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Ask Us

Q—It seems unfair that in Scurry County Democrats vote at 11 boxes in the March Primary, while Republicans have only one box, City Hall. Who is in charge of determining voting boxes?

A—County party chairmen are in charge of the primary election and they determine voting locations.

Local

East

East Elementary Night Out will be held Tuesday at Spanish Inn.

WTC boosters

WTC Booster Club's meeting scheduled for Monday has been postponed until March 21.

Civil defense

Snyder's civil defense sirens will be tested Monday at noon, weather permitting.

Teachers

Retired teachers and other school personnel are invited to meet at noon Monday for lunch at the Senior Center.

Post 8231

VFW Post 8231 and the Ladies Auxiliary will meet at 7 p.m. Monday at the post home.

Grand jury

The Scurry County grand jury will convene at 9 a.m. Monday in 132nd District Court. The March grand jury is expected to review five cases.

Blood drive

Cogdell Memorial Hospital Auxiliary and Scurry County Advisory Council for UBS will sponsor a blood drive from 10 a.m. until 7 p.m. Tuesday at the National Guard Armory.

Reception

A farewell reception for former Cogdell Memorial Hospital CEO Tim Lancaster will be held from 1:30-3 p.m. Sunday in the hospital board room, sponsored by the auxiliary.

The public is invited to attend.

3 meetings

Three local public board meetings are set this week in Snyder. All have been changed from their regular schedule. Snyder ISD board has moved its meeting from Thursday to Tuesday. The Snyder City Council has postponed its normal Monday meeting until Thursday. Western Texas College board has also moved its March 14 meeting to this Thursday because of spring break.

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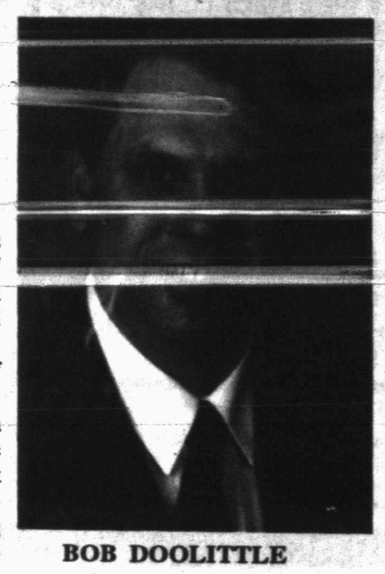
Weather

Snyder Temperatures: High Friday, 80 degrees; low, 39 degrees; reading at 7 a.m. Saturday, 40 degrees; no precipitation; total precipitation for 1994 to date, 1 inch.

Snyder Area Forecast: Saturday, mostly sunny. High near 80. Southeast to south wind 5-15 mph. Saturday night, fair. Low in the upper 40s. Southeast wind 5-10 mph. Sunday, partly cloudy. High near 80. Southeast wins 10-20 mph.

Almanac: Sunset Saturday, 6:45. Sunrise Sunday, 7:04. Sunset Sunday, 6:45. Sunrise Monday, 7:03. Of 63 days in 1994, the sun has shone 58 days in Snyder.

Judge's race sparks key interest in GOP Primary



BOB DOOLITTLE



RICKY FRITZ

Experience, a cooperative spirit and a willingness to serve all Scurry County citizens are key reasons Bob Doolittle says he should be re-elected county judge.

Doolittle, a first-term judge, was interviewed Wednesday concerning his Republican primary race.

His challenger, chamber manager Ricky Fritz, had agreed to be interviewed for the same story, but later declined.

"There are more contested races than just the county judge's race and I think those people need to be asked the same thing," said Fritz, in explaining his decision not to participate. "I think in all fairness, if there were a standardized list of questions where voters could compare apples to apples, then I'd feel comfortable with it.

"To me, about 700 people already voted. I wish we could have done it about two weeks ago," Fritz said. "I just wish we had done this (the interview) before absentee voting started."

Doolittle said he also wished the interview had been conducted prior to early voting, but added, "I think my opponent is taking the easy way out by choosing not to respond. He did have an opportunity to respond to the same questions asked to me."

Doolittle addressed a paid ad by his opponent, which pointed out that taxes have increased $400,000 since Doolittle took office.

"Yes, taxes have increased $400,000, but the major part of that was in the first year after the rollback election. Not that the rollback was right or wrong, but it did put a terrific burden on elected officials and the commissioners court," Doolittle said. "When I came into office, I knew that as a commissioners court, we would probably be forced with bumping the maximum every single year of my first term. The first year we did have to go to 7.99 percent, within a decimal of the rollback rate. The last two years, we've gone just under three percent above the effective tax rate, and I'm hoping that this year we can stay at the effective tax rate."

The effective rate is the rate necessary to bring in the same amount of tax dollars as the previous year.

Doolittle claims that county officials have done a good job of keeping a close watch over their budgets during the past three years, and have even managed to turn back some funds at the end of the year.

"As a result, we've had the opportunity to build reserves, which were drastically low. We've built it to where we can cover three months operating expenses if need be. When I took office, there wasn't enough in reserves for one month."

Doolittle took issue with his opponent's platform, which suggests that government should be returned to the people.

"I don't know what my opponent is wanting to take back to the people. If it's the budget, he needs to understand that while the county judge is the chief budget officer for the county, you are

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Dr. Ward joins clinic at hospital

Michael Ward, M.D., specializing in oncology and hematology, the diagnosis and treatment of tumors and blood disorders, will join the 11 other physicians offering medical specialty services at Cogdell Hospital Specialty Clinic.

Dr. Ward is scheduled to come to Cogdell Hospital twice a month and will begin seeing patients here Tuesday.

Associated with the Medical Arts Clinic, a multi-specialty group in Lubbock, since September 1993, Dr. Ward lives in Lubbock with his wife and two teenaged daughters.

He is board certified in both internal medicine and medical oncology, and is a member of the American College of Physicians, the American Medical Association and Texas Medical Association.

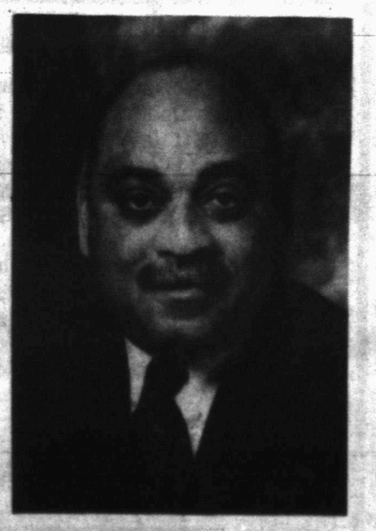
He received a Ph.D. in clinical psychology from Harvard University in Cambridge, Mass., and obtained his M.D. from the University of California in San Francisco. He completed his internship at UCLA hospitals and clinics and his residency at the Hospital of the Good Samaritan in Los Angeles.

Dr. Ward completed one-year fellowships in medical oncology at Los Angeles County Medical Center and the Brown University Program in Medicine at Roger Williams General Hospital in Providence.

For the nine years prior to his coming to the Lubbock area, Dr. Ward practiced internal medicine and medical oncology at the Veterans Affairs Medical Center in Providence and was in private practice with Internal Medicine Associates in southeastern Massachusetts.

He was a clinical instructor in medicine at Brown University, and active in the medical student and house staff teaching program at the VA Medical Center.

Appointments can be made by calling the hospital at 573-6374, extension 287.



DR. MICHAEL WARD



SWAP MEET — Leon Warren of Muleshoe displays his restored toy tractors, truck fenders, and used parts to Keith and Judy Terry of Portales, N.M. at the Snyder Wheels Early Bird Swap Meet. The swap meet is being held at the coliseum annex through Sunday, from 7:30 a.m. until dark. (SDN Staff Photo)

Bingo, voting boxes on agenda for county

Scurry County Commissioners Court Monday morning is expected to set May 7 as the date for a local option election on bingo in Justice Precinct 1.

Last week, the court received certification from the county clerk that sufficient signatures were contained on petitions circulated by the local Veteran's of Foreign Wars post to call an election.

May 7 is the next uniform voting date set by the state. Also on the 10 a.m. court agenda is a request from the county clerk to consolidate voting boxes for the bingo election.

In other business, commissioners will consider a proposal to formally terminate the grounds maintenance contract at the Scurry County Coliseum. Also, the court will consider a request from the coliseum advisory board to re-bid specifications to replace the boiler at the coliseum.

Bids were opened and discussed at last Monday's meeting, but the tube-type of boiler in the specifications was determined not to be the best for this area because of the mineral content in the water.

Also on the agenda is the introduction of Doug Hutchinson, Snyder's new director of economic development.

Early voting ends; 1,144 ballots cast

Early voting in the March Primaries ended with a flood of ballots being cast Friday at the county clerk's office.

Election officials now gear up for election day on Tuesday.

In somewhat of a surprise, Republican ballots outnumbered Democratic ballots by a wide margin on Friday. Some 249 Republican and 149 Democratic ballots were cast.

According to the clerk's office, there were 1,144 total ballots cast in the early period, including 699 Democratic and 445 Republican. There were still two Republican ballots and 12 Democratic ballots out in the mail, which will be counted if received before the election ends.

State officials have predicted a low voter turnout at 16.5 percent of registered voters in the election, due to a lack of key contested races. Locally, however, the 1,144 votes already cast represents a turnout of 12.3 percent of the county's estimated 9,300 registered voters. Tuesday's turnout is expected to push the county voter representation well above 16.5 percent.

On Tuesday, the polls will open at 7 a.m. and close at 7 p.m.

Registered voters wishing to cast a ballot in the Republican Primary should do so at City Hall.

There are 11 boxes located throughout the county for those planning on voting in the Democratic Primary. Voters should check their voter registration certificates if they are unsure of where to vote. A number from 5 through 15 on the certificate can be matched up with the following boxes and locations:

—Box 5, Fluvanna, at Fluvanna Community Center.
—Box 6, Union, at Union Community Center.
—Box 7, Northwest and west Snyder, at Scurry County Library.
—Box 8, West central Snyder, at the SISD administration building.
—Box 9, Ira, at the Ira Community Center.
—Box 10, Southwest Snyder, at Towle Park Barn.
—Box 11, Dunn, at Dunn Community Center.
—Box 12, Central and southeast Snyder, at the south side of coliseum.
—Box 13, Hermleigh, at Hermleigh Community Center.
—Box 14, Loyd Mountain, at Northeast Community Center.
—Box 15, North and northeast Snyder, at the north side of coliseum.

'Education in Texas' exhibit opens Sunday

A traveling exhibit titled "Scholars, Scoundrels and Schoolteachers: Education in Texas" will open Sunday at Scurry County Museum and remain on display through the end of the month.

Prepared by the Institute of Texan Cultures, the exhibit notes that the first formal school in the state was opened in 1746 by the Canary Islanders in what is known today as San Antonio. Schools had been established at Spanish missions by priests and soldiers for the Indians as early as 1690.

School-related artifacts from the museum collection bring reminders of local history. The oldest of these is the program for commencement exercises for the Snyder High School graduating class of 1895. There is a photograph of the graduating class of 1913. Inez Baze Brown donated the graduation program she saved when she graduated from SHS in 1920, along with her carefully dried corsage.

There are also other photographs, report cards and the teacher's certificate of J.G. Willis.

Students clamoring for computer time in today's public schools stand in sharp contrast to those who were expected to bring to their one-room schoolhouse whatever books were available at home, the "Education in Texas" exhibit notes.

These texts were shared by so

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The SDN Column — By Roy McQueen

The feller on Deep Creek says, "Problems ought to be nothing but a wake-up call for creativity."

Folks who are avid fishermen and golfers sometimes are criticized for allowing their advocation to take priority over their vocation.

But fishing might just be the thing to put a few extra dollars into the local tax coffers.

A report out of the Netherlands about fishing had nothing to do with cutting a hole in the ice. A fellow in the town of Arnhem has converted a swimming pool so that locals can troll for trout.

The indoor pool is only 30 yards by 10 yards, which he has renovated to be fed by a underground fresh water well. The pool is stocked daily with fish.

Fishermen are flocking to the old swimming hole where anglers are charged $12.50 for a three-hour session.

Some come to practice fly casting while others prefer to loaf on the poolside banks.

Fishermen must be enjoying success, as several customers are coming as many as four times a week.

An indoor pool wouldn't be necessary in West Texas where outdoor weather is normally agreeable.

And you think you have problems. City officials in San Francisco are faced with a real stinker.

Ever since the military facility at nearby Presidio has started to be closed, the routine eradication of skunks has stopped.

One would normally assume that someone else in authority would take up the important task. The city council's own animal-rights doctrine prevents the city's animal control division from fighting back.

In a nutshell, the city code says, "The skunks were here first, so get used to it."

We wonder if local ordinances allow them to run at large, or do they have to be on a leash....a real long one?

Three juveniles arrested

AUSTIN (AP) — Three juveniles have been arrested in connection with a recent slaying of a 16-year-old and one of the suspects faces additional charges for the shooting of two stepbrothers last fall.

All of the male suspects were friends of Paul Pachicano, according to Pachicano's mother, Mary Cruz of Taylor. His body was found Sunday under a bridge in eastern Williamson County.

Ms. Cruz refused to identify the suspects but said, "All of the boys were friends with Paul. They were best friends and have been for years."

Williamson County District Attorney Ken Anderson identified the suspects only as a 14-year-old Austin resident and two Taylor residents, ages 14 and 16.

The 16-year-old suspect also may be involved in the Oct. 17 shooting of Mark King and Mike Brinkley, both 21, Anderson said. Pachicano reportedly also was present when the stepbrothers were shot while fishing in Jonah, said Williamson County Sheriff Ed Richards.

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I have been blessed to have worked over 15 years without missing a day of work due to illness.

I am a Sunday School teacher, youthworker, Kiwanian officer, on several community boards and a Gold Coater.

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NORTHEAST MASON AWARDS — Scurry County Lodge #706 Masons presented citizenship and academic awards last week to these six students. From left, front row, Melissa Perez and Johnny Ramos, both citizenship; and Garrett Luft, academic; middle row, Kameron Kallemeyn and Sterling Doty, both citizenship; and Brooke Williams, academic. Masons standing in back are from left, Homer Godair, Rick Hall, Jack Gorman, Jimmy Thompson, Don Wittie and Harold Yearwood. (SDN Staff Photo)

Heart attack claims John Candy in Mexico

LOS ANGELES (AP) — John Candy died of a heart attack in his sleep just hours after completing what colleagues called a classic comedy scene for his new film "Wagons East." The portly comedian was 43.

Candy's body was found early Friday morning in his residence on the Durango, Mexico, set for the film in which he played a drunken stagecoach driver.

The veteran of some 40 movies, including "Uncle Buck" and "Stripes," was dead before paramedics arrived, said Hector Partida, a spokesman for the government of Durango state.

"John Candy was a gentleman and a great comic talent," said comedian Steve Martin, who starred with Candy in "Planes, Trains & Automobiles." "I count myself extremely lucky to have had the opportunity to work with him."

People working with Candy in Mexico said he showed no signs of ill health. His death was not necessarily a result of his estimated 275 pounds, an expert in heart disease said.

"The relationship between weight and heart disease is not as great as some people think," said James Dwyer, an associate professor in preventative medicine at the University of Southern California.

Dwyer — an expert in the field, but not a doctor for the actor — said more important factors were smoking, high blood pressure, high cholesterol and a lack of exercise.

Candy, who was 6 feet 3 inches tall, smoked, and associates said he appeared startlingly heavy in recent months. He had dieted at the Pritikin Longevity Center and lost 75 pounds for 1985's "Summer Rental," but gained weight since.

William Sanderson, a bit player in "Wagons East," said Candy had a bad back but otherwise appeared well.

"He seemed fine. It's a tough shoot. He's up on a horse all day," Sanderson said in a telephone interview from Durango.

Sanderson, the film's co-star Richard Lewis, and its producer Gary Goodman all said Candy's performance as a 1860s wrong-way stagecoach driver was outstanding.

Goodman said production had been suspended and it was not decided if the film could or would be completed. "We're in the process of sorting it out," Goodman said. "It's a tremendous shock right now."

Candy first gained fame on the cult hit TV series "Second City T.V." He went on to star in "Splash," "Volunteers," "National Lampoon's Vacation" and "The Great Outdoors."

Pick 3

AUSTIN (AP) — Here are results of Lotto Texas Pick 3 winning numbers drawn Friday by the Texas Lottery:

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(seven, three, zero)

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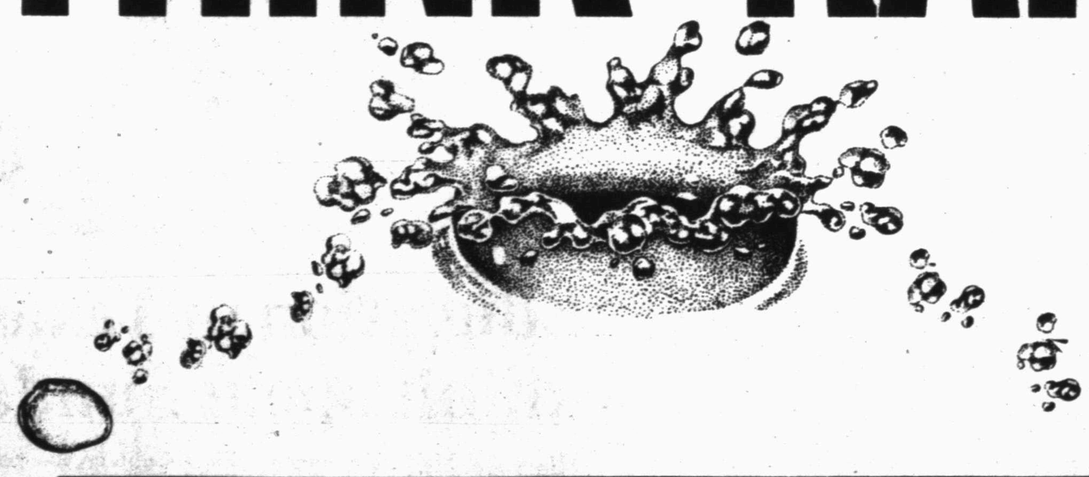
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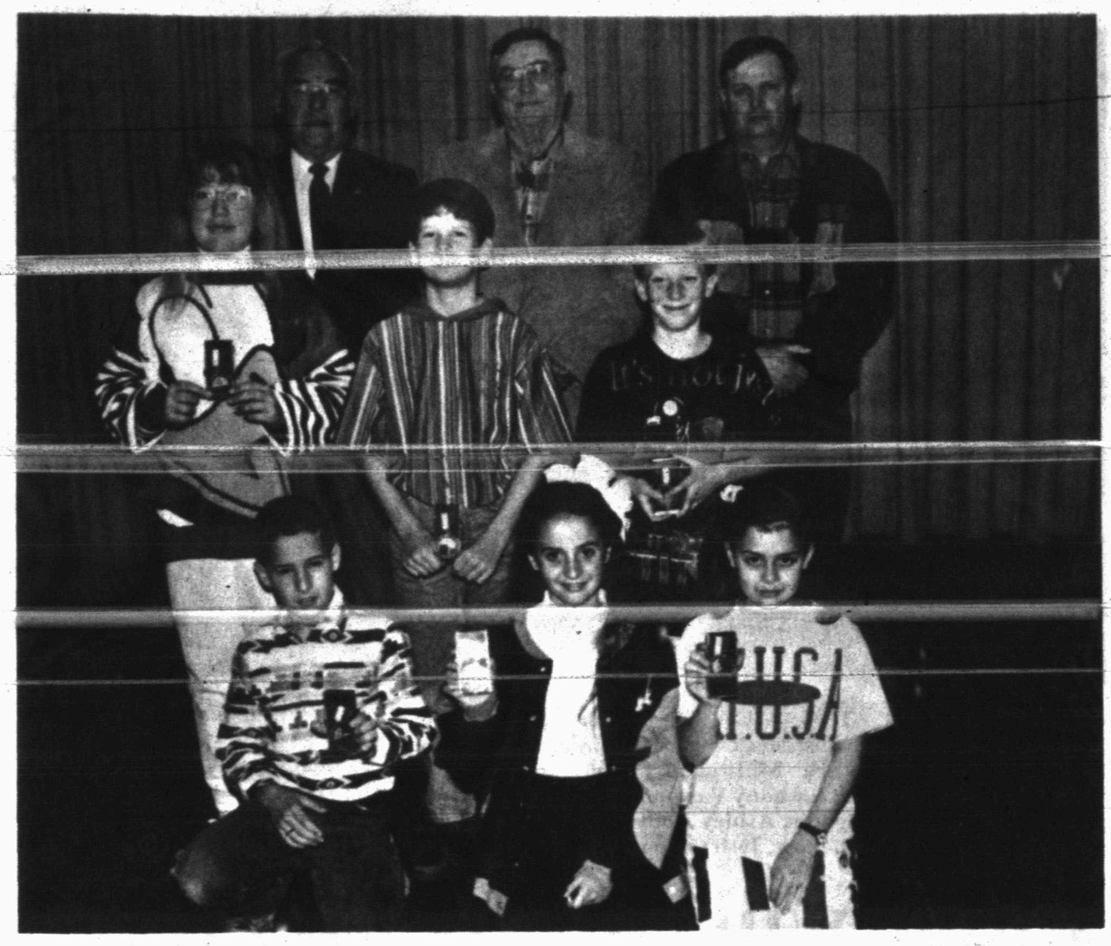


Christy has worked at Cogdell Memorial Hospital for three years. She graduated from Denver City High School and obtained an Associate Degree from TSTC in Amarillo.

She has an 11 year old daughter, Cary, a 5th grader at Northeast Elementary. Christy is active in the First Baptist Church, where she is a youth leader and teaches 8th grade girls Sunday School. Her hobbies include piano, volleyball and tennis.

Christy was selected for this honor following nominations by co-workers. Comments on nomination ballots included: has a positive attitude...has her priorities in order at work, while being a loving mother and dedicated church worker...very dependable...shows real concern for the hospital and employees...goes out of her way to help others.

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EAST MASON AWARDS — Masons in Scurry County Lodge #706 presented medals for citizenship and academic achievement last week to these six East students. From left, front row, Brodie Pierce, Sarah Pilgrim and Kate Wright, all citizenship; middle row, Amber Alexander and Charlie Gorman, both academic; and Ricki Dorsett, citizenship. Masons standing in back are, from left, Jack Gorman, Don Wittie and Lanny Covey. (SDN Staff Photo)

Second suspect arrested

FORT WORTH (AP) — Police on Friday jailed a second suspect in the slayings of two fast-food restaurant employees killed during a robbery at the store.

William L. Henderson, 19, was arrested on a capital murder warrant in the Feb. 24 attack at a west side Jack in the Box restaurant.

Another restaurant employee, Derrick Tyrone Crowe of Como was arrested Wednesday morning in the slayings, said Fort Worth police Lt. Pat Kneblick.

She said Henderson, nicknamed "Keg," was "an acquaintance" of Crowe, 17.

Henderson "was identified in the investigation as being involved in the Jack in the Box (slayings), so we got an arrest warrant for him and picked him up this morning," said Ms. Kneblick.

The officer said police were not releasing the amount of money taken in the robbery.

Ms. Kneblick said Henderson, arrested about 6 a.m. at his Fort Worth home, was scheduled to be arraigned later in the slayings.

Crowe, who turns 18 on Saturday, remained jailed Friday on a $500,000 bail bond set for each capital murder charge, police said.

Officers said Crowe was also named in an arrest warrant in the shooting of a Pizza Hut delivery worker who was wounded twice in the face Aug. 30.

A 15-year-old boy was also arrested along with Crowe, but police said they have not linked him to the restaurant slayings.

Police said Tim Smith and Bentley Palmer were fatally shot in the head while at the restaurant on Camp Bowie Boulevard.

The restaurant's morning manager discovered the body of one employee

Several money trays had been removed.



Homer Anderson

OUR RELATION TO CHRIST

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3) If we grow in grace and knowledge **(2 Peter 3:18),** and practice of the truth, and are faithful to death **(Revelation 2:10),** we pass into the STATE OF GLORY. We shall then be **with Christ (1 Thessalonians 4:17).**

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USFSA says no to appeal to delay Harding's hearing

PORTLAND, Ore. (AP) — As police looked for the man who attacked Tonya Harding, the U.S. Figure Skating Association disregarded her appeal and proceeded with plans for a disciplinary hearing next week.

Harding was pushed to the ground as she walked through a park near her suburban apartment late Thursday, police said. She sprained her left wrist and had scrapes and bruises.

Police said they were inclined to believe the attack was not random.

"I think she'll bounce back. They're just little injuries," said David Webber, Harding's best friend's father whom she calls 'Pops.'

Webber said the injuries would not affect Harding's plans to compete in the World Figure Skating Championships, which begin March 22 in Japan.

But Harding may not be allowed to skate there.

The USFSA's executive committee brushed aside an appeal by Harding's lawyers and proceeded with plans for a hearing Thursday in Colorado Springs, Colo.

A five-member panel is to determine whether Harding should be kicked out of the association because of her alleged role in the Jan. 6 attack on rival Nancy Kerrigan. Only association members can skate in the world championships.

"Ms. Harding is considering her legal options and will make a decision on an appropriate course of action sometime early next week," her attorneys said Friday.

Harding's attorneys feel that the USFSA hasn't given her enough time to prepare a defense and that the panel is not impartial. They also believe Harding's participation in the hearing would compromise her position in the criminal investigation into the Kerrigan attack.

Her lawyers want the hearing put off until the criminal probe is over.

Harding hasn't been charged with any crime. A grand jury investigating the attack is to deliver its final report March 21.

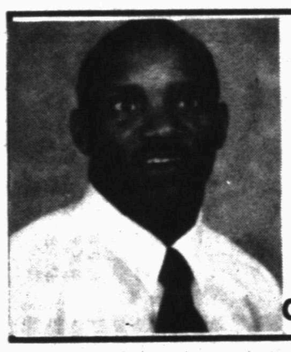
Meanwhile, Harding said she was attacked from behind about 11 p.m. Thursday by a lone assailant after she parked her pickup truck where she usually does across the small park from the apartment complex where she has been staying.

A subdued Harding, her sprained left wrist wrapped in a bandage, left the apartment Friday afternoon.

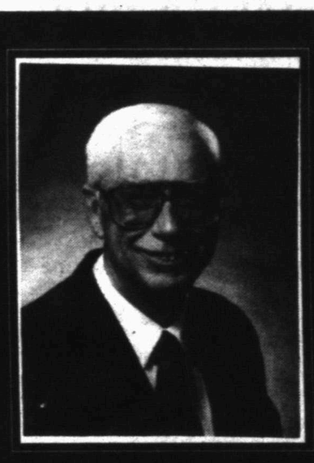
"I'm feeling OK," Harding told reporters. "Can't you guys get a life or something?"

Her friend, Stephanie Quintero, told police that Harding pounded on the door and screamed, "Help me, help me!" when she got home Thursday night.

Formal Apology To The Spanish Inn Breakfast Club. You Know Who You Are!
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THRIFTWAY

Biosphere 2 crew ready to go

ORACLE, Ariz. (AP) — On Sunday, Biosphere 2 embarks on what its operators hope will be the start of 98 years of continuous habitation in the domed ecological laboratory.

Nearly six months after the first eight-person crew ended a two-year stay inside the lab, the project has been redesigned.

Now, a crew of five men and two women will rotate in and out of the 3-acre glass-and-steel bubble and its 10 apartments. The private, for-profit project is supposed to run like a remote research station.

Space Biospheres Ventures, based here 35 miles northeast of Tucson, operates the $150 million experiment paid for largely by Texas billionaire Edward Bass.

It was designed to last 100 years as a self-sustaining laboratory replicating Earth's environment with a rain forest, ocean, savannah, desert-turned-chaparral, marsh and farm.

Before, the chief goals were developing technology for an Earth-like environment in space and finding ways to solve Earth's ecological problems. Now technology for Earth is primary.

