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Tuesday update

Wage Bill Inked

WASHINGTON (AP)-President Carter today signed legislation increasing the paychecks of some of America's lowest-paid workers 45 percent by 1981.

Carter signed the minimum wage bill in a Rose Garden ceremony at the White House. Under the legislation, the minimum wage will rise from the current $2.30 an hour to $2.65 on Jan. 1.

The bill also provides annual increases over the next four years, pushing the minimum wage up by more than 45 per cent to $3.35 an hour on Jan. 1, 1981.

Needles In Treats

DALLAS (AP)-Trick-or-treaters were out in small force in the Dallas area this Halloween, but apparently there were enough to bring out the infamous candy saboteurs responsible for the decline in the nocturnal rounds.

Dallas police said things were "nowhere near as bad" as some years in the past, but in the suburb of Irving parents reported finding needles and toothpicks in their children's candy.

San Francisco Rattled

SAN FRANCISCO (AP)-Three mild earthquakes rattled the San Francisco region Monday but there were no reports of injury or damage.

Paul K. Lee, who lives in the western section of the city, said the evening shake "was definitely a good one. The whole house kind of creaked."

Around The Country

Incidents Mar Halloween

By The Associated Press

About 50 persons at a traditional Halloween party staged by the San Francisco homosexual community were arrested on various charges early Tuesday when violence broke out in the crowded Polk Street celebration.

In Memphis, Tenn., a man who reportedly had earlier told trick or treating teen-agers that he had run out of Halloween treats was later found shot to death.

A Houston boy was strangled in a noose set up in a church spook house.

Police in Joliet, Ill., reported a teen-ager was seriously burned when gasoline fire bombs were hurled at his group and Flint, Mich., authorities said two youths dressed in dark clothing died after they were struck by a car on a rural road.

The Halloween incidents were among several reported by authorities around the country.

Police in San Francisco said an estimated 100,000 persons jammed eight blocks of the city's Polk Street area for the gay community's Halloween party.

"It kind of got out of hand there for an hour," Lt. James Gray said of the annual affair. He said there were problems with pickpockets and purse-snatchers, as well as some assaults.

Most of those arrested were charged with violations ranging from drunkeness to robbery. Police said several thousand persons also gathered in the Castro Street area, heavily populated by homosexuals, for another party. No violence was reported at that celebration.

Authorities said four persons dressed in white hooded robes hurled gasoline fire bombs at three teen-age boys Monday night in Joliet, Ill., seriously burning 13-year-old Florincie Pescina. No motive for the assault was established.

Authorities in Memphis, Tenn., said Pierre Brooks, 26, died of a shotgun wound fired in what was described as an ambush situation.

A companion of the man told police that he and the victim had earlier argued with teen-agers after they said they had no Halloween treats. He said the group declared it would return.

There were no suspects in the case.

A 14-year-old boy who was pretending to be a hanged man at Houston's North Main Baptist Church Monday night died after he apparently slipped the rope around his neck against instructions, authorities said. The youngster was identified as Michael Anthony Carter.

Halloween Quiet Here

Halloween 1977 apparently was one of the quietest in history in Snyder.

Local law enforcement agencies had little activity to report, and some said it defenitely was the most tranquil Halloween night they had ever experienced.

Even the "trick-or-treat" activity was at a minimum. Many area residents reported that their doorbells rang only a few times during the evening and in most cases it was very early and involved the very young trick-or-treat brigade.

Very few people were on the streets and highways after dark, officers reported.

A LITTLE HELP---Dunking for apples is never easy and sometimes a little help from the kindergarten teacher is required. Kindergarten teacher Barbara Bowlen is shown holding the long hair of 6-year-old Crista Carter while the youngster bobs for an elusive apple Monday at Northeast Elementary during a Halloween party. The help proved invaluable. Moments after the picture was shot, the apple was firmly clinched in Crista's teeth. (SDN Staff Photo)

Abortion Fund Fight Continues

WASHINGTON (AP)-A congressional conference committee is continuing its wrangling over federal funding for abortions after failing for a second time to meet a deadline for resolving the emotional issue.

But congressional leaders said the dispute would not threaten the paychecks of employees of the departments of Labor and Health, Education and Welfare.

The paychecks are involved because the abortion proposal is attached to the $60.2 billion appropriations bill for the two agencies. The dispute has stalled approval of the spending measure, so the agencies are working with makeshift financial arrangements which expire at each deadline.

After failing Monday to reach an agreement on when the federal government can pay for abortions, the conferees planned another meeting today.

The SDN Column

Here it is November and we haven't had a real cold spell. And, according to the Old Farmers Almanac, we're not likely to have one in the near future.

The word "hot" keeps popping up in the forecast for our region, and for the month as a whole, the temperature is expected to average about five degrees above normal. For the first five days, the OFA says it will be just plain hot this month in our section of its Texas-Oklahoma region.

Actually, if the weather follows its usual script, we should have our first killing frost this coming weekend, but there will have to be a radical change if it occurs this year.

One bright spot in the OFA's forecast for the month is moisture. It predicts a November with more rain than usual in this part of the country.

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Several days ago we published a letter from Mrs. G.R. Snider of Victoria, praising Snyder for the services it provided during an unexpected illness of her husband. The Sniders had attended the Airstream Rally here and were preparing to depart when he was stricken with a heart attack.

Now, we have received an additional letter from the Sniders' son, R. Larry Snider of Cincinnati, Ohio. He said he knew his mother already had expressed appreciation for the hospitality, etc., they received here.

"However, I could not allow the tremendous friendship, genuine concern and tremendous warmth exhibited by the community to go by without also commenting on it," the son wrote. "In this time when many people in large cities won't even stop to help accident victims they pass on the street, the beautiful friendship and many acts of kindness bestowed upon the Snider family by the Snyder community truly indicates why the backbone of America is still in the small towns. I can truly say that if my profession allowed me the choice of a living location, Snyder would certainly be high on my list, because of the people who are in the community."

He said he would not attempt to name all of the people involved because he probably would inadvertantly omit some, but he felt that the entire city was due credit because all are products of their environment.

"While we of course would have preferred that my father not have had the experience of a heart attack, we do feel fortunate that it occurred in a concerned community such as Snyder with the Cogdell Memorial Hospital and personnel who truly exhibit 'tender loving care' to their patients," the younger Snider concluded.

This is another reason we feel that Scurry County voters are going to approve the hospital bonds next Tuesday by a big margin. Ours is a concerned community, and that hospital is one of the assets that enables us to prove it.

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The cactus patch philosopher says that the trouble with putting in your two cents' worth is that it now costs 13 cents to mail it.---WACIL MCNAIR

'Festus' Looking Forward To Visit

Festus is looking forward to another visit in Snyder.

That was the word forwarded to the Snyder Chamber of Commerce by Ken Curtis, who played the role of the folksy deputy in the Gunsmoke television series.

Curtis, a well-known musician as well as an actor, appeared here during the Billionth Barrel of Oil Celebration. He is coming back this weekend as the headliner for the annual banquet of the Texas Cowboy Artists Association.

TCA banquet is set for Saturday night in the Scurry County Coliseum.

Curtis, a former member of the Sons of the Pioneers, well-known western singing group, will bring a western band which will join him in presenting the banquet program.

The banquet will be the highlight of the TCA's annual show and sale, which also is being held for the second time in Snyder. All of the member artists are due to have work exhibited and offered for sale, and all are expected to be here in person for the event.

Tickets for the banquet are on sale to the public at the Chamber of Commerce office. They are priced at $10 each. Patron tickets for special seating near the stage, sell for $12.50 each.

Tickets For Play At WTC Go On Sale

Tickets for the Western Texas College production of "Medea" will go on sale Wednesday at Snyder Drug, Snyder National Bank, West Texas State Bank and the Fine Arts Division office at WTC.

"Medea" will be performed Nov. 16-19 in the Fine Arts Theatre, with curtain time at 8 o'clock nightly.

Reservations may be made by calling the Fine Arts Division office, 573-8511, extension 234. Admission prices are $1.50 for students and $2.50 for adults.

SHS Band In UIL Contest

The 165-piece Black and Gold Band of Snyder High School left for Abilene this morning where it was to compete in University Interscholastic League marching contests.

The SHS band was competing in the Class AAA division of the regional contests.

TESCO Rate Increase Gets Final Okay Here

The Snyder City Council last night approved on second and final reading an ordinance granting Texas Electric Service Co. an 8.33 per cent increase in rates here and heard an additional report on sewage treatment requirements of an industrial firm that has expressed interest in establishing a plant here.

The rate increase for the electric company was suggested by consultants which had been employed to represent Snyder and some 23 other cities in the Texas Electric rate case now before the State Public Utilities Commission. Texas Electric is seeking an increase of 23.6 per cent, the consultants for the cities recommended the 8.33 and the PUC staff recommended a figure in the area of 12 to 13 per cent. The PUC is expected to rule on the case later this week.

Meanwhile, a number of the cities have passed the 8.33 per cent recommended by their own consultants.

City Engineer Jim Dower and Bill Henry, executive director of the Snyder Chamber of Commerce, reported on a trip they made last week to an industrial concern in a Northeastern city. The firm had inquired about sewage treatment facilities here, since it discharges substantial quantities of chemicals in wastewater. Dower said he advised officials of the firm that the local treatment plant could not accept the wastewater unless it is pre-treated to conform to standards set up in local regulations.

However, he said that necessary pre-treatment could be accomplished at a relatively low cost and that officials of the firm apparently were not concerned about these requirements. Although no official vote was taken, members of the council indicated that they were willing to work with the Scurry County Industrial Foundation on any problem that might arise in negotiations with the firm.

Following discussion, the

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Lopez To Run For Governor

AUSTIN (AP)-Ricardo Lopez, former state employe who quit because he was unhappy with Gov. Dolph Briscoe, said today he is a candidate for governor in 1978.

"I resigned after three years of seeing initiative being turned down by the governor's office," Lopez told a news conference.

Rep. Ezzell Files For Re-election

State Rep. Mike Ezzell of Snyder said he was filing with the Secretary of State today as a candidate for re-election to the Texas House of Representatives from the 63rd District.

Ezzell, who has served two terms in the Texas House, said he felt that much was accomplished in the last session of the legislature and he was especially pleased over welfare legislation which he had a hand in as chairman of a subcommittee on appropriative matters.

The 63rd District is composed of Scurry, Borden, Dawson, Howard Sterling and Coke Counties.

Ezzell said that Rex Robinson of Snyder again would be his campaign manager. Robinson has served in that capacity for both of Ezzell's previous campaigns, which were suecessful.

REP. MIKE EZZELL

Man Is Shot Accidentally

While reportedly demonstrating to his wife how to operate the safety of an automatic pistol, the gun accidently discharged, shooting Howard Murphree once in the head.

Critically wounded, Murphree was first taken to Cogdell Memorial Hospital and early this morning was transferred to Methodist Hospital in Lubbock.

Scurry County Sheriff Keith Collier, who was called in to investigate the incident, said the accidental shooting occurred shortly after 11 p.m. Monday at Murphree's home, approximately one mile north of Ira.

The pistol, both Collier and ambulance attendants reported, was a large caliber weapon.

Senate Energy Bill To Panel

WASHINGTON (AP)-A multibillion-dollar Senate package of energy tax breaks is headed for a congressional conference committee that is likely to combine it with some of the heavy new energy taxes passed earlier by the House.

The final compromise bill probably will mean higher prices for just about everything produced in the United States, along with some tax breaks to encourage conservation.

The Senate bill, approved 52-35 Monday night, aims to encourage fuel conservation and icnreased energy production with dozens of tax breaks. It is estimated that would cost the federal treasury about 142 billion over the next eight years.

The House measure takes the opposite tack, relying on taxation to raise energy prices and force conserva. prices and force conservation. President Carter's proposals were similar to the House version.

Meanwhile, House and Senate conferees who have been working on non-tax parts of the energy legislation today agreed to sidestep a decision on how to curb the sale of cars that get poor gas mileage until the panel can begin work on the tax bill.

The House passed President Carter's proposal for a tax on fuel-inefficient cars, while the Senate voted to ban their production entirely after 1980.

WEATHER

CLOUDY

SNYDER TEMPERATURES: High Monday, 83 degrees; low, 49 degrees; reading at 7 a.m. today, 61 degrees; precipitation, none; total precipitation for 1977 to date, 22.38.

West Texas-Partly cloudy tonight in the southeast. Generally fair in the west and north tonight and most sections Wednesday. Scattered thunderstorms in the extreme southeast tonight. Cooler in most sections tonight, also cooler in the southeastern third of the area Wednesday. A little warmer panhandle Wednesday. Lows tonight; 32 in the north to 58 in the extreme south. Highs Wednesday should be in the middle 60s in the north to the upper 80s in the southwest.

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encouraging news

There's good news for whooping crane lovers, bald eagle admirers, timber wolf aficionados and brown pelican buffs.

The U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service reports that whooping crane egg production this year exceeded all expectations and the outlook for the endangered bird, which has become a symbol of the conservation movement, "has never been brighter."

In all, there may be 126 whooping cranes in existence, including 19 in captivity at the Patuxent Wildlife Research Center in Laurel, Md.

The FWS also reports that another national symbol, the bald eagle, is holding its own and may even be increasing a bit. At least this is the case in Minnesota, which has more of the birds than any state outside Alaska. There are an estimated 3,000 bald eagles in the lower 48 states.

Minnesota also has more timber wolves than any state except Alaska. The wolves are doing so well in Minnosota - there are about 1,200 of them - that they may be removed from the endangered list and placed in the "threatened" category. Meanwhile, the animal is thriving in Alaska, where there are an estimated 10,000.

Finally, according to the Audubon Society, the endangered brown pelican is showing signs of "a strong comeback" along the Gulf Coast. This summer 34 young pelicans were fledged in two Texas colonies. In the 11 years from 1964 through 1974, the total was only 40.

The society believes the comeback is the delayed result of the ban on DDT and other long-lasting pesticides. The chemicals, which had infected the birds' food chain, are gradually working out of the environment.

All of which is encouraging, to be sure. But when we reflect that we are talking about wild animal populations in terms of a few dozen to a few thousand, while the human population of the United States alone is growing past the 220-million mark, we realize that the struggle to save even a tiny place for our feathered and furred fellow creatures on this world will be a never ending one.

fem cadets battle

You can put a woman into uniform, but you can't make everybody salute her.

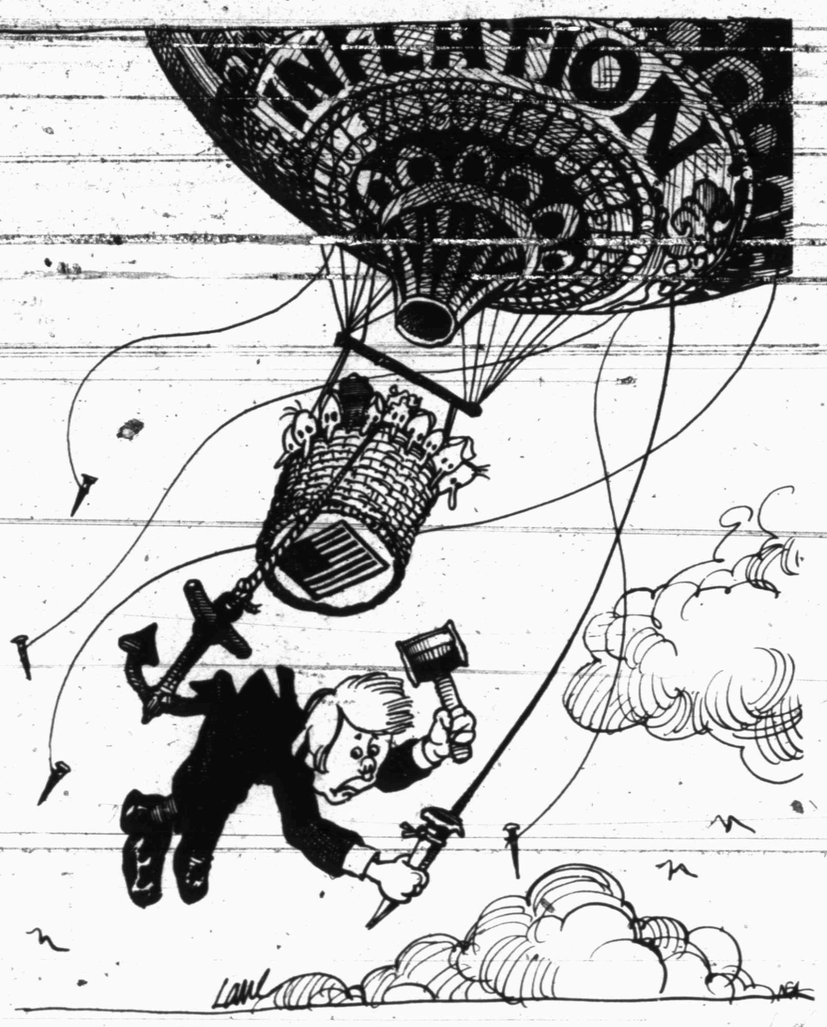
Or so suggests a survey of more than 600 upperclassmen and incoming male cadets conducted by the U.S. Air Force Academy.

