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RAINBOW FISH — Snyder High drama student Tera Kincaid is shown passing out "blue scales" to kids for use as bookmarks. Students of Jerry Worsham's drama class presented the program "Rainbow Fish" at Scurry County Library's summer reading program. (SDN Staff Photo)

Shuttle faces problems with communications

SPACE CENTER, Houston (AP) — The space shuttle Discovery raced toward Mir today to make the ninth and final U.S. docking with the aging Russian outpost. But you might not see the linkup on television.

After soaring in orbit Tuesday evening, the astronauts quickly ran into a problem with part of their communications system that uses the so-called KU-band antenna. It was accepting all the data from Mission Control today, but could not send back TV pictures or high rates of information.

Flight controllers did not know whether the trouble was with the antenna itself, a transmitter or other associated equipment.

NASA officials said the trouble will not affect Thursday's docking with Mir; the antenna works fine with the shuttle's radar system. But unless the problem is fixed, there likely will be no live TV pictures from the shuttle during its 10-day mission — except the few transmitted from Mir during the rendezvous and the four days of joint flight.

"Everyone at NASA loves to look over the crew's shoulder whenever possible," NASA spokesman James Hartsfield said this morning. "That's a nice-to-have and something that we love to do, but its not something that's a requirement."

Mir was 2,300 miles ahead of Discovery late this morning, with the gap continually closing. The space station's automatic steering system, which shut down over the weekend, continued to work well.

"Mir is in good shape," Mission Control informed the shuttle astronauts.

As for Discovery's dilemma, Hartsfield said flight controllers had never experienced this sort of problem before with the KU-band system, which uses a dish antenna out in the open cargo bay.

Discovery's S-band system was working fine and allowing the crew to talk with ground controllers as usual. It also was sending back all the necessary information involving shuttle systems.

The S-band system could be used to transmit limited TV images, but only infrequently.

Besides canceling TV broadcasts, the problem prevented scientific data from being sent back from a giant magnet aboard Discovery. All of that information was being recorded on board, however, for study after the flight.

The 3½-ton magnetic spectrometer, designed to hunt for elusive antimatter, is being tested for the first time in orbit. It's supposed to fly on the international space station in a few years.

There was plenty of nostalgia as Discovery lifted off from Florida's Kennedy Space Center on a flight to collect the seventh American to live aboard Mir.

"Poyekhali!" commander Charles Precourt shouted as he and his five crew members soared into orbit. The exclamation is Russian for "Off we go!"

Afterward, launch manager Donald McMonagle said the final flight to Mir represents the transition into construction of the international space station, slated to begin late this year.

"It's the beginning of the end of one program, but it also opens the curtain on a much bigger chal-

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THE SDN COLUMN

By Roy McQueen

The feller on Deep Creek says, "Middle age is having two temptations and choosing the one that gets you home the earliest."

Medical research can be hazardous to our health — or at least confusing.

Just a few weeks ago, we read a claim where a little grit and dirt might just lead to a longer life. If dirt is healthy, then West Texans ingest enough springtime dust to live full and gritty lives.

One company even sells dirt as a health food.

But now comes another medical finding — messing with our morning coffee.

Researchers now say there's a good chance that mugs kept at the office are crawling with countless critters, some of which are not harmless.

They say those tiny troublemakers are fooling around in our coffee cups acting presidential. Experts say the little varmits are reproducing in our favorite cups, especially if they are not carefully washed out and disinfected.

And all along, we wondered what gives that first cup of java that full-bodied taste. Well, at least when the critters are fooling around, they don't drink much.

Drinking coffee can be hazardous to your health — if you walk the ticket.

Barbara once had a customer at Rudy's who sat down and said, "Quick, gimme a cup of coffee, I'm about to be in big trouble."

He gulped it down and said, "Let me have a refill, I'm about to be in a big mess."

He ordered a third refill, causing the waitress to ask, "Say mister, what kind of trouble are you gonna be in?"

"You tell me," the customer said. "I don't have any money."

Coffee tales reminds us of the rancher who went to the doctor.

The cowboy was asked if he drank coffee.

"Shore nuff," said the cowboy. "Purty darn near 20 cups a day."

The doctor frowned. "Don't you know coffee is a slow poison."

"Must be," said the cowpoke. "I'll be 89 next month."

SISD summer school begins Monday morning at SJHS

Snyder ISD teachers who will be teaching in the summer school program are participating in workdays today and Thursday.

"The instructors are preparing for the opening of summer school on Monday," said Wendell Sollis, the district's assistant superintendent for curriculum.

Classes will be available for all grades, kindergarten through the 12th grade, said Sollis.

Transportation is available to summer school students. Students will be picked up at their home campus each day, and will be taken back to that campus when classes are dismissed each day.

All classes will be taught at the junior high school, and Jean McMillon will serve as the summer school principal. She regularly teaches second grade at Stanfield Elementary.

Sollis said classes will be available to students who need additional help in subjects, and remedial instruction.

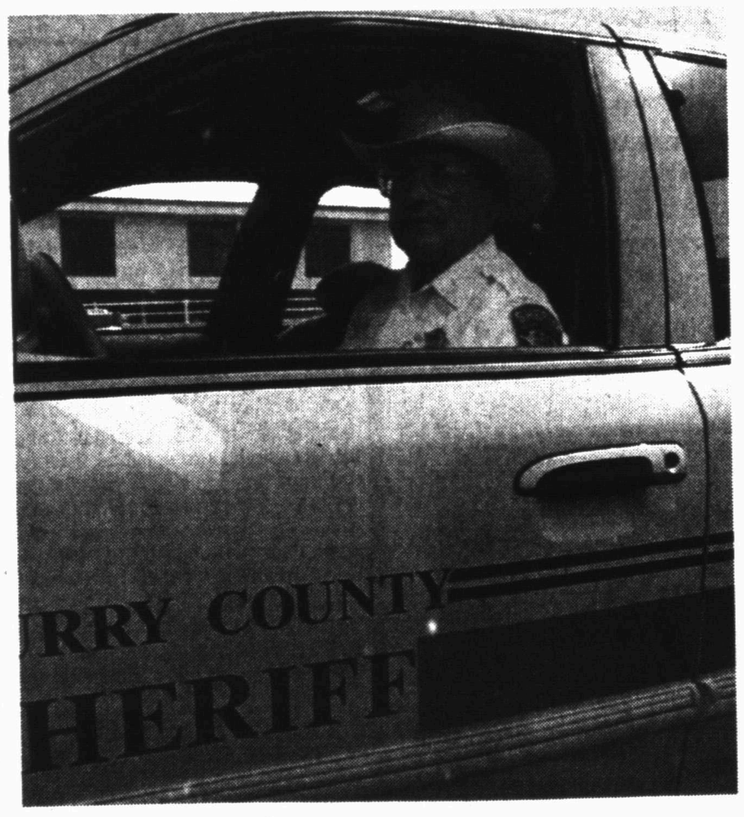
Classes begin at 7:15 a.m. Monday for high school students and will dismiss daily at 12:45 p.m. The first session ends on June 30.

The second session for high school students will be July 1-23.

Classes for bilingual kindergarten and first grade students begin at 7:45 Monday. They will dismiss at 12:45 p.m. also.

Classes for kindergarten through the sixth grade and junior high students will begin at 8 a.m. Monday and will dismiss at noon each day.

The summer session for kindergarten through junior high students ends on July 12.



PROMOTED — Scurry County sheriff's deputy Delwyn Davis has recently been promoted to chief deputy. He has been with the sheriff's office since January of 1988 when he began work as a jailer. (SDN Staff Photo)

Davis enjoys dual jobs at sheriff's office

Delwyn Davis finds he has more to do these days.

First employed by the Scurry County sheriff's office in January of 1988, he has recently been promoted to chief deputy by Sheriff Darren Jackson. Davis says his new job is a position for which he is grateful.

"I've been around quite a while, but we have a lot of deputies who have been around as long or longer than I, and I feel privileged to be chosen by Sheriff Jackson."

Davis, who graduated first in his class from West Central Texas Law Enforcement Academy in 1991, said his new job title basically means he would be the man to call if Sheriff Jackson is unavailable.

"The chief deputy is the second in command under the sheriff. All of our deputies do work independently, but if the sheriff is out of town, I would have to make decisions in the event of an emergency situation."

Davis said he is still the jail administrator, a position to which he was promoted in January of 1997.

"I am in charge of the daily care of prisoners and their discipline, if there are problems with them in the back," Davis explained.

The new title just means a little more paperwork, he said.

"A lot of the work associated with jail administrator and chief deputy is paperwork. The jail commission requires a lot of it," Davis said. "I also check the prisoners' files when they are booked in. I make sure everything has been filled out correctly."

But there is more to it than just all of the paperwork.

See Davis, Page 10

Celebration plans on group's agenda

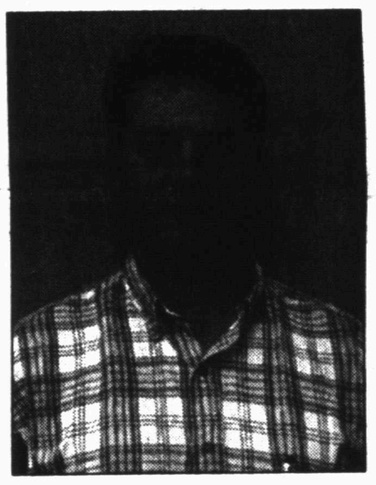
The planning committee for the oil appreciation observance is set for Thursday at noon at the chamber of commerce.

It is the second meeting for the group which was formed to head the celebration of the discovery of oil and its contribution to Scurry County.

The group tentatively set Oct. 17 as the day of the event.

Plans were made two weeks ago to contact possible speakers for the celebration, along with a master of ceremonies.

Riley Sterling, who chaired the first meeting, said 1998 marks the 75th anniversary of the discovery of oil near Ira in 1923, the 50th year of the discovery of the Canyon Reef field in 1948 and the 25th year since the celebration of the billionth barrel of oil in 1973.



Mike Molter

Reception set for engineer

A reception honoring Mike Molter, newly appointed area engineer for the Texas Department of Transportation, and his family is scheduled for 10 a.m. Thursday in the DCOS office located at 3610 College Ave.

Molter, a nine-year veteran of the department, was the assistant area engineer in Fort Stockton before moving to Snyder.

He received his degree in civil engineering in 1989 from the University of Texas/San Antonio.

He and his wife, Liffin, have two children, Nicole, five-years-old, and Joshua, 20-months-old.

Molter replace Mike Taylor, who was transferred to Amarillo.

SHS band students win at state

Six Snyder High School band students competed in state competition Monday in Austin, bringing home a second division and three third division awards.

Senior Corey Ballard was named second division medalist for his solo. Two other soloists earned IIIs, including senior Krista Villarreal and freshman Audra Reneau.

The woodwind trio scored a III. They include Amber Schwertner and Ashley Baremore, both sophomores, and Melinda Langham, a freshman.

Band director Walter Reneau, who accompanied the students, said "They did well, but the inexperience of the younger ones showed."

ASK US

Q—It was reported that Snyder's water usage on Monday reached 7.5 million gallons, what is the average water usage in Snyder?

A—Snyder's yearly average of water usage is 3.5 million gallons per day.

FORECAST - ALMANAC

Snyder Temps: High Tuesday, 106 degrees; low, 70; 7 a.m. Wednesday, 74; no precipitation; total for 1998, 5.31 inches.

Area Forecast: Tonight, fair. Low, near 70. S wind 10-20 mph. Thursday, partly cloudy. High around 100. SW wind 5-15 mph.

Jordan Lester
Sunny & hot

Sunset: 8:44 p.m.
Sunrise: 6:39 a.m.
Of 153 days in 1998, the sun has shone 151 days in Snyder.

TODAY'S THOUGHT

It's not whether you get knocked down; it's whether you get up again.

Vince Lombardi

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Local picked for Spirit Wind 1998

Spirit Wind 1998, the Northwest Texas United Methodist Youth Choir, begins its summer tour Friday with a performance during the annual regional conference ceremonies at First United Methodist Church in Midland.

Among the performers will be Joanna Marie Burk of Snyder. She is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Donnie Burk.

Other concert dates include local Methodist churches in Abilene, Amarillo, Andrews, Canadian, Dumas, Hereford, Levelland, Midland, Perryton, Plainview and Wheeler.

A select group of over 160 United Methodist senior high school youth from West Texas and Panhandle communities, Spirit Wind 98 represents 45 conference congregations of all sizes.

Under the direction of Bert Bostic, minister of programs and music for St. Luke's Methodist Church in Midland, and assisted by Jon Johnson, fine arts department chairperson at South Plains College in Levelland, and Dr. Dawn Willis, director of choral activities at McMurry University in Abilene, Spirit Wind continues in its 17th year to present concerts of sacred music representative of all styles and periods.

