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**TUESDAY**

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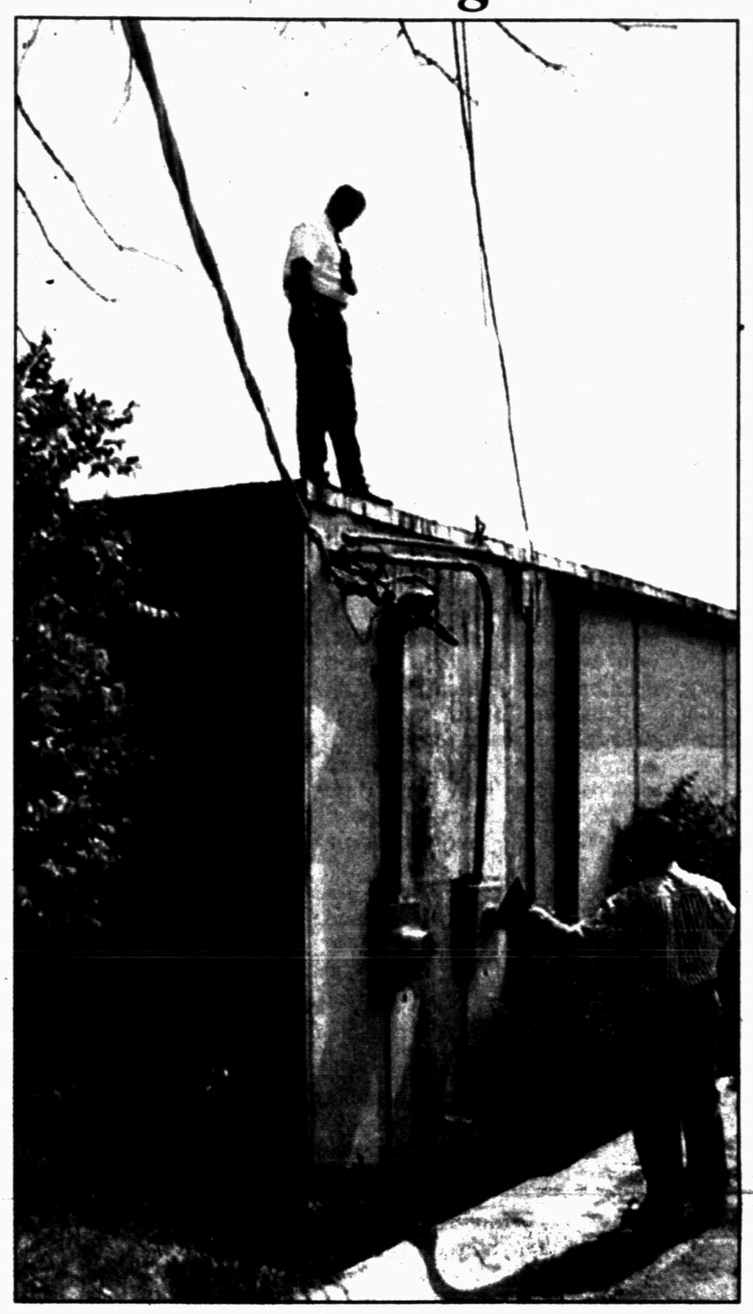
Home of Allison Swigert

## *Break-in investigated...*



**BREAK-IN – Snyder Police Sgt. Brian Haggard stands atop the Movie Stop on College Avenue Monday morning while Sgt. Keith Ward assists him in the investigation of a burglary the night before. Entry was gained through the air conditioning system, and approximately $450 and 60 videos were stolen. (SDN Staff Photo)**

*At 7 this evening...*

# TxDOT sets meeting on College Avenue work

The Texas Department of Transportation and the City of Snyder will host a public meeting at 7 this evening at Snyder Junior High School to discuss the proposed construction on College Avenue.

The proposed project runs from Snyder's south city limits to U.S. Highway 180 (25th Street), a distance of 2.106 miles.

The project consists of adding sidewalks, rehabilitating the existing roadway, treating subgrade, adding storm drains, replacing a bridge, replacing curb and gutter, updating six traffic lights and adding safety improvements.

At this time, the project is scheduled for bid letting in December, at an estimated cost of $4.248 million.

There will be an opportunity for the public to make oral and written comments and to ask questions. TxDOT is seeking input from the citizens on the proposed construction, especially those who live and work along College Avenue, on how to best make this project run smoothly, with the least inconvenience as possible.

Citizens not able to attend the public meeting may submit comments to Mike Molter, TxDot Snyder area engineer, P.O. Box 396 in Snyder.

For questions, call Molter or Joe Dan Jones at 573-0143.

All interested citizens are invited to attend.

# Summer registration continuing at WTC

Registration continues today through Thursday for the first summer sessions at Western Texas College with classes also beginning today.

Students taking night classes register this evening from 6-7:30.

Day classes are offered in a six-week session that runs through July 5, and night classes are offered in a nine-week format continuing through July 26.

A second six-week session will be held July 9 through Aug. 16 with registration beginning July 9.

Summer students register in the college gym where a new one-stop registration process is being tested.

Students traditionally moved from building to building during the process. However, WTC has moved all departments related to registration to the college gym floor in hopes of making the procedure a more systematic process.

In order to register for summer classes, students will enter the south door of the gym and follow the tables, including a section for advisers, to the north door. In doing so, they will have access to everyone involved in the registration process in the same building.

The new method is a trial run for fall semester registration and will be used to identify problems and reduce time and confusion in the overall process.

Both academic and vocational courses are being offered in both the nine-week night class sessions and the six-week day class sessions.

Students need to bring a driver's license, social security card, high school diploma or GED certificate as well as a TASP score and ACT/SAT scores, if available.

In addition, high school students wanting to take college courses this summer need to bring a completed early-admissions form, and transfer students need to bring a college transcript.

## THE SDN COLUMN

By Roy McQueen

**The feller on Deep Creek says, "Science is like politics – so unpredictable. It can get men to the moon, but it can't get rid of pigeons, black birds or black bugs."**

Honorable Dick Cheney
P.O. Box 1721
Washington, D.C. 20013

Dear Mr. Vice President:

I really intended to reply to the president, but since the invitation came over your signature, I decided to risk sending you into cardiac arrest by telling you that I won't be able to make the black-tie Presidential dinner next month at the Washington Convention Center.

I would really like to be there. I voted for both George W. Bush and you. I would have voted for you if you had been on top of the ticket, so please don't be offended that there is a scheduling conflict. I couldn't schedule enough deposits to make the check good.

I appreciate the fact that your letter recognized our "crucial role played" in the 2000 election. Not just every husband can get their roommate to the polls during the lunch hour on the same day as their beauty shop appointment.

Also, I am sure that the SDN's endorsement was major in the GOP carrying the Great State of Texas. The vote was so overwhelming here, no recount was necessary.

Although I hated to miss the first official gathering of the President's closest supporters since the inauguration, the summer is shaping up to be a busy one. In addition to the city council meeting, we have Kids' College underway, not to mention things like golf tournaments and Little League.

Although the $2,500 ticket price had a little to do with it, we're getting used to paying almost two bucks for a gallon of gas and we did pay $35 for a bowl of oatmeal in Los Angeles.

We really intended to bring some friends and have a table of 10 for only $25,000, but the banker said something about warm checks being frowned upon by the authorities. We certainly didn't want a check to bounce around the ballroom and knock some crystal off the table.

And the prospects of having a congressman or senator seated at our table was certainly appealing, but we were disappointed when Sen. Jeffords was no longer available. We're a little confused about it being the first fundraiser since the election, since some gathering up there earlier this month netted $24 million. I feel sure there will be other opportunities. Please keep our name on the list.

I'll be thinking of you as I enjoy a cheese cony from the Sonic that night. In fact, I may even splurge and order a foot-long.

# Farm programs could change

WASHINGTON (AP) — The Democratic takeover of the Senate could speed an overhaul of federal farm programs and shift more money into conservation payments to farmers and ranchers who adopt environmentally friendly practices.

The change in power makes South Dakotan Tom Daschle the majority leader and may put Iowan Tom Harkin in charge of the Senate Agriculture Committee. They are two of Congress' most vocal critics of the 1996 "Freedom to Farm" law that loosened government controls on farmers and lowered price supports.

"This obviously has major implications," said Sen. Kent Conrad, D-N.D., who will become Budget Committee chairman. "It means we will have a more farmer-friendly policy and that movement on rewriting the farm bill will be dramatically speeded up."

Harkin, talking to Iowa reporters last week, promised "significant changes" in farm policy and said "conservation is going to be an integral part of the new farm bill."

Harkin wants the government to pay farmers as much as $50,000 a year for conservation practices that include controlling runoff that fouls lakes and streams, improving wildlife habitat and restoring wetlands.

He also has criticized the fixed annual farm payments that are guaranteed under the 1996 law, supported federal incentives for crop-based fuel additives such as ethanol and pushed for more stringent food-safety measures.

Harkin's conservation program was endorsed earlier this week by two influential farm groups, the National Corn Growers Association and the American Soybean Association.

"That risk we took" in backing Harkin's proposal "suddenly doesn't look as risky," said Bruce Knight, a lobbyist for the corn group.

The 1996 farm law doesn't expire until next year, and Senate Republicans weren't planning to rewrite it before then. But some farm-state Democrats in the Senate want to overhaul it this year, as House Republicans already are moving to do. House Agriculture Committee Chairman Larry Combest, R-Texas, said he hopes to have a new bill ready by the August congressional recess.

Harkin may try to step up the Senate's pace, but regional divisions always make it difficult for lawmakers to agree on farm policy, said Tom Buis, a lobbyist for the National Farmers Union.

Farms in the South, for example, tend to be relatively large and oppose payment caps that have backing in the Midwest. Producers in the West and East who have traditionally had little government support.

# Choir earns gold medals

Three gold medal ratings were earned by Snyder High School choral students in the Texas State Solo and Ensemble Contest Saturday in Austin.

The quartet of Michael Compton, Matt Coronado, Patrick Vantine and Cole McLeod earned a rating of I on its performance of *Poor Man Lazarus.*

Receiving a I rating and a gold medal on solo performances were Matt Coronado and Shannon Chambers.

Students receiving a rating of II and a silver medal were Michael Compton, Patrick Vantine, Cole McLeod, Haley Holmes and Kelli Henderson.

Leslye Starnes received a solo rating of III.

At the state level of competition, the rating of III is equivalent to the rating of I on the regional level. Students also have to receive a I on a Class I solo at the regional level to advance to state.

"All students represented SHS very well this year and we are proud of their performances," said Ronda Haire, choir director.

# Blood drive will be held through Friday

The community blood drive is underway through 7 this evening in the Family Life Center of the First Baptist Church.

On Wednesday, the drive moves to Cogdell where donations will be taken from noon to 5 p.m.

Davidson's IGA will be the location of the drive on Thursday, from 9 a.m. to 1 p.m.

On Friday, donors may give blood at the Dairy Queen at 4301 College Avenue between 11 a.m. and 3 p.m.

All blood donors will receive a KSNY radio All-American donor tee-shirt and will be entered into raffle drawings for various prizes.

Along with the tee-shirt and raffle entry, blood donors receive a mini-physical, including checks on temperature, blood pressure and iron levels.

United Blood Services, the Scurry County Advisory Council and the Cogdell Memorial Hospital Auxiliary sponsor the drive.

## It's going to be a wild west night at the chamber banquet

Tickets remain on sale for the annual Snyder Chamber of Commerce banquet to be held June 12.

Tickets are $12.50 each and may be purchased at the chamber office.

The theme of this year's banquet is "Wild, Wild West" and those attending are asked to wear western attire.

The meal will be catered by Red Barn Barbecue, and Cindy Nix and the Bluff Creek Addition will provide the entertainment.

Several awards will be presented at the banquet, including business of the year and the chamber's choice special award.

## ASK US

**Q—How much of the $1,000 made on the Boy Scout fish-a-thon will stay in Snyder?**

**A—About $400 will be used to send local scouts to camp. Some will be used for camp improvements and other costs.**

## FORECAST - ALMANAC

**Snyder Temps:** High Monday, 89 degrees; low, 72; 7 a.m. Tuesday, 72; trace of precipitation; total for 2001, 7.48 inches.

**Area Forecast:** Tonight, mostly cloudy, 40% rain chance. Low upper 60s, S wind 10-20 mph. Wednesday, partly cloudy, 20% rain chance, high lower 90s, SW wind 10-20 mph.

Aryn May
Cloudy

**Sunset:** 8:42 p.m.
**Sunrise:** 6:42 a.m.
**Of 148 days in 2001, the sun has shone 136 days in Snyder.**

## TODAY'S THOUGHT

**We experience moments absolutely free from worry. These brief respites are called panic.**
**—Cullen Hightower**

MAY 29 2001

# Home dedicated in honor of hero of WWII

BONHAM (AP) — In the name of the World War II pilot who flew his crippled B-17 away from a small British town and gave his crew time to bail out, more veterans will be protected in future years.

Fifty-seven years after Army Air Force 2nd Lt. Clyde W. Cosper's death, many of his acquaintances — some wearing the hats, buttons and uniforms of their units — gathered in Northeast Texas to dedicate the fourth veterans' home in the state to him.

"I can't think of a better day to dedicate a veteran's home than Memorial Day," Land Commissioner David Dewhurst, who also serves as chairman of the Texas Veterans Land Board, said Monday. "He and his fellow veterans protected us from tyranny, often at the cost of their young lives."

Among other Memorial Day observances across the state, about 4,000 people attended a ceremony at Fort Sam Houston National Cemetery in San Antonio. Several hundred more gathered at smaller ceremonies sponsored by the Edgewood and Harlandale school districts.

A Houston ceremony included flyovers by four F-16 fighter jets from the Texas Air National Guard, 147th Fighter Wing, as well as an Apache helicopter from the Texas Army National Guard.

A series of speakers addressed the first Seawolf Park Memorial Day Commemorative Service on Pelican Island to pay homage to veterans.

Community parades and ceremonies were held throughout the Dallas-Fort Worth area. A 21-gun salute and bagpipes were featured in a northeastern Tarrant County ceremony. At the 56th annual Laurel Land Funeral Home & Cemetery service, Vietnam War veteran Sgt. Paul Reed spoke to more than 100 people.

