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The SDN Column

The biggest Scurry County Fair feature from out of the county undoubtedly will be the Educational Wildlife Exhibit of the Texas Parks and Wildlife Dept.

The local fair is fortunate to have this exhibit here because it is in great demand continually, and especially at this season of the year when various autumn events are being held. It shows a good cross section of wildlife that is native to Texas, ranging from the raccoon and the eagle to reptiles.

The Educational Wildlife Exhibit has been in existence for more than a quarter of a century. It made its first appearance in 1950 at the Houston Sports Show. That was back in the days when its parent organization was known as the Texas Game, Fish and Oyster Commission.

Anyway, it is popular wherever it goes, and, according to the records, the snakes usually attract the most attention.

Texas has four varieties of poisnous snakes. Best known in this part of the state is the rattler. There are several varieties of rattlesnake, however, with the western diamond back the biggest.

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Then there are the cottonmouth, the copperhead and the coral snake. Down there in East Texas, the cottonmouth and the copperhead were especially feared, although not necessarily by those names. The cottonmouth was known as the "water moccasin," and the copperhead, which actually is related to the cottonmouth, was known as the "highland moccasin," or the "copperhead moccasin." There were a few "ground rattlers" around, also.

The little coral snake, however, is especially dangerous because, compared to rattlers, cottonmouths and copperheads, it looks rather harmless. Its venom attacks the central nervous system, while the venom of the other poisonous snakes in Texas attack the blood cells.

The exhibit at the fair offers an excellent opportunity for people here to familiarize themselves with these deadly reptiles.

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The "great debates" are on, the wire services advise, and the red tape that slowed the arrangements makes one wonder where our political campaigns are headed. It seems to us that we have given up something somewhere down the line when legal technicalities are a threat to sponsorship of debates between candidates for the highest office in the land.

Any time now we expect to hear someone from the other party complain about name association in headlines and on radio and television newscasts concerning the labor negotiations at Ford Motor Co. We may have a regulation somewhere that is silly enough to assert that use of the name "Ford," even when it refers to the car-maker, gives the president an unfair advantage in the media. Sillier things than that have happened in recent years.—WACIL McNAIR

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Today In History

By The Associated Press

Today is Wednesday, Sept. 15th, the 259th day of 1976. There are 107 days left in the year.

Today's highlight in history:

On this date in 1949, Konrad Adenauer became the first chancellor of West Germany.

On this date:

In 1777, the Polish aristocrat, Count Casimir Pulaski, was commissioned a major general in the American Revolutionary Army.

In 1789, the U.S. Department of Foreign Affairs changed its name to the Department of State.

In 1914, during World War I, German New Guinea and the Bismarck Archipelago surrendered to the British.

In 1938, British Prime Minister Neville Chamberlain flew to Germany to try to mediate a German-Czechoslovak dispute.

In 1942, in World War II, German armies attacked the Soviet city of Stalingrad.

In 1959, Soviet Premier Nikita Khrushchev arrived in Washington to begin a 13-day visit to the United States.

Ten years ago: Two American astronauts splashed down in the Atlantic after three historic days in space.

Five years ago: A plastic bomb explosion ripped through a Saigon night club, killing 15 people and injuring 57 others.

One year ago: Representatives of the American Farm Bureau Federation met with President Ford to protest suspension of grain sales to the Soviet Union.

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The Weather

SNYDER TEMPERATURES: High Tuesday, 84 degrees; low, 65 degrees; reading at 7 a.m. today, 66 degrees.

West Texas: Partly cloudy with scattered thunderstorms, more numerous southwest portions, through Thursday. No important temperature changes. Low tonight mid 50s mountains to 60s elsewhere. High Thursday mostly 80s except 90s along the Rio Grande.

North Texas: Clear to partly cloudy and warm tonight and Thursday. Low tonight 65 to 72. High Thursday 87 to 94.

South Texas: Partly cloudy and warm tonight and Thursday. Chance of showers and thundershowers near the coast and slight chance elsewhere interior. Low tonight 65 to 75. High Thursday 85 to 95.

Texas Coast: East to southeast winds 10 to 15 knots tonight and Thursday. Seas 3 to 4 feet. Scattered showers and thundershowers will cause brief gusty winds and higher seas.



CHAMBER'S CHAMPION—The Snyder Chamber of Commerce staff brought their finest fruits of the soil on the Chamber lot---a huge careless weed--- and presented it for entry in the Scurry County Fair this morning. After a summer of weed-growing, the Chamber now has awarded a contract for landscaping the grounds at its office building, and the weed shown here may be the last of a bumper crop. Shown with the specimen are Bill Henry, left, Chamber manager, La Verta Lovell and Max von Roeder.

Entries For Fair Arrive

Entrants began taking their products to the Scurry County Coliseum at noon today as the Twelfth Annual Scurry County Fair was about to get underway.

Agriculture entries, educational and community exhibits, and most of the entries in the Home Economics Division were to be in place by 10 o'clock tonight. The Fair opens Thursday and will continue through Saturday. Most of the judging will be done Thursday. Baked Goods entries will be accepted from 5 p.m. to 9 p.m. Friday and from 7 a.m. until 9 a.m. Saturday. Judging begins at 10 a.m. Saturday. Fine Arts entries were accepted Tuesday.

In the Livestock Division, animals are to be in place by 9 a.m. Thursday. Flower Show entries will be accepted between 8 a.m. until 11 a.m. Thursday. The Flower Show will be open to the public from 3:30 p.m. to 10 p.m. Thursday and from 10 a.m. to 10 p.m. Friday and Saturday.

Exhibitors were busy putting up booths this morning. There are several attractive entries in educational, commercial and community booths divisions. A special exhibit by the State Parks and Wildlife Department already had been set up in the agriculture barn. It includes birds, wild animals and fish.

One of the features of the Scurry County Fair each year is the series of programs presented for the public in the meeting room on the Southwest side of the coliseum.

The schedule this year is as follows:

Thursday:

2 p.m. demonstration on making plant hangers with a mixer, by Mrs. Wynon Mayes, Hale County Extension Agent.

Friday:

2 p.m. demonstration on the Finished Look (for your gar-

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Grid Pickers Have Troubles

Those groans you hear may be coming from about 98 per cent of the entrants in last week's Snyder Daily News Football Contest. Respectable scores were few and far between as highly-ranked teams were toppled by their mediocre (so they thought) opponents in every region of the country.

But there were a few contestants who could hold their heads high. For example, the two winners. Carol Lafler, 208 Thirty-third Street, took the first prize, missing only six selections, which won easily. The second place winner was Jimmy McFarland, Route 1, Box 29B, Hermleigh, who missed eight. And the prize money this week totals $22.50 rather than $17.50 since the second place money from last week was carried over due to a multiple tie.

John Loyola, 127 Twentieth Place, called the Nebraska-LSU tie, but alas, he missed 13 other selections, as did many, many other contestants.

Another contest begins today, and the list of games may be found in sponsors' advertisements on the football contest page of this issue of The Snyder Daily News.

Long Strike Hinted By UAW President

By OWEN ULLMANN
Associated Press Writer

DETROIT (AP) — United Auto Workers President Leonard Woodcock today cautioned against assuming his union's nationwide strike against Ford Motor Co. will be a short one.

"I am not optimistic it will be a short one," he said in an interview on the NBC-TV "Today show." "I just have no feel as to the length it will be."

Some labor observers, including Labor Secretary W. J. Usery, have preeicted any strike against Ford would be brief. The strike began at midnight when 170,000 UAW members struck Ford, forcing auto operations in 22 states to a halt.

The UAW has sent its bargainers home and said it will recall them early next week for more talks.

Woodock said he hopes to meet with Ford officials before negotiations resume for "probing sessions" to lay groundwork for future bargaining talks.

Woodcock and Democratic presidential candidate Jimmy Carter both will be at the Michigan AFL-CIO convention tonight in Dearborn where Ford headquarters are located. Woodcock was the first national labor leader to support Carter.

Henry Ford II, board chairman of Ford Motor Co., also is supporting the former Georgia governor over President Ford.

The president, meanwhile, is to make a campaign appearance tonight in Ann Arbor, about 30 miles from Dearborn.

Woodcock today rejected the notion there is anything embarrassing for Carter in the timing of his campaign appearance on the first day of the UAW strike.

"We are not asking for his support," Woodcock said. "It is not his business. It is our business."

The UAW leader said both Carter and President Ford should be neutral in the auto strike Asked if he would welcome a visit by Carter to a picket line, Woodcock said he would not.

Picket lines went up at midnight at Ford plants around the country. No violence was reported. Police in Dearborn today reported only minor traffic jams caused when salaried personnel sought to cross picket lines to get to the plants.

"The pickets are out in orderly fashion," said John Anspach, financial secretary of the 1,900-member Local 1216 in Sandusky, Ohio. "Everthing's fine and dandy."

Flood Control Discussion Set

A delegation representing local sponsors will go toLubbock tomorrow to confer with the state Soil and Water Conservation Board on the possibility of reviving the Deep Creek Flood Control project application.

The Snyder City Council, Scurry County Commissioners Court and the board and staff of the Upper Colorado Soil and Water Conservation District will attend the session.

The flood control proposal on Deep Creek developed following a damaging flood on Aug. 13, 1972. The application was turned down last year by the state board, but at the time the local sponsors were advised that it could be presented again. Earlier this year, the state board had been asked to set a date to meet with local sponsors to discuss reviving the application. The state board already had a meeting set for tomorrow in Lubbock and invited the local group to meet with them at that time.

Schorr Refuses To Tell Source

WASHINGTON (AP) — Television reporter Daniel Schorr today refused to tell the House Ethics committee who leaked him a copy of a secret House intelligence committee report.

The CBS correspondent said in testimony prepared for an appearance before the committee that "in some 40 years of practicing journalism, I have never yielded to a demand for the disclosure of a source that I had promised to protect. I cannot do so now."

Schorr, who was subpoeaned to appear before the panel, has said he would prefer to go to jail under a possible congressional contempt citation rather than compromise what he considers his constitutional rights as a reporter to protect his confidential sources.

"For a journalist, the most crucial kind of confidence is the identity of a source of information," Schorr said. "To betray a confidential source would mean to dry up many future sources for many future reporters. The reporter and the news organization would be the immediate losers. The ultimate losers would be the American people and their free institutions."

Three other writers and editors were subpoeaned along with Schorr to appear before the Ethics Committee. The three, all connected with the publication of the report in the Village Voice, are Clay S. Felker, Aaron Latham and Sally Zalaznick.

Aaron Latham, a senior editor of New York magazine and the author of a foreword to the Village Voice's publication of the report, also testified before the committee and refused to answer one of the panel's questions. Ethics Committee Chairman John J. Flynt Jr. warned Latham he could be subject to a contempt of Congress citation and a prison sentence.

Latham still refused to answer the question.

Latham testified he did not know Schorr's source. But he refused to answer the broader question of whether he had any knowledge whatsoever about the circumstances of how Schorr got the report.

Clay Felker, publisher of the Village Voice, testified he never talked with Schorr about publishing the intelligence report. Instead, he said, he dealt with New York attorney Peter Tufo, who was a go-between for the Reporters Committee for Freedom of the Press, which was acting on Schorr's behalf to get the report published.

He said he had "absolutely no knowledge" of Schorr's source and said he did not inquire about the source's identity.

Fog Cloaks Northeast Texas

By The Associated Press

Thick fog cloaked much of Northeast Texas today, dropping visibility to zero at times.

Scattered thundershowers fell around the west tip of the state and occasional showers moved ashore through the coastal plains. Patches of low clouds overhung the middle of South Texas and it was clear to partly cloudy elsewhere.

Temperatures near dawn sagged to the 50s in the West Texas mountains and to 63 degrees at Amarillo in the Panhandle. Readings at other points ranged up to 77 at San Antonio. Tuesday's top mark was 97 at Presidio in the Big Bend of West Texas.

Forecasts again called for partly cloudy and warm weather all over the state with widely scattered showers and occasional thunderstorms in West and South Texas.

Bulging Kindergartens Confront Schools Here

Snyder School Trustees last night found themselves wrestling with a problem that they never anticipateed a year ago, or even a month ago, for that matter.

Some 40 to 50 more kindergarten pupils have appeared in Snyder Public Schools than were expected. This runs counter to a trend that had developed over the past three or four years in which school enrollment was declining practically everywhere, including Snyder, and the decrease was mostly in the lower grades.

The Snyder board approved an additional kindergarten teacher at Central Elementary School and approved an appropriation of $1,700 to equip an additional kindergarten unit at West Elementary where a teacher already had been added but did not have classroom equipment.

Charles Anderson, principal at Central, said the two kindergarten units there now have 34 pupils each, far above the maximum for efficiency. He proposed that another teacher be added and that two units of 25 each be established with a teacher and an aide for each, and a third unit of 18 with a teacher only. This was approved by the board. Two kindergarten teachers and two kindergarten aides already are employed at Central.

The appropriation for West Elementary covered estimated expenditures for tables, chairs, kindergarten furniture, tapes, record players, etc., used in kindergarten rooms. Principal Frank Miller said the $1,700 requested would enable the extra kindergarten unit there to function properly.

The board also approved an additional teacher for the third grade Distar program at North Elementary School, where Principal Jim Erwin said 28 pupils already are enrolled and at least four more are expected. This teacher will be used in a team teaching situation and will not require another aide, said Erwin.

The board tabled for the time being requests for two buildings at Fluvanna. James H. Aaron III, president of the Fluvanna Volunteer Fire Department, requested the agriculture shop building to house firefighting equipment, and Ray Herring, secretary of the board of the Fluvanna Agricultural Cooperative, requested the cafeteria and small classroom building south of the main Fluvanna School building for use by the cooperative. Snyder trustees assured that these requests would get top consideration. However, the Snyder School District is still in the process of arranging for orderly disposition of the Fluvanna School property, and still has some equipment to move out of the Fluvanna buildings before they can be assigned to anyone.

A request by James Beaver that a farm transit and related equipment be left in that community was approved by the board, provided that Beaver, or someone destgnated, accept responsibility as custodian of the equipment.

A proposal to install a new sound system in Tiger Stadium at an estimated cost of some $4,700 was tabled on a split vote. Some members of the board said they felt that this project should be a part of press box improvements, which the board now has under study, but which will not materialize until next year. Voting to table the proposal were Bill Eiland, Bill Voss, Ted Crenwelge and Dillard Teal, and voting against the motion to table were Bill Clayton and Max von Roeder.

After further discussion, it was agreed that the business manager should look into the possibility of obtaining an amplifier with more power for the remainder of the football season if consultants feel that it would improve the operation of the old sound system.

In response to a request by the board, Lanny Wadleigh of Wadleigh Construction Co. presented estimates on the cost of moving the Fluvanna gymnasium to Snyder for use at the junior high school. Wadleigh said the Fluvanna gym, which was erected in 1973 on an $80,000 contract, would now cost$160,900 "as is." He said it would cost $96,000 to move the building to Snyder and re-erect it. A new building the same size, without any finishing (electrical wiring, insulation, plumbing, painting, etc.) would cost an estimated $73,000 for a "hull only."

The board authorized expenditure of $3,000 by the school tax office to purchase a set of section maps from Snyder Reproduction Co., and also approved a request by Ray Peveler, tax assessor-collector, to change classification of one employe in his office from temporary to permanent status.

Personnel changes formally approved by the board include the following:

Resignations, Joan Marble, elementary music at Central

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Performance Sought On Demolition Job

The contract to demolish the old Travis School building will remain intact, but the Snyder Independent School District and Scurry County will join in requesting the contractor's bonding company to fulfill provisions of the contract.

This is the latest chapter in the 11-month-long Travis demolition story.

Upon advice of Dan Cotton, the school board's attorney, and County Attorney George Killam, representing the county commissioners court, school trustees last night voted to notify the bonding company that the contractor is in default and to formally request performance by the bonding company.

At a special meeting last week, the school board had offered to turn the contract over to the county. The property involved was sold to the county last year, but the school had awarded the demolition contract to Jerry Stephens, doing business as Bost Construction Co. of Big Spring. The contract called for the project to be completed in 120 days after it was awarded last October. Stephens had told school officials that interference by county officials had contributed to delays. There also was a dispute over progress payments.

It was reported last night that so far as school and county officials have been able to determine, there has been no work performed at the demolition site during the past three weeks.

Killam told the school board that he felt that the contractor's bonding company would have an adjustor here soon to work on the problem.

Funds To Be Asked For Junior Colleges

AUSTIN, Tex. (AP)—The 1977 legislature will be asked for emergency appropriations of $9 million to $17.6 million to cover the operating deficit of public junior colleges, budget writers learned Tuesday.

Dr. J. R. Jackson, president of Brazospost College and the Junior College Presidents Association, testified before examiners from the governor's office and the Legislative Budget Board.

He said a $9 million emergency request would be tossed to the legislature if student enrollment stays the same as last year's. But if the projected 5 per cent increase in enrollment for 1976-77 occurs, the need for extra operating funds will be $17.6 million, Jackson said.

For the two years beginning Sept. 1, 1977, the 47 junior—or "community" colleges want $503.5 million in state support in fiscal 1978-79, compared with $285.4 million appropriated for the present two-year period.

About 44 per cent of the money is for vocational education.

The schools experienced a 24 per cent enrollment increase over the past school year.

Reports prepared for the legislature last session indicated that about 40 per cent of college students get their first two years at junior colleges.

State funds make up some 60 per cent of the schools' operating costs, with the rest coming from local taxes, tuition and student fees.

Kissinger And Nyerere Confer

DAR ES SALAAM, Tanzania (AP) — Secretary of State Henry A. Kisssinger met today with President Julius Nyerere, forewarned that Tanzania's leader wants quick, effectve American action to end the rule of the white minority in southern Africa.

The two conferred privately for an hour and then were joined by senior advisers for a full-scale discussion of the tangled issues of racial confrontation in the region.

Moynihan Edges Out Rep. Azbug

By The Associated Press

It will be Daniel Patrick Moynihan, former U.S. ambassador to the United Nations, against James Buckley in the race for the U.S. Senate from New York.

On a day in which such national figures as Edward Kennedy, Hubert Humphrey and William Proxmire were easily renominated for their Senate seats by the Democrats in their states, Moynihan edged Rep. Bella Abzug on Tuesday in New York's Democratic contest and Buckley won as expected on the Republican side.