Norberto Alvarez-Romo, the company's vice president in charge of mission control, compared the first two years to "a shakedown cruise away from a port."

He'll be in Biosphere 2 for four months working on paperless communication systems.



CENTRAL SUPER KIDS — Central "Super Kids" receiving awards last week include from left, back row, Kentara McDonald, Isaac Sanchez, Tiffany Gomez, Anthony Vasquez, Magan Riley, Matthew Wiggins, Ashley Rodriguez and Tressi Martin; middle row, Josh Green, Ashley Blevins, Logan Hill, Jessie Keller, Wendy Profitt, Jacob Macias, Jesus Cosio, Norma Ramirez and Eric Torres; front row, Sergio Rodriguez, Kirsten Courtney and Ashley Gonzales. Not pictured are David Yanes, Jennifer Butman and Stephanie Salmon. (SDN Staff Photo)

Judge will rule by Monday on convictions for firearms

DALLAS (AP) — The federal judge who oversaw the San Antonio trial of 11 Branch Davidians says he'll rule by Monday on the prosecution's request that he reinstate firearms convictions of seven defendants.

Those convictions were thrown out by U.S. District Judge Walter Smith of Waco minutes after being returned because jurors failed to convict the seven followers of David Koresh on a predicate crime of conspiring to kill federal agents.

Defense attorneys asked Smith on Friday not to reinstate the convictions, saying it "smacks of vindictiveness" by federal prosecutors.

If Smith reinstates the convictions, defense attorneys say, they fear that prosecutors will seek 30-year mandatory sentences for Ruth Riddle, who was acquitted of all other charges, and for Graeme Craddock, who was convicted of possession of a hand grenade.

Reinstatement of the convictions also would add at least a five-year mandatory sentence for five others convicted of voluntary manslaughter in the case.

It would be a significant blow to the defense which claimed a victory when the verdicts were announced last Saturday because jurors rejected murder and murder conspiracy charges that could have sent them to prison for life.

This week, federal prosecutors filed a motion asking Smith to reconsider his decision to throw out the eight-woman, four-man jury's convictions of seven defendants for using firearms in a violent crime.

The murder and conspiracy charges stemmed from the deaths of four federal Bureau of Alcohol, Tobacco and Firearms agents Feb. 28, 1993, as they tried serving search and arrest warrants for weapons violations at the sect's rural compound near Waco. Six Davidians also died in the raid.

The siege began a 51-day standoff that ended April 19 when a fire destroyed the compound, killing Koresh and about 80 followers.

Several jurors interviewed since the verdict have indicated the jury was confused about the weapons count, not realizing it was tied to the conspiracy charge.

"I intend to write Judge Smith a letter saying that I would never have voted that way if I had known it was connected to count one," the conspiracy charge, said juror Jeanette Felger, 69, of New Braunfels.

"We figured you give somebody a guilty count on that because they were holding the guns: Either they admitted to carrying a gun or there was testimony that they were visibly seen carrying a gun."

If the weapons conviction is reinstated, said Ms. Felger: "I'll be horrified. I'll just be very upset ... I don't want to see Ruth Riddle in jail. I thought she already had been sent back to Canada."

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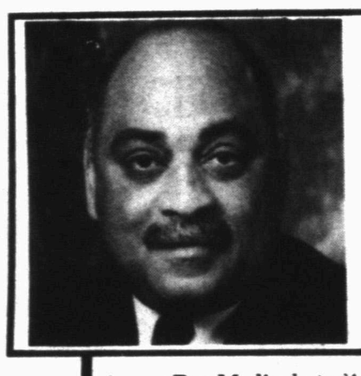
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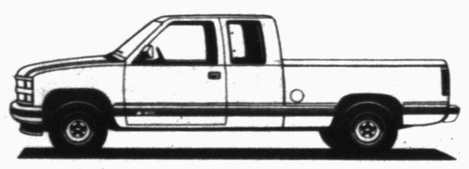
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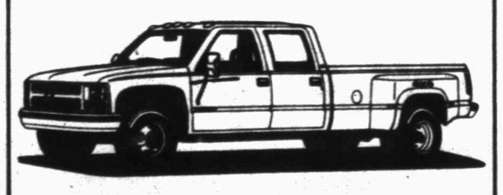
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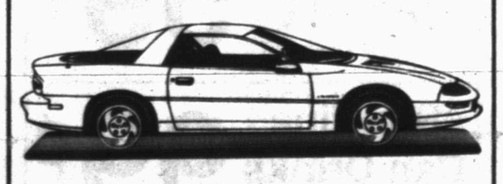
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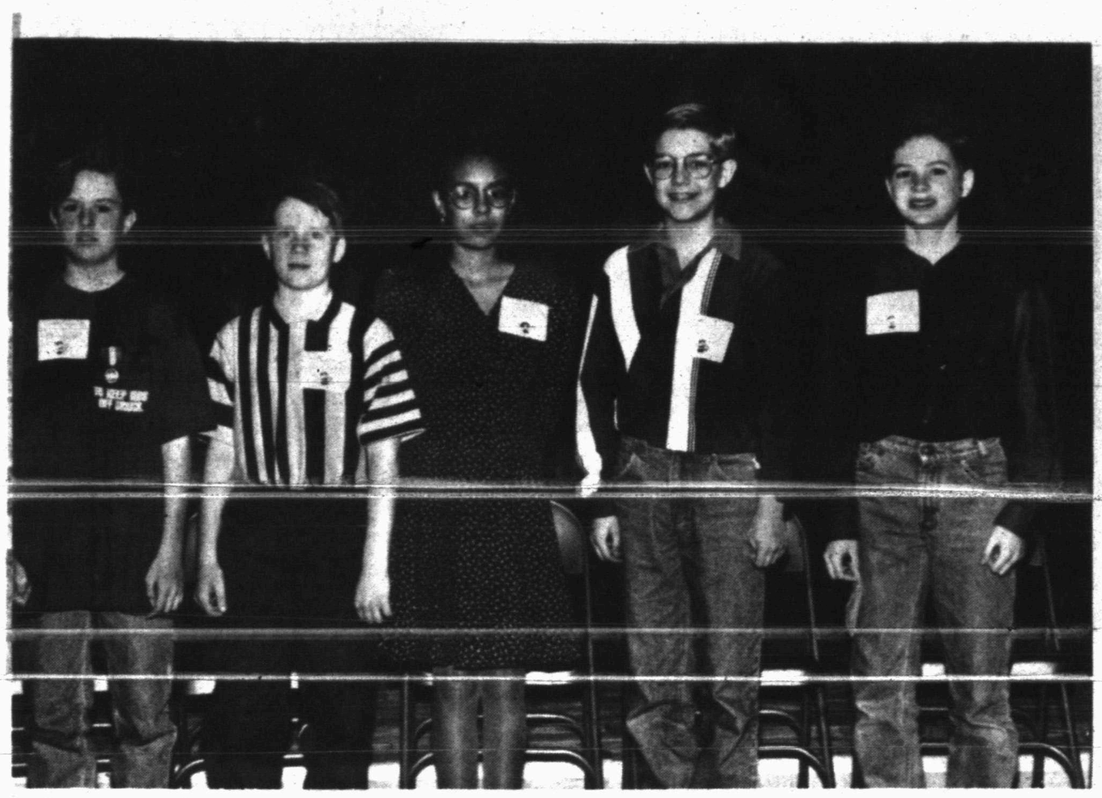
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TOP FIVE WINNERS — Five Snyder students won at the Scurry County Spelling Bee held Friday morning at the Western Texas College Fine Arts Theatre. Winners were (from left) Jeremy Goodlett, first place; Garrett Luft, second place; Kathy Sanchez, third place; Brett Gibson, fourth place; and Trey Gorman, fifth place. (SDN Staff Photo)

Family of deceased judge continuing her campaign

OZONA (AP) — The family of Judge Kathryn Mayfield is continuing her Democratic primary campaign a month after her death, seeking a victory that would force the county's party committee to pick a candidate for the seat.

Although Ms. Mayfield died Feb. 5, state law allows her name to remain on the ballot. She's opposed by Jeffrey Sutton, a rancher, convenience store owner and former school board president. There is no Republican candidate.

Should she win, the Crockett County Democratic Executive Committee would name a candidate for the November election.

"I would say there are probably four or five people who would be interested," said A.O. Fields, Crockett County Democratic Party chairman. "People all over town (are) talking about it."

The lack of a GOP opponent makes the situation more interesting because the winner of Tuesday's primary may be unopposed in November.

Then there's Mayfield's father, Troy Williams, a retired county judge and state district judge who continues ranching and practicing law at age 78.

Williams, a lifelong Democrat, has filed notice of intent to run for county judge as an independent in the November election.

"The only reason I would want to run would be to finish some things that Kathryn set out to do," he said.

"If Kathryn wins the primary election, the executive committee of Democratic Party will name a candidate to go on the ballot in November, and at that time, I will decide whether I want to run or not."

Williams, who already has served eight years as a county judge and eight years as a district judge, said his main objective is preserving his daughter's interests in improving the airport and solid waste disposal.

"If they select someone who would carry out those things, I probably won't run," he said.

Sutton, who favors the creation of a new county landfill that meets new federal regulations, said he's taking Ms. Mayfield's challenge seriously.

"We're going through all the usual campaign procedures, house to house, visiting businesses and so on," Sutton said.

Prosecutor says he requested attorney general aid long ago

GILMER (AP) — The state attorney general has taken the lead in prosecuting a suspended police officer and more than a half-dozen others in an East Texas teen-ager's sex slaying, a report published today says.

"They are the state's legal agency, and they are expected to take the leading role in cases they are involved in," Galveston attorney Scott Lyford told the Longview News-Journal late Friday in a copyright report.

Lyford, special prosecutor in Kelly Wilson's death, said he had requested help from the attorney general's office as early as August, only days after he was asked to take dozens of child molestation cases in Upshur County.

"Me and my two investigators were spread thin on the case, and the attorney general's office has the resources to really help with the case," Lyford told the newspaper.

He will remain on the prosecution team with Assistant Attorneys General Shane Phelps and Lisa Tanner, according to Ward Tisdale, a spokesman for Attorney General Dan Morales.

"We'll be handling it with Mr. Lyford," Tisdale said. "He'll be assisting us."

State prosecutors also are taking the lead in Upshur County child molestation cases, in which 10 people are accused, according to the News-Journal.

Seven of the defendants were also indicted in January in the 1992 murder of Ms. Wilson, 17, of Gilmer.

Harrison County detectives, meanwhile, have joined the investigation into the molestation cases to determine whether two men from the Marshall area may have attacked a Gilmer child.

"While investigating those cases, Upshur County detectives received information on these two men," Capt. Ronnie Moore of the Harrison County Sheriff's Department told the Marshall News Messenger. "The incidents involving these men happened in Harrison County so we are working together on the case."

The president of the Combined Law Enforcement Association of Texas wrote Morales to request he "conduct a fair and impartial investigation into the capital murder charges" against suspended Gilmer Police Sgt. James Brown.

The association's president, Ronald G. DeLord, told the News-Journal Friday he is pleased Lyford is now taking a secondary role. He said it will help ensure Brown gets "fair and impartial" treatment from prosecutors.

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TAAS tests slated next week

The state-mandated Texas Assessment of Academic Skills (TAAS) test will be given Tuesday through Thursday here.

Tests are scheduled as follows:

—Tuesday, TAAS writing for grades 4, 8 and Exit-level;

—Wednesday, Exit-level TAAS reading and TEAMS English language arts;

—Thursday, Exit-level TAAS and TEAMS mathematics.

Students currently enrolled in Snyder High School who have not shown mastery on one or more portions of the TAAS, and registered out-of-school examinees, are eligible to take the test.

Scurry County Coliseum will be the testing site for sophomores and out-of-school examinees. Junior, senior and English limited proficiency students will be tested in the high school library.

Examinees must be present and on time. No make-up sessions will be allowed.

Out-of-school examinees should be at the coliseum by 8:30 a.m. with an admission letter and a picture identification. Only registered TAAS out-of-school and TEAMS examinees who have picture identification will be admitted. Student identification will be verified at the test site.

Results of the Exit-level tests should be available as of April 29.

"Snyder ISD students have consistently scored above the state average on state-mandated tests, and the district anticipates that students will perform well again this year," said Margaret Presswood, SISD coordinator for testing and curriculum.



EAST ACADEMIC AWARDS — East Elementary School presented academic awards to these students last week. From left, back row, Vanessa Freeman, Marci Krueger, Bradley Bynum, Audrey Gilpin, Jonathan Scalf, Cole McLeod, Danaica Snyder and Scott Gilliland; middle row, Jason Hall, Melissa Jones, Jason Williams, Tyson Kubena, Rachel Fritz, Philip Riddle, Cliff Beights, Justin Stokes and Lacie Green; front row, Kendra Krop, Stacey Garcia, Amreen Rajabali, Erin Dunham, Kate Wright, Eric Githens and Rudy Martinez. (SDN Staff Photo)

Thirty percent growth foreseen

AUSTIN (AP) — Texas' population by the year 2025 will be 30 percent higher than today, or about 22 million-plus, the state comptroller's office said in a report released Friday.

The finding is among those contained in a three-volume report looking at the next three decades, "Forces of Change: Shaping the Future of Texas."

The report says that lower birth rates and less in-migration will result in slower population growth than in Texas' recent past. However, it said, Texas "will still grow faster than the rest of the U.S."

The state's future work force will be older and more culturally diverse.

In 2025, the average Texan will be 37.7 years old, up from 30.6 years old today.

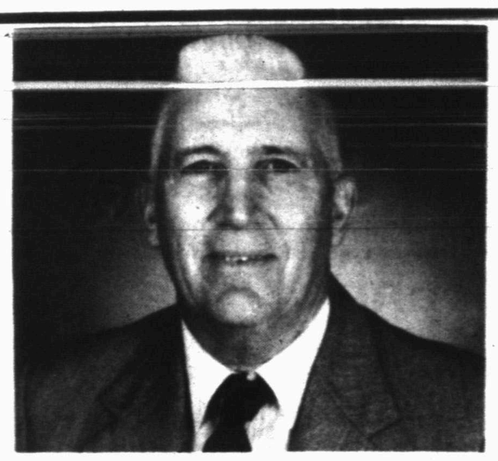
Dangerous tower

OJAI, Calif. (AP) — Larry Hagman and his neighbors have a battle cry: No radiation without representation!

The problem is a 10-story weather radar tower in their neighborhood outside Los Angeles. They said no local public hearings were held before it was built. They also say the tower is a health risk because of microwave and electromagnetic radiation.

"Move the damn thing! It's dangerous," Hagman said Thursday.

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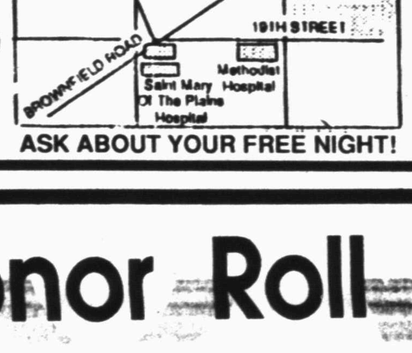
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Financial Focus

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However, most people have much less invested in equities than they should. Of all mutual fund investments, 70.5 percent are in bond funds and money market funds; only 29.5 percent are in equities. Retirees often have their money too conservatively invested, thinking only about stability of principal. Even young people often have too large a portion of their portfolios invested only in fixed-income investments, which traditionally have yielded much less than common stocks.

No one should have all of his or her investments in growth securities. However, it is equally dangerous to be totally invested in short-term income securities. For example, in 1981, $250,000 invested in certificates of deposit would have provided more than $3,000 of income each month. Today, just 13 years later, that same nest egg would yield less than $700 in monthly income. Although the principal has remained safe, monthly income has decreased more than 75 percent, while inflation has continued to increase the cost of living.

Although common stocks and stock mutual funds offer some short-term market risk, serious, long-term investors know that equities also offer the opportunity to stay ahead of inflation and keep income growing.

Staying ahead of inflation is particularly important to retirees. Today, a 70-year-old has a 63 percent chance of living another 15 years. Inflation as low as 3 percent anually will reduce purchasing power by more than half in those 15 years. Selecting only fixed-income investments may not allow investors to stay ahead of inflation. Common stocks of large corporations, on the other hand, have yielded an average of 6 percent more than inflation since 1926.

If you are heavily invested in fixed-income securities such as U.S. Treasuries or CDs, and you want to add some growth to your portfolio, how should you begin? First, don't try to do it all at once. Early redemptions could cost you penalties. Plan ahead, and find out when your securities mature.

Next, decide how much of your portfolio should be invested in common stocks or equity mutual funds. As your securities mature, or as new money becomes available, gradually move it into the new investments. Typically, taking one to two years to adjust your portfolio is best. This allows for market fluctuations and reduces your exposure to unexpected drops in the market.

Selecting only fixed-income investments may avoid the risk of losing principal, but it also may expose you to the biggest risk of all--outliving your nest egg. Don't forget about the importance of growth and staying ahead of inflation when choosing your investments.

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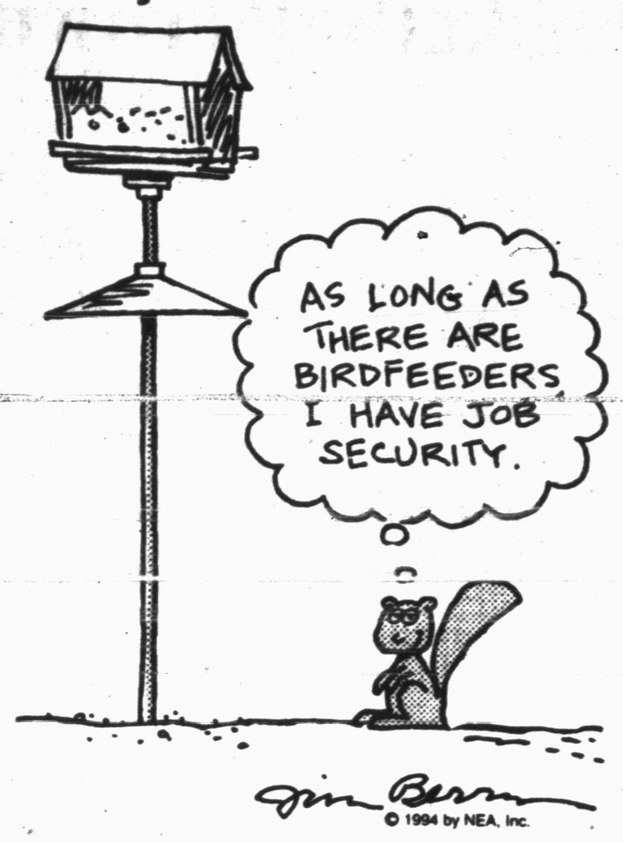
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Released hostage happy to be home

MIDLAND (AP) — Hidden behind long grey hair and a beard that grew during his year of captivity in Colombia, Lewis Manning has returned home to the cheers of more than 100 friends and family members.

Manning's long journey back to Midland ended Friday night when he got off an airplane, knelt and kissed the ground.

"Oh, this is great. I can't believe it," Manning said. "I'm about to loose it here but I'm not going to."

Manning, 53, had been held since Feb. 23, 1993, by leftist rebels, the National Liberation Army or Ejecito de Liberacion Nacional (ELN). He was captured at a gold mining camp in the jungle near Quibdo, Choco, Colombia.

The rebels initially demanded $1 million ransom, but they eventually released him for $25,000. Most of the money was raised by his family's church, the Golf Course Road Church of Christ.

He said he was freed Jan. 31, rather than Wednesday as had been reported. The release was not publicly announced apparently for political and safety reasons.

"They wanted me to shave and cut my hair. I said I'm not cutting my hair and shaving," Manning said. "This is one year and 10 days worth," he said, stroking his beard.

Student stabbed in school

HOUSTON (AP) — A 14-year-old boy used a butcher knife to stab a fellow seventh grader in the chest Friday while the two waited in the principal's office.

The victim was in fair condition Friday at Ben Taub Hospital. His name and the name of his attacker have not been release by police because the two are juveniles.

The two youths were waiting to be disciplined for an early morning fistfight at Killough Middle School in far West Houston. They were left alone in the office for a short time. That's when one of the 14-year-olds pulled out a butcher knife and stabbed the other in the chest.

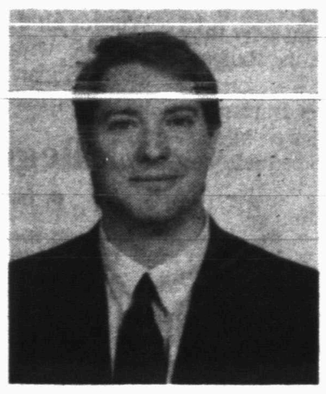
The attacker then fled the office and was apprehended by an adult hall monitor, said Houston Police spokesman John Leggio.

The attacker has been remanded to juvenile authorities and the case is considered an attempted murder, Leggio said.

Officials are not sure where the youth obtained the knife. It is believed that he brought it from home.

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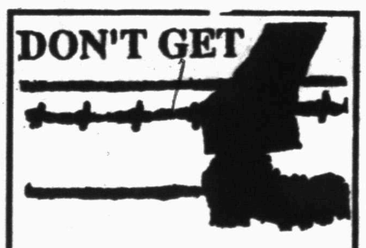
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View from the press box

By Phil Riddle

A group of young couples, all expecting first children were at their weekly Lamaze class, where the doctor was extolling the virtues of exercise prior to delivery for the mother.

"It wouldn't hurt if you dads went on a little walk with your wives," he added.

A voice from the back of the classroom then asked, "Would it be okay if she carried a bag of golf clubs while we walk?"

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Dallas Cowboys wide receiver Michael Irvin turned 28 Saturday, just days after his second visit to the White House.

President Clinton hosted Irvin, Troy Aikman, Emmitt Smith and Russell Maryland, along with head coach Jimmy Johnson and Jerry Jones on Monday, in a congratulatory visit for winning their second straigth NFL championship.

Most of the Cowboys didn't make the trip because of interviews around the league associated with free agency.

Only four members of a team long associated with the word "class" could make a half-day trip to our nation's capital to visit with the president.

Now, whether you like the prez or not, it sure seems like you could take a few hours out of your schedule to show a little respect for the office.

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Baseball season is getting nearer and Texas Rangers fans seem to have reason for some amount of optimism this season.

The Rangers, who along with the Mariners and last year's expansion clubs in Colorado and Florida, are the only Major League teams with no postseason experience.

With baseball's realignment, the Rangers will have to battle the M's, California and Oakland for a Western Division title.

Plus, the AL runner-up with the best record will also be admitted to the playoff party.

Though I'm still a little puzzled about why they let Palmeiro get away, it still looks like the Rangers will be the favorite in the West.

But watch out for those Eastern teams. Baltimore, which has signed several outstanding free agents, including Palmeiro, could be a force to be reckoned with.

Sudan tops Lady Jays, 40-36 for Class A basketball crown

AUSTIN (AP) — Danielle Martin scored 19 points, including both ends of a one-and-one with 7.1 seconds left, helping to secure a 40-36 victory for Sudan against Jayton in the Class A state championship game Saturday.

Sudan claimed its third state title and finished the year 35-3. Jayton, which was led by Buffy Ferguson and Marci Foster with 14 points each, finished the year 34-3 after making its third tournament appearance.

The game was up for grabs in the final minute, but Shaun Weaver hit the front end of a one-and-one with 38.2 seconds left, giving Sudan a 38-36 lead. Martin then stole the ball with 10 seconds to go and was fouled.

The 5-6 junior, who hit for 34 points in Sudan's semifinal game against La Rue La Poynor, calmly sank the first free throw and then the bonus, sealing the victory. Jayton was unable to convert a final basket.

Both teams played with the trademark, all-out effort of high school girls teams from West Texas, lunging for loose balls and playing gritty, pressing defense.

Jayton, in its third state tournament appearance in the last nine seasons, is coached by Snyder High School grad Randy Courtney.

UIL basketball

Girls state tournament
Frank Erwin Center, Austin
Semifinals
Thursday's games
Class A
Sudan 71, La Rue La Poyner 55
Jayton 50, Moulton 44
Class 3A
Waco La Vega 58, Brownsboro 57 (OT)
Dripping Springs 57, Canyon 53 (OT)
Class 4A
Waco Midway 61, Borger 47
Dallas Lincoln 59, Tomball 47
Friday's games
Class 2A
[illegible]-50, Bloomington 47
Tuscola Jim Ned 51, Rogers 40
Class 5A
Conroe 49, San Antonio East Central 46
Amarillo 58, Clear Creek 37
Saturday's games
Championships
Class A
Sudan 40, Jayton 36
Class 3A
Waco La Vega vs. Dripping Springs, 10:30 a.m.
Class 2A
Hemphill vs. Tuscola Jim Ned, 2:30 p.m.
Class 4A
Waco Midway vs. Dallas Lincoln, 4 p.m.
Class 5A
Amarillo vs. Conroe, 8 p.m.

Transactions

BASEBALL
American League
CHICAGO WHITE SOX—Agreed to terms with Wilson Alvarez, Larry Thomas and Jeff Schwarz, pitchers; Matt Merullo, catcher; and Warren Newson, outfielder, on one-year contracts. Renewed the contract of Jason Bere, pitcher.

NEW YORK YANKEES—Agreed to terms with Scott Kamieniecki, pitcher, and Bernie Williams, outfielder, on one-year contracts. Optioned Mariano Rivera, pitcher, to Albany of the Eastern League. Sent Matt Drews, pitcher, and Tom Wilson and Kiki Hernandez, catchers, to their minor league camp for reassignment

National League
HOUSTON ASTROS—Agreed to terms with Brian Williams, Mike Hampton, Todd Jones, Domingo Jean and Shane Reynolds, pitchers; Tony Eusebio and Scooter Tucker, catchers; Andujar Cedeno, Chris Donnels, Andy Stankiewicz, James Mouton, and Roberto Petagine, infielders; and Brian Hunter, outfielder.

College hoops

By The Associated Press
EAST
Brown 65, Harvard 60
Yale 63, Dartmouth 55
FAR WEST
Idaho 59, Boise St. 56
TOURNAMENTS
Big South Conference
First Round
Campbell 79, Winthrop 71
Liberty 82, Charleston Southern 71
Radford 81, Md.-Baltimore County 78
Towson St. 64, N.C.-Asheville 56
East Coast Conference
First Round
Buffalo 100, Cent. Connecticut St. 62
Hofstra 86, Chicago St. 77
Northeast Conference
Semifinals
Monmouth, N.J. 76, Robert Morris 61
Rider 83, Wagner 75
Ohio Valley Conference
Semifinals
Murray St. 104, Morehead St. 86
Tennessee St. 91, Tennessee Tech 74
Patriot League
First Round
Colgate 87, Lehigh 80
Holy Cross 96, Bucknell 91
Lafayette 83, Fordham 65
Navy 96, Army 84
Southern Conference
Quarterfinals
Davidson 71, VMI 61
Georgia Southern 85, Appalachian St. 60
Ta.-Chattanooga 85, Furman 81
W. Carolina 79, E. Tennessee St. 78
Southland Conference
First Round
NE Louisiana 92, Stephen F.Austin 73
Nicholls St. 101, Texas-San Antonio 89
North Texas 69, McNeese St. 65
SW Texas St. 65, Sam Houston St. 56
Sun Belt Conference
First Round
Ark.-Little Rock 78, Lamar 71
Texas-Pan American 70, Louisiana Tech 65
Trans America Athletic Conference
Semifinals
Cent. Florida 93, Centenary 89
Stetson 54, Samford 42

Workers needed for track meet

Volunteers are needed for the March 12 Canyon Reef Relays track meet at Snyder High School.

Interested workers may call coach Tommy Doyle at 573-8528 or 573-0854, coach Patty Grimmett, 573-8529; or the athletic director's office at SHS, 573-1311.

Bowhunters slate Sunday shoot

Snyder Bowhunters Association will host its March club shoot Sunday at 2 p.m. The event will be held at the club's outdoor range near Ira.

