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Lots of children's events at county fair

Saturday's focus at the Scurry County Fair is on children, while still offering plenty of activities for moms and dads and grandparents.

For the kiddoes, there's the Pedal Tractor Pull at 10 a.m., the Critter Parade at 11:30, a talent show at 1 o'clock a Stickhorse Rodeo at 4 p.m. and the always-popular Kiddie Barnyard, which goes on throughout the day.

The horse show, at 1 o'clock, and remote control car races, at 2:30, are events for children and adults.

The Snyder Garden Club flower show is among the exhibits which open Saturday's fair at 9 a.m. A quilt and style show is planned for 10 o'clock.

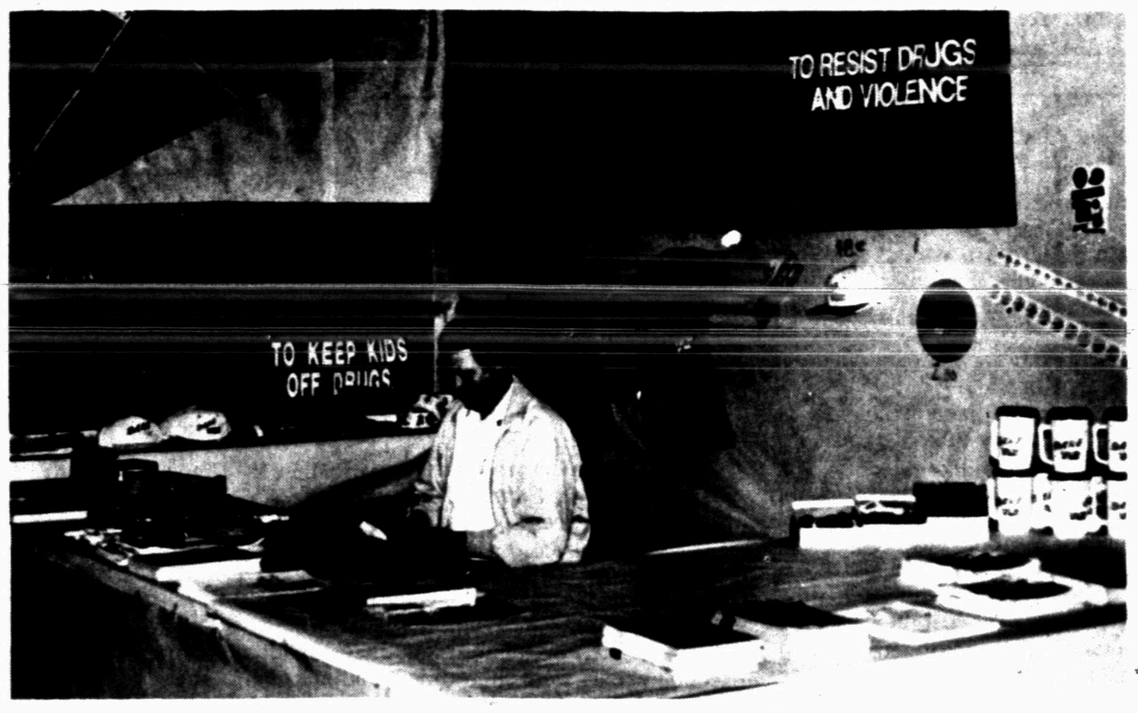
Entertainment will be provided on the coliseum stage throughout the day. Featured performers include various county church talents, the Deep Creek Cloggers and the Senior Center.

The fair opened Thursday and continues today. Activities today include Steve Harley on stage at 7 p.m. and 8:30 and a taekwondo demonstration at 7:45 p.m.

A carnival runs nightly from 7 until 10 o'clock on the coliseum grounds.

Tours of the Dermott School and Dodson House are being given from 2-6 p.m. today and from 10-2 and 2-6 p.m. Saturday.

Fair-goers will find a wide array of exhibits, chances for drawings and plenty of food available.



READY FOR THE FAIR CROWD - Scurry County Deputy Delwyn Davis mans the D.A.R.E. booth at the 30th Scurry County Fair, which will run through Saturday evening. (SDN Staff Photo)

At the fair

SATURDAY' EVENTS

9:00 ..... Coliseum opens
9:00 ..... Food booths open
9:00 ..... Exhibits, barnyard opens
9:00 ..... Flower Show opens
9:00 ..... Domino Tourney finals
10:00 ... Quilt & Style Show, stage
10:00 ..... Pedal Tractor Pull
10:00-2:00. Heritage Village open

11:00-1:00 ..... Sr. Center, stage
11:30 ..... Critter Parade
1:00 ..... Horse Show
1:00-2:00 ..... Child's Talent Show
1:30 ..... Giant Monopoly Game
2:00-4:00 ..... DC Cloggers, stage
2:00-6:00. Heritage Village open
2:30 ..... Remote Car Race

4:00 ..... Stickhorse Rodeo
5:00-10:00 ..... Church talents
7:00-10:00 ..... Carnival open
10:00 ..... Fair closes

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THE SDN COLUMN

By Roy McQueen

The feller on Deep Creek says, "The information highway can be fast, but it'll never beat gossip."

Keeping tabs on our neighbors:

Several weeks ago, we mentioned the attempt by Denver City to buy the local oilfield from Shell in an effort to hold jobs and sustain the local economy. Shell responded that the field is not for sale.

The situation has taken a new twist. The city has now proposed annexation of 473 acres south of Denver, located in Gaines County. It seems that Shell's taxes are down $500,000 next year, and the annexation would provide $100,000 in new city revenue.

Naturally, Shell objects, contending that annexing property simply to raise taxes is against the law.

The city manager responds that the city's logic is not to raise taxes, but rather to allow Denver City police officers to better patrol and watch over the area in question.

Looks like football isn't the only thing worth watching in Denver City.

In Seminole, the district judge set the salary of the county auditor by giving a 13 percent raise. Other county officials had been given a four percent pay hike.

At a protest hearing before the district judge, the auditor agreed to accept the lower amount.

On a lighter note, Brownfield's Lynn Brisendine told about a kid in a Sunday school class.

The teacher asked, "How many of you would like to go to Heaven?"

All raised their hands except one little guy. "Why not?" the teacher asked.

"I'm sorry," the kid said. "Mother told me to come right home after class."

Public invited...

Hutchison to be here for key announcement

U.S. Sen. Kay Bailey Hutchison is to be among the dignitaries present here Saturday when the Development Corporation of Snyder, Inc., makes a major industrial development announcement.

The press conference is to begin at 9 a.m. at the main terminal building at Winston Field. The public is invited.

Saturday's announcement will include remarks by the president and chief executive officer of the new industry, which will become the first tenant in Snyder's 313-acre industrial park, SnTx Park I. The park is located at the intersection of U.S. Highways 180 and 84.

U.S. Sen. Hutchison

In addition to Sen. Hutchison, others planning to attend are State Sen. Tom Haywood, State Rep. David Counts and Brian Murray with the Department of Agriculture. Also invited but unconfirmed are U.S. Sen. Phil Gramm; U.S. Congressman Charles Stenholm; the governor's agriculture director, Kimberly Sims; Lt. Gov. Bob Bullock; Speaker of the House Pete Laney; Sen. John Montford; Sen. Bill Sims; and Brenda Arnett, Texas Department of Commerce.

Crop Walk signup still open

Fund-raiser set for 2:30 p.m. Saturday

It's not too late to participate in the annual Crop Walk, set for Sunday afternoon here.

Twenty-five percent of the money raised for the walk benefits the local Food Cupboard. Other proceeds are used to combat hunger in the United States and overseas.

Nan Swanson, pastor of the First Presbyterian Church, is the director of the local walk. Citizens wishing to volunteer should contact her at 573-6915 to obtain a sponsor sheet.

Snyder officials already committed to walking include Mayor David Holt, City Manager John Gayle and SISD Superintendent Gayle Lomax.

Sunday's walk will begin at 2:30 p.m. Walkers are asked to gather in front of the courthouse.

The event is one of 2,000 Crop Walks organized each year, involving more than 3 million walkers and sponsors. Funds raised through the effort benefit the local food bank, as well as world hunger relief.

Each person who registers as a walker is also asked to consider bringing a can of food which will be donated to the Food Cupboard being established at the former Kentucky Fried Chicken building.

The Crop Walk was created several years ago by Church World Services which works with churches in more than 70 countries, helping them move beyond poverty and helplessness, Swanson said.

The organization helps in the United States when floods, hurricanes or other emergencies devastate communities. CWS also assists people around the world who are under duress from events beyond their control, such as drought and dislocation, warfare, economic upheaval and high winds and waters.

Homecoming tonight...

Big doings in Ira

There are big doings at Ira tonight, where the Bulldog faithful celebrate the school's annual homecoming.

A chili supper gets things going at 5 o'clock. Ira senior class is sponsoring the all-you-can-eat meal in the school cafeteria. Admission is $5 for adults and $3 for children.

At 7:30 p.m., the Bulldogs entertain the Rule Bobcats. Halftime will feature special performances by the cheerleaders — including the elementary group — as well as the traditional crowning of the queen. Candidates this year are senior Jody Rankin and seniors Rickki Wilkes and Lecia Leatherwood.

Game tickets are $2 for adults and $1 for students and children.

Homecoming will conclude with a dance in the gym from 10 p.m. until midnight. Tickets are $1 each. The dance is sponsored by the Ira Council for Excellence.

Time Warner to buy Turner cable tv empire

NEW YORK (AP) — Time Warner Inc. reached agreement today to buy Ted Turner's cable television empire, a deal that keeps Time Warner in first place among the world's media and entertainment giants.

Time agreed to swap newly issued sock valued at about $7.5 billion for all of Atlanta-based Turner Broadcasting System Inc.'s shares, the companies announced. That is down from an estimated $8 billion when the talks first were disclosed Aug. 30, reflecting a decline in the value of Time Warner stock since then.

It is the third mammoth deal to reshape the media and entertainment landscape in two months.

Time Warner gets cable TV assets like Cable News Network and the Cartoon Network in the deal, while adding the industry's charismatic pioneer as a major shareholder and vice chairman of the combined company.

Time Warner Chairman Gerald Levin is hoping the deal will provide new ways for his publishing, music and filmed entertainment combine, known for Time magazine, Madonna, HBO and the "Batman" movies, to grow and compete for talent and customers around the world.

The deal was approved today in meeting of both companies' boards following marathon sessions on Thursday. It still requires approval from regulators and shareholders.

The combined company will generate more than $18.7 billion in revenue a year and keep Time Warner's ranking intact as the biggest media and entertainment company in the world.

Walt Disney Co. had threatened to take that crown with its recent deal to buy Capital Cities/ABC Inc. and create a company generating about $16.4 billion a year in revenue. That deal hasn't closed yet.

The other big media merger announced recently came Aug. 1, when Westinghouse Electric Corp. said it had agreed to buy CBS Inc. for $5.4 billion in cash.

Levin and Turner have been discussing a deal for more than a month and first disclosed the talks at the end of August.

The negotiators had to overcome numerous hurdles in satisfying the diverse group of cable industry owners with stakes in Turner.

