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Motive For Assassination Try Said Found But Not Revealed

WASHINGTON (AP) — Sen. Paul Laxalt, R-Nevada, said today that authorities have established a motive in the attempted assassination of President Reagan, but the senator refused to divulge the details.

Laxalt, a close friend of the president's, spoke to reporters outside the White House after he and other congressional leaders were briefed by Vice President George Bush and several Cabinet members, including Attorney General William French Smith.

"It does not appear to be part of a plot," said Senate Majority Leader Howard Baker, R-Tenn.

Baker and Laxalt both said Smith briefed the congressional delegation on the investigation into the shooting and the suspect, John Warnock Hinckley Jr., who has been charged in the attack.

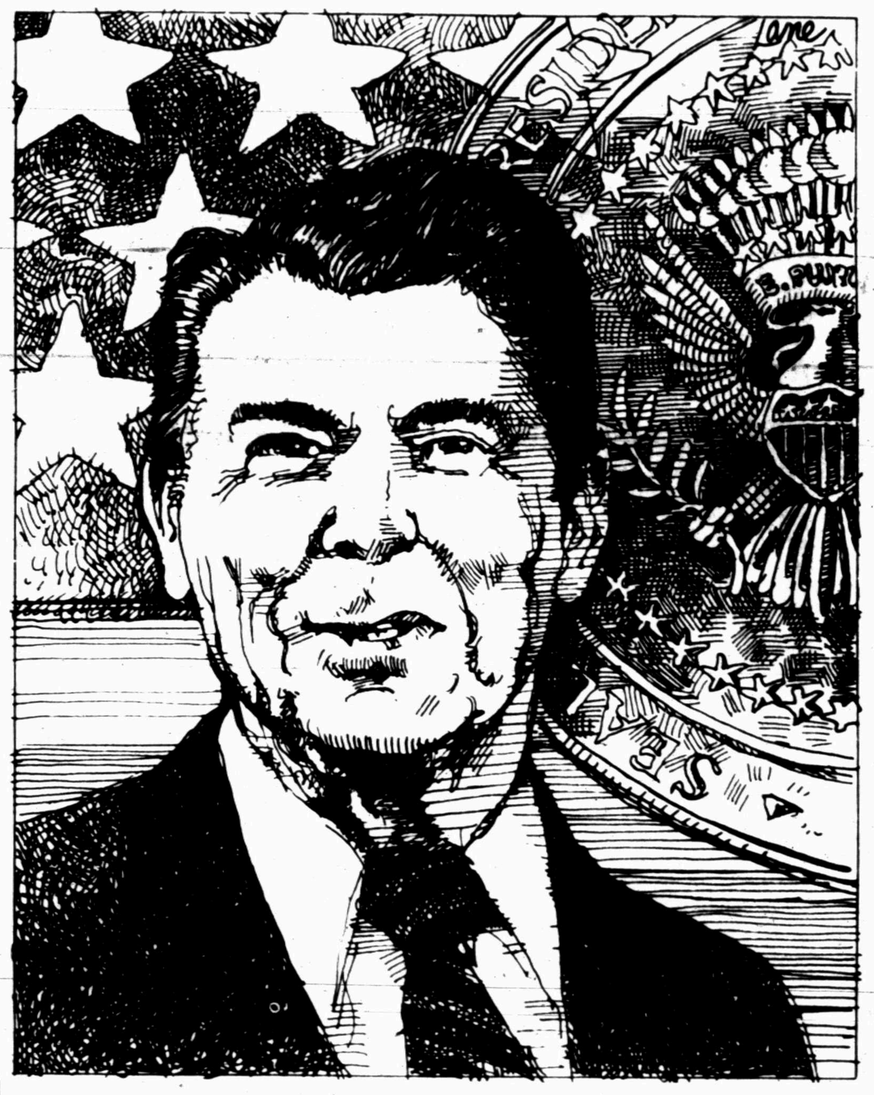
Baker agreed Reagan would not become a "prisoner in the White House" and said the chief executive was unlikely to change his style of frequent trips outside the White House to give speeches, attend parties and travel to his ranch and elsewhere.

"I bet that he won't change his method of operation," Baker said.

And Laxalt said that although he had not spoken to Reagan about the topic, he knows him well enough to be certain that Reagan would not become a White House recluse.

Laxalt, asked about the motive, said he was reluctant to divulge that information. But he added there was "no indication that there is anyone but the individual involved."

But the Nevada senator did say he believed Reagan should try to be more cautious in the future. As for presidential security, Laxalt said: "They are going to reevaluate and look at the whole situation."



Resumes Duties...

Reagan Recovering Exceptionally Well

WASHINGTON (AP) — President Reagan, in "exceptionally good condition" and "excellent spirits," resumed the duties of the presidency today from a hospital bed after an assailant's bullet was removed from his chest.

Less than 24 hours after he was shot outside a Washington hotel, Reagan, 70, was joking with nurses at George Washington University Hospital and impressing his doctors with his stamina.

At 7:15 a.m. EST top aides visited Reagan's room and found him sitting up in bed, brushing his teeth after breakfast. Deputy press secretary Larry Speakes said Reagan used his breakfast tray to sign a dairy price support bill the aides had given him.

"He could probably put in a full day today if he gets a nap this afternoon," said hospital spokesman Dr. Dennis O'Leary. "... I would not be surprised to see him up walking around in a couple of days."

O'Leary said Reagan "is doing extremely well," could be discharged from the hospital in a week or two, "then a couple of months until he's back riding horses."

He said press secretary James Brady, shot in the forehead in the assassination attempt, was "much improved" after extensive exploratory surgery to determine the extent of damage to his brain. Brady's progress, he said, "has been extraordinary."

The doctor reported "fairly extensive damage" to the right side of Brady's brain but minimal damage to the left, which controls all speech and mental processes.

"We believe he is going to live," O'Leary said of Brady, "but we have no idea where he is going to end up." If there is paralysis, he said, "it probably will affect the left side of his body."

Tuesday update

Oscars Reset For Tonight

HOLLYWOOD (AP) — "It was not an evening for celebration," said producer Norman Jewison, explaining why the Academy Awards were postponed for the third time in the awards' 53-year history.

The decision to delay the Oscar telecast 24 hours was made three hours after the attempted assassination of President Ronald Reagan on Monday and just 4½ hours before the star-studded event was to begin.

President Reagan, a onetime movie actor, had taped a brief introduction for the program 10 days ago.

The show was rescheduled to go on at the Los Angeles Music Center at 9 p.m. tonight.

The SDN Column

Somebody was asking what happened to the "Kermit Sinkhole," which made the front pages daily several months ago, and some of the folks down at city hall suggested that it would make an excellent landfill facility for getting rid of garbage.

And then Dale Hoyle suggested another factor that would help. They could dump their garbage and trash in the sinkhole and then let the sandstorms cover it, thereby eliminating the need for any earth-moving machinery and operators.

Those people out there may not realize what an asset mother nature has provided for them.

Most acts of nature offer opportunites, but sometimes it takes mankind a while to discover how to take advantage of them.

We are reminded of the bragging Texan who was escorted on a tour that included a look at an active volcano. The tour guide, who already had heard enough comparison with Texas, turned to the boastful one and said, "I'll bet you haven't got anything like this in Texas."

Caught off guard, the Texan was silent for a moment as he looked down on the hot flames and bubbling lava, but he recovered quickly.

"I don't reckon we have," he said. "But we've got a fire department in Houston that could put that thing out."

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The report that a gunman had fired at President Reagan stirred some unpleasant memories here at the SDN office.

Some of us recalled that black November day when a much better marksman created a tragedy that will always remain as one of this nation's worst.

Both incidents occurred near mid-day.

Just when we begin to think that people have learned a few things from history, something happens to jolt us back into the reality that our civilization really has not advanced much in some areas since the days of Lincoln and Garfield.

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If you are one of those with a "sweet tooth," perhaps this will be of interest. A survey conducted by two Michigan State University researchers and reported in the American Journal of Clinical Nutrition indicates that breakfast cereals, confections, dessert sauces, doughnuts and sweet rolls contribute the least amount of total sugar to children's diets. They kept records on 657 "randomly-selected" children and found that the children consumed an average of 134.3 grams of total sugar per day. The percentages of total daily sugar in the average child's diet were: Confections, 2.6; breakfast cereals, 3.3; dessert sauces, 2.5; doughnuts and sweet rolls, 1.6; milk, 20.4; sweetened drinks, 13.8; cakes, cookies and pies, 11.2; fruit, 11.5; jellies, syrup and table sugar, 9.8; fruit juices, 8.8; frozen desserts, 5.5; other foods, 4.9; bread and crackers, 4.1. So, what else is left?

This reminded us that we had heard that hot chocolate as well as coffee is loaded with caffeine. But we saw somebody's figures the other day that said coffee has 85 milligrams of caffeine per cup, but hot chocolate has only five milligrams per cup.

So, regardless of what your weakness may be, somebody, somewhere probably has some figures that will ease your conscience.

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The cactus patch philosopher says everybody needs a mate; you can't blame everything on the government. - WACO McNAIR

Brady Serious But Improving

WASHINGTON (AP) — White House press secretary James S. Brady, gravely wounded in an assassination attempt against President Reagan, is making "extraordinary progress" and probably will live despite extensive bullet damage to the right side of his brain, doctors said today.

Dr. Dennis O'Leary, chief of clinical affairs at George Washington University Hospital, told reporters Brady could move his limbs on the right side of the body — which is controlled by the left half of his brain — on command from his doctors.

But O'Leary ducked a question about possible paralysis of the left side of Brady's body, saying, "We are not able to assess that until we get a little further downstream."

Both Brady's pupils respond to light, which O'Leary said was encouraging.

The doctor was optimistic about Brady's eventual mental capacity because "all his mental processes are on the left side," which sustained little damage.

One half of the brain is dominant in almost everybody, controlling most mental processes. For Brady, O'Leary said, the left half dominates.

"We really don't know how he's going to end up," O'Leary said. "We believe he is going to live. We are cautiously optimistic."

The bullet entered Brady's head beside the left eye and came to rest in the right rear portion of the skull, from which it was removed intact, O'Leary said. He described tissue damage on the right side as "fairly extensive" but only "minimal" on the left side.

JAMES S. BRADY

The hospital listed Brady's condition officially as "serious but improving."

The 40-year-old Brady, the father of a 2-year-old son and a college-age daughter, was shot Monday afternoon as he walk-

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Ask Us

Q.—What is the name of the weeds with purple flowers that have just about taken over this part of the country this spring?

A.-County Agent Billy Roach says it is a plant in the geranium family (genus erodium Texannum), commonly called "Texas Filaree." It is considered an excellent browse forage for livestock, but has caused some problems this spring because it has been so lush on the ranges that some cattle have been lost due to bloating after eating it.

Conservationists Of 10 Units Here

Fifty-five conservationists representing 10 soil and water conservation districts attended a meeting of the West Texas Association of Soil and Water Conservation Districts here Monday.

The Upper Colorado Soil and Water Conservation District hosted the meeting, which was held in the Fine Arts Theatre at Western Texas College. Carl Williams, chairman of the host unit, was master of ceremonies.

The program featured a presentation on deer herd management by Tommy Hailey of Breckenridge, wildlife biologist with the Texas Parks and Wildlife Department.

He showed a dramatic slide show which emphasized the need for maintaining a good breeding herd of deer as well as good nutrition. He indicated that research by the Texas Parks and Wildlife Department on the Kerr Wildlife Management area showed that in some cases, deer lacking proper nutrition still had very good antler development if they came from good genetic stock.

Presentiing reports during the conference were Joe Antilley of Abilene, member of the State Soil and Water Conservation Board; Joe Montgomery of Abilene, vice president of the Association of Texas Soil and Water Conservation Districts; John Millican, assistant ex-executive director of the Texas Soil and Water Conservation Board; and Hermon Petty of Mineral Wells, president of the Texas Association of Soil and Water Conservation Districts.

In his report, Petty emphasized the need to continually inform the public on the importance of and the need for soil and water conservation to enable American farmers to continue to meet the increasing demand for food and fiber at an economical cost.

Following a luncheon at 1 p. m., the group toured the Diamond M and Scurry County Museums.

The summer session of the association will be hosted by the North Concho River Soil and Water Conservation District. It will be held June 29 at Sterling City.

ON CONSERVATION PROGRAM—Carl Williams, left, chairman of the host Upper Colorado Soil and Water Conservation District, greeted Hermon Petty of Mineral Wells, president of the Texas Association of S&WCD, at a meeting here Monday. Williams was master of ceremonies for the program attended by representatives of 10 district. (SDN Staff Photo)

Viewers Of Sky Object Are Sought

If you saw an unusually bright object in the sky over the Snyder area at about 10:21 p. m., Thursday, March 26, Oscar Monnig of Fort Worth would like to hear from you.

