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MY TURN
by Jeff West



One of the cool parts of my job is that I get to go to a lot of things I might otherwise miss if I didn't wear a camera around my neck and carry a notepad.

Of course one of the uncool parts about my job is I go a lot of places I might not have gone if etc. etc. But often I don't know which category an event will fall into until after I've arrived.

Take the health fair at Cogdell Memorial Hospital yesterday. The boss told me about it and said he wanted some pictures. Well, I've been to a hospital before and they weren't necessarily enjoyable experiences, but there's that whole camera around my neck thing and figured well maybe there would be some fun stuff around.

As it turns out, it wasn't that kind of fair at all. This one mostly had some folks around a bunch of tables passing out informative literature, maps, brochures and stuff. There were also a lot of hospital folks giving various kinds of tests and checkups that you'd usually have to pay for and wait for while sitting around reading old magazines.

But the best part of the whole experience is there was lots of free stuff. Now a lot of the folks at the tables were having drawings for prizes, which I don't usually enter. But a lot of the tables also had free stuff that anyone could have. There was candy, cookies, punch and more candy and cookies.

There were litter bags and other things, too, but for me the big thing was the pens. Lots and lots of pens. I love pens. Big pens, fancy pens, odd shaped pens.

At some of the tables the folks wisely only put out a few pens so I would feel guilty if I took more than one. Others put out a whole bunch so I could take a couple or more without guilt. I got at least one pen from pretty much everyone who had 'em. There was one place where they offered me a pen with a flower on top, but I passed. It's not that I didn't want the pen, but I thought it would look funny sticking out of my pocket. Besides I figured it would be detrimental to my credibility if I showed up to some big event and pulled out a flower pen to take notes.

Other than that I took all the pens I could without appearing greedy, or too greedy.

I've actually had a thing for pens for as long as I can remember. Even in junior high I always had a pen with me. It's kind of a thing with me. I don't like to wear shirts without pockets. I never took up smoking, drinking or a lot of other bad habits, but I usually have a pen in my hand, even if there's nothing to write — mostly retractable pens because I click them. The stick pens or pens with caps aren't as good for me because 1) they don't click and b) I lose the caps.

When you always carry a pen there are some good and bad points. When you're a kid the other kids think its strange, heck, even when you're an adult some people think it's strange. But the people who know me don't ever have to hunt for something to write with; I've got it covered.

So if you're running a fair of some kind with lots of vendors and tables and stuff, there's a good chance I'll be there with a camera around my neck and a pocket stuffed with pens.

Be good to one another and be good to yourselves.

School calendar up for adoption by SISD board

Snyder ISD trustees will review the proposed school calendar for 2004-2005 when they meet at 6 this evening.

The calendar, prepared by the district-wide education improvement committee, has school starting on Aug. 18, and the fall semester ending Dec. 21.

The spring semester would start Jan. 4 and end May 26.

Trustees also will consider a resolution requesting funds from the M.S. Doss Foundation in the amount of $53,100 for some 150 scholarships for at-risk students in the Safe Child After-School Program.

One bid has been received for the district's food service management and it is from its current provider — Aramark. Trustees are expected to act on extending the company's contract.

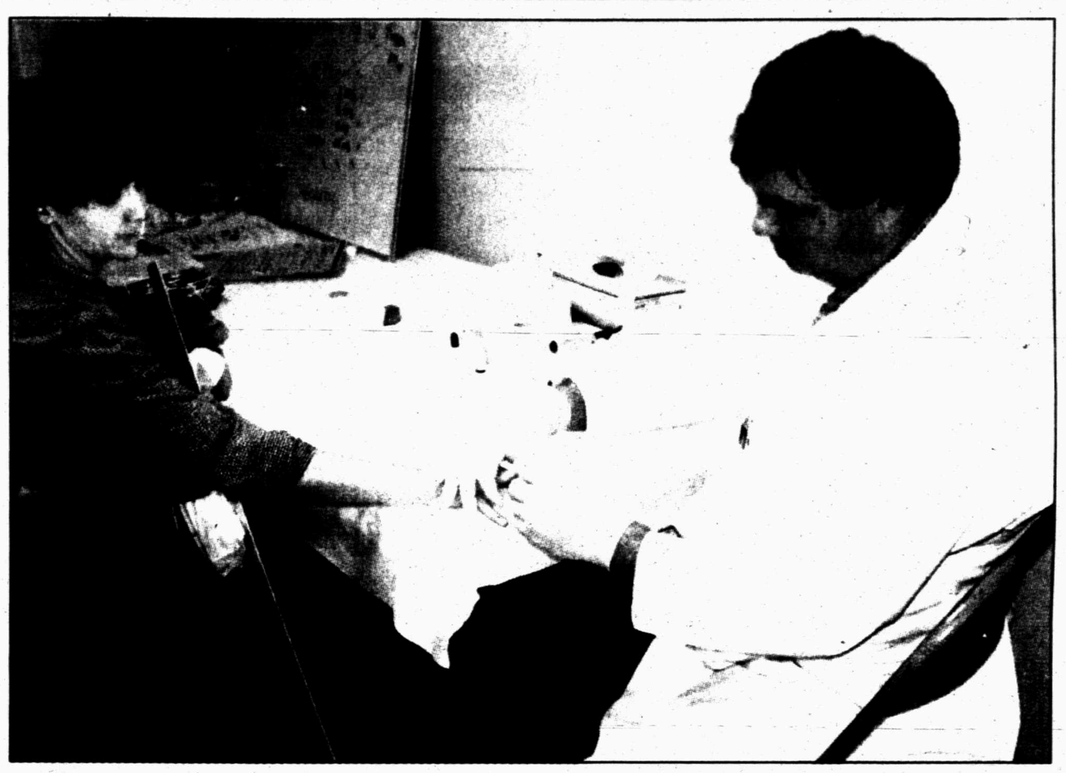
Karen Waller, executive director of business and finance, will present budget transfers for approval and also the monthly financial report.

Four letters of resignation will be acted on as they have been received from Janie Carroll and Kenneth Parker of East Elementary, Willita Farmer of West Elementary, and Central Elementary teacher June Holcomb.

Two contracts for the coming school year will be considered for approval pending certification.

These include Roddy Alexander, industrial technology-coach at the junior high; and Ellen Riley, junior high social studies teacher.

The meeting will be in the boardroom at the administration building.



TYPING TEST, NO KEYBOAP.D — Laboratory manager Bill Dickinson checks to find the blood type for Ronda White of Snyder at Wednesday's health fair.



SOME PRESSURE IS GOOD — Patsy Robinson R. N. checks the blood pressure of Texa Ball of Snyder at Wednesday's community health fair at CMH. (SDN Staff Photos by Jeff West)

Suit filed against county, Cogdell Memorial Hospital

Cogdell Memorial Hospital and Scurry County have been named defendants in a lawsuit that allegedly resulted from an elevator malfunction almost two years ago.

Timothy Mitchell of Fort Worth is seeking damages from the county-owned hospital for injuries he says were suffered when the elevator suddenly dropped on June 7, 2002.

The suit claims that the plaintiff was attempting to reach the second floor when the elevator dropped and the impact caused him serious injuries.

The lawsuit, filed in 132nd District Court by Anna Zimmerman of the Arlington law firm of Smith and Carlson, alleges negligence on the part of the hospital and the county.

Play starts on Friday

On Golden Pond will be performed by local actors at the Ritz Theatre at 8 p.m. Friday and Saturday, and 2:30 p.m. on Sunday.

Cast members for the play, written by Earnest Thompson, include Mike Thornton who plays Norman Thayer Jr.; Emily Hataway, Ethel Thayer; Grant Knipe, Charlie Martin; Beth Bowen and Michelle McMillan, alternating the part of Chelsea Thayer Wayne; Caleb Durham, Billy Ray; and Kent Wright, portrays Bill Ray.

Tickets are $7 and seats can be reserved by calling the box office at 573-8880. Tickets are also available at the door.

On Golden Pond is directed by Ellie Dryden.

Rumsfeld travels to Iraq

ABU GHRAIB, Iraq (AP) — Defense Secretary Donald H. Rumsfeld, making a surprise visit to Iraq, went to the Abu Ghraib prison today and told U.S. troops "we'll get through" the international uproar over abuse of inmates there.

Arriving here with Joint Chiefs of Staff Chairman Richard Myers by helicopter in a dust storm, the embattled Rumsfeld called the abuse scandal a "body blow for all of us" but said he was determined that those in the wrong be punished.

"The people who engaged in abuses will be brought to justice," the defense secretary said. "The world will see how a free and democratic society functions."

Rumsfeld and Myers were accompanied here by Maj. Gen. Geoffrey Miller, commander of the prison system in Iraq, who told Rumsfeld that a new complex of outdoor camps is going to open soon on the grounds outside the main prison building.

It will be called "Camp Redemption," he said, at the suggestion of the Iraqi Governing Council, and will provide better living conditions for the detainees. Rumsfeld has heard many calls for his resignation in the wake of publicly released photos showing abuse of Iraqi prisoners by U.S. forces. President Bush has given Rumsfeld a vote of confidence.