Moynihan, 49, who quit last year as ambassador to the United Nations, held a narrow lead throughout the evening, doing well in working-class and lower middle-class communities in the New York City boroughs of Brooklyn, Queens and Staten Island.

Mrs. Abzug refused to concede defeat, saying she would wait until an official recanvass, routine under state law, is completed next week.

Unofficial returns, with 99 per cent of the state's election districts counted, showed her losing to Moynihan by about 8,000 votes out of more than 900,000 cast for five Democratic candidates.

Moynihan had 324,906 votes, or 36 per cent, to 316,216, or 35 per cent, for Mrs. Abzug.

Former U.S. Atty. Gen. Ramsey Clark, New York City Council president Paul O'Dwyer and businessman Abraham Hirschfeld trailed far behind.

Despite widespread predictions of voter apathy, the heated Democratic primary race attracted a 25 per cent turnout, about the norm in New York.

But the Republican primary, first statewide contest for the GOP in over 50 years, produced only about a 15 per cent turnout. Buckley, 53, won it 70 per cent to 30 per cent for Rep. Peter Peyser of Westchester County.

Voter turnout in 11 other state primaries was light, with estimates running from 17 per cent to 33 per cent.

In another race of note, Gov. Philip Noel of Rhode Island was near defeat in his race for the U.S. Senate seat being vacated by Democrat John O. Pastore. He trailed auto dealer Richard Lorber by 361 votes in the final, unofficial tally, but there were 3,111 absentee ballots still to be counted.

Noel has had problems nationally since publicity last spring on some derogatory remarks he made about blacks. But his trouble in the primary is believed to have stemmed more from discontent among Rhode Island voters with the status quo.

There were also some noteworthy results in New Hampshire, where outspoken conservative Gov. Meldrim Thomson was renominated for a third term by Republicans. The most startling result was a victory by a man named John Adams, who won a GOP congressional primary for which he didn't campaign at all.

Here is a state-by-state rundown.

COLORADO: Rep. Frank Evans, a Democrat, was the only incumbent challenged. He won renomination for a sixth term.

MASSACHUSETTS: Kennedy turned back two antibusing candidates, and Rep. Thomas P. O'Neill, in line to be speaker of the House, easily won his primary contest.

MINNESOTA: Humphrey piled up a margin of 10-1 over Richard Bullock, a political unknown who didn't campaign. Gerald Brekke, a college professor, won the GOP nomination.

NEVADA: Democratic Sen. Howard Cannon won renomination against token opposition.

NEW HAMPSHIRE: Harry V. Spanos, a former leader in the state senate, won the Democratic gubernatorial nomination and will face Thomson in the November election.

NEW YORK: Buckley, as expected, easily defeated moderate Republican challenger Peyser to qualify for the race against Moynihan. In Democratic races, Rep. Herman Badillo fought off a challenge to renomination and Rep. Shirley Chisholm won renomination in a tight race with New York City Councilman Samuel Wright.

NORTH CAROLINA: Howard Lee, former mayor of Chapel Hill, lost the Democratic runoff for lieutenant governor to James Green, speaker of the North Carolina house. Moderate Republican David Flaherty won the GOP gubernatorial nomination over Coy C. Privette, a Baptist minister and antiliquor crusader.

RHODE ISLAND: In additionto the Lorber-Noel race, two incumbent Democratic congressmen, Fernand St. Germain and Edward Beard, fought off challenges.

UTAH: Orrin Hatch, a lawyer, defeated former Assistant Secretary of the Interior Jack Carlson for the Republican Senate nomination. He will oppose Democratic Sen. Frank Moss. Business consultant Dan Marriott received the GOP bid to challenge Democratic Rep. Allan Howe. Airline pilot Joe Ferguson was the Republican choice to meet Democratic Rep. K. Gunn McKay. Atty. Gen. Vernon Romney, 52, cousin of former Michigan Gov. George Romney, won the Republican gubernatorial nomination, while lawyer Scott Matheson, 47, won the Democratic gubernatorial nomination to succeed retiring Democratic Gov. Calvin Rampton.

Ford To Speak At Alma Mater

By DAVE RILEY
Associated Press Writer

President Ford is making his first campaign trip outside Washington, a brief jaunt for a speech at his alma mater that will take him within a few miles of where Jimmy Carter is to make a major address.

Ford, who has been under fire from Carter for staying in the White House instead of meeting voters, says there will be "some surprises" in his speech tonight on domestic and foreign policy at the University of Michigan.

At the same time Ford is to speak at Ann Arbor, Democratic nominee Carter is to deliver what aides called "a major speech" to a state AFL-CIO convention about 30 miles away in the Detroit suburb of Dearborn, Mich.

Ford is to depart immediately after his speech and his aides say he may not leave Washington again all month except to fly to Philadelphia for the first of his debates with Carter on Sept. 23.

Carter started out in Arizona on Tuesday and worked his way to Montana and the Dakotas. Both he and his running mate, Sen. Walter Mondale, accused the Ford administration of poor management that has turned the Medicare program into a "national disgrace."

Mondale and Carter were to join forces today for appearances in Minnesota.

Ford spent the day at the White House, but his running mate, Sen. Bob Dole, was campaigning in the West.

In Phoenix, Ariz., Carter said, "I'd like to know why, after eight years of a Republican administration, we're still losing 25 to 50 per cent of all the Medicaid money that's supposed to be for good health care."

A Senate subcommittee recently documented instances of unneeded and duplicated health exams and laboratory work paid for by the government, and Senate investigators estimated that perhaps as much as half of the money spent annually on Medicare is wasted.

The Democratic nominee said he wanted to know why Ford, as a congressman, had voted against Medicare, adding: "When an administration opposes the basic concepts of helping with public funds to provide good health care for our people, it is almost inevitable that health care programs will not be operated properly."

And Carter continued to twit Ford for his stay-at-home campaign strategy, scoffing at Ford's contention that he won't leave Washington until Congress adjourns because he is afraid the House and Senate will "go off the deep end" without him.

Carter noted that Ford wasn't afraid of leaving Congress alone in Washington during the Republican presidential primaries, recalling that Ford traveled extensively to such states as Mississippi in order to win delegates from Ronald Reagan.

Turning to his plan for a national health care system, Carter said: "Our country's ready for it, you're ready for it, I'm ready for it, and we're going to have it."

He later said he had no firm figure on how much the program would cost, but said he has received estimates ranging up to $15 billion.

MIDDAY STOCKS

By The Associated Press

Alcoa	55¼	off	⅜
AT&T	60¼	up	¼
Atl Rich	50¾	up	¼
Beth Stl	40⅛	off	⅜
Borden	32⅜	off	⅛
Brit. Pet.	10	off	⅛
Cat Trac	58⅞	off	⅞
Celanese	45⅛	off	⅛
Chrysler	20	off	¼
Cities Svc	54	up	⅛
Coca Cola	85¼		
Cont Oil	36¾	off	⅛
Dow Chem	44¾	up	¼
duPont	129½	off	¼
Eastman	89½	up	⅛
El Paso NG	14½	off	⅛
Exxon	53⅞	off	⅛
Fairchild Cam	49⅝	up	⅛
Ford	55¼	off	⅜
Gen Elec	54⅛	off	⅜
Gen Foods	32¼	up	¼
Gen Mtrs	67⅞	off	¼
Gen Tel	22⅛	off	½
Gen Tire	27¼	off	⅛
Goodrich	28¼	up	⅛
Gul Oil	27¼	off	⅛
Glf St Ut	13¾	up	⅛
Hart-Hk	23⅛	off	¼
Hous LP	26⅝	off	¼
IBM	277¾	off	¼
Int Paper	69¾	up	⅛
Jhn-Man	29⅛	up	⅛
John Joh	89¾	off	¼
Litton	13⅝		
Marathon	58⅛	off	⅜
Mobil Oil	60⅜		
Monsanto	88⅝	off	⅜
Phill Pet	60¼	off	¼
RCA	27⅝	off	¼
Safeway	42¾	off	¼
Sears	67⅞	off	¼
Sony	8¾		
Std Oil Cl	37¾		
Stand Ind	53⅞		
Texaco	27¼		
Texas Inst	110	off	½
Time Inc	65⅝	off	⅝
Un Carbide	64	off	¾
Uniroyal	8⅞		
US Steel	48¼	off	⅜
Woolworth	23⅞		
Xerox	63⅞		

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Lewis To Head Texas Campaign

AUSTIN, Tex. (AP) — R. Doug Lewis, executive director of the Texas Republican party, Tuesday was named by former Gov. John Connally as Ford-Dole campaign director in Texas.

Soviets Put Two Men In Space

MOSCOW (AP) — The manned Soviet spacecraft launched today is on a short mission and does not plan to dock with the Soviet space laboratory already in orbit, one of its cosmonauts said.

In a television interview taped before the launch, cosmonaut Vladimir Aksenov said the Soyuz-22 is a "self-contained craft for the fulfillment of economic tasks."

His mission with cosmonaut Valery Bykovsky is mainly a photographic one, he said.

The official news agency Tass said Bykovsky, 42, rode Vostok 5 into space in 1963. Tass said Aksenov, 41, had been active in the development of new spacecraft systems and testing them in flight since 1963.

It had been expected that they would link up with Salyut 5, the space laboratory which has been in orbit since June 22. Cosmonauts Boris Volynov and Vitali Zholobov were sent up in Soyuz 21 on July 7 and spent 48 days aboard the space lab performing scientific experiments. They returned to earth on Aug. 24.

FAIR

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ments) by Mrs. Dwain Williams, home economist.

3 p.m. Style Show of garments exhibited at the Fair by Mrs. Margaret Dru, superintendent of the clothing and textiles division.

Saturday:

2 p.m. demonstration on decorative hand painting for household items, etc, by Mrs. Clara Ann Jones (Mrs. Jones will be teaching this at Western Texas College this fall.).

Anyone entering garments in the fair may model them if they wish. This is not a requirement for entering, however.

A carnival will operate each night of the Fair on the coliseum grounds east of the front entrance. Also, musical entertainment will be provided each night of the Fair. Arrangements were still being made for Thursday night entertainment. Friday night, the Senior Citizens Kitchen Band will provide special entertainment. Saturday night, Max Presten and his Western band from Ira will perform.

There are a number of commercial and educational exhibits planned for the Fair this year. The county will have a Bicentennial exhibit titled "Bicentennial Country Doings." Other exhibits include the Girl Scouts and the United Way, Women's Hospital Auxiliary, National Guard, Western Texas College, Cynthia Darlin (Artex Paint). Amitie Junior Study Club, Beltone Hearing, Leisure Lodge Nursing Home, Snyder Nursery, Tiffany Studio, World Book Encyclopedia, Bethel Assembly of God, Cowbells, Strickland's TV, House of Drapes, KSNY, Home Interior, Raun's, Boy Scouts of America and the Snyder Motel Association.

Premium ribbons will be awarded as follows: Blue, first; red, second; white, third; and, pink, fourth. Rosettes will be given to the best item in each adult and each junior department as selected by the judges. This also shall apply to educational exhibits.

Every item entered in the Fair is to remain in place until Sunday. All items will be checked out to their owner from 2 p.m. to 5 p.m. Sunday.

Two Vehicles Are In Mishap

A minor traffic accident was reported by city police officers.

The mishap occurred Tuesday at 4:16 p.m. in the 2200 block of Thirty-seventh Street. A 1973 Volvo driven by Ellen Edwards was in collision with a 1967 Mercury driven by Samuel Ortegon. Only minor damages were reported to the two vehicles.

Hawaii, the 50th state, is a chain of 122 islands near the center of the North Pacific Ocean about 2,400 miles from San Francisco.



KAY ELLINGTON

SHS Student Places First In Contest

A Snyder High School student won first place Tuesday in a journalism workshop held at Angelo State University in San Angelo.

Kay Ellington, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. B.C. Ellington of 3310 Avenue A, won the first place award in newspaper writing.

The workshop was divided into three major categories: photography, yearbook organization and newspaper writing.

Approximately 15 high schools competed in the day long workshop. Twenty-three students attended the workshop from Snyder High School.

Miss Ellington was employed the past summer by the Snyder Daily News.

HOSPITAL NOTES

ADMISSIONS: Johnie Lou Herrley, Rt. 13, Box 80D; Anita Valadez, P.O. Box 612; Maggie Flores, 1402 Hughes St., Sweetwater; Bonnie Kirk, 506 Twenty-eighth; Jessie McClain, 906 Thirtieth; Effie Kenney, 123 Twenty-eighth; Kate Rosson, Leisure Lodge; Leona Snider, 2412 Ave. L; Griselda Arizmendi, Rt. 1, Box 3; George Evans, Rt. 3, Box 375A.

DISMISSALS: Jessie Johnson, Helen Scott, Timothy Sconyers, Brenda Zajicek, Roy Goebel, Edward Allen, Mrs. Steve Robertson and baby girl, Petra Quiros, Leonard Mason, Laura Rollins, Ora Bell Hinds, Daisy Buttrell.

BIRTHS

Mr. and Mrs. Felix Flores, 1402 Hughes, St., Sweetwater, are the parents of an 8 lb. 15 oz. girl born at 4:30 p.m. Sept. 14 in Cogdell Memorial Hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Kirk are the parents of a 7 lb. 6½ oz. son, born at 1 p.m. Sept. 14 in Cogdell Memorial Hospital. They reside at 506 Twenty-eighth St.

Two Killed In Washout

TRUTH OR CONSEQUENCES, N.M. (AP) — Five cars plunged into a pit gouged out by flash flooding on a road Tuesday night, killing a couple and injuring seven other persons.

The dead were identified by the sheriff's office as Charles and Katy Goetz of Truth or Consequences.

Sheriff's dispatcher Marshall Hester said more than 3 inches of rain set off flash flooding that washed out an access road to Elephant Butte State Park about four miles east of the city.

"There were three or four culverts on that stretch of road and they all washed out, leaving a hole 15 feet deep and from 20 to 30 feet wide across the whole road," Hester said.

The injured were taken to St. Anne's Hospital here.

Pompeii and Herculaneum were destroyed when Mt. Vesuvius erupted in 79 A.D. and killed more than 2,000 persons in both cities.

Quakes Shake Italy

UDINE, Italy (AP) — New earthquakes struck northeast Italy today and were felt in wide parts of northern Italy, Austria, Yugoslavia and even in Strasbourg, France. At least five persons were reported dead and dozens were injured.

Police said they had received reports of cars having been buried under landslides but were unable to say whether anyone had been trapped inside.

The tremors, two of which measured more than 6 points on the Richter scale, struck in a quick series before dawn, then resumed again before and after noon. Tens of thousands jumped out of beds running for safety in Udine, Trieste, Venice and Yugoslav Adriatic resorts.

The quakes were felt as far south as Florence and west to Genoa.

The fresh jolts brought down buildings that had been damaged earlier by the some 230 jolts that have hit the Friuli region since the disastrous May 6 quakes.

In Friuli, telephone and electric power lines were cut. Rockslides blocked roads and rail lines, including the line from Udine to the Austrian border. A bridge fell isolating the vilages of Complago and Alesso. The belltower of Maino collapsed. Buildings were reported to have collapsed also in the Yugoslav village of Tolmino.

One of the victims was a man who died of a heart attack at Gorizia, near the Yugoslav border.

Authorities announced they were starting to evacuate residents of the worst-affected area to empty hotels and summer houses in seaside resorts on the Adriatic coast.

The first strong quake, at 5:15 a.m., measured 6.3 on the Richter at the Uppsala Seismological Institute in Sweden. A series of smaller tremors followed, and then at 11:21 a severe quake of 6.4 was registered on seismographs in Uppsala and Strasbourg.

Nearly 1,000 persons were killed in Friuli May 6 by an earthquake which measured between 6.5 and 6.9 on the Richter Scale. Aftershocks gradually subsided, but a new series of tremors began last Saturday night, causing new destruction.

A total of three deaths has been attributed to the new quakes.

The Richter Scale is a measure of ground motion as recorded on seismographs. Every increase of one whole number means the ground motion is 10 times greater.

A quake measuring 6 is considered severe, while a reading of 7 is a major quake capable of widespread, heavy damage in populated areas. However, most of the people of Friuli are living out of doors again, reducing the risk of being crushed by falling walls.

Theft Case Is Under Probe

Deputy Sheriffs said they are continuing their investigation into a theft of $93 from a woman's purse.

Mrs. Cecil Burrows told deputies that when she returned to her pickup truck after visiting some friends in the Andress Heights Addition of Snyder, she discovered that $93 had been taken from her purse.

The theft is believed to have occurred between 5 and 6 p.m. Tuesday.

DAV To Meet

Disabled American Veterans, Chapter 206 and its Auxiliary will hold their regular meeting at 7:30 p.m. Thursday at the Union Community Center. Everyone is welcome to attend.

College, School Enrollments Off

WASHINGTON (AP) — For the first time since World War II, the nation's college and school enrollment appears to have declined. And, says a federal government forecast, thanks to the falling birth rate, the trend is only just beginning.

An annual back-to-school report released Tuesday by the Department of Health, Education and Welfare predicted a decline this fall of about 100,000 students from last year's historic high of 60.2 million.

The decline during World War II was caused by young men entering military service and young women taking over their civilian jobs.

Despite fewer students, total education expenditures in the 1976-77 school year are expected to top $130 billion, an increase of about $10 billion over the previous year, and the number of classroom teachers and other instructional staff members is expected to rise slightly to almost 3.2 million persons.

HEW said the enrollment decline can be expected to continue for several years, led by elementary school enrollments which have been dropping slowly but steadily since 1970. Secondary school enrollments will peak this year, and college and university enrollments should begin falling around 1983 or 1984, HEW said.

The agency may not be precise, however. Last year, it predicted a total nationwide enrollment of 58.9 million, underestimating by about 1.3 million, because of higher-than-anticipated private school figures and a larger number of students who went to college or graduate school during the tight job market.

HEW officials noted that the birth rate has been falling for 10 years. It showed its biggest drop from 1970 to 1975, when it fell from 18.3 to 14.8 for each 1,000 persons in the country.

HEW said high schools will graduate more than 3.1 million seniors next spring, about the same as a year ago, while colleges are expected to award 918,000 bachelor's degrees, 60,000 professional degrees, 338,000 master's degrees and 37,000 PhDs. All except bachelor's degrees would be record highs.

