chicago	17	29	.370	17
Minnesota	15	35	.300	21

West Division

	W	L	Pct.	GB
California	30	20	.600	-
Texas	29	21	.580	1
Oakland	27	24	.529	3½
Seattle	25	24	.510	4½

Monday's Games

Texas 6, Detroit 4
Baltimore 5, New York 4
Cleveland 4, Boston 3, 10 innings
Chicago 8, Seattle 6
Minnesota 8, Oakland 5, 10 innings
Kansas City 8, California 5
Only games scheduled

Tuesday's Games

Minnesota (Mahomes 0-3) at Oakland (Ontiveros 6-2), 3:15 p.m.
Texas (Oliver 3-2) at Detroit (Bergman 3-4), 7:05 p.m.
Boston (Eshelman 3-0) at Cleveland (Ogea 2-0), 7:05 p.m.
New York (Hitchcock 2-4) at Baltimore (Rhodes 1-2), 7:35 p.m.
Milwaukee (Roberson 2-2) at Toronto (Hentgen 4-4), 7:35 p.m.
Seattle (Johnson 6-1) at Chicago (Alvarez 1-3), 8:05 p.m.
Kansas City (Gubicza 4-5) at California (Anderson 0-0), 10:05 p.m.

Wednesday's Games

Boston (Hanson 6-1) at Cleveland (Hershiser 5-2), 7:05 p.m.
Texas (Tewksbury 5-2) at Detroit (Lira 3-3), 7:05 p.m.
Milwaukee (Miranda 4-2) at Toronto (Leiter 5-2), 7:35 p.m.
New York (Pettitte 1-4) at Baltimore (McDonald 2-4), 7:35 p.m.
Seattle (Bosio 5-0) at Chicago (Keyser 0-2), 8:05 p.m.
Minnesota (Radke 3-6) at Oakland (Stottlemyre 5-1), 10:35 p.m.
Kansas City (Gordon 4-2) at California (Bielecki 3-3), 10:35 p.m.

National League
All Times EDT

East Division

	W	L	Pct.	GB
Philadelphia	32	17	.653	-
Atlanta	29	20	.592	3
Montreal	27	24	.529	6
NewYork	19	31	.380	13½
Florida	16	32	.333	15½

Central Division

	W	L	Pct.	GB
Cincinnati	31	18	.633	-
Chicago	25	24	.510	6
Houston	24	24	.500	6½
St.Louis	21	30	.412	11
Pittsburgh	18	30	.375	12½

West Division

	W	L	Pct.	GB
Colorado	27	23	.540	-
SanFrancisco	27	24	.529	½
SanDiego	25	24	.510	1½
LosAngeles	25	25	.500	2

Monday's Games

Atlanta 10, Cincinnati 0
Pittsburgh 8, San Francisco 2
Philadelphia 6, New York 3
Houston 6, Montreal 3
Los Angeles 5, St. Louis 2
Florida 7, Colorado 2
San Diego 5, Chicago 3

Tuesday's Games

Houston (Reynolds 2-5) at Montreal (P.Martinez 5-2), 7:35 p.m.
Atlanta (Maddux 5-1) at Cincinnati (Nitkowski 0-0), 7:35 p.m.
San Francisco (Leiter 3-3) at Pittsburgh (Loaiza 2-3), 7:35 p.m.
Philadelphia (Green 5-4) at New York (Harnisch 1-3), 7:40 p.m.
Los Angeles (Astacio 1-5) at St. Louis (Petkovsek 2-1), 8:35 p.m.
Florida (Witt 1-5) at Colorado (Grahe 2-1), 9:05 p.m.
Chicago (Castillo 5-2) at San Diego (Sanders 5-2), 10:05 p.m.

Wednesday's Games

Los Angeles (Candiotti 2-5) at St. Louis (Palacios 2-2), 1:35 p.m.
San Francisco (VanLandingham 0-1) at Pittsburgh (Parris 0-0), 3:05 p.m.
Chicago (Trachsel 2-4) at San Diego (Benes 1-5), 4:05 p.m.
Florida (Rapp 2-3) at Colorado (Swift 1-2), 5:05 p.m.
Houston (Swindell 3-3) at Montreal (Henry 2-4), 7:05 p.m.
Atlanta (Glavine 5-3) at Cincinnati (Smiley 5-1), 7:35 p.m.
Philadelphia (West 1-1) at New York (Jones 4-3), 7:40 p.m.

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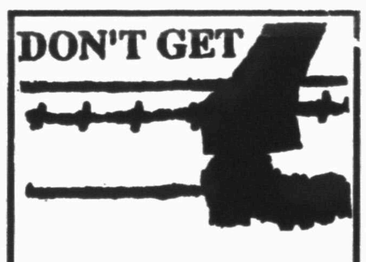
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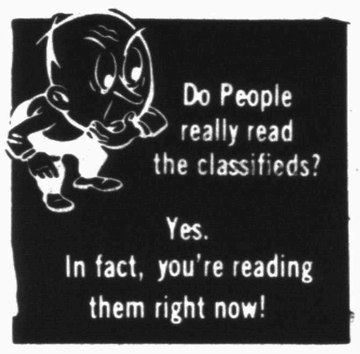

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306 36th Pl., 2-1-1.	23T
110 Canyon, 2-1.	12T
108 Canyon, 2-1, ch/a.	19.9T
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M'LYS LLOYD

Lloyd earns scholarship

SAN ANTONIO — Over 70 scholarship recipients were recently honored at the San Antonio Livestock Exposition's Annual Meeting and Scholarship Reception. Officials at the meeting announced that over $1 million of the 1995 show's $1.6 million in revenues will be designated for scholarships and endowments.

M'Lys Lloyd of Snyder was a scholarship recipient. She is a student at Texas Tech University.

Currently, 271 Texas college and university students are sponsored through S.A.L.E.'s scholarship program. Included in the list of scholarship recipients are the student body presidents of Texas A & M University, Angelo State University and Texas Tech University, as well as the incoming student body president of Texas A & M University and the national president of the FFA organization.

