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Home Of Bob Hart

Fiesta set at coliseum on Sunday

Snyder Chamber of Commerce's first Cinco de Mayo fiesta is scheduled Sunday with volleyball and softball tournaments kicking off the festivities at 8 a.m..

The volleyball tournament will be held at the coliseum while the softball tournament will take place at Winston Field.

A parade, chili cookoff and horseshoe pitching tournament are other activities planned for the day.

Booths will be open from 10 a.m. until 6 p.m. Throughout the day, mariaches, folkloric dances and much more will be featured.

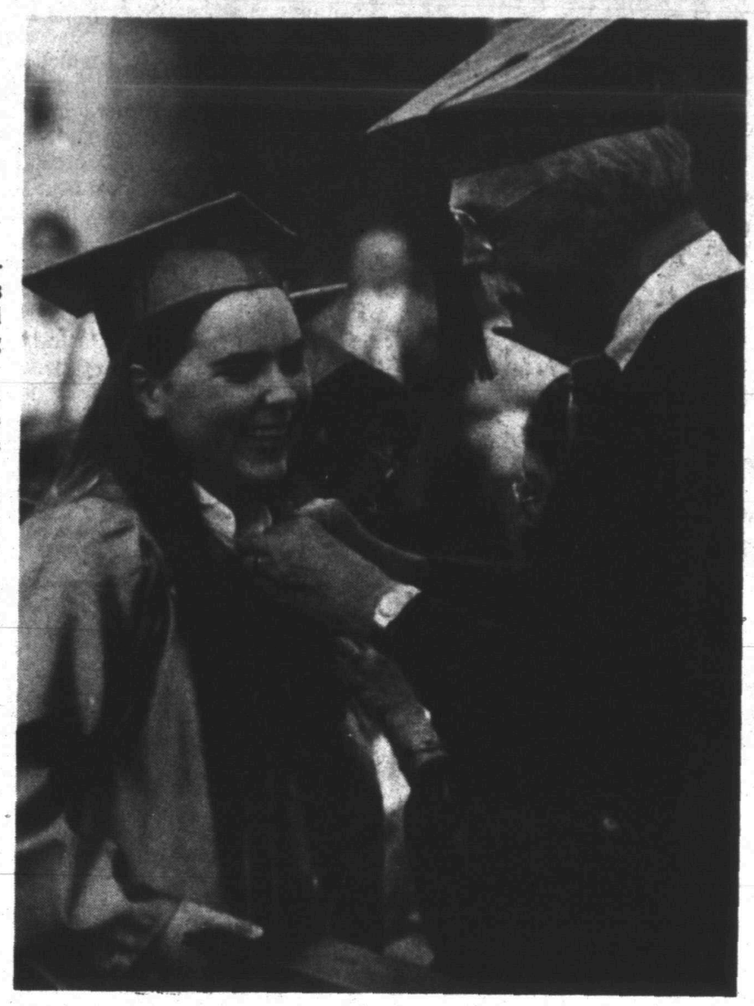
The parade will begin at 2 p.m. with special sections for bicycle riders, cars, softball teams, floats and more.

Judging for the chili cookoff will also begin at 2 o'clock, with an awards presentation planned at 4.

Snyder High School Spanish Club will present a play at 2:45 in the coliseum. Breaking of the pinata and Mariachi band entertainment will begin at 3 o'clock.

At 4:15, Stanfield Elementary second graders will perform.

The day will close with a dance at the Latin American Center from 8 p.m. until midnight.



HAPPY MOMENT — April Lynn Reves of Avoca receives a 25th anniversary pin from original faculty member Ray Robbins during commencement exercises at Western Texas College. Reves was one of 82 students who received associate degrees or certificates in technology Friday. (SDN Staff Photo)

Voting booths open 'til 7

Saturday's election features contested council, trustee seats

Polls are open until 7 p.m. Saturday for the city council, junior college district and Hermleigh school district elections.

The junior college district trustee election is being held at three locations — City Hall, Hermleigh school cafeteria and Ira Community Center.

The election features one contested race. Place 2 incumbent Carl Williams is challenged by Jack K. Greene Jr. Assured of gaining a seat on the board is Drew Bullard, an unopposed candidate for Place 1.

Two of the four elections for city council seats are contested. In Place 1, Rev. Caiaphas Cain is trying to unseat Mayor Pro-Tem Vernest Tippens, and in Place 2, Ron Baker is challenging incumbent Jerry Webb.

Assured of retaining their council seats are incumbents Kenny Gambrell for Place 3 and I.E. Martin for Place 4. Both men are unopposed.

Voting in those elections is held at City Hall.

Four candidates are vying to fill two full at-large terms on the Hermleigh ISD board. They include incumbent James Rinehart as well as Burton Sandefur, Tony Lambaren and Jimmy Barnes.

Running to fill a partial term on the board are Ted Mireles Jr. and Tim Dacus.

Saturday's HISD election is being held in the school cafeteria.

Hutchinson doesn't expect to be offered McKinney post

The search for an economic director in McKinney has been expanded following an announcement two weeks ago that Snyder's Doug Hutchinson was one of three finalists.

Cloe Johnson, with the search firm of Johnson and Associates, said the economic development corporation in McKinney, near Dallas, has decided to interview more applicants.

"There were so many candidates who exceeded their expectations that they decided to interview three more," Johnson said. She also said the committee may even consider holding a third round of interviews.

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No gold for 'Corn Is Green'

AUSTIN — A school which Snyder High School drama instructor Jerry Worsham said has been "nipping at our heels" for the past several years took top honors at the UIL Class 4A State One-Act Play Contest here Friday.

Friendswood High School's production of "The Life And Adventures of Nicholas Nickleby" won. Second was Round Rock McNeil with "All The Way Home." Paris North Lamar's "Antigone" took third.

Snyder High's "The Corn Is Green" placed out of the top three.

"Friendswood has been here the last three or four years and they've been nipping at our heels. They had a very good show," said Worsham.

Snyder's Katie Thornton was named to the all-star cast to close out a rewarding year. She had been named Best Actress at district, state and region. Matt Parker, another consistent award winner, was honorable mention all-star cast.



Thornton



Parker

Despite not placing, Snyder's performance packed the house.

"We had an enormous crowd. They had to delay show and wait and open the balcony," said Worsham. "It was really a crowd pleaser but I guess it didn't please the judge."

Snyder has won 13 one-act play titles in 29 trips to state. Twenty-seven of those trips and all of the wins have been under Worsham.

The long-time SHS drama department instructor was philosophical about Friday's disappointment.

"It's a really good learning experience for the kids because it will happen to them a lot. They're actually in very good spirits. We're still having a good time here."

"The Corn Is Green" will have hometown performances Wednesday and Thursday at Worsham Auditorium. Curtain time for the 45-minute play is 8:45 p.m. Tickets are $3 per person at the door.

Commissioners meet Monday

Five items of new business await Scurry County Commissioners Court when it meets Monday morning at 10.

—Price Daniel warden T.J. Medart will address the court concerning the unit's off-site work program involving inmates;

—County health officer Benny Marricle will discuss state regulations of septic systems;

—A member of the Texas Natural Resource Conservation Commission will discuss regulations;

—The court will consider an ordinance pertaining to abandoned buildings;

—Commissioners will consider replacement of a member of the Scurry County Welfare Board, an employee at the library and an employee on the county maintenance staff.

Also to be considered are line-item transfers and the payment of bills.

THE SDN COLUMN

By Roy McQueen

The feller on Deep Creek says, "The impossible is what nobody can do until somebody does it."

At Western Texas College's 25th anniversary celebration, there were several references to memories of heavy rainfall associated with the school's opening.

We went back to the records and found that the opening of WTC, in August of 1971, is also associated with the wettest month in Scurry County history.

According to rain records, 16.7 inches fell that month. Both students and staffers "walked the plank" in order to meet classes. The following months were also wet as four inches fell in September and 3.62 inches were recorded in October.

Two original faculty members returned for anniversary activities. Frances Clegg-Ferris, an original science professor, is now teaching at a private Catholic school in the Panhandle. Larry Thompson, the first journalism instructor, is now teaching at Plainview High School.

Jerry Corkran, head of WTC's reading program, was one of three speakers at the banquet and said WTC's early days could best be described in two words.

Corkran panned: "Rain and hair. Back then we had them."

There was a lot of talk about the importance of education, and we were reminded of the story about the three professors who were discussing the strides made by mankind.

One said the best invention had to be the computer. "Think of all the calculations, processing and information it can provide with just the press of a button."

The second prof disagreed, saying it had to be the cruise missile. "Imagine being able to follow a target wherever it goes."

Shaking his head, the third prof said both his colleagues were way off base. He offered that the best invention of our time was the thermos.

The other two looked in amazement and said in unison, "The thermos?"

"Sure. It keeps hot things hot and cold things cold. Now tell me, how does it know?"

Gressetts sold a lota' burgers over the years

By Roy McQueen
Publisher

Don Gressett has sold a lota' burgers, but there also have been a few times when he didn't sell many.

Gressett and wife, Sara, have sold — after 41 years in Snyder — their Lota' Burger business to Allen and Sandy Hodges.

Gressett, who has seen many changes both in his business and in his community, says he never regrets a minute.

It was a drought similar to one being experienced now that put Gressett in the hamburger business long before the term "fast-food" became fashionable.

Having grown up south of Big Spring in Forsan, Gressett said the lack of moisture drove him off the family sheep farm.

Gressett was just back from the Navy and met Sara on a blind date. Her family had moved to Forsan with Phillips Petroleum Co.

"I followed my future wife to Amarillo. Jobs were hard to find and I went to work for a fellow who also had a Lota' Burger location in Pampa."

It was in Pampa, during a snow storm, that he cooked only 12 burgers in a single day. "I have no idea how many I've sold, and don't want to know, but I know we've cooked as many as 2,300 in one day."

The burger chain transferred Gressett to Lubbock in December, 1952. Three years later, the owner asked Gressett to come to Snyder and manage the struggling business for $400 a month.

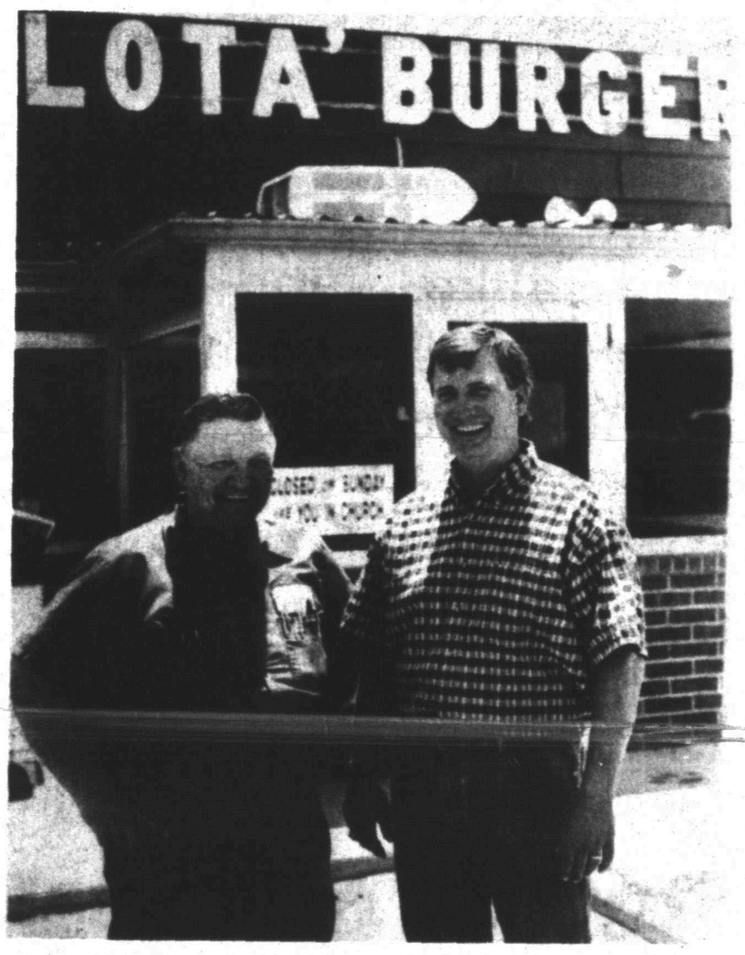
At that time, the location was at 16th Street and Avenue S, now known as North College Avenue. The location was just south of Grumpy's.

That was before U.S. 84 bypassed Snyder. In those days, U.S. 84 traffic came down Avenue S and turned left at the courthouse on 25th Street. "It was as busy back then as South College Avenue."

Lota' Burger added the present location in October, 1963. In the early days, it was only hamburgers and cheeseburgers, bottled drinks and chips.

Hamburgers were 30 cents, a 16 ounce soda cost just a nickle and

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NEW OWNERSHIP — Allen Hodges, right, is the new owner of the Lota' Burger. He and his wife, Sandy, have purchased the business from Don Gressett. Gressett had operated the eating establishment since 1955. (SDN Staff Photo)

Pipeline rupture handled quickly

A pipeline rupture in the 3600 block of 23rd Street resulted in some 100 barrels of oil leaking from an Amoco pipeline Friday that covered a one acre-plus area just east of J&K Rental.

"We were extremely lucky that more oil did not surface," said Tony Wofford, area supervisor for Amoco.

Wofford said the rupture was reported around 8:30 a.m. Friday and "within two hours, we had crews and replacement pipe here and had begun to excavate for repairs."

Approximately 90 barrels of the crude oil was recovered by vacuum trucks, said Wofford.

The contaminated soil was being treated Saturday morning and cleanup is expected to continue into next week.

Wofford said representatives of the Texas Natural Resource Conservation Commission had inspected the site and had given their approval for the clean-up plan.

"They gave us a clean bill of health," said Wofford.

Approximately 80 feet of pipe had to be replaced. Internal corrosion of the pipeline appeared to be the cause of the rupture, Wofford said.

ASK US

Q—When will officials who are elected Saturday take office?

A—Western Texas College will swear its board members in Monday and Hermleigh ISD will hold ceremonies Tuesday. The City of Snyder will schedule its swearing-in after a five-day waiting period.

FORECAST - ALMANAC

Snyder Temps: High Friday, 99 degrees; low, 63; 7 a.m. reading Saturday, 67; no precipitation; total for 1996, 1.93 inches.

Area Forecast: Tonight, mostly clear. Low, upper 60s. S wind 10-15 mph. Sunday, morning low clouds, otherwise sunny. High, mid 90s. S wind 10-20 mph.



Sunny

Khristian Torres

Sunset: 8:26 p.m.
Sunrise: 6:55 a.m.
Of 124 days in 1996, the sun has shone 120 days in Snyder.

TODAY'S THOUGHT

The first one to plead his cause seems right, Until his neighbor comes and examines him.

Proverbs 18:17

Buchanan wants anti-abortion plank

BETHESDA, Md. (AP) — His chances for winning the Republican presidential nomination already dead on arrival, Pat Buchanan held a rally at a local rescue squad's headquarters.

But don't tell him — or the more than 350 vocal supporters who turned out — that his campaign needs CPR.

"We have said from the beginning that this battle is about more than the nomination," the conservative commentator told admirers gathered at the Bethesda-Chevy Chase Rescue Squad on Friday night.

"This battle is about the heart and the soul and the future of this party — and it's going to belong to us!"

Buchanan pressured Sen. Bob Dole, the certain GOP presidential nominee, to take a firm stand in favor of the party platform's anti-abortion plank.

Several Republican governors have called for its removal, but Buchanan promised a "battle royal" on the GOP convention floor in August if anyone tried to tinker with the party's strong anti-abortion stance.

"I think what would really help would be a clear statement from Senator Dole that we are a right-to-life party," Buchanan said.

With a '50s band decked out in bowling shirts and folding tables set up to sell beer by the can and wine from a box, the rally held minutes from Buchanan's boyhood neighborhood in Washington, D.C., seemed part class reunion, part swan song.

But the party atmosphere was disrupted by a handful of abortion rights supporters waving banners and chanting.

Buchanan called for calm as the crowd shouted for the protesters to leave, but some of his backers ripped up their signs and a minor scuffle ensued. Police removed a Buchanan supporter.

Saying that Dole had not taken a strong enough stand in favor of the party platform's anti-abortion plank, Buchanan's forces vowed to defend every word.

"Any change made is not going to make a stronger statement for pro-life," said Buchanan's sister and campaign manager, Angela "Bay" Buchanan.

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SHS Tiger's Tale earns first place recognition

Issues of the 1995-1996 Tiger's Tale, Snyder High School's student newspaper, have received an Award of Distinguished Merit (first place) from the Interscholastic League Press Conference (ILPC).

The newspaper received ratings of superior in the categories of objective coverage, design/typography, subjective coverage, reader services and general impressions. For writing/editing the paper rated excellent and good for visuals.

Comments by the judge included general news: "Very well-rounded coverage. You have something for everyone." In-depth coverage: "A pleasure to read." Sports coverage: "Nice job with center spreads." Photography: "...Content is better than in most high school papers." Impressions: "This is a fine paper."

Editor-in-chief is Lacey Parker. Staff writers are Alicia Blakey, Jim Caldwell, Chris Halbert and Heather Ward.

Reporters are Lina Alvarez, Latecia Anderson, Lena Atkinson, Thomas Bishop, Melissa Black, Amber Haddox, Kristin Kuhl, Kelley Olsen, Dan Pulattie, Natasha Swaim, Molly Wilson and Michelle Wood.

Staff photographers are Candace Barrow, Paige Bell, C.J. Chaney, Maria Quiros and Stephanie Whittenburg. Adviser is Diane Arnold.

Four issues published prior to Feb. 10 must be submitted to the ILPC to qualify for rating. ILPC is the journalism division of the University Interscholastic League and made up of junior high and high school student publications in Texas.

Date Book

May 4, 1996

Today is the 125th day of 1996 and the 46th day of spring.

TODAY'S HISTORY: On this day in 1970, four students were killed at Kent State University in Ohio when National Guard troops opened fire on anti-war protesters.

TODAY'S BIRTHDAYS: Horace Mann (1796-1859), educator; Howard Da Silva (1909-1986), actor-director; Audrey Hepburn (1929-1993), actress; Roberta Peters (1930-), opera singer, is 66; George F. Will (1941-) political columnist, is 55; Randy Travis (1959-), singer, is 37.

TODAY'S SPORTS: On this day in 1957, jockey Willie Shoemaker stood in his stirrups too early, allowing Iron Liege to win the Kentucky Derby by passing him just before the finish line.

TODAY'S QUOTE: "Be ashamed to die until you have won some victory for humanity." — Horace Mann

TODAY'S WEATHER: On this day in 1978, 11 tornadoes hit Florida; one 400-yard-wide twister killed three students when it struck an elementary school near St. Petersburg.

SOURCE: 1996 Weather Guide Calendar; Accord Publishing, Ltd.

TODAY'S MOON: Day after full moon.

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May 5, 1996

Today is the 126th day of 1996 and the 47th day of spring.

TODAY'S HISTORY: On this day in 1925, biology teacher John Scopes was arrested in Tennessee for teaching the theory of evolution.

TODAY'S BIRTHDAYS: Soren Kierkegaard (1813-1855), philosopher; Karl Marx (1818-1883), philosopher; Elizabeth "Nellie Bly" Seaman (1867-1922), journalist; James Beard (1903-1985), cookbook author; Alice Faye (1912-), singer-actress, is 84; Tyrone Power (1913-1958), actor; Tammy Wynette (1942-), singer, is 54.

TODAY'S SPORTS: On this day in 1904, Boston pitcher Cy Young threw the American League's first perfect game, beating Philadelphia.

TODAY'S QUOTE: "When commercial capital occupies a position of unquestioned ascendancy, it everywhere constitutes a system of plunder." — Karl Marx

TODAY'S WEATHER: On this day in 1993, a severe dust storm killed 85 people and destroyed 1 million acres of crops in northwest China.

SOURCE: 1996 Weather Guide Calendar; Accord Publishing, Ltd.

TODAY'S MOON: Between full moon (May 3) and last quarter (May 10).

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Gaining weight

LOS ANGELES (AP) — David Letterman says he's traded his trademark stogies for another vice: overeating.

"I gave up smoking cigars about two months ago, and ever since then all I am is hungry," the "Late Show" host said recently. "All I want to do is eat. I just want to eat now. I can hardly wait to get off the phone."

He figures he put on about 5 pounds on a recent visit to San Francisco to prepare for the show's broadcasts there next week.

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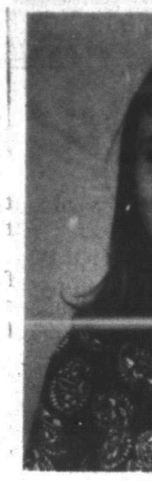
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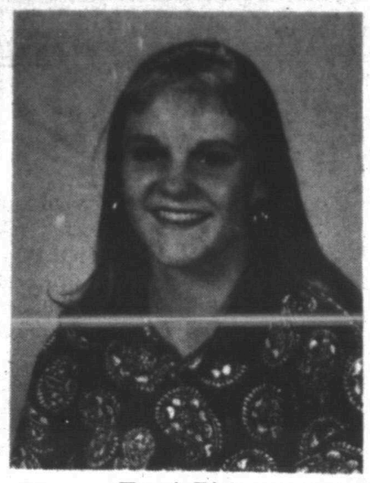
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Traci Eicke

Eicke receives National Award

Traci Eicke, Snyder High School student, has received a National Award in Student Council from the U.S. Achievement Academy.

She is the daughter of Arlie and Barbara Eicke and the granddaughter of Lavelle Eicke, all of Snyder. She is also the granddaughter of Roy and Wenona Martin of Warner, Okla.

Naturalist John Muir once contended that he was richer than millionaire E.H. Harriman because Muir had all the money he wanted and Harriman didn't.



NOW OPEN — Manager Kim Shannon, employee Jennifer McCain and Area Developer Allen Hall, left to right, announce the opening of a Blimpie submarine sandwich restaurant which has opened at the Plaza Truck Stop. (SDN Staff Photo)

First Presbyterian preparing to host May 10-11 meeting

The First Presbyterian Church will host the 74th stated meeting of the Palo Duro Presbytery on May 10 and 11.

Highlighting the meeting will be Marj Carpenter, moderator, general assembly, Presbyterian Church (USA) who will speak at the pre-Presbyterian event from 3:30-5:30 p.m. on Friday. She will also deliver the sermon at the worship service beginning at 7:30 p.m. Friday evening.

Carpenter is the highest elected official of the Presbyterian Church (USA), a 2.7 million member group. In the 10 months she has served as moderator, she has traveled to large and small Presbyterian pulpits and to remote and often perilous church outposts throughout the world.

Carpenter said, "I want to strengthen world mission, evangelism, church development, minority education and youth work."

Approximately 200 commissioners from Palo Duro Presbytery are expected to attend this event, including representatives from this area.

Palo Duro serves 60 churches in an area bounded by Wichita Falls, Eastland, Perryton and Colorado City.

Legend has it that Emperor Ferdinand I of Austria, who was insane, uttered but one cogent sentence during his reign: "I am the emperor, and I want dumplings."

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Blimpie now open for business here

A Blimpie submarine sandwich restaurant is open for business at the Plaza Truck Stop on the U.S. Highway 84 bypass.

Blimpie has more than a thousand restaurants nationally and is one of the leading submarine sandwich chains in the industry.

"We're proud to have the Snyder location as a new member of the Blimpie team," said Anthony Conza, president and founder of Blimpie International.

Hours will be from 10 a.m. to 10 p.m., seven days a week.

Manager for the Snyder restaurant is Kim Shannon.

Local franchise owner is National Fuel & Lubricants.

A grand opening will be scheduled soon.

Padre Island fire said contained

PADRE ISLAND (AP) — Weary firefighters controlled a blaze Friday that consumed hundreds of acres of Padre Island grassland made tinder-dry by drought conditions.

The Padre Island fire burned only grass, and remained miles from any buildings. No one was hurt.

Still, Port Aransas Fire Chief Dwight Kirkpatrick warned that summer might bring more problems.

The grass that burned on Padre Island was so dry that flames at times surprised firefighters by burning backward, pushing against strong southeasterly winds instead of being driven forward by the breeze.

Firefighters faced "firestorm" conditions at points, officials said.

John Quincy Adams had a billiard table installed in the White House but then had to pay for it personally when a public outcry arose.

May Day!

