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Friday update

Certificate Of Need Granted

Hospital Project Okayed

A proposed major addition to Cogdell Memorial Hospital here has the green light from Austin.

Cy Miller, administrator of the hospital, said he had been notified that a "certificate of need" has been approved by the State Hospital Facilities Commission.

Hospitals who treat patients covered by Medicare are required to obtain the certificate of need prior to making any major changes in facilities and-or equipment.

Miller, along with John Jarrell, president of the hospital board; Henry Clark immediate past president of the board, and Sam Cross and A.Z. Glover, board members, were in Austin last month to appear at a hearing held by the State Hospital Facilities Commission.

Miller said he talked with Renal B. Rosson, member of the commission, by telephone Thursday and that Rosson said the project here had been approved. There was no opposition to the project at the hearing in Austin.

The hospital board has proposed an addition which would provide 50 more beds, along with facilities for supporting services which now have inadequate space, plus expanded emergency room facilities.

An Austin firm of architects, Page Southerland and Page, prepared preliminary plans for presentation at the hearing before the State Commission and has been directing work toward final plans in recent weeks.

Prelminary estimates made last winter when the proposal was first advanced indicated that the project would cost in the neighborhood of $3¼ million. Plans under consideration provide for a free-standing, three-story addition extending north from the present emergency room entrance to the hospital.

The next step in the project will be circulation of petitions calling for a bond election to finance the construction. Although no dates have been set, hospital officials have expressed hope that signed petitions may be ready for presentation to the county commissioners court by Nov 8.

The hospital board decided to embark on the project last winter when facilities at Cogdell Memorial Hospital were repeatedly overflowed. Several times during the winter, it became necessary to set up beds in hallways. Also, quarters for supporting services and space for storage have been exhausted. The heavy demand for hospital service continued through the summer months at a level much higher than in the past.

More doctors have been added to the staff and prospects that others will move here in the near future are expected to keep the hospital load on an increase.

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Watergaters Appeal

WASHINGTON (AP)-Former Atty. Gen. John N. Mitchell needs artificial replacement of his right hip because of degenerative arthritis, his lawyer said today in a petition asking his release from prison.

Mitchell has served nearly three months of an eight-year-term for his role in the cover-up of the Watergate affair.

His petition for leniency was filed with U.S. District Judge John J. Sirica who imposed the sentence in February 1975.

H.R. Haldeman, formerly the White House chief of staff, also asked Sirica for reduction of his eight-year-sentence, pleading with the court not "to punish Haldeman to the point of destruction."

Mitchell is serving his time at the federal minimum security facility at Maxwell AFB in Alabama. Haldeman is imprisoned at Lompoc, Calif. Neither man is eligible for parole until late December 1979.

Maria Callas Dies

PARIS (AP)-Opera singer Maria Callas, 53, died today at her home of natural causes, the Pathe Marconi recording company said.

A Pathe Marconi spokesman said the company had been notified of the death by friends of the singer.

Born in America and Greek by blood, La Callas was among the most famous sopranos of the 20th century.

But much of her fame stemmed also from her stormy relationship with the late Greek shipping magnate Aristotle Onassis, a nine-year romance that ended when he married Jacqueline Kennedy in October 1968.

Students Protest

JOHANNESBURG, South Africa (AP)-White and black South Africans protested in swelling numbers today against the death of young black leader Steve Biko, and there were increasing demands for the ouster of Prisons Minister James T. Kruger.

Protest meetings were held or planned at all four major English-language white universities and at the two main black ones.

Liquor Vote Asked

Application for a petition calling for a liquor election in the City of Snyder has been filed at the Scurry County Clerk's office.

The request for the petition was signed by 12 persons and it asks the county clerk to issue petition blanks calling for the county commissioners court to schedule an election to determine whether the sale of all alcoholic beverages shall be legalized here for off-premises consumption only.

Signing the application were Shirley Minyard, Beatrice Hobbs, Nell Fowler, Mrs. H.L. McCormack, Valton LeRoy Buchanan, Joe Carrasco, Mrs. C.L. Doty, C.L. Doty, Djean Joe Doty, Kenneth Minyard, Pearline Selmon and Rebecca Sadler Doty.

Scurry County has been "dry" since 1902, although a number of elections have been held on the liquor issue, both county-wide and in various precincts.

The last election on this issue was held here on Dec. 9, 1972 when voters in Justice Precinct No. 1, which covers all of Snyder and a big part of the county, rejected off-premises liquor by a vote of 2,116 to 1,064. That election was held just a little over four months after another had been held in the city only, which failed to carry by a vote of 1,703 to 1,529.

Texas law entitles 12 qualified voters to a petition, and, in turn, if 10 per cent of the registered voters sign the petitions, an election must be called.

Sales Tax Rebate Shows Gain Here

Snyder has received a sales tax rebate check for $82,204 from the State Comptroller's office for the period ending Aug. 26.

This represents an increase from $74,185 for the same period last year and runs the city's total sales tax rebate for this calendar year to $347,919, compared to an aggregate of $318,607 last year at this time.

The Snyder figures continue to run well ahead of other area cities of similar size.

The latest rebate showed the following totals for some area towns: Brownfield, $63,123, making a total of $224,654 for the year; Sweetwater, $63,024, making a total of $260,225 for the year; Levelland, $48,846, making a total of $239,799 for the year; Lamesa, $46,077, making a total of $225,346 for the year; Colorado City, $18,205, making a total of $89,830 for the year; Rotan, $8,570, making a total of $28,983 for the year; Roscoe, $3,342, making a total of $13,820 for the year; and Roby, $2,813, making a total of $8,228 for the year.



FIESTA ROYALTY---Seventeen-year-old Maggie Avila, center, was crowned "Diez y Seis" queen in ceremonies held Thursday night at the Latin American Center. Delia Leyva, left, was crowned as this year's duchess and Mary Castillo, right, was crowned princess. (SDN Staff Photo)

The SDN Column

Keeping tab on our neighbors:

Directors of the Levelland Chamber of Commerce voted this week to drop their sponsorship of the Little Dribblers national tournament.

According to the Levelland Daily Sun-News the action stemmed from a continuation of a lingering dispute over the disbursement of net profits the chamber has made in its three years of operating the tournament. The chamber also refused unanimously to spend the accumulated profits to invite broadcast commentator Paul Harvey to the 1978 tournament, the Levelland paper reported.

Harold Phelan, secretary of the Levelland-based Little Dribblers, Inc., indicated that Little Dribblers itself would operate the tournament in 1978, as it did prior to 1975 when the Levelland Chamber of Commerce took it over. The national tournament is scheduled the first week of May next year and this time it will be a combined boys and girls tournament involving 72 teams. Apparently there is still no chance that the tournament will move out of Levelland, however.

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A couple of snake stories made news in neighboring towns the past week. The Brownfield News had an item Thursday about F.M. Cornebise being bitten by a rattlesnake as he was gathering corn. He dropped an ear of corn and when he reached down to pick it up a rattler struck his right hand. He thinks the ear of corn might have hit the snake when it fell.

The Big Spring Daily Herald had a story Wednesday on a snake incident that could have been even more dangerous, but ended without damage. A woman from Mineral Wells had driven to Big Spring to visit a friend who was hospitalized there. She left her car on a parking lot and when she returned, a rattlesnake poked its head out from under the car seat. She did not know whether the snake was a passenger all the way from Mineral Wells to Big Spring, or merely climbed in after she arrived.

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The Ballinger Ledger says that sometimes a women doesn't care for a man's company---unless he owns it---WACIL McNAIR

Featuring Scurry County Products

Chamber's Banquet To Spotlight Agriculture

Snyder Chamber of Commerce directors last night approved a proposal to spotlight agriculture and feature Scurry County products at the chamber's annual banquet next spring and made plans for a membership drive and revaluation of its membership participation formula.

Ernest Sears, chairman of the chamber's agriculture committee, presented the banquet proposal to the board. He said he had conferred with some agriculture agency officials and that he had been assured that enough food products of Scurry County could be obtained to serve an outstanding banquet meal. Other committees will be named to work with the agriculture committee in the future on this project. At present, the annual banquet is tentatively planned for next March.

Dates for a chamber membership drive were set for Oct. 11-21. Once again, local chamber workers will be in competition with members of the Sweetwater Chamber of Commerce. The group selling the most memberships during the 10-day period will be guests of the losers at a steak dinner. The losers will dine on beans and cornbread. Snyder won the event last year.

John Cameron, vice president, who presided over the meeting in the absence of President Henry Clark, reported that the chamber nominating committee was working on a list of nominees for places on the board.

Various board members accepted assignments in the chamber's revaluation project. Notices will go out soon to all members of the chamber.

Bill Henry, executive director, reported that Snyder would make its formal bid to host the American Junior Rodeo Association's National Finals in 1978 at a meeting

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Progress Reports Presented To BCD

An industrial concern that has been considering the Wickes Building here as a plant site has the subject before its board of directors, the Scurry County Board of Development was told yesterday at its September meeting.

Bill Henry, the BCD consultant, said officials of the firm indicated that they were impressed by the facility here and the city itself. Meanwhile, there have been contacts with other firms that have expressed interest in Snyder.

Henry reported that the community's housing situation is due to improve in the near future.

He also reported on several upcoming events. Tickets are on sale at $12.50 and $10 for the Texas Cowboy Artists Association banquet set for Nov. 5 in the Scurry County Coliseum, and considerable interest has been noted in ticket inquiries. Henry said an Airstream Trailer rally is set here for Oct. 3-8 and the national Holiday Rambler Rally will be held here next Labor Day weekend. Also, an invitation will be issued for a Family Motor Coach rally to be held here next June. Henry said that he was looking into the possibility of developing a slide presentation that could be used in industrial development and in making bids for special events, etc.



MEXICAN DANCE---In addition to the crowning of the queen candidates, this year's "Diez y Seis" celebration also is marked by traditional Mexican songs and dances. Thomas Meetze, 10, and his nine-year-old sister, Stephanie, are shown last night as they performed a toe-tapping and high-stepping dance. (SDN Staff Photo)

Diez y Seis Royalty Crowned

The color and splendor of a Mexican celebration came to Snyder Thursday night with the start of the "Diez y Seis" observance held each September.

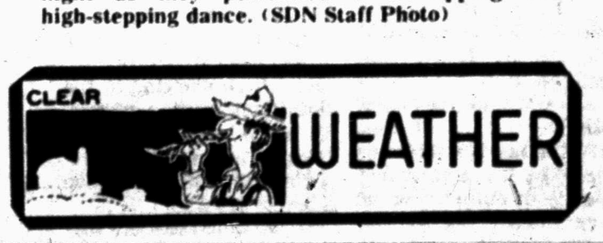
The "Diez y Seis" celebration is held each September by members of the Mexican-American community in commemoration of Mexico's independence from Spain.

The crowning of a queen, princess and duchess highlighted the local celebrations held last night at the Latin American Center.

Maggie Avila, the 17-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Juan Avila, was crowned queen last night. Mary Castillo, 16, the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ignacio Castillo, was crowned princess while Delia Leyva, 18, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Leyva was crowned duchess.

A "Diez y Seis" parade will be held this afternoon. The parade will begin at 5 p.m. at the Scurry County Library and will circle the courthouse square before exiting on Ave. R and going to the Latin American Center on 13th St.

In addition to the parade, dances will be held tonight and Saturday night at the center.



SNYDER TEMPERATURES: High Thursday, 92 degrees; low, 56 degrees; reading at 7 a.m. today, 71 degrees; precipitation, none; total precipitation for 1977 to date, 22.00.

West Texas-Partly cloudy through Saturday with widely scattered late afternoon and nighttime thunderstorms mainly north. Highs mostly in the 90s. Low 63 north to 73 extreme southwest except 58 mountains.

Carter, Lance To Make Decision

WASHINGTON (AP)-Bert Lance invited the people to be his jury, but President Carter says in the end he and Lance will sit down friend to friend to decide whether the budget director will survive.

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reading important

It may seem strange that in 20th Century America our public schools feel that it is desirable to promote a "right-to-read" program.

Reading has been a significant factor in the nation's history, dating back to colonial days when churches and schools were among the first institutions to be organized. Usually these two institutions were intermingled, with the churches taking the lead in secular as well as religious education. Indeed, public schools as we know them today are of relatively recent vintage.

But perhaps somewhere along the way, in our zeal to assure "equal" opportunities for all, we have made things too easy. We read in our history books that back in the days when educational facilities were limited and curricula offerings were merely a fraction of those today, young people took advantage of every opportunity to its fullest and in some cases made opportunities for themselves.

Stories of how Abraham Lincoln read everything available and worked math problems on the back of a wooden shovel by the light of a flickering candle are some of the more familiar examples.

Of course the basics--reading, writing and arithmetic--constituted the curriculum in most cases. These are regarded as old-fashioned, or at best primitive today. But we must not lose sight of the fact that without these three basics, a pupil is in no position to pursue the bountiful offerings in technical and professional fields if he or she cannot read.

Somewhere along the way, the emphasis on reading has declined and especially the process of convincing students that there is little they can accomplish in formal education, or in life itself, if they cannot read.

Maybe the "right-to-read" program will lead to a solution of the problem. From reports that crop up over the country from time to time about high school graduates not only being unable to fill out job applications, but being unable to even read the instructions, indications are that any step leading to improvement is worthwhile.

action overdue

A House subcommitte has approved a plan which would enable retired persons to earn up to $4,500 in a year without losing any of their Social Security benefits. This is an improvement over the current figure of $3,000.

In case you are not familiar with this regulation, Social Security recipients who earn more than $3,000 in a single year lose $1 for every $2 they earn above the $3,000 ceiling.

Social Security benefits are the principal retirement income for many of the recipients, which means that they are limited to their social security checks plus $3,000 a year, or $250 per month, unless they want to see their Social Security benefits shrink. In other words, they are penalized for producing.

This is not the case with other types of retirement plans. Moreover, Social Security is not to be confused with welfare benefits. These who draw Social Security have contributed to the fund, along with their employers and their Social Security checks do not represent a gift or a grant.

The action by the committee was long overdue and probably is too little now. But it will definitely help a lot of senior citizens if the subcommittee's plan is ultimately adopted.



john cunniff

spending mood developing

NEW YORK (AP)-Out there on the firing line, where the deals are real and theories and forecasts count for nothing, a significant change may be occurring in business' attitude toward capital spending.

The evidence is brand new and previously unreported, but it is hard-not an analysis or guesswork. It is this:

A spending mood seems to be developing. A wide spectrum of business is committing funds for expansion and improvement of plant and equipment. In effect, business is getting ready for better times.

The evidence seems to indicate that one of the most persistent economic laggards, capital spending, is about to feed new strength into an economy that has been losing strength. It suggests that wavering business confidence has begun to stabilize.

The most precise report comes from the big leasing-financing unit of Commercial Credit, a Control Date subsidiary.

"We're hearing more now in the marketplace about acquisition plans than we've heard since the boom years of 1973 and 1974," said a spokesman.