Friends and family of Cosper were aided by Fannin County officials in the effort to have the Clyde W. Cosper Texas State Veterans Home dedicated in the war hero's honor.

"I believe we all owe a bit of gratitude to the men and women that served," said Dewhurst.

Cosper grew up in the Fannin County town of Dodd City, near Bonham and about 70 miles northeast of Dallas.

In November 1943, Cosper and his crew were sent to bomb a Nazi U-boat manufacturing yard. But after they became airborne, the mission was canceled because of turbulent weather.

Winds swept across Cosper's B-17 "Flying Fortress," and a downdraft forced it into a diving spin that started to break it apart.

Cosper fought the controls to level out the bomber and "he rang the buzzer in the (bomb) bay, and the crew bailed out," recalled Chuck Vondracheck, a surviving crew member.

"I bailed out, and the plane floated over atop me," said Vondracheck, of Valley City, N.D.

The plane, still spiraling downward, headed for the small British town of Princes Risborough. Cosper had two choices: Save his own life by bailing out, but leaving the plane to possibly hit the town; or stay aboard and direct the plane away from the town and protect the residents.

Cosper steered "Miriam," the B-17 named after his mother, just over the rooftops of the town and crashed into a nearby vacant field. He died in the explosion, but everyone on the ground was spared.

"I'm sure he could have bailed out if he wanted to," Vondracheck said. "He wanted to park that plane where it wouldn't take anyone's life. He was a hero. No man could go through that without being a hero."

Maureen Knopp, then 11, witnessed the entire episode. She and other residents first feared the incoming plane was a German bomber, until it was close enough for them to identify the U.S. stars on the wings.

"We heard all the guns going off, and the plane was on fire," she recalled. "I ran up to the garden to watch it turning as it came down. It was tipped on its side trying to turn. He managed to just pull it up just over a bungalow.

"He did that for us, and he didn't even know us," Knopp said.

More than four decades later, Knopp began searching for the name of the heroic American pilot from that rainy day in 1943. Although she followed several leads, she was unsuccessful until a fellow passenger on a plane ride to California in 1991 gave her the name of a B-17 enthusiast.

She wrote him a letter, and soon after she learned about Lt. Clyde W. "Sparky" Cosper. And as she discovered, his was a popular story of heroism.

"I was a bit stunned," Knopp said. "It was the fact that I just wanted to know his name, and before I knew where I was, all these people knew all the details. I got all these letters from all over about it."

# S. Boston mulls future without Moakley

BOSTON (AP) — To South Boston residents like Leo Roache, the death of 15-term U.S. Rep. Joseph Moakley is both the passing of a legend and of an era.

"You won't find anyone to replace him. He's the last of the old-style pols," Roache said as he stood outside a video store in South Boston, a working-class enclave of Irish immigrants that Moakley represented.

Moakley, who announced in February that he had an incurable form of leukemia, died Monday at the Bethesda Naval Hospital in suburban Washington. He was 74.

The affable Moakley was the quintessential, old-time Boston Irish politician. After narrowly winning his first congressional election in 1972, he served 15 terms in Congress. He was the top Democrat in the powerful House Rules Committee.

"As a veteran and later a congressman, he served his country and the people of Massachusetts with distinction and honor," President Bush said in a statement. "He was respected by his colleagues on both sides of the aisle and was known for his candor, wit and humility."

Rep. David Dreier, R-Calif., chairman of the House Rules Committee, called Moakley's death "a tremendous loss, personally and professionally.

"He was able to fight vigorously on behalf of deeply rooted principles. But when disagreement arose he was able to separate personality from principle," said Dreier.

Moakley, a World War II Navy veteran, entered the hospital on May 21 for a routine blood transfusion that normally lasts a couple of days. But he remained hospitalized and on Sunday was described as being in grave condition. His family and friends were close by when he died.

"Joe Moakley not only taught us how to live ... he taught us how to die with great class and with great dignity and even with a little humor," said Rep. James McGovern, D-Mass., a former top aide to Moakley, who gave the first public word that Moakley had died.

Speculation as to who might succeed Moakley began shortly after he announced his current term would be his last. Acting Gov. Jane Swift, a Republican, now must call a special election to determine a successor.

At least three Democratic state senators have made exploratory steps, including Stephen Lynch, who is from the same Boston neighborhood as Moakley.

State Sen. Brian Joyce has already filed papers with the Federal Elections Committee to explore a run, and Sen. Marc Pacheco also announced his candidacy after meeting with Moakley.

Other potential candidates are former Boston Mayor Raymond Flynn, and Max Kennedy, the son of Robert F. Kennedy, who recently bought a house in Moakley's 9th congressional district. Both are Democrats.

South Boston residents said Moakley was a neighbor and friend first.

They recalled how Moakley welcomed visitors into his home during Christmas house tours and knew the name of everyone whose hand he shook during the annual St. Patrick's Day parade. He quietly performed favors for constituents who needed a hand or guidance through government bureaucracy.

"He didn't want it to be known," Dianne Augie said. "He didn't want to pat his own back."

During his 28 years in Congress, Moakley spent much of his time in support of local projects such as building the courthouse that bears his name, the $14 billion Big Dig highway project and the multibillion Boston Harbor cleanup.

Moakley's body was to be flown back to Boston on today.

# Two cousins are being investigated in 1988 murder

HOUSTON (AP) — Two cousins have been questioned by law officers in the abduction and slaying of a Texas A&M University-Galveston student, according to a published report.

Sources told the Houston Chronicle in today's editions that circumstantial evidence has linked the pair to the 1988 disappearance of 22-year-old Rene Richerson, whose body was never recovered.

The sources who have been involved in the investigation said evidence against the two men, who are still living in Galveston, has been building since 1997. The suspects have refused to admit involvement in the crime.

Richerson's early-morning disappearance on Oct. 7, 1988, from the lobby of the Casa del Mar hotel-condominiums on Seawall Boulevard, where she worked as a night clerk, occurred in a period of only a few minutes in which no security guards were present. Her purse and schoolbooks were left at the desk.

At least a dozen of the suspects' relatives, friends or acquaintances have told investigators that the men either admitted taking part in the woman's abduction and death or made self-incriminating statements about her death, sources told the newspaper.

The sources said one man told close associates that Richerson was hacked to death and dismembered with a machete and that parts of her body were dumped in different areas of Galveston County.

One of the men submitted as recently as last year to a polygraph test that strongly indicated he had lied when he denied taking part in the crime, according to the sources. A girlfriend of that man reported to police that he had told her he was involved in the abduction, but did not help kill Richerson.

Even so, prosecutors and investigators contend there's insufficient evidence to file charges.

Clyde and Kathy Richerson, the victim's parents, confirmed that Galveston city and county investigators have been convinced for more than two years that the two men killed their daughter.

"There have been numerous family members that have come forward with some information," said Clyde Richerson of the cousins' extended family.

The sources said a third Galveston man believed to have participated in the crime died from a drug overdose in the mid-1990s.

## events

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### RESULTS

**Cash Five**

AUSTIN (AP) — The winning Cash Five numbers drawn Monday by the Texas Lottery:

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

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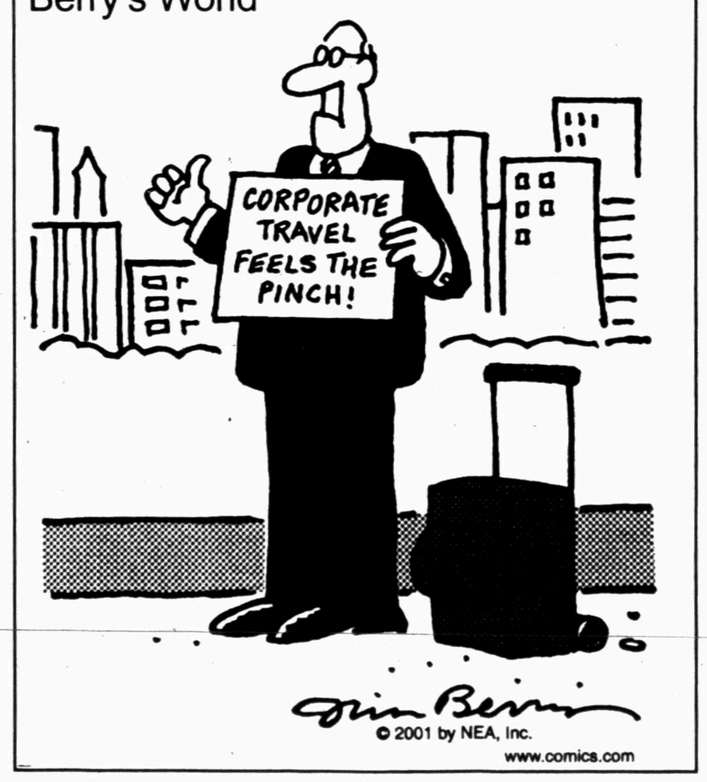


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## Date Book

**Tuesday, May 29, 2001**

Today is the 149th day of 2001 and the 71st day of spring.

**TODAY'S HISTORY:** On this day in 1844, at the Democratic convention in Baltimore, James Polk became the first dark horse candidate for president.

On this day in 1931, Amelia Earhart began the first transcontinental autogiro flight by a woman. She started from Newark, N.J., and landed in Los Angeles on June 7.

On this day in 1972, in Moscow, President Richard Nixon and Soviet leader Leonid Brezhnev released a joint communique. Nixon was the first president of the United States to visit Moscow.

**TODAY'S BIRTHDAYS:** Patrick Henry (1736-1799), American patriot; G.K. Chesterton (1874-1936), writer; Oswald Spengler (1880-1936), writer; Bob Hope (1903-), comedian, is 98; T.H. White (1906-1964), writer; John F. Kennedy (1917-1963), U.S. president; Al Unser (1939-), auto racer, is 62.

**TODAY'S SPORTS:** On this day in 1973, Gordon Johncock won the Indianapolis 500.

**TODAY'S QUOTE:** "There is a great man who makes every man feel small. But the real great man is the man who makes every man feel great." — G.K. Chesterton

**TODAY'S MOON:** First quarter.

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READERS RECOGNIZED — Students earning at least 120 AR points at Stanfield Elementary included (from left) bottom row, Xaylee Northcutt, Garrett Snyder, Brandon Medrano, Shanerica McGaha, Savanah Valdez, Brook Bollinger, Kaitlin Bass; top row, Christopher Johnston, Ana Cabrera, Roxanna Arellano, Liliana Hernandez, Lucero Espinoza, Lyndsie Dunson and Ashleigh Jenkins. (Staff Photo by Jo Ann Nunley)

GARDEN CLUB OFFICERS — Patsy Huckabee installed 2001-2003 officers for Snyder Garden Club in the home of BeBe Boren. From left, seated, are Huckabee; Betty Wood, president; Gertrude League, first vice president; Gussie Gray, parliamentarian; standing, Sandra Browning, third vice president; Boren, second vice president; Pam Jones, recording secretary; Maribeth Vestal, corresponding secretary; Jo Ann Nunley, reporter; Anna Sears, historian; and not pictured, LaVerne Hood, treasurer. (Contributed Photo)

# Community Calendar

**TUESDAY**

Overeaters Anonymous, Park Club in Winston Park, 37th & Ave. M; for more information call 574-1254, 573-8322 or 573-3733; 6:30 p.m.

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

AA Beginner's Meeting-Open; Snyder Park Club, 1212 37th Street; 7 p.m.

New Horizons AA, closed meeting; Park Club; for information call 573-4048,; 8 p.m.

Al-Anon; Park Club in Winston Park, 37th and Ave. M; for more information call 573-4203, 573-8626, 573-2101 or 573-0695; 8 p.m.

TOPS TX56 (take off pounds sensibly); weigh-in and meeting 5 to 6 p.m.; 2501 35th. For more information call Phillis Leatherwood at 573-6105.

**WEDNESDAY**

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

Spiritual Solutions for Living Problems Book Study; Snyder Park Club; 6 p.m.

Just For Today NA, open meeting; Park Club; for information, call 573-8018; 8 p.m.

**THURSDAY**

Al-Anon brown bag; Park Club in Winston Park; for information call 573-2101 or 573-0695; noon to 1 p.m.

Horseshoe Pitching For Fun; horseshoe courts located at the coliseum; everybody welcome, for further information call 573-9762.

Rock and Roll Quilting Club evening meeting; Hermleigh Community Center; for more information call 863-2426; 6:30 p.m.

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

New Horizons AA, closed meeting; for information call 573-4048; 8 p.m.

Nuestra Nueva Esperanza AA; Park Club; for information call 573-8626; 8 p.m.

**FRIDAY**

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

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

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

Cornelius-Dodson House; open by appointment, call 573-0538 or 573-0770.

Scurry County AA closed meeting; Park Club in Winston Park; for information call 573-9458; 8 p.m.

Al-Anon open meeting; Park Club; 8 p.m.

**SATURDAY**

Just For Today NA open meeting; Park Club; for information call 573-0949 or 573-8018; 7 p.m.

**SUNDAY**

Scurry County AA open meeting; Park Club in Winston Park; for information call 573-9458; 10 a.m.

## Promotes record

RENO, Nev. (AP) — Lila McCann had a new record label. She also had a new album and single to promote. Plus, everybody was in Nashville for the American Country Music awards.

But it was also time to leave her cramped home in Los Angeles.

McCann had to fly to Nashville for the May 9 awards and to promote her third CD "Complete," which is set for release June 26. In her absence, her manager, Kasey Walker, took over.

"While I was gone, she moved my stuff," McCann said.

# Bridge

**By Phillip Alder**

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Monday, May 28, 2001

## On Memorial Day, a look back

**By Phillip Alder**

As you well know, this is Memorial Day. Great Britain declared war on Germany on Sept. 3, 1939, so I looked in the September 1939 issue of The Bridge World for a deal and found this one.

At the annual Asbury Park tournament in New Jersey, which was to become the Summer Nationals (and move around the United States and Canada), Helen Sobel and Sally Young retained their Women's Pairs title, aided by this deal.