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It is with mixed emotions that we make this announcement. After having greeted friends and customers at the Lota' Burger for 41 years in Snyder, the time has come for us to retire. We sold our business, April 30, 1996.

Snyder and the surrounding area has faithfully supported the Lota' Burger, and God has blessed our efforts to serve you to the best of our abilities. We want to thank each one of you who contributed to our business success. It has been a joy to be associated with you.

Our plans are to remain in Snyder, so we will look forward to seeing you around town, and to repeat the words from our window signs, "See You in Church on Sunday".

May God bless you richly,
Don and Sara Gressett

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Russian visitors observe life in Snyder

By Shirley A. Gorman
News Editor

The cultural gap between the United States and Russia was bridged last week when two entrepreneurs from Saint Petersburg visited Snyder.

Arkadiy Paren and Ilia Kablinskiy spent several days immersing themselves in Snyder's small-town lifestyle, something they both said they enjoyed very much.

The Russians were gathering information about small town businesses because they hope to open a clothing store in Saint Petersburg similar to Bar-H-Bar Family Outfitters. Store owner Keith Hackfeld served as their host.

Paren served as spokesman for the duo since Kablinskiy does not speak English. A mutal friend put the pair in touch with Hackfeld.

Though they plan to start off small, Paren said they are considering a chain of stores for the future. He added that jeans, but not a complete line of western clothing, are currently available in Saint Petersburg.

Since the introduction of country and western music in Saint Petersburg nearly four years ago, Paren's interest has grown and he now wants to gradually introduce fellow Russians to all aspects of the culture, from clothes to music.

He also scripts and tapes a twice-weekly country and western music program which airs on an independent radio station in Saint Petersburg.

Paren has visited the U.S. and Texas before; however he said this visit has allowed he and his friend to learn more about life in smaller cities.

Kablinskiy liked the openness and friendliness of Snyder residents. Referring to Snyder as a "small town" is almost a misnomer, Paren said, since in Russia small cities have from 100,000 to 200,000 residents and small towns are home to some 15,000 to 17,000 residents. Their cities are also more compact.

Kablinskiy was impressed with the level of services available here, such as numerous stores and gas stations, plus other enterprises.

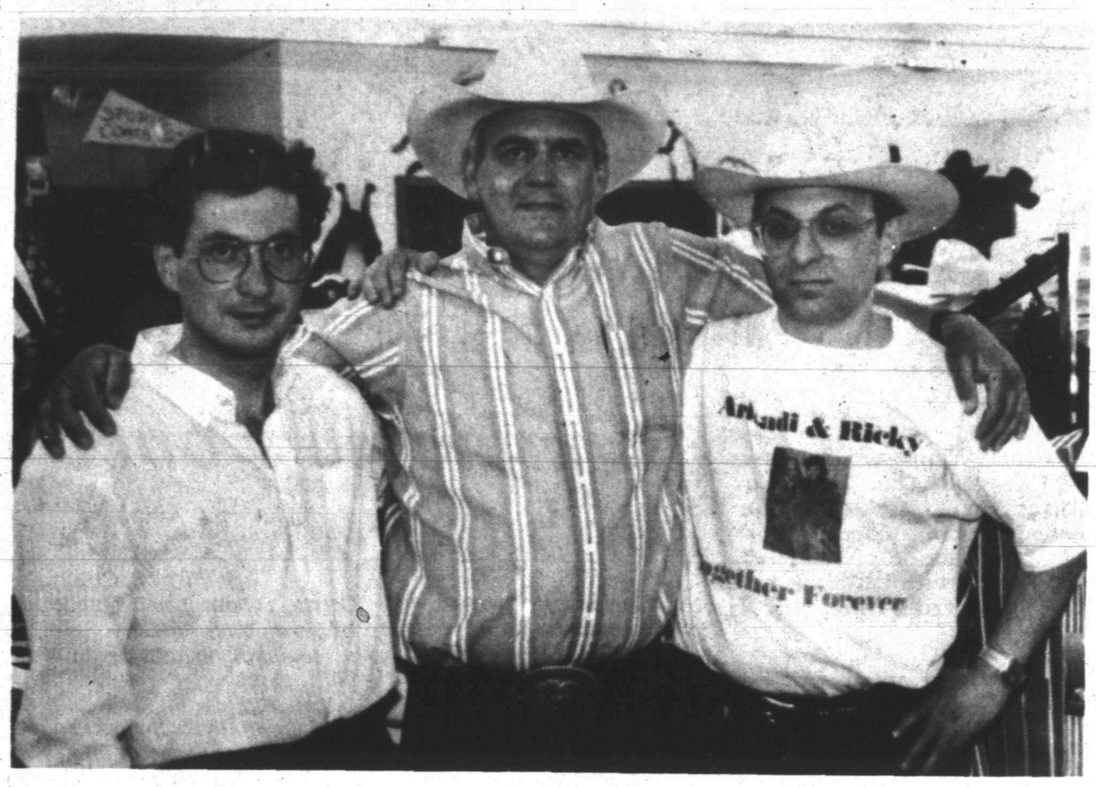
He carried a video camera at all times, filming every place they visited.

While in here, Paren was introduced to his first western omelet and Kablinskiy ate Mexican food for the first time.

The Russian duo also toured schools, ostrich farms and KSNY, which Paren said is the first radio station he has visited in the U.S.

Paren's other visit in Texas occurred in Longview, Gilmer and Dallas, but he said he prefers Snyder because it has a "less hectic" pace than larger cities.

The Russians arrived here on April 29 and left Friday for Hartford, Conn., where they will visit Paren's mother and sister.



RUSSIAN VISITORS — Keith Hackfeld, center, welcomed two Russian visitors to Snyder last week, Ilia Kablinskiy, left, and Arkadiy Paren, both of Saint Petersburg. The Russians are interested in opening a country and western clothing store in Saint Petersburg. (SDN Staff Photo)

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Nationwide alert issued by the FBI

SPOKANE, Wash. (AP) — A nationwide FBI alert warns that militia extremists plan to wage war on the government and the media if the Freemen are attacked, The Spokesman-Review reported Friday.

The April 23 bulletin to police agencies included the text of a militia plan, called "Project Worst Nightmare," that would be carried out if the government attacks any militia leaders, the paper said.

"In the event that the military is used, or militia leaders are assaulted, all commands must be prepared to act," the plan states.

The plan urged followers of the right-wing extremist movement to begin drawing plans to "shut federal operations down" by targeting military fuel depots, federal satellite centers, senior federal law enforcement officials and others.

It also calls for members to "secure or destroy media installations that are not providing the people with what is really going on."

The text, which the FBI said was received by several of its offices at about the same time, contends the government plans to use the 40-day-old Freemen standoff to force an all-out confrontation with militias.

The newspaper quoted anonymous sources who said the militia plan was issued March 28, three days after the FBI arrested two leaders of the anti-government Freemen at Jordan, Mont.

No FBI action or negotiations occurred during the 40th day of the standoff.

Financial Focus

After months of cheering the stock market as it climbed to record heights, some individual investors are now taking up a new sport. They're bear watching.

Some people thought they saw a bear on March 9, when the Dow Jones Industrial Average dropped 171 points in one day. But it turned out to be a false alarm, as the market regained two-thirds of that loss the following trading day.

However, convinced that the stock market's upward trend won't continue forever (and it won't), nervous investors are looking for the arrival of a bear market.

Unfortunately, even those who make a living trying to predict the movements of the stock market are rarely accurate. It's true that most of the significant advances in the stock market will correct, and investors will see the value of their portfolios fall. But whether that will be in two weeks, two months or two years, no one can predict.

Rather than trying to make predictions, a wiser strategy might be to develop a plan that will protect you in the event of a stock market decline.

That plan should not include abandoning stock mutual funds. Since the early 1950's, there have been 14 bear markets (defined as periods when the Standard & Poor's 500 declines 15 percent or more). On average, during each of these declines the stock market fell 24 percent. Certainly, the thought of watching a $10,000 portfolio fall to $7,600 is not a pleasant one. However, on average, each of these prices had returned to where it was prior to the decline.

While no one enjoys watching the value of their investments fall, a period of eight or even 18 months is a very short span in the 20 or 30 years that most people spend investing. In addition, temporary declines in stock prices offer opportunities for investors to purchase shares of the best companies at reasonable prices.

If you want your portfolio to be in the best shape possible to weather a market decline, make sure you own good quality companies. While the stocks of strong companies are not immune from decline in a bear market, their prices typically do not fall as much as those of lesser-quality companies, and they generally rebound faster.

The stocks that are most vulnerable during market declines are those that have very high price-to-earnings ratios; in other words, the "hot" stocks of the day. Heavy concentrations of Internet stocks, for example, should probably be reduced and replaced by stocks in more reasonably valued industries.

The value of owning good quality stocks over long periods of time cannot be overstated. Only stocks offer the inflation protection and rising income potential you need to ensure that you don't outlive your savings. To realize their long-term rewards, however, stock owners must live through short-term declines. During those uncomfortable periods, remember, the worst thing a bear market can do is to scare you away from the investments you need the most.

Couple celebrates birth of conjoined twins

LOMA LINDA, Calif. (AP) — Parents of Siamese twins joined at the abdomen are celebrating the girls' birth, having overcome the initial shock of their children's medical condition.

Jeff and Michelle Roderick, both 29, say they are beaming with pride and still getting acquainted with the girls, Shawna Leilani and Janelle Kiana.

"This morning we attempted breast-feeding and they didn't do too bad," Mrs. Roderick said Friday. "We were able to use a bottle pretty well later."

The girls were delivered by Caesarean section Wednesday at Loma Linda University Medical Center. Facing each other and sharing liver tissue, they weighed a combined 11 pounds, 4.7 ounces at birth. Doctors hope to attempt a separation in a few months.

Conjoined twins occur when a fertilized egg fails to divide completely to form identical twins. They occur once in every 50,000 births.

"Normally, parents go through a grieving period for the perfect baby they wanted and didn't have," said Michelle Kling, a spokeswoman for the March of Dimes Birth Defects Foundation. "The response by these parents is extraordinary."

Mrs. Roderick said simply: "I'm a science teacher. If something can be learned from this, and people benefit by it, then why not show it?"

Mrs. Roderick said she was upset when she first learned in December that the twins were joined. "I was driving home alone, just crying and asking, 'Why? Why is this happening to us?'"

She drove to a prayer meeting, where friends rallied to her support. Then she broke the news to her husband.

"I said, 'Remember when the technician said she couldn't find during an earlier sonogram the babies' membrane? Well, it's because they're connected.' And he said, 'Well, we'll have to find out more about this.'"

The couple decided against abortion, and the girls were born with a good prognosis for successful separation.

"We've been double-blessed with these girls," Mrs. Roderick said. "There are parents out there who face so much more than what we're facing."

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OUTSTANDING VOLUNTEERS — Golden Apple Awards were presented to the outstanding parent volunteer from each of the seven Snyder ISD campuses. Honored at the Thursday night banquet were, from left, Vicki Best, junior high; Jackie Chorn, Stanfield; Brenda Chambers, Northeast; Rhonda Fletcher, Central; Loretta Lee, high school; Max Williams, West; and Dee Kemp, East. (SDN Staff Photo)

Eligible high school students may enroll in college courses

High school students who have completed their sophomore or junior year and passed all sections of the TAAS test are eligible to enroll in college courses at Western Texas College this summer.

Classes will be offered on the main campus in Snyder, as well as five area extension centers. All classes begin the week of May 28 and are transferable to other colleges. Schedules are available on the WTC campus and at the counselor's office at Snyder, Ira and Hermleigh high schools.

Students taking classes on the Snyder campus can choose from Computer Science 1301, Government 2305 or 2306, History 1301 or 1302, Math 1314, Philosophy 2306, Psychology 2301, Art 1313 or 1316, Economics 2301, English 1301, 1302, 2322 or 2326, Physical Education and Health 2102 or Speech 1321.

Also available are developmental classes in English, math and reading, and vocational classes in Golf and Landscape Technology and Office Systems Technology.

Schedules are available by calling the WTC office.

Registration for early admission students will take place at Hermleigh High School on May 6 from 3:30-5 p.m., at Snyder High School on May 7 from 3:30-5 p.m. and at Ira High School on May 16 from 3:15-5 p.m.

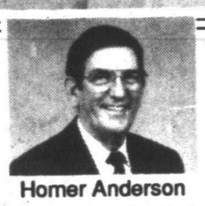
All other students may register on the WTC campus on Tuesday, May 28. Students taking 8 a.m. classes may register from 7:15-8. All others may register from 8 until 11:30 a.m., 1-4:30 p.m. and 5-6 o'clock.

Students should bring an early admission form available from the counselor's office; high school transcript; TASP, ACT or SAT scores; driver's license; Social Security card; college transcript of any courses taken at other colleges; and payment of tuition and fees.

For futher information, call WTC at 573-8511.



SHS WINNERS — These Snyder High School students recently won awards during Western Texas College's Social Science Contest. From left, front row, Anthony Martinez, John Purcell, Gainey Johnson; back row, Scott Hall, Tim Burrow, Jeff Knowles and Coach Ben Reed, sponsor. (SDN Staff Photo)



Homer Anderson

BE CONCERNED FOR THE LOST

We must constantly remember that every person is lost without Jesus Christ. Jesus came "to seek and to save that which was lost" **(Luke 19:10).** It is selfish and sinful for those who have been freed not to share the good news with others **(John 8:31-32).** Jesus said, "Go ye into all the world, and preach the gospel to every creature. He that believeth and is baptized shall be saved; but he that believeth not shall be damned" **(Mark 16:15-16).** It's like knowing that someone has a dreaded disease and you know the cure, and yet will not share it with that person. People are lost because of sin, and the love of God should prompt you to relate to them God's plan of salvation.

If you have obeyed Jesus Christ you should be walking by faith seeking to glorify God **(2 Cor 5:7; John 15:8).** Please search the Word of God and continue to live for Christ that others may see your good works and glorify the Father in heaven. This is the joy of daily Christian living.

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Topless dancing will continue

DALLAS (AP) — Topless dancing will continue in the clubs along Bachman Lake after the 5th U.S. Circuit Court of Appeals struck down part of a city ordinance dealing with the dancers' dress code, television station KXAS reported.

After pressure from the neighborhood, the Dallas City Council passed an ordinance to control the strip-club business around the lake.

But the federal appeals court Friday ruled that part of the ordinance was unconstitutional.

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SPORTS

Successful season ends for Lady Tigers in regional semifinals, 7-6

By Brent Taylor
Sports Editor

MIDLAND—A two-run homer in the bottom of the sixth proved to be the difference Friday as the Andrews Lady Mustangs took a one-run regional semifinal win away from the Snyder Lady Tigers at the Bill Williams Softball Complex.

Snyder rallied in the top of the seventh and scored two runs, but Adrienne Bailey flied out to third with the tying run on second to end the game with Andrews on top, 7-6.

The see-saw contest, played in blistering heat, was a mirror of two earlier games between the two teams. Both were decided by one run. Temperatures were in the upper 90s at game time.

"We just didn't have it today," said a dejected coach Billy Hicks following the game. "I don't think the heat had anything to do with it. We are two very even teams and they just wanted it a little more than we did."

Leading 5-4 going into the bottom of the sixth, Andrews got leadoff hitter Tara McDonald on with a single. Two batters latter, Holly Fields sent a shot over the left-field fence to give the Lady Mustangs a 7-4 lead. The Snyder defense held and got the next two batters out.

All that was left for Snyder to do in the top of the seventh was to come up with three runs to tie or four to go ahead and stop Andrews in the bottom of the seventh. For a few minutes, it looked like that might happen.

Jodi White started the inning with a single to keep her 24-game hitting streak intact, but was forced out at second when Mendy Winter hit into a fielder's choice. Joanie Wemken reached base on an error and the Lady Tigers looked in good shape with two on and one out.

Raechele Wemken then popped out to second before Connie Payne reached first with an overthrow, allowing Winter and Joanie Wemken to score, but Andrews was able to get out of the inning without any futher damage.

Andrews started the scoring in the bottom of the first with one run, but Snyder took the lead with two in the second. Bailey walked to start the inning and Julie Lang followed with a fielder's choice, allowing Bailey to score. Shawn Purcell hit into a sacrifice fly to bring in Lang.

The Lady Mustangs would come back and tie the game in the second, but the never-say-die Lady Tigers regained a slim margin in the third. Payne reached first on a walk and Lang singled two batters later. Payne was able to score on a throwing error by Andrews to make the score 3-2, Snyder.

In the bottom of the third, the Lady Mustangs regained the lead with two runs, 4-3. The fourth inning was scoreless with both teams going three-up, three-down.

In the fifth, Raechele Wemken beat out a high hopper and would eventually score on a passed ball to tie the game for the final time at 4. Andrews regained the lead for good with one run in the bottom of the fifth.

Snyder freshman pitcher Brittany Drummond suffered the loss on the hill, allowing seven runs on 10 hits, striking out three and walking five.

Jackie Ortega was credited with the win for the Lady Mustangs. Ortega allowed six runs on four hits. She struck out seven and walked three.

Andrews will now face Brownwood in the regional finals at a date and time to be decided.

Snyder ends the season 21-12 while Andrews improves to 17-8.

In reflecting over the year, "Everybody learned a lot, including how to get along with each other, including coaches and players," said an emotional Hicks. "We had a lot of friction early in the season, but we came together and decided to play ball."

"We played a tough schedule and it helped us improve."

Snyder seniors include Julie Lang, Mendy Winter, Sharon Gulseth, Lochie Applin, Jodi White, Adrienne Bailey and Connie Payne.

ANDREWS 7, SNYDER 6

Snyder	021 010 2 — 6	4	3
Andrews	112 012 x — 7	10	5

Drummond and Wemken; Ortega and Hill. WP-Ortega. LP-Drummond. 2B-Andrews, McDonald. HR-Andrews, Fields (6). Records: Snyder 21-12, Andrews 17-8.

SDN SPORTS WEEK

BASEBALL

Tuesday: Westbrook at Hermleigh, 5:00
Friday: Bi-district playoff, Snyder vs. Granbury, Game 1 7:30 in Graham
Westbrook at Ira, 5:00
Aspermont at Hermleigh, 5:00
Saturday: Bi-district playoff, Snyder vs. Granbury, Game 2 1:00, Game 3 if needed, following

GOLF

Sunday: Snyder Country Club WGA, 1:30
Sunday Couples
Monday: Snyder High, State Tournament, Roy Kizer Golf Course, Austin
Western Texas College MGA, 6:00
Tuesday: Snyder High, State Tournament, Roy Kizer Golf Course, Austin
Snyder Country Club WGA, 9:00
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Thursday: Snyder Country Club MGA, 5:30
Friday: Snyder Country Club WGA, Swingers

TRACK

Thursday - Saturday: State Meet, Memorial Stadium, University of Texas, Austin

RODEO

Friday-Saturday: AJRA Rodeo (Directors Rodeo), Scurry County Rodeo Arena

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East Division

	W	L	Pct.	GB
NewYork	16	10	.615	—
Baltimore	15	13	.536	2
Toronto	13	14	.481	3½
Detroit	10	20	.333	8
Boston	8	19	.296	8½

Central Division

	W	L	Pct.	GB
Cleveland	19	8	.704	—
Chicago	15	13	.536	4½
Minnesota	14	13	.519	5
Milwaukee	12	15	.444	7
KansasCity	10	19	.345	10

West Division

	W	L	Pct.	GB
Texas	18	11	.621	—
California	16	12	.571	1½
Seattle	16	13	.552	2
Oakland	13	15	.464	4½

Thursday's Games
Toronto 7, Milwaukee 5
California 3, Oakland 1
Detroit 5, Texas 2
New York 5, Chicago 1
Cleveland 6, Seattle 3, susp., 6½ innings, earthquake
Only games scheduled

Friday's Games
Cleveland 6, Seattle 4, comp of susp. game
Texas 11, Detroit 0
Baltimore 8, Milwaukee 2
New York 2, Chicago 0
Kansas City 3, Oakland 1
California 4, Minnesota 1
Cleveland 5, Seattle 2
Boston 6, Toronto 1, susp., 6 innings, curfew

Saturday's Games
Toronto at Boston, comp. of susp. game, 12:05 p.m.
Toronto (Viola 0-1) at Boston (Gordon 1-2)
Texas (Pavlik 3-0) at Detroit (Gohr 1-3), 1:15 p.m.
Milwaukee (Sparks 1-3) at Baltimore (Mussina 3-2), 1:35 p.m.
Chicago (Alvarez 1-2) at New York (Key 1-3), 1:35 p.m.
Oakland (Wojciechowski 2-0) at Kansas City (Gubicza 2-3), 8:05 p.m.
Minnesota (Rodriguez 2-2) at California (Grimsley 1-1), 10:05 p.m.
Cleveland (Lopez 1-0) at Seattle (Menhart 0-2), 10:05 p.m.

Sunday's Games
Toronto (Hentgen 3-2) at Boston (Wakefield 2-3), 1:05 p.m.
Texas (Gross 3-3) at Detroit (Lima 0-1), 1:15 p.m.
Milwaukee (McDonald 3-1) at Baltimore (Merker 2-1), 1:35 p.m.
Chicago (Tapani 2-0) at New York (Pettitte 4-1), 1:35 p.m.
Oakland (Prieto 1-2) at Kansas City (Haney 0-4), 2:35 p.m.
Minnesota (Parra 0-0) at California (Langston 2-1), 4:05 p.m.
Cleveland (Martinez 4-2) at Seattle (Bosio 3-1), 4:35 p.m.

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East Division

	W	L	Pct.	GB
Montreal	18	11	.621	—
Philadelphia	16	11	.593	1
Atlanta	16	13	.552	2
NewYork	12	15	.444	5
Florida	11	19	.367	7½

Central Division

	W	L	Pct.	GB
Chicago	15	14	.517	—
Houston	15	14	.517	—
Pittsburgh	13	15	.464	1½
St.Louis	13	16	.448	2
Cincinnati	10	17	.370	4

West Division

	W	L	Pct.	GB
SanDiego	18	11	.621	—
LosAngeles	15	15	.500	3½
SanFrancisco	14	14	.500	3½
Colorado	13	14	.481	4

Thursday's Game
Philadelphia 2, Florida 0
Only game scheduled

Friday's Games
Chicago 4, New York 2
Los Angeles 10, Pittsburgh 1
Philadelphia 6, Atlanta 3
Houston 4, Montreal 1
Colorado 9, Florida 5
St. Louis 3, San Diego 1
Cincinnati 5, San Francisco 3

Saturday's Games
New York (Jones 1-1) at Chicago (Castillo 1-2), 2:20 p.m.
Florida (Hammond 1-4) at Colorado (Freeman 2-2), 3:05 p.m.
Cincinnati (Salkeld 1-0) at San Francisco (Leiter 2-3), 4:05 p.m.
Los Angeles (Candiotti 1-2) at Pittsburgh (Wagner 3-2), 7:05 p.m.
Philadelphia (Mimbs 0-0) at Atlanta (Glavine 2-3), 7:10 p.m.
Montreal (Rueter 2-1) at Houston (Kile 3-2), 8:05 p.m.
St. Louis (Stottlemyre 1-2) at San Diego (Bergman 2-2), 10:05 p.m.

Sunday's Games
Philadelphia (M.Williams 0-2) at Atlanta (Smoltz 5-1), 1:10 p.m.
Los Angeles (Valdes 2-1) at Pittsburgh (Neagle 3-1), 1:35 p.m.
New York (Harnisch 2-2) at Chicago (Foster 3-2), 2:20 p.m.
Montreal (Fassero 1-3) at Houston (Brocail 1-2), 2:35 p.m.
Florida (Rapp 1-3) at Colorado (Ritz 1-3), 3:05 p.m.
St. Louis (Al.Benes 3-1) at San Diego (Hamilton 5-1), 4:05 p.m.
Cincinnati (Smiley 1-3) at San Francisco (VanLandingham 1-4), 8:05 p.m.



READY TO REACT—The Snyder Lady Tigers were eliminated from the state playoffs Friday in Midland by the Lady Mustangs of Andrews, 7-6. Snyder first baseman Connie Payne (L) and second baseman Jodi White are two of the Lady Tigers' seven seniors who close out their careers. (SDN Staff Photo by Brent Taylor)

TAYLOR MADE

By Brent Taylor
Sports Editor

What a year for Snyder High School sports. The list of teams making the playoffs continues to get longer.