Chief among those was John Malone, the chief executive of Tele-Communications Inc.. the nation's biggest cable system operator.

TCI controls 21 percent of Turner, has three seats on its board and effective power to veto any major Turner deals.

Time Warner will pay 0.75 of a share of newly-issued Time Warner stock for each of Turner's Class A and B shares. Owners of Class C shares of Turner stock, including Malone's TCI, will get a slightly larger 0.8 of a share of Time Warner stock for each of those shares.

TCI will also get extended agreements to carry Turner cable networks as part of the deal as well the right to buy TBS's interest in SportsSouth, a regional sports cable network.

Democrats take shots at GOP Medicare plan

WASHINGTON (AP) — House Democrats, angry over Republican Medicare proposals, staged a rain-drenched, unofficial hearing on the Capitol lawn today to attack the newly released GOP plan for revamping health insurance for the elderly.

"Speaker Gingrich and Bob Dole have decided when it comes to future of Medicare, the details should be hidden," House Minority Leader Richard Gephardt, D-Mo., told an umbrella-covered crowd sitting at tables and chairs in a steady drizzle. "You can't protest what you don't even know about."

Among the speakers at the session was Labor Secretary Robert Reich, who issued a report Thursday saying senior citizens may become even more dependent on Medicare because a declining number are getting health benefits from former employers.

"For 30 years, this nation has moved in the direction of greater retirement security," said Reich. "Now, with retirement benefits declining and with Medicare under assault, we are heading in the opposite direction."

"Grandmothers are in jeopardy today as Republicans reveal a plan and we don't know the details," Rep. Charles Rangel, D-N.Y., charged on "CBS This Morning."

ASK US

Q—When does Daylight Savings Time end?

A—As always, the last Sunday in October. This year it is on Oct. 29.

FORECAST - ALMANAC

Snyder Temps: High Thursday, 67 degrees; low, 42; 7 a.m. reading Friday, 43; trace precipitation; total for 1995, 17.56 inches.

Area Forecast: Tonight, cloudy, areas of fog, light drizzle. Low in lower-mid 40s. SE 10-15 mph. Saturday, areas of morning fog, light drizzle, otherwise cloudy. Warmer, high in mid 60s. S wind 10-20 mph.

Sunset: 7:41 p.m.
Sunrise: 7:32 a.m.

Of 264 days in 1995, the sun has shone 249 days in Snyder.

TODAY'S THOUGHT

Ill-gotten gains do not profit, but righteousness delivers from death.

Proverbs 10:2

Branch Davidian found in New York

BIG SPRING (AP) — Authorities regained custody of George Roden in New York City on Thursday, five days after the former Branch Davidian leader walked away from a mental hospital.

Roden, 57, was committed to state mental institutions after he was found innocent by reason of insanity of murdering his Odessa roommate in 1989.

Officials had been looking since Sunday for the man who lost control of the Waco cult to David Koresh.

Odessa police Cpl. Sherry Sparks said Roden wound up at Bellevue Hospital Center in New York City after he caused a disturbance at the Israeli consulate Wednesday.

Roden was seeking a visa to enter Israel and became distraught when his request was denied, she said.

Police took him to Bellevue, where he told doctors his name was Joseph Roden, Ms. Sparks said.

But an attendant Thursday morning overheard him say that he escaped from Odessa on a murder charge, she said. Bellevue called Odessa police and confirmed his identify through fingerprints and a scar inflicted during a 1987 gun battle with Koresh, Ms. Sparks said.

In phone calls and letters to the Ector County Courthouse in Odessa, Roden has asked for release so that he could go to Israel for the Yom Kippur holy day, which is Oct. 4. Roden has said he is Jewish and contended that PLO-trained hitmen were trying to kill him, the Odessa American reported in 1993.

Kathy Higgins, spokeswoman for the Big Spring State Hospital, said she did not know how Roden got to New York or what he had been doing since he left the minimum-security facility Sunday.

Roden's 1993 escape from the Big Spring State Hospital ended when authorities found him in Abilene four days later.

Ms. Higgins said she did not know when Roden would be brought back to Texas.

Roden's mother owned the 77 acres where the Branch Davidians built their Mount Carmel compound near Waco. Her will named Koresh as trustee.

The Roden-Koresh power struggle escalated to the 1987 gun battle that led to attempted murder charges against Koresh and seven others. The seven were acquitted; a mistrial was declared in Koresh's case.

The Branch Davidians gained worldwide attention when four federal agents were shot to death attempting to arrest Koresh on weapons charges in 1993. A 51-day standoff with authorities ended when Mount Carmel burned with about 80 of Koresh's followers inside.

Suspected ranson caller waiting for new date to be set

CONROE (AP) — A Houston judge has rescheduled a bond hearing of a Houston woman accused in the capital murder of 12-year-old McKay Everett, who reportedly was abducted, then killed in a botched kidnap-ransom scheme.

Irene Flores, 52, was sent back to her cell Thursday after State District Judge John Martin rescheduled her bond hearing for Oct. 2.

Defense attorney Chris Flood said he had evidence he said will prove Flores had nothing to do with the boy's slaying.

"I think the district attorney's office doesn't want the people of Montgomery County to know she was tricked by Hilton Crawford and that other people were in fact approached by Hilton Crawford and tricked, too," Flood said.

Judge Martin rescheduled the hearing at the request of prosecutor Mike Aduddell, who said Flores' motion seeking bond was filed on prior charges of aggravated kidnapping.

The motion became moot after she was indicted Wednesday on new charges of capital murder, he said, even though Flood had amended the motion.

Aduddell later denied Flood's accusation that the Montgomery County District Attorney's office opposes a bond hearing because of the evidence he claims to have.

District Attorney Dan Rice contends that Flores is guilty because of her admitted role in the abduction that led to his slaying. Under Texas law, a party to a murder is just as guilty as the person who pulls the trigger.

Flores has admitted she demanded $500,000 from the father of McKay on Sept. 12, the night the boy was kidnapped from his home near Conroe.

The boy was later killed in a scheme authorities believe was masterminded by 56-year-old Crawford of Conroe. He also was indicted Wednesday on charges of capital murder.

Investigators say Crawford, a security guard and former police officer, plotted the kidnapping because he was broke.

Governor, comptroller exchange barbs

AUSTIN (AP) — The next gubernatorial election is three years away, but two high-profile potential contenders already are sniping at each other.

In one corner is Republican Gov. George W. Bush, fresh from a successful first legislative session. He hasn't said whether he'll seek a second term.

In the other is state Comptroller John Sharp, a Democratic heavyweight often mentioned as a possible gubernatorial candidate. He's been coy about his political plans.

The fight is over the effect on Texas of a congressional overhaul of Medicaid.

When comptroller's office spokesman Chuck McDonald — who previously worked for defeated Democratic Gov. Ann Richards — criticized a Medicaid plan unveiled by U.S. House Republicans, Bush sent a sharp letter.

"The reason I write to you is that this is the second time in a week that Mr. McDonald has been publicly engaged in this process," said the letter to Sharp from Bush, who has called the Medicaid proposal a good start.

Bush's letter continued, "Last week. it was brought to my attention by a fellow governor that Mr. McDonald was on location of the Republican governor's meeting and was speaking negatively about my efforts to help Texas.

"I am concerned about the mixed messages being sent. Does he speak for you? If so, perhaps you and I should visit so I can bring you up to date on my discussions with leaders of the House and Senate," Bush wrote.

The governor said if Sharp's office is talking with federal leaders concerning Medicaid and other budgetary matters, "your representatives should let my office know of their activities."

"The world is changing and these are difficult times. I am working hard to mitigate these risks for Texas and feel we can succeed if we are united and coordinated," wrote Bush, who forwarded copies of the letter to Lt. Gov. Bob Bullock and House Speaker Pete Laney.

Sharp didn't back off in a Thursday response to the governor, also sending copies to Bullock and Laney.

The comptroller said that McDonald does speak for him, "and I believe he has accurately reported the effect that this latest block grant proposal would have on Texas taxpayers. I suggest that any personal ill will you harbor toward Mr. McDonald is for you and him to resolve."

Sharp said that as Texas' chief fiscal officer, he brought to the attention of Bush and state lawmakers "the gross disparity for Texas proposed in various block grant formulas."

The comptroller said that while he supports a block-grant system, the proposed legislation wouldn't give Texas a fair share of federal funds.

"As you know, I have been asked to endorse this so-called compromise," Sharp wrote of the House Republicans' plan. "However, I will not take part in a cynical game of deception that tells Texans we slew the federal dragon when all we did was clip its fingernails.

"It may be tempting to say that the current plan proposed by House Republicans corrects funding inequities for Texas. Tempting, but untrue," wrote Sharp. He called the proposal "an unmitigated disaster for Texas."

The comptroller said he has applauded Republican U.S. Sen. Kay Bailey Hutchison of Texas for working to convince other members of Congress of the need to overhaul federal block grant formulas.

"For the one-hundredth time, this is not about personalities, Republicans or Democrats," Sharp wrote. "This is about Texas and our duty to settle only for fairness for our state."

Gloria Estefan likes 'Latin' rhythms

MIAMI BEACH, Fla. (AP) — Gloria Estefan says she wants to turn the rest of the world on to the rhythms of Latin America and the Caribbean.

That's the goal of her new album, "Opening Doors" or as it's known in Spanish, "Abriendo Puertas."

"In one sense, it is a metaphor for Latins," she said. "We must find the way to work together without changing our ways of being."

Estefan, 38, two years ago recorded an album entirely in Spanish, "Mi Tierra" with music inspired from her native Cuba.

Dear Abby

By Abigail Van Buren

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Lover's Marriage Is Convenient Despite His Long-Term Affair

DEAR ABBY: I had an ongoing affair with a married man for four years. His wife found out about it and issued an ultimatum. He is still with his wife. He says it's a matter of convenience, family and money, but he swears he loves me and begs me to be patient. He says that we will be together as soon as the time is right and he has had a chance to work things out.

My sister says I am just a "convenience" for him and I add a little excitement to his life, and if he really loves me, he would end his marriage and marry me.

Abby, I don't want to believe this, but it's been two years, and I am tired of waiting. I am also married with children and would like to start making plans for my future.

Can you tell me what percentage of married men actually leave their wives and marry their mistresses?

UPSET AND IMPATIENT

DEAR UPSET: I have no reliable statistics on the percentage of married men who leave their wives to marry their mistresses. However, I agree with your sister. If I were you, I'd try harder to make my own marriage work. If that's not possible, I'd look for a decent single man.

* * *

DEAR ABBY: When being introduced to people, I am often hesitant to tell them what I do for a living (funeral director). However, when it surfaces in conversation, some people respond with grimaces or wrinkled noses, and some even step back away from me! (Body language speaks volumes.) Others ask gross questions, or accuse me of taking advantage of those in grief, or being a "gore-monger"!

Abby, I left bartending and chose funeral service as my career. I had to go back to college to do it. I am not in it for the money. I drive a 10-year-old jalopy and live in a low-rent area of town.

I take pride in my ability to restore for viewing a body ravaged by illness or physical trauma. And I find it deeply satisfying to successfully counsel a grieving family during their loss, or help them solemnize the passing of a loved one in a dignified and memorable way.