The upturn has been especially strong in just the past 60 days, said Donald Mikesell, a top executive with the unit, Commercial Credit-McCullagh Leasing, which has about $1 billion of financial outstanding.

Mikesell states with little qualification that his concern's current experience foretells a rise two months from now in the official government figures for capital spending.

"We're on the street. We're dealing with real problems and real demands," he said. "we know what we see 60 days ahead of the Commerce Department figures."

Mikesell said his company's experience has been particularly strong since mid-summer when, ironically, some economists first began to express fears that an economic slow-down might deteriorate into a recession.

Reviewing reports from the field by contact men whose job it is to finance the purchase or lease of expensive capital equipment, Mikesell stated:

"We see no hard evidence of a turndown. We're seeing an up-swing."

Asked to name some of the items being financed, he cited construction equipment, machine tools, punch presses, materials handling equipment and transportation machinery.

Particularly strong interest appears to be emerging from energy related firms, he said, as well as from manufacturers whose products relate to consumer sales, such as store fixtures and restaurant equipment.

"This indicates to us that businesses are perceiving the need to increase productive capacity," he said. "and it also means that the confidence of many smaller business owners is improving, which has to be positive in the long run."

Fords Leaving Summer Home

VAIL, Colo. (AP)-Jerry and Betty Ford are leaving their summer home for Palm Springs, Calif., where they are having a permanent home built, a spokesman for the former president said.

The Fords, who have stayed at the Vail house of ski resort owner Dick Bass since mid-June, will live in a rented home in the California desert community until their new home is completed in February.

Mrs. Ford is scheduled to leave for Moscow on Sept. 27 to do a special NBC television program on the Bolshoi Ballet, the aide said.

And at about the same time, the former president is planning to lecture at the University of Nebraska.

Gov. Ray Sends 'Apology' Cake

OLYMPIA, Wash. (AP)-Gov. Dixy Lee Ray sent a strawberry cheesecake, topped with whipped cream to the state capital press corps.

"Olympia press corps, love and kisses from Dixy," it read in pink icing.

It was the governor's way of apologizing for saying earlier this week in Spokane that the capital press corps was upset because she had not decided not to hire a fulltime press secretary "to devote himself to their care and feeding."

"This is the result, in her words, 'of another swipe I took at the press," a press aide quoted the governor as saying Wednesday.

bill henry

your chamber in action

The second and largest Diapause Boll Weevil Control Spray Program successfully completed its first and second application of insecticides the past two weeks, enabling cotton producers greater crop yields for 1976 and 1977.

A total of 102,895 acres have been sprayed; 1895 in Fisher, 1560 in Borden and 99,590 in Scurry.

Besides the yet-undetermined amount of direct monetary benefits put in by the State Agriculture Department, five full-time employes have been stationed in Scurry County for the duration of the program.

Producers' chairman Carl Williams and the remainder of the board are very pleased with the help given by the state as we work to rid ourselves of the pesky-and expensive-weevil.

REMAINING APPLICATIONS

The four additional applications are scheduled for the weeks of Sept. 19 and Oct. 3, 14 and 31. Those residents who have reported bees, fish or allergies will be notified prior to the application by Chamber of Commerce staff members.

Costs for this year's program are up nearly 20 per cent over last year, but additional funding is being received from the state to cover the additional expense enabling us to provide the coverage at the same $6 fee per acre charged local producers last year.

Boll weevil damage to Scurry fields is less than half that found in Mitchell County, local entomologist Davis Kates recently announced. Mitchell County, as you well know, has not opted to join in controlling boll weevils and now face heavy losses.

HOLIDAY RAMBLER RALLY

With the Regional Airstream Trailer Rally set to begin October 3 at Scurry County Coliseum, your Chamber successfully recruited next year's statewide Holiday Rambler Rally set for Labor Day Weekend, 1978.

Assistant Chamber Director LaVerta Lovell met with Holiday Rambler officials in Fredricksburg recently to outbid several other cities vying for the heavy income producer. Tourism development continues to play an importtant part in the future of Scurry County and your Chamber guarantees to fight for every available meeting, convention, etc. to guarantee continued economic expansion.

Holiday Rambler folks expect 225 trailers for next year's event. Some of the members travel to the rally site up to two months prior to the event and bring family members taking school summer vacations.

Total economic impact is expected to surpass a million dollars before the group leaves our community.

Plans are underway at this time to bid on yet another rally for 1978.

LABOR NEWS

Five local plumbers' unions in the Washington state area have slashed wages to fight nonunion competition for the housing market. Since its share of housing jobs dropped from 90 to 10 per cent in the past 20 years, union leadership set up a two-stage wage structure.

For those working in the housing market, a wage of $9.03 will be paid. Those in larger commercial projects will still get union scale of $16.23.

Maybe union leaders are beginning to see the light and drop back wage demands that threaten the livelihoods of their members. Members are telling officials they would rather have a job at a reasonable salary than none at all.

Free Enterprise wins again, let's hope others see the light.

in washington

martha angle and robert walters

DETROIT (NEA)-During a lull in the summer meeting of the National Governors Conference here, one of the rising young stars in the Republican Party was casually chewing the fat with a small group of reporters.

"Do you miss Washington?" someone asked Delaware Gov. Pierre (Pete) du Pont IV, who left Capitol Hill last year after three terms in the House to become chief executive of one of the nation's smallest states.

"Oh, sure, in some ways I miss it," du Pont replied. "I miss the excitement, the sense of being in the center of things happening in the country.

"But I don't miss the job itself. Being governor is infinitely more satisfying. You have a real chance to accomplish something.

"For instance, I spent six years in the House trying to get through a financial disclosure bill, and I never even came close. Fifteen minutes after I became governor, I had one in effect-simply by signing an executive order. There's just no comparison in the amount of real power you can exercise."

Du Pont was articulating a discovery that more and more ambitious young politicians have shared in recent years. Congress, especially the House, no longer beckons quite so brightly to men and women who are out to change the world.

The prestige, the perks, the glamor of the Washington whirl cannot wholly compensate for the frustrations of legislative life, the futility of trying to influence the shape and direction of federal policy as just one of 435 House members and 100 senators.

The ranks of the 50 governors already include six former House members, five men and one woman who lost patience with the snail's pace of progress on Capitol Hill and opted for the more direct exercise of power available to a state's chief executive.

Even the Senate, once something of a Mecca to striving politicians, especially those with presidential ambitions, seems to be losing its allure.

Gov. Robert Ray of Iowa, for example, announced on the opening day of the governors conference here that he will not run for the Senate next year, even though the polls show him far out in front of incumbent Democratic Sen. Dick Clark.

"You have to gear down to become a legislator," Ray observed. "Being governor is much more productive work.

At least two of Ray's colleagues, Govs. David Pryor of Arkansas and William G. Milliken of Michigan, are still agonizing over the choice of remaining where they are or seeking Senate seats that will be open next year because of retirements. Like Ray, both would be heavily favored if they decide to go for the Senate, yet both seem reluctant to make the shift.

Ray's decision is particularly noteworthy because he has at least toyed with the notion of running for president. A few years ago, it would have been unthinkable for anyone harboring such ambitions to pass up a seemingly easy shot at the Senate.

But the election of Jimmy Carter has deflated the contemporary myth that the Senate is the exclusive breeding ground of presidents, and has focused new attention on bright young governors.

The national political reporters who function as the unofficial touts of presidential hopefuls now spend far more time writing about the likes of California Gov. Edmund G. (Jerry) Brown Jr. and Illinois Gov. Jim Thompson than they do analyzing the White House potential of any member of the Senate.

Some of the "comers" in the gubernatorial ranks, such as the 42-year-old du Pont or 40-year-old West Virginia Gov John D. (Jay) Rockefeller IV, are young enough to seek the Senate later on and still have plenty of time left for a White House try.

But a pilgrimage to the Potomac is now optional, not obligatory. After Carter's success, there is no chance that attractive and ambitious governors will be ignored when "the great mentioners" go to work listing those worthy of being taken seriously in future presidential campaigns.

HOLLYWOOD

Dick Kleiner

Osmonds' teeth are natural asset

By Dick Kleiner

DEAR DICK: Does Donny Osmond have capped teeth? Does he do his own hair or does he have someone do his hair for him? VICTORIA PAYNE, Williamsport, Pa.

The whole Osmond family has perfect teeth, and will show them at the drop of a dentist, so Donny's teeth are not capped. He does have a hairdresser for both his television and concert appearances, but most performers do.

DEAR DICK: Was Shirley Jones at David Cassidy's wedding and reception? J.O.L., Moose Jaw, Sask., Can.

No, she wasn't. Shaun watched his half-brother get married, but their mother was not at the affair.

DEAR DICK: Why have they stopped making Eight Is Enough shows? I know Diana Hyland died, but couldn't they replace her? CORINE WESCHLER, Fairview, Pa.

The show has not been cancelled, and it is definitely part of ABC's fall schedule. They haven't exactly replaced Diana Hyland. The scenario is this: the series begins in September a year after the death of the Hyland character. Dick Van Patten plays the widower, trying to rear eight kids. One of them breaks an arm, and he has to hire a tutor. Eventually he falls in love with the tutor and he will marry her later in the season. She is played by a New York actress named Betty Buckley.

DEAR DICK: Why don't actors and actresses in movies and on TV wash their hands in scenes when they are about to eat. They come in off the street and sit down to eat WITHOUT washing their hands. MRS. J.H., Detroit, Mich.

You just haven't got time, when you are making a movie or a TV show, to put everything on screen. You simply can't show people doing everything they do in real life, or it would be a boring thing. You have to cut out a lot of extraneous stuff, and washing hands before eating isn't particularly exciting, so that has to go.

DEAR DICK: A friend of mine sent me a copy of your column in which there was an inquiry about my whereabouts. I'm grateful that someone cares, and just to keep the record straight:

I met Merv (Griffin) on The Robert Q. Lewis Show in New York when he was the singer and I was the comedienne-secretary. My name was Julann Wright.

Now I am active as a founder-director of The First Women's Bank of California here in Los Angeles. We are a regular full-service bank, and we specialize in information and assistance in budgeting money and qualifying for credit for women and men. We'd love to have you visit us. JULANN GRIFFIN, Los Angeles.

Thanks; and next time I need credit, I'll drop by.

DEAR DICK: What has happened to John Davidson? His career seems to be on the downgrade. He is so talented and so handsome. I turned on that awful Sony and Cher show just to see him and Karen Valentine but we could not stomach it and finally gave up and turned it off. MRS. D.W. CONGER, Garden Grove, Calif.

Davidson works constantly, playing clubs and theaters all over the country. And he does TV guest shots very often. His career is doing well, and he could have his own show again one day. He'll survive Sonny and Cher, like the rest of us.

DEAR DICK: Is John Wayne his real name? COLLEEN MAURICE, Langley, B.C., Can.

No, he started out as Marion Morrison. But you can call him Duke, because that's what everybody calls him.

(NEWSPAPER ENTERPRISE ASSN)

Barbs

By PHIL PASTORET

When stalking game, the chances of an accident are greatly increased when the hunter is loaded.

Early to bed and early to rise means merely that you live in the Eastern rather than the Pacific time belt.



The only jet noise that bothers me is when a 747 STOPS making it — right over our house.

Berry's World



"HOW WONDERFUL! We don't NEED to buy a CB unit — we can receive right over our TV SET!"

thoughts

Who through faith conquered kingdoms, enforced justice, received promises, stopped the mouths of lions, quenched raging fire, escaped the edge of the sword, won strength out of weakness, became mighty in war, put foreign armies to flight. — Hebrews 11:33,34.

Faith, mighty faith, the promise sees and looks to God alone. Laughs at impossibilities, and cries, "It shall be done." — Charles Wesley, English clergyman.

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FINISHING TOUCHES–Paving of the parking lot in the Varsity Square Shopping Center was getting finishing touches the past week as the center neared completion. Meanwhile, TG&Y, one of the major tenants, was erecting a sign over its building. (SDN Staff Photo)

Chamber

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set for Oct. 2 at Post. He said indications were that AJRA officials favored returning here next year for their national finals.

Henry also reported that ticket sales are underway for the Texas Cowboy Artists Association banquet set for Nov. 5 in the Scurry County Coliseum. Ken Curtis, who played the role of Festus in the Gunsmoke television series, will appear at the TCA banquet. Henry said there already had been a number of inquiries concerning tickets, especially from out-of-town people. Patron tickets are priced at $12.50 each and general tickets to the banquet are selling at $10 each.

The chamber board decided to look into the possibility of developing a slide presentation for use in industrial development, etc. Henry reported that a major firm still is in the process of making a decision on whether to purchase the Wickes Building here and that some word is expected soon. Two or three other industrial prospects also are looking at Snyder as a possible site for installations.

Henry said that prospective housing projects, both single-family dwellings and multi-unit complexes, are moving closer to development. He said the housing situation here should improve considerably in the coming months and hopefully it can develop simultaneously with the community's needs.

H.W. Cargile gave a brief report on the chamber's budget for the coming year and said the budget committee wanted directors to study the proposal that the committee has compiled between now and the October board meeting.

The board voted to discontinue the $100 premium that has been offered annually for the first bale of cotton, due to the fact that uniform planting dates and mechanical harvesting have virtually eliminated the importance of early harvest.

Henry reported that Snyder will host an Airstream Trailer Rally Oct. 3-8 and a Holiday Rambler Rally next Labor Day weekend. Also, he said Snyder is bidding for a regional Family Motor Coach Rally for next June.

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By The Associated Press

Alcoa	46 dn ⅛
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Armco	25 up ¼
Atl Rich	51½ up ⅛
Beth Stl	20⅝ dn ⅛
Borden	33⅞ dn ¼
Brit Pet	16⅛ dn ⅛
Cat Trac	54¼
Celanese	52⅝ up ⅛
Chrysler	16⅝ dn ⅛
Cities Svc	54 up ⅜
Coca Cola	40⅜ up ⅛
Cont Oil	29¾ dn ⅜
Dr Peppr	15⅛
Dow Chem	31¾ dn ¼
duPont	109¾ up ¼
Eastman	60⅝ up ⅜
El Paso NG	16⅝ dn ⅛
Exxon	48⅝ up ⅛
Fairchild Cam	24⅛ dn ⅛
Ford	44⅝ dn ¼
Gen Elec	53¾
Gen Foods	33¾ up ¼
Gen Mtrs	69¼
Gen Tel	31⅛ up ⅜
Gen Tire	24¾ up ¼
Goodrich	20¾ up ⅛
Great A&P	10
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Woolworth	19¼ up ⅛
Xerox Cp	53⅜ up ¼

Cotton

NEW YORK (AP)-Cotton futures No. 2 were lower at midday.

The average price for strict low middling 11-16 inch spot cotton declined 11 points to 48.83 cents a pound Thursday for the 10 leading markets, according to the New York Cotton Exchange.

Midday prices were 15 cents to $1.00 a bale lower than the previous close. Oct 51.05, Dec 52.10 and Mar 53.12.