To review, the volleyball team made it to the regional semifinals, football to bi-district, team tennis to the regional tournament, and that was all before Christmas.

This spring, tennis had four players qualify for the regional tournament, while track put six in the regional meet with Matthew Fambro advancing to the state meet Friday and Saturday in Austin.

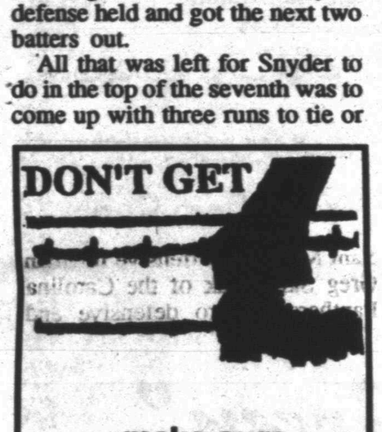
The golf teams also made it to regionals with the girls team of Alissa Wells, Kayla Drain, Daysha Weaver, Julie Doolittle and Keisha Gafford left town Saturday for the state tournament in Austin. Page Patterson will also be making the trip by finished as the second medalist in the region.

In only its second year of play, the Lady Tiger softball team made it to the regional semifinals before bowing out to Andrews Friday night, 7-6.

The Tiger baseball team is waiting for its bi-district series with Granbury Friday.

All-in-all, a great year for SHS sports.

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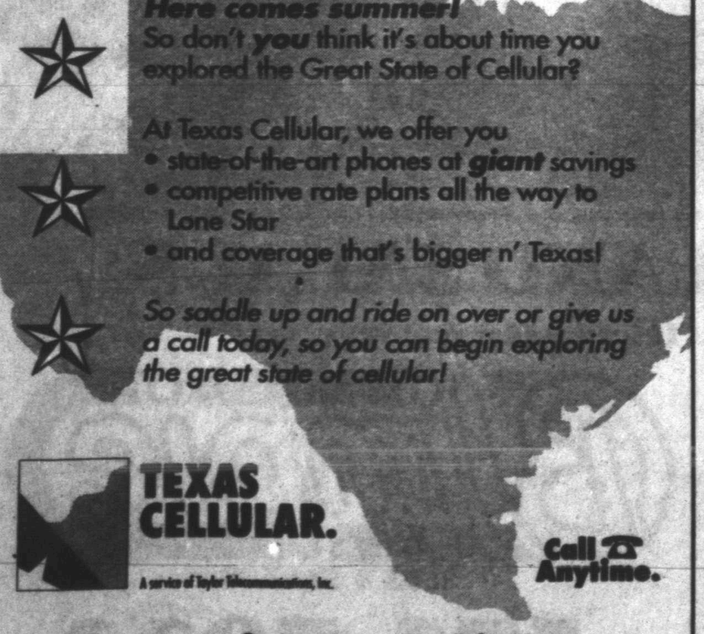


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SPORTS



STATE BOUND—The Snyder High School Lady Tiger golfers will be taking part in the UIL State Golf Tournament Monday and Tuesday in Austin. The tournament will be played on the Roy Kizer golf course. Shown left to right are coach Matt Glenn, Misty Williams alternate, Kayla Drain, Keisha Gafford, Alissa Wells, Julie Doolittle and Daysha Weaver. (SDN Staff Photo)

Tiger golfers ready for state meet on Roy Kizer course

Snyder High School Lady Tiger golf team, along with Tiger golfer Page Patterson, will be taking part in the UIL State Golf Tournament Monday and Tuesday at the Roy Kizer Golf Course in Austin.

The girls' team consist of Alissa Wells, Kayla Drain, Daysha Weaver, Julie Doolittle and Keisha Gafford.

"This has been a cinderella year," SHS golf coach Matt Glenn said. "We lost three seniors from the girls' team last year, but got three rookies to take their place. No one expected us to be on the way to Austin again."

As far as Patterson, "The Pager has peaked at the right time. He is playing the best golf of his life the last two weeks. He didn't play well in the fall or the first of spring, but he is now," Glenn added.

Patterson was the number two golfer on the boys' team during the year.

Glenn concluded, "It's great for our golfers to be in a position for competing for a state title."



STATE GOLFER—Page Patterson will be representing Snyder High School Monday and Tuesday at the state golf tournament being played at the Roy Kizer golf course in Austin. Patterson qualified by finishing second in the medalist race at the regional tournament. (SDN Staff Photo)

Spurs outmuscle Suns to take series Friday

PHOENIX (AP) — The San Antonio Spurs, who came into the playoffs with accusations of being "soft" and "nice" ringing in their ears, have no detractors among the Phoenix Suns.

The Spurs outmuscled, outran and outshot the Suns in their first-round playoff series, winning three of four games.

After San Antonio wrapped it up with a 116-98 victory over the Suns on Friday night, coach Bob Hill said: "I'm surprised we won by so much, but I'm not surprised we won."

The Spurs are clearly as strong as last season, when they reached the Western Conference finals for the first time. They outrebounded the Suns 47-30 and hit 57 percent of their shots to the Suns' 45 percent.

David Robinson had 30 points and 13 rebounds, and Vinny Del Negro added 25 points.

The Spurs, who lost their six previous playoff games in Phoenix, will meet the winner of the Portland-Utah series in the second round. San Antonio had a 3-1 edge on both teams in the regular season.

Only one playoff game was scheduled today — Houston at Seattle in the opener of their best-of-7 second-round series.

On Sunday, it's Atlanta at Indiana and Portland at Utah in the fifth and deciding games of those first-round series. Also, New York visits Chicago in the first game of that second-round matchup.

Orlando, which swept Detroit in the opening round, will play the Atlanta-Indiana winner.

Del Negro, who set a career playoff high with 29 points in Game 1, scored nine points in the third quarter while the Spurs were outscoring the Suns 33-18. San Antonio made 14 of 21 shots in the period to stretch a one-point halftime lead to 85-69.

"Every game we played, we never had a run, and it finally happened," Robinson said. "We started shooting the ball well and rebounding. Tonight that was the key."

Del Negro finished 10-of-15 from the field, and set a team playoff record with five 3-pointers in seven tries.

San Antonio's 10 3-pointers also set a team record.

"You either 'double' David and give us outside shots or stay home and take your chances with him one-on-one. It's pick your poison," Del Negro said. "Whenever they went with a double-team, Avery (Johnson) swung the ball outside, and I was wide open."

"They had a hard time keeping me out of the lane," said Johnson, who had 15 points and 13 assists. "I was making layups or finding Vinny for jump shots."

Charles Barkley led the Suns with 21 points and nine rebounds, but was only 6-of-15 from the field. Reserve Chris Carr added 17 points for Phoenix, which was 41-41 in the regular season.

"It's no fun to lose in the first round," Barkley said, "and it's no fun to play on a .500 team."

Barkley said he plans to play next season, but isn't sure where. He called himself "one of the Suns' few tradeable options" and said he would understand if the team tried to deal him in the offseason.

Carr had 13 points in 12 minutes in the first half, then played only eight minutes in the second. He wasn't told why.

"Cotton Fitzsimmons doesn't have to justify why he does anything," the second-round draft pick said. "I just have to stay ready, stay focused and ready to go into the game."

The Spurs led 52-51 at halftime after a tight first half in which neither team led by more than four points. But in the third, the Spurs opened an 11-point lead before the Suns closed to 67-61.

Then San Antonio finished the period with an 18-8 run marked by Del Negro's back-to-back 3-pointers in the final minute.

The game was very physical underneath, with Charles Smith getting into several confrontations with the Suns. Barkley elbowed Smith in the back at one point, and Smith responded with a push. Both players were given technical fouls.

Later, Smith drew a flagrant foul from John Williams. Smith missed both shots, but 44 seconds later he blocked Barkley's layup attempt on a fast break, knocking the Suns' star to the floor without drawing a foul.

Robinson's three-point play early in the fourth quarter gave the Spurs a 94-71 lead, and they cruised the rest of the way.

Transactions

By The Associated Press
Friday's Sports Transactions

BASEBALL

National League

HOUSTON ASTROS—Announced the extension of the club's spring training and minor league lease at Osceola County Stadium through 1997.

FOOTBALL

National Football League

ATLANTA FALCONS—Signed LB David Brandon.

CAROLINA PANTHERS—Agreed to terms with LB Kevin Greene on a two-year contract.

DENVER BRONCOS—Agreed to terms with WR Mike Sherrard on a four-year contract. Signed DL Broderick Roberson, DT Derrick Lillard, DT Mark Krichbaum, LB Jason Hairston, DE Roosevelt Collins, and FB Del Graven.

HOUSTON OILERS—Agreed to terms with RB Ronnie Harmon.

NATIONAL BASKETBALL ASSOCIATION

By The Associated Press
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All Times EDT

First Round
(Best-of-5)

Thursday, April 25
New York 106, Cleveland 83
Atlanta 92, Indiana 80
Utah 110, Portland 102
Houston 87, L.A. Lakers 83

Friday, April 26
Orlando 112, Detroit 92
San Antonio 120, Phoenix 98
Chicago 102, Miami 85
Seattle 97, Sacramento 85

Saturday, April 27
New York 84, Cleveland 80
L.A. Lakers 104, Houston 94
Indiana 102, Atlanta 94, OT
Utah 105, Portland 90

Sunday, April 28
Orlando 92, Detroit 77
San Antonio 110, Phoenix 105
Chicago 106, Miami 75
Sacramento 90, Seattle 81

Monday, April 29
Atlanta 90, Indiana 83
Portland 94, Utah 91, OT

Tuesday, April 30
Orlando 101, Detroit 98, Orlando wins series 3-0
Houston 104, L.A. Lakers 96
Seattle 96, Sacramento 89

Wednesday, May 1
New York 81, Cleveland 76, New York wins series 3-0
Chicago 112, Miami 91, Chicago wins series 3-0
Portland 98, Utah 90, series tied 2-2
Phoenix 94, San Antonio 93

Thursday, May 2
Indiana 83, Atlanta 75, series tied 2-2
Houston 102, L.A. Lakers 94, Houston wins series 3-1
Seattle 101, Sacramento 87, Seattle wins series 3-1

Friday, May 3
San Antonio 116, Phoenix 98, San Antonio wins series 3-1

Saturday, May 4
Second Round
Houston at Seattle, 3:30 p.m., (NBC)

Sunday, May 5
First Round
Atlanta at Indiana, 1 p.m., (NBC)
Portland at Utah, 3 p.m., (NBC)
Second Round
New York at Chicago, 5:30 p.m., (NBC)

Monday, May 6
Second Round
Houston at Seattle, 9 p.m., (TNT)

Tuesday, May 7
Second Round
New York at Chicago, TBA, (TNT)

Friday, May 10
Second Round
Seattle at Houston, TBA, (TNT)

Saturday, May 11
Second Round
Chicago at New York, 1 p.m. (NBC)

Sunday, May 12
Second Round
Seattle at Houston, TBA, (TNT)
Chicago at New York, 5:30 p.m. (NBC)

OLYMPICS

U.S. Olympic Committee

USOC—Named Karin Buchholz director of athlete development programs.

COLLEGE

ARKANSAS—Named Anne Goodman James women's swimming coach.

CONCORDIA, CALIF.—Announced the resignation of Curt Cattau, softball coach.

DUQUESNE—Announced Matt Curley, basketball forward, is leaving school to enroll at Boston University.

IOWA—Announced Stacy Frese, basketball guard, will transfer.

MICHIGAN—Named Scott Trost men's assistant basketball coach.

Lawrence Taylor arrested in drug sting operation

MYRTLE BEACH, S.C. (AP) — Retired All-Pro linebacker Lawrence Taylor was still planning to play golf in a celebrity tournament today, less than 24 hours after he was charged in a drug sting.

Taylor, 37, was arrested Friday night when he tried to buy $100 worth of crack cocaine from undercover agents, authorities said.

"He made no comment about who he was," said Capt. Sam Hendrick of the Myrtle Beach Police Department. "He didn't give us any problems."

Taylor was booked along with 17 other people, said Hugh Munn, spokesman for the State Law Enforcement Division.

He was in custody for about an hour before paying a $5,000 surety bond.

"Is this going to be in the newspapers?" Taylor later asked The Sun News of Myrtle Beach. "You don't know what I'm going through. You don't know what I'm going through."

Taylor said personal problems led to Friday night's incident.

"In New York, they are calling me dead-beat dad," he told the newspaper for a story today. "Nobody loves their kids more than I do. My whole world seems like it's in the (toilet). Well, it's going to be in the (toilet) now."

Taylor later autographed footballs and pictures at Yesterday's NightLife during a celebrity auction, auctioneer Thomas Gardiner told The Sun News.

Gardiner, general manager of the Yachtsman hotel, where Taylor was staying, said Taylor still planned to play in today's fund-raiser.

The Addy's Harbor Dodge Celebrity Golf Extravaganza is being held at Wild Wing Plantation on U.S. Highway 501 between Conway and Myrtle Beach. The proceeds go to the Horry County Special Olympics.

Taylor, a former New York Giants star, retired after the 1993 season. He was a first-round draft pick in 1981 out of North Carolina, the second player chosen overall, and led the team to two Super Bowl titles.

Other celebrities in the golf fund-raiser include former NFL greats L.C. Greenwood; quarterback Kerry Collins, linebacker Sam Mills and offensive lineman Greg Skrepenak of the Carolina Panthers; all-pro defensive end Chester McGlockton of the Oakland Raiders; Heisman Trophy winner George Rogers; South Carolina football coach Brad Scott; and former Gamecocks quarterback Steve Taneyhill.

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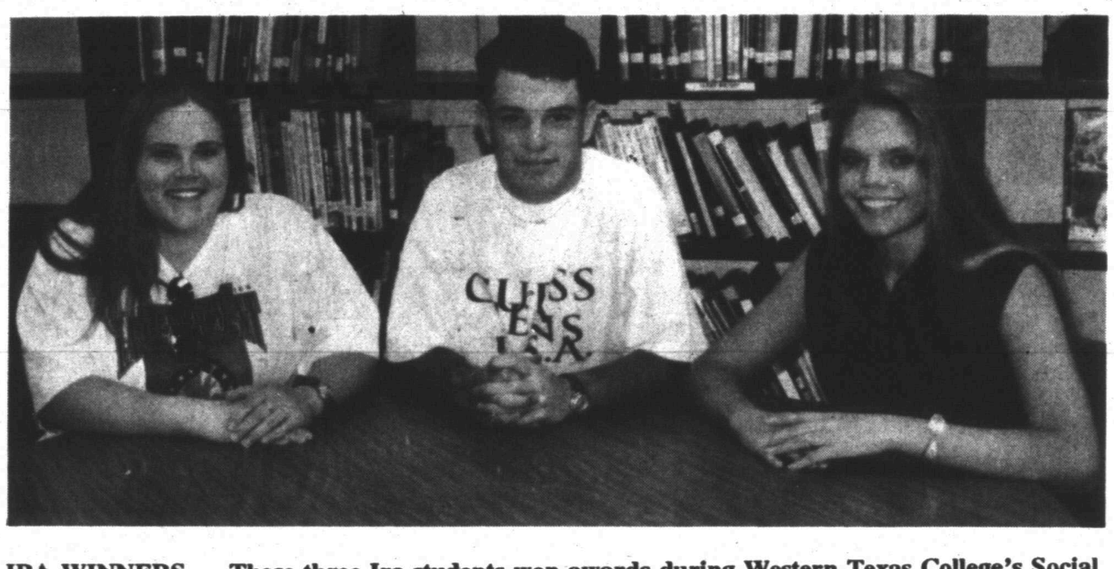




VARSITY CHEERLEADERS — Snyder High School varsity cheerleaders for 1996-1997 include from left, bottom row, Mary Higby, April Baker, Jennifer Seabourn, Elyse Merritt, Lisa McNair; top row, Michelle Lewallen, Keri Kemp, Jessica Hodges (mascot) and Karomy Drum. (SDN Staff Photo)

JV CHEERLEADERS — Snyder High School junior varsity cheerleaders for 1996-1997 are from left, top row, Mary Hollis, K.K. McClain and Starla Davis; bottom row, Ashley Herrera, Shannon Hall and Ashley Grimmett. (SDN Staff Photo)

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IRA WINNERS — These three Ira students won awards during Western Texas College's Social Science Contest. From left, Misty Chance, Judd Rogers and Jessica Williams. (SDN Staff Photo)

Scott's testimony postponed

NEW YORK (AP) — George C. Scott will not have to testify in a $3.1 million sexual harassment suit until he undergoes surgery for what his doctor called a life-threatening aneurysm, a judge ruled Friday.

Judge Alice Schlesinger issued her decision after reviewing testimony from Dr. Jeff Harris of Malibu, Calif., who wrote in an affidavit that the stress of testifying could cause Scott's aneurysm to burst and kill him.

"I see little, if any, prejudice to this plaintiff in letting this matter proceed on its normal course," Schlesinger ruled after a brief hearing on the suit filed by Julie Wright.

The decision came as Scott, 68, was flying cross-country to see Harris. Scott has been appearing on Broadway in a revival of "Inherit the Wind."

Scott has an aortic aneurysm that has grown in size in recent years, Harris wrote in the affidavit. An aneurysm is a dangerous enlargement of a blood vessel.

Wright's attorney, Mark Alonso, wanted the Oscar-winning "Patton" star questioned before he underwent surgery that he called "potentially life-threatening." But Scott's doctor said today that the survival rate for the surgery is "90-98 percent."

The lawsuit, filed Thursday, said Wright, 26, was supposed to run errands for the actor and his estranged wife, make appointments and answer fan mail. She worked as his $1,500-a-week personal assistant from Feb. 18 to April 30.

Wright alleged in court papers that Scott subjected her to offensive remarks and groping.

She said that when she asked him, a week into the job, if there was anything he needed, he answered: 'I need a pack of Lucky's, call up room service for eight bottles of Bud and a bottle of Smirnoff, and now for the real question: Will you have my baby?'''

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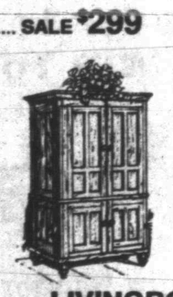


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Plans underway for next United Way effort

Scurry County United Way Planning and Allocations Committee has formulated guidelines, deadlines and dates to begin preparing for the 1996-97 United Way Campaign to support non-profit agencies in Scurry County.

Additional monies have come in to make the 1995-96 campaign 94 percent complete.

Agencies wishing to be considered for the 1996-97 year should call 915-573-5311 and leave a message. Your call will be returned.

Applications will be mailed out to agencies on May 8, and the deadline for returning applications will be May 20. The applications will be reviewed on May 23, and on June 3 agencies' representatives will have an opportunity to speak before the Planning and Allocation Committee.

At the monthly board of directors meeting on June 10, the Scurry County United Way Planning and Allocation Committee will make recommendations for agencies to be included in the fall campaign for 1996-97.

Scurry County United Way pledges to:

A. Operate under the management of a responsible and representative board of directors.

B. Keep its accounts open to inspection by an approved representative of the board of directors of any participating agency.

C. Agree that all acts of the Planning and Allocations Committee be subject to final approval of the board of directors.

D. Provide a hearing on any matter at the request of any participating agency.

E. Respect the autonomy of participating agencies.

F. Distribute two times per year to each participating agency its approved allocation.

G. Allow a contributor to the United Way of Scurry County to designate his or her contribution to a particular agency.

Scurry County United Way agencies will agree to:

A. Operate under the management of a responsible and representative board of directors that meets at least twice a year.

B. Conduct a year-round public relations program which will include indentification as a United Way participating agency. The United Way of Scurry County will lend its assistance to all participating agencies in its public relations program.

C. Actively participate in the annual Scurry County United Way campaign through its board of directors and employed staff.

D. Cooperate with other Scurry County United Way participating agencies and non-United Way agencies and organizations to prevent duplication of efforts, promote efficient administration and jointly plan to meet the critical needs of the community.

E. Submit to the United Way of Scurry County quarterly reports in form and substance with those submitted to the participating agencies board of directors, including detailed statements of all support, revenue and expenses.

F. The agency will submit its proposed operating budget and program description for the coming calendar year to the Allocation Review Committee. The proposed budget will show in detail the amount and source of all anticipated support/revenue and a detailed line-item report of all proposed expenditures. The proposed budget will be approved by the participating agencies board of directors prior to submission to the United Way of Scurry County.

G. The participating agency will cooperate in an annual budget and a program review process administered by the United Way of Scurry County Planning and Allocation Committee and provide adequate documentation to support the allocation request for the coming year.

H. Submit annually to the United Way of Scurry County an annual audit or a CPA review prepared by an independent certified public accountant or firm.

I. Abide by the United Way of Scurry County's supplemental fund-raising policies for participating agencies.

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Teens charged in girl's slaying

SAN LUIS OBISPO, Calif. (AP) — Elyse Marie Pahler's photograph sits in a jelly jar on the spot where she was killed in what prosecutors say was a sacrifice to Satan. The photo shows a smiling girl, her blond hair drenched in sunlight.

To her three teen-age killers, she represented a "ticket to hell," prosecutors said Thursday.

Three boys took Elyse, 15, to a secluded eucalyptus grove about a quarter-mile from her home last summer, fed her drugs, raped her, cinched a belt around her neck to make it easier to stab her, and offered her up as the "ultimate sin against God," Deputy District Attorney Dan Bouchard said.

Royce E. Casey, 17, Jacob W. Delashmutt, 16, and Joseph Fiorella, 15, are already charged with her murder. This week, Bouchard amended those charges to include rape, torture, and conspiracy to commit murder, charges that could bolster the district attorney's attempt to have the youths tried as adults.

Hair rumpled, his face looking even younger than his 15 years, Fiorella glanced nervously at photographers during a hearing Saturday on the new charges. The only thing he said was to answer "yeah" twice when asked if he understood the proceedings. The other two boys had had hearings earlier in the week. All three remain in custody.

Elyse knew her killers by riding with them on the same school bus, Bouchard said.

Delashmutt, Fiorella and Elyse attended Arroyo Grande High School in this city 195 miles northwest of Los Angeles. Delashmutt was expelled from the school in September; Fiorella left in February to be schooled at home. Casey attended a nearby school.

The three stabbed the girl to death at what was believed to be an altar to Satan, Bouchard said. The boys "selected and stalked" Elyse believing that she was a virgin and that her sacrifice would earn them a "ticket to hell," he said.

Elyse disappeared July 22 and had been reported missing until Casey came forward and led authorities to her body on March 14, Bouchard said.

The girl left her house voluntarily the night she died, police said, although it wasn't clear where she was headed or at what point she encountered her killers. She died that night.

Casey's defense lawyer, Kevin McReynolds, said the allegations were exaggerated in an attempt to inflame public opinion.

"A lot of the allegations are grossly overstated and some of them are flatly without any factual support whatsoever," McReynolds said.

Fiorella's lawyer declined to comment Thursday. Delashmutt's attorney was unavailable for comment, his office said.

A hearing was set for June 12. If the teen-agers are tried as adults and the jury finds special circumstances, they face up to life without parole. If tried as juveniles, they face up to about seven years of juvenile detention, said Sandi Gibbons, a spokeswoman for the Los Angeles County district attorney's office.

The oldest of four children, Elyse was described by her family as being active in church and gifted in the arts.