Education this fall will be the primary activity of 63.6 million youngsters and adults, or about three out of every 10 Americans. This total includes 60.1 million students, 3.2 million classroom teachers and 300,000 supervisory and auxiliary personnel.

Education expenditures will capture about 8 per cent of the Gross National Product — the value of the nation's goods and services.

SCHOOL

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Elementary; Kathy Wade, secretary at Stanfield Elementary.

New personnel: Debra Black, kindergarten at West Elementary; Lanny Brentz, physical education at Central; Veva Cockrell, elementary music at Central; Judith Grimmett, resource teacher at junior high; Deanie Mills, English at high school; Jeannine Rundell, special education at junior high; Linda Sellars, secretary at Stanfield Elementary; Jim Wilson, physical education at West.

Reassignments: Patsy Massey, from kindergarten at Central to Kindergarten at East; Dorothy Ratliff, from secretary at Humble-Smith to secretary at high school.

Reports submitted to the board show the following professional advancements: Master's degrees, Linda Cozart, Marilyn Crownover, Ken Foster, Terry Huestis, Mike Kozelsky, Wesley Poarch, Winfred Shipp and Bernard Weems. Thirty hours above master's: Robert Adams, Horrace Bostick and Albert Mack Taylor.

Athletic department reports show a total of 589 pupils participating in athletics. These include 251 in football, 170 in volleyball, 95 in basketball, 12 in golf, 19 in competitive gymnastics, and 30 in the off-season tennis program.

Season tickets to Snyder High School varsity football games totalled 911 this year, compared to 854 last year.

Mothers Of Twins Plan To Organize

A meeting to form a local chapter of MOTC - Mothers of Twins Club - will be held on Sept. 28 at 7:30 p.m. in the Texas Electric Reddy Room in Lamesa. Any mother of multiple births is eligible to join. For more information, contact Mrs. Johnny Sherbert, 304 North Ave. G, Lamesa Texas 79331 or phone 806-872-3932 after 6 p.m.

Plea Heard In District Court

A 32-year-old Snyder man pleaded guilty Tuesday in 132nd District Court to a charge of driving while intoxicated, second offense.

Lemuel Alton Willborn was sentenced to serve six months in the Scurry County jail.

Willborn was arrested July 5 by city police officers.

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ID Numbers Engraved On CBs

A crime occurs every twelve seconds and the rate continues to rise. Desire, capability, and opportunity are the three ingredients common to all crimes. Little can be done to combat either the desire or the capability of the criminal, but "Hands Up" is focusing attention and energies on reducing the opportunity. "Hands Up" is a volunteer crime reduction program being supported by Amitie Jr. Study Club in Snyder and other General Federated Women's Clubs across the nation.

"Burglary is as American as apple pie," says Deputy Sheriff Paul Hurt of the Scurry County Sheriffs' Department. "It happens every day to many people and if it hasn't happened to you, you've been lucky. The theft of CB radios especially has reached crisis proportions."

In an effort to reduce burglary, Amitie Jr. Study Club, in cooperation with the Snyder Police Department and the Scurry County Sheriff's office, will be implementing Operation Identification (an aspect of Hands Up) at the Scurry County Fair September 16-18. The public is encouraged to bring their CBs and other valuables to the Amitie Booth to have them engraved with their driver's license number.

When an individual marks his property with his driver's license number he makes stolen items harder to sell; enhances his chances of retrieving stolen property; increases apprehension of criminals; and shows his concern about crime and deters the criminal.

"I encourage everyone to take the time to bring their CBs and other valuables to be marked," says Police Chief Bill Stone. "We have recovered stolen CBs but have been unable to identify the owner. In addition when someone claims his stolen property, his Operation Identification number serves as positive identification anywhere in the U.S."



INSTRUCTS CLUB MEMBERS—Chief of Police Bill Stone and Deputy Sheriff Paul Hurt instructs Amitie Jr. Study Club members on the use of the engraving marker. Amitie members will be marking citizen band radios with the owner's driver license number at the Scurry County Fair. The public is encouraged to bring their CBs to be engraved Thursday and Friday from 6-10 p.m. and Saturday from 10 a.m. - 10 p.m. Pictured from left are Nancy Martin, Jan Johnson, Timmie Mosley, Chief Stone and Deputy Hurt.



HONORED AT PARTY—Residents of Leisure Lodge who have birthdays in the month of September were honored with a birthday party yesterday afternoon at the nursing home. The monthly event is hosted by RSVP members. Pictured are (from left, seated) Maggie Parker, Gladys Dieball, Maude Jenkins, Viola Norris, Lonie Ball and (standing) W.B. Willingham and John Mason. After refreshments were served, lodge members were entertained by the RSVP Kitchen Band.

WIN AT BRIDGE

Reading ability bungles set

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NORTH
♠ Q 5 4
♥ 8 5 4 3
♦ Q 7 6
♣ K Q J

WEST
♠ A 9 8 6 3
♥ J 7
♦ A 8 2
♣ 7 6 4

EAST
♠ J 10 2
♥ 9
♦ K J 10 3
♣ 10 9 8 5 2

SOUTH (D)
♠ K 7
♥ A K Q 10 6 2
♦ 9 5 4
♣ A 3

North-South vulnerable

West	North	East	South
			1 ♥
1 ♠	2 ♥	Pass	4 ♥
Pass	Pass	Pass	

Opening lead — Ace ♠

By Oswald & James Jacoby

Mike Lawrence points out that the suit-preference signal is not a cure-all for all defensive problems and that in some hands its abuse can lead to all sorts of trouble.

Thus, in general, when you are following suit at the first trick and your partner is going to hold the trick, a high card means come-on, while a low card asks your partner to shift to another suit.

We won't go into the merits or demerits of West's overcall, but he did overcall with one spade and decided to open the ace.

East followed with the deuce of the suit and West, who was one of those suit-preference-happy players, decided that his partner was asking for a club shift. It would be almost impossible to figure out an East hand that wanted a club shift, but West led one. South took his ace, drew trumps, cashed the spade king, discarded one diamond on dummy's long club, another on the queen of spades and made an overtrick.

A sensible West would have played his ace of diamonds at trick two, East would follow with the jack. West would lead a second diamond and the defense would have taken the first four tricks.

Ask the Jacobys

A Canadian reader wants to know the correct response to your partner's one-spade opening bid with:

♠ 10 8 5 ♥ J 4 3 ♦ A 10 8 2 ♣ K 7 6.

The correct response is a raise to two spades. Even if your partner has only four spades and a minimum opener two spades is likely to be a better contract that one notrump. If he has a good hand you can get to notrump if the bidding proceeds the right way.

(Do you have a question for the experts? Write "Ask the Jacobys" care of this newspaper. The Jacobys will answer individual questions if stamped, self-addressed envelopes are enclosed. The most interesting questions will be used in this column and will receive copies of JACOBY MODERN.)

If you like spaghetti sauce made from tomatoes to be dark, add a little bottled browning sauce.



PRESENTS PROGRAM—Mrs. Pat Falls presented a delightful program on the history of hats to Cosmorama Study Club members Saturday. The hats (pictured above) are from her personal collection.

Cosmorama Study Club Has Luncheon

Members of Cosmorama Study Club were entertained at a noon luncheon Saturday, by Mrs. Pat Falls who presented a delightful monologue about the history of hats that she has worn and accumulated during the past 25 years.

Following the program a brief business meeting was held with the incoming president, Mrs. Rex Hopkins, presiding. During the meeting members discussed plans for the year including possible fund-raising projects to benefit the roofing project of the Martha Ann Woman's Club.

Coconuts, available in late fall, come from tropical countries. Although coconut palms grow in some of our southern states they provide little commercial food.

Martin Reunion Is Held

The annual Martin Reunion was held Sept. 12 at the Towle Park Barn. Sixty-seven relatives and four visitors attended.

Those attending the event were Mr. and Mrs. J.D. Gibson and Lyndall, Mr. and Mrs. Hubert Feaster, Mr. and Mrs. Gene Martin and family, Mrs. C.R. Martin, Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Martin, all of Colorado City; Mr. and Mrs. George Martin, Sheila and Shell, Mr. and Mrs. Ken Lightfoot, Sherry and Kevin, of Loraine; Mr. and Mrs. Jim Farr, of Hermleigh; Mr. and Mrs. Alva Boren of Petersburg; Mr. and Mrs. Earl Lightfoot and Danny of Lubbock; Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Collins, Mr. and Mrs. E.B. Early of Big Spring; Mrs. Roy Kennedy of Odessa; Mr. and Mrs. Gary Lightfoot of Abilene; Mr. and Mrs. Leon Bruns and family of Big Lake; Mrs. Blanche Lane and children, Mrs. Frances Wiman and children, Mr. and Mrs. Roland Bruns and family, Mr. and Mrs. Howard Bruns and family, Mr. and Mrs. E.G. Bruns, and Winford Martin, all of Snyder; Mr. and Mrs. Truett Bruns and children of Roscoe. Visitors were Mr. and Mrs. Lester Bruns and children of Snyder.

Dorothy Hamill In Spotlight Tonight

PITTSBURGH (AP) — Dorothy Hamill jumps into the Ice Capades spotlight tonight, beginning a nine-month tour that will take her to 20 U.S. cities with the ice show.

"I have to skate well every night now," said the 20-year-old Olympic gold medal winner at a press conference Tuesday.

"I have to be as close to my peak as I can every single night and three times on Saturday. Before the Olympics, it was all just for one night," she added.

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FLUVANNA NEWS

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Daughtery, Wayne and Carl visited with her parents Mr. and Mrs. Edward Sello in May, Okla. over the Labor Day week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. Buddy Drum and Max accompanied Mr. and Mrs. S.W. Trevey to Dallas where they visited Mrs. Eva Mae Hoawrd, of Ira, who was a patient at Parkland Hospital. They also visited other relatives while at Dallas.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Jones and family spent Labor Day week-end in Ruidosa, New Mex.

Jimmy Hunnicutt, a student at Texas Tech, accompanied his grandparents , Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Hunnicutt, and Mrs. Mary Owen to Cisco Lake where they met Mr. and Mrs. Sam Hunnicutt and Tim.

Debbie Herring, a student at San Angelo State, visited Mr. and Mrs. Ray Herring, Cole and John over Labor Day week-end.

Those attending a family reunion at the home of Mrs. Robert Jones on Aug. 27 were Mr. and Mrs. D.A. Perry of Odessa; Mrs. and Mrs. H.M. Creek, Wichita Falls; Mr. and Mrs. Bobby Warren, Huntsville; Tenia Warren, Huntsville; and John David and Carrie Page Gilberth of Clyde.

Mr and Mrs. W.H. Jones were in Ruidosa, New Mex. three days last week.

Mrs. Jessie Sims of Washington, D.C. visited last week with friends in the community. She stayed with Mrs. Lela Carmichael and Mrs. Johnny Miller.

Mr. and Mrs. Tommy Smith and children of Midland spent the week-end with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Smith and Mr. and Mrs. Royce Patterson and Tom.

Mrs. Velma Ball is visiting several days with her son and family, Mr. and Mrs. Ray Jay Ball, of Bronte.

Markita Million, of Dallas, spent the week-end with her grandmother, Mrs. Cora Patterson and Mr. and Mrs. Royce Patterson and Tom.

Mrs. Rossa Maples of Kermit, visited over the week-end with her mother, Mrs. Lela Carmichael and Mrs. Johnny Milno and other relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Flounoy returned home last Sunday from Houston where he had been confined to Methodist Hospital for two weeks.

Mrs. Anna Landrum will be making her home with her daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. Louis Signorilli, in Key West, Fla.

Rev. and Mrs. Clayton Pennington are vacationing in Phoenix, Arizona and visiting his brother and family.

Mrs. Robert Warren attended the Bison reunion at Knapp on Labor Day.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Britton of Post were visitors at the Fluvanna Baptist Church Sunday. Britton filled the pulpit in the absence of the pastor.

Mr. Hurston Lemon, Buster and Mrs. Jess Pylant visited relatives in Van Nuys, Calif., recently.

Mr. and Mrs. Bobby Warren, Tina Warren, of Huntsville and John David and Carrie Page Gilberth of Clyde visited recently with his mother, Mrs. Robert Warren.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Price, of Abilene, visited Sunday with her sister and family, Mr. and Mrs. M.H. Boulware and Danny.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Herring visited last Sunday with his sister and family in Lamesa.

Mr. and Mrs. Gilbert Merritt, Tammy, Misty and Burt visited Sunday in Midland with Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Green and children.

COMMUNITY CALENDAR

WEDNESDAY

Sparkle City Square Dance lessons at National Guard Armory. This is the last night to enroll for this series of lessons. Sleepy Browning will teach the lessons. A business meeting will be held at 7:30 p.m.

THURSDAY

Snyder Coin Club will meet at 8 p.m. at the West Texas State Bank Community Room.

Snyder Chapter No. 45 Order of the Eastern Star will meet at 8 p.m. at the Masonic Hall. Hostesses are Viola Pylant, Sarah Reeder, Donna Couch and Paula Brown.

FRIDAY

Open duplicate bridge at 1:30 p.m. at Snyder Country Club.

American Legion and Auxiliary will have a covered dish supper at the American Legion Hall. This is a membership drive.

SUNDAY

Open duplicate bridge at 1:30 p.m. at Snyder Country Club.

SCHOOL MENU

THURSDAY

FOOD FOR THOUGHT: True friendship is a plant of slow growth.

Meat Loaf w-Gravy
Fluffy Steamed Rice
Sliced Harvard Beets
Tossed Salad w-Italian Dressing
Hot Rolls & Butter
Frosted Marble Cake
Milk

FRIDAY

FOOD FOR THOUGHT: Business neglected is business lost.

Sloppy Joe on Toasted Bun
Pickle Relish Garnish
Pork & Beans
Mashed Potatoes
Devil's Food Pudding
Milk

SECONDARY

THURSDAY

Italian Spaghetti w-Ground Beef
Parmesan Cheese, garnish
Cabbage & Green Pepper Slaw
Apple Wedges
Garlic Bread
Green Beans
Chocolate Brownie
Milk

FRIDAY

Grilled Cheese Sandwich w-Vegetable Soup
Crackers-Croutons
Assorted Relishes
Peanut Butter Cookies
Milk

Reliable recipes for true sponge cake usually call for sifting the flour needed. In such an air-leavened cake it's important to maintain a precise flour-liquid ratio. Sifting the flour gives a precise amount.



Priest Declares Self Homosexual

CHICAGO (AP) — Activist Episcopal priest Malcolm Boyd has publicly declared himself a homosexual. Father Boyd, 53, was quoted in the Chicago Sun-Times as saying: "I'm gay. In saying this, I feel secure, unthreatened and happy. It's something I felt I needed to do."

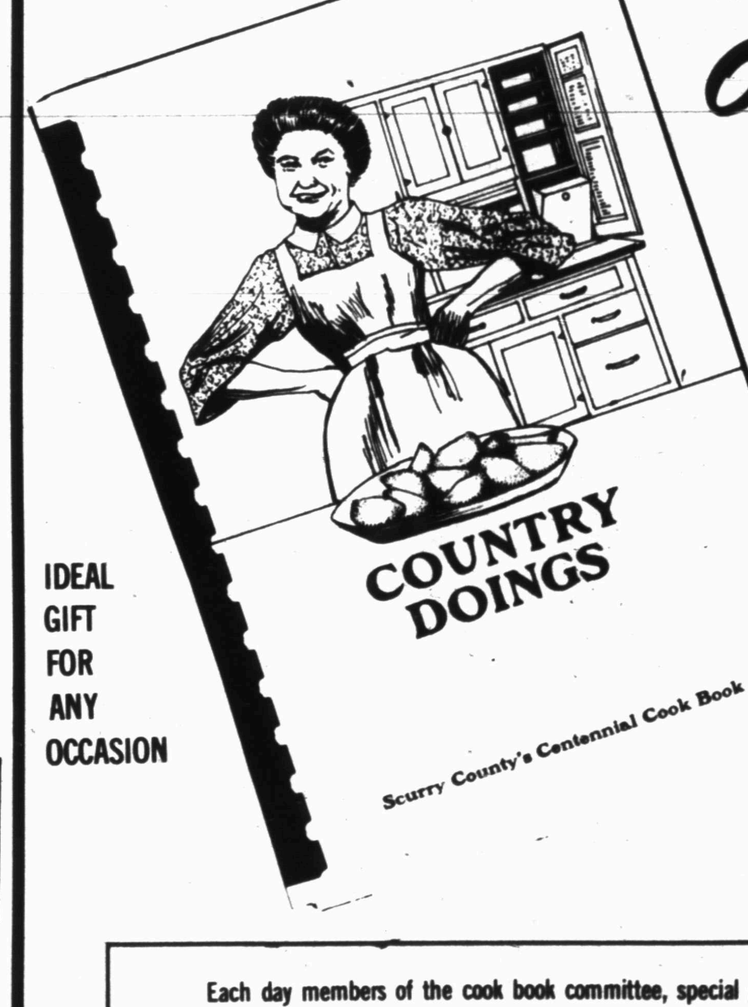
The minister and popular author of the 1960s, whose book of prayers titled "Are You Running with Me, Jesus?" gained him national attention, defended homosexual rights in a speech last month before the national convention of Integrity, an organzation of Episcopalians who support gay causes.

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Each day members of the cook book committee, special guests, and authors of portions of the book will be in the booth to sell and autograph the books. Also each day will feature a food, made from a recipe in the book, for "tasting".....

..... THURSDAY-is to be Pound Cake Day. Mrs. Mildred Mathis of Fluvanna and Mrs. Maurene Wall of Hermleigh will bring their pound cakes for customers to taste. Mrs. Mathis plans to be in the booth from 2:00 - 4:00 p.m. to autograph books. Mrs. Wall will be in the booth from 6:00 - 8:00 p.m.. Mrs. Irene Hardy will be signing books from 4:00 p.m. to 6:00 p.m. Also featured on Thursday will be the artists of the book, Paula Lunsford and Carol Bullard. They will be in the booth from 8-10 p.m.

..... FRIDAY-Tea Cake Day members of the cook book committee and special guests Mrs. Carl M. Guinn, Hermleigh in booth from 10:00 a.m. to 12:00 noon.
Mrs. Joe B. Adams, Sr. from the Union Committee
Mrs. Genie Grizzle from Ira from 4:00 - 6:00 p.m.
Mrs. Dorothy Cox from Ira 6:00 p.m. to 10 p.m.