S.A.L.E.'s Executive Director, Keith Martin, said through the combination of scholarships, exhibitor's funds earned through the Junior Livestock Action and the rodeo calf scramble, the Stock Show and Rodeo has an educational impact of more than $3 million.

Prison guard is arrested in Rockwall

CLARION, Pa. (AP) — A guard accused of helping an inmate escape was handcuffed to the steering wheel and still wearing her uniform when she pulled up beside a Texas state trooper, the guard's husband said.

Constance Judy was bruised and had also been handcuffed to trees and to the inmate, Billy Ray Boggs, during a four-day trip from Pennsylvania, the husband, Jim Judy said.

"The truth will come out when she comes back," Judy told the Pittsburgh Post-Gazette.

Boggs remained at large this morning.

The Clarion County sheriff's department was arranging Monday to send two deputies to Dallas to bring back Mrs. Judy. She was being held at the Rockwall County Jail.

When Mrs. Judy pulled up beside the state trooper in Rockwall County, about 30 miles northeast of Dallas, late Sunday night, she told him Boggs had left the keys in the ignition of her truck when he went to steal gas from a car in Dallas.

"She said she had been driving, looking for an officer," Sheriff Jacques Kiere said. "Her account was that he would handcuff her to the steering wheel or a tree and jump out and steal gasoline from cars.

"In the last instance, she said that when he left she noticed he left the keys in the ignition and she drove off ... looking to find a police officer," the sheriff told the Post-Gazette.

Authorities in Pennsylvania and Texas gave the following account of Boggs' escape:

Mrs. Judy, her red pickup truck and Boggs went missing during the midnight shift Thursday when a second guard, Heber Radaker, took medicine to another inmate.

Boggs' cell door apparently wasn't locked and he opened a door between the cell block and Mrs. Judy's office. The door is usually locked and controlled by Mrs. Judy.

Dan Hornberger, warden at the Clarion County jail, said that during a recent investigation, Mrs. Judy was found to be "too close to the inmates."

Arrests, responses keep area peace officers busy

Three arrests were made Monday by local law enforcement agencies.

A 25-year-old male was arrested at 9:39 a.m. from Municipal Court to lay out fines for assault and failure to appear.

Two people were arrested at 3:19 p.m. from the 2700 block of Avenue F following a disturbance call. Taken into custody were a 47-year-old male who was charged with public intoxication and Class C assault/family violence and a 27-year-old female who was arrested for disorderly conduct.

In other activity Monday, a person requested a deputy at a vacant residence in the 1100 block of North Avenue Q in reference to four juveniles going into a vacant trailer house without permission.

An offense report for criminal mischief was submitted at 8:32 a.m. in reference to a person being inside a residence in the 2300 block of Avenue I without permission.

A small storage shed was destroyed in a fire that was reported at 8:42 a.m. off FM 1606 near Randall's Corner. The shed belonged to Joe Rue Beaver. Fire Chief Terry Don McDowell said the cause of the fire is still under investigation.

A person requested an officer in the 2500 block of Avenue W at 10:20 a.m. in reference to subjects throwing beer bottles in a yard.

Eddie Williams reported the theft of a utility trailer at 10:47 a.m. An offense report for Class A theft was submitted.

A person notifed the police department at 2:13 p.m. that three juveniles were going through mailboxes near G&G Grocery.

An offense report for Class B theft was submitted at 2:28 p.m. in reference to someone stealing a cassette player from 2511 Ave. U.

An offense report for Class C criminal mischief was submitted at 5:13 p.m. in reference to someone breaking windows in a building at 1802 College Ave.

A report was received at 10:44 p.m. that someone was driving reckless around the area of Moffett Field.

An offense report for burglary was filed at 10:57 p.m. in reference to a pair of boots being stolen from 888 Avenue Q.

A report of a possible prowler was made from the 2500 block of Avenue W at 2:20 a.m. today.

A person was taken to the police department at 4:01 this morning in reference to a suicide attempt. The person was taken into protective custody.

Team wants to set off giant bomb

SANTA FE, N.M. (AP) — A team of geologists wants to detonate 30,000 to 40,000 pounds of buried explosives near Ojo Caliente in August to learn more about the subterranean structure of the Rocky Mountains.

"Nobody would notice it," said Timothy Henstock of Rice University, one of the leaders of the U.S. and Canadian team.

The device would be made of ammonium nitrate — the same material used in a bomb that destroyed a federal building in Oklahoma City in April, killing 167 people.

The detonation in northern New Mexico, called "Deep Probe," would be equivalent to a very small earthquake and only about one-half to one-third the size of a typical mine blast, Henstock said.

The geologists require a relatively large blast to obtain a visual picture of the Earth's structure down to a depth of about 300 miles, Henstock said.

The most likely site for the explosion is 50 feet down an abandoned mine shaft on Jarita Mesa in the Carson National Forest, 20 miles northeast of El Rito and about the same distance due north of Ojo Caliente.

IBM says ability to run Macintosh coming soon

NEW YORK (AP) — IBM showed off its first personal computers based on the PowerPC chip Monday and said the next versions, due next year, will be capable of running the operating software of Apple Computer Inc.'s Macintosh.

The announcement marks another step along a path toward common systems that the two companies have been traveling since they joined to develop the PowerPC microprocessor and some software in 1991.

However, IBM has not decided whether to actually install Macintosh software in its products. If it does, IBM, whose 1980 PC design became an industry standard because others cloned it, would become a clonemaker of Apple.

International Business Machines Corp. and Apple reached agreement last fall on a common design for computers that use the PowerPC chip, a decision that was widely viewed as meaning both IBM and Apple software would run on future machines.

But the computers that IBM rolled out Monday do not use that common design and cannot support Apple software. Instead, they can be run by IBM's AIX program, Microsoft Corp.'s Windows NT and Sun Microsystems' Solaris program. IBM is also refining its OS-2 program to work on a PowerPC-based device.