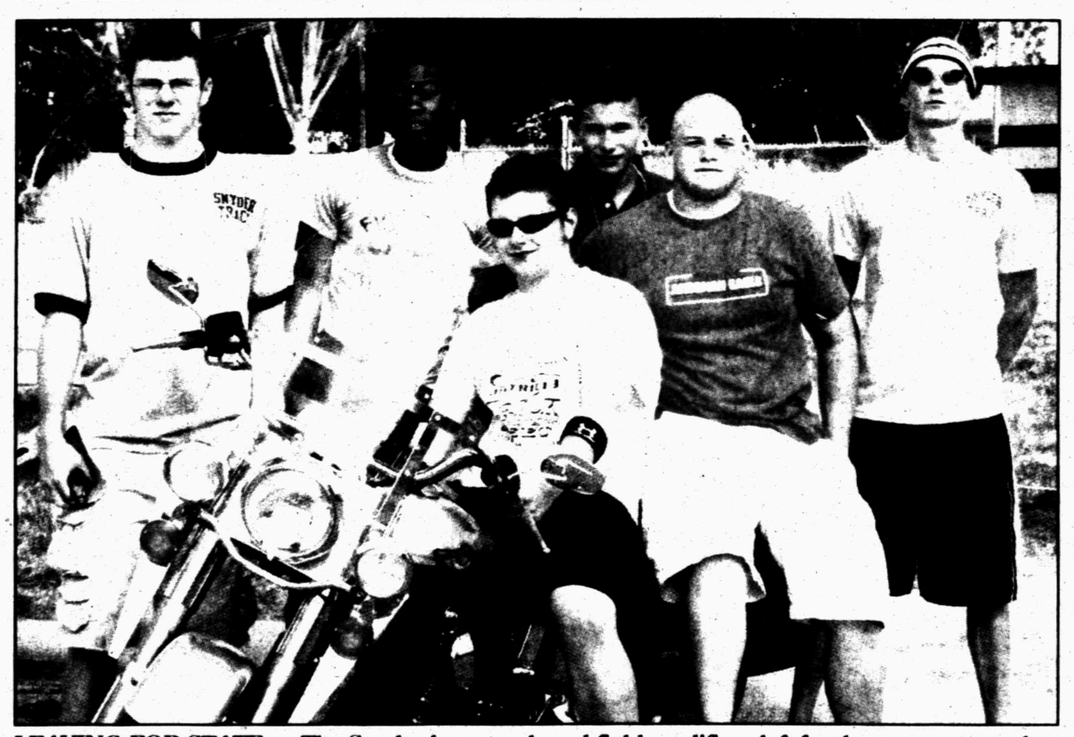
"I've stopped reading newspapers," Rumsfeld quipped to the troops here. "You've got to keep your sanity somehow. I'm a survivor."

Later, Miller took Rumsfeld and Myers on a drive around the compound in an armored bus. They passed many dozens of Iraqi detainees who lined the boundary of their outdoor camp, marked by rolls of concertina wire, aware from the heavy security that someone important in their midst. Some waved. Some stood without expression.

Miller told Rumsfeld that by the end of May, all prisoners under U.S. control will have been moved out of the old prison building.

Rumsfeld said the U.S. military is moving Iraq toward sovereignty by training an Iraqi security force that will be capable of protecting Iraqis. "It's their country and they're going to have t5o take over security," he said.

Rumsfeld told reporters en route to Iraq that lawyers are advising the Pentagon not to publicly release any more pictures.



LEAVING FOR STATE — The Snyder boys track and field qualifiers left for the state meet today. Going to Austin are the 4x200-meter relay team, standing from left, Zach Cain, Malcome Wells, Jesus Juarez, Justin Boyd and Ricky McNatt, seated, discus. In the driver's seat is manager Hunter Shipp. The meet gets underway Friday morning. (SDN Staff Photo by Bobby Allen)



PACKING UP — October Wells loads up the van before leaving for Austin this morning. Wells will compete in the 200m dash and the long jump. (SDN Staff Photo by Bobby Allen)

American Legion drawing to help children's charity

A drawing to benefit the Children's Miracle Network will be held Saturday on Armed Forces Day at the American Legion.

The drawing for several gifts is sponsored by The Sons of the American Legion.

Prizes include a Winchester 190 .30-.30 caliber rifle donated by Valton Buchanan, a concrete bird bath donated by Snyder Concrete, two days of dove hunting provided by Dry Creek Ranch, a case of oil provided by D & D Auto, and gift certificates donated by Burger King.

Tickets are $1 each, or six for $5 and can be obtained by calling 574-6805, or 207-1874.

ASK US

Q—How many students have transferred into the Hermleigh ISD this year?

A—There have been 37 transfer in, although a few left, bringing the school population to 164 students.

MEET YOUR NEIGHBOR



Peggy Cullifer...

...has lived in Scurry County all her life and she is married to Mark who works at Patterson UTI. They have two sons, Dillan, 8, and Austin, 7, who attend Ira schools. They are the owners of Cullifer's Colors Greenhouse and she likes camping, snow skiing, spending time with her family and of course, gardening.

TODAY'S THOUGHT

Greed is a terrible thing, unless you're on the ground floor.

—Yogi Berra

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WHAT'S UP?

ONGOINGS

Reception

A reception to honor Roy and Geleska Baze will be held from 4 to 6 p.m. today in the Scurry County Museum on the WTC campus.

First Baptist support group

First Baptist Church sponsors a support group for persons facing difficulties – including cancer, divorce, grief, etc. It meets on the first floor Adult 6 Department at 6:30 p.m. the second Thursday of each month.

NHS fundraiser

The Snyder High School National Honor Society will car hop from 5 to 9 this evening and next Thursday at the Sonic Drive In. Tips will benefit the Scurry County United Way.

Tiger team sendoff

There will be a send-off for the Tiger baseball team at 2:30 p.m. Friday from the sophomore parking lot. Also, district championship baseball shirts can be purchased at Classic Interiors, or by calling Jana Neal at 207-0873, or terri Price at 207-0847.

Health fair

Interim Healthcare will have a health fair from 9 a.m. until noon Friday at the Senior Citizen's Center. Free blood pressure checks will be available, plus free health information.

Pops concert

Snyder High School choir department will present its annual pops concert at 6:30 p.m. Friday in Worsham Auditorium. Admission is $5.

Trinity Methodist youth fundraiser

Trinity United Methodist Church will have an inside garage sale beginning at 8 a.m. Saturday to raise funds for the youth mission trip in July.

WTC cheerleader tryouts

Western Texas College is adding a cheerleading squad next fall. Tryouts for cheerleading are to be held every Saturday in May — except May 29 — from 10 a.m. until 2 p.m. in the WTC gym. Applications can be picked up at the human resources office at WTC or found at www.wtc.edu. Applications are due at noon Friday prior to the Saturday tryout. Mail applications to Cheerleading Sponsor, WTC, 6200 College Ave. Snyder, 79549. Scholarships are available.

Nationwide alert issued for missing teen

LUBBOCK (AP) — Authorities say foul play may be involved in the disappearance of a 16-year-old girl, who left her home in the middle of the night more than a week ago, apparently on her own volition and without her cell phone.

"Typically, teenagers today, if they have a cell phone, it's with them all the time," Lubbock County's Sheriff's Office chief deputy Paul Scarborough said Wednesday. "It's just highly unusual."

A nationwide missing persons bulletin was issued the evening of May 6, two days after Joanna Rogers went missing from her home just outside the Lubbock city limits. A regional Amber Alert was issued at the same time, officials said.

"We're trying to bump that up" to a nationwide Amber Alert, said sheriff's Sgt. Greg Parrott.

Rogers, a junior at Lubbock High School, came home from her job at a sandwich shop about 12:20 a.m. on May 4, and had a short conversation with her mother before apparently going to bed, said Kathy Rogers, the teen's mother.

At 7 a.m., there was no trace of Joanna Rogers. The teenager's belongings — debit card, car keys, shoes, clothes and cell phone — were still in her room. Her parents reported her missing immediately.

Kathy Rogers said her daughter was looking forward to participating in a dance recital that night. She has no history of running away from home.

"It's just like aliens sucked her up," she said. "You can't imagine looking around and there's no evidence of where she's gone."

Police believe Joanna Rogers left the house voluntarily. There was no sign of forced entry and the family's two dogs did not alert the household to an intruder, Scarborough said.

"We believe that there's a good probability that she is not being allowed to return home for whatever reason," he said.

County authorities have analyzed the youngster's computer hard drive as well her mother's. They've interviewed co-workers, a boyfriend and others who might have seen Joanna Rogers before she disappeared, Scarborough said.

Investigators from the National Center for Missing & Exploited Children came to Lubbock late last week to help. Sheriff's office investigators are urging residents in rural areas surrounding Lubbock to inspect structures and vehicles on their land.

Kathy Rogers and her husband are managing with their daughter's disappearance.

"We have our moments. When we stay busy and focused we do good. If we let our imaginations wander, we're like any parent in this situation," she said. "It's a mother's and a father's worst nightmare."

On the Net:

Lubbock County Sheriff's Office: www.co.lubbock.tx.us

National Center for Missing and Exploited Children: www.missingkids.com

Texas Department of Public Safety: http://www.txdps.state.tx.us/mpch/MissingPersons.asp?LetterR%und— off(%)

Money allocated for bird flu efforts

WASHINGTON (AP) — The U.S. Department of Agriculture has allocated $13.7 million to address issues arising from this year's outbreaks of avian influenza in Texas and the Northeast.

The money will be administered by the USDA's Animal and Plant Health Inspection Service, with most of it going to develop a national control and prevention program for low-pathogenic avian influenza, or LPAI.