Youth accused of plotting, committing triple murder

BATTLE MOUNTAIN, Nev. (AP) — Kyle Ray and Colby Becker were supposed to graduate this week from Battle Mountain Junior High. Instead, they are in prison, charged with killing Ray's parents and sister.

Prosecutors said the 15-year-old boys plotted the killings, then traded off pulling the trigger Saturday.

But a lawyer for one boy said Tuesday his eighth-grade client didn't kill anyone and will plead innocent to the charges of murder and conspiracy to commit murder that both youths face.

The freckle-faced Ray and his friend showed little emotion during the 30-minute arraignment Tuesday in Lander County Justice Court. They were held on $300,000 bail and face a preliminary hearing June 16.

The boys will be tried as adults but, under state law, are too young to be sentenced to death. If convicted, they could get life in prison without parole.

A neighbor said both youths were under a lot of stress.

"All I know is they both hated their parents and they both had a lot of problems at home," said Aurora Stevens, whose 14-year-old daughter is a close friend and classmate of both suspects.

"Kyle and Colby were here all the time at our house," she said. "They were good kids. I don't know why it happened. We're not saying what they did was right. ... Colby had run away so many times I don't think they thought that was a solution anymore."

The criminal complaint filed Tuesday accused the boys of plotting the murders of Ray's parents, James, 42, and Kimberly, 37, and his sister, Jennifer, 12.

Happy Birthday Mindy

Dr. Nelson Brice

will be out of his office from Friday May 29 through Sunday June 7 for vacation.

The office will re-open Monday, June 8 at 8:00 a.m.



TOP FIVE SENIORS — Ira High School's Top Five seniors for 1997-1998 are from left, Chris Gee, Amanda Sims, Olga Cabrera, Hayley Smith, Billy Keith Box. (Staff Photo By Shirley A. Gorman)



TOP FIVE JUNIORS — Ira High School's Top Five juniors for 1997-1998 are from left, Emily Hardy, Brook Wilkes, Terri Robinson, E'Lissa Goolsby, Lindsy Josey. (Staff Photo By Shirley A. Gorman)

Bill Cosby wants to buy Browns

CLEVELAND (AP) — Forget banana peels. Bill Cosby has a better idea to slow down opponents of the new Cleveland Browns.

Jell-O would do the trick, the comedian said Tuesday at a news conference with fellow investors he wants to join in buying the expansion football team.

Astro-graph

By Bernice Bede Osol

Your Birthday

Thursday, June 4, 1998

People you'll meet socially could play helpful roles in various areas of your life in the year ahead. These alliances will last.

GEMINI (May 21-June 20) Keep your itinerary flexible today, because something unexpected may develop. Accept invitations, and have an open mind to appreciate what life has to offer. Know where to look for romance and you'll find it. The Astro-Graph Matchmaker instantly reveals which signs are romantically perfect for you. Mail $2.75 to Matchmaker, c/o this newspaper, P.O. Box 1758, Murray Hill Station, New York, NY 10156.

CANCER (June 21-July 22) Enjoyable drop-ins could be in the offing for you at your house today. Dust off the welcome mat — you'll want to make them feel at home.

LEO (July 23-Aug. 22) New endeavors, people, and interests could be exceptionally fortunate for you today. Maintain a progressive course.

VIRGO (Aug. 23-Sept. 22) Timing is of great importance in your affairs today. Play your hunches, and there's a possibility you could be in the right spot at the right time.

LIBRA (Sept. 23-Oct. 23) Manage important assignments personally today instead of delegating them to surrogates.

SCORPIO (Oct. 24-Nov. 22) A matter that's been concerning you could take a positive turn today. The initial move will be precipitated by a calculated gamble.

SAGITTARIUS (Nov. 23-Dec. 21) Today you may become involved in a venture with several friends. It could turn out to be more significant than anyone expected.

CAPRICORN (Dec. 22-Jan. 19) If you've been waiting for a good time to do something that could benefit you careerwise, this might be the day to give it a shot.

AQUARIUS (Jan. 20-Feb. 19) A change of pace could do you a world of good today if you feel trapped by routines. Plan a fun activity with an upbeat friend.

PISCES (Feb. 20-March 20) Endeavors you have with in-laws or relatives could work out rather well for all concerned today, especially if money is an issue.

ARIES (March 21-April 19) Someone you've recently met has been observing you very closely. The good impression you're making is encouraging this person to get to know you better.

TAURUS (April 20-May 20) Exciting developments are stirring that could lead to benefits in several areas. You're uniquely equipped to handle something that might shake loose.

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Date Book

June 3, 1998

Today is the 154th day of 1998 and the 76th day of spring.

TODAY'S HISTORY: On this day in 1937, the Duke of Windsor, having abdicated the British throne, married Wallis Warfield Simpson in Monts, France.

On this day in 1965, astronaut Edward White became the first American to walk in space.

On this day in 1989, Ayatollah Ruhollah Khomeini, the spiritual leader of Iran, died.

TODAY'S BIRTHDAYS: Jefferson Davis (1808-1889), Confederate president; Paulette Goddard (1911-1990), actress; Deniece Williams (1951-), singer, is 47.

TODAY'S SPORTS: On this day in 1932, Lou Gehrig hit four home runs for the Yankees as they defeated Philadelphia, 20-13.

TODAY'S QUOTE: "Who can give law to lovers? Love is a greater law to itself." — Boethius

TODAY'S WEATHER: On this day in 1925, two mile-wide tornadoes killed one person, injured 30, and damaged or destroyed 60 homes.

SOURCE: 1998 Weather Guide Calendar; Accord Publishing, Ltd.

TODAY'S MOON: Between first quarter and full moon (June 10).

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Judge's ruling favors families

NEW YORK (AP) — Families of victims of TWA Flight 800 got a boost when a judge ruled that the explosion did not occur on the "high seas," making them eligible for additional money in their lawsuit against the airline and aircraft manufacturers.

Victims' families say Boeing Co., TWA and Hydoaire Inc. were negligent in the construction and operation of the Boeing 747 that exploded more than three nautical miles offshore from New York, where it was taking off to Paris in July 1996.

Families of the 230 people who died are seeking millions of dollars

The defendants had asked U.S. District Judge Robert W. Sweet to limit damages to those allowed by the Death on the High Seas Act, which excludes damages for areas such as emotional stress and suffering.

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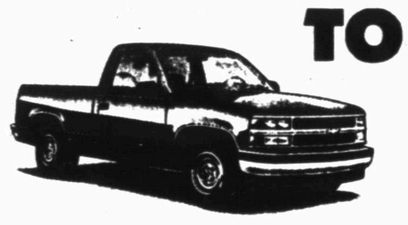

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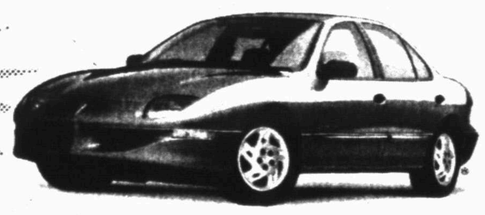

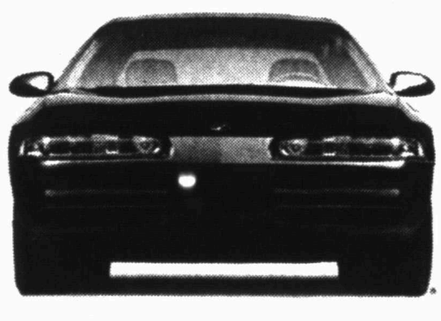

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11th GRADE A-B HONOR ROLL — Snyder High School's 1997-98 juniors earning the A-B honor roll pictured from left, front row, include Britney Bass, Felsha Biggers, Britney Canada, Amy Church, Lesha Derrick, Dana Durst, Rad Eicke, Rene Garcia, Holly Goebel; top row, Reane Hall, Rachel Huddleston, Rebecca May, John Nix, Juan Olvera, Whitney Owen, Andy Parker, Lisa Rollins, and not pictured, Blake Bell, James Hoyle, Michaelin Huckabee, Laurie Kerley, Dayna Parks, Amy Ricks, Lidia Rodriguez. (Staff Photo by Jo Ann Nunley)

Wrestler 'Junk Yard Dog' killed in Tuesday accident

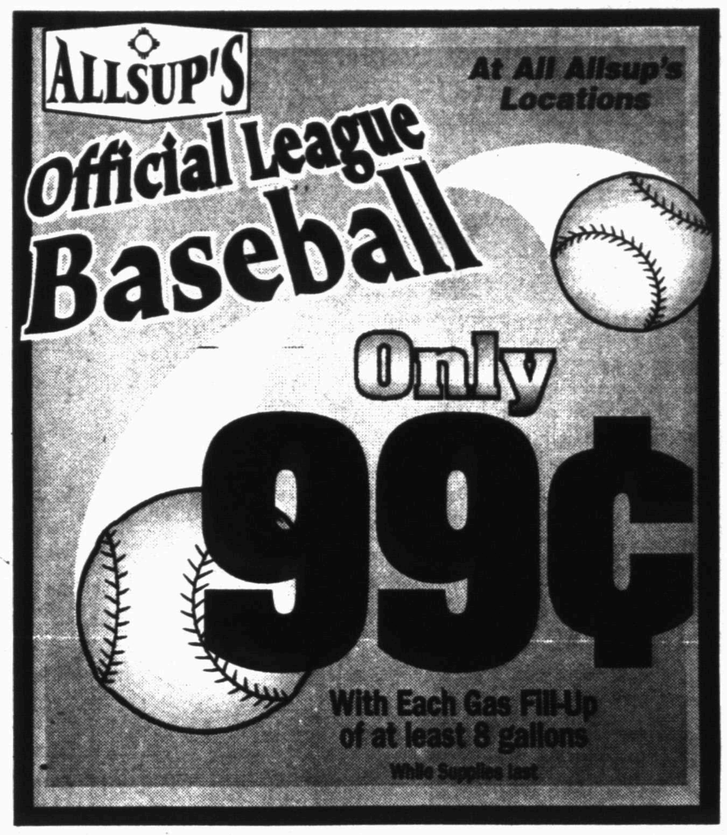
FOREST, Miss. (AP) — Sylvester Ritter, known to pro wrestling fans as the "Junk Yard Dog," was killed Tuesday in a car accident.

Ritter, from Charlotte, N.C., was killed about 11:40 a.m. on Interstate 20 in central Mississippi.

The Highway Patrol refused to give any other details.

The nearly 300-pound "Junk Yard Dog" wore full length red tights with white boots and a dog collar. The collar had a large chain attached to it.

He was known for his trademark head butts, and his finishing move was called "The Thump," a giant power slam.



Texas Lottery...

Jackpot boosts sales; still down overall

AUSTIN (AP) — The largest lotto jackpot since February has officials at the Texas Lottery smiling again. Tonight's jackpot was estimated at $45 million, the second highest grand prize in the state's numbers game this year.

The lottery has cheerfully given away more than a dozen $4 million jackpots since January, the minimum prize offered in the bi-weekly game. But Lotto Texas sales when the jackpot is "only" $4 million don't bring in nearly as much as when prizes soar, officials said.

"You'd have to have a whole lot of sales at $4 million to make the revenue of higher jackpots," said Lottery spokeswoman Marcy Goodfleisch. "People don't realize $4 million is a lot of money."

A San Antonio family won this year's highest jackpot for $47 million on Feb. 4.

Since then, 17 of 33 drawings have been for the minimum $4 million. Only two of the 33 — both last week — were for more than $20 million.

Lottery sales overall remain down from last year and down from state budget estimates. But the recent rise in lotto jackpots has helped, Ms. Goodfleisch said.

For example, the last time the jackpot was at its minimum, on May 13, lotto sales were $10.3 million for the week.

When the jackpot was $25 million and then $32 million last week, sales were $23.6 million for the week.

Sales for all games last week were $66.2 million, up 18 percent from the previous week's $55.8 million.

Lottery officials have estimated that they need $77 million in total sales each week to meet the state's estimated lottery revenue of $1.4 billion for the current, two-year budget cycle. It ends Aug. 31, 2000.

As of Tuesday afternoon, lotto sales were around $98,000 an hour for the $45 million jackpot. That was about $90,000 less than the per-hour sales of $188,294 the day before February's drawing for $47 million.

Ms. Goodfleisch said the $47 million jackpot was boosted by $2 million the day before the drawing, accounting for some of the difference in hourly sales.

March 20 is Proposal Day.

Community Calendar

WEDNESDAY

AA brown bag, open meeting; Park Club; for information call 573-8626, 573-9458 or 863-2349; noon.

First Presbyterian Church Women's Group; MAWC; 12:30 p.m.

Just for Today NA; open meeting; Park Club; for information call 573-0949, 573-4238, 573-8018; 8 p.m.