Apple and IBM will publish specifications for the common design of PowerPC-based personal computers this summer, hoping that other companies will also build them.

The chip was conceived as a way to leap over performance limits that the Intel Corp. x86 microprocessors, which are now the brains of most personal computers, are expected to hit in the coming years.

IBM initiated work on PowerPC and was later joined by Apple and Motorola Inc. IBM has sold advanced workstations that use the chip since late 1993 but has suffered embarrassing delays in getting personal computers ready.

Apple last year began switching its Macintosh line to the chip.

Several other companies, including Canon, Austin Computer, Firepower Systems, IPC Technologies and Zenith Data Systems, are expected to demonstrate PowerPC-based computers at PC Expo in New York this week.

Air Force officer is found innocent

OKLAHOMA CITY (AP) — An Air Force jury found Capt. Jim Wang, the only officer still charged in last year's friendly fire shootdown over northern Iraq, innocent on all counts today.

Wang was being court-martialed on three counts of dereliction of duty as a result of the April 14, 1994, incident in which two U.S. fighters shot down two Army helicopters, killing 26 people.

Prosecuting attorney Maj. Robert Coacher said he was satisfied with the process, but disappointed with the result.

"I was surprised. I thought we were going to get a conviction."

About 10 people outside the Tinker Air Force Base building where the court martial was held applauded when Wang emerged to talk to the media.

"I want to say the fight's nowhere near over. For me this is just a victory in one battle," Wang told reporters. "There are still two helicopters shot down and 26 lives lost.

"This court martial is one small piece in the puzzle."

Wang said one of jurors told him the Air Force does what is right, "and when given the opportunity, I'm glad we can do that."

The verdict came down after about five hours of deliberations by the 10-officer panel.

The innocent verdicts mean, in effect, that no one has been held accountable for the 26 deaths. Five others originally charged were cleared. Charges against one of the pilots involved were dropped.

The wife of one of the victims held up a picture of her husband's charred remains and cried as she talked about the verdict.

"Maybe if the accused could see that, they would know what their actions did," said Kaye Mounsey. Her husband, Army Warrant Officer Erik Mounsey was aboard one of the two helicopters.

Mrs. Mounsey said those who were accuse will now be able to "1'walk away and have peace with themselves."

"I have a little daughter who will never know her father and it's not right," said Mrs. Mounsey. "Jim Wang is going to go home tonight and play with his children."

Juvenile alternatives

AUSTIN (AP) — A pilot program that would send juveniles before neighbors instead of a judge is a good idea and shows there are many ways to deal with young lawbreakers, Gov. George W. Bush says.

An Austin neighborhood is considering the pilot project that would be allowed under the 1995 Legislature's rewrite of the state's juvenile justice laws.

"It recognizes that there are all kinds of ways ... for communities to come together and to teach our children they're responsible for their behavior," Bush said Monday. "I like it a lot. It shows that the bill is beginning to create different alternatives."

The concept being considered in Austin is called neighborhood conference committees.

"Imagine children in trouble being diverted from the traditional juvenile justice system to community neighborhoods for help," says Travis County District Attorney Ronnie Earle.

Obituaries

Donald Smith

1931-1995

Services are pending at Bell-Cypert-Seale Funeral Home for Donald Grevan Smith, 64, who died at his home this morning.

Justice of the Peace Charlie Reynolds pronounced Mr. Smith dead at 8:08 a.m. today, following a sudden illness.

Born in Snyder, Mr. Smith was a life-long resident of Snyder and was a retired carpenter.

Survivors include two sons, Burt Smith of Snyder and Mike Smith of Vallejo, Calif.; three sisters, Laverne Smith, Janelle Smith and Vickie Lynch of Arlington; and three grandsons.

JoAnn Pruitt

1943-1995

Funeral service is pending at Bell-Cypert-Seale Funeral Home for JoAnn Pruitt, 52, of Snyder who died this morning at Cogdell Memorial Hospital after a sudden illness.

She was born of Feb. 24, 1943.

Survivors include her ex-husband, Ira Pruitt of Snyder; two sons, Gregory Pruitt and Michael Pruitt, both of Snyder; three daughters, Pam Pruitt, Sandy Pruitt, both of Snyder, and Tammy McDonald of Arlington; and two brothers, John Lewis Blankenship of Longview and Bobby Blankenship of Carthage.

Emma Vire

1913-1995

SLATON — Funeral service was set for 10 a.m. today in the First Baptist Church for Emma Lou Vire, 82, who died Monday in a Slaton hospital following a sudden illness. A graveside service was set for 4 p.m. today in the Cedar Hill Cemetery in Abilene.

A former resident of Snyder, Mrs. Vire was born in McCaulley. She owned and operated a coin-operated laundry in Abilene for many years. She moved from Snyder to Slaton in 1992 after having lived in Snyder for 65 years.

She married Jesse Ray Wood in 1930 in Abilene. She married J.A. Vire in 1959 and he also preceded her in death. She was a member of the First Baptist Church.

Survivors include two sons, Raymond Wood of Ransom Canyon and Bob Wood of Lubbock; three grandchildren; and two great-grandchildren.

Passengers taken off cruise ship

MIAMI (AP) — Small boats began ferrying more than 2,500 people today from a dead-in-the water cruise liner to the air-conditioned comfort of a sister ship.

The Carnival Cruise liner Ecstasy reached the side of the disabled ship Celebration this morning, officials said. Celebration has been adrift southeast of the Bahamian island of San Salvador since a Sunday control room fire robbed her of her main power and prevented the restart of her engines.

In slightly choppy water, passengers and crew were being put aboard small boats, or tenders, for a short ride to the Ecstasy, which was waiting with cold drinks, hot food, air-conditioning and plenty of running water — standard cruise-ship fare not enjoyed on the Celebration since late Sunday.

The transfer was expected to be complete by early afternoon and the Ecstasy was to return to Miami, probably Wednesday.