Monnig, a well-known amateur astronomer, says it is believed that a meteorite fell in this area, causing a flash of light that was observed many miles away.

It appeared to be considerably west of Fort Worth, and Monnig says it was witnessed by a professor at Hardin-Simmons University in Abilene, who reported that it was northwest of that city and possibly over Snyder.

If anyone saw the bright light, or if anyone happens to find any strange-looking rock that might be part of a meteorite, Monnig would like to be contacted. Mail may be addressed to him at 29 Chelsea Dr., Fort Worth 76134.

Violent Crime Up 13 Percent

WASHINGTON (AP) — Preliminary FBI figures show that violent crime soared by 13 percent during 1980, the biggest jump in a dozen years.

The overall crime index, combining violent crimes with the more-frequent property crimes, rose by 10 percent in 1980 compared with 1979, according to the preliminary 1980 FBI Uniform Crime Index released today.

"The reported increase underscores the need for intensified efforts at combating crime, especially violent crime which surged 13 percent last year," said Attorney General William French Smith.

"Not since 1975 has the crime index shown such a significant increase, a continuing cause for concern by law enforcement and the American people," said FBI Director William H. Webster.

In 1975, the overall index rose 9.8 percent. The 1980 increase is actually the largest overall rise since the 17.6 percent jump in 1974.

Among violent crimes, robbery was up 20 percent, forcible rape rose 9 percent, aggravated assault increased 8 percent and murder jumped 7 percent.

Violent crime has increased in 11 of the last 12 years, with the largest previous jump being the 19.1 percent recorded in 1968. Violent crime declined 4 percent in 1976.

Overall, property crime rose 9 percent during 1980, equaling the 1979 increase. Burglary was up 14 percent, larceny-theft increased 8 perent, and motor vehicle theft was up 2 percent.

Search For SHS Coach To Continue

Snyder School Trustees have scheduled another meeting for tonight to study applications for the position of head football coach.

The meeting, which will begin at 7:30 p. m. in the board room of the school administration building, will be an executive session. If any action is taken, the board will go into an open session.

This will be the second special meeting of the board in its search for a head football coach to fill the vacancy created by the resignation of Mike Jenkins. He resigned to become head coach at Richardson Pearce High School.

The board got its first look last week at some 26 applications for the job here.

SNYDER TEMPERATURES: High Monday, 81 degrees; low, 40 degrees; reading at 7 a. m. today, 49 degrees; precipitation, none; total precipitation for 1981 to date, 1.66.

West Texas — Fair through Wednesday. Windy north with some blowing dust South Plains today. Not so warm today, warmer Wednesday. Highs mid 60s north to lower 80s south. Lows lower 30s north to lower 40s south. Highs Wednesday mid 70s north to upper 80s southwest.

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peanuts 'n jellybeans

Already, President Reagan has done as much for the jellybean as Jimmy Carter did for the peanut.

And no sooner had Reagan moved into the Oval Office with his familiar bowl of jellybeans than the dentists and nutritionists were on his back.

Reagan, they warn, should be aware that jellybeans are bad for the teeth. He should be aware that they are only empty calories with no nutritional value.

Well, chances are he has known as much all along — and still likes to reach for a jellybean now and then. He has even urged his cabinet members to keep some around.

Reagan and his team are doing battle daily with a budget that won't balance, with a stubborn bureaucracy and a sensitive Congress. They must stay awake through tedious conferences and smile their way through stuffy receptions.

A jellybean promises a moment of sweet respite from the bitter necessities of power. Making decisions that will cost billions of dollars, or save billions, can fatigue. What better antidote than a bowl of jellybeans, where the only decision is whether to pick up a red one or a yellow one — or be daring and try the purple?

The nutritionists would like to see Reagan switch to raisins or grapes — to something that's good for you. They just don't understand jellybeans.

Good intentions notwithstanding, we'll listen to those doleful nutritionists who look as good as Reagan does at his age.

more intervention

The U.S. Internal Revenue Service is out to get folks who are willing to risk losing some of their money.

One would think that losing money is its own punishment, and that one ought to be able to spend his money as he wishes, anyway.

Not so, says the IRS.

Actually, this is not a case of the government trying to protect us from ourselves. It is another common phenomenon: the IRS is trying to squeeze a few more shekels out of the public.

Taxpayers may not deduct losses from business "activities not engaged in for profit." Which means if you support a small company because you think it is in the public interest to do so or because if is fun, you are penalized by losing any chance of getting a tax deduction for your investment.

The IRS is contending this rule covers investments in any businesses that are not profitable two out five years or are not run in a manner acceptable to theIRS.

Someone ought to tell the IRS to shove off. A lot of worthy and potential businesses may not turn over a dividend in the first five years. By discouraging investment in such companies, the IRS is performing the opposite of President Reagan's avowed intention to boost private enterprise.

Besides, it is not up to IRS to determine whether someone put money into a company for fun, nor is that relevant. There are probably very few competent mind readers in the tax service, so the IRS has no way of proving anyone's motives. Even if it could, why should one be punished for liking his work.

at wits end

by erma bombeck

From age 13 to 19, your teenagers will go through the seven stages of Career Searching. Why, do you ask, does he or she vacillate between one profession and another? Because it is the first time he has faced the realities of how to make a living.

Stage I (age 13) -- He has learned to sign his name and can sign it just as well as Bill Walton. Bill Walton gets a million dollars a year for signing his name. Besides, coach says if he keeps growing this summer he might "start" in the fall.

Stage II (age 14) -- Has not grown enough to dunk higher than Walton's knees. Decides sports is for jocks who don't want to grow up. Did an article for school paper and discovered Katharine Graham, publisher of the Washington Post, earned in excess of $375,000 in one year. Getting out the paper is all work after school, but it's worth it. Journalism gets in your blood.

Stage III (age 15) -- New girl with nice-smelling hair called Shelly wanted to be walked home every night after school. He let someone else get the stupid paper out. Besides, stupid faculty censored everything. Shelly thinks he should go into law like her father. Chief Justice Warren Burger makes $84,700 a year. Besides, all those years in law school would give them a chance to mature.

Stage IV (age 16) -- Shelly took shorter time to mature than he thought. He decided after she dumped him that girls are overrated. He said she'd be surprised when she hears he's going to become a priest. They don't make a lot of money, but you get a lot of people looking at you and saying, "Wonder why he never got married. He has such charisma and can reach people."

Stage V (age 17) -- Son decided he didn't need religious life when he discoverd the hours. He said if he wanted to work Sundays he'd be a realtor. With all the charisma people said he had, he figured he'd go into politics. After all, the mayor of New York City makes $80,000 a year.

Stage VI (age 18) -- Charisma bombed out at student council level. Is undecided about career, but seems to have narrowed it down to either game show contestant who won $132,000 by knowing Butterfly McQueen was the maid in "Gone with the Wind," or a plumber who took 27 pounds of his hair out of the hall drain and makes $53,000 a year.

Stage VII (age 19) -- Enrolled in liberal arts at local college. Works summers for minimum wage scale at firm selling roofing over the phone.

Is open for suggestions.

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my turn

by john dunnam

If there is a bigger mystery than why anyone would want the job of being president, it's why anyone would want to shoot a president.

The chances of escape are nil. Is the brief flash of glory worth it?

Then on the other hand, what are the chances this guy will ever go to a real prison? Instead, he will likely be hand cared for (at our expense) in a mental institute, a cosy place to "get his head together" and grant interviews at $500 a throw.

To beat the rap all he has to do is prove he is a certifiable nut; and he has already done that sufficiently.

And how sad it is for us that this particular nut has ties to Texas and as close to home as Lubbock, where he added to his gun collection and attended Texas Tech.

Monday's senseless shooting also gives the gun-control people more ammunition with which to shoot off their mouths. However, if you really think about it, it provides an even better argument for the other side.

What could be the motive for shooting a fellow American and one that millions of countrymen chose for the excruciating job of leading them? Some people must take headlines and opposition views too seriously. In their twisted little minds they believe knocking off the top guy will make them a hero in some circles.

Perhaps our social science teachers are not instilling deeply enough in the youth the concept of our two party political system: That at any given time about half the people are going to be dissatified and trying to oust the chief executive. The beauty of democracy is that people can change the world with words instead of bullets. It's paradoxical that what makes our government work is our power to overthrow it every four years.

But probably all an assassin seeks is a footnote in history.

All things considered, it's amazing anybody would aspire to be president of the United States. The job ages the hardiest of its possessors mercilessly with its ruthless demands, and being killed while holding or applying for the job is almost considered death by natural cause.

Yet, there is never a lack of candidates for the office. Is it the power, the pomp and ceremony, or is a man just struck with the responsibilty to lead his countrymen in the direction he believes is best?

Dennis the Menace summed it up best in his explanation to his little pal Joey.

"I don't want to grow up and be president either Joey, but that is a chance we all gotta take."

Berry's World

voodoo doesn't frighten judge

BIG SPRING, Texas (AP) — In the course of performing his duties in this West Texas town, Peace Justice Lewis Heflin says criminals often threatened him — but this is the first time he's had a hex put on him.

"I've been getting a call from this woman who says someone in town is trying to put a voodoo hex on me," Heflin says.

"She told me Wednesday that the voodoo priestess, or whatever, had sacrificed a chicken to make the hex work."

Heflin's encounter with the occult began after he set bonds of $100,000 and $75,000 last Tuesday for Eduardo Maidique, a Cuban national who came the the United States last spring and has been charged with murder and attempted murder.

Authorities say Maidique is responsible for the death of Linda Garcia, 26, and severely beat her sister, 19-year-old Martha Esquibel.

BARBS

Phil Pastoret

A motorcyle club is what he'd like to take to the bike nut that roars past every night about midnight, says our harried neighbor.

How come wealthy types are never fat? They're usually referred to as "well-nourished."

They can tell us all about the storms on Saturn, but why aren't they able to determine whether it will rain here in town tomorrow?

thoughts

Stage fright sometimes causes the amateur's knees to knock together. The first recorded case of nervous knee was the result of unexpected handwriting.

"Then the king's countenance was changed, and his thought troubled him, so that the joints of his loins were loosed, and his knees smote one against another." — Dan. 5:6

the wagman file

by robert j. wagman

WASHINGTON (NEA)—Tax-revolt fever swept the nation several years ago as voters in state after state lobbied for tax and spending cuts in the wake of California's Proposition 13.

But voters in Hawaii are having second thoughts about the tax-revolt amendment that they readily added to their state's constitution two years ago. They are learning that good ideas locked into law as constitutional amendments can have some unexpected results and that what is easily done is not always so easily undone.

The Hawaiian problem is in many respects unique. It is not the usual lack of funds. Quite the contrary. The state has surplus money that must be returned to a public that is not all that eager to receive it.

The amendment imposed a ceiling on state spending and required that surplus funds be returned to the taxpayers every two years. The current problem results from the fact that Hawaii is one of the few governmental bodies operating at a surplus — at least for now.

The state's $179 million surplus is the product of a combination of factors, among them the spending ceiling, the higher tax revenues that have resulted from inflation and an increase in federal money for the state.

The Hawaiian economy is reasonably healthy, but storm clouds are looming on the horizon. Tourism, the state's No. 1 industry, is depressed and will most likely remain so until the mainland economy improves significantly. In several recent surveys, large numbers of voters said that the state would be prudent to invest its excess funds in anticipation of harder times ahead.

In addition, the spending ceiling has presented state officials from making needed capital improvements in the state's schools, roads and bridges. Another large percentage of voters finds it counterproductive to give back money that nobody really misses and then to ask voters to approve bond issues for what most agree are vital expenditures.

Although the polls show that few taxpayers want the money back — that they would prefer that it be saved for a rainy day or spent on capital improvements — the state's legislators are trying to come up with some equitable way to distribute the surplus. They are finding that it is more difficult to refund taxes than to collect them.

The refund plans being considered range from tax credits to a one-time cut in state income-tax rates, from cash refunds to a moratorium on the collection of certain taxes until the surplus is eliminated. All of these proposals seem to be drawing a uniform lack of enthusiasm.

If the refund requirement were merely a statute, the legislature could pass a new statute to resolve the problem. Because the requirement is locked into the state's constitution, however, a constitutional amendment is required to change it. Enacting such an amendment would take several years of effort.

Meanwhile, leaders of the Hawaiian tax revolt are pleased. They say that the existence of the surplus proves that they were right. They are delighted that spending has been cut and that taxpayers may be getting something back.

But polls show that a significant majority of taxpayers are no longer sure that the amendment is in their long-term good. This is an interesting development in the continuing battle over taxes.

looking back

from the sdn files

5 YEARS AGO

The Snyder High School Student Council welcomed a delegation from Brownfield High School here on a goodwill visit.