Researchers tested the cadets' attitudes toward women both before and after exposure to new female cadets. As reported by Science Service, not only were their attitudes found to be more "traditional" than the attitudes of nonmilitary male colleges students to begin with, but they became even more chauvinistic after their first contact with women in basic training.

The investigators offer a number of explanations, including the fact that the men's choice of a traditionally male-dominated career like the military indicates they would be less receptive to changing female roles than their civilian counterparts.

In addition, the integration of women into the service academies was mandated by Congress and has thus placed male cadets in a "forced compliance situation."

All of which leads us to predict that the nation's first female cadets and midshippersons should make pretty good officers. They're having to fight quite a battle just to win their commissions.



paul harvey

fed up farmers

Sometimes numbers speak louder than words.

In 1914 a farmer could trade two bushels of corn for one pair of shoes; today he'd have to swap more than 10 bushels.

But more punishing than farm prices today is the government snoopervision, the red tape and paperwork.

Earl Butz says the biggest surprise he got during his government service was to discover what he wasn't.

His title was "secretary of agriculture."

He sat on the President's Cabinet.

Presumably, he was there to represent farmers and administer farm programs.

But he discovered that policy is not made in that impressive front office.

Agriculture policy is dictated by a thousand little dictators. An unnamed GS-12 buried in the bowels of the department writes the language in paragraph 3, subsection C, and what he writes becomes law; the secretary never even sees it!

Joe Lamberta is a potato farmer in Delaware. Or he was. He operated 300 acres of potatoes south of Smyrna.

In recent years he has been confined more and more to his small office alongside U.S. 13 doing paperwork for the government.

Then the other day "the man from OSHA" showed up on the Lamberta farm. OSHA is the Occupational Safety and Health Administration, originally intended to protect workers against hazards.

What is this OSHA fella photographing but some grass alongside one of the farm buildings.

The grass had been mowed but a mower will cut only so close alongside a building so this fellow is taking pictures.

When farmer Lamberta asked, "Why so many pictures?" the man from OSHA said he wanted to "use up the film" in his camera.

The man from OSHA said he'd let farmer Lamberta know next Wednesday how much the fine will be.

That's not all. Like most potato farmers in the area, Joe depends on migrant workers who live in a labor camp nearby. Admittedly, these labor camps are not a residential paradise, but what the man from OSHA wanted to know was why there was no screen door on the shower room.

Farmer Joe wanted to know, "Who needs a screen door on a shower room?"

The man from OSHA--an inspector out of the Baltimore office--then wanted to know why the toilets were only 95 feet away from the packing house; there's a regulation specifying 100 feet.

The man from OSHA said after Joe has been fined that he can appeal if he wants to, but both he and Joe know that lawyers would cost more than the fines.

Joe's going out of the potato business. "Getting the hell out," he says. The workers he has generously paid more than the minimum wage, plus free lodging, utilities and free vegetables will have to find other work--or welfare.

Other potato farmers in the area, similarly disgusted, can't afford to keep farming and can't afford not to.

As one says, "It's easy to see why the government wants gun control."

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in washington

martha angle and robert walters

WASHINGTON--(NEA)--Do you remember the Jimmy Carter who, throughout his campaign for the presidency last year, inveighed against the "Disorganized, wasteful" federal bureaucracy?

Do you recall the politician who promised that when he got to the White House there would be "tight businesslike management" and "tough performance auditing" to root out waste and inefficiency throughout the government?

That's the same Jimmy Carter who's new President - and who one month ago quietly but deftly killed a congressional initiative that would have gone a long way toward achieving those very goals.

At issue was a House bill drafted specifically to establish an office of inspector general to supervise all audits and investigations within a dozen major federal departments and agencies.

Rep. L.H. Mountain, D-N.C., chairman of the subcommittee of the House Government Operations Committee that perfected the bill, described it as a measure "designed to promote economy and efficiency and to prevent and detect program fraud and abuse."

Only a year ago, both the House and Senate voted unanimously in favor of a bill, signed into law by then - President Gerald R. Ford, to establish an inspector general's office within the Department of Health, Education and Welfare.

Congress liked the concept so much that it included a similar provision in the law establishing a new Department of Energy. Carter himself signed that legislation, without any complaint about the inspector general's office.

In addition, the Departments of Agriculture and Housing and Urban Development have inspectors general as the result of regulations approved by the heads of those departments.

In short, having an inspector general as a watchdog of public money is almost as popular as the oft-cited American flag, motherhood and apple pie. But the House bill included some tough provisions that have produced considerable discomfort within the bureaucracy.

Most notable in that category was a section that required an inspector general who found "particularly serious or flagrant problems, abuses or deficiencies" to report them not only to the agency head but also to the appropriate congressional committees.

That proposal prompted a flurry of bureaucratic handwringing about the possibility that a department with a potential scandal on its hands would not have the opportunity to tidy up without public notice because Congress might disclose the tawdry details.

Despite that opposition, the bill seemed to be so popular that it was placed on the "consent" or "suspension" calendar for consideration by the House on Sept. 27.

That calendar (a list of pending bills) is so named because the measures it contains are considered so noncontroversial that unanimous consent of the House can be obtained to suspend the normal rules for consideration of legislation.

But Carter became convinced that the bureaucrats' fears of having their dirty laundry hung out on the line outweighed his earlier commitment to halt "waste and inefficiency" in Washington.

On the morning the bill was to be considered by the House, Speaker Thomas P. (Tip) O'Neill, D-Mass., made their regular weekly visit to the White House to discuss pending legislation with Carter.

"The President told them he was strongly opposed to the bill. He was quite unequivocal," said one source familiar with what transpired at breakfast. Another said Carter firmly threatened to veto the bill if it was approved by Congress."

The measure establishing the inspector general's offices was 18th on the list of 14 bills on the suspension calendar that day. After the House considered the first 12, O'Neill halted the proceedings. The reform bill has never again surfaced.

Barbs

By PHIL PASTORET

When people say you should be up-and-doing, you can be sure THEY are up-and-meddling.

Any kid who keeps his room neat at age 9 should be carefully watched for other signs of not being too well.

Our nomination for Man of the Year: Any fellow with moxie enough to turn down nomination to ANY man-of-the-something-or-other list.

Some are very susceptible to the flu; others are more imaginative in thinking of excuses to stay home from work.

letters to editor

To The Daily News:

I have two very pressing questions that I would like for you or someone to answer: Why did the city authorities allow the opening of the Varsity Square Shopping Center on The Lord's Day?

Second, why is the Chamber of Commerce of Snyder trying to kill the churches?

I protest the opening of the Safeway store on the Lord's day first, because for nearly 2000 years the church has observed this day to worship the Risen Savior, Jesus Christ. This is the Lord's day and no business man nor firm has any right to steal this from Him and His people.

I protest secondly, because I know of no church that would in any way interfere in any business operation if they stay in their own place and time.

I do not believe that Safeway or any business firm would even think of trying to operate in a city that had no churches, yet it seems they are trying to kill the very influence that is responsible for their life blood.

Has the Chamber of Commerce ever stopped to consider what this city would be without it's churches? I have never met any man, regardless of how ungodly he was who would move his family to a city that had no churches. Without churches this city would die! Read what happened to Sodom when Lot was removed!

Vernon D. Parnell

(Editor's note--As we have mentioned before, we seldom comment on letters to the editor, unless specifically asked to do so. Since you asked "you or someone to answer," we offer this information. Neither the city nor the chamber "authorized" anything in this case because neither had any authority to authorize, and neither the city nor chamber set the opening day for the store. Moreover, Safeway did not deviate from the schedule it has followed for some time here, from 8 a.m. to 8 p.m. on Sunday, which is the same schedule that other food stores follow. So far as we know, there has been no complaint concerning these hours for food stores, which, incidentally, comply with the so-called "blue" laws. From reports we heard from several churches, their attendance apparently was not affected by the store opening.)

my turn

by wanda rushing

Special days are a part of the American lifestyle now. There seems to be a day, week or month for every season and every reason. There are so many today that they often have to overlap. There used to be five holidays observed: Easter, 4th of July, Armistice Day, Thanksgiving and Christmas. These have been extended by most companies until they have more than doubled. Among those added are Washington's Birthday, Labor Day, Memorial Day, Christmas Eve, and New Year's Day. Some companies even have a holiday for a worker's birthday. This is usually one day set aside for all of the employees to observe, rather than a holiday on their given birthday.

Some major holidays have also been victims of being shifted to Monday, to give workers a three-day weekend. Exempted from this law are Thanksgiving, Christmas and New Year's.

This shifting has created much confusion, especially on Armistice Day or Veterans Day. Some observed it this year on Oct. 24, while others will observe it Nov. 11. Next year the confusion over this one holiday will end as everyone will observe it on Nov. 11

Most employees claim they "pay" for their holiday as the work is facing them when they return. A holiday can really slow the mail. It often takes a week for deliveries to return to normal.

We have just recently observed Columbus Day, Veterans Day, Halloween, National School Week, Native American Awareness Week, Drug Abuse Prevention, National Beauty Saloon Week, National Forest Products Week and Country Music Month.

What's coming up next? Watch your paper! Each time you pick up a paper you see President Carter or some mayor signing a proclamation for some special day. Nowhere is this more evident than here in Snyder. Each of these special days or weeks or months are worthy of recognition and are for a good cause, but I wonder if they are losing their effectiveness, with the added special days. If we were to celebrate all of these, there would never be any time for work.

Once a holiday is set aside it is very seldom dropped. Labor Day is an exception and was dropped recently, but new groups have already taken its spot.

The newest "day" I have heard of is 'Mother-In-Law Day.' Being a mother-in-law (twice) I can't really complain about this day of recognition.....but it is bound to breed Father-In-Law Day, Son-In-Law Day, Daughter-In-Law Day, etc.

Won't be long until every day will be "special".... which indeed it should be, if we would count our blessings!

Richard Wagner, the German master-composer who brought the art of opera to his homeland, wrote 13 "music dramas" in all. Some of his more famous include "Tristan and Isolde," "Die Meistersinger" and "Tannhauser."

john cunniff

profits settle down

NEW YORK (AP)-Manufacturing companies kept as profit less than a nickel of every sales dollar in 1957. In 1967 the return was an even nickel, and the first half of this year it was close to 5½ cents.

Measured another way, as a percentage of shareholder money invested, these companies earned after-tax profits of 10.9 per cent, 11.7 per cent and 14 per cent, respectively, for the same periods.

While profit rates are now settling down again, American corporations earned at the rate of more than $100 billion a year, after taxes, through much of the current year.

Why then do we hear about the erosion of profits?

Because of the distortion of numbers that do not tell of inflation's devastation, says Arthur Burns. When companies seek to replace their inventories and rebuild their plants, the truth will become obvious, he suggests.

Harold Williams, chairman of the Securities and Exchange Commission, also believes the big profits now being reported are deceptive. They are "dangerously low" he has been reported as saying.

And Jack Carlson, vice president and economist of the Chamber of Commerce of the United States, agreeing with Burns and Williams, observes that corporations have been unable to replace their worn physical assets.

The illusion, as Burns, chairman of the Federal Reserve calls it, is that we decline to recognize the vast changes inflation has produced in costs. He maintains plants cannot be replaced at the prices we list for such expenses.

As an example of that, Burns told an audience in Spokane, Wash., last week that the replacement of plants and inventories for last year alone came to $50 billion more than corporations were able to claim for tax purposes.

Some $36 billion of that, he said, was the amount by which depreciation charges fell short of replacement costs. The rest came from shortfalls in our estimates of what it took to replace depleted inventories.

A situation such as that, business leaders point out, is akin to an individual living off the stored fat of the body. Unless the body is corpulent-and the industrial body is not, they say-the body's machinery will slow to a halt.

The remedy, said Burns, would include a tax cut.

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15 Cases Handed County Grand Jury

Convening this morning, a Scurry County grand jury was scheduled to be presented with 15 cases to determine if indictments are warranted.

Ten of the cases deal with charges alleging driving while intoxicated while the remaining five cases cover a range of charges stretching from allegations of rape to possession of a controlled substance.

Dwayne O'Neal Wyatt, 25, is the defendant charged with the alleged rape of a 20-year-old Snyder housewife. The incident is reported to have occurred Sept. 20 in the Green Hill Addition in North Snyder. Wyatt was taken into the custody of deputy sheriffs Sept. 29.

Burglary defendant Tony Murphy Courtney, 20, is charged with the September burglary of the G&G Grocery Store. Taken in the burgulary, police reports indicated, were approximately $49 in cash and two pocket knives. The burglary is alleged to have occurred the night of Sept. 19-20.

A charge alleging unauthorized use of a motor vehicle in which David McCurry is named as the defendant will also be presented to the grand jury. McCurry is alleged to have illegally appropriated the use of a company-owned pickup truck on Sept. 25. He was arrested in Fort Worth after having been involved in a traffic accident, reportedly operating the vehicle he is charged with taking.

Twenty-year-old Thomas Benjamin Brown is charged with possession of a controlled substance. He is alleged to have had in his possession a quantity of cocaine at the time of his Aug. 6 arrest by city police.

Hervil David Coy is the defendant named in a charge alleging the theft of more than $200 worth of meats. Coy, 27, is reported to have taken the meats from C.S. Conrad Jr. of San Angelo Sept. 30.

Also scheduled to be presented to the grand jury were the DWI charges naming Marvin Lee Sipes, Foch A. Browning, Josefina Medrano (two counts), Larry Crawley, David Guerra, Juan Riojas Hernandez, Pedro Garza Jasso, Robert Lee Mahoney, and Benjamin Thomas Brown.

Godfrey Appoints Treasurer In Race

ABILENE---Fike Godfrey, a Kent County rancher and businessman who has served as Executive Vice President of the West Texas Chamber of Commerce for the past seven years, today took the first official step toward seeking the 17th Congressional District seat being vacated next year by U.S. Rep. Omar Burleson of Anson.

Godfrey, whose resignation from the WTCC post became effective Sunday, named Dwight L. Kinard, an associate of Abilene accounting firm, as his campaign treasurer.

Godfrey said he will make his formal campaign announcement within the next month and begin spelling out in detail exactly where he stands on the crucial issues facing the nation and the 33 West Texas Counties in the 17th District.

"My wife, Naomi, and I enjoy working with West Texans and these past seven years in Abilene have been the happiest of our lives," said Godfrey. "Washington certainly holds no glamour for us -- and no personal attraction, except as the place where decisions are being made that will determine whether our nation and the American free enterprise system will survive.

"We are fortunate in having had Omar Burleson representing us in Congress for so many years. He has done an outstanding job and, frankly I was among the many people who urged him to seek reelection for at least one more term. But he has served us long and faithfully and I certainly understand his desire to step down," said Godfrey.

Bid Accepted On Air Conditioner

Scurry County Commissioners Court accepted a bid by Snyder Heating and Air Conditioning Co. to repair air conditioning equipment at the Scurry County Library.

The firm's bid of $876 was the lower of two received and it provides for replacing a compressor, along with all parts and labor required to put the equipment back into operation.

Guilty Pleas Are Entered

Three probated jail terms were handed to two men following the entry of guilty pleas Monday in 132nd District Court.

Terry Lon Wilson, 17, received two probated five-year jail terms to be served concurrently after pleading guilty to two burglary charges.

Wilson was charged with the January burglary of the Lera Wilborn home in which a gun was taken and the August burglary of a railroad car at the Santa Fe Railroad Depot in which several cases of beer were taken.