I am tired of concealing my profession for fear of morbid questions and rude accusations. Maybe if you print my letter, funeral directors everywhere will be spared the unthinking statements.

UNDERCOVER UNDERTAKER

DEAR UNDERCOVER: You provide a significant service, and I commend you for speaking up. Most families desperately need your guidance in their time of sorrow.

Try to overlook the facial expressions and negative body language. They reflect less a judgment of you than their own anxiety about death in general. When asked questions you would rather not answer, simply say that you don't "talk shop" outside of the "office."

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For Abby's favorite family recipes, send a long, self-addressed envelope, plus check or money order for $3.95 ($4.50 in Canada) to: Dear Abby, Cookbooklet No. 1, P.O. Box 447, Mount Morris, Ill. 61054-0447. (Postage is included.)

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Selena's father to attend trial

CORPUS CHRISTI (AP) — Selena's father says he will attend the trial for the woman accused of killing the Tejano star, but denies that he is withholding records in the criminal case.

Abraham Quintanilla Jr.'s attorney on Thursday filed court papers to fight subpoenas requested for the Corpus Christi man.

However, murder suspect Yolanda Saldivar's legal team isn't giving up in its efforts to get fan club and financial records from Quintanilla, along with any evidence to back contentions that she embezzled money from Selena.

Quintanilla said Thursday he has provided fan club records and cooperated with Corpus Christi lawyer Douglas Tinker.

"That has already been presented," Quintanilla said, adding that he planned to attend Ms. Saldivar's Oct. 9 trial in Houston.

Tinker's legal assistant said the lawyer filed four subpoenas Wednesday for Quintanilla to provide records and a fifth subpoena to Daniel Salinas of Corpus Christi, Selena's former accountant.

"We want to see the financial records — any and all records of Selena's fan club," said Tina Rogers, the assistant. "Supposedly, Mr. Quintanilla took away records from the previous president, Irene Herrera of San Antonio, in February.

"She testified in pretrial that she had all the fan club records from Yolanda," said Ms. Rogers. "Abraham picked them up and we want them."

She said any copies of proof of embezzlement by Ms. Saldivar, 34, were also sought.

Ms. Saldivar, Selena's former fan club president, is charged with shooting the musician on March 31 at a Corpus Christi hotel.

Also, Ms. Saldivar also has been accused of embezzling more than $30,000 from the singer's business accounts during a five-month period from last September through January. She hasn't been charged with that crime.

Man executed for killing four elderly persons

RALEIGH, N.C. (AP) — A man was executed by injection early today for beating to death four elderly people he said were demons with red eyes, horns and tails.

"I'm going to heaven!" Phillip Lee Ingle, 34, yelled after he was rolled into Central Prison's death chamber on a gurney.

In his final statement, Ingle said he did not believe in capital punishment but stopped his appeals "so that the victims' families can maybe find some peace to put an end to what has happened."

Ingle, who said he wanted to die, was convicted for the 1991 murders of two couples.

William Davis, 68, and his wife, Margaret, 67, were beaten with an ax handle. E.Z. Willis, 70, and his wife, Sarah, 67, were bludgeoned with a tire iron. Before he was caught, Ingle admitted the slayings to a friend and said he enjoyed watching people die in agony, authorities said.

Once imprisoned, Ingle told counselor Jimmy Creech he thought the victims were devils and he was doing God's work by killing them, Creech has said.

Creech said the statements were clear evidence of mental illness. Judges, however, ruled that Ingle was competent to stand trial and to stop his appeals.

Bridge

By Phillip Alder

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Vulnerable: Both
Dealer: South

South	West	North	East
1 NT	Pass	3 NT	All pass

Opening lead: ♠A

Get rid of that card

By Phillip Alder

J. Churton Collins, the English author, critic and scholar, claimed, "The secret of success in life is known only to those who have not succeeded." I'm not sure I agree with that, yet in bridge the secret of success is sometimes, especially on defense, to play the card that you are known to hold. If you keep the known card in your hand, declarer learns more about your holding. Today's deal features an example of this play, which would be overlooked by many players.

After a quantitative auction to three no-trump, West started with one of his top spades. Then, noting that his eight was about to be high, West cashed three more spade tricks. On the last of these, dummy and declarer threw diamonds while East discarded two low hearts.

West switched to the diamond 10.

South had seven top tricks: three hearts, two diamonds and two clubs. So, he had to bring in four club tricks. After winning trick five with dummy's diamond king, declarer played a club to his jack and cashed the club king.

East was awake: Smoothly he dropped the club *queen*, the card he was known to hold. Now, when South led his last club toward dummy's ace-nine, he had a guess. If East had started with only two clubs, declarer had to finesse dummy's nine. Whereas if East had made a clever play, South had to call for dummy's ace. Most declarers would finesse dummy's nine.

Watch for examples of playing the card you are known to hold. It makes life tougher for your opponents.

Phillip Alder's book, "Get Smarter at Bridge," is available, autographed upon request, for $14.95 from P.O. Box 169, Roslyn Hts., NY 11577-0169.

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Dr. Gott

By Peter Gott, M.D.

Does surgery cure hiatal hernia?

By Peter H. Gott, M.D.

DEAR DR. GOTT: I'm a 52-year-old with a hiatal hernia. I've heard of a type of surgery for correction and wonder about it. I'm on several medications and have the head of my bed elevated four inches. Will something further, such as surgery, help?

DEAR READER: Hiatal hernia is caused by a weakness in the ring of muscle that encircles the esophagus where it joins the stomach. As this ring becomes weaker with time, acid reflux (the backwash of stomach contents into the esophagus) may occur, or part of the stomach itself may move through the ring up into the chest. In both cases, pain, indigestion, heartburn, and bloating — often in conjunction with a cough — are the consequences.

In most instances of hiatal hernia, the discomfort can be relieved by a variety of techniques, including raising the head of the bed, eating small meals, using antacids, and taking prescription drugs (such as Prilosec).

However, despite these measures, some patients continue to experience symptoms. In such instances, surgery must be considered. During the operation, the ring of weakened muscle is tightened and the hernia repaired.

I don't know if you are a surgical candidate. Ask your doctor about this. An operation may help you, especially if you continue to have symptoms that are not relieved by the traditional methods I mentioned.

To give you more information, I am sending you a free copy of my Health Report "Hiatal Hernia." Other readers who would like a copy should send $2 plus a long, self-addressed, stamped envelope to P.O. Box 2017, Murray Hill Station, New York, NY 10150. Be sure to mention the title.

DEAR DR. GOTT: I've had a sore throat for several years. My doctor can't find anything wrong but it definitely hurts. I have a constant hacky cough and feel as if I'm choking all the time. What's wrong?

DEAR READER: Assuming that your doctor has checked (and X-rayed) you for the common causes of cough — such as bronchitis, pneumonia and cancer — he should now address the more unusual causes. The two that spring to mind are post-nasal drip and acid reflux.

In the first instance, the body responds to air pollution, tobacco smoke and pollen by producing excess mucus from the sinuses. This clear, watery but irritating fluid drains down the throat, inflaming tissues and leading to violent attacks of dry, hacky cough. Ordinarily, the discharge can be seen at the back of the throat.

Treatment includes avoidance of irritating substances in the air (for example, stop smoking); however, an allergist may have to be consulted if your doctor suspects that an allergy is the culprit.

In the second case, reflux (backwash) of acidic stomach contents into the esophagus often causes a burning throat and paroxysms of severe coughing. The diagnosis is usually evident on X-rays of the upper intestinal tract (upper GI series) and is treated with antacids and drugs, such as Tagamet, to block the formation of excess gastric acid.

You should return to your family physician and have the tests I mentioned.

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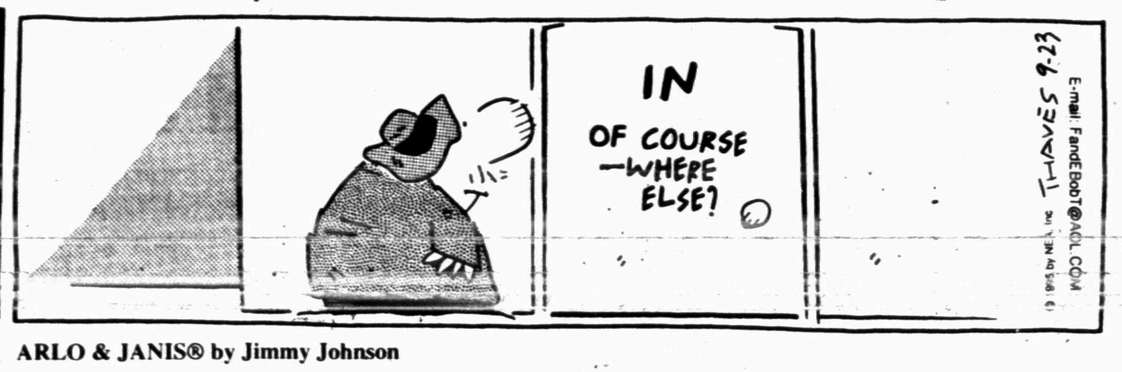

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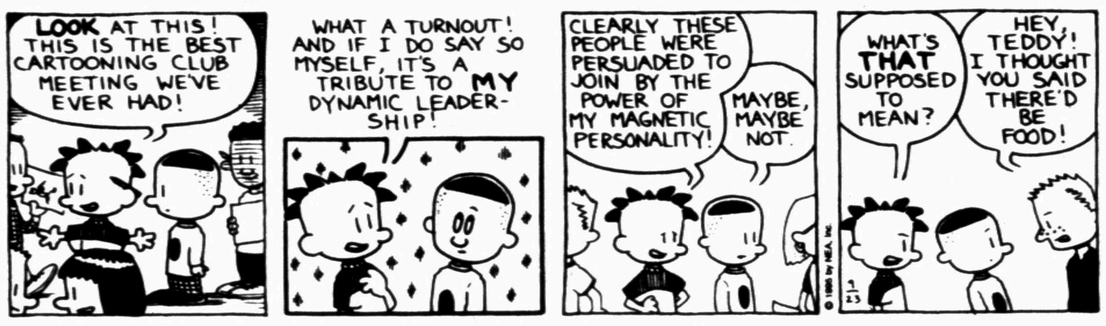

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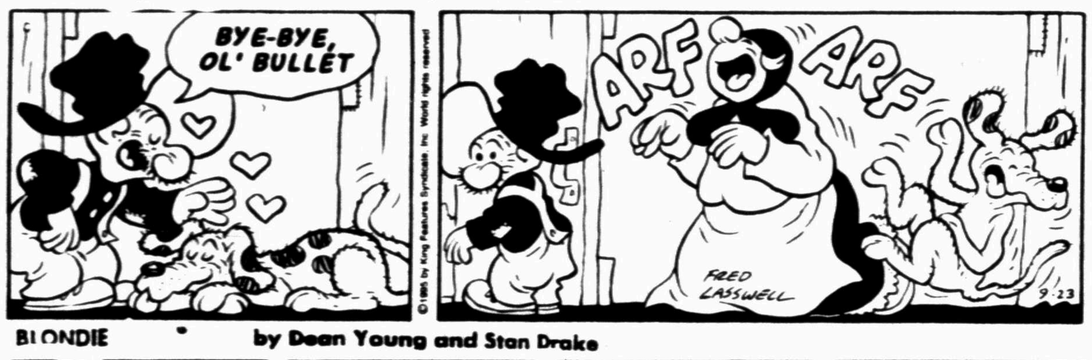