Four persons were injured in a fire at the Texaco Fuller Gasoline Plant 20 miles north of Snyder.

Long lines formed at the tax office in the courthouse as the deadline for registering vehicles arrived.

10 YEARS AGO

The Ira High School one-act play, "The Old Lady Shows Her Medals," took top honors in District 6B UIL competition. Donald Sellars of Ira was named best actor, while Reggie Baker of Fluvanna, John Hughes of Hobbs and Janie Roddie of Ira were named to the all-star cast.

The Ranch Headquarters Association was host to visitors viewing an art exhibit from the Cowboy Hall of Fame Museum, which was brought here by the Diamond M Foundation.

15 YEARS AGO

Officials of the Colorado River Municipal Water District announced that 3,130 acres of land already had been purchased at the site of a lake planned on the Colorado River at Robert Lee. The entire project covered approximately 16,000 acres.

Snyder High School Student Council representatives attending the annual conference of the Texas Association of Student Councils included Murry Bowden, president; Billy Wilson, vice president; Emily Kincaid, secretary; Cheryl Stevenson; Martine Strubbe, foreign exchange student, and Virginia Grove, sponsor.

Mrs. Glenn Barron resigned as secretary in the chamber of commerce office, a post she had held for seven years, to devote more time to her family.

20 YEARS AGO

Woody Forrester, chamber of commerce manager, and Herbert Feather, chairman of the chamber's new industries committee, made a trip to visit industrial prospects in Arkansas and Oklahoma.

A brass ensemble of the Snyder High School Band presented "A Salute to Easter Morning" to open Easter sunrise services sponsored by the Scurry County Ministerial Alliance. Members of the ensemble were Jean Young, Kay Powell, David Wiman, Bill Patterson, John Curry, Paul McBeth, Rozanne McCloskey and Sam McPherson.

A heavy snowfall blanketed areas of the Texas Panhandle.

25 YEARS AGO

Ed Free was named commissioner of the Snyder Little League organization, succeeding Speedy Moffett.

Three suspects in an Abilene burglary were nabbed by city police after M. H. Roe, owner of Roe's Home and Auto Supply, and one of his employees, Mrs. Phillip Brown, got the license number of a car after one of the trio tried to cash one of the checks taken in the burglary.

Naval Aviation Cadet Cecil R. Agee of Snyder completed his first solo flight at Whiting Field, Fla.

30 YEARS AGO

Noting that the Snyder School System now had two new elementary buildings, Supt. M. E. Stanfield announced that work would proceed on improvements to the curriculum, with the addition of some specialized personnel planned.

The State Highway Department notified county commissioners that the state would assume maintenance responsbility for 80.2 miles of Farm-To-Market roads to be built in the county.

Mrs. D. M. Cogdell was re-elected teacher and Mrs. N. R. Clements was named president of the Nancy Caton Sunday School Class at First Methodist Church.

The U.S. oil industry began in 1859 when oil was struck at Titusville, Pa., but petroleum did not become the primary U.S. energy source for nearly a century.

ASTRO·GRAPH

Bernice Bede Osol

Your Birthday

April 1, 1981

Your material prospects for the coming year look encouraging, provided you don't go off on tangents. Don't involve yourself in enterprises whose future is uncertain.

ARIES (March 21-April 19) Take nothing for granted in financial matters today, especially if friends are involved. Situations which are running smoothly could take unexpected turns. Romance, travel, luck, resources, possible pitfalls and career for the coming months are all discussed in your Astro-Graph which begins with your birthday. Mail $1 for each to Astro-Graph, Box 489, Radio City Station, N.Y. 10019. Be sure to specify birth date.

TAURUS (April 20-May 20) Your judgment in career matters today may not be up to par, so be wary about making impulsive decisions. They could prove to be counterproductive.

GEMINI (May 21-June 20) This is not a good day to experiment with new methods or shortcuts where critical tasks are concerned. Your ideas may be bummers.

CANCER (June 21-July 22) Don't give up something good going for you if you suddenly meet someone you find very attractive. His or her razzle-dazzle may quickly fade.

LEO (July 23-Aug. 22) Even though you may realize you've made a poor bargain or agreement it's best you live up to its terms and conditions. Reneging could hurt your image.

VIRGO (Aug. 23-Sept. 22) Usually you are very adept at detail work, but today your concentration could drift a bit. Unless you are careful you might make mistakes.

LIBRA (Sept. 23-Oct. 23) Don't take chances today on things which could affect your finances or security. They may look like they're worth a gamble, but further study is necessary.

SCORPIO (Oct. 24-Nov. 22) There is a possibility that you may have to contend with domestic frustrations today. Unfortunately, you may be the catalyst to get the pot boiling.

SAGITTARIUS (Nov. 23-Dec. 21) Most of the time you're very good at sizing up situations quickly, but this may not be one of those days. Don't jump to conclusions.

CAPRICORN (Dec. 22-Jan. 19) Exercise strict discipline in handling your purse strings today, or you may do a real number on your budget. Spend only for necessities.

AQUARIUS (Jan. 20-Feb. 19) Your chances for achieving will be greatly lessened today if you fail to believe in your abilities to do so. Don't misuse your imagination.

PISCES (Feb. 20-March 20) Important evaluations today should not be predicated upon your emotions and feelings. A failure to be logical could cause unnecessary problems.

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Dear Abby

Options Available for Mastectomy Patients

By Abigail Van Buren

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DEAR ABBY: I have a message for MISSING SOMETHING who said she felt like "half a woman" because she lost both breasts following a bout with cancer:

I went through exactly the same thing, and I can honestly say that I still feel very much like a woman even though I no longer have breasts. (I no longer have cancer either, which is much more important!)

It sounds as though your attitude toward meaningful relationships is based entirely on your "boobs." If so, you need a complete reassessment of values. If you are so shallow as to feel that your desirability and worth as a woman flew out of the operating-room window, then the malignancy in your head is far more devastating!

BOOBLESS AND ALL WOMAN

DEAR ABBY: May I say something to MISSING SOMETHING? It may comfort her. I just lost a wonderful wife to whom I was married for 3½ years. It was a second marriage for both of us.

When I started dating this lady, she told me that she had had a double mastectomy 24 years before. She wasn't sure how this would affect our relationship, but she felt it best that I knew.

I assure you, I loved her and accepted her as she was, and we had a beautiful and fulfilling relationship. Never did I allow her to feel like "half a woman." I miss her terribly. She died at 72. I just turned 69.

NOTHING WAS MISSING

DEAR ABBY: Four years ago I, too, had a double mastectomy and, like MISSING SOMETHING, I also felt like half a woman. I was only 28 and thought my life was over. Thank God, three months after my surgery my wonderful physician referred me to a fine reconstructive plastic surgeon. Abby, that plastic surgeon performed a miracle! I now have a beautiful figure — much more beautiful than before.

I met a woman in the hospital who had had a double mastectomy 20 years before, and she only recently knew that this type of operation was available. Please let your readers know about it, Abby. Some physicians don't even mention it.

BORN AGAIN IN MONTANA

DEAR ABBY: Six weeks ago I had a left mastectomy. Thank God that the cancer did not spread. I was barely out of recovery when my doctor started urging me to seek reconstructive surgery. (He doesn't do it, but referred me to a surgeon who does.)

The 12-inch scar is not a very pretty sight! My kind and loving husband of 28 years is not repulsed by it, but I would not want to expose a "new man" in my life to the trauma.

Abby, please do your readers a favor and make them aware of the modern miracle of reconstructive surgery. I suppose we "survivors" should be grateful we're alive, but we shouldn't be made to feel that all we're entitled to is survival.

BEEN THERE

DEAR READERS: If you are interested in this type of surgery, contact the American Society of Plastic and Reconstructive Surgeons, or the American Medical Association, in order to obtain the names of board-certified surgeons. I should add that this type of surgery is not for every woman, but it has done wonders for many.

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Getting married? Whether you want a formal church wedding or a simple, "do-your-own-thing" ceremony, get Abby's new booklet. Send $1 plus a long, self-addressed, stamped (28 cents) envelope to: Abby's Wedding Booklet, 132 Lasky Drive, Beverly Hills, Calif. 90212.

Solar Energy Can Be Either Passive Or Active

By ANDY LANG
AP Newsfeatures

What distinguishes a passive solar energy house from an active solar energy house or any other dwelling referred to in solar energy terms?

The passive solar house utilizes solar energy naturally, with little or no mechanical equipment, thus requiring no energy itself. In some cases, it may not be as effective as an active solar energy house, but neither is it as expensive if included in the original building design.

We get a better picture of the difference between the active and passive solar systems if we think of it this way: In the active system, the reliance is on technology that is somewhat independent of the building and can be added on if it isn't there in the first place. In the passive method, the building itself becomes the system, which meansthat if the ingredients aren't there at the start, it is difficult to add them later on.

Such things as insulation, double glazing and weatherstripping are all part of conventional energy conservation, but a truly passive solar energy house incorporates passive design ideas in its planning, construction and use.

There is no employment of solar collectors in the ordinary sense or of fans, pumps, heatexchange units, controls and sophisticated equipment.

Instead, the business of collecting and storing the heat from the sun's rays is left to parts of the building itself, including such things as windows, thermal storage walls and site orientation.

Site orientation simply means the placement of the structure to get the best results from what you are trying to achieve. In the case of solar energy, the general objective is to face the main living areas to the south while, at the same time, providing sufficient glass areas to allow the solar radiation a place to enter.

You cannot store heat if you do not first capture it. Site orientation can be tricky at times and should not be left to someone who hasn't had professional training in its mysteries, since the location of the house must be a compromise between the south-facing windows for heating in cold weather and capturing breezes for cooling in hot weather. To protect facades from cold winds, evergreens, fences and earth berms should be located on the north and west sides of the house.

While the expert at site orientation knows all the general rules for making appropriate decisions, he must know when to make exceptions. He must know, for instance, that near a body of water, breezes move from the water to the land during the day, but flow in reverse at night. And that, on a southfacing hill, breezes tend to move up the hill during the day, down the hill at night.

All the discussions about solar energy housing in recent years have included the matter of the placement and sizes of windows. Where they are in relation to the sun at different times of the day and how large or small they are can greatly affect the inside temperature of a house. Yet millions of houses have been built without the slightest consideration to this matter, an indication, perhaps, of the general lack of knowledge about windows and energy. Or, again perhaps, of the indifference, until recently, to the subject of wasted energy.

If you are in the fortunate position of being able to build a house with passive or active solar energy features, consult architects and builders on the many types of such designs available. You may have heard of some solar energy ideas that do not apply to your situation. Some make more sense in certain climates, some can be incorporated into existing homes, some are applicable only in new construction, and some may appeal to you more than others.

BRIDAL SHOWER—Terri Dennis, bride-elect of Larry Price, was honored with a shower at the First Baptist Church Saturday. Pictured from left are Mary Yarbrough, grandmother of the bride-elect; Mrs. Jerry Dennis, mother of the bride to be; the honoree; Mrs. Joe Price, mother of the prospective groom; and Sandra Guynes, his sister. (SDN Staff Photo)

Cancer Society Announces Several Services Available

The American Cancer Society in Scurry County has announced that they have a variety of services available to cancer patients without charge.

"Many people are unaware of all the services we can provide here," said Billiesue Stuard, service and rehabilitation chairman. "And all that is required in most cases is written permission from the patient's physician."

Loan equipment such as hospital beds, wheel chairs, commode chairs and walkers are available as well as expendable items including dressings, hospital gowns, bed pads, pillows and other items.

"These are all in addition to our basic information and referral services," said Ms. Stuard.

She stated that when most people think of the American Cancer Society, they relate the name to cancer research. "While it is true the ACS funds millions of dollars for cancer research, we are also a community-based organization providing many local services. These patient services as well as educational materials of all types are just a few of the ways we can help."

Between Sept. 1 and Nov. 30, a value of $903 in services were expended in Scurry County to serve the needs of three patients. "But more could be done if more patients were referred to us," said Ms. Stuard.

Anyone needing more information on these services may call Ms. Stuard at 573-4880.

COMMUNITY CALENDAR

TUESDAY

If you are interested in losing weight, meet with TOPS 56, Snyder, at the National Guard Armory, 6:30 p.m.

WEDNESDAY

Hermleigh Extension Homemakers, community center, 2 p.m.

Sparkle City Squares, National Guard Armory, workshop at 8 p.m., square dance lessons at 8:30 p.m.

THURSDAY

Women's Tennis Association, Snyder Country Club, 9:30 a.m.

Snyder Garden Club, Martha Ann Woman's Club, members bring arrangements using cut flowers, 9:30 a.m.

Honey Do's Extension Club, workshop, Coliseum annex, 9:30 a.m.