But nearly $3 million will go to help Texas pay the disposal, surveillance and indemnification costs associated with February's outbreak of high-pathogenic bird flu on a single chicken farm in Gonzales County.

It was the first outbreak of the highly contagious and lethal form of the disease in this country in 20 years.

More than 9,000 chickens on that farm had to be killed, and dozens of countries suspended poultry trade with all or parts of the United States.

Two live-bird markets in Houston were closed briefly, and agents from the Texas Animal Health Commission checked hundreds of farms within a 30-mile radius of the infected farm to make sure the disease had not spread.

Agriculture Secretary Ann Veneman said Wednesday that the LPAI program will include biosecurity and monitoring efforts in the commercial growers and live bird markets to safeguard poultry in the United States.

APHIS will also create a set of standards for states to ensure that live bird markets are regulated in a uniform fashion.

In 2004, LPAI was identified in poultry flocks in Delaware and Maryland.

Dear Abby

By Abigail Van Buren



Mom cut cord to her son for each daughter-in-law

DEAR ABBY: I just finished reading the letter from "Sick of the Bad Rep," who is depressed at the thought of having three daughters-in-law when her three sons marry. Well, I have eight daughters-in-law, and I, too, was scared. Yes, mothers-in-law do get a bad rep — and often it is well-deserved.

When my eldest son married, I knew it was time to cut the cord. So, I cut the strings off a thoroughly worn apron — a visible sign of my intentions — and washed, starched, ironed and placed them in a gift box, and gave it to my new daughter-in-law. She was thrilled and let me know it.

I now have seven more daughters-in-law, and they are all precious to me. One after another, they have told me how much they appreciated the manner in which they were welcomed into the family, and my ability to let go.

I agree with you, Abby, that "Bad Rep's" attitude is self-fulfilling. If she has done a good job rearing her sons, she has nothing to fear. Love is not divided; it is multiplied. Her sons' wives will bless her, and she'll have three precious daughters. — **ONE WHO KNOWS**

DEAR ONE WHO KNOWS: I have received a bushel of letters echoing your sentiments — but yours was by far the most original way of demonstrating to your daughters-in-law there would be no competition. **Read on:**

DEAR ABBY: It isn't just straight couples who have that dilemma. I'm a 48-year-old gay man. Twenty-five years ago I was in my first cohabiting relationship, with "Boyd." His mother made Joan Crawford look like June Allison. Boyd had been married and divorced years before we met. His father was very pleasant. Boyd and I shared a room when we visited their home. The first time we stayed there, I noticed there were pictures of his wedding everywhere. When his sisters came to meet me, one of them asked why the wedding pictures were out. The four of us had a good laugh.

I am a fastidious housekeeper. The first time Boyd's parents visited us, I cleaned the house from top to bottom. One morning I got up to start breakfast and found his mom cleaning the sliding glass patio doors. I bit my tongue. As I handed her a cup of coffee, she said the sun looked so pretty coming through the doors, but the streaks on the glass had ruined the view. I wanted to slap her, but I hung onto my cool.

When people complain about their mothers-in-law I often share my stories. My point is, a woman can be a bad mother-in-law, be it to her son's wife — or husband. — **OVER THE RAINBOW, HARRISBURG, PA.**

DEAR OVER RAINBOW: I'm sorry your mother-in-law turned out to be the Wicked Witch of the West instead of Glenda. I have a mountain of letters from readers who respect, admire and love their mothers-in-law. They enjoy relationships straight out of the Book of Ruth, which, by the way, contains one of the most beautiful love poems ever written — spoken by Ruth to her mother-in-law, Naomi:

"Entreat me not to leave thee, or to return from following after thee: for whither thou goest, I will go; and where thou lodgest, I will lodge. Thy people shall be my people, and thy God my God.

"Where thou diest, will I die, and there will I be buried; the Lord do so to me, and more also, if aught but death part thee and me." (Ruth 1:16-17)

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Taylor police officer shown hitting suspect

AUSTIN (AP) — Taylor police have reprimanded an officer after he was videotaped while hitting a suspect with a flashlight and using other excessive force in making an arrest.

The patrol car video, obtained by the Austin American-Statesman Tuesday through the Texas Open Records Act, also shows Taylor Officer Pedro Gutierrez attempting to push the man from a truck with his feet.

The suspect, James Blair, remained in Williamson County Jail after his arrest on charges of driving while intoxicated and evading arrest.

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Wednesday's Lottery Numbers

Lotto Texas

AUSTIN (AP) — The winning numbers drawn in the Lotto Texas drawing Wednesday night:

10-20-24-32-35

Bonus Ball: 13

Estimated jackpot: $54 million

Next Lotto Texas game: Saturday night.

Cash Five

AUSTIN (AP) — Results of the Cash 5 drawing Wednesday night:

Winning numbers drawn: 8-18-22-23-29.

Number matching five of five: 1.

Prize per winner: $38,770.

Winning ticket sold in: San Angelo.

Matching four of five: 121. Prize: $145.

Matching three of five: 4,001. Prize: $10.

Matching two of five: 38,847. Prize: $2.

Next Cash 5 drawing: Wednesday night.

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JUNE BRIDE HONORED — Tiffany Boen, bride-elect of Matt Rodgers, was honoree at a bridal shower on May 1 in the home of Jackie Hackfeld. The couple plan to marry on June 12 in St. Luke's Methodist Church in Midland. From left are Sandy Hall, aunt of the prospective groom; Jane Brown, his grandmother; Trina Rodgers, his mother; the honoree; Lynn Whisenhunt, her mother; Jane Boen, her maternal grandmother; Virginia Whisenhunt, her step grandmother; Dee Ann Pursley, her aunt from Buffalo Gap. (Contributed Photo)



BRIDE-TO-BE HONORED — A bridal shower was held for Susan Bigham, bride-elect of William Taylor, at the home of Reneé Logston on Sunday, April 25. Pictured from left with Susan are Janet Bigham, her mother; Mary Baber, her aunt; and Kay Echols, her cousin. (Contributed Photo)

Community Calendar

THURSDAY

Horseshoe Pitching For Fun; horseshoe courts located at the coliseum; everybody welcome, for further information call 573-9762.

Deep Creek Cloggers lesson; at the coliseum annex; 6:30 to 8:30 p.m.

AA Big Book Study; closed meeting; contact numbers are 574-1292 or 573-1141; 7 p.m.

FRIDAY

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

Bridal shower honors Boen

Tiffany Boen, daughter of Ricky and Laurie Boen and Lynn and Curt Whisenhunt, was honoree at a bridal shower at 10 a.m. on May 1 in the home of Jackie Hackfeld.

Tiffany is the bride-elect of Matt Rodgers, son of Kerry and Trina Rodgers.

They will exchange vows on June 12 in St. Luke's Methodist Church in Midland.

Other hostesses included Ann Everett, Joan Bunch, Elois Pruitt, Julie Bynum, Lea Ann Shields, Melissa Petty, Tina Sanders, Pearlene Nolan, Candy Jones, Kim Gorman, Temi Mathis, Gina Grimmett, Betsy Armstrong, Betty Thompson, Vicki Johnson, Nancy Smith and Sheryl Reed. They presented the bride-elect with a KitchenAid standing mixer.

They served a fruit tray, breakfast breads, quiche, punch and coffee from a table decorated in tropical colors. The bride's colors are tropical hues with black.

Silver and crystal serving pieces graced the table centered with a bouquet of spring flowers.

Bridge

By Phillip Alder



	North 05-13-04 ♠ A K 4 ♥ Q 6 5 3 ♦ A Q J ♣ 7 5 4	
West ♠ 10 9 8 ♥ K J 8 ♦ K 7 6 3 ♣ A Q 2		East ♠ Q 7 6 2 ♥ A 10 9 7 2 ♦ 9 4 2 ♣ J
	South ♠ J 5 3 ♥ 4 ♦ 10 8 5 ♣ K 10 9 8 6 3	

Dealer: North
Vulnerable: East-West

South	West	North	East
		1 NT	Pass
3 ♣	Pass	Pass	Pass

Opening lead: ♠ 10

Leave one no-trump with a long minor

By Phillip Alder

When partner opens one no-trump and you, the responder, have a weak hand with a five-card major, you should make that suit trumps. But what if you have a five-card minor?

Holding clubs, you will have to pass. If your suit is diamonds and you do not use transfer bids, you respond two diamonds, a drop-dead reply. But if you employ transfers, you will have to pass.

With a six-card minor, though, you should run. But how? You must discuss this with your partner.

If you do not use transfers, bid either two diamonds or three clubs to sign off. (In traditional methods, two clubs, Stayman, followed by three clubs was a sign-off, canceling the Stayman message. But this method is better. Now, two clubs followed by three clubs is natural and game-forcing.)

If you transfer only into the majors, you should jump to three clubs or three diamonds as drop-dead.

If you utilize four-suit transfers, respond as appropriate.

Now to today's deal, in which South did jump immediately to three clubs. As declarer, how would you plan the play after West leads the spade 10?

Maybe you would run the first spade to your hand, hoping the lead was away from the Q-10-9, or perhaps you would win immediately on the board. But your basic plan should be to play trumps toward your hand (lead up to honors) and to take a couple of diamond finesses. Here, you will lose only one spade, one heart and two clubs.

Notice that one no-trump would fail after East leads a heart.

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Births

Mike and Amie Brogden of Snyder announce the birth of their son, Dillon Ray Brogden, at 5:39 p.m. on May 12 in Cogdell Memorial Hospital. Dillon weighed seven pounds, 3½ ounces.