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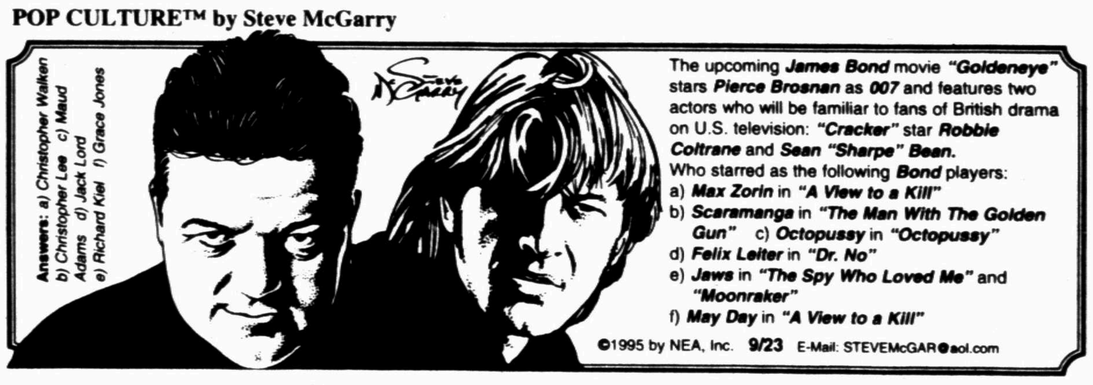

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12 Actress Merkel
13 Musical composition
14 Naval abbr.
15 Classified —
16 At right angles to ship
17 Business abbr.
18 — on (spoils)
20 Emblem
22 That way
26 Indian maid
29 Madrid Mrs.
30 Nearly all
34 Security
35 Male sheep
36 Utah ski resort
37 Maturing agent
38 Feel poorly
39 Layer
40 Stand
41 Chemical suffix
42 Do — others ...
43 Like top-ranked teams
46 Pedal
49 Horse race
53 Actor Brynner
54 Residence
58 Sweet potato
59 Angel's favorite abbr.
60 Basketball's Kareem — -Jabbar
61 Curve
62 Gratuity
63 — — Janeiro
64 Basketball org.

DOWN

1 Campus area
2 Loosen
3 Direction
4 Collision
5 Hoodlum
6 Compass pt.
7 Actress Lupino
8 Narrow valley (Brit.)
9 Tobacco chew
10 Military abbr.
11 Formerly
19 Light and airy
21 Defense mechanism
23 Abraham's nation
24 Teaches
25 Shakespearean hero
26 Culture medium
27 TV antenna type
28 Eras
31 TV actor Ken —
32 Let it stand
33 Source of poi
44 Merry Widow composer
45 Fred Astaire's sister
46 Sac
47 Cosmonaut — Gagarin
48 Hoof sound
50 Actor — O'Neal
51 Critical remark
52 Non-profit org.
55 Oriental sash
56 Ginseng plant
57 Wool-washing residue

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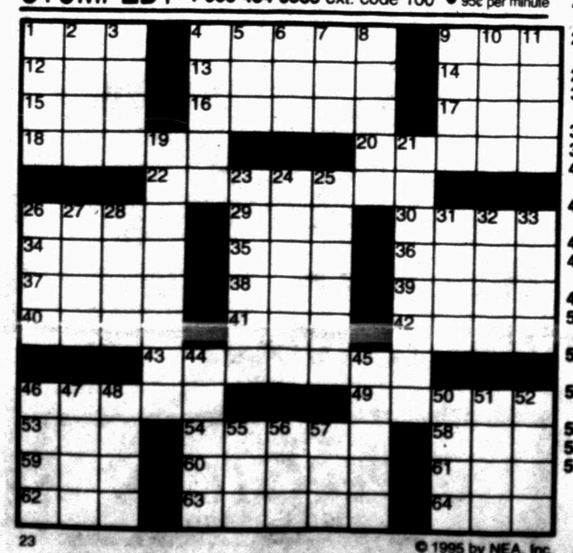

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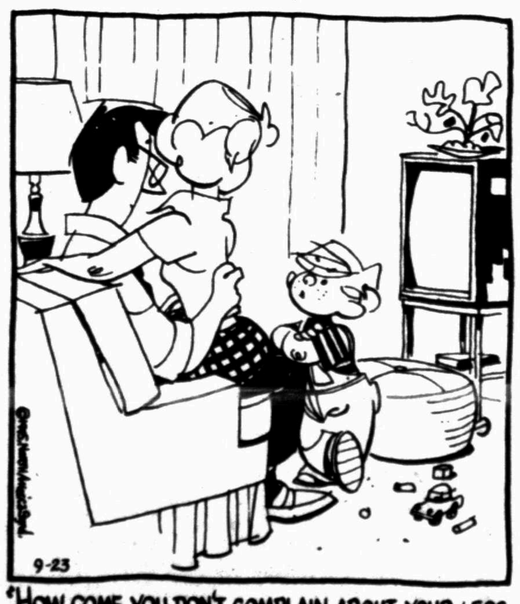

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SPORTS

Cold temps, hot times in first rodeo

PORTALES, N.M. — If Western Texas College has had a problem at the Southwest Region's first rodeo of the fall season, it's not been with bucking broncs or teetering barrels.

"We're just trying to stay warm," said Coach Todd Danley.

The Eastern New Mexico University NIRA Rodeo opened here Thursday night to below-normal temperatures but red-hot performances.

"We're starting the year with a bang," said Danley. "Now we just need to keep it up through Saturday. And stay warm in between."

Chasity Rickman got the WTC women's team off to a quick start Thursday night. The sophomore from Hereford leads in two events. She clocked an 18.2-second run in the barrels and tied her goat in 9.5.

Men's team member Pete Ellis, another returning performer from last year, scored a 76 to lead the saddle bronc. Brent Harvey is fourth in the steer wrestling with a 9.7-second time and fifth in the calf roping at 12.5.

Two other Western Texas cowboys had good showings Thursday. Greg Benson of Calgary, Canada scored a 67 and is tied for first in the bareback event. Brad Mercer of Montgomery, Ala. is holding down second in the bull riding with a 74.

The ENMU rodeo continues with a performance at 7:30 tonight, after-show slack, and more slack at 9 a.m. Saturday. The top 10 cowboys and cowgirls in each event will advance to Saturday's short-go, set for 7:30 p.m. in Lewis Cooper Arena.

BASEBALL AT A GLANCE

By The Associated Press
American League Standings
All Times EDT

East Division

	W	L	Pct.	GB
x-Boston	81	53	.604	-
NewYork	72	64	.529	10
Baltimore	64	72	.470	18
Detroit	57	78	.422	24½
Toronto	54	82	.397	28

Central Division

	W	L	Pct.	GB
x-Cleveland	93	42	.689	-
KansasCity	68	67	.504	25
Milwaukee	63	72	.467	30
Chicago	62	72	.463	30½
Minnesota	52	82	.388	40½

West Division

	W	L	Pct.	GB
California	72	63	.533	-
Seattle	72	63	.533	-
Texas	68	67	.504	4
Oakland	67	68	.496	5

x-clinched division title.

Thursday's Games

Baltimore 13, Detroit 1
Chicago 5, Milwaukee 1
New York 6, Toronto 4
Minnesota 5, Kansas City 2
Only games scheduled

Friday's Games

California (Langston 15-5) at Texas (Rogers 14-7), 8:05 p.m.
Cleveland (Hershiser 14-6) at Kansas City (Fleming 1-6), 8:05 p.m.
Chicago (Sirotka 0-2) at Minnesota (Rodriguez 5-7), 8:05 p.m.
Baltimore (Brown 8-9) at Milwaukee (Givens 5-5), 8:05 p.m.
Detroit (Lima 2-8) at New York (Cone 16-8), 8:05 p.m.
Toronto (Leiter 11-9) at Boston (Clemens 8-5), 8:05 p.m.
Oakland (Van Poppel 4-7) at Seattle (Belcher 10-10), 11:05 p.m.

National League Standings
All Times EDT

East Division

	W	L	Pct.	GB
x-Atlanta	86	50	.632	-
Philadelphia	67	69	.493	19
NewYork	63	72	.467	22½
Montreal	62	72	.463	23
Florida	61	73	.455	24

Central Division

	W	L	Pct.	GB
y-Cincinnati	80	54	.597	-
Houston	70	64	.522	10
Chicago	65	69	.485	15
St.Louis	59	75	.440	21
Pittsburgh	56	79	.415	24½

West Division

	W	L	Pct.	GB
Colorado	72	62	.537	-
LosAngeles	71	64	.526	1½
SanDiego	66	69	.489	6½
SanFrancisco	64	70	.478	8

x-clinched division title.
y-clinched division tie.

Thursday's Games

Atlanta 3, New York 0
Philadelphia 3, Florida 1
Pittsburgh 4, Chicago 3
San Diego 5, Los Angeles 1
San Francisco 5, Colorado 3
Only games scheduled

Friday's Games

Pittsburgh (Ericks 3-8) at Chicago (Foster 10-11), 3:20 p.m.
Montreal (Perez 10-7) at Atlanta (Glavine 15-6), 8:05 p.m.
New York (Cornelius 2-6) at Florida (Rapp 12-7), 8:05 p.m.
St. Louis (Watson 8-6) at Houston (Drabek 10-8), 8:05 p.m.
Cincinnati (Smiley 12-4) at Philadelphia (Williams 2-3), 8:05 p.m.
San Diego (Valenzuela 7-3) at Los Angeles (Tapani 3-2), 11:05 p.m.
Colorado (Ritz 10-10) at San Francisco (Estes 0-1), 11:05 p.m.

8th grade splits with Bulldogs

The Snyder Junior High eight grade teams braved the weather Thursday night and split with Abilene Wylie. The black (B) team won 14-8 while the gold (A) team lost 22-0.

For the black team, Bebos Martinez rushed eight times for 48 yards and one touchdown. He also scored on a two-point conversion. Justin Parker carried the ball nine times for 63-yards. David Wilson carried three times for 13 yards. Parker picked up a fumble and ran 45 yards for a touchdown.

Quarterbacks Trevor Kerr and Russell Wall did an excellent job, according to Coach Chris Wigington. Defensive standouts were Brandon Bowlin, Joe Villa, Billy Burleson, and Jeremy Nelson.

Sonny Cumbie was six of 12 passing for 62 yards, despite the loss. Ray Carreon rushed 13 times for 102 yards while Dewayne Allred carried twice for 44 yards. Paul Camp ran six times for 33 yards and Dallas Jones once for 18 yards.

Randy Green, Angel Velasquez, Asidro Villasana, Kade Kadina, and Justin Phillips were praised for outstanding work on the offensive line. On the defensive side, Justin Rosson, Brady Hackfeld, Joseph Vargas, Cory Knipe and Joe Esparza had good games.