..... SATURDAY-Tamale day-special guest to autograph will be Mrs. Alice Guerra of the Diamond M Ranch. Tamales will be featured throughout the day for tasting. Members of the cook book committee, and authors of articles in the book will be in the booth throughout the day. Mrs. Guerra will be at the booth in the evening from 6:00 - 10:00 p.m.

SUBPANEL REPORTS ON STUDY

No Advantages Are Seen In Moving Space Center

HOUSTON (AP) — A study presented to a congressional subcommittee says relocation of crew training and mission control functions from the Johnson Space Center to Cape Canaveral could cost as much as $842 million.

The National Aeronautics and Space Administration (NASA) report also said "no management, technical or budgetary advantages" would be realized in such moves.

It said the moves could cause a two-year delay in the space shuttle program.

"The relocation would seriously affect a smoothly functioning highly efficient organization at the Lyndon B. Johnson Space Center and would cause either an unacceptable schedule gap in the space shuttle program or require duplicate facilities and personnel to eliminate the gap," the report said.

Rep. Donald Fuqua, D-Fla., a member of the House Committee on Space, Science and Technology's subcommittee on manned space flights requested that NASA do the study last June.

There was no discussion on the report at the subcommittee's meeting in Washington. Fuqua declined to comment Tuesday because he said he had not read the report.

Fuqua asked that a study be done on the possible movement of crew training. The NASA report said any move would also have to include movement of the mission control center because the two activities are so closely related.

The study estimated that relocation of crew training and the control center would cost $722.2 million in 1980 or $842.8 million in 1983.

It said moving the crew training only would cost $412.5 million in 1980 and $487.1 million in 1983. Relocating only the control center would cost $573.7 in 1980 and $688.7 in 1983, it said.

The report added that these funds would not be recoverable.

The report said the impact on the Clear Lake City area where the space center is situated would be devastating.

It predicted the number of civil service personnel and support contractor workers required to perform crew training and mission control activities at 5,138 in 1980 and 4,838 in 1983.

It assumed 50 per cent of those would live in the local community and 50 per cent would have to move to the Cape.

Assuming these figures are correct, the study said, the cost in wages alone to the Clear Lake area would be $57.5 million in 1980 and $61.9 million in 1983.

"It is conservatively estimated that over 1,000 homes would be excessed to the local market," the report said. "This means that the local housing market would experience a major surplus situation with an obvious detrimental effect on mortgage foreclosures, decreased demand for new construction and overall slow down in the real estate and building industries."

OUT OF FAVOR WITH TEXAS BAPTISTS

Dr. Dunn Says Connally Will Cost Ford Votes

DALLAS (AP) — The director of the Dallas-based Texas Baptist Christian Life Commisssion said Tuesday that John Connally will cost Presient Ford the votes of Texas Baptists in November.

The former Texas Governor is heading Ford's campaign in the Lone Star State.

"Connally is so out of favor with Texas Baptists — they have so little respect for him as a person — that he is a liability for Ford's campaign," said Dr. James M. Dunn.

However, Dunn said his organization would not officially endorse or support Democratic candidate Jimmy Carter, who is a Southern Baptist lay leader.

Officials of the commission said the organization is in the midst of its "largest" voter registration drive.

"Texas Baptists will be more inclined to support Carter because of Connally's endorsement of Ford than they would just because he is a Southern Baptist," Dunn said.

Dunn added, "Just the fact that Carter is a Southern Baptist won't swing much weight. Harry Truman was a Southern Baptist and he actually met with some hostility from Texas Baptist voters."

The Christian Life Commission has been conducting such voter registration drives every two years since 1950, Dunn said. The Baptist General Convention of Texas lists 2.2 million members.

Dunn said Baptists distrust Connally for his connection with the scandal-ridden Nixon administration and for his support of liquor by the drink and legalized pari-mutuel horse race betting while he was governor.

Connally did not respond to Dunn's remarks.

However, Dallas attorney Mike Myers, Connally's administrative assistant, said Connally backed a liquor-by-the-drink proposition in order to correct "the ridiculous private club situation." Myers also said the former Texas governor did not endorse pari-mutuel betting.

Myers said, "We had private clubs operating everywhere in the state almost as open saloons and without being taxed, and it had gotten to the point of being ridiculous."

"He (Connally) never came out for pari-mutuel betting. He never endorsed it."

Dunn said this year's drive was more intense because of "government corruption" and "public apathy."

Six Foot 'Chicken' Arrested

SAN DIEGO (AP) — A six-foot "chicken" was arrested after being knocked out in a scuffle seen by 12,000 people, but police said the charge may not stick.

A security guard at the Sports Arena made the citizen's arrest Monday night as the chicken, a man-filled promotion of radio station KGB, waited to go on stage.

"The chicken refused to leave the aisle," said head guard Damon Zumwalt. "He started flailing one of my guards with his wings."

After the crowd watching a performance of the musical group Aerosmith booed the guard, the chicken was taken to a side room.

Ralph Haberman, a promotion employe of KGB, said "one of the bouncers threw the chicken against the wall and knocked him out. The police didn't want to do anything so the guard took us to jail."

Theodore Giannoulas, 23, a 5-footer who performs in the rooster costume, and Haberman, 22, were booked for investigation of battery at the police command post near the Sports Arena and released on their own recognizance.

Inmates at the jail acted like they couldn't believe their eyes, a matron said.

The scene was described by Haberman this way: "The chicken started doing his thing, and the sheriff's deputies were having a blast. All the drunks were hallucinating and the jail was really jumping for a while."

Callaghans Visit A Wheat Farm

REGINA, Canada (AP) — British Prime Minister James Callaghan and his wife visited a wheat farm and dined with Saskatchewan Premier Allan Blakeney on the second day of their Canadian tour.

The couple's visit was planned as a private tour before Callaghan replaced Harold Wilson as British Labor party leader.



Dr. Lamb

Reader missed boat on accuracy

By Lawrence E. Lamb, M.D.

DEAR DR. LAMB—I am trying to cut down on my sugar intake and in general change my diet to a more balanced and healthful one. I'm confused by the difference between sucrose and dextrose sugars. I know the food value of refined sugar to be nil but is this only true for sugars from cane, beet and maple?

How about sugar present in dates and other fruits, especially dried ones? Trying to substitute fruit protein for meat protein would not be easy without taking some amounts of dextrose sugar unless this is metabolized as something else.

DEAR READER—Your intention is laudable but if you will forgive me your lack of knowledge is fantastic. You do need help to meet your goals. Your letter contains many incorrect statements.

Sucrose is a double sugar, meaning it is a combination of glucose and fructose — two single sugars. Dextrose is just another name for glucose. Sucrose is ordinary table sugar.

All refined sugars are very high in food value. They contain lots of calories. The problem is what they lack. In the refining process, vitamins, minerals and bulk are eliminated. This is true whether the sugar comes from beets, cane, or other sources.

Your digestive tract breaks down sucrose into glucose and fructose so it can be absorbed. Otherwise you would never get any of it into your blood. The fructose is eventually changed to glucose for metabolism to yield energy.

The only other important single sugar is galactose. It is combined with glucose to form lactose — milk sugar. So, galactose is found only in milk. It too is converted to glucose eventually to be metabolized.

The sugars in fruits or in corn syrup are all either glucose, fructose or combinations of these into double sugars. The only advantage from the nutrition point of view is that the fruits also give you important vitamins and minerals for your diet plus some bulk from fruit fiber. The amount of sugar in these is handled exactly the same as your body processes table sugar. Even the starch found in a potato or corn is broken down by digestion to glucose and handled the same way.

I am sending you The Health Letter number 3-8, Sugar and Starch: Carbohydrates are and how your body handles them. Did you know that your body can convert some proteins to glucose (dextrose)? Others who want this information can send a long, stamped, self-addressed envelope with 50 cents for it. Send your letter to me in care of this newspaper, P.O. Box 1551, Radio City Station,New York, NY 10019.

Carbohydrates are important to good health. The foods such as fruits and vegetables and cereals contain many of the important vitamins and minerals you need for a balanced diet. Even the concentrated calorie foods such as the starches and sweets are important sources of energy and often make it possible to provide enough calories in the diet without resorting to eating excess amounts of fats.

I must point out that fruit contains very little protein, not enough for a decent diet. This lack of protein in fruit is why certain fad diets that are mostly fruit and lacking in good protein sources are so dangerous to your health. You must rely on something besides fruit to provide needed protein in your diet or you will have serious problems.

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Astro-Graph

Bernice Bede Osol

For Thursday, Sept. 16, 1976

ARIES (March 21-April 19) An underling could cause you grief today because he failed to follow instructions. Look over his shoulder.

TAURUS (April 20-May 20) Your nest egg could fall out of the tree today. Be careful. You're extravagant and prone to take unwarranted risks.

GEMINI (May 21-June 20) Don't come down too hard on those who criticize you today. They may be doing it for your own good. Keep an open mind to avoid hurting your cause.

CANCER (June 21-July 22) It's very difficult to deal with you today because of your reluctance to say what you really think. Try to be more frank and honest.

LEO (July 23-Aug. 22) Don't lend anything to anyone whose integrity you have cause to doubt. Your instincts are probably right. You have small chance of recovery.

VIRGO (Aug. 23-Sept. 22) Trying to bulldoze people into agreeing with you today will avail you little. They'll realize you're a little self-serving and will stiffen their backs.

LIBRA (Sept. 23-Oct. 23) Don't assume people are going to accept your ideas today. Sound others out before pushing your theories.

SCORPIO (Oct. 24-Nov. 22) You should not be materialistic with friends today. Also, avoid others who are. Unpleasantries could result that you'll later regret.

SAGITTARIUS (Nov. 23-Dec. 21) Normally you're the type who thinks individually. Today, however, you may let a forceful person make critical decisions for you.

CAPRICORN (Dec. 22-Jan. 19) If you're too harsh on people who work for you today, they'll find ways to keep their own skirts clean. If a mess results, you may be to blame.

AQUARIUS (Jan. 20-Feb. 19) If you're thinking of filling any inside straights today, forget it. Gambles will turn out very poorly.

PISCES (Feb. 20-march 20) Any domestic decisions should be handled diplomatically today. Concede a little rather than lose everything!

Your Birthday

Sept. 16, 1976

You could have a few extra obstacles to contend with on the path of success this year. If you don't knuckle under, you can handle them.



MAKING TAMALES—Mrs. Alice Guerra makes tamales as taught her by her grandmother years ago in Nixon, Texas. Her tamales will be the tasting treat at the "Country Doings" Booth on Sat. Mrs. Guerra will be there to autograph the cook books from 6:00 - 10:00 p.m.

Tamale Day Is Set At 'Country Doings' Booth

Saturday, Sept. 18, will be Tamale Day at the "Country Doings" booth at the Scurry County Fair. Bites of tamales, made from an old family recipe by Alice Pena Guerra, are to be the tasting treat of the day, with Mrs. Guerra as special guest during the evening hours. The day's drawing prize will be 2 dozen of Mrs. Guerra's tamales.

Mrs. Guerra contributed three recipes to the Scurry County Centennial Cook Book, one for Capirotada (Bread Pudding), one for Calabaza Con Pollo (Chicken and Squash); and her Tamale recipe. When submitting her entries, Mrs. Guerra wrote: "Sometimes our minds tend to go back to the times when we were young and happy. As a young girl, I grew up in Nixon, Texas, with two brothers and a sister. My daddy died in 1936 when I was only 8 years old. I never realized what my mother must have gone through to keep us clothed, fed, and happy. All the same my mind often wanders back to those years and they are very memorable to me.

"I especially remember 'hog-butchering day'. My mother raised one or two hogs a year to keep us in plenty of sausage and lard for the year. We helped my grandparents on that special day; staying overnight the night before in order to get an early start. Granddaddy would rise at 4 or 5 o'clock, with everyone else right behind him. Grandmother made fresh corn tortillas and mother made flour tortillas for the ones that wanted them. When the hogs were dressed, a side of ribs was cooked on the open fire for the day's eating.

"The rendering of the lard was my Uncle Joe's job because he did such a good one. The cracklings we made were cut very nicely, with some meat left on them. After the sausage making came the tamale making. Even though I was very young, I had to help with everything, because my grandmother would comment, 'one day you will have to do this on your own with your children', and she was right."

Mrs. Geurra says, "Cooking is a labor of love, especially Mexican cooking because so much of it takes lots of time."

Drop by the "Country Doings" booth at the fair on Saturday to visit with Mrs. Guerra. She will be autographing books from 6:00 to 10:00 p.m. You may sample her tamales and register for the prize of 2 dozen tamales. Her recipe follows:

TAMALES

5 lbs. port meat (we use hog head)
1 gal. or more water to boil meat in
2 pods garlic
2 Tbsp. Comino seed (cumin)
½ cup chili powder
Salt to Taste

Boil meat until tender. Cool enough to handle, then cut from bones and grind. Add broth in which meat was cooked if meat is dry, but do not make it thin. Grind or mash spices and add to meat. Cook on low heat 45 minutes to 1 hour. Soak corn shucks in hot water 1 hr. Put shucks in to soak when you begin to boil meat. Clean all the silks off and rinse in clean warm water.

DOUGH

5 lbs. Masa Harina by Quaker
2 lbs. grease (lard preferred, but I use Crisco for health reasons)
Salt to Taste
¼ cup chili powder

Mix ingredients and warm meat broth. Make a soft, pliable dough. Use about 1 Tbsp. to spread on corn shuck. Put 1 or 2 Tbsp. meat in center of spread shuck and roll. Fold narrow end of shuck back. Arrange in pot and add water, about 12 cups. Bring to a boil, lower heat and cook for 1 hour. They are done when you unroll and they come off the shucks easily. If they still stick to shuck, cook some more.

Late Vaccine May Cause An Epidemic

DALLAS (AP) — Late and reduced quantities of swine flu vaccine could cause an epidemic if an outbreak of the flu hits Dallas this fall, the city's health director said Tuesday.

"We know we can't prevent an epidemic with the doses we're talking about now," Dr. Lowell Berry said. "It won't prevent an outbreak of epidemic proportions."

The national swine flue immunization program will "cost a lot more in terms of man-hours and actual dollars" because of the delay across the country in delivery of the vaccine, he said.

Federal health officials predicted in June that 100 millions doses would be ready in September, but Berry said the first shipment will arrive here between Oct. 1 and 15.

"This could drag on until Christmas," he said. "The later in the season, the less effective the program."

Berry said the health department "will do all we can to see the chronically ill get the vaccine first."

The plan is to have eight to 10 lines at each clinic, with two lines set aside for those over 65 and those with notes from their doctors stating they are chronically ill.

The health department is also having difficulty finding locations for the clinics here, he said.

"At this point, we're thinking in terms of very large facilities with lots of parking, like shopping centers," Berry said. "That would eliminate a lot of people that might like to volunteer space.

"Our best gut feeling is that by the second or third shipment, we may have enough vaccine to release some for private sources. If we get enough, we will release some."

US Conductors In Moscow Concert

MOSCOW (AP) — American conductors Thomas Schippers and Erich Leinsdorf are participating in a concert program at the Grand Hall of Moscow's Conservatoire. The tour, which began Monday, was arranged under the USSR-USA cultural exchanges program.

Nader For Formation Of Groups

ARLINGTON, Tex. (AP) — Consumer advocate Ralph Nader says he is supporting the formation of independent groups to represent citizens in utility rate cases.

Nader said Tuesday at the University of Arlington he thinks these groups — which he called Residential Utility Consumer Action Groups (RUCAG) — are necessary since users cannot depend on state regulatory agencies.

"Any government regulatory group that is exposed to the one-sided advocacy of utility companies will be weak and unresponsive to citizens," he said.

Nader said he expects the Texas Legislature to weigh the RUCAG idea in 1977.

He said the concept has been considered by "about half a dozen state legislatures, including New York and Maryland, but has not been adopted yet anywhere in the country."

Funding for the groups would come through a "checkoff" system on utility bills, he said.

Inclusion of a checkoff space on utility bills should be allowed by utility companies "in return for being legal monopolies in a state," he said.

Even if only 2 per cent of the residential utility customers in a state contributed to a consumer group, Nader said, "millions of persons could be provided with skilled advocates to appear before a public utility commission."

He was scheduled to speak in Dallas today at Southern Methodist University.

Nude Candidate Arrested Again

SAN FRANCISCO (AP) — "We need a president who believes in a natural way of life — someone who has nothing to hide," red-bearded Eddie Hicock Collins told a crowd of about 50 people who gathered around a downtown plaza.

"I believe in free speech and a free society," the 40-year-old self-styled "nude candidate for president" told the noontime crowd Monday. "I have no support, but I'm going to do it anyway."

Collins then dropped his blue jeans and before they got to his ankles two policemen hustled him away — hopping like a lame rabbit.

Collins, who said he makes his living as a public speaker at a coffee house in DeKalb, Ill., said it was the 18th or 19th time he has been arrested on indecent exposure charges around the country during his one-year presidential campaign.

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CAPITAL GAIN BREAKS

Tax Bill Includes New Credit For The Elderly

By JIM LUTHER
Associated Press Writer

WASHINGTON (AP) — The new tax bill could mean a savings of hundreds of dollars a year for elderly Americans with modest incomes and provide an extra break for persons over 65 who sell their home.

Other sections of the bill contain some good news and some bad news for those concerned about capital gains. Perhaps the biggest change in capital gains is a lengthening of the time period required for an asset to be owned.

The new credit for the elderly would replace an existing tax benefit that is so complicated, according to some estimates, that half of the eligible retirees do not claim it.

Congress is expected to take final action on the bill this week and it is expected to become law later this month.

Here is how the changes for the elderly, along with the tax treatment of capital gains, would work:

ELDERLY CREDIT

The pending tax bill would provide a maximum $375 tax credit for single persons and $563 for couples 65 or older — and it would be much easier to get than under the present credit for the elderly.

Credits are subtracted directly from taxes owed. Under the best of conditions, the existing credit is worth a $229 annual tax saving to a single person and $343 to a couple filing a joint return.

If the tax bill becomes law, the new elderly credit will be retroactive to Jan. 1, 1976. This means it would be used in computing 1976 taxes next April.