Paternal grandparents are Jim and Terry Osborn of Lubbock and Randy Welch of Shallowater. Maternal grandparents are Larry and Joyce Ray of Littlefield and Brenda and Alvin Nock of Levelland.

Clogging lessons to begin at coliseum

Clogging lessons will begin Thursday at the Scurry County Coliseum annex under the instruction of Helen Cassady.

Lessons will be from 6-7 p.m. every Thursday, for all ages, and regular cloggers will continue until 8:30. Persons may attend to see if they are interested, then it is $40 for 10 lessons.

Cloggers often perform for special events in the area. For further information, call 573-0807 or 573-4438.

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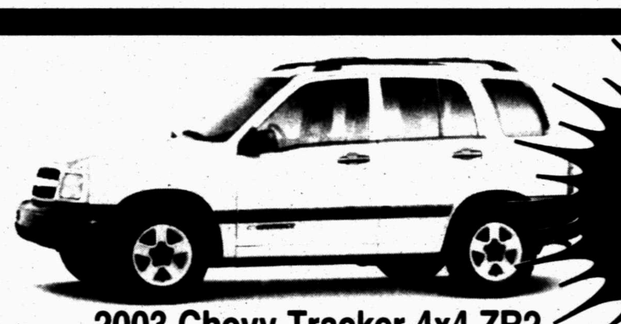
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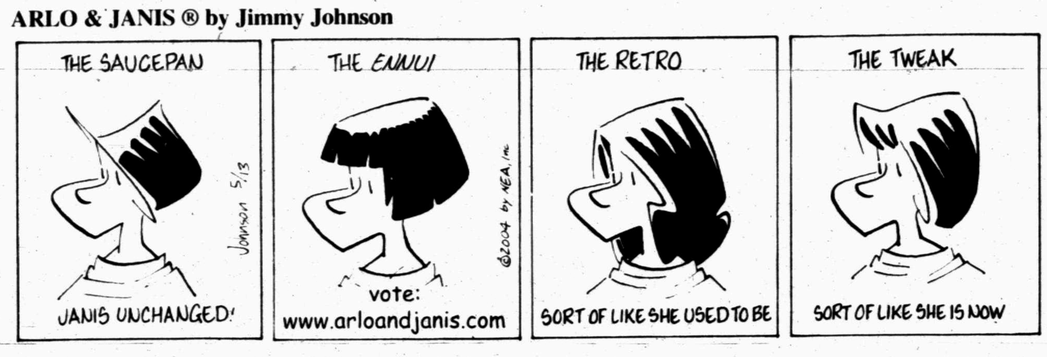
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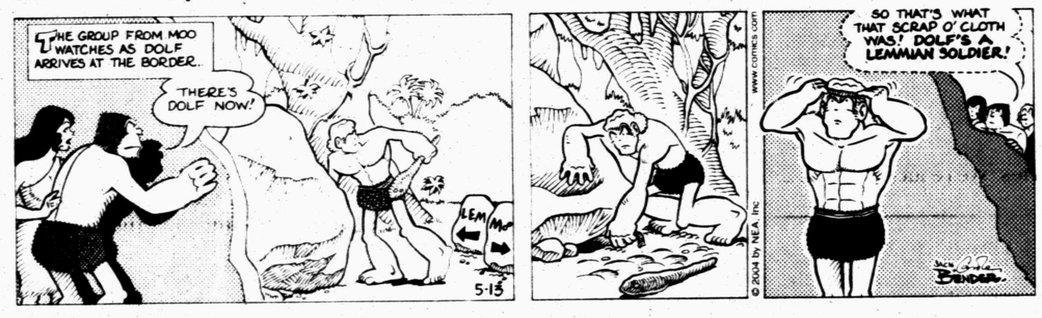
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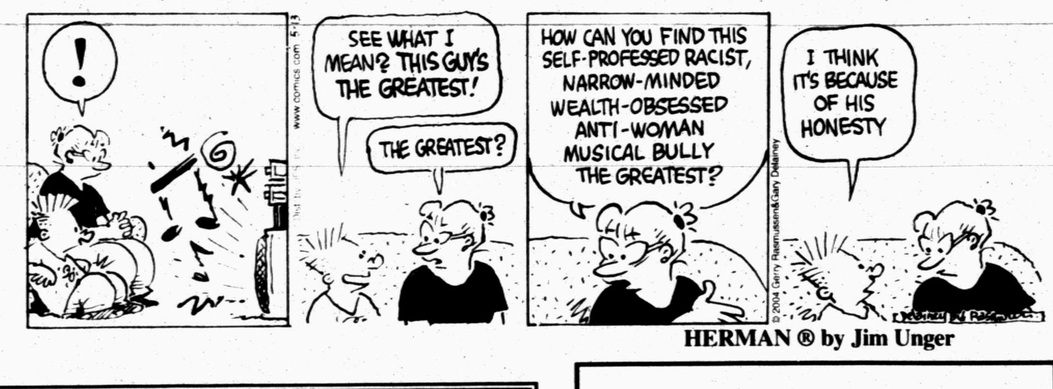
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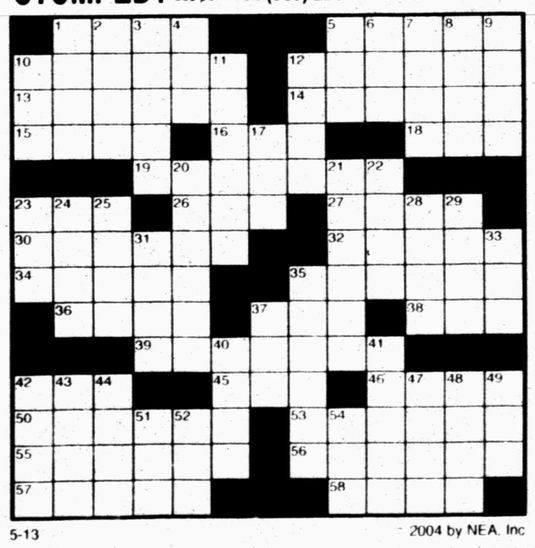
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SPORTS



WOODWORKING — Snyder senior Jordan Dea, who leads the Tigers with a .493 batting average and a .644 on-base percentage, takes some cuts with a wood bat at Wednesday's practice while teammate Hadley Hirt looks on. Snyder is gearing up for its area round series with Amarillo River Road that gets underway Friday. (SDN Staff Photo by Bobby Allen)

Rested Tigers ready to take River Road

By Bobby Allen
SDN Sports Editor

The Tigers begin the postseason Friday under very different circumstances than last season.

In 2003, Snyder and Seminole played an extra district game to determine the second seed in District 3-3A, and the next weekend, the Tigers were battling Midland Greenwood in the bi-district round.

This year, the Tigers (21-4, 9-1) clinched the district on the last game of the season — a 17-day layoff between the end of the regular season and this weekend's area round series against Amarillo River Road (13-14).

And while Snyder has played, and won, a pair of practice games between the April 27 win at Sweetwater and now, the Tigers are ready to get back onto the field.

"Our guys get tired of practice. We set up the games so the guys could keep playing," second-year head coach Charles Bollinger said. "I think playing those practice games did us some good."

Last year at this time, the Tigers were coming off a three-game set against Greenwood, which the teams played in brutally hot weather. They were swept by Canyon in the area round, getting outscored 26-9 in the two games.

After last season's experience, Bollinger sees the lay-off as an advantage.

"With Canyon (last season), I was worried about how fresh we looked," he said. "I think this is a good thing. The guys are hungry and are getting rest."

The rested Tigers open a three-game set with River Road at 7 p.m. Friday at Estacado High School, bringing with them a potent offense, sound pitching and a rock-solid defense against the third-place team from District 1.

The Tigers have hit .368 as a team through 25 games, with three players hitting well above .400.

Marcus Villarreal holds a .448 average, while lead-off hitter Blake Grimmett has hit at a .489 clip. Grimmett also leads the club with an astounding .833 average with runners in scoring position, collecting 44 hits on the year.

Jordan Dea leads the team with at .493 batting average and a .644 on-base percentage. He and Grimmett lead the Tigers with 29 RBIs each.

As a team, the Tigers have reached base over 50 percent of the time, and have run teams ragged on the bases, stealing 77 times in 79 attempts. Bradley Price has paced the Tigers in that department with 20 steals. He has been caught stealing just once.

Senior Ty Collier (6-3, 1.85) will take the mound in the opener. Collier has struck our 66 and allowed just 38 hits in 56.7 innings of work.

The Tigers' team ERA is 2.45, giving up 54 earned runs in 154 innings.

Defensively, the Tigers were the best in the district, turning 15 double plays and sporting a .932 team fielding percentage. Catcher Eric Martinez has gunned down six potential base thieves, and teams have only attempted 14 steals on the Snyder backstop this year.

Bollinger said he takes a different approach than most coaches when it comes to getting ready for the postseason.

"Some coaches panic and work harder and put in extra things," he said. "I kind of go the other way. We cut down on practice and cover the details more and switch it around from day-to-day. We have light workouts, but they are quality workouts."

The attitude was evident at Wednesday's practice, with both Bollinger and assistant coach Reagan Key taking hacks during a laid-back hitting session.

Although the Tigers have been loose, playful and confident all week, Bollinger expects the same intensity and fire from his players as he saw most of this district championship season.

"If you don't play fundamental baseball, you could be home next week," he said.