West led the diamond king, which Sobel ducked. (She wanted to stop West from reaching East's hand with the diamond jack to get off a later endplay.) Now the unnamed West defended very well, cashing the heart ace before continuing with a second diamond. (If West plays a diamond at trick two, Sobel cashes two top trumps, then exits with the heart king. West must let declarer into the dummy to take the winning club finesse.)

Sobel cashed the spade ace, then continued with a low spade. This endplayed West, who had to put declarer into the dummy for that vital club finesse.

West missed her chance. Under the spade ace, she had to unblock the queen. Then the contract would have failed. Unable to reach the dummy, declarer would have lost one trick in each suit.

Sonny Moyse described the deal in the magazine. He ended the analysis about unblocking the spade queen by saying: "This, however, was asking a bit too much of any woman — or man — in the West position."

Go to www.bridgeworld.com for information about The Bridge World. The Web site contains material for players at all levels.

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## Weds in hospital

BALTIMORE (AP) — Her broken arm was in a sling, her bridesmaid and matron of honor were in wheelchairs.

But Kellie Shaughnessy went ahead with her wedding anyway, tying the knot in a tiny hospital chapel two days after she and three members of her wedding party were seriously injured in a car accident.

About 25 of the 85 people originally invited to the wedding were able to squeeze into the chapel for the 10-minute service.

"They're all lucky. We feel so blessed," said Rebecca Fitzgerald, the mother of the bridegroom.

The crash happened Friday when a 19-year-old man made a U-turn and hit a minivan, sending it into the opposite lane, where it hit a sport-utility vehicle carrying the wedding party.

LIONS DONATE TO MUSEUM — Snyder Lions Club donated $200 for the general operation of Scurry County Museum. Lion president Mike Hartman made the presentation to museum director Charlene Akers. Akers said the museum would be open from 8 a.m. to 5 p.m. Monday through Thursday through the summer. (Staff Photo by Jo Ann Nunley)

## Bruce Springsteen is guest at rock club

ASBURY PARK, N.J. (AP) — A legendary Jersey Shore rock club had a special guest at its birthday party over the weekend: Bruce Springsteen.

The Boss made a surprise appearance Sunday night before about 2,500 fans at the Stone Pony in Asbury Park.

The show, which marked the one-year anniversary of the club's reopening, featured another shore favorite, Southside Johnny and Asbury Jukes, and rocker Graham Parker.

Springsteen showed up on stage at about 8:40 p.m. and performed with the band and Parker for about an hour.

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**Remembering Sacrifices And Finding Life**

Memorial Day has passed and with it another day of remembering. It is important that as a country we take time to remember those who have given the ultimate sacrifice for us. Our freedom and the opportunity we have to pursue what is best in life is unique in the world. That freedom was purchased with the blood of thousands. We owe a great deal to those who sacrificed themselves so we could seek out what is best in life.

For those who died in the service of our country, there were many reasons for their sacrifice. Some gave themselves primarily out of a sense of duty and honor. For others it was their family that they had in mind. They died so that they could protect their family and the world of their family. There was also a commitment to the American way of life that lived in the heart of thousands of soldiers. It is this commitment that should make all of us pause and think. How do we use freedom? This is the biggest way that we honor or dishonor those who have given their lives for our opportunities. It would have been a small comfort to soldiers to know that they would be remembered. It is certainly right that we do so, but in the end, they died for their families, friends and country so that they might live and live well.

What is the key to life and living well? Jesus pointed to the principal of unselfish sacrifice and service as the real key. He said:

> If anyone would come after me, he must deny himself and take up his cross and follow me. For whoever wants to save his life will lose it, but whoever loses his life for me will find it. What good will it be for a man if he gains the whole world, yet forfeits his soul?

Matthew 16:24-26

Jesus call us to make the same choice in life that soldiers have made in death. He calls upon us to give up our comfort, our desires, and our life to follow him and live the life He wants us to live. In doing that we will be giving ourselves to others. In doing that we will find life. In finding life, we truly honor those who gave themselves for our freedom.

Dale Huff

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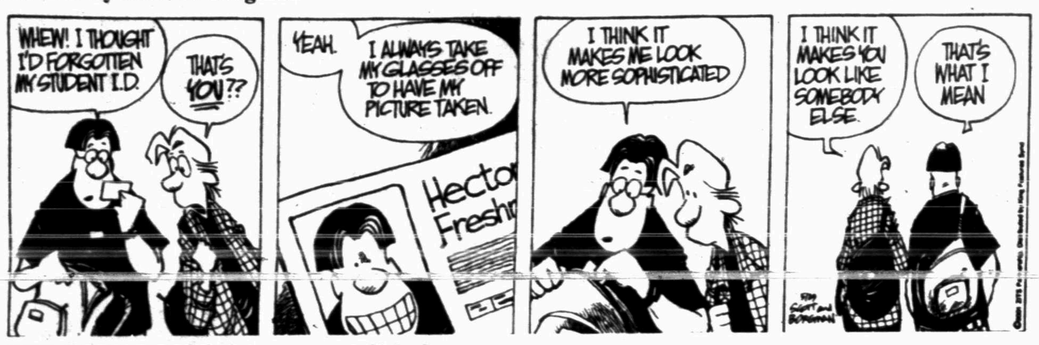


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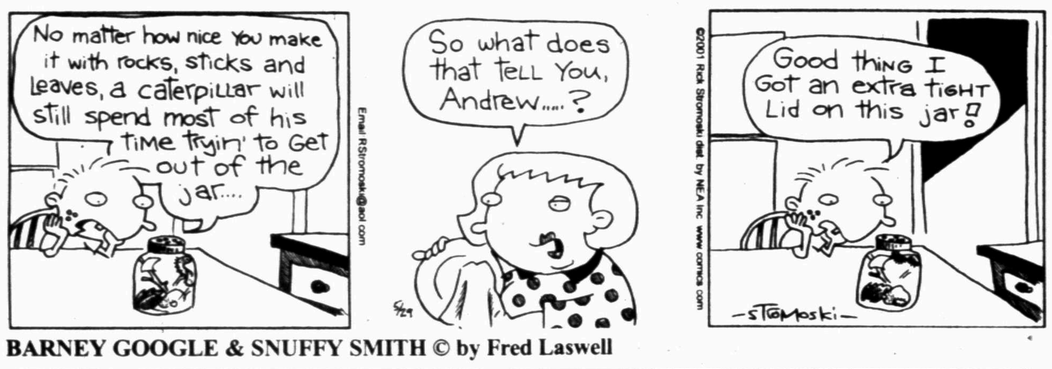


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## NEA Crossword Puzzle

**ACROSS**

1 Beethoven's "Moonlight —"
7 Actress Elke
13 One who alters garments
14 Like some jackets
15 Over-adorned
16 New York Indian
17 Jacob's son
18 Be ill
20 Video-game movie
21 More foxy
23 Ballroom dance
27 Not precise
32 Violinist Stern
33 Red-hot piece of coal
34 Gather (cloth) into folds
35 Laissez- —
36 Like some pleasures
39 Former senator Kefauver
40 Distance runner
42 Applies frosting to
46 Baseball stat.
47 Poetic foot
51 Its symbol is Na
53 Ship's kitchen
55 Inherent
56 Rock salt
57 Sailor
58 Takes a sip

**DOWN**

1 Colonnade
2 Rowers' tools
3 Baseball team number
4 Wing-shaped
5 Toddler
6 Of a zone
7 Like a fence's goods
8 Possess
9 Bump into
10 Israel's Golda —
11 Taro root
12 Actor O'Neal
19 Roman 3
21 Triangular bone of the pelvis
22 Short jacket
23 Hissing sound
24 Tennis pro Arthur —
25 Principal
26 Saloons
28 Dec. holiday
29 Not much (2 wds.)
30 Wax
31 Three (Sp.)
37 Male pilots
38 Atty.'s deg.
41 Number of hours in a workday, usually
42 Egyptian goddess
43 Ice-cream holder
44 Writer Ferber
45 Where Anna taught
47 Infinities
48 Disembarked
49 Allot
50 Casual farewells
52 Actress Hagen
54 Drivers' org.

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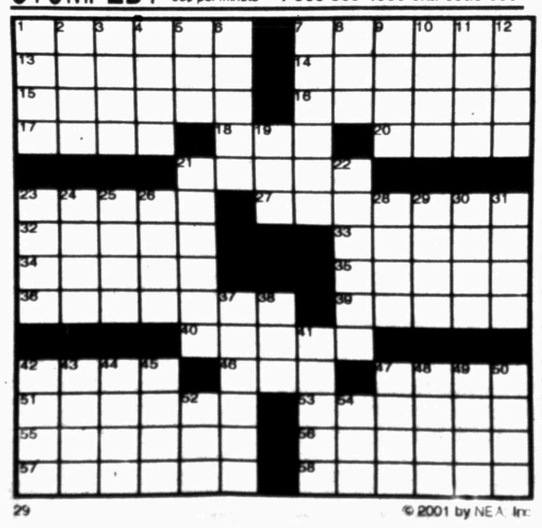

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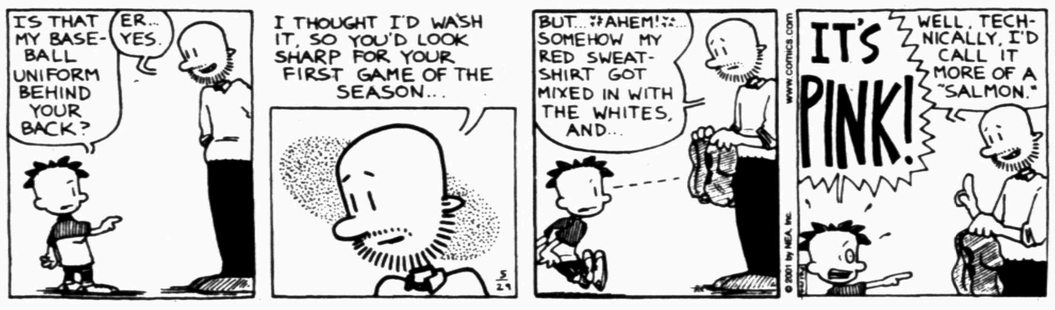


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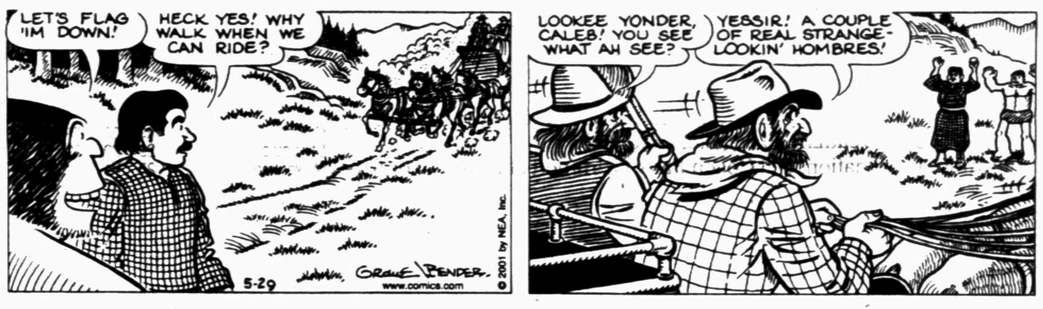


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# SPORTS

# Tigers earn 4-4A baseball honors

Five Snyder Tigers earned first team all-district baseball honors, and two more were second team selections after a season in which the Tigers fell short of the playoffs.

Sophomore Tyler Pollard was named District 4-4A's newcomer of the year along with Lake View's Ezekial Franklin.

Pollard

Pollard platooned at catcher and served as the Tigers' designated hitter when called upon.

Junior Tito Alaniz was one of only six pitchers named to the squad. The left-handed ace of the Tigers' staff finished the season with an ERA of 1.20.

Earning first team honors were senior catcher Ralph Ramon, senior third baseman Jesse Haines and junior right fielder Brandon McGuire.

Ramon, who also split time on the mound with Alaniz, flourished in the Tigers' lead-off spot, while Haines and McGuire consistently held the top two batting averages on the team.

Second team honors went to junior first baseman Michael Pendleton and sophomore shortstop Billy Pena.

Frenship senior Ken Bice was named most valuable player.

**4-4A ALL-DISTRICT**

**Most valuable player:** Ken Bice, Sr., Frenship

**Newcomer of the year:** Tyler Pollard, Soph., Snyder; Ezekial Franklin, Soph., Lake View

**Pitchers:** Tito Alaniz, Jr., Snyder; Jesse Rodriguez, Soph., Levelland; Brock Jones, Jr., Andrews; Clint Bammert, Sr., Big Spring; David Lankford, Sr., Lake View; Kris Kelley, Soph., Frenship

**First Team**

**Catcher:** Ralph Ramon, Sr., Snyder; Jacob Johns, Sr., Plainview; Ryan Guinn, Sr., Big Spring

**First base:** Marco Rodriguez, Sr., Frenship

**Second base:** Chad Nesteby, Soph., Frenship; Aaron Longoria, Sr., Plainview

**Third base:** Jesse Haines, Sr., Snyder; Kevin Noles, Sr., Levelland; Simon Delacruz, Sr., Andrews

**Shortstop:** Bryan Moore, Sr., Frenship; Chance McMillan, Sr., Plainview; Lee Morrison, Sr., Lake View

**Outfield:** Brandon McGuire, Jr., Snyder; Jeff Sutton, Sr., Frenship; Jason Choate, Sr., Big Spring; Brady Haygood, Jr., Andrews; Pernell Upshaw, Sr., Estacado

**Designated hitter:** David Rios, Sr., Lake View; Mike Smith, Jr., Big Spring

**Utility player:** Tyson Dever, Sr., Andrews; Jon McKinnon, Jr., Big Spring

**Second Team**

**Catcher:** Brett Dunlap, Jr., Frenship; Adrian Trevino, Jr., Andrews

**First base:** Michael Pendleton, Jr., Snyder; Aaron Olague, Sr., Big Spring

**Second base:** Eric Carranza, Soph., Estacado

**Third base:** Blake Callaway, Jr., Frenship; Juan Salazar, Jr., Plainview; Ragan Phillips, Jr., Big Spring

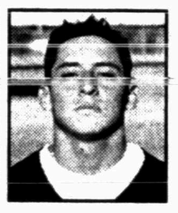
**Shortstop:** Billy Pena, Soph., Snyder; Derrick Boggs, Jr., Levelland; Juan Payan, Sr., Andrews

**Outfield:** Greg Howe, Sr., Levelland; Matt Owen, Jr., Lake View; Kelly Kerbo, Sr., Plainview; Jimmy Mitchell, Jr., Andrews

**Designated hitter:** Keith Upshaw, Jr., Estacado

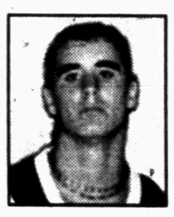
**Utility player:** Joe Shaw, Jr., Estacado; Rory Weatherford, Jr., Lake View

Alaniz



Ramon

Haines



McGuire

# Court goes against PGA Tour

WASHINGTON (AP) — Disabled golfer Casey Martin has a legal right to ride in a cart between shots at PGA Tour events, the Supreme Court said today.