The other guilty plea was entered by Willie Winston Menges to a charge of driving while intoxicated, subsequent offense. Menges, 47, was arrested on the DWI charge last August. He received an 18-month probation and a $500 fine.

The National Safety Council, based in Chicago, is a nongovernmental, nonprofit, public service organization dedicated to safety education and the development and implementation of accident prevention programs reaching every segment of American life.

Local Police Receive Few Complaints

Halloween tricksters observed a relatively quiet Monday night judging by initial police reports.

Unlike the eight broken windshields reported after Halloween last year, police had received no reports of serious mischief as of late Tuesday morning.

Shoe polish was reportedly used to adorn several parked cars at the Piggly Wiggly parking lot last night, but the owners of the cars were not immediately located and no charges have yet been filed. A car's right headlight was reportedly knocked out by a well-aimed rock last night in an incident that occurred in Towle Park, but again, no charges were initially filed.

Police did report questioning three subjects and recovering seven of the 10 allegedly stolen light bulbs taken from the Sundowner's Arena.

The remaining three light bulbs, officers reported, had been broken.

Two minor traffic accidents were also logged in police reports for Monday.

While attempting to park, a 1970 Ford operated by Terry Wayne Lee jumped the curb Monday about 8:30 a.m. and struck the Central Elementary School building.

Damage to the school was listed at $30 while minor damages were reported to the car. No injuries were listed.

The second mishap occurred in the 3800 block of Austin Ave. and involved a collision of a 1971 Buick driven by Donna Rena West and a parked 1968 Oldsmobile owned by Judy Mackey. Only minor damages were reported in the 11:32 a.m. accident.

TESCO

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council voted to table a proposal to allow reciprocal agreements with certain other cities for granting electricians licensing. The proposal is due to be discussed further at the council's regular meeting on Nov. 7

A proposal for the city to participate in a street curbing project on the Roundtop road was approved. The project will join improvements already under construction on frontage beside the Cedar Creek Addition on the south, and will join curbing adjacent to Windridge Apartments on the north. The segment involved is in front of Grace Lutheran Church.

The bid of Summers Funeral Car Co. for the purchase of a new ambulance was accepted. The bid of $16,774.70 was the lower of two received. The low bidder offered $1,000 in trade-in for a 1971 vehicle, but the city plans to seek bids for its sale. The new ambulance will be leased by the city to Galyean Ambulance Service, which has the local franchise for ambulance service.

The bid of Systems Development Associates of Lubbock was accepted for development of computer programs for the city. It was the lower of two complete bids received. A third bidder did not offer quotations on all items.

Nov. 23 as the date for turning on Christmas season lighting on city streets. The approval of the date was requested by the Snyder Chamber of Commerce.

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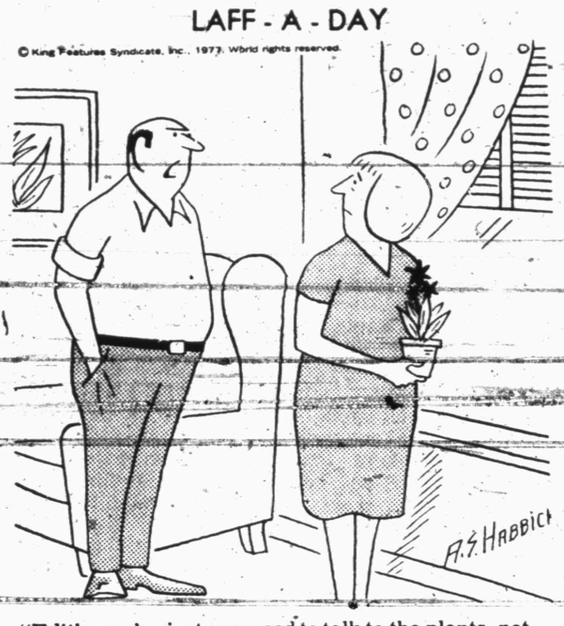

"Edith, you're just supposed to talk to the plants, not nag them to death."

MARKETS

Midday Stocks

By The Associated Press

	High	Low	Last
Alcoa	44⅜	44⅛	44⅛
Am Airlin	9⅛	9⅛	9⅛
Am Motors	3⅞	3⅞	3⅞
AmTT	59¼	59⅛	59⅛
Armco Stl	24⅜	24	24
ArlRichfl	51	50⅝	50⅝
Beth Steel	20¼	20	20
Boeing	25⅞	25⅝	25⅝
Borden	30⅝	30⅜	30½
Brit Pet	16¼	16	16⅛
Burl Ind	20½	20½	20½
CaterpTr	51	50⅝	50⅝
Celanese	43⅞	43⅝	43¾
Chrysler	14⅜	14	14⅛
Cities Svc	50½	50⅛	50¼
Coca Cola	37½	37¼	37¼
Cont Oil	28⅜	28	28⅛
Dow Ch	28⅝	28⅜	28⅜
duPont	111⅝	111¼	111½
EG&G Inc	16¾	16¾	16¾
EastnAirL	5⅜	5¼	5⅜
East Kodak	52¾	51⅞	52⅛
El Paso Co	16⅜	16⅜	16⅜
Exxon	47⅛	46¾	46⅞
Fairch Cam	22⅝	22¼	22¼
FordMot	42⅞	42⅝	42⅞
Gannett Co	35⅞	35⅞	35⅞
Gen Elec	49⅞	49½	49½
Gen Food	30⅝	30⅜	30⅝
Gen Motors	67⅛	66⅝	66⅝
Gen Tel & El	39½	30⅜	30⅜
Gen Tire	23⅜	23	23¼
Goodrich	19⅝	19½	19⅝
Goodyear	17¾	17⅝	17¾
GtAtlPac	7⅛	7¼	7¼
Gulf Oil	27	26⅞	27
Gulf StaUt	13¼	13⅛	13⅛
Honeywell	44¼	43⅞	44
HoustInd	30⅛	30	30
IBM	257⅝	257¼	257½
Int Paper	40¾	40⅜	40½
Johns Many	31¾	31½	31½
Johnsn John	72⅞	72½	72½
K mart	29⅜	29⅛	29¼
Kennecott	22⅞	22¾	22⅞
Litton Ind	12	11⅞	11⅞
Marathn Oil	46¾	46½	46⅝
Martin M	22¼	22¼	22¼
Mobil	60¾	60¼	60⅜
Monsanto	54½	54⅜	54⅜
Penney JC	33⅝	33¼	33¼
PhillpsPet	28¼	27⅞	28
Polaroid	25⅞	25⅝	25⅞
Proct Gamb	83⅛	82¾	82¾
PubS NwMx	20¼	20¼	20¼
RCA	25¾	25½	25⅝
Safeway Str	40½	40½	40½
SantaFe Ind	35½	35½	35½
Sears Rb	29	28⅞	28⅞
Sony Corp	8	8	8
Sou Pac	33⅝	33¼	33⅜
South InCo	33⅞	33⅞	33⅞
StdOil Cal	38⅝	38⅜	38⅝
StdOil Ind	47⅝	47⅛	47⅛
SunComp	40⅞	40½	40¾
Texaco Inc	27	26¾	27
Texas Inst	75½	75	75¼
Texasgulf	19	19	19
Time Inc	33¾	33¾	33¾
TransW Air	8⅛	8⅛	8⅛
UAL Inc	17¼	17⅛	17⅛
Un Carbide	41⅞	41¼	41⅜
Uniroyal	8⅜	8¼	8⅜
Un Nuclear	25¾	25⅜	25⅜
US Steel	30	29¾	29¾
Westgh El	17½	17⅜	17⅜
Woolworth	18⅞	18½	18½
Xerox Cp	49¼	49⅛	49¼

Livestock

FORT WORTH (AP)-Cattle and calves: 1400 Limited test on most classes early. Slaughter cows and bulls about steady. Feeder steers steady to weak. Feeder heifers weak most instances 1.00 Lower. Run included about 22 percent slaughter cows and bulls: Remainder mostly good 300-500 lb. feeders.

Slaughter cows: Utility 2-3 22.00-24.75; cutter 19. 9-22.00: canner 16.25-20.00.

Slaughter bulls: Yield grade 1-2 12.00-1405 lbs. 30.00-30.30.

Feeder steers: Good and choice 300-500 lbs. 41.00-43.25; 500-600 lbs. 39.00-42.00; good 300-400 lbs. 38.00-42.50; 400-600 lbs. 36.50-40.50.

Feeder heifers: Mostly good and few choice 300-550 lbs. 29.00-32.50.

Hogs: 400 barrows and gilts steady. US 1-3 180-230 lbs. 37.00-37.50

Sows steady:
US 1-3 280-600 lbs. 32.00-33.00

Boars: steady.
200-250 lbs. 30.00
250-750 lbs. 27.00.

Grain

CHICAGO (AP)-Wheat No 2 hard red winter, 2.74¾ Tuesday; No 2 soft red winter 2.34¾n. Corn No 2 yellow, 2.07¼n hopper 1.90¼n box. Oats No 2 heavy 1.20¾n. Soybeans No 1 yellow 5.26n.

No 2 yellow corn Monday was quoted at 2.06n hopper 1.89n box.

Cotton

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

The average price for strict low middling 11-16 inch spot cotton advanced 2 points to 48.03 cents a pound Monday for the 10 leading markets, according to the New York Cotton Exchange.

Midday prices were 25 cents to $1.10 a bale lower than the previous close. Dec 51.00, March 51.82, and May 52.65.

Texas Senators With Majority

WASHINGTON (AP)-Both Texas Senators voted with the majority Monday in a 52 to 35 roll call vote by which the Senate approved a multi-billion-dollar collection of energy taxes and tax credits.

Lloyd Bentsen was one of 31 Democrats voting for the bill.

John Tower was one of 21 Republicans in favor.

Polish composer Frederick Chopin was born on Oct. 17, 1849.

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Squealing Loot Is Returned To Barn

Locating their squealing quarry in a pig sty, sheriff's deputies found the object of their pursuit: a 12-week old Hampshire hog weighing 25 to 30 pounds.

The beast was reportedly taken from the Hermleigh High School agriculture barn early Monday afternoon. Given the license plate number of a vehicle seen near the barn at the time of the alleged theft, deputies followed their lead to a pig pen in the Green Hill Addition in North Snyder.

The pig was found in the company of several other members of his species, but was identified, deputies said, by his distinctive Hampshire markings.

Deputies also reported finding some feed sacks which were allegedly stolen with the pig. The pig, they added, was returned to his rightful pen in Hermleigh about 3:45 p.m.

Deputies reported they plan to question a suspect in connection with the theft, but had made no arrests by late Tuesday morning.

If charges are filed in connection with the incident, they could be anything but a laughing matter. The theft of livestock is a felong offense in Texas.

Pharmacist Testifies Today

AMARILLO (AP)-A Fort Worth pharmacist testified today he filled prescriptions for 250 Percodan pills for Priscilla Davis in the four weeks prior to the 1976 shootings at the Davis mansion.

Daryl Spence, the 18th defense witness in the Cullen Davis capital murder trial, said the defendant's estranged wife purchased 450 of the habituating pain killers between June 7 and July 28, 1976.

It was the night of Aug. 2 that a gunman invaded the hilltop mansion and killed two persons and wounded two others' including the defendan't wife, Priscilla.

Mrs. Davis testified back in August that she has at times taken more than 200 Percodan pills a week for a variety of ills. She added she now takes them also for pain she attributed to her bullet wounds.

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OBITUARIES

Schaufele Rites

Services for Mrs. Bonnie Schaufele, are set for 2 p.m. Wednesday in the First Christian Church in Lone Wolf, Okla. She died Sunday and was the mother of Rev. Otto Schaufele of Snyder.

Her husband preceded her in death in August, 1974.

Other survivors include two other sons, Ernest Schaufele and John Schaufele, both of Lone Wolf, Okla., a daughter, Nora Hammock of Norman, Okla., and 9 grandchildren.

Calendar Day Allowable Off

AUSTIN (AP)-Texas' average calendar day oil allowable is 3,513,026 barrels, a decrease of 49,076 barrels a day from Oct. 15, the railroad commission reported Monday.

The oil flow came from 179,521 wells, 925 more than on Oct. 15, the commission said.

Britain annexed the Fiji Islands in 1875.

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MEAT

BEEF GOULASH
By MRS. DEAN FLOYD

2½ pounds chuck cut into 1" cubes
¼ cup shortening
1 cup chopped onion
1 tablespoon flour
1½ teaspoon salt
1½ tablespoon paprika
1 small can tomato sauce
1 No. 2 can tomatoes-chop or blend
1 teaspoon Worcestershire
1 or 2 cloves garlic-minced
Bouquet Garni: 1 bay leaf
1 stalk celery with leaves
2 tablespoons parsley
Pinch leaf thyme
Egg noodles
Poppy Seed

METHOD

Extra large skillet or Heavy stew pan. Brown beef cubes in shortening. Add onion and cook until clear. Stir in flour, salt and paprika. Add tomatoes, tomato sauce, garlic, Worcestershire, and Bouquet Garni. Make the Bouquet Garni by tying the bay leaf, celery, parsley and thyme into a little cheese cloth bag.

Covet and simmer for 1½ hours over low heat until meat is tender. Remove Bouquet Garni.

Cook noodles in boiling salted water according to directions on package and drain. Add butter to taste and poppy seed to taste. Serve goulash over the noodles or serve seperately and combine at the table Serves 6

Mrs. Dean Floyd
2608 32nd St.
Snyder, Texas

SPAGHETTI WITH MEAT SAUCE
BY KATHY HALL

1 lb. hamburger
¼ cup onions, chopped
1 can spaghetti sauce with mushrooms
1 sm. can tomato sauce
1 envelope dry spaghetti sauce mix with mushrooms
¼ tsp. oregano
1 cup water
Salt, pepper and garlic to taste.
Parmesan cheese
Cheddar cheese
1 pkg. spaghetti.

Brown meat and onions. Add tomato sauce, spaghetti sauce, spaghetti mix, oregano, water, salt, pepper and garlic. Simmer until thick. Just before serving, sprinkle Parmesan cheese into sauce. Cook spaghetti. Combine sauce and spaghetti. Top with grated cheddar cheese. Especially good with a salad and buttered garlic bread.

Kathy Hall
Rt. 1 Box 160
Snyder, Texas

SAUSAGE CASSEROLE
By ANICE WALLACE

⅛ LB. GOOD BULK SAUSAGE
¼ cup chopped onions
1 cup sliced celery
1½ cup uncooked rice
2 cans chicken broth (14 oz.)
½ cup slivered almonds, toasted
1 tbsp. soy sauce

Fry sausage, stirring, do not brown. Saute celery and onions in small amount of sausage grease until tender. Drain sausage well; mix with celery, rice and onions. Add chicken broth, almonds and soy sauce. Bake in covered casserole about 1 hour at 350 degrees, stir before serving. Serves 6-8

Anice Wallace
2712 Ave G.
Snyder, Texas

BARBECUED MEAT BALLS
BY MRS. TIM LEWIS

2 slightly beaten eggs
2 tsp. Worcestershire sauce
1 tsp. salt
½ tsp. pepper
2 slices of dried bread, crumbled
1 lb. lean ground beef
3 (8 oz.) cans tomato sauce
½ tsp. garlic salt
½ cup barbecue sauce

Mix first 5 ingredients and let it set for five minutes. Add ground beef and mix well. Shape the meat mixture into one inch balls. In a 10 inch skillet add enough oil to cover the bottom of the pan, and brown the meat balls at a medium heat. Drain off the excess grease and add 2 cans of tomato sauce, garlic salt, and barbecue sauce. Cook at a medium heat until it reaches a good simmer. Then put the lid on and cook for 30 minutes, stirring occassionally. Add 1 more can of tomato sauce and cook for 5 to 10 minutes more without the lid. Serves 4 to 6. Also can be served over spaghetti or macaroni.

Mrs. Tim Lewis
4400 Ave. U. Apt. 4C1
Snyder, Texas

JOHNNY KNOWS IT
BY RAMONA MURPHY

1 lb. ground beef
1 cup green pepper chopped
1 cup chopped onions
2 cups chopped celery
1 button of garlic

Brown all of the above in butter. Then add the things below:
1 large can mushrooms
1 can tomato soup
1 can tomato paste
1 jar stuffed olives
1 pkg. noodles, large cooked
½ lb. American cheese

Mix and bake till cheese melts. Serves 16-20.