Knapp Extension Homemakers, 9:30 a.m.

Hope For Tomorrow Weight Control class, community room of Snyder National Bank, 6:30 p.m., enrollment at 6 p.m.

Weight Watchers of West Texas, basement of First Presbyterian Church, 6:30 p.m. New members welcome and should register at 6 p.m.

Newcomers country-western dance lessons, National Guard Armory, 7:30 p.m.

FRIDAY

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

SATURDAY

Election Day for city and school offices.

People Without Partners, 42 at Inadale Community Center, 6:30 p.m.

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COSMETOLOGY GRADS—The most recent graduates of the cosmetology program at Western Texas College are pictured above with their instructor. Seated are Sherie Smith, Judy Border, the instructor, and Dale Neves. Standing are Malinda Smith, Emma Ramirez and Mary Beth Hicks.

Cosmetology Students Graduated

Six students have completed their studies in the Western Texas College cosmetology department and will be taking state examinations for licenses soon.

Two of the graduates, Emma Ramirez and Mary Hicks, both of Snyder, will be employed at the Snootie Fox. Sherie Smith of Snyder will be working at Art Style Beauty Salon, while Dale Neves of Snyder will be associated with The Cuttery.

Cosmetology students at WTC attend classes for 12 months to complete the required 1,500 hours of training. Persons interested in enrolling are invited to contact the instructor, Judy Border, at the cosmetology lab, 573-8511, extension 267.

Appointments for hair styling, cutting, permanenting and manicures may also be made by calling the lab.

BRIDGE

Squeeze play secures slam

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♦10 9 6
♣2

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♣9 5 3

EAST
♠6 3
♥8 6 2
♦K Q 7 5 4 2
♣8 7

SOUTH
♠A J
♥K J 7
♦J
♣A K Q J 10 6 4

Vulnerable: North-South
Dealer: South

West	North	East	South
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Pass	1♠	Pass	3♣
Pass	3♥	Pass	4 NT
Pass	5♦	Dbl.	6♣
Pass	Pass	Pass	

Opening lead: ♦A

By Oswald Jacoby and Alan Sontag

South studied the dummy carefully and remarked, "I sure overbid, but the contract should make. I have lots of ways to play it and will really be embarrassed if I go down."

West's ace of diamonds held the first trick. He continued to his partner's king. South ruffed and promptly led four rounds of trumps to discard two hearts and a spade from dummy. Then South led the ace of spades, continued with a spade to dummy's king and ruffed a spade.

Everyone was down to four cards at this point. South held his three hearts and the last trump. North held one spade, one diamond and ace-nine of hearts. West held the top spade and Q 10 5 of hearts. East held the top diamond and three useless hearts.

South led his last trump and West had to chuck a heart to retain the good spade. The last spade in dummy had done its work. South threw it away. Now East was forced to let one of its hearts go. They weren't any good anyway. A double squeeze had been made.

South didn't care who had the queen of hearts. He knew it was doubleton and sure to drop to make all three of South's hearts good.

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Duplicate Bridge Results

The Snyder Duplicate Bridge Club met Friday and played six tables of Howell movement with Mrs. A.L. Bethel directing. Prentis Bass and Ann Davis took first place honors.

Colleen Palmer and John Gibson placed second, Mrs. Roger Mize and Mrs. Ross Carroll were third, Mrs. Douglas Hill and Verdi Kimbro were fourth and Mrs. Wayne Williams and Mrs. Charles Snyder were fifth.

The club played their championship game Sunday and played five tables of Howell movement with Mrs. Bill Zimmerman directing. Mrs. L.B. Thompson and Mrs. Zimmerman won first place.

Mrs. Roger Mize and Mrs. Billy Null placed second. There was a tie for third between Ms. Davis and Polly Ballard, and Mrs. Hill and Merle Newton.

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X-Ray Costs
Hospital's Charge
Radiologist's Fee

The radiologist is a private physician specializing in the use of x-rays and radioactive substances used in medial diagnosis and therapy. Your physician requested the services of the radiologist in interpreting the results of your recent examination in the X-ray Department.

With some examinations, the radiologist was personally involved in the examination. If you had only films made, your personal contact may have been solely with the technologist. Once the films were made and checked, they were presented to the radiologist for his interpretation, as well as his written and oral consultation with your physician.

The hospital bill will include a charge for x-ray to cover the use of its equipment, the films, supplies, and technical personnel. The bill from the radiologist is for his professional consultative services.

Cy Miller
Hospital Administrator

Anil Goswami
Radiologist

THE BORN LOSER

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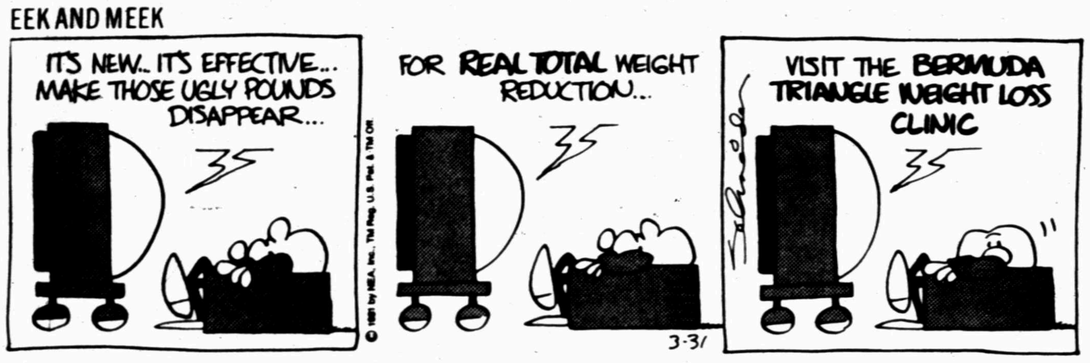

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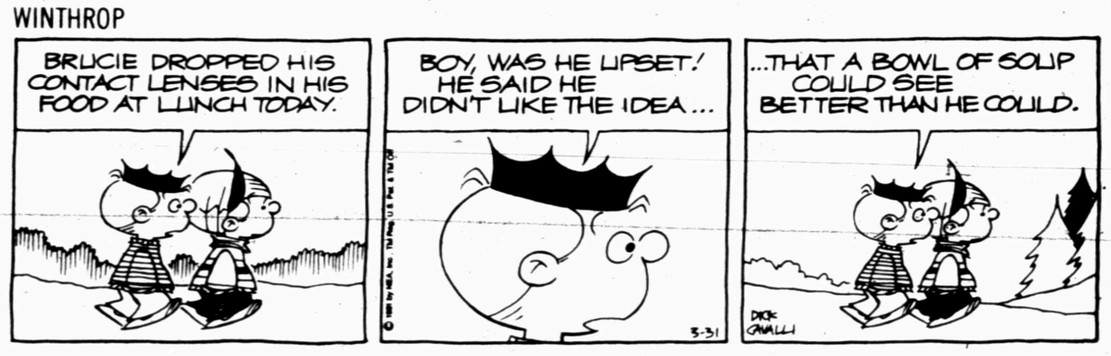

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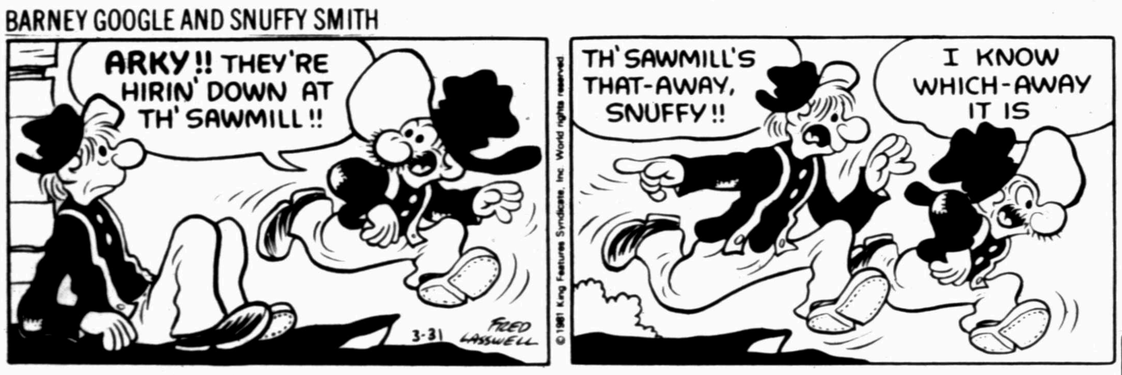

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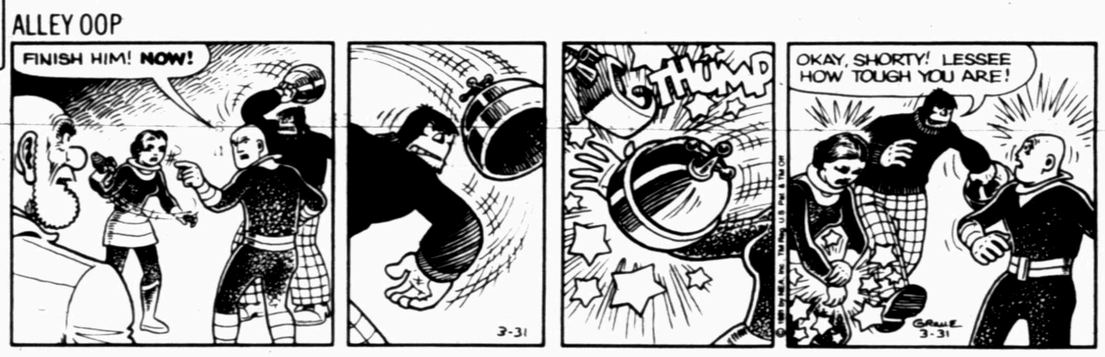

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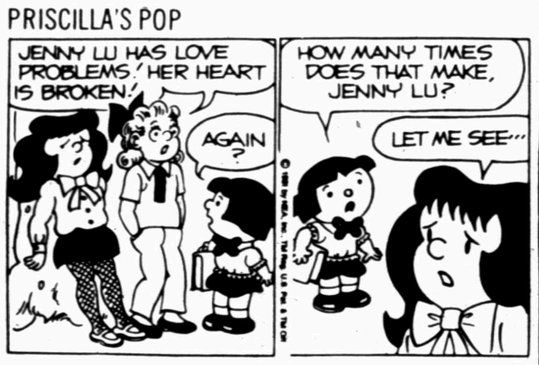

DENNIS THE MENACE

"THE GOOD SMELL IS CAT FOOD...THE OTHER IS WHAT WE'RE HAVIN'."

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16 Ancient
17 Story fabricator
18 Baggier
20 Actress Davis
21 Hoosier state (abbr.)
22 Vase
23 Whirl
26 Former (2 wds.)
30 Same (prefix)
31 Surrounds
33 Plaything
34 Poetic contraction
35 Science-fiction creature
36 Snarling dog
37 Resembling bone
39 You (archaic)
40 Navy ship prefix (abbr.)
41 Buddhism type
43 Singes
46 Abed
50 Coupe, for one
51 Delicate plant
52 Turkey gobbler
53 Spill over
54 Carry on the back
55 Environment agency (abbr.)
56 Glacial ridge
57 River in Hades
58 Gents

DOWN

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2 Impression
3 Twinge
4 Two (poetic)
5 Prodded
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7 Stop
8 Natural ability
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10 Minute insect
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19 Farm implement
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22 Unfasten
23 President of Yugoslavia
24 Information bureau (abbr.)
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26 Balls
27 Annoying feeling
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29 Journey
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Answer to Previous Puzzle

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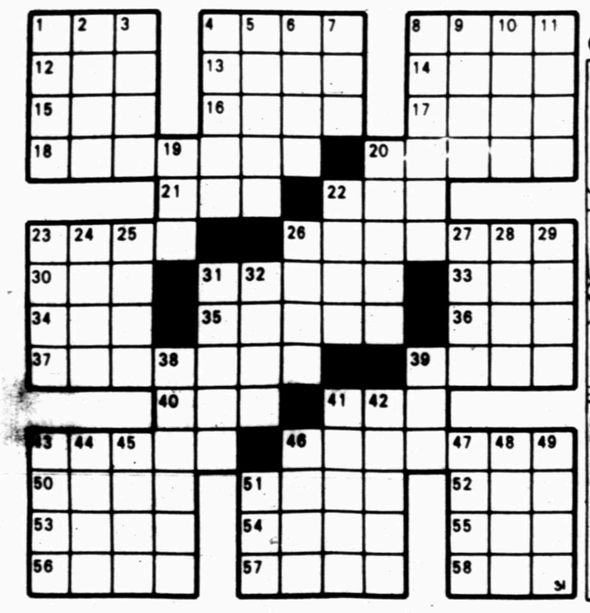

OUR BOARDING HOUSE with Major Hoople

Shock Reaches Around World

By TIMOTHY HARPER
Associated Press Writer

Hollywood postponed its biggest party, churches stayed open late for the stricken faithful and world and national leaders decried American violence after the shooting of President Reagan.