THURSDAY

Al-Anon brown bag, open meeting; Park Club in Winston Park; for information call 573-4203, 573-8626, 573-2101 or 573-0695; noon to 1 p.m.;.

"A Company of Women International" Prophetic Voice to the Nations, for mature Christian women; Union Community Center, Hwy. 180; potluck supper; 6 p.m.

Horseshoe Pitching For Fun; Horseshoe Courts located at the coliseum; everybody welcome, for further information call 573-9762; 7 p.m.

Just for Today NA; Park Club; for information call 573-0949, 573-4238 or 573-8018; 6 p.m.

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

New Horizons 12 & 12, closed meeting; Park Club; 7 p.m.

New Horizons AA; closed meeting; for information call 573-8626, 573-9458 or 863-2349; 8 p.m.

Nuestra Nueva Esperanza AA; Park Club; for information call 573-8626, 573-9458 or 863-2349; 8 p.m.

FRIDAY

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

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

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

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

Just for Today NA; Snyder Park Club; for information call 573-0949, 573-4238 or 573-8018; 6 p.m.

Scurry County AA closed meeting; Park Club in Winston Park; for information call 573-8626, 573-9458 or 863-8018; 8 p.m.

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SATURDAY

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

Just for Today NA open meeting; Park Club; for information call 573-0949, 573-4238 or 573-8018; 7 p.m.

SUNDAY

Scurry County AA open meeting; Park Club in Winston Park; for information call 573-8626, 573-9458 or 863-2349; 10 a.m.

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

Just For Today closed meeting; Park Club in Winston Park; for information call 573-0949, 573-4238, or 573-8018; 5 p.m.

Actress reports fan to police

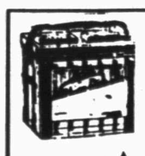
NEW YORK (AP) — Bothered by a fan who had been hounding her outside her home, Rosie Perez did the right thing and went to police.

It was about 2 a.m. when the actress went to the 88th Precinct and told police a man had been bothering her by repeatedly ringing her doorbell and shouting her name.

On the way back to her Brooklyn home, she spotted the man in the window of an apartment and called 911, Detective George Nagy said.







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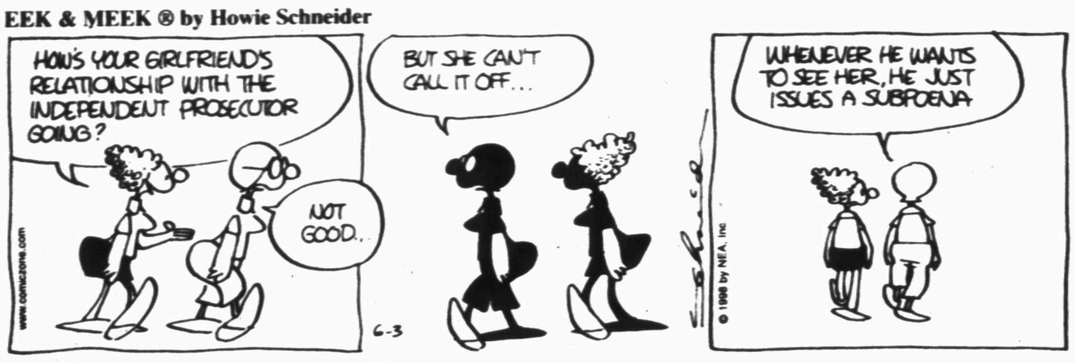

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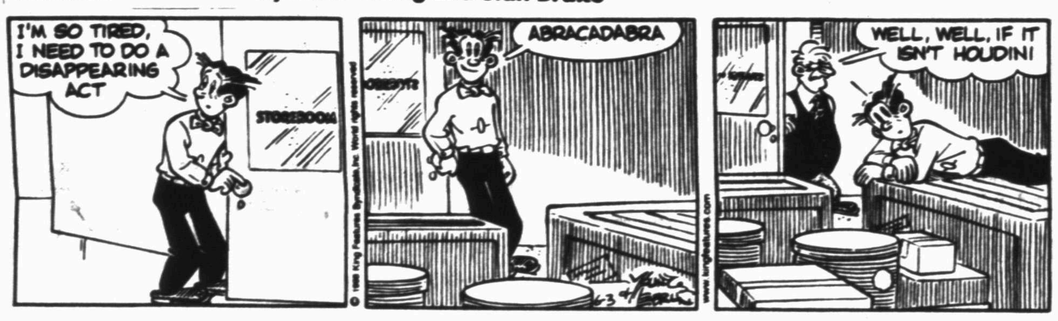

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NEA Crossword Puzzle

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7 Conceive
13 Recurring
14 Kind of beard
15 New York Indian
16 Delicious beverage
17 Infamous Roman emperor
18 Greek letter
20 Angel's aura
21 Relaxes
23 Tropical basket fiber
27 Legislator
32 In a pile
33 Silly
34 Actress Radner
35 — over (examined closely)
36 Aristotle —
39 — nous
40 Pines and yews
42 Funeral item
46 Wise bird
47 Attention-getting sound
51 Corned beef sandwich
53 Night of the —
55 Functionless
56 Make moist
57 Did wrong
58 Uses a pencil part

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1 Holy image
2 Force unit
3 Champagne bucket
4 Mixture
5 Beginning for day or night
6 Ending for land or sea
7 Set fire to
8 Female deer
9 Apiece
10 Leaf-cutting ant
11 Shade of blue
12 Finnish first name
19 Draft agcy.
21 Sumptuous meal
22 Shoots from a hidden spot
23 Shakespearean villain
24 Front part of the leg
25 Tissue
26 Young boys
28 Auth. unknown
29 Small pie
30 Remarkable person
31 Advise, old-style
37 Pressed
38 Stitch
41 Omit a sound in speech
42 Experts
43 Abominable Snowman
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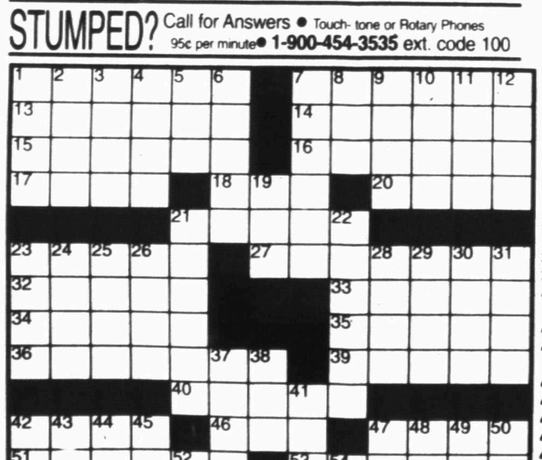

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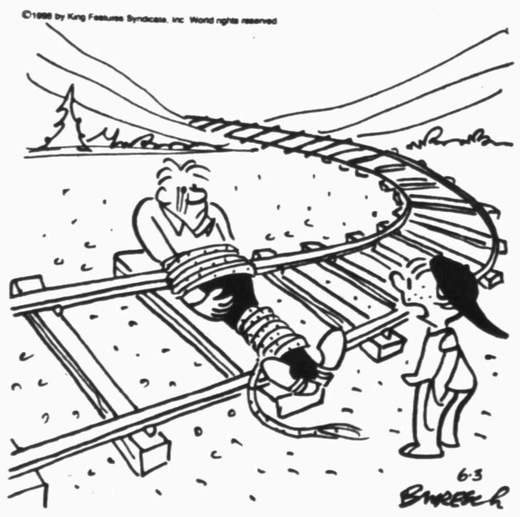

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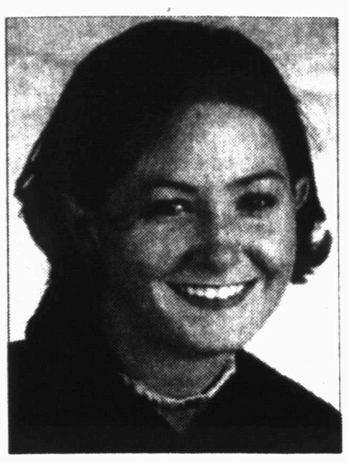
SPORTS

Lowrance garners All-America honors



Brooke Lowrance

LUBBOCK — All of America is now finding out what Snyder and Lubbock already knew — Brooke Lowrance can get the job done on the golf course.

Lowrance, an ex-Lady Tiger now Lady Raider junior, has been named Honorable Mention All-America by the National Golf Coaches Association.

After leading Texas Tech with a 78.3 stroke average as a sophomore, Lowrance continued the trend this season. She was once again tops on her team with a 75.4 average and the highest-ranked golfer in the Big 12 Conference.

"It's a pretty high reward," Lowrance said. "It sets a standard to achieve a higher goal for next season."

The former Snyder standout played in all 10 tournaments for Tech this season, posting six top-10 finishes and leading the No. 23 Lady Raiders into the NCAA West Regional.

"Brooke has had an outstanding year," said Texas Tech Director of Golf Jeff Mitchell. "Certainly, I'm very excited. She is my first All-American. It's only a tribute to how hard she has worked. She is really a student of the game.

"Every day when she goes to the golf course, she is trying to learn something new. That's all you can ask for out of a golfer."

After attending summer classes, Lowrance will continue her season. She is one of four women selected to represent the United States in August at the World University Golf Championships in South Africa.

Rangers use two homers to top Rays, 7-3

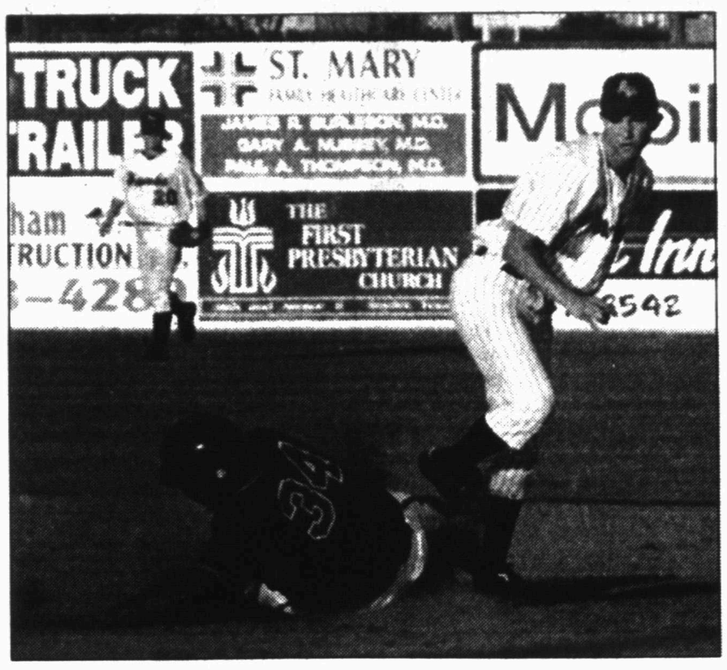
ST. PETERSBURG, Fla. (AP) — Luis Alicea and Will Clark homered and Bobby Witt won for the first time in three weeks as the Texas Rangers beat the Tampa Bay Devil Rays 7-3 on Tuesday night.

Alicea, a late addition to the starting lineup at second base because Mark McLemore was bothered by stiffness in his neck, finished a six-run second inning with a three-run homer off Jason Johnson (2-3).

Fernando Tatis had a two-run single off Johnson in the second and Will Clark, who broke out of a 6-for-41 slump with three hits, homered to center off Julio Santana for a 7-1 lead in the fifth.

Witt (5-3) won for the first time since May 11, allowing seven hits while striking out three and walking four in 5 1-3 innings.

Clark was 3-for-3 with a single, double and homer, his eighth of the season and first in 13 games. Alicea's homer was his first.



TURNING TWO — Iowa Park second baseman Tyler Pulley avoids the slide of Alpine's Brian Portillo during 3A regional semi-final action Tuesday night at Moffett Field. Iowa Park topped the Bucks, 10-7, advancing to face Abilene Wylie in the regional finals.

Cowboys open minicamp

IRVING (AP) — The Dallas Cowboys have a new coach but many of the same players, and they're not getting any younger.

The age of the Cowboys roster, the sixth oldest in the NFL, was a big topic of conversation Tuesday as the club opened minicamp at its Valley Ranch training center.

Wide receiver Michael Irvin, an 11-year pro, agrees the team is getting older, but said that sometimes makes a team better. Other players agreed, saying that youth isn't as important as playing well.

"You can be the youngest team in the league, with the most talent in the league," said ninth-year running back Emmitt Smith, "(but) you go out there and execute poorly and you're going to get blown off the field."

Quarterback Troy Aikman, entering his 10th NFL season, said he's not worried about the Cowboys' age either.

"I still feel that the guys we have, who many may say are over the hill, and maybe that's me included . . . I still feel we can be awfully productive," Aikman said.