Hospital Notes

ADMISSIONS: Mary Cary, 2806 34th; Helen Kellner, Ira; Donald Dollins, 1874 Tuscola.

DISMISSALS: Fred Castillo, Annie Edwards, Ron Scott.

CENSUS: 42 (Med. 7, Long-term Care-33, CCU-2).

Pick 3

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

8-4-3

(eight, four, three)

A 19th century American trader named Gerritt Smith gave 120,000 acres of Adirondack wilderness to his abolitionist son for use by escaped slaves.

Markets Midday Stocks

NEWYORK(AP)-Morningstocks:

	High	Low	Last	
AMR Corp	74¼	73⅝	73⅝	— ⅛
AT&T Corp		53⅛	52⅞	52⅞
AirTouch		28⅞	28⅝	28⅝
Albertsons	30	29¼	29¼	+ ⅛
Alldsignal	40⅝	39⅞	40⅝	+ ¼
Allied	26⅛	25⅞	26⅛	— ⅛
AmStores	27⅞	27⅛	27⅞	+ ⅛
Ameritech	45⅝	45⅛	45⅝	— ⅛
Amoco	69⅛	68⅛	68⅝	— ⅛
AndarkPr	46⅝	45⅞	45⅞	— ⅛
Armcolnc		6⅛	6⅛	6⅛
AtlRichfld	114⅝	113⅝	113⅝	—1⅞
ATMOS Egy	19⅝	19⅝	19⅝	— ⅛
Avnet		8⅝	8⅛	8⅛
BakerHughes		22	21⅞	21⅞
BancTexas	13-16	13-16	13-16	—1-16
BellAtl	57⅞	56⅞	56⅞	— ⅝
BellSouth	63⅝	63⅛	63⅛	— ⅝
BethSteel		16	15⅞	15⅞
BritPet	88⅞	88⅛	88⅝	+ ⅛
Caterpillar s	64⅝	64⅛	64⅛	— ⅛
CenSoWst	25⅛	25⅛	25⅛	— ⅛
Chevron	48⅝	48⅛	48⅛	— ⅛
Chrysler		44⅛	44	44⅛
Coastal	30⅝	30	30⅝	+ ⅝
CocaCola	63⅛	62⅞	62⅞	+ ⅛
ColgatePalm		77⅛	76⅞	77
ComclMetals	27⅛	26⅞	26⅞	— ⅛
Cooperin	38⅛	38⅛	38⅛	— ⅛
CyprusAmax		27⅞	27⅞	27⅞
DallSemicn	20⅝	20	20⅝	+ ⅛
DeltaAirl	74⅝	74⅛	74⅝	— ⅝
DigitalEq	45⅝	45⅛	45⅝	+ ⅝
Dillard	28⅝	28⅛	28⅝	+ ⅛
DowChem	71⅝	70⅞	71⅛	+ ⅛
DresserInd	23	22⅞	22⅞	— ⅛
DuPont	68⅛	67⅞	68⅛	— ⅛
EastmanChem	59⅞	59⅝	59⅛	— ⅛
EstKodak	63	62⅞	62⅞	— ⅛
Eljerlnd	5⅛	5⅛	5⅛	+ ⅛
Enserch		18⅛	18	18⅛
Entergy	24⅝	24 9-16	24⅝	— ⅛
Exxon	71⅝	70⅝	70⅞	— ⅝
FlowerInd		18⅝	18⅝	18⅝
FordMotor		30⅛	29⅝	29⅝
GTE Cp	33⅝	33⅛	33⅝	— ⅛
GenDynam	45⅛	44⅝	44⅝	— ⅛
GenElec	57⅞	57⅛	57⅞	— ⅛
GenMills	52⅝	52⅛	52⅛	— ⅛
GenMotors	47⅞	46⅞	47⅞	+ ⅛
GenMotors E	44	43⅞	44	+ ⅛
GePacif	79⅝	79⅛	79⅝	+ ⅛
GlobalMar	5⅛	5⅛	5⅛	— ⅛
Goodrich		32⅝	32⅝	32⅝
Goodyear s	42⅝	42⅛	42⅛	— ⅛
GtAtlPac	24⅝	24⅛	24⅝	+ ⅛
Halliburta		38⅝	38⅛	38⅝
Hanson ADS	18⅝	18⅛	18⅛	— ⅛
HartfdHaltn		24⅝	24⅝	24⅝
Houstind	43	42⅞	42⅞	— ⅛
IBM	95⅝	93⅝	95⅝	+1⅝
IntlPaper	79⅝	78⅝	78⅝	— ⅝
JohnsnJns	69⅝	68⅝	68⅝	— ⅝
K mart	14⅝	14⅛	14⅛	— ⅛
Kroger	28	27⅞	27⅞	+ ⅛
Litton	38⅛	37⅞	37⅞	— ⅛
Lowes Cos	28⅛	27⅞	28⅛	— ⅛
Lubys		20⅝	20	20⅛
MayDeptStrs	41⅞	41⅛	41⅝	— ⅛
Medtronic s	75⅞	75⅝	75⅝	+ ⅛
Mobil	99⅛	98⅝	98⅝	— ⅛
Monsanto	88⅝	88⅛	88⅝	— ⅛
Motorola	65⅛	63	64⅝	+ ⅛
Nationsbk	56	55⅛	55⅝	— ⅛
Navistar	15⅝	15⅛	15⅝	— ⅛
NoramEngy		6⅛	6⅛	6⅛
Nynex	42	41⅞	42	— ⅛
OryxEngy	14⅝	14⅛	14⅝	— ⅛
PacTelesis		26⅛	26	26⅛
PennBCp		25⅛	24⅞	25⅛
Penney JC	48⅝	48⅛	48⅝	— ⅛
Pennzoil	48⅝	47⅞	47⅞	— ⅛
PepBoys	27⅞	27⅞	27⅞	— ⅛
PepsiCo	46⅞	46⅛	46⅝	+ ⅛
PhelpDodge	60⅛	59⅛	59⅝	+ ⅛
PhilipPet	34⅝	34⅛	34⅝	— ⅛
PilgrmPrd		7⅛	7⅛	7⅛
Polaroid		41⅛	41⅛	41⅛
Praxair	24⅝	23⅞	24⅛	+ ⅛
ProctGamble	74	73⅝	73⅝	— ⅛
PubSNwMx		13⅝	13⅝	13⅝
RoyalDutch	124⅝	123⅝	123⅝	— ⅛
SBC Comm	47	46⅞	47	— ⅛
SFePacCp s	24⅝	24⅛	24⅝	— ⅛
SaraLee	28⅝	28⅛	28⅝	— ⅛
SearsRoeb	57⅞	57	57⅛	— ⅛
SherwinW	36⅝	35⅞	36⅛	+ ⅛
SmthBchADS	45⅞	45⅛	45⅝	+ ⅛
SmthBc eqt	44⅝	44⅛	44⅝	+ ⅛
SouthernCo	22⅛	22⅛	22⅛	— ⅛
SwstAirlines	24⅝	24⅛	24⅛	— ⅛
Sprint	34⅝	34⅛	34⅝	+ ⅛
SterlingChm	10⅝	10⅝	10⅝	— ⅛
SunCo		27⅞	27⅞	27⅞
TNP Ent		16⅛	16	16
Tandy	51⅝	51⅛	51⅛	— ⅛
Templtnl	45⅞	45⅛	45⅝	+ ⅛
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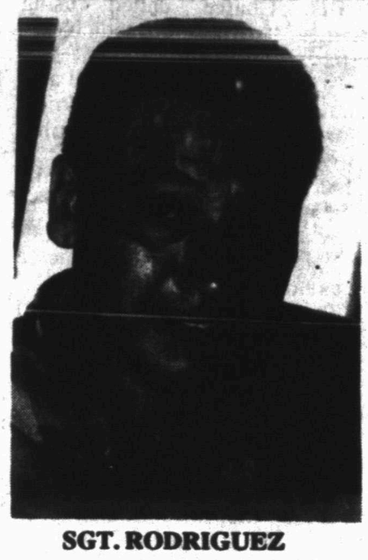
Rodriguez takes part in 'Guard' training