In a 7-2 ruling with implications for other pro sports, the justices ruled that a federal disability-bias law requires the pro golf tour to waive its requirement that players walk the course during tournaments. That rule is not fundamental to the game of golf, the court said.

In the majority opinion, Justice John Paul Stevens said Congress intended for an organization like the PGA Tour to give consideration to disabled golfers. Martin has a circulatory disorder in his right leg that makes it difficult for him to walk the course.

Lawmakers intended that such organizations "carefully weigh the purpose, as well as the letter" of its rules before rejecting requests of disabled golfers gets out of hand.

Justice Antonin Scalia wrote the dissent, joined by fellow conservative Justice Clarence Thomas.

"In my view today's opinion exercises a benevolent compassion that the law does not place it within our power to impose," he said.

The 1990 Americans with Disabilities Act bans discrimination against the disabled in public accommodations, including golf courses and entertainment sites. The law requires "reasonable modifications" for disabled people unless such changes would fundamentally alter the place or event.

That law applies to professional sports events when they are held at places of public accommodation, the justices said.

The decision upholds a lower court ruling that ordered the PGA Tour to let Martin use a cart.

# Yorks take top prize at automobile show

DALLAS — Weeks of cleaning and detailing paid off for Vonda and Wayne York at the Super Chevy Show at Texas Motorplex.

The Yorks' 2000 Camaro SS won first place in the stock class at the annual competition, which hosts approximately 55 cars.

"We spent a week working on the car, before we ever left for Dallas," Wayne said. "Everything has to be absolutely spotless."

Once they arrived at the show, even more work had to be done.

"On our way up there, we hit a lot of bugs," said Vonda. "Right after we pulled up, the judge came by to see the car so we had to ask him for a few minutes to get ready."

The Yorks have entered other vehicles in the event, but this year is the first time they have walked away with top honors.

"We were runner-up with a different car a few years ago," Wayne stated. "But this is the first time we've won it. We plan on taking this car back next year. There's some prestige when you come back with the winning car, but also some pressure. The judge will really look it over, so it will have to be perfect."

# Playoff decides SCC tourney

After a three-way logjam at the top of the leader board, it took a scorecard playoff to decide the winners of the Memorial Day Scramble at Snyder Country Club.

R.J. Kidd, Jack Whitworth, Mike McLeod and Johnny Eicke fired a 63, then held off two other squads to win Monday's 18-hole event.

The runner-up spot went to Ben Greene, David Nicholson, James Barnhill and Juanita Hester, who also carded a 63.

Taking third place after the playoff was Billy Wayne Harris, Missy Jones, Bear Hardin and Don Sealy.

Jay Pollard, Jesse Butts, John Carmichael and Vicky Carmichael tallied a 64 to earn fourth place.

HOT ROD — Vonda and Wayne York stand beside their 2000 Chevrolet Camaro SS that won first place in the stock class at the Super Chevy Show in Dallas. (SDN Staff Photo)

## Sports Briefs

### Volleyball camp

Snyder volleyball camp is scheduled for July 16-19 from 9 a.m. until noon each day. Incoming fifth through ninth grade girls are eligible, and cost is $40. Deadline to register is July 13.

For more information, call Coach Patty Grimmett at 573-9416 or 575-1785. If no answer, leave a message.

### Men's softball

Snyder Men's Softball League is holding registration through Friday. For more information, call 573-8842, 573-6862 or 573-4332.

### Strength, conditioning camp

Snyder Tiger strength and conditioning camps are scheduled for this summer at the SHS field house. The first session begins Monday and runs through June 29. The session is July 2-31.

Incoming 10th-12th graders meet at 7:30 a.m., followed by incoming 7th-9th graders at 10:30. Cost is $25 per session, or $40 for both. For more information, call the SHS field house at 574-6039.

### Volleyball tournament

A volleyball tournament to benefit SHS tennis player Horacio DePaz is scheduled for Saturday at Towle Park. Cost is $50 per team, and T-shirts will be awarded to the top two squads.

DePaz is raising money to participate in the People to People Sports Ambassadors Program tennis tournament in Australia. For more information, call 573-0889 or 573-5248.

### Ira basketball camp

The Ira Bulldog Basketball Camp will be held June 12-15 from 9 a.m. until noon. All incoming third through seventh grade boys and girls are eligible, and cost is $40. To register, call Coach Bubba Edwards at 573-2227.

### Tuesday scramble and all-day MGA

The Men's Golf Association of Snyder Country Club holds its weekly scramble at 5:30 p.m. each Tuesday.

Also, an all-day MGA event will be held each Thursday.

### WGA play day

The Women's Golf Association of Snyder Country Club will hold its weekly play day at 9 a.m. Wednesday. Format this week is bingle, bangle, bungle.

### Williams out in first round

PARIS (AP) — Venus Williams was beaten in the first round of the French Open, losing in straight sets to Barbara Schett.

Williams, seeded second, lost 6-4, 6-4 to the Austrian on opening day at the Grand Slam event, not long after the ouster of fifth-seeded Amelie Mauresmo at Roland Garros.

Mauresmo's big plans for the French Open ended with a 7-5, 7-5 loss to Jana Kandarr. Mauresmo has won four titles this year. No. 9 Nathalie Tauziat also lost.

Among the men, defending champion Gustavo Kuerten defeated Guillermo Coria 6-1, 7-5, 6-4. No. 12 Arnaud Clement and No. 15 Jan-Michael Gambill were the only two seeded men to fall.

No. 7 Yevgeny Kafelnikov and Lleyton Hewitt also advanced.

Also advancing to the second round were No. 4 Juan Carlos Ferrero, No. 11 Tim Henman, and No. 14 Thomas Enqvist. Andy Roddick, an 18-year-old American, won his first match at Roland Garros in straight sets. Michael Chang also made it to the second round.

No. 7 Elena Dementieva was the highest-seeded woman to advance. No. 15 Jelena Dokic and No. 12 Kim Clijsters advanced.

### Marlins fire manager

PITTSBURGH (AP) — John Boles was fired as manager of the Florida Marlins, replaced on an interim basis by Hall of Famer Tony Perez.

The move came one day after relief pitcher Dan Miceli blasted Boles and his coaching staff for their lack of major league playing experience.

## Major League Baseball

**National League**
**All Times EDT**

| East Division | W | L | Pct | GB |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| Philadelphia | 31 | 18 | .633 | — |
| Atlanta | 25 | 25 | .500 | 6½ |
| Florida | 22 | 27 | .449 | 9 |
| New York | 22 | 29 | .431 | 10 |
| Montreal | 20 | 31 | .392 | 12 |
| **Central Division** | W | L | Pct | GB |
| Chicago | 29 | 20 | .592 | — |
| St. Louis | 29 | 20 | .592 | — |
| Milwaukee | 25 | 24 | .510 | 4 |
| Houston | 24 | 24 | .500 | 4½ |
| Cincinnati | 20 | 30 | .400 | 9½ |
| Pittsburgh | 17 | 32 | .347 | 12 |
| **West Division** | W | L | Pct | GB |
| Arizona | 29 | 22 | .569 | — |
| Los Angeles | 29 | 22 | .569 | — |
| San Diego | 26 | 24 | .520 | 2½ |
| San Francisco | 26 | 25 | .510 | 3 |
| Colorado | 25 | 26 | .490 | 4 |

**Monday's Games**

Philadelphia 5, N.Y. Mets 3, 10 innings
Chicago Cubs 9, Cincinnati 6, 13 innings
St. Louis 6, Milwaukee 2
Arizona 2, San Francisco 1, 12 innings
Los Angeles 11, Colorado 10, 11 innings
Pittsburgh 8, Florida 5
Atlanta 5, Montreal 3, 7½ innings, rain

**Tuesday's Games**

Florida (Burnett 2-2) at Pittsburgh (Anderson 3-3), 7:05 p.m.
Chicago Cubs (Bere 3-2) at Cincinnati (Fernandez 5-3), 7:05 p.m.
Philadelphia (Daal 6-0) at N.Y. Mets (Appier 3-5), 7:10 p.m.
Montreal (Blank 0-0) at Atlanta (Perez 2-4), 7:35 p.m.
Milwaukee (Sheets 4-4) at St. Louis (Matthews 2-0), 8:10 p.m.
Houston (Bottenfield 2-3) at San Diego (Jarvis 2-4), 10:05 p.m.
Colorado (Bohanon 1-4) at Los Angeles (Brown 6-2), 10:10 p.m.
Arizona (Reynoso 1-4) at San Francisco (Estes 4-2), 10:15 p.m.

**Wednesday's Games**

Montreal (Vazquez 4-5) at Atlanta (Maddux 4-4), 1:05 p.m.
Philadelphia (Person 4-4) at N.Y. Mets (Reed 5-2), 1:10 p.m.
Florida (Penny 4-0) at Pittsburgh (Schmidt 1-2), 7:05 p.m.
Chicago Cubs (Lieber 4-3) at Cincinnati (Reitsma 2-4), 7:05 p.m.
Milwaukee (Levrault 1-1) at St. Louis (Benes 3-3), 8:10 p.m.
Houston (Miller 6-2) at San Diego (Serrano 2-1), 10:05 p.m.
Colorado (Hampton 7-1) at Los Angeles (Park 5-4), 10:10 p.m.
Arizona (Ellis 3-2) at San Francisco (Hernandez 3-7), 10:15 p.m.

**American League**
**All Times EDT**

| East Division | W | L | Pct | GB |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| New York | 29 | 21 | .580 | — |
| Boston | 27 | 22 | .551 | 1½ |
| Toronto | 25 | 25 | .500 | 4 |
| Baltimore | 24 | 25 | .490 | 4½ |
| Tampa Bay | 14 | 36 | .280 | 15 |
| **Central Division** | W | L | Pct | GB |
| Minnesota | 32 | 16 | .667 | — |
| Cleveland | 31 | 17 | .646 | 1 |
| Detroit | 22 | 26 | .458 | 10 |
| Chicago | 19 | 29 | .396 | 13 |
| Kansas City | 18 | 32 | .360 | 15 |
| **West Division** | W | L | Pct | GB |
| Seattle | 37 | 12 | .755 | — |
| Oakland | 24 | 25 | .490 | 13 |
| Anaheim | 23 | 26 | .469 | 14 |
| Texas | 18 | 31 | .367 | 19 |

**Monday's Games**

Detroit 12, Cleveland 6
Texas 6, Baltimore 3
Seattle 13, Kansas City 3
Anaheim 3, Tampa Bay 1
N.Y. Yankees 4, Boston 3
Chicago White Sox 6, Toronto 3

**Tuesday's Games**

Cleveland (Burba 7-2) at Detroit (Santos 1-1), 7:05 p.m.
Toronto (Carpenter 4-2) at Chicago White Sox (K.Wells 1-1), 8:05 p.m.
Kansas City (Suzuki 2-3) at Texas (Helling 2-6), 8:35 p.m.
Minnesota (Milton 5-3) at Anaheim (Ortiz 3-4), 10:05 p.m.
Baltimore (Roberts 5-3) at Seattle (Garcia 4-0), 10:05 p.m.
Tampa Bay (Sturtze 1-4) at Oakland (Lidle 0-3), 10:05 p.m.

**Wednesday's Games**

Tampa Bay (Lopez 3-5) at Oakland (Mulder 6-2), 3:35 p.m.
N.Y. Yankees (Mussina 5-4) at Boston (Martinez 6-1), 7:05 p.m.
Cleveland (Wright 0-0) at Detroit (Holt 4-3), 7:05 p.m.
Toronto (Loaiza 4-5) at Chicago White Sox (Baldwin 2-3), 8:05 p.m.
Kansas City (Reichert 4-4) at Texas (Mahomes 3-3), 8:35 p.m.
Minnesota (Mays 6-3) at Anaheim (Rapp 1-4), 10:05 p.m.
Baltimore (Mercedes 1-6) at Seattle (Halama 3-4), 10:05 p.m.