Bollinger also figures on getting the best River Road has to offer.

"I expect them to fight for their lives and come out and give us everything they have," he said. "We have to do the same and play like we have been playing."

Game two is set for 1 p.m. Saturday.

Heat outwork Pacers, tie series

MIAMI (AP) — A series that once looked so one-sided is now dead even. And Reggie Miller feels lucky to be in that position.

Lamar Odom scored 22 points and Caron Butler added 21 to lead the Miami Heat to a 100-88 victory over the Indiana Pacers on Wednesday, tying the best-of-seven Eastern Conference semifinal series at two games apiece.

"Right now, we're not playing as hard as the Heat," said Miller, who was 0-for-5 from the field. "Is it time to panic? No, but right now is the time for us collectively to understand the mistakes we've been making. And we've made them throughout this series. We're lucky to be 2-2. You can almost chalk the first two games up to them coming off a Game 7.

"The pressure is back on us now...Our goal was to win one (in Miami) and we didn't. It's not a crisis, but we're facing adversity right now."

That's something the Pacers have rarely confronted.

The team with the best record in the NBA during the regular season looked the part through the first six games of the postseason. The Pacers swept Boston, blew out the Heat twice and set an NBA record with six straight victories by double digits.

The Heat looked overmatched in the first two games of the series. They had little playoff experience and were coming off a grueling seven-game series against New Orleans.

Kings even it up with Wolves

SACRAMENTO, Calif. (AP) — Minnesota coach Flip Saunders quickly ran down the list of what has to happen to beat Sacramento on its home floor:

Keep turnovers down. Defend. Make big shots in crunch time. Hit free throws.

The Timberwolves had a hard time with just about all of those things in their latest showdown with the Kings.

Chris Webber scored his playoff-high of 28 points and Brad Miller added 20 in the Kings' 87-81 victory Wednesday night in Game 4 of the second-round playoff series, evening things at two apiece as the teams head back to Minnesota for Friday night's Game 5.

Game 6 is back in Sacramento on Sunday.

Mike Bibby had 15 points and a playoff-best 12 assists for the Kings. Webber started the game 6-for-6, then scored six points over the final 3:20, quashing the Timberwolves' hopes for a third straight last-minute victory.

NBA Playoffs

CONFERENCE SEMIFINALS
(Best-of-7)
Tuesday, May 11
New Jersey 94, Detroit 79, series tied 2-2
L.A. Lakers 98, San Antonio 90, series tied 2-2
Wednesday, May 12
Miami 100, Indiana 88, series tied 2-2
Sacramento 87, Minnesota 81, series tied 2-2
Today
L.A. Lakers at San Antonio, 7 p.m.
Friday, May 14
New Jersey at Detroit, 6 p.m.
Sacramento at Minnesota, 8:30 p.m.
Saturday, May 15
Miami at Indiana, 7 p.m.
San Antonio at L.A. Lakers, 9:30 p.m.
Sunday, May 16
Minnesota at Sacramento, 2:30 p.m.
Detroit at New Jersey, TBD

Stanley Cup

CONFERENCE FINALS
(Best-of-7)
Monday, May 10
Philadelphia 6, Tampa Bay 2, series tied 1-1
Tuesday, May 11
Calgary 4, San Jose 1, Calgary leads series 2-0
Today
Tampa Bay at Philadelphia, 6 p.m.
San Jose at Calgary, 9 p.m.
Saturday, May 15
Tampa Bay at Philadelphia, 2 p.m.
Sunday, May 16
San Jose at Calgary, 3 p.m.

Sports Briefs

Benefit barrel race

The Scurry County Rodeo Association will hold a benefit barrel race beginning at 8 a.m. Sunday at the rodeo arena.

Exhibitions will be held from 8 a.m. to 12:30 p.m. The eight-and-under class will begin at 1 p.m., and there is a $15 entry fee and a $5 one-time arena charge.

Call Raylene May at 529-5636 or Gwen Cumbie at 573-4895 for more information.

Boys basketball camps

Two basketball camps are scheduled for May 31-June 3 at Snyder High School. The first will be a fundamentals camp from 8:30 a.m. until 10:30 a.m. for incoming eighth-graders and below, and will be led by SHS head coach Bud Birks, assistant coach Zach Williams and graduating all-district varsity player Lee Scott. Cost is $35.

The second camp will be a shooting camp for freshmen through seniors from 10:45 a.m. until 12:15 p.m. It will be coached by former SHS all-state player and former Lubbock Christian standout Rick Henderson, and cost is $25.

Contact coach Birks at 574-6139 or 573-1297 for more information.

Girls basketball camp

Snyder girls head coach Mike Martin will host a girls basketball camp June 21-24.

Incoming third through fifth grade players will go from 8 a.m. to 10:15 a.m., and incoming sixth and seventh-graders will receive instruction from 10:30 a.m. until 12:45 p.m. Camp for incoming eighth-graders and freshmen will be from 1:30 p.m. to 3:45 p.m.

Cost is $60 and includes a camp T-shirt. Forms can be picked up in the basketball office or the athletic office. Call coach Martin at 574-6040 or 575-1917 for more information.

Football camp set for June

Snyder head football coach Chad Rogers will host a football camp June 28-30 at the field house.

Incoming fourth through sixth grade players will work from 10 a.m. until 12:15 p.m. Camp for incoming seventh through ninth graders will take place from 1:30 p.m. to 3:45 p.m. Cost is $35 and includes a T-shirt and a cook-out the last day.

Applications can be picked up at the football field house or the athletic office. Contact coach Rogers or coach Martinez at 574-6039 for more information.

Major League Baseball

National League

East Division

	W	L	Pct	GB
Florida	19	14	.576	—
Philadelphia	16	15	.516	2
New York	15	19	.441	4½
Atlanta	14	18	.438	4½
Montreal	10	24	.294	9½

Central Division

	W	L	Pct	GB
Houston	21	12	.636	—
Chicago	18	15	.545	3
St. Louis	18	16	.529	3½
Cincinnati	17	16	.515	4
Milwaukee	17	16	.515	4
Pittsburgh	13	17	.433	6½

West Division

	W	L	Pct	GB
Los Angeles	22	10	.688	—
San Diego	20	14	.588	3
San Francisco	15	19	.441	8
Arizona	14	19	.424	8½
Colorado	13	18	.419	8½

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

Today's Games
Montreal (Kim 2-0) at Milwaukee (D.Davis 2-2), 12:05 p.m.
Atlanta (Thomson 2-2) at St. Louis (Suppan 3-3), 12:10 p.m.
Pittsburgh (Benson 3-2 and Ol.Perez 2-1) at Colorado (Estes 4-2 and Jennings 2-4), 2, 2:05 p.m.
Chicago Cubs (Zambrano 3-1) at Los Angeles (Nomo 3-3), 2:10 p.m.
Philadelphia (Padilla 1-4) at San Francisco (Rueter 1-3), 2:35 p.m.
Florida (Pavano 3-1) at Houston (Redding 1-3), 7:05 p.m.
N.Y. Mets (Seo 1-3) at Arizona (Webb 2-2), 8:35 p.m.
Cincinnati (Acevedo 2-2) at San Diego (Peavy 2-2), 9:05 p.m.

American League

East Division

	W	L	Pct	GB
Boston	20	14	.588	—
New York	19	14	.576	½
Baltimore	16	13	.552	1½
Toronto	14	20	.412	6
Tampa Bay	9	23	.281	10

Central Division

	W	L	Pct	GB
Minnesota	19	13	.594	—
Chicago	18	13	.581	½
Detroit	15	18	.455	4½
Cleveland	14	19	.424	5½
Kansas City	11	21	.344	8

West Division

	W	L	Pct	GB
Anaheim	23	11	.676	—
Texas	21	12	.636	1½
Oakland	17	16	.515	5½
Seattle	12	21	.364	10½

Wednesday's Games
Kansas City 4, Toronto 3
Cleveland 6, Boston 4
Oakland 2, Detroit 1
Anaheim 11, N.Y. Yankees 2
Texas 9, Tampa Bay 8
Baltimore at Chicago White Sox, ppd., rain
Minnesota 4, Seattle 3

Today's Games
Oakland (Fedman 2-1) at Detroit (Maroth 3-1), 12:05 p.m.
Anaheim (Lackey 3-3) at N.Y. Yankees (Lieber 1-1), 12:05 p.m.
Seattle (R.Franklin 2-2) at Minnesota (Santana 1-0), 12:10 p.m.
Baltimore (Cabrera 0-0 and Bedard 0-0) at Chicago White Sox (Garland 2-1 and Diaz 0-0), 2, 1:05 p.m.
Texas (Dickey 4-1) at Tampa Bay (Hendrickson 1-3), 1:15 p.m.
Boston (Schilling 4-2) at Toronto (Batista 0-3), 6:05 p.m.

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Snyder, Borger duel in quarterfinal series

Now that Snyder has slain the Perryton dragon, the business of advancing in the playoff sbegins in earnest Friday.

The District 3-3A and area champion Lady Tigers (21-9) will battle the District 1 champion Borger Lady Bulldogs (19-10) in a three-game regional quarterfinal series at 7 p.m. Friday at Plainview High School.

The Lady Tigers advanced after blanking Perryton, 2-0, in the area round, while Borger ran roughshod over Merkel — the only District 3 team to beat Snyder this year — in its area round game.