Competing archers will shoot at 20 McKenzie 3-D targets at unmarked distances..

Warmup and registration are set for 1 p.m.

Individual members pay $3 to shoot, while families are charged $5. Non-member fees are $6 per individual or $9 for a family.

Annual SBA memberships are $25.

For more information, contact Darryl Boone at 573-2851, Dr. Jerry Early at 573-1717, Dale Byrd at 573-8088 or Mark Thompson at 573-9063.

Spectators are welcome.

HHS boosters slate tournament

Hermleigh High School boosters will host a men's basketball tournament March 18 and 19 at HHS.

Entry fee is $100 per team.

T-shirts will be awarded the top three squads at the tourney.

For more information, contact Chip Roemisch at 863-2241.

Nelson moves into lead at Doral

MIAMI (AP) — Larry Nelson scored an eagle-3 in a back-nine blitz of 29 that lifted him into a one-stroke lead at the halfway point of the $1.4 million Doral-Ryder Open.

Dick Mast, who has yet to win in a 14-season career, had another 69 and was tied at 138 with Billy Andrade and John Huston, each with a 68.

Brad Bryant, with a 69, was next at 139. Defending champion Greg Norman was was at 145 after a 74.

Rodman draws suspension, fine

NEW YORK (AP) — Dennis Rodman of the San Antonio Spurs was suspended for one game and fined $5,000 by the NBA Friday for head-butting John Stockton of the Utah Jazz on Wednesday night.

The incident occurred with 2:01 remaining in the fourth quarter of Utah's 106-96 victory over the Spurs.

NBA guidelines require an automatic one-game suspension for any head-butt or punch. Rodman will miss tonight's game between the Spurs and Los Angeles Clippers at San Antonio.

The fine imposed by Rod Thorn, the NBA's vice president for operations, in addition to penalizing the head-butt was for Rodman's subsequent comments about the NBA and its officiating.

Celtics end skid against LA

by The Associated Press

While the Chicago Bulls' puzzling woes at home continued, the Boston Celtics' nightmarish losing streak finally came to an end.

Dino Radja had 36 points and 15 rebounds — both highs in his rookie year — and the Celtics broke a 13-game losing streak — longest in their storied history — with a 109-99 victory over the Los Angeles Lakers on Friday night.

Meanwhile, Clyde Drexler scored 27 points as Portland beat Chicago 115-96, its fourth consecutive loss at Chicago Stadium, where the Bulls won 17 consecutive games before their recent skid.

Elsewhere in the NBA, it was Indiana 126, New Jersey 110; San Antonio 121, the Los Angeles Clippers 113; Denver 98, Orlando 89; and Phoenix 106, Minnesota 101.

Spurs 121, Clippers 113

David Robinson had 41 points, 16 rebounds and eight assists, and San Antonio survived the absence of top rebounder Dennis Rodman to defeat Los Angeles for its 15th victory in 16 home games.

Robinson scored 14 points in the fourth quarter, when the Spurs had a 10-0 run after the Clippers closed within two points after three periods.

Dominique Wilkins had 33 points and 11 rebounds and Gary Grant 19 points for the Clippers, who played without Ron Harper because of a pulled right hamstring.

Dale Ellis finished with 22 points for San Antonio, who played without Rodman after he was suspended for a game and fined $5,000 for head-butting Utah's John Stocketon. J.R. Reid filled in for Rodman with 19 points and nine rebounds.

Pacers 126, Nets 110

Indiana won its fourth straight game, its ninth in a row at home and its 14th in 16 outings, moving five games over .500 for the first time in four years.

Suns 106, Timberwolves 101

Phoenix won its 10th straight home game and handed Minnesota its 12th consecutive road defeat, but the Suns didn't seal the victory until the final 14 seconds.

Nuggets 98, Magic 89

Denver improved its home record to 20-8 as Reggie Williams scored all of his 20 points in the last 20 minutes, including six during a closing 12-3 run against Orlando.

SWC glance

by The Associated Press

Men

	Conference W	L	Pct.	All Games W	L	Pct.
Texas	11	2	.846	21	7	.750
Texas A&M	10	3	0.769	17	8	.680
Texas Tech	9	4	.692	15	10	.600
Baylor	6	7	.462	15	10	.600
Rice	6	7	.462	14	12	.538
Houston	4	9	.308	7	18	.280
TCU	3	10	.231	7	18	.280
SMU	3	10	.231	6	19	.240

Wednesday's games
Texas Tech 94, TCU 90
Texas 78, Rice 70
SMU 74, Oral Roberts 63
Saturday's games
Texas Tech at Texas A&M, noon
Texas at TCU, 2 p.m.
Rice at Houston, 7:30 p.m.
SMU at Baylor, 7:35 p.m.

Women

	Conference W	L	Pct.	All Games W	L	Pct.
Texas Tech	11	2	.846	23	3	.885
Texas A&M	11	2	.846	20	5	.800
Texas	9	4	.692	17	8	.680
SMU	7	6	.538	16	7	.696
Houston	5	8	.385	11	13	.458
Baylor	4	9	.308	13	12	.520
Rice	4	9	.308	12	13	.480
TCU	1	12	.077	5	18	.217

Wednesday's games
Texas Tech 89, TCU 63
Texas A&M 90, Baylor 87
Texas 77, Rice 63
Saturday's games
Houston at Rice, 2 p.m.
Baylor at SMU, 3 p.m.
Texas A&M at Texas Tech, 3:10 p.m.
Sunday's game
TCU at Texas, 2 p.m.

NBA glance

By The Associated Press

EASTERN CONFERENCE	W	L	Pct.	GB
Atlantic Division				
New York	38	19	.667	—
Orlando	34	22	.607	3½
Miami	31	25	.554	6½
New Jersey	29	28	.509	9
Boston	21	36	.368	17
Philadelphia	20	37	.351	18
Washington	17	40	.298	21
Central Division				
Atlanta	40	16	.714	—
Chicago	37	20	.649	3½
Cleveland	34	24	.586	7
Indiana	30	25	.545	9½
Charlotte	23	32	.418	16½
Milwaukee	16	40	.286	24
Detroit	13	43	.232	27
WESTERN CONFERENCE				
Midwest Division				
Houston	39	15	.722	—
San Antonio	41	17	.707	—
Utah	39	19	.672	2
Denver	28	28	.500	12
Minnesota	16	40	.286	24
Dallas	8	49	.140	32½
Pacific Division				
Seattle	40	14	.741	—
Phoenix	37	18	.673	3½
Portland	36	22	.621	6
Golden State	33	23	.589	8
L.A. Lakers	21	34	.382	19½
Sacramento	19	36	.345	21½
L.A. Clippers	19	37	.339	22

Friday's Games
Indiana 126, New Jersey 110
Boston 109, L.A. Lakers 99
San Antonio 121, L.A. Clippers 113
Portland 115, Chicago 96
Denver 98, Orlando 89
Phoenix 106, Minnesota 101
Saturday's Games
L.A. Lakers at Washington, 7:30 p.m.
Philadelphia at Miami, 7:30 p.m.
Indiana at Atlanta, 7:30 p.m.
Utah at Dallas, 8:30 p.m.
L.A. Clippers at Houston, 8:30 p.m.
Detroit at Milwaukee, 9 p.m.
Sacramento at Seattle, 10 p.m.
Charlotte at Golden State, 10:30 p.m.
Sunday's Games
Chicago at Cleveland, 1 p.m.
Orlando at San Antonio, 3:30 p.m.
Philadelphia at New Jersey, 6 p.m.
Minnesota at Denver, 9 p.m.
Utah at Phoenix, 9 p.m.
Seattle at Sacramento, 9 p.m.

SDN sports week

Monday, March 7
Baseball
Snyder JV hosts Big Spring (DH), 4 p.m.
Softball
Hermleigh at Westbrook, 5 p.m.
Tuesday, March 8
Baseball
Snyder Tigers at Sweetwater, 5 p.m.
Thursday, March 10
Rodeo
WTC rodeo team at Odessa College NIRA Rodeo.
Friday, March 11
Rodeo
WTC rodeo team at Odessa College NIRA Rodeo.
Golf
Snyder Tigers at San Angelo Tournament.
Snyder Lady Tigers at Andrews Tournament.
Track
Snyder Junior High at Andrews meet.
Tennis
Snyder hosts SHS Invitational Tournament.
Baseball
Snyder JV hosts Coahoma varsity (DH), 5 p.m.
Softball
Hermleigh at Coahoma, 5 p.m.
Saturday, March 12
Rodeo
WTC rodeo team at Odessa College NIRA Rodeo.
Golf
Snyder Tigers at San Angelo Tournament.
Snyder Lady Tigers at Andrews Tournament.
Track
Snyder boys and girls host Canyon Reef Relays.
Tennis
Snyder hosts SHS Invitational Tournament.
Snyder Junior High at Colorado City Tournament.

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Jock riches

Most highly paid athletes of 1993, in millions of dollars

Name	Sport	Salary	Other	Total
Michael Jordan	Basketball	$4.0	$32.0	$36.0
Riddick Bowe	Boxing	$23.0	$2.0	$25.0
Ayrton Senna	Auto racing	$14.0	$4.5	$18.5
Alain Prost	Auto racing	$12.0	$4.0	$16.0
George Foreman	Boxing	$12.5	$3.3	$15.8
Shaquille O'Neal	Basketball	$3.3	$11.9	$15.2
Lennox Lewis	Boxing	$14.0	$1.0	$15.0
Cecil Fielder	Baseball	$12.4	$.3	$12.7
Jim Courier	Tennis	$3.6	$9.0	$12.6
Joe Montana	Football	$5.0	$6.5	$11.5

Source: Forbes NEA Graphic

Each of the Top 10 positions on Forbes magazine's list of 1993's most extravagantly compensated athletes is occupied by a man. In fact, tennis star Steffi Graf, at No. 15, is the first woman to show up on the annual money list. She amassed $9.8 million in '93 — $2.8 million in winnings and $7 million in other earnings. Gabriela Sabatini, another tennis player, is the only other woman among the Top 40. She had $1 million in winnings and $5.5 million in other earnings for a total take of $6.5 million.

Big Spring tournament...

Tigers nudge Sweetwater, 4-3

BIG SPRING — The Snyder Tigers got revenge for a non-district baseball loss to Sweetwater when they downed the Mustangs 4-3 in the second round of play at the Big Spring Varsity Baseball Tournament Friday.

Snyder scored the winning run in the top of the fourth when John Clinkinbeard, who had walked to lead off the frame, scored on a Reagan Key single.

Snyder's second game Friday, a 4:15 battle against Big Spring, was called due to darkness in the top of the fifth inning with the host Steers holding a 6-1 advantage.

Snyder opened a 2-0 lead over Sweetwater in the second inning, when Jimmy Henry, who singled and went to second on an error, reached, followed by an RBI double by Gene Pollard and a single by Chris Mitchell that drove in a run.

Sweetwater answered with two in the last of the inning. Tory Stephens and Kerry Carr each walked and came home on a 2-run single by Larry Ferguson.

The Tigers added one in the third when Henry tagged on a Curt Rinehart hit after being hit by a pitch.

Sweetwater tied the tally at 3-all on a Stephens single that scored Terry Clemmer in the home half of the third.

Lee Idom got the win for SHS, going all five innings in the time-limit abbreviated contest. Idom struck out two and walked five, but allowed just three hits.

"He walked a few to start the game," Snyder coach Albert Lewis said of Idom's performance. "But he settled down and pitched a good game."

"Our defense really looked good, too," said Lewis. "We're coming together in all phases of our game and we're starting to play much better."

Snyder finished with no errors in the Sweetwater contest.

Clemmer took the loss Friday, going the last 1 1/3 innings in relief of starter Chad Pierce.

The Tigers rapped eight hits off the two Mustang hurlers, led by Pollard's 1-of-2 outing, including a double and an RBI, and Rinehart's run-scoring rap.

Snyder moves to 3-3 on the season with the win over the Mustangs.

In Friday's other game at the tournament, Sweetwater tied Big Spring's JV, 6-6.

The Tigers will wind up their appearance at the Big Spring tourney when they finish their matchup against host Big Spring just prior to taking on Midland Greenwood at 2 p.m. Saturday.

Snyder	021	10	-4	8	0
Sweetwater	021	00	-3	3	3

Idom and Hart; Pierce, Clemmer and Stephens; WP: Idom; LP: Clemmer; 2B: Snyder — Henry; Sweetwater — Clemmer; Record: Snyder 3-3.

Big Spring Varsity Baseball Tournament
5-team round-robin
Thursday's games
Big Spring 4, Big Spring JV 0
Sweetwater 6, Greenwood 3
Snyder 19, Big Spring JV 0
Big Spring 11, Greenwood 0
Friday's games
Snyder 4, Sweetwater 3
Big Spring JV 5, Sweetwater 5
Big Spring 6, Snyder 1 (Game called due to darkness in top of 5th, will be continued Saturday, prior to Snyder-Greenwood game)
Saturday's games
Big Spring JV vs. Greenwood, 9:30 a.m.
Big Spring vs. Sweetwater, 11:45 a.m.
Greenwood vs. Snyder, 2 p.m.

Jordan, Jackson make first exhibition starts

by The Associated Press

On the first full day of exhibition games, Michael Jordan was cheered for grounding out in his only at-bat.

Bo Jackson, meanwhile, showed that he is the two-sport star to be taken a little more seriously. Jackson, unwanted by the Chicago White Sox after last season, hit a grand slam for his new team — the Cailfornia Angels.

And some other sluggers of note — Mo Vaughn, Ken Griffey Jr. and Sammy Sosa had huge games of their own.

Rangers 9, White Sox 0

Will Clark hit a two-run single in his Texas debut, and Jose Canseco added a homer for the Rangers.

Jordan grounded to rookie left-hander Darren Oliver in his only at-bat. Oliver tagged Jordan out, but he didn't stop until he crossed the bag.

The first base umpire signaled Jordan safe — bringing a crowd of 7,091 to its feet — before the home plate umpire said the tag had been made.

Astros 3, Reds 2

Tony Eusebio's single in the bottom of the ninth inning scored Willie Ansley with the winning run for Houston.

Angels 7, Rockies 6

Jackson hit a grand slam in the eighth inning to tie the game.

"Bo knows dramatics," California manager Buck Rodgers said. "That's why we pay some guys $5 million and some guys $500."

Eduardo Perez delivered the game-winning hit, a two-out pinch single that drove in a pair of runs and capped the decisive six-run rally.

"Down by four runs and the bases juiced — every player on our bench would like to be in that situation," said Jackson.

Red Sox 9, Braves 6

Vaughn had two homers and five RBIs, but John Flaherty's two-out, wind-blown pop single keyed a three-run rally in the 10th inning.

Atlanta slugger Fred McGriff said he wasn't surprised.

"Mo's a good hitter," McGriff said. "He proved it today."

Mariners 9, Padres 6

Griffey, coming off a career-high 45 home runs in 1993, hit a 450-foot grand slam, breaking a 4-4 tie and highlighting a six-run fourth inning.

Cubs 7, Giants 2

Sosa hit two home runs and drove in five runs, and Shawon Dunston, out of action for two years because of back troubles, went 2-for-2 with a home run and played flawlessly at shortstop.

Barry Bonds, trying to win National League MVP honors for the third year in a row, had a two-run triple for the Giants.

Tigers 12, Indians 5

Chad Kreuter had a two-run triple and Alan Trammell a three-run homer among 15 Detroit hits.

Phillies 7, Pirates 5

Consecutive homers by Ricky Jordan and Phil Geisler in the eighth inning off Dennis Powell gave Philadelphia the victory. Pete Incaviglia drove in four runs with a homer and two doubles for the Phillies.

Marlins 9, Royals 6

Florida had five runs in the first inning to beat Kansas City. Ten walks and three errors hurt the Royals.

Dodgers 6, Mets 1

Jose Offerman drove in two runs, and Raul Mondesi homered in support of Tom Candiotti, who pitched three hitless innings for Los Angeles.

Cardinals 5, Twins 4

Rookie Terry Bradshaw scored the go-ahead run in the ninth inning for St. Louis. The Twins got a two-run homer from Kent Hrbek, but lost when Alex Cole was thrown out at the plate after a botched double play.

Blue Jays 6, Orioles 5

Paul Molitor hit a three-run homer, but Shannon Stewart's triple in the 10th inning scored Domingo Martinez with the winner.

Brewers 4, Athletics 3

Jose Valentin's sacrifice fly in the bottom of the 10th inning gave Milwaukee the exhibition opener for both teams.

Carl Yastrzemski of the Red Sox led the American League in batting in 1968 with .301, a record low.

Bowling News

JACK AND JILL
03-02-94

Team	W	L
ESP	64	36
K&M Pumping	59½	40½
Pizza Inn	57	43
Wes Tex Drilling	56½	43½
AJ Silkscreens	55	45
Misfits	54½	45½
Ezell-Key Grain	54	46
Red Man	51	49
Great Western Club	51	49
Better-N-Nothing	49	51
Snyder Paint & Body	48	52
Farmer's Helper	44	56
Payne Trucking	40½	59½
The Mechanic Shop	40	60
Nolan Electric	39	61
WWII	37	63

High Series: Lynn Smith 632; Bernie Sealy 553. **High game:** Lynn Smith 228; Sandra Clawson 215; **High handicap series:** Lynn Smith 677; Kim Hines, 667. **High handicap game:** Lynn Smith 243; Kim Hines 257.

Converted splits: Roger Batchelor 2-7-8; Manuel Garcia 3-10; Melissa McCright 5-7; Tim McCright 5-10; Dutch Barr 2-7; Bob Sealy 3-10; Bernie Sealy 3-10, 3-10, 2-7; Dorothy Mathews 3-9-10; Raymond Kellner 9-10; Helen Kellner 3-10, 3-10; Norma Seabourn 3-10; Linda Head 3-10; James Swigert 3-10; Bella Swigert 4-7-10; Elbert Klein 3-10; Otto Aikin 3-10; David West 4-7-9; Jim Griswold 5-10, 3-7-10; Mark Thompson 5-7; Doris Tanner 3-10.

Most pins over average: Kim Hines 74; Tim McCright 53; **Most pins over series:** Kim Hines 118; Ronnie Hines 90.

200-500: Lynn Smith 228, 632; Sandra Clawson 215, 541; Elbert Klein 211, 547; Jimmy Fletcher 204, 522; Tim McCright 202, 523; Linda Head 201, 507; Bernie Sealy 200, 553; Dutch Barr 520; David Lee 501; Edwin Jackson 501; Helen Kellner 515; Beth Kellner 513; Ronnie Clawson 529; Bob Sealy 502; Jeff Kellner 507; Bonnie Allred 501.

HIS & HER
02-28-94

Team	W	L
CAM II	23	9
Frito Lay	17½	14½
The ETs	16½	15½
Scurry Co. Farm Bureau	16	16
Spare Me	15	17
Eddins-Walcher	8	24

High Series: Don Bradshaw 590; Penni Mann, 517. **High game:** Ruben Olvera 224; Penni Mann 189. **High handicap series:** Ruben Olvera 689; Sherry Early 628. **High handicap game:** Johnny Irons 252; Carla Bradshaw 219.

Splits converted: Johnny Irons 3-10; Anita Benz 2-7-8; Roy Benz 5-6; Carla Bradshaw 4-5; Darrel Grant 3-10; Robert Early 5-10; Craig Turley 3-10.

WISHBALL
03-03-94

Team	W	L
Super Stars	65	33
Poor Boys	53½	44½
Energy Electric	53½	44½
High Rollers	50	44
Barq's Root Beer	49½	48½
Fox Trot	49	49
The Shack	37½	60½
CAM Wireline	34	64

High scratch game: Dan Hanak 213; **High scratch series:** Lynn Smith 565; **High handicap game:** Dutch Barr 245; **High handicap series:** Bo Lowrance 643.

Splits converted: R. Lloyd 3-10; T. McCright 4-7-9; O. Aikin 3-10; D. Hanak 3-10; D. Lyle 4-5-7; 3-10; 2-7.

200-500: B. Lowrance 202, 559; L. Smith 201, 565; D. Hanak 213, 517; R. Mammolite 550.

COMMERCIAL
03-01-94

Team	W	L
Bar-H-Bar	112	88
WTP Energy	100	100
Stephens' Office Supply	97	103
Snyder Savings	95	105
Double M	94½	105½
Jack's	76	124
McDonald's	64½	135½

High Series: Lynn Smith 630; **High game:** Red Bennett 232. **High handicap series:** Keith Bryant 636. **High handicap game:** Lynn Smith 237.

Splits converted: Keith Bryant 2-5-7; Chet Corser 3-10; Joel Hook 3-10; Joel Loper 3-10; Rick Mammolite 2-7, 2-4-7-10; Bill Stephens 3-10; Tommy Pherigo 6-7, 4-5-7; Jerry Howell 5-6-10; Mike Levens 5-6-10; Max Vincent 5-6.

ROLL N HOPE
02-28-94

Team	W	L
IGA	62	38
Strike Force	58	42
American Legion	57	43
Louise's	52	48
E.D. Walton	52	48
CNB	50	50
B&B	42	58
Great Western Club	27	73

Splits converted: Tracy Boone 3-10; Dana Stone 5-7; Elizabeth Featherston 2-7; Cindy Aikin 2-3-7, 2-7; Dorris Martin 2-7; Terri Blocker 3-10; Laurie Jordan 5-6; Norma Shaw 4-5; Alma Posey 2-7.

200-500: Wanda Johnson 225, 584; Cindy Aikin 222, 566; Dorris Martin 538; Lynn Maldonado 512.

Fishing report

ARROWHEAD: Water clear, 50 degrees, 3 feet low; black bass are fair; crappie are slow; catfish are slow.

FORT PHANTOM HILL: Water off color, 51 degrees, 11 feet low; black bass are slow; hybrid striper are fairly good on live shad and silver side minnows in the hot water discharge; crappie are slow; catfish are good to 8 pounds in the discharge.

FRYER: Water clear, 40 degrees, normal level; all fishing slow due to weather.

GRANBURY: Water stained, 51 degrees, normal level; black bass are fair in shallow water on small spinners; striper are good at warm water outlet on jigs; white bass are fair on minnows off the sandy points; crappie are fair on small minnows in 20 feet of water; catfish are good in 40-45 feet of water off the river channels on Mr. Whiskers.

HUBBARD CREEK: Water clear, 50 degrees, 51/2 feet low; black bass are fairly good to 51/2 pounds in various depths on spinners and worms; crappie are good up the creeks and around the boat docks; catfish are slow.

KEMP: Water clear, 42 degrees, 2 feet low; all fishing slow except for catfish which are fair in the 2 pound range on worms and shrimp.

MCCLELLAN: Water clear, 10 feet low; all fishing slow except for blue catfish which are good in the 2-9 pound range on minnows in 5 feet of water.

MCKENZIE: Water clear, 46 degrees, below normal; black bass are fairly good on spinners and minnows in shallow water in the warmer weather; crappie are fairly good with numerous throwbacks in 5 feet of water under the boat docks; catfish are fair to 51/4 pounds on minnows in shallow water.

MEREDITH: Water clearing, 43 degrees, 12 feet low; black bass are poor to 5 pounds; crappie are fair; catfish are fair; walleye are very good to 9 pounds on large minnows in 30 feet of water.

OAK CREEK: Water off color, 50 degrees, 7 feet low; all fishing slow due to weather.

O.H.IVIE: Water clear, 50 degrees, 11/2 feet low; largemouth bass are fairly good with numerous 12 inch to 16 inch fish caught on jigs and cranks in 5-15 feet of water along rocky and brushy shorelines; small mouth bass are fair in 20-40 feet of water along the rocky points; crappie are good but inconsistent under the Concho Bridge and on the points and mouths of creeks on minnows and jigs; yellow catfish are fair on live baited trotlines; walleye are poor with a few caught on minnows and jigs.

POSSUM KINGDOM: Water clear, 48 degrees, 5 feet low; black bass are poor in the cold water; striper are fair on live bait in 35 feet of water in the creek channels; white bass are fair mixed with the stripers; crappie are fair on the warmer days; catfish are slow.

PROCTOR: Water murky, 48 degrees, normal level; black bass are slow; hybrid striper are slow; crappie are fair to some limits on jigs and some minnows in 15 feet of water; catfish are fair to 6 pounds on live perch on trotlines.

SPENCE: Water clear, 51 degrees, normal level; black bass are fairly good with a new lake record of 14 pounds on white spinners in 30 feet of water; all other fishing is slow.

THOMAS: Reports indicate a brisk upcoming crappie season. A number of limits reported in the 1/2 to 1-pound range along rocky points and the dam.

SHS shoots 9th-place 328

ANDREWS — Snyder shot a combined 328, good for ninth place in Friday's low-scoring opening round of the Andrews Invitational golf tournament at Andrews Country Club.

Leading the 28-team field at the halfway point of the 36-hole tourney was Plainview, which fired a 308, followed by El Paso Coronado's 310, and 323s from Midland Lee, host AHS, El Paso Hanks and Midland High.

Atop the medalist list after 18 holes was Andrews standout Derrick Pursley, who fired a 1-over 73. Midland's Josh Jacobs was second in the individual standings with a 74, followed by 75s by Plainview teammates Rami Kimbrough and Chad English.

Snyder was paced by Bryan Word's 79. Jeff Armstrong trailed with an 81, Carl Strelecki carded an 83, Page Patterson chipped in an 85, and Matt Parker registered an 89.

Andrews Invitational
Andrews Country Club
Results after 18 of 36 holes

Team scores: 1. Plainview 308; 2. El Paso Coronado 310; 3. (tie) Midland Lee 323; Andrews 323; El Paso Hanks 323; Midland High 323; 7. El Paso Montwood 324; 8. Monahans 326; 9. Snyder 328; 10. Big Spring 330; 11. Andrews B 333; 12. Pampa 334; 13. Coronado 336; 14. Lamesa 338; 15. Lubbock High 343; 16. Seminole 348; 17. Frenship 349; 18. Monterey 351; 19. El Paso Eastwood 353; 20. Sweetwater 354; 21. San Angelo Lake View 359; 22. Randall 366; 23. Fort Stockton 370; 24. Hereford 373; 25. Odessa 375; 26. Kermit 378; 27. Pecos 424; 28. El Paso Bel Air 445.

Medalists: 1. Derrick Pursley, Andrews, 73; 2. Josh Jacobs, Midland, 74; 3. (tie) Rami Kimbrough, Plainview 75; Chad English, Plainview 75.

Snyder scores: Bryan Word 79; Jeff Armstrong 81; Carl Strelecki 83; Page Patterson 85; Matt Parker 89.

Lowrance 78 leads Snyder

MIDLAND — Brooke Lowrance shot a 78 to claim the medalist lead and lift Snyder's Lady Tigers to third place after 18 holes of the Midland Tall City Girls Classic at Green Tree Country Club Friday.

Snyder's 352 team total trails only Class 5A powers Midland Lee's 335, and San Angelo Central's 344 in the 20-team event.

The 78 by Lowrance leads April DeVries of Abilene Cooper and Midland Lee's Kim Fisher by two shots in the individual standings at the halfway point of the tournament.

Other scores for SHS include an 88 by Kayla Drain, Mandy Baker's 90, a 96 from Kelli Lacik and Brooke Kubena's 100.

Midland Tall City Girls Classic
Green Tree Country Club
Results after 18 of 36 holes

Team scores: 1. Midland Lee 335; 2. San Angelo Central 344; 3. Snyder 352; 4. Abilene Cooper 366; 5. Midland High 387; 6. (tie) Abilene High 396; Odessa Permian 396; 8. Amarillo 399; 9. Tascosa 403; 10. Plainview 412; 11. (tie) Abilene Cooper B 418; Lamesa 418; 13. Dumas 422; 14. Midland B 438; 15. Midland Lee B 445; 16. Odessa Permian B 447; 17. Monterey 448; 18. Coronado 468; 19. Sweetwater 495; 20. Caprock 533.