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95 Mercury Cougar V8, AT., Silver w/ Grey Cloth & Leather, 14K mi., Loaded Was 16,995.... **Is 15,995**

95 Ford Crew Cab 4X4, Power Stroke Diesel, Auto., SOLD XLT Was 30,995.... **Is 29,995**
95 Mercury Cougar V8, AT., Lt. Green w/Green Cloth & Leather, Keyless Entry, 19K mi. Was 16,995.... **Is 15,995**
93 Cadillac Sedan Deville White w/ Grey Cloth, Extra Clean, Loaded-Out Car Was 16,995.... **Is 15,995**
95 Pontiac Grand Am SE 4 Dr., White w/Grey Int., 25K mi., V6, AT. Was 13,995.... **Is 12,995**
90 Mercury Sable GS 4 Dr., Only 63K mi., All Power, Tinted Windows, Nice Car Was 7,995..... **Is 6,995**
90 Mercury Cougar Vinyl Top, Chrome Rocker Panels, Luggage Rack, All Power Was 7,995..... **Is 6,995**
90 Lincoln Town Car Leather Int., Loaded Was 9,995..... **Is 8,995**
90 Chevy Lumina APV All the Buttons, Dual Air Was 7,995..... **Is 5,995**
92 Dodge Dakota Pickup 47K mi., White w/Brown Was 6,995..... **Is 5,995**
91 Ford Explorer XLT 4 Dr., T-Tone Sandalwood, Chrome Wheels, Luggage Rack Was 10,995..... **Is 9,995**
91 Ford Explorer XLT Red, Loaded, Chrome Wheels, Luggage Rack Was 10,995..... **Is 9,995**
88 GMC Suburban SLE Conv. 4 Capt. Chairs, Custom Wheels, Nice Truck Was 8,995..... **Is 7,495**
93 Nissan Pickup AM/FM/Cass., 64K mi., 5 Spd., Excellent Gas Mileage Was 7,995..... **Is 6,995**
95 Lincoln Town Car 22K mi., Red w/ Red Int., Digital Dash, Nice Car Was 24,995.... **Is 23,995**
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95 Ford Escort 2 Dr., 5 Spd., AM/FM/ Cass., Air, Tinted Windows, Custom Wheels Was 9,995..... **Is 8,995**
95 Pontiac Grand Am 2 Dr., Blue w/ Grey Int., V6, AT., Tilt/Cruise, Power Locks Was 12,995.... **Is 11,995**
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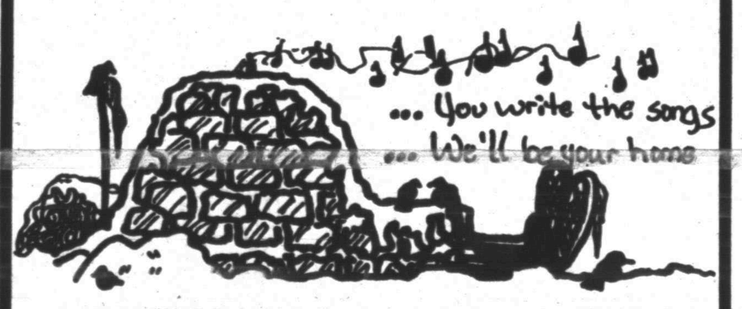
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2-1-1, utility room.
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3105 41st., 3-1-1, ch/a. 29.5T
2208 Ave. O, 2-2 + 2 lots.7.5T
4301 Lubbock, 3-2-2, fpl.56T
4506 Houston, 3-2-2, large lot, swimming pool. 105T
3-2-2½ Art Room, den, formal LR & DR, lg. lot.
Comm. Bldg., Lmsa. Hwy.35T
Apx. 3A at Hwy. 208 & 84.9.5T
3-2, 2 story. 35T
4500 Beaumont, 4-3-2. 89.5T
3706 Ave. U, 3-2, CH/A. 54T
2304 30th, 3-1. 30T
4600 El Paso, 3-2½-2. 90T
1904 Ave. M, 2-1-1, ch/a.
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Freddie & Kay Armstrong & Children

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We would like to express our thanks and appreciation for your prayers, phone calls, food, flowers and cards. Your loving concern has helped us to cope with the loss of our dear love one, Marvin Dupuy.
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VOLUNTEERS - These women were recognized at the Cogdell Hospital Auxiliary Banquet held this past week. Shown from left are Cleo Clare (500 hours), Polly Autry (1,500 hours), Vera Baize (2,000 hours), Verna Foree (1,500 hours), Shirley Stewart (1,500 hours), Lynn Heard (1,000 hours) and Jo Ann Peek (1,000). (SDN Staff Photo)



HARD WORKERS - These women all have impressive numbers of volunteer hours and they, along with all other members of the auxiliary at Cogdell Hospital, were honored with a banquet this week. Shown from left are Kathryn Dodson, (3,500 hours), Katherine Ervin (3,500 hours) Phil Kelley (2,500 hours), Jean Yearwood (4,500 hours), Pat Moffett (4,500 hours), Quida Bruner (4,500 hours). (SDN Staff Photo)



LOTS OF HOURS - Hospital administrator Jeff Reecer visits with three members of the Cogdell Hospital auxiliary who have logged over 47,000 volunteer hours. The group held its annual banquet Thursday night. Shown from left are, Reecer, Ena Carroll (8,500 hours), Lucille Joyce (15,000 hours) and Ruby Anderson (23,000 hours). (SDN Staff Photo)



OVER 31,000 VOLUNTEER HOURS - These members of the Cogdell Hospital Auxiliary have contributed a total of 31,500 volunteer hours to the hospital and patients. Shown from left are Thadine Hartess (5,000 hours), Carol Davis (5,000 hours), Sue Mize (6,500 hours), Geleska Baze (7,000 hours) and Gradine Sterling (8,000 hours). (SDN Staff Photo)



ONE HUNDRED VOLUNTEER HOURS - These members of the auxiliary at Cogdell Hospital logged 100 hours of volunteer work last year. Shown from left are Alma Posey, Peggy Fowler, Bill Schiebel, Juanita Raborn, Izora Milliken and Claudine Atwood. (SDN Staff Photo)

Hazardous vapors unleased at illegal landfill

LA MARQUE (AP) — Crews using earth-moving equipment at what is believed to be an illegal landfill had to stop after unleashing hazardous fumes.

Crews began hitting oil drums, old tires and other trash as they scratched the surface in La Marque's Carbide Park on Thursday.

What they found was potentially so dangerous that it had to be buried again.

The digging effort is part of an attempt to get to the root of how a practice of burying such items on county lands has gone unchecked for several years.

Last month, county employees told the Beach Parks Board of pits containing cars, batteries and barrels of chemicals in county parks.

The employees said the oldest pits were dug during the middle 1980s and the newest pits are less than two years old.

WTC sets final exams

For must Western Texas College students, final exams begin Monday on campus.

Friday was the last day of classes.

Exams are slated Monday through Wednesday. The WTC dormitory will close at 2 p.m. Wednesday and the spring term officially ends on Friday.

Summer classes will resume May 28, the Tuesday following the Memorial Day weekend.

Exams are scheduled based on the meeting time during the regular semester.

Class Time	Exam Time
8-8:50	8 a.m. Wednesday
9-9:50 MWF	10 a.m. Tuiesday
10-10:50 MWF	Noon Monday
11-11:50 MWF	10 a.m. Wednesday
12-12:50 MWF	10 a.m. Monday
8-9:15 TTH	Noon Tuesday
9:30-10:45 TTH	8 a.m. Monday
11:30-12:45 TTH	8 a.m. Tuesday
1-1:50 MWF	2 p.m. Monday
1-2:30 TTH	2 p.m. Tuesday
4-5:15 TTH	4 p.m. Tuesday

Evening Schedule

Class Time	Exam Time
Monday	6:30 p.m. Monday
Tuesday	6:30 p.m. Tuesday

Hospital

ADMISSIONS: Lavern Herring, 2105 43rd; Mary Romero, 2847 NCR253; Virginia Lomax, 2312 31st; Ella Withers, 2107 42nd.

DISMISSALS: S.W. Suther.

CENSUS: 49 (Med., Surg.-9, Long-term Care-37, CCU-1, OB-1, N-1.

Births

Mary and Fernando Romero announce the birth of their daughter born at 10:29 a.m. May 3 in Cogdell Memorial Hospital. She weighed nine pounds, 11 ounces.

Officers note three arrests

Two people were arrested late Friday night by local officers and one person was taken into custody at midnight.

Following a disturbance call at 11:05 p.m., officers arrested a 33-year-old male at 11:25 in the 3000 block of 23rd Street for public intoxication.

Officers arrested a 17-year-old male at 11:38 p.m. Friday on an outstanding warrant for no driver's license.

At midnight Friday, officers arrested a 41-year-old male on an outstanding warrant for the issuance of a bad check.

In other activity, an offense report for Class B theft was submitted at 8 a.m. Friday in reference to a dog being stolen from 2901 23rd St.

An offense report for Class C assault/family violence was submitted at 8:22 p.m. Friday in reference to an earlier incident.

The fire department responded to a small grass fire some five miles south on Highway 350 at 6:52 p.m. Friday.

A report of a possible prowler was made at 10:11 p.m. Friday from the 2200 block of 21st Street.

At 6:09 a.m. Saturday, an officer was requested at 3904 Eastridge in reference to a vehicle being egged.

Dear Abby

By Abigail Van Buren

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DEAR ABBY: My father, who is in his 60s, has a very controlling personality. He is also a hoarder. He refuses to throw anything away, and the rooms of his house are piled high with junk, old newspapers and magazines. He can never find anything. He has "misplaced" his checkbook, and many bills go unpaid because he misplaces them, too. His insurance was just canceled for nonpayment of the premium. When I tried to help him organize this mess, I found unopened mail and traveler's checks mixed in with his junk.

He gets furious with me for interfering and becomes nasty with the whole family if someone throws away an outdated newspaper or magazine. He says he plans to read them and wants them stacked in the rooms or basement until he's ready for them.

I dread the day when I will be stuck sorting this mound of trash. Please advise me if there is a solution to this problem.

FRUSTRATED WITH PAPA HOARDER

DEAR FRUSTRATED: Your father is not competent to live alone. He can no longer handle his finances, and the accumulation of junk makes his home a fire hazard and probably a health hazard as well. Stacks of papers and other junk are havens for rodents and insect pests.

Talk to an attorney. Someone (probably you) should be appointed to manage your father's finances and have the authority to get someone to look after him, or to place him in a care facility.

Don't delay — the time to act is now!

* * *

DEAR ABBY: I am 20 years old and am in college, as is my fiance. "Jack" is working his way through college. He comes from a poor but decent churchgoing family.

I am very close to my mother's sister ("Aunt Ida"), and when she heard that I had become engaged but did not get an engagement ring, she and "Uncle Ted" took it upon themselves to buy a beautiful (fake) diamond ring. Jack and I were invited to their home, where she handed Jack the ring to put on my finger.

Jack turned bright red, became very angry and didn't mince words. He told them that he didn't like to deceive people, and when he could afford to buy a ring, he would buy me one and it would be the real thing.

Now my mother is angry and isn't talking to Aunt Ida and Uncle Ted, and I'm caught in the middle. I know they meant well, but I feel terrible that my relatives put such importance on appearances. How can I defuse this situation?

ENGAGED WITHOUT A RING

DEAR ENGAGED WITHOUT A RING: You appear to be a sensible young woman with excellent values. To defuse the situation, ask your mother to forgive Aunt Ida and Uncle Ted, because you already have.

* * *

DEAR ABBY: I need your advice. I love my job and it pays well, but I have a problem I really need to resolve.

My boss — a male — opens all my mail. It is clearly addressed to me and marked "personal."

I think this is rude and unacceptable. Please print this, as he reads your column every day.

ANNOYED IN COLORADO

DEAR ANNOYED: You should have your personal mail addressed to your home.

* * *

DEAR ABBY: Every so often you suggest appropriate gifts for senior citizens who don't need more bric-a-brac or perfume.

My granddaughter, who lives in California, gave me the perfect gift. She arranged for me to get unlimited taxi service. I bless her daily for her thoughtfulness.

GRATEFUL GRANDMA, ST. JAMES, N.Y.

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Anyone wanting to make a contribution contact Captain J.D. Smith at Price Daniel Unit, 573-1114 Ext. 318.

Astro-graph

By Bernice Bede Osol



Your Birthday

Sunday, May 5, 1996

In the year ahead, you may meet three new associates. They will be unrelated, but all three will be interested in objectives that are prominent in your life.

TAURUS (April 20-May 20) Today, you can profit from a situation that someone else has already begun to resolve. This person will be in dire need of your know-how and talents. Taurus, treat yourself to a birthday gift. Send for your Astro-Graph predictions for the year ahead by mailing $2 and SASE to Astro-Graph, c/o this newspaper, P.O. Box 1758, Murray Hill Station, New York, NY 10156. Make sure to state your zodiac sign.

GEMINI (May 21-June 20) This could be a fortunate day for you in regard to involvements in which you work closely with one or two others. Your team will have a big impact.

CANCER (June 21-July 22) Try to devote as much time as possible today to projects you have deemed essential. You will not feel fulfilled if you do not work industriously.

LEO (July 23-Aug. 22) Sometimes, it is not a good policy to mix business with pleasure. However, today could be an exception. You can close a deal while playing a round of golf.

VIRGO (Aug. 23-Sept. 22) Do not be overly concerned about how a critical arrangement will work out today. On the path to victory, proceed one step at a time.

LIBRA (Sept. 23-Oct. 23) Spend time today putting your personal affairs in proper order. Take care of old correspondence and make those important phone calls you've neglected.

SCORPIO (Oct. 24-Nov. 22) Financial matters will yield higher returns today than they will tomorrow. However, don't forget about that money maker on the back burner.

SAGITTARIUS (Nov. 23-Dec. 21) Having the freedom to operate at your discretion will be of paramount importance today. Avoid involvements with people who make demands on your time.

CAPRICORN (Dec. 22-Jan. 19) You will feel the greatest satisfaction from the deeds you do for those you love. Do not wait for other to ask you for help.

AQUARIUS (Jan. 20-Feb. 19) If you plan a recreational break today, do it with friends with whom you can let your hair down. Pretentious individuals will make you feel uncomfortable.

PISCES (Feb. 20-March 20) An objective of considerable significance can be achieved today if you have the courage to go for broke. Do not let difficult goals scare you.

ARIES (March 21-April 19) Do not be content with the status quo today. If you apply yourself, you will have the ability to make good things better. Strive to improve.

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Your Birthday

Monday, May 6, 1996

Your chart indicates that you might be given a job that greatly increases your responsibilities in the year ahead. If you work hard to meet these expectations, you will receive recognition.

TAURUS (April 20-May 20) A failure to pace yourself reasonably today could cause you to run out of steam and incentives before you even start what you hope to accomplish. Major changes are ahead for Taurus in the coming year. Send for your Astro-Graph predictions today. Mail $2 and SASE to Astro-Graph, c/o this newspaper, P.O. Box 1758, Murray Hill Station, New York, NY 10156. Make sure to state your zodiac sign.

GEMINI (May 21-June 20) Making do with what you have will be a wise way to operate today. Do not borrow anything from anyone unless it is absolutely necessary.

CANCER (June 21-July 22) Someone who caused problems in your life before could be a thorn in your side again today. Use knowledge from past experiences to keep this person in check.

LEO (July 23-Aug. 22) A task you've hoped to complete today might have to be shelved temporarily. Utilize your time constructively by switching to an equally significant endeavor.

VIRGO (Aug. 23-Sept. 22) People who do not agree with your political or religious views might be in for a rough time today if they decide to debate these issues with you.

LIBRA (Sept. 23-Oct. 23) In order to be effective today, you must not vacillate once you have made a decision. If you make a well-calculated judgment, stick with it.

SCORPIO (Oct. 24-Nov. 22) Today, attempting to dominate others will produce unpleasant results. However, they will be compliant and amenable if you act considerately and politely.

SAGITTARIUS (Nov. 23-Dec. 21) Do some comparison shopping today before purchasing any big items. You might think this is a hassle, but your budget will benefit from your efforts.

CAPRICORN (Dec. 22-Jan. 19) You might have to adopt a fresh approach today to resolve a persistent domestic hassle. The solution may only be temporary, but it will be a good start.

AQUARIUS (Jan. 20-Feb. 19) Your efficacy will be compromised today if your initial assessment is too negative. Try not to look for black clouds all the time.

PISCES (Feb. 20-March 20) Your activities might be limited today because you will lack resources. However, using your imagination can help you to shake coins out of your piggy bank.

ARIES (March 21-April 19) You can be ambitious without being selfish. Try to be considerate of others while pursuing your objectives today.

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Levi's commercial is winner at ad industry awards show

SAN FRANCISCO (AP) — Ads featuring Levi's, condoms and kitty litter took top honors at the 37th annual Clio awards, the ad industry's equivalent of the Academy Awards.

A grainy, black and white Levi's commercial by Partizan/Midi/Minuit of London won the Grand Clio for television advertising Friday night. The 90-second commercial, "Drugstore," aired in Europe.

The spot, which contains no dialogue, depicts a young man purchasing a tin of condoms at a rural drugstore in the 1930s. A tense moment ensues when the man realizes his date's father sold him the condoms. The scene ends happily when the father notices his daughter's date is wearing Levi's.

Seventeen countries won 221 gold and silver Clios. In all, 54 countries submitted 14,000 entries, up from 13,000 in 1995.

Condoms also were the subject of the Grand Clio print award honoring a series created by Knight Leach Delaney of London for Mates Condoms.

In the radio category, Clemenger Sydney of Australia won the Grand Clio for a spot created for Max's Cat Litter. In the ad, a man mistakes cat litter for cereal.

Winners in the music video category included Satellite Films and 525 Post Production of Hollywood for Michael and Janet Jackson's "Scream." Crew Cuts and Quiet Man of New York won for "Free as a Bird" by the Beatles.

In the country category, Martina McBride won her second Gold Clio in two years for her video "Wild Angels" for The Collective of Nashville, Tenn. Spike Jonze of Satellite/Propaganda Films of Hollywood won a Gold Clio for his direction of Bjork's "It's Oh So Quiet."

For the first time, a Web site was honored with a Clio award. Pantyhose makers Leggs and Web site designer Proxima of McLean, Va., won a Gold Clio for its site, which combines subtle marketing of Leggs products and information for women.

Three commercials were inducted into the advertising Hall of Fame this year. They include Cliff Freeman & Partners of New York for a Little Caesars Pizza TV commercial ("Sistine"), WCRF ("Points of View"). TONY of New York for Guardian Ltd. of London for Carling Black Label ("Dam Busters") and Classified Ads 573-5486

Southwest lowers fares

DALLAS (AP) — Southwest Airlines on Friday announced fare discounts from San Antonio, Austin and Houston to most of its destinations in the West and to Nashville.

Tickets must be purchased within one day of making reservations and at least seven days before departure. They are non-refundable.

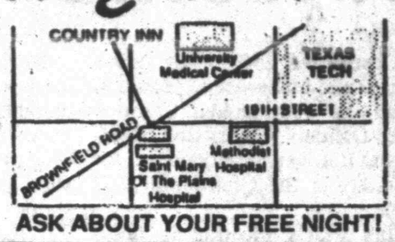
The special fares, all listed one-way, include: $49 to Albuquerque, El Paso, Las Vegas and Phoenix; $69 to Burbank, Los Angeles, Ontario and San Diego; $79 to Nashville, Oakland, Reno, San Francisco, San Jose, Salt Lake City and Sacramento; and $99 to Boise, Spokane (no service from Austin), Portland and Seattle.

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Officer Young is a 1982 graduate of Snyder High School and attended Odessa College. He is a 1994 graduate of the Odessa College Law Enforcement Academy.

Officer Young was employed by the Snyder Police Department in May 1995 as a Patrolman. Officer Young is currently assigned to Patrol Shift "B" and works the 3 p.m. - 11 p.m. shift.

Officer Young was selected as the April 1996 Officer of the Month by Police Chief Lannie Lee based on a selected set of criteria that includes a commitment to the Department mission of safety, service and security.

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Academic Classes-Day
Day classes end July 3rd
(all day classes meet Mon through Thur)

Course		Time	Instructor
COSC 1301	Intro/Comp Sci	9:45-11:25	Canada, W
	Lab	TBA	$20 lab fee
GOVT 2305	US/ST/Loc Gov	9:45-11:25	Wilks, D
HIST 1301	US His to 1865	8:00-9:40	Adams, R
HIST 1302	US His 1865-	9:45-11:25	Adams, R
MATH 1314	College Algebra	9:45-11:25	Walters, J
	(Includes Lab)	TBA	$8 lab fee
MATH 1332	Math Concepts	8:00-9:40	Walters, J
PHIL 2306	Ethics	11:30-1:10	Barkowsky, E
PSYC 2301	Gen Psychology	8:00-9:40	Wilks, D

Academic Classes-Night
Night classes end July 25th

Course		Day & Time	Instructor
ARTS 1313	Art/Elem Ed	T 6-10:10	Bullard, C
			$24 lab fee
ARTS 1316	Drawing	TH 6-10:10	Sum, B
	Non-majors		$10 lab fee

Academic night courses continued:

COSC 1301	Intro/CS	MT 6-10:10	Canada, W
	Lab	TBA /TBA	$20 lab fee
	(course completed July 2)		
ECON 2301	Macro Econ	TH 6-10:10	Palmer, J
ENGL 1301	Compostion I	TH 6-10:10	Barkowsky, E
	Lab(1 hour)	TBA/TBA	$8 lab fee
ENGL 1302	Compostion II	TH 6-10:10	Lancaster, M
	Lab(1 hour)	TBA/TBA	$8 lab fee
ENGL 2322	English Lit	W 6-10:10	Lancaster, R
ENGL 2326	American Lit	M 6-10:10	Lancaster, M
GOVT 2305	US/ST/Loc Gov	TH 6-10:10	Hartman, M
GOVT 2306	US/ST/Loc Gov	T 6-10:10	Robbins, R
HIST 1301	US His to 1865	M 6-10:10	Adams, R
HIST 1302	US His 1865-	T 6-10:10	Palmer, J
MATH 1314	College Algebra	TW 6-8:30	Hood, D
			$8 lab fee
PHED 2102	Scuba Diving	T 6-10:10	Reed, R
	Lab	TBA/TBA	$24 lab fee
SPCH 1321	Bus/Prof Speak	T 6-10:10	Endy, M

Vocational Classes-Day

GLT 135	Related Work	TBA TBA	Buckland, D
OFAD 1311	Keyboard/Typ	M-TH 9:45-11:25	Snider, J
	Lab	TBA TBA	$20 lab fee

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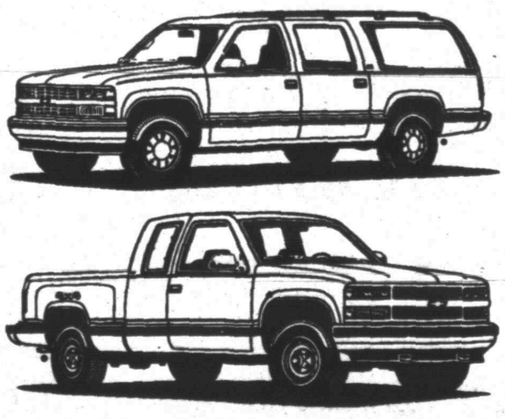
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THE SNYDER DAILY NEWS

Caprock Peace Officers meeting slated

A estimated 250 to 275 peace officers and others are expected to attend the 48th annual Caprock Peace Officers Association Meeting and Rattlesnake Rodeo, set for Thursday at the Clairemont 4-H Barn.

This year's meeting is dedicated to the memory of Lubbock County Deputy Sheriff Rudy Gonzales, who was killed Feb. 25 by a drunk driver while responding to a 911 call.

Registration begins at 9 a.m. There is a $7 fee for the meal and membership.

Also beginning at 9 o'clock will be riot gun trap shooting, horse shoe pitching and PPC jackpot shoots.

Lunch will be served at noon. A short program will follow, including presentations and drawing for prizes.

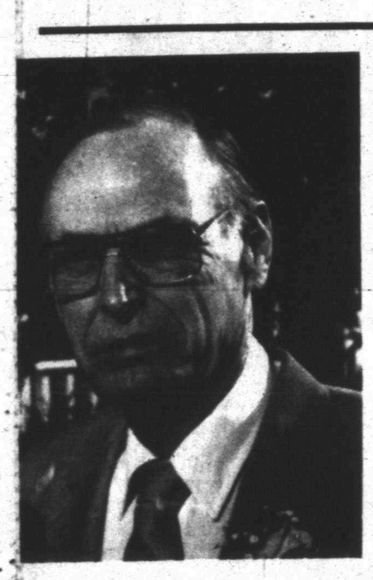
A pistol shoot will begin at 2 p.m. and presentation of awards will be held at 3 o'clock.

Shooting groups include: 1) sheriffs, deputies, sheriff's office personnel, judges and peace justices; 2) state game wardens; 3) all branches of the DPS and Texas Rangers; and 4) city officers, police constables, marshals and security officers.

Other groups are: 5) federal officers, FBI, border patrol and corrections personnel; 6) guests, sheriff's posse members, preachers and experts; and 7) masters, who are all prior first-place winners among groups 1-5.

Prizes will be awarded. There is no entry fee for the pistol shoot or horse shoe pitching. There is a $5 entry fee for the riot gun trap shooting.

Obituaries



Ford Kenner

Ford Kenner

1917-1996

Ford Kenner, 79, died Friday, May 3, in Bender Terrace Nursing Home in Lubbock following a long illness.