The gold team's record is 0-1-1 and the black is 2-0.

7th grade black wins over Wylie

The seventh grade black (B) team from Snyder Junior High was victorious over Abilene Wylie, 28-6, Thursday night.

Donnie Sims scored two touchdowns on a 20-yard run and on a 30-yard pass from Garrett Luft. Their next touchdown came on a 40-yard run from Edwin James. Luft got the final touchdown of the night on a 12-yard run.

Chad Thompson and Aris Locket were singled out for their defensive work by Coach Charles Bollinger.

In a defensive struggle, the seventh grade white (A) team battled Wylie to a 0-0 tie.

Outstanding players for Snyder were Josh Arizmendi, Jarrod Thornhill, Labow Rivers and R.J. Hernandez.

The seventh grade teams will travel to Big Spring Thurday with the black team playing at 5 p.m. and the white at 6:30 p.m.

Tiger JV gets bit by 'Dogs

The Snyder Tiger JV was defeated by Abilene Wylie Thurday night, 16-0. "We got burned on two long plays," said Coach Tommy Doyle. "Our kids are getting better every week."

The JV record drops to 0-3 with Big Spring next on the schedule. The Tigers will play on the Steers' home turf Thursday.

Ira goes for win in homecoming game

The Hermleigh Cardinals will be looking to bounce back from an unexpected loss to Southland tonight when they host Abilene Christian. The Cardinals were defeated by Southland, 26-20, in a game Coach David Rogers described as a "wake up call for our team."

Abilene Christian jumped out to a 41 point lead over Lueders-Avoca, but hung on to win 49-30. Abilene Christian's record is 2-0 while Hermleigh is 1-1.

Borden County will be trying to keep their unbeaten record intact when they travel to Southland. The Coyotes pitched a shut out last week by downing Grady 42-0.

It's homecoming time in Ira and the Bulldogs will be looking to get in the winning column with a win over Rule. The Bulldogs came close to winning last week, but Patton Springs came from behind to win 21-20.

Rule did not play last week.

In other District 6, Six-Man action, Highland is home to play Paint Rock. The Hornets were overpowered by Blackwell, 32-16, one week ago while Paint Rock lost to May, 52-28.

Loraine will be looking for their first win of the season when they host Midland Christian. The Bulldogs, who are expected to repeat as district champs, lost to Sands last week, 34-28. Midland Christian is the number one rated private school in six-man football.

After two weeks on the road, Westbrook will have their home opener tonight as they host Jayton. In a game called by the 45 point rule, the Wildcats outscored Union, 48-0.

Jayton was defeated by the defending six-man state champion Amherst Bulldogs, 54-33.

Westbrook and Jayton will enter the game with 1-1 record.

LOCAL SPORTS BRIEFS

SCC men's club championship

Snyder Country Club will host the annual men's club championship Saturday and Sunday. Tee times both day will be at 12:30 p.m. with a shotgun start.

Punt, pass, & kick

The Hermleigh Booster Club will host a local competition for NFL Gatorade Punt, Pass, & Kick, Saturday at 5 p.m. Sign up for the competition will start at 4:30 p.m. at Cardinal Stadium in Hermleigh.

The competition is open to boys and girls ages 8 to 15 from Hermleigh. There is no cost to enter. For more information call 863-2241 after 5 p.m.

2nd annual bean supper

The WTC Booster club is sponsoring its second annual bean supper tonight at the Coliseum. Serving will begin at 5 p.m. and continue until 7 p.m.

Tickets are $4 for adults and $2.50 for children 12 and under. Proceeds will go to help with expenses for the Lady Westerners basketball program.

Everyone is urged to stop by on their way to Abilene to support the Tigers.

Aggies ready for Buffaloes

It's 932 miles from College Station, Texas, to the Fiesta Bowl in Tempe, Ariz., where this season's national championship football game will be played Jan. 2.

That is, of course, unless you're third-ranked Texas A&M, which has to make an extra 821-mile jaunt to Boulder, Colo., this Saturday before it can begin thinking about a trip to Tempe.

In the shadows of the Rocky Mountains, the Aggies have a mountainous roadblock to their national title hopes in the form of No. 7 Colorado.

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A victory Saturday could poise A&M for a run to the summit. A loss will make A&M's title dreams thinner than the mile-high air at Folsom Field.

A&M coach R.C. Slocum said his team has been able to handle the avalanche of pre-game media attention and will perform well.

"We've had a more intense workout atmosphere this week. I think that's positive," he said.

"I'm glad the players have a sense that this is an important ballgame."

The game will be televised nationally at 2:30 p.m. on ABC.

Except Texas Tech, which is idle, the rest of the SWC also is on the road this weekend. No. 13 Texas is at No. 21 Notre Dame (nationally televised on NBC beginning at 11:30 a.m.); Baylor is at North Carolina State; Southern Methodist is at Wisconsin; Houston is at Kansas; Rice is at No. 18 LSU; and Texas Christian visits Vanderbilt.

The Colorado game will be a showcase for Aggies tailback Leeland McElroy.

McElroy has rushed for an average of 172.5 yards and gained an average 322 all-purpose yards per game this season.

DISTRICT 5-AAAA PREVIEW

By Brent Taylor
Sports Editor

Snyder (2-0) at Abilene Wylie (2-0)

Last Week:
Snyder defeated Monahans 32-6
Wylie defeated Graham 33-17

Snyder had little problems putting Monahans away, but look for a different game with Wylie. Like the Tigers, the Bulldogs are also undefeated.

Wylie has a balanced offense that is capable of putting points on the board. They have scored 52 points in their first two games, and have given up 26.

Estacado (1-1) at Big Spring (0-2)

Last Week:
Estacado lost to Andrews 13-7
Big Spring lost to Sweetwater 27-12

Coming off an upset loss to Andrews, the Matadors will be looking to get back on the winning road. Two fourth quarter fumbles cost the Mats the game. Estacado fumbled at its own 2-yard line and the Mustangs recovered for a TD. With 1:50 left in the game, lighting struck again with Andrews recovering another fumble in the end zone for the winning TD.

Big Spring never had a chance as they were totally destroyed by Sweetwater. The Steers tried to make a late run, but a 34-yard touchdown pass and a 75-yard run for a touchdown was too little too late.

Lamesa (1-1) at Reagan County (1-1)

Last Week:
Lamesa lost to Lake View 28-0
Reagan County lost to Ballinger 63-0

Lamesa was shut our by San Angleo Lake View last week, but showed a balanced attack throwing the ball for 112 yards and rushing for 115. Lake View, however, threw for 138 yards and rushed for 214.

Reagan County was embarrassed by a tough Bearcat team and was only able to muster 76 yards of offense

Frenship (1-1) at Caprock (0-2)

Last Week:
Frenship lost to Hobbs, N.M. 10-0
Caprock lost to Wichita Falls 28-22

A fake field goal with five seconds left in the second quarter was enough to secure the Hobbs Eagles' win over Frenship. The Tigers had their chances, failing on a 38-yard field goal after reaching the Eagle 12-yard line and then again failing on a 33-yard field goal after reaching the Eagle 19-yard line.

Caprock lost a Saturday game to Wichita Falls.

Monahans (0-2) at Levelland (2-0)

Last Week:
Levelland defeated Canyon 14-13
Monahans lost to Snyder 32-6

Levelland will look to keep their record intact against winless Monahans. Levelland won a nail biter over Canyon after picking up a fumble and returning it for a touchdown in the fourth quarter.

Monahans will be looking to get its offense going after putting up six points in two games.

Andrews (1-1) at Sweetwater (2-0)

Last Week:
Sweetwater defeated Big Spring 27-12
Andrews defeated Estacado 13-7

Sweetwater...or should we say Shaun Carr ran over Big Spring. Carr carried the ball 19 times and gained 285 yards, giving him a two-game total of 538 yards for a 12.8 yard average.

Andrews' defense, coming off an upset victory over Estacado, might slow down Carr, but chances are, they won't stop him.

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Requests for public hearing from persons who can show they are adversely affected, or requests for further information concerning any aspect of the application should be submitted in writing, within fifteen days of publication, to the Environmental Services Section, Oil and Gas Division, Railroad Commission of Texas, Drawer 12967, Capitol Station, Austin, Texas 78711 (Telephone 512-463-6790).

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Arrest made in gang ambush; more sought

LOS ANGELES (AP) — The public is being urged to overcome fear and identify more suspects in the slaying of a 3-year-old girl shot when the car she was in strayed into gang turf.

"This is intolerable," said Mayor Richard Riordan. "Angelenos must simply not accept living in fear as part of their lives."

Vincent Caldera, 23, a paroled killer and alleged gang member who lived near the dead-end street known as "Avenue of the Assassins," was booked Thursday for investigation of murder and attempted murder. He was being held without bail.

The toddler, Stephanie Kuhen, was one of six people in a car that was ambushed early Sunday in a hail of gunfire when the driver took a wrong turn onto the street in the Cypress Park neighborhood northeast of downtown.

Tim Stone, the driver, suffered a minor back wound. Stephanie's brother, 2-year-old Joseph, was released from a hospital Wednesday with a leg wound.

Caldera was believed to be one of the gunmen, Police Chief Willie Williams said. Prosecutors were to review the case Monday and decide whether to file charges, district attorney's spokesman Sandi Gibbons said.

Authorities implored the public to help identify three or four others believed to be involved in the attack.

Caldera's girlfriend, 17-year-old Nora Carrillo, denied he had anything to do with the shooting.

"We were out of town when all of this happened, and they're trying to say he killed this little girl," said Ms. Carrillo, who is pregnant with Caldera's baby.

Williams said that Caldera "is viewed in the community as one of the most vicious and vile members of the Avenues gang."

Caldera was sentenced to three years for manslaughter by Superior Court Judge Lance Ito, the O.J. Simpson trial judge, on a plea bargain in another murder, court records show. The charge, reduced from murder, stemmed from a 1992 gang attack in which a companion was killed.

Williams described Caldera as a "soldier" in the Mexican Mafia, a far-flung, prison-based gang, as well as a street gang member.

15 African lions killed after fleeing compound

LAVA HOT SPRINGS, Idaho (AP) — Hunters shot and killed 15 African lions that escaped from a chicken wire-enclosed game compound and frightened schoolchildren, farmers and animals alike.

The National Humane Society has reclaimed about 25 lions and tigers, and the 70 wolf-dog hybrids remaining at the ramshackle Ligertown Game Farm Inc. in rural southeastern Idaho.

No charges have been filed against the owners, Robert Fieber and Dotti Martin.

Lava Elementary School, with 146 students, closed Thursday, a day after farmer Bruce Hansen saw a lion stalking some of his animals and shot it. Parents were called and told not to send their children to bus stops and to keep their pets inside.

About 50 sheriff's deputies, SWAT teams, Fish and Game officers and Idaho state troopers hunted down the animals that escaped Wednesday. A helicopter with a heat-sensing device also was used to help search for the cats, some of which weighed up to 550 pounds.