Ramona Murphy
2611 42nd
Snyder, Texas

HAM PIE
By RENA McCRIGHT

Line baking dish with pastry and add the following in layers-
2 cups ham cut in small pieces
1 cup very thin potato slices
3 hard boiled eggs, sliced
Salt and pepper to taste

Pour 1 cup milk over the top and add ½ stick oleo, cover with pastry crust and bake 45 minutes at 375 degrees.

Rena McCright
3011 Ave. V
Snyder, Texas

CHICKEN STRATA
By JEAN SMITH

8 slices day old white bread
2 cups diced cooked chicken
½ cup chopped onions
½ cup chopped green pepper
½ cup chopped celery
¼ cup mayonnaise
¾ tsp salt
dash pepper
2 slightly beaten eggs
1½ cup sweet milk
1 can condensed cream of mushroom soup
½ cup shredded American cheese

Butter 2 slices bread. Cut in ½" cubes and set aside. Cut remaining bread in 1" cubes. Place half of unbuttered cubes in bottom of 8x8x2" baking dish. Combine chicken, vegetables, mayonnaise and seasoning. Spoon over bread cubes. Sprinkle remaining unbuttered cubes over chicken mixtures. Combine eggs and milk and pour over all. Cover and chill 1 hour (or overnight). Spoon soup over tops, sprinkle with butter cubes. and bake in slow oven (325) 50 min. or till set. Sprinkle cheese over tops last few min. of baking. Serves 6.

Jean Smith
2805 36th.
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MEXICAN CASSAROLE
BY EARLINE PAYNE

2 lbs. ground round beef
1 (10 oz.) can enchilada sauce
1 large onion chopped
Salt to taste
2 cans cream of mushroom soup
1 can water
1 small can chopped green chilies
1 pkg. or 12 tortillas (chipped up)
1 lb. cheese (grated)

Brown meat, add onions and simmer until onions are tender. In baking dish put 1 layer of meat-soup-cheese, 1 layer of tortillas (broken), another layer of meat. Let stand over night in refrigerator or can freeze it.

Earline Payne
3100 Hill Ave.
Snyder, Texas

BREAD

OATMEAL YEAST BREAD
By JAKE SMITH

1 cup rolled oats
1 tbsp. shortening
1 cup milk, scalded
¼ cup warm water
2 tbsp. sugar
1 tsp. salt
1 yeast cake (or packet)
2½ cups flour

Mix together the oats, sugar, salt and shortening. Pour over this the scalded milk. When cooled to lukewarm, add yeast that has been softened in ¼ cup warm water. Stir in flour and knead until dough no longer sticks to fingers. Shape into a loaf of bread or into rolls. Let rise until double in bulk. Bake at 400 degree oven for rolls for 20 min. and at 375 degrees for 40-45 min. for a loaf. Very old recipe.

Jake Smith
2805 36th St.
Snyder, Texas

BANANA NUT BREAD
By RAMONA MURPHY

½ cup shortening
1 cup sugar
2 eggs
3 ripe mashed bananas
Cream well and add:
2 cups flour
1 tsp. water
½ cup nuts
1 tsp. vanilla
½ tsp. lemon extract

Bake at 310 degrees 1 hour. Yields 2 loaves or 1 bundt pan.

Ramona Murphy
2611 42nd St.
Snyder, Texas

JALAPENO CORN-BREAD
By EARLINE PAYNE

2½ cup cornmeal
1 cup flour
2 tbsp. sugar
1 tbsp. baking powder
1 tsp. salt
3 eggs
1½ cup sweetmilk
½ cup cooking oil
1 can creamed corn
1 large onion, chopped

Mix ingredients. Pour in well greased pan. Bake 25 min. at 400 degree oven.

Earline Payne
3100 Hill
Snyder, Texas

BRAN BREAD
BY KATHY HALL

3 cups lukewarm water
1 pkg. dry yeast
¾ cup sugar
¾ cup oil
1 tbsp. salt
1 cup All Bran
7½ cups flour

Melt yeast in warm water. Combine sugar, oil, salt and bran. Mix well. Add flour and beat until smooth. Cover and let rise till double in bulk. After risen, knead. Divide into 3 loaves and let rise again until doubled. Bake 400 degrees for about 40 minutes. Note: Raisins may be added if desired.

Kathy Hall
Rt. 1 Box 160
Snyder, Texas

CRANBERRY FRUIT-NUT BREAD
By JEAN SMITH

2 cups sifted flour
1½ tsp. baking powder
1 cup sugar
1 tsp. salt
½ tsp. baking soda
1¼ cups cranberries, cut in halves
¼ cup walnuts (or pecan) coarsely chopped
1 egg, well beaten
1 tsp. grated orange peel
¾ cup orange juice
2 tbsp. melted butter or margarine

Blend the first five ingredients in a bowl. Mix in the cranberries and nuts. Combine the egg, orange peel, juice and butter in a bowl, blend well. Make a well in center of dry ingredients; add liquid mixture all at one time and stir only enough to moisten dry ingredients. Turn batter into a greased, bottom only, loaf pan and spread evenly to corners.

Bake at 350 40 to 45 min. or until wooden pick inserted in center of loaf comes out clean.

Remove bread to cooling rack and cool 10 min. in pan. Remove from pan to rack and cool completely. To store, wrap tightly in moisture-vaporproof material. 1 loaf bread.

Very moist.

Jean Smith
2805 26th
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CLOVERLEAF ROLLS
By ANICE WALLACE

Mix:
½ cup warm water
2 packages dry yeast
Stir In:
1½ cup warm water
½ cup sugar
2 eggs
½ cup crisco
7 to 7½ cups flour

Mix with spoon, adding only ½ of flour; then add enough of remaining flour to handle easy. Turn onto lightly floured board. Knead until smooth and elastic (about 5") Let rise in greased bowl until double in size. Form bits of dough into balls about 1" in diameter. Place 3 balls in each greased muffin cup-let rise and bake at 400 degree oven 12 to 15 minutes. Makes 28 to 30 rolls.

Anice Wallace
2712 Ave. G.
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CHOCOLATE POUND CAKE
By EARLINE PAYNE

½ lb. or 1 cup oleo
½ cup shortening
3 cups sugar
5 eggs
3 cups flour
½ tsp baking powder
1 tsp salt
4 tbsp cocoa
1 cup milk
1 tbsp vanilla

Cream oleo, shortening and sugar. Add eggs. Sift together flour, baking powder, salt and cocoa, add little at a time. Add milk, vanilla, mix well and bake in tube pan. Bake 325 degree oven for 1½ hours.

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OUR FAMILY FRUIT CAKE
By EARLINE PAYNE

1 cup sugar
1 cup butter
1 cup syrup
2 cups preserves
2 cups pecans
2 cups raisins
¾ cup sour milk
3 eggs
3½ cup flour
1 tsp soda
1 tsp vanilla
1 tsp cinnamon
1 tsp. allspice
1 tsp. nutmeg

Mix sugar, butter, syrup, preserves. Beat well and add eggs and milk. Sift dry ingredients together. Add slowly to other mixture. Then add raisins and nuts, mix well. Makes 4-8 inch pans.

DATE NUT ICING

3 cups sugar
1 pkg. chopped dates
1¾ cup cream or Pet milk
2 cups pecans

Cook over low heat until creamy spread on cool cake and decorate with nuts and candied cherries
Earline Payne
3100 Hill
Snyder, Texas

NEVER FAIL FRUIT CAKE
By MRS. L.B. TAYLOR

1 lb. candied cherries
1 lb. candied pineapple
1 lb. pitted dates
1 lb. shelled pecans
4 cans coconut or 2 boxes 7½ oz.
3 tbsp. flour
2 cans Eagle Brand milk

Chop fruit and nuts in large mixing bowl, add coconut. Mix well with hands add flour, mix well, then add Eagle Brand milk, mix well. Pack firmly in lightly greased tube cake pan, if desired decorate top with pecans and cherry halves. Bake 1½ hour at 300 F. Keeps indefinately in refrigerator. Note: I find people who say they don't like fruit cake that likes this one as it doesn't have all the junk fruits.
Mrs. L.B. Taylor
Rt. 3 Box 145
Snyder, Texas

POOR MAN'S CAKE
By ANICE Wallace

1 cup water
1 cup sugar
1 tsp. nutmeg
½ tsp. salt
1 cup raisins
½ cup shortening
½ tsp. cloves
1 tsp. cinnamon

Boil all ingredients in a sauce pan for three minutes. Let cool. Add 2 cups flour, ½ tsp. baking powder. Bake in moderate oven about 50 minutes.
Anice Wallace
2712 Ave. G.
Snyder, Texas

HOLIDAY FRUITCAKE
BY MRS. R.M. SHEPHERD

1 lb. candied pineapple diced
1 lb. candied cherries
1 lb. pitted dates, cut
7 cups broken pecans
1 cup pre-sifted flour
½ teaspoon salt
¼ teaspoon ground cloves
¼ teaspoon allspice
2 cups Eagle Brand milk
1 cup moist flaked coconut

1. Preheat oven to 300 F. Line two 2 lb. baking pans or three fruitcake pans with wax paper. 2. In a large mixing bowl combine pineapple, cherries, dates and pecans. Sift together flour, salt and spices over fruit mixture; mix. 3. Add milk and coconut; mix throughly. Spoon into pans. 4. Bake in preheated oven for 1¼ hours. Remove from pans; cool on wire racks; wrap in aluminum foil. Store in refrigerator. Will keep for a year of more.
Mrs. R.M. Shepherd
2805 El Paso
Snyder, Texas

CHOCOLATE CREAM PIE
By EARLINE PAYNE

2 cups sugar
11 tbsp. flour
¼ tsp. salt
5 tbsp. cocoa
4 cups milk
6 egg yolks
2 tsp. vanilla
4 tbsp. butter

In double boiler put 3 cups milk to heat. Mix sugar, flour, salt, cocoa. Beat eggs well and add to the sugar mixture mix together. Add other milk then add to the milk on stove. Cook until thick and beat until smooth. Add butter and vanilla. Let cool, pour in cooked crust.
Earline Payne
3100 Hill Ave.
Snyder, Texas

NEVER FAIL PIE CRUST
BY EALINE PAYNE

Makes 2 double crusts.
3 cups flour
1¼ cups shortening
1 tsp. salt
1 egg, well beaten
5 tbsp. water
1 tbsp vinegar

Cut shortening into flour. Combine egg, water and vinegar. Pour liquid in dry ingredients. Blend with a spoon just until flour is moistened. It also keeps in refrigerator for two weeks.
Earline Payne
3100 Hill Ave.
Snyder, Texas

SALAD

PURPLE SALAD
BY KATHY HALL

1 (3 oz.) pkg. black cherry jello
1 cup boiling water
1 pint vanilla ice cream, softened
1 (17 oz.) can fruit cocktail, drained
1 banana, sliced
½ cup chopped pecans
1 cup miniature marshmallows

Dissolve jello in water. Add ice cream. Stir until ice is melted. Add fruit cocktail, banana, pecans and marshmallows, Stir. Chill until firm. Serves 12.
Kathy Hall
Rt. 1 Box 160
Snyder, Texas

PURPLE PASSION
By RENA McCRIGHT

1 can cherry pie filling
1 small can crushed pineapple, drained
1 can Eagle Brand milk
1 large carton cool whip

Mix all together and chill. Can be served in individual cups with a little cool whip on top, or can be dipped from the dish.
Rena McCright
3011 Ave. V
Snyder Texas

FOUR WAY SALAD
By ANICE WALLACE

1 large package strawberry jello
1 no. 2 can crushed pineapple, drained
1 small carton cottage cheese
1 large carton cool whip

Mix dry jello with pineapple. Add cottage cheese. Fold in cool whip. Chill, Makes a large bowl.
Anice Wallace
2712 Ave. G
Snyder, Texas

CHRISTMAS SALAD
BY RAMONA MURPHY

1 c. coconut
1 c. white seedless grapes
1 c. mandarin orange slices
1 c. marichino cherries
1 c. chunk pineapple
1 c. sour cream

Toss lightly and let stand 24 hours.
Ramona Murphy
2611 42nd St.
Snyder, Texas

CANDY

CATHEDRAL SLICES
By RENA McCRIGHT

Melt in top of double boiler:
1 stick oleo
1 large package chocolate chips (12 oz.)

Mix well and add 1 cup chopped fine nuts and a large package assorted colors marshmallows and mix. Using wax paper or foil makes three rolls of candy. Roll in coconut to prevent sticking to paper, chill and slice desired thickness.
Rena McCright
3011 Ave. V
Snyder, Texas

CHOCOLATE MARSHMALLOW CANDY
By ANICE WALLACE

1 pkg. instant chocolate pudding
1 lb. confectioners sugar
1 egg white
2 tbsp. milk
1-3 cup butter
1-3 cup marshmallow cream

Mix sugar and pudding. Ad milk, egg white and softened butter, using hands, mix until becomes doughy. Roll on wax paper-sprinkle with sugar. Roll .Square-cut into five 1½ inch strips, spread four strips with marshmallow cream and stack. Put the 5th strip on top. Wrap and chill for 3 hours. Cut in ¼ in. slices. Makes about 4 dozen slices.
Anice Wallace
2712 Ave. G.
Snyder, Texas

HOLIDAY DELIGHT
By CHARLINE DYESS

3 cups sugar
1 cup light corn syrup
1½ cups light cream (coffee cream)
1½ tsp. vanilla

Combine all this and cook to soft boil stage over medium flame. Remove and whip immediately. When it thickens and changes color add vanilla and keep beating. Have ready the following and add slowly:
½ lb. brazil nuts (halved)
½ lb. pecans (halved)
½ lb. walnuts (coarse)
½ lb. candied cherries (halved)
½ lb. candied pineapple (good size pieces)

Mixture will be thick and sticky. Put in buttered mixing bowl. Press firmly with wet spoon. Cover with aluminum foil. Place in refrigerator, chill. After a few hours the syrup will be firm and almost white. Store in refrigerator and do not cut for 24 hours.
Charline Dyess
2900 37th
Snyder, Texas

MARTHA WASHINGTON CANDY
BY RAMONA MURPHY

1 stick butter
4 cups pecans
2 pkgs. powdered sugar
1 can coconut
1 tsp. vanilla
1 cup Eagle Brand Milk

Melt oleo and pour over pecans. Sift sugar, add coconut, vanilla and milk. Stir mixture and shape into balls. Stick toothpick in each ball, place balls on wax paper, on cookie sheet and let set in refrigerator over night.
Ramona Murphy
2611 42nd St.
Snyder, Texas

PEANUT PATTIES
BY KATHY HALL

two-thirds cup light Karo
2½ cups sugar
½ pt. whipping cream
2½ cup raw peanuts
5 drops red food coloring
2 tbsp. margarine
1 tsp. vanilla

Combine Karo, sugar, cream, peanuts and coloring. Cook to soft ball stage. Stir frequently. Remove from heat and add margarine and vanilla. Beat until creamy. Drop on buttered wax paper. Yields approximately 1½ lbs.
Kathy Hall
Rt. 1 Box 160
Snyder, Texas
bread

TURTLES
By JEAN SMITH

¾ cup white sugar
½ stick margarine
½ tsp vanilla flavor
2 tsp. water
¾ cup evaporated milk
3-4 cups chopped pecan or walnut meats
1 cup Karo syrup
½ tsp salt

Dipping chocolate and baking sheet with borders.

Put the sugar, water, karo syrup into a pot and cook with med. heat and stir. Wash the sugar crystals down from side of pot when batch boils first time. Stir in the margarine. When it starts boiling again, add the evap. milk very slowly a little at a time, stirring constantly. It should take 5 min. for all the milk to be added to the batch. Continue boiling and stirring for 10 to 12 minutes. Boil to soft ball stage. When done add salt and vanilla. Spread nuts on baking sheet very thickly (½" thick). Pour small amounts of caramel onto the nuts with a teaspoon. Do not make these drops of caramel much larger than a quarter. Spoon the caramel onto the nuts until all the caramel is used up. Dip the turtle centers in the dipping chocolate (melted), so that the finished pieces will have the caramel on the bottom. One batch of caramel will make 8 or 9 doz. turtles.
Jean Smith
2805 36th
Snyder, Texas

Drinking Water Drop In Bucket

LOMBARD, Ill. (AP) - America's waterworks are producing water at the rate of 150 gallons per day for every man, woman and child - but not many are drinking it, according to Water Quality Association. Of all the water used in the home, only one-half of one percent is used for drinking, the Association says.