Age and knee problems might have finally caught up with 10th year defensive end Tony Tolbert, however.

Tolbert, who could count nearly $3.5 million against the Cowboys' salary cap this season, is reviewing his options with the club, said new head coach Chan Gailey said.

"As of today, he's in our plans," Gailey said. "But a lot depends on his knees, his feelings and where we are as a team."

Jordan, Pippen: Bulls are underdogs in series

SALT LAKE CITY (AP) — The Chicago Bulls are underdogs?

Sure, and John Wayne was a wimp, Brigham Young was a bachelor and Michael Jordan is broke.

As hard to fathom as it is, the NBA Finals begin tonight with the unavoidable suspicion that the Bulls are beatable, that the Utah Jazz can bring down the Chicago dynasty before Bulls owner Jerry Reinsdorf gets a chance to do it.

"They beat us in our own building. They beat us here," Jordan said. "They might be hungrier. There are a lot of things that equate to the opportunities for Utah to win a championship. There are a lot of things that we have done that make people say, 'Maybe it is Utah's year.'"

Jordan and Scottie Pippen are fanning the flames of that unlikely fire. They are using the idea that Utah is the favorite as a rallying point after their exhausting series against Indiana for one last hurrah before Pippen and coach Phil Jackson move on and, maybe, Jordan retires.

"It's a different feeling. We've never been in the situation where we've sort of been written off," Pippen said. "It's a great feeling being the underdog because you want to go out and prove everybody wrong."

The Jazz say it's all baloney, that Chicago is the five-time champion, a team that knows how to win at the ultimate level of the sport.

This time, though, the Bulls will have to do it away from home. Utah has the home-court advantage. Winless on the road in the Eastern Conference finals, Chicago must win at least once in the delirious din of the Delta Center to capture a sixth crown.

Jackson has not joined in the underdog chorus.

"I think there's some sentiment for Utah because they've got some guys who have been also-rans," Jackson said. "They haven't been to the finals but once, last year, with a team that's won a lot of games. I'm sure they've dreamed about winning, but whether they're capable of doing it or not remains to be seen."

If he was to bet, he said, "I'd probably bet on the Jazz — if I didn't know anything about the Bulls."

To a man, the Bulls point to Karl Malone as the dominant figure in Utah's drive toward the title.

Chicago really has no one who matches up well with him. Luc Longley, bigger and slower, will start out guarding him. Dennis Rodman will get his turn.

In last year's finals, Brian Williams' defense off the bench against Malone was a big factor in Chicago's six-game victory. But Williams is gone.

"It's going to be tough. We're going to have to find some matchups for Malone," Pippen said. "He's definitely going to be able to get out and run on our big men, especially if Luc is guarding him, or Dennis, who wants to bang the boards and be a rebounder."

Fouls could be a big problem for the Bulls.

"It's really difficult to guard Karl Malone because the slightest touch and you're going to get a foul," Rodman said. "Here in Utah, you don't get any calls at all."

"The critical point in this series for me is I have to stop Malone," Rodman said.

SDN Sports Briefs

Ravens: Vinny out, Harbaugh in

OWINGS MILLS, Md (AP) — Vinny Testaverde was waived by the Baltimore Ravens and Jim Harbaugh stepped in as the team's quarterback.

Testaverde, who started for Baltimore most of its first two seasons, had been outspoken in criticism of team management after being benched the final two games last season.

By waiting until after June 1 to release Testaverde, the Ravens saved $2.6 million against the 1999 salary cap.

Cox released by Bears

LAKE FOREST, Ill. (AP) — Bryan Cox, the outspoken linebacker who was a disappointment in Chicago, was released by the Bears.

Cox, who signed a four-year, $13.5 million contract in 1996, had 232 tackles and eight sacks in 25 games for the Bears after getting 34.5 sacks in five years with Miami.

API golf tourney

Snyder chapter of American Petroleum Institute will hold its annual scholarship golf tournament Saturday at Snyder Country Club.

Format is a four-person scramble with shotgun starts at 7:30 a.m. and 1:30 p.m. Entry fee is $300 per team, with cash prizes for first, second and third place in each flight. Each team must have a minimum handicap of 50.

There will also be prizes for closest to the pin, longest drive and a putting contest. A hole in one wins a pickup.

Basketball camp

The five-day WTC Super Shooters Youth Basketball Camp will be held beginning Monday.

The camp, led by WTC coaches Valery Jackson and Marla Beasley, is open for incoming 2-6 grade boys and girls. For more information, call 573-8511 ext. 286.

Volleyball camp

Two Texas Tech players will conduct the Red Raider Volleyball Camp at Snyder High gym next Wednesday and Thursday.

Sessions will run from 9 a.m. until noon and 1 until 4 p.m. Incoming 9-12 graders are eligible to register. Cost is $50 per student and registration is limited to the first 20 entries.

Deadline to enroll is Monday. To sign up contact Keila or Janna Helms at 735-2826.

Baseball camp

Snyder Baseball Camp will be held beginning Monday and will run through June 12 at the high school.

Sessions for ages 5-7 will be from 8:30 until 9:30 a.m. and from 9:30 until 11 a.m. for ages 8 and up. Cost is $40 per student. Insurance will be provided.

To register, call SHS head coach Roland Herrera at 573-1355.

Volleyball tourney

Entries are being accepted for the annual July 4th Volleyball Tournament. Deadline for registration is July 2.

Format is 8-person coed, with T-shirts and team trophies awarded to first, second and third place teams.

For more information, call Luis at 573-4767 after 5 p.m. or Angel at 573-0348.

SNYDER YOUTH LEAGUES

SOFTBALL
5 & 6 Pixie

Bad to the Bone 11, Pink Panthers 3

Bad to the Bone: Caitlin Whitt, home run and triple; Linsey Urias, triple and two singles; Alexia Hernandez, double and two singles; Lassie Cochran, Sarah Cearley and Brittni Chaidez, double and single; Kylie Moreland, three singles; Kayli Brewster and Jessica Ibarra, single. **Pink Panthers:** Kelly Martinez and Heather Newton, home run and single; Megan Thompson, double and single; Megan Williamson, two doubles; Amanda Midwell and Jessica Floyd, single.

BASEBALL
Minor League

Indians 14, Braves 9

Indians: Jonathan Hembree, triple; Lucas Munoz, Roman Munoz, Casey Arnold and David Rodriguez, single. WP: Jonathan Hembree. **Braves:** Kameron Harrison and Wesley White, double and single; Brandon Graves, double; Martin Garcia, Matthew Garcia, Kevin Graves and Walter Ezell, single. LP: Martin Garcia.

Braves 17, Cardinals 8

Braves: Brandon Graves, home run, double and single; Walter Ezell and Chris Vera, triple; Martin Garcia, two doubles. **Cardinals:** Alfredo Hernandez, triple and single; Austin McCormack, two singles; Casey Martinez, single.

Baseball Playoffs

COLLEGE WORLD SERIES
at Rosenblatt Stadium, Omaha, Neb.

Friday's Games
Game 1: Arizona State 11, Florida St. 10
Game 2: Miami 3, Long Beach State 1

Saturday's Games
Game 3: LSU 12, Southern Cal 10
Game 4: Mississippi State 14, Florida 13

Sunday's Games
Game 5: Arizona State 9, Miami 2
Game 6: Long Beach State 7, Florida St. 4; Florida St. eliminated

Monday's Games
Game 7: LSU 10, Mississippi St. 8
Game 8: Southern Cal 12, Florida 10; Florida eliminated

Tuesday's Games
Game 9: Long Beach State 6, Miami 3; Miami eliminated
Game 10: Southern Cal 7, Mississippi St. 1; MSU eliminated

Today's Game
Game 10: Arizona State vs. Long Beach State, 6:30

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American League

East Division

	W	L	Pct.	GB
NewYork	39	13	.750	-
Boston	33	22	.600	7½
Toronto	28	29	.491	13½
Baltimore	27	30	.474	14½
TampaBay	25	31	.446	16

Central Division

	W	L	Pct.	GB
Cleveland	34	22	.607	-
Minnesota	25	30	.454	8½
Chicago	22	33	.400	11½
Detroit	21	32	.396	11½
KansasCity	21	34	.382	12½

West Division

	W	L	Pct.	GB
Texas	34	22	.607	-
Anaheim	29	26	.527	4½
Seattle	26	31	.456	8½
Oakland	23	32	.418	10½

Tuesday's Games
Minnesota 10, Oakland 3
Baltimore 9, Seattle 8, 10 innings
Texas 7, Tampa Bay 3
Cleveland 8, Detroit 3
Boston 11, Toronto 3
N.Y. Yankees 6, Chicago White Sox 3
Anaheim 7, Kansas City 5

Wednesday's Games
Detroit (Greisinger 0-0) at Toronto (Clemens 5-6), 7:05 p.m.
Baltimore (Johns 1-1) at Boston (Lowe 0-4), 7:05 p.m.
Tampa Bay (Saunders 1-5) at N.Y. Yankees (Hernandez 0-0), 7:35 p.m.
Chicago White Sox (Bere 2-5) at Kansas City (Rapp 4-4), 8:05 p.m.
Cleveland (Colon 4-3) at Minnesota (Hawkins 3-5), 8:05 p.m.
Anaheim (Finley 5-2) at Seattle (Johnson 5-3), 10:35 p.m.
Texas (Sele 8-3) at Oakland (Stein 1-2), 10:35 p.m.

National League

East Division

	W	L	Pct.	GB
Atlanta	41	18	.695	-
NewYork	31	22	.585	7
Philadelphia	26	29	.473	13
Montreal	21	36	.368	19
Florida	17	40	.298	23

Central Division

	W	L	Pct.	GB
Houston	34	22	.607	-
Chicago	33	24	.579	1½
St.Louis	29	27	.518	5
Milwaukee	28	27	.509	5½
Pittsburgh	28	30	.483	7
Cincinnati	27	32	.458	8½

West Division

	W	L	Pct.	GB
SanDiego	36	22	.621	-
SanFrancisco	35	24	.593	1½
LosAngeles	27	30	.474	8½
Colorado	24	34	.414	12
Arizona	19	39	.328	17

Tuesday's Games
Chicago Cubs 2, Florida 1
Pittsburgh 5, N.Y. Mets 2
Montreal 4, Philadelphia 3
Atlanta 9, Milwaukee 0
Arizona 9, Colorado 3
St. Louis 7, Los Angeles 4
Houston 4, San Diego 3
San Francisco 4, Cincinnati 2

Wednesday's Games
Florida (Hernandez 3-3) at Chicago Cubs (Wood 5-2), 2:20 p.m.
Cincinnati (Tomko 5-3) at San Francisco (Estes 4-5), 3:35 p.m.
N.Y. Mets (Reed 6-2) at Pittsburgh (Lieber 2-7), 7:05 p.m.
Montreal (Perez 5-3) at Philadelphia (Beech 1-3), 7:35 p.m.
Atlanta (Glavine 7-2) at Milwaukee (Juden 5-3), 7:35 p.m.
Arizona (Blair 2-8) at Colorado (Astacio 4-7), 9:05 p.m.
St. Louis (Petkovsek 3-1) at Los Angeles (R.Martinez 6-2), 10:35 p.m.
Houston (Bergman 4-3) at San Diego (Hamilton 3-6), 10:35 p.m.

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Washington 3, Buffalo 2, OT
Tuesday, May 26
Dallas 3, Detroit 1
Thursday, May 28
Washington 4, Buffalo 3, OT
Friday, May 29
Detroit 5, Dallas 3
Saturday, May 30
Washington 2, Buffalo 0
Sunday, May 31
Detroit 3, Dallas 2, Detroit leads series 3-1
Tuesday, June 2
Buffalo 2, Washington 1, Washington leads series 3-2
Wednesday, June 3
Detroit at Dallas, 7:30 p.m. (ESPN)
Thursday, June 4
Washington at Buffalo, 7:30 p.m. (ESPN)

SNYDER WGA RESULTS

Women's Golf Association of Snyder Country Club

Low net foursomes: Finnie Seale, Juanita Hester, Kathy Stephens and Colleen Duke, first place, 148. Low putter: Juanita Hester, 14. Chip-in: Juanita Hester.

Low net: Finnie Seale, 66; Anita Talbott, 67. Low putter: Jo Sterling, 27. Chip-ins: Colleen Duke and Jo Sterling.

Queen of the hill: (tie) Anita Talbott and Cynthia Jackson, low gross, 87; Colleen Duke, low net, 69. Low putter: Peggy Hardin, 27. Chip-in: Esther Guelker.

Guess your score: Anita Talbott, exact guess, 82; Juanita Hester, one away, 98. Low putter, Anita Talbott, 29.

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Conspiracy to committ espionage...