Under the new system:

—A single person 65 or older could subtract from taxes 15 per cent of any income — including that from part-time jobs as well as pensions, etc. — up to $2,500 a year in income. For couples filing a joint return, the maximum income subject to the tax credit is $3,750.

—The base figures — $2,500 and $3,750 — would be reduced $1 for each $1 of Social Security benefits received by either spouse.

—If penalty total income — earnings as well as pensions, etc. — rose above $7,500 for a single person and $10,000 for a couple, then the amount of income eligible for the tax credit would be reduced $1 for each $2 income above the limit.

For example, if a couple had income totaling $12,000 a year, the maximum tax credit would be 15 per cent of $2,750, rather than 15 per cent of the usual $3,750.

This would focus maximum benefits of the tax on low-income and middle-income retirees.

Perhaps more significantly, the tax credit would be simple to compute. Here is how:

First check a box showing your marital status. If you are single, or married and only one spouse is 65 or over, the base figure to start with is $2,500; for a 65-year-old or older couple filing jointly, the figure is $3,750; for a married person 65 or older filing separately, the figure is $1,875.

That figure goes on line 1 on the new form. Lines 2, 3 and 4 are for adding Social Security benefits and total income above the limit and subtracting them from Line 1. The difference goes on Line 5. The tax credit is 15 per cent of Line 5.

The old retirement-income credit was written into law to try to help those persons who are not covered by Social Security. Although Social Security benefits have been raised several times in recent years, the benefits under the retirement credit basically have not changed since 1962.

Current law allows persons 65 or over to avoid taxation on a portion of their retirement income — such as pensions, rents, interest and dividends.

But the catches are numerous:

—If you have no pension or other retirement income, you get no benefit. A wealthy retired executive with a generous pension qualifies for the tax break, but not the person who has to work past 65 to make ends meet.

—In fact, that working person, even if he has a small pension, is penalized. The amount of his pension that could qualify for the tax break is reduced if he earns more than $100 a month.

—Even if you have a pension, you don't qualify for the tax benefit unless you earned at least $600 a year over the past 10 years before retiring. (If you are a widow or widower, you qualify if your spouse meets this test).

—If you qualify for the tax benefit, the amount of retirement income subject to the special treatment is cut $1 for each $1 of Social Security or other tax-exempt pension you receive.

If, after all those qualifications are met, there is any benefit left, the retiree might lose it by muddling through the extremely complex, lengthy, three-column schedule required to compute the credit.

SALE OF HOME

Present law requires that a person pay tax on the net profit when he sells an asset — such as a share of stock or an acre of land - for more than he paid for it.

This profit is called a capital gain. Generally, if the asset was held for more than six months before being sold, one-half the gain is not taxed.

There are special provisions governing the sale of a home. If you sell your principal home and within 18 months invest the net selling price in a new home, you pay no capital gains tax.

If you are 65 or older, you get an even better deal. You have been allowed a tax-free profit of $20,000, even if no new home is purchased.

The new bill raises that to $35,000. For example, if you bought a house in 1965 for $25,000 and sell it in 1977 for $75,000, you could avoid tax on $35,000 of the $50,000 profit.

As under the present law, half the additional $15,000 gain also would be tax-free. The other half would be taxed at the same rate applied to the taxpayer's other income.

This provision would become effective next Jan. 1, meaning it will not apply to sales this year, but will apply next year.

CAPITAL GAINS

A majority of Congress favors special tax treatment for capital gains, in addition to those involved in the sale of a home, as an incentive for investment. Some liberals view this $15-billion-a-year incentive as overly generous.

The tax bill takes one major step to liberalize that incentive but another one restricts it.

First, the period for which an asset must be held before it qualifies for capital-gains treatment would be increased from six months to nine months in 1977 and to 12 months in 1978 and thereafter.

Second, investors would be able to use net capital losses — meaning sale of property at less than its cost — to cut the taxes on more of their regular income, such as wages or fees.

Currently, net capital losses can be used to offset $1,000 of ordinary income each year. Thus, if a person paid $10,000 for a piece of land and sold it later for $8,000, he could use part of that loss to avoid taxes on $1,000 of his wages.

The bill would raise the maximum income that could be offset to $2,000 in 1977 and $3,000 in 1978.

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CB Convac

Unsung heroes of CBing

By Ink Dipper

(EDITOR'S NOTE: Ink Dipper (KYZ-3916) is the handle of the editor of The CB Times' JOURNAL.)

There are some unsung heroes in Citizens Band Radio. And everytime someone pushes the button on their mike and says: "Break..break..." it is the result of the farsightedness of a man at the Federal Communications Commission.

Back is the mid-40s, World War II having just ended, an engineer at the FCC was appointed an FCC commissioner. It was 1945. He was Ewell Kirk Jett.

It was through his efforts that a Citizens' Radio Communications Service System was established. His predictions for it were considered science-fiction then. Today they are a reality. Jett died in 1967 without ever seeing his wide-ranging views reach culmination.

In a Saturday Evening Post interview right after he was appointed to the commission, Jett explained that "Citizens Band Radio will have a great role to play should there ever be another war. The need for organizing adequate air-raid defense speedily will be served."

However, the visionary Jett could see widespread peacetime uses for Citizens Band Radio.

"One can picture a young woman motorist riding alone at night on a lonely road outside a city," he told the POST interviewer in 1945. "A car comes roaring down an intersection and sideswipes her car. She is not badly hurt, but she finds the occupants of the other car seriously harmed." Jett describes a situation that is real: "There is no light that she can see, no farm house nearby, no telephone available immediately. She turns to her handie-talkie, slung over her shoulder like a camera. Pulling up the antenna, she spins the dial to the CB distress frequency."

Obviously a lot of minute changes have taken place since that vision was projected by Commissioner Jett. But the concept is correct and that is the way it has happened in 1976, just 30 years later.

FCC Chairman Richard Wiley pointed out recently that "it took 16 years to reach the first million CB licenses, only eight months to get the second million, and three and one-half months to reach the fourth."

As the scientific discoveries of World War II revealed ways of expanding the usable radio spectrum, necessity seems always to open doors that were previously closed.

The 10-code that is used by all CBers came about as a result of the bank robberies in the Midwest in the 1930s. It was a time of depression. Unemployment was widespread. And with this, came the Bonnie and Clydes, Ma Barkers and other notorious bank robbers of the time.

Stories from that era tell of the problems police had in attempting to isolate the hit-and-run holdup men who were using the automobile and back roads for a fast getaway. Mobile radio, though in its infancy, was brought into play by police. However, it was like an electronic tower of Babel at first.

Then, the 10-code— an idea whose time had come — was invented by Eugene F. Brown of the Iowa State Police. Some say the bankers were prepared to reward any man who could get more orderly action from the police in apprehending the robbers. And it was the Iowa Bankers Association that funded the Iowa radio system. Thus, the 10-code became the method by which pursuing police cars communicated their locations to establish road blocks and isolate land areas.

Modest about his contribution to CB, Brown, who now lives in Omaha, Neb., says that the "10-code was just a natural offshoot of the need for some easily and universally understood communication."

Brown said his broadcasts from Des Moines in 1933 were responsible for the capture of the infamous Barrow gang. Marvin Barrow, Clyde's brother, was killed in the shootout which resulted, and Marvin's wife, Blanche, was captured. Bonnie and Clyde escaped until a later and final engagement with police.

"Ten was just a word we felt was easy to pronounce and easy to understand," the 71-year-old Brown said. "That's the only reason I can remember for using it."

It was never copyrighted. But Brown is an avid CBer himself and enjoys using the code he invented..

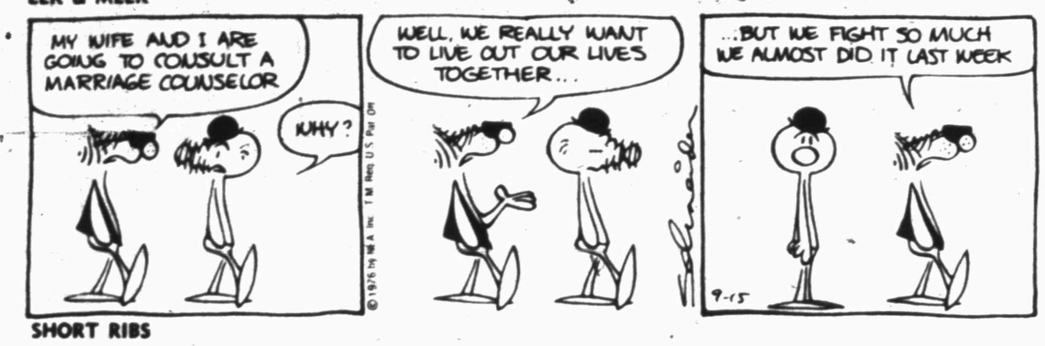
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Virginia Military Institute, "The West Point of the South," trained many famous military men, including Stonewall Jackson, Gen. George Patton and Gen. George C. Marshall.

THE BORN LOSER



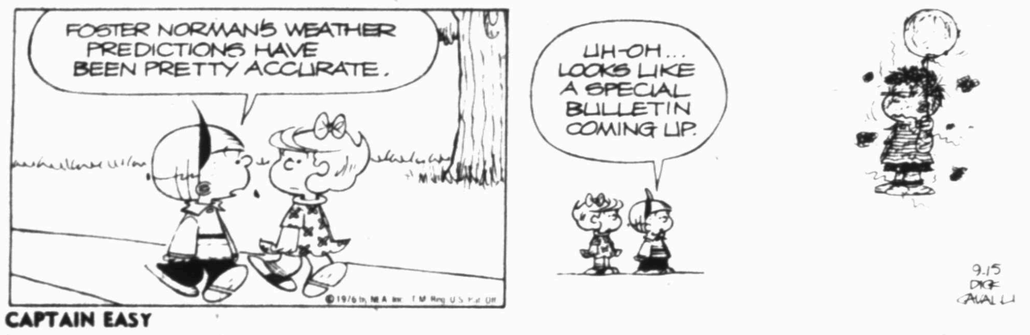
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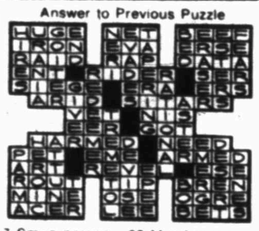


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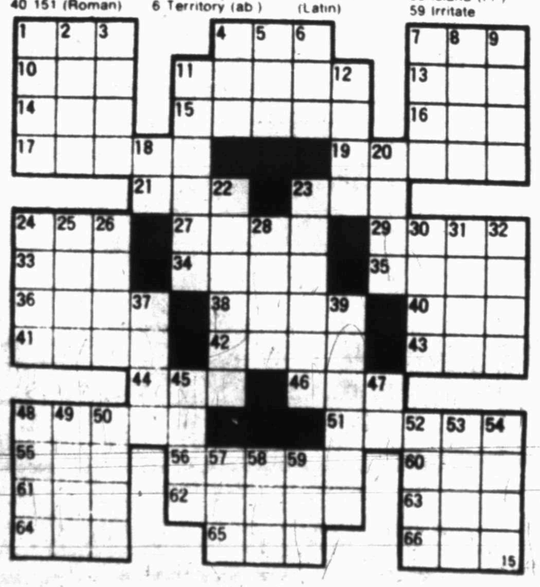


ACROSS

1 Garden tool
4 Brace and — —
7 Lever
10 Hewing implement
11 More rational
13 Fish eggs
14 Distant (prefix)
15 In that place
16 Negrito
17 Follow immediately
19 Boring tool
21 Not used
23 Townships (ab.)
24 Kind of saw
27 Raise
29 Narrative poem
33 Anecdote collection
34 To cut (Latin)
35 Fodder storage place
36 Ado
38 Kind of crow (pl.)
40 151 (Roman)
41 Cornbread
42 Biblical garden
43 Know (Scot.)
44 Swiss river
46 Race track circuit
48 Holding device
51 Cutting implement
55 Lubricant
56 Oily fruit
60 Boy's nickname
61 Interest (ab.)
62 Small valleys
63 Samuel's teacher (Bib.)
64 Meadow
65 Large state (ab.)
66 Honey (pharm.)

DOWN

1 Detest
2 Bovines
3 Congers
4 Derisive yell
5 Adjective suffix
6 Territory (ab.)
7 Smug person
8 By memory
9 12 months
11 Directs course of
12 Harvest crops
18 United Nations (ab.)
20 Utilizes
22 Unwanted plant remover
23 Mason's tool
24 Heavy file
25 Preposition
26 Ache
28 Academic (ab.)
30 — — and shovel
31 That one (Latin)
32 Metal money
37 Enlarge a hole
39 Plumber's tool (pl.)
45 Footless animal
47 Promissory note (ab.)
48 Wind in circular form
49 Cord or rope
50 Alberta (ab.)
52 Newspaper paragraph
53 Smoothing tool
54 Masculine name
57 Latitude (ab.)
58 Island (Fr.)
59 Irritate



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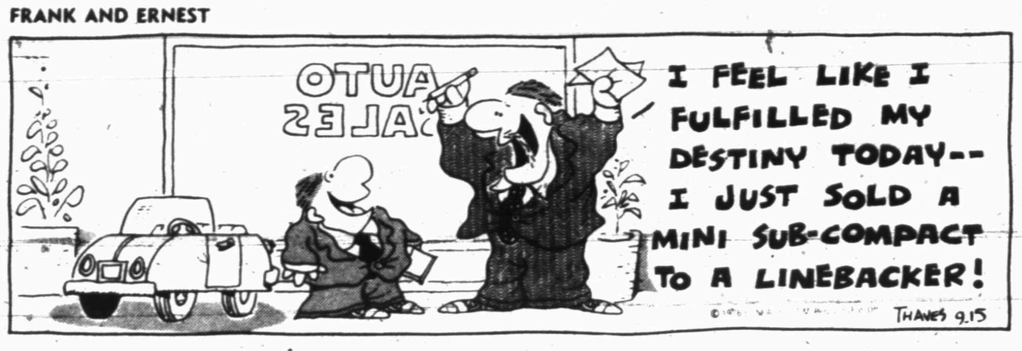


SIDE GLANCES



"Arnold, I'd like you to meet my grass roots!"

FRANK AND ERNEST



CAMPUS CLATTER with BIMO BURNS



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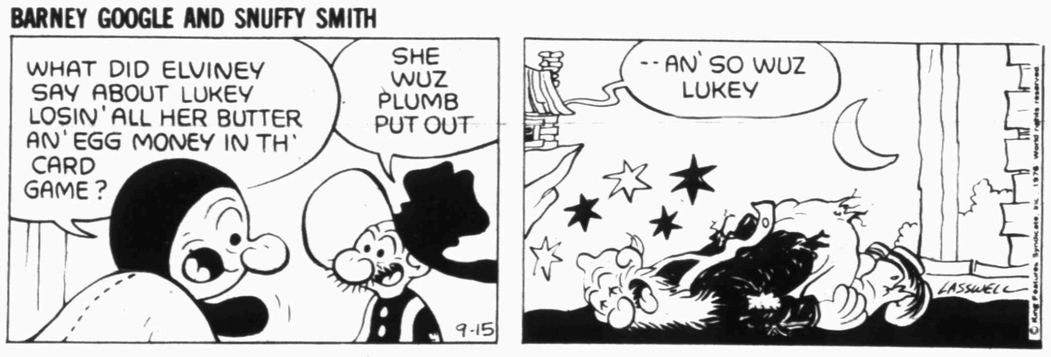
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"PSSSSST, MARGARET.. DO YOUR APE-WALK! I DARE YA!"



LEADING RUSHER—Norm Bulaich, 31, of Miami Dolphins makes an 18 yard run in the fourth quarter of Monday night's game in Buffalo against the Bills. Leaping for the stop is Buffalo's Dan Jilek. Bulaich led the rushing with 107 yards in 19 carries. Miami won 30-21. (AP Wirephoto)

Nebraska, 'Bama Due To Rebound

By HERSCHEL NISSENSON
AP Sports Writer

NEW YORK (AP) — Like the rich old grad once told the poor old coach, "We're with you ... win or tie."

Here then are some thoughts on wins and ties ... courtesy of some winners and tie-ers.

Ron Meyer of Southern Methodist, a 34-14 winner over Texas Christian: "We buried TCU in the grave at 7:30, p.m. Sunday. You can only enjoy a victory a sweet 24 hours."

Tom Osborne of Nebraska, a 6-6 tier against Louisiana State: "A tie at this stage might look discouraging, but at the end of the year a tie in the first game will look much better than a loss."

So will a win in the second game. Nebraska's upcoming opponent in their home opener is none other than Indiana, losers of last week's Upset Special, as well as this week's non-upset special ... Nebraska 38-0.

Last week's score was 37 right, 25 wrong and two ties for a .597 percentage.

Southern Methodist at Alabama: Meyer told the Mustangs early in the week "not to board the plane if they don't feel we can beat Alabama." Only trouble is the last time Bear Bryant lost two regular-season games, much less two in a row, was in 1970 ... Alabama 35-7.

Ohio State at Penn State: Woody Hayes and Joe Paterno, two of the great names in football, get together for only the sixth time with Ohio State ranked second — one measly point behind Michigan — and Penn State No. 7 ... Ohio State 21-14.

Stanford at Michigan: Last year, this ended in a surprising 19-19 standoff. The Wolverines won their 1976 opener and avoided getting caught up in last week's wave of upsets but yielded 27 points to Wisconsin. Since the Cardinals have an explosive attack, let's try this on for size as the Upset Special of the Week ... Stanford 24-20.

Pitt at Georgia Tech: Hey, there, Pepper Rodgers, with your afro, shoulder bag and open-toed sandals, I know you even through your disguise ... Pitt 30-13.

California at Oklahoma: Barry Switzer says he's never faced a passer like Cal's Joe Roth in 10 years at Oklahoma. On the other hand, the Sooners probably have the best secondary in the country ... Oklahoma 28-21.

Arizona at UCLA: Having already taken apart one team from Arizona, the Bruins are about to pick on another ... UCLA 31-17.

Illinois at Missouri: You don't usually consider Illinois a breather, but how else can you describe a team which falls between Southern Cal and Ohio State on Mizzou's schedule ... Missouri 28-14.

Maryland at West Virginia: The Terps dance their way to another terpsichorean triumph ... Maryland 27-7.