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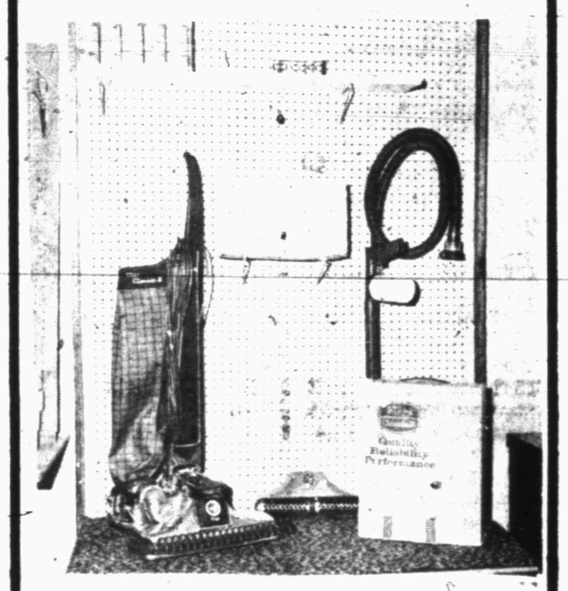

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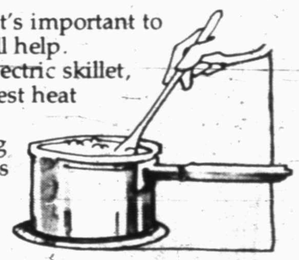
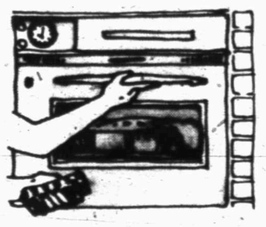
When cooking foods in liquid—whether in an electric skillet, crock pot, Dutch oven or on your range—use the lowest heat setting that will maintain cooking.

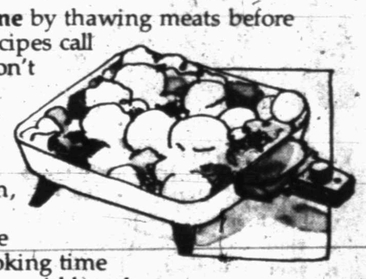


Don't open the oven door unnecessarily. Opening the oven door when the oven is hot can cause heat loss and extended cooking time.

For toasting bread, use a toaster or portable toaster-oven instead of your range oven. The smaller appliances are more efficient for this job.



Reduce cooking time by thawing meats before cooking them. When recipes call for a preheated oven, don't turn it on too far in advance—usually 10 to 15 minutes will do.



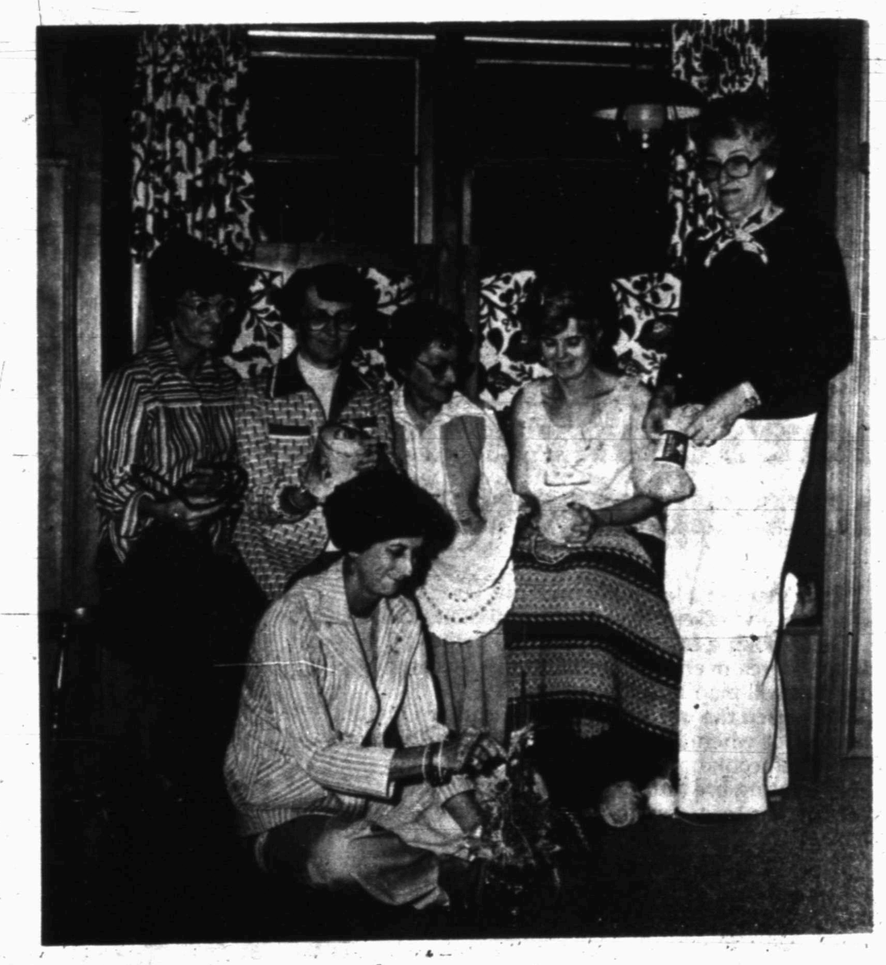
Use flat-bottomed pans. The flatter the pan, the better the contact, with the electric unit. Be sure the pans have tight-fitting lids to reduce cooking time and moisture loss. Match pan size to unit size to avoid heat loss.

Plan one-dish meals that can be cooked in a portable electric appliance such as a skillet, deep fat fryer, Dutch oven or crock pot. Get our free booklet, 'Tips to help you use electricity more efficiently throughout your home.' Copies are available in our office, or you can request one on the comment portion of your electric service bill."

Texas Electric Service Company

HERE IT COMES!--An unidentified lad is shown throwing a pie at Hub Evans' face at the Halloween Carnival held at Leisure Lodge Saturday night. Many booths were set up throughout the lodge with approximately 150 attending. Volunteers for the pie throwing contest were Larry Genuchi, shown awaiting his turn, and Jim Triplett, area supervisor.

LEISURE LODGE CARNIVAL--Receiving cakes at the cake walk Saturday night at the Halloween Carnival were two residents Jame McDaniel, (above left), and William Horton (top right). Pictured with Mr. McDaniel is Mrs. Dorthy Hill and pictured with Mr. Horton is Mrs. Doris Defreese and Hub Evans. Shown in costume is Jim Triplett (center right) and Juanita Land, administrator (bottom right). Participants included guests from Leisure Lodge of Rotan. The door prize (a door) was won by Larry Genuchi. A quilt was awarded to Paulyne Eaker. Diana Cox, activities director, thanks all volunteers and employees for making this event a success.



CHAPTER DONATES TO BAZAAR--Zeta Lambda Chapter of The Delta Kappa Gamma Society International members are busy preparing items to be sold in the West Texas Rehabilitation Center Snyder Unit Christmas Bazaar. The bazaar will be held Nov. 18-19 at 2415 College Ave. Pictured at the society's recent work session are Carol Miller, seated in front, Jo Alice McMullan, left, Dorothy Kayser, Phil Kelley, Durelle Gorman and Georgene Galloway. For information concerning the bazaar call the Rehab Center at 573-2534 or Shirley Burrus, chairman, at 573-5223. (SDN Staff Photo)

'Horse Cosmetics' Thriving Business

NEW YORK (AP) - Cosmetics for horses is a thriving business, reports Chemical Week magazine, which estimates that money spent annually on "horse cosmetics" and other horse-care products totals about $10 million.

Today, the publication says, "chemical specialty products not only clean the horse, but shine his coat, polish his hooves, cure his dandruff and untangle his tail."

Grooming aids for horses include such products as shampoo coat shiners, hoof blackeners, hair conditioners - even eye wash.

There are now about 8.5 million horses in the United States with the figure growing 10 percent annually, the publication reports.

French Sudan became the Republic of Mali in 1960.

COMMUNITY CALENDAR

TUESDAY

If you are interested in losing weight meet with TOPS 56 Snyder at Stanfield Elementary School; 6:30 p.m.

Rocks-N-Stuff will meet at West Texas State Bank Community Room at 7 p.m.

Awareness conference; Snyder Public Schools program for gifted, talented and creative students; Snyder Savings and Loan Community Room, 8 p.m.

RSVP coffee, 9:30 a.m., Union Community Center.

Stanfield PTA Coffee, Film on Pressures of the '70s; 9:30 a.m.

Western "42" club meets at the Hermleigh Community Center at 6:30 p.m.

Art Guild Study Club; Martha Ann Woman's Club; Mrs. R. Williamson, hostess; 7 p.m.

WENESDAY

Sparkle City Squares will have workshop at the National Guard; 8:30 p.m.

Iota Psi Sorority; at Wanda Eicke's home.

THURSDAY

Weight Watchers of West Texas will meet at Trinity Methodist Church; 7 p.m. New members welcome.

Snyder Garden Club will meet at 7:45 a.m. at Bertha Terry's home, 3604 Ave. V., to go to the District VIII meeting in Abilene.

Snyder Writers' Guild; program topic: How Synonyms and Antonyms Make A Story More Picturesque; Janelle Burk, program leader; Trinity Methodist Church; 7:30 p.m.

Newcomers Club luncheon will be at 4512 Galveston; Shirley Grosshans, hostess; 11 a.m. For nursery reservations call 573-0098.

FRIDAY

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

Altrurian Club; Martha Ann Woman's Club; Mrs. Giles Bowers, hostess; 3 p.m.

SCHOOL LUNCH MENU

ELEMTARY SCHOOL

WEDNESDAY

Turkey Dressing Supreme w-Giblet Gravy
Green Peas
Buttered Carrots
Rosy Applesauce
Cinnamon Roll
Milk

THURSDAY

FOOD FOR THOUGHT: The taller a bamboo grows, the lower it bends.
Chili Con Carne Con Frijoles
Raw Vegetable Sticks
Fresh Orange and Apple Wedges
Cornbread
Coconut Cookie
Milk

FRIDAY

FOOD FOR THOUGHT: The more you know, the more you know you don't know.
Grilled Cheese Sandwich w-Hearty Chicken & Rice Soup
Fresh Orange Sections
Peanut Butter Cookie
Milk

SECONDARY SCHOOL

WEDNESDAY

Poor Boy Steak w-Country Gravy
Mashed Potatoes w-Butter
Seasoned Green Beans
Celery Sticks Stuffed w-Peanut Butter
Chocolate Pudding w-Topping
Milk

FRIDAY

THURSDAY

Steak Fingers w-Gravy
French Fries
Tossed Garden Salad w-Celery Seed Dressing
Applesauce
Cowboy Cookie
Milk

FRIDAY

Manager's Choice

Love Letter Sells For $3,400

DETROIT (AP)-A love letter by Ernest Hemingway has been sold for $3,400.

The four-page letter, which the author said was written by flashlight during World War II, was sent to his future wife, Mary, from northern France. Hemmingway was a war correspondent for Collier's magazine.

The letter was donated to the Detroit Public Library for the auction this weekend. Hemmingway ordered that his private letters never be published.

The identity of the buyer was not released.

BEFORE YOU GET TIED UP...

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BRIDGE

Oswald and Jim Jacoby

East given tough choice

NORTH (D)
♠ Q 4
♥ K 10 6 5
♦ A 8 7
♣ A Q 5 3

WEST
♠ A 7 6 3
♥ 3
♦ J 9 6 5 3
♣ 8 6 4

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

SOUTH
♠ K J 2
♥ Q J 9 8 7 2
♦ 4 2
♣ J 7

Neither vulnerable

West	North	East	South
	1♣	Double	2♥
Pass	4♥	Pass	Pass
Pass			

Opening lead — Ace ♠

By Oswald & James Jacoby

East's double of North's one-club opening was just a bad bid. He did have some high cards, but his best suit had just been bid by an opponent.

South's jump to two hearts was conventional. It showed a good heart suit and from 7 to 9 high-card points. This convention, while not a part of standard American, is used by many match-point players.

West might well have tried two spades, but he had seen examples of his partner's takeout doubles before and decided to stay out of the bidding.

North jumped to four hearts. A slight overbid in view of the fact that his partner's two-heart call was not forcing.

West opened the ace of spades and shifted to a diamond. South took dummy's ace and promptly played the ace and trey of clubs. South was sure that East held the club king and wanted to put East right on the spot.

What would you do if you were East? If you rise with the king and South has a singleton club you have chucked a trick. If you duck and South started with jack-small you have chucked a trick that way. This East did play low and South became the only declarer to make 10 tricks at hearts.

Ask the Jacobys

A California reader wants to know what the San Francisco convention is, or was.

The convention showed aces and kings on the basis of two points for an ace and one point for a king in response to an artificial four notrump. It never achieved any popularity.

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

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Here is what you do...

1. Contestants may submit one recipe per category. Each should be attached to a fill-out coupon (below). Recipes should be original, different or "special" such as old-time family favorites.

Cash awards will be made in each of four divisions as listed on this page.

2. Contestants should check division being entered on the entry coupon.--Holiday Candy or Holiday Bread or Meat-Casserole Dish or Fresh Fruit Salad.

A. Include your NAME of the dish.

B. List all ingredients in order they are to be used (Be specific of ingredients).

C. Complete cooking instructions, including temperatures, times, size of pans, number of servings the recipe provides and any special directions.

D. Include your full name and complete address on each coupon.

E. Type or print legibly your recipe and mail with completed coupon to the SDN, Scurry County Cookery, Box 949, Snyder.

3. Prizes will be awarded on the basis of originality, simplicity of preparation, accuracy, and neatness of entry. Competent food experts will judge the entries.

4. All entries become the property of Scurry County Cookery and the SDN.

5. This competition is open to everyone who does not work for the SDN or members of their families.

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Coffee Prices Help Cut Overall Grocery Bills

By LOUISE COOK
Associated Press Writer

Coffee prices took another drop last month, offsetting increases for other items and helping cut overall grocery bills slightly, an Associated Press marketbasket survey shows.

The latest decreases left the cost of a pound of ground coffee in most areas at $3.50 or less - well above the price at the start of the year, but $1 and more below the record levels of last spring.

The AP drew up a random list of 15 commonly purchased food and nonfood items, checked the price at one supermarket in each of 13 cities or March 1, 1973, and has rechecked on or about the start of each succeeding month.

The latest survey showed that the marketbasket bill increased during October at the checklist store in six cities - up an average 1.9 percent. The bill decreased at the checklist store in seven cities - down an average 2 percent. On an overall basis, the marketbasket bill was about a tenth of 1 percent less at the start of November than it was a month earlier.

During September, the marketbasket bill decreased at the checklist store in 10 cities and increased in only three, for an overall drop of eight-tenths of 1 percent.

Comparing current prices with those at the start of the year, the AP found that the marketbasket bill had increased at the checklist store in every city, up an average of 8 percent. When coffee was removed from the list, however, the increase over the 10-month period was only 2.3 percent.

A report in the October issue of "Agricultural Outlook," published by the U.S. Department of Agriculture, said: "Generally stable retail food prices are in prospect through the remainder of 1977. Large supplies and generally lower farm product prices are expected to offset further increases in marketing costs for U.S. farm foods."

The report also said prices for fish and imported foods like coffee are expected to remain fairly steady during the rest of the year.

The latest AP survey showed that the price of a pound of coffee decreased at the checklist store in 10 cities, with the drops ranging from 3 to 10 percent. The survey also found decreases in the cost of eggs, which dropped in price at the checklist store in seven cities. Pork chops and butter increased, however. The price of a pound of pork chops went up in six cities and butter increased at the checklist store in seven cities.

Consumers with a sweet tooth are in for some bad news. The AP found that the 14½-ounce bag of Nabisco Chips Ahoy chocolate chip cookies is being replaced by a 13-ounce bag, with no price drop expected.