Medalists: 1. Brooke Lowrance 78, 2. (tie) April DeVries, Abilene Cooper, 80; Kim Fisher, Midland Lee, 80.

Other SHS scores: Kayla Drain 88, Mandy Baker 90, Kelli Lacik 96; Brooke Kubena 100.

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Register to vote

JOHANNESBURG, South Africa (AP) — Zulu nationalists and pro-apartheid whites who vehemently opposed South Africa's first all-race election reversed themselves Friday and registered for the April vote.

The groups said they continued to demand autonomous or independent states in post-apartheid South Africa. They said registering merely gave them the option to take part in the election if their demands were met.

Less than eight weeks remain until the April 26-28 vote, which will formally end apartheid by including the black majority for the first time. The deadline for registering for the election passed at midnight Friday.

Mangosuthu Buthelezi's Inkatha Freedom Party and a white right-wing leader signaled they believed international mediation could work out differences with the African National Congress and President F.W. de Klerk's government on the powers of regional governments in a new constitution.

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China rounds up dissidents

BEIJING (AP) — China's most famous dissident was detained Friday in a roundup of democracy activists one week before Secretary of State Warren Christopher is to arrive to push for human rights.

The police sweep of several prominent dissidents, including Wei Jingsheng, appeared to be a slap at the United States. It comes at the end of a visit by the State Department's top human rights envoy, who immediately called for their release.

"I am disturbed to learn of new reports of detentions in China," John Shattuck, assistant secretary of state for human rights, said Friday in a statement from Shanghai before leaving for Hong Kong.

"I again call on the Chinese government to release those who have been incarcerated solely for the peaceful expression of their views."

While in Beijing, Shattuck had met with Wei.

A friend said Wei called from the police station to cancel all of his appointments through Saturday. The dissident was uncertain when he might be released and didn't know whether his detention was tied to his meeting with Shattuck.

Police have previously issued warnings to Wei, who has been outspoken ever since he was released from prison last September after serving more than 14 years for his pro-democracy activities.

The dissident had told Shattuck that Washington, which is threatening to revoke most-favored-nation trade status from communist China as punishment for human rights violations, needs to take a tough stance against Beijing.

On Thursday, Zhou Guoqiang, a prominent dissident who supported a peace charter calling for non-violent political reform, was detained by police for "illegal activity," the Beijing-backed Hong Kong China News Agency reported.

The human rights group Asia Watch said it had confirmed the detention of two other dissidents, Qian Yunin on Wednesday and Bao Ge on Thursday.

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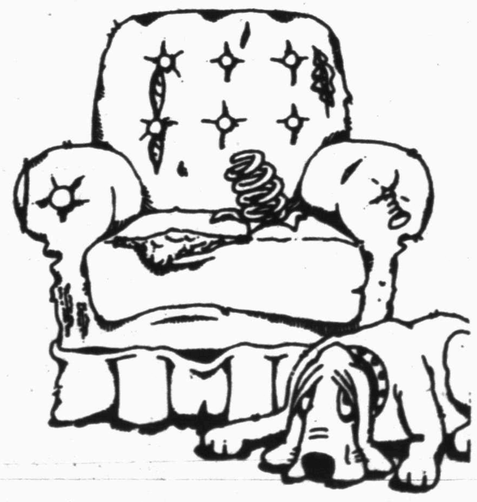
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DATE BOOK

March 5, 1994

Today is the 64th day of 1994 and the 75th day of winter.

TODAY'S HISTORY: On this day in 1953, Soviet dictator Joseph Stalin died of a stroke.

TODAY'S BIRTHDAYS: Frank Norris (1870-1902), novelist; Lady Isabella Augusta Gregory (1852-1932), playwright; Heitor Villa-Lobos (1887-1959), composer; Rex Harrison (1908-1990), actor; Laurence A. Tisch (1923-), CBS chief, is 71; Dean Stockwell (1936-), actor, is 58; Penn Jillette (1955-), magician, is 39.

TODAY'S SPORTS: On this day in 1961, Boston Celtics center Bill Russell scored a career-high 37 points.

TODAY'S QUOTE: "I'm now at the age where I've got to prove that I'm just as good as I never was." — Rex Harrison in 1980

TODAY'S WEATHER: On this day in 1973, several inches of snow fell on Arizona's Sunrise Mountain. By month's end, the state would record its all-time monthly snowfall record of 123 inches.

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TODAY'S MOON: Day after last quarter (March 4).

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March 6, 1994

Today is the 65th day of 1994 and the 76th day of winter.

TODAY'S HISTORY: On this day in 1857, the Supreme Court handed down the Dred Scott Decision, which found that black people had no standing in U.S. courts; it inflamed the North-South conflict that led to the Civil War.

TODAY'S BIRTHDAYS: Michelangelo (1475-1564), artist; Elizabeth Barrett Browning (1806-1861), poet; Nikolai Rimsky-Korsakov (1844-1908), composer; Lefty Grove (1900-1975), baseball great; Ed McMahon (1923-), TV personality, is 71; Alan Greenspan (1926-), Federal Reserve chairman, is 68; Gabriel Garcia Marquez (1928-), writer, is 66; Willie Stargell (1941-), baseball great, is 53; Rob Reiner (1945-), director, is 49.

TODAY'S SPORTS: On this day in 1990, 13-year-old Jennifer Capriati premiered on the women's tennis circuit, defeating Mary Lou Daniels, 7-6, 6-1 in the Virginia Slims tournament.

TODAY'S QUOTE: "He could throw a lamb chop past a wolf." — Sportswriter Bugs Baer on Lefty Grove

TODAY'S WEATHER: On this day in 1932, Charleston, S.C.; Philadelphia; Atlantic City, N.J.; and Boston all set low-pressure records as a front moved up the Atlantic coast.

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TODAY'S MOON: Between last quarter (March 4) and new moon (March 12).

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New host set

SACRAMENTO, Calif. (AP) — Get ready for Willie Brown, talk show host.

The speaker of the California Assembly goes on the air March 14 with a weekday morning show on KCRA-TV.

"Get ready to be challenged, aroused and motivated," Brown told a studio audience during a recent taping.



CENTRAL UNIT RECOGNITION — Central students receiving Unit Recognition Awards last week include from left, Zack Emerson, Tamara Maresch, Barbara Lester, Jennifer Williamson, Ira Gonzales, Chelsea Forbes and Carmen Aguilar; middle row, Michael Hill, Kristen Hicks, Robert Overby, Shavon Pesina, Michael Brickey, Nicole Slaboda and Courtney James; front row, Adrian Gallegos, Leslie Dean, Justin Rios, Noe Ruiz, Isaac Rodriguez and Lety Marquez. Malorye Miller is not pictured. (SDN Staff Photo)

Female POW has symptoms

WASHINGTON (AP) — Melissa Coleman, the first woman held prisoner in the Gulf War, says chronic headaches, congestion and fatigue are constant reminders of her overseas service.

Coleman believes she and her husband, and perhaps a daughter, are suffering from ailments reported by hundreds of other veterans of the U.S.-led conflict with Iraq.

"I was fine before I went," she said.

Now, she suffers from short-term memory loss, severe fatigue, breathing difficulty, leg and arm cramps, a thyroid condition and vision loss.

"I was in perfect health," said Coleman, who returned to her parents' home in Newaygo, Mich., to search for work when she left the military in November.

Known as Melissa Rathbun-Nealy at the time of her captivity in 1991, she was 20 years old and an Army specialist with the 233rd Transportation Company based at Fort Bliss, Texas. She was captured with another soldier on the Kuwaiti border while delivering supplies near the Kuwaiti border.

She was held from Jan. 31 to March 4, 1991.

Although unsure how her service in the war could have brought on the ailments, she recalled one time when she might have been particularly vulnerable.

"At one point during my captivity there was a lot of smoke from the oil refineries we were bombing in Baghdad," she said. "Black soot covered everything, so of course it was getting breathed in."

Her husband, fellow war veteran Michael Coleman, also is having a few symptoms, such as headaches, slight breathing difficulty and joint aches. The couple married in 1991 after the war.

Their oldest daughter, 21 months old, has had rash-like bumps on her shoulders that other veterans have reported in their children, she said. "There is no evident reason for them," she said.

Her 8-month-old daughter isn't having any problems. "We're keeping a close eye on both of them though," she said.

Naturalist and artist John James Audubon was born in Haiti in 1785.

Voluntary rating system planned

WASHINGTON (AP) — The video games industry, trying to head off a bill that would require programs to be labeled for sex and violence, told a Senate panel Friday it will have a voluntary rating system by next December's holiday buying season.

"Products coming to market after Nov. 1 will, if submitted by publishers in a timely fashion, be rated under the new system," said Jack Heistand, chairman of an industry group that is devising the rating system.

The system, once up and running, will have the capacity to rate all 2,500 video titles that come to market annually.

Roughly 4,000 to 5,000 video games and discs are already on the market. Heistand said the ratings board will not go back and rate those.

"To go back and rate those will put such a burden on our process," he said. Heistand said when a new product is marketed, 70 percent of the sales occur in the first three months.

Sen. Joseph Lieberman, D-Conn., said he was pleased with the industry's plan but would like to see more details on ways companies might be penalized if they violate the rating system.

"You've come a considerable distance. You still have some distance to go," Lieberman said.

Retailers, including Walmart Stores Inc. and Babbages Inc., promised to carry only rated video games.

For the last six months, Sega of America Inc., whose bloody Mortal Kombat and NightTrap games came under fierce congressional attack last year, has been voluntarily rating all of its titles based on the amount of sex or violence.

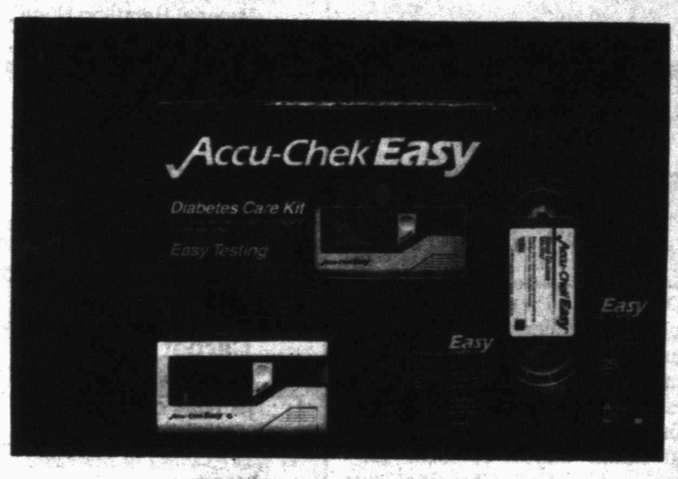
Games suitable for all ages are labeled "GA," for general audience. Those labeled "MA-13" are most appropriate for children 13 and older and an "MA-17" label is for users 17 and older.

Ed Volkwein, Sega's senior vice president of marketing, said about 90 percent of Sega's games are labeled "GA," 7 percent are "MA-13" and 3 percent are "MA-17."

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BEVERLY "BUNKY" GLASSCOCK
Democratic Candidate for
COUNTY TREASURER

To The Voters of Scurry County:

I believe strongly in the office of Scurry County Treasurer and it's role in County Government.

During my years of working in the Treasurer's office, I had the opportunity to work directly with Mrs. Glasscock in her official capacity with Cogdell Memorial Hospital. Due to this working relationship, I am confident she is experienced to serve as our County Treasurer.

With knowledge of her past working experience, it is my belief that she is capable to:

1. Invest our County's money safely and wisely, working with the County Judge, Commissioners Court and County Auditor in accordance with the Scurry County Investments Policy adopted December 1990.
2. Perform all duties of the Treasurer's office and conduct the business of the office in a professional manner.
3. Disburse Accounts Payable in a timely manner, avoiding late charges and to take advantage of allowed discounts.
4. To handle all aspects of County Payroll, having years of previous experience with Cogdell Hospital.
5. Have an "Open Door" Policy making herself available to the public and to help County Employees in all personnel matters.

Vote For Experience, Efficiency And Availability On Tuesday, March 8, 1994
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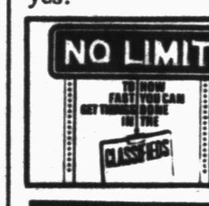
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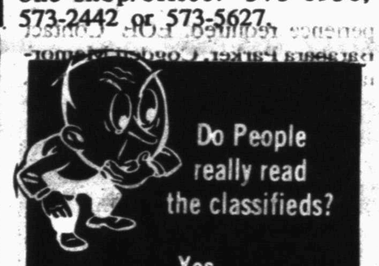
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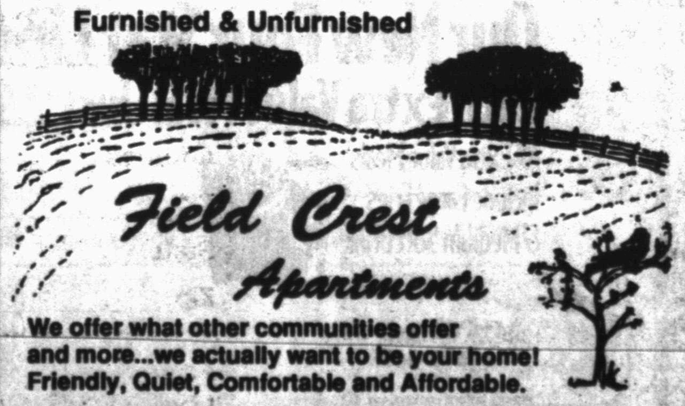
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4-3-2, pool, in the $90's.
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El Paso St., 3-2-2, $60's.
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Cedar Creek, 3-3-2.
2605 30th, 4 bdr. 79T.
2215 42nd, 3-2-1, $30's.
2207 43rd, 3-1-cp.
Country, 3-2 with acreage.
3725 Ave. V, 3-1-1, $32T.
4111 Eastridge. 3-2-2, $34,500.
3205 Ave. A, 4-2-CP, $25T.
3782 Avondale, 3-2, $40's.
Ira, 2 nice homes, 3-2½.
120 25th, 2-1-1, $10T.
3709 Sunset, 3-1-2.
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Departure of White House counsel seems imminent

WASHINGTON (AP) — Stung by a series of missteps that heightened questions about the Whitewater land deal, President Clinton is letting the chief White House lawyer be nudged toward the door.

Counsel Bernard Nussbaum was poised to resign — perhaps as early as Saturday — after watching his prospects for remaining in the job dwindle Friday as Clinton made no effort to come to his defense. Twice, he refused to state his preference when reporters asked if he thought Nussbaum should resign.

After the two met privately late in the day, aides said an exchange of letters making the counsel's departure official was just "a matter of timing."

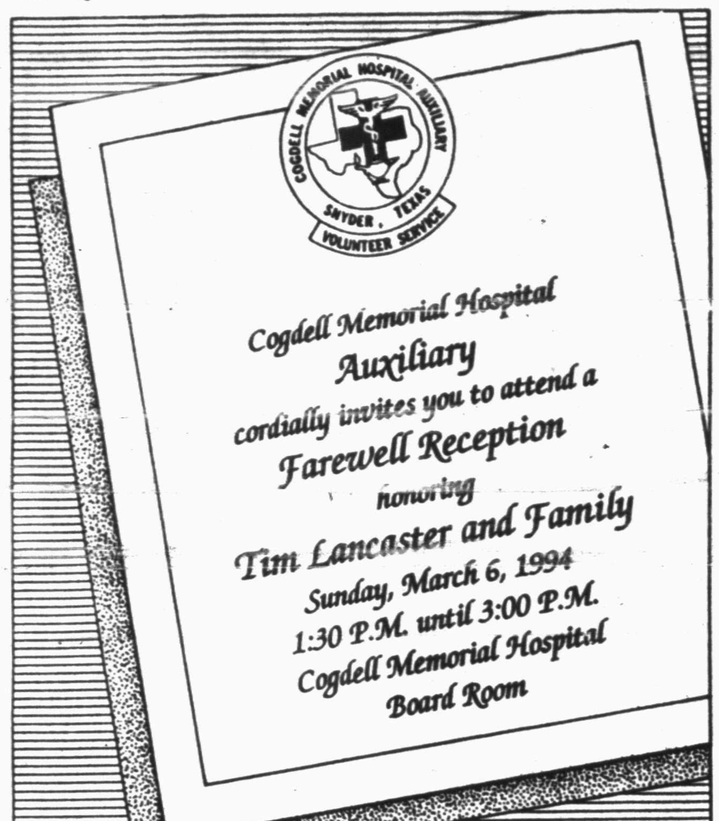
The Washington Post, citing unidentified sources, said Nussbaum told Clinton that he would resign Saturday.

Nussbaum's anticipated departure capped a week in which it had been revealed that he was among White House aides who met privately last fall with Treasury officials to discuss the federal inquiry into a failed Arkansas savings and loan with ties to the president and first lady Hillary Rodham Clinton.

Clinton, sensitive to the appearance of potential conflict of interest, made it clear he was unhappy that such contacts had occurred, and Nussbaum in particular came under fire.

A special prosecutor is probing the failure of Madison Guaranty Savings and Loan Association and whether investors in the Whitewater land venture in Arkansas — including the Clintons — benefited from questionable Madison transactions during the 1980s.

Whitewater is only the latest in a series of White House controversies associated to one extent or another with Nussbaum.



Museum exhibit opens

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many students that "the spelling books were thumbed until they were so dog-eared that instead of being only half an inch thick, they were two or three inches," as one old-timer reminisced.

During the early years of Texas education, schools were started as private ventures by individuals of communities, but many closed almost as quickly as they opened. Public demand for free education grew with the success of programs, but did not always meet with favorable response in Texas. The constitution of 1869 drew criticism for its compulsory school attendance requirement and one percent property tax levy to build and support schools. The idea that people would have to pay taxes, regardless of whether they had children to educate, was highly controversial. Others were alienated from public education by the attendance requirement, which was repealed in 1876, only to be reinstated in 1915.

The first woman ever elected to a statewide office, Annie Webb Blanton, served as state superintendent of public instruction from 1919 to 1923. She was a former teacher.

The museum will be open Monday through Friday except for March 12-20, which is spring break.

Police note one arrest

Snyder police arrested a 22-year-old man for misdemeanor driving while intoxicated at 11:50 p.m. Friday in the 3700 block of College Avenue.

Officers also investigated two hit-and-run accidents and two theft cases.

At 7:43 a.m. Friday, Beatrice Rodriguez contacted police to report that her 1975 Chevrolet pickup had been struck by a vehicle which left the scene.

At 12:22 p.m., Sally Avila contacted officers to report that her vehicle had been struck while parked at Everybody's Thriftway.

At 2:38 p.m., officers were notified that a man had left C&W Grocery without paying for some groceries. A report for Class C theft was filed.

At 4:52 p.m., Shelly Smith contacted officers in reference to a theft at Cogdell Hospital. A report for Class B theft was filed.

TAP

Targeting All Parents schedule for the week is:

Monday: 8:30 a.m., Communication Within the Family, Department of Human Resources conference room; 7 p.m., Building Self Esteem Within the Family, chamber of commerce conference room.

Tuesday: 7 p.m., Communicating Within the Family, First Baptist Church Multi-Purpose Center.

Wednesday: 1 p.m., Building Self Esteem Within the Family (Spanish session), Our Lady of Guadalupe Church; 7 p.m., Understanding Your Role as a Parent, Snyder Savings & Loan conference room.

Family Life

Monday's Family Life video series airing on Snyder Cablevision Channel 2 will be "Learning to Solo." The program airs from 7 to 7:30 p.m.

'Easter'

Snyder Christian Women's Club is sponsoring an "Easter Parade" luncheon from 11 a.m. until 1 p.m. Wednesday at Martha Ann Woman's Club.

Lunch is $5.50. Reservations must be made by noon Tuesday by calling 573-1454 or 573-3440.

Hospital Notes

ADMISSIONS: Corena Cole, Snyder Healthcare Center; Delores Henderson, 100 E. 37th #59; Phoebe Lewis, 200 35th; Ronnie Morris, 1306 20th; Pauline Price, 1761 Garden Lane; Johnnie Goldsberry, 3610 Ave. B.

DISMISSALS: Alex Perez, Birtie Travis, Billy Grimmett, Pauline Price, Glenda Rivera and baby, Paul Romero.

Census: 50 (Med.-16, Long-Term Care-34).

Snyder man said in stable condition

A 25-year-old Scurry County man injured in a one-vehicle rollover Friday morning is in stable condition at St. Mary of the Plains Hospital in Lubbock.

John Martinez Jr. of Route 2 was airlifted to Lubbock for evaluation of possible head and internal injuries following the mishap, which occurred shortly before 11 a.m., 1½ miles south of Ira.

Hospital officials said Martinez was in intensive care Saturday morning but expected to be moved to a private room sometime during the day.

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010 LEGAL NOTICES

NOTICE TO BIDDERS

Scurry County Commissioner's Court will open Bids for replacing light fixtures & emergency battery packs for the Coliseum on Monday, March 14, 1994. Bids will be considered March 28, 1994 during special session of Commissioners Court. Specifications may be obtained February 28, 1994 at the County Judges Office, Scurry County Courthouse, Snyder, Texas.

NOTICE TO BIDDERS

Scurry County Commissioner's Court will open and consider Bids for a used tractor for use in session of Commissioners Court. Bids will be received through 5:00 p.m. Friday, March 18, 1994. Specifications may be obtained March 7, 1994 at the County Judges Office, Scurry County Courthouse, Snyder, Texas.

NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS OF PROPOSED TEXAS HIGHWAY MAINTENANCE WORK

Sealed proposals for: Picnic Area Alterations on highway(s) U.S. 283, etc. in Callahan, etc. County(ies). Will be received by the Texas Department of Transportation located at: 4250 N. Clack, Abilene, Texas until 11:00 a.m.; Thursday; March 24, 1994. Then publicly opened and read. All prospective bidders are encouraged to attend the Pre-Bidders' Conference which will be held at the Texas Department of Transportation's District Office at: 4250 N. Clack, Abilene, Texas. Time & Date: 1:30 p.m.; Tuesday; March 15, 1994. Bidding proposals, plans and specifications will be available at the Engineer's Office at: 4250 N. Clack, Abilene, Texas, Telephone (915) 676-6855.
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NOTICE TO CREDITORS
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To those indebted to, or holding claims against the estate of Luzelle M. Lowe, deceased, Probate Case Number 5,113:

The undersigned, having been duly appointed Independent Executor of the estate of Luzelle M. Lowe, deceased, late of Scurry County, Texas, by James R. Doolittle, Judge of the County Court of said county, on the 2nd day of March, 1994, hereby notifies all persons Indebted to said estate to come forward and make settlement, and those having claims against said estate to present them to Jack Streety Gorman, 3002 32nd Street, Snyder, Tx. 79549; within the time prescribed by law. Executed this 2nd day of March, 1994.

(s)Jack Streety Gorman,
Independent Executor
of the estate of
Luzelle M. Lowe, deceased.

NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARINGS
TEXAS DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION
TRANSPORTATION IMPROVEMENT PLAN (TIP)

The Texas Department of Transportation will conduct public hearings at two sites in the Abilene District to discuss the 1995-1997 Transportation Improvement Plan (TIP).

The 1995-1997 Transportation Improvement Plan is a three-year plan developed by the Texas Department of Transportation for Borden, Callahan, Fisher, Haskell, Howard, Jones, Kent, Mitchell, Nolan, Scurry, Shackelford, Stonewall and Taylor Counties. The TIP includes the following:
*A priority list of projects and project segments that will be carried out within the 3-year period, and
*A financial plan that demonstrates how the TIP can be implemented, indicated resources from private (if any) and public sources that are reasonably expected to be made available to carry out the plan, and recommends any innovative techniques to finance needed projects and programs.
The public hearing will be held:
*April 5 at 6 p.m. in the V.I.P. Building, 508 East Gould, Stamford. *April 7 at 6 p.m. in the District Courtroom, 349 Oak Street, Colorado City.

A 10-day comment period following the public hearings will permit other interested persons to submit written comments to Maribel P. Jaso, District Engineer, Texas Department of Transportation, Abilene District, P.O. Box 150, Abilene, Texas 79604.

PUBLIC NOTICE

The City of Snyder will be accepting Bids for the sale of used Sanitation Boxes. For more information and Bid Forms please contact the City of Snyder Engineering Department, P.O. Drawer 1341, Snyder, Texas 79550, (915) 573-4957 before March 15, 1994.

PUBLIC NOTICE

The City of Snyder will be accepting Bids for the sale of used Sanitation Collection and Compaction Vehicles. Additional information and Bid Forms may be obtained by contacting the City of Snyder Engineering Department, 1925 24th Street, (915) 573-4957 before March 15, 1994.

THE STATE OF TEXAS:
TO: James R. Roderick and A. W. Miller, and if deceased, the legal representatives of said defendants and the unknown heirs of said named defendants, the legal representatives of the unknown heirs of said named defendants, if the unknown heirs of the said named defendants are dead;
GREETINGS: You are commended to appear by filing a written answer to the plaintiff's petition at or before 10:00 o'clock a.m. of the first Monday after the expiration of 42 days from the date of issuance of this citation, the same being the 6th day of April, 1994, at or before 10:00 o'clock a.m., before the Honorable 132nd District Court of Scurry County, at the Courthouse in Snyder, Texas. Said Plaintiff's petition was filed on the 22nd day of February, 1994, the file number of said suit being No. 18670. The names of the parties in said suit are: The Wiser Oil Company, as Plaintiff and James R. Roderick and A.W. Miller, as Defendants.
The nature of said suit being substantially as follows, to-wit: Such suit is an Application for the Appointment of Receiver to Execute an Oil and Gas Lease covering the undivided 4/284.5 mineral interest owned by defendants in the following-described tracts of land situated in Scurry County, Texas, to-wit:
Tract One: 69.9 acres of land, more or less, and being the same land described in that certain Warranty Deed dated October 7, 1925, recorded in Volume 56, Page 200 from E.F. Sears, et ux to W.W. Early; and
Tract Two: 11.05 acres of land, more or less, and being the same land described in that Patent dated June 16, 1955, recorded in Patent Volume P4, Page 250 from the State of Texas to Pricie A. Early.
If this Citation is not served within 90 days after the date of its issuance, it shall be returned unserved.
Issued this the 23rd day of February, 1994.
Given under my hand and seal of said Court, at office in Texas, this the 23rd day of February, 1994.
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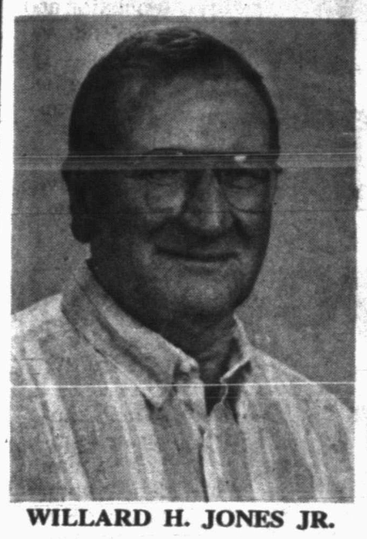


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Obituaries



WILLARD H. JONES JR.

Willard Jones Jr.

1924-1994

Graveside services are set for 2 p.m. Monday in the Hillside Memorial Gardens for Willard H. Jones Jr. of Snyder who died at 4:05 a.m. Saturday in Methodist Hospital in Lubbock after a lengthy illness.

Born June 27, 1924, in Breckenridge, he married Janet Chambers on Aug. 20, 1968, in Lubbock. He had lived in Snyder since 1952 and was a head roustabout for Texaco for 35 years, retiring in July, 1986. He was a member of the East Side Church of Christ and was a World War II Navy veteran.

Survivors include his wife, Janet Jones of the home; three sons and two daughters-in-law, Jerry Lee Jones of Lubbock, Mike and Lisa Jones of Snyder and Mitchel and Crystal Jones of Snyder; one brother and sister-in-law, Dan and Gail Durham of Albuquerque, N.M.; and eight grandchildren.