HOSPITAL NOTES

ADMISSIONS: Martha Floyd, 609 23rd; Jason Stansell, Rt. 1, Fluvanna; Jinilee Grimmitt, 3814 Ave. V; Vickie Ille, Lewisville; Robert Mautz, Rt. 3; Barry Rinker, Star Rt., Ira.

DISMISSALS: Mrs. Mike Kiselwick and baby girl, Mrs. Curtis Smith and baby boy, Belinda Preston, Bill Cisnero, Angela Smith, Barry Rinker, Emilie Hoepfl, Elmer Hunter, James Anderson.

Siamese Twins Born

LITTLE ROCK (AP)-A rare set of conjoined twins, commonly known as Siamese twins, were born to a southwest Arkansas woman Wednesday.

The twins were taken to the Arkansas Children's Hospital at Little Rock where the children's condition was listed as guarded. The mother's name was withheld by the hospital.

County Court Pleas Heard

Three guilty pleas to three charges of driving while intoxicated were entered Thursday in county court.

The pleas were entered by Melquiades Valdez Lopez, Roy Garza Jasso, and John Ramon Gonzales.

Each of the defendants was assessed a $100 fine and a three-day jail term. The defendants had all been arrested by city police during a period stretching from Sept. 8 to Sept. 13.

In other court action, the original judgment in the Burt Allen Smith case was altered. Smith, who had pleaded guilty earlier this month to a misdemeanor charge of possession of a controlled substance, was first fined $250 and assessed a 30-day jail term. The judgment was changed yesterday from a 30-day jail term to a 90-day jail term, probated for 180 days, with the fine remaining at $250.

Wonder Rock Singer Of The Year

LOS ANGELES (AP)-Rock music, in the first of many, many awards shows in this new television season, has named Stevie Wonder pop-rock's singer of the year.

So what else is new?

Wonder, who swept last year's Grammy Awards, was a big winner in Thursday night's Third Annual Rock Music Awards, being named Best Male Vocalist. His album, "Songs In the Key of Life," won the best rhythm and blues award.

Linda Ronstadt was rock's best female singer, according to a panel of rock music critics whose winners were honored in NBC's nationally televised production Thursday evening. Fleetwood Mac was named the year's best group.

Fleetwood Mac, whose album "Rumors" was atop the charts through most of the year, was also named rock personality of the year. Their album also won the best producer award.

As is common with television awards shows, Thursday's rock music affair was as much an excuse to spend two hours in front of the television cameras as it was an homage to an art.

Guilty Plea Is Entered

A guilty plea to a felony charge of driving while intoxicated was entered Thursday in 132nd District Court.

The plea was entered by Paul Romero Villanueva Jr., 20, who received a probated two-year term.

Villanueva had been arrested on the charge June 6 by city police.

Texan Leaves Hospital With Twin Heart

CAPE TOWN, South Africa (AP)-Lindell Hill, a 37-year-old Texan, has been discharged from Groote Schuur Hospital after having a second, "piggy-back" heart implanted in his chest by transplant specialist Dr. Christiaan Barnard.

Hill, of Denison, was the first foreigner to undergo the "twin-heart" transplant. During the five-hour operation Aug. 5, the heart of an 18-year-old South African farm laborer killed in a traffic accident was implanted in Hill's chest alongside his own.

The second heart, attached to his own, acts as a booster in the fashion of a double pump.

After weeks of special care, Hill left the hospital Thursday, smiling and laughing despite pouring rain.

"Everything is going just fine for him," said his wife, Lily. "It's a perfect day for him to be discharged because he loves the rain."

Fifteen South Africans received twin hearts from the Groote Schuur team before Hill.

Hill, a father of three, has not worked since suffering his first heart attack 10 years ago. Mrs. Hill, 38, has supported the family.

The Hills and their children-Rhonda, 16, Rani, 13, and Jim, 11-are staying with friends in the Cape Town suburb of Rondebosch while he continues to recuperate. They hope to be back home in Texas by Thanksgiving.

Cornelia Files Counter Suit

MONTGOMERY, Ala. (AP)-Cornelia Wallace says the reason her marriage to Gov. George C. Wallace broke up was "not incompatibility, but the commission of actual violence and cruelty" against her by Wallace "with danger to her life and health."

Mrs. Wallace made the accusation in a counter suit for divorce filed Thursday, three days after the governor filed for divorce on grounds of incompatibility. There was no elaboration on the charge.

She asked the court to award her a divorce and to grant her "liberal sums as alimony support and maintenance."

Sterling Culpepper, one of Wallace's attorneys, said, "Of course, the governor will deny all the allegations ... An appropriate denial will be filed within the next few days."

Senate Panel Opposed To Tax-Rebate Plan

By MIKE SHANAHAN
Assoicated Press Writer

WASHINGTON (AP)-President Carter's tax-and-rebate plan for reducing both oil imports and gasoline consumption ran up against fresh opposition today in the Senate.

The proposal, the conservation centerpiece of the President's energy plan, is opposed by both Democratic Leader Robert C. Byrd of West Virginia and Russell B. Long, D-La., chairman of the Senate Finance Committee.

Long told Carter's energy secretary, James R. Schlesinger, on Thursday that the committee will not approve the taxes unless the rebate plan is junked.

Under the scheme already approved by the House, the price of U.S. oil would be raised to the much higher price charged by other oil-producing nations. But much of the resulting profits would be taxed away from the oil companies and returned to consumers in the form of a $28 per-person-rebate.

Today, Sen. Howard Metzenbaum, D-Ohio, opened Senate Energy Committee hearings designed to encourage further opposition to the plan. While the Finance Committee retains jurisdiction over the so-called crude oil equalization tax, Metzenbaum and other committee members are urging a resolution calling for its defeat by the full Senate.

Metzenbaum said there is no evidence that higher gasoline prices envisioned under the plan will discourage Americans from unnecessary driving.

Instead, he said, "these high prices would cause great economic hardship for the less affluent members of our society."

In testimony before the energy committee, Alice Rivlin, director of the Congressional Budget Office, disagreed. She estimated that by 1980 the tax would cut consumption of gasoline and other refined petroleum products by 170,000 barrels daily.

Meanwhile, a new Library of Congress study showed that the crude oil tax will produce between $19 billion and $30 billion in new revenues by 1985 instead of the $12 billion estimated by the Carter administration.

Sen. Joseph Biden, D-Del., said he is worried that the higher figures will mean excess profits for the oil companies.

In his appearance before the Finance Committee, Schlesinger said Thursday he didn't know whether Carter would agree to demands that the rebate be scrapped.

While opposed to the rebate, Long would support the crude oil tax if the resulting higher profits were used to encourage greater production.

Carter's proposal to tax Americans on the one hand to save energy while giving the revenues back with the other has troubled some congressmen ever since Carter sent his energy plan to Capitol Hill.

Beer To Be Called "Billy"

LOUISVILLE, Ky. (AP)-President Carter will probably have streets and other public projects named after him, but his younger brother Billy has already had his name given to an appropriate item.

The well known lover of hops appeared at a news conference Friday to announce that Falls City Brewing Co. will market a beer named after him.

It will be called "BILLY," and the top of the label will carry this endorsement: "Brewed especially for and with the approval of one of America's all-time great beer drinkers, Billy Carter."

Current plans call for the beer to be introduced in Carter's home state, Georgia, then be distributed nationally by Nov. 1.

Asked if he was sending a sample to the White House, Carter grinned and replied: "No, but if I go there I will take some with me."

Carter told newsmen he'd always wanted "to own a beer joint and I got one. But I never realized I'd be associated with the production end of it."

He said he will travel around the country, "as my time permits," to promote the new product but he declined to say what his financial arrangements are with Falls City.

"For me, the beer thing was a natural, 'cause I know a good beer better than anybody," he said. "Who knows? Maybe I'll become the Colonel Sanders of beer."

Two Mishaps Are Reported

Two minor traffic accidents were reported to city police Thursday.

The first mishap involved a 1971 Chevrolet driven by Ruthie Bell Branscum and a 1974 Ford driven by Donna Garvin Allen. The collision occurred in the 2300 block of 42nd St. and was reported at 8:59 a.m.

The second collision occurred in the 1800 block of 26th St. at 4:29 p.m. Involved in the mishap were a 1971 Chrysler driven by Florene Smith Butler and a parked 1975 Mercury owned by Brenda Hulsey Botts.

Firemen Called

A minor grass fire was doused by city firemen Thursday night.

The fire occurred in the 100 block of 34th St. and was reported at 7:10 p.m.

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Sports Briefs

By The Associated Press

BASKETBALL

NEW YORK-National Basketball Association Commissioner Larry O'Brien awarded the Golden State Warriors $250,000 plus the Lakers' first-round pick in the 1978 college draft as compensation for Los Angeles' signing of forward Jamaal Wilkes earlier this summer.

TENNIS

HOUSTON-Top-seeded Bob Hewitt and Frew McMillan won their second-round match in the $125,000 U.S. Pro Doubles Tennis Championships, but several other favorites were upset victims.

Hewitt and McMillan advanced to the quarter-finals with a 6-3, 3-6, 6-3 victory over John Feaver and John James.

GOLF

BLACKPOOL, England-Jack Nicklaus and Tom Watson teamed to destroy their opponents 5 and 4 in the last match, staking the United States to a 3½-1½ lead over Great Britain-Ireland in opening-day action at the biennial Ryder Cup golf matches.

The Americans' lead came in Scotch foursomes, in which each two-man team plays alternate shots on the same ball.

Other American victories were scored by Dave Stockton - Jerry McGee and Lanny Wadkins - Hale Irwin.

Devine Gains Control; Rangers Reap Win

ARLINGTON, Tex. (AP)-Adrian Devine ended a one-month slump Thursday night that had him wondering if he should be backing up to the window to get his paycheck.

The struggling Ranger reliever hurled three innings of one-hit ball and struck out four batters as Texas outlasted the California Angels 6-4 and took three games of their four-game series.

With his earned run average soaring toward the 4.00 mark, Devine said, "I was losing my self confidence. I had been terrible in the last three games. I was praying I would do a good job.

"If I had done poorly tonight, it would have really depressed me. Besides hurting myself, I had been hurting the other guys on the team-the starters. If you have a conscience at all it has to bother you."

Devine, who was obtained from Atlanta in the Jeff Burroughs trade, said, "I wanted this game more than any I've pitched this year."

He earned his 12th save and Nelson Briles, who went six innings, notched his sixth victory against four losses.

John Caneira, who lasted four and two-thirds innings, was saddled with his first loss against one victory as the Rangers moved with a half game of second-place Chicago in the American League West.

Willie Horton delivered a two-run single and Mike Hargrove hammered his 16th home run of the year to pace a 10-hit attack against three Angel pitchers.

Don Baylor nicked Briles for his 22nd home run of the year before Devine shut the door on the Angels.

Texas Manager Billy Hunter said he wants to experiment in the spring by using Devine as a starter. However, Devine said he would prefer pitching in relief because he never has been a starter in his major league career.

"What I prefer and what I do are two different things," said Devine. "I'll do what the club wants me to do, but I'm a conservative person and I don't like trying something new when I have had success coming out of the bullpen.

"I'm just like a guy who buys the same make of car until I get a lemon."

Devine got off to a shaky start when he served up a line-drive single to the first batter to face him in the seventh inning. Then he retired the last nine batters in a row.

"I had sort of a sinking feeling when that first batter singled but I told myself nobody else is going to get on base," he said.

8th Black Drops One

SWEETWATER–Snyder eighth grade Black dropped a 16-8 lead here yesterday to lose, 28-16 to the Mustangs.

Ronnie Rosas grabbed one of the Snyder TDs, on a 30-yard quick pitch. Perry Echols carried the two point conversion.

Later in the contest, Echols scored from 10 yards away on an off tackle play. Joe Garcia carried the points-after.

Defense was the key to the Snyder loss, noted Coach Paul Mitchell, who has only had several days to work with the youngsters. This week he will be trying to shore up those ranks in preparation for Sweetwater again, who heads for Snyder Sept. 22 at 5:30 p.m.

Tiger 9th Grade Pops Big Spring

BIG SPRING–In their first outing of the season, Snyder freshman football squad defeated the Steers here yesterday, 12-0.

The Tigers scored in the first quarter as Robert Rodriquez sailed in on a 15-yard run. The conversion, a running attempt, failed.

Final scoring occurred in the fourth quarter with Chris Seale doing the handiwork from nine yards out. A passing attempt for two points was stopped by the aggressive Steers.

Coach Albert Lewis, heading up the ninth grade, noted "our defense shined all night long. The offensive line really looked well and our backs ran well from the mid-second quarter on."

The Tigers picked up 182 yards rushing and completed seven of 12 passes for 82 yards.

"So many (players) did well that we really can't mention them all," stated the coach. "We were really pleased with the effort."

Snyder freshmen host Andrews in their next contest, Sept. 22 at 7 p.m.

Elections Held Saturday For MSA Officers

There will be a Miss Softball America meeting 7:30 Saturday evening at the Towle Park pavillion to elect officers and view films and slides of the trip to Richmond, Va.

The public is invited to attend the meeting which will include the presentation of several awards of recognition in addition to the films and election of officers.

Anyone interested in the MSA program is urged to attend the meeting. Those with films or slides of the girls are invited to bring them. Punch and cookies will be served.

8th Grade Is Nipped

SEMINOLE – Snyder eighth grade Black lost a close one in volleyball action here last night, 15-7, 16-14 to the Seminole team.

Coach Sheryl Harvey was undaunted with her team's performance however, noting, "We looked good in the second game. It just took us a while to warm up."

The Black squad will play Big Spring at 4:30 Tuesday.

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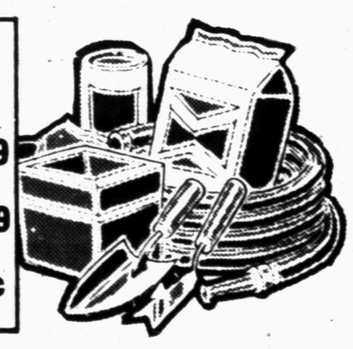


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Injuries Plague Area 3-B Schools

By BILL McCLELLAN

Editor's Note: Area district 3-B schools enter into the third week of this year's football campaign and already injuries are plaguing all of them.

The six-man teams, Ira, Hobbs, and Hermleigh all have starters out. Borden County, the area's only 11-man team, save Snyder, has three sidelined.

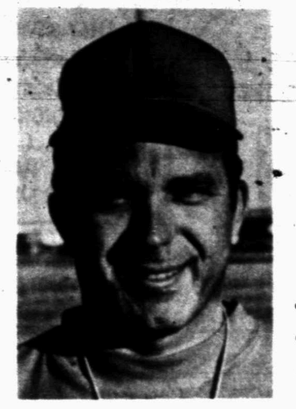
Still, it is a determined group that meets opponents this week, most trying to get as much experience while keeping everyone healthy, before district play begins. Action tonight shows the six-man groups all at home, with Gail being the only 3-B team busing it. All area games begin at 8 p.m.