The American and New York stock exchanges suspended trading. The National Collegiate Athletic Association championship basketball game in Philadelphia was delayed for a moment of silent prayer.

In Los Angeles, the Academy of Motion Picture Arts and Sciences postponed from Monday night to tonight its annual gala awards ceremony, which was to open with a taped tribute to the film industry from Reagan, the former actor.

Across the nation, hushed "Oscar" parties stayed sober as movie fans instead watched television replays of the attack and updated medical bulletins from Washington.

"With our prayers for those who have been wounded must go our resolution to rid our society of violence and to commit ourselves to do everything that we possibly can to eliminate hatred and the causes which contribute to hatred in our society," said Sen. Edward Kennedy, D-Mass.

Kennedy, whose brothers John and Robert were assassinated in the 1960s, was provided Secret Service protection in the wake of the attack which wounded Reagan, presidential press secretary James Brady, a Washington policeman and a Secret Service officer.

"Violence and hatred are alien to everything that this country is about," Kennedy said. "They do not bring about a change in policy. They deny what is best in our nation."

Three former presidents took the news with sadness. In Tokyo, former President Gerald Ford, who escaped two assassination attempts, said, "This incident is very disturbing, but I don't believe it reflects the attitudes or actions of Americans as a whole, I don't want to condemn the entire population."

Richard Nixon, in New York, had "been in touch with Washington," and he and his wife, Pat, were "praying that we'll all be able to live in a saner world," said Tricia Nixon Cox, the Nixons' daughter.

And former President Jimmy Carter said he and his wife, Rosalynn, "join the entire nation in prayer for the wellbeing of those wounded and for their families."

Former Alabama Gov. George Wallace, crippled for life in a 1972 assassination attempt, said he was "thankful" that Reagan's life had been spared.

Vice President George Bush said he was heartened by doctors' reports that Reagan would recover and added, "I can reassure this nation and a watching world that the American government is functioning fully and effectively."

Messages for Reagan were pouring into Washington from the watching world.

Shock, prayers and wishes for a speedy recovery were offered by British Prime Minister Margaret Thatcher, Japanese Prime Minister Zenko Suzuki, Chinese Premier Zhao Ziyang, Canadian Prime Minister Pierre Elliott Trudeau, United Nations Secretary-General Kurt Waldheim and Israeli Premier Menachem Begin.

French President Valery Giscard d'Estaing sent a telegram expressing "my very warmest and friendliest wishes for your complete recovery and the pursuit of your activity in the leadership of the United States."

In Lima, Peru President Fernando Belaunde Terry said it was "dignified" that Reagan walked into the hospital under his own power.

The Soviet new agency Tass' only initial word was a flat two-paragraph statement reporting the shooting without comment.

In Washington, senators huddled into their cloakroom, emerging only to make statements: Daniel Moynihan of New York on the need for stricter gun control, Larry Pressler of South Dakota on the need to limit a president's public movements.

Sen. John Stennis, D-Miss., wounded in a 1973 shooting outside his Washington home, said he was "shocked and saddened."

John Connally, the former Texas governor wounded when John F. Kennedy was killed in Dallas in 1963, said he was "terribly upset, grieved and then outraged."

Evangelist Billy Graham said, "We have lost sight of what is right and wrong, and we have come to value life cheaply."

Big Collection Of Xylophones

BALTIMORE (AP) — A 73-year-old Baltimorean has been collecting marimba and xylophone memorabilia since 1924. His collection, believed to be the largest and most complete in the world, is housed at Towson State University.

HONOREES—Dr. Mary Hood, left, and Neva Reaves display medals they were presented as they were inducted into the Phi Theta Kappa Hall of Honor. Dr. Hood has been faculty sponsor for the WTC chapter for eight years and is an honorary PTK member. Miss Reaves, current president, is a sophomore at WTC.

PTK Honors Two In WTC Chapter

Dr. Mary Hood and Neva Reaves from Western Texas College were inducted onto the Phi Theta Kappa Hall of Honor during the fraternity's national convention held over the weekend in Houston.

Dr. Hood, co-sponsor of Psi Zeta Chapter at WTC, received one of the 10 sponsors' awards presented annually. Miss Reaves, president of Psi Zeta Chapter, was honored as an outstanding PTK member.

The Psi Zeta Chapter now has three representatives in the Hall of Honor. Sonny Lee was the first chapter member to be honored when he received an alumnus award.

Hall of Honor awards are presented to a designated number of PTK members, sponsors and alumni members who have exhibited the highest degree of excellence in their service to the fraternity.

Others from WTC attending the convention were Dr. Duane Hood, chapter co-sponsor, Carrie Taylor, historian, Anne Beuerlein, secretary, Pam Holland of Earth, Tammy O'Day, Susan Sullivan, Doni Douglas, Danny Leonahrd of Brownwood and Jimm Boyd of Mineral Wells.

Convention programs focused on the PTK theme for 1981, "Man in Crisis: A Quest for Values." Bert Lance, budget director and personal advisor for President Jimmy Carter, delivered the keynote address. Other speakers included Caleb Pirtle and Dr. Roger Blackwell. Pirtle, Distinguished Alumnus of PTK for 1974, was formerly travel editor for Southern Living magazine and is now a free lance writer. Blackwell is professor of marketing at Ohio State University.

Convention guests included Rudy Gatlin, who, along with his brothers, make up the Larry Gatlin and Gatlin Brothers group. Rudy was a PTK member at Odessa Collge and came to WTC to install the Psi Zeta Chapter in February of 1972.

Phi Theta Kappa, the only nationally recognized honor fraternity for junior college students, was founded in 1918. It received official recognition from the American Association of Junior Colleges in 1929. To be eligible for membership, the student must be a full-time student (carrying at least 12 hours) and must have a cumulative grade point average of 3.2 or above.

Mesquites May Be Energy Source

KINGSVILLE, Texas (AP) — Mesquite trees — those thorny, hardy plants that cover most of the open range in South Texas — might become a source of cheap energy instead of being considered a ranchers' nuisance, predicts a research scientist.

"I feel that mesquite can be produced 20 to 30 percent cheaper than alternative fuel sources, such as oil, coal and natural gas, with a projected harvest cost of $23 per dry ton," said Peter Felker of the Cesar Kleberg Wildlife Research Institute at Texas A&I University.

Felker began researching mesquite three years ago at the University of California at Riverside.

Mesquite, often disdainfully referred to as "brush," grows so abundantly on the South Texas range that some ranch hands spend as much time trying to get rid of it as they do handling cattle.

The plant's woody mass can be burned for electricity or home heating fuel, Felker said. It also can be put through a gasification processs to produce materials used in chemical plants.

Mesquite bean pods could be converted into alcohol or used as a supplemental livestock feed, he added.

"Pods range from 17 percent protein and 21 percent sugar to varieties of 10 percent protein and 44 percent sugar on dry weight loss," he explained. "The selection that is 44 percent sugar is easily fermentable to alcohol with the resulting residue sold as dry distillers grain."

Felker plans to plant 25 acres of mesquite trees, using 13 varieties.

Some mesquite species grow up to 12 feet a year and supply their own nitrogen, making fertilization unnecessary. The plants tolerate high soil salinity better than sorghum and other plants mentioned as possible biomass energy sources.

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Hinckley's Conduct Surprises Friends

By JOE STROOP
Associated Press Writer

John Warnock Hinckley Jr. was a loner, a troubled young man and a college dropout who failed to leave a lasting impression on the people he encountered.

That obscurity was shattered Monday by the fusillade that wounded the president of the United States and left three others bleeding on a Washington street.

Classmates, neighbors and acquaintances of the former Texan said they found it hard to believe the man they saw wrestled to the ground by U.S. Secret Service agents on television news broadcasts was Hinckley.

But the 25-year-old loner with a history of psychiatric problems and trouble with guns was charged late Monday with trying to assassinate President Ronald Reagan.

"He just sort of blended into the crowd," said Tom Blackwell, who graduated with Hinckley from Highland Park High School in suburban Dallas in 1973. "He wasn't a flamboyant type or anything like that."

"None of us can remember a thing about him. He just kept to himself," said a former neighbor in Lubbock, where Hinckley sporadically attended Texas Tech University.

FBI spokesman Roger Young in Washington confirmed late Monday that the weapon used in Monday's attack was one of two identical .22-caliber pistols Hinckley purchased from a Dallas pawn shop on Oct. 13.

That purchase came just four days after Hinckley — carrying three handguns, 50 rounds of ammunition and a pair of handcuffs — was arrested by airport police in Nashville, Tenn., the FBI said.

President Carter was visiting Nashville the day Hinckley was arrested, and then-candidate Reagan was scheduled to stop in Memphis on that day, but canceled his visit.

Isaac Goldstein, owner of Rocky's Pawn Shop in Dallas, said Hinckley used a Lubbock address in filling out the forms required to buy the weapons.

Records of the sale were seized by agents of the FBI and the Federal Bureau of Alcohol, Tobacco and Firearms a few hours after Reagan was shot.

On March 11, Hinckley was in another pawn shop, according to Brent Morris, a clerk at G.I. Joe's in Denver. He said Hinckley, shabbily dressed and looking "like a man down on his luck," pawned his electric guitar and typewriter and said he was "going out of town."

Through attorney Jim Robinson, Hinckley's parents said in Evergreen, Colo., that their son had psychiatric treatment recently but his "evaluation did not alert anyone to the seriousness of his condition."

Robinson said the parents were "heartbroken" from Monday's events but would stand by their son.

Hinckley's father, Denver businessman J.W. "Jack" Hinckley, is president of Vanderbilt Energy Corp., an oil and gas exploration company. Colleagues described him as "deeply religious" and he once did volunteer work in Africa for a California-based religious organization known as World Vision.

Stan Mooneyham, the group's president. said the father had told the World Vision staff that his son had longstanding psychological problems that caused him "great anxiety."

"His mother was always hoping he would have more friends, but he was very much of an individual," an unidentified family friend told the Dallas Morning News. "John was simply what you would call their loner. They only talked about him in the way parents would when they hoped their individualist would come around and become one of the gang. They were crazy about him."

The family moved to Evergreen, a Denver suburb, in 1974. Hinckley was born in Ardmore, Okla., hospital officials there said.

He first enrolled at Texas Tech in 1973 and last attended the school in the first summer session of 1980, although university officials said he did not earn a degree. The Dallas Morning News also said Hinckley attended Yale University in between those dates.

A job application he filed in Denver last year showed he worked as a salesman in Hollywood, a bartender in Denver and a bookkeeper in Dallas between June 1976 and August 1978. In addition, NBC News said he once worked as a country music disc jockey in Denver under the name John Warlek.

The Washington Post said the Hinckleys learned their son had been arrested when one of its reporters called their home about an hour after the shooting.

Joanne Hinckley, told that her son was a suspect, at first registered disbelief but when asked if her son was in Washington she said, "I don't know, I don't know," then her voice cracked and she hung up, the newspaper said.

Dr. E.A. Sigler, principal at Highland Park High, said he remembered "nothing special about" Hinckley.

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HEALTH

Lawrence E. Lamb, M.D.

Unsettled by maturation

By Lawrence Lamb, M.D.

DEAR DR. LAMB — I am 15 years old and have a problem that is becoming very embarrassing. I have an erection whenever I am exposed to anything to do with sex or nudity. Sometimes I have one for no reason at all. Will this stop eventually or what?

DEAR READER — You may not understand this now, but believe me, when it stops men tend to get rather upset.

The years of sexual maturation are often disturbing to young people, particularly if they do not fully understand what is happening. There is nothing wrong with you.

Your brain is programmed, probably from birth or even sooner, as to when you are going to mature sexually. That includes when your body is going to start producing a lot of male hormones. When that stage arrives, you will have reactions and there is nothing much you can do about it.

You may be surprised to learn that all mature normal males have erections every night during their sleep, usually three or four times at a minimum. It occurs from brain activity and has been correlated with one phase of the sleep cycle called the REM phase (rapid eye movement phase).

Erections even occur in the male fetus in the uterus before birth.

Although getting an erection is quite normal, the trick is learning not to let it happen in such a way that it is obvious in a socially unacceptable situation.

A little more knowledge about how your body works would undoubtedly be helpful to you, so I am sending you The Health Letter number 17-4, Male Reproductive Functions. Others who want this issue can send 75 cents with a long, stamped, self-addressed envelope for it to me, in care of this newspaper, P.O. Box 1551, Radio City Station, New York, NY 10019.