Mr. Cummings

1920-1994

Services for Clarence Matthew Cummings, 73, of Snyder are set for 3 p.m. Monday at the First Baptist Church Chapel with Revs. T.O. Upshaw and Norman Burgess officiating.

Burial will follow in Snyder Cemetery under the direction of Bell-Cypert-Seale Funeral Home.

He died at home at 5:40 p.m. Friday, following a lengthy illness.

The family will be at the funeral home from 6-8 p.m. Sunday night.

Born on Dec. 14, 1920, in Auburn, Ill., he was married to Jimmie Merritt on Jan. 4, 1944, in Snyder.

He was preceded in death by two brothers and one sister.

Mr. Cummings was a veteran of the U.S. Air Force for 27 years. He was also a member of the church builders and a deacon of the First Baptist Church.

Survivors include his wife, Jimmie Cummings of the home; one son, James Cummings of Sawyer, N.D.; one brother, John Cummings of Kincaid, Ill.; four grandchildren; three sisters and brothers-in-law, Ruth Lollar of San Antonio; Floyd and Tess Mauldin of Lafayette, La; and Tom and Mary Farris of Snyder.

Walter Wheat

1937-1994

BIG SPRING — Services are set for 11 a.m. Monday in the First Baptist Church for Walter Lee Wheat, 57, of Big Spring who died Thursday at his home following a lengthy illness. Interment will follow in Mt. Olive Memorial Park under the direction of Nalley-Pickle & Welch Funeral Home.

Born in 1937 in Dallas, he married Frances Reagan on Aug. 16, 1958, in Big Spring. Reared in Mesquite, he graduated from Mesquite High School in 1955 and moved to Big Spring, prior to entering Baylor University where he graduated in 1959. He returned to Big Spring in 1959 to work with his father in Wheat Furniture Company. He later purchased the business in 1969.

He was an active member of the Big Spring Area Chamber of Commerce, Home Furnishings International, Baylor Alumni Association, Big Spring Planning and Zoning Commission, Rotary Club, Big Spring Main Street Board, Big Spring Jaycees and the First Baptist Church.

Survivors include his wife, Frances R. Wheat of Big Spring; one daughter and son-in-law, Lee Elise and Shane Kail of Midland; one son, Lawrence Reagan Wheat of Dallas; his mother, Mrs. J.F. Wheat of Mesquite; two sisters, Eunice Futrell of Mesquite; and his twin sister, Sue Hicks of San Antonio.

One hospitalized, one under arrest after altercation

A Friday night altercation in the 1100 block of 14th Street put one man in the hospital with head injuries and another man in the county jail.

Thirty-one-year-old Aniceto Olivarez of P.O. Box 861 was transported by ambulance to University Medical Center in Lubbock following the altercation, which took place shortly before 9:45 p.m. Friday. He was listed in satisfactory condition Saturday morning.

Miguel Silva, 23, was charged with aggravated assault in connection with the dispute, which according to police, apparently began with an argument over beer. Silva was arrested at 1:57 a.m. Saturday and booked into the county jail.

According to reports, police were alerted to the dispute by a 911 caller who reported a stabbing. However, officers said that after conferring with Cogdell Memorial Hospital emergency room physicians, Olivarez had apparently been beaten severely about the head, but was not stabbed.

The case is expected to be presented to the district attorney Monday.

Crew begins first full day of space mission

SPACE CENTER, Houston (AP) — Five astronauts aboard the shuttle Columbia Saturday kept watch over a slew of science projects being run from Earth, including experiments that will help in building a space station.

Crew members also had time to enjoy the view from 184 miles high while eating breakfast.

"We're all feeling great," shuttle commander John Casper said. "Looking outside, it's just beautiful. It's fantastic. We love this job."

The astronauts had a full schedule that included activating experiments and conducting medical tests, including work with a vacuum sack designed to draw blood into their lower extremities.

The upward shift of bodily fluids is a problem for space travelers when they return to the gravity of Earth and blood rushes down. By spending from 45 minutes to four hours in the waist-high bag at various times throughout the two-week flight, astronauts hope to counteract that effect.

Columbia is carrying more engineering and technology experiments than have ever flown on a shuttle, NASA said.

Studies on metal melting and electric arcing — the kind of work necessary to build a space station — are among 11 primary experiments. Nearly all the major tests are being operated by NASA workers on the ground.

Astronauts will oversee those tests while conducting their medical tests. Later, they'll check out a new magnetic grappling system for the shuttle robot arm.

Mission Control beamed up James Brown's "I Got You" to wake the crew.

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Judge's race draws key interest

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working with a lot of other elected officials."

Each official turns in a budget, and the commissioners court begins working through them to find where funds can be cut, he said.

"I'm working with people, not just a select group, but all people. And I feel like I have a track record that proves that," said Doolittle.

His cooperation with other entities, which, he said has resulted in saving tax dollars while providing key services to all citizens, is an example of his willingness to serve the people.

"As accomplishments, you can look at the city-county intergovernmental agreement. It took a lot of effort, not only on my part, but the commissioners court and city council to make it work. I feel like the agreement stands on its own merits...it's saving tax dollars by combining services where possible, while serving the city and the county."

Doolittle said that moving the police department to the sheriff's office will provide more space for an adult probation department which has outgrown its present facilities, without having to pay thousands of dollars in rent for new or refurbished offices.

"We're currently working on expanding county health services. And while that isn't a part of the intergovernmental agreement, it does show that we are making an effort to broaden services to a larger group of constituents without raising taxes.

"Those in themselves are accomplishments."

Doolittle also pointed to his efforts at helping Snyder Child Day Care gain control of funding, and at keeping the state from closing Snyder Council on Alcohol and Drug Abuse.

"Those were not only accomplishments, but show how important experience is," Doolittle added.

"I think it is important to maintain contact with Austin. It takes time to know where to tap in. Over the past three years, I've had an opportunity to do just that," said Doolittle.

"What many people may not understand," said Doolittle, "is that the county judge does far more than serve as chief budget officer for the county.

"Judicial, probate, civil jurisdiction, criminal jurisdiction, mental health and substance abuse committments. I had no concept of all those things three years ago. I did know, however, that I had a responsibility. The experience I've gained after three years of being in the position...that's where the mark should go for Bob Doolittle. Does Scurry County want to re-educate a county judge every four years? I can't make that argument with my November opponent, but I can with my primary opponent."

The Republican nominee will face the unopposed Democratic candidate, Bobby Goodwin, a former county judge, in November.

Fritz has said in paid political advertising that age is not an issue, but Doolittle disagrees.

"He says he's 35 and old enough to be president. I don't recall us electing any presidents that were 35, but I do know we've elected one at 42 (Doolittle's age). There's a significant difference in those seven years, and the last three of mine have been as county judge."

Doolittle said it is "foolish" to suggest that taxes can be kept at the same level or reduced, without cutting services. "He (Fritz) can't do it."

"I think you can keep them at the effective tax rate, but they are going to rise a little at least, because of declining property values," Doolittle said.

He also said that cutting so-called quality of life services — coliseum, community centers and other areas — won't amount to enough to make a significant impact on the county budget.

Finally, said Doolittle voters should consider his cooperation with other entities in an effort to work toward economic development.

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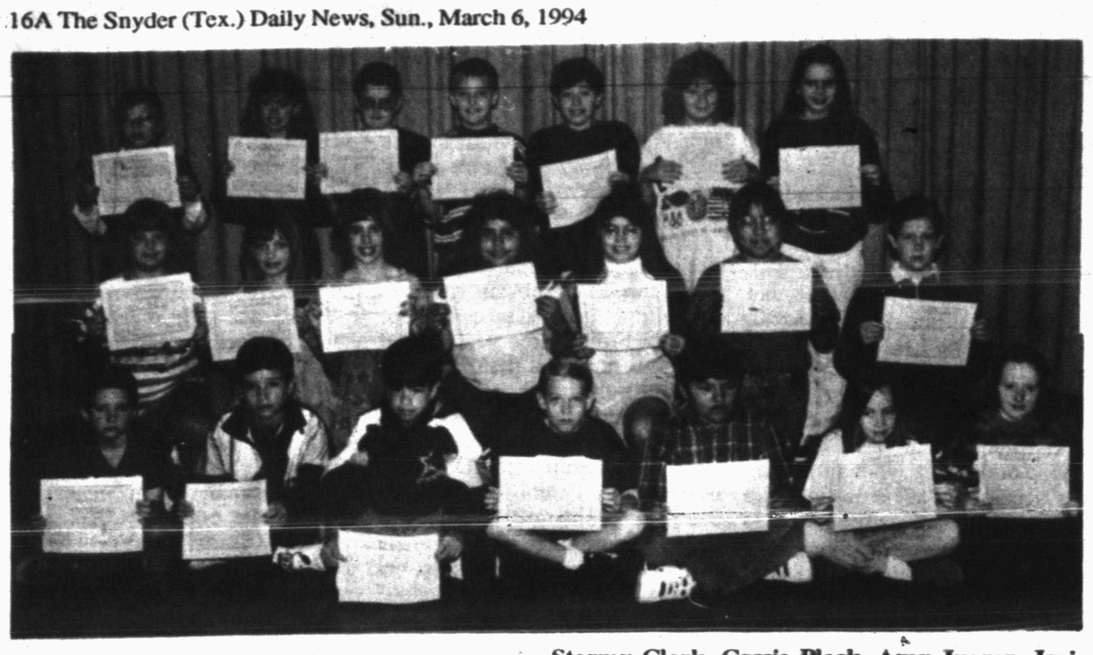
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EAST CITIZENSHIP AWARDS — East Elementary School presented citizenship awards to these students last week. From left, back row, Justin Stokes, Barbara Peacock, Scott Gilliland, Wade Pinson, Code Tucker, Danaica Snyder, Ashley Owen; middle row, Anna Williams, Stormy Clark, Cassie Plock, Amy Juarez, Jaci Tovar, Bernice Macias and Michael Johnson; front row, Jeffrey Proctor, Jared Fletcher, Rudy Martinez, Colter Bedell, Saul Pena, Kendra Krop and Lacie Green. Cody Beaver is not pictured. (SDN Staff Photo)

Mayor: honesty best policy when dealing with media

AUSTIN (AP) — Waco Mayor Bob Sheehy said Friday that he learned valuable lessons when his town was under a worldwide media microscope last year during the standoff between the Branch Davidians and federal authorities.

Sheehy, speaking to the Texas Public Relations Association, said that when dealing with the media during the standoff he tried to be direct, patient, courteous and most important of all honest.

"Don't get into the trap that the ATF got into," Sheehy said.

Alcohol, Tobacco and Firearms officials changed their public statements several times on why they went forward with the raid of the Branch Davidians' compound when they had lost the element of surprise.

Four ATF agents died in a gun battle during the Feb. 28 raid. A 51-day standoff ensued that ended when the compound burned down. Religious leader David Koresh and more than 80 followers died amidst the blaze.

Last week, 11 Branch Davidians were cleared of murder charges, but seven were convicted on lesser counts of voluntary manslaughter and illegal weapons charges.

Sheehy, and Carol Perry, who coordinated media requests for interviews with city officials, said they had never imagined such a crisis could occur in Waco.

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Scurry County Folks

By Shirley A. Gorman

A Scurry County couple — Walter and Viola Stirl — spent part of February "down under," visiting Australia and New Zealand as part of a country tour comprised of 80 persons from the U.S., including seven from Texas.

Accompanying the Stirls were their daughter, Wanda Stirl, who lives in Stanton, and a cousin, Mary Hays, who lives in Washington State.

The well-traveled couple had never visited those two countries so they agreed to accompany their daughter who chose their destination.

Both the flight and return flight took some 17½ hours each. Traveling to Australia they said they lost a day, but for the return trip they experienced a 48-hour-long day as they regained the lost time.

They crossed both the equator and the international dateline.

In all, they spent nine days in Australia and six in New Zealand. At first, the locals flew to Los Angeles, Calif., where they connected with the rest of the tour group, flying to Auckland first and then to Sydney, Australia, on the east central coast.

The flight to Sydney was delayed some five hours, putting them off schedule and causing some sites to be dropped from their intinerary.

They did enjoy "boat rides on the canal" in Sydney though.

At Melbourne, the group split in half and boarded buses for the rest of the tour. Traveling south, Viola said they saw lots of farm land and cotton fields.

They also drove through Koala Park in the Blue Mountains, where a million acres had burned in a forest fire, and they saw sheep sheared on a sheep ranch.

They noted that the cattle ranches were quite large. One dairy farm demonstrated some 300 cows being milked in 90 minutes.

The buses drove a great distance just to see the Little Penguins on Phillip Island come ashore at night and feed their young. The Stirls said they were surprised to learn that the creatures lived in Australia.

They also visited a gold mine.

On their last day in Australia, the Stirls encountered an aboriginal who told them what life was like for his ancestors. While traveling from Sydney to Melbourne, Walter said tour members stayed with different families, giving him and his wife a chance to "make new friends." The hosts were usually farmers who provided a capsulized glimpse of farm life in their part of the world.

Fruit was plentiful in both countries and the Scurry County couple saw several vineyards and orchards.

While on tour, Viola said, they were often treated to morning and afternoon "tea breaks" and ate "nashis," a cross between an apple and a pear, as well as a plum/peach cross.

From the southern part of New Zealand, the Stirls took a ferry ride to the north. They also toured the Parliament Building in Wellington, the capital of New Zealand.

Other sites included visiting the kiwi fruit industry and eating lunch one day near several acres of trees.

They also visited with New Zealand's Maori people, similar to American Indians. Viola said the Maori were "trying to keep their culture alive." They are well-known for cooking underground, utilizing hot springs.

The Maori danced for the visitors and displayed their carvings. The Stirls observed the trout in Rainbow Springs and birds which don't have feathers and cannot fly.

They also visited a stud farm for horses.

From New Zealand, the Stirls traveled back to Auckland where they connected for their return flight.

While the couple enjoyed Australia, they said they liked New Zealand more because it was a "prettier country." They liked its abundance of hills and numerous sheep ranches.

Viola said she most enjoyed the "good food and friendly people," while Walter thought visiting the farm lands and learning about the "business ways" of both countries was the best part of the tour.

He was also impressed that both countries are "so conservation minded." He said the land is handed down from generation to generation.

They ate lots of lamb chops and mutton on the trip.

They remarked how Australians and New Zealanders drive "on the wrong side of the road" and that gasoline was priced around $3 a gallon.

The Stirls have lived on their farm seven miles from Hermleigh for more than 50 years. Past trips have taken them to Alaska, Canada and Mexico. They like to travel especially to places they "have never seen." Walter said throughout his life he has visited almost all of the more than 254 counties in Texas.



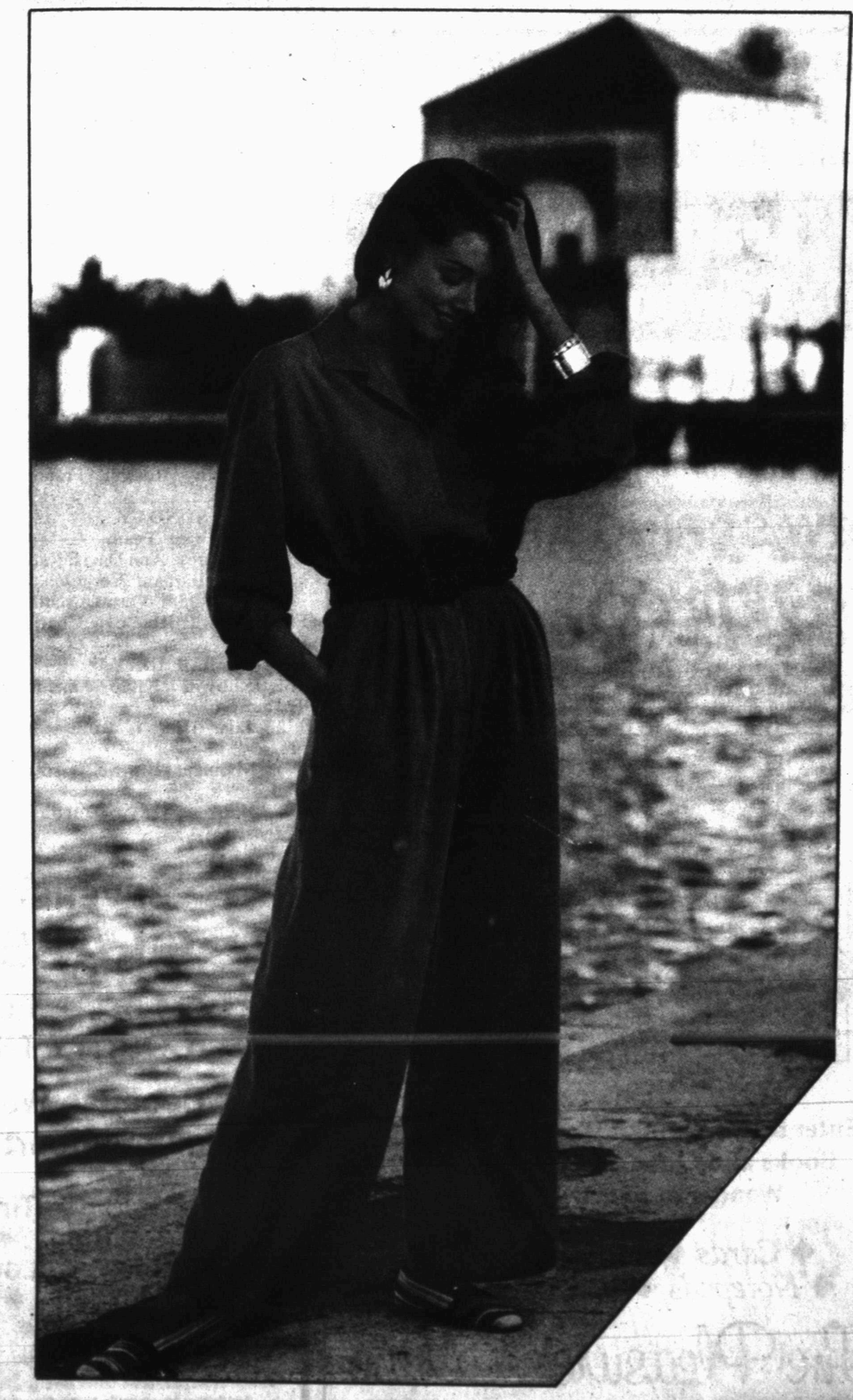


DOWN UNDER — Walter and Viola Stirl visited Australia and New Zealand last month. They are pictured with a few mementos including (top left, photo) pictures of koala bears and a kangaroo mother and her joey (baby kangaroo) and (photo at right) a picturesque map of New Zealand. The Scurry County couple visited many sites including farms, ranches and a gold mine. In addition, they visited with aborigines in Australia and Maori in New Zealand. They enjoyed Little Penguins as well as canal rides in Sydney. (SDN Staff Photo)

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JUNE VOWS PLANNED — Mr. and Mrs. Pat Risinger of Knox City announce the engagement of their daughter, Kristi, to Toby Goodwin, son of Mr. and Mrs. Roger Goodwin of Snyder. The couple will exchange marriage vows at 6 p.m. on June 4 in Snyder's First Christian Church. (Contributed Photo)

Grazier sells his art and his life story

ROSSLYN, Va. (AP) — The paintings John Grazier has just sold will go to a developer who bought up the homes Grazier depicted, in a backstreet neighborhood near Washington, and who intends to raze them to erect classier buildings.

Grazier believes the developer is getting value. He prices his paintings at $6,000 each. In turn, Grazier gets the security of a place to stay.

"It's a paradox that we are such a wealthy country," Grazier said. "It makes me angry that it's not really supporting me enough."

Grazier remembers he's made money before. "I made $180,000 in my best year, and it was so intoxicating that I blew it. It was money that was just tossed away."

Pictures priced in the thousands of dollars have a limited market: "Out of the whole cross-section of society, there's a very tiny spectrum that looks at art, and out of that spectrum, there's an incredibly tiny slice that buys it," Grazier said.

So to sell his art, he also sells his story. "A lot of people would be too embarrassed to admit how they had failed," he said. But, "Here I was, homeless."

Mustard gas does not contain mustard, but was instead so named because it smelled like the condiment.

The "mare" in "nightmare" has nothing to do with horses. It is the Old English word for the evil spirit that was thought to be responsible for bad dreams.

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♦ K J 4 3 2
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WEST
♠ 9 7 5 3
♥ J 9 5 4
♦ A 10 9 6
♣ 7

EAST
♠ A 8 4 2
♥ 8 3
♦ Q 5
♣ A J 10 9 3

SOUTH
♠ K Q 10 6
♥ A 10 7 2
♦ 8 7
♣ K 8 5

Vulnerable: Neither
Dealer: North

South	West	North	East
		1 ♦	Pass
1 ♥	Pass	2 ♣	Pass
3 NT	Pass	Pass	Pass

Opening lead: ♠ 3

The best play by number one

In the present World Bridge Federation ranking list, which weights in favor of recent world championships, American Bob Hamman is at the top. And he thoroughly deserves it.

On today's deal, Hamman made a play that perhaps no one else would have found. It won the 1993 Precision Award from the International Bridge Press Association for the defense of the year.

Hamman's regular partner-in-crime, Bobby Wolff, led the spade three: jack, ace, six. Back came the spade two: king, five, club two. A diamond to dummy's jack lost to East's queen. Hamman returned the spade four: queen, seven, club four. A diamond went to West's 10 and dummy's king; another diamond was won with Wolff's nine, Hamman discarding his last spade and declarer throwing a club.

At trick seven, Wolff switched to his club. Declarer called for dummy's queen.

Almost everyone would win with the ace and return a club. Wolff could throw his last spade on this trick, but what would he discard on South's spade 10? Throwing the diamond ace would establish dummy's suit, whereas throwing a heart would give declarer four tricks in the suit. West would be squeezed. Hamman realized this, so he ducked his club ace, smoothly playing the jack.

Declarer could get home by exiting with a diamond, because West doesn't have a second club. But this wasn't clear. When South played three rounds of hearts instead, he had to finish one down.

What a beautiful defense.

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Snyder Duplicate Bridge Scoreboard

Dot Casey directed bridge on Friday, Sunday and Tuesday at the Snyder Country Club.

FRIDAY
Club Championship

1. Dot Casey, Margaret Birdwell.
2. Sue Mize, Ena Carroll.
3. Verdi Kimbro, Anita Talbott.
4. Tizzy Hall, Rube McKinley.
5. Rogene Spruell, Malven Stephenson.
6. Dorothy Rosson, Frances Stevenson.

SUNDAY
Swiss Team

1. Dot Casey, Ann Davis, Ruby McKinley, Barbara Yorgesen.
2. Mary Beth Vestal, Martha Fagin, Dora Blakley, Charlie Blakley.

TUESDAY

1. Ruby McKinley, Louise Thompson.
2. Jane Hinton, Billie Sue Stuard.
3. Margaret Birdwell, Tizzy Hall.
4. Dot Casey, Barbara Yorgesen.

Double-ring ceremony weds Miss Johnson, Mr. Midwood

Susan Kathleen Johnson of Snyder and Philip Andrew Midwood of Grand Prairie were united in marriage at 2 p.m. on Jan. 15 in the Ira Baptist Church. Steve Long, pastor of the church, officiated.

Darrel and Ruby Johnson of Snyder are parents of the bride and Bob and Coleen Midwood of Grand Prairie are parents of the groom.

Double-ring vows were exchanged at an altar decorated with greenery and white baby's breath, along with burgundy hurricane candles.

Pianist Mary Blair of Lubbock, cousin of the bride, played traditional wedding music including "Romeo and Juliet," while the mothers were being seated, and "The Rose."

Given in marriage by her father, she wore a traditional gown of white satin with fitted bodice and organza bishop sleeves, accented with wide satin cuffs. Chantilly lace roses, re-embroidered with seed pearls, were strewn over the skirt. Wide Chantilly lace scallops edged the bottom of the gown, extending around the chapel length train. Matching lace scallops also trimmed the sleeves. Her chapel length veil, of silk illusion, flowed from a Juliet cap edged with Chantilly lace scallops and seed pearls.

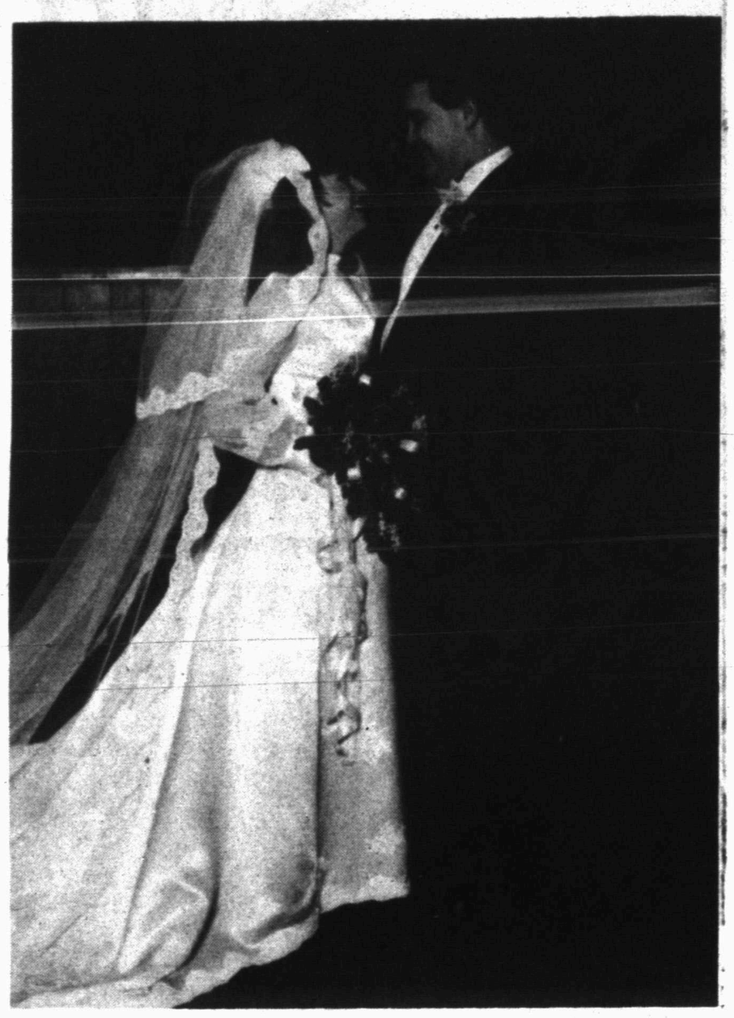
The gown and veil were made by Evelyn Wiggins, aunt of the bride.

She carried a cascade of burgundy flowers flecked with gold baby's breath and pearl accents.

For something old, she carried a handkerchief belonging to her grandmother. Something blue was a pair of topaz earrings provided by Ms. Joyce Buchanan, the bride's aunt.

Something new were burgundy garters, accented with pearls, lace and white satin bows made by Mrs.Jim Davis, cousin of the bride. Something borrowed was the wedding dress, borrowed from Sandra Jackson, cousin of the bride.

Maids of honor were Kerri and Kristi Carter of Lubbock. They wore off-the-shoulder, floor length burgundy satin dresses with white front inlays and gored skirts. They carried single burgundy flowers with gold baby's breath and green ribbon.



MR. AND MRS. PHILIP ANDREW MIDWOOD
(Contributed Photo)

Best man was Luke Miller and usher was Mark Cannon, both of Lubbock. They were attired in black double breasted tuxedos with traditional black satin ties and cummerbunds. Boutonnieres of single burgundy flowers trimmed with gold leaves, completed their attire.

Nikki Johnson of Raleigh, Miss., niece of the bride registered guests. She wore a burgundy tea length dress with cream petticoats.

The fellowship hall of the church was the site for the reception. The bride's table was covered with a green cloth and a lace overlay. The bride's bouquet centered the table holding the three tiered wedding cake, with pearl strand accents, topped with two doves entwined with pearls, by Reta's Cake Shop. Crystal appointments accompanied the cake and centerpiece.