Loop at Ira

Coach Gary Fox's Bulldogs take a turn at Loop this week and with homecoming added to the affair, things could be ripe for another victory.

LOOP brings in a veer offense which has netted them an identical-to-Ira, 1-1 record. The 'Dogs have yet to witness the veer this season, so, "We've got a pretty good adjustment to make," notes Fox.

An absentee in the powerful Bulldog lineup this week will be Jimmy Byars, who has back problems and "will be gone this game at least, perhaps longer." Byars, a 162-lb. junior back, will be replaced by an as yet unknown choice.



GARY FOX

MAJOR work this week has been pitted in the defensive area of the Bulldog game. Last week, Ira's offense powered 32 points against Grady which, "Should have been enough to win," reflects Coach Fox. But, the Dog defense allowed 54, including 20 in the third quarter, which the offense could not make up.

A plus the Bulldogs have going for them this year is their offensive blocking. While they failed to make an extra point during the entire course of 1976-77, "new" head coach Gary Fox (a veteran coach, but new to Ira) instituted some blocking which has added points to the team's tote board.

HOMECOMING gala hits Ira during the halftime, when presumably a queen and football "hero" will be selected. The festivities will occur immediately after the half-time whistle and will follow with the Loop band.

Leuders-Avoca at Hobbs

Despite a 31-24 loss to Harrold last week, Coach Vic McElrath couldn't be more enthused about his Panthers.

"WE played as good ball as has been played in a number of years here. "I was quite pleased," he remarked. "Last week the team jelled as a team effort. I think we can look forward to more of what we saw and hopefully we'll be on the other end of the score."

A stroke of fate which would devastate most schoolboy football teams was the loss of sophomore starting quarterback Jim Ratliff last week. Ratliff, a 187-lb. two-year starter, will be out for the season with a broken leg.

"I'VE had 'em with broken arms and fingers, a broken jaw and all, but never, a broken leg," Coach McElrath mused.

While Ratliff's experience will be undoubtedly missed, McElrath feels 132-lb. sophomore Jeff Anderle can handle the job.

"He's a real determined youngster," contends the coach. "He's doing a good job for us stepping in. He played the last two quarters for us Friday and we scored two touchdowns."

Another sophomore who may or not make Friday's 8 p.m. kickoff is David Etheredge. Etheredge sprained a knee in practice Monday, and has been held to light workouts this week.

HOBBS, 0-2 for the year, will be looking for their first win Friday against Leuders-Avoca. Avoca meanwhile found their victory last week in a 18-6 squeaker against Novice. Earlier in the season they lost to Strawn.

For the Panthers, the key may be whether or not they can keep consistancy in their offense and defense. If Hobbs compares anywhere near Coach McElrath's enthusiasm, they could bring home their first victory Friday night.

Blackwell at Hermleigh

While Hobbs coach Vic McElrath was pleasantly pleased with his team's effort last week, Hermleigh coach Clarence Spieker can't get as enthused about his Cardinals.

"WE made too many little mistakes," he points out. We had one punt blocked for a touchdown and we had some fumbles," he continues, brushing off his team's 36-14 loss to Wellman in preparation for Blackwell.

One nick in the upcoming battle tonight is the loss of Wesley Kruger, 165-lb. junior quarterback. Filling in for the veteran will be sophomore Chip Roemisch, back-up man in the position, with more than a little knowledge of what it is all about.

"HE handles himself pretty well," explains Spieker, who allows that Roemisch is an accurate passer if the Cards should go to the air.



CLARENCE SPIEKER

A note of interest concerning Kruger...the swarthy quarterback who faces the lineman's rush each time he touches the ball. He sustained his injury loading hogs. It seems, to Coach Spieker's dismay, Kruger was "sacked" by a hog, which knocked his knee out of whack with a touchdown type run. The hog obviously won, but laughable or not, the Cardinals will miss Kruger's experience Friday.

WHAT Hermleigh has to do tonight is control the ball, according to Coach Spieker. "We probably won't throw as much," he remarks. "We'll try to keep the ball from Blackwell's offense if we can stop fumbling. Blackwell has got a very good offense," continues the coach.

The Cards are not without talent of their own, and, despite the fact that Kruger is benched (be back before district), Hermleigh's chances are not so dim.

"If we can stop our mistakes it should be a good ball game," notes Spieker. "We'll be right in there."

Borden County at O'Donnell

At 0-2 for the season, Coach Bill Killian's Coyotes go after their first victory of the season tonight at O'Donnell.

But a win tonight is probably not Killian's major concern. With three starters out to injury, his goal is to keep everyone healthy...to build towards district competition and the hopes that a strong, physically fit crew can make up for their early losses.

"WE'RE spread even thinner, now," comments the Borden County Coach. Added to Coyote injury list is Eurdist Rinehart, out with a shoulder injury. Rinehart joins quarterback Blane Dyess and Ty Zant on the ailment list.

Despite the injury problems, Killian notes, "We seem to have a lot more fire this week than last. We've looked crisper all week and we've got a better look."

The Coyote opponent, O'Donnell, could give Gail some fits with a large, strong defensive team. "Their roster starts at 246 and goes through nine bodies before they hit 175-lb., so they are good size," pointed out the coach.

WITH a trio of starters out or serving light duty tonight, Borden County is down, but not out. "We'll go after them," assures Coach Killian of the 1-0-1 O'Donnell squad.

And for the future..."After this one we'll have everybody back nearly full strength."

Watch out district 3-B the Coyotes haven't begun to howl in 1977!

SWC Outlook At A Glance...

Ponies Head Battle With 'Mean Green'

By DENNE H. FREEMAN
AP Sports Writer

The Southwest Conference will take a perfect 5-0 slate into this weekend's intersectional football warfare but nowhere will there be a more bitter battle than the North Texas State-Southern Methodist neighborhood rivalry at Texas Stadium.

Hayden Fry, who coached at SMU 11 years before he was fired, still hasn't beaten the Mustangs since he became head coach at NTSU. The Mean Green have lost 7-6 and 38-31 games to SMU under Fry.

"I think it will be the most exciting game of the year," said Fry, who dodges talk that he has revenge on his mind.

"I want SMU to be very successful, except when we play them of course," said Fry. "I'm one of their biggest fans. I came in after a 0-10 year and took SMU to three bowls and I think they have a super coach now in Ron Meyer."

Fry said "SMU definitely has a better team than it did last year."

Meyer, whose team manhandled Texas Christian 45-21 Saturday, said, Hayden has all his people back and they played the boots off Mississippi State before losing 17-15. It should be an explosive, wild game."

In other games, Houston plays its second foe this week at Penn State Saturday while Texas A&M is at Virginia Tech, kentucky is at Baylor, Virginia is at Texas, Oregon is at TCU, Oklahoma State is at Arkansas, Florida is at Rice and New Mexico is at Texas Tech.

The SWC has a lot at stake. Texas A&M is ranked seventh, Texas is eighth and Houston is ninth. Texas is ranked 18th.

The Aggies are 10-point favorites over VPI but Coach Emory Bellard points out, "We didn't exactly blow them out last year. They have most of their people back, and we're playing in their territory. We're playing them blind since this game will be their opener. I'm sure we'll run into a very emotional effort."

Texas Tech is a 20-point pick over New Mexico but the Lobos always give the Red Raiders trouble.

"New Mexico always plays us tough and we'd best be ready," said Tech Coach Steve Sloan.

Penn State, which was idle last week, is a four-point nod over Houston which opened with a victory over UCLA Monday.

Texas was a 31-point selection over Virginia and Dick Bestwick, coach of the underdog Cavaliers, said "We have two Cubans on our squad and they mentioned that it might not be a bad idea if they couldn't setup something like being sky-jacked on the way to Austin Friday and go into Cuba. That might be a good idea."

In other games, Arkansas is a 2-point nod over Oklahoma State, Kentucky is a one-point pick over Baylor at Waco, Oregon is a 6-point favorite over Texas Christian, and Florida is a 20-point choice over the Rice Owls in Houston.

Lowitt Figures

Dallas 24, Viks 20

By BRUCE LOWITT
AP Sports Writer

It will be no surprise to anybody to find that the Oakland Raiders and Minnesota Vikings will be picking up right where they left off last January.

The Raiders will win with ease. The Vikings won't.

The San Diego Chargers, chock full of hope, will be shot full of holes by the Oakland juggernaut. The Vikings, the last team to feel the Raiders' swords, will get cut to the quick again, this time in a mild upset by the Dallas Cowboys.

That upset is nothing, however, when compared to what's going to happen in Philadelphia. That's right! Tampa Bay, your friendly neighborhood doormat of a year ago, is going to beat the Eagles.

There's your Upset Special of the Week in this opening round of National Football League action. Now the details:

Raiders 34, Chargers 16

San Diego's got a few good horses with newcomers James Harris at quarterback, Bob Klein at tight end, Johnny Rodgers at wide receiver and more. The defense, though, is still suspect.

Oakland's the same old gang on both sides of the line - but what a gang. Ken Stabler will chew up San Diego's secondary and the 3-4 defense will hit the Chargers with the old 1-2.

Cowboys 24, Vikings 20

Minnesota's got a habit of blowing the big ones, namely four Super Bowls. This one may not be as big but it's still a pretty good indication of just how the greying Vikes will do this year. We think they'll do only so-so.

Buccaneers 21, Eagles 17

Call it intuition. Call it lunacy. The feeling is that Tampa Bay, charged up over its victory against Baltimore a week ago, will sustain the mood. And with a pair of running backs like Ricky Bell and Anthony Davis, the Bucs have the right to some exultation.

Steelers 28, 49ers 10

Pittsburgh is hurting - but not so much that it can't stifle San Francisco on Monday night. The defense is almost as good as last year, which is to say close to sensational.

Colts 31, Seahawks 23

Seattle's got the offense to scare a lot of teams - and a defense that terrifies the Seahawks' fans. Put Bert Jones, Lydell Mitchell & Co. in front of that defense and watch the points pile up.

9th Grade Girls Fall To Seminole

Snyder 9th grade girls volleyball squad, under the direction of Coach Lynda Jackson, dropped a match in Seminole yesterday, 15-13, 12-15, 10-15.

Playing for the ninth graders were Billie Jean James, Patsy Casas, Beth Ellison, Margarita Martinez, Sherry Mayes, Debra Nicholson, Shauna Pate and Dalinda Roberts.

"I was real pleased with the team's performance," noted Coach Jackson. "They were actually setting and spiking the ball for the first time. The first two games the girls were hustling and made few mistakes. The third game they just kind of let up," she added, noting that Seminole "is probably one of the best teams the freshmen will play this year."

The girls travel to Big Spring Tuesday at 4:30 for their next contest.

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8th Gold Defeats S'Water

Snyder eighth grade Gold defeated Sweetwater here last night, 16-0.

"Everybody played well," noted Coach Jim Carson, who pointed out that the Snyder defense held the 'Stangs to only one first down.

Snyder racked up their first touchdown in the first quarter, with Tommy Gressett going in from one yard out. Mark Shaw ran over the extra point to give Snyder a 8-0 lead.

In the third quarter, Shaw scored on a four-yard run. Danny Ramos closed out the scoring with a two-point conversion.

Carson takes his Gold team to Big Spring Sept. 22 for a 5:30 meeting with Runnels.

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SPORTS



IN CLARENDON—Freshman Steve Wise of Midland is one of 11 Westerners playing in the First Conference Tournament beginning today at Clarendon Country Club. The conference play was to begin this morning with an Intercollegiate tourney following. (SDN Staff Photo)

JV Tigers Shaved By Big Spring

"We won everything but what was on the scoreboard," commented Coach Winfred Shipp on his junior varsity team's 21-20 loss to Big Spring here yesterday.

The Steers scored first in the contest but Snyder tied it up when Bobby Degrate poured in for a half-dozen Tiger points in the second quarter. Sammy Willis booted the point-after good.

With seconds to go in the half, Big Spring scored again, boosting their lead to 14-7. In the second half, the Steers took advantage of a first down-the last one they were to get for the evening-and pushed the distance to 21-7 in the third quarter.

Snyder came back with Lloyd Benson going over. Again the point-after was good, and the Tigers withered the lead to 21-14.

Later in the fourth period Paul Gafford crossed for paydirt to cut the Steer lead to one point. A two-point conversion by Snyder failed, however, and Big Spring won, 21-20.

Snyder racked up an impressive 273 yards of total offense during the game, their second of the year. Leading the offensive charge were Degrate with 85 yards and Benson with 54. Tommy Leura snared two passes for 103 yards.

Defensively, Morris Anderson, Billy McDonald, Toby Nevers, Corby Barrett, Chuck Bank and Travis Babcock were standouts.

The loss, Snyder's second for the year.

Snyder junior varsity travels to Andrews, 7 p.m. Sept. 22 for their next contest. The sophomore unit will host Coronado at 10:30 a.m. here tomorrow.