Ashley Martinez will get the call Friday, after throwing a complete game three-hitter against the Rangerettes, striking out 12 and walking none.

The Lady Tigers will need to find their offensive groove for the series after stranding a half dozen runners over the last three innings in the area round.

Meanwhile, Borger also banged out 14 hits against the Lady Badgers and plated at least two runs in four of the six innings.

Through the district schedule, Snyder outscored opponents 99-20, firing six shutouts in 12 games. The Lady Tigers also blanked Idalou, 10-0, in a practice game two weeks ago.

Game two of the series is slated for 11 a.m. Saturday, with game three, if necessary, 30 minutes after the conclusion of game two.

Rangers, Blalock stay hot

ST. PETERSBURG, Fla. (AP) — Hank Blalock hit his third homer in two games, and the Texas Rangers hung on to beat Tampa Bay 9-8 Wednesday night and send the Tampa Bay Devil Rays to their seventh straight loss.

Texas, which has won 13 of 17, took a 9-5 lead on Alfonso Soriano's two-run double in the ninth, but in the bottom half Francisco Cordero allowed an RBI single to Rocco Baldelli and a two-run double to Aubrey Huff, who tied a career high with five RBIs.

Huff's drive hit high off the wall in deep right-center, coming within a few feet of being a game-tying homer.

With runners at first and second, Cordero then struck out Julio Lugo on three pitches for his 12th save in as many chances.

Soriano, Kevin Mench and Brad Fullmer also homered for Texas, which has 14 homers in five games against Tampa Bay and has gone 4-1 against the Devil Rays.

Chan Ho Park (2-3) gave up five runs and seven hits in seven innings for the win.

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The undersigned, having been duly appointed Independent Executrix of the Estate of MARVIN FOREST SENTELL, deceased, late of Scurry County, Texas, by ROD WALLER, Judge of the County Court of said County, on the 6th day of May, 2004, hereby notifies all persons indebted to said Estate to come forward and make settlement, and those having claims against said Estate to present them to: JULIE STEPHENSON SENTELL, 3101 Avenue X, Snyder, TX 79549, within the time prescribed by law.

EXECUTED this 6th day of May, 2004.

(s) JULIE STEPHENSON SENTELL
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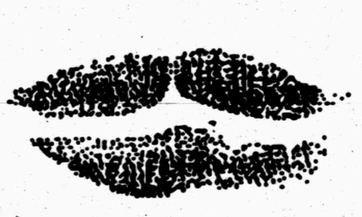
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Dr. Gott

By Peter Gott, M.D.



Claustrophobia is a troublesome problem

DEAR DR. GOTT: My husband suffers from claustrophobia that seems to be getting worse. Do you have any suggestions that might help?

DEAR READER: Like other phobias (irrational fears), claustrophobia (a fear of closed spaces) can severely handicap an otherwise normal person, preventing him or her from entering elevators, being in a small room or even walking into a building. In most cases, the cause of the phobia lies deep in the unconscious mind: Victims may not be aware of why they are so panicky and apprehensive.

This is the reason counseling is often effective in curing the disorder.

Your husband should seek out a psychiatrist, psychologist or other mental health professional. These resources will usually enable a claustrophobic person to understand his or her irrational fears and deal with them in a more open and effective manner, sometimes using hypnosis or medication. Moreover, behavioral modification is frequently a useful approach. For example, once the claustrophobic learns to trust his therapist, the professional can accompany the patient into closed spaces — large rooms to begin with, then smaller and smaller — until the phobic person learns to conquer his fear.

Your husband should ask his doctor for a referral to an appropriate professional. By and large, phobias cannot be overcome without help from therapists who are experienced in treating the disorder.

To give you related information, I am sending you a copy of my Health Report "Mental and Emotional Illness." Other readers who would like a copy should send a long, self-addressed, stamped envelope and $2 to Newsletter, P.O. Box 167, Wickliffe, OH 44092. Be sure to mention the title.

DEAR DR. GOTT: I've been told that I have Reiter's arthritis in most of my major joints. Since I've never heard of this condition, I'd like some information.

DEAR READER: Reiter's syndrome is, in some cases, a bacterial infection spread by sexual contact or fecal contamination. In other cases, a genetic disposition appears to play a dominant role. The syndrome is marked by arthritis, inflammation of the reproductive tract (in both sexes), conjunctivitis (eye inflammation) and superficial ulcers in the mouth or on the genitals.

The diagnosis is made by a blood test called the "HLA-B27 tissue antigen." People with this genetic marker are at much higher risk of contracting the disease than are individuals without the marker.

Antibiotics are the recommended therapy.

If left untreated, Reiter's syndrome may result in a host of preventable complications that include chronic arthritis, joint deformity and heart disease.

DEAR DR. GOTT: Three dermatologists have diagnosed my skin disorder as eczema, but the salves and creams they have prescribed have been ineffective. My hands continue to crack, peel and hurt, especially in the winter months. Is there any help for me?

DEAR READER: You might consider purchasing Elidel, a new non-steroidal cream for treating eczema. Although it is expensive, the product has been shown, in premarketing studies, to be an effective therapy that, unlike steroid creams, is devoid of side effects.

If readers would like to contact Dr. Gott, they may write him through your newspaper or send their mail directly to Dr. Gott c/o United Media, 200 Madison Ave., 4th fl., New York, NY 10016.

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Astro-graph

By Bernice Bede Osol

Your Birthday

Friday, May 14, 2004
That old philosophy that hard work and fair play will carry one far will hold true for you in the year ahead. If you stick by your virtues and aren't afraid to get dirty, you'll easily get past obstacles that befall others.

TAURUS (April 20-May 20) — It is very unlike you to look for scapegoats to cover your mistakes, so don't yield to that temptation today. If you are to blame for something, face up to it instead of pointing fingers.

GEMINI (May 21-June 20) — When it comes to how you spend your money today, it may be necessary to have a few harsh words with yourself in order to keep your extravagances in line. Be realistic about your budget.

CANCER (June 21-July 22) — Something nasty that someone may do to you today could turn out to be a blessing in disguise; just to prove the person wrong, you may go out and accomplish a larger-than-life feat.

LEO (July 23-Aug. 22) — Be extremely selective as to whom you tell a personal matter today. The wrong type could influence you in negative ways or confuse the facts and do a good job of messing up your head.

VIRGO (Aug. 23-Sept. 22) — Remember that no one is perfect, so if a friend indulges in a momentary indiscretion today, allow past experiences and knowledge of this person dictate how you respond to the issue at hand.

LIBRA (Sept. 23-Oct. 23) — It'll be a tremendous waste of your day if you allow yourself to get caught up in gossipy or petty issues others want to introduce onto the scene. Keep your nose buried in your own affairs.

SCORPIO (Oct. 24-Nov. 22) — Even though a friend may disappoint you or let you down today, ask yourself if it is worth losing a pal before getting carried away and sounding off. Friends are priceless.

SAGITTARIUS (Nov. 23-Dec. 21) — Although the goals you had hoped to accomplish today should prove to be far more difficult to attain than you ever realized, don't try to make yourself feel better by blaming others.

CAPRICORN (Dec. 22-Jan. 19) — Bite your tongue and put up with a bore who may be foisted upon you today. The cooperation you end up receiving will totally outweigh any strain you may suffer on your nervous system.

AQUARIUS (Jan. 20-Feb. 19) — To most people, this is the end of a workweek and they may either wind things down or speed them up. In either case, don't get demanding of co-workers to do your chores.

PISCES (Feb. 20-March 20) — If you're going out on the town tonight, don't involve friends in costly activities they may not be able to afford, and don't get yourself caught up in anything you can't afford.

ARIES (March 21-April 19) — No matter how insignificant an issue appears to you, don't discuss what happened within the confines of your home with outsiders today. You could deeply hurt or embarrass a loved one.

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Today's chuckle

911 call leads police to marijuana plants



BOZEMAN (AP) — A man who believed he was being robbed called police to his house, only to lead them to a marijuana growing operation.

David Lagarde, 19, called 911 on Monday morning to report he was being robbed.

When officers arrived, Lagarde said one of the robbers was hiding in a closet. Bozeman Police Sgt. Dave McManis did not find any intruders, but court records show he found two marijuana plants in Lagarde's bedroom closet.

Officers arrested Lagarde for felony manufacture of dangerous drugs. Bail was set at $30,000.