NORTH FORT HOOD — A resident of Snyder is among 9,100 soldiers undergoing intensive training with the 49th Armored Division of the Texas Division of the Texas Army National Guard.

Staff sergeant Albert C. Rodriguez, an 18 year veteran of the Guard, is motor transportation operation with the 112th Armor in Fort Worth. He said the training is good.

"There is a lot of hard work with coming to annual training, but I think it is all worth it," he said. "The heat is often hard to take, but we'll make it; we are trained to survive," Rodriguez said.



SGT. RODRIGUEZ

The "Lone Star" soldiers will see a new digital fire detection unit called the Initial Fire Support Automation System during this year's training. The computerized system has a video display where the soldier can call in artillery rather than hear the command from a human voice.

Guard officials say vehicles from 110 different locations throughout Texas have been in North Fort Hood after traveling a total of 37,000 miles. They will consume 425,000 meals during the 17-day training period. While a hot breakfast and dinner is available, lunch consists of an "MRE", meaning Meals Ready to Eat. The Army chow will be washed down with 515,000 pints of milk.

Staff Sergeant Rodriguez said he did have one problem that was "sort of a concern."

I didn't get to go to the bank before I left," he chuckled.

Dr. Gott By Peter Gott, M.D.

Peeling fingernails have many causes

By Peter H. Gott, M.D.

DEAR DR. GOTT: I'm a 55-year-old female who has always had strong fingernails. In the last few years, they have gotten soft and peel off in layers. Sometimes as much as 20 percent of the nail peels off. Besides looking bad, I cannot use my nails to even pick anything up, since they bend. I take daily gelatin tablets, but that doesn't seem to help and while this may not seem like a life-threatening problem, it's extremely frustrating.

DEAR READER: Peeling and cracking fingernails, a common consequence of aging, can be extremely annoying. The condition is often worsened by fungous infection of the nails, vitamin deficiencies, poor nutrition, or constant wetting of the fingernails, associated with kitchen workers and beauticians.

I believe you could be helped by a dermatologist, who — once having established the cause of your problem — can suggest treatment.

DEAR DR. GOTT: My son suffers from reflux and I've been told there is a new operative procedure that can correct the problem. Can you provide the details?

DEAR READER: Reflux refers to the backwash of irritating stomach acid into the esophagus, leading to heartburn and other symptoms. The condition is often associated with a weakness of the sphincter where the esophagus joins the stomach.

Reflux usually can be treated with antacids, drugs (such as Prilosec and others) to reduce stomach acid, 3-inch blocks to prop up the head of the bed, avoidance of large meals and foods known to worsen symptoms, and other techniques that prevent gravity from aggravating the problem.

In resistant cases, surgery may be necessary. During the operation, the surgeon repairs the sphincter, thereby re-establishing the normal, anatomical barrier to reflux. Although such surgery is usually curative, it is a serious procedure and, therefore, is reserved for difficult cases that do not respond to medical therapy.

Because reflux is a frequent consequence of hiatal hernia, I am sending you a free copy of my Health Report "Hiatal Hernia." Other readers who would like a copy should send $2 plus a long, self-addressed, stamped envelope to P.O. Box 2433, New York, NY 10163. Be sure to mention the title.

DEAR DR. GOTT: I'm a 26-year-old female with iron deficiency anemia. I've suffered an enormous amount of hair loss that hasn't corrected itself in five months, despite the fact that my anemia is under control. What's upsetting my body to cause this problem?

DEAR READER: Regardless of the cause of the anemia, this blood condition commonly causes hair loss. However, such hair loss is rarely substantial. Moreover, hair usually regrows once the anemia has been corrected.

Because your problem has lasted so long, it is unusual. Therefore, I recommend that you consult with a dermatologist. Perhaps a hair stimulant, such as Rogaine, would help you — or the specialist may offer other advice.