## NBA Playoffs

**All Times EDT**
**Conference Finals**
**(Best-of-7)**

**Sunday, May 27**
L.A. Lakers 111, San Antonio 82, L.A. Lakers win series 4-0

**Monday, May 28**
Philadelphia 89, Milwaukee 83, series tied 2-2

**Wednesday, May 30**
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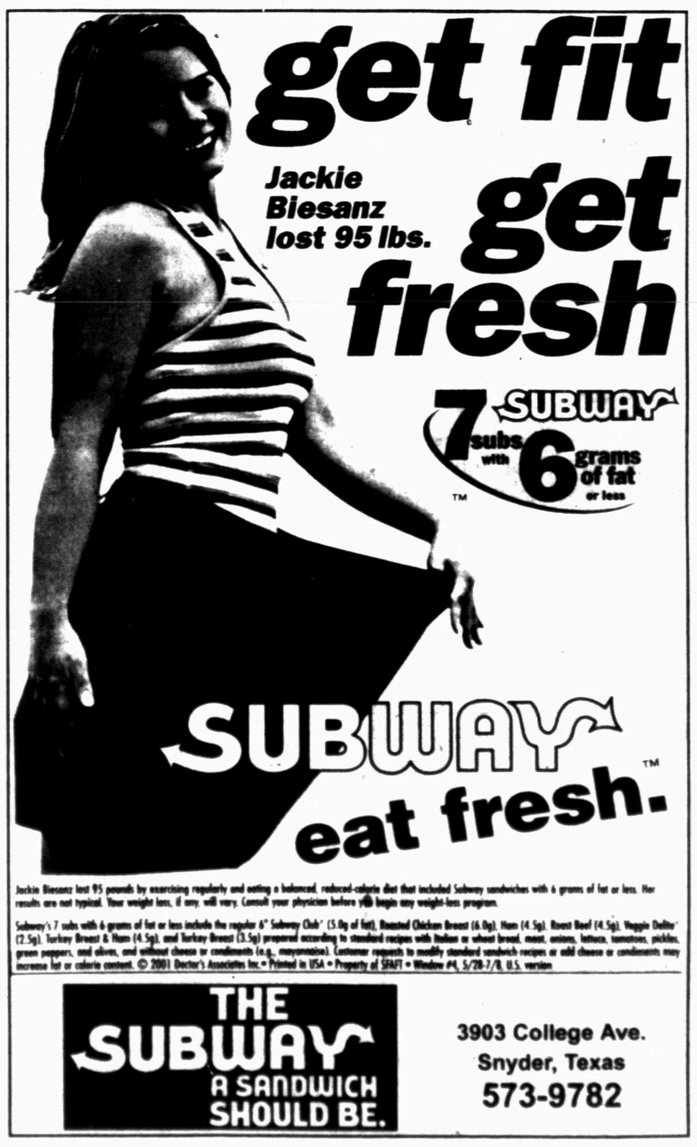


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# Tornado strikes Colorado town

ELLICOTT, Colo. (AP) — Dozens of residents of a sparsely populated town in southern Colorado spent the night in a local church after a tornado crushed trailer homes, sprayed hail and injured 18 people.

"We just hit the floor in the living room and covered the kids and the tornado hit," said Trish Davidson, whose mobile home was lifted into the air and dropped some 10 feet from its foundation.

Seventeen people were treated for an array of injuries at Memorial Hospital in Colorado Springs, less than 20 miles to the west. Another woman was brought to Penrose Community Hospital with bruises and a broken shoulder and toe.

The storm moved in shortly after dinner time Monday and destroyed at least seven trailer homes and ripped the roof off Ellicott High School, which had already closed after the end of the school year.

People had to be evacuated from the area because part of the roof hit a large propane tank, ripping the valve off and starting a leak. Crews were still trying to plug the leak early today.

Davidson and about 30 other people spent the night in the basement of the Ellicott United Methodist Church. Power was out to the church and much of the surrounding area.

The storm dumped about six inches of hail, some as large as nickels, on Ellicott. The hail had mostly melted away several hours after the tornado moved through.

El Paso County Sheriff John Anderson said it would be impossible to assess damage until later today. Ellicott is a flat area, with only about 4,600 people in the 145-mile square area.

Trees were knocked down and bricks littered the area, and some neighborhoods were evacuated because of the danger from propane tanks blown loose from their pipes.

Missie Long and her great-grandmother, Ella May Burnham, took shelter in their milk barn. The tornado blew over a horse barn, but their home was spared.

"We looked over and saw the trailer park disappear and that's when we decided we better skedaddle," Burnham said. "We are just real thankful we all got through this alive."

Karen Krause said she saw the storm from the front doorway of her double-wide trailer in Ellicott, about 17 miles from Colorado Springs. She said it came with no warning as darkness fell.

"It busted windows out of my husband's truck, 20 feet from the house," she said.

On the Net:
National Weather Service: http://iwin.nws.noaa.gov
Intellicast: http://www.intellicast.com

# Dr. Gott

**By Peter Gott, M.D.**

## *Hair dye may cause bladder cancer*

**DEAR DR. GOTT:** I recently lost my wife to advanced bladder cancer. The doctors believed that her illness was the direct result of hair dye. Is such a thing possible?

**DEAR READER:** According to a recent article in the International Journal of Cancer, women who use permanent hair dyes experience more than twice the risk of bladder cancer, in comparison to non-users. In addition, hairdressers had a five-fold increase. (No cancer risk was found in women who used semi-permanent or temporary dyes.) The reason for this association is believed to be a chemical reaction involving aromatic diamines. Your wife's doctors were probably correct in their conclusion. This finding should certainly act as a wake-up call for both beauticians and woman who use potent dyes to color their hair.

**DEAR DR. GOTT:** I have an embarrassing problem: From time to time I must manually remove fecal matter from my rectum. Is this procedure harmful? If and when I become incapacitated, can medical personnel do it for me? I'm too ashamed to ask my own doctor these questions.

**DEAR READER:** As people age, modify their diets and become less physically active, they often become constipated. This situation can readily progress to impaction, when a person is unable to expel a large mass of fecal matter that becomes trapped in the rectum. In this case, the feces must be broken up manually before they can be passed. The procedure is harmless but unpleasant. However, doctors, nurses and medical attendants are generally well-versed in the technique.

Prevention is the key. Speak to your doctor about ways to avoid impaction. Your options include: more dietary roughage and bran, stool softeners, mild laxatives (a daily 8-ounce glass of hot prune juice often works well), suppositories or — in a pinch — enemas. You needn't feel ashamed about sharing your concerns with your doctor. He or she is trained to respond to this kind of challenge.

**To give you related information, I am sending you a copy of my Health Report "Constipation and Diarrhea." Other readers who would like a copy should send $2 plus a long, self-addressed, stamped envelope to P.O. Box 2017, Murray Hill Station, New York, NY 10156. Be sure to mention the title.**

**DEAR DR. GOTT:** Last year, I had an aortic aneurysm repaired in my lower abdomen. What effect, if any, will the Dacron prosthesis have on my longevity? My doctor assures me it will last as long as I do, which is really no answer at all.

**DEAR READER:** The prosthesis used to replace the diseased and dilated portion of your aorta will last almost indefinitely. During the operation, the ballooned-out segment of your lower aorta, which carries blood to your lower extremities, was replaced by a synthetic substitute. This substitute is virtually indestructible.

Nonetheless, arterial aging will continue to take place in your body. Fatty deposits, called atheromatous plaques, will build up on your arterial linings, eventually causing blockage or obstruction. For unknown reasons, these plaques can, over time, form on the lining of the prosthetic segment, too. This could result in eventual aortic reblockage. Therefore, you should follow your doctor's advice about how to retard the rate of arteriosclerotic narrowing. Standard advice includes the following: Stop smoking, lose weight, exercise regularly, reduce our cholesterol level (with medicine and/or diet), and use medications to diminish the chances of arterial blood clots.

Your physician's answer was correct, although it may have seemed on first hearing to be no answer at all. With care, your Dacron aorta will last as long as you do, meaning that you are at greater risk of getting into trouble from blockage in one of your other major blood vessels. The prosthesis will, if anything, extend your life and independence by enhancing blood flow to your legs.

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# Markets

## Midday Stocks

NEW YORK (AP) -

| | High | Low | Last | |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| AMR Corp | 37.81 | 37.45 | 37.67 | —.13 |
| AOL TimeWrn | 52.70 | 51.70 | 52.14 | —1.39 |
| AT&T Corp | 21.40 | 20.76 | 20.96 | —.10 |
| Albertsons | 29.07 | 28.64 | 28.76 | +.03 |
| Alltel | 57.33 | 56.70 | 57.11 | —.10 |
| AmEl Pw | 50.30 | 49.90 | 50.01 | —.40 |
| AndarkPtr | 63.57 | 62.06 | 62.50 | +.30 |
| ATMOS Egy | 23.48 | 23.18 | 23.20 | —.15 |
| Aviall | 11.25 | 10.75 | 11.24 | +.42 |
| BP PLC | 54.09 | 53.65 | 53.78 | +.31 |
| BakerHughes | 40.00 | 38.95 | 39.15 | —.35 |
| Bank of Amer | 59.41 | 58.95 | 59.28 | +.57 |
| BellSouth | 41.00 | 40.55 | 40.76 | —.17 |
| Beth Steel | 3.20 | 3.12 | 3.17 | |
| BurlNoSFe | 30.85 | 30.65 | 30.84 | +.19 |
| Caterpillar | 54.66 | 53.52 | 54.60 | +.80 |
| Chevron | 96.78 | 95.98 | 96.65 | +2.47 |
| Citigroup s | 52.45 | 51.45 | 51.51 | —.35 |
| CocaCola | 48.79 | 48.20 | 48.45 | +.28 |
| ColgatePal | 57.75 | 56.71 | 57.35 | +.57 |
| ComclMetals | 26.03 | 25.80 | 25.80 | —.20 |
| Cooperin | 39.20 | 38.88 | 39.13 | +.13 |
| DaimlrChry | 46.92 | 46.35 | 46.53 | —1.61 |
| DeltaAirl | 47.38 | 46.88 | 47.38 | +.08 |
| Dillards Inc | 16.94 | 16.49 | 16.51 | —.27 |
| DowChem | 36.66 | 36.20 | 36.50 | +.56 |
| DuPont | 46.64 | 45.76 | 46.55 | +.93 |
| EastmanChem | 51.74 | 51.33 | 51.65 | +.27 |
| EstKodak | 47.63 | 47.10 | 47.51 | +.36 |
| EDS Corp | 62.75 | 62.07 | 62.52 | +.22 |
| Entergy | 43.90 | 43.15 | 43.40 | +.20 |
| ExxonMobil | 89.22 | 88.02 | 88.53 | +.43 |
| FstBksAm | 29.60 | 29.43 | 29.52 | +.19 |
| GenDynam | 77.68 | 76.34 | 76.61 | —.87 |
| GenElec | 50.55 | 50.01 | 50.27 | +.32 |
| GenMills | 42.53 | 42.05 | 42.29 | +.09 |
| GenMotors | 56.54 | 56.09 | 56.52 | +.27 |
| GaPacGP | 35.40 | 34.72 | 35.32 | +.64 |
| GlobalMar | 26.49 | 25.50 | 25.73 | —.39 |
| Goodrich | 42.74 | 42.47 | 42.49 | —.25 |
| Goodyear s | 29.30 | 28.89 | 29.05 | +.16 |
| GtAtlPac | 11.70 | 11.50 | 11.50 | —.29 |
| Halliburtn | 48.20 | 46.85 | 46.97 | —.54 |
| Hanson ADS | 37.30 | 36.91 | 37.20 | +.75 |
| HarteHanks | 25.70 | 25.58 | 25.60 | +.22 |
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| LucentTech | 9.25 | 8.23 | 8.46 | —.94 |
| MayDeptStr | 33.55 | 32.78 | 32.96 | —.25 |
| Medtronic | 42.57 | 42.20 | 42.45 | —.05 |
| Motorola | 15.98 | 15.32 | 15.36 | —.35 |
| NCR Corp | 48.35 | 46.47 | 46.70 | —1.21 |
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| Penney JC | 21.09 | 20.50 | 20.84 | —.12 |
| PepBoys | 9.70 | 9.40 | 9.44 | +.14 |
| PepsiCo | 44.97 | 44.60 | 44.87 | +.06 |
| Pharmacia | 48.25 | 47.92 | 48.15 | —.41 |
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| PilgrmPrd B | 11.70 | 11.58 | 11.70 | +.06 |
| Polaroid | 5.99 | 5.77 | 5.83 | +.06 |
| Praxair | 50.49 | 49.83 | 50.32 | +.58 |
| ProctGamb | 63.98 | 63.57 | 63.88 | +.38 |
| PubS NwMx | 35.90 | 34.74 | 34.89 | —.64 |
| RadioShack | 34.30 | 33.91 | 34.01 | +.14 |
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| Unocal | 38.60 | 38.16 | 38.40 | +.24 |
| Venator Grp | 14.30 | 14.11 | 14.25 | +.13 |
| VerizonComm | 54.43 | 53.90 | 54.37 | +.40 |
| WalMart | 51.95 | 51.15 | 51.36 | +.16 |
| WellsFargo | 47.35 | 46.69 | 46.88 | +.01 |
| WstnGasRs | 40.79 | 40.15 | 40.60 | +.25 |
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| Xerox Cp | 9.75 | 9.42 | 9.44 | —.55 |

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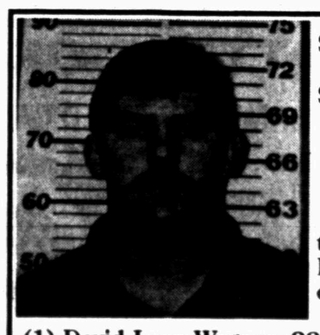

**SNYDER POLICE DEPARTMENT**
**COMMUNITY NOTIFICATION**
**SEX OFFENDER REGISTRATION**
**MAY 17, 2001**

**NOTICE**

**The following person has registered with the Snyder Police Department as a convicted sex offender.**

**(1) David Leon Wagner, 22 years of age, male, 2301 Ave T, Snyder, Texas 79549, convicted of " Indecency With A Child". Victim was a female child 14 years old.**

**NOTIFICATION**

**El siguiente persona se a registrado con el Departamento de Policia de Snyder, y fue convicto de una offensa sexual.**

**(1) David Leon Wagner, Un hombre, 22 anos de edad, 2301 Ave. T, Snyder, Texas 79549, convicto de "Indecencia Con Un Menor". La victima era nina de 14 anos de edad.**

**(s) Stephen W. Warren**
**Chief of Police**

MAY 29 2001

# Californians are gearing up for blackouts

OAKLAND, Calif. (AP) — Paul Goettlich's condo in the Oakland hills features vaulted ceilings and skylights, a sweeping view of San Francisco's bay and state-of-the-art appliances.

But with the power crisis in full tilt, his dryer sits unused while he hangs clothes, sheets and towels on a wooden rack in the garage.

"Maybe somebody doesn't want to see somebody else's underwear or bras hanging out," Goettlich says. "But, hey, that's life."

As the state gears up for rolling blackouts and hefty energy bills this summer, many Californians are changing their habits. The result: surging sales of everything from low-energy light bulbs to fans to evaporative coolers that blow misty air.

The Orchard Supply Hardware store a few miles down the road from Goettlich's condo is having a hard time keeping clotheslines and retractable drying racks in stock.

At The Home Depot store in Colma, about 10 miles south of San Francisco, energy-efficient compact fluorescent light bulbs are hot sellers, along with a $40 device called a Power Planner that's said to cut energy use by appliances like refrigerators.