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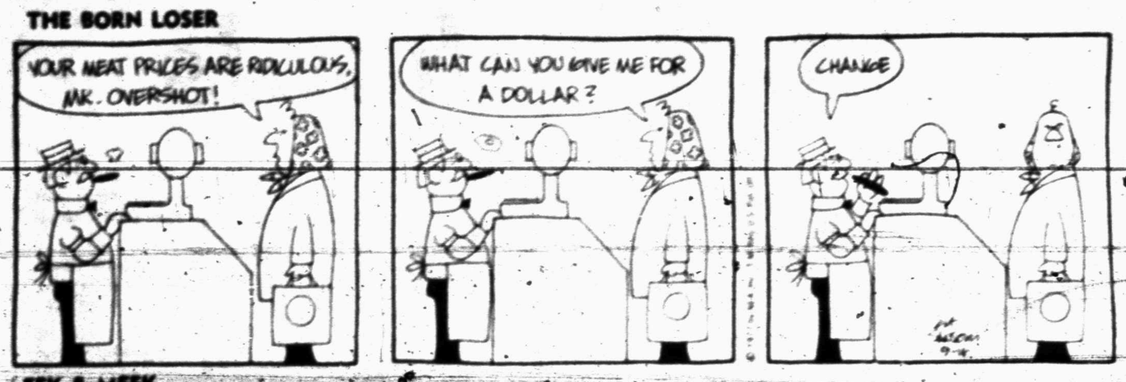
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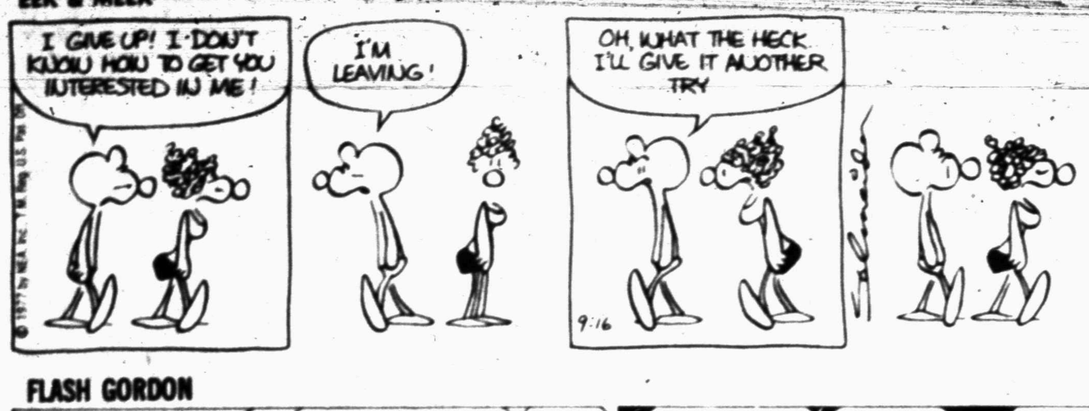
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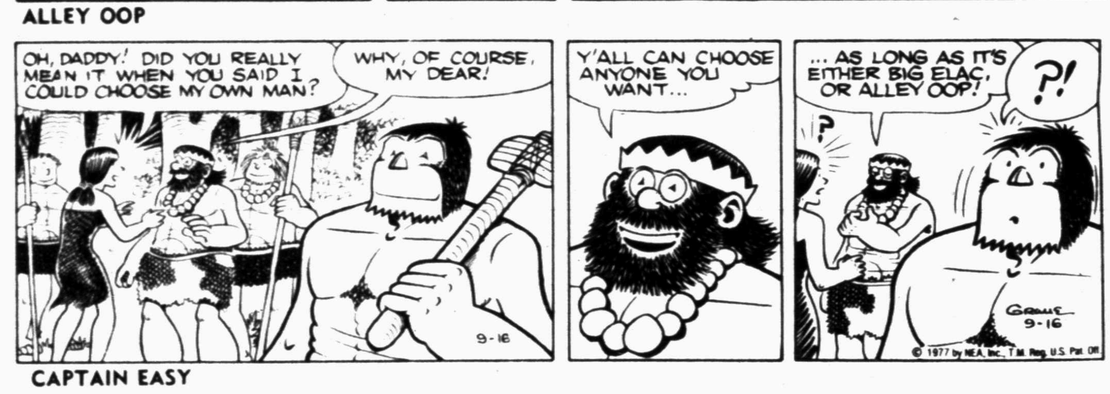
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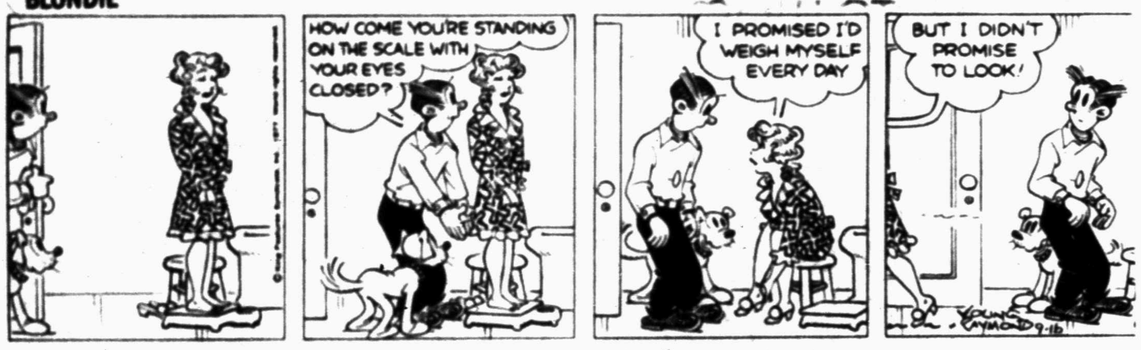
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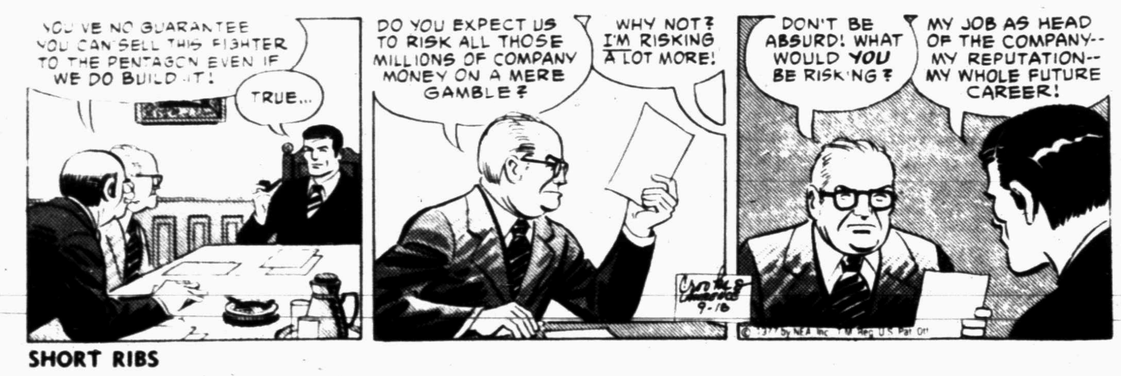
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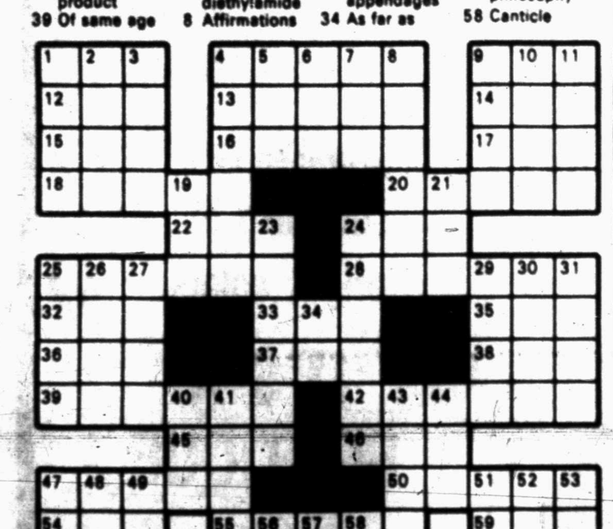
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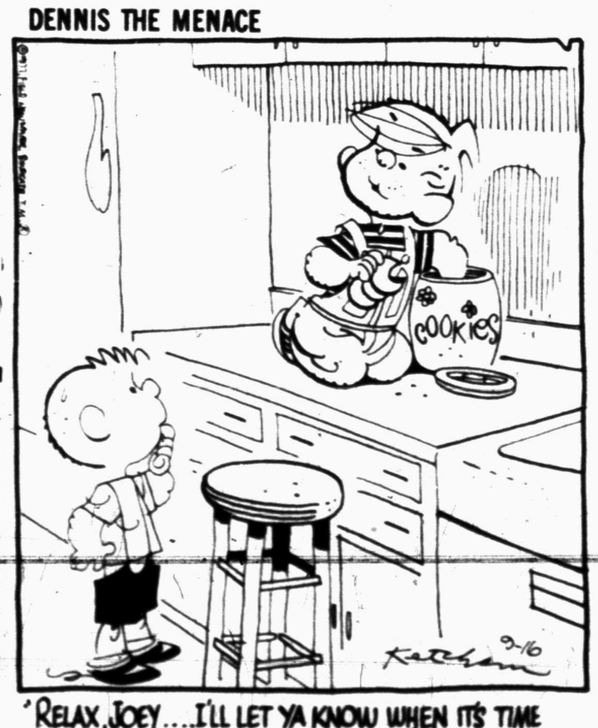
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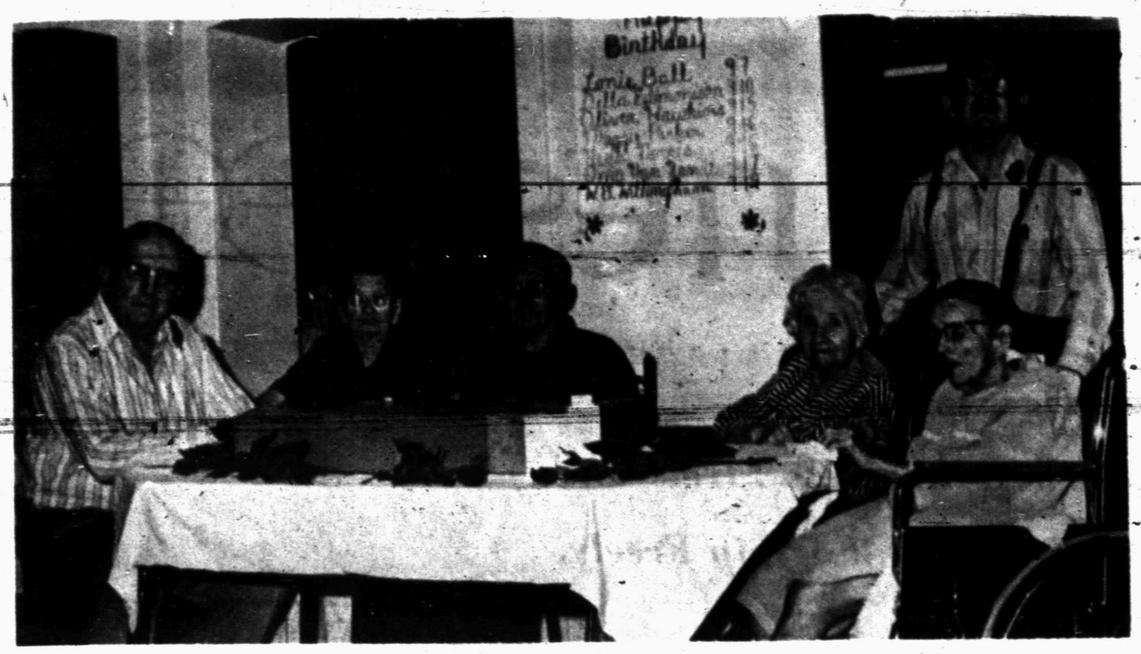
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"RELAX, JOEY.... I'LL LET YA KNOW WHEN IT'S TIME TO START BEING GOOD FOR SANTA CLAUS."



BIRTHDAY PARTY--Residents of Leisure Lodge having birthdays in September were honored recently with a party. Pictured from left are W.B. Willinghan, Della Edmonison, Fred Pitner, Lonie Ball, Maggie Parker and standing, Oliver Hawkins. Those having birthdays but not pictured are Veola Norris and Oma Van Zandt. Hinshaw's furnished the flowers, Highland Bakery the cake, and Hub Evans with Gandy's Inc. the ice cream. The RSVP members helped serve the guests.



NEWLY ELECTED OFFICERS--New officers of the Plainview Home Demonstration Club have been elected to serve this year. They are from left Mrs. George Vincent, vice president; Mrs. Blake Walker, secretary; Mrs. Roy Staton, treasurer; and Mrs. Travis Rhoades, president. Pictured below are delegates who will attend the Texas Home Demonstration Assn. Convention in Galveston September 20-23. They are from left Mrs. Frank Nachlinger, Mrs. Jess Koonsman and Mrs. Roy Staton.



Plainview HD Club Meets

The Plainview Home Demonstration Club met Tuesday at the Northeast Community Center with the newly installed officers in charge. Mrs. Travis Rhoades, president, led the group's business session.

Plans were made for the delegates to the Texas Home Demonstration Assn. Convention to be held in Galveston September 20-23. Those who will represent the organization are Mrs. Roy Staton, delegate, and Mrs. Jess Koonsman and Mrs. Frank Nachlinger, members. The club will also take part in the upcoming county fair.

Miss Ruby Butts, county home demonstration agent, gave the program. She challenged the incoming officers to work harmoniously together with the members and the community to make the club year a success.

Miss Butts also gave a resume of the work to be accomplished at the state convention which will be included in the delegates responsibilities among those will be changing the name of Home Demonstration Club to that of Extension Homemakers Club. The speaker explanied that all states in the United States had changed to the new name except, Texas, and hopes that Texas will follow.

Use Slow Cookers With Care

COLLEGE STATION—Plug in the slow cooker for an easy meal, says Frances Reasonover, foods and nutrition specialist with the Texas Agricultural Extension Service, The Texas A&M University System. In cooking some dishes you may even leave the slow cooker on all day while you're away from home, the specialist says.

Before using the cooker the first time, read instructions and safety rules. Generally the cooker will have a high and low heat setting.

Slow cookers are designed for long cooking time, so food heats slowly, especially on lowest setting. Generally meat and egg mixtures are cooked longer than six hours on low setting to make them safe to eat.

Meat and egg mixtures do not get hot enough in less than six hours to destroy harmful bacteria.

Also, remember that the cooker is hot to the touch during cooking, so use hot pads.

In addition, sudden temperature change may damage the crockery liner of the cooker, so avoid putting cold food or water in it.

Put the food in before you turn the cooker on.

Slow Cooking—Cook with the cover on, except to reduce liquid, as in browning. Enough heat may escape when the cover is removed—to check cooking progress or to stir contents—that cooking time must be extended.

Slow cooking does not LOSE liquids; generally it ADDS liquids—which makes the method especially effective for cooking meats and vegetables. It may, however, also be used for some breads, cakes and other foods.

Try these: spiced, dried fruits cooked overnight and served with ready-to-eat cereal. Old-fashioned bean soup—start it before breakfast and it's ready at lunch. Add a fresh vegetable relish tray and leftover cornbread—toasted and sprinkled with cheese. It's a meal!

Add Bust Darts For Better Fit

College Station--Dress and shirt patterns without bust darts can cause fitting problems. For full busts, alter patterns by adding darts or other fullness, says Margret Ann Vanderpoorten, clothing specialist with the Texas Agricultural Extension Service, The Texas A&M University System.

Adding a dart or other allowance for bust fullness will make the pattern fit better. The added dart may extend from either the side seam or the shoulder seam toward the tip of the bust, the specialist says.

Another method of adding bust ease is to use gathers. These may be added at the shoulder seam, a popular fashion for soft blouses this fall.

Another way to incorporate fullness over the bust is to design a yoke with gathers radiating from it.

For a guide in placing darts and gathers, use a pattern that fits. Be sure the pattern is still perfectly flat after any changes are made so it will be accurate.

For best results, always test altered patterns for fit by making them up in muslin or remnants. Make any necessary adjustments and transfer these changes to the pattern before cutting your fashion fabric.

Comings And Goings

Kathy Jones, who is attending Angelo State University, will be home this weekend to celebrate her birthday with her parents.

COMMUNITY CALENDAR

FRIDAY

Covered Dish Luncheon, Senior Citizens Center at WTC. Table games begin at 9 a.m.

SATURDAY

People Without Partners will meet for 42 at Inadale Community Center; 6:30 p.m.

SUNDAY

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

Scurry County Museum will be open 1-5 p.m. Museum located on campus of WTC.

Cosmorama Study Club; Country Club, luncheon; 12 noon.

BRIDGE

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Grand slam tough to bid

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Pass	6♦	Pass	7♠
Pass	Pass	Pass	

Opening lead — Q♣

By Oswald & James Jacoby

Today, everyone uses Blackwood. It stands to reason that experts have done considerable tinkering with this fine convention. The first bit of tinkering was to provide that the response of five clubs would show no aces or four aces. It is assumed that if you can't tell which of those two hands your partner holds you shouldn't be playing bridge.