As of the end of October, the checklist stores in all the AP survey cities except Chicago still had the 14½-ounce size. In Chicago, the larger bag had been replaced by the smaller one. The price remained the same - 99 cents. The price per ounce was about 12 percent higher. The equivalent price of a 14½-ounce bag would be $1.10

Rats multiply so rapidly that a pair could have 15,000 descendants in a year, according to National Geographic.

Mrs. Mandel Gains Freedom And Privacy

BALTIMORE (AP)- Jeanne Mandel, wife of suspended Gov. Marvin Mandel, says she gained a new sense of freedom and privacy when she moved out of the governor's mansion in Annapolis. She also gained a weekly laundry chore and now has to search for a parking place.

Mrs. Mandel, 39, says she's had to make a number of adjustments in her new status as just another Maryland housewife since her husband was convicted and sentenced on federal corruption charges.

The Mandels now live in a $675-a-month rental house on five acres outside Annapolis. Former Lt. Gov. Blair Lee, now acting governor, occupies the 54-room governor's mansion.

Berry's World

"All right, Mitchell, what's on your mind? Tell me — man to man!"

Mitchell Says Trip Changed View Of Life

CHICAGO (AP)-Edgar D. Mitchell, a computer salesman who once walked on the moon, says it's important for everyone to "get away from it all once and a while."

If you can't arrange a trip to outer space, Mitchell suggests a trip to the country, to a city or "wherever you can go to get a different perspective on life, on why we exist."

Mitchell, an Apollo 14 astronaut, became the sixth person to walk on the moon on Feb. 5, 1971. The trip, he said, changed his view of life.

They call it a mountain top experience, a religious experience-you get flashes of insight about life," he said Monday in an interview. "when I was in space I looked back at earth and thought of the limitless capability of man. I saw how small, how insignificant the world is in the universe."

Adult Classes Meet Tonight

Adult Education classes will meet from 7-9 tonight in the Learning Resource Center at Western Texas College.

Adults interested in enrolling for the courses may enroll at any class meeting. Classes meet in room 203 of the Resource Center, from 7-9 p.m. each Tuesday and Thursday. Persons wishing further information about the classes may contact Bettie McQueen at 573-8511, extension 313.

Overall Farm Prices Rise 1% In October

By DON KENDALL
AP Farm Writer

WASHINGTON (AP)- Farm prices of grain, livestock and some other commodities rose last month, ending a four-month decline in the government's farm price index, at least temporarily.

The Agriculture Department said Monday that prices overall rose an average of 1 percent between Sept. 15 and Oct. 15. Even so, prices still averaged 1 percent below a year ago, officials said.

Farm expenses, meanwhile, held steady during the month but were up 5 percent from Oct. 15, 1976, the department's Crop Reporting Board said.

Higher prices for oranges, cattle, lettuce, wheat and dry edible beans contributed most to the grain last month. But lower prices for soybeans, eggs and cotton partially offset the increase for other items.

The farm price index began declining with a 5 percent drop last June 15, followed by another 2 percent decline in July, 3 percent in August and 1 percent in September.

Officials said the parity ratio as of Oct. 15 was 64 percent, unchanged from the two previous months as revised. According to department records, 64 percent is the lowest for the indicator since it was 55 percent in March 1933 in the nation's worst economic depression.

Theoretically, at 100 percent the ratio indicates that farmers have the same purchasing power their forebears had in 1910-14 when costs and prices were said to be in step.

Beef cattle averaging $35.40 per hundred pounds were up from $34.80 on Sept. 15. Hogs dropped to $39.90 a hundredweight from $40.20 in mid-September.

Wheat averaged $2.26 a bushel at the farm nationally, up from $2.17 on Sept. 15. Corn was $1.61, up 2 cents a bushel from a month earlier.

Officials said that vegetable prices at the farm rose 7 percent during the month, led by higher prices for lettuce, sweet corn and cabbage.

Fruit prices rose 26 percent including a sharp gain for oranges which averaged $5.26 a box, up from $3.08 in mid-September.

Funds Are Still Available For Weatherizing

Applications still may be made by low income families for weatherization funds allocated to People for Progress, Inc., of Sweetwater.

Applications will be accepted from 9 a.m. to 4 p.m. both Thursday and Friday at the Senior Citizens Center at Western Texas College.

The funds have been made available for low income families to repair homes to prevent cold infiltration and to reduce their fuel bills.

Sen. Tower Cancels Trip

Sen. John Tower cancelled his trip today to the Plains and Panhandle areas of Texas, due to the Senate debate underway on the energy bill.

He said he would reschedule his trip near the end of November or early in December.

"I deeply regret not being able to be with the people in this area, but I feel that it is of utmost importance for me to be in Washington at this critical time," Tower said.

Sen. Tower noted that his attendance record is 91 per cent, among the highest in the Senate.

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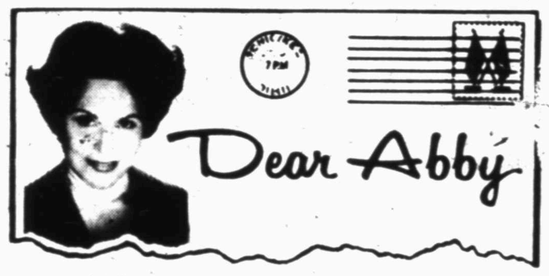

Husband's Trips Make Her Jealous

By Abigail Van Buren
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DEAR ABBY: My husband is a very attractive middle-aged man who has never fooled around as far as I know.

The company he works for sends him and a professional female co-worker out of town together (just the two of them) on business trips for several days' duration.

It seems to me that since it wouldn't be proper for just the two of them to have dinner together here in our home city, it's hardly fair for the company to send them out of town together.

My husband says it's strictly a business relationship, and I believe him. But she's pretty, young and single, and being only human, all that togetherness away from home could hatch a problem that's bigger than both of them.

How should I handle this?

JUST PLAIN JEALOUS

DEAR JEALOUS: What's to handle? Say nothing. Continue to trust him; expect the best and you'll probably get it. Any other action on your part would be unwise.

DEAR ABBY: Our son and his fiancee are being married soon. Our names were not included on the wedding invitations. When we asked our son about this, he said it was strictly up to the bride, and she selected the form that omitted the names of the bridegroom's parents.

Our friends and relatives disagree. They say that it is a slap in the face and a snub to us, and if we had an ounce of pride, we would not attend our son's wedding. After all, he wasn't laid on a log and hatched by the sun!

Who is right, Abby? What would you do?

HURT IN PENNA.

DEAR HURT: The standard American wedding invitation does not include the name of the groom's parents, so the bride should not be faulted for having selected that style. I would go to the wedding and bear no grudge.

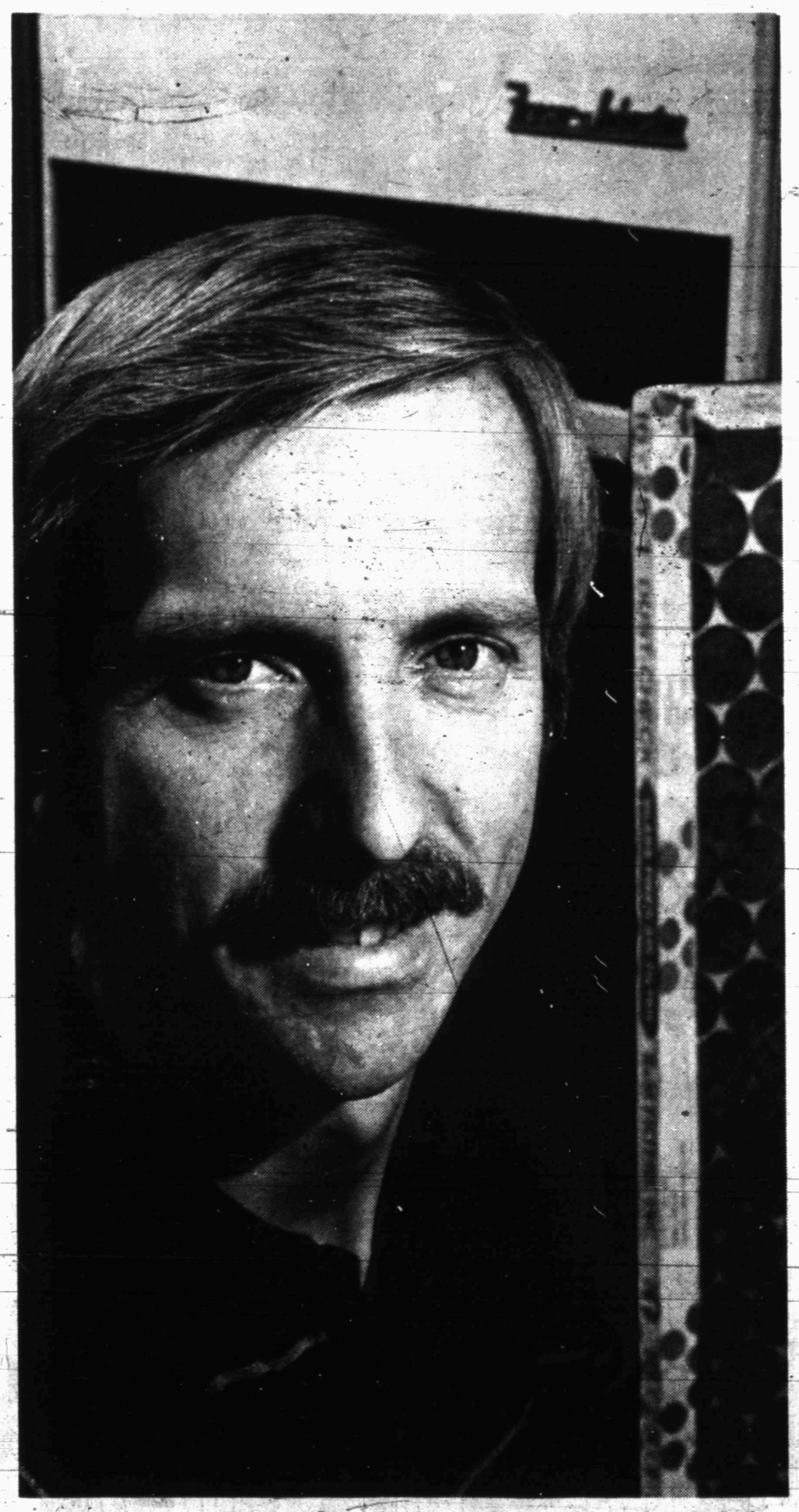
DEAR ABBY: This is in response to the article about the girl who wore braces on her teeth. She said her boyfriend also wore braces, and when they kissed it was like running into a barbed wire fence, and it hurt.

Well, I'm a 22-year-old guy who's been wearing braces for three years, and I know exactly how she felt. When I used to kiss a girl with braces, it was like two freight trains colliding head on!

Braces have improved my kissing. I now kiss very slowly, gently and tenderly. I get compliments on my kisses all the time. I'm sure if it weren't for my braces I never would have learned how to be such a neat kisser.

BETTER THAN EVER

If you feel left out and lonely, or wish you knew how to get people to like you, my new booklet, "How To Be Popular; You're Never Too Young or Too Old," is for you. Send $1 along with a long, self-addressed, stamped (24 cents) envelope to Abby, 132 Lasky Drive, Beverly Hills, Calif. 90212.



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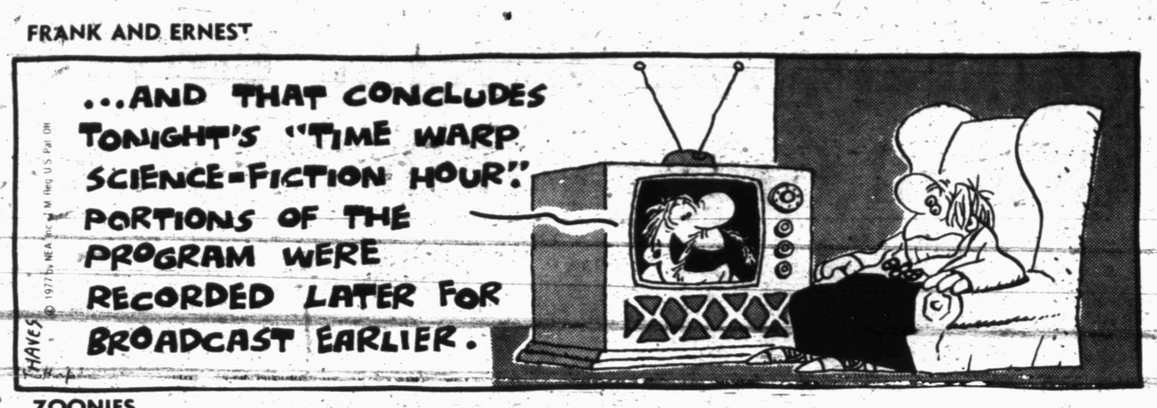

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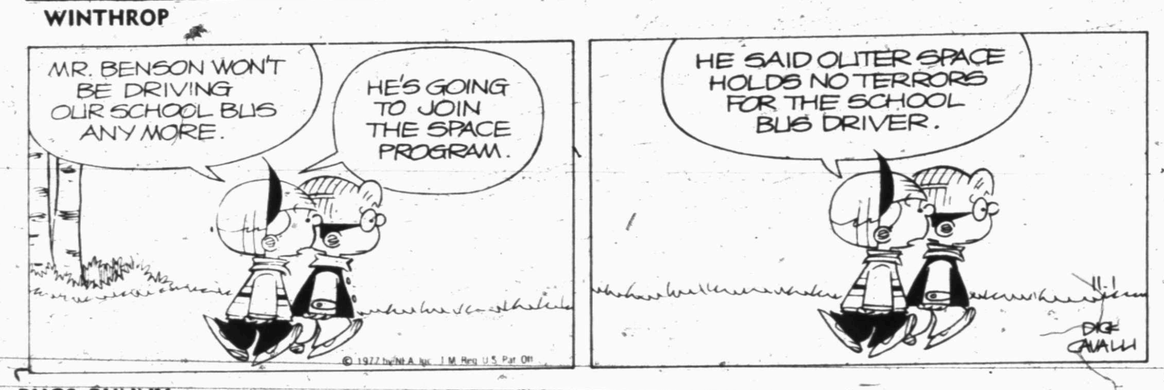

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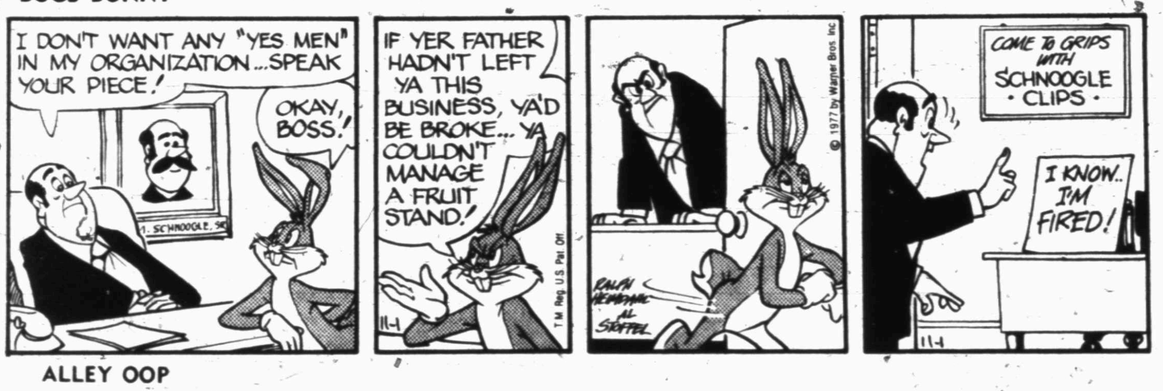