At the Wal-Mart in the Southern California suburb of Brea, customers are buying blackout supplies along with fans and low-energy light bulbs. Flashlights, camping lanterns and oil lamps are popular, according to manager Rebecca Smith.

"We've quadrupled our fan sales this year, and it's not even summer," Smith said. "It doesn't seem to matter what kind. People are buying all of them."

The rolling blackouts are proving a retail bonanza for some out-of-state companies, like St. Louis-based Emerson, which is selling twice as many ceiling fans in California than in any other state.

"They're energy efficient and use less electricity than a 100-watt bulb," explains Emerson spokesman Walt Sharp. "They can make a room feel about seven degrees cooler without air conditioning by circulating the air. They can save up to 40 percent when used with air conditioning."

Industrial-sized floor fans — used in manufacturing areas and large warehouses — also are a hot commodity in California, he said.

At Walnut-based Lights of America, sales of energy-efficient compact fluorescent bulbs have increased 700 percent since last year. And with state rebates and incentives for consumers to switch to the new bulbs, sales are expected to continue soaring, said Brian Halliwell, vice president of marketing sales.

Most bulbs average from $6 to $10, with 50-watt compact fluorescent bulbs providing the same amount of light as 300-watt halogens, Halliwell said.

Shopping the light bulb display at The Home Depot in Colma, Linda Shintaku said she's exploring all her options for conserving energy this summer.

"We lowered the thermostat, and we're trying not to turn lights on in rooms we're not in," Shintaku said. "I try to wash clothes at night during low-peak hours."

Energy experts note that homeowners can make the biggest dent in their power bills by switching to more efficient models of major appliances.

But despite the advice and an array of rebate programs, Home Depot manager Benefield says consumers aren't yet flocking to replace energy-sucking appliances like refrigerators and dishwashers. People who are in the market for big appliances ask about the government's Energy Star ratings, which bring rebates of up to $75, he noted.

The new vogue for conservation has some ecology-conscious Californians shaking their heads. Berkeley resident Leona Benten has been hanging her clothes outside to dry long before the power crisis came along and she's hoping the energy crisis will push others to change their habits and their attitudes.

"It takes like two minutes," Benten said. "I think that people have succumbed to incredible amounts of advertisements, and if it's mechanized, it's better."

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On the Net:
California Energy Commission:
http://www.energy.ca.gov
Consumer Energy Center:
http://www.consumerenergycenter.org
http://www.energystar.gov

# 'Pearl Harbor' opens big, but no record

LOS ANGELES (AP) — "Pearl Harbor" won the weekend but lost the war over the record-books.

The World War II epic debuted in first place at the box office over the Memorial Day weekend with $75.1 million in ticket sales, according to studio estimates Monday.

That was the second-best Memorial Day opening ever, behind the $90.2 million gross for 1997's "The Lost World: Jurassic Park."

Some analysts and entertainment reporters had speculated that "Pearl Harbor" might break the record or even hit $100 million in its first weekend.

"You know, the competition always tries to raise the expectations of the press, so that when the numbers come in, all you can do is fail," the film's producer Jerry Bruckheimer said. "For us, this is enormous success."

Meanwhile, the overall box office was shaping up to beat the all-time high of $183.7 million set last Memorial Day weekend, when "Mission: Impossible 2" debuted. The top 12 movies grossed $176.6 million for the weekend, up 3 percent from last Memorial Day.

Final figures were to be released today.

Last week's top film, the computer-animated "Shrek," slipped to No. 2 but had an impressive second weekend, grossing $54.2 million.

"Shrek," featuring the voices of Mike Myers, Cameron Diaz and Eddie Murphy, took in $110.7 million in just 10 days, passing "Chicken Run" as DreamWorks' top-grossing animated film.

"The Mummy Returns" was third with $19.1 million, pushing its total to $170.7 million. The sequel passed the $155 million taken in by "The Mummy" in 1999.

"Pearl Harbor," "Shrek" and "The Mummy Returns" all are on track to top $200 million. That would equal the number of films released in 2000 to hit that mark, with many potential blockbusters still to come this year.

"This is just the beginning. It's going to be a big year," said Paul Dergarabedian, president of box-office tracker Exhibitor Relations.

Made by the action-adventure team of Bruckheimer and director Michael Bay ("Armageddon," "The Rock"), "Pearl Harbor" stars Ben Affleck, Kate Beckinsale and Josh Hartnett.

The film's running time, just over three hours, precluded any box-office records, said executives at Disney, which released "Pearl Harbor." Theaters generally were able to squeeze in only three showings a day, while shorter films can run five times or more.

"It's kind of like a restaurant owner having to turn the tables three times a night to make a profit," said Chuck Viane, Disney's head of distribution.

"Pearl Harbor" did have the best opening ever for a three-hour movie and the biggest debut for a non-sequel. And the film set a corporate record for Disney, outpacing the studio's "Toy Story 2," which pulled in $80.1 million over the five-day Thanksgiving weekend in 1999.

In limited release, the Nicole Kidman-Ewan McGregor musical "Moulin Rouge" continued playing to sellout crowds. In its second weekend, the movie took in a remarkable $254,000 in just two theaters in New York City and Los Angeles.

"Moulin Rouge" was to open nationwide next weekend.

Estimated ticket sales for Friday through Monday at North American theaters, according to Exhibitor Relations Co. Inc.

1. "Pearl Harbor," $75.1 million.
2. "Shrek," $54.2 million.
3. "The Mummy Returns," $19.1 million.
4. "A Knight's Tale," $9.3 million.
5. "Angel Eyes," $6.3 million
6. "Bridget Jones's Diary," $4 million.
7. "Along Came a Spider," $2.2 million.
8. "Memento," $1.9 million.
9. "Blow, $1.3 million.
10. "Driven," $1.2 million.

## Astro-graph

**By Bernice Bede Osol**

**Your Birthday**

**Wednesday, May 30, 2001**

There's a good chance you'll be able to further a personal ambition in the year ahead with the help of an enterprising pal. Albeit rather brusque, he or she knows how to get things done.

**GEMINI (May 21-June 20)** — Anything that requires extra effort or a second try today may go by the boards, and all those wonderful goals you set for yourself aren't apt to get off the launching pad. Gemini, treat yourself to a birthday gift.

**Send for your Astro-Graph predictions for the year ahead by mailing $2 and SASE to Astro-Graph, c/o this newspaper, P.O. Box 1758, Murray Hill Station, New York, NY 10156. Be sure to state your Zodiac sign.**

**CANCER (June 21-July 22)** — Don't let some of your friends work on chopping up another pal today who isn't present. You won't like yourself later when you realize you did nothing to stop the carnage.

**LEO (July 23-Aug. 22)** — You could be quite adept at financial acquisition today. The problem is you may be equally adroit at squandering it as well. Focus on the former, not the latter.

**VIRGO (Aug. 23-Sept. 22)** — All your good intentions could be for naught today if you become disenchanted with your rate of progress. Should you feel it's coming along too slowly, you may prematurely throw in the towel.

**LIBRA (Sept. 23-Oct. 23)** — Your creative juices could be flowing today with your imagination going full steam. Unfortunately, however, you can oversell yourself as well on some of your more illogical schemes.

**SCORPIO (Oct. 24-Nov. 22)** — A special deal you may be offered because you're such a good buddy might be anything but a bargain. Know the character of the person who is making you an offer.

**SAGITTARIUS (Nov. 23-Dec. 21)** — Although the objectives you set for yourself today may be worthy ones, they could be subject to outside influences by persons who can act in disharmony with your aims.

**CAPRICORN (Dec. 22-Jan. 19)** — It's wonderful to have a generous spirit today, but remember to steer it with wisdom. Be extremely careful that you do not overindulge the undeserving.

**AQUARIUS (Jan. 20-Feb. 19)** — There are no guarantees you will have the same results with a deal that has proven to be fortunate for another. Before doing so, find a valid measuring rod of its worth.

**PISCES (Feb. 20-March 20)** — Should you have to deal with someone today who may be rather difficult to please, disappointment can be minimized if you realize no one can be all things to all people.

**ARIES (March 21-April 19)** — Stepping out of character would be a big mistake today. Even if you're unsure of your knowledge about something important, don't let anyone else make a decision for you. Research the answers.

**TAURUS (April 20-May 20)** — You're neither lucky nor prudent today about handling finances, so leave your credit cards at home and your wallet out of your reach. It's the only way you'll keep your budget intact.

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## Dear Abby

**By Abigail Van Buren**

### *Loss of hearing is based on how loud, how long*

**DEAR ABBY:** As an otologist (ear physician), I am delighted to see the public's attention drawn to the problem of hearing loss, especially noise-induced hearing loss, which is entirely preventable. However, Nanette Fabray MacDougall's recent letter and your response perpetuated a popular myth: Brief exposure to loud sound is damaging to people's hearing.

Risk to hearing is based not only on how loud the sound is, but also on HOW LONG you're exposed. The 90-decibel figure she cited is the limit set by the U.S. Occupational Safety and Health Administration based on the assumption of a workplace exposure that lasts eight hours a day, five days a week, 52 weeks a year, for 40 years.

Exposure to rock concerts and dance clubs is certainly hazardous to the musicians and other employees who work in that environment day in and day out — and frequent exposure would be bad for anyone who has a noisy job or hobby — but for the rest of us, occasional exposure is harmless.

Movie theaters are unlikely to be hazardous to hearing because the sound levels are usually high for only short periods. For adults who have quiet jobs (if you can converse at arm's length without shouting, you have a quiet job), the main preventable causes of hearing loss are head injury (wear seat belts in cars, wear helmets on bicycles) and explosive noise (wear earplugs or earmuffs when firing guns and stay away from firecrackers). People with noisy jobs should insist that their employers have sound-level measurements made, and enroll them in hearing conservation programs if the exposures are hazardous.

Let's keep things in perspective. Remember that it's the dose that makes the "poison." — **ROBERT DOBIE, M.D., WASHINGTON, D.C.**

**DEAR DR. DOBIE:** Thank you for setting me straight. I'm sure my readers will find your letter as enlightening as I did. **Read on:**

**DEAR ABBY:** Our thanks to Nanette Fabray MacDougall, but she didn't go far enough. It's not only the music in movies and TV shows that's too loud, it is also the sound effects, i.e., planes, helicopters, sirens, construction sounds, street noise, raging storms, etc., that cover the dialogue.

Perhaps if everyone who is inconvenienced would write to the companies and studios who produce these shows and complain, they would eventually get the message. — **TIRED OF THE NOISE**

**DEAR TIRED:** It appears that some production companies are already getting the message. **Read on:**

**DEAR ABBY:** I have contacted TV programmers about lowering the level of the music and sound effects on their shows. Lifetime Television said they would lower the audio track on future productions of "Beyond Chance." Discovery Channel said they would pass along my complaint to program management and executives.

Abby, please urge your readers to let their voices be heard loud and clear — by contacting TV stations and program producers. Some of them seem to be listening. — **ADAM McKEEHAN, MASON, OHIO**

**DEAR ADAM:** That's refreshing. Readers, it's up to you. Whether it's by e-mail or snail mail, let your voices be heard.

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Dear Abby is written by Pauline Phillips and daughter Jeanne Phillips.

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# Snyder Junior High School Awards

Snyder Junior High School seventh and eighth graders recently received awards for the 2000-2001 school year.

Students on the A Honor Roll made 90-100 in each subject every six weeks. Students on the A-B Honor Roll made 80-100 in every subject every six weeks.

The President's Award for Educational Achievement was presented to the top five percent of the class for outstanding grades in eighth grade English, math, history and science.

In addition, the eighth grade teachers also selected one boy and one girl to receive the S.T.A.R.S. award (Striving to Achieve Responsibility and Success.)

(Editor's Note: The code for the awards listed below is as follows: O for outstanding, BE for best efforts, PA for President's Award, A for Honor Roll, A-B for A-B Honor Roll, (1), first semester; (2), second semester.)