Today's hand was played some years ago in the finals of the Life Master Pairs. Everyone played the hand in spades and made 13 tricks. A few unfortunate underbidders stopped at game, just one pair reached the grand slam. They used the bidding in the box.

North's five-club bid showed zero or four aces and it wasn't hard for South to tell which it was. Then South reached down into his bag of tricks and bid five diamonds.

There had been no agreement as to the meaning of this bid but North finally decided that South wanted to know if North had any diamond losers. So North bid six diamonds and South bid the grand slam.

Overbidding, but successful overbidding.

Ask the Jacobys

A Texas reader wants our opinion as to the relative ability of Ely Culbertson and Hal Sims as bridge players.

Sims was the greatest auction bridge player. Both men were great contract players also and easily belonged in the top 10 in the early days. Ely was the greater theorist.

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



BABY SHOWER--A shower honoring Marsha Provence, pictured in center, was held in the home of Kay Goebel recently. Assisting with the hostess duties were Marta Hanks, Suzanne Doolittle, Cheryl Watkins and Joyce Pace. Shown with Mrs. Provence is Debbie Johnson, (left), sister of the honoree, and Virginia Sparks, mother of the honoree.

Henry Speaks To 20th Century Club

The Twentieth Century Club met Tuesday afternoon at the Martha Ann Woman's Club for the start of a new club year. Mrs. Clyde Key was hostess.

Bill Henry, executive director of the Snyder Chamber of Commerce, presented the program. Slides titled Making Things Happen, acquainted members with the purpose and work of the organization. Its goals are (1) to provide a vehicle through which community problems may be identified and resolved (2) to preserve the free enterprise system (3) to meet political, social and economic needs. Mr. Henry then Spoke informally, claiming the local Chamber of Commerce is the show window of a community. It is involved in the total development of that community--homes, work, schools, recreation, stores, service institutions, transportation and good government. The answers to community problems begin in Hometown, U.S.A. and Mr. Henry urged all to get involved in their solution. Being informed is the first step.

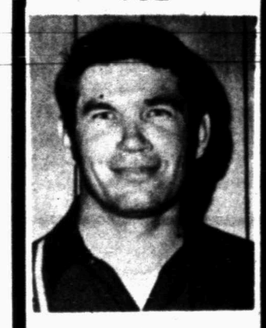
Mrs. Bob Dupree, club president, conducted the business meeting which followed the program and refreshments. The yearbook was reviewed and programs announced. Other announcements included Game Day at the Martha Ann Woman's Club on Thursday September 15; The style show on October 1. The Mesquite District Fall Board Meeting will be held in Clyde on October 15.

Guests present for the meeting were Mrs. Weldon Key and Mrs. David Robertson.

It was decided to send a memorial gift to the TFWC Historical Foundation in honor of Mabel Huckabee, club member, who died during the summer.

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RIGHT DRESS

Joan Crawford recently said, "The intelligent woman adapts herself to fashion but never to fad. She knows what is best for her and her way of life and she sticks to it." This is a cardinal rule in the realm of the spiritual.

Times change and spiritual circumstances change. We must adapt to change but not to spiritual fads. The intelligent Christian knows what is good for him and his family and he sticks to it. The ancient writer said, "My soul thirsteth for God, the Living God. When shall I come and appear before thee?" God does not change, nor do the spiritual goals God has set for His own.

"Forsake not the assembling of yourselves together," says the Bible. God's house and God's people and God's ways are best.

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CHURCH SERVICES

CALVARY BAPTIST

Sunday School begins at 9:45 a.m. Children's church and morning worship will begin at 10:50 a.m. Training service is at 6:15 p.m. and evening worship follows at 7. Rev. Glenn Border, pastor of the church will bring both messages of the day. Eddie Skains will direct the music. Rev. Preston Gumm is associate pastor. A nursery is provided for all services.

The teen choir will practice at 4:45 p.m. Sunday and the adult choir will practice at 5:30 p.m.

Teachers and workers will meet at 7 p.m. Wednesday. Mid-week prayer service follows at 7:30 p.m.

Ladies will visit at 9:30 a.m. Wednesday and church-wide visitation is set at 7 p.m. Thursday.

If you need to ride the bus to the services at the church, call 573-2191.

The teenage group will have a hay ride, Friday night.

Men will meet for prayer at 8:15 a.m. Sunday.

MORNINGSIDE BAPT.

The Central West Texas Association Youth For Christ will have a reorganizational meeting at the Southern Hills Baptist Church in Abilene Saturday night at 7:30. The youth who plan to go should meet at the church at 5:30.

Sunday morning services start at 10 with classes for each age group. The nursery will be open for the little ones.

The Sunday School classes will study the lesson titled, "The Church Purified," Acts 5:1-11.

Sunday evening services begin at 6 with training service groups studying, "When Worship Is Wrong." Program text is Exodus 20:4-6.

The Sunday morning worship hour begins at 11, and the evening worship hour starts at 7. The pastor, Vernon Parnell, will conduct both services. Visitors are always welcome.

Those who need transportation to any of the services of the church should call, 573-5879 or 573-2738.

IRA CHURCH OF GOD

"Hope in the Midst of Despair" titles the adult Sunday School lesson. All classes begin at 10 a.m. under the direction of Supt. Richard Hester.

Pastor June Middlebrooks will preach in both the 11 a.m. and 7 p.m. services. The choir will rehearse at 6:15 p.m. There will be a "Youth-Yak" following the evening service for all youth 12 years and up. It will be in the church annex.

In the 7:30 p.m. midweek service Wednesday, the lesson is titled "What Is Witness? It is part of a series on "Every Christian A Minister." The choir will rehearse at 8:30 p.m. Wednesday.

The public is invited to all church activities.

ST JOHN'S EPISCOPAL

St. John's Episcopal Church will hold regular Sunday services, Holy Communion at 7:45 a.m. and Morning Prayer with sermon at 11:15 a.m. Daily Morning Prayer is read at 7 a.m., Monday through Friday.

Next Sunday, Sept. 25, the Rt. Rev. Willis R. Henton, Bishop of Northwest Texas, will be here for confirmation. There will be only one service, at 11:15 a.m., followed by lunch at the Smorgasbord's private dining room (Dutch treat). Visitors are always welcome and are invited to speak to the vicar about Inquirer's Class.

Church School registration will be at the church on Wednesday at 6:45 p.m. for all interested children and adults. The first unit will be on World Hunger.

FIRST CHRISTIAN

First Christian Church at 2701 37th Street will have Sunday School at 9:45 a.m. and morning worship at 10:50 a.m. Junior high Youth Co-op meets at 5:30 p.m. Sunday and the Senior High Youth Co-op meets at 6 p.m. Evening worship in the sanctuary will be at 7:30 p.m.

The Outreach Committee will sponsor a special program Wednesday evening at 7 featuring a church dinner and a program presented by Dan Lunow, a missionary from Indonesia.

The minister's morning message will be on the Life of Christ from the gospel of Mark, and the evening discussion at 7:30 will be on the charismatic gifts of Romans 12 and I Cor. 12-14.

FIRST PRESBYTERIAN

Sunday School is set for 10 a.m. and morning worship for 11 a.m. at First Presbyterian Church.

The Rev. Gary West, pastor, will have as his sermon title, "The King Malignant, The King Magnificent," Matt. 13:31-35.

The Youth Co-op will meet at 6 p.m. at Trinity United Methodist Church. Deacons will meet at 7:30 p.m. Wednesday at the church. The children's Co-op Choir will meet at 4:15 p.m. Thursday at First Christian Church.

NORTHSIDE BAPTIST

Saturday evening at 7:30 is the time for Youth Rally and this month Northside will be host church.

Sunday is special day for Northside since it will be celebrating its 37th anniversary. Sunday morning worship begins with Sunday School at 9:45 with the lesson for this Sunday being, "Living for Christ Pressing On," with the lesson material taken from Philippians 3:1-21. Morning worship service and children's chapel will follow at 10:55.

Sunday evening worship begins at 6 with B.T.C. and Discovery Hour. The B.T.C. lesson for this Sunday is, "Jesus Christ His Sinless Character," with the lesson text taken from I John 3:5; II Corinthians 5:18-21. Evening worship and radio broadcast will follow at 7 with the pastor, George E. White, in charge of the worship services for the day.

Tuesday evening at 7:30 is the time for Ladies' Auxiliary meeting at the church. Wednesday evening at 7:30 is the time for mid-week prayer services.

If you need a ride to church call 573-7105 or 573-5320.

FAITH BAPTIST

Sunday School will begin at 10 a.m. with classes for all ages. Morning worship follows at 10:50 with children's church provided during the same hour. Adult choir rehearsal is set for 5:20 p.m. Training service will begin at 6:15 p.m., followed by evening worship at 7. Buck Hatfield, pastor, will bring both messages of the day. Alton Weidel is the music director and Carl Shroyer is assistant pastor.

Teen Choir practice is scheduled for 7 p.m. Tuesday for the junior and senior high departments. Teachers' meeting will begin at 7 p.m. Wednesday, followed by mid-week prayer service at 7:30. Ladies visitation is held every Thursday at 10 a.m. with church-wide visitation following at 7 p.m. Men's prayer meeting is scheduled for 7 p.m. each Saturday.

"The Fundamentalist" radio broadcast may be heard beginning Monday at 12:25 p.m. A Bible conference is scheduled for Oct. 1-3. If you need transportation to any service, call 573-0714 or 573-3801.

TRINITY U. METH.

Church School for all age groups will meet at 9:45 a.m. at Trinity United Methodist Church. A nursery is provided for all church activities. In the pulpit at the 11 o'clock morning worship service will be the Rev. Jene Greer. His sermon topic will be "The Estranged Heart", Ezekiel 14:1-5, and Matthew 15:8-20.

The Junior High Youth will meet at 5:30 p.m. The Youth Co-op meets at 6 p.m. at Trinity.

Evening worship is at 7 p.m. with Rev. Greer speaking on "the Holy Spirit's Temple," I Corinthians 6:19-20.

Tuesday at 6:30 a.m. the Bible Study and Prayer Group will meet at the church. The Share Group will meet at 2 p.m. in the home of Mrs. I.V. Zeck. The Pastor-Parish Committee will meet at the church at 7:30 p.m. The choir will meet for rehearsal at 7:30 p.m. on Wednesday.

Thursday at 4:15 p.m. at First Christian Church, children will be registered for the Children's Co-op Choir. This is for children age 4 through grade 6. The Tasters' Share Group will meet at 7:30 p.m.

The Missionary Conference will meet at Trinity beginning Friday and continuing through Sunday. The leaders of this conference are Rev. Harold Spann, Miss Doris Trefren, Dan Lunow, and Mr. and Mrs. Al McElheran.

Persons over 60 years of age from all across the Northwest Texas Conference are urged to perfect plans for attending the Creative Years Camp II to be held at Butman Methodist Camp, Sept. 20-23. Theme for the camp will be on American Folklore.

UNION U. METH.

Sunday School begins at 10 o'clock with classes for everyone. Russell Connors of Plains will speak at the morning worship service at 11. A nursery is provided for both services.

Junior and senior high groups will meet at 5:30 p.m. The Rev. Wayland Dowden will speak at the 7 p.m. worship service.

Family Night is set for 7 p.m. Tuesday at the church. There will be a covered dish supper, followed by a program by Dan Lunow, missionary from Indonesia.

COLONIAL HILL BAPT.

The early class will meet in the new fellowship hall for Bible Study at 7 a.m. with Miller Robinson teaching the lesson. Sunday School will meet at 9:45 a.m. with the morning worship service beginning at 11 a.m. The Ensemble will meet at the church at 4 p.m. for rehearsal, and the puppets will meet at 4 p.m. The youth choirs will meet at 5 p.m. with the church training beginning at 6 p.m. The evening service will begin at 7 p.m.

Monday evening at 6 p.m. a group of Sunday School workers will go to First Baptist Church in Sweetwater for a Sunday School Visitation Clinic. There will be a nursery available at the church here.

Tuesday night at 7 p.m. the Sunday School Class of Mattie Crook and Janella Burgess will meet in the home of Pat Snider for a salad supper.

Wednesday evening at 6 p.m. supper will be served. The GA workers will meet in the library at 6:30 p.m. The Acteens, GA's and RA's will meet at 6:30 p.m. The children's choirs will meet at 7:15 p.m. with the prayer service beginning at 7:30 p.m. The adult choir will have rehearsal at 8 p.m.

Thursday morning at 9:30 a.m. the BYW will meet and later have a luncheon. Visitation will be at 6:30 p.m. with Adult I and II recreation beginning at 7 p.m.



NEW DEACON--Phillip Hernandez was ordained as a deacon in Templo Bautista on Sept. 4. The ordaining council was composed of the Revs. Glen McCarhern, J.R. Reedy, Miller F. Robinson, R. Virgil Mott, Nicholas Roblaro and Johnny Guzman, pastor of the church, and Bob Melton.

BETHEL BAPTIST

"Jesus Christ-His Purpose" will be the sermon topic of R. Virgil Mott on "The Back To Bethel Broadcast" on KSNY at 8:35 a.m. Sunday.

Sunday School will begin at 10 a.m. Bethel maintains a graded Sunday School, ages pre-school through adult.

"Signs of the Church" will be the sermon topic of the pastor at the 11 a.m. worship service Sunday. Scripture reference is Eph. 1:15-23. The children's service will be conducted at 11:20 a.m. The nominating committee will meet in fellowship hall at 5 p.m.

Church Training service will begin at 6 p.m.

The regular evening worship service will begin at 7 p.m.

The all-church picnic has been set for Sunday, Sept. 25, at noon, in the barn in Towle Park.

Wednesday evening at 7:30 p.m. people are urged to attend the altar call prayer meeting.

A graded nursery program is provided for all Sunday services. Jesse Faulkenberry is music director for all services. Mrs. Barbara Mott is the organist, and Mrs. Margaret Bigham and Kathy Hammit are the pianists.

AVENUE D BAPTIST

Sunday School begins at 10 a.m. and following at 11 a.m. Pastor Ken Danuser will speak from Hosea 1:1-2 on the topic "when Life Falls In."

Training Union begins at 6 p.m. and at the 7 p.m. service the BSU will be in charge. Darrell Grimley, new BSU director, will lead the team of Western Texas College students in the evening service.

The RAs will leave the church Friday at 6 p.m. with the Brotherhood to go to the Baptist encampment at Stanton. They will return at 4 p.m. Saturday.

Youth Choir will meet at 4:30 p.m. Sunday and the adult choir at 5:15 p.m.

Dr. Joe Reaves will conduct an "Abundant Life" seminar beginning Oct. 2.

FIRST UNITED METHODIST

Sunday School classes for all ages will begin at 9:45 a.m. at First United Methodist Church. The morning service of worship begins at 10:55 a.m. with the Rev. David H. Robertson, pastor, witnessing to the Word.