The groom's red velvet cake, uplifted on a crystal platter, was made by Mrs. R.H. Tatom. aunt of the bride. Coffee was served from a silver service.

Mrs. Daryl Calley and Mrs. Robert K. Hardy, served at the bride's table and Ms. Lori Clark and Mrs. Joe Carter served the groom's table. All are from Ira.

Mr. and Mrs. Midwood's honeymoon trip was to Granbury and they are at home in Peoria, Ariz. The bride is a 1990 graduate of Ira High School and attended Western Texas College. She is now attending Texas Tech, majoring in English.

The groom, a 1989 Noblesville, Ind., High School and Taylor Uni also graduated from Taylor University in Upland, Ind. He is an accountant for the Southwest Indian School in Peoria.

Out-of-town guests were from Colorado City, Denver City, Lubbock, Grand Prairie, Seymour, Denton, Pennsylvania, Connecticut and Mississippi.

Ira School Menu
Call 573-NEWS Ext. 297

MONDAY
Barbecue Weiners
Macaroni & Cheese
Carrots & Peas
Biscuits
Peaches

TUESDAY
Chalupas
Corn
Crackers
Plain Cookies
Pears

WEDNESDAY
Pinto Beans
Corn Nuggets
Spinach
Corn Bread
Peach Cobbler

THURSDAY
Stromboli
Mixed Vegetables
Shredded Lettuce
Mixed Fruit

FRIDAY
Patti Melts w/Cheese
Relish Cup
French Fries
Plain Cake

Snyder School Menu
Call 573-NEWS Ext. 297

BREAKFAST
MONDAY
Rice
Cinnamon Toast
Cold Cereal w/Toast
Apple Wedge
Milk

TUESDAY
Scrambled Eggs
Biscuit
Cold Cereal w/Toast
Orange Juice
Milk

WEDNESDAY
Pancakes w/Syrup
Cold Cereal w/Toast
Pineapple Juice
Milk

THURSDAY
Biscuit w/Gravy
Cold Cereal w/Toast
Grape Juice
Milk

FRIDAY
Breakfast Burrito
Cold Cereal w/Toast
Apple Juice
Milk

LUNCH
MONDAY
Barbecued Rib on a Hoagie Bun
Sloppy Joes
French Fries
Baked Beans
Applesauce
Choice of Milk

TUESDAY
Spaghetti w/Meat Sauce
Lasagna
Green Beans
Diced Pears
French Bread
Choice of Milk

WEDNESDAY
Chicken Nuggets
Steak Fingers
Cream Gravy
Whipped Potatoes
Mixed Vegetables
Peach Cobbler
Choice of Milk

THURSDAY
Ham-n-Cheese Burgers
Chili Dog
Buttered Corn
Fruit Mix
Peanut Butter Cookies
Choice of Milk

FRIDAY
Beef Fajitas
Lettuce & Tomatoes
Refried Beans
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AUGUST MARRIAGE SET — Mr. and Mrs. Richard L. Villanueva announce the engagement of their daughter, Rachel, to Robert, son of Mr. and Mrs. Alvin E. Greer of San Antonio. They have set their wedding for Aug. 13. (Contributed Photo)

Ask Anne & Nan

DEAR ANNE AND NAN: I am about to embark on a spring project, that of constructing a fish and plant pond in my backyard. Rather than constructing the pond with concrete, I would like to use a reinforced PVC sheeting or a Butyl rubber liner to line the excavation. I am having difficulty locating a source or supplier of these materials. I hope you can help me. — **DON OSMAN, Prescott Valley, Ariz.**

DEAR DON: If you look in your phone book under United States Government, there should be a listing under Agriculture Department for the Soil Conservation Service. These are the folks who have the information you're seeking.

Dick Croft, who is the state engineer for the service here in Vermont, told us that almost every county in the U.S. has a Soil Conservation Office.

We have turned up the names of two suppliers of membrane products if there is no one closer to you.

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Palco Linings Inc., 7571 Santa Rita Circle, P.O. Box 919, Stanton, CA 90680. Phone: 714-898-0867.

FEEDBACK: SCARING AWAY CROWS FROM GARBAGE BAGS — For Jerry Stevens of Mt. Prospect, Ill.

Helen Kreutzer of West Chester, Pa., writes that she hit the jackpot when she mixed, "Pine Sol and water half and half in a squirt bottle. I tried it out by spraying the bags all over the outside with it, and they can be put out at night. Our garbage pick-up is at 5:30 a.m. Even the dogs in the neighborhood will not bother the bags. The crows, now eight of them, still check out the bags but not at close range. They seem finally to have found something that smells worse than the kind of things they eat. At any rate no more trouble for me."

O. Burcham of Woodsville, Miss., sent along this method for scaring crows: "Tie strings, cord or yarn a few feet above the ground. I tie yarn from limbs and bushes, but if you don't have these put in a few stakes and run the string around where you don't want the crows to come. I use this method to keep crows from sitting under the pecan trees and from pulling up seed in the spring."

DEAR ANNE AND NAN: Several years ago my father used a product called Smoky Mountain. It is to help people quit dipping snuff. I believe it was made of herb and spices. It was sold on the same rack as tobacco products, but it contained no tobacco and no nicotine. I have not been able to find it. Can you help me find out if Smoky Mountain or a similar product is on the market to help people quit dipping snuff? There are all sorts of products on the market to help people quit smoking. What about dipping? — **ANN LANGLEY, Lampasas, Texas**

DEAR ANN: We found a nicotine-free, tobaccoless, herbal dipping snuff at a tobacco shop in Burlington, Vt. It's called Oregon and comes in wintergreen and mint. The cost is $2.30, plus postage.

If you wish to order it, write to the Garcia Tobacco Shop, Burlington Square Mall, Burlington, VT 05401 or call them at 1-802-658-5737.

Nicotine gum, nasal sprays and patches are all helpful aids for folks who want to give up nicotine, be it cigarettes, pipes or dipping snuff. These are available, by prescription, from your family doctor. Good luck to your husband.

FEEDBACK: REMOVING VEGETABLE DYE FROM YOUR FINGERS — For Pam Freeman of Kileen, Texas, we have a slew of solutions.

Hazel Pluris of Paoli, Ind., suggests Efferdent False Teeth Cleaner: "Put one tablet in 1/2 cup of water and soak you fingers in the cup."

Terri Nieemeyer of Short Gap, W. Va., offers this idea: "I know that toothpaste removes Kool-Aid stains from my daughter's face and mouth. Why not try it on food coloring?"

Mary Morgensen of Hebron, Utah, says: "Shampooing my hair cleans everything off my fingers, including the Wilton brand icing colorings. I don't know if it's the shampoo (I use Head & Shoulders for Dry Scalp) or the action of the hair rubbing on my hands that does the cleaning."

Rose Mary Newkirk of Plano, Ill., used Cutex Nail Polish Remover to get rid of green dye from under her fingernails.

Mary Istok of Schaumburg, Ill., uses alcohol.

Several readers, among them professional cake decorators, use Chlorox Bleach followed by a wash with soap and water.

Write to 'Ask Anne & Nan' at P.O. Box 240, Hartland, VT 05048. Questions of general interest will appear in the column. Due to the volume of mail, personal replies cannot be provided.

Community Calendar

MONDAY

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

Tumbleweed Toastmasters meeting; American State Bank conference room; 6 p.m.

Canyon Reef 4-H Club; Senior Citizens Center; 7 p.m.

Scurry County Alcoholics Anonymous; Park Club in Winston Park; 8 p.m. For more information, call 863-2348, 573-8626, 573-1141 or 863-2349.

Overeaters Anonymous; board room of Cogdell Memorial Hospital; 7:30 p.m.; call 573-8322 for more information.

TUESDAY

Plainview Family & Community Education Club; 2 p.m.

Weight Watchers; Trinity United Methodist Church; 5:30 p.m.

TOPS TX56; 5:30 p.m. weigh-in and meeting from 5:30-6:30 p.m.; 2501 35th. For information, call Jean Yearwood at 573-9444.

Beta Sigma Phi; Snyder Country Club; 7 p.m.

Snyder Shrine Club, call 863-2702 for meeting place; 7 p.m.

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

Canyon Gun Club; 1910 25th Street; 7:30 p.m.

New Horizon Alcoholics Anonymous (closed); Park Club in Winston Park; 8 p.m. For more information, call 573-1141, 573-5867.

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

WEDNESDAY

Snyder Christian Women's Club's "Easter Parade" Luncheon; MAWC; style show by Bib & Tucker; Denise Messick of Rotan, music; Stephanie Reed of Lubbock, wife of former NFL quarterback and mother of four, speaker; lunch, $5.50 or beverage only is $1; free nursery with reservations, reservations taken at 573-1454 or 573-3440.

Altrurian Daughters Study Club; MAWC; 2 p.m.

Narcotics Anonymous; Park Club in Winston Park; 8 p.m. For more information, call 573-3961.

THURSDAY

Snyder Palette Club; W. 37th Street; Priscilla Marsh of Plainview, oil demonstration; Joy McGlaun, hostess; 9 a.m. to 4 p.m.

Ministerial Alliance; Willow Park Inn; 9:30 prayer meeting; 10 a.m. meeting

Noah Project Advisory Committee; MAWC; noon.

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

Scurry Lodge 706; AF and AM degree classes; 7 p.m.

New Horizons Alcoholics Anonymous (closed); in Winston Park; 8 p.m. For information, call 573-3308 or 573-1141.

FRIDAY

Free blood pressure clinics; Senior Citizens Center, 9:45-11:45 a.m.; Cogdell Memorial Hospital emergency waiting room; 1-2:30 p.m.

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

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

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

Scurry County Alcoholics Anonymous (closed); Park Club in Winston Park; For information, call 573-8626, 863-2348 or 573-1141. (Last Friday of the month is the birthday meeting); 8 p.m.

SATURDAY

Defensive Driving; Snyder Savings & Loan Community Room, 27th & College; 8:30 a.m. to 4 p.m.

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

SUNDAY

Scurry County Alcoholics Anonymous; Park Club in Winston Park; 10 a.m. For more information call 573-1141, 863-2348, 863-2349 or 573-8110.

Scurry County Museum; Western Texas College; open from 1-4 p.m.

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

Senior Center Menu

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MONDAY

Swiss Steak
Scalloped Potatoes
Herbed Green Beans
Tossed Salad
Apple Crisp

TUESDAY

German Sausage
Cabbage Wedge
Pinto Beans
Jellied Applesauce
Peanut Butter Cookies

WEDNESDAY

Oven Fried Chicken
Cream Gravy
Baked Potato
Spinach
Pineapple-Cheese Salad
Cherry Turnover

THURSDAY

Beef Stew
Fried Okra
Green Jellied Vegetable Salad
Corn Bread
Peach Cobbler

FRIDAY

Fried Fish
Hominy w/Cheese Sauce
Black-eyed Peas
Cabbage-Carrot-Raisin Salad
Bread Pudding.



BDP QUEEN — The Valentine Queen for Beta Delta Phi sorority is Donna Koonce, center. Other members shown with her are from left, Robin Morris, Teresa Conner, Jeanne Cumbie, Sandy Fritz, Diane Hogan and Vanessa Cave. (Contributed Photo)

Hugh Latimer English martyr

OXFORD, England (AP) — Hugh Latimer (1485-1555) was a martyr of the Protestant Reformation in England.

Originally a Roman Catholic priest, Latimer was among those examining the legality of King Henry VIII's marriage with Catherine of Aragon.

Because he supported Henry, Latimer was made a royal chaplain and afterward became Protestant Bishop of Worcester.

Later, under the Roman Catholic Queen Mary, Latimer was arrested and burned at the stake opposite Balliol College in Oxford.

Bride & Groom Registry

Ollie Burke, Bride of Robert Burke
Treva Gambrell, Bride of Bradley Gambrell
Michelle Lee Wiggins, Bride Elect of Troy Scott Wood
Shannon Nix, Bride of Billy Nix
Mary Overton, Bride-Elect of John Burns
Tonya Bowen, Bride-Elect of Kevin Combest
Karen Olsen Owens, Bride of Todd Owens
Rachel Morgan, Bride-Elect of Lance Wilson
Michele Jones, Bride-Elect of Walt Floyd
Kim Wills, Bride-Elect of Gary Clay
Jennifer Northcutt, Bride of Charles Northcutt
Brandy Burleson Patterson, Bride of Michael Patterson
Karin Eldredge, Bride-Elect of Brice Key
Carla Denson, Bride-Elect of Justin Derryberry

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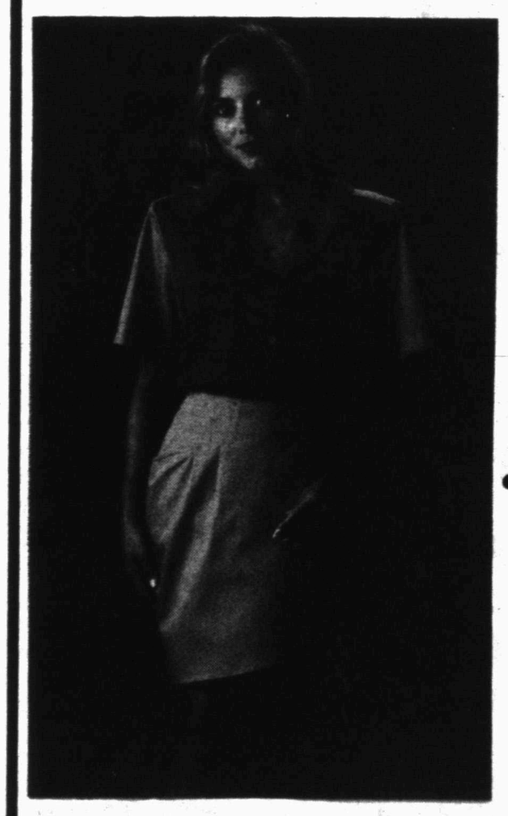
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In Methodist Church...

Hester, Haggard nuptials held

LUBBOCK — Jennifer Jolie Haggard and James Adam Hester exchanged solemn vows in a wedding ceremony at 4 p.m. on Jan. 15 in the First United Methodist Church with Dr. Jim Jackson, pastor of Lubbock's First United Methodist Church, officiating.

Double-ring vows were exchanged at an altar flanked by two large silk arrangements in urns and two silk altar arrangements, along with eight candelabras. White bows marked the pews.

The bride is the daughter of Dick and JoAnne Crill of Hermleigh, and the late Kenneth Herschel Haggard. The groom's parents are Jim and Cynthia Hester of Lubbock.

Organist was Gordon McMillan, minister of music of Lubbock's First United Methodist Church, who played "Trumpet Voluntary" and "Pachabel's Canon."

The bride was given in marriage by her stepfather, Dick Crill. She wore a straight gown of candlelight. The bodice, embellished with sequines and beaded appliques, was topped with a high neck. It featured long sleeves adorned with dangling beads and appliques, matching the bodice.

A detachable chapel length train, draped at the sides of the gown, displayed cutouts and beaded appliques.

Her elbow length, pouf veil in candlelight attached a V-shaped headpiece, adorned with dangling beads. She carried a bouquet of all white roses with greenery and stephanotis.

The bride's sister, Brenda Gray of Lubbock, was her maid of honor. Bridesmaids were Alie Herrera of Lubbock, Christine Buehler of Austin and Emily Hester of Lubbock, sister of the groom.

They wore long sleeved, straight, velvet, wine-colored dresses with open necklines, wine tafetta peplums and floor length trains. Their bouquets were of wine-tipped white roses, stephanotis and greenery.

Bird seed favors were given to guests by Kasey Crill, sister of the bride, and Tawni Gray, niece of the bride. Isaac Crill, brother of the bride, and Tanner Gray, nephew of the bride, also passed out bird seed favors.

Best man was Michael J. Reardon of Lubbock. Groomsmen were Jeff Pearce of Tyler, Chase Franklin of Lubbock and Shaun Haggard of Lubbock, brother of the bride.

The groom wore a gray charcoal Christian Dior tuxedo with tails, matching vest and bow tie. The groomsmen wore matching tuxedos with matching cummerbunds and bow ties.

Karla Gray and Sharon Gray of Hawkins, cousin and aunt of the bride respectively, registered guests.

The reception was held in the reception room in At Your Service in Lubbock.

An array of off-white napkins inscribed with the couple's names and wedding date, and wine colored champagne flutes and a silver cake server were on the bride's table, covered with a white cloth.

The three tiered sour cream wedding cake was decorated with white and wine colored roses and surrounded with lemon leaves.

The groom's double tiered German chocolate cake, with chocolate icing roses, featured a stand-up plaque inscribed with "H." A white cloth covered the table.

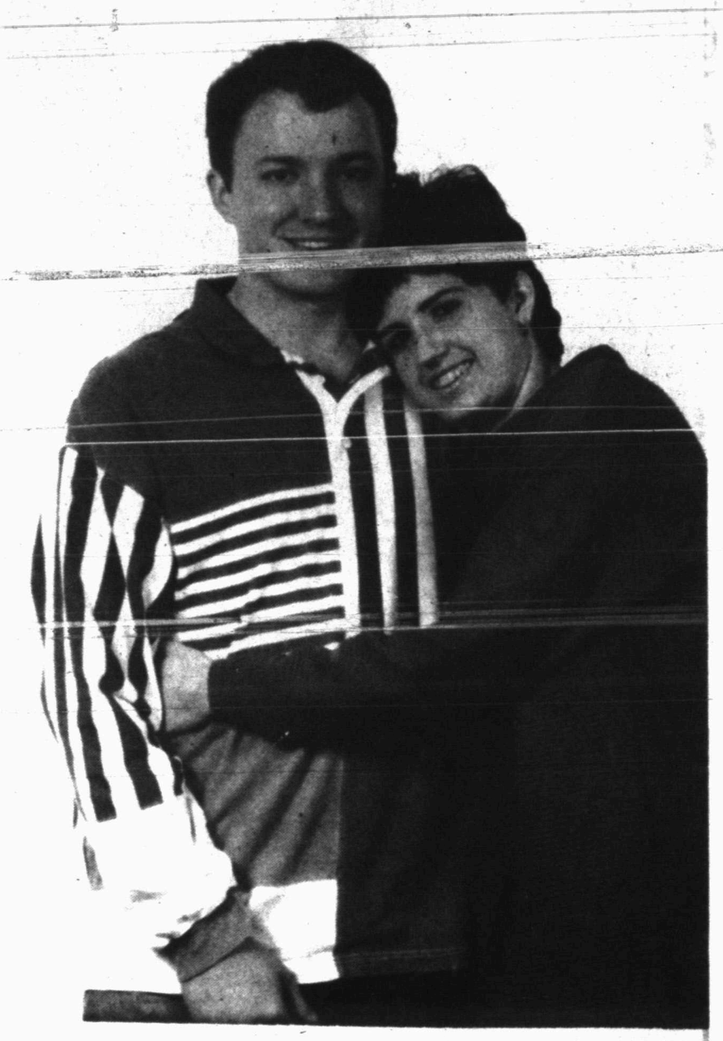
The staff at At Your Service attended the serving tables.

Following their honeymoon trip to San Antonio, they are at home in Lubbock where the groom was born and reared. He is a senior at Texas Tech and is employed by Kinetic Concepts, Inc., as a therapeutic service consultant.

The bride, born and reared in Lubbock, is a graduate of Coronado High School and is a senior at Texas Tech.



MRS. JAMES ADAM HESTER
(nee Jennifer Jolie Haggard)



PLAN MAY VOWS — Mr. and Mrs. R.K. Earnest of Snyder announce the engagement of their daughter, Bobbie Sue Earnest, to Ron Baker, son of Roe Baker of Snyder and Ronny Baker of Arlington. Miss Earnest is a graduate of Tarleton State University with a degree in English. She is presently employed at 5 Star Consultants in Richardson. Baker attended Angelo State University and Western Texas College. Attending Richland College in Richardson, pursuing a degree in business administration, he is also employed at 5 Star Consultants. They plan to marry on May 21 at the Snyder Country Club. (Contributed Photo)

Ice cream for St. Pat's Day

By The Associated Press

What's green as a shamrock, zesty as an Irish jig and perfect for St. Patrick's Day on March 17? A mint ice cream cake.

This festive cake has a rich, luxurious taste that belies its easy preparation: a simple matter of refreshing mint chocolate chip ice cream nestled in a quick buttery shortbread cookie crust. The finishing touches consist of a crown of sweetened whipped cream and easy-to-make chocolate shamrocks.

MINT
ICE CREAM CAKE

51/2-ounce package shortbread cookies
2 tablespoons granulated sugar
1/4 cup butter, melted
1/2 gallon mint chocolate chip or pistachio ice cream, slightly softened
1/2 cup heavy (whipping) cream
1 tablespoon granulated sugar
3 Chocolate Shamrocks (recipe below)

In the bowl of a food processor, place cookies; process until crushed; transfer to a small bowl. With a fork, stir in sugar and melted butter until crumbs are moistened.

In a 9-inch springform pan, press crumb mixture over the bottom; place in freezer until set; about 30 minutes. Spread ice cream evenly over crumb mixture; cover and freeze until firm, about 3 hours. Fifteen minutes before serving, in a medium bowl with an electric mixer, whip heavy cream and the 1 tablespoon sugar until stiff peaks form. Remove cake from freezer; pipe whipped cream around edge. Arrange three Chocolate Shamrocks in the center. Let cake stand at room temperature for 10 minutes before serving. Makes one 9-inch cake (12 servings).

To make Chocolate Shamrocks: Line a baking sheet with waxed paper. Make a shamrock template by drawing a 2-inch shamrock on cardboard; cut out. Using the shamrock template, trace three shamrocks onto waxed paper; set aside.

Melt 2 squares (2 ounces) semi-sweet chocolate. Scrape into a small, resealable plastic bag; snip off one corner from the bag to form a very small hole; trace shamrock outlines with chocolate, filling in centers with chocolate. Freeze until firm. When ready to use, remove carefully from waxed paper.

Capture flower beauty on film

ASHEVILLE, N.C. (AP) — Photographs are a way to save beautiful flowers and gardens forever, says Bill Alexander, photo enthusiast and landscape curator for the Biltmore Estate.

Though Alexander can photograph some of the most exceptional landscape in the country — grounds designed by Frederick Law Olmsted and nature's designs in the Blue Ridge Mountains of North Carolina — he says that even a modest backyard garden with the right lighting and contours can offer opportunities for beautiful photographs.

He offers these tips for garden photography:

— Cloudy days can be a great time for shooting because the light is soft and evenly distributed. If it's sunny, you might use a flash to reduce dark shadow, especially in close-ups.

— Experiment with different angles. If you're shooting wildflowers, for example, get down for an eye-to-eye view instead of shooting them from above.

— Use tree branches or other natural boundaries to frame your subject.

— Get close. If possible, fill the viewfinder with your subject. Auto-focus cameras can come in as close as three or four feet. Most 35mm cameras have interchangeable or reversible lenses that can get even closer, or you could use close-up lenses that screw on like filters.

— For less graininess, use a low-speed film, preferably 100 ASA.

— Shade your lens when shooting into or toward the sun to avoid "hotspots." You can use your hand, but make sure your fingers don't cover the lens or appear in the viewfinder.

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Milk

THURSDAY
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Milk

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Corn Dogs
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Tater Tots
Blonde Brownies
Milk

TUESDAY
Lasagna
Cream Style Corn
Pickled Beets
Hot Rolls
Chilled Peaches
Milk

WEDNESDAY
Pepper Steak
Steamed Rice
Glazed Carrots
Hot Rolls
Fruit Cup
Milk

THURSDAY
Frito Pie
Refried Beans
Tossed Salad
Crackers
No Bake Cookies
Milk

Tips to prevent garden allergies

DENVER (AP) — A gardener with an allergy can get through summer without misery by taking a few precautions, a Denver allergist says.

Work in your garden in the early morning when pollens are at their lowest and wear a mask, suggests Dr. Harold Nelson, allergy specialist at the National Jewish Center for Immunology and Respiratory Medicine.

"Choose a disposable 'comfort mask,' which is 90 percent effective in removing pollen and mold spores," he says. "If this doesn't work for you, a 'dust and mist respirator,' available in automobile and paint stores, is five times more effective and may be the ticket for you."

When you're done, throw the mask away, change and wash your work clothes — in a room other than the bedroom — and shower and shampoo immediately, Nelson says. Taking allergy medicines won't be effective if you still have pollens on your body.

He also recommends using the air-conditioner and keeping all windows and bedroom doors shut to keep stray pollens at bay.

For more information about allergies, call 1 (800) 222-LUNG.

President-elect George Washington and his wife moved in 1789 into the first executive mansion, the Franklin House in New York.

Paper bag invented by L. Crowell

WEST DENNIS, Mass. (AP) — Prolific inventor Luther C. Crowell, born here in 1840, began by inventing both the square-bottomed and side seam paper bag, and the machines for making them.

In 1873, Crowell patented a rotary sheet-delivery and folding machine for use in newspaper production.

His other inventions led to numerous advancements in printing, and he received more than 280 U.S. patents in this field alone. Crowell died in 1903.

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Dear Abby

by Abigail Van Buren

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Man Looking for Ms. Right Knows What Men Do Wrong

DEAR ABBY: I am a single, professional man in my late 20s. For about a year I have been trying to expand my circle of female friends. I have recently seen articles stating that many single professional women do not wish to marry. This scares me, because I am looking for someone.

A few weeks ago, it occurred to me that many men act like jerks by trying to push women around. I think some women would think about getting married if they found a man who treated them as intelligent human beings and not as objects. After giving it more thought, I came up with 10 guidelines on how I believe men should treat women, and if this is printed, I would like some feedback.

GUIDELINES FOR MEN

1. Respect her philosophies, goals and ideals. She has a brain. Listen to her ideas and remember them. Make her feel appreciated.

2. Talk with her, not at her. Don't push her. Don't boss her around. Don't make her do anything she does not want to do.

3. Ask for her advice and opinions. Let her talk. Don't interrupt. Be a good listener. Include her in decision-making.

4. Be honest. Never lie to her. Be open about feelings. Apologize for mistakes.

5. Give her space. Don't be a control freak. Remember that she has a professional life as well as other interests. Give her some support. Let her spend time with other friends.

6. Be sensitive to her problems. Help her. Show her you care.

7. Don't call her names. Never hit her. Treat her with respect, caring and trust.

8. Don't compete with her. The two of you have different goals. There is absolutely nothing wrong with a man seeing a woman who has more education and a more prestigious job.

9. Do fun things together. Don't bore her. Don't forget to make her laugh.

10. Should you meet that special someone and the two of you marry, I want to add these two cents:

(a) A wife is not a housekeeper. You need to get off the couch and cook, clean and do laundry. Help out. Remember, marriage is an equal partnership.

(b) Should the two of you desire children, you should help raise them: change diapers, clean up, feed them, get up in the middle of the night. Perhaps you could take some leave from work to stay home with the new baby.

(c) Never force your wife to have sex. That's rape. No means no.

Thanks, Abby. I know this letter is a bit long, but I think it is important. That is how I was brought up to treat people.

A GENTLEMAN IN TEXAS

DEAR GENTLEMAN: I agree that what you have to say is important. I'm sorry you didn't sign your name. You wouldn't be single long. You'd need police protection from the horde of applicants.

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DEAR ABBY: Is it considered proper to make change from the offering plate when it's passed at church?

A member of our family says it's not OK. I say, it's better than not putting anything in. Your opinion, please.

MRS. CAROLINE DELL, WALNUT CREEK, CALIF.

DEAR MRS. DELL: I agree with you — as long as the church is given an honest count.

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DEAR ABBY: About the Lorena Bobbitt case: I am a 60-year-old woman, and her story is nothing new to me. I have been married for nearly 40 years to a man who is well-thought-of in the community and who has provided well for me and our family, but if he was ever denied anything in bed, it was a different story. He would throw things, slam doors, take off in the car; then come back still angry, and tell me I didn't understand a man's needs.