You might find that wearing the briefs style of underwear helps to provide some social insurance. Later, if you need to increase your fertility, there is some evidence that such binding garments are a hindrance, as discussed in The Health Letter I am sending you.

DEAR DR. LAMB — Is there any way I can get H3 (procaine) treatments for my husband? He is in a nursing home. Why should this medication be withheld from him? He is senile and has organic brain damage. Sometimes he is able to talk to me and other times he has impaired speech. H3 has been tried in other countries with great success.

DEAR READER — That depends upon what you mean by great success. You are referring to Gerovital, which was a mystery drug supposed to do all sorts of wonderful things. Well, it is the same thing your dentist injects around your teeth to prevent pain. Ana Aslan of Bucharest popularized it at the end of World War II. It has been claimed to cure everything from baldness to impotence, with wrinkles thrown in — the usual approach we had when traveling medical shows marketed snake oil.

Aslan's subjects did show improvement, but because they exercised, ate right and someone took an interest in them. Gerovital is being studied in this country and it is used as an antidepressant. It has not been proved to have any anti-aging properties.

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Company Scoops Khrushchev Dish

PHILADELPHIA (AP) — Bassett's Ice Cream Co. here once made a special flavor for Nikita Khrushchev when the Soviet premier visited the U.S. in the 1950s. It was borscht ice cream.

"We made it with real beets and delivered it to the Russian embassy in Washington," said Lewis Bassett, 75, president of the company at that time.

Reports Houston Paper...

Bush Son Planned To Dine With Brother Of Hinckley

HOUSTON (AP) — Scott Hinckley, the brother of the man charged with shooting President Reagan and three others, was to have dined tonight in Denver at the home of Neil Bush, son of Vice President George Bush, the Houston Post has reported in a copyright story.

Neil Bush said he once had met Scott Hinckley, brother of John W. Hinckley Jr., and the Bush family knew the Hinckley family because of the large political contributions they had made to the vice president's campaign, the Post added.

The newspaper said it was unable to reach Scott Hinckley, vice president of his father's Denver-based Vanderbilt Energy Corp., for comment. Neil Bush lives in Denver, where he is a land man for Standard Oil Co. of Indiana.

In 1978, Neil served as campaign manager for his brother, George W. Bush, the vice president's oldest son, who was running for Congress. Neil lived in Lubbock throughout much of 1978, where John Hinckley lived from 1974 through 1980.

On Monday, Neil Bush said he did not know if he had ever met the 25-year-old Hinckley.

"I have no idea. I don't recognize any pictures of him. I just wish I could see a better picture of him.

Sharon Bush, Neil's wife, said Scott Hinckley was coming to their house as a date of a girl friend of hers.

"I don't even know the brother. From what I know and I've heard, they (the Hinckleys) are a very nice family and have given a lot of money to the Bush campaign. I understand he was just the renegade brother in the family. They must feel awful," she said.

The dinner was canceled, she added.

George W. Bush said he was unsure whether he had met John W. Hinckley.

Interviewed by telephone from his home at Midland, George W. Bush said, "It's certainly conceivable that I met him or might have been introduced to him" when running an unsuccessful campaign for Congress in 1978.

Bush, a Republican, was beaten by Kent Hance of Lubbock, now a second-term Democratic congressman from Texas' 19th district.

"I don't recognize his face from the brief, distorted kind of thing they had on TV. And the name doesn't ring any bells. I know he wasn't on our staff."

Other workers, in the campaigns of both Vice President Bush and of his son, said they did not know Hinckley and didn't recall hearing of him before Monday.

Hinckley Held Without Bond

WASHINGTON (AP) — An emotionless John W. Hinckley Jr., described in court as "wandering, aimless and irresponsible" and under psychiatric care, was ordered held without bond today on a charge of attempting to assassinate President Reagan outside a Washington hotel.

Hinckley, 25, of Evergreen, Colo., was held at an undisclosed location and was scheduled to undergo psychiatric testing today to help determine his competency to stand trial, U.S. Attorney Charles F.C. Ruff said. A preliminary hearing was set for 1:30 Thursday.

There was no immediate indication of a motive for Monday's shootings which wounded Reagan in the chest, left White House press secretary James S. Brady in grave condition with a bullet wound to the brain and injured a Secret Service officer and a Washington, D.C., policeman.

Both the White House and the FBI said there was no evidence of a conspiracy to assassinate the president.

Delegation Will Attend Meeting

A delegation representing the Snyder Chamber of Commerce is scheduled to attend a conference Wednesday on Federal Urban Housing Programs.

Sponsored by The West Central Texas Council of Governments, it will be held in the Campus Center at Abilene Christian University.

Scheduled to attend from Snyder are Bill Warner, chamber manager; Gloria Shaw, director of the Scurry County Senior Center, and Elizabeth Potts, chairman of the chamber's housing committee.

Confusion Follows Assassination Try

WASHINGTON (AP) — For a few hours, as Ronald Reagan lay under the surgeon's knife, there appeared to be confusion.

Who's running the country?

Reagan, because no effort was made to suspend his authority.

Vice President George Bush, because Reagan, after all, was unconscious in the operating room and hardly able to exercise the presidency.

Secretary of State Alexander Haig Jr., several heartbeats from authority, but actually at the White House, presiding — as senior Cabinet officer — over the Cabinet meeting convened during the crisis of attempted assassination.

In any event, Bush said later: "The American government is functioning fully and effectively."

There was no confusion today.

Bush was standing in for Reagan at meetings with the Cabinet and congressional leaders and at a working lunch with the prime minister of the Netherlands, but White House aides made it clear he is not "acting president."

Doctors said Reagan, listed in "stable and good" condition after surgery to remove a bullet from his left lung, could resume command of the nation from his hospital bed.

Asked Monday night who was commander in chief, deputy White House press secretary Larry Speakes replied: "The president is the commander in chief."

That didn't seem so clear in the harried hours after the shooting Monday.

Bush was in Texas, trying to sell Reagan's economic program. Secretary of State Alexander M. Haig Jr. and most of the other senior government officials were in Washington.

Haig went quickly to the White House and told reporters: "As of now, I am in control in the White House pending the return of the vice president."

Speakes and David Gergen, the White House staff director, refused to be drawn into a discussion of whether Haig was overreaching his authority in appearing to take charge at the White House.

Asked whether there was any discussion among top administration officials after the shooting about whether to invoke the presidential disability provisions of the 25th Amendment to the Constitution, Speakes answered:

"There was really no need for it. The information we were getting was optimistic almost from the first."

He added there had been "no cause" for the president to turn over any of his authority to Bush.

He said there was a nonstatutory arrangement for Bush — and after him, the secretary of defense — to assume "command authority" should the need arise. A White House source, who refused to be identified, said Speakes referred to military emergencies.

HOSPITAL NOTES

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DISMISSALS: Carolyn Salmon and baby girl, Naomi Martinez, Katie Loper, Hoy Hamilton, Ruth Seaton and baby boy, Zelma Sampley, Lettie Tippens, Winnie Dever, Ruby Sellars.

BIRTHS

Greg and Donna Gafford, 1312 Ave. I, are the parents of a baby girl born March 27 at 12:55 p.m. at their home. She weighed 6 lbs. 8 oz.

Carol and Robert Raborn, 211 34th, are the parents of a baby girl born March 30 at 5:26 p.m. at Cogdell Memorial Hospital. She weighed 7 lbs. 4 oz.

Debra and Ismael Ortegon, Rt. 2, are the parents of a baby girl born March 30 at 4:57 p.m. at Cogdell Memorial Hospital. She weighed 8 lbs. 11½ oz.

EXHIBITOR—Karen Sears is hard at work on a basket which will be included in her exhibit titled "Of Form and Hand" from April 5-16 in the Scurry County Museum. The solo show also will include prints she has mde.

Snyder Artist's Work At Museum

Coiled baskets and prints by Snyder artist Karen Sears will be featured in the Scurry County Museum at Western Texas Collge from April 5 through April 16.

A reception honoring the artist is planned from 1 p. m. to 5 p. m. Sunday afternoon and the public is invited to attend.

Miss Sears was graduated from Snyder High School and Texas Tech University, where he was an art major. She is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Sears of Snyder. She presently maintains a studio at 2517½ College Ave.

The exhibit will include about 35 baskets and approximately 10 prints, silkscreens, lithographs and etchings.

One of Miss Sears's baskets was included in the Texas Designer Craftsman Exhibit held in the Fine Arts Gallery at the University of Texas at Austin earlier this spring. She was also invited to the Texas Renaissance Festival held near Magnolia last fall. She has been among those invited to the Texas state Arts and Crafts Festival in Kerrville and has shown her works here in the July 4th arts and crafts show.

Information about exhibits and programs of the Scurry County Museum may be obtained by calling the museum office at 573-6107. The museum is open each weekday and from 1 p. m. to 5 p. m. on Sundays.

Senators Not Anxious To OK Bill On Bingo

AUSTIN, Texas (AP) — Bingo buffs are having trouble getting senators to play along with a bill to legalize their fun.

For the third week in a row, the Senate State Affairs Committee has refused to approve the measure making bingo legal for certain charitable, religious and not-for-profit organizations.

Sen. Carlos Truan, D-Corpus Christi, had said he assumed a House-Senate conference committee would write the final proposal.

But at Monday's meeting the committee approved the measure only 5-3, two votes shy of the number Truan needed.

The bill was left as pending business.

It would implement a 1980 constitutional amendment by authorizing bingo games in which 10 percent of the gross receipts, or the net proceeds — whichever is greater — would go to charity.

Bingo would be allowed after local option elections that could be called by a county's governing body or 25 percent of the voters in the last governor's election.

Prizes would be limited to $1,000 a game or $5,000 for a single session.

Bingo could be played on no more than three days a week and only between the hours of 1 p.m. and 6 a.m., and for no more than four hours a day.

Custody Complaint Filed

A complaint charging Carol Kay Gade with interference with child custody has been filed here in the office of Dan Callaway, justice of the peace.

The complaint, signed by Rodney Russell Newell, alleges that the defendant took a minor child from Snyder to Oregon in violation of terms of a divorce decree.

KIT 'N' CARLYLE ™ by Larry Wright

What Is A Town?
A town is a group of people.
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Indiana Wins NCAA Cage Championship, 63-50

An AP Sports Analysis
By ALEX SACHARE
AP Sports Writer

PHILADELPHIA (AP) - Bobby Knight can be arrogant and rude, haughty and unyielding, scrupulously honest and principled to a fault. He is also, indisputably, a great basketball coach.

On a day marred by the shock and sadness of the shooting of President Reagan, when serious consideration was given to postponing the game in deference to the tragedy, Knight guided the Indiana Hoosiers to NCAA basketball championship with a marvelously orchestrated 63-50 victory over North Carolina Monday night.

Isiah Thomas, the Hoosiers' gifted sophomore point guard, was voted the outstanding player of the tournament after scoring 19 of his 23 points in the second half. But although Thomas wore the ceremonial net around his neck after the game, Knight was the star of the show.

After North Carolina jumped in front 16-8 in the first 10 minutes, Knight made the key strategic move of the game. He switched 6-foot-6 swingman Randy Wittman from guard to forward to replace the foul-plagued Ted Kitchel and brought guard Jim Thomas off the bench, going with a three-guard offense and putting Jim Thomas on North Carolina scoring star Al Wood.

"We had trouble getting our game started," explained Knight. "I really thought the crucial point came when it was 16-8. Carolina had a chance to take us out of the game, but our kids did a heck of a job hanging in."

"Maybe it was a bad thing to get Kitchel in foul trouble," said North Carolina Coach Dean Smith, who has reached the Final Four six times and the championship game three times in his 20 years at Chapel Hill, N.C. "In comes Jim Thomas and he plays like he should be on the all-tournament team."

Told that both Thomases had been voted to the squad, along with Wood, Landon Turner of Indiana and Jeff Lamp of Virginia (which beat Louisiana State 78-74 in the consolation game), Smith joked, "Gee, you sports writers are smart."

North Carolina led for 19:59 of the first half, but Indiana regrouped behind its three-guard offense and finally took the lead 27-26 on Wittman's jumper from the right corner at the halftime buzzer.

"I think the most important play of the whole ballgame was the shot Randy hit at the end of the half," said Isiah Thomas. "It gave us momentum, got us on the right track. And we took it from there."

Actually, Isiah took it - literally.

The Hoosiers started the second half with an 8-2 spurt that included a pair of steals and layups by the cat-quick guard. That made it 35-28 and the North Carolina collapse was only a matter of time.

With Jim Thomas playing inside Wood's uniform, stalking him all over the floor, the Tar Heels could manage just eight points in the first 10 minutes of the second half. By now it was 45-34 and Indiana, 26-9, was on its way toward becoming the losingest champion in tournament history.