Funeral service is set for 10 a.m. Monday in Colonial Hill Baptist Church. The Rev. Miller Robinson, pastor, will officiate. Burial will follow in Hillside Memorial Gardens under the direction of Bell-Cypert-Seale Funeral Home.

Born in Abilene, Mr. Kenner married Rama Dell Robinson on Dec. 21, 1946 in Big Spring. She died in 1991.

Mr. Kenner was owner of Kenner Lumber in Snyder and retired after 25 years as a hardware salesman for Higginbotham-Pearlstone. At one time, Mr. Kenner was an active member of the Snyder Kiwanis Club, and he served with the U.S. Navy SeaBees during World War II.

Survivors include two sons and daughters-in-law, Bruce and Kay Kenner of Sudan and Dr. Mike and Karen Kenner of Hillsboro, Ohio; two sisters, Maxine White of Irvin and Dr. Jo Ann Kenner-Allensworth of Mineral Wells; six grandchildren, Aaron Kenner, David Kenner, Jenifer Kenner, Jana Kenner, Melissa Kenner and Robyn Kenner.

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Ben Stewart

1903-1996

SAN ANGELO — Bennie "Ben" Stewart, a relative of several Scurry County residents, died Friday, May 3, in Shannon Medical Center.

Graveside service for Mr. Stewart, 93, is set for 1 p.m. Monday in Lawnhaven Memorial Gardens. Johnson's Funeral Home is in charge of arrangements.

Born in Valley Springs, Mr. Johnson was an auto mechanic, garage owner and a musician. A member of the First United Methodist Church, he had lived in San Angelo for 52 years.

Survivors include a son, Jimmie Leon Stewart of San Angelo; a granddaughter, Suarra Stewart Browning of San Angelo; a great-grandson, Robert "Bobby" Browning III of San Angelo; and numerous nieces and nephews.

Thelma McAlister

1908-1996

ANSON - Funeral service was set for 3 p.m. Saturday in the Lawrence-Adams Funeral Home Chapel for Thelma Mae McAlister, 87, who died Friday, May 3, in an Anson hospital. Burial was to follow in the Highland Cemetery in Stamford.

Mrs. McAlister was the mother of Rena Potter of Snyder.

Born in Lueders, she attended school there and was a life-long resident of Lueders and Stamford. She married Albert F. "Ted" McAlister in 1926 in Lueders.

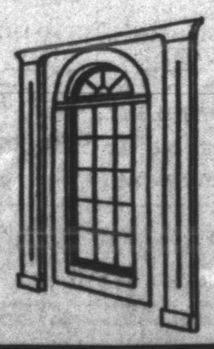
Mrs. McAlister was a homemaker and a member of the Calvary Baptist Church in Stamford.

Survivors include three other daughters, Maxine Wyatt of Lueders, Dorene Allen of Abilene and Pat Golden of Stamford; a brother, Lester Overfelt of Stamford; two sisters, Gladys Asbill of Lubbock and Ruby Brown of Abilene; nine grandchildren; and 13 great-grandchildren.

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Retiring after 41 years

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french fries were 12 cents. Today, a hamburger is a $1.80, a small drink is 60 cents and fries costs 95 cents.

Price is just one of many changes. "We used to start people with no experience at 50 cents an hour. Experienced ones could make 75 cents."

Regulations have also impacted the hamburger industry. "I no longer hire anyone unless they are 16 years old." Gressett said that's a shame because kids no longer have to opportunity of learning how to work.

Gressett normally employs eight people. "In the beginning I would start with eight and have six of the same people at the end of the year. It's not that way anymore. One year I worked 43 people."

Gressett and his business have ridden the ups and downs of the Snyder economy. "In 1967, I went broke. I was fixing to move. I looked for jobs from San Angelo to Amarillo and from Monahans to Pecos. I was 36. If I had been 35, I would have gotten a job.

"We had a terrible Friday and Saturday. That weekend I decided, since I wasn't doing a very good job, to let the Lord run my business. I decided if He wanted me to flip hamburgers, he would bring the customers."

Gressett recalls the next Monday vividly. "We had more business than we could handle. I called Sara and told her we were staying in Snyder...and in the hamburger business."

"I've made a lot of friends in 41 years," Gressett says. "I really didn't know how many until I had my heart attack two years ago." Gressett later learned that people of all faiths were praying for his recovery.

Another highlight for Gressett was the I'm In for AM campaign of the late 1960s. "Things were pretty low in Snyder. That's the best example of when the town really pulled together," Gressett added. "There have been other times, like for the prison, but the AM campaign was really something."

In 41 years, Gressett has maintained one tradition that has become a trademark. A sign in his establishment reads, "See You in Church Sunday."

Gressett, a long-time deacon and usher at the First Baptist Church, has never conducted business on Sunday. "The fellow I first worked for didn't and we never did either."

Gressett, who served two terms on the Snyder city council, is also known as the guy around town who will alert motorists to an expired registration or inspection sticker.

"That started when I walked outside my business one afternoon and three of my four cars had expired license tags. I hadn't received a notice, so I didn't think about it."

Several in Snyder failed to get renewal notices that August, so he started making the parking lot at church and alerting members, particularly the elderly, with a note posted to the windshield.

When cars would pass through his drive-in window, Gressett continued the practice of alerting motorists to expired stickers.

Gressett said he had thought of but had never really been tempted to start inside dining. "I really never had the space for it. When I first started we didn't have the enclosed foyer or a drive-in window."

Customer satisfication has always been important to Gressett. That led to another known characteristic of the Lota' Burger. It is one of the few remaining establishments where employees are required to count change back to a customer.

"Counting the change out of the register and counting it the second time into the hands of a customer gives you two opportunities to correct a mistake," he says.

In the early days, only one in 20 new employees had to be taught to count change. "Now if you have one in 20 who can, that's unusual. But if they can't learn, they can't work."

The Gressett's children, each adopted at five days old, grew up in Snyder and attended Snyder schools. Steve, a petroleum engineer in Plains, is a graduate of Texas Tech. Daughter Kelly Warner, lives in Snyder. The Gressetts have four grandchildren.

Plans after retirement: "Whatever my wife wants me to do...up to a point," Gressett grinned.

McKinney still interviewing

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Candidates to be interviewed are James N. Berry, former economic director at Pearland; Scott C. Frederick, chamber president in Tifton, Ga.; and Will Sproull, economic development director in Kansas City, Mo.

Concerning Hutchinson, Johnson said no applicant has been eliminated. McKinney's economic development office referred all questions to Johnson and Associates.

McKinney City Manager Don Pascal said the selection process had not started over, but rather extended to interview additional applicants.

Hutchinson, who has been executive director of the Development Corporation of Snyder for just over a year, had also become one of five finalists for a similar job with Market Lubbock before the Lubbock board started its search over.

Hutchinson said Friday afternoon that he doesn't expect to be offered the McKinney job.

"I am expecting not to," he said. "I also am not signing a contract locally, either. The current agreement I have with the DCOS will stand."

Roy Baze, president of the DCOS, said Friday the board has offered what he described as "a very attractive performance-based contract." Baze said the board has been working on the contract since January, and the offer of an 18-month contract is good until May 10.

Hutchinson, who was hired in March 1995 at the salary of $40,000 annually, currently makes $44,000 but does not have a written contract.

Balance of payments

The balance of payments is the difference between all payments made to foreign countries and all payments coming from abroad during a set period of time. A favorable balance exists when more payments are coming in than going out and the unfavorable is when the reverse is true. Payments include gold, the cost of services, interest and dividends, and money spent by travelers.

What's Up?

MAWC Silver Tea planned

The Martha Ann Woman's Club Silver Tea, honoring officers of all clubs of 1995-96 and 1996-97, will be held from 2-3 p.m. Sunday at the club house, 1600 Martha Ann Boulevard.

Senior parent donations

Parents of Snyder High School seniors are asked to send their donations to the all-night after graduation Senior Party to Rhonda May, P.O. Box 214, Hermleigh TX 79526.

Hope For Life's Journey series

The Hope For Life's Journey series of video tapes is airing on TCA Cable TV Channel 2. "America: God Wants You Back" will air at 7 p.m. Monday.

DL office notes key dates

The local driver's license office will be closed May 24 and May 31, it has been announced. Citizens may also note that office hours on May 30 will be 9:30 a.m. to 3 p.m.

'Corn Is Green' coming

Snyder High School's award-winning one-act play, "The Corn Is Green," will be presented Wednesday and Thursday at 8:45 p.m. in Worsham Auditorium. All tickets are $3 each.

Band registration slated

Parents and fifth graders interested in joining the sixth grade beginning band need to attend one registration meeting on Monday, Tuesday or Wednesday at 3:45 p.m. in the Northeast Elementary auditorium. Registration is also being held at the high school band hall any afternoon before 4 p.m. through May 9.

SHS band boosters to meet

Snyder High School Band Boosters will meet at 7 p.m. Monday in the high school band hall. Officer elections for the new year will be held.

All-Sports Booster Club

Snyder All-Sports Booster Club will have its final meeting of the year at 7 p.m. Monday in the high school student. Everyone is encouraged to attend.

Hermleigh Lodge 987

Hermleigh Masonic Lodge 987 will meet at 7:30 p.m. Saturday in the lodge building. Fellowship will follow. All Master Masons are welcome.

Sirens to be tested Monday

Snyder Fire Department will test civil defense sirens at noon Monday, weather permitting.

Stanfield meeting slated

Stanfield Parent-Council will meet at 7 p.m. Tuesday in the school cafeteria.

End of school party

Eighth grade students or their parents will be able to purchase tickets and make donations for the end of school party on May 18. Tickets will be sold at the junior high patio from 8-8:20 a.m. Wednesday, Thursday and Monday, May 13. For other arrangements or information call Rhonda Ward at 573-3475, Carla Allen at 573-8474 or Donna Greene or Charla Marricle at 573-8710.

WTC boosters set meeting

Western Texas College Booster Club will meet at noon Monday at Golden Corral. The meal is dutch treat. Visitors are welcome.

East Side garage sale

East Side Church of Christ youth will hold a garage sale from 9 a.m. to 3 p.m. Saturday, May 11, at Scurry Youth Center, 115 31st St. The sale is a fund-raiser for the youth group's summer mission trip.

Grand jury Monday

Some 14 felony cases will be presented to the Scurry County grand jury when it convenes at 9 a.m. Monday in 132nd District Court.

HISD board meets Tuesday

Hermleigh ISD board will meet at 8 p.m. Tuesday. Agenda items include installing new board members and reorganizing the board.

Pick 3

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

2-5-9

(two, five, nine)

Cash 5

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

17-19-20-33-39

(seventeen, nineteen, twenty, thirty-three, thirty-nine)

Learning at Snyder Elementary Schools

Northeast 5th grade students welcome Civil War speakers

For one afternoon this week, some fifth graders at Northeast Elementary School were vicariously transported back in time to the Civil War era.

Special guests Matt and Lee Hall of Powderly provided students with a first-hand look at life in the bygone era through authentic dress, weaponry, camp supplies and tales of that era.

Hall, a member of Company "A" 19th Texas Infantry (reenactors), was dressed in a genuine reproduction of a private's uniform, complete with rifle and other accoutrements such as camping supplies, including tent and cooking utensils.

Mrs. Hall was dressed in the characteristic long dress with bonnet, to shield her face from the sun.

Hall, a cousin to Triesta Lilly, one of the teachers, invited him to visit Northeast. While in Abilene for a Masonic meeting, Hall said they also decided to visit Snyder.

According to Lilly, the students really enjoyed the half-day visit. The boys seemed to be especially attracted to the rifle, weapons, ammunition and haversack used for supplies, while the girls were interested in how the camp was set up and the dishes and cooking utensils which were used.

She added that the girls could not see themselves wearing such long clothes or a bonnet. They were also amazed that Civil War era women did not want the sun shining on their skin.

Lilly said her students wrote thank you letters following the demonstration.

Their Civil War study also included learning about Civil War figures and reading historical fiction books including "Charlie

See Northeast, Page 4B



LISTENING AND LEARNING — These Northeast fifth graders enjoyed a special treat Tuesday. Civil War buffs, Matt and Lee Hall of Powderly, dressed in authentic clothes, pitched a tent and shared stories about the Civil War era as students listened raptly.



SETTING THEM FREE — Stanfield first graders in Carole Haynes' class recently raised butterflies which they set free on Tuesday. Students observed about 40 larvae as they matured through various growth stages.

Stanfield first graders study growth stages of butterflies

The classroom can be an exciting, fun place to learn.

Just ask Stanfield first graders in Carole Haynes' class who raised a box of butterflies which they released Tuesday afternoon.

To augment their study of the butterfly, Haynes ordered about 40 larvae from a company in California. They arrived the Thursday before Easter. After placing them in containers with food, the students watched them grow into caterpillars, Haynes explained.

Students observed all of the growth stages, from larvae to chrysalis and butterflies coming out of chrysalis before they turned them loose.

According to Haynes, the students "really took an interest" and were "very observant of everything that happened."

One student was so excited that she arrived early one morning and witnessed a whole butterfly coming out of its cocoon.

Haynes added that her students were so excited about their project that they have even brought books about butterflies to class. On Wednesday, someone brought a picture of a butterfly and properly identified it.

She said they did this on their own, with no prompting from her.

While this has been an exciting learning experience for Haynes' students, they were saddened to learn that one of butterflies died.

Stories and photos by Shirley A. Gorman

In past lessons, students have studied about birds and observed live ones in the classroom, provided by special guests, Haynes said.

Students include Jamie Arnold, Brett Bowlin, Brent Burleson, Kelton Clayton, Jessica Drury, Kimberly Dupuy, Starla Early, Chelsea Hackfeld, Jospeh Hefner, Kaylee Lacik, Rudy Martinez, Erica Munoz, Joshua Ornelas, Terann Ragland, Kyle Sanchez, Ross Taylor, Casey Smith, Tyler Driggers and Anthony White.

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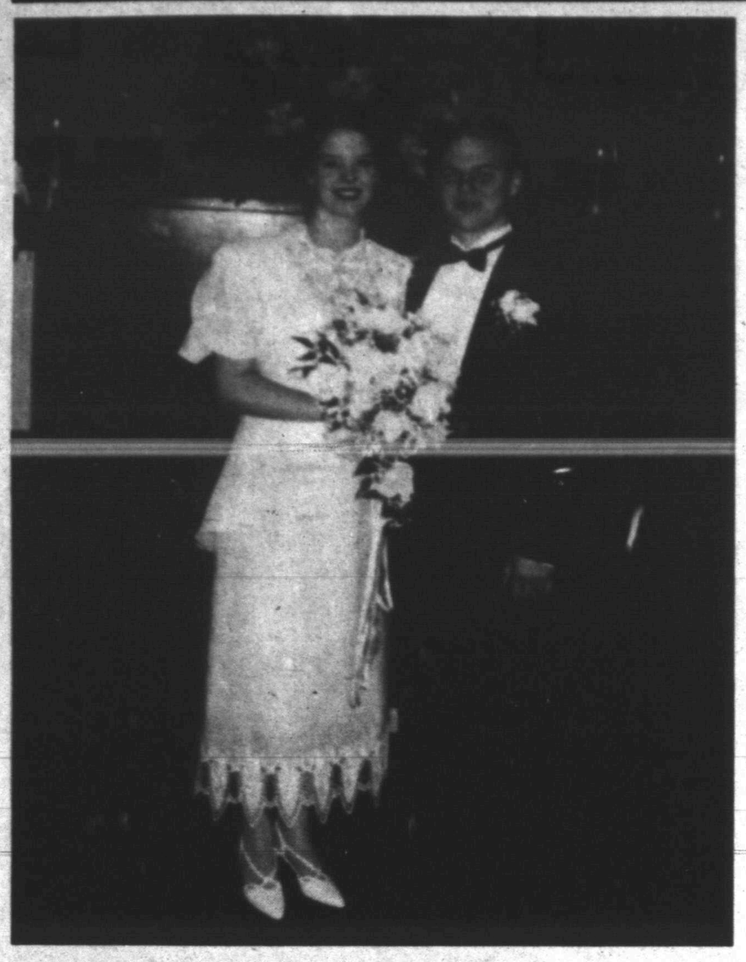
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Mr. and Mrs. James Stacy Bulen

Couple wed in April ceremony

Rebekah Ann Campbell and James Stacy Bulen were married at 2 p.m., April 6, at Faith Baptist Church in Lubbock. The minister presiding was Weldon Butler, third cousin of the bride.

Honor attendants were Sherry Hardin of Frisco, sister of the bride, and Tony Bulen of Lubbock, brother of the groom.

Parents of the bride are Richard and Ann Campbell of Lubbock. Parents of the groom are Jim and Barbara Bulen of Lubbock.

Grandparents of the groom are Mr. and Mrs. John Zalman Jr. of Hermleigh.

The bride, a graduate of Coronado High School of Lubbock, attends Texas Tech. The groom, a graduate of Lubbock High School, also attends Texas Tech.

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Snyder Duplicate Bridge Scoreboard

FRIDAY

Dot Casey directed five tables for Snyder Duplicate Bridge Club at the country club on Friday, April 26.

FRIDAY

1. Margaret Birdwell, Dot Casey.
2. (TIE) Mary Beth Vestal, Martha Fagin and Dora Blakey, Barbara Yorgesen.
3. Tizzy Hall, Rube McKinley.

TUESDAY

Dot Casey directed four tables for Snyder Duplicate Bridge Club.

1. Jane Hinton, Louise Thompson.
2. Linda and Monte West.
3. Margaret Birdwell, Mary Beth Vestal.



The Garden Editor

By Dr. Ted Brice

A FIG TREE FOR TEXAS

The venerable fig (Ficus Carica) has beautiful silvery bark and dramatic lobed foliage that makes it an outstanding landscape plant.

It can reach 15 to 30 feet tall in home gardens, with spreading branches and a wide crown that casts dense shade. The stout trunk and thick branches take on a gnarled look with age, but even when young, the framework is attractive in the winter garden after the decidious leaves have dropped.

The exotic pear-shaped fruits are actually fleshy receptacles housing many minute flowers and undeveloped true fruits, the source of the distinctive seed crunch in the mouth. In the fig's native lands a specialized wasp pollinates the flowers by climbing through the tiny opening at the end of the receptacle.

The varieties available here bear edible fruit without pollination, so one tree will do.

They are quick to bear fruit, often producing a small crop the first year after planting.

Centuries of breeding have produced more than two hundred fig cultivars, with varying characteristics of hardiness, low-chill requirements, crops per season, and ripening times. Being Mediterranean plants, figs are adapted to long, hot summers and go dormant in winter.

The dormant tree is hardy to twelve to fifteen degrees and the roots may be hardy down to zero degrees.

They are excellent desert climates and moderately drought-tolerant (although fruit quality is better with some irrigation).

Figs generally need at least one hundred chill hours to produce a reliable crop, though cultivars do well in subtropical Florida.

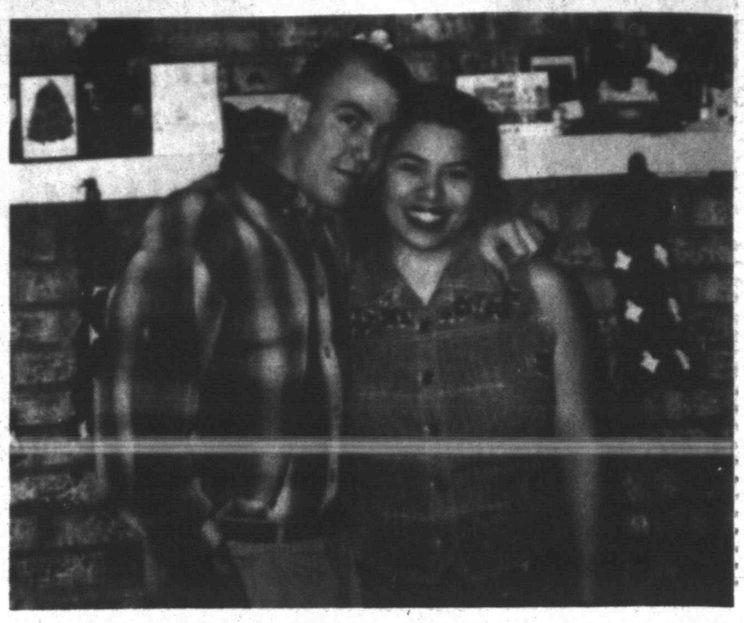
Many cultivars thrive in zone nine, and a good selection, including Magnolia and Osborne Prolidic are hardy in zone eight.

Some have hardier dispositions, such as Texas Everbearing, which regrow after a freeze and are hardy to at least zone seven.

A few tough customers such as the sweet, meaty "Brown Turkey" and the plump, violet-skinned "Celeste," will fruit as far north as zone five, provided the fruiting branches are protected in winter.

Figs are borne singly along the length of branches; some cultivars hold the fruit erect on short stems, others are pendant. Depending on cultivar and climate, figs bear one short crop, or two crops of fruit each year.

Figs are disease-free, but are bothered by a few pests. Birds and ants may be attracted by the sweet fruits.



MAY WEDDING PLANNED — Keith Wayne Tiner and Elizabeth "Biz" Ramirez announce their engagement and approaching marriage. Ramirez is the daughter of Sally Rios of Snyder and Andrew Ramirez, also of Snyder. Tiner is the son of June Bennett of Snyder and Ty Tiner of Longview. The couple plan an 11 a.m. wedding at First Christian Church in Snyder. (Contributed Photo)

Alice Head celebrates 96th birthday in April

Alice Maye Head celebrated her 96th birthday April 25, and was honored at a celebration held April 27 in her home in Lovington, N.M. Her children hosted the event.

Mrs. Head was born in Taylor County and moved to Scurry County when she was a young girl. She attended school in the old Turner school northwest of Snyder.

She married Kleber S. Head January 10, 1920, in Snyder. He was born and reared in Scurry County.

Mr. and Mrs. Head were both musicians and furnished music for numerous community dances and other functions over the years.

Mrs. Head was pianist and Sunday school teacher for the Methodist church at one time, where she and her husband were life-long members.

The couple had been married more than 67 years when Mr. Head died Feb. 14, 1987.

Mrs. Head also has two deceased children, Laverna Clark, who died in an automobile accident in 1978; and Harvey Head, who died Jan. 7, 1996.



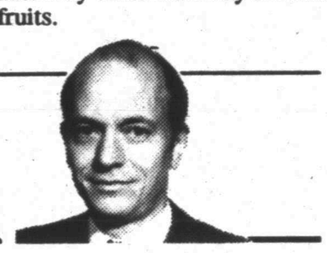
Mrs. Alice Head

Her living children are K.S. Head Jr. of Snyder; Durwood Head of Friona, Neva Irene Clark of League City, Frances Feodin and Joan Head, both of Lovington, N.M., and Frank Head and Bill Head, both of Lubbock.

Mrs. Head has 21 grandchildren, 31 great-grandchildren and 14 great-great-granchildren.

Bridge

By Phillip Alder



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	♥ K 9 7 2	
	♦ 8 5	
	♣ 8 6 4	
West		East
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♥ 5		♥ 8 4
♦ J 10 9 3 2		♦ A Q 7 6 4
♣ K 10 9 7 3		♣ Q J
	South	
	♠ Q 10 7	
	♥ A Q J 10 6 3	
	♦ K	
	♣ A 5 2	

Vulnerable: Neither
Dealer: East

South	West	North	East
			1 ♦
Dbl.	3 ♦	Dbl.	Pass
4 ♥	Pass	Pass	Pass

Opening lead: ♦ J

If they're good, go technical

Here's a funny ad that was on television: Announcing a sale, the voice-over said, "Everything is at least half price." Did he mean half *off*?

It can be very important to know the caliber of your opponents at the bridge table. Today's declarer, Giorgio Belladonna, knew that East and West were experts.

Belladonna's takeout double of one diamond looks strange to our eyes, but the Italians always seemed to survive these "off-shape" doubles. North's responsive double showed values and length in the majors.

After winning the first trick with the diamond ace, East switched to the club queen. Belladonna ducked this trick but won the club-jack continuation. Declarer cashed the heart ace, crossed to dummy by overtaking the heart queen with the king, and led a low spade. After East had played low smoothly, what should South do?