Rather than risk being embarrassed if the neighbors heard us, or risk upsetting the children, I would give in. I never refused him. He was far from gentle. He thought it was manly to take whatever he wanted. That's the way he got full enjoyment. It was more like rape. If I complained, he would start all over again even though I was worn out and exhausted.

He kept saying I was stupid and didn't understand a man's "needs." The problem was, he didn't understand mine. And he didn't care.

I can understand Mrs. Bobbitt's feelings. If I had had the courage, I might have done what she did. I assure you, I'm not the only woman who has had such thoughts. I have always wanted to tell someone this, but I was too ashamed.

Thanks, Abby. I feel better for having gotten this out of my system.

GEORGIA (MY STATE, NOT MY NAME)

DEAR GEORGIA: That's what I'm here for. Unfortunately, we will never know how many other women continue to live in abusive situations because they have neither the courage nor the means to leave.

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DEAR ABBY: Could you please deliver a message to the other 49 states from California?

"DEAR 49: For the past couple of weeks, you've been asking, 'How can you stand to live where they have earthquakes?'

"This, from those of you freezing in the Northeast, where the cold has killed more people than our earthquake. Or those of you in the Midwest, where tornadoes kill more people every year than our earthquakes do in a decade. Or the Southeast, where hurricanes regularly rearrange the landscape.

"In addition to earthquakes, natural disasters include searing heat, freezing cold, droughts, floods, fires, hail, hurricanes, tornadoes, tidal waves, volcanoes and lightning strikes. Not one of you lives in a place that is immune to all of these.

"You are entitled to your preferences. In fact, I'm glad so many of you don't want to live in California — it's crowded enough as it is.

"But I'm entitled to my preferences, too, which are at least as sensible as yours. Before you toss that next stone my way, you might check the structural soundness of your own glass house!"

SHARI PRANGE

DEAR SHARI: Right on — you took the words right out of my typewriter.

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DEAR ABBY: Unlike "Feeling Hurt in Bridgeport, Conn.," whose fiance told her that the diamond ring he was giving her was the same one he had given to a former girlfriend, my ex-husband, who had been previously engaged, swore to me that he was giving me a brand-new diamond ring because he knew it was important to me.

Abby, I wore the ring for 30 years, and after eight children and a bitter divorce, my eldest daughter (who now has it) told me it is the same ring he had given to the girl he was engaged to before he met me.

Evidently he thought it was a huge joke. Sign me ...

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Reform plan would require work in exchange for welfare

WASHINGTON (AP) — President Clinton's welfare reform task force is recommending that young parents still on welfare after two years be required to work for paychecks. Those who failed to show up on the job would not be paid.

The group's approach, called "work for wages," is tougher than more traditional work programs for welfare recipients, which require them to perform a community service job in exchange for their monthly benefits.

"A defining feature of this approach is they are not guaranteed anything if they don't show up for the work assignment, at the hours specified. They do not get paid for the hours they miss," a senior administration official, who insisted on anonymity, said Thursday.

But Mark Greenberg, a senior staff attorney with the Center on Law and Social Policy, an advocacy and research organization that helps the poor, said that without adequate protections, the results of "work for wages" could be "catastrophic."

"The work for wages structure may work smoothly so long as there are no problems in people's lives. But often, children get sick or parents get sick, or child care or transportation break down," Greenberg said. "If a parent gets the flu, should the family become homeless?"

A plan to translate the president's campaign promises to "end welfare as we know it" is gradually taking shape. The work program is the latest element to be settled by a 32-member group of administration officials.

The task force has also decided to aim its efforts to educate, train and find jobs for single parents on welfare at about one-fourth of the welfare population: the youngest mothers and most recent applicants.

The two-year time limit would affect about 1.2 million parents, mostly mothers born in 1972 or later, out of the 4.5 million adult recipients on Aid to Families with Dependent Children.

Rep. Rick Santorum of Pennsylvania, the senior Republican on the House Ways and Means subcommittee on human resources, said the administration's plan is "not bold enough and comprehensive enough" and overlooks an entire generation of women.

"They're worried about offending their interest groups," he said. "They're trying to keep nice with the folks who created the system. They don't want to shake it up too much."

Rumor Taylor will star in TV series is untrue

LOS ANGELES (AP) — Elizabeth Taylor starring in a TV series? Yes, says a studio. No, says an agent.

Paramount Television Group said Thursday it's negotiating with the actress to play a wealthy woman with a past whose three daughters are creating their own splash in New York, London and Paris society. The series' name? "Daughters of Eve."

Taylor would be paid close to $125,000 per episode, the trade paper Daily Variety reported Thursday.

An employee of the William Morris Agency, which represents Taylor, says the screen legend doesn't plan to appear in that or any other TV series.

"It's incorrect," said the employee, who declined to be identified.

Taylor, who has repeatedly battled health problems, might seem an unlikely candidate for the demanding schedule of a TV series. She is now preparing for hip replacement surgery.

She appeared on a series of episodes of the daytime serial "General Hospital" in 1981.

Variety reported that "Daughters of Eve" is being created by Terry Louise Fisher and Steve Brown, co-creators of "Malibu 2000." The series would be produced and financed by Paramount and Procter & Gamble, Variety said.

Army Reserve might benefit some students

Through an Army Reserve medical training program, high school graduates can earn up to $6,000 a year to stay home and attend college.

The STAR program, Specialized Training for Army Readiness, is an opportunity for high school graduates who are eligible to join the Army Reserve and want to study a medical specialty at their local college, to do so at the Army's expense.

"The Army Reserve offers this medical training program for its soldiers because we (the Army) cannot provide enough training in certain medical skills to meet mobilization requirements, said Lt. Col. Donna L. Kenley, commander of the U.S. Army Recruiting Batallion Dallas.

The STAR option includes training as emergency medical technicians, licensed practical/vocational nurses and operating room, X-ray, pharmacy, respiratory therapy and dental laboratory specialists.

"Our Army recruiters have a list of state-approved colleges and other educational institutions in these medical specialties," Lt. Col. Kenley said.

"Once the high school graduate (or soon-to-graduate senior) shows his or her recruiter a letter of acceptance from the college, he or she can enlist in the Army Reserve, go to basic training, then come back home and start school as a full-time student."

According to Lt. Col. Kenley, the Army pays for tuition, books and education-related expenses, including student health insurance, up to $6,000 a year. Living expenses are not paid, but the Reserve soldier earns drill pay for drill weekends during the education phase.

"Once the Reserve soldier has a state license in his or her chosen medical specialty, he or she completes four weeks of training at an Army medical treatment facility, Lt. Col. Kenley said.

She added that soldiers can then pursue a civilian medical career while fulfilling their obligation to the Army Reserve.

"High school seniors and graduates can call any Army recruiter to find out about enlistment qualifications and options," she said.

Extends contract

PORTLAND, Ore. (AP) — Conductor James DePreist has too much work to do this century, so he extended his contract with the Oregon Symphony into the next one.

The 58-year-old maestro wants to continue strengthening the orchestra's string section, make at least three recordings a year and add concerts.

Bingo, 8 ball events slated at Senior Center

Bingo and an Eight Ball tournament will be features of Monday activities in the Senior Citizens Center. Play begins at 10 a.m.

The Retired Teachers Association will have a noon meeting in the center on Monday. The Rev. Buff Hearn, pastor of the First United Methodist Church, will be the guest speaker.

Representatives from the Social Security Administration will be in the center Tuesday. Hours are 10 a.m. to noon and 1-2 p.m.

Musical programs in the center during the week will include the "Olio" singing at 11:15 a.m. Thursday and the Friday Sing Along starting at 11:30 a.m.

The Kitchen Band is to go to the Snyder Oaks Care Center for a performance at 10 a.m. Wednesday and the Sunshine Choir will meet in the center for a rehearsal at 10 a.m. Friday. Both groups will be performing during the Senior Center's May Day fund raiser in the Scurry County Coliseum on May 7 and the public is invited to hear them as well as other groups which will be performing during the afternoon.

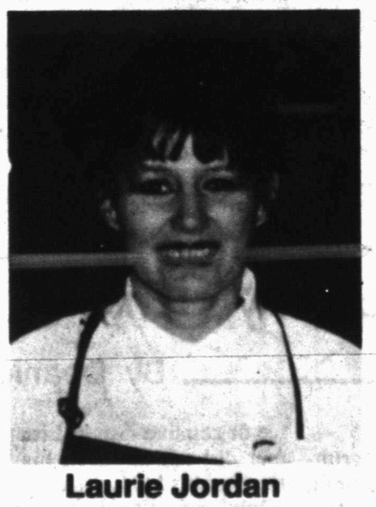
Free tax assistance is provided in the Senior Center for low-to-moderate-income taxpayers who are 60 and older on Thursdays. Dot Stokes, a tax aide, will meet with them from 9 a.m. to noon and 1-2:30 p.m. Anyone needing assistance should bring their current tax records and a copy of last year's income tax return.

The swimming pool at Western Texas College is reserved for the senior citizens swimnastics class from 9:15-10:45 each Tuesday and Thursday morning. The college will be closed during the week of March 13-19 for spring break and the swimnastics class will be cancelled for that week.

The Golden K Kiwanis Club will host its annual fish fry in the Senior Center on March 20. Tickets are $6, with proceeds going for projects of the club. Membership in the Golden K is open to men and women 60 and older and prospective members are invited to attend the club's weekly luncheon in the center each Tuesday.

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Laurie Jordan

Laurie Jordan has worked at Lawrence IGA as Manager of Moose Bro. Pizza Department for four months.

Laurie and her husband, Paul, have two children, Bobby, 18, and Brandi, 15. They moved here from Rankin two years ago. Paul is employed by Halliburton.

Laruie enjoys volleyball and bowls on a ladies league.

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Don't ask, and ye shall receive responses

By Ian Shoales

Last week in San Francisco, a radio talk show host conducted a poll. Apparently, the host gave his listeners a number, asked for a response without giving them anything to respond to, and got a response anyway.

He got 281 responses, in fact, of which 35 percent were yes, 33 percent no and 32 percent undecided. That's a pretty good spread, demographically, considering that he didn't ask a question.

In a recent New York Times Magazine, there was a feature about two Russian emigre artists who'd created two paintings based on a phone survey. One painting reflected, "...the favorite colors, subjects and techniques of the respondents, and the other the least favorite."

The least favorite painting was an expressionist hodgepodge of red, pink and yellow triangles. The most favorite featured a Hudson River landscape in autumn (88 percent favored outdoor scenes to indoor, and fall was the season of choice, 33 percent). Also featured were a stiff George Washington, three children walking and a couple of deer; because respondents preferred figures from a long time ago (56 percent) to Elvis (12 percent), children to women (11 percent to 2 percent) and wild animals to domestic (51 percent to 21 percent).

Everything in the painting, from the visibility of brush strokes to its color scheme, was determined by focus groups and polls. The artists, of course, received a grant (not federal) to do this.

Were these polls intended as pranks, jokes or satire? If they were pranks or jokes, who were they on? If they had a point, what was it?

After all, real-life polls have long entered the lists of the absurd. In the last five years, I've seen a "Would you have sex with Madonna if she asked you?" poll, a "Would you have sex with Robert Redford for a million dollars?" poll, and "Press one for Loni, two for Burt; one for Tonya, two for Nancy; and one for Lorena, two for John" polls by the hundreds.

We no longer concern ourselves about the actual guilt or innocence of Michael Jackson, say, or the Menendez brothers. Instead, we chart our "feelings" about their guilt or innocence. How did this become a "science?" It's like reading a review, and thinking you've seen the movie, or seeing a movie and thinking you've experienced life.

Bogus statistics threaten to replace the judicial process. How many believe the Menendez brothers were psychos? How many believe they were spoiled brats who were pushed too far. How many believe they were victims of abuse? Contrast and compare to get a hung jury!

Everybody involved in this sordid crime — from the brothers themselves to shrinks to girlfriends to pals to bitter enemies — wants to be on Geraldo. A desire for justice has turned into a desire to be on television.

Worse than that, the Andy Warhol idea of 15 minutes of fame has been downsized. Now, all we want is to be the subject of an opinion poll. Failing that, we'll settle for being a number in a poll: "See that 36 percent who think Kennedy was murdered by aliens, and Elvis was behind it? That's me, ma! Top of the world!"

Sonnets and blank verse are dead as limericks and vaudeville, but it looks like the opinion poll has emerged as a unique new art form to fill the void.

Well, I'm as artistic as the next guy. I had a telephone, pen, paper and calculator. How much more do you need to poll people? As a test, I started out small, asking a thousand people the sample question: "How many roads must a man walk down before they call him a man?"

The results: 37 percent said "one"; 13 percent said "twelve"; 25 percent said, "What about women?"; 25 percent said, "You call that a road? Look at the potholes on that thing. It's a disgrace! I'm not paying any more taxes to fix it either."

Clearly, my jumping on the pollster bandwagon needed work.

How about this? I didn't ask anybody anything. Nobody responded. Can I get a grant for that? No? Well, look, how about giving me a grant for an infomercial? If infomercials aren't art, I don't know what is.



Buffalo Reef

By Bill McClellan

If you watched the television program, you probably got pretty depressed. I know I did. Afterall, I had just earlier that evening made up my mind to resume an exercise program.

Nothing too strenuous to start. Some situps, pushups, a little jogging in place, and the one where you bend down and touch your toes (well, knees anyway).

I felt good afterward. This is a new start, I told myself. In a few weeks I'll feel better, look better and be in better health.

And then I made the mistake of watching the first hour of "Ancient Prophecies" on television Tuesday evening.

If you didn't catch it, I'll give it to you in a nutshell — by the year 2000, or about then, most of us won't be alive. Those who are will probably either be freezing, burning up or sick with an incurable disease.

It's coming, Armageddon if you will. And it's already started. These are the prophecies of Nostradamus, Edgar Cayce and others. Natural disasters, a shifting of the poles and World War III. The war will be started by a man born in 1962 in the Middle East.

The damage? Two thirds of the population wiped out, radiation, plague, an ice age, possible droughts.

That's just six years from now — or perhaps even sooner.

This comes as particularly disappointing news to someone who was about to start a major spring cleaning project, quit smoking and begin exercising (not necessarily in that order). I mean, what's the point, now?

We have two dumpsters at my house, one provided by the city, the other by a private contractor. Yes, I know this is insane, considering the cost of monthly rental on the things. The idea though, is a major spring cleaning. Keep the city dumpster long enough to finish, then send it and its' $50-a-month-plus bill back.

But now, I'm considering sending both dumpsters back and piling up the trash. Afterall, in six years, it won't make much difference.

And what's the point of getting in shape if an earthquake is going to swallow you up, or a volcano is going to treat you like a lobster dinner?

I watched only one hour of the two-hour show. It was too depressing. Maybe in the second half, all the prophecies were refuted. Maybe they just got worse.

I remember when I was 8 or 9 years old, a man came to our church one Sunday and asked to make an announcement to the congregation. Following the sermon, the preacher allowed the man to speak. What he told us was that the world would end in 1969. I can't remember if he gave an exact date, but his prophecy stuck with me. I was a senior in high school in 1969, and the year came and went with a lot of trials and tribulations, but no Armageddon.

But this is different. This is no street corner kook predicting the end of time. These are well-published, well-thought of, educated men and women who are making prophecy. They have a track record of predicting the rise of Napoleon, World War I, Hitler, World War II, space travel and more.

Should we incarcerate every man born in the Middle East in 1962, at least until, say 2050? Maybe go ahead and shove California into the ocean to appease Mother Nature?

Or could Nostradamus and Cayce be wrong, like the so-called prophet who spoke at church when I was a youngster?

In times like this, we should heed our mothers' warning — something about always wearing clean underwear.

As for the exercises, my wife says go ahead. I guess a few situps couldn't hurt. But if the sky starts falling six years from now, I reserve the right to tell her "I told you so."

Country Life

By Deanie Francis Mills

Over the past 13 years of a career spent studying the various twisted manifestations of the criminal mind, I've read hundreds of books that have haunted my daytime thoughts and stalked my dreams, but I've never encountered one more disturbing and powerfully moving than the newly-published "A Father's Story," by Lionel Dahmer.

You'd have to have lived in a cave to be unaware of the infamous crimes committed by this man's son, Jeffrey, who turned his apartment into a slaughterhouse, where he performed some of the most gruesome and perverse acts on his fellow human beings ever recorded.

During my years studying criminals and the crimes they commit, I've become acutely aware that people are not always what they seem, that a clean-cut suburban appearance can costume unspeakable acts of abuse and passion. It becomes almost too easy, in fact, to blame the parents of the Ted Bundys and the Mendendez brothers for subjecting their offspring to such miseries, and far too easy to suspect that such abuse quite naturally must have spawned the monsters of the world such as Jeffrey Dahmer.

But it's not that easy.

Unlike the stereotypical absentee or abusive father, Lionel Dahmer did not abandon his family, nor beat his kids, nor molest them. (Only one allegation of parental molestation has made the talk-show rounds, and that was fostered by a man who claimed to have been Jeffrey Dahmer's lover, a charge immediately refuted from Dahmer's jail cell. (From studying the known psychopathology of Jeffrey Dahmer, I can tell you that he never had a lover; he was only able to become "intimate" with the dead.)

Jeff Dahmer's daddy was a mild-mannered chemist, a Ph.D. who spent his days analyzing data in a laboratory. He loved his son deeply, and did all the things he thought a father should do: took him fishing and bike-riding and to the zoo, took him for Sunday-afternoon ice cream sodas, hugged him and praised him and tried to teach him right from wrong. From descriptions provided in the elder Dahmer's book, it would appear that Jeffrey's mother may have been a classic manic-depressive, prone to violent mood swings, irritability, dependent on tranquilizers, and suffering bouts of depression so severe as to render her bedridden. They eventually divorced when Jeff was a teen-ager.

By that time, Dahmer concedes, the bright and happy little boy he once knew had become a morose, silent young man, friendless, isolated, and unreachable.

"Our conversations," (referring to the adolescent Jeff), "were reduced to question-and-answer sessions that were really not conversations at all. There was no communication in them, no debate, no sense of information given or received ... We spoke, but we did not converse." Jeff Dahmer's father goes on to admit that he had "come to accept the wall that separated me from my son ... It was as if we had agreed to speak only of the most banal things, because each of us knew that there were other things which, if honestly confronted, would tear us both apart."

By the time Jeff reached adulthood, Lionel Dahmer was not unaware of his son's drinking and emotional problems, but he kept thinking that somehow something would happen to turn Jeff around. "In the eyes of parents, I think, children always seem just a blink away from redemption," he now writes, "No matter to what depth we watch them sink, we believe they need only grasp the lifeline, and we can still pull them safely to shore."

But it was not until Lionel faced his son behind bars that he fully

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Editorial Comment

Health care retorm

El Paso Herald-Post

Anyone eager to see government tighten its control over the giant health-care sector of the U.S. economy should take a sobering looking at Washington's attempt to run the cable industry. It's not a pretty sight.

Congress' original aim was to appease constituents who thought their cable bills were too high. In most places, the local cable franchise is a monopoly, so the legislators justified federal intervention with the spurious theory that cable TV is a utility. They then proceeded to impose rates and regulations as if this entertainment mode were vital. ...

... This is just the kind of politically driven bossing of business President Clinton means to use to get our health crisis in hand.

Public servants and frugality

Austin American-Statesman

There never was a golden age of public service. There has always been a tendency for public servants to gradually begin to cross the line between serving the public and serving themselves.

Officeholders not infrequently need to be forcefully reminded of that line's existence. When it is crossed, an insidious form of corruption begins to take root. It is not corruption in the sense of theft or even of political corruption.

It frequently takes the form of not spending the public's money wisely or frugally. ... Other times, it takes the form of self-aggrandizement, insisting on all the perks and luxuries in addition to a decent salary. ...

And government can't quite grasp why people are getting a little grouchy?

Letters to the Editor

Beware inhalants

Dear Editor:

While the media concentrates on stories about crack cocaine, marijuana and alcohol abuse, Texas youth are getting high every day by inhaling or sniffing common household products. Inhalants have become the "cocaine of the nineties."

One of four Texas seventh graders has sniffed or "huffed" a toxic product, according to the 1992 Texas School Survey of Substance Abuse, conducted by the Texas Commission on Alcohol and eighth graders (19 percent) have done the same. Four times as many kids use inhalants than use marijuana in the seventh grade.

About 1,000 household products can be misued to achieve a "high." When intentionally inhaled, fumes from these products damage the brain, liver, lung and bone marrow. Some abusers suddenly drop dead with heart failure, triggered by adrenaline surges induced by the product's fumes.

Be alert for telltale signs of inhalant abuse:

- Paint on hands, mouth or nose
- Chemical breath odor
- Red or runny eyes or nose
- Spots or sores around the mouth
- Drunk or dazed appearance
- Anxiety, excitability, irritability
- Nausea, loss of appetite

Inhalant abuse is a silent epidemic that can only be stopped when parents, educators and the general public become knowledgeable of those "drugs that are right under your nose." They have become unwitting dealers in this drug trade by NOT doing so.

Take part March 20-26 in Inhalants and Poisons Awareness Week. For more information on inhalant abuse contact Snyder Area Council on Alcohol and Drug Abuse, 573-1141, or call the Texas Prevention Partnership at 512-480-8953 for information on prevention in general or details about Prevention Week.

Sincerely,
Karon Lawler
Executive Director,
Snyder Area Council
on Alcohol & Drug Abuse

Gratitude

Dear Editor:

We would like to express our sincere gratitude to the local community for its continued support of our local branch activities that took place during the month of February.

We would especially like to thank Reta's, KSNY, Snyder Daily News and all of our local churches.

Once again we would like to say thanks to all who supported the activities during Black History Month.

God Bless You All!

The Scurry County NAACP
President, Officers,
and Members

Scouting

Dear Editor:

The Scouting program cannot exist without the willing participation of those in the community who have special knowledge and skills to pass on. The Scouts and leaders of Boy Scout Troop 27 wish to express their thanks to members of our community for giving their time to work with us on Scouting activities.

We would like to thank Sgt. Bruns of the Texas National Guard for the time and effort he donated to help instruct on the Rifle Shooting Merit Badge. We also wish to thank the Snyder Bow Hunters, with special thanks to Dale Byrd, for their recent effort with the Archery Merit Badge requirements. Each of these men gave their time to work with the young men of Troop 27 and make a positive impact on their lives.

Sincerely,
Hamp Yearwood,
Scoutmaster, Troop 27

Public Records

New Vehicle Registration

Moreene Lemley, two 1994 Ford pickups from Wilson Motors.

Roscoe and Wilma Hudgins, 1994 Chevrolet pickup from Big Country Chevrolet.

Joel Dane Warren, 1994 Chevrolet pickup from Big Country Chevrolet.

D.L. Peterson Trust, 1994 Ford pickup from Williamsburg Motors.

JoAnn Zeck, 1994 Mercury from Wilson Motors.

Tracy D. Burks, 1994 Chevrolet pickup from Big Country Chevrolet.

Dwaine Williams, 1993 Dodge pickup from Snyder Chrysler.

Pete J. and Elwanda Nachlinger, 1994 Oldsmobile from Howard Gray Motors.

Bell-Cypert-Seale Funeral Home, 1994 Buick Hearse from Superior Hearse and Limousine.

Leon Sterling, 1994 Ford pickup from Wilson Motors.

Tony Molina Jr. 1994 Ford pickup from Wilson Motors.

Filed in District Court

Blandina Morales vs. Wal-Mart Inc., suit for personal injury.

Action in District Court

Scurry County vs. N.L. Industries, et al, order of dismissal.

Darrell Holmes vs. Paul Thompson, M.D., Wal-Mart Stores Inc., Charles Everrett Jones, Paul E. Kennemur, Larry Lynn Toliver and Vicki Lynn Hinshaw Johnson, order of dismissal.

In the marriage of Jose Alfredo Benitez and Laura Suyapa Benitez, divorce granted.

In the marriage of Sherri Ann McClure and Bradley Scott McClure, divorce granted.

Warranty Deeds

Morris Wayne Williamson, successor and trustee of Geneva Mary Williamson Trust to Morris Wayne Williamson, Michael David Williamson and Judy Ellen Killgo, an undivided one-half interest in the northeast one-quarter of Section 245, Block 97, H&TC survey.

Olivia Teresa Dillard to Joe Mireles, all of Lot 7 in Block 45 of the Town of Hermleigh.

Joe Mireles to Felix Sosa and Melissa June Martinez, all of Lots 7, 9, 10, 11 and 12, all in Block 45 of the Town of Hermleigh.

Frances Pylant, a widow and Jerrel Pylant and Frances Pylant, co-independent executors of the estate of Jackie Dee Plylant, to Hardy Farm and Cattle Co., all of the south one-half of Section 211 in Block 97 of the H&TC survey.

Don Sealy and Bob Sealy to Calvin Goebel, Michael Goebel and Ronnie Goebel, a 70.25 acre tract in the northeast part of Section 150 in Block 3, H&TC survey.

Jerrel D. and Judy J. Pylant to Danny and Debbie Collier, tract one being 20.44 acres in the southwest one-quarter of Section 16, Block 3, H&TC survey; tract two being 5 acres out of the southwest one-quarter of Section 16, Block 3, H&TC survey.

Myron Fenton, individually and as independent executor of the estate of Evelyn Fenton, to Barton C. and Olive Yvonne Willingham, all of Lot 1 in Block 2 of the West Side Heights Addition.

Wesley Carllee and Lynda G. Burleson to Walter Guynes, all of Lot 16 and the east 30 feet of Lot 15 in Block 2 replat of the south one-half of Block 2, Section 2, Martin Addition.

Paul West Corp. to Bruce A. and Susan E. Matthews, all of Lot 4 in Block 4 of the Cedar Creek Addition.

Thomas J. Webb to Andrew John and Carol Lynn Criswell, all of Lots 1-4 in Block 29 of the Belmont Park Addition.

Rita Lavelle Eicke Goad to Teka Frances Eicke, tract one being 9.2444 acres in the northeast one-quarter of Section 205, Block 97, H&TC survey; tract 2 being 5.5 acres in Lots 42 and 43 of Section 14, J.P. Smith survey.

Joe and Joyce Williamson to Douglas C. and Donna L. Hutchinson, all of Lot 6 in Block 18 of the Gross Subdivision of the Scarborough Addition.

Phillip M. and Floradean Cockerell to Mark and Amy Doty, all of Lot 11 in Block 12 of the Park Place Addition.

Joe W. and Muriel J. Vincent to Randall K. and Holly A. Brewer, a 9.17 acre tract in Section 91, Block 3, H&GN survey.

Sandra Marie McElmurry to Billy Ray Browning, all of Lot 33 in Block 4 of the 1st replat of the Noble Heights Addition.

Betty Jo Ferwalt to Gerald P. Rodriguez, a lot in Block 101 of the Town of Hermleigh.

Benjamin and Dana Lucas to Jason E. Arnette, all of the west 50 feet of Lot 1 and all of the east 50 feet of Lot 2, all in Block 11 of the Grayum and Nelson Heights Addition.

William Lynn Wilkerson to Barbara Dee Penhall, 10 acres in the east part of the north one-half of Section 92, Block 2, H&TC survey.

Ennis and Annie B. Floyd to James William and Robin Lynn Williamson, a tract of land 75 feet east and west by 173.6 feet north and south out of the southeast one-quarter of Section 181, Block 3, H&GN survey.

First Trust National Association, to Robert and Wyvonne Hicks, all of Lot 25 in Block C of the Highland Park Addition.

Amado O. and Elena Garcia to Ray Allan and Catalina G. Jones, the south 100 feet of the east 83 feet of Lot 4 in Block 34 of the Blankenship Addition.

Amado O. and Elena Garcia to Margarita G. Garcia, all of Lot 1 in Block 33 of the Wilmeth Addition.