Former campus radical enters plea of guilty

ALEXANDRIA, Va. (AP) — One of three former campus radicals charged with spying for East Germany and other countries pleaded guilty today to conspiracy to commit espionage.

James Michael Clark, 50, spoke in a strong, clear voice as he admitted working with others to "knowingly, willfully and intentionally" attempt to provide American secrets to other countries. U.S. District Judge Claude M. Hilton dropped a second charge of espionage as part of a plea agreement.

Under the agreement, Clark may testify against two old friends from his college days who also are charged with operating a spy ring in the 1970s and 1980s. Their trial is set for next month.

"It's appropriate for him to accept responsibility for what he did, and he does that," said Clark's attorney, James Clark. The two are not related.

The former Army paralegal will be sentenced Sept. 11. He remains jailed.

Federal sentencing guidelines indicate Clark faces a minimum of 12 years and seven months in prison. He may win a shorter sentence if he cooperates with prosecutors as they pursue the attempted-espionage case against former Pentagon lawyer Theresa M. Squillacote and her husband, Kurt A. Stand.

Stand's lawyer, Doug Baruch, said his client, a lifelong union organizer, never participated in spying.

"I think if Clark provides truthful testimony ... that testimony will tend to be beneficial to our client. Whatever conspiracy he was involved in did not involve our client," Baruch said, speaking for both Stand and Squillacote.

Federal prosecutor Randy Bellows declined comment concerning the pending case against Ms. Squillacote and Stand.

Clark, a slight, bearded private investigator, suspected for months that the FBI was following him, according to the indictment.

He was right.

The FBI tape recorded him pacing in his apartment, ruminating aloud that the place was bugged.

The grand jury said the documents Clark turned over to East Germany between 1979 and 1984 included State Department personnel records. CIA agents have traditionally been assigned to the State Department under cover. The indictment said Clark also obtained information about chemical weapons manufacturing from the Rocky Mountain Arsenal to offer the East Germans.

Attorneys for Clark did not return telephone calls Tuesday.

Stand's attorneys had no comment. Ms. Squillacote's attorney, Lawrence Robbins, said last week that her case was going to trial.

All three initially pleaded innocent.

Prosecutors said the three were Marxists in the mid-1970s as students at the University of Wisconsin in Milwaukee. The grand jury alleged they went on to spy on U.S. defenses for 25 years.

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Allasignal s	43¾	43 5-16	43 13-16	+ 3-16
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GenElec	82⅛	82⅛	82 9-16	— 3-16
GenMills	70 1-16	69 7-16	70	+ 7-16
GenMotors	74⅜	73⅛	74⅛	+ 1⅛
GaPacGP s	65⅛	64⅜	65	+ 1⅛
GlobalMar	21⅛	21⅛	21⅛	— ⅛
Goodrich	51⅞	51⅛	51⅛	+ ⅛
Goodyear s	70 13-16	69⅞	70	—15-16
GtAtlPac	32 5-16	31 13-16	32 5-16	+ ⅛
Halliburtn s	45⅛	44⅜	44 15-16	— 1-16
Hanson ADS	29⅜	29⅜	29⅛	+ ⅛
HarteHanks s	22	21⅞	22	+ ⅛
HomeDepot s	77 15-16	77 9-16	77⅛	+ 1-16
HoustonInds	29 15-16	29 9-16	29⅜	— ⅛
IBM	116⅛	115⅞	116 5-16	+ ⅛
IntlPaper	48	47⅞	47⅝	+ ⅛
JohnsonJn	69 1-16	68⅝	68 11-16	+ ⅛
K mart	20 1-16	19 13-16	19 13-16	— ⅛
Kroger Co	44 9-16	44	44 5-16	+13-16
Litton	58⅜	57⅞	58 1-16	+ ⅛
LockhdMart	111	110 7-16	111	+ ⅛
Lowes Cos	78 11-16	77⅞	78 7-16	+ ⅛
Lubys	18⅛	18⅛	18⅛	+ ⅛
LucentTech s	72 3-16	70 9-16	70⅝	—1 1-16
MayDeptStrs	64⅛	63⅛	63⅞	
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Mobils	77 3-16	76⅛	76 9-16	— ⅜
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NationsBk	75⅛	74	74⅛	— ⅛
Norwests	39 5-16	39	39 1-16	— ⅛
OryxEngy	22 13-16	22 7-16	22 7-16	— 5-16
Penney JC	73⅛	72⅛	73 1-16	+ 9-16
Pennzoil	57 15-16	57 1-16	57⅛	— 1-16
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SearsRoeb	62 15-16	61 11-16	62⅛	— ⅜
SherwinW	33⅛	33	33 3-16	— ⅛
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SwstAirl s	27⅜	26 7-16	27⅜	+13-16
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SunCo	41 15-16	41⅜	41½	— 7-16
TNP Ent	33	32⅜	32 15-16	+ 3-16
Tandy s	45⅜	44⅝	44 15-16	+ 1-16
TempleInland	58⅛	57⅜	57 7-16	— ⅜
Tenneco	41 5-16	40 15-16	41 3-16	— 1-16
Texaco s	57 3-16	56⅜	56⅜	— 1-16
TexInd	56 1-16	55⅜	55 9-16	—1 3-16
TexasInst s	50 13-16	49⅛	50⅜	+ 1⅜
TexUtil	40⅜	40 7-16	40 11-16	+ 3-16
Textron	73⅜	71 11-16	72⅝	+ 3-16
Travelers s	64⅛	62 13-16	62 15-16	—15-16
TriconGlbR n	32 13-16	32⅛	32½	— ⅛
TrinityInds	47¾	47 9-16	47⅞	— 1-16
TritonEngy	37⅜	37 3-16	37 11-16	— ⅛
Tyler	9⅜	9⅜	9⅜	
US WestCm	51⅛	50⅜	51⅛	— 1-16
USWstMda	36⅜	36	36⅛	— 3-16
USX-Marathn	33⅜	32 9-16	32⅝	—11-16
USX-USS	35⅛	34⅛	34 11-16	— 5-16
UnCarbde	50⅜	49 15-16	50	+ ⅛
UnionPacif	45⅞	44⅛	44⅞	— ⅛
UnitedTech	94	92⅜	92 15-16	— ⅛
Unocal	35⅛	35⅛	35 9-16	— 1-16
WalMart	57 7-16	56⅜	56 11-16	— ⅛
WstnGasRs	15⅞	15⅜	15⅞	+ 1-16
WinnDixie	41⅞	41⅜	41⅞	+ 7-16
Woolworth	19 9-16	19⅛	19 9-16	+ ⅛
Xerox Corp	103⅜	101⅞	103⅛	+ 1⅜

Warrants send one man to jail

Outstanding warrants sent one subject to jail Tuesday in an otherwise mostly peaceful 24-hour period.

At 8:34 p.m., Department of Public Safety troopers arrested a 22-year-old male in the 300 block of North College on outstanding warrants for no insurance, no drivers license and failure to appear.

In other activity, an offense report for theft was submitted at 10:24 a.m. in reference to a car dolly being stolen from property on U.S. 84.

At 10:25 p.m., a woman contacted officers to help her locate her two nephews, ages 13 and 14, who had left her residence without permission.

Snyder Fire Department was called out two different times to reports of grass fires in Dunn. Firemen first responded to the blaze at 1:28 p.m., then again at 3:38 p.m. High winds contributed to the fire spreading. Damage was limited to grass.

Hospital

ADMISSIONS: Amedeo Garza, Stephen Gladden, Lawrence Herrera of Lovington, N.M., David Hoops, Oneida Spradlin of Ira and Beatrice Ritchie.

DISMISSALS: Billie Holt and Martin Zuniga.

CENSUS: 41 (Med., Surg.-16, Long-term Care-25).

Scurry County Country

Crop Report

COLLEGE STATION (AP) — With no rain in 75 days for Brooks County, dryland watermelon farming has almost become a thing of the past. But as the Texas Agricultural Extension Service reports, this year's irrigated crop may be the sweetest yet.

Because of rough drought conditions along Texas' Coastal Bend and in South Texas, watermelon crops without irrigation lost the battle against nature. County Extension agent Jaime Lopez said the area has seen a steady decrease in the number of dryland crops and farmers for the past four years.

"We've lost almost all of our dryland farmers here to big farms with irrigation systems," he said.

Lopez said some watermelons have already hit supermarkets and consumers may notice a change in more than the taste.

"The market is up for melons and the supply is down this year because of the bad dryland crop," he said. "So prices will be a little higher than some consumers are used to."

In West Central Texas, Tom Green County reported surplus soil moisture. District Extension director Scott Durham said stations across the county have reported 4 inches to 5 inches of rain.

The following specific livestock, crop and weather conditions were reported by district Extension directors:

PANHANDLE: soil moisture very short to adequate. Ranges fair to good. Corn fair to good; cotton stands are rated good to excellent. Sorghum and soybean planting is under way. Peanuts and cotton are being planted. Wheat has headed. Cattle are in good condition.

SOUTH PLAINS: soil moisture very short to short. Rainfall in some areas, but most still hot and dry. Wheat rating fair to good and maturing quickly due to conditions. Pastures are fair; all need moisture. Corn and peanuts in good condition.

ROLLING PLAINS: soil moisture very short to short. Range, pasture conditions moderate to low. Wheat harvest is under way, yields are above average. Cotton is being planted, dryland cotton will not be planted until after a rainfall. Cattle are in good condition.

NORTH TEXAS: soil moisture very short to short. Ranges, pastures need rain, some acreage being cut for hay. Sorghum poor to fair. Corn poor to fair. Wheat harvest under way. Planting of soybeans continues. Some sweet potato slips being transplanted.

EAST TEXAS: soil moisture very short. Rainfall needed urgently; unseasonably hot temperatures. Pastures short for grazing, hay feeding progressing throughout area. Short hay yields in first cutting. Stock ponds low, cattle conditions fair to good.

FAR WEST TEXAS: soil moisture very short. Most range fires have been extinguished in Brewster/Jeff Davis counties. Pecos County needs rain. Cotton planting has begun. Hazy and smoky conditions across West Texas; high hot winds.



Town & Country Topics

By Katherine Roberts
Couny Extension Agent

Be prepared for disasters

Spring may be a time of renewal, but the changing seasons can also bring severe thunderstorms and tornadoes. Since natural disasters can strike anytime and without warning, having a family disaster plan is the best protection.

A disaster plan can help families decide what to do if they are evacuated from their neighborhood or confined to their home. The idea of the plan is to get family members to talk about how they might respond in case of a disaster. Knowing what each family member will do if a disaster strikes whether the children are at school or if a parent is at work will lessen the uncertainty and fears during an emergency. The plan gives the family a sense of confidence that they will be ready if a disaster should strike.

A part of the disaster plan would be to know what to do if the basic services of water, gas, electricity or telephones were cut off. Learn how to turn off the water, gas and electricity. Label handles or switches to help individuals remember what to do.

Discuss what the family would do if they were required to evacuate the home. Hold a family meeting to create a plan. Identify two places to meet. One would be right outside the home for an emergency such as a fire, and the other place would be away from your neighborhood in case you can't return home. Choose an out-of-town relative or friend for everyone to call if the family is separated.

Compile a disaster supply kit. Plan for items you might need if you are confined in the home for three days. Some items to include are bottled water, nonperishable food, a first-aid kit, emergency tools, an extra set of car keys, cash and any special items for infants, elderly or disabled family members.

Take safety precautions. Post emergency numbers by the telephone. Have every number written down. Frequently used numbers that you have memorized may not be remembered when you are in a stressful situation.

Once you have devised your plan with your family, practice your plan. Quiz your children every six months to be sure they remember what to do. We all need reminders, and it helps the whole family to communicate what needs to be done in case of an unexpected emergency.

Cow/Calf Clinic set June 16

JAYTON — The Texas Agricultural Extension Service in Dickens, Kent, King and Stonewall counties will host a Cow/Calf Clinic for area producers Tuesday, June 16 in Jayton. The clinic is open to anyone with an interest in the cattle industry.

This year's featured speakers will include, Dr. Ron Gill, Extension livestock specialist, Danny Havins, NRCS, Vernon and Cory Priest of McLennan County. Dr. Gill will give a program over Calving Season vs. Forage Demand, Havins will talk about Cool Season Forages and how they will work in our area, and Priest will talk about preconditioning weaned calves.

A steak dinner will be provided for all pre-registered guests at 5:30 that evening, all non-registered guests will pay $5 at the door. You will need to RSVP by 5 p.m. Wednesday, June 10. To preregister please contact the Extension office in one of the following counties: Dickens County Extension Office 806-623-5552, Kent County Extension Office 806-237-3751, King County Extension Office 806-596-4451 or Stonewall County Extension Office 940-989-3510.

If you have any questions regarding this clinic, please contact Shane Kelton at 806-237-3751.