The animals were housed in cages described as makeshift, with various kinds of fence attached randomly to construct pens. Wooden pallets were used for gates. "Imagine keeping a 500-pound animal in a chicken coop," Undersheriff Lorin Nielsen said.

The animals that were caged at the compound included "ligers," a cross-breed of lions and tigers.

In 1984, federal and state authorities in Oregon raided a game ranch Fieber had operated there and charged him with 54 counts of animal cruelty. He pleaded no contest to four misdemeanor counts alleging food sanitation violations and the other charges were dropped.

Fieber and Martin were convicted of operating a private wildlife park without a permit in 1989, but a judge overturned the conviction, ruling that a state law defining a wildlife park was vague.

Markets

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	High	Low	Last	
AMR Corp	70⅝	69½	69⅝	—1
AT&T Corp	62½	62	62⅛	— ¼
AirTouch	32¾	32½	32½	— ⅛
Albertsons	33¾	33½	33¾	— ¼
Alldsignal	45	44⅝	44⅞	— ⅛
Alltel		29¾	29¾	29¾
AmStores	30¼	29¾	30¼	+ ¼
Ameritech	51⅛	51	51⅛	— ¼
Amoco	64⅛	63¾	63¾	— ¼
AndarkPtr		48⅞	48⅛	48⅞
ArmcoInc		6⅛	6⅛	6⅛
AtlRichfld	110⅞	109⅞	110	— ⅞
ATMOS Egy	19⅝	19⅝	19⅛	+ ⅛
Aviall		8¼	8	8¼
BakerHughes	21⅞	21⅝	21⅞	— ¼
BellAtl	60⅝	60¼	60½	— ⅛
BellSouth	71⅛	70⅞	71⅛	— ⅛
BethSteel	14	13¾	13¾	— ⅛
BritPet	92¼	91¾	91¾	—1⅛
BurlNoSFe	71⅛	70 11-16	71⅛	— ⅜
Caterpillar		58¼	58¼	58¼
CenSoWst	24⅞	24⅝	24⅝	— ¼
Chevron	49⅞	49½	49⅝	— ¼
Chrysler	55⅛	54⅛	54⅝	—1⅛
Coastal		33¾	33¾	33¾
CocaCola	69⅞	68¾	69⅞	+ ⅛
ColgatePalm	66⅞	66⅜	66⅜	— ⅛
ComclMetals		27⅛	27⅛	27⅛
CooperIn	35⅛	35⅛	35⅛	— ⅛
CyprusAmax	28⅛	28⅛	28⅛	— ⅛
DallSemicn	21	20¾	20⅞	— ⅛
DeltaAirl	68⅝	67¼	67⅞	—1⅛
DigitalEq	39⅞	39⅛	39⅝	— ¼
Dillard	32⅛	32⅛	32⅛	— ⅛
DowChem	74⅞	74⅛	74⅝	— ¼
DresserInd	24⅛	24	24⅛	— ⅜
DuPont	67⅞	66⅞	67⅛	—1⅛
EastmanChem	66	65⅛	65⅛	— ⅜
EstKodak	58⅛	58⅛	58⅝	— ⅛
EljerInd		4⅞	4⅞	4⅞
Enserch	16⅞	16⅝	16⅝	— ¼
Entergy	24⅞	24⅝	24⅝	— ⅛
Exxon	72⅝	72⅛	72⅝	— ¼
FstBksAm s		11¼	11¼	11¼
FlowerInd	20⅝	20⅛	20⅝	— ¼
FordMotor	31⅛	30⅝	31	— ⅛
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HarteHanks		29⅝	29⅝	29⅝
HoustInd		42⅛	42⅛	42⅛
IBM	94⅝	93⅜	93⅜	— ⅛
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JohnsnJns	73⅝	72⅝	73⅝	— ⅛
K mart	14⅝	14⅝	14⅝	— ¼
Kroger	34	33⅞	34	+ ¼
Litton	41⅛	41	41⅛	— ⅛
Lowes Cos	31	30⅝	30⅝	— ⅛
Lubys	21⅛	21⅛	21⅛	+ ⅛
MayDeptStrs		43⅞	43⅞	43⅞
Medtronic	103	101⅞	103	— ⅛
Medtronicwi	51⅛	51⅛	51⅛	— ⅛
Mobil	100	99⅞	99⅞	— ⅜
Monsanto	100⅞	100	100⅛	— ¼
Motorola	78⅜	77⅞	77⅞	— ⅜
Nationsbk	68	67⅞	67⅞	— ⅜
Navistar		12⅛	12⅜	12⅛
NoramEngy	7⅝	7⅛	7⅝	+ ⅛
Nynex	47⅞	47¼	47½	— ¼
OryxEngy	13⅜	13⅛	13⅛	— ¼
PacTelesis		29⅞	29½	29⅞
PanhECp	26¼	26⅛	26⅛	— ⅛
Penney JC	48⅞	48¼	48⅞	+ ⅛
Pennzoil	44¾	44½	44⅝	— ⅜
PepBoys	28¼	27⅞	28	— ⅛
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Praxair	27⅞	27⅝	27⅞	— ¼
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PubSNwMx		15⅜	15¼	15⅜
RoyalDutch	124⅛	123⅜	124	— ⅜
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SaraLee	30	29⅝	29⅞	— ⅛
SearsRoebs	35⅛	34⅝	35	— ¼
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SmthBchADS	49⅝	48⅝	49⅝	— ⅛
SmthBc eqt	48⅛	47⅞	48⅛	— ⅛
SouthernCo	22	21⅞	22	+ ⅛
SwstAirlines	26	25⅛	25⅜	— ⅛
Sprint	35⅞	35⅛	35⅞	+ ⅛
SterlingChm		9	8⅞	8⅞
SunCo	26	25⅞	26	— ¼
TNP Ent	17⅞	17⅞	17⅞	— ⅛
Tandy	62½	62⅜	62½	— ⅜
TemplInl	53⅛	52⅞	52⅞	— ⅜
Tenneco	47⅛	46½	47	— ⅛
Texaco	65⅝	65	65⅛	— ½
TexasInd	51⅛	50⅝	51⅛	+ ⅛
TexasInsts	82⅛	80¼	81	+ ¾
TexUtil	33⅜	33⅜	33⅜	— ⅛
Textron	67⅞	67⅞	67⅞	— ⅛
Travelers	50⅛	49⅝	49⅝	—1⅛
TrinityInds	32	31⅛	31⅛	— ½
TritonEngy	50⅝	50⅛	50⅛	— ⅜
Tyler		2⅛	2⅛	2⅛
US West	46⅜	46⅛	46⅛	— ⅜
USX Delhi	10	10	10	— ⅛
USX-Marathn	20⅝	20⅝	20⅝	— ⅛
USX-USS	31⅛	31⅜	31⅜	— ⅜
UnCarbde	39⅝	39	39⅝	— ⅜
UnPac	67⅞	67	67½	— ⅛
UnitedTech	84⅜	84	84⅛	— ⅛
Unocal	29⅝	28⅞	29	— ⅜
WalMart	24⅜	24⅜	24⅜	— ⅛
WestghEl	14⅞	14½	14⅝	+ ⅜
WinnDixie	61⅛	60⅛	60⅛	— ⅜
Woolworth	15⅛	14⅞	15⅛	— ⅛
XeroxCp	129⅞	129	129⅛	—2⅛
ZenithE	8⅜	8½	8⅜	+ ⅛

The famed "Galloping Ghost" of college football, Red Grange, played on offense and defense for Illinois.

Possible genetic link to crime considered

BALTIMORE (AP) — Amid criticism from some scholars and black leaders, researchers will hold a long-delayed conference this weekend on whether some people are genetically inclined toward crime.

The conference, which was originally scheduled for 1992 but postponed after an uproar, will also examine possible screening for genetic markers to indicate criminal tendencies.

The three-day conference, organized by the University of Maryland, starts Friday at the private Aspen Institute in Queenstown, Md. It will be attended by researchers in such fields as sociology, neuroscience, psychology and genetics, along with legal scholars and historians.

Dr. Alvin F. Poussaint, a Harvard professor of psychiatry and a black civil rights activist, said blacks should be leery.

"There's a history going way back to slavery of white Americans and Europeans saying that blacks are in some way inferior genetically," he said. "There's such a strong chance of misuse that we have to be extremely cautious."

Some academics question whether the research would divert funding from education, unemployment and other causes of crime. One researcher is criticizing a study that proposes inmates be tested for levels of a brain chemical that supposedly predicts violent behavior.

Conference organizer David Wasserman, a legal scholar at the University of Maryland, said the research deals with the relationship between crime and genetics in individuals, not groups.

In 1992, the National Institutes of Health in 1992 froze the $78,000 in funding it had promised for the conference, prompting cries of academic censorship from University of Maryland officials.

The NIH said a brochure publicizing the conference gave the impression that the agency endorses a connection between genetics and crime.

Funding was restored last year after an NIH appeals board found the agency didn't have the power to freeze already-approved funds.

A spokesman for the NIH referred questions to the university.

About 35 participants at the conference will present papers and discuss whether tendencies toward violent or otherwise criminal behavior can be inherited and, if so, how this can be measured. Testing for genetic markers and other social and ethical issues of the research will also be discussed.

Dr. Evan S. Balaban, a geneticist and neurobiologist at the Neurosciences Institute in San Diego who will attend the conference, cautioned against applying the research to public policy.

"I think the problem is a lot of people on the fringes of science, in government and law, have this almost religious belief that things science produces are true and you must act on them," he said.

Balaban likened the desire to use genetics to predict criminality to the confidence placed in DNA testing in criminal trials.

Dorothy Nelkin, a New York University professor of sociology, questioned the motives of many researchers looking to link genetics and crime.

"People doing the work are not geneticists, they are behavioral psychologists," she said. "I think it's research with a social agenda. I think the social agenda fits very well into the dismantling of the welfare state.

"I think it's going to be appropriated to reinforce gender and race distinctions. This research is so appropriable for pernicious ends, and that's a matter of concern," said Nelkin, who will attend the conference.

Not all of the research is controversial.

C. Ray Jeffery, a criminologist at Florida State University, will present a paper on possible medical approaches to preventing crime. Many inmates and juvenile delinquents suffer from neurological conditions, which if treated could prevent further crimes, Jeffery said.

Balaban said he will discuss several already-published papers proposing that inmates be tested for levels of a brain chemical known as serotonin. Some believe it can predict whether someone will commit criminal acts.

Balaban said he and a colleague found flaws in the papers' methodology.

INSTRUCTOR HONORED - Snyder High School drama instructor Jerry Worsham was recognized recently by Wal-Mart for his contribution to the teaching profession. Denise Rowe, a support manager at Wal-Mart, gives Worsham a cash award in recognition. The store also hosted a reception for all teachers and administrators in the SISD. (SDN Staff Photo)

Hermosillo post officially off hit list

TUCSON, Ariz. (AP) — The U.S. consulate in Hermosillo, Mexico, has been taken off a closure list but its fate may still be decided by next year' budget, Washington officials said.

The State Department plans to spend $2.1 million to close 13 of the 19 foreign posts on the original closure list, said Richard Moose, undersecretary of state for management. The six posts that were spared include two in Mexico: Hermosillo and Matamoros in Tamaulipas.