Bobby James Flowers to Cecilio and Sylvia Juarez, 0.263 acre tract out of the northeast corner of Section 120, Block 97, H&TC survey.

Patsy R. Johnson to Thomas Eddy Wilking, tract one being all the west 62.5 feet of Lot 3 in Block 20 of the Lundy Park Addition; tract two being all of the east 62.5 feet of the west 125 feet of Lot 3 in Block 20 of the Lundy Park Addition; tract three being all of Lot 2 and the west 50 feet of Lot 1 in Block 20 of the Lundy Park Addition.

Carrier exams now available

The U.S. Postal Service has announced that it has opened entrance examination for the position of rural carrier.

The rural carrier associate examination will be open to the general public through March 11 for the Abilene area eligibility register.

Individuals interested in applying to take the examination may complete one application/admission card at the Snyder Post Office.

No applications will be accepted after March 11.

County must pay

MILL VALLEY, Calif. (AP) — Grace Slick says the county must pay for the trauma she suffered when a fire destroyed her home and music memorabilia.

The former Jefferson Airplane singer and her husband have filed a complaint against Marin County. Public workers welding a gate sparked a grass fire that spread to the house in September.

The claim did not specify a dollar amount.

Slick also claimed that Corte Madera firefighters stole a shotgun and backstage passes from a Jefferson Airplane performance.

The Board of Supervisors rejected the claim Tuesday on behalf of the Marin Open Space District, which employed the workers. Now that the claim has been rejected, Slick can file a lawsuit if she chooses.

Business Mirror

By John Cunniff
AP Business Analyst

NEW YORK (AP) — Young, first-time buyers are back in the housing market in force — good news not just for them or for housing but for the entire economy, now and for years to come.

It has been a long time. Millions of them were denied the opportunity to buy in the 1980s because of economic conditions that hardly could be blamed on the young.

First-time home ownership is not just another statistic. Young households are the foundation of the housing industry and the future of the economy. Nothing compares with ownership as the initial step in asset building.

You might not guess this, however, when you read the usual statistics, the routine numbers that stress existing home sales (up 7.9 percent in 1993 to 3.8 million) and new-home sales, (up 9.7 percent to 669,000).

Very impressive, but they tell little about the return of the young who were forced to rent at ever-higher rates in the '80s because they were priced from the market, denied opportunities their parents had taken for granted.

Had market conditions remained as they were in 1980, according to an estimate by Harvard University's Joint Center for Housing Studies, 2.2 million more young households (ages 25-34) would own homes today.

High mortgage rates and soaring prices blocked them, and for the first time since World War II their rate of ownership fell. In 1980, 51.4 percent of households aged 25 years to 34 years owned homes; in 1990, only 45.3 percent.

The deterioration of young ownership ended last year when, a study shows, nearly half of all homes sold during the year were to first-time buyers. The average age of these buyers was 31.6 years.

Steady prices, low interest rates, dual incomes, savings and patience in starting families helped turn the trick.

The study, by Chicago Title and Trust, showed a median income of $53,400, earned in 85.6 percent of cases by two incomes. Surprisingly, 74 percent of buyers achieved the down payment with savings.

The Harvard study explains clearly the significance of home ownership in building financial security and involvement for the family. As households age, it says, they pass through a predictable housing consumption cycle.

They begin as young renters, step up to first-time buyers, graduate to long-term owners, evolve into home improvers or expanders, and perhaps finally to retirement-home buyers. Throughout, they have a roof overhead and security.

The ownership of a home usually involves commitment to community and involvement in civic, social and educational matters. Various studies have shown that homeowners are more likely than renters to be so involved.

Meanwhile, assets are built. Each year of ownership generally means more equity in the property, and the chances are high that the property's value will at least keep pace with inflation. That has been the history of ownership.

The house, in a sense, can become the owner's bank, allowing money to be withdrawn for emergencies and for worthwhile expenditures, such as education. It often is the source of funds for medical care or retirement.

Above all, it is a place of security, a place to raise a family, which is probably the greatest contribution that can be made to the economy.

Young homebuyers: Welcome back.

Schlossberg cleared

WEST PALM BEACH, Fla. (AP) — The husband of Caroline Kennedy has been cleared of a claim that he ran his van into a sightseer outside the family's estate.

Prosecutors said there is no evidence to support a Pennsylvania man's claim that Ed Schlossberg ran into him, spraining his elbow, as he videotaped the estate.

Schlossberg denied having any contact with John Whooley.

Country Life

By Deanie Francis Mills

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saw him for the first time: "Suddenly, I thought of Jeff's childhood, and his general remoteness no longer looked like shyness, but like disconnection, the opening of an unbridgeable abyss. His eyes no longer struck me merely as expressionless, but as utterly void, beyond the call of the most basic forms of sympathy and understanding, beyond even the capacity to ape such emotions ... a young man who was deeply, deeply ill, and for whom, in all likelihood, there was no way out."

Dahmer is brutally honest in his tormented evaluation of his troubled family. Yet if there was any obvious mistake made by Lionel Dahmer, I fear it is one common to many men: he buried himself in his work, often coming home from the lab only long enough to bolt down supper before returning. "The lab was a place where I felt safe in my judgments," he wrote, "secure in my expertise ... In the world at large, and particularly regarding my relationship to Joyce," (Jeffrey's mother), "things were more obscure and complicated."

The intense world of emotion, it would seem, belongs for the most part to women; most men often feel overwhelmed and confused by it. Their sense of identity usually derives from their work and their competence in the working world. When a relationship is unraveling, they often feel so much safer burying themselves at the office; tragically, often at the expense of their children. "I saw him in glimpses, a boy shooting around the room or eating at the dinner table," writes Dahmer, "I felt him in snatches, a quick hug on the way in or out. I spoke to him in brief hellos, in good-byes tossed over my shoulder as I left the room."

And yet times are changing so rapidly. Now women, just as busy as men, active in the workforce and in the carpool whirlpool, also often see their kids only in glimpses. And yet a troubled child sends such subtle signals in such a baffling series of morse code; how can we as parents ever decipher those messages in the shorthand of time we give them?

Lionel Dahmer makes no attempt to beg forgiveness of the reader for his own mistakes, but he serves up one warning to those of us still in the tilt-a-whirl world of child-rearing; a warning, perhaps, to let go if need be ... just long enough to grasp our child before he goes spinning out of control.

In the final lines of the book, he writes, "I can only say ... as I must to every father after me, 'Take care, take care, take care.'"

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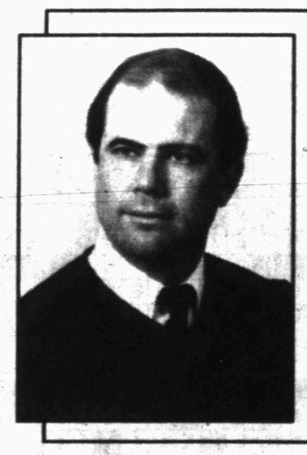
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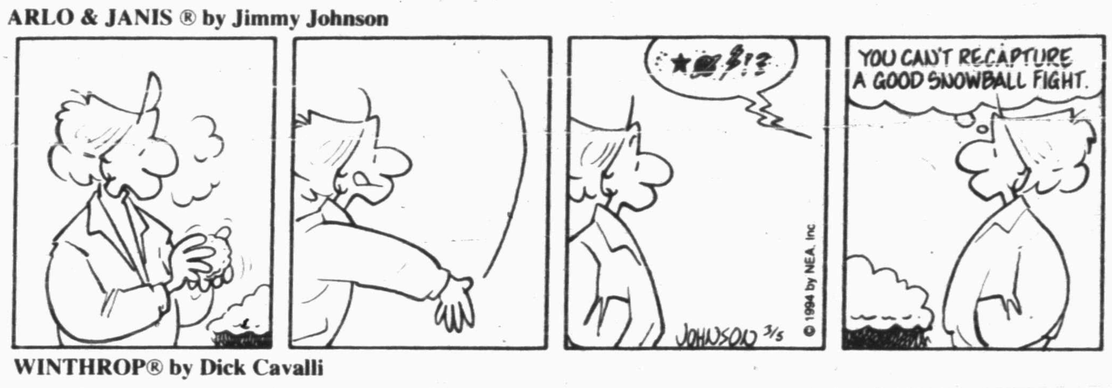
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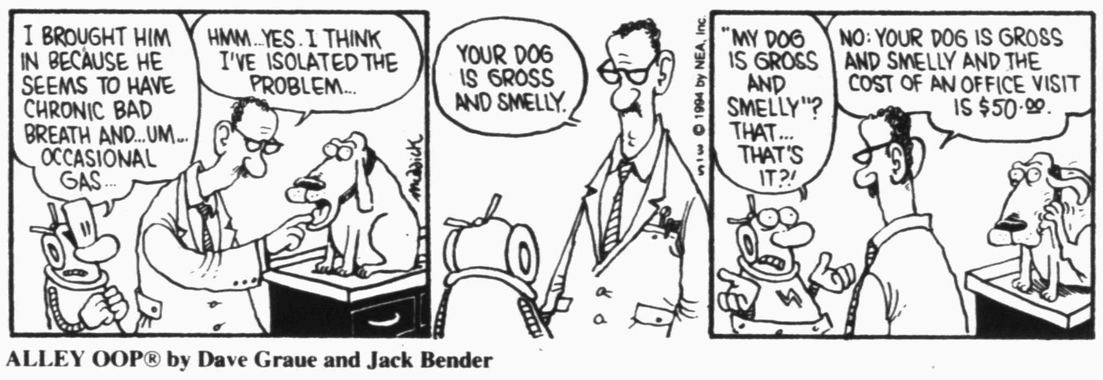
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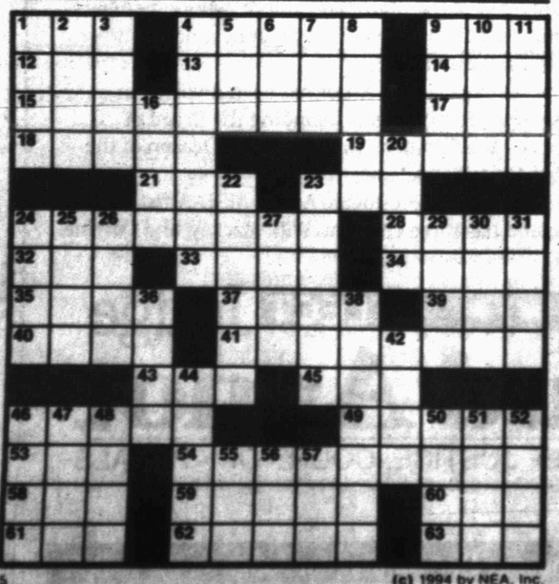
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31 Stupefy
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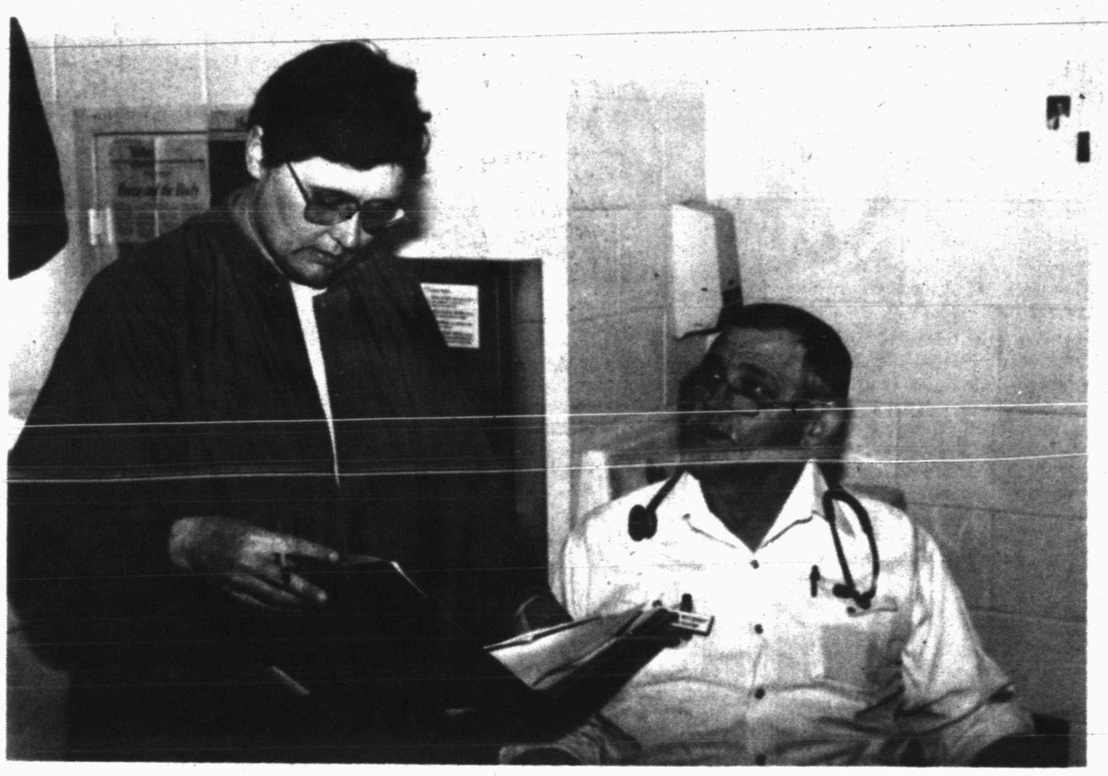


"...and I bagged this one while cleaning my rifle."

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"MARGARET KNOWS TOO LITTLE ABOUT TOO MUCH."



PHYSICIAN ASSISTANT — Buddy Woolbright is the physician assistant at the Price Daniel Unit, seen here checking a medical chart with medical records technician Linda Compton. Woolbright came to the unit one month ago from Beto II unit in Palestine. (SDN Staff Photo)

Buddy Woolbright physician assistant at Price Daniel Unit

Buddy Woolbright is new to the Snyder area but not to helping others. In his job as physician assistant (PA) at the Price Daniel Unit, he helps 20 to 30 inmates daily with their medical problems.

Woolbright began his position at the prison a month ago. Previously, he worked at the Beto II Unit in Palestine.

His profession requires an associates degree in heavy sciences and two years in PA school.

Woolbright said he has limited prescription privileges in medically under served areas but cannot have a private practice. He said most PAs work in clinics, as they must be sponsored by a physican.

Woolbright began his medical career in the military reserves in 1971 as a medic. He became a certified PA while working in a clinic for a mining company in Arizona, where the only requirement was passing the state test. It was at that time he was given the opportunity to attend PA school at the University of Utah School of Medicine, from which he graduated in 1978.

At one time, Woolbright lived in Chile and Brazil where he was sponsored by his church to work as a missionary and needed his medical training. He said he really liked it in South America and stayed nine years.

Upon his return to the United States he stayed away from medicine for a couple of years but in 1990 he was called up to serve in Desert Storm for six months. That put him back into the medical arena where he has stayed.

Woolbright has four children and 11 grandchildren.

Former resident receives top United Way honor in Midland

MIDLAND — United Way of Midland awarded Patricia Quiros-Garcia the "Communicator of the Year" award for "giving unselfishly to promote the United Way."

"Everything I have, I have because God has granted it to me and I firmly believe that God would like for us to share kind words with one another, so we may inspire and motivate rather than criticize and condemn," she said.

Mrs. Garcia, the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Simon Quiros, graduated from Snyder High School in 1981 and attended Western Texas College. She is currently focusing on a double major in mass communications and marketing at the University of Texas of the Permian Basin.

"I'm quite honored to be named as the 'Communicator of the Year.' Learning how to express and convey yourself starts as early as childhood. Much of the credit goes to my parents and family," Mrs. Garcia said.



PATRICIA GARCIA

Formerly, she worked at KSNY AM/FM Radio from 1972-1981. KCRS AM and KCRS FM was her next job where she worked in news and later served as the program director. Currently, she is the public relations director for Casa de Amigos, a United Way Agency.

Mrs. Garcia is married to Michael Garcia of Midland. They have three daughters Miranda, Bianca and Andrea.

In 1964, the African nations of Tanganyika and Zanzibar merged to form Tanzania.

House finance chairman does not trust data from Caperton

CHARLESTON, W.Va. (AP) — House Finance Chairman Bob Kiss Friday said he does not trust information Gov. Gaston Caperton has provided the Legislature on a proposal to extend a $4 million loan to an aircraft manufacturing company. Kiss said he will no longer rely on it.

The state invested $2 million in 1992 and another $2 million in 1993 in the company. Private investors have put $55 million to $70 million into the project to help fund an 800-employee assembly plant, Kiss said.

"If we default, everyone defaults," Kiss said.

On March 10, the company was supposed to make the first loan payment of $600,000, another $600,000 in April and the final $800,000 in May.

Swearingen Aircraft Co. notified state officials on Feb. 24 it needed to have the loan extended. The company wants to extend the deadline for the first payment at least six months.

"It's been dumped in my lap," said Kiss, D-Raleigh. Not trusting Caperton, Kiss called Sen. Jay Rockefeller, who assured him that the aircraft manufacturer does have orders for a prototype eight-seat corporate jet it built partially with state money.

Rockefeller and Caperton have been behind efforts to extend the loan deadline.

Kiss said he would prefer to let the company default on the loan, but after talking to Rockefeller, he decided that would needlessly push the company into bankruptcy.

"In my opinion this has to be taken care of at this point," Kiss said.

Kiss said he is angry that the Caperton administration did not give legislators enough time to deal with the issue, nor enough information.

Finance Committee members demanded that representatives of the company and the administration talk to the committee Friday.

The Senate Finance Committee on Thursday amended the extension bill in defiance of administration wishes.

The finance committee peppered Commerce Secretary John Ranson and gubernatorial executive assistant David Campbell with questions about the need to extend the contract. Committee members also wanted to know why the state didn't get more notice on the need when they appeared before the committee Thursday.

Ranson promised the Texas manufacturer was close to closing a deal to build a $130 million plant in Berkeley County.

There are up to 15 other investors who have put up to $20 million into the project, Ranson said. However, he refused to reveal who any of the other partners are.

Hogan plans campaign stop in Snyder Monday

Concerned that Austin politicians have lost touch with the taxpayer, small business owner Wilma Hogan is campaigning on the Republican ticket for State Representative of District 70.

Hogan has scheduled a campaign stop in Snyder at 11 a.m. Monday at the Texan Restaurant.

A resident of Munday, she is the first Republican candidate from Knox County and is unopposed in the primary. She will face Democratic incumbent David Counts in November.

"Texas is going to end up in the same mess as Washington if we do not begin to control spending," said Hogan, who advocates local control of schools, cities and counties. "Austin politicians have lost touch with their constituents."

Hogan said she has been involved in politics since 1960 when she cast a vote for John F. Kennedy. She was once a Democrat, but believes the party's "liberal platform" has deserted the mainstream conservatives in her area.

"District 70 deserves a truly conservative representative and I want the opportunity to be that representative," she said.

She said Rep. Counts does not represent conservatives, noting that the Free Market PAC gave him a 34 percent rating last year.

"To us, that means that 66 percent of the time, he is voting liberal," she said.

Hogan was previously employed with the Plainview ISD and worked with federal programs for seven years. It was during this time, she said, that she discovered the government's waste of tax dollars. After becoming a small business and property owner, she saw her taxes begin to rapidly escalate, she said.

"Most professional politicians have forgotten the voters at home they were elected to represent," said Hogan, an advocate of term limitations.

Hogan, 54, is married to Wendell "Bud" Hogan. They have two daughters and five grandchildren.



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Dr. Gott By Peter Gott, M.D.

DEAR DR. GOTT: My sister has been diagnosed with pemphigus. What exactly does she have and what medication is used to treat this disease?

DEAR READER: Pemphigus, a rare auto-immune skin disorder, can be fatal. The disease begins as multiple blisters, which eventually break, leaving raw skin that becomes easily infected. The diagnosis is made by biopsy.

Treatment with prednisone, a steroid, almost always prevents new lesions from breaking out — and may have to be continued for years of therapy. Antibiotics may be necessary, too, to combat infection. Other treatment includes gold injections and plasmapheresis, a technique to alter the proteins in the blood.

DEAR DR. GOTT: I suffer from severe heartburn and indigestion that antacids have not have helped. Sometimes the pain is so severe I think I'm having a heart attack, despite the fact that blood tests, a barium enema and stress test have been normal. Could my doctor have missed something?

DEAR READER: I don't know whether your doctor has missed something — after all, medical tests are fallible — but I do know that you should look further. Specifically, I urge you to pursue your problem with a gastroenterologist.

As I have repeatedly stated before, no matter how knowledgeable and thorough a doctor is, second opinions and consultations are the mainstay of good medical practice. Frankly, I'm surprised that your physician didn't automatically refer you to a specialist when all your tests were found to be normal.

One bright bit of datum: Your indigestion is probably not caused by heart disease. The stress test indicated that your heart is functioning normally.

Therefore, you should turn your attention to your upper intestinal tract. Because some digestive disturbances, such as esophagitis (inflammation of the esophagus) or gastritis (stomach irritation) are not often evident in X-ray studies, you may have to undergo endoscopy. During this test, the gastroenterologist will examine your esophagus, stomach and part of the small intestine with a flexible fiberoptic tube. In many instances, the specialist can actually see the area of inflammation that causes your heartburn.

Ask your doctor for a referral — or refer yourself to a gastroenterologist.

To give you more information, I am sending you a free copy of my Health Report "Peptic Ulcers." Other readers who would like a copy should send $1.25 plus a long, self-addressed, stamped envelope to P.O. Box 2433, New York, NY 10163. Be sure to mention the title.

DEAR DR. GOTT: I've had problems with sciatica for the past five years. A searing, debilitating pain radiates downward from the lower buttock through my leg and is often accompanied by numbness and weakness. Past treatment has included bed rest, Motrin, massage and ultrasound — all of which are short lived. Are there exercises to stretch the piriformis muscle to relieve pressure on the sciatic nerve?

DEAR READER: Most cases of sciatica are caused by pressure on a nerve. This pressure is most often the result of a herniated disc, not a tense muscle.

The symptoms you describe suggest that the pressure on your sciatic nerve may be extreme. In such cases, permanent damage (weakness and numbness) may develop.

Rather than advice about exercises, you need an MRI scan. This test uses electromagnetic waves to produce a picture of internal organs, including the spine. In this way, doctors can see where the pressure is exerted and how serious it is.

Ask your doctor to refer you to an orthopedic surgeon, who will order the scan and recommend further therapy, which could involve surgery to release pressure on the nerve.

Having said this, I must mention an unusual condition that is said to cause sciatica in some patients. Called piriformis syndrome, the disorder is not universally recognized by physicians. Yet, in certain patients, the piriformis muscle, deep in the buttocks, does appear to trap the sciatic nerve in its course down the back of the leg.

Accentuated by prolonged sitting (such as working at a computer), by strenuous twisting of the torso (such as shoveling snow), or even by falling on one's backside, the piriformis muscle goes into spasm. This may lead to lower backache, weakness of the hip (on the affected side), difficulty walking, pain down the back of the thigh, and numbness of the lower leg — in short, all the classic signs of a herniated disc.

The presence of piriformis syndrome will not be evident on CT scan (special X-rays) or MRI scanning. Rather, the diagnosis is made clinically: by a specific examination of the piriformis muscle. In a sitting position (or while lying flat on the back), the patient flexes the knee on the painful side, and pulls the knee across the body and slightly upward. As the hip rotates, the tight piriformis muscle is stretched, yielding increasing pain as the spastic muscle is stretched.

Most medical authorities recommend that the "piriformis test" be performed by a qualified practitioner. However, by attempting to test themselves, many patients may actually diagnose the cause of their own back pain.

In contrast to this test, a herniated disc usually causes pain when, lying on the back, the patient flexes one knee against the chest and then straightens the leg.

Orthopedic specialists who treat piriformis syndrome recommend two home exercises, which help relieve pain by stretching both the piriformis muscle and the hamstring muscles (in the back of the thigh); the hamstrings can also increase pressure on the sciatic nerve.

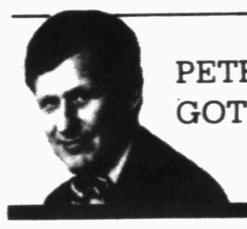
— Exercise #1. Lie down, face up, on a comfortable, flat surface (such as a thick rug on the floor). Make sure that your shoulders, legs and midback are flat against the surface. Bring the knee up (on the affected side) to waist level and plant the foot next to but JUST OUTSIDE the opposite knee. Then gently pull the bent knee down toward the floor, across the body, without moving the anchoring foot. In the presence of piriformis spasm, this maneuver will cause some pain. Carefully continue pressing the bent knee downward, releasing the pressure if the pain becomes too intense. Do this eight or 10 times per session, twice a day. As the piriformis spasm lessens (from the stretching), the exercise will hurt less and the hip will rotate more easily.

— Exercise #2. Again, lie down face up on a flat surface. Flex the affected knee up toward the chest, keeping the "good" leg flat, thus forming a right angle with the thighs. Gradually straighten the affected knee, while keeping the "down" leg flat. Repeat this eight or 10 times, twice a day.

I don't know whether or not you have piriformis syndrome. See the orthopedic surgeon and follow his advice about further tests — and the exercises I described.

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DR. GOTT



PETER. GOTT, M.D.

Joel Hook appointed to serve on TU's area advisory group

Local McDonald's owner Joel Hook has been appointed to serve on TU Electric's service area advisory group.

The advisory group is helping TU Electric develop its 1995 Integrated Resources Plan, which will guide the company's choice of fuels and resources to be used in providing electric service in the future.

The committee is made up of about 30 representatives of customer groups in TU Electric's 88-county service area. Included are a variety of civic, consumer and environmental groups, as well as business, industry, non-profit organizations and government entities.

"Members of the advisory group can provide unique perspectives in helping us decide what mix of resources — for example, coal, natural gas, solar and wind power — should be combined with conservation and demand-site management techniques to provide reliable and reasonably priced electric service in the future," said Daryl Thomas, TU Electric's manager in Snyder.

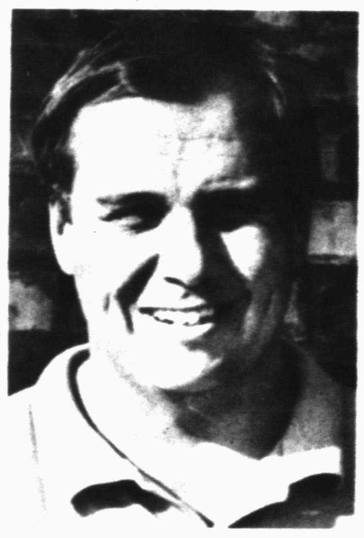
Thomas said Hook was asked to serve on the group because of his business experience and community involvement.

"As a successful businessman, Mr. Hook knows the value of a reliable supply of competitively priced electricity, and as a leader in the community he has a civic interest in the rates and quality of service that result from our planning. His input into our process is already significant and worthwhile," Thomas said.

Hook serves on the chamber of commerce board, Scurry County Economic Development Committee, is a member of the Lions Club and vice president of the Scurry County Boys & Girls Club. He also serves on the business management curriculum committee of Western Texas College.

He and his wife, Brenda, jointly operate the local McDonald's. They have three children, Clint, Jason and Alexandria.

Thomas said TU Electric is the first investor-owned utility in Texas to seek formal input into its resource planning from a cross-section of customers.



JOEL HOOK

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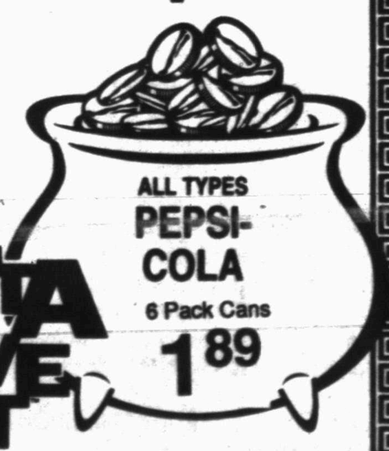
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