Oklahoma State at Arkansas: The Porkers lead the series 25-15-1 but they've dropped the last three and they only won the 1972 clash by one point. The momentum has swung towards ... Oklahoma State 20-17.

Kentucky at Kansas: Says Kentucky's Fran Curci: "I think Bud Moore has finally put together the talent he wants for his offense and he has three super football players and a whole cast of other great players. They've got a very well-conceived offense and defensively they're a lot more experienced." We're convinced ... Kansas 35-21.

Oregon State at Louisiana State: We're happy to welcome the Bayou Bengals and Charlie McClendon back to the Top Twenty. They should stay there awhile ... LSU 28-6.

Northwestern at North Carolina: Tar Heels are one of the country's surprise clubs, having knocked off two ranked teams thus far. Northwestern isn't ranked ... North Carolina 34-20.

Purdue at Notre Dame: For the championship of Indiana ... Notre Dame 21-14.

Memphis State at Tulsa: This could be one of weekend's better games ... Tulsa 38-35.

Stephen F. Austin at Northwestern Louisiana: You may be wondering why this game is listed this high. Well, folks, S.F. Austin is in Nacogdoches, Tex., and Northwestern is in Natchitoches, La. One hesitant vote for the bionic team ... Steve Austin 21-20.

Standings

By The Associated Press

AMERICAN LEAGUE

East	W	L	Pct.	GB
New York	88	55	.615	—
Baltimore	79	65	.549	9½
Cleveland	73	71	.507	15½
Boston	68	76	.465	20½
Detroit	67	77	.465	21½
Milwkee	63	80	.441	25
West				
Kan City	83	62	.572	—
Oakland	78	66	.542	4½
Minnesota	74	73	.503	10
California	67	79	.459	16½
Texas	64	80	.444	18½
Chicago	63	83	.432	20½

Tuesday's Results

Oakland 4-3, Minnesota 2-4
Kansas City 2, Chicago 1
Baltimore 9, Detroit 7
New York 8, Cleveland 2
Milwaukee 3, Boston 2, 10 innings
California 6, Texas 4

Wednesday's Games

Detroit (Roberts 14-14) at Baltimore (Garland 17-6), (n)
New York (Hunter 15-14) at Cleveland (Waits 7-6), (n)
Boston (Cleveland 7-9) at Milwaukee (Colborn 8-14), (n)
Texas (Blyleven 11-15) at Chicago (Johnson 9-14), (n)
Kansas City (Bird 11-7) at California (Ryan 13-17), (n)
Minnesota (Hughes 8-12) at Oakland (Lindblad 6-4), (n)

NATIONAL LEAGUE

East	W	L	Pct.	GB
Phila	88	55	.615	—
Pitts	82	61	.573	6
New York	76	67	.531	12
Chicago	66	79	.455	23
St. Louis	63	78	.447	24
Montreal	48	93	.340	39
West				
Cincinnati	93	53	.637	—
Los Ang	82	62	.569	10
Houston	72	75	.490	21½
San Diego	67	80	.456	26½
San Fran	67	81	.453	27
Atlanta	63	83	.432	30

Tuesday's Results

Houston 4-3, Atlanta 3-4
Philadelphia 3, Montreal 2
New York 4, Pittsburgh 3
Los Angeles 9, Cincinnati 0
Chicago 6, St. Louis 3
San Francisco 7, San Diego 6

Wednesday's Games

Chicago (Renko 7-9) at Montreal (Landreth 0-0), (twl)
St. Louis (Curtis 5-9 and Denny 9-7) at New York (Espinosa 3-3 and Lolich 8-12), 2, (t-n)
Pittsburgh (Candellaria 14-6) at Philadelphia (Kaat 11-12), (n)
Houston (Larson 4-6) at Atlanta (Camp 0-0), (n)
Los Angeles (Downing 1-1) at Cincinnati (Zachry 12-5), (n)
San Francisco (Ricelle 0-0) at San Diego (Jones 21-12), (n)



HALFTIME PERFORMERS' KICKOFF PARTY—Southwest Texas State University halftime performers were honored at a practice-break party Friday. Shown here with the party refreshments and decorations are, left to right, Strutter Captain Debra Cronin of McDade, drum major Angie Amato of Snyder, twirler Janis Hendrix of Austin, Strutter Director Barbara Tidwell, Band Director and Mrs. Jim Sudduth and Drum Major Ron Sherman of Boerne. (SWT News Service Photo)

Conference May Need Two Sets Of Minutes

AUSTIN, Tex. (AP) — The University of Texas faculty representative for Southwest Conference affairs says the conference may have to keep two sets of minutes as a result of an attorney general's opinion.

Atty. Gen. John Hill said Tuesday those minutes are public records when held by the SWC faculty representative of a Texas state-supported university—but with important exceptions.

The exceptions are references to students and private reprimands given coaches and other employes of non-public universities.

Private reprimands of employes of tax-supported schools apparently will remain a gray area until somebody requests an opinion on whether they must be disclosed under the Texas Open Records Act.

Hill's opinion went to University of Texas President Lorene Rogers. She requested it after The Associated Press sought minutes in the possession of UT-Austin's SWC representative, Dr. J. Neils Thompson.

"I would say that the opinion doesn't bother me," Thompson said.

He said it would be some time before he is able to grant the AP's request for access because he needs to consult with UT's lawyer and theconference.

"It means we'll have to reorganize and rewrite our minutes. That means that minutes of the past will have to be edited. . . The conference may also be faced with two sets of minutes," Thompson said.

Hill's opinion said, "If the information requested was obtained by the university's representative to the conference in his official capacity as representative, we believe that he holds it on behalf of the university and that it is (public) information within the scope of . . . the act."

Minutes sought included those of a meeting at which two Texas A&M freshmen basketball players, Karl Godine and Jarvis Williams, were disciplined.

Hill said references to students in SWC minutes constituted "education records," exempt from disclosure under both state and federal law.

He further noted that minutes of the May 22 meeting recorded disciplinary action, never made public, against a person employed by a private university and one who was not officially connected with any school.

The attorney general relied on a recent Texas Supreme Court decision that opened records of workmen's compensation claims but said district judges must cull from them intimate facts that might embarrass individual workers. The court used as examples of intimate and embarrassing facts such things as illegitimate births, on-the-job rapes and mutilated sex organs.

"We believe an individual who had been officially, albeit privately, censured or reprimanded would find that fact highly embarrassing and would reasonably object to publication of the information," Hill said.

The Southwest Conference has often been secretive about its internnal affairs, and Hill's opinion means minutes concerning such things as its finances must be disclosed.

Sherman Vaults Into Top Spot

By The Associated Press

The mystique of Houston's Tully Stadium twice has reached into the ranks of The Associated Press Schoolboy Football poll and grabbed a Class 4A team in its clutches.

Baytown Lee, ranked No. 6 on the preseason list, fell to Spring Branch Memorial in the first week of the season and last week the No. 1 ranked Brazoswood Buccaneers became victims of Tully Stadium's black magic—with the help of Houston Memorial.

Brazoswood, the 1974 state champions, couldn't penetrate Memorial's 20-yard line the entire game and lost 21-0. Sherman, the runnerup last week, gladly accepted the No. 1 berth as the Bucs fell to 10th this week.

Rochester suffered a similar fate in Class B after being tied 12-12 by Class A Munday. Rochester dropped to fourth and Chico moved up from No. 2.

Beaumont Hebert in 3A, Rockdale in 2A and Aledo in A all retained their No. 1 billings from a week ago but it was a close call for Hebert.

It took a pass interception in the final 47 seconds of the game on the Hebert 15-yard line by Rodney Rickett for the Panthers to edge Beaumont Charlton-Pollard 20-14.

Conroe moved into the 4A top 10 for the first time, replacing No. 10 Abilene, a 28-21 loser to Austin High. Gladewater presented the only new face in 3A, replacing No. 3 Kermit, which dropped out of the top 10 after a loss.

Barber's Hill fell from third to ninth in A after a 13-10 loss to 2A Anahuac and Wall, 10th last week, was replaced by Seagraves.

The biggest shakeup occurred in B where Nos. 5, 6, 7, Sudan, Mount Enterprise and D'Hanis were losers and No. 9 Hutto was tied by Granger 12-12. Mount Enterprise and Hutto dropped from the list and were replaced by Moody, No. 8 and Agua Dulce, No. 10.

Other teams receiving votes included: 4A, Spring Branch Memorial 24, Bryan 14 and San Antonio Churchill 10; 3A, Lubbock Estacodo 16, Jacksonville 13, Mount Pleasant and New Braunfels 11 each and San Angelo Lakeview 10; 2A, Slaton 20, Kenedy 14, Kermit and Comanche 10 each; A, Groveton and Wellington 16 each, Tatum 12, Stockdale and Lytle 10 each and B, Mount Enterprise 15 and Evant 12.

Here is The Associated Press Schoolboy Football poll with first place votes in parentheses, season records and points:

Class 4A		
1. Sherman (8)	3-0	161
2. Houston Kashmere (4)	3-0	155
3. Odessa Permian (4)	2-0	143
4. Longview (1)	2-0	107
5. Tyler	2-0	98
6. Port Neches-Groves (1)	2-0	96
7. Galveston Ball	1-2	81
8. Killeen	2-0	68
9. Conroe	2-0	38
10. Brazoswood	1-1	36
Class3A		
1. Beaumont Hebert (16)	3-0	175
2. Gainesville (1)	1-0	146
3. Ennis (1)	1-0	139
4. Brownwood	1-1	95
5. Brazosport	1-0	81
6. Perryton	2-0	80
7. Beeville	1-0	49
8. Humble	2-0	44
9. Silsbee	2-0	32
10. Pecos	0-0	26
Class 2A		
1. Rockdale (18)	3-0	180
2. McGregor	3-0	139
3. Columbus	3-0	135
4. Howie	3-0	122
5. Childress	3-0	72
6. Kirbyville	2-0	68
7. Pittsburgh	1-1	61
8. Bellville	2-0	51
9. Gladewater	2-0	33
10. North Lamar	1-0	30
Class A		
1. Aledo (10)	3-0	173
2. Big Sandy (8)	3-0	157
3. Holliday	2-0	123
4. Hamlin	2-0	111
5. Plains	3-0	104
6. Falls City	1-0	63
7. Hart	2-0	53
8. Ore City	1-1	47
9. Barber's Hill	1-1	33
10. Seagraves		33
Class B		
1. Chico (9)	3-0	162
2. Gorman (4)	3-0	121
3. Meridian	3-0	82
4. Rochester	1-0-1	79
5. Groom (1)	1-1	73
6. Sudan	1-1	37
7. Bent Bolt	3-0	33
8. Moody	3-0	32
9. D'Hanis	1-1	22
10. Agua Dulce	3-0	19

Sloan Sold On Thomas Howard

LUBBOCK, Tex. (AP) — Texas Tech Coach Steve Sloan doesn't go overboard on superlatives.

It comes from his hard-rock days of playing quarterback for Alabama's Paul "Bear" Bryant.

But Sloan saw something in Texas Tech's 24-7 rout of Colorado Saturday night that rated with his all-time collegiate football thrills.

It was "the best game I ever saw a linebacker play," concluded Sloan.

The linebacker was 6-foot-2, 208-pound senior Thomas Howard, who can run faster than most backs and has professional teams like the Cleveland Browns, New England Patriots and Dallas Cowboys drooling at his doorstep.

Howard's performance against Colorado earned him The Associated Press College Lineman of the Week award.

Howard intercepted two passes, made 11 solo tackles and six assists against the Buffaloes.

"Thomas is one of those great athletes who is just as fast as most people's backs," said Sloan. "He runs a 4.6 in the 40 and that's movin'. He's physical ... and if you run away he'll just run you down."

Howard added, "We've really worked hard in the fall and now all those long drills are paying off. We paid the price and it was worth it."

Howard intercepted a screen pass to set up Tech's first touchdown and blunted a Colorado drive with a fourth-down interception deep in Red Raider territory.

Sloan compares Howard, who can bench press over 300 pounds, to All-American Paul Crane, who played with the Tech coach at Alabama.

"Paul and Thomas are similar but Howard is faster," said Sloan. "Howard ran a 13.7 in the 120-yard high hurdles — the fastest in the nation when he was at Lubbock Dunbar High School."

Howard was moved from defensive end when Sloan took over the Texas Tech job in 1975.

Dankworth Is Finally Heard From

LOS ANGELES (AP) — The mail was pouring in and the phone was ringing incessantly, and Jeff Dankworth, who describes himself as "not super outgoing," wasn't sure yet whether he liked all the attention.

"But," said the UCLA quarterback, "it's nice for the people back in my home town to finally know that I'm still alive."

Dankworth had left his home in Reno, Nev., five years ago to play football at UCLA. He had hardly been heard from since, as he redshirted one year and spent the others on the Bruin bench.

But last Thursday night, Dankworth was heard from in a big way, as he deftly led the Bruins to a nationally televised 28-10 upset of Arizona State.

Dankworth ran for 155 yards on 19 carries, completed three of four passes, and scored the Bruins' first two touchdowns, a performance that earned him Associated Press College Back of the Week honors.

"I'm overwhelmed," said the shy, soft-spoken senior who dwelled in the shadow of Bruin quarterback John Sciarra for the past two years.

"Being from a small town like Reno, I think it really means more to me. I'm sure a lot of people there were wondering what had happened to me, I guess they know now."

But Dankworth said the instant acclaim that goes along with being a "football star" has its bad points, too.

"I didn't get much rest over the weekend," he said. "The phone was ringing, there are letters I have to answer. I'm not the type of guy who'd choose the spotlight, but I guess it's something I'll just have to adjust to."

Top Receivers Meet Saturday

KNOXVILLE, Tenn (AP)— Texas Christian Coach Jim Shofner calls Mike Renfro "the best pass receiver in the country."

Last year, Larry Seivers of Tennessee was named the best college receiver by The Associated Press and the NCAA.

The two will meet for the first time this Saturday night when the Vols host the Horned Frogs. It's likely the individual performances will command as much attention as the points on the scoreboard.

Renfro, the son of former Cleveland Browns all-pro receiver Ray Renfro, snared six passes for 121 yards in TCU's 34-14 opening game loss to Southern Methodist last week.

As a sophomore in 1975, he led the Southwest Conference with 49 catches for 810 yards and two touchdowns.

A junior last season, Seviers led the Southeastern Conference with 840 yards and four touchdowns on 41 receptions.

However, in the Vols' 21-18 loss to Duke in the season opener last Saturday, he was held to only 25 yards on two grabs of six attempts under a new Wishbone offense that netted the Vols only 46 yards in the air.

Tigers Gain 291 Yards

The Snyder Tigers generated a total of 291 yards of offense in the Borger game here last week.

Quarterback Tim Falls was the leading rusher with 140 yards on 15 carries for a 9 yard average per carry. Fullback Ricky Beard collected 90 paces on 13 efforts, and tailback Tim Peterson gained 33 yards on nine carries.

Falls completed 2 of 11 passes for 28 yards. Both receptions were made by David Rice, who scored a touchdown on one of them.

Falls and Rice each scored six points, and Beard made two extra points.

Defensively, the Tigers held Borger to 6 of 14 third down conversions and held them on fourth down three of four times.

Borger averaged 3.6 yards per carry and 19 yards per pass completion.

Cooper Nips SHS Varsity Volleyballers

The Snyder High School girls varsity volleyball team dropped a match to Abilene Cooper here last night 14-16, 15-5, 11-15. The Snyder JV won 15-5, 10-15, 15-4.

Scoring for the Varsity: Kim Nicholson 13 points, Donna West 7, Della Braziel 7, Dana Elrod 5, Susan Walker 3, Shelly Nutt 3, Pam Kohl 2.

The Tiger offense worked good with setters hitting 90 per cent. Susan Walker had an outstanding game at the net, hitting 75 per cent.

"Our defensive game was down considerably," said Coach Joyce Elrod.

Snyder led the first game 11-4, then Cooper put forth an offensive rally to catch up and move ahead.

"We lost on mistakes, especially on defense," said Mrs. Elrod.

Scoring for the JV: Danna Meyers 14 points, Debbie Meyers 7, Sherry Neves 6, Connie Pollard 6, Shana Smith 4, Cindy Koonsman 3.

The local girls will be off the remainder of the week. They host Lubbock Monterey next Monday and 6:30 p.m. and 7:30 p.m.

JV To Meet Abilene Team

The Snyder High School junior varsity football team meets Abilene Cooper in Abilene at 1:30 p.m. Saturday rather than Big Spring as previously reported.

There will be three local teams in action this week. The 8th Grade Black team hosts Sweetwater at 5:30 p.m. Thursday. The Varsity hosts Big Spring at 8 p.m. Friday, and the JuniorVarsity travels to Abilene Cooper at 1:30 p.m. Saturday.

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SPECIAL NOTICES A-2

SNYDER COIN Club will meet Thursday, September 16, 1976 at 8:00 p.m. in the West Texas Community Room.

PERSONAL A-5

LOSE WEIGHT safely & fast with X 11 Diet Plan $3.00 REDUCE Excess Fluids with X-Pel $3.00 Munden Pharmacy.

IF YOU drink, that's your problem if you want to stop, that's our problem Alcoholics Anonymous, 573-5337 or 573-5117.

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Tri County Council on Drug Abuse & Alcoholism, Education . Information & treatment Preferral Agency, Rm. 102 Wallace Bldg. 2425 College Ave. Call day or nite. 915-573-3233. A United Way Agency.

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VEHICLES B

1963 CHEVROLET 4 door, Sedan for sale. 573-7478 or 2809 Denison. See after 5:00 P.M.

MUST SELL, 1972 HONDA 500 Four, clean, nice bike. $900.00 or best offer. 573-3243.

FOR SALE 1965 Mustang new paint job, also 1974 Honda car. Call 573-3767 or 573-3196 after 5:00 P.M.

1971 Datsun, 4 door, air, good condition. Call 573-3386 after 5:00 P.M.

FOR SALE 1966 DODGE pickup, good condition. Phone 573-5929.

For Sale: 1970 Buick LeSebra, 350, power-air, $800.00. Phone 573-0006 after 4:30.

1972 175-CC Honda motorcycle, good condition, $300.00 or trade for 100-CC Honda for $100.00 difference. May be seen after 4:30 - 214 32nd.

1971 Pickup, power-air, automatic. Call 573-0698 or 573-5869.

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FREE ESTIMATE
CALL: 573-6983
or 573-3957

Two experienced framing carpenters, need repair work, sheet rock, panelling, formica trim & etc. 915-573-8061.