"We are holding the decision on the remaining six posts in abeyance until we know the final outcome of the fiscal year 1996 appropriations process," Moose wrote in a Sept. 19 letter to the chairman of the Committee on International Relations for the House of Representatives.

U.S. Sen. John McCain, R-Ariz., announced on Sept. 11 that the Hermosillo consulate had been taken off the closure list. However, the rest of Arizona's delegation maintained that no final decision had been made at that time.

The Hermosillo consulate would have been closed Oct. 1.

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Astro-graph

By Bernice Bede Osol

Your Birthday

Saturday, Sept. 23, 1995

In the year ahead you're likely to do things on a grander scale than you have in the past, both socially and professionally. Lady Luck could be your silent partner.

LIBRA (Sept. 23-Oct. 23) Your productivity could suffer today if you do not have the proper tools, personnel or methods to perform specific tasks. Make sure everything is at your disposal before you begin. Trying to patch up a broken romance? The Astro-Graph Matchmaker can help you understand what to do to make the relationship work. Mail $2.75 to Matchmaker, c/o this newspaper, P.O. Box 1758, New York, NY 10163.

SCORPIO (Oct. 24-Nov. 22) Someone you like very much might be a bit temperamental and difficult to get along with today. This personality change isn't permanent, so don't overreact.

SAGITTARIUS (Nov. 23-Dec. 21) You could be deprived of success today if you lack consistency. Try not to call it quits just because the heat gets turned up in the kitchen.

CAPRICORN (Dec. 22-Jan. 19) Monitor your conversations carefully today so that you don't unintentionally say something harsh that could offend listeners. Think before you speak.

AQUARIUS (Jan. 20-Feb. 19) If you hope to get adequate mileage out of the resources at your disposal today, prudence will be essential. Resist the temptation to splurge.

PISCES (Feb. 20-March 20) You might have to deal with a disagreeable individual today, but don't let this person's angry attitude affect your disposition.

ARIES (March 21-April 19) Have you heard that old adage: The harder you try, the luckier you get? Well, this could be very true for you today, Aries. Roll up your sleeves and try.

TAURUS (April 20-May 20) Although you might feel gregarious today, being at a gathering with someone you don't like may spoil your fun. Try to select your invitations carefully.

GEMINI (May 21-June 20) Avoid establishing objectives for yourself today if you know going in they are beyond your reach and scope. Strive for the achievable instead.

CANCER (June 21-July 22) If you discuss something you believe in today with a companion whose outlook is limited and negative, it might instill doubts in you.

LEO (July 23-Aug. 22) Beware of the inclination to let fortuitous developments slip through your fingers today due to your own carelessness or the indifference of an associate.

VIRGO (Aug. 23-Sept. 22) Disagreements will not be resolved today if you close your mind to the other person's point of view. Remember, there are two sides to every argument.

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Paraguay

Paraguay was visited by Sebastian Cabot in 1527 and settled as a Spanish possession in 1535. It gained its independence from Spain in 1811, but lost most of its territory to Brazil, Uruguay and Argentina in the War of the Triple Alliance, from 1865 to 1870.

Children laugh about killing quarter horse

SILSBEE (AP) — The crime outraged this small town. The reaction from the nine accused youths was stunning.

The nine, none older than 14, laughed about thrashing a prize quarter horse to death and bragged at school about the crime, police said.

"They still think it's funny," Hardin County Sheriff H.R. Holzapfel said Thursday.

The junior high and elementary school students, eight boys and a girl, were arrested Wednesday at school on criminal mischief charges after others overheard them bragging. Seven were being held at the county's juvenile detention center; two have been released.

Two other suspects were at home because at ages 8 and 9, they were too young to be charged.

Authorities say the youngsters have confessed to chasing the horse, Mr. Wilson Boy, into a barbed-wire fence, where he became entangled and broke his leg. They then allegedly smacked the wounded horse with sticks until it died; one even stuck a stick up the animal's nostril.

"A couple of them started hitting it and the rest of them followed. It was what some call a mob mentality," Holzapfel said. He added the children cannot give a reason for the Sept. 14 attack.

"When they were brought in and locked up, several of them were still laughing about it and talking about how cool it was to get arrested at the schoolhouse," he said.

Lorie Kay, who works as a nurse's aide in this town of 6,400 about 100 miles northeast of Houston, said she was shocked.

"I can't believe that kids that young could think of something that vicious," she said.

Added service station owner Mike Andrus: "I hope they're all punished for it, that's for sure."

The sheriff said it was not clear what the children's punishment would be from the Texas Youth Commission, but probation was expected. The names of the children were not released because of their ages.

Date Book

Sept. 22, 1995

Today is the 265th day of 1995 and the 94th day of summer.

TODAY'S HISTORY: On this day in 1789, Congress established the office of postmaster general; Benjamin Franklin became the first to hold the position.

TODAY'S BIRTHDAYS: Michael Faraday (1791-1867), scientist; Erich von Stroheim (1885-1957), director-actor; John Houseman (1902-1988), actor-producer-director; Tommy Lasorda (1927-), baseball manager, is 68; Debby Boone (1956-), singer, is 39; Joan Jett (1960-), singer, is 35; Scott Baio (1961-), actor, is 34.

TODAY'S SPORTS: On this day in 1969, Willie Mays smacked his 600th career home run in a game against the San Diego Padres.

TODAY'S QUOTE: "No matter how good you are, you're going to lose one third of your games. No matter how bad you are, you're going to win one third of your games. It's the other third that makes the difference." — Tommy Lasorda

TODAY'S WEATHER: On this day in 1938, crews began cleaning the damage from the Great Long Island/New England Hurricane. Over 600 people died in the storm.

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

TODAY'S MOON: Between last quarter (Sept. 16) and new moon (Sept. 24).

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AMOS, THE PROPHET

THE NAME AMOS MEANS A BURDEN, OR A BURDEN BEARER. THIS PROPHET FROM TEKOA, IN THE TERRITORY OF JUDAH, WAS A MAN OF HUMBLE BIRTH. AS A HERDSMAN, HE DOUBTLESS SPENT MUCH OF HIS LIFE IN THE WILDERNESS THAT EXTENDED FROM THE VILLAGE OF TEKOA ALL THE WAY TO THE DEAD SEA. WHEN NOT ENGAGED AS A HERDSMAN, HE FOUND OTHER EMPLOYMENT AS A DRESSER OF SYCAMOR TREES, PRUNING THE FOLIAGE AND PICKING ITS FRUIT FOR PACKING. (AMOS 1:1; 7:14,15) FROM THE KNOWLEDGE THAT AMOS DISPLAYS WITH DISTANT PLACES AND EVENTS, IT IS EVIDENT THAT HE WAS USED TO HARD WORK, IN MANY CATEGORIES, SUCH AS DRIVING SHEEP AND CARRYING HIDES AND WOOL AS FAR AS DISTANT EGYPT AND DAMASCUS. ODDLY ENOUGH, ALTHOUGH A MAN OF JUDAH, HE WAS CALLED UPON TO PROPHESY IN THE NORTHERN KINGDOM OF ISRAEL! HE APPEARED AT BETHEL WHERE THE TEMPLE HAD WITHIN IT ONE OF THE GOLDEN CALVES SET UP BY JEROBOAM (AMOS 8:14). AMOS SPOKE WITH SUCH BOLDNESS AGAINST THE SINS OF THE KING AND THE PEOPLE THAT HE IMMEDIATELY MADE A GREAT NAME FOR HIMSELF.....

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Hurricane survivors facing hardships

FREEDOM HEIGHTS, U.S. Virgin Islands (AP) — Sugar Laronde tightened his belt a notch on his thin frame, grinned wearily and extended his hand to greet visitors to his home: a banged-up car stuffed with dirty clothes and bric-a-brac.

"My house was over there, but it washed up," he said Thursday, gesturing across a ravine to a flight of wooden stairs lying on the ground.

"I am alone and living alone," said Laronde, 60, who acknowledged accepting meals from neighbors.

Tons of relief supplies for victims of Hurricane Marilyn have yet to reach people like Laronde, whose neighborhood sustained extensive damage in the storm Saturday.

Relief teams have just begun their work in the streets, nearly a week after the storm. And some Virgin Islanders, like Laronde, have yet to take advantage of the aid that there is.

"I got my pride," he said.

Others are banding together to help themselves.

Down the road in Bordeaux, a government-built community, Laronde's neighbors have opened their concrete houses to people who lost their homes when Hurricane Marilyn struck last week.

"We are a little community. But we work together," Clifford Benjamin said Thursday as he pumped fuel from his gasoline truck into cars lined up at his house.

Using military, chartered and commercial aircraft, as well as boats and barges, the Federal Emergency Management Agency says it has brought 1,500 emergency personnel and 1.3 million tons of goods to the Virgin Islands.

FEMA Director James Lee Witt said Thursday his chief concerns were food, housing, removing debris and ensuring security. Many shops and warehouses were torn open by the storm, leaving them vulnerable to looters who cleaned out several.

One of FEMA's biggest problems has been getting supplies to distribution sites once they reach the islands.

Delivery vehicles promised by Gov. Roy L. Schneider didn't appear this week, so FEMA flew in 52 trucks. They were expected to be on the streets today.

"Rumors of supply shortages are unfounded," Witt said. But he acknowledged recovery centers couldn't keep up with the demand for supplies on Wednesday.

Israel, PLO negotiations will continue after Sabbath ends

TABA, Egypt (AP) — After predicting they would agree today on broadening Palestinian autonomy, Israeli and PLO delegates argued for hours until it was too late to conclude a pact before the Jewish Sabbath began.

Foreign Minister Shimon Peres of Israel and PLO leader Yasser Arafat said they could not reach agreement and would resume negotiations after the Sabbath ends Saturday night.

"We are sure we will continue our negotiations to finish it in the next few hours tomorrow night," Arafat said.

The agreement would grant self-rule to the one million Palestinians on the West Bank and provide for Palestinian elections and the withdrawal of some Israeli troops who have occupied the West Bank for 28 years.

Peres said he had to halt negotiations at the start of the Sabbath, when religious Jews are forbidden to work. Negotiations will resume after sundown Saturday, he said.

"We have worked very hard together, solving many problems," he said. "Actually I am saying we have agreed on the nature of the problems, but there are still other problems that we have to resolve."

Israeli reports said hitches arose over PLO demands to set a timetable for when Israel would release 5,500 Palestinian prisoners and the exact size of the autonomous zone around the West Bank city of Jericho.

Both issues were left over from the May 1994 accord that granted autonomy to the Gaza Strip and Jericho.

The talks have dragged on for more than a year including about 60 hours of meetings this week between Peres and Arafat. This morning Peres announced that only about an hour's bargaining was needed before agreement could be completed.

"We have already concluded discussions on most things," he said. "We should conclude today. There is still a little work to be done."

Arafat spokesman Marwan Kanafani also said the two sides were near agreement, but the "very short day" of talks that Peres predicted stretched into more than six hours of negotiations.

Separate talks on the prisoner releases were held in Jerusalem, and Palestinian negotiator Nabil Shaath made plain that unless Israel agreed to a timetable, the agreement in Taba could be delayed once more.