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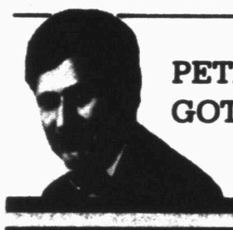

PETER GOTT, M.D.

Surgeon general nomination due senate hearing

WASHINGTON (AP) — Sen. Bob Dole concluded after meeting with Dr. Henry Foster that the full Senate should consider his nomination as surgeon general. Now all Foster has to do is find 60 senators willing to break a filibuster.

Dole, the Senate majority leader and front-runner for the GOP presidential nomination, said he told Foster that "we would try to work out some procedure on the Senate floor."

Dole said he remained opposed to the nomination but would be willing to allow two attempts to cut off a filibuster vowed by Sen. Phil Gramm, R-Texas, another White House candidate. Sixty votes would be required to end a filibuster and pave the way for a vote on the nomination itself.

"We had a good meeting in terms of covering certain points that I wanted to cover," Dole said in a floor speech Monday after a 30-to-40-minute session with Foster that he characterized as "very frank."

Senate Democrats said they anticipated a vote within the next two weeks on the fate of the obstetrician-gynecologist, best known for a program discouraging pregnancy, violence and drug abuse among inner-city teen-agers in Nashville, Tenn.

Dole said he would meet today with Senate Minority Leader Tom Daschle, D-S.D., to work out an arrangement.

Foster's nomination has been in trouble for months as senators argued over his record of performing abortions, his role in controversial experiments and sterilizations and White House handling of the nomination.

GOP presidential politics, dominated by competition for the loyalties of social conservatives, also have been a factor. Gramm has repeatedly pledged to block a floor vote on Foster and also is trying to zero out the entire office of surgeon general in the next federal budget.

Both sides say Foster has the 50 votes he would need to win confirmation. But it's unclear whether his supporters, mostly Democrats, will be able to find enough votes to cut off the filibuster. There are 46 Democrats in the Senate.

"It smells like President Clinton has found a way to cut a deal with Senator Dole to resuscitate the Foster nomination," Gramm spokesman Larry Neal said Monday. "Senator Gramm promised to strenuously oppose the nomination and he means to stick by his promise. The president will have to come up with 60 votes to beat Senator Gramm."

Daschle suggested several weeks ago that Democrats would hold up bills sought by Republicans if Foster's nomination remained stalled. A group of female Democratic senators made a similar threat last week.

Divorce won't block throne

LONDON (AP) — A divorce should not get in the way of Prince Charles' ascension to the throne, but marrying his mistress could present a problem, a senior Church of England cleric says.

"Divorce is a tragedy, but then tragedies happen to all sorts of people," John Habgood, the outgoing Archbishop of York, told Independent Television on Sunday.

Charles and Princess Diana separated in 1992.

The prince's mistress, Camilla Parker Bowles, has begun divorce proceedings against her own husband, leading to speculation that she and Charles may marry, even though Charles and Diana have not made any plans themselves to divorce.

"This would create further problems and I am not going to speculate," Habgood said.

SDN Letter to the Editor

Dear Editor:

On Thursday June 15, I was told by the new director of nurses that, and I quote, "I don't want you as my assistant director of nurses or need you as my assistant director of nurses any longer." I resigned my position at that time.

When I walked out that door carrying my box of valuables I was devastated and a part of me died. By the time I got home my phone was already ringing, and kept ringing until midnight.

It has kept ringing even as I write this letter on the 19th. Many staff members at the home and families have called to let me know I had made a difference in their lives. Those phone calls have made me realize that all the hard work I had done was worth it.

I've worked in several fields since I started nursing. I taught pre-service and in-service for prison guards for 2 years and I enjoyed the job and it was a fun job. I also was lab assistant at the LVN program for one year. I stressed to the LVN students the importance of geriatrics and how rewarding working with the elderly was.

Out of 11 LVNs at the home now, 7 were in the classes that I helped teach. By that, I feel like I have done something right. I want to thank everyone who has called me and supported me. I don't know what is out there for me, but whatever it is, I will give it my best.

My heart belongs to the elderly and I'm sure my next adventure will involve geriatrics.

A special thanks to the residents and their families. I only gave you 4 years of my life, but I got back a lifetime of memories.

I love you all
Debbie Robertson
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Clinton health reform sounding like GOP

WASHINGTON (AP) — Twenty-one months ago President Clinton was pushing for "health care that's always there" for all Americans. Later he began shooting for coverage of 95 percent of the people. Now he's agreeing with Republicans on the need to hit the brakes on Medicare and Medicaid.

If another Democrat had brought forward the president's latest health reform proposal this time last year, it almost surely would have gotten the back of Hillary Rodham Clinton's hand.

The same liberals who were upset with the president last summer when he conceded that 95 percent coverage was about as good as anyone could hope for were stunned by Clinton's counter-offer to the GOP last week on balancing the budget.

It took away the Medicare club Democrats were hoping to swing in 1996 to wrest back control of Congress.

The just-say-no strategy worked wonders for the GOP in 1994 as they defeated the grandiose Clinton health reform plan with help from rank-and-file Democrats who had their own jitters.

Clinton kept mum about Medicare for months, and prescribed nothing more than watchful waiting when three members of his Cabinet reported in April on the perilous state of the hospital trust fund.

So when Republican budget lords produced blueprints in May with Medicare and Medicaid penciled in for $450 billion of the $1 trillion-plus in savings over seven years, gleeful Democrats went on the attack.

Now, House Minority Leader Dick Gephardt, D-Mo., complained last week, Clinton's endorsement of $124 billion in unspecified savings makes Medicare "a political football." And Clinton also called for slicing $55 billion from Medicaid.

The president, who has his own election to worry about, threw in several sweeteners: doubling the health insurance deduction for the self-employed, helping workers stay covered when they change jobs, providing insurance subsidies for those who lose their jobs, creating new insurance pools for small businesses, providing for more home care for the elderly and disabled.