CUSTOM PAINTING, quality work, free estimates, best references. Small jobs accepted. Call 573-3743 or 573-5662.

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Roofing
Minor Repairs
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ALL TYPES of painting. Airless and conventional spray rigs and acoustal ceilings. 573-7819.

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6 YARD DUMP truck and front end loader on small tractor. Haul dirt, sand, and gravel for yards, driveways, or whatever the need. Plow yards and clean up. Free estimates by the load or job. Remove trees. Don McAnelly. Phone 573-3136.

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For Your
● PATIO ● CARPORT
● SIDEWALK
● BLOCK BUILDING
or other Concrete
or Concrete Block needs
Call Jack Willis

573-7787

EMPLOYMENT E

MAID HELP NEEDED. Must have phone and transportation. Apply in person only 10:00 - 4:00. Beacon Lodge.

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LVN opening, full time, above average salary, paid holidays, paid vacation, meals paid, excellent working conditions. Contact Claxton Lodge, Colorado City, Texas, 728-5247.

Do you need a job? See Snyder Employment Service. 2425 College Ave. Phone 573-0693.

Framing contractor with crew needed. Apply at job site. South o Hospital. Buell Englert Construction Co.

WANTED Man with oil field experience to drive Vacuum Truck. Call 573-6385.

RN's & LVN relief needed at Leisure Lodge. Call 573-6332.

Operating Room L.V.N. needed: Position for L.V.N. with operating room experience or willing to learn. Call collect Charles L. Root, Root Memorial Hospital, Colorado City, Texas. Phone (915) 728-3431.

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Back-to-school bills got you down? Pay them all ... and treat yourself to a new coat. I'll show you how. Call for details: 573-3464 - 573-2505

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TRAINING
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Afternoon & Evenings
573-7783
Winston Field, Snyder

FINANCIAL G

PAWNS LOANS—We buy, sell and trade guns. Timely Pawn Shop. 2409 Ave. R.

WOMAN'S COLUMN H

WANTED congenial woman companion to live in private home. Do cooking and light house work. Good salary. 573-3194.

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Buttonholes, Alterations
CALICO COTTAGE
2005 26th
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MARY'S Playland by hour or day, fenced yard, toys and snacks. 6:00 5:00. 573-0510.

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FARMER'S COLUMN J-1

Custom Johnson Grass spraying Recirculating sprayer to apply round-up on Johnson grass in cotton. Call Lindy Clark at 573-5594 or 573-3516.

FINE JERSEY Cow for sale. Will be fresh in three weeks. R.V. Smith. 573-9941.

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FOR SALE SEED OATS, GERMINATION 94 no johnson grass, call 573-7905.

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CLEAN THREE year old Triangle basket and separator with JD Stripper. $750.00 573-7062.

Custom hay baling, brand new New Holland equipment. Call Lindy or Stanley Clark. Mon.-Fri. 8-5. 573-3516 ask for Hay Baling Dept. Other 573-5594.

MASSEY 65 Tractor, 8' Tamden disc, Ford planter & blade, 1975 Camper 573-2030. After 4:00.

SPORTING GOODS and SUPPLIES J-2

GENE'S GUN SHOP
3602 Hill Ave.
Rifles-Scopes-Ammunition
Dealer for Weatherby Rifles
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MUST SELL 1972 GW Invader, with 110 hp Mercury outboard $1,500 firm. Call 573-9636 or 573-5000 after 5:30 p.m.

MERCHANDISE K

FOR SALE - Holstein Heifer, 1 year old, baby bed, and other furniture. 573-3026 or 573-6023. Do not call after 9 P.M.

The Dunnam Mattress upholstery Dept. has the finest selection of upholstery in stock. An experienced personnel ready to do your upholstery work. 2 to 3 day service. Dunnam Upholstery Dept. 573-2142.

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5 HP 26" Cut Rear Engine Riding mower, reg. $529.95 - Now $439.00. 8 HP 32" Cut DIX Riding mower, reg. $629.95 - Now $529.95. Goodyear Service Store. 1701 25th. 573-9341.

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Dayton Tires, Bandag recapping, 24 hr. road service, flats. 573-0488.

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SX-535 Pioneer receiver - 20 Watts per channel, RMS, two medium size Pioneer speakers. 6 months left on complete warranty. Frigidaire electric dryer, coppertone, guaranteed. Also Coppertone washer in good condition. Antique green piano, plays well. Call after 5:00 on weekdays. 573-8122 or come by 1409 20th.

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SAVE — SAVE
We must liquidate all Westinghouse Appliances in our inventory now. 2 - 5 Cu. Ft. Chest freezer - Reg. $279.00 - Now $199.00. 1 - 20 Cu. Ft. Chest freezer - Reg. $459.00 - Now $329.00. 1 - 20 Cu. Ft. Upright Freezer - Reg. $489.00 - Now $349.00. 1 - 21 Cu. Ft. Side-By-Side Refrig. Reg. $859.00 - Now $599.00. Terms available - Phone or come by Goodyear Service - 1701 25th. 573-9341.

STOCK CLEARANCE
Prices reduced on all Tappan Microwave Ovens. Must make room for new models. Model 56-2343 - Reg. $379.00 - Now $279.00. Model 56-3454 - Reg. $439.00 - Now $339.00. Model 56-4565 - Reg. $519.00 - Now $419.00. Free cookbook with every Microwave sold. Payments as low as $15.00 per month. Goodyear 1701 25th. 573-9341.

DOGS-PETS, ETC. K-3

PEGGY'S GROOMING SHOP
NOW OPEN
Call for Appointment
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FOR SALE one male Springer Spaniel puppy, good markings with papers. Call 573-3911

GARAGE SALES K-5

2 FAMILY GARAGE SALE
202 38th. St.
Thursday 9:00-5:00
Jewelry, paperbacks, dishes, pictures, knit pant suits, maternity clothes, pictures, couch, baby clothes, & mattress, nice teen clothes, also size 4 & 5. Country Western records, king size bedspread, electric quitar, and amplifier, new material, misc.

YARD SALE
3109 40th. St.
Wed. - Sunday
No sales before 9:00 A.M.
Complete C.B. Base Station, Alum. Tennis Racket, golf clubs, metal Detector, Break-down cue stick and case, Pressboard & Hardboard Sheeting, new vanity base, New Kitchen bar with formica top, two-wheeled garden tractor (Needs work) Self-propelled Lawn mower (needs work), clothes and many other items.

GARAGE SALE
805 27th.
Will take any kind of trading stamps.
Wednesday - Saturday

TRADING POST
1 miles west of Union, ¼ mile south
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Opened weekdays 8 a.m. to 6 p.m.
Sunday 1 p.m. to 6 p.m.
Buy, trade and sell paper back books, antique furniture, such as hall trees, wash stands, china cabinets, side boards, depression dishes and dolls.

YARD SALE
Wed. & Thurs. 9 a.m.-6 P.M.
306 28th. Apt. I & J
Ladies & men's clothes, baby clothes, Harlequin Romances, One new Ladies coat size 14, records, make-up, misc. Priced to sell. Don't be fooled because this is at an apartment.

GARAGE SALE
Association for Retarded Citizens. Open each Thursday and Saturday. Weather Permitting. 11 a.m. to 5 p.m. 2508 Ave. W.

RENTALS L-1

SPACE for mobile home, quiet couple, small child. Inquire at 506 27th. 573-3915.

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TWO ROOM and three room furnished apartments. Also two bedroom apartments with or without TV L.A. McClanahan. 573-3566.

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Special Weekly Rates
Bills Paid—Come and Look
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MOBILE HOMES L-9

16' Bell Travel Trailer for sale. 5111 College Ave. 573-3230.

70 x 14 Melody 3 bedrm. 2 bath fully carpeted, pay $794.00 & assume payments of $110.59 a month. Quality Mobile Home Sales. 5111 College Ave. 573-3230.

For Sale: 14 X 70 mobile home, 3 bedrm. 2 bath, furnished or unfurnished. Comes with 2 evaporative coolers, 2 large porches, tie downs and underpinning, 150' of wire fencing, post and gate. Call 573-7137 after 4:00.

1976 MANALEE 12 x 50, new condition, $4850.00. Call 5723-5352.

2 TRAVEL TRAILERS FOR SALE
1975, 20' Self-contained, sleeps 6, air, antenna, double holding tanks, beautiful condition, 1972-15' Serro Scotty, sleeps 4, semi-self-contained, excellent condition, Trade considered on both, or make offer. See behind Triple S Tire Center.

MOBILE HOME for sale, special built, 2 bdrms, 2 baths, call after 5 p.m. 573-8704.

WANT TO BUY-RENT L-12

Wanted to buy 2 full size beds with mattresses and springs to be used in one bedroom. Call 573-7477.

WANT TO rent a Motor Home for weekend of Sept. 23rd -26. Call 573-2984.

WANT to buy used vegetable juicer in good condition. Call 573-2766.

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HURRY!
Come to the Howard County Fair Sept. 20th - 25th. Casey's Recreational Vehicle Center - 1800 W. 4th. Big Spring, Texas. Will have Mini-Motor Homes and Travel Trailers on display.
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Also showing of new 1977 units. Eldorado & Prowler units on display at Fair and on our lot. Lowest prices ever!

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"MOST HOME FOR THE MONEY!!!
This "Home" has been re-done inside. It is especially NICE, 3 br. 2 bath. Beautiful kitchen. Walking distance of all Schools. Priced to sell!!!

"BUY ONE OF THE BEST," This is a "Very Special" 3 br. 2 bath, den, seperate living-room. Isolated Master Br. Beautiful cabinets, many "Extras", electric garage door openers, pretty fenced yard. Lots of room.
SUPER LOCATION!!! Its all brick 3 br. 2 bath, clean as a pin. Huge den, lovely fireplace, custom drapes, pretty kitchen, better than "NEW!!!"

OWNER SAYS SELL!! Immediate possession! It's good location. Two br. with closed in porch. Can be used as third BR. office, or small den. Let us show you this one.

Builders of Custom Built "HOMES" New Addition—West Towle Park—Featuring Unique Floor Plans, All 3 Br. 2 baths, brick, double garages, All Built-Ins, Fences!!!

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3 BR, 2 B, Bassridge. All the extras for gracious living.
4 BR, ¾ acre all fenced-pecan & fruit trees. Equity.
3 acre tracts suitable for building, close in.
73¼ acres good location and water. 60 acres, good house, water-west. $63,000.00.
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Commercial lots, good location.
Nice lake cabins, J.B. Thomas.
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Phone 573-9472
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COUNTRY LIVING-South, 3 bdrm, den, one acre, shop building, large home, only $24,500.00

NORTH-Three bdrm, 2 bath, den, large building for storage, large lot, suitable for a business.

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East Hwy

EXCLUSIVE LISTING
Just listed 3 Bdrm, 2 Bth Central Air, Built Ins Large Closets. Patio & Fruit trees. Priced to sell.
$16,000.00

COUNTRY LIVING
Is what you have with this 2 Bdrm Home on 1 acre of land. Fresh paint, fruit trees, Water well, close in. All for only $10,000.00.

JUST LISTED
Another home just out of the City Limits. 3 Bdrm 2 Bth Refrig. Air, Builtins. Good West location.

LOW MOVE IN COST
Gets you into this 3 Bdrm home. Needs a little work Priced to sell at $10,000.

WOULD YOU BELIEVE
Another house for only $10.000. 3 Bdrm, Dining room Fireplace storm cellar. Central location.

EXCEPTIONAL HOME
4 Bdrm. 2 Bth Den & fireplace Formal Living room. Good West location.

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SAVE $30 on Midland 23-channel CB radio. ANL and noise blanker reduce noise. Ant. warning light, delta tuning control, variable squelch control, Automatic Gain Control.
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Snyder, Texas

3 Bedroom house, 2 bath, fully carpeted, refrigerator air. SW Snyder. Call 573-3105.

By owner, 3 bedroom brick home with 10 acres, fenced, with small new irrigation system. 573-7733.

LOTS FOR SALE. Call 573-3458.

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5-10-20-100 ACRES AND MORE.
A place in the country to build your dream on with room to spare. Choice plots in the best part of the County. Paved roads, mail and Snyder School bus routes, with full electrical service. Within 8 miles of town. Is this what you have been looking for? Then call Gerald Crawford, Broker at 573-5033.

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EXCLUSIVE LISTING
BASSRIDGE, Nearly new, 3 bdrm, 3 bath, den and formal living-dining area, lovely yard, Immediate Possession.

EXCLUSIVE LISTING
EAST SIDE, 2000 square feet, 3 bed, 3 bath, new carpet, pretty kitchen—mid 30's.
SOUTHWEST
2 bdrm, 1½ bath, lg. kitchen den, separate living room—only $18,000.
WESTRIDGE
4 bdrm, 2 bath, separate den, living and dining room, fireplace and built-ins.
EASTSIDE
5 rooms and bath, lg. utility room, metal storage, on extra big lot—only $12,900.00.
WEST OF HIGH SCHOOL
3 bdrm, large living room and kitchen, nice yard.

ELIZABETH POTTS 573-2404
1014 25th St.

1. NEW FARM LISTING...280 acres...25 Percent down...10 year loan available. We will divide into 80 acre tracts if that is all you want.
2. NEAR TOWN...HOUSE... Barn...sheds...two irrigation wells & sprinkler pipe. Also has excellent fences and Corrals.
3. Country Home...This is an opportunity you can't afford to miss. Brick...Storm Cellar...Ref. Air... & a workshop.
4. Nice Home...3 bed two baths...best area of Snyder...-Possession at time of closing.
...I WOULD APPRECIATE YOUR LISTINGS...

BRIGHT'S REALTY
North Side of Square
Business Phone 573-6137
Night's - Weekends 573-9583

STANFIELD AREA..New listing..3 bedroom..brick..has been redone..on 44th Street..$26,500.00
OLD WEST..3 bedroom, 2 car garage..large rooms..work shop..$22,500.00..equity or new loan..located on Ave. Y.
WEST - ELEMENTARY AREA..3 bedroom brick..2 baths..refrig. air and central heat..new carpet..newly finished inside..on Houston Street..$31,000.00.
COLONIAL HILLS..one of the nices homes..large separate living room, large den, brick, shingle roof..appointment only.
EDGE OF WESTRIDGE..two new homes..one completed..extra nice..loan established..immediate occupancy.
EAST CENTRAL AREA..extra large 3 bedroom, 2 bath..with rental..corner lot..$18,500.00.

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Business Phone 573-5612
Nights & Weekends — 573-5612

ELECTRONIC SALE

SAVE $130 on 19 in. dia. portable color T.V. with 100% solid state chassis and one-touch auto-color button. In-line gun gives more accurate color.
Was 439.95 . . now **339.88***
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MONTGOMERY WARD
573-9301 1923 - 25th
Snyder, Texas

FOR SALE
3 bedroom, 2 bath brick home, about 2100 sq. ft. Living area. Large corner lot, good location, privacy, fence, bomb-storm shelter, 2 car garage. Fireplace, competatively priced. Call 573-5594 or 573-3405.

JOE BOX REALTY
4006 College

NEW LISTING...In Southwest, 3 bedroom home, near Towle Park, refrigerated air..excellent location.
SOUTHWEST...Large 2 bedroom home with 1½ baths, extra nice location. Absentee owner says SELL.
EAST...Good location, 3 bedrooms, beautiful carpet, fenced yard...very nice.
COMMERCIAL LOTS..Just tell us your needs, we may have just what you are looking for.
FARMS OR RANCHES...We have land for sale, size 10 acres to 640 acres.
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BILL EARLY 573-2902

611 East Highway
JACK & JACK REALTY
573-3452
Let us show you TODAY!

THE HOME You've Waited For!! A really well kept 3 bedroom, 1½ bath brick home...Large fenced back yard...single car garage.. A good buy for $26,500.

MOVE UP!!! $4,000 equity will move you into this 3 bedroom, 2 full bath brick home...Less than 7 months old...All carpeted...fenced backyard...Large family room...All drapes...Single car garage.

NO CITY Taxes!!! Neat 3 bedroom...2 full baths...all carpeted...Total electric...Double car garage...situated on large lot (140' wide and 110' deep)...Good water well and septic system.

EASIER THAN RENTING...3 bedrooms...single bath...all bedrooms are carpeted...Large family room and dining room...Central air and heat...Close to Stanfield Elementary.

PRIVACY & SPACE: Nice 3 bedroom, 2 bath home...All carpeted...Cent. heat and ref. air...Kitchen has all built-ins:..You have your choice of a good water well or city water...This home is located on 2 fenced acres 8 miles South of town.

READY TO MOVE Into!! 3 bedrooms...Extra large living room...Dining area with bar...garage... storage house ..Close to all West Schools...3105 41st Street.

NICE OLDER Home...2 bedrooms, 1 bath...Large kitchen...Good carpet and paneling...Ave. Q...Only $8,500.

QUALITY HOMES to be build on Etgen Drive, East of Cogdell Hospital...Buy now for choice of lots, floor plan, carpet and colors...Call us today for more details.

FOR YOUR REAL ESTATE NEEDS
CALL NIGHTS & WEEKENDS:
Bill Chambless 573-8851
Dolores Jones 573-3452

MISCELLANEOUS M-3

LARGE JUNIPER fence post and mixed firewood of oak, Juniper and Pinon. Delivered in Snyder. $65.00 a cord. Call 573-5603.

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OPEN NOW FOR BUSINESS
JOHN VELASQUEZ OWNER
3006 AVE. E
573-7443

ELECTRONIC SALE

SAVE $90 on 60 in. 8-track recorder console stereo with AM-FM stereo receiver. Has speaker matrix switch to convert to 4-D with 2 more speakers. Full-size changer with automatic shut-off.
Was 289.95 . . now **199.88***
*Plus transportation and handling

MONTGOMERY WARD
573-9301 1923 - 25th
Snyder, Texas

Men, Employer Find It Pays To Go To School

When grown men go back to school after a number of years, that's news.

But when they like it, the school likes it, and the company the men work for likes it, that's really news.

In late August, W.D. Birdwell, who lives at 3100 Austin Avenue, completed the Petroleum Industry Management course at Angelo State University in San Angelo. In recognition of the achievement, he received a certificate from the Director of Continuing Education and three hours of college credit in the business college.