TDA to accept family heritage applications

AUSTIN — The Texas Department of Agriculture is now accepting applications for the 1998 Family Land Heritage Program. The program recognizes Texas farms and ranches that have been in continuous production by the same family for at least 100 years. TDA will accept applications through the Oct. 15 deadline.

Announcing the availability of Family Land Heritage applications, Agriculture Commissioner Rick Perry called summer the ideal time for farm and ranch families to explore the right legacy of their Texas heritage.

"Family members can provide a wealth of information as well as some documentation required for the Family Land Heritage application," Perry said. "With family reunions and other such gatherings traditionally taking place this time of year, summer is a good time for folks to touch base with their families' heritage and history."

Family Land Heritage applications can be obtained from TDA by writing to Debbie Ellis, Texas Department of Agriculture, P.O. Box 12847, Austin, Texas 78711; or by calling 512-467-7653.

Applications are also available via the TDA Internet website www.agr.state.tx.us or through your local county judge's office.

The deadline for submitting an application to TDA is Oct. 15.

Farms and ranches that qualify will be honored during a January 1999 ceremony in Austin. More than 3,000 farms and ranches across Texas have qualified since this recognition program began in 1974.

Lubbock cattle auction

LUBBOCK — The market at Lubbock had a run of 900 head of cattle for the Thursday, May 28 sale. Cows were steady with yearlings and calves $1 to $2 cheaper. Trading was good and demand fair.

Slaughter cows: 33 to 39; canners and low cutters: 28 to 32.50; slaughter bulls 43 to 50.

Feeder steers choice: 300 to 400, 85 to 105; 400 to 500; 78 to 93; 500 to 600, 70 to 83; 600 to 700, 68 to 75; 700 to 800, 63 to 71.

Feeder heifers choice: 300 to 400, 75 to 85; 400 to 500, 70 to 75; 500 to 600, 68 to 72.50; 600 to 700, 65 to 70; 700 to 800, 62 to 68.

Feeder bulls good and choice: 500 to 600, 65 to 73.50; 700 to 800, 60 to 65.

Cow and calf pairs, good: 550 to 725; grade, 400 to 540.

Springers: 300 to 550; baby calves: 75 to 140; doodlers: 150 to 225.

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Colorado City cattle auction

COLORADO CITY — The Colorado City Livestock Auction had a run of 768 head of cattle for the Saturday, May 30 sale. Stocker steers and heifers under 600 pounds were $2 to $3 higher, over 600 pounds were steady. Bred cows not enough to test. Pairs were steady to stronger Packer cows and bulls were steady.

Steers:
200 to 300: 95 to 112
300 to 400: 85 to 101
400 to 500: 83 to 93.50
500 to 600: 78 to 86.50
600 to 700: 65 to 78.50
Heifers:
200 to 300: 81 to 89
300 to 400: 74.50 to 85
400 to 500: 69 to 78
600 to 700: 64 to 72.50

Young cows and calves: 590 to 710.

Medium age to older cows and calves: 465 to 585

Packer cows: 25 to 39.50
Packer bulls: 42 to 51.25

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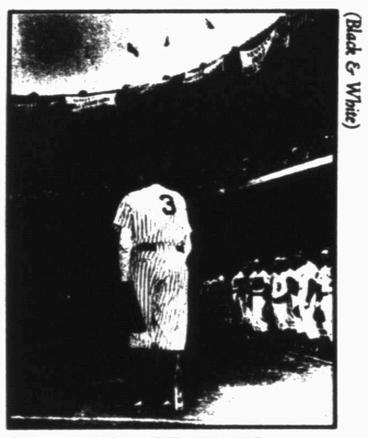
ROBINSON SLIDES INTO HOME*
Brooklyn Dodgers' second baseman Jackie Robinson attempts to steal home plate at Wrigley Field May 17, 1949, two years after he broke the color barrier in Major League baseball.



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RUTH BIDS FAREWELL TO BASEBALL*
Babe Ruth, wearing his famed No. 3 uniform for the last time, bids farewell to Major League baseball on June 13, 1948 at Yankee Stadium.



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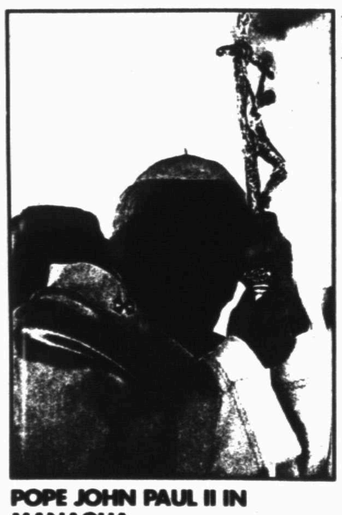
ASTRONAUT
Astronaut Ed White moves away from his Gemini 4 capsule in this historic space walk of June 8, 1967.



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POPE JOHN PAUL II IN MANAGUA
Pope John Paul II at an open-air mass in Managua, Nicaragua, on February 7, 1996.



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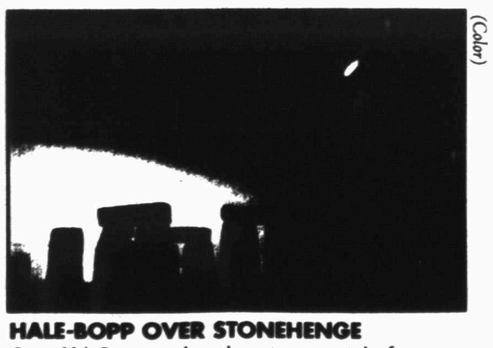
MANTLE HITS HOME RUN*
Mickey Mantle clobbers his 49th homer of the 1961 season, adding to his career total of 536. The home run drove in baserunner and slugging rival Roger Maris.



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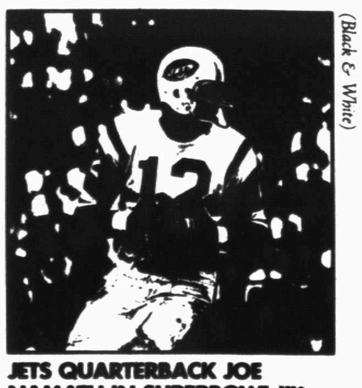
HALE-BOPP OVER STONEHENGE
Comet Hale-Bopp seen above the ancient stone circle of Stonehenge in southwest England March 28, 1997.



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JETS QUARTERBACK JOE NAMATH IN SUPERBOWL III*
Joe Namath sets up to pass against the Baltimore Colts in SuperBowl III. The New York Jets went on to defeat the Colts 16 to 7 in one of footballs' most dramatic upsets.

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Study: Few complications with outpatient mastectomies

WASHINGTON (AP) — Surgical complications are about the same for Medicare breast cancer patients who undergo mastectomies in outpatient clinics as for women who follow the operation with a night in the hospital, a study by federal researchers indicates.

Published today in the Journal of the National Cancer Institute, the study supports the idea that many women do better following mastectomy if they spend one night in the hospital. But it also suggests that an outpatient procedure is "a reasonable option" for Medicare-covered women who have no other type of health problem.

About 11 percent of Medicare breast cancer patients who undergo mastectomies do so now as outpatients, the study found.

Concern over "drive-thru mastectomies" led some in Congress to propose bills that would require insurance companies to pay for hospitalization if that is the choice of a mastectomy patient and her physician.

A Senate bill, pushed by Sen. Alfonse D'Amato, R-N.Y., would base the hospitalization on patient need as determined by the patient and the doctor. A House bill, authored by Rep. Rosa DeLauro, D-Conn., and backed by President Clinton, requires that insurance companies pay for 48-hour hospital stays for mastectomies if that is the choice of the patient.

The study published today, however, analyzed outcomes only for mastectomies paid for by Medicare.

Joan L. Warren, a National Cancer Institute researcher, said the study results are not conclusive about which type of care is best.

"We come down pretty squarely in the middle," said Warren. "For women who decided they want an outpatient mastectomy and discuss it with their physician, we show it is a reasonable option."

Warren emphasized, however, that this option is only for women with no other health problems.

She said that the study also showed that there are slightly fewer complications for women who stayed at least one night in the hospital after the surgery and that this means an overnight stay "certainly should be an option available to them."

Fran Visco of the National Breast Cancer Coalition said that although the study is evenhanded, "it definitely will make it more difficult to get the (mastectomy) legislation enacted. The study will be misunderstood and misstated. ... It will complicate the situation."

She said the coalition, which represents 450 breast cancer advocate organizations nationally, favors giving women a choice in how they handle their hospitalization needs following a mastectomy. Visco said some women may prefer an outpatient procedure, while others may need time to recover in the hospital. The legislation, she said, should preserve that option and force insurance providers to pay for it.

Dozens of medical advocacy groups, including the American Cancer Society, have favored the mastectomy legislation.

The bills, however, have received a cool reception from congressional leadership. The House bill is still in committee, while the Senate bill advanced to the floor only after D'Amato attached it as a rider to tobacco legislation.

Warren said that her study dealt only with women whose mastectomies were paid for by Medicare. She said that the results cannot be applied to patients covered by insurance or HMOs, the primary targets of the legislation.

In the study, the researchers analyzed the mastectomy results in Medicare files from 1986 through 1995. This spanned a period when there were only two outpatient mastectomies to 1995, when 4,831 of the 44,940 Medicare mastectomies were performed on outpatients.

FDA approves AIDS vaccine trial

NEW YORK (AP) — The Food and Drug Administration has granted permission to VaxGen Inc. for the nation's first large-scale trial for an AIDS prevention vaccine, The Wall Street Journal reported today.

Headed by virologist Donald Francis, who successfully battled the Ebola virus in the Sudan and smallpox in India, the three-year trial of Aidsvax will include 5,000 U.S. volunteers and 2,500 volunteers in Thailand.

Tests in the United States were expected to begin this month, the Journal said, and in Thailand by the end of the year.

An ideal AIDS vaccine would train the human immune system to ward off infection by creating antibodies, though critics say a vaccine alone is unlikely to provide immunity against HIV. Some 30 million people worldwide have AIDS.

Dear Abby

By Abigail Van Buren



Stepmom Says Family Picture Belongs in Album, Not on Wall

DEAR ABBY: I have read your column since I was young, and I know you have addressed this topic before, but I'm hoping you'll go over it again.

My husband was married once before. We lived together for a few years and were married a year ago. His 20-year-old son (I'll call him "Sonny") recently bought a new home. In the foyer, Sonny hung a family picture that was taken years ago. It includes his mother, father (my husband), him and his sister.

When I first saw it, my feelings were very hurt. I told my husband I thought it was inappropriate, since the marriage is history and he is now married to me. I wouldn't have a problem with the picture being kept in a photo album — but in the main entrance to Sonny's house?

Sonny's mother gave him the picture because she no longer wanted it. She has a boyfriend now and has moved on with her life.

The picture doesn't seem to bother my husband. He thinks I'm being ridiculous and petty. He said if it bothers me that much, I should refrain from going over to Sonny's house.

Abby, please give my husband, his son and me some advice about this. I think it's time for all of us to live in the present. I'd like to see a picture of Sonny and his fiancee hanging on the wall instead. Don't you agree?

PUT OUT IN PENDLETON, IND.

DEAR PUT OUT: You are reading far more into this than is merited. Your stepson may be sentimental about the time when his original family was intact, and no one can fault him for that. Besides, the house belongs to Sonny, and what he chooses to hang on the walls is his business, not yours.

Now that the family has expanded, why not give him a lovely housewarming present — a beautifully framed picture of you and his father to hang on the wall next to the family portrait? And if you feel particularly generous, offer to treat him to a professional portrait of him and his fiancee to hang on the other side to balance the grouping.

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DEAR ABBY: I just finished reading your response to "Confused About Control." You may have overlooked a few key phrases in "Confused's" letter. This man has described warning signs of spousal abuse. His wife is definitely attempting to control him — and the issue must be addressed quickly before the problem becomes intolerable.

Key to this conclusion: His wife, "Anne," must approve his clothing purchases. Abby, who is purchasing the clothing, and who will be wearing it? Anne is not making suggestions; she throws hissy fits if he doesn't go along with her. This is clearly intimidation, a major characteristic of spouse abuse, which is quite different from simply expressing dislike for some articles of clothing.

She has already begun to complain about his eating habits, his cologne, his job and his bald spot. Anne wants exclusive choice in what he wears, and more, and "Confused" gives in to avoid his wife's tantrums. Next she will be dictating whom he can see, where and when he can go out, when he can use the telephone and whom he can call. This will include his family. And she'll demand he tell her everything he says and does when they are not together.

Abby, please rethink your answer to this man and strongly suggest that he get some help before he becomes a prisoner in his own home.

KATHRYN L. MARTIN,
COUNSELOR,
BREMERTON, WASH.