"That's a distinction we don't mind," said Knight. "I'm extremely proud of this team. We were 7-5 in December but they never gave up. I've never seen a group of kids stay with a goal and work harder towards an end."

"Indiana was more aggressive defensively than in our first game," said Smith, referring to a 65-56 North Carolina victory over Indiana back in December. "We would have liked to get Wood the ball more, but Jim Thomas did a great job of overplaying him."

Wood, who had scored a career-high 39 points in North Carolina's 78-65 semifinal triumph over Virginia, was limited to 18 points this time - and 10 of them came after Indiana had broken the game open.

Center Sam Perkins was North Carolina's only other double-figure scorer with 11. For Indiana, Wittman scored 16 and Landon Turner had 12. In addition, Ray Tolbert grabbed 11 rebounds and Jim Thomas handed out eight assists.

"You need discipline and composure to win," said Isiah Thomas. "We have those ingredients. We concentrate on ourselves and what we have to do. IF WE DECIDE THE GAME, THEN THE OPPONENT DOESN'T MATTER."

"Ours is a game of doing what we can do for the entire game," said Knight, who has compiled a 231-68 record in 10 years at Indiana. "If we can do that - apply pressure on defense and maintain patience on offense - we can break a team down over 40 minutes."

Tigers Are Up Front According To Coaches

ODESSA -- According to an article by The Odessa American sports writer Terry Anderson, District 2-AAAA baseball coaches agree that Snyder should be the preseason favorite to win the loop title this year.

In an "informal polling", Anderson said district coaches pegged Snyder as the team to beat, but if the Tigers falter "almost any of the other teams could be ready to move in."

Ector, Pecos and Monahans were listed as primary contenders also, with Fort Stockton and Andrews a step behind. Lamesa is expected to wind up in the cellar.

Snyder, 10-6 on the season and 1-0 in district play before tonight's 7:30 game at Monahans, advanced to the state semifinals in class AAA last year. The Tigers welcomed back only two regular starters off that squad, pitcher Tony Degrate and infielder-pitcher Mike Roemisch, but brought up a wealth of talent from its junior varsity - including most of the Texas State Junior Teenage League championship team.

Lewis, who had won the district title for the past four straight years in the old, smaller District 3-3A, said he appreciates the honor but realizes pulling down a title in this crowd won't be easy.

"It's going to be tough," he said Monday during workouts. "I kind of feel like they (other coaches) do, that probably nobody will get through this thing undefeated. What you have to do is win at home and split on the road."

Snyder's keys thus far have been a supurb hitting squad, backed by good pitching. The overall defense, basically varsity inexperienced, is making mistakes, but coming along in stride, relayed the coach.

"This is the best hitting we've had since I've been coach," said Lewis, whose Tigers have hit 16 home runs in 16 games. Snyder's record is actually 10-6-1, but the tie - which came about when an 8-8 deadlock entered darkness - is scheduled to be settled April 3 when Lubbock Coronado pays the Tigers a visit. Unofficially, Snyder currently has seven players batting over the .300 mark, three with .400 or better, and two with .500 or better.

Diamondmen Test Monahans Today

MONAHANS -- Snyder varsity baseball team looks for its second District 2-AAAA win in as many outings here tonight, taking on the Monahans Loboes at 7:30.

Snyder came from behind to stop Fort Stockton in the 2-4A opener at Moffett Field last week, 7-5. Monahans idle from loop play last Friday, will be playing its first 2-4A game of the season.

Monday afternoon Tiger Coach Albert Lewis indicated Mike Roemisch would probably get the start pitching-wise for Snyder. Tony Degrate, figured as the Tigers top hurler this year, is apparently still having pain in his right shoulder. He was to consult trainers and doctors yesterday in an effort to pinpoint the problem. Despite not having his usual velocity, Degrate has posted a 4-1 pitching record this year and has hit five home runs.

"We just don't really know the situation on Tony right now," said Lewis. "Certainly we were counting on his help this year, but we'll manage without him if we have too. We could still use him if he's not 100 percent, especially for three or four innings at a time, because even when he doesn't have his usual stuff he's a formidable pitcher. But the main thing is we don't want to pitch him if it might hurt him. We're not going to take any chances along those lines."

If unable to pitch, Lewis still hopes to use the 6-4, 250-pound athlete's hitting ability.

Snyder, 10-6, and Monahans have been in tournament play together this season, but have never met in a game. Other district contests today pit 1-0 Andrews at 0-1 Lamesa and 1-0 Odessa Ector at 0-1 Fort Stockton.

FELINE GOLFERS -- Snyder girls golf team took third place in district this year, finishing up its first season Monday at WTC Golf Course. Members of the team are, left to right, kneeling, Patricia McFaul, Diane Risenhoover, Theresa Hildreth, Laurie Donelson, Shauna Pate and Karla Gist, and standing, coach George Byerly, Cynthia Taylor, Tracey O'Day, Lisa Franklin, Natalie Gist and Vickie Gregory. Hildreth took runnerup medalist honors and will compete in the regional tournament April 20-21 in Odessa. She and Franklin both made the 2-4A all-district team. (SDN Staff Photo)

Two Make All-Tourney Team...

Girls Third In District

Snyder girls golf team, only in its first year of competition, came up five strokes short of winning a trip to the regional tournament here yesterday. The Felines did qualify one girl however, Theresa Hildreth, to compete in the April 20-21 event as an individual.

Hildreth, a junior, shot an 84 Monday to take runnerup medalist honors for the meet and the season. She and teammate Lisa Franklin, a sophomore, both made the all-district team. Franklin finished sixth in the overall running for medalist. The top ten girls were named all-2-4A.

Sweetwater, flanked by meet and district medalist Donna Hodge, fired a 412 to win Monday's 18-hole event at Western Texas College course; the final girls 2-4A meet of the season. Sweetwater also took the district team championship with a three-meet score of 1,191.

Second in the meet was Fort Stockton with a 471. The Lady Panthers carded a 1,243 to qualify as the other 2-4A team to make the regional tournament, just five strokes ahead of Snyder's 1,248. Snyder finished third in the tournament, posting a 418.

Other meet results had Andrews fourth at 449, followed by Pecos and Monahans with 480 each, Andrews B with a 485 and Snyder B with a 549. The order stayed the same in the overall standings as well, with Andrews posting a 1,295, Pecos a 1,344, Monahans a 1,362, Andrews B a 1,407, and Snyder B a 1,629.

Lamesa competed in the meets but did not have enough participants to form a team.

Hodge and Hildreth were aided in their bids for the top medalists when frontrunners Cocoa Gallemore of Fort Stockton and Kelly Perry of Sweetwater turned in high scores. Perry went into the meet with a total 175 and Gallemore a 177. Hodge was five strokes back of the leader at 180 and Hildreth had a 182.

However, Perry carded a 109 here Monday and Gallemore had a 104, to take themselves out of the race.

Both girls did make the all-district team, however. Gallemore finished fourth with a 281 and Perry ranked fifth with a 284. Other all-loop members included Kim Deerfield of Fort Stockton, third with a 271; Carrie Montgomery, Sweetwater, 7th with a 304; Lesa Parmley, Andrews, 8th, 309; Lisa Cassell, Pecos, 9th, 317; and Tanya Self, Andrews, 10th, 319.

Other Snyder A participants in addition to Hildreth and Franklin, and their scores for Monday's tournament were Tracey O'Day 116, Laurie Donelson 119 and Karla Gist 128.

Snyder B scores included Shauna Pate 130, Natalie Gist 131, Vickie Gregory 137, Patricia McFaul 140 and Diane Risenhoover 142.

2-4A Final Girls Standings

Below are the final team and medalist standings for District 2-4A girls golf. Left to right, scores include first through final tournament and total strokes. The top two teams and individuals qualify for the regional tournament April 20-21 in Odessa.

Team	1st-2nd-3rd-	Ttl.
1. Sweetwater	396-383-412-	1191
2. Ft. Stockton	417-409-417-	1243
3. Snyder	416-414-418-	1248
4. Andrews	425-421-449-	1295
5. Pecos	421-443-480-	1344
6. Monahans	423-459-480-	1362
7. Andrews B	464-458-485-	1407
8. Snyder B	539-541-549-	1629

All-District

1. D. Hodge, SW	93- 87- 80-	260
2. T. Hildreth, SHS	92- 90- 84-	266
3. K. Deerfield, FSHS	93- 92- 86-	271
4. C. Gallemore, FSHS	89- 88-104-	281
5. K. Perry, SW	87- 88-109-	284
6. L. Franklin, SHS	105- 97- 99-	301
7. C. Montgomery, SW	102- 97-105-	304
8. L. Parmley, AHS	97- 95-117-	309
9. L. Cassell, PHS	96-105-116-	317
10. T. Self, AHS	106-106-107-	319

SNYDER A: Theresa Hildreth, 92'90-84--288; Lisa Franklin, 105-97-99--301; Tracey O'Day, 111-112-116--339; Laurie Donelson, 108-115-119--352; Karla Gist, 119-121-128--368.

SNYDER B: Natalis Gist, 128-136-131--395; Shauna Pate, 140-135-130--405; Patricia McFaul, 128-138-140--406; Diane Risenhoover, 143-132-142--417; Vickie Gregory, 147-141-137--425.

NBA Tips Off Playoff Games

by The Associated Press

In comedy, timing is everything. The Chicago Bulls hope the same applies to the National Basketball Association playoffs.

The Bulls are the NBA's hottest team, riding an eight-game winning streak into tonight's opener of their three-game Eastern Conference mini-series against the New York Knicks.

"We're just about as ready as we're ever going to be," said forward David Greenwood, at 6-foot-9½ the shortest member of the Bulls' starting frontcourt.

Added Artis Gilmore, their 7-2 center: "The way we're playing now excites me."

In tonight's other Eastern Conference mini-series opener, the Philadelphia 76ers host the Indiana Pacers.

The Western Conference playoffs begin Wednesday night. The Los Angeles Lakers, the defending champions, will be home against the Houston Rockets, while the Portland Trail Blazers will host the Kansas City Kings.

Those four games begin the long road to the championship, which will probably be decided in late May or early June.

New York's chances of advancing to the second round of the playoffs appear to hinge on keeping the ball away from Gilmore, the NBA's leading percentage shooter.

"I expect him to be going all out," said Bill Cartwright, who will split the time at center for the Knicks with Marvin Webster. "Between the two of us it's going to be a thing of who can stop who from getting to a certain spot offensively."

Boosters Meet Tuesday

Western Texas College boosters will meet Wednesday morning at 7 in the college cafeteria for their spring meeting.

An article in Monday's paper, stating the breakfast was to be held Tuesday, was in error.

Anyone interested in athletics at Western Texas is urged to attend the meeting. Breakfast will be dutch treat.

Western Recieves Key Experience In Dadeville

DADEVILLE, Ala. -- Western Texas College finished in eighth place here Sunday, a fact which Coach Bob O'Day was not happy with, but which he was able to chalk to experience.

"They (the team) got to play and compete with some of the best junior college and senior college players in the United States," the coach said of his team's appearance in the three-day Southern Intercollegiate Tournament played at Stillwaters Country Club. "Stillwaters is a championship course and at times we couldn't keep the ball out of the large pine trees. We did not play well, but it was a great experience for our players. I was proud of the way they acted both on and off the course."

Chatahoochie Valley of Alabama won the junior college division with an 888. Team par for 18 holes was 288. Second was Alexander City, Ala. with an 890, followed by Brevard, Fla., 900; Santa Fe, Fla., 907; Edison, Fla., 908; Paris College, 938; New Mexico Junior College, 941; and Western Texas, 942. Eleven schools participated in the 54-hole junior college division.

Western shot a 315 Friday, a 316 Saturday and a 311 Sunday. Richard White paced the Westerners with scores of 81, 77 and 76 for a 234. One stroke back was Chris Johnson with a 76, an 81 and a 78; 235. Jeff Seger shot a 79 and an 85, then came up with WTC's low score of 75 on Sunday to poll 239. Jeff Wagner scored 83, 81 and 82 for a 246 and Gary Hodge scored 79, 77 and a 92 for a 248.

Florida State University won the 15-team university division wth an 858. Georgia Southern was second with an 871, followed by the University of Florida, 878, Georgia University, 883, and Alabama University, 884.

NBA Playoffs

By The Associated Press
FIRST ROUND
Best of Three
Eastern Conference
Tuesday's Games
Indiana at Philadelphia, (n)
Chicago at New York, (n)
Thursday's Game
Philadelphia at Indiana, (n)
Friday's Game
New York at Chicago, (n)
Sunday's Games
Indiana at Philadelphia, if necessary
Chicago at New York, if necessary

Western Conference
Wednesday's Games
Houston at Los Angeles, (n)
Kansas City at Portland, (n)
Friday's Games
Los Angeles at Houston, (n)
Portland at Kansas City, (n)
Sunday Game
Houston at Los Angeles, if necessary
Kansas City at Portland, if necessary

Netters Attempt Makeup Meeting

Barring another twist from Mother Nature, Snyder and Sweetwater tennis teams were to conclude the District 2-AAAA dual meet agenda.