Earlier in the summer, two other Snyder men, Bobby Franks of 2411 Fortieth Street and Nolan Treadway, Colorado City Highway, completed the same course. The three men work for Poll Universal Well Service, Inc. Birdwell is district manager, Franks and Treadway are field supervisors.

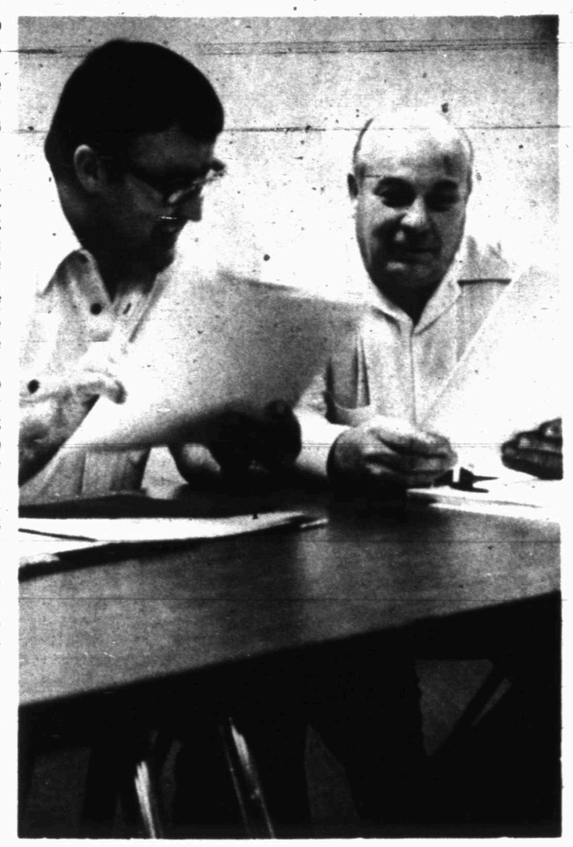
It isn't easy to go back to school after a number of years, even if you're used to management level responsibilities. The courses haven't gotten any easier. They're tough.

"But one of the hardest things is sitting still so long," says Birdwell, "when you're not used to it."

The days were long. Classes in the concentrated short course began at 7:30 every morning and ran until 8 p.m. with two or three hours of homework left to do. Two 15-minute coffee breaks and 45 minutes for lunch left little time for other things. Some nights it was past midnight before assignments were completed.

Instructor Dr. Phil Lynch claims he didn't ever get to bed before 1 a.m. because of student requests for individual counseling.

The course, officially known as No. 4381 at Angelo State, was prepared by Dr. Lynch, manager of manpower development for the company.



COMPARING NOTES—W.D. Birdwell of Snyder, right, and Don Riggs of San Antonio, compare notes in their petroleum industry management class at Angelo State University.

In addition to Dr. Lynch, who outlined management functions, administration, standards of performance, leadership, organizational development, and the art of negotiating, there were nine guest lecturers-experts in their fields - who reviewed budget and cost controls, compliance with various government regulatory agencies, employment and employee relations, wage and salary administration, and benefit programs, among other things.

"We have been amazed at the progress of the Pool men," says Don Hale, who heads the continuing education program at Angelo State. "About 50 of them have completed the course."

"When they came to us to talk about setting up the Petroleum Industry Management program, there were a number of hurdles to be crossed - college admission for the men, university approval of the curriculum, instruction staff, and issuing college credit for the course.

"However, initiating the program with Dr. Lynch and his material was easy. In fact, our instructors in the business college have asked to incorporate some of the material in their courses."

It was Frank M. Pool, president of Pool Company, who first wrote to Angelo State president Dr. Lloyd D. Vincent, requesting the program. According to Pool, the program was conceived as a natural addition to the company's ongoing efforts to provide the best oil and gas well production services available.

"It takes creative engineering...and manufacturing...and maintenance to put first class equipment at wellsite, but that equipment is only as good as the trained men and professional management behind it. It's a full time, continuing program, and we're proud of our men. And we're proud of the school."

George Loch, vice president of Pool's North American Land Division, was a main driving force behind the program. He describes it as "...a major step forward in our plan to develop the best professional management in the well servicing industry."

What do students Birdwell, Franks and Treadway think?

"It was a tough school, and I got a lot of management information," says Birdwell, "but the most important thing to me was getting to know how Pool does things and to get acquainted with other Pool people."

"It's prepared me to do a better job," Treadway says.

"But being in a college was the best part to me," Frank says, "and getting college credit. I'm proud of my certificate. I'm going to hang it in my office."

Oil Industry Outlook Is Bright

TULSA (-0) –The oil industry is set to take off on a massive exploration, drilling, production and refining program in the United States and abroad, an industry magazine predicted today.

The Oil Daily, in a program noting its 25th anniversary, listed several reasons for the bright outlook.

"The U.S. economy is good, with a favorable future," it said. "A newly elected president will be able to take positve steps to ease the coming energy crunch from pent-up demand.

"Drilling on the outer continental shelf will start in the very near future, following the current $1.2 billion bids for East Coast sites."

The magazine, in a release here, predicted there will be " more practical consideration of objections by environmentalists.

"The public, which has cut back on driving, home heating and other forms of energy conservation, is becoming impatient and will make its voice heard in Congress for more energy and will be less preoccupied with restricting the growth of oil companies, drilling offshore and building refineries," the magazine said.

"On the other hand,public concern about nuclear power will continue and probably increase."

Six Injured In Collapse Of Building

SAN ANTONIO, Tex. (AP) — A wall of a three-story downtown building in the process of being razed fell into a busy street during the afternoon rush hour Tuesday, injuring six persons, authorities said.

A woman and her two children were pinned in their crushed car and were rescued when firemen sawed the top off the vehicle. The woman was hospitalized in serious condition but the children suffered only minor injuries.

Asst. Fire Chief Jimmy Salvana said workmen were waiting for traffic to ease before blocking off St. Mary's St. when a gust of wind knocked a wall of the antiquated Household Furniture Co. building onto two cars.

Two workmen were also hurt and the passenger of the other vehicle escaped with minor injuries.

Salvana said the collapse caused a traffic jam in the 5 p.m. rush hour but police were at the scene to reroute the traffic.

Fireman Arthur Cadena said he saw the building begin to sway, but was unable to warn persons in the path of the debris before it fell.



Dear Abby

House Rules Hold for Grandma and Beau

By Abigail Van Buren

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DEAR ABBY: This is one for the books, but I swear it's true. After 40 years of marriage, my mother-in-law left her husband and ran off with a younger guy.

She just wrote to tell us that she and her fellow are coming through town and would like to stay with us for about a week.

My husband (her son) says whatever I decide is okay with him. We have only one guest room to put up the two of them.

What do we do? Our teenage kids know about Grandma and her boyfriend, but can we have them sleeping together in our home?

In the past you've told parents if their college kids who are shacking up away from home want to bring their roommates home for a visit, they have to abide by the house standards. But how do you handle a shacking-up Grandma?

STICKY WICKET

DEAR WICKET: The same way you'd handle a shacking-up college kid.

DEAR ABBY: Every time you advise someone to "get counseling," I pray that your advice will be followed because I am living proof of how much good counseling can accomplish.

I learned through counseling to know myself and to accept myself. I discovered that what I felt, good or bad, was real and okay. I learned that approval was fine, but it wasn't necessary in order to feel good about myself.

I keep a motto on my desk at work that explains my attitude about life now. It says: "I WONDERED WHY SOMEBODY DIDN'T DO SOMETHING. THEN I REALIZED THAT I WAS SOMEBODY." (Anonymous)

Thanks for listening. God bless you, Abby, and all the people who listen to you.

MARLENE

DEAR MARLENE: You are indeed somebody, and the motto you valued sufficiently to keep on your desk proves it.

DEAR ABBY: How do you deal with next-door neighbors who have a swimming pool and hold noisy pool parties well into the night?

Our bedrooms are on the side of the house near their pool and it's impossible to get any rest while they're partying.

Their parties don't start until 10 p.m.—just when we're turning in. They are nice people and we like them, but their nocturnal pool parties are a problem for us.

Can anyone offer a solution? I can't very well sell my lovely home and move away.

PERPLEXED IN BINGHAMPTON

DEAR PERPLEXED: The best approach is to pay your neighbors a visit (during the day) and tell them frankly what you've told me. Much depends on the kind of noise they make, and for how long. Loud music can be turned down. Boisterous guests can be asked to tone down.

Do they party every night or once a week? There are laws against disturbing the peace, you know, but "nice" people shouldn't be forced by law to consider their neighbors.

Everyone has a problem. What's yours? For a personal reply, write to ABBY: Box No. 69700, L.A., Calif. 90069. Enclose stamped, self-addressed envelope, please.



AND IT'S ALMOST PAINLESS—J.D. James of Snyder was one of 27 persons who donated blood Tuesday in a blood drive sponsored by the Snyder Jaycees in cooperation with Blood Services of Lubbock. Blood Services of Lubbock is the agency that supplies blood to Cogdell Memorial Hospital. A total of 20 pints of blood were collected.

Smokers Cut Risks With Low Tar-Nicotine Cigs

COLD SPRINGS HARBOR, N.Y. (AP) — The first "definitive evidence" shows that person who smoke low-tar and low-nicotine cigarettes are less likely to die from lung cancer and coronary disease than other smokers.

However, the American Cancer Society said its analysis showed that death rates among those who smoke cigarettes low in tar and nicotine were still far higher than the death rates of those who never smoked regularly.

The findings were based on an analysis of the deaths of one million men and women over a 12-year period and were reported here Tuesday at a meeting on the "Origins of Human Cancer" at the Cold Springs Harbor Laboratory.

For purposes of the study, "high" tar-nicotine cigarettes were defined as those containing 25.8 to 35.7 milligrams of tar and 2.0 to 2.7 milligrams of nicotine. "Low" tar-nicotine cigarettes included those with less than 17.6 milligrams of tar and less than 1.2 milligrams of nicotine. "Medium" tar-nicotine smokes were defined as those falling between those two groups.

Dr. E. Cuyler Hammond, who presented the findings, said there had been concern that death rates among smokers of low tar and nicotine cigarettes might increase because they would inhale more deeply and thereby take in more carbon monoxide, carbon dioxide and "secret additives."

The survey showed that lung cancer deaths among smokers of "medium" tar-nicotine cigarettes were 10 per cent fewer than among smokers of high residue cigarettes. Lung cancer deaths from "low" tar-nicotine cigarettes were 26 per cent fewer than among high tar-nicotine cigarette smokers.

Corresponding figures for heart disease deaths were 8 per cent fewer for medium tar-nicotine smokers and 14 per cent fewer for low tar-nicotine smokers.

However, persons who smoked up to two packs a day of low residue cigarettes had a higher death rate from lung cancer than those who smoked less than a pack a day of the high tar-nicotine cigarettes. This was true to a lesser degree for heart disease.

"We think it fair to say that switching from high tar and nicotine cigarettes to low tar and nicotine cigarettes was at least a small step in the right direction for those who continued to smoke cigarettes," Hammond said, adding:

"Those who quit smoking fared considerably better."

Hammond also noted that death rates for pipe and cigar smokers are double those for nonsmokers, and pipe and cigar smokers have cancer of the lips, tongue, mouth and esophagus at rates as high, or higher, than cigarette smokers.

Army Declaring War On Squirrels

FT. ORD, Calif. (AP) — The Army is declaring war on millions of California ground squirrels because of concern that the animals may spread bubonic plague.

The problem involves two facilities near Ft. Ord: the 166,000-acre Hunter-Leggitt reservation and 42,000-acre Camp Roberts.

Both posts are overpopulated by the Beechey ground squirrel, one of 11 species of ground squirrels, which look like chipmunks.

Army officials claim they have an emergency on their hands because the population of squirrels, which may harbor fleas that carry bubonic plague, has jumped from 1 million to 10 million since 1972.

No cases of the plague have been reported, but the Army said the ground squirrels still are a problem because they have undermined the land so seriously that an earthen dam collapsed. Army officials say farmers also complain that the ground squirrels eat their crops.

"They have even burrowed into a road junction, through asphalt pavement," Maj. Dan O'Brien, public information officer at Ft. Ord, said Tuesday. "It gives you quite a startle to see their heads sticking up in the middle of the road."

Army officials originally said they wanted to use sodium fluoroacetate, also known as Compound 1080, in the obliteration campaign, which cannot be launched until spring because the animals are about to go into hiberation.

The Army had announced it would seek an exemption from a federal order issued in 1971 which bans use on federal land of poisons, such as Compound 1080, that could be passed from one animal to another.

This plan drew opposition from environmentalists and reached the halls of Congress.

The chairman of the wildlife committee for the Sierra Club's local chapter, Betty Davis, said Compound 1080 had been banned for the "good reason that it is not only highly effective in killing ground squirrels but is violently toxic to other wildlife as well, both directly and indirectly, both game and nongame."

Rep. William Whitehurst, R-Va., has urged President Ford to deny the exemption for the poisioning. Whitehurst, a member of the House Armed Services Committee, said one ounce of Compound 1080 could kill more than 100 humans.

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400 CASES A MONTH UNCOVERED

Vowell Urges Laws To Punish Welfare Frauders

AUSTIN, Tex. (AP)—Commissioner Raymond Vowell says the welfare department uncovers up to 400 cases a month of persons using food stamps illegally, with some even substituting them for money in poker games.

Vowell told a House subcommittee Tuesday he wants the 1977 legislature to enact laws to punish those who misuse the stamps and to protect "abused, neglected and mistreated" elderly.

Vowell said one incident of the misuse of stamps that was not prosecuted, however, occurred as he was stopping for a sandwich at a delicatessen.

He said he noted that a fairly well-dressed man had used stamps to buy food, and Vowell took down his car license. An investigation revealed that the man was a parttime preacher and received as a salary whatever was in the collection plate. Occasionally, he said, members of the congregation put in food stamps, and he used them.

"He promised he wouldn't do it anymore, and we didn't bother him," Vowell said.

Some people, however, are "discounting, trafficking and playing poker with them (food stamps)," Vowell said.

Vowell said there are 9,000 Texans over 100 years of age and up to 90,000 who are over 85.

"These people," Vowell said of the elderly "are exploited and misused and need protection from themselves, as well as others."

He told of an incident where 19 old persons in Jefferson County were "being kept in unsanitary and unsightly" housing and "being ripped off of whatever money" they had.

A bill allowing the state welfare department to intervene in such cases failed in the 1975 legislature, when it was pulled off the "local and consent" calendar twice, Vowell said.

Vowell said that when he tried to learn the objections to the bill, a legislator told him, "In West Texas, if people get welfare, they want it called welfare."

Vowell said 100,000 children already are getting protective services, such as foster care.

Vowell said he also would ask the legislature to enact laws that would:

Eliminate the one-year statute of limitations on paternity suits.

—Prohibit the transfer of assets from one person to another to qualify for medical assistance, such as was done in Dallas when a man gave $30,000 to his daughter and divorced his wife to obtain welfare. "There have been a number of other (such) cases," Vowell said.

—Provide stiffer penalties for welfare fraud.

—Require all welfare fraud cases to be tried in Travis (Austin) County.

—Provide state subsidies for persons who adopt handicapped and emotionally disturbed children, because it is "cheaper than keeping them in a foster home."

—Remove some restrictions against political activities by welfare workers to conform with the federal Hatch Act.

—Provide state funds for state welfare workers or welfare volunteers who are sued in the line of duty, including possible traffic accidents while transporting welfare recipients.

Textbook Panel OKs Dictionary

AUSTIN, Tex. (AP) — A dictionary that drew a tearful protest last month sailed has won approval on the first ballot by the State Textbook Committee.

Random House's College Dictionary got 10 votes—the minimum necessary—on the first vote taken Tuesday on the list of dictionaries considered by the committee.

Nancy Shriber of Austin was one of seven persons last month who protested the dictionary's inclusion of slang expressions for sexual inntercourse, urination, defecation, deviate acts and sex organs.

She began reading a list of the words and definitions to the committee, saying she "wanted to enter these words in the record."

After reciting "bang," "box," "ball," "cock" and several others in their sexual and scatological meanings, she choked up.

"I'm not going to read any more," she sobbed.

The committee, whose recommendations will be voted on by the State Board of Education on Nov. 13, picks five titles on each subject. For the 12th grade dictionary, it gave 15, 14, and 13 votes for three dictionaries and 10 for the Random House book on the first ballot. A fifth dictionary got 10 votes on the second ballot.

School districts are allowed to choose any textbook approved by the state board.

Committee member Paul Bowie of Lubbock said, "If all offensive words are deleted, a lot of the use of the dictionary would be lessened. For example, there is a four-letter word in all of the dictionaries that a lot of people find offensive, and that's 'work'—W-O-R-K."

Dr. Edwin Artmann of Dallas, an educator, made a motion to have the committee on record as saying, "Not all words located in the dictionaries so adopted today or recommended today are suitable for classroom usage."

Other members protested that the committee had adopted books, not words, and that the motion was not specific and could apply to anything.

Only five members of the committee voted for the motion.

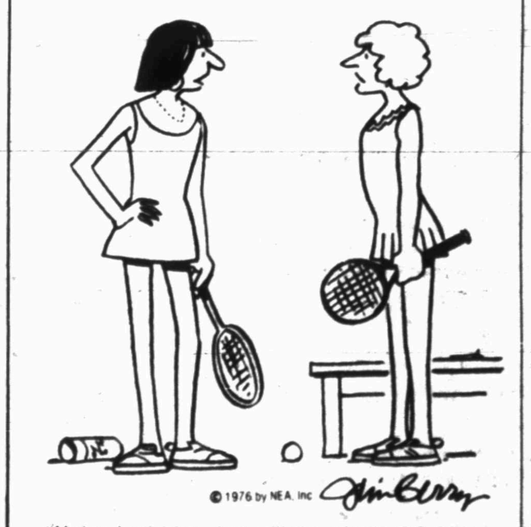
Mayor Will Pay Governor's Ticket

ROCHESTER, N.H. (AP) — Mayor John Shaw says he'll pay the 50-cent parking ticket his police issued to Gov. Meldrim Thomson.

Thomson's campaign secretary, Jay McDuffee, said Monday that Shaw told Thomson he would also write him a letter of apology. McDuffee did not deny the ticket was properly issued.

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