Markets

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NEW YORK (AP)

	High	Low	Last	
AMR Corp	11.15	10.60	11.10	+ .26
AT&T Corp	16.93	16.79	16.79	— .13
Albertsons	22.95	22.65	22.74	— .13
Alltel	49.65	49.20	49.59	+ .32
AmEl Pw	29.52	29.09	29.47	+ .28
AndarkPtr	54.85	54.17	54.26	— .20
ATMOS Egy	24.15	23.99	24.11	+ .12
Avnll	17.24	17.00	17.12	— .01
BP PLC	52.80	52.38	52.78	+ .35
BakerHughes	35.42	35.00	35.35	+ .07
Bank of Amer	80.90	79.96	80.90	+ .56
BellSouth	25.56	25.07	25.56	+ .43
BurlNoSFe	32.91	32.46	32.89	+ .41
Caterpillar	74.93	73.86	74.30	— .56
CenterPoint	10.40	10.25	10.39	+ .06
ChevronTex	92.66	91.47	92.21	+ .38
Citigroup	46.66	45.89	46.44	+ .13
CocaCola	49.86	49.25	49.61	— .31
ColgatePal	57.16	56.42	56.50	— .41
CmclMetals	26.95	26.07	26.18	— .33
ConocoPhill	72.95	72.20	72.24	— .43
Cooper Inds	55.27	54.76	55.09	— .11
DaimlrChry	42.52	41.87	42.48	— .46
DeltaAirLines	5.19	4.82	5.16	+ .31
Dillards Inc	19.20	17.40	17.99	+ 1.89
DowChem	37.66	37.10	37.58	+ .28
DuPont	41.94	41.45	41.70	+ .08
EastmanChem	44.61	44.07	44.54	+ .48
EstKodak	25.48	25.12	25.26	— .17
EDS Corp	16.44	16.12	16.24	— .23
Entergy	51.59	50.91	51.50	+ .41
ExxonMobil	43.22	42.65	42.94	— .06
FootLocker	21.40	21.00	21.39	+ .03
GenDynam	92.78	91.84	92.10	— .61
GenElec	30.35	30.12	30.30	— .10
GenMills	46.84	46.36	46.43	— .20
GenMotors	44.43	43.83	44.03	— .45
GaPacific	32.94	32.31	32.92	+ .44
Goodrich	27.98	27.61	27.74	— .20
Goodyear	8.20	8.03	8.17	
GtAtlPac	7.47	7.27	7.28	— .23
Halliburtn	29.45	28.89	29.34	+ .38
Hanson PLC	36.85	36.52	36.52	— .48
HarteHanks	23.43	23.07	23.39	+ .22
HomeDepot	33.58	33.12	33.54	+ .01
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IBM	87.10	86.26	87.09	+ .28
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Kroger Co	16.94	16.72	16.78	— .08
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Scripps EW	103.90	102.35	103.90	+1.40
SearsRoeb	38.33	37.62	38.14	+ .17
SherwinW	36.54	36.30	36.38	+ .08
SouthernCo	28.04	27.75	28.04	+ .18
SwstAirl	14.12	13.90	14.10	+ .19
SprintFON	17.75	17.30	17.75	+ .29
Sunoco Inc	62.02	61.10	61.80	+ .50
TXU Corp	35.42	34.76	35.13	— .35
TempleInland	63.20	62.18	62.79	+ .44
TexInd	33.30	32.68	32.72	— .43
TexasInst	26.10	25.55	25.80	— .18
Textron	53.41	53.00	53.08	— .33
TimeWarner	16.57	16.31	16.37	— .21
TrinityInds	28.63	28.07	28.25	— .37
TylerTech	9.00	8.88	8.90	— .15
UnionPacif	57.06	56.51	56.97	+ .19
USSteel	27.21	26.36	27.10	+ .28
UnitedTech	84.07	83.00	83.13	—1.36
Unocal	34.97	34.56	34.81	+ .07
VenzonComm	36.36	35.98	36.30	+ .02
WalMart	55.23	53.80	55.04	— .02
WellsFargo	56.44	55.61	56.16	+ .26
WstnGasRs	54.65	54.00	54.12	— .23
WinnDixie	6.77	6.66	6.71	+ .03
Xerox Cp	12.92	12.71	12.87	+ .03
YumBrands	37.09	36.00	36.43	— .88

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Caregiving: Scenarios and Strategies (Part 3 of 4)
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When we think about care-giving, often the image that comes to mind is that of a wife caring for her husband or a husband caring for his wife. However, in many cases, the caregiver may not be related at all to the care recipient.

In some cases, the caregiver may not only reside in a different home but may live in an entirely different state. In this article we will look at different scenarios for care-giving and provide effective strategies for managing those situations.

Many times, care-giving is an all consuming, full-time job. However, more than two-thirds of caregivers in the United States are employed either part- or full-time. These caregivers not only have a commitment to their families but also to their employers.

While some employers provide support for caregivers that may include referral services or support groups, the vast majority of employers do not provide any services for caregivers. The following recommendations may help ease the stress of the employed caregiver and also benefit the employer by helping maintain adequate productivity:

Talk to your employer. He or she may be more understanding and accommodating of your situation.

Check into alternative work scheduling. Your employer may be able to offer a schedule that allows you to better handle your work-life balance.

The Family Medical Leave Act (FMLA) allows for up to 12 weeks per year of unpaid leave to care for family members without threatening job security or losing benefits.

Many times a caregiver may assist with care-giving from a distance. In some cases, the care recipient may still be able to function well on his own but may need a reminder when it comes to taking medicines or other activities that may be addressed over the phone. In other cases, the caregiver may be supervising another person who is caring for a loved one.

One of the hardest decisions when caring for someone at a distance is deciding when a phone call is not enough. Frequent trips may frustrate a caregiver, especially if the situation to be addressed could be handled from a distance. Some tips to help with the decision to travel:

Gather information about community resources, friends, family and local support systems that can help when you cannot be there. A good place to start looking for community information is Eldercare Locator. You may reach Eldercare Locator by calling 800.677.1116 or on the internet at http://www.eldercare.gov.

Make a list of health providers, medications, health history, insurance information and other things that may be needed which you may give over the phone.

When you do travel to see your care recipient, assess the situation, anticipate and act on potential problems before they arise.

Get a local phone book and make note of important telephone numbers.

Caregiving often brings about the image of a frail elder who cannot care for himself or herself. Remember that a caregiver my also be a grandparent rearing a grandchild or an uncle caring for a niece – in other words, the care recipient may be a child.

In the year 2000, more than six million children under the age of 18 lived in a household that was headed by a relative other than a parent. Issues that arise when caring for a child may be very different from caring for an adult, such as enrollment in school, helping with homework and consent for medical treatment, to name a few.

Legal issues regarding guardianship or adoption may arise as well as securing funding to help with care-giving. Resources are available to aid in this type of care-giving. Texas Cooperative Extension has a website, "Grandparents Raising Grandkids," that may help address some of the issues of kinship care-giving. Go to http://grandparentsraising-grandkids.tamu.edu for more information.

Different care-giving scenarios and issues surrounding them are as numerous as the number of caregivers themselves. Help is available to ensure that your care-giving experience is as streamlined and beneficial as possible. An excellent place to start looking for help is your local Area Agency on Aging (AAA). In Texas, you may find the nearest AAA on the Web at http://www.tdoa.state.tx.us/Services/AAALocatorMap.htm or by calling 800.252.9240.

For more information about different care-giving scenarios or care-giving questions in general, contact the local County Extension Agent.

Amount of voucher for milk, cheese raised

AUSTIN (AP) — With the price of dairy products rising, the Texas Department of Health is trying to make sure that women enrolled in its WIC nutrition program can afford the higher costs.

The TDH announced Wednesday increases from $4 to $4.50 for a gallon of milk or a pound of cheese. Officials cited recent jumps in retail and wholesale milk prices in their decision.

"We had a choice of cutting back on quantities of milk and cheese for the clients or increasing the amount we would pay for those products," said Mike Montgomery, chief of the department's nutrition services bureau. "For now, we're choosing to try to pay."

Montgomery said TDH is asking the U.S. Department of Agriculture for extra funding to cover the estimated $12 million it will cost for the increase for the rest of the fiscal year, which ends in September.

The WIC nutrition program gives its clients vouchers to pay for milk, cheese, infant formula, cereal, juice, eggs, peanut butter, beans, tuna and carrots at participating stores.

Diversified

By Greg Gruben, County Extension Agent

Morning Glories & Moonflowers

Moonflowers and Morning Glories are vines which have been favorites in Texas gardens for many years. Although they are closely related, moonflowrs (*Ipomoea alba*) come only in white, bloom at night, and are scented to draw night-flying moths for pollination purposes.

They are easily grown from large seeds, which appeal to children. Heart-shaped dark green leaves contrast with the six-inch waxy white blooms which are produced through he summer. The vines are usually 6-foot mannerly climbers, but can reach to 30 feet in areas with a long growing season. They are especially nice for evening gardens, scented, or white garden plantings.

Children also enjoy watching for moonflowers to burst open in the evening, usually all at the same time, with a small audible pop. They will succeed in ordinary soil and full sun. Protect them from strong breezes which might cause tattered leaves.

Morning glories are day bloomers without a noticeable scent, and can be found in many colors ranging from white to red, blue shades or streaked color patterns. Several varieties are so dark as to appear almost black. The standard old-fashioned favorites, a mix of several species of *Ipomoea* such as *purpurea, tricolor* and *Nil*, include 'Pearly Gates', white with blue shades, 'Crimson Rambler', a deep bright pink, 'Scarlet O'Hara', a cherry red, 'Grandpa Ott', which has very dark, smaller blooms on a less rampant vine suitable for porch posts, 'Blue Star' and "Flying Saucers,' with streaked shades of blue. These varieties are vigorous and easily grown. They also will thrive in ordinary garden soil with full sun. Do not over-fertilize morning glories or there will be too much foliage and too few blooms.

Some morning glories take a little more care to get going, including "Mount Fuji,' with variegated splashes of cream on green, heart shaped leaves and blooms of streaked and mottled colors on white or other backgrounds.

Another Japanese strain of great color appeal is the Silk Series, which has flowers up to six inches in diameter in soft pastels with white throats and picotee edging.

?Weather Whys?

Topic: Long Range Forecasting

Q: How accurate is long-range weather forecasting?

A: "Weather forecasting has been around longer than you might imagine," says Kelsey Curtiss of Texas A&M University. "The U.S. government started weather forecasting in the 1870s when Congress established a National Weather Service," says Curtiss.