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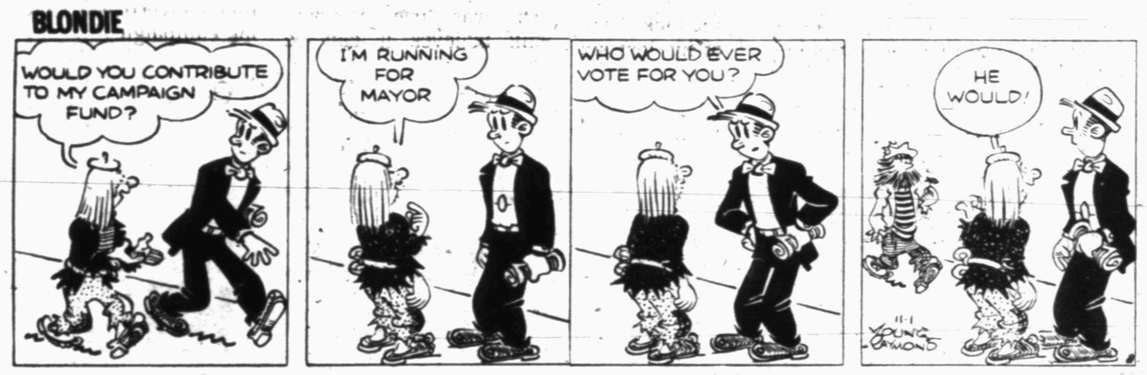

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16 Water sprite
17 Shortening
18 Most facile
20 Buenos _____
21 Mao _____ tung
22 Plunge in liquid
23 Aggregate
26 Nocturnal illumination
31 Ordinary writing
33 Possessive pronoun
34 Ark builder
35 Doesn't exist (cont.)
36 First person
37 Large artery
38 Change off (2 wds.)
41 Superlative suffix
42 Whale school
43 Christian symbol
45 Rice field
48 Spear
52 California county
53 Anatomical pouch
54 Lot
55 Over again
56 Engage in winter sport
57 Solar disc
58 Flowerless plant
59 Skin tumor
60 Antarctic sea

DOWN

1 Musical instrument
2 Orient
3 Infirmities
4 Pay a bill
5 End of afternoon
6 One
7 Nitrous oxide (abbr.)
8 Resident of Cebu
9 From a distance
10 Concerning (2 wds., Lat., abbr.)
11 Caps
19 To be (Lat.)
20 Bother
22 Remove moisture
23 Roasting stick
24 She-bear (Lat.)
25 Friar
27 American (abbr.)
28 Pierce
29 Derbies
30 Which
32 Leave office (2 wds.)
36 Mire
37 Deathly pale
39 Baby's plaything
40 Nicotinic acid
44 Up to this point (2 wds.)
45 Singer Edith _____
46 Actress Baxter
47 Clothes tinter
48 Roast
49 Group of Western allies
50 Summers (Fr.)
51 Half-scores
53 Compass point

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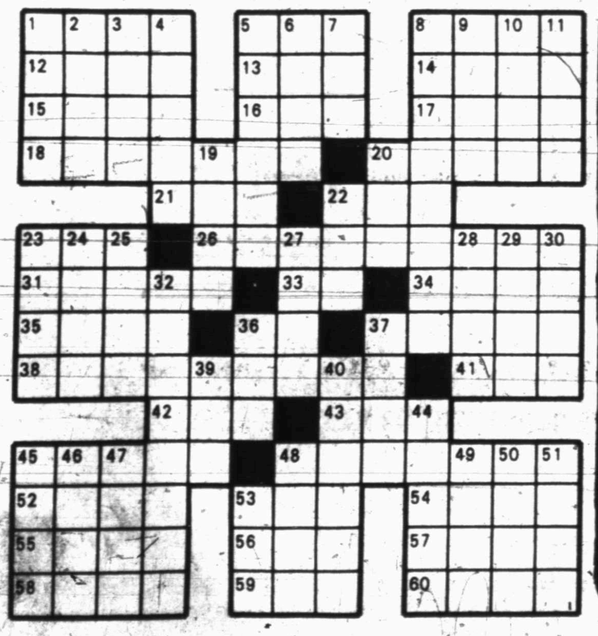

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Top 20

By The Associated Press

The Top Twenty teams in The Associated Press college football poll, with first-place votes in parentheses, season records and total points. Points based on 20-18-16-14-12-10-9-8-7-etc.:

1. Texas (57)	7-0-1, 176
2. Ala (1)	7-1-953
3. Okla	7-1-882
4. Ohio St	7-1-868
5. N. Dame	6-1-652
6. Mich	7-1-592
7. Ky (1)	7-1-569
8. Ark	6-1-465
9. Penn St	7-1-448
10. Tex A&M	6-1-309
11. Neb	6-2-255
12. Pitt	6-1-1-253
13. Clemson	7-1-160
14. Brig Young	6-1-127
15. Fla St	6-1-76
16. S Cal	5-3-36
17. Calif	6-2-32
18. La St.	5-2-24
19. Ariz St.	6-1-18
tie Iowa St	6-2-18

Arkansas, Aggies Also In Associated Press Top Ten...

Texas Still At Gridiron Controls

By BOB GREENE
AP Sports Writer

The Texas Longhorns are stampeding over the rest of the nation's college football teams this week, garnering 57 first-place votes and a near-perfect 1,176 of a possible 1,180 points from a nationwide panel of 59 sports writers and broadcasters.

But Alabama's Crimson Tide, Oklahoma's Sooners and Ohio State's Buckeyes are waiting in the wings just in case the Longhorns get hog-tied in their final four games.

Texas travels to Houston Saturday for a date with the Cougars. Houston won last year's encounter 30-0, snapping a 40-game home winning streak for the Longhorns. But the Cougars are without first-string quarterback Danny Davis. Then Texas takes on TCU, Baylor and 10th-ranked Texas A&M.

"I don't think we've reached our potential yet," said Oklahoma Coach Barry Switzer. "We're getting there, but we're still not playing as well as we are capable of doing."

The Sooners are 7-1, their only loss a 13-6 defeat by unbeaten Texas.

Oklahoma picked up enough votes in this week's Associated Press poll to move into third spot with 882 points. Holding onto second place is Alabama, which received one first-place vote and 953 points. The other ballot went to Kentucky.

Alabama, 7-1, trounced Mississippi State 37-7 last week but faces 18th-ranked Louisiana State this Saturday. The Tide also has upcoming dates with Miami and arch-rival Auburn.

Oklahoma still has to play cross-state rival Oklahoma State, Colorado and 11th-ranked Nebraska, the only team to beat Alabama this year.

Ohio State mangled Wisconsin 42-0 but slipped to fourth with 868 points. The Buckeyes, whose only loss was to Oklahoma, still must meet sixth-ranked Michigan.

Notre Dame is fifth in this week's balloting, followed by Michigan, Kentucky, Arkansas, Penn State and Texas A&M.

The Second Ten consists of Nebraska, Pittsburgh, Clemson, Brigham Young, Florida State, Southern Cal, California, Louisiana State and a tie for 19th between Arizona State and Iowa State.

Falling out of the Top Twenty were Texas Tech, Colorado, Florida and Minnesota.

Dallas Quarterback Praises Offensive, Defensive Teammates...

Cowboys Potentially 'The Best', Says Staubach

DALLAS (AP)-Roger Staubach, 35, the "old man" of the Dallas Cowboys, believes the National Football League's only unbeaten team "could potentially be the best I have played on."

The Cowboy quarterback, who has been on three Super Bowl teams, underscores "could" and "potentially."

"Teams have really been getting after us but we have found a way to win even when we had an off day like our 16-10 victory over Philadelphia," said Staubach Monday. "However, realistically right now we are no better or no worse than some eight other NFL teams."

Dallas, displaying a sound running game, a bristling defense and Staubach's passing is off to its best start in the club's 17-year history.

"The young guys on defense like middle linebacker Bob Breunig, linebacker Thomas Henderson, and tackle Randy White are playing great," said Staubach. "Our defense is one I wouldn't want to play against in the league. I work against them every day and they are tough."

Staubach also praised the Cowboy running game particularly with the addition of rookie Tony Dorsett, the Heisman Trophy winner from Pittsburgh who has given Dallas its first legitimate breakaway threat.

"Our running game will keep us in the thick of it," said Staubach, who threw three touchdown passes Sunday in a 37-0 rout of Detroit as Dallas remained the only unblemished club in the National Football League.

"Last year we couldn't run the ball and we were doing such things as passing on third down and two against Los Angeles in the playoffs," said Staubach. "We won't have to do that any more."

Staubach said, "Dorsett hits the hole faster than anybody I've ever seen. He hits the crease quick and then he's gone.

"He also is starting to run good routes which really helps our passing. Both Tony and Preston Pearson are out there now when we go into the spread and that really creates problems for the defense."

Fullback Robert Newhouse, backed by Scott laidlaw and fast-blooming rookie Larry Brinson of Florida, who scored his first professional touchdown against the Lions, also were cited by Staubach as performing well.

"I can see the difference on play action passes this year," said Staubach. "The other teams are more conscious of the run. It opens up our passes, particularly on first down."

Staubach said "Dorsett is really a strong inside runner. He may be better inside than he is outside. When he breaks into the secondary, he really has the moves."

He said that a winning streak was tough on a team psychologically.

"You really can't enjoy it because your season isn't complete unless you win the last game of the year (The Super Bowl)," said Staubach.

The club record for consecutive victories is 11 established by the 1968-69 team.

WTC Basketball Ready For Opener In Juarez

Western Texas College men's basketball team breaks into action this week, in of all places... Juarez, Mexico.

The Westerners, who won Western Conference in 1976-77 under former coach Mike Mitchell, travel south of the border for four days to open this year's campaign.

Nov. 1-2 they face the Technological University, while the 3rd and 4th they play visitor to the Universidad de Juarez.

"It's a big thrill for our kids," expresses Dr. Sid Simpson, athletic director at WTC. "It's going to be educational in many ways. It's a chance to spread the name of our school into another foreign country."

But the outing is not expected to roll in WTC's favor on the courts, at least. "The Universidad de Juarez team is actually the the Mexican olympic team," Simpson notes. "We expect more than we can handle, but we think it will be real good experience."

While the Mexican olympic team promises to be heavy action for new WTC coach Nolan Richardson, his team is expected to have better luck against the Technological team.

Richardson, 35, hails from El Paso where he coached basketball and golf at Bowie High School for nine years.

Able to welcome back only two returnees from last year, the new Westernder coach feels he is in a good position to begin his duties.

"With the talent we're bringing in and the latent talent left over, we could have a supper basketball team," he noted earlier this year. "The jobs are all open; so we'll start over again and really get it on. Competition will be tough."

Returning from the previous season are Jon Moorehead, 6-6 of El Paso and Doug Worthington, 6-5 of Buffalo, N.Y. Neither player was a starter last year, leaving a good opportunity for incoming players to grab a role with hard work.

Newcomers include Robert Brown, 6-7 of Baltimore, Md.; Wayne Jaimason, 6-1 of Washington, D.C.; Lonnie Nichols, 6-6 of Buffalo, N.Y.; Charles Gipson, 6-6 of Brooklyn, N.Y.; Julio Gallardo, 6-8½ of El Paso; Melvin Patridge, 6-5 of El Paso; Joe Mendoza, 6-5 of El Paso; Dwight Williams, 5-10 of El Paso; Michael Smith, 6-4 of Wilmington, N.C.; John Gifford, 6-7 of El Paso; Reginald Reed, 6-4 of Norfolk, Va.; Chester Cobb, 6-4 of Snyder; George Gonzales, 5-8 of El Paso; and Adam Beadle, 6-6 of Las Crudes, N.M.

Teams included in the Western Junior College Conference— are WTC, Clarendon, South Plains, New Mexico Military, New Mexico Junior College, Howard County, Odessa, Midland, Amarillo and Frank Phillips.

The Westerners begin conference play here Dec. 1 by hosting Odessa College at 8 p.m.

MEN'S BASKETBALL SCHEDULE

Date	OPPONENT	SITE	TIME
November			
2	Technological University	Juarez, Mexico	1:00
3	Technological University	Juarez, Mexico	1:00
4	Universidad de Juarez	Juarez, Mexico	8:30
5	Universidad de Juarez	Juarez, Mexico	7:00
14	Ranger Classic	Ranger, Texas	
15	Ranger Classic	Ranger	
24	Wool Bowl Tournament	Roswell, New Mexico	
25	Wool Bowl Tournament		
26	Wool Bowl Tournament		
December			
1	Odessa College	Scurry Coliseum	3:00
3	McMurry College (Homecoming)	Scurry Coliseum	3:00
5	Clarendon College	Clarendon, Texas	8:00
8	New Mexico Junior College	Scurry Coliseum	8:00
12	Amarillo College	Scurry Coliseum	8:00
January			
ABC Tournament	(Howard College)	Big Spring, Texas	
6	ABC Tournament		
7	ABC Tournament		
12	Midland College	Scurry Coliseum	8:00
14	Frank Phillips College	Scurry Coliseum	8:00
16	South Plains College	Levelland, Texas	8:00
19	New Mexico Military Institute	Scurry Coliseum	8:00
23	Howard College	Big Spring, Texas	8:00
26	Odessa College	Odessa, Texas	8:00
30	Clarendon College	Scurry Coliseum	8:00
February			
2	New Mexico Junior College	Hobbs, New Mexico	8:00
6	Amarillo College	Amarillo, Texas	8:00
9	Frank Phillips College	Borger, Texas	8:00
13	Midland College	Midland, Texas	8:00
16	South Plains College	Scurry Coliseum	8:00
20	New Mexico Military Institute	Roswell, New Mexico	8:00
23	Howard College	Scurry Coliseum	8:00
March			
2,3,4	Region V Tournament	Abilene, Texas	

Westerners Rip By Juarez Tech

JUAREZ, Mex.--Western Texas College men's basketball squad, under direction of new coach Nolan Richardson, ripped Juarez Tech here yesterday, 88-40 to open the season.

The Westerners held down a half time lead of 36-13, then powered 52 points in the second stanza to whip the host team.

"We got out there and got our machine to moving and there was no stopping it," expressed a happy Coach Richardson.

Every player on the WTC team, save one, scored. Heading up the group were Lonnie Nichols with 11 points (four field goals, three free throws) and Melvin Patridge with 10 points (five field goals). The Snyder-based team hit 57 percent of their field goal efforts and 71 percent of their free throws.

Tonight, the Westerners will play the Juarez Tech team again. Tomorrow is the real test, however, as they take on the Universidad de Juarez, which boasts eight players on the Mexican olympic team.

"We'll know who can put it in and who can't," said Richardson. "We'll know something more about the team (WTC) by the time we come back Sunday morning."

The olympic team has 13-0 record and opened their season two months ago. "It will be a real test," continued the WTC coach. "Our kids have been playing pretty consistant. hat will be the difference between winning and losing," he said, speculating on the upcoming season." Consistancy."

O.J. Injury Unknown Yet

BUFFALO (AP)-The Buffalo Bills awaited word today on whether a knee injury would end the spectacular career of star running back O.J. Simpson.

Simpson has been more depressed in recent weeks than at any point in his nine-year pro career, mainly because of his Buffalo Bills' lowly 1-6 start this season, coming off a 2-12 record last year. He also has been hampered this season first by an ankle injury, then an arm injury, and now knee problems.

Bowling Roundup

INDUSTRIAL

Team	Won-Loss	Total Pins
McCullough	50½-33½	10188
Calvery Baptist 3	50-34	10281
C.R.C.	48-36	10200

High Handcp. Series
T. Perez 617
High Handcp. Game
J. Curry 244
High Scratch Series
Ken Hunter 540
High Scratch Game
D. Snyder 199

WISHBALL

Team	Won-Loss	Total Pins
A.M. Ten Pinners	86-60	19954
Chevron A	84-56	20125
McAlister	74-66	19844

High Handcp. Series
J. Beard 662
High Handcp. Game
H. Godair 232
High Scratch Series
R. Bowden 542
High Scratch Game
J. Warren 203

EARLY BIRDIES

Team	Won-Loss	Total Pins
Penguins	19-9	9306
Parakeets	19-9	8305
Bluebirds	17½-10½	7986

High Handcp. Series
Annette Johnson 648
High Handcp. Game
Martha Berryman 256
High Scratch Series
Peggy Foster 487
High Scratch Game
Martha Berryman 205

ROLL-N-HOPE

Team	Won-Loss	Total Pins
Ed's Paint & Body Shop	21-7	14501
E&J Trucking	18-10	13504
Walls Industries Inc.	17-11	12898

High Handcp. Series
Sandy Johnson 641
High Handcp. Game
Lila Lewis 242
High Scratch Series
Ellen Edwards 528
High Scratch Game
Sandy Johnson 203

COMMERCIAL

Team	Won-Loss	Total Pins
Snyder Savings & Loan		87-53
Velasquez Plumbing		87-53
Joe Brown Carpet		79½-60½

High Scratch Series
Mairl McFaul 594
High Scratch Game
Jerry Jolly 233

JACK & JILL

Team	Won-Loss	Total Pins
Well Tech Inc	22-10	18718
Wayne Dodson Consultant	21-11	18143
Texas Electric of C-City	20-12	18320

High Handcp. Game
Men
High Series
Strick Posey 579
Don Bollinger 533
Women
Lu Wolf 532
Dot Motley 496
High Game
Strick Posey 211
Bob Motley
Lu Wolf 207
Ettie Lee 182
High Handicap Series
Strick Posey 634
Leon Smith 608
Reba Dean 616
Juanell McMahon 609
High Handicap Game
Jay Wolf 234
Bobby Dean 218
Raba Dean 247
Candy Redwine 228

'Bum' Wants More Refs

HOUSTON (AP)-Houston Oilers Coach Bum Phillips wants fulltime NFL officials and would like to see another arbiter added to the crews.