The Junior and Senior High UMYF will meet at 6:30 p.m. for a snack supper and program.

The evening service of worship will begin at 7 p.m.

The calendar for the week includes a Pastor-Parish Relations meeting and the Maranatha Cluster meeting on Monday, the Kindergarten, 1 and 2 choir and the 3, 4, 5 and 6 grade choir, and the Chancel Choir rehearsal and a Council on Ministries meeting on Wednesday, and the Hayley Class meeting on Thursday night.

A nursery is provided for all services of worship and meetings.

Missionary To Indonesia Coming Here

The Trinity United Methodist Church will have a Missionary Conference on Sept. 23, 24, 25. One of the leaders in the Conference will be Wolfgang (Dan) Lunow, a Missionary in West Irian, Indonesia. Mr. Lunow will be the only one of his family here for the Second Missionary Conference. The public is invited to all meetings.

He was born in Germany and was in the Youth for Hitler movement while Hitler was in power in Germany. He came to the United States in 1954 and was converted to Jesus Christ while listening to a radio message the following year. At this time he committed his life to missionary work and entered the University of Minnesota where he graduated with a B.A. degree in Psychology. He is also a graduate of Columbia Bible College of Columbia, S.C. and the Linguistic Seminary Institute. One of his task is to translate the Bible into the languages of the people where he is a missionary.

GRACE LUTHERAN

The learning community gathers at 9:15 a.m. with educational ministry extended to all ages.

Holy Communion will be celebrated at 10:30 a.m. "What Can You Afford?" Pastor Jonathan Jensen's sermon, is from the text of Luke 14:25-33.

The Junior High Co-op will have a swimming party at 5:30 p.m. The Y.C.C. will meet at 6 p.m. at Trinity Methodist.

The special Task Force on stewardship will meet with Norm Lueck on Thursday at 7 p.m.

At 7 a.m. on Saturday, Sept. 24, there will be a prayer breakfast for church ushers. All men of the church are welcome.

37TH ST. C OF C

Pat J. Abbananto, minister, will preach the gospel in all the worship services at 37th St. Church of Christ on Sunday. The worship services are at 10:45 a.m. and 6 p.m.

Bible classes for all ages are held at 9:45 a.m. each Sunday.

The regular mid-week worship services are scheduled for 7:30 p.m. each Wednesday.

IRA U. METH.

The Rev. Wayland Dowden will bring the message at the 10 a.m. worship service.

Sunday School begins at 11 a.m. with classes for all the family.

The title of the lesson is "Hope in the Midst of Despair." Scripture lesson is from the book of Luke.

There will be Bible study at the church at 6 p.m. Wednesday, at which time a new Self-Help unit on the books of Matthew and Mark will begin.

The football team and coach will be special guests at the Sunday morning worship service and afterward for lunch at the Ira Community Center.

EAST SIDE C OF C

Sam Kitching will be the host Saturday morning on KSNY Radio at 8:15 on the program "Love of Living." He will be speaking on the subject "God Loves Sinners" Sunday morning at 8:15 on KSNY Radio on the program "Give Me the Bible." His sermon topic for the 10:25 a.m. worship service will be "Thinking on Good." At the 6 p.m. worship service his sermon subject will be "God's Guidance."

Bible classes for all ages are held each Sunday morning at 9:30. Ladies' Bible classes are held each Wednesday morning at 10. The mid-week worship service with classes for all ages is scheduled for 7:30 p.m. each Wednesday. Visitors are always welcome at all services.

For free transportation to all services, please call 573-5666 or 573-3583.



BIKE-A-THON PARTICIPANTS—Sept. 3 was a special day for 21 Christ Ambassadors of First Assembly of God Church in Snyder as they participated in a "Bike-A-Thon" to raise money for missionary equipment. They left for Lake J.B. Thomas at 8 a.m. and by noon all had reached their destination. They had lunch at the lake before returning home. The CAs expressed appreciation to the people of Snyder who contributed over $700.

Co-op Choir For Children Is Planned

A children's Co-op Choir is being organized by First Christian, First Presbyterian, Grace Lutheran and Trinity United Methodist Churches.

It is for children age 4 through the 6th grade. Non-members are also welcome.

If enough children attend, choirs will be divided into two age groups.

Registration is set for Thursday, Sept. 22, at 4:15 p.m. at First Christian Church. Parents are asked to accompany their children to the first meeting. Refreshments will be served.

Directors are Mrs. Pearl Wheeler and Mrs. Joan Marble. More information may be obtained by calling 573-0670 or 573-5327.

SS Office HoursChanged

Don Minyard, Manager of the Big Spring Social Security Office, announced a change in public office hours today. Beginning Monday, Sept. 19, the office will be open to the public from 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. including the noon hour, Monday through Friday of each week. The reason for this change is to allow office personnel an hour of uninterrupted time each morning to process benefit applications and related work.

There will be no changes in the regularly scheduled out of town social security trips.

FIRST BAPTIST

The Rev. Ken Andress' sermon topic Sunday morning is "Theology" Part II, John 4:24. Sunday evening the sermon topic is "Things Unreasonable from the Standpoint of the Cross." The Lord's Supper will be observed. There will be a Youth Sing 'n' Share in the Young Adult Building at 8 p.m. Sunday.

The Baptist Women will meet at 9:30 a.m. Tuesday for Bible study. The topic will be "Up and Out, Down and Out."

The C.I.T.A. Class will have a fish fry Tuesday at 7:30 p.m. in the Sears Building.

The regular scheduled program will be followed Wednesday: Graded choirs at 4:30 p.m., fellowship supper at 6 p.m. and mid-week services at 7 p.m.

L.L.L. will meet Thursday morning at 10 in the fellowship hall.

The remains of a giant African forerunner of the pig, now extinct, show that the animal had tusks more than three feet long and was the size of the present-day rhinoceros.

HEALTH

Lawrence E. Lamb, M.D.

Prostate surgery complication

By Lawrence E. Lamb, M.D.

DEAR DR. LAMB — Several months ago I had prostate surgery and got along real fine. Then I developed an infection of my testicles and they were badly swollen for several weeks. My doctor is having me sit in hot water a half hour at a time. The swelling is almost gone, but I still have to wear a supporter day and night.

He has me taking Vibramycin capsules twice a day. I have heard the mycin drugs are hard on a person and could lead to other side effects. Could you please comment as I am sure other men have had this surgery and infection and would be happy to hear what can be done for them.

DEAR READER — Inflammation of the testicles after a prostate operation is one of the complications that can occur. Some doctors often did a vasectomy at the same time in an effort to prevent involvement of the testicles years before it became a popular method of birth control.

The infection is caused by a germ and the treatment depends a lot on identifying it. Certainly Vibramcyin is a good and safe antibiotic that would be used in some cases. It is not a dangerous medicine. It and other tetracyclines should not be used during the first eight years of life or in a woman who is pregnant because these medicines may discolor the teeth and affect the enamel. I don't think you need to worry about that. Vibramycin has less of a tendency to irritate the bowel or cause digestive upsets than some of the other tetracyclines.

Prostate enlargement that requires surgery is a common problem for men. The reasons for prostate enlargement are not completely understood. I am sending you The Health Letter number 1-6, Prostate Gland, to give you more information about it. Others who want this issue can send 50 cents with a long, stamped, self-addressed envelope for it, to P.O. Box 1551, Radio City Station, New York, NY 10019.

DEAR DR. LAMB — I have some questions about liquid protein. I have asked the druggist and the people at the health food stores who sell it about its purpose and what effects it has on your body. I have asked them what does "biodigestable" mean and no one can give me a straight answer. Can you answer these questions? Would you recommend it as part of a diet?

DEAR READER — I could summarize my response in one syllable — UGH!

Biodigestable sounds like a promotional word creation and fromits roots should bean biologically digestible — and any food you eat has to be biologically digestible or it is simply bulk.

If you eat a reasonable amount of red meat, poultry, fish or milk and dairy products you are getting plenty of protein if you are a normal healthy person. Obtaining additional protein as a powder, a liquid or something in between will not improve your health in any way.

Now, if for any reason a person could not eat protein foods, then protein supplements might be advisable. But, such a person would be one with a serious medical problem who need to be under the care of a physician.

(Because of the volume of mail Dr. Lamb cannot answer your letters personally but he will answer representative letters of general interest in his column.)

(NEWSPAPER ENTERPRISE ASSN.)

For Saturday, Sept. 17, 1977

ASTRO•GRAPH

Bernice Bede Osol

Your Birthday

Sept. 17, 1977

Dare to be different this coming year. Study subjects you've wanted to learn more about, and gain knowledge of interesting things that have always intrigued you.

VIRGO (Aug. 23-Sept. 22) Don't have lingering doubts about your ability today, or they'll hinder you from getting your share of the action. Move onward and upward boldly. Find out to whom you're romantically suited by sending for your copy of Astro-Graph Letter by mailing 50 cents for each and a long, self-addressed, stamped envelope to Astro-Graph, P.O. Box 489, Radio City Station, N.Y. 10019. Be sure to specify your birth sign.

LIBRA (Sept. 23-Oct. 23) You could be a shade reluctant today about sharing what you have. Try to remember what others have done for you, and your attitude will quickly change.

SCORPIO (Oct. 24-Nov. 22) Focus your actions today at what you can do for others, not what they can do for you. If you do, the results could be amazing.

SAGITTARIUS (Nov. 23-Dec. 21) Make it a point today not to let doomsayers rain on your parade. Think hopefully and you'll be a winner.

CAPRICORN (Dec. 22-Jan. 19) Do what you can to figure ways to help a pal out of a financial dilemma, but don't throw your resources in as a lifesaver. You could both sink if you do.

AQUARIUS (Jan. 20-Feb. 19) There are those who may try to trip you up today, but they have very small feet. A little deft maneuvering will enable you to step over them.

PISCES (Feb. 20-March 20) You may have had the wrong slant on a problem you've been trying desperately to solve. Take a fresh approach. You could find that elusive answer.

ARIES (March 21-April 19) Don't look for the easy way out today. The only thing that can shift the tide in your favor is good, honest work.

TAURUS (April 20-May 20) Be prepared to rectify mistakes that you make early in the day. You could have a few boo-boos, but they can easily be corrected.

GEMINI (May 21-June 20) Things that you thought would be easily accomplished today may turn out to be more difficult. It's to your advantage not to leave any task undone.

CANCER (June 21-July 22) Should you buy anything today, be sure to keep the sales slip and check the warranty. There's a strong possibility you'll be needing one or both.

LEO (July 23-Aug. 22) You're better at making money today than you are at making friends. Be sure you understand where the true values lie when it comes to the crunch.

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SPECIAL NOTICES A-2

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I WILL not be responsible for any debts other than my own C.R. (Helen) Gentry.

LOST AND FOUND A-4

LOST BLACK female Chihuahua with brown markings, answers to the name Sam. Been missing approximately 3 months. 3-year-old daughter's pet. Will give $30 for her return. Call Dixie King 915 573-5105.

PERSONAL A-5

LIFT A FINGER. Report child abuse. 1-800-295-5400 toll free statewide child abuse hotline.

Tri County Council on Drug Abuse & Alcoholism, Education. Information & treatment 118 E. Highway. Call day or nite 915-573-3233. A United Way Agency.

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

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FOR SALE 1965 Olds. Delta 88. Call 573-9934 or come by 110 Canyon after 5:00 p.m.

1976 Mercury for sale. Looks new, very cheap, very few miles on the car. M.M. Maule-Leisure Lodge-5311 Big Spring Highway.

1968 BUICK ELECTRA, nice clean car. See at Standard Truck Stop. Hwy 180. 573-9235 between 6 a.m.-6 p.m. weekdays.

FOR SALE: 1972 Grand Torino. Call 573-8170.

1974 GREMLIN for sale, $1500.00, 1972 Chevrolet with new motor & transmission, $1500.00, 1959 Glastron boat & motor for sale. 573-5628.

1975 GREMLIN, excellent condition, low mileage. Call 573-8640 after 6:30.

WHOLESALE NICE 1973 Chrysler New Port, one owner, $1370.00. 3609 41st. 573-8963.

1970 Coupe DeVille, all power, gold with white top, extra clean. Call 573-0087.

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K-3

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GARAGE SALES
K-5

GARAGE SALE
Thurs. 9 a.m. to 4 p.m.
Sat. 10 a.m. to 1 p.m.
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2211 42nd. St.

GARAGE SALE
St. Johns's
Episcopal Church
2214 42nd
Fri. 9-5 and Sat. 9-4

GARAGE SALE
2805 Denison
Dog pen 27''x36''x20'', stamps for collectors, good items under $1.00.
Turs. thru Sat.

3 Family Garage Sale
700 26th ST.
Starts 9 a.m. Sat. Sept. 17
Refrigerator, camera, lawn mowers, books, baby clothes, rugs, misc. furniture, and other items.

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Fri. & Sat.
Halfway between Dunn & Ira on FM 1606 or out Round Top Road that comes by hospital and college. Go about 10 miles to flashing light, turn right and go about 1 mile to white house on right side of road.

INSIDE SALE
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Lots of furniture & appliances Thurs. Fri. Sat.

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Fri. Sat. Sun.

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3404 43rd
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Sat. only 8-6
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9-5
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Fri. & Sat.
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GARAGE SALE
1306 29th.
Sat.

GARAGE SALE
3105 Denison
Sale Sat. only 9-3
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GARAGE SALE
3002 32nd. St.
Sat. 8-12
Clothing left from last week's sale. 25 cents per item or less. Other items ½ price.

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All day Sun. 18th.
2201 Ave. O

BACK YARD SALE
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Sat. 17-Sun. 18
8:00 a.m. 8 p.m.
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Sat. & Sun.
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Sun. 2-6

GARAGE SALE
Sat. 9-5
4505 Denison

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L-1

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L-9

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Parents Claim

PBB Contamination Linked To Pregnancy

MUSKEGON, Mich. (AP)-Raymond Booms was alarmed because his pregnant wife had eaten meat and drunk the milk of cows that gave birth to deformed calves. But he had no proof his unborn child would be affected.

Two-year-old Christina Booms died last week after open-heart surgery. Boom and his wife, Marjean, are demanding to know if the fire-retardant chemical PBB had anything to do with it.

"When she was born," Mrs. Booms recalled, "my husband said, 'You know, you've been eating that meat and milk.' It started us thinking, but we didn't have any proof."

Christina died during surgery to correct an arrhythmia, a variation of normal heart rhythm. The disorder was discovered shortly after she was born.

Tests conducted last year showed Christina had 200 parts per billion of PBB in her body tissues.

The state does not now have a minimum acceptance level of PBB contamination for humans, but as of Oct. 1, a new state law prohibits the sale of any food that has a PBB level of more than 20 parts per billion.

Christina's body tissues had a higher PBB level than anyone else in her family even though she never ate the farm's food products and was fed a milk substitute. The Booms say they are convinced the contamination occurred during pregnancy.