Belladonna put in the 10, which worked well here. When it won, he played a heart to dummy's seven and led another spade. If East had ducked again, South would have had no spade loser. But when East won with the king and exited with a diamond, South ruffed, unblocked the spade queen, played a trump to dummy's nine and discarded his club loser on the spade ace. Belladonna won three spades, six hearts and the club ace.

When asked why he didn't put up the spade queen on the first round of the suit, Belladonna answered that if West had jack-third, he knew East would unblock the spade king under dummy's ace. West would win the third spade trick and cash the club king.

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Ask Anne & Nan

By Anne B. Adams and Nancy Nash-Cummings

Stumped, Feedback and Where Can I Find? This column deals with all three!

STUMPED: Mary M. Graff of Ocala, Fla., and Alice Sigmund of Pasadena, Calif., share a problem. They would both like to have their old home movies transferred to videotape, but first need to be able to view them so they can put the reels in chronological order.

Mary's GAF Super 8 mm projector is broken, and Alice loaned out her Kodak 8 mm projector years ago but it was never returned.

Are there any kind readers in the Ocala and Pasadena areas who have an 8 mm projector they would be willing to loan Mary and Alice?

If so, drop us a line and we'll forward your letters. I'm sure the two ladies in question will be forever grateful.

STUMPED: It must be that time of year, but we've been receiving lots of requests for a source of "old-fashioned" natural and/or green bamboo blinds. We can't find them anywhere!

STUMPED: Mrs. Clara Buss of Adams, Neb., would like to find clothes patterns for the "new" Barbie that was so popular this past Christmas: Old Barbie patterns are too big.

Evelyn Cody of Salem, Ohio, is looking for directions for a knitted utility bag. She writes: "It's knitted on two needles in one piece, but there is no seam. When the last row is completed it falls open to reveal a bag."

Georgia Olson of Brookings, Ore., has been searching EVERYWHERE for crochet patterns for clothing for her 7-inch dolls, both male and female. She does not want the toilet paper roll cover kind of "big dress" pattern — those she has been able to find.

FEEDBACK: Magnetic towel bars are available at Tru-Value hardware stores and from Walter Drake and Sons, Drake Building, Colorado Springs, CO 80940-0002, item #K1548. The 12-inch long bar is $7.99, plus $2.95 shipping and handling.

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Community Calendar

MONDAY

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

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

Narcotics Anonymous; Winston Park Club; for information call 573-2101, 573-0949, 573-3667 or 573-1579; 6 p.m.

Alateen; Park Club at Winston Park, 37th & Ave. M; for more information call 573-8971 or 573-2101; 8 p.m.

Scurry County Alcoholics Anonymous; Park Club in Winston Park, 37th & Ave. M; for more information call 573-9458, 573-8626 or 573-8929; 8 p.m.

TUESDAY

Scurry County Chapter of American Heart Association; The Shack; noon.

Alpha Study Club; MAWC; 3 p.m.

Beta Sigma Phi; MAWC; 7:30 p.m.

Snyder Fire Dept. Auxiliary; Central Fire Station; 7 p.m.

Weight Watchers; Trinity Methodist Church (south wing); noon; for more information, call 1-800-359-3131.

Narcotics Anonymous; Winston Park Club; for more information call 573-2101, 573-0949, 573-3667 or 573-1579; 6 p.m.

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

New Horizon Alcoholics Anonymous; Park Club in Winston Park; for information call 573-1141 or 573-2101; 8 p.m.

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

WEDNESDAY

Christian Women's Club Luncheon; Snyder Country Club; 11:30 a.m. - 1:30 p.m.; $7.50 for lunch; $1 for coffee or tea only; Reservations by noon Tues. by calling Nan at 573-3440 or Doris at 573-3996.

Narcotics Anonymous; Park Club in Winston Park; for information call 573-2101, 573-0949, 573-3667 or 573-1579; 8 p.m.

THURSDAY

Snyder Palette Club; airport; 9 a.m. to 4 p.m.

Ministerial Alliance; Rudy's; 10 a.m.; Nell Swanson, 573-6915.

Noah Project Advisory Committee; MAWC; noon.

LLL Club; fellowship FBC; 9:30 a.m.

Scurry County Chapter of ABWA; MAWC; 7 p.m.

Defensive Driving; Snyder Savings & Loan Community Room, 27th & College; 8 a.m. - 3 p.m.

Al-Anon meeting (smoke free), noon to 1 p.m., brown bag. Park Club in Winston Park. For information call 573-4203 or 573-5525.

TOPS TX56, (take off pounds sensibly); weigh-in and meeting 5:30 to 6:30 p.m.; 2501 35th. For information call Peggy Eubank at 573-6509.

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

Codependents Anonymous; Park Club in Winston Park; 37th & Ave. M; for information call 573-7358; 7 p.m.

New Horizons Alcoholics Anonymous; Park Club Addition in Winston Park; for information call 863-2349 or 573-8626; 8 p.m.

FRIDAY

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

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

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

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

Scurry County Alcoholics Anonymous; Park Club in Winston Park; for information call 573-8626, 573-9458 or 573-8929; 8 p.m., open meeting (last Friday of the month is the birthday meeting, pot luck at 7 p.m.).

Al-Anon; Park Club in Winston Park, 37th & Ave. M; for information call 573-3956 or 573-2101; 8 p.m.

SATURDAY

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

Narcotics Anonymous; Park Club in Winston Park; for more information call 573-2101, 573-0949, 573-3667 or 573-1579; 7 p.m.

SUNDAY

Scurry County Alcoholics Anonymous; Park Club in Winston Park; for information call 863-2349; 10 a.m.

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

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

Narcotics Anonymous Park Club in Winston Park; for information call 573-2101, 573-0949, 573-3667 or 573-1579; 5 p.m.

Beginners Alcoholics Anonymous and Narcotics Anonymous; Park Club at Winston Park, 37th & Ave. M; 7 p.m.

School Menus

Snyder

BREAKFAST

MONDAY

Donut
Assorted Cereal w/Toast
Juice
Milk

TUESDAY

Breakfast Taco
Assorted Cereal w/Toast
Juice
Milk

WEDNESDAY

Waffles
Assorted Cereal w/Toast
Juice
Milk

THURSDAY

French Toast Sticks
Assorted Cereal w/Toast
Juice
Milk

FRIDAY

Sausage & Biscuit
Assorted Cereal w/Toast
Juice
Milk

LUNCH

MONDAY

Sausage Pizza
Corndog
Tossed Salad
Fresh Fruit
Milk

TUESDAY

Steak Fingers
Sliced Turkey
Gravy
Applesauce
Hot Rolls
Milk

WEDNESDAY

Chicken Burger
Sloppy Joe
Pickles
French Fries
Fruit
Milk

THURSDAY

Chicken Fried Steaks
Meatloaf
Mashed Potatoes w/Gravy
Hot Rolls
Fruit
Milk

FRIDAY

Enchiladas
Beef Nachos
Pinto Beans
Spanish Rice
Fruit
Ice Cream
Milk

Senior Citizen Menu

LUNCH

MONDAY

Baked Ham
Potatoes Au Gratin
Chopped Broccoli
Red Applesauce
Brownie

TUESDAY

Chicken Spaghetti
Asparagus
Harvard Beets
Lettuce Salad
Banana Pudding

WEDNESDAY

Meatloaf
Parslied Potatoes
Green Beans
Creamy Cabbage-Apple Slaw
White Cake w/Strawberries

THURSDAY

Pimento Cheese Sandwich
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TUESDAY

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WEDNESDAY

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Dry Cereal
Toast
Milk

THURSDAY

Fruit
Cheese Toast
Milk

FRIDAY

Holiday

LUNCH

MONDAY

Glazed Ham
Sweet Potatoes
Hot Rolls
Ginger Bread
Milk

TUESDAY

Spaghetti w/Meat Sauce
Tossed Salad
Soft Bread Sticks
Chilled Peaches/Whipped Topping
Milk

WEDNESDAY

Oven Fried Chicken
Mashed Potatoes
Buttered Carrots
Hot Rolls
Chocolate Pudding
Milk

THURSDAY

Chopped Bar-B-Que on a Bun
Tater Tots
Relish Cup
Orange Cake
Milk

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LUNCH

MONDAY

Spaghetti w/Meat Sauce
Green Beans
Shredded Lettuce
Pineapple
Italian Bread

TUESDAY

Pizza
Corn
Vegetable Salad
Pears

WEDNESDAY

Sausage
Gravy
Fried Potatoes
Biscuits
Plain Cookies

THURSDAY

Steak Fingers w/Gravy
Creamed Potatoes
Carrots & Peas
Rolls
Sheath Cake

FRIDAY

Patti Melts
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Claims said groundless

TELLURIDE, Colo. (AP) — Christie Brinkley's claims that a ski-tour company was negligent in a 1994 chopper crash are groundless, the company says.

The supermodel and Ricky Taubman — whom Brinkley later married and divorced — were on a ski trip with actress Sandra Carradine when the helicopter crashed in the mountains.

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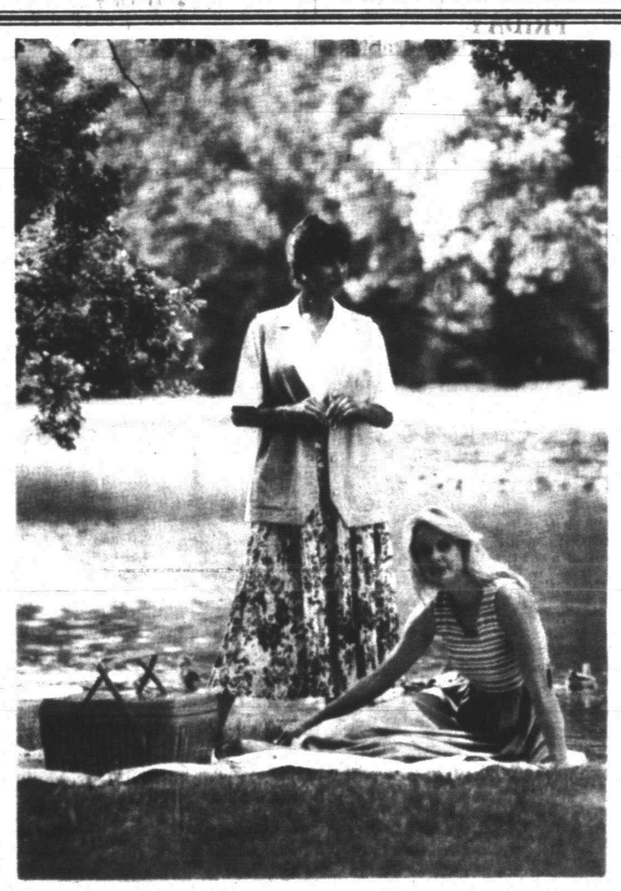
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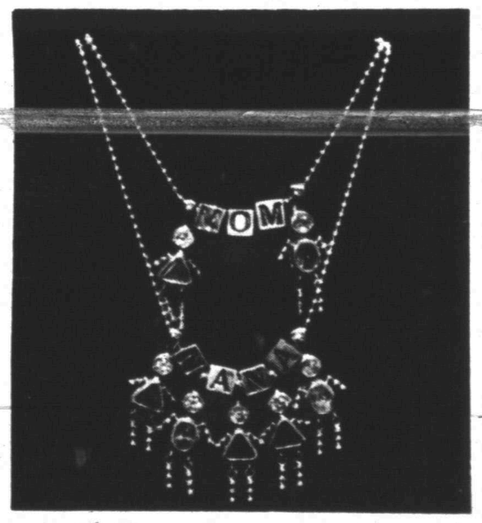
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WONDERMENT — Stanfield first graders observed in wonderment as their larvae matured into chrysalis and finally butterflies which they set free Tuesday. Shown clockwise from left are, Chelsea Hackfeld, Ross Taylor, Terann Ragland, Jamie Arnold and Kelton Clayton. (SDN Staff Photo)

Northeast

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Skedaddle."

Lilly also enjoyed the brief Civil War lesson, noting that "Something you see is more interesting than just reading about it."

Other participating teachers included Donna Farley, Barbara Owen and Rebekah Thornton.

Hall, a retired postmaster and first sergeant in the Texas Army National Guard, has been involved with Comapny "A" for some three years.

In addition to putting on displays such as the one at Northeast, he said Company "A's" primary purpose is to reenact Civil War battles. Anyone interested in Civil War history may join the group.

Besides explaining the period dress and clothing style, Hall also tells students about life on the road and how the Confederate soldiers cooked and lived.

Hall describes his hobby as "fun," adding that he especially likes restaging former Civil War battles such as Pleasant Hill and the Battle of Pearidge, Ark., which has several hundred participants.

For the past three years, he said the City of Granbury has sponsored a reenactment.

Hall's interest was sparked by a genealogical study of his ancestors. He discovered that several ancestors had fought in the Civil War.

Hall is also a member of the Sons of Confederate Veterans. Criteria for membership in that organization is being a direct descendant of someone who fought in the Civil War.

The following students participated in the Civil War learning experience.

Donna Farley's students include Rachel Cave, Erin Cooley, Taylor Cotton, Kellie Dodson, Erika Estrada, Shelley Fisk, Ashlee Grantham, Josh Green, Jason Guynes, Whitney Jones, Aaryn Jordan, Jacinda Judah, Shane Kitchens, Matt McCormick, Natalie Perez, Wendy Profitt, Afton Schwertner, Chris Sorrells, Zach Starnes, Tara Trammel, Jeffery Turner, Lilli Valdez.

Students in Triesta Lilly's class are Jonathan Bell, Dara Chambers, Will Davis, Kayme Dutton, Oralia Galacia, Elisabel Gonzales, Bonnie Guzman, Randi Hammond, Felicia Ibarra, Porsha Jackson, Julio Jaramilo, Misty McClure, Daniel Medrano, Tamara Melton, Joshua Mendoza, Kevin Rodgers, Isaac Sanchez, Robby Simmons, Jonathan Tate, Quinton Traylor, Kasey Wemken.

Also included were the students in Barbara Owen's class. They are Joshua Alaniz, Olivia Barrera, Virginia Benitez, Ashley Blevins, Tammy Bradshaw, Glenn Burns, Kristin Casas, Dustin Davenport, Lance Fletcher, Rebecca Fuqua, Priscilla Gonzales, Stafford Gray, Kati Harper, Shastade Hill, Sabrina Johnston, Duran Lopez, Connell Morgan, John Nobles, Ashley Rodriguez, Tiffany Stanley, Christopher Thames, Stephanie Valdez.

Rebekah Thornton's students are Jacque Alvarez, Marina Barrera, Kayla Beck, Kacey Burton, Christine Cobb, Lauren Day, Eric Denson, Becky Guerrero, Nicholas Gutierrez, Chris Hembree, Randy Herrera, Joshua Knox, Veronica Maldonado, Tamara Maresch, Tyler Pollard, Hailey Putnam, Chaelyn Robinson, Damian Rosales, Jenna Roth, Bobby Sands, James Smith, Anthony Vasquez.





HISTORY LESSON — History came alive Tuesday for Northeast fifth graders who enjoyed a special visit from Matt Hall of Powderly, Civil War enthusiast and reenactor of historic battles. In this photo, Hall shows Daniel Medrano what type of rifle Confederate soldiers used during the war. (SDN Staff Photo)



CAMPING OUT — Lee Hall of Powderly visited with Northeast fifth graders Tuesday, telling them how women who lived during the time of the Civil War dressed and cooked meals. Porsha Jackson is shown looking at the cooking utensils. (SDN Staff Photo)

Senior Center News

Mothers will be honored in the Senior Center on Friday during a special program starting at 11 a.m. The Sunshine Choir will present special music and everyone is invited to share poems or memories suitable for the occasion.

Bingo is usually the featured game on the first Monday of the month, but it has been postponed until May 15 to give those who worked in the May Day activities a breather.

The Senior Center staff and all the senior citizens express appreciation to everyone who attended May Day and helped the center raise funds for its operation.

A 42 Fun Day is planned starting at 9:30 a.m. Tuesday. Hoss Clayton and his band will present a musical program at 11. On Wednesday, the Kitchen Band will go to Snyder Healthcare Center for a program at 10 a.m. Canasta is scheduled at 1 p.m.

The mobile audiology unit from the West Texas Rehabilitation Center will be at the center on Wednesday and senior citizens who want appointments are to contact Norma Laywell, center director.

Skip Bo begins at 9:30 a.m. Thursday and bridge is scheduled at 9:30 a.m. Friday. The exercise class has been moved to 10:45 a.m. Friday because of the Mother's Day program.

A food handling workshop for senior citizens and others who give volunteer time in the dining room is scheduled for 1 p.m,. on May 22 and all volunteers are urged to attend.

Houston 911 down for 30 minutes

HOUSTON (AP) — A glitch in the city's 911 system shut the emergency phone system down Friday for about 30 minutes, an official said.

Phone crews rerouted 911 calls to the police department as engineers worked to fully restore the system, said Laverne Hogan, executive director of the Greater Harris County 911 Emergency Network.

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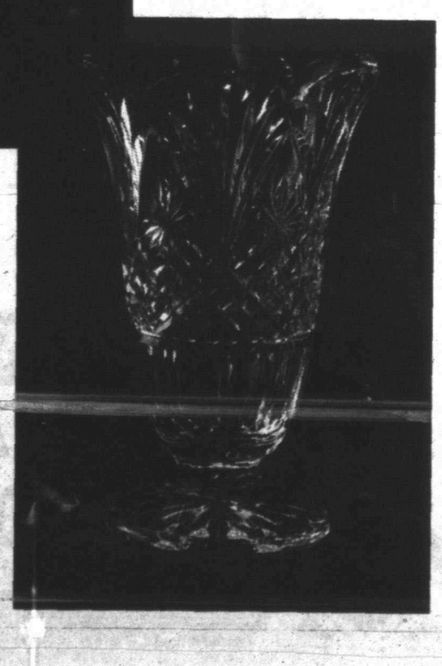
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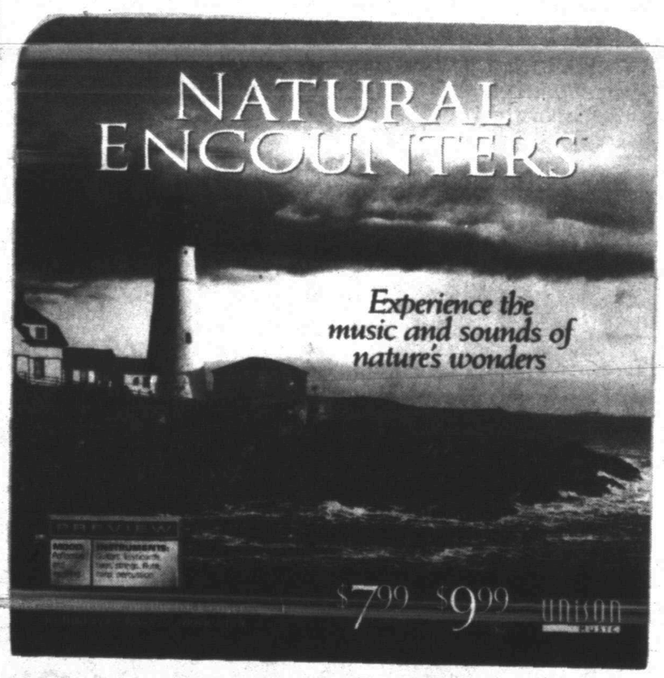
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NATIONAL HONOR SOCIETY — Ira's National Honor Society recently inducted nine new members. New inductees include from left, Theresa Crosby, Rikki Wilkes, Olga Juarez, Chris Gee, Ociel Castelan, Heath Mathis, Billy Keith Box, Jessica Williams and Lisha Leatherwood. They were welcomed by from left, seated, Jeremy Howard, Adam Davis and Jennifer Rigsby. (SDN Staff Photo)

Study says dinosaurs were born to run

WASHINGTON (AP) — Baby dinosaurs emerged from their eggs ready to race away from danger, according to a study that disputes the view that the hatchlings of history's terrible lizard were born blind and helpless.

"They had the ability to hit the ground running," said Nicholas R. Geist of Oregon State University, the co-author of a study published today in the journal Science.

Dinosaur babies, said Geist, "were highly mobile. They were able to run and protect themselves."

Geist and his co-author, Terry D. Jones, also of Oregon State, came to this conclusion by comparing the density of pelvic bones in fossilized dinosaur embryos with the bones of modern birds and crocodiles.

The study suggests that just-hatched dinosaurs were not defenseless dependents, like most birds, Geist said in an interview. Instead, the dinosaur came into the world with the bone and muscle strength to move rapidly and to scamper away from danger, just as modern crocodile young can.

Jack Horner, a Montana State University paleontologist who has found and studied fossils from unhatched dinosaurs, strongly disagrees. He said the Oregon State findings are "misinterpreted."

Horner believes dinosaur adults were tender, caring parents and the young remained in their natal nest for feeding and protection. The idea of nurturing dinosaurs is so strongly entrenched that one fossil discovery in Montana has been named maiasaura, or "good mother lizard."

"I think they (dinosaur hatchlings) were nest-bound because we found them in nests," said Horner. "It makes little sense that they would leave the nest after hatching and then return to it."

The very size difference between hatchlings and their parents suggests that the newborns could not have lived alone in that dino-eat-dino world millions of years ago, said Horner. The young would have been tender morsels snapped up by any passing meat-eater.

"I'm not saying the dinosaur parents left them unprotected," said Geist. Instead, he believes, the infancy of dinosaurs was more like that of modern ostriches, chickens, ducks and alligators. The young of all those animals hatch into the world able to walk or swim, but they are still cared for by their parents for some time.

"It's not a question of parental care. Alligators make good parents and have been known to remain in family groups for two years," said Geist. "Dinosaurs could have been very good parents, but their young were not helpless."

Geist and Jones compared the leg and pelvic bones of a group of modern birds and alligators with those of fossils of dinosaur embryos found in Montana, Canada and Asia.

They found that the dinosaur pelvic bones more closely resembled modern animals whose young were hatched with the ability to walk, run and swim. These are called "precocial" animals.

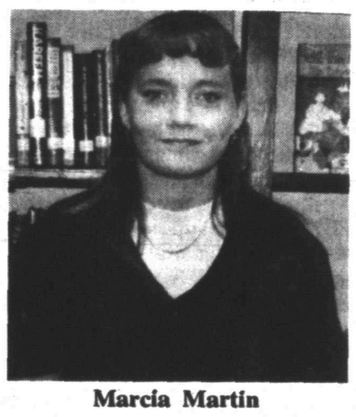
"You see the same thing in alligators," said Geist. "There was no reason why these dinosaur babies could not have moved."

Most birds are "altricial," said Geist, which means they are usually hatched nude, blind and helpless. Their bones are soft and lack the heavy structure, called ossification, that the researchers found in the dinosaur fossils.

Science, which published the study, is the journal of the American Association for the Advancement of Science.



ATTEND EARTHFAIR — Reecie Sauceda, Hermleigh fifth grader, attended TU Electric's EarthFair last month. ((Contributed Photo)



Marcia Martin

Donahue tapes his last show

NEW YORK (AP) — An ebullient Phil Donahue, with a studio audience of old friends, coworkers and reporters, taped the final episode of his 29-year-old talk show and closed it with a champagne shower from his gleeful staff.

"The Phil Donahue Show" began nearly 7,000 episodes ago, on Nov. 6, 1967, on WLWD-TV in Dayton, Ohio.

The program moved to Chicago in 1974, entered national syndication and led the ratings until the 1986-87 season, when a rookie Chicago competitor, Oprah Winfrey, took over first place for keeps.

On Thursday, however, Donahue wasn't talking like a man who invented the locomotive that ran over his foot.

"We're very, very proud of the way in which our program has reflected our culture since 1967," said Donahue, who shared the stage with executive producer Patricia McMillen. "We have grown up with the women's movement. We've grown up with the consumer movement.

"In 1967 there were no automobile recalls. In 1967 you could smoke in an elevator. In 1967, we never thought we would lose a war. In 1967, AIDS was a verb, or a plural noun. In 1967, you could harass your secretary and there was nothing she could do about it."

Donahue's final show mirrored those cultural changes, with flashbacks ranging from a brown-haired, plump-cheeked Donahue enduring radical activist Jerry Rubin, to programs that covered a live birth in a home and an abortion in a clinic.



Ammie Harrison

Harrison gets scholarship

Ammie Harrison, Snyder High School senior, has received a scholarship from Southwestern University in Georgetown.

She has been named to the A honor roll and participated in choir for four years.