The schools have already scheduled the meeting four previous times but each try was postponed due to weather, basketball playoffs or other incidents.

Fort Stockton has already won the 2-4A team title and Snyder has taken second, leaving today's matches little more than a warmup for the upcoming District Tournament. The tourney, held in Midland April 9-10-11, sends its individual and doubles winners to regionals.

Couples Meet Will Be Held In April

Snyder Country Club is to hold its first monthly couple's tournament April 5 at 1:30 p.m.

Members wishing to participate should contact Mike Yantis at the Pro Shop before 11 a.m. Sunday. Format will be a two-man scramble.

Snyder Country Club Ladies Golf Association will act as sponsors for all Monthly Couples and Twilite Singers events. Couples tourneys are scheduled for the first Sunday in each month through October.

The first Men's Golf Association monthly tournament will be held April 4. Those wishing to participate should call the Pro Shop by 11 a.m. April 4 to enter.

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Reagan Retains Sense Of Humor

WASHINGTON (AP) — President Reagan, his finely tuned, self-deprecating humor apparently unhampered as he recovers from a bullet wound to the chest, is cheering those around him with a series of one-liners.

Dr. Dennis O'Leary, a spokesman for George Washington University Hospital, quoted presidential aide Lyn Nofziger as telling Reagan today, "You'll be happy to know that the government is running normally."

Nofziger says Reagan replied, "What makes you think I'd be happy about that?"

O'Leary also quoted the president as saying at one point, "If I'd gotten this much attention in Hollywood, I never would have left."

After respiratory tubes were removed from Reagan's throat at about 3 a.m. EST, Reagan told a nurse, "I always heal fast."

When she said, "Keep up the good work," the president quipped, "You mean this may happen several more times?"

Deputy press secretary Larry Speakes also quoted Reagan as taking a line from Sir Winston Churchill about his ordeal: "There is no more exhilarating feeling than being shot without result."

On Monday, trying to ease the fears of his wife, Nancy, as he was wheeled into the operating room, Nofziger said Reagan told her, "Honey, I forgot to duck."

Moments before he was anesthetized for surgery, Nofziger said, Reagan looked up at the docters and said, "Please tell me you're Republicans."

Two and a half hours after emerging from surgery, Reagan couldn't speak because of the tubes in his mouth; but a White House statement said Reagan scribbled a note to his doctors, quoting a line from comedian W.C. Fields:

"All in all, I'd rather be in Philadelphia," Reagan wrote.

Truck Blaze Is Extinguished

Firemen extinguished a blaze in a truck Monday. At 4:10 p.m., a fire in the rear of a 1978 Freightliner hauling potatoes was extinguished, but not before the tires were burned off. The rear section of the truck also sustained damage. The truck, owned by Anderson Trucking of Haines City, Fl., was located 14 miles north of Snyder on U.S. Highway 84 when the fire was discovered.

Vandalism Case

Police investigated a case of criminal mischief Monday.

Archie Holman of 1911 Ave. E, reported to police that someone had put paint on his truck and damaged the door by hitting it with what apparently was a hatchet.

OOPS!—The driver of the truck shown above apparently miscalculated his load height about 4 p.m. Monday and hit the clearance marker on the overpass at North College Ave. and Hwy. 84. Besides the obvious result, glass and debris were scattered on both sides of the roadway. The vehicle is owned by Big Mac Trucking Co. (SDN Staff Photo)

Midday Stocks

By The Associated Press

	High	Low	Last
Alcoa s	35⅝	34⅞	35¼
Am Airlin	14¾	14½	14⅝
Am Motors	4½	4⅜	4½
Amer T&T	51¾	51⅝	51¾
ArmcoInc	41⅝	41¼	41⅜
AtlRichfld	53	52⅝	52⅞
Beth Steel	30¾	30⅝	30¾
Boeing	35⅝	35⅛	35¼
Borden	28⅜	28	28⅛
Brit Pet	34	33⅝	33⅞
Burlngt Ind	20⅞	20⅝	20⅝
CaterpTr	64⅞	64¾	64¾
Celanese	64½	64¼	64½
Chrysler	6¾	6⅝	6⅝
CitiesSvce	42⅛	41½	42⅛
CocaCola	37¼	36⅞	37
ConocoInc	56½	55¾	56⅛
DowChem	38¾	38½	38⅝
duPont	50	49⅝	49⅞
EastnAirL	9⅝	9¼	9¼
East Kodak	82½	81⅝	82½
ElPaso Co	24¼	24⅛	24⅛
Esmark	64	63¾	63¾
Exxon	69½	69	69
Firestone	12½	12¼	12½
FordMot	24⅛	23½	23⅝
Gannett s	42	41¼	41¼
GnDynam s	33⅞	33½	33½
Gen Elec	66⅞	66⅝	66⅝
Gen Food	33¼	33	33¼
Gen Motors	53¼	52¾	52⅞
GenTel&El	27½	27⅛	27⅜
Gen Tire	24¼	24¼	24¼
Goodrich	27⅜	27	27
Goodyear	20	19¾	19⅞
GtAtlPac	5⅞	5⅞	5⅞
Gulf Oil	35¾	35¼	35½
Gulf StaUt	11⅝	11½	11½
HarteHnk	31	31	31
Honeywell	106¼	105¼	106¼
HoustInd	26½	26¼	26¼
HughesTool	80⅜	80	80⅜
IBM	62½	61⅞	62½
Int Paper	50¼	49½	50¼
Johns Manv	23⅞	23⅝	23¾
Johnsn John	103¼	102¾	103⅛
K mart	19¾	19½	19⅝
Kennecott	55⅝	55½	55⅝
Litton Ind	73⅝	72⅞	73¼
MaratOil	54¾	54¼	54¾
Martin M	68	67	68
MercTex s	30	29⅞	29⅞
Mobil	66⅛	65⅝	66⅛
Monsanto	72⅛	71¼	72⅛
Penney JC	28¾	28⅝	28½
Phelps Dod	46⅞	46⅝	46¾
PhillpsPet	47¼	46⅝	46⅞
Polaroid	30⅜	29¾	30⅛
Proct Gamb	70¾	70¼	70¼
PubS NwMx	21¾	21⅜	21½
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RepTexCp	40⅛	40	40
Safeway Str	35¼	34½	35¼
SantaFe Ind	95¼	94	94¼
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ShellOil s	46	44¾	46
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SunComp	41	40½	40½
Texaco Inc	36⅞	36¾	36⅞
TexComBn s	36½	36¼	36⅜
Texas Inst	117¾	117	117¾
Tex Util	17¾	17½	17½
Texasgulf	55	55	55
TimeInc	66¾	66¼	66½
TW Corp	23⅞	23⅝	23¾
TylerCp	24⅝	24	24¼
UAL Inc	25⅛	24¾	25
UNC Res	13½	13¼	13⅜
Un Carbide	62	61½	61⅞
UnPacCp	74½	73½	73¾
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US Steel	35⅛	34⅞	35⅛
Westgh El	30⅞	30½	30¾
Xerox Cp	57	56½	56¾

Cotton

NEW YORK (AP) — Cotton futures No. 2 were lower at midday dealings today.

The average price for strict low middling 1 & 1-16 inch spot cotton declined 34 points to 80.73 cents a pound Monday for the nine markets, according to the New York Cotton Exchange.

Midday prices were 35 cents to $1.50 a bale lower than the previous close. May 85.95, Jul 87.00, Oct 85.20, Dec 82.30, Mar b83.25, May b84.00 and Jul 84.50.

Grain

CHICAGO (AP) — Wheat No. 2 hard red winter 3.64½n Tuesday. No. 2 soft red winter 4.09½n. Corn No. 2 yellow 3.51¼n (hopper) 3.40¼n (box). Oats No. 2 heavy 2.23n. Soybeans No. 1 yellow 7.56n.

No. 2 yellow corn Monday was quoted at (hopper) 3.39¼n (box).

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BRADY IMPROVES

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ed out of a Washington hotel an arms-length from Reagan and headed for the presidential motorcade.

The .22-caliber bullet entered Brady's forehead at the temple, passed through his brain and came out the other side. As security agents pushed the president into his car, Brady crumpled to the sidewalk, dropping face down on a grate, blood spilling from his wound.

Inches from Brady's body, Secret Service agents wrestled a suspect to the ground and pinned him.

A Secret Service agent and a Washington policeman also were wounded. They were reported in stable condition.

Brady underwent nearly five hours of surgery. In an operation called a craniotomy, surgeons worked with a microscope to assess the extent of brain damage and removed irreparably damaged bits of tissue and bone, said Dr. O'Leary.

Lyn Nofziger, a White House aide, quoted the chief surgeon in the operation as saying "the prognosis is certainly better than it was earlier this afternoon." He said the surgeon, Dr. Arthur Kobrine, reported that Brady's vital signs were stable and that his pupillarly reflexes were normal, which he said was an encouraging sign.

Earlier, O'Leary told reporters that brain damage "probably is likely."

"You can keep his lungs and heart going," O'Leary said, "but you don't know what he has left in his head."

Asked if Brady were fighting for his life, O'Leary replied, "I would say that anytime a patient is in critical condition he is fighting for his life."

Nofziger said Kobrine believes there "may be some (brain) impairment but he doesn't know how much at this time. He said it might be some time before that is known."

Brady's wife, Sarah, was at his bedside late Monday. She reached down and squeezed his hand; he squeezed back, said Sen. Charles Percy, R-Ill., who spoke with her.

Brady's 74-year-old mother, Dorothy, rushed to Washington from her home in in the southern Illinois town of Centralia, in a state-owned plane provided by Gov. James Thompson.

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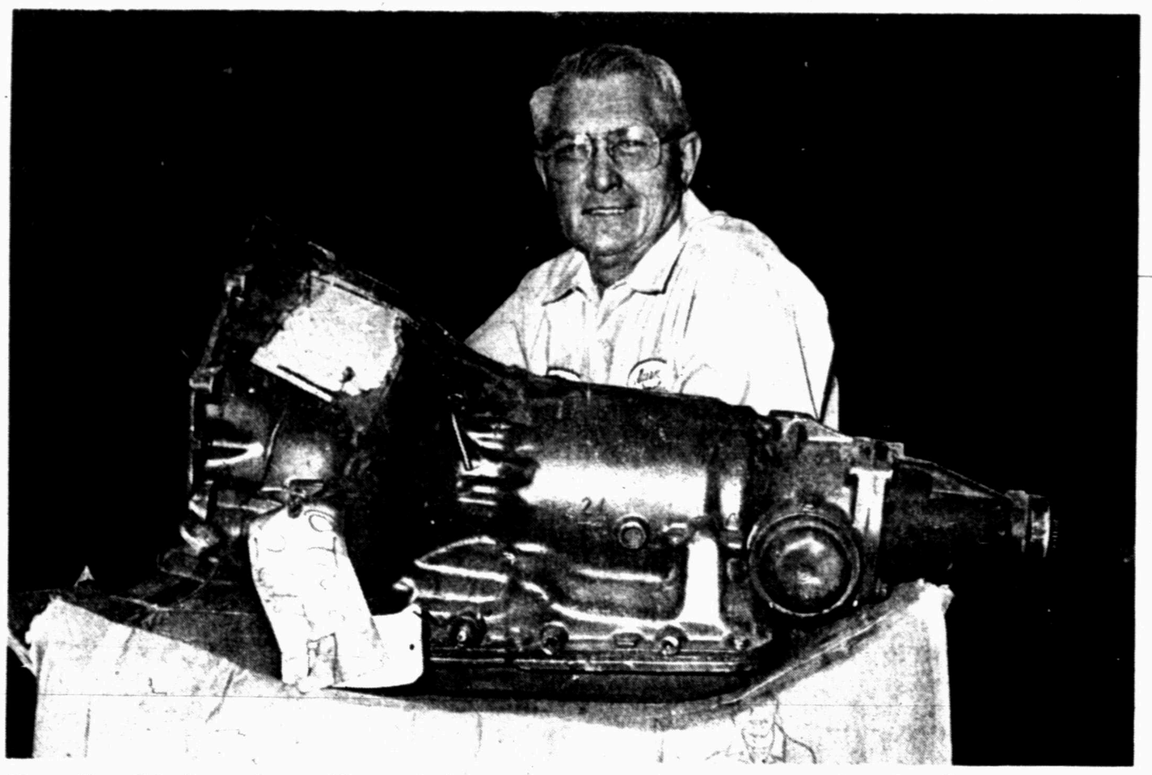

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