Obituaries

Mr. Huddleston

1958-1995

Richard Huddleston, a Snyder native, died early this morning, Sept. 22, at Baylor Hospital in Dallas after a long illness. He was 37.

A resident of Midland, services are pending at Ellis Funeral Home and graveside services will be held in Snyder.

Survivors include his wife, Donna West Huddleston of Midland; two sons, Ryan Huddleston and Wesley Huddleston, both of Midland; his mother, Minnie Huddleston Buchanan of Snyder; and two brothers, Mike Huddleston of Snyder and Doug Huddleston of Monahans.

Ixon Joyce

1904-1995

I.A. (Ix) Joyce, a long-time resident and early-day cotton ginner in Scurry County, died Wednesday, Sept. 20 in Sears Retirement Center in Abilene. He was 91.

Funeral service is set for 2 p.m. Saturday in the Bell-Cypert-Seale Funeral Home Chapel. Burial will follow in Hillside Memorial Gardens. Tom Holcomb, minister of East Side Church of Christ, will officiate.

Mr. Joyce, born on Jan. 4, 1904, in Mount Vernon, moved to Scurry County with his family in 1920. He, along with his father, James. R, Joyce, and his three brothers owned and operated two cotton gins in Snyder. They sold their last gin east of the courthouse, to Safeway Stores. Mr. Joyce bought and operated a gin in Colorado City, selling it the following year. A cotton and grain buyer for a number of years in the Valley and Lubbock areas, he also had interests in real estate and the oil business in Snyder.

Mr. Joyce married Ellen Pratt on Aug. 14, 1924 in Snyder. She died on June 4, 1987. He was also preceded in death by two brothers, Amos Joyce and Sam Joyce, and a sister, Ella Mae Templeton.

Survivors include a daughter and son-in-law, Bette and Noble Harris of Abilene; a brother, Fla "Skipper" Joyce of Snyder; and two grandchildren, Camille Tomlinson and Paul J. Harris, both of Abilene.

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H.B. Lewis

1928-1995

LEVELLAND — Service for H.B. Lewis, a Scurry County native, is set for 4 p.m. Saturday in the South Plains Church. Burial will follow in the City of Levelland Cemetery.

Mr. Lewis, 67, died Thursday, Sept. 21 at his home in Levelland. He was the brother of Clara Hoskins and Frances Hess, both of Hermleigh.

Born in Snyder, he married Mary Robinson on Aug. 7, 1953 in Raymondville. He was a U.S. Army veteran of the Korean War, and Mr. Lewis was retired from Dotco.

Survivors include his wife, Mary Lewis of Levelland; two sons, Curtis Lewis of Macon, Ga. and Randy Lewis of Levelland; a daughter, Elizabeth Howard of Levelland; two brothers, Roy Lewis of Lubbock and Clint Lewis of Christoval; another sister, Eunice Graham of Zavalla; and six grandchildren.

Irene S. Smyth

1917-1995

Funeral service is set for 2 p.m. Sunday at Colonial Hill Baptist Church for Irene S. Smyth, 77, of Snyder. The Rev. Miller Robinson, pastor of the church, will officiate. Burial will follow in the Snyder Cemetery.

Mrs. Smyth died at approximately 12:50 a.m., Sept. 21 at her residence following a lengthy illness.

Born on Nov. 25, 1917, in Brownfield, she married Lee Smyth on July 11, 1938, in Abilene. He died Feb. 10, 1985.

Mrs. Smyth, a Snyder resident since 1920, was a graduate of Hardin Simmons University with a BA in history. She was a member of Colonial Hill Baptist Church, Altrurian Daughters Study Club, the Scurry County Museum and the Eastern Star. A retired accountant, she worked with her husband in their accounting business prior to his death.

Survivors include two daughters and sons-in-law, Milijon and Bill Crowell of Austin and Patricia Lee and Richard Hotchkiss of Sierra Vista, Ariz.; a nephew, John Spears II of Austin and his wife, Claudia; five grandchildren, Colin Hotchkill of Sierra Vista, Jason Crowell, Jesse Spears and David Crowell, all of Austin, and Rob Crowell of Panama City, Fla.; and two great-grandchildren, Katrina and Liana Crowell of Panama City.

Sterling Smith

1912-1995

ELECTRA — Services were held Monday in Totten-Day Funeral Home in Electra for Sterling R. Smith, 83, who died at his home in Cibolo on Friday, Sept. 15. Entombment was in Wilbarger Memorial Park in Vernon.

Officiating were his grandsons, Terry Bowden of Snyder and Rick Bowden of Arlington.

He was born March 20, 1912, in Wichita Falls and lived in Electra about 30 years before traveling internationally in his job with Phillips Petroleum Co. He retired in 1974 and moved to Baton Rouge, La.

Mr. Smith married Ruth Virginia Reynolds on Dec. 12, 1931, in Walters, Okla. She preceded him in death on Nov. 23, 1983. He was active in the Church of Christ and served as music director for several congregations. He was also a member of the Oklaunion school board for four years.

Other survivors include two daughters and sons-in-law, Fran and Roland Bowden of Snyder and Jerry Lynn and Richard Mullens of Cibolo; a sister, Mabel Williford of Wichita Falls; a brother, Garland Smith of Chandler, Ariz.; four other grandchildren; and 13 great-grandchildren.

Another soldier to face charges

TOKYO (AP) — The U.S. military, already embroiled in a rape scandal, faced a new embarrassment today as Japanese prosecutors prepared charges against a sailor suspected of exposing himself to a sixth-grade girl.

The case has been sent to prosecutors, who are expected to file charges of public indecency against the sailor, said Kunitoshi Horie, deputy police chief in Nagasaki, where the alleged incident occurred.

He said the sailor, a member of the 7th Fleet, was accused of exposing himself to the girl as she was on her way home from school last Saturday.

Because of a bilateral agreement giving the U.S. military custody over American personnel suspected of committing crimes until charges are filed, the sailor is being held at the U.S. Naval base in Sasebo, 615 miles southwest of Tokyo.

The agreement has come under criticism since the rape of a 12-year-old girl on the southern Japanese island of Okinawa earlier this month that was allegedly committed by three American servicemen.

The rape has become the focus of nationwide outrage in Japan, dominating headlines and, according to U.S. military officials, prompting threats against American troops and their families on Okinawa.

Japanese police in both cases said the U.S. military is being cooperative and their investigations have not been hampered. U.S. officials have repeatedly said the suspects will be turned over when charges are filed.

The rape case was turned over to prosecutors today, and either charges must be filed within 30 days or the case dropped.

In a radio interview Thursday, President Clinton said he "deeply regrets" the alleged involvement of Americans in the rape.

LOCAL IN - BRIEFS

Recycling yard moving

Snyde[illegible] 24th St., city officials have announced. Citizens are asked to wait until Monday to bring cardboard to the new site.

Fair horse show

The Scurry County Fair Horse Show is set for Saturday at 1 p.m. in the coliseum annex. Books open at noon. Classes include halter, showmanship at halter, Western Pleasure, Western Horsemanship, barrels, poles and stakes.

First through six places will be awarded, plus buckles for all-arounds in each age group and high point judged and high point speed. Judge is Mitch Herd of San Angelo. Any county resident may participate. Call 573-1452 or 573-4124 for more information.

WTC Booster Club

Western Texas College Booster Club will meet Monday at Golden Corral. The meal is dutch treat. Everyone is welcome to attend.

SHS open house

Snyder High School will have its open house from 6:30-7:30 p.m. Tuesday. Parents may pick up their students' report cards at that time.

West PTO meeting

West Elementary School's Parent Teacher Organization (PTO) will meet at 7:30 p.m. Tuesday in the cafeteria.

Baked goods booth

Scurry County Fair baked goods booth is encouraging entries, which may be turned in from 5-9 today or 8-9 a.m. Saturday. Judging will be held at 10 a.m. Saturday.

Genealogy meeting

There will be a genealogy meeting Tuesday at 7 p.m. in the county library. Committees will be appointed. Visitors are welcome.

Fullingim concert slated in Snyder

Fullingim will be ministering in concert this weekend at the Word Is Life Deliverance Church, 602 30th St.

Saturday's concert will begin at 7:30 p.m. Everyone is invited.

Fullingim will also sing during the 10:30 a.m. worship service on Sunday morning.

Homecoming

Hermleigh's bi-annual homecoming celebration is set for Friday, Sept. 29, with the varsity football game at 7:30 p.m. A dance will follow.

Activities will continue on Sept. 30 with registration and fellowship at 9 a.m. A barbecue lunch will be served in the cafeteria from 11 a.m. until 1 p.m. A business meeting will be held at 2 o'clock with special recognitions and election of officers.

Hamburger cookout

Snyder Junior High show choir will have a hamburger cookout prior to the Friday, Sept. 29 varsity football game with Big Spring. The fund-raiser will be from 5-7 p.m. in the high school cafeteria. Cost is $5 per ticket, which may be purchased by calling 573-6356. Proceeds will be used for choir uniforms and out-of-town trips.

Pick 3

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

2-5-5

(two, five, five)

Suspects identified in burglary of lounge

Two male suspects, ages 23 and 29, have been identified in the Wednesday burglary of the Great Western Lounge.

The investigation into the burglary was reported closed at 6:05 this morning as two suspects have been identified. No arrests have been made. The case will be forwarded to the district attorney's office for prosecution.

Four people were arrested Thursday and one person was taken into custody at 6:29 a.m. today.

At 10:50 a.m. Thursday, a 31-year-old male was arrested at the Municipal Court to lay out a fine for speeding.

Officers arrested at 28-year-old male at 2:30 p.m. on several warrants, including failure to maintain fiscal responsibility, failure to appear, two for speeding and no driver's license.

Deputies arrested an 18-year-old male at 3:48 p.m. on an outstanding warrant for Class C assault/physical contact.

Officers arrested an 18-year-old male at 9:12 p.m. on outstanding warrants out of Floydada for no liability insurance, failure to appear, unregistered motor vehicle, no driver's license and disorderly conduct.

A 33-year-old male was arrested at 6:29 this morning for driving while license suspended.

In other activity Thursday, Amy Copeland came to the police department at 10:43 p.m. and reported the theft of some jewelry from 5400 College, #129. An offense report for Class A theft was submitted.

A three-vehicle accident was reported at 4:02 p.m. in the 2800 block of College Avenue. Involved were a 1985 Ford pickup driven by Robert Velasquez of 2411 26th St, a 1989 Ford driven by Ty Jones of 9303 County Road 264 and a 1994 Chevrolet driven by Tiffany Lyons of 852 Lyons Road. Transported to Cogdell Hospital by private vehicle were 16-year-old Ty Jones, a passenger in his vehicle, Shannon Clem, 16, 16-year-old Tiffany Lyons and a passenger in her vehicle, 14-year-old Terra Lyons. All were treated and released.

Officers investigated a minor accident at 4:52 p.m. at 37th Street and College Avenue. Involved were a 1991 Ford driven by Debbie Delce of 4503 College, #10 and a 1985 Chevrolet driven by Jason Crunk of 6009 Mountain View Drive.