Christina was to have been one of about 30 children tested here as doctors from Michigan's three medical schools attempt to determine if PBB causes birth defects.

Earlier tests on adults who lived on PBB contaminated farms have indicated that the chemical may be linked to neurological problems and a weakening of the body's resistance to disease.

The Booms' Moorestown dairy farm, in north central Michigan, was one of hundreds statewide tainted by PBB- polybrominated biphenyl-after the fire retardant accidentally was mixed with animal feed in 1973.

Many of the farms were quarantined. More than 30,000 animals were destroyed and buried in a pit near Kalkaska, Mich. Another 34,000 will be killed after the new PBB-level law takes effect Oct. 1, and a fight has developed over where those carcasses will be buried.

Oscoda County residents opposing plans to put a burial pit for carcasses in their area won a court restraining order Thursday barring the state from beginning work on the pit.

Millions of dollars in damage suits have been brought.

May Carry Warning

Saccharin Products To Stay On Shelves

By TOM RAUM
Associated Press Writer

WASHINGTON (AP)- Diet sodas and other products containing saccharin are likely to remain on store shelves for at least another 18 months, but they probably will have to carry a cancer warning similar to that printed on cigarette packages.

While there is agreement on the need for a cancer warning, a fierce congressional fight is developing over whether manufacturers should also be required to include a similar warning when they advetise products containing saccharin.

The Senate voted 87 to 7 Thursday to block a government ban on saccharin, which had been scheduled to take effect Oct. 1. The vote also approved the requirement that cancer warnings be placed on all products containing the artificial sweetener.

Vending machines selling such products would also have to post the warning, as would displays in supermarkets.

During the 18-month moratorium on the saccharin ban, the government will study health risks and benefits of the artifical sweetener, which has been linked to bladder cancer in laboratory animals.

The Senate-passed bill probably will win approval by the House, which gets to act on it next. House members have gone on record as favoring the delay on the saccharin ban. They voted for such a postponment earlier this year as part of another piece of legislation—a tactic the Senate didn't go along with at the time.

While there is widespread congressional support for delaying the ban and requiring a warning on saccharin products, the real controversy is over advertising.

The Senate stripped from the bill a provision that would have required cancer warnings in printed advertising or in radio or television commercials for products containing saccharin.

That action prompted the bill's sponsor, Sen. Edward M. Kennedy, D-Mass., to repudiate the legislation. Kennedy said allowing saccharin products to be advertised without appropriate warnings "goes against the recommendation of every health expert in this country."

Kennedy and others who want the advertising warnings—including the Carter administration—are now looking to the House to revive the proposal. A House health subcommittee has approved the saccharin legislation—but without such a provision—in a bill that goes before the full House Commerce Committee for a vote next week.

The Senate bill would require saccharin products to carry this label: "WARNING THIS PRODUCT CONTAINS SACCHARIN WHICH CAUSES CANCER IN ANIMALS. USE OF THIS PRODUCT MAY INCREASE YOUR RISK OF DEVELOPING CANCER."

The Food and Drug Administration announced the proposed ban last spring, citing a Canadian study, which showed that saccharin, when fed in high doses to laboratory rats, caused cancer.

A subsequent Canadian study concluded that human male saccharin users have an increased risk of developing bladder cancer.

The ban, which would not affect over-the-counter sales of saccharin as a non-prescription drug, has been delayed several times but is now scheduled to take effect on Oct. 1.

Thunderstorms Predicted For Texas Areas

By The Associated Press

Thunderstorm activity in West Texas ended early today, leaving most of the state under clear to partly cloudy skies, but forecasters warned of more thunderstorm activity later today in West Texas and in extreme Southeast Texas.

There were no reports of significant rainfall early today.

Early morning temperatures were slightly warmer than readings earlier in the week. Most of the state had readings in the 70s although a few readings in the 60s were noted in the Panhandle. Some early morning readings included 66 at Amarillo, 72 at Wichita Falls, 70 at Texarkana, 71 at Dallas-Fort Worth, 73 at Waco, 70 at Lufkin, 69 at Houston, 74 at Corpus Christi, 72 at Brownsville, 76 at Del Rio and San Angelo, 73 at El Paso and 69 at Lubbock.

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THERE ARE DOLLS AND DOLLS, but among collectors such as Kay Spindel these are regarded as the Tiffany of the line. They are French bisque Jumeau, named for a 19th-century Frenchman who employed talented artists and real hair to create beautifully modeled dolls. They are among rare and unusual examples on display at the 14th annual National Arts and Antiques Festival in New York starting Oct. 8.

Wage Hike Bill Sent To Senate

By PEGGY SIMPSON
Associated Press Writer

WASHINGTON (AP)- The House of Representatives is sending the Senate legislation to raise the minimum wage paid millions of American workers by 75 cents an hour over the next three years.

About 3.1 million persons work for the current $2.30 hourly minimum wage, which will go to $2.65 in January if the Senate agrees with the House's action Thursday. This would mean a $14 weekly raise for people working a 40-hour week.

The raise to $3.05 by 1980 would be the most sizable since Congress passed the first minimum wage legislation decades ago. A similar bill has already been approved by a Senate committee.

An amendment to guarantee youths only 85 per cent of the minimum wage for their first six months on the job lost 211 to 210, with Speaker Thomas P. O'Neill Jr. breaking the tie. The amendment would have lost on a tie anyway, but O'Neill's vote was symbolically important to labor.

The House turned down a proposal sought by the restaurant workers union to amend employers' right to pay workers who get tips only half the minimum wage.

Another amendment the House approved eliminates 3.8 million workers from minimum wage protection by raising the exemption for companies making $250,000 in sales a year to $500,000.

Business groups won a victory in the House's 223-193 defeat of a provision to automatically raise the minimum wage annually after 1980, based on a percentage of the average factory worker's pay.

"Adopting this index means we will be abandoning the fight against inflation," said Rep. John Erlenborn, R-Ill., whose amendment successfully knocked out the provision.

Reps. Paul Simon, D-Ill., and Robert Cornell, D-Wis., sponsored the sub-minimum amendment, which also drew support from Republicans.

They said similar two-tiered scales have had no ill effects in Europe and should be tried here.

Cornell said that, while he had "no pretenses that this will solve youth unemployment," it is "time to try another approach."

But a special wage category for teenagers would make no more sense than a category for blacks or women whose jobless rates are also high, said Rep. Ronald Dellums, D-Calif.

Rep. Parren Mitchell, D-Md., chairman of the Congressional Black Caucus, said a separate minimum for youths would be "a ghastly mistake" and would play off one age group of hard-core unemployed against another.

Peking Not Ready For AP Bureau

HONG KONG (AP)- Chinese officials, citing a lack of progress between the Chinese and U.S. governments, told a visiting delegation from The Associated Press that the time is not ripe for an AP bureau to open in Peking, the AP's president reported Thursday.

Keith Fuller, president and general manager of the news cooperative, said the principal discussion was held with Chu Muchih, head of the official Chinese news agency Hsinhua. Chu is also a member of the Chinese Communist party central committee.

Secretary of State Cyrus R. Vance visited Peking last month, holding talks with party Chairman Hua Kuo-feng and Deputy Premier Teng Hsiaoping.

Teng told the visiting AP delegation last week that efforts to establish normal diplomatic relations between the United States and China suffered a setback during Vance's visit. The deputy premier, who said President Ford had promised to break relations with Taiwan if he had been re-elected last November, said Vance offered only to reduce the American embassy in Taiwan to a liaison mission.

Fuller and 12 other executives and directors of the AP arrived in Hong Kong on Thursday after a 16-day tour of China.

Soviets Step-Up Missiles

WASHINGTON (AP)- The Soviet Union is developing a new generation of intercontinental ballistic missiles and the United States "cannot ignore their efforts," Defense Secretary Harold Brown disclosed Thursday night.

"Exactly why the Soviets are pushing so hard to improve their strategic nuclear capabilities is uncertain," Brown said in what was billed as a major policy speech.

Brown revealed the existence of a fifth generation of Soviet ICBMs in a speech to the National Security Industrial Association, a group of defense firm representatives.

It was the first acknowledgement by the Carter administration of the Soviet step-up of its heavy missiles. The administration currently is trying to negotiate a strategic arms limitation treaty with the Russians.



Law Says Divorce Must Be Published

By Abigail Van Buren

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DEAR ABBY: You've often heard the line, "I never thought I'd be writing to Dear Abby," but this time, you were so off base, I had to write.

You told MINNESOTAN if she requested that the news of her divorce be withheld from publication, the editor would probably respect her wishes.

Baloney! I don't know about Minnesota, but in Iowa divorces are published by law.

We sometimes publish divorces as news—not on our front page, but usually listed with other court house records—whether or not we're requested to keep it confidential.

Some newspapers in this area publish entire court proceedings on the front page—"blow by blow," so to speak.

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DEAR ED.-PUB.: I should have, but I didn't. An editor who shall remain nameless, lest he become jobless, gave me a bum steer. Thanks for setting the record straight. I needed that.

DEAR ABBY: I play softball, and not to brag, but I'm considered a pretty good player.

There's this girl I sort of hang around with. I'm not really all that involved with her, but she's been coming around to watch me play quite a lot lately, and that's my problem.

Last season I didn't mind her watching me play, and I played okay, but this season, for some dumb reason, every time I see her I get nervous and I play lousy. Maybe I'd play lousy, anyway, but when I see her there, I play extra lousy.

How can I get her not to come around when I'm playing without getting her mad at me? She's a neat kid and I don't want to hurt her feelings.

SOFTBALL SOFTY

DEAR SOFTY: Level with her. Tell her you want to find out for sure if you're playing lousy because she's there. She might be flattered to learn that you think her presence is affecting your game.

DEAR ABBY: I am 25 and female. Last year I bought a watch, which I treasured. It cost $145—a lot of money for me. I had to save a long time to buy it.

I wore it one day with a fellow I was sort of going with. He makes good money and has a government job. We went for a drive and decided to wade out into a stream so I took my watch off and he locked it in the glove compartment of his car.

After he took me home and drove off (he lives 200 miles away) I realized my watch was in his car. I called him that very night and asked him to please put my watch in a safe place until we met again.

Well, every time we met after that he said he "forgot" my watch. It's been a year now and he says he doesn't know happened to it, and he's given up the search, so I had better get another one. It wasn't insured and he never offered to replace it. My feelings toward him are ambivalent. I don't especially want to see him, but this watch business has upset me. If you were in my place, what would you do?

"E"

DEAR "E": I'd buy myself another watch, but I wouldn't give the fellow who "lost" it the time of day.

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

Bell Doubts Jury Award Will Stand

Bell Telephone Co. spokesmen have expressed doubt that anyone will have to pay the $3 million awarded two plaintiffs in a suit against the telephone company in San Antonio.

"We believe the Ashley-Gravitt lawsuit jury's verdict will not survive the appeals process," declared C.L. Todd, vice president and general manager of Southwestern Bell.

"Thus, it is not an established fact that anyone—either Southwestern Bell or customers—will ever have to pay the award to James Ashley and Oleta Gravitt Dixon.

"In any event, the appeals process will take many months--perhaps years—and certainly the award will not be a part of any rate request for a very long time. Should the $3 million ever be awarded, and we seek to include that cost in our rate base, that expense, just as any other expense, will be aired before the Public Utilities Commission and the public.

The accidental death rate for all Americans has dropped considerably since 1903, with the exception of persons between 15 and 24. The National Safety Council says that persons in that age group are about as likely to be killed in an accident as they were 75 years ago.

Davis Trial Resumes Monday

AMARILLO (AP)-The capital murder trial of Fort Worth millionaire Cullen Davis - interrupted when a juror had to have an impacted wisdom tooth removed - will resume Monday, says State District Judge George Dowlen.

The trial was halted Tuesday when juror L.B. Pendleton complained of a toothache and was sent to the dentist to have the tooth removed.

Davis is charged with killing his stepdaughter Andrea Wilborn, 12, during a shooting spree at the Davis mansion Aug. 2, 1976.

He is also charged with the wounding of his estranged wife Priscilla, 36, and a family friend and the slaying of Mrs. Davis' boyfriend Stan Farr, 30, during the shootings.

Death Sentenced Assessed

CONROE (AP)-G.W. Green has been assessed the death penalty after being convicted of capital murder in the Nov. 19 shooting death of a reserve Montgomery County juvenile officer.

The eight-man, four-woman jury deliberated just over three hours Thursday before returning the verdict. The panel had found him guilty Wednesday night.

Green, 40, is the second of four defendants to be tried in the slaying of John C. Denson, 48.

The victim's widow, Grace Denson, testified four men forced their way into the family home near Magnolia. She said they shot her husband twice and demanded money from her and her daughter, Susan.

Texans Watch 'Soap' With Limited Reaction

By TOM DECOLA
Associated Press Writer

Texas television stations with ABC affiliations manned the switchboards after Tuesday night's first airing of the network controversial comedy "Soap," but for the most part reaction from the public was limited.

Initial audience surveys indicate that the show is a nationwide hit, but the legitimacy of the sampling appears to be open to question.

Belo Broadcasting president Mike Shapiro, who heads WFAA-TV in Dallas-Fort Worth, said pre-publicity, including an outbreak of protests prior to the show's airing, might have inspired a bigger audience than can be counted on the rest of the season.

"Maybe 50 per cent of the audience Tuesday was triggered by pre-publicity," Shapiro said. "Audience levels will probably fall off next week."

The Christian Life Commission of the Southern Baptist General Convention hopes the series fizzles.

Commission director James Dunn said "Soap" has "left us with a grimy residue." He said sponsors of the show "have given us a new low in television morality and mentality, not to mention bland and sloppy production. We are being asked to absorb a program which represents a damaging direction for television. I say, No 'Soap.'"

Tuesday's initial sequence dealt with adultery, homosexuality, lying and ethnic characterizations with the lives of two families.

Shapiro, former chairman of the ABC affiliate board of governors, said the initial segment was edited from the original version. As an example, an original scene showing the wife of a businessman in bed with her tennis pro was changed to show the wife, clothed, in a scene in which she obviously had just left the bed of the tennis pro.

Protests aside, the majority of reaction to the show appeared to be positive, although complete surveys were unavailable.

Shapiro commissioned American Research Bureau ARB to make a telephone sampling of the Dallas-Fort Worth market during "Soap's" time slot Tuesday. Incomplete results from that survey showed that 49 per cent of the homes in the area watching television during the series' time slot were tuned to "Soap." Of the 49 per cent, positive responses outdistanced negative by about three-to-one.

Overnight samplings from super-markets were in line, with 45 per cent of New York viewers watching the show, 49 per cent in Chicago and 50 per cent in Los Angeles.

Individual church groups led the way in protesting "Soap" before its public airing.

Card and letter-writing campaigns were in evidence, and at least one station reported impropriety in that style protest.

James Schiavone of KSAT-TV in San Antonio said several dozen cards were received, pre-printed with his name and the station's address, saying the show had been seen and that it should be removed from the air.

But the postmarks on the cards indicated they were mailed before the series was shown, Schiavone said.

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