Making health insurance portable and more affordable for small businesses and the self-employed was the bedrock of most of the alternative health bills that Republicans offered last year, including those put forward by then-House Minority Leader Bob Michel, R-Ill., and Sen. Bob Dole, R-Kan., now the majority leader.

DATE BOOK

June 20, 1995

Today is the 171st day of 1995 and the 93rd day of spring.

TODAY'S HISTORY: On this day in 1863, the National Bank of Philadelphia became America's first private bank.

TODAY'S BIRTHDAYS: Lillian Hellman (1905-1984), writer; Errol Flynn (1909-1959), actor; Danny Aiello (1933-), actor, is 62; Brian Wilson (1942-), singer-songwriter, is 53; Anne Murray (1945-), singer, is 50; Andre Watts (1946-), pianist, is 49; Lionel Richie (1949-), singer-songwriter, is 46; John Goodman (1952-), actor, is 43.

TODAY'S SPORTS: On this day in 1960, Floyd Patterson became the first boxer ever to regain the heavyweight boxing crown when he defeated Ingemar Johansson.

TODAY'S QUOTE: "My problem lies in reconciling my gross habits with my net income." — Errol Flynn

TODAY'S WEATHER: On this day in 1921, the 11-1/2 inches of rain that Montana received contributed to its record high monthly total of 16.79 inches.

SOURCE: 1995 Weather Guide Calendar; Accord Publishing, Ltd.

TODAY'S MOON: Day after last quarter.

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Mike Tyson invited to join vigil

NEW YORK (AP) — A group that protested a planned homecoming for Mike Tyson is now inviting him to participate in a vigil against violence.

"By welcoming Mike Tyson to struggle with us, we send a message to all males in our community who have committed or condoned these kinds of acts that the black community will stand by them in their efforts to redeem themselves," said Jill Nelson, a spokeswoman for African Americans Against Violence.

The group was formed after the Amsterdam News announced a Harlem homecoming party for the former heavyweight boxing champion, who served three years in prison after being convicted of raping a beauty pageant contestant in February 1992.

The Rev. Al Sharpton, leader of the welcoming committee for Tyson, has said there were never any plans for a party.

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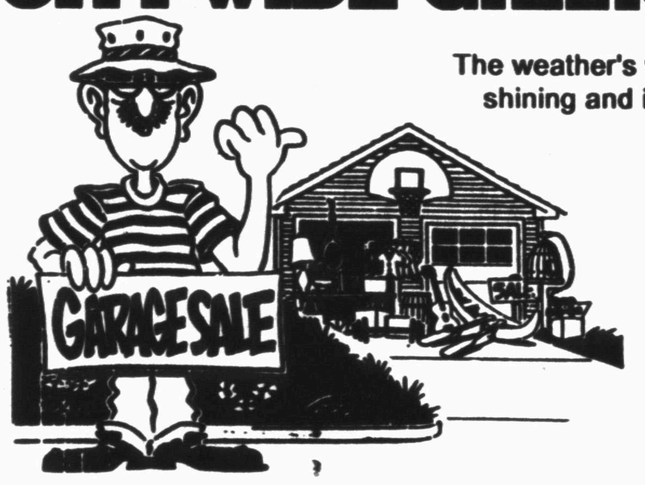

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Three Texans are arrested

BREAUX BRIDGE, La. (AP) — State police arrested three Texas men and seized nearly a ton of marijuana from a tractor-trailer during a routine weekend traffic stop, troopers announced Monday.

Neatly packaged in 127 bundles and hidden by boxes of mango and papaya fruit, the 1,870 pounds of marijuana represented the largest single marijuana bust by patrolling state police in the state's Acadiana region, Trooper Jon Fusilier said.

The previous record marijuana seizure in the Troop I area was 1,600 pounds a couple of years ago, Fusilier said.

Troopers arrested three adult males and detained a 14-year-old boy, all from Edinburg, Fusilier said.

The rig was pulled over at 3:30 p.m. Saturday as it was re-entering the eastbound lane of Interstate 10 from a Department of Transportation vehicle weight station near Breaux Bridge, Fusilier said.

The rig nearly ran a car off the road as it drove onto the highway, and a trooper trailing the traffic pulled the rig over for an unsafe lane change violation, Fusilier said.

The trooper who stopped them became suspicious when the four occupants gave conflicting answers to simple questions, he said.

They eventually gave written permission for troopers to search the trailer, Fusilier said.

Troopers initially saw 17 pallets of the mango and papaya fruit, but noticed some of the boxes stuck out farther over the sides of the pallets, Fusilier said. Upon further inspection, they found bundles of marijuana hidden in the core of the stacks of fruit, he said.

State Briefs

Death row "cruel"

MIDLAND (AP) — A convicted killer's claim that his nearly 18 years on death row amounts to cruel and unusual punishment has been supported in federal court by an English barrister.

Philip Sapsford traveled to Midland to speak Monday on behalf of condemned inmate Clarence Lackey. The hearing before U.S. District Judge Royal Furgeson was expected to last several days.

Sapsford, who filed a "friend of the court" brief, cited 300 years of British law in chastising the state for its handling of the case.

He said that by keeping inmates on death row for many years, the United States has forgotten or abandoned its legal heritage.

English common law, the basis for American law, states that it is cruel to keep someone on death row for too long, he said.

Exodus never materializes

TIJUANA, Mexico (AP) — Predictions that the unraveling of the Mexican economy would spawn a mass migration to the United States appear to have been misguided, according to immigration scholars and migrants.

The seven-month-old peso devaluation has pushed up inflation and unemployment and has financially crippled a wide cross-section of Mexicans. Even some professionals are vacating the country.

But frequently crossed parts of the border have been shored up, migration has become more expensive and Proposition 187 and California's sluggish economy have made the state a less inviting destination for undocumented immigrants, analysts say.

These factors have had a dampening effect on illegal immigration from Mexico.