She has been a UIL competitor in math for two years, served one year on the Academic Challenge team and is three-year member of the forensics team.

Harrison is the daughter of Willis and Darlene Harrison.

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White lion cubs born

LAS VEGAS (AP) — Even 7-pound lion cubs fly first-class and lap up the luxury when they belong to Siegfried and Roy.

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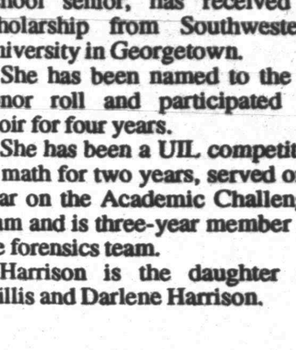
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Hermleigh student attends EarthFair

Hermleigh fifth grader Reecie Sauceda and her parents, Benny and Adelpha Suaceda, attended TU Electric's EarthFair last month at Energy Park near Dallas-Fort Worth International Airport.

Sauceda's poster, which had been one of 10 winners in the Earth Day Poster Contest, was in display. A videotape featuring her and other contest winners ran continuously near the display.

Energy Park is TU Electric's alternate evergy research center. Sauceda and her parents saw several renewable energy projects through a solor-powered thermal engine.

Ira student wins contest

Marcia Martin, Ira 10th grader, won a $20 gift certificate to The Shack in a contest about democracy held during National Student Leadership Week, April 21-27.

Martin correctly identified 11 of 24 quotes about Deocracy.

The contest was sponsored jointly by the Student Council and National Honor Society.



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Dear Editor:

I am writing in regards to a Snyderite, Alvin Selmon Jr. I am currently coaching in the Fort Worth ISD. This is my second year here. Last year I coached football and baseball and this year I coached football and track.

Our team, O.L. Dunbar, recently competed in and won the Region 1-5A track championship in Lubbock. These girls have worked very hard and I am very proud of them. Having never have gone to state, I do not really know what we have done. This school, however, has been to state in academics and other sports (basketball).

I am not trying to toot my own horn but I wanted to let everyone know in Snyder that one of their own is enjoying success in teaching and coaching.

I would like to thank Albert Lewis, the late Bob Moore and family and also Winfred Shipp and family, Ray Courtney and family and many others too numerous to name. These people have helped make me who and what I am today.

A special thanks to Ernest Brandon and family, also. These fine people have always supported Snyder athletics and academics. God bless everyone and see you all in Austin.

Sincerely,
Alvin Selmon, Jr.
Coach Dunbar High School

Fantastic job

Dear Editor,

On behalf of the Snyder Neighbors Sharing board of directors, we would like to say a huge thank you to the people of Snyder who helped with our workday on Saturday, April 27, 1996.

Due to their direct efforts, 10 homes were repaired in our community, bringing us to somewhere over 120 homes that have been done in the past eight years. It certainly could not have been done without the good citizens in Snyder and the great cooperation we receive from the business community.

We appreciate the time and effort it takes for everyone to give one day each year to help us with this project. We look forward to working with everyone next year on this program.

A special thanks goes to the Snyder Daily News for their assistance in publishing applications, news articles and for the coverage of our workday.

Thanks again to Snyder for a wonderful turnout and a fantastic job and start making your plans now to join us next year on April 26, 1997.

Sincerely,
Thomas Fogleman
President
Snyder Neighbors Sharing

Volunteers honored

Dear Editor,

Physical activity not only independently protects against the development of cardiovascular disease, but also has effects on other CVD risk factors of high blood pressure, high blood cholesterol and being overweight.

In honor of the Jump Rope For Heart coordinators in Scurry County and across the state who help reinforce the benefits of physical exercise, as well as encourage volunteerism, Gov. George W. Bush has declared Wednesday, May 8, as Jump Rope For Heart Coordinator Appreciation Day in Texas.

In the proclamation, Gov. Bush notes, "Heart disease is the leading cause of death in Texas and research indicates the importance of early prevention, and shows that cardiovascular disease can begin in children as young as three years old."

He further states that the Jump Rope For Heart (JRFH) program is a joint educational and fundraising program of the American Heart Association, Texas Affiliate and the Texas Association for Health, Physical Education, Recreation and Dance, two organizations that share a long-standing interest in the health of Texas citizens.

The JRFH program, adopted in 1980, is designed to teach children how to develop positive health attitudes and behaviors and raise funds to help fight the leading cause of death in Texas.

The JRFH program is helping to save lives because of the JRFH coordinators dedicated to teaching a healthy lifestyle curriculum.

On behalf of the American Heart Association, Scurry County, we salute our JRFH coordinators and extend our appreciation to their dedication in helping to make a difference in the health of individuals today and for our future adults of tomorrow.

The Scurry County JRFH coordinators and the amount raised are:

Central Elementary, Doug Chitsey - $1,976.28

East Elementary, Christy Smith - $3,021.29

Northeast Elementary, Chris Porter - $3,877.70

Stanfield Elementary, Jill Porter - $4,083.97

West Elementary, Brad Brunson - $940.02

Ira Elementary, Tim Mebane - $775.22

Hermleigh Elementary, Stacey Wright - $241.36

Sincerely,
Matt C. Cross
AHA President
Snyder

Thanks, everyone!

Dear Editor:

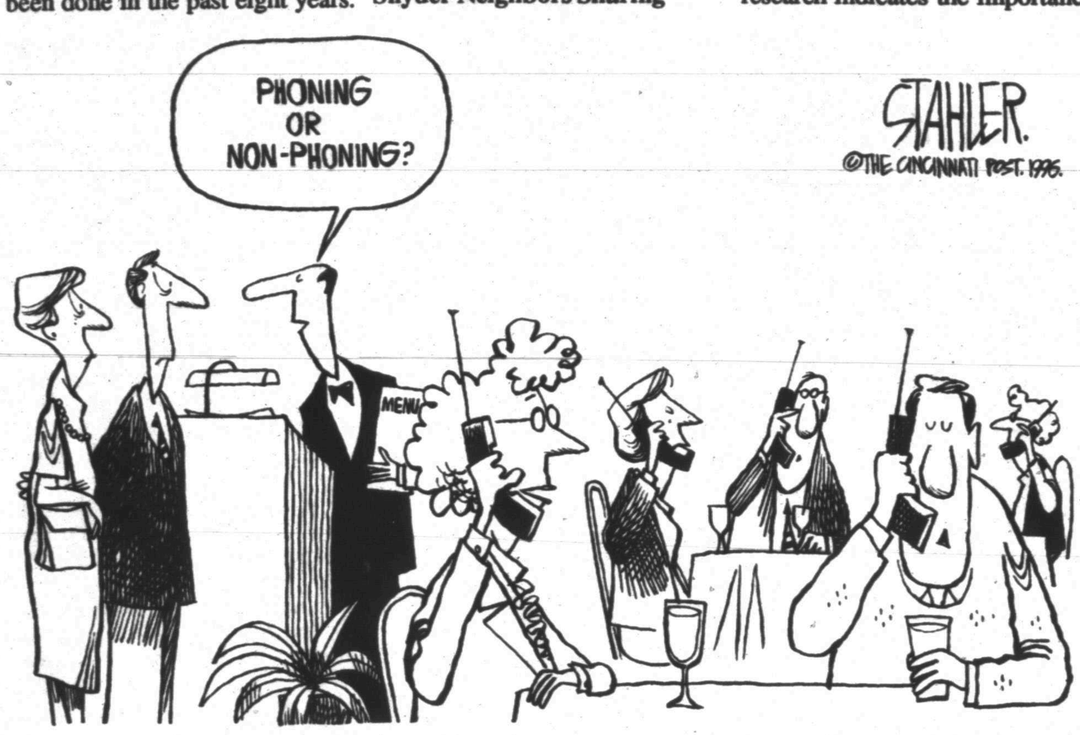
As chairperson of the Scurry County Annual "Neighborhood Cancer Crusade," I want to thank each person who called and the walkers who went from door to door and asked their neighbors to contribute to the cancer cause. Thank you all again.

I want to thank the local media for all the publicity that helped to let the people know about the crusaders. It was a great help.

Thanks to Bobby Beard at West Texas State Bank who received the contributions from the walkers.

Lastly, I want to thank all the people of Scurry County for their financial support for the great need to find a cure for cancer and funds to aid those who have cancer. Thank you again.

Sincerely,
Georgene Gallaway
Snyder



When all else fails, clean the closets



DEANIE FRANCIS MILLS

If it wasn't for rejections, I'd never get anything done around here.

When I get bad news from a publisher, or am awaiting news from an editor or agent and worried that it might be bad, I organize things. I guess some shrink could say it's a pathetic attempt to gain control over a hopeless excuse for a life, but hey, it works for me.

A few years back, my friend and mentor, Dean Koontz, read the first 100 pages of a book I was working on which I called "Copycat," (but which was later published as "Losers, Weepers.") He was impressed enough with what he saw to send it on to his agent at the time. Dean had already seen over 100 million copies of his books in print worldwide by then, and for him to do this for me was just mind-boggling.

While waiting to hear from the agent, I got my file cabinets completely reorganized, packing up manuscripts ten years old and storing them, throwing out useless files, gleaning informative articles from magazines, and actually labeling stuff. Then, when Dean's agent rejected the manuscript, I cleaned out a closet that hadn't been touched in at least five years. It took me two days.

There's something therapeutic about doing mindless stuff with your hands that involves putting order into a chaotic life, something satisfying about eliminating dusty piles of confusion and procrastination. You can show off your efforts to your family and get a smiley face by your name. It leaves your thoughts somehow less disordered, less panicky. It gives you courage to try again.

When my book "Mourn Not the Dead" was auctioned last summer, Sutton Signet bought it in a two-book deal. Last August, after some thought, I decided to do a book on computer terrorism next, with a Ted Kaczynski-type character who shuts down airports and crashes trains and obliterates phone lines all over the country using a powerful computer systems set-up, while all the time playing cat-and-mouse games over the Internet with the feds who are trying desperately to track him down before more people die.

In September, I attended the National Computer Security Association Conference in Washington, D.C., listening to crack computer experts from the Defense Department, the Department of State, the CIA, FBI, NSA and half a dozen other alphabet agencies, as well as some of the most notorious hackers known in this country. Back home, I bought and read at least a dozen books on the subject, filling up three college-sized spiral notebooks with notes, and downloaded and printed up several thick three-ring binders full of information from the NCSA computer security online library.

I also set up contacts with top experts all over the country, several of whom brainstormed ideas with me online. Then, with their input, I wrote a 50-page synopsis for a thriller to be titled "Tripwire."

My agent was delighted with the results of hard work, which had taken about seven months, and on a recent trip to New York, my editor and I discused the book over lunch. She seemed intrigued and said she couldn't wait to read the proposal. Back home, I prepared to plunge into the actual writing of the book, which was to take about five more months, in order to meet a June 1 deadline.

Then my editor passed the proposal on to the publisher, who is considered God in the book-publishing industry — his or her word is the Bible — and she (the publisher) said simply, "I don't wanna do a book on computers. By the time it comes out in a couple of years, it will have been done to death."

Period. End of discussion.

Many well-meaning friends encouraged me to "find another publisher," but it's not that easy. I'm under contract to this one and they are about to launch me in hardcover. At this point, to defy them would be career suicide.

So I spent a couple of intense weeks in what my new hacker friends would call "full hack mode," putting in — literally — 20-hour days, virtually nonstop work, drawing together a new proposal for a whole new book.

Using a valuable, if somewhat clandestine contact I made in New York, as well as my contacts in the FBI, I came up with an idea involving a federal investigation into "spy shops" which specialize in state-of-the-art electronic surveillance and counter-surveillance for various government agencies as well as other wealthy clients who may fear, say, industrial espionage or kidnapping.

My agent loved the result, a 27-page proposal for a new thriller with a working title of "Cold Play." Then he sent it to my editor.

That was three weeks ago. You would not believe what all I've gotten done around here! My overstuffed bookshelves are now all in order, file cabinets tidy, boxes of stuff I'd been meaning to get to someday ... got to.

The latest word from New York is that my editor loves the new proposal. She's given it to the publisher to read. We're waiting to hear what She, er she, thinks.

I hope I don't have to wait much longer. I'm running out of closets.

EDITORIAL COMMENT

Chance to speak out

We're pleased to see that Gov. George W. Bush is proceeding with an attempt to find alternatives to the ever-increasing property tax.

This past week, Bush appointed a 16-person panel to "take Texas' temperature" on the issue. We think the panel will find the temperature *HOT*.

The citizens' committee is to hold town hall meetings across the state, giving the public a chance to suggest possible alternative plans to replace or revamp the property tax.

Committee members include Sen. John Montford of Lubbock, Reps. Tom Craddick of Midland and Rob Junell of San Angelo and Abilenian Dian Graves Owen, chairman of Owen Healthcare Inc., a pharmacy management company. Also on the committee are Amarillo lawyer Wales H. Madden, Jr. and Diana S. Natalicio, president of UT-El Paso.

The appointment of those individuals should mean that West Texans will be given plenty of opportunity to provide their input.

The town hall meetings haven't been scheduled yet, but we hope one will be near by. We figure there are some folks in Scurry County who might have a word or two to be said about property taxes.

Pretty lame boast

The El Paso Herald-Post

Was it only a year ago that Bill Clinton, reeling before a triumphant Republican Congress, protested — erroneously at that particular moment — that the president was too relevant? It was.

And was it those same Republicans, 13 stopgap spending measures, two government shutdowns and one threatened government default later who ... threw in the towel and capitulated to the president? It was.

The instrument of surrender was a $163 billion spending bill to finish fiscal year 1996, now already seven months gone. It was a political calculation by the Republicans; the polls showed the public wasn't with them anymore, not after the first shutdown.

True, the Republicans claim victory in cutting $23 billion in spending. Perhaps so, but that's a pretty lame boast coming from a party that last fall was promising a "revolution."



Wes Cooley: Is he really a representative of the people?



BILL MCCLELLAN

You may have read about "Wandering" Wes Cooley, the fine U.S. Representative from Oregon who was a Special Forces demolitions expert during the Korean War.

What? You mean he *wasn't* in Special Forces? You say he didn't even finish his training until *after* the war was over?

It seems that Rep. Cooley has a small problem getting his facts straight. What his memory recalls and his campaign literature claims aren't exactly the truth.

So what's the story?

—He wanted to run for state Senate in 1991, but his home was a few miles outside the district. So, he moved a travel trailer just inside the district line to Crook County — the name fits — so that he could establish residency. After the election, he moved the trailer back.

—During his first campaign for Congress two years ago, he told voters he belonged to Phi Beta Kapa, the elite academic honor society. When the society revealed it had no record of Cooley on its membership roll, he said he had made an "honest mistake."

—At the unveiling of the Korean War Memorial last summer, Cooley claimed he had been a demolitions expert in a Special Forces unit during the Korean War. He couldn't reveal the specifics of his role, he said, because it was "secret."

The fact is, military records show Cooley didn't complete his training until the war was over. Now he says he spent "a few days" in Korea. Records don't indicate he ever left the United S[illegible].

—He recently came under fire when it was reported that he and his wife run a vitamin packaging business on their ranch, even though they receive a tax deferral for keeping their land exclusively for farming. Cooley, 64, is a retired pharmaceutical executive.

—Now there's an investigation into whether Cooley and his wife, Rosemary, bilked the government out of thousands of dollars in death benefits.

Rosemary began receiving the benefits in 1965 after the death of her previous husband, a Marine captain who was killed in a fighter jet crash. She kept getting benefits — monthly checks as high as $897 — until 1993. However, it appears that she and Wes have been secretly married for years. They began living together in 1976, according to Cooley's ex-wife. The law prohibits a spouse from receiving widows' benefits if she remarries or lives with another man and presents herself as his wife.

One estimate indicates the Cooleys would have received about $140,000 from 1976 to 1993.

Cooley won't reveal the actual date of their marriage and the couple paid an extra fee to have it sealed. Records show that the Cooleys identified themselves as a married couple on a loan application in May of 1985 and that he listed her as his wife when he filed for a voter registration card in 1986.

Can we write off the Korea story and the Phi Beta Kappa claim as coming from an insecure man, trying to boost (or boast) his lot? Maybe, except that false statements used in a voters pamphlet are a crime. As to the vitamin packaging business and accepting veteran's benefits under false pretenses, if true, range from deception to out and out fraud.

Was it mentioned that Cooley is a member of the House Veterans Affairs Committee?

Oregon House Speaker Bev Clarno said Cooley needs to "remove any and all questions of impropriety."

"In this business, we are held to a higher standard," Clarno said.

A higher standard?

No one is asking that Cooley be held to a "higher" standard — just a standard that doesn't allow him to lie, cheat and defraud the government and the citizens of the United States.

Is that too much to ask?

Public Records

New Vehicle Registrations

Timothy D. and Aaron Heath Taylor, 1996 Chevrolet pickup from Big Country Autoland.

Monty Barton, 1996 Ford pickup from Wilson Motors.

Victor C. Martin, 1995 Chevrolet pickup from Big Country Autoland.

Lera L. Hrbacek, 1996 Chevrolet from Big Country Autoland.

Herman and Norma Martinez, 1996 Ford Explorer from Wilson Motors.

Jennifer R. Lee, 1996 Ford pickup from Wilson Motors.

O.L. and Sandra Lane, 1996 GEO from Big Country Autoland.

Laredo Paving Inc., 1996 Chevrolet pickup from Big Country Autoland.

Lee Scott Walton, 1997 Ford pickup from Wilson Motors.

Howard Scoggins, 1996 Chevrolet pickup from Big Country Autoland.

Gary and Lesa Moore, 1996 Chevrolet from Big Country Autoland.

Janet Y. Arlitt, 1996 Ford pickup from Wilson Motors.

Aurora Romero, 1996 Chevrolet from Big Country Autoland.

Stewart Long, 1996 Chevrolet pickup from Big Country Autoland.

Pennzoil SACROC unit, 1996 Chevrolet pickup from Big Country Autoland.

Laura Swindle, 1996 Chevrolet from Big Country Autoland.

Marriage License

Danny Blain Blackburn and Jeni Joyce Rinehart, both of Snyder.

Paul Anthony Jones and Regina Linn Pierce, both of Snyder.

Action in District Court

Cargile, Inc., dba ACCO Feeds, vs. Sny-Tex Feeders Inc., order of dismissal.

Deed Records

Keith Collier, Scurry County Sheriff, to Scurry County, Trustee of the State of Texas, tract one being Lot 6, Block 1, Bootheland Addition; tract two being Lots 1 and 4 in Block 29 of the Nunn Addition; tract three being Lots 1 and 4 in Block 34 of the Original Town of Snyder; tract four being a 0.35-acre tract in Block 2 of the Guy Glen Second Addition out of the west one-half of Section 18, Block 1, J.P. Smith survey; tract five being Lot 20 in Block 36 of the Original Town of Hermleigh; tract six being the north 85 feet of Lot 1 in Block 29 of the Original Town of Snyder; tract seven being the north 50 feet of Lots 1 and 2 in Block 2 of the Wilmeth Addition; tract eight being lots 4 and 5 of Block 20 of the J.B. Chambers Addition; tract nine being Lots 1-3 and 6-10 in Block 1 of the Sunrise Addition.

Marie Line to Roy Tavarez Jr., Lot 1 in Block 40 of the Blankenship Addition.

Elizabeth Evelyn Elliott, Tommy Williams, David Elliott, James Williams and Nanette Shantelle Greene to Philip Neal Kimmel, all of Lot 9 in Block 2 of the Forrest Addition.

Clarice Hunderson, independent executrix of the estate of Rosalie McGlaun, all of Lot 6 and the east 32 feet of Lot 5 in Block 46 of the Wilmeth Addition.

Zenaido and Nancy Benitez to Abraham Arellano, the north 90 feet of Lot 6 in Block 29 of the Wilmeth Addition.

Tommy and Betty Campbell to Jeffrey Neal Barrett, Lots 1 and 2 in Block 9 of the A.C. Wilmeth's Addition.

Gladys Williams to Tommy and Betty Campbell, Lots 1 and 2 in Block 9 of the A.C. Wilmeth's Addition.

Miguel M. Espinoza to Teofilo and Gertrudis Herrera, the south 50 feet and the west 100 feet of Lot 3 in Block 22 of the Original Town of Snyder.

Terry E. and Billie R. Holt to David W. and Darlene Stokes, all of Lot 7 and the north 49 feet of Lot 8, both in Block 2 of the J.B. Cloyles Subdivision of Block 17 of the Cody Addition.

Donald P. and Sara Gressett to Allen and Sandra Hodges, Lots 1 and 2 in Block 3 of the 1st Replat of the Noble Heights Addition.

Lois Marie Price to Jim and Helen Wadleigh, all of Lot 19 and the west 20 feet of Lot 20 in Block 1 of the Forrest Addition.

Claudine Atwood, individually and as independent executrix of the estate of William Franklin Atwood, to Russell Jones Jr., tract one being 0.447-acre tract in the northeast one-quarter of Section 180, Block 3, H&GN survey; tract two being a 50 x 184-foot tract in Blocks 33 and 48 of the Scarborough Addition; tract three being part of Section 180, Block 3, H&GN survey.

Clinta Blackard Ingraham to Noah Project Inc., tract one being a tract out of the southeast one-quarter of Section 181, Block 3, H&GN survey; tract two being a one-seventh acre tract out of the southeast one-quarter of Section 181, Block 3, H&GN survey; tract three being the east 100 feet of Lot 4 in Block 49 of the Original Town of Snyder.



FIRST WARDEN VISITS - The first warden of the Price Daniel Unit, Les Woods, was back on the unit Thursday for dedication ceremonies for the newly-completed Learning Resource Center. Woods, shown at far right and his wife Janie, left, visits with District Judge Ernie Armstrong and other friends following the dedication ceremonies. (SDN Staff Photo)

PTK receives three awards at convention

The Western Texas Psi Zeta chapter of PTK won three awards at the international convention April 18-20 in Washington D.C.

Advisor Dr. Duane Hood was honored with the Robert Giles Distinguished Advisor Award. Hood was one of only eight PTK advisors from throughout the country so honored.

His selection was determined by an essay submitted by his home chapter and letters of recommendation from a member of PTK, a campus administrator and an alumnus of the chapter.

In addition, Dr. Mary Hood received an award for membership in the Mosal Society, indicating Psi Zeta ranks 2nd in the nation out of 800 chapters in support of the Key Opportunity Campaign.

The Key Opportunity Campaign is a fundraiser for the Center for Excellence to be built in Jackson, Miss.

As a chapter, Psi Zeta received a Distinguished Region Award also. There are 27 PTK regions and only three of these were recognized as "distinguished."

Students attending, along with sponsor Mary Hood, were Kim Brade, Cindi Burrow, Amy Grimmett, Carrie Keith, Barbara Chapman, Mary Jo Patrick and JeriLyn Tucker, all Snyder, Jonathan Carroll of Hawley, Tonya Diersing of Hamlin, Jeff Hogue of Abilene, 'Rey Rivera of Ozona, Paul Rucker of Lubbock and Cody Smith of Aspermont.

Some images collected by spy satellites to be released

WASHINGTON (AP) — Ever wonder what those secret spy satellites were looking at during the Cold War? Now you can see some of the pictures for yourself.

The U.S. Geological Survey is releasing 300,000 satellite images collected by intelligence agencies between 1960 and 1972.

Copies of the images can be viewed at Survey information centers or through the Internet.