**Seventh grade**

**Yulianna Arellano**: O-math 7; A-B.
**Chase Ashworth:** O-science 7, A.
**Ashley Barrera:** BE-math 7.
**Tyler Baze**: O-reading improvement 7.
**Morgan Bilderback:** BE-beginning girls choir, A-B.
**Bridget Block:** O-math improvement 7 and reading 7.
**Barrett Bowlin:** A.
**Laura Boyd:** A-B.
**Dondi Brock:** A-B.
**Starla Bruton:** A.
**Krysta-Anne Burleson:** BE-science and girls PE 7 (2).
**Jessica Calvert:** A-B.
**Hector Campos:** BE-beginning/intermediate band, and boys PE 7 (2).
**Jeanette Castenada**: BE-English 7.
**Veronica Castillo:** O-math 7.
**Jason Cave:** BE-boys choir 7, A.
**Bryan Clifton:** O-advanced math 7, A.
**Seth Cooper:** O-science 7 and Texas history, A-B.
**Teddi Crenwelge:** BE-reading 7 (1), A-B.
**Katie Curry:** O-reading 7 (1), and theatre I (2), A-B.
**Tyler Eveland:** O-career investigation (2), BE-reading 7 (2).
**Will Floyd:** O-technology education 7 (2), A.
**Kayla Hartzog:** A-B.
**Sarah Henson:** A-B.
**Santino Hermosillo:** O-advanced band, BE-math 7.
**Bobby Hernandez:** O-boys PE 7 (2), BE career investigation, (1).
**Rachael Herrera:** O-beginning/intermediate band, BE-Texas history, A-B.
**Tyler Hogan:** A-B.
**Nikki Howell:** O-reading 7.
**Tanner Hunter:** O-life skills.
**Ashley Hyer:** O-reading 7 (1), A-B.
**Rudy Ibarra:** BE-theatre I (2).
**Emily Jones:** A.
**Mark Keller:** O-math 7.
**Tara Kubena:** A-B.
**Cale Lancaster:** O-technology education, (1) and construction/manufacturing (2), A-B.
**Ciara Latta:** A.
**Jana Lewis:** A-B.
**Erica Little:** A-B.
**Chris Lopez:** BE-Texas history; O-reading 7 (2).
**Valerie Lopez:** O-girls PE 7 (1).
**Amber Luecke:** BE-advanced math 7 and advanced band, A-B.
**Austin Lyle:** A.
**Leticia Marquez:** BE-math 7.
**Eric Martinez:** BE-math 7 and reading 7 (1).
**Steven Martinez:** O-life management skills (2).
**Curtis Mason:** A-B.
**Matthew Massey:** BE-construction/manufacturing (2).
**Katrina Matchett:** BE-life management skills (2).
**Johnathon McClure:** BE-Texas history, A-B.
**Megan McCormick:** A.
**Marisela Medina:** BE-English as second language and career investigation (2).
**Sirena Medrano:** A-B.
**Lindsey Morin:** O-math 7, A-B.
**Amanda Murray:** O-computer literacy, (2), A-B.
**Calvin Nobles:** BE-technology education, (1).
**Andria Nussey:** BE-computer literacy, (2), A.
**Danny Ortegon:** BE boys athletics 7 and technology education (2).
**Ashly Pavlovsky:** O-Texas history, A-B.
**Aeryal Peoples:** A-B.
**Garrett Pinson:** O-Texas history, A-B.
**Claire Pollard:** BE-theatre I (1), A.
**Jamie Putnam:** BE-English 7 and reading 7 (2).
**Samuel Ramirez:** A-B.
**Wendy Reed:** A-B.
**Amber Reston:** O-English 7 and life management skills, (2); A.
**Dylan Richards:** O-English 7, BE boys PE 7, (1).
**Noe Ruiz:** O-career investigation, (1).
**Blake Scott:** A-B.
**Blake Seale:** A-B.
**Dulce Silva:** BE-girls PE 7 (1).
**Cade Simpson:** O-boys choir 7, A-B.
**Chris Smith:** O-boys athletics 7.
**Tina Speedon:** BE-English 7.
**Tye Stone:** BE-advanced English 7.
**Breanna Talavera:** O-girls athletics 7, A-B.
**Jessica Taylor:** A-B.
**Temi Thompson:** O-beginning girls choir, A-B.
**Orlando Vasquez:** BE-math improvement 7 and reading 7.
**Caliber Vigneau:** O-reading 7 (2), BE science 7.
**Shaela Vineyard:** O-advanced English 7, A.
**Ashton Wall:** A-B.
**Christi Williams:** O-theatre I (1), A-B.
**Dustyn Williams:** A.
**Mitchell Williams:** BE-reading improvement 7.
**Kiki Wofford:** A-B.
**Glyn Wright:** BE-girls athletics 7, A-B.
**Tyler Zalman:** A-B.
**Alex Zamarripa:** O-boys PE 7 (1).
**Laura Zamora**: O-life management skills, (1).
**Ofelia Zamora:** O-girls PE 7 (2).

**Eighth grade**

**Sandra Alfaro:** BE-reading improvement 8 and girls PE (2).
**Paige Anderson:** O-English 8 and career investigation (1), A-B, PA.
**Elizabeth Arellano:** BE-English 8 and Science 8.
**Jerry Ashley:** O-math 8, BE-theatre II (1).
**Jacy Beccue:** A-B.
**Adrian Brooks:** O-U.S. history and boys PE (1), A-B.
**Briana Burk:** BE-advanced English 8, A-B.
**Kassey Burney:** BE-Algebra I, A, PA.
**Daniel Burton:** O-technology education (2).
**Sarah Carpenter:** O-theatre II (1), A-B.
**Devin Chandler:** BE-math 8 and theatre II (2).
**Nathaniel Clarady:** BE-advanced band, A-B.
**Antwoine Cobb:** BE-career investigation (1).
**Hope Cole:** O-advanced band.
**Brandon Collins:** BE-computer literacy (2).
**Kim Cooper:** O-beginning/intermediate band, A-B.
**Courtney Cox:** A-B.
**D'Angelo Davis:** O-reading improvement.
**Jessica Davis:** O-math 8 and science 8, A, PA.
**Lacee Early:** BE-technology education (2), A-B.
**Ashley Edwards:** BE-construction/manufacturing (1).
**Sharonda Emerson:** BE-reading improvement 8, A-B.
**JJ Farmer:** O-girls athletics 8 and life management skills (2), A-B.
**Lupe Ferruzca:** O-English as a second language and boys PE (2).
**Jarrod Fletcher:** O-computer literacy (1), A-B.
**Martin Garcia:** S.T.A.R.S. award.
**Zach Garcia:** O-boys athetics 8, BE technology education (1).
**Tara Gilliland:** BE-theatre I (2).
**Alan Gray:** A-B.
**Eric Guadaramma:** BE-science 8 and woods (1).
**Kayla Guerrero:** BE-reading 8, A-B.
**Erin Hackfeld:** A, PA.
**Austin Hatfield:** O-construction/manufacturing (1), A-B.
**Corie Hernandez:** A-B.
**Urbano Hernandez:** BE-math 8 and reading 8.
**Hadley Hirt:** A-B.
**Heather Holmes:** A-B.
**Jason Hook:** A-B.
**Paul Jackson:** A-B
**Patrick Jones:** A-B, PA.
**Traci Jordan:** A-B, PA.
**Eric Kelley:** O-advanced metals.
**Matthew Kerr:** A-B, PA.
**Lacey Kincaid:** O-reading 8 (2) and girls PE (2), A-B, PA.
**Taren Knipe:** BE-computer literacy (1).
**Lexi Loveall:** O-English 8.
**Logan Martin:** O-boys choir 8.
**Ashlee McGinty:** O-reading improvement 8, BE science 8.
**Armando Medina:** BE-U.S. history.
**Erica Medrano:** O-Spanish I.
**Kasey Melton:** O-math improvement, BE boys athletics 8.
**Michelle Miller:** A-B.
**Meggan Minor:** A-B.
**Kelly Moore:** A-B.
**Matthew Morris:** A-B.
**Marisa Munoz:** O-English 8, BE-advanced girls choir, A-B.
**Leslie Nesmith:** BE-math improvement 8.
**Casey Newby:** O-math 8.
**Codi Nichols:** A-B.
**Francisco Ornelas:** BE-boys PE (1).
**Stephanie Parmer:** O-reading 8 (1), A-B.
**Michael Parsley:** A-B.
**Tony Pena:** BE-woods (2).
**Heather Polk:** A-B.
**Mechelle Renfro:** O-advanced girls choir.
**Phillip Rice:** A-B.
**Brad Richardson:** BE-reading 8 (1), O-woods.
**Justin Rios:** O-technology education (1), BE-U.S. history.
**Blake Robertson:** O-theatre II (2), O-algebra I, A, PA.
**Colton Robertson:** A-B.
**Albert Rocha:** BE-math 8, O-career investigation (2), A-B.
**Brian Rodriguez:** Boys PE (2).
**Crystal Rodriguez:** BE-girls PE (1).
**Jessica Rodriguez:** BE-Spanish I.
**Adam Sauceda:** BE-metals, A-B.
**Kelsey Shaw:** O-U.S. history, A-B.
**Christopher Smauley:** A-B.
**Jeffrey Sanford:** O-U.S. history.
**Carol Tavarez:** BE-reading 8 (2), A-B.
**Nikki Timora:** A-B.
**Joshlyn Tovar:** BE-English 8.
**Brandon Treat:** BE-theatre I (1).
**Lance Turner:** O-theatre 1 (2), BE-English 8.
**Ashley Villegas:** A-B.
**Nancy Wallace:** A-B.
**Ryan Ward:** O-computer literacy (2), BE-boys choir 8.
**October Wells:** O-girls PE (1).
**Kalli Wesson:** O-reading 8, A, PA.
**Logan West:** O-science 8 and advanced English 8, A, PA.
**Mosheka Williams:** O-reading 8, BE-U.S. history, S.T.A.R.S Award.
**Stacey Williamson:** BE-girls athletics 8, A-B.
**Heather Zajicek:** O-science 8, A-B

# Disciplined doctors not being reported

WASHINGTON (AP) — Managed care organizations are failing to report their physicians' malpractice claims and disciplinary actions to a government database that aims to protect patients from poorly performing doctors, a federal study has found.

Health maintenance organizations reported only 715 such actions from 1990 to 1999, at a time when the insurance plans became the dominant form of health care in the United States, the May report by the inspector general of the Department of Health and Human Service said. Nearly 100 million Americans are enrolled in such plans.

Eight-four percent of the 1,401 HMOs in the study didn't report a single action to the National Practitioners Data Bank, the report found.

The study said the likely explanation for the low level of reporting is that HMOs have become "bill paying organizations" that are focusing less on clinical oversight and more on administration.

Carmella Bocchino, vice president of the American Association of Health Plans, told The New York Times in today's editions that many HMOs apparently did not realize they were required to tell the government when doctors were disciplined.

The IG report found "plausible" that some reporting lapses could be attributed to misunderstandings about reporting requirements called for an outreach program "to clear up any such misunderstandings."

The data bank was created by a 1986 federal law that requires insurance companies, hospitals and state and federal regulators to report malpractice payments and disciplinary actions against all health care providers.

The information isn't available to the public, but health care organizations and licensing boards use the information in their reviews of doctors. Some lawmakers have been making a push to open the database to patients.

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# U.S. Steel not Tokyo is bomb target for movie

PITTSBURGH (AP) — In the final scenes of "Pearl Harbor," U.S. aviators — including actors Ben Affleck, Josh Hartnet and Alec Baldwin — bomb factories in what appears to be industrial Tokyo.

It's not. What moviegoers are really seeing is Gary, Ind., and one of Pittsburgh-based U.S. Steel Group's largest industrial complexes.

U.S. Steel, a unit of USX Corp., agreed that the U.S. Steel Gary Works in northwest Indiana could make a cameo appearance in the World War II movie.

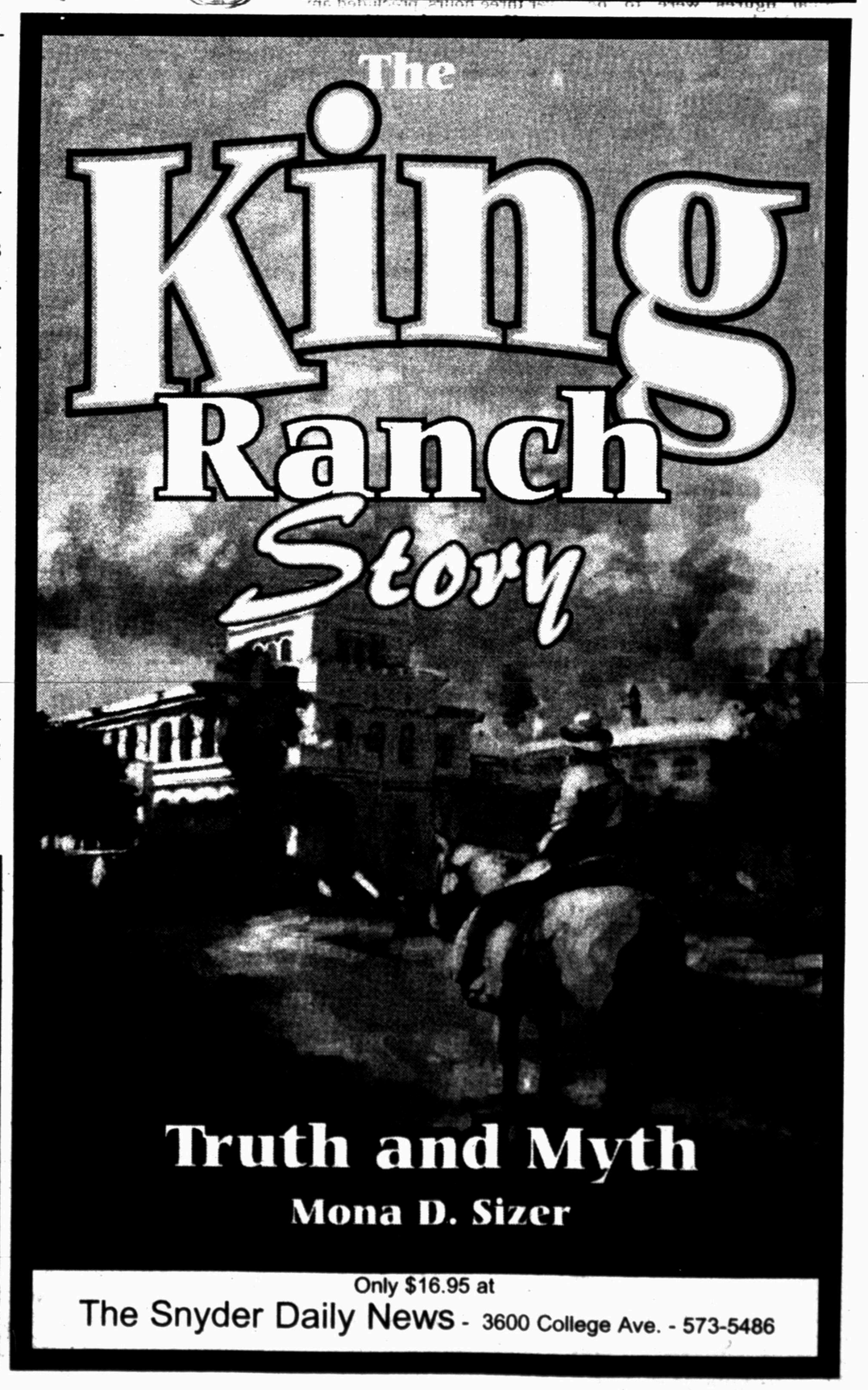
"We (were) looking for a huge industrial complex that can portray industrial Japan in 1942. Few, if any, facilities compare to the U.S. Steel Gary Works," said the movie's location manager, Richard Klotz.

The movie's final action scene depicts the April 18, 1942, air raid on Tokyo and other Japanese cities four months after the Japanese attack on Pearl Harbor.

Gary Works has 57 production units on a 4,000-acre site. The facility sits on six miles of Lake Michigan shoreline, which helped "Pearl Harbor" director Michael Bay manipulate images to make it look more like Japan.

Crews filmed at the site in October, shooting from the ground and air. Helicopters made several passes over the Gary Works, shooting what pilots might see as they approach their targets.

Movie crews used the shots to digitally added Japanese signs.

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# Crews battling fires in Florida

MAYO, Fla. (AP) — Crews battled dozens of brush fires around the state today, including a blaze that has burned nearly 61,000 acres in north Florida.