DEAR KATHRYN: Thank you for caring enough to share your professional expertise. I am printing your letter so that "Confused About Control," and other men who find themselves similarly dominated, will recognize the danger and seek help.

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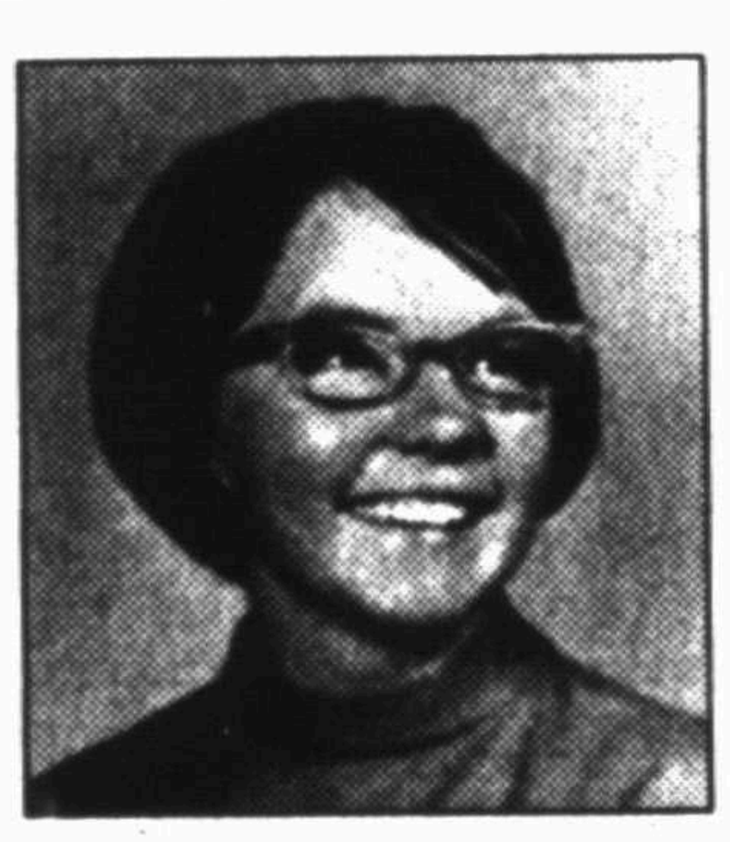

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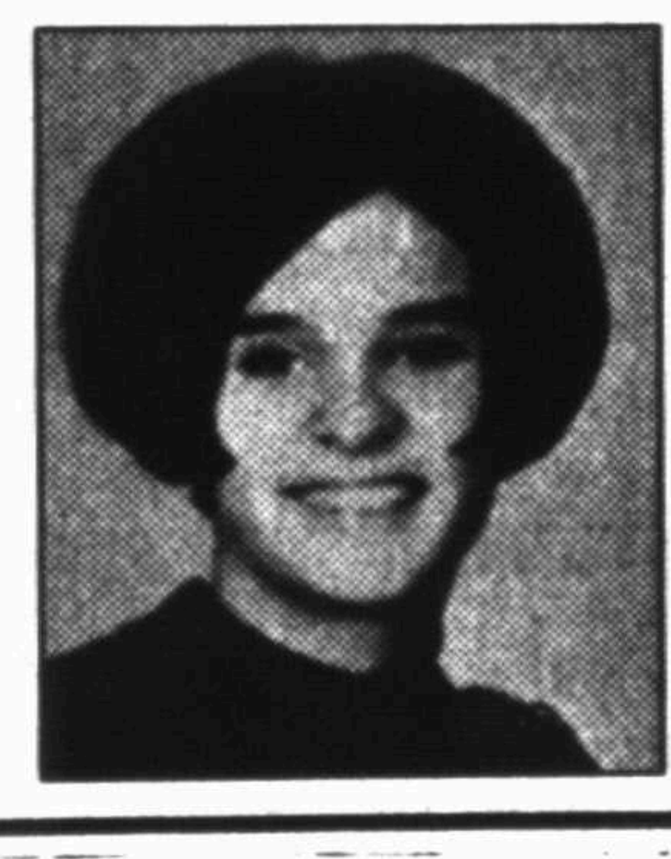

Computer Solutions
(915) 573-4801
Drew Bullard
3405 College Avenue

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American State Bank
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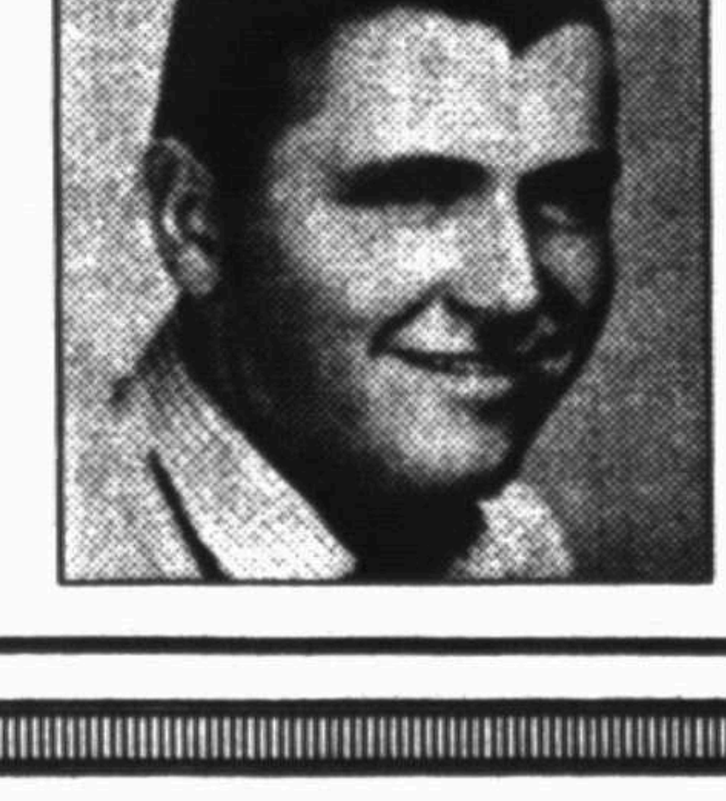

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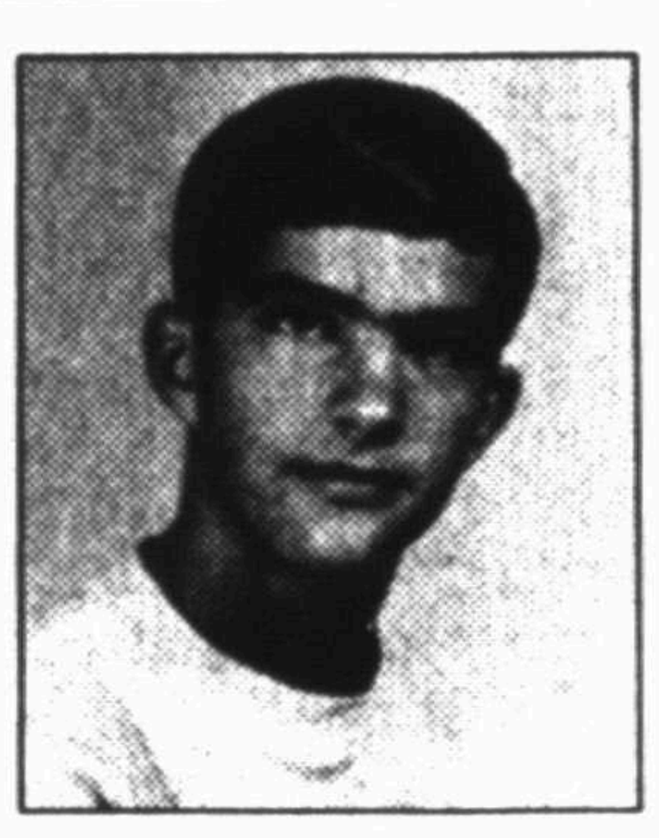

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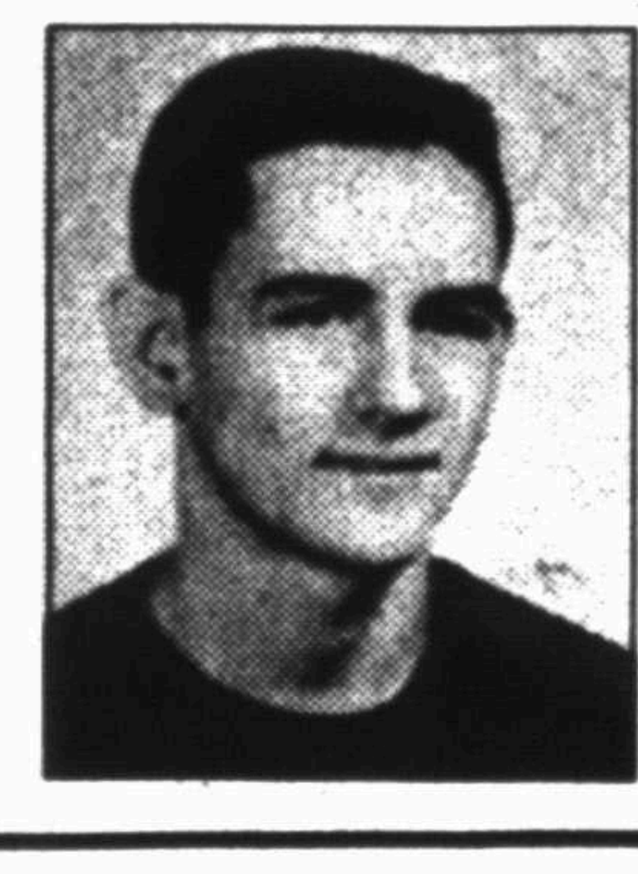

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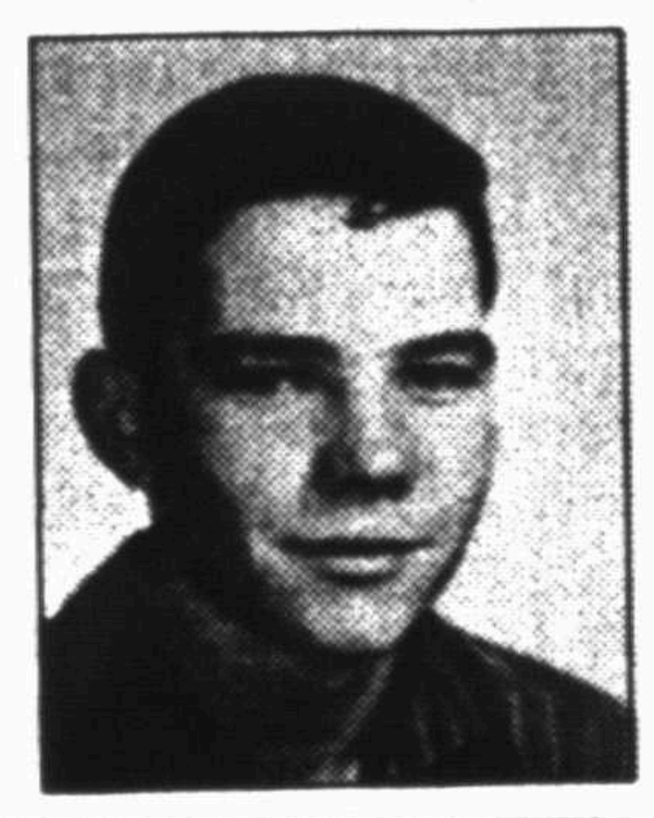

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Rudy's
4604 College
573-7455

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Member FDIC

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Bell-Cypert-Seale Funeral Home
3101 College Ave.
573-5454

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Faces From The Past Entry Week 18

1. The Shack __________
2. Computer Solutions __________
3. American State Bank __________
4. Christy's Boutique __________
5. Landes Home Furn. __________
6. The Cuttery __________
7. Rudy's Restaurant __________
8. West Texas State Bank __________
9. Bell-Cypert-Seale __________
10. Snyder Savings & Loan __________

Name __________
Address __________
Phone __________

In each advertisement you will find a face from the past. Identify the faces on the entry blank opposite the name of the sponsoring business. **Bring or mail the entry blank to the Snyder Daily News, 3600 College, PO Box 949.** The deadline for entering is 5 p.m. Monday before the next contest appears on Wednesday. The weekly prize winner will be drawn from all the correct entries. The winner will be notified. This week's faces will be identified in next week's contest. Only one entry per person, and please do not make copies of the entry blank. Employees of the SDN and their families are not eligible to enter.

Last Week's Photos: 1. Dena Cooper 2. Jack Martin 3. Bill Schiebel 4. Sandra Guynes 5. Charles Cooper 6. Fred Cross 7. Anna Mae Perry 8. Dillard Teal 9. Israel Hinojos 10. Martha Schiebel

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THE SNYDER DAILY NEWS

Train, car collide in Germany: 70 dead

HANOVER, Germany (AP) — Germany's fastest, most expensive passenger train collided with a car in northern Germany today, killing 70 people and injuring hundreds as section after section of the train flipped off the tracks.