HONOR ROLL

Hermleigh ISD

Second Grade
A Honor Roll
Summer White
Rebecca Wood
Samantha Berry
Crystal Bridges
Georgianna Smith
Danni Webb

Second Grade
A-B Honor Roll
Robert Anderson
Scott Arellano
Joshua Baldwin
Frank Smith
Erica Torres

Third Grade
A Honor Roll
James Goonrod
Megan Lee
Shae Rinehart
Misty Ritch
Tyler Rogers
Karl Smith

Third Grade
A-B Honor Roll
Amy Botts
Cassie Harbin
Justin Kelley
Lennon Lane

Fourth Grade
A Honor Roll
Valerie West
Toni Jackson

Fourth Grade
A-B Honor Roll
Justin Williamson

Fifth Grade
A Honor Roll
Lauren Lee

Fifth Grade
A-B Honor Roll
Joshua Duhaime
Shawn Roemisch
Randy Thomason

Sixth Grade
A -B Honor Roll
Christina Arellano
Lacy Doggett
Rocky Glover
Chris Lee
Julie Mireles
Kendara Nachlinger
Jeremy Roemisch
Sabrina Terry

Seventh Grade
A-B Honor Roll
Shannon Barnes
Billy Lambaren

Eighth Grade
A Honor Roll
Randi Herrington
Jared Higgins

Eighth Grade
A-B Honor Roll
Caleb Callaway
Trina Chandler
Kendra Dacus
Chris Doggett
Crystal Jackson
Joey Garza
Tony Molina

Ninth Grade
A-B Honor Roll
Summer Barnes
Michael Duhaime
Josh Hudgins
Bradley Roemisch
Jennifer Roemisch

Tenth Grade
A-B Honor Roll
Larry Lambaren

Eleventh Grade
A-B Honor Roll
Amanda Berry
Kassie Elder
Michelle Roemisch

Twelfth Grade
A Honor Roll
Bridget Moore

Twelfth Grade
A-B Honor Roll
Michael Breitweiser
Jimmy Digby
Michelle Gray
Jack Hudgins
Billy Luna
Donnis McHaney
Joey Sanchez

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Q&A

How safe is Ritalin?

In response to the growing concern among parents, educators and other affected members of our community, Snyder Daily News in cooperation with the AL-ANON support groups and the Snyder Area Council on Alcohol and Drug Abuse, is devoting this weekly column to your questions and concerns about the increasing threat of substance abuse in our community.

The SDN will feature one or two of your questions each and every week. CADA, AL-ANON and AA will attempt to answer each question, discuss each new topic, offer hope for a solution to this growing problem our community faces. Our question for today's column is:

"My child was prescribed Ritalin for ADD. Would Ritalin be damaging if taken by one of his friends?"

Ritalin (methylphenidate), a long used drug to treat hyperactivity in children, is quickly becoming the drug ABUSE "hot topic." In Snyder, some problems have developed involving overdoses and the sale of Ritalin tablets on the black market. Prescription tablets, which produce a mild stimulant effect when taken as directed and at usual prescription doses, can create powerful stimulant effects and serious health risks when snorted like cocaine, or injected like heroin. High doses, however, can become addictive.

Ritalin can be a godsend for those who really need it. The stimulant is readily water soluble and is intended for oral use. It is supplied in 5 mg., 10 mg., and 20 mg. tablets and in a sustained released form. Ritalin is a central nervous system stimulant. In medicine, Ritalin is used in the treatment of Attention Deficit Disorder (ADD or ADHA) and in the treatment of narcolepsy. In recent years, the frequency of diagnosis for ADD has increased dramatically. Prescriptions for Ritalin have increased more than 600% over the past five years and a significant portion of these prescriptions are diverted for illicit non-medical use. When purchased in pharmacies with a valid prescription, Ritalin tablets usually cost 25 cents to 50 cents each. In the illicit street drug market, tablets sell for $3-$15 each.

Ritalin can produce the same effects as cocaine when taken by someone who is not on the medication by doctor's orders. Taking Ritalin intravenously causes the rapid delivery of the drug, making it difficult for the user to control the intensity of the drug effect, thus making toxic overdoses more likely. Ritalin tablets contain salt of methylphenidate which make acid when contact with moisture of the nasal cavity occurs while snorting. This can result in open sores, nose bleeds, and possibly in deterioration of the nasal cartilage.

The U.S. Drug Enforcement Administration has classified Ritalin as a Schedule II controlled substance, in the same category as cocaine, methadone and methamphetamine. Under both federal and state law, dealing in or distributing Ritalin is a serious felony. Possession without a prescription is a felony as well. Depending upon the quantity, location of transfer, and age of the recipient, dealing in Ritalin could be a Class A fellony resulting in prison term of up to 45 years, and a fine of up to $10,000.

Therefore, Ritalin, as well as any other drug, should not be given to anyone for whom it is not prescribed. Adult supervision should always be maintained when administering any prescription drug.

Twenty-four hour confidential information is available by calling (915) 573-1141 or 1-800-659-6722. Information on help groups and individual phone numbers may be found in the SDN Community Calendar.

Send your questions to P.O. Box 695, Snyder, TX 79550. Or you may call (915) 573-1141. All questions and personal inquiries may be submitted anonymously.

TEAMMEMBERS ...of the Month...

LAWRENCE IGA #400



Bobby Grimes

Bobby Grimes was nominated for Teammember of the month because he is a very hard worker. He is a strong leader who helps all of his teammembers

Bobby has worked at Lawrence IGA for 6 months. He is a Grocery Manager.

Bobby has lived in the Snyder area for 22 years. He and his wife, Virginia, have a son named Steven.

When not working at Lawrence IGA he enjoys spending his time working around the house and spending time with his family.

LAWRENCE IGA #100



Betty Hicks

Betty Hicks is an all around hard worker, very productive, a great asset to the Bakery/Deli Dept. and to Lawrence IGA. She can be depended on to come to work at any time. She meets all guidelines for Teammember of the month. Betty has worked at Lawrence IGA for 7 months as a Bakery/Deli Technician.

Betty and her husband, Danny, have 2 children, Shane and Nicky. Betty has lived in Snyder all her life.

Lawrence IGA

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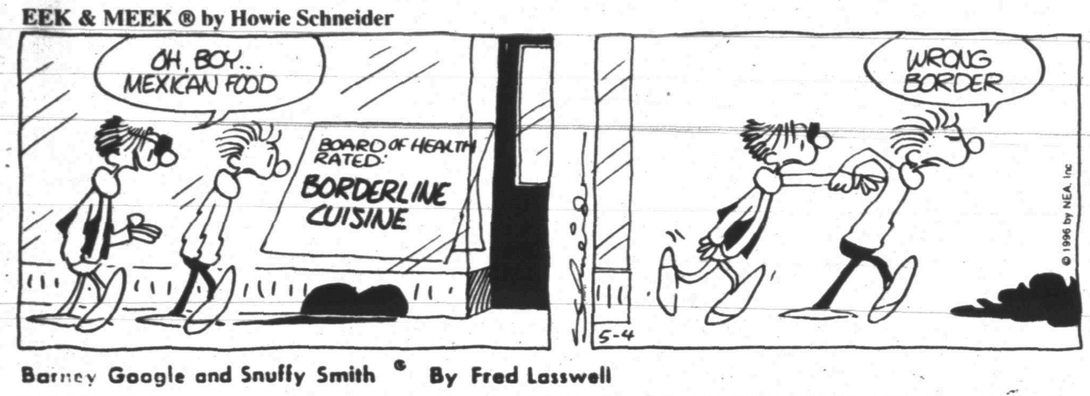
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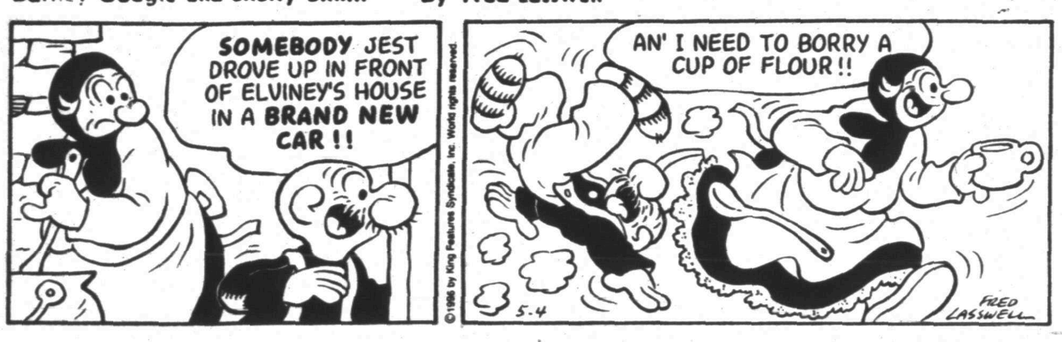
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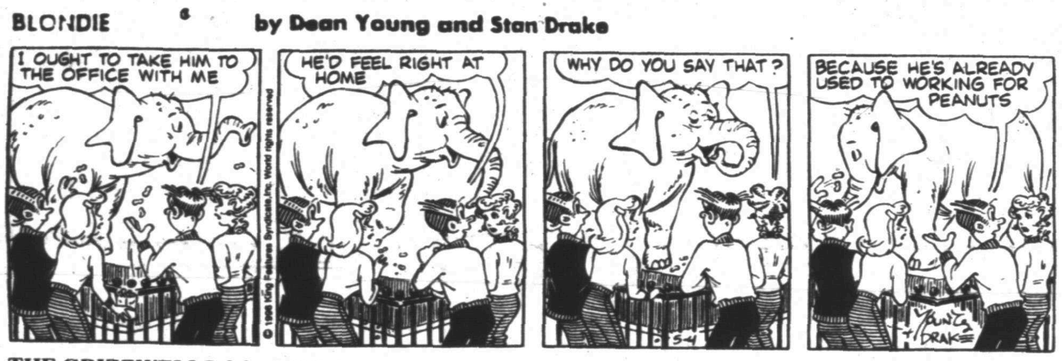
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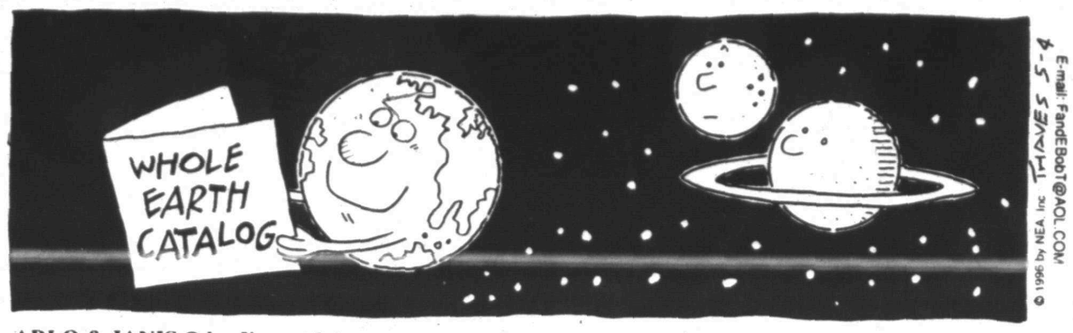
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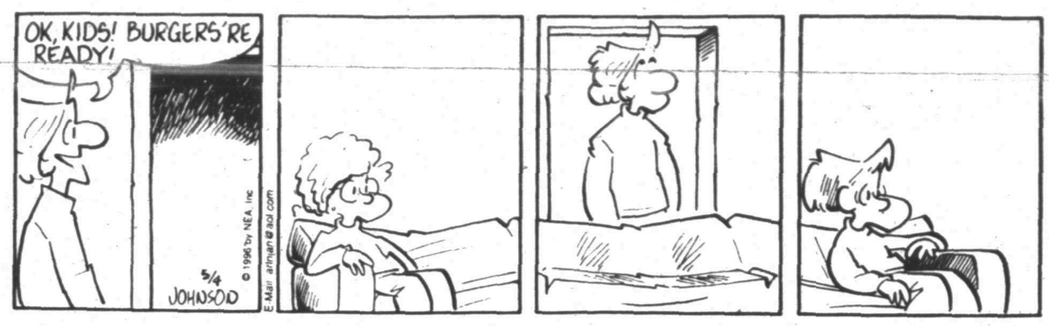
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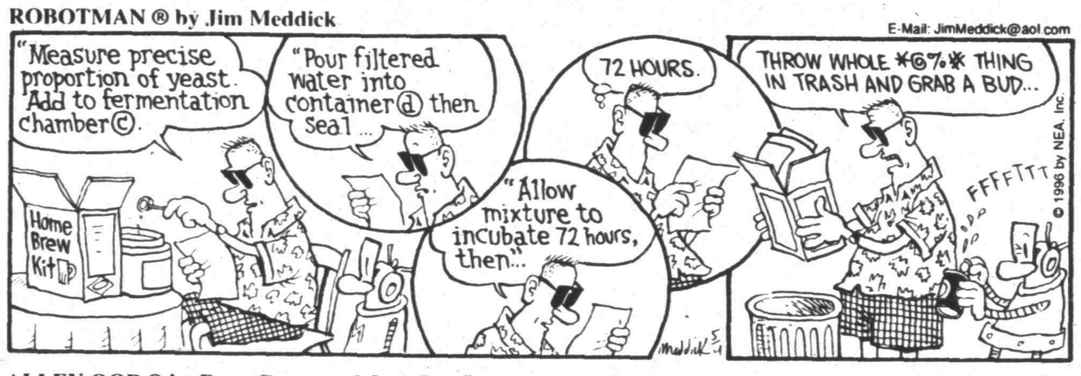


BIG NATE ® by Lincoln Peirce



ROBOTMAN ® by Jim Meddick

E-Mail: JimMeddick@aol.com



ALLEY OOP ® by Dave Graue and Jack Bender



BETTY ™ by Delainey and Rasmussen



NEA Crossword Puzzle

ACROSS

1 Genus of ants
7 Repetitive sounds
13 Regal fur
14 Tom Hanks film, — 13
15 Woodcutting tool
16 Of an ethnic group
17 Actress Balin
18 Type of class (abbr.)
20 Compete
21 Protection
23 Flower necklace
24 Post
25 Cupid
27 Leave the work force
29 Turn the page (abbr.)
31 Dry, as wine
32 Chance
33 Mai — (cocktail)
34 Makes impure
37 Smelting byproduct
40 Eugene O'Neill's daughter
41 Judge Lance —
43 Actor Montand
45 Metal fastener
46 Clam genus
47 Made of (suff.)
48 Graduates
51 Vituperative speech
54 Depends
55 Joyful
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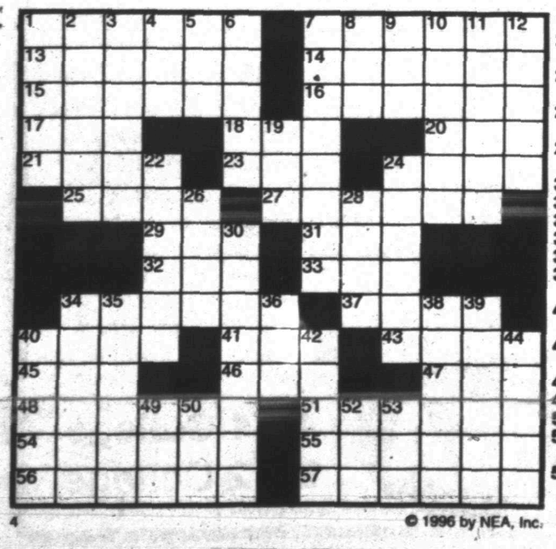
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11 Seinfeld character
12 Repaired (shoes)
19 Sun. speech
22 Actress — Loren
24 Mediterranean island
26 Comedian — Laurel
28 Pekoe and Earl Grey
30 Hopeful one
34 Laborer
35 Rings
36 Pigpen
38 Fly
39 Male or female
40 Painting style (2 wds.)
42 Author Joyce Carol —
44 Future plants
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53 Mortar mixer

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Snyder FFA team receives more awards



UNDEFEATED — Snyder's undefeated state champion Crops Team members are from left, Cody Cribbs, Brandon Williamson, Marci Irvine and Matt Preston. (SDN Staff Photo)

Snyder High School's chapter of Future Farmers of America (FFA) have won several awards during competition held over the past two weekends.

Two of the seven teams that had advanced to the state contest level returned home with state championships.

The Crops Team continued a three-year winning streak with a litany of first places. According to David Frazier, adviser, this "talented team placed first at West Texas A&M University, Clarendon College district, area and state contests.

While winning as a team at the state contest held at Texas Tech University, Marci Irvine brought home the fiirst high point individual status. Cody Cribbs was third high and Matt Preston was sixth high individual. Brandon Williamson is also a member of the team.

The Farm Management Business team also brought home a state championship. Team members include Clark Church, Jenise Judah and Shauna Huddleston.

En route to the state title, they placed first at Abilene Christian University, WTA&M, Clarendon College, SWT, area and state contests.

At the state contest held at Texas A&M, Church and Judah ied for the high point individual status and Huddleston was the fourth high point individual. The team will now advance to the national contest which will be held at the National FFA Convention in Kansas City, Mo. in November.

The poultry team placed eighth at state. Members are Jeremy Clifton, Matthew Miller, Ty Jones, Heath Irvine and Michael Davis. Frazier said they had "a wonderful year, winning the Sweetwater, Clarendon College and Texas Tech University district and area contests."

The Horticulture Team placed 10th at state. Previous wins included first in the district contest and second in area competition.

Horticulture Team members include Seth Knox, Tyson Hallmark, Sarah Pierce and Tommy Gordon.

The Horse Team advanced to state by placing first in district and area contests. At state, they placed 11th overall. "This is quite a feat considering there were over 600 Horse Teams throughout throughout the state," Frazier said.

Team members are Shawn Purcell, Darcee Purcell, Seth Crawford and Veronica Williams.

The Dairy Products Team ended the year with a first in district, second in area and 32nd in state. Team members include Lori Sanders, Gabby Lucero, Tanya Basarab and Michael Davis.

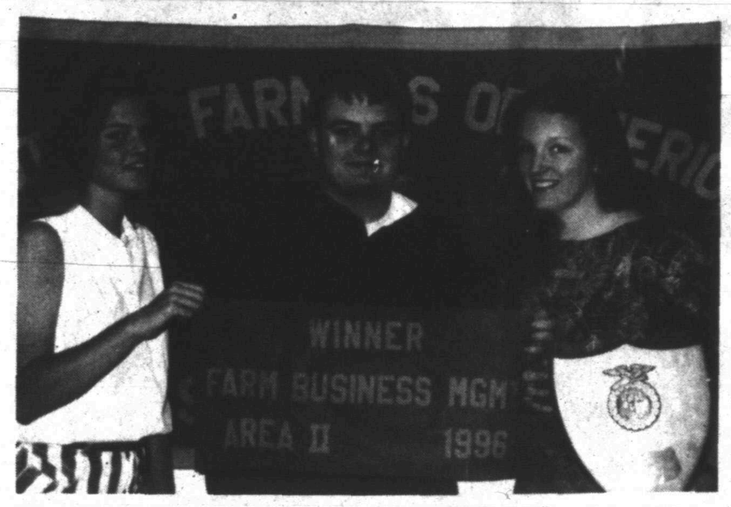
The Dairy Cattle Team earned second place in district, third in area and 52nd at state. The team consists of Brady Collier, Aron Stanley, Brandi Wolf and Jay Calloway.

Frazier added, "Overall Snyder's FFA chapter has been very successful in their judging season. Thanks should also be given to the parents, teachers and school administrators who have supported the efforts of these young people."

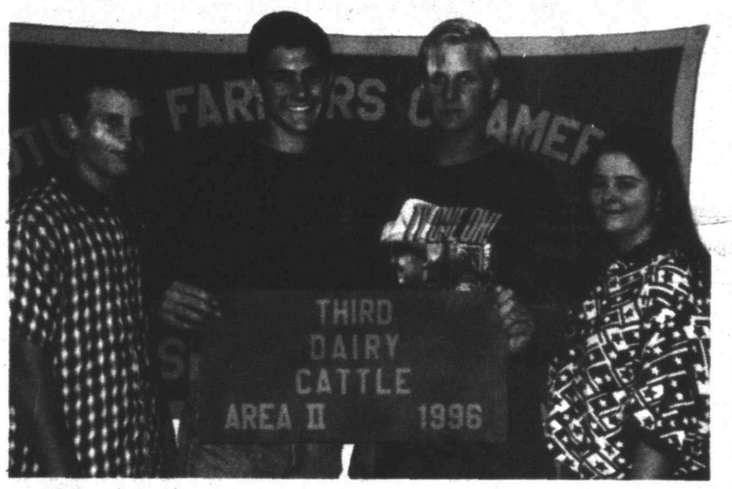
Team coaches include Frazier, Bob Hand and Bob Stewart, student teacher.



TENTH PLACE STATE — Tenth place state Horticulture Team members are from left, Sarah Pierce, Tyson Hallmark and Tommy Gordon. Seth Knox is not pictured. (Contributed Photo)



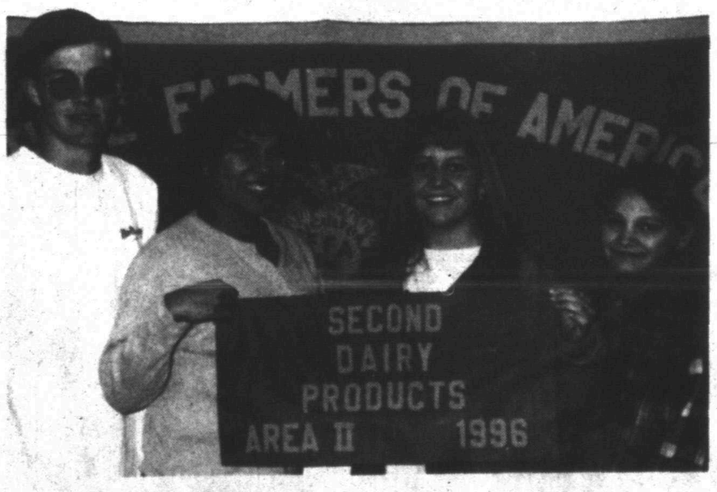
TEAM UNDEFEATED — State champion Farm Business Management Team members from left, are Jenise Judah, Clark Church and Shauna Huddleston. (Contributed Photo)



CATTLE TEAM (DAIRY)— Dairy cattle team members include from left, Aron Stanley, Brady Collier, Jay Calloway and Brandi Wolf. (Contributed Photo)



POULTRY TEAM — Poultry team members are from left Matthew Miller, Michael Davis, Heath Irvine and Ty Jones. Jeremy Clifton is not pictured. (Contributed Photo)



DAIRY PRODUCTS — Dairy products team members include from left, Michael Davis, Gabby Lucero, Lori Sanders and Tanya Basarab. (Contributed Photo)

Senate elects new officers

Western Texas College Student Senate Officers for 1996-97 will be Jana McCloy, president; Jessica Jeffrey, vice president; Kelly Smith, treasurer; and KayCee Plugge, secretary.

Jana McCloy is the daughter of Mark and Annette McCloy of Gruver. Her major is Physical Therapy. At WTC, she is a member of the Student Senate, Phi Theta Kappa and the Rodeo Team.

Jessica Jeffrey is the daughter of Ron and Jean Jeffrey of Hamlin and is majoring in business. At WTC, she is a member of the Student Senate and was a member of the Lady Westerner basketball team.

Kelly Smith is the daughter of Gary and Kristine Smith from Wimborne, Alberta, Canada. Her major is ag business. At WTC, she is a member of the Student Senate, the Rodeo and Basketball teams.

KayCee Plugge is the daughter of Jack and Peggy Plugge of Burwell. Her major is ag business. At WTC, she is a member of the Student Senate, PTK and the Rodeo Team.

WTC Faculty Association lists awards of scholarships

Winners of the Western Texas College Faculty Association Scholarship Awards for next year are Jonathan David Carroll of Hawley and Carolyn Kay Tidwell of Sweetwater.

Carroll has a grade point average of 4.0 and is a member of Phi Theta Kappa and the Student Senate. He is also a staff writer for the campus newspaper, the Western Texan.

Tidwell has a grade point average of 3.5 and is a member of PTK on campus.

The scholarship awards, given to two returning sophomores, were doubled for next year, going from $200 to $400.

To be chosen, applicants submitted a three to five hundred word essay. Other considerations included involvement in extracurricular or community activities, having completed 30 semester hours, and having a minimum grade point average of 3.25.

Frances Shulze is SDN winner

Frances Schulze of 1803½ 39th St. is the April winner of a free year's subscription to the Snyder Daily News. Each month a drawing is held from the names of those who either subscribed or renewed for six months or more.

Bardot speaks out

PARIS (AP) — Brigitte Bardot wants South Korea to ban the sale of dog meat — a national delicacy — if that country becomes host of the 2002 World Cup soccer championships.

In South Korea, dog meat is believed to be able to enhance health and sexual prowess. It is openly purchased and served.

The actress said Western sensitivities would be hurt by the sight of dead and live dogs sold in the markets.

"This market and the methods of slaughtering these dogs are unbearable to Westerners who consider dogs to be the companion of man and also man's best friend," she said Tuesday in a letter to Song Young Shik, president of the South Korean World Cup Organizing Committee.

She said neither fans nor "other friends of animals will tolerate this practice," noting that the South Korean government banned the sale and consumption of dog meat during the 1988 Summer Olympics.

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