The 15-day-old Mallory Swamp fire has charred commercial timberland and swampland in Lafayette and Dixie counties. It was about 35 percent contained early today, a state Division of Forestry statement said.

More than 420 crew members fought the blaze Monday along with another blaze dubbed the Koon Pond fire, which broke out at 2 p.m. and grew to approximately 1,200 acres. Forty-four National Guardsmen were expected to arrive today.

Three air tankers, five helicopters and 10 tractors were diverted from the Mallory Swamp fire to attack the Koon Pond blaze, three miles to the northwest.

Peninsular Florida is in the fourth year of its worst drought since record-keeping began. Rainfall is 50 to 60 inches below normal over the four years. As of the holiday weekend, the state had 2,844 wildfires burning across 254,500 acres so far this year, state forestry officials said.

Fire officials advised the public to drive carefully today morning because a mixture of fog and smoke was likely to cause visibility problems.

An Orlando man, Henry John Pileggi Jr., 43, was killed and at least 10 others injured in multiple wrecks Monday along Interstate 4, with heavy smoke from one or more brush fires possibly a factor in the crashes, officials said. Pileggi's car ran into the back of an 18-wheeler and was struck from behind by another vehicle.

The crashes led the Florida Highway Patrol to temporarily shut down all lanes of the major east-west artery.

The smoke came from an 800-acre blaze in Lake County, north of the crash site, and a 1,200-acre fire in Polk County, to the south.

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On the Net:
Florida Division of Forestry:
http://flame.fl-dof.com

# Minivan driver charged in fatal crash

PHILADELPHIA (AP) — The driver of a minivan was charged with vehicular homicide after a crash that killed a 3-year-old girl and injured 12 other children crammed inside.

Willis Mitchell, 50, of Philadelphia, either walked or ran away from the crash, police said. One witness said the van was like "a pinball machine" as it slammed into parked cars, hit a construction trash bin and flipped over Sunday night.

Police apprehended Mitchell and took him to the hospital with minor injuries around midday Monday, Cpl. Jim Pauley said.

Mitchell was charged with homicide by vehicle, involuntary manslaughter, assault, reckless endangerment and leaving the scene of an accident.

A 7-year-old boy with a skull fracture and a 5-year-old boy with minor injuries remained hospitalized today at Children's Hospital of Philadelphia, hospital spokeswoman Joey McCool said. Both were listed in fair condition.

A woman and the other children were treated and released at several hospitals, officials said.

The dead girl was identified as 3-year-old Onya Brown of Philadelphia. "There was a lot of kids hurt, but she was the only one dead," said Cerita Kelly, Onya's grandmother. "And she died instantly and now she's gone."

Witnesses told police the van was speeding down the narrow, rain-slicked street. The group was coming home from a holiday weekend barbecue.

"He was bumping off cars like a pinball machine," said neighbor Laura Iannuzzi, 21, who watched the crash from her stoop. "He hit the Dumpster and split open the car and it flipped over. Kids were everywhere."

Four children, ranging in age from 3 to 12, were ejected from the van.

"The kids were all over the street," said neighbor Rita Scola, 48, who helped pull children from the van. "It was a mess, like a war zone. One little girl, who was about 11, she was screaming and screaming. She was just standing there screaming, with us all around her."

# U.S. spy plane may soon return home

WASHINGTON (AP) — Although its wings and tail might be separated from its fuselage, a damaged U.S. surveillance plane stuck in China finally would be sent home under a tentative U.S.-Chinese agreement.

The EP-3, a four-engine turboprop about the size of a Boeing 737, would make its journey in the belly of one or more giant transport planes, possibly the Russian-designed AN-124, U.S. and Chinese officials said Monday.

No timetable was set for the return of the Navy plane, which collided with a Chinese fighter jet over the South China Sea on April 1. The 11-day detention of the plane's 24-member crew and China's reluctance to return the aircraft from Hainan island, where it made an emergency landing, put a considerable strain on already-touchy U.S.-Chinese relations.

"We said ... we wanted to get the plane back via the quickest possible means. This is one way to get it out in an expedited way," said a Bush administration official who spoke Monday only on condition of anonymity. He said the two countries had an agreement "in principle" to ship the plane home using a cargo aircraft.

The United States has been demanding return of the slow-flying EP-3 since the April 1 collision. Each side blamed the other for the accident, which cost the life of the Chinese pilot.

In China, Foreign Ministry spokesman Zhu Bangzao was quoted by the official Xinhua News Agency as saying the United States would be permitted "in principle" to send an Antonov-124 cargo plane to pick up the plane.

"People are talking about the AN-124" to fly the spy plane out, the U.S. official confirmed. The transport plane, which is identified on military Internet sites as the world's largest cargo aircraft, is made both in the Ukraine and Russia and used commercially.

Under this scenario, the wings and tail section of the EP-3 would be taken off the plane. The sections would then be flown out in one or two of the huge AN-124 planes.

While there has been speculation that the Navy plane could be reassembled and made airworthy again, it could not be learned Monday if that was in fact the case. The administration official referred the question to Pentagon technical experts, who could not be reached on the Memorial Day holiday.

U.S. technicians who inspected the plane earlier this month said it could be made airworthy, and U.S. officials pushed Beijing to let the aircraft be repaired and then flown out of China.

Zhu said last week that China would let the United States have the damaged plane back, but said flying it out would be "impossible."

U.S. officials said China originally refused to consider allowing a cargo plane to land at Lingshui air base on Hainan, fearing the runway wouldn't be able to handle the massive aircraft's weight. That could have forced the plane to be chopped up and crated out, condemning the $80 million aircraft to the scrap heap.

The U.S. plane was eavesdropping on Chinese military communications from international air space when the collision occurred.

The United States says the smaller Chinese jet hit the slower moving EP-3, U.S. officials have not apologized for the crash. Instead, Bush approved a letter saying America was "very sorry" for the Chinese pilot's death and for the U.S. plane's landing without China's permission.

# Movie Stop burglarized sometime Sunday night

***•Burglaries***

The Movie Stop, 3607 College Ave., was burglarized some time Sunday night. Snyder Police Department Sgt. Brian Haggard said the case is still under investigation. The culprits entered the building through the air conditioning system on the roof. Approximately 60 DVDs and $450 cash were stolen.

Melissa Wells of 2302 41st Street reported the burglary of her vehicle Monday afternoon. Wells' checkbook and two CDs were stolen while the vehicle was parked on 40th Street.

***•Harassment***

At 2:43 p.m. Monday a male requested an officer in reference to being harassed by a female subject. Officers were dispatched and advised the female of the complaint. While the officers were on the call, the dispatcher received another call from the female subject's daughter. She was complaining of harassment from the same man. All parties were made aware of the complaints.

***•Arrest***

A 23-year-old man was arrested and booked into the county jail at 10:35 p.m. Monday for driving with a suspended license.

***•Stray pig***

Bill Gann of 2405 27th Street requested an officer at his residence shortly after noon Monday in reference to a stray potbellied pig in his front yard. The pig was located, as was the owner who secured the animal.

***•Criminal mischief***

Donald Buck of 4004 Eastridge requested to speak to an officer in reference to having the window shot out of his Chevrolet Suburban.

***•Attempt to locate***

Officers were looking for a beige Ford Explorer shortly before 7 p.m. Monday. A complaint was filed alleging that the occupants of the car, two white males, had urinated in front of children in the 1600 block of 13th Street.

***•Criminal trespass***

Just after 5 p.m. Monday, a woman on the 3700 block of Dalton requested an officer in reference to her estranged husband breaking into her residence. The man was found and was issued a criminal trespass warning.

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# WHAT'S UP?

## ONGOINGS

### Genealogical society

The Scurry County Genealogical Society will meet at 7 tonight in the children's room in the Scurry County Library. Dave Hanes will speak on Native American legends and war. Visitors are welcome and dues are $12.50 per person or $15 per couple per year.

### Late registration

Late registration for Western Texas College's Kids' College will continue through Wednesday, June 6. However the classes to make will be decided by Friday. Classes will be held June 11-21. For more information call 573-8511, ext. 223.

### 1951 class reunion

Snyder High School's class of 1951 will celebrate its 50th class reunion Friday and Saturday. Members invite all other SHS class members, friends and families to join them at the home of Billy and Janette Huddleston just off the old Lubbock Highway at 10 a.m. Saturday. For more information call Joanne McCormick at 573-2433 or Patsy Sitton at 573-4359.

### Camp Springs homecoming

Camp Springs homecoming will begin at 10 a.m. Saturday. Bring a covered-dish for the potluck meal. Ice, cups, plates and flatware will be furnished. Call Carla Guinn Bavousett at 573-8948 for more information.

### Colonial Hill VBS

Colonial Hill Baptist Church will hold Vacation Bible School from 8:30-11:45 a.m. on June 4-8 for grades K-6.

### Vacation Bible School

The 37th St. Church of Christ has set its "Jesus to the Rescue" Vacation Bible School for June 4-6, from 9 a.m. to noon. It is for ages two years through the sixth grade. For more information, call Kinney Mabry at 573-0154.

### Presbyterian VBS

Children ages 3-12 are invited to Vacation Bible School June 4-8 at the First Presbyterian Church, 2706 Ave. R. Hours are 9 a.m. until noon and theme is "The Ark." For information, call 573-6915.

### CPR provider course

Western Texas College has set a CPR Provider Course for Monday and Wednesday, June 6, at the Vocational Nursing Building, 7C, from 6-10 p.m. Cost is $45. Register early as space is limited. For more information call, 573-8511, ext. 390.

### Bible study tapes

Bible study videos air each week on Channel 2. To be shown at 7 p.m. Monday is "God Has Spoken of His Enemy," followed by "Senior Suicide."

### WTC swimming pool

The WTC swimming pool will open Monday, for public use. Lap swimming: M-TH 6:30-8 a.m. Open swimming: M-TH 2-5 p.m. Cost is $3 per person or $50 for a semester pass. The pool is also available for parties on Fridays and Saturdays. For more information, contact Mike Harrison at 573-8511, ext. 279.

### Winston Field fly-in breakfast

The first Winston Field fly-in breakfast will be held from 8-10:30 a.m. on Saturday, June 16. The public is invited to the event and can eat breakfast with the pilots for $3. There will be numerous airplanes on display, including antique aircraft.

### Biker Sunday

The second annual Biker Sunday will be Sunday, June 24, at Colonial Hill Baptist Church. Services start at 10:45 a.m. and there will be bike rodeo games, door prizes, free food and a live band.

### Discovery school

Discovery School at First United Methodist Church is open for the summer, taking ages up through 8 years. Drop-ins are welcome. For more information, call 573-4770.

### Cancer treatment transportation

Transportation for cancer patients is available every day free of charge to Lubbock, Abilene or Midland. For more information, call Sammie Jarrell at 573-5993 or Blakely Fargason at 574-8041. If not home, leave message on answering machine.

# Obituaries

### Jean Anderson

**1931-2001**

Jean Boyd Anderson, 69, died Monday, May 28, at her home in Snyder after a sudden illness.

Services are pending at Bell-Cypert-Seale Funeral Home.

### Lindsey Jackson

**1927-2001**

Lindsey Jackson of Snyder died Monday, May 28, in Covenant Medical Center in Lubbock after a lengthy illness.

Mr. Jackson was born on Dec. 10, 1927 in Ida, La.

Survivors include three sisters, Geneva McKnight of Snyder, and Essie Scott and Helen Dillard, both of Louisiana

Services for Mr. Jackson, 73, are pending at Wright Colonial Funeral Home.

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### Thomas Haywood

**1971-2001**

WICHITA FALLS – Thomas Noel Haywood, son of Sen. and Mrs. Tom Haywood, died Sunday, May 27, in an Austin hospital following a lengthy illness.

Mr. Haywood, 30, had been admitted into Austin's Christopher House Hospice earlier this year for HIV-related lymphoma. Prior to his death, Mr. Haywood had celebrated 11 months of sobriety.

Funeral service is set for 1 p.m. Thursday in the First United Methodist Church under the direction of Lunn's Funeral Home. Interment will follow in Crestview Memorial Park.

Born March 18, 1971 in Wichita Falls, he was a 1989 graduate of WF Rider High School. He attended Texas Tech, Midwestern State University and Vernon College. A member of the First United Methodist Church, he was an Eagle Scout and had worked for his father's consulting business and in various political campaigns since 1984.

Survivors include a daughter, Kelsi Lauren Haywood; his parents, Tom and Pat Haywood of Wichita Falls; three sisters, Jamie Ratliff of Grand Prairie, Denise Haywood of Wichita Falls and Alisa Green of The Colony; and his grandmothers, Alice Vaughn of Dallas and Carolyne Frady of Wichita Falls.

The family suggests memorials to the AIDS Research Program, Baylor College of Medicine, One Baylor Plaza in Houston, 77030; or to the Northwest Texas Council of Boy Scouts, 3604 Maplewood in Wichita Falls, 76308.

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# Six are killed in C. Texas accident

LLANO (AP) — The driver and five passengers of a minivan have died after the vehicle careened off a Central Texas highway, fell into a ravine and burst into flames.

A passing motorist saw smoke coming out of the 15-foot deep ravine Monday night, stopped to investigate and called law officers.

State troopers identified the driver as Edward Burch, 37, of Alvarado.

Two other men and three women were passengers in the van, said Frank Galvan, Department of Public Safety communications officer in Kerrville. He said they have not yet been identified.

But one law officer said all were believed to be from the North Texas area.

Galvan said the 1991 Pontiac van was eastbound on Texas 29 in Llano County, 6.4 miles east of Llano, when it veered off the road to the right and struck a concrete culvert.

The van then became airborne and came to rest at the bottom of the ravine, Galvan said.

No other vehicles were involved in the wreck that occurred about 6 p.m. Monday, said Tela Mange with the DPS in Austin.

The wreck was about 60 miles northwest of Austin. Sgt. John Stafford of the Llano County sheriff's department said there were no witnesses to the accident.

"It drove off into the ravine and struck a concrete wall," he said. "It's actually the large culvert that goes under the highway. It drove off into the culvert and landed in the ravine, and then it caught fire."

"As bad as what the wreck sounded like, it's going to take them a while to sort out what happened," Mange said.