OxyChem trail nears end

CORPUS CHRISTI (AP) — Occidental Chemical Corp. plant officials disregarded the safety of people who lived near their Robstown plant, a lawyer representing the victims of a chemical leak says.

The statement by Michael Terry, who represents more than 8,600 people in their multi-million dollar class-action lawsuit, came Monday during closing arguments.

On Oct. 23, 1992, residents claimed they became ill after what the company admits was the accidental release of more than 2 tons of butadiene.

Jurors were to begin deliberations in the case today after more than seven weeks of testimony.

Fearance Executed

HUNTSVILLE (AP) — A condemned killer who blamed an argument over meat-filled casserole for leading him to burglary and murder in 1977, was executed early today.

John Fearance Jr., 40, was pronounced dead at 12:22 a.m., eight minutes after the lethal drugs were released into his veins.

He sighed heavily, gasped "Hail Mary," then was silent, after offering a short last statement.

"I made a mistake 18 years ago,'" said Fearance. "I feel like I'm not responsible for what I done because I had a bad psychotic break."

States may be able to set speed limits

WASHINGTON (AP) — The Senate is shifting the National Highway System bill into gear, but faces battles over lifting the national speed limit and whether people should have to use seat belts and motorcycle helmets.

A slew of amendments may be offered to the bill, which would designate 159,886 miles of roads across the country — primarily interstates and main highways — as the National Highway System.

Americans could be freed of the national speed limit if the bill becomes law, leaving the states to set their own limits.

But Sens. Mike DeWine, R-Ohio, and Frank Lautenberg, D-N.J., are promising a battle to retain the limit of 55 miles per hour on most roads, 65 on rural interstates.

"This clearly flies in the face of reality, common sense, logic and history. I believe, on this issue, the facts are in and they are conclusive," DeWine said Monday as senators began considering the measure in detail.

The measure went to the floor last week but stalled when Democrats launched a filibuster over a controversial provision to eliminate the requirement that federal contractors pay prevailing local wages. It was eased over that political speed bump Friday when Republicans withdrew the provision.

DeWine said that in 1973 there were 55,000 highway deaths nationwide. A year later the toll fell to 46,000 after imposition of the speed limit, he said.

"This has saved lives," DeWine said. "If we raise the speed limit and take the limits off, from a national perspective, people will die."

Opponents of the speed limit say few drivers observe it anyway and contend that the states, rather than the federal government, should be the judges of what is safest for their residents.

Sen. John H. Chafee, R-R.I., chairman of the Environment and Public Works Committee, which sent the highway bill to the Senate, said he agreed with retaining the speed limit.

Amendments aimed at lifting the current requirements for use of seat belts and motorcycle helmets are expected to be proposed.

Sen. Ben Nighthorse Campbell, R-Colo., has spearheaded the effort to delete the requirement for motorcycle helmets.

According to bikers, helmets can reduce safety by interfering with their vision and hearing.

But Chafee called using helmets "preventive medicine of a very dramatic type."

Noting that Chafee served as a Marine in combat during World War II, Sen. Daniel Patrick Moynihan, D-N.Y., asked if Chafee recalled any Marines at the time who thought it "unmanly" to wear their helmets.

"Not for long," Chafee responded.

The primary aim of the bill is to designate the National Highway System. Under a 1991 law, $6.5 billion from the Highway Trust Fund is to be provided to the states in each of 1996 and 1997 to help improve and maintain those roads, if the system is officially designated by Sept. 30 of this year. Otherwise the money will be withheld.

The designated roads, while making up just 4 percent of the country's roadways, carry about 40 percent of its traffic.

The measure also would:

—Eliminate the requirement for states to post highway signs using metric measurements.

—Permit charging of tolls on more interstates.

—Allow some federal highway funds to be used for Amtrak.

—Let the states count private funds and donations as part of their share of highway spending.

Guess who said the following: "I do not trust any Russian. As soon as a Russian worms his way in, all hell breaks loose." It was Karl Marx, in a letter to Friedrich Engels.

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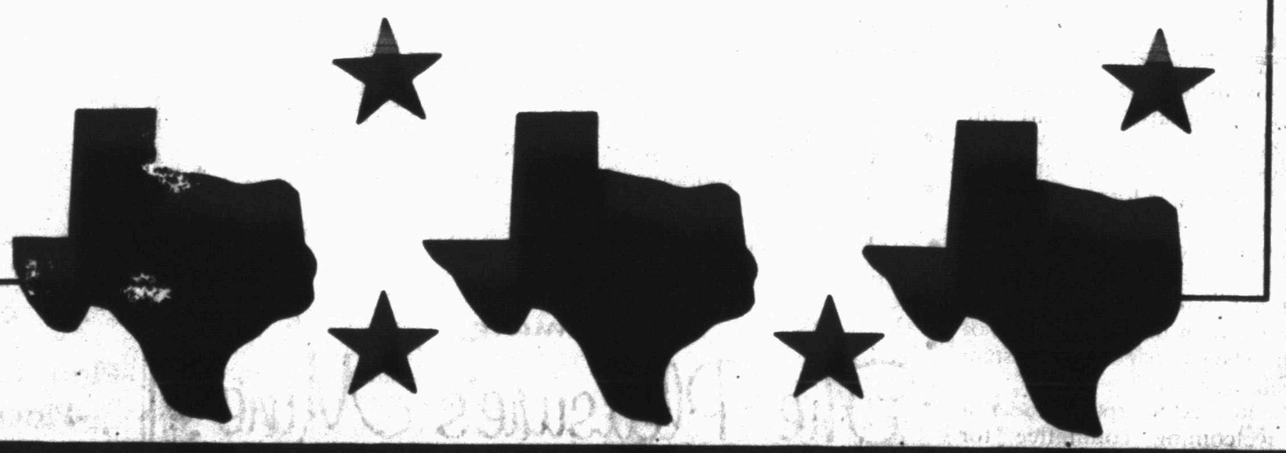
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