"If he (official) can cost me my job, I'd like to be able to cost him his," Phillips said. "Right now they can go back to their insurance business or whatever they want to do, but I don't have an insurance business to go back to."

The Oilers have been burned in recent weeks by controversial calls.

Campbell Stomps Tacklers

AUSTIN, Texas (AP)-Texas Coach Fred Akers says fullback Earl Campbell has been stomping tacklers to rack up more than 100 yards in each of his last six games.

Akers says 704 of Campbell's 1,015 yards this season have come after at least one tackler had hit him.

Campbell and SMU's Mike Ford hold respective Southwest Conference leads in rushing and passing.

Ford is 111 for 230 passing for a total of 1,577 yards and a 197.1 yard average per game.

Russell Erxleben of Texas, the SWC's leading kicker, leads the league in scoring with 70 points.

Tech Thinking Bowls

LUBBOCK, Texas (AP)-Texas Tech Coach Steve Sloan says his Red Raiders still have a shot at a bowl bid, but they'll have to bounce back to stay in the running.

Tech was thumped 26-0 by No. 1 Texas last weekend.

"We need badly to win the game against TCU to have a good season and stay in the bowl picture," Sloan said.

SMU Down Defensively

DALLAS (AP)-SMU's loss to Texas A&M hurt the Mustangs' pride, but it did a lot of physical damage to the defense, too.

SMU lost four players just before halftime, with the Mustangs ahead 21-7.

"I was surrounded by ice bags," Coach Ron Meyer said. "I'm so concerned about our injuries I can't even project a starting defensive lineup."

Astros At Aggieland

COLLEGE STATION, Texas (AP)-It'll be the Houston Astros versus the Texas A&M Aggies April 5 at College Station.

The Astros of the National League will stop at the campus on the way to their season opener in Cincinnati April 6.

The Aggies are defending Southwest Conference baseball champions.

Wiggin Wagged By Kansas City

KANSAS CITY (AP)-"Let's look at the facts, the brutal facts," said a Kansas City Chiefs player, his eyes glistening with tears. "Nice guys can't be winning coaches in the National Football League."

But Paul Wiggin, an acknowledged "nice guy" who was fired Monday, still believes it can be done.

Chiefs owner Lamar Hunt called a news conference Monday to announce that "in the best interests of the Kansas City Chiefs," Wiggin had been fired and Tom Bettis, a veteran Chiefs' defensive backfield coach, was named to replace him on an interim basis.

Wiggin indicated earlier he had talked his successor out of resigning in a show of loyalty.

"Tom is a very loyal guy," Wiggin said. "I said, 'Tom, let's talk about a team and a staff and some people we both care for. Let's forget about Paul Wiggin.'"

Wiggin, 44, was an assistant coach for the San Francisco 49ers when the Chiefs hired him in January, 1975 to head their much-advertised rebuilding campaign.

Boosters Gather

The High School Boosters Club is to meet tonight at 7:30 in the school cafeteria.

Activities include a scouting report on Friday's opponent, Lubbock Dunbar, and the Snyder-Estacado game film.

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NOTICE OF ZONING HEARING

NOTICE is hereby given to owners of the property hereinafter described or referred to and to all other interested persons as provided by law, that the Planning and Zoning Commission will hold a Public Hearing on the 15 day of November, 1977, at 7:00 p.m. in the City Hall in Snyder, Texas, to consider the recommendation it will make to the City Council concerning the zoning of the following described property; and at said hearing all interested persons will be given an opportunity to be heard.

ZONE CASE NO. 204 Request of Doug & Susie White to change Lot 2, Block 38, of the Grayum & Nelson Addition to the City of Snyder, Scurry County, Texas, from a C-2 to a R-2 Zoning District.

ZONE CASE NO. 203 Request of Carman A. McCown to change the East 175 of the North 175 of Block 1, Snyder Oaks Addition to the City of Snyder, Scurry County, Texas, from a R-3 to a C-1 District.

Charles Cullar
Secretary of Planning & Zoning Commission.

LODGES A-1

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SPECIAL NOTICES A-2

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CARD OF THANKS A-3

THE FAMILY of Mrs. Paul Jones would like to thank Dr. Pierce and all the nurses on the cardiac ward at Cogdell Hospital. We will never forget how kind they were to her and we appreciate their thoughtfulness more than we can say. We would also like to thank all of the members of the Lloyd Mountain Church of Christ and many friends who have helped us so much in the last week.
Paul Jones and Children.

LOST AND FOUND A-4

LOST MALE BASENJI, red & white color, curl tail, answers to name "Urie", strayed from yard at 3724 Rose Circle Thursday. Reward. 573-5555.

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PERSONAL A-5

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New Gas Rule Is Issued

AUSTIN (AP)-The railroad commission issued an emergency rule Monday prohibiting production of natural gas in excess of market demand in Texas oil and gas fields.

The three commissioners adopted the rule to clarify the commission's rule on "gas market demand determination, gas well allowable allocation procedure and ratable take of gas between gas wells and gas fields in the state."

"The emergency rule as originally adopted has been interpreted by certain persons to whom it applies in a manner inconsistent with the commission's intent,' the commissioners said.

"This faulty interpretation has resulted in significant over-production of natural gas, problems with ratable take of natural gas, and could have a substantial adverse effect on the rates paid by many customers of certain gas utilities in Texas," they said.

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8-MILES EAST, Large 2 bedroom frame house, nice carpet, on one acre of land, $16,500.00
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Many Visitors At Scout Indian Event

Visitors from different parts of the state gathered at Western Texas College Saturday to give classes in Indian lore at a special seminar held by the Lone Buffalo (Boy Scout) District.

Classes on the types of Indian dress and the significance of each were conducted in the morning along with a special women's class on their styles, reported Larry Miller, district director. In the afternoon, sessions were conducted on songs, drum methods, and dance steps.

Plenty of scouts and scouting officials were present and received ideas for future projects, Miller said.

The trading post did not seem affected by inflation. Items at the post sold for 1974 prices. The stock was purchased by the Buffalo Trail Council of the Boy Scouts of America for its summer camp sales several years and were resold at the original retail price, reflecting about a 60 per cent savings.

The evening brought on a lot of color with the feather dancers gathering for the pow wow. Some of the participants had national standings which they won at the National Order of the Arrow Conference held in Knoxville, Tenn. during September.

The general attitude of everyone involved was one of having a good time, Miller reported. The seminar was the first of its kind in the council and the Tatanka Explorer Lodge of the Buffalo Trail Council received a good impression of the way things went and are planning to hold another seminar next year.

The scouters of the Lone Buffalo District, Miller said, wish to thank the citizens of Seurry County who came out to support the event and those who helped to make it possible.

ASTRO-GRAPH
Bernice Bede Osol

Your Birthday
Nov. 2, 1977

Your wanderlust may be fulfilled this coming year in the physical and mental spheres. The moves you make could be far-reaching in both areas.

SCORPIO (Oct. 24-Nov. 22) You could be a bit restless today if you're not doing things that help widen your scope of interests. Don't let yourself get in a rut. Find out more about yourself by sending for your copy of Astro-Graph Letter. Mail 50 cents for each and a long, self-addressed, stamped envelope to Astro-Graph, P.O. Box 489, Radio City Station, N.Y. 10019. Be sure to specify your birth sign.

SAGITTARIUS (Nov. 23-Dec. 21) Your business instincts today are finely honed and reliable. You'll know how to put a good deal together with hurting anyone.

CAPRICORN (Dec. 22-Jan. 19) You handle one-to-one relationships with great skill today. Others will find your companionship enjoyable.

AQUARIUS (Jan. 20-Feb. 19) Though you may not think so when the alarm goes off, you'll find being active and productive is far more fun than goofing off. Put out solid effort today.

PISCES (Feb. 20-March 20) Today you have the ability to turn an acquaintance into a friend. If there's someone you'd like to be closer to, spend time with him or her.

ARIES (March 21-April 19) Instinctively you have a way of gauging the wants and needs of others today. This is a big plus since you're dealing directly with the public.

TAURUS (April 20-May 20) You are more adroit today at mental pursuits than physical ones. Spend time balancing the books instead of balancing the barbells.

GEMINI (May 21-June 20) Before the day is over you could be showing a profit. It's because you manage wisely and are shrewd at shopping or selling.

CANCER (June 21-July 22) Matters that you take a hand in today should work out to your satisfaction. Where you delegate authority, it could be another story.

LEO (July 23-Aug. 22) Stand a bit in the background today. Let others be closer to the footlights. They'll appreciate you more if you don't upstage them.

VIRGO (Aug. 23-Sept. 22) This should prove to be a fortunate day regarding projects you're involved in with persons you hold in high regard. If they benefit, you will, too.

LIBRA (Sept. 23-Oct. 23) You exert considerable influence today. You'll handle yourself in a manner which enhances your prestige and popularity.

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HOSPITAL NOTES

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BIRTHS

Mr. and Mrs. Steven Navarrette, 2409 26th, are the parents of an 9 lb. girl, born at 2:29 a.m. Oct. 31 in Cogdell Memorial Hospital.

Joan Mondale Out Of 'Synch'

ATLANTA (AP)-Joan Mondale, who told city managers that the arts can bring a "burst of energy to the downtown section," needed more energy herself as she competed with Mayor Maynard Jackson on an art exhibit swing set.

Vice President Walter Mondale's wife, an unofficial roving ambassador for the arts in the Carter administration, had asked to see the Isamu Noguchi "Playscapes" in Piedmont Park.

She tried out the swings, but couldn't pump them as high as the mayor.

"Oh, we're out of synch," she said.

The $500,000 "Playscapes" was built by Atlanta's High Museum of Art, the city and the National Endowment for the Arts, and Mrs. Mondale said she would "spread the word" about using art in playground equipment.

HEALTH
Lawrence E. Lamb, M.D.

Plague of bladder infections

By Lawrence Lamb, M.D.

DEAR DR. LAMB--Is there any hope for women who are plagued with constant bladder infections? It's like a chronic disease, once you get it, it's always there. Since I've reached 40 I seem to get it four or five times a year and it lasts at least six to eight weeks. I am very discouraged with all the expense of pills and doctor bills and having this pesky infection.

My doctor says to avoid spicy foods, others say avoid coffee and tea, tomatoes and oranges or acid foods.

I drink about 10 cups of coffee (usually decaffeinated) or tea daily and at least five glasses of water. Is my addiction to coffee making the infection harder to clear up? I've read that a phosphorous deficiency is the cause of bladder infections. Is that true?

DEAR READER--This is a fairly common problem for women. It creates a need to urinate frequently, burning during urination and is a drag on a woman's energy and feeling of well being. If the infection involves the kidney as well, and it may, then fever and other symptoms occur.

A woman who is having recurrent bladder infections should have a complete examination to find out if there is any structural abnormality present. The urethra can be constricted or it may be in the wrong position or there may be a stone present. If the bladder is not emptying adequately that will set the stage for repeated infections. Any such abnormalities should be corrected.

Sexual relations may aggravate cystitis. When a young woman begins an active sex life she may start having these problems. That is why it is sometimes colled honeymoon cystitis. There are some things a woman can do to help in this regard. Among these is to empty the bladder immediately after relations and drink some extra fluids to ensure a good flushing of the bladder. That goes along with my general recommendations to women to be sure and drink plenty of fluids and then be sure to empty the bladder frequently. Office workers sometimes do not go to the bathroom often enough and the full bladder simply makes matters worse.

Some doctors recommend that a woman take an antibiotic after relations, usually Penicillin G or Macrodantin. This might result in taking lots of medicine, though, in a young active couple on their honeymoon. It is worth asking your doctor about. Tub baths should probably be avoided; showers are preferable.

The important thing about your food and fluids is to drink enough fluids to maintain a good urinary flow. With some medicines (such as Mandelamine) it is necessary to acidify the urine. In that case orange juice, fruits and vegetables (but not cranberries, plums and prunes) may have the opposite effect. If an acid urine is necessary your doctor can recommend test tapes that enable you to test your urine and find out if it is in the desired range of acidity or not. This may not be necessary if the medicines you are taking act whether the urine is acid or alkaline.

Readers who want information on what to do about an expanding waistline can send 50 cents for The Health Letter number 3-7, Girth Control: Avoiding the Big Middle. Send your request with a long, stamped, self-addressed envelope to me in care of this newspaper, P. O. Box 1551, Radio City Stations, New York, NY 10019.

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Matching Outfits For Horse, Rider

HERMISTON, Ore. (AP)-If a padded bikini for a cow sounds like udder nonsense, consider matching clothes for horse and rider.

Both are productions from the workshop of seamstress Sherrie Goodnight, 36.

Mrs. Goodnight, whose normal work is making alterations at several apparel shops here, says she'll sew anything that interests her.

"I do a lot of things because I've never done them before," she said.

She designed and sewed a pantsuit for her Tennessee walker horse and another for herself and stitched together a bikini with matching hat for Holly, a Holstein cow.

Holly and the horse, Brandy, won first place for comic entries at the 1976 county fair parade.

There was a slight emergency, however.

"Holly dried up and we had to pad the bikini," said Mrs. Goodnight.

Other unusual clothes she has created include undershirts for skin divers, costumes for belly dancers and a waterproof, hooded coat with matching boots for a dog. The boots had non-skid soles to help the pet walk on ice, she said.

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CUSTOMER SERVICE—Ben Mosher, the shop foreman at the Phillips 66 Super Service Station on the East Highway, is shown washing the windshield of a customer's car. The East Highway Phillips 66 Station is open from 7 a.m. until 11 p.m., seven days a week.

Phillips 66 Super Station Offers Routine Car Servicing

Motorists in Snyder are lucky. They have the East Highway Phillips 66 Super Service Station.

The East Highway Phillips 66 is open 7 a.m. until 11 p.m., seven days a week. The station features eight gasoline pumps and two diesel pumps, thus ending the long lines found at some service stations.

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Included in the Phillips 66 motor oil line are Trop Artic, HDS, HD, and MM.

The station also has, Buchanan said, tires, batteries, antifreeze, and gasoline treatments to help stretch your car's mileage.

And, while you are waiting to have your car serviced, you can relax in the station's office at one of the soft drink or candy machines.

The East Highway Phillips 66 Super Service Station offers, as its name implies, super service.

Recreational and leisure type apparel are increasingly among the foremost wardrobe priorities, says Becky Culp, clothing specialist with the Texas Agricultural Extension Service, The Texas A&M University System.

A BETTER LOOK—T.E. Shelburne & Son, Inc., building contractors, recently affixed this metal awning to the shops at Highland Shopping Center in Snyder. T.E. Shelburne & Son is equipped to handle construction jobs or remodeling for you, too.

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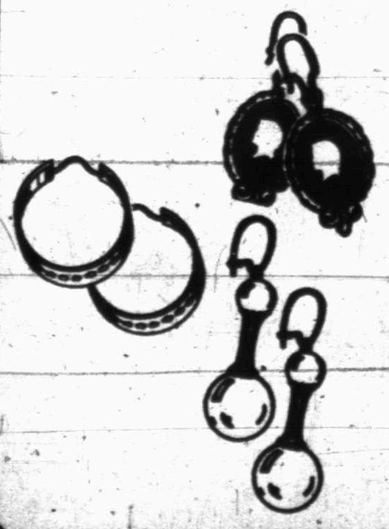

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