The Munich-to-Hamburg train was traveling at 125 mph when the accident took place just before 11 a.m. near at Eschede, 35 miles north of Hanover. At least 13 cars derailed, piling into each other and crashing into the base of a railroad overpass, collapsing it.

The force of the high-speed pile-up threw the heavy train cars yards into the air. The crash stopped rail traffic in both directions.

Several rail cars were demolished, and splintered glass covered the scene. Luggage was piled next to the wreckage as workers struggled to pry passengers from the twisted steel frame of the train, which carried 300 people.

A crane was brought in to lift chunks of the collapsed overpass so workers could reach buried rail cars. Fleets of ambulances transported the injured to hospitals.

Officials said the car had crashed through the guardrail of a bridge that ran over the train tracks. Although it remained unclear, evidence at the scene suggested that the car might have struck the train as it passed under the overpass. The nose of the train had cleared the bridge, while the cars behind derailed and jackknifed into each other.

India and Pakistan...

Clinton continues to decry nuke testing

WASHINGTON (AP) — Monica Lewinsky has a pair of new scandal-tested defense lawyers to try to ward off indictment, while prosecutor Kenneth Starr suggested to the Supreme Court that his investigation raises the most serious possibility of presidential wrongdoing since Watergate.

Saying an impeachment report to Congress was possible, Starr asked the justices on Tuesday to resolve to his two primary disputes with the White House — the testimony of Clinton confidant Bruce Lindsey and the Secret Service's refusal to let three employees answer questions before the grand jury.

"The president of the United States has directly challenged the ability of the federal grand jury to obtain evidence of possible criminal acts by the president and others. This is, save for Nixon, without parallel in the history of the republic," Starr declared in his filing.

White House officials said today that another aide who previously refused to answer questions before the grand jury, Sidney Blumenthal, was expected to return to testify before the grand jury Thursday.

Blumenthal originally declined to answer certain questions about Clinton on grounds of executive privilege, but the White House withdrew that claim this week and cleared the way for his return.

Meanwhile, Ms. Lewinsky made an abrupt change in her defense team, adding high-powered lawyers Jacob Stein and Plato Cacheris who have represented clients in Washington scandals from Watergate to Whitewater.

"We hope we have a lot to bring to the table," Cacheris said in a brief appearance with Ms. investigating whether Clinton and Ms. Lewinsky had a sexual relationship and whether she or anybody else was urged to lie about it. Both the president and Ms. Lewinsky have said in sworn statements that their relationship was not sexual.

Starr's filing Tuesday replied to one Monday by Clinton.

Rescue crews search house to house after fierce storms

TUNKHANNOCK, Pa. (AP) — Rescue crews went house to house searching for victims today after powerful storms slammed through the Eastern states for the second time this week. Two people were killed, scores of homes damaged and power was out for thousands of people.

The tiny town of Lake Carey, about 15 miles outside Scranton in northeastern Pennsylvania, was struck by an apparent tornado late Tuesday. Two people in a mobile home were killed and nine others injured.

Rescuers were blocked by hundreds of fallen trees.

"It looks like a bomb hit us," said Wyoming County Commissioner Ron Williams.

"It appears that a tornado did touch down ... and went right across the top of our county," Williams said. "We've had so many reports of mobile homes that are just torn right apart and we can't find the people who belong to them."

No new victims had been found by midmorning today, but Wyoming County authorities were worried because downed trees and debris blocked searchers' access to some areas, said Pat Furneaux at the county emergency center.

Some 15,000 county residents were without power.

Pennsylvania Gov. Tom Ridge declared disaster emergencies today in nine counties, and said he would decide later whether to ask for a federal disaster declaration.

Severe storms struck Tuesday from North Carolina to upstate New York.

It was the second round of violent weather this week. Five people were killed when storms swept through Massachusetts, New York, Pennsylvania and Vermont late Sunday and early Monday. That same storm system caused widespread damage in the Midwest during the weekend.

In western Maryland, city officials said three apparent tornadoes struck Frostburg and nearby areas within a few hours Tuesday night, damaging 75 to 100 homes, shearing trees and rupturing gas lines.

Obituaries

Ben Watson

1917-1998

Benjamin Franklin Watson, 81, died this morning at his home in Snyder.

Graveside service is set for 2 p.m. Friday in the Highland Cemetery in Iowa Park. The Rev. John Besse will officiate and McCoy Funeral Home of Sweetwater is in charge of arrangements.

Born March 30, 1917 in Girard, he married Opal Medina on Oct. 29, 1949 in Kermit.

Mr. Watson has lived in Snyder for the past four years, moving from Possum Kingdom. He was a retired welder for Cactus Drilling Co.

Survivors include his wife, Opal Watson of Snyder; three stepsons, Lloyd Knipe of Snyder, Bobby Knipe of Richmond, Va., and Max Knipe of Great Bend, Kan.; seven step-grandchildren; and 10 step-great-grandchildren.

The family will be at 3000 34th Street in Snyder at the home of Lloyd Knipe. The body will lie in state at McCoy Funeral Home in Sweetwater until Friday morning.

Lou Keeble

1906-1998

Nita Louise Keeble of Snyder died Tuesday, June 2, in Cogdell Memorial Hospital after a lengthy illness.

Service for Mrs. Keeble, 91, is set for 11 a.m. Thursday in the First Presbyterian Church. The Rev. Nan Swanson, pastor of the church, will officiate and burial will follow in Hillside Memorial Gardens.

Born on Dec. 17, 1906 in Indian Territory, she married Malcolm M. Keeble on Dec. 29, 1932 in Hebronville, Tex. He died on Nov. 30, 1981. Mrs. Keeble, a housewife, served as treasurer for the Women's Golf Association for many years.

She is survived by a host of friends.

Eva Seago

1911-1998

SWEETWATER — Service is set for 10 a.m. Friday in McCoy Chapel of Memories for Eva Emerson Seago of Roscoe, sister of a Snyder resident.

Mrs. Emerson, 86, died today in Mitchell County Hospital.

The Rev. Charles Addington will officiate and burial will be in Sweetwater Cemetery.

Born on Dec. 7, 1911 in Nolan County, she married Coy Seago in 1945 in Roscoe. He died in 1962.

Living in Nolan County most of her life, she attended Daniel Baker College for one year, and retired after 30 years service for the U.S. Post Office. Mrs. Seago was a member of the First United Methodist Church in Roscoe.

She was also preceded in death by two sisters.

Survivors include three brothers and two sisters-in-law, Bill and Ima Emerson of Snyder, Bob and Liz Emerson and Joe R. "Jiggs" Emerson, all of Roscoe; a brother-in-law, Sam Mabry of San Angelo; a nephew, Bobby Emerson of Roscoe; and several nieces and nephews.

The family will receive friends at McCoy Funeral Home Thursday from 7 to 9 p.m.

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Davis enjoys dual jobs

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"All of the deputies still do investigations. We are a small department and I can't sit here and just do paperwork. I still have to investigate," he said.

Basically Davis said he just does "whatever is necessary to make sure the sheriff's office runs smoothly."

Davis said he got his start in law enforcement through his brother-in-law.

"When I first hired on, he was a jailer. He's since passed away, but he got me started in law enforcement."

It was three years later when he got the chance to go to the academy.

"In 1991, Keith Collier (retired sheriff) allowed me the privilege to go to school and become a deputy," Davis said.

Davis currently holds an Intermediate Peace Officer certification.

Davis was certified as a D.A.R.E. instructor in April of 1992, and he worked as a relief instructor from the fall semester of 1992 through the fall semester of 1995 before becoming a full-time instructor for the spring semester of 1996 through the spring semester of 1997.

"This is the most enjoyable job I have ever had," Davis said. "I spend a lot of time talking to people and listening to their problems and helping them if I can. I enjoy helping people."

And this he feels, is the best part of his work.

"Meeting a lot of nice people and getting to know them is my favorite part of the job. You help someone out and they appreciate it."

Davis and his wife, Judy, have been married for 25 years. They have three children, Alyssa, Stephanie and Laura. Laura is married to Bryan Ritchey and they have a daughter, Baylee.

Davis is a native of Borden County, graduating from Borden County High School in 1970, and attended Howard College in Big Spring for two years.

A member of First Baptist Church, his hobbies include sailing and woodworking.

Shuttle

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lenge coming down the road not too far," he said.

The Russians also displayed a touch of melancholy as the three-year exchange program neared an end.

"This is sad," said Gen. Yuri Glazkov, deputy commander of the cosmonaut training center near Moscow. "This is similar to being able to bring up a child and see your child going away for future life."

Discovery is to bring astronaut Andrew Thomas back to Earth on June 12.

After four months on Mir, Thomas seemed more wistful about home than the historic nature of Discovery's mission. He told flight controllers he'd like lasagna and Oreo ice cream waiting when he returns.

Mir will be inspected during the four days it is linked to Discovery. That assignment goes to Discovery crew member Valery Ryumin, a former cosmonaut who oversees the shuttle-Mir program in Russia.

The Russians plan to continue flying aboard Mir through 1999, after which they will let it burn up in the atmosphere.

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events

WHAT'S UP?

ONGOINGS

Central Baptist VBS

Vacation Bible School at Central Baptist Church in Hermleigh continues through Friday for students in grades K through sixth. Times are 8:30 to 11:45 a.m.

Highway engineer reception

A reception welcoming Michael W. Molter, new area engineer for the Texas Department of Transportation, will be held at 10 a.m. Thursday in the offices of the Development Corporation of Snyder.

Model Airplane Club meeting

The Snyder Area Model Airplane Club will meat at 7 p.m. Thursday at the club flying field, 2½ miles south of WTC on Round Top Road. Visitors and guests are welcome.

Rush Dance

G-20 will host a rush dance Thursday at the Towle Park Barn from 7:30-11:30 p.m.

Memorial scholarships established

The Western Texas College student government, Phi Theta Kappa and the golf and landscape program have established a scholarship fund in the memory of former students, Angela Biggers and James Pilgrim. Additional information may be obtained by calling the college at 573-8511, Ext. 309.

Calvary youth car wash

Youth of Calvary Baptist Church will hold a car wash from 9 a.m. to 2 p.m. Saturday on the south side of Wal-mart. Prices are $5 for cars and small trucks and $10 for large trucks and vans. All proceeds will got towards youth camp expenses.

Out-of-school dance

Sports Challenge International will sponsor an out-of-school dance from 8 p.m. to midnight Saturday in the Towle Park Barn. Admission is $3 per person, and door prizes will be given.

Camp Springs homecoming

Camp Springs homecoming will begin at 10 a.m. Sunday in the Northeast Community Center.

Pray for rain service

There will be a prayer service for rain Sunday night at 8 p.m. at Moffett Field. Everyone is invited to the hour-long event.

Adult basic education

Adult basic education classes are underway at WTC for those seeking their GEDs. Classes on Tuesdays, Wednesdays and Thursdays are held from 8-11 a.m.

There will be no evening classes conducted in May and June. For more information, call 573-8511, ext. 322.

Benefit bake sale

A bake sale is planned from 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. June 20 at Wal-Mart to benefit Tiffany Sneed, a cancer patient.

Road to Recovery program

Volunteers are needed to take patients to Abilene or Lubbock one day a week for cancer treatment. Following approval by the American Cancer Society, drivers will be provided liability insurance and can be reimbursed for fuel expenses incurred for the trip. For more information, contact ACS Road to Recovery volunteer coordinator Martha Schiebel at 573-8626 and leave a message, or Sammie Jarrell at 573-5993.

Support group ministry

Support groups for divorce recovery, cancer/grief and caring for aging parents are avalable to adults and will meet at 6:30 p.m. the second Thursday of each month at First Baptist Church. L.I.F.E. (learning to improve the family experience) is for teenagers and parents. Child care will be provided.

Dermott School reunion

The Dermott School reunion will be held June 13 at the Dermott School on the county coliseum grounds. Hours will be from 8:30 a.m. to noon. For more information, call Dayton McCarter at 573-3093.

New programs at FBC

First Baptist Church announces two new programs: King's Kids Preschool on Mondays and Wednesdays and Mother's Day Out on Fridays. Extended care is available. Register now for the 1998-99 school year. For more information, call 573-7401.

Class of 2000 fund-raiser

Snyder High Class of 2000 is offering chance at a Super Bowl football autographed by Emmitt Smith and a Titanic photograph autographed by Leonardo DiCaprio. Donations are $1 each. See any class member to purchase tickets.

Cash Five

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

18-24-29-35-37

(eighteen, twenty-four, twenty-nine, thirty-five, thirty-seven)

Pick 3

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

5-1-0

(five, one, zero)