"It was aimed primarily for military uses. The National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration (NOAA) was established in 1970 and had under it a number of agencies, among them the National Weather Service.

"But the goal was still the same — trying to give an accurate prediction of weather forecasting. Weather forecasting is done to cover long ranges, such as a year or more, or sometimes a season, such as summer or the kind we are most familiar with, the 4- or 5-day forecast. Meteorologists use various charts based on air currents, fronts, satellite images and other data to make their forecasts."

Q: So are these forecasts on target?

A: "The answer is usually yes, says Curtiss. "On forecasts of within the next 24 hours, forecasts are usually very accurate. Forecasts made between 1-3 days are usually fairly good. But beyond 7 days or so, the accuracy rate tends to slip because factors that make up a forecast tend to change.

"So the shorter the time period, the more accurate the forecast. It's interesting to note that The Old Farmer's Alamanac, one of the oldest publications in the country, makes up its weather forecasts about a year in advance and it claims to have an 80 percent accuracy rate. They use a 'secret' method of weather forecasting they say they've used for over 200 years."

ABOUT WEATHER WHYS

"Weather Whys" is a service of Texas A&M University's Department of Atmospheric Sciences. Past and current topics can be viewed via the web at http://rev.tamu.edu/weather-whys/.

For more information, please contact Keith Randall at (979) 845-4644 or kr@univrel.tamu.edu. Suggestions for future topics may be directed to news@univrel.tamu.edu.

Markets

Colorado City

The Colorado City Livestock Auction had a run of 426 head of cattle for the Wednesday, May 5, sale. Market was active and demand good. Feeder and stocker steers and heifers and yearlings were $2 to $3 higher. Packer cows and pairs were $10 to $25 lower than last week's special sale.

Feeder Steers:
200-300: 134-143
300-400: 121-143
400-500: 107-121
500-600: 103-116
600-700: 85-106.50
Feeder Heifers:
200-300: 120-132.50
300-400: 111-125
400-500: 100-115
500-600: 96-106
600-700: 84-101
Replacement cows:
Bred cows: 600-710
Pairs: 750-1000
Packer cows: 48-60.50
Old and Shelly: 40-45
Packer bulls: 60.25-72

Lubbock

The Lubbock Stockyards, Inc had a run of 426 head of livestock for the Thursday, May 6, sale. Cows were $2 to $3 better. Calves and yearlings were steady. Trading and demand were good.

Slaughter cows:
(High dressing, cutters, utility) 52-56
Canners and low cutters: 40-51
Slaughter bulls: 57-72
300-400: 120-150
400-500: 105-135
500-600: 100-115
600-700: 95-103
700-800: 90-104
Feeder heifers:
300-400: 105-122
400-500: 100-115
500-600: 95-105
600-700: 90-102
700-800: 85-94
Feeder bulls – Good and choice
500-600: 92-107
700-800: 80-92
Cow and Calf Pairs
Good: 800-1000
Grade: 765-800
Springers: 475-800
Baby Calves: 150-275
Doodlers: 225-310

COLORADO RIVER MUNICIPAL WATER DISTRICT

WEEKLY LAKE AND WATER DELIVERY REPORT

LAKE J. B. THOMAS (200,604 ACRE FEET AT ELEVATION 2258.00 FT.)

	ONE YEAR AGO	LAST WEEK	THIS WEEK
	5-9-03	5-2-04	5-9-04
ELEVATION (FEET)	15.85	18.75	18.59
CONTENTS (ACRE-FEET)	15,607	21,298	21,956
PERCENT FULL	7.78	10.62	10.45
RAINFALL (INCHES) *		0.00	0.00
IVIE TO LAKE THOMAS (Gal.)		0	0
SPENCE TO THOMAS (Gal.)		0	0

*RAINFALL MEASUREMENT AT BIG SPRING/ODESSA INTAKE.

E.V. SPENCE RESERVOIR (517,262 ACRE-FEET AT ELEVATION 1898.00 FT.)

	ONE YEAR AGO	LAST WEEK	THIS WEEK
	5-9-03	5-2-04	5-9-04
ELEVATION (FEET)	33.55	40.24	39.98
CONTENTS (ACRE-FEET)	25,556	42,437	41,663
PERCENT FULL	4.94	8.20	8.05
RAINFALL (INCHES) *		0.40	0.00

* RAINFALL MEASUREMENT AT SPENCE PUMP STATION

O.H. IVIE RESERVOIR (554,340 ACRE-FEET AT ELEVATION 1551.50 FT.)

	ONE YEAR AGO	LAST WEEK	THIS WEEK
	5-9-03	5-2-04	5-9-04
ELEVATION (FEET)	25.81	25.86	25.67
CONTENTS (ACRE-FEET)	195,031	195,488	193,750
PERCENT FULL	35.18	35.26	34.95
RAINFALL (INCHES) *		0.75	0.00

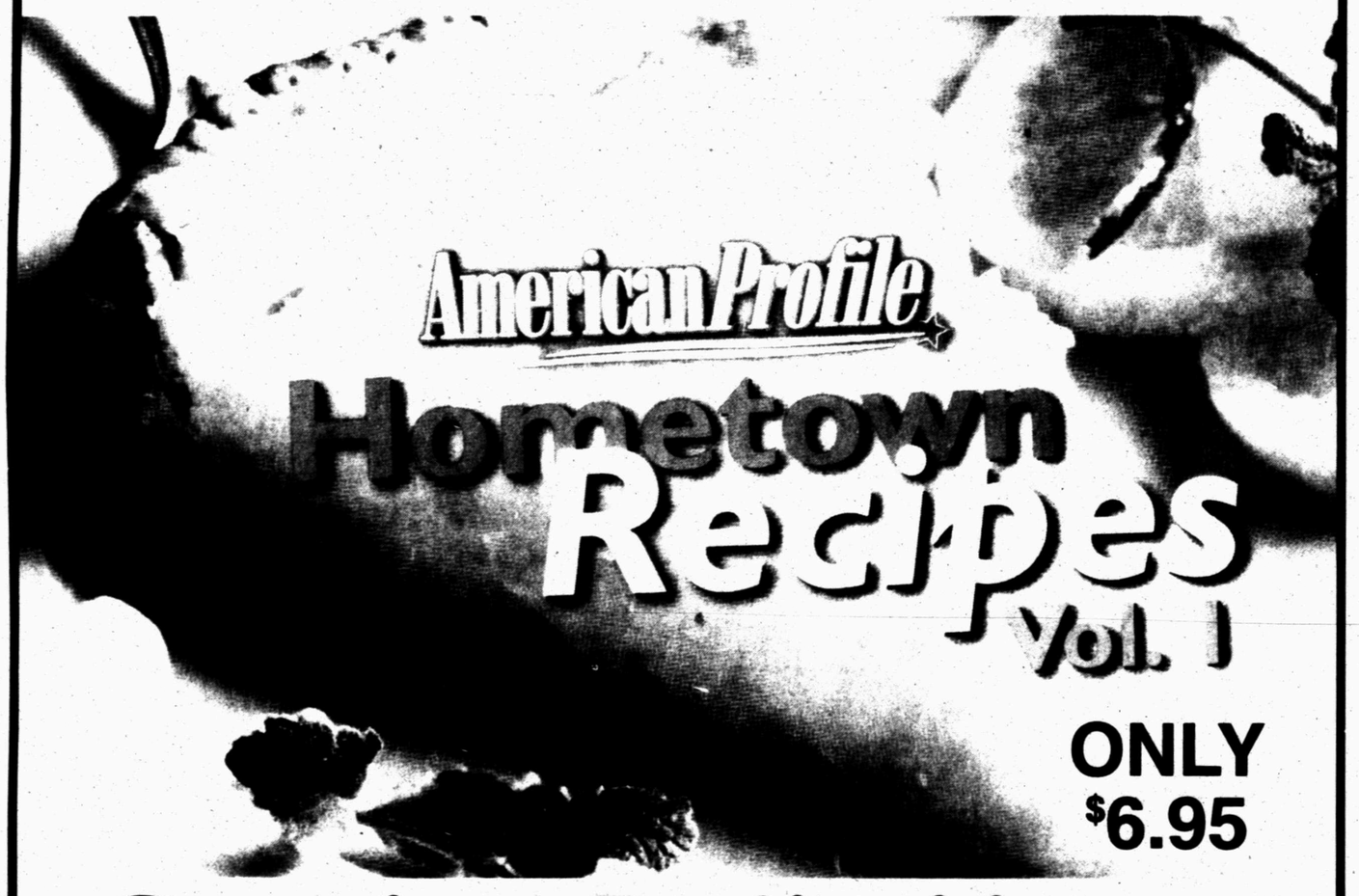
* RAINFALL MEASUREMENT AT DAM.

INFORMATION BASED ON NEW AREA CAPACITY CURVE DATA

MUNICIPAL WATER DELIVERIES IN GALLONS

	LAST WEEKS DAILY AVERAGE	THIS WEEKS DAILY AVERAGE	THIS WEEKS PEAK DAY
	5-2-04	5-9-04	5-9-04
	4-26-04	5-3-04	5-3-04
BIG SPRING	4,662,857	5,597,143	6,110,000
ODESSA	21,326,300	24,267,086	28,459,000
SNYDER	2,073,971	2,631,689	3,127,300
MIDLAND	25,003,229	28,208,600	29,721,000
SAN ANGELO	13,417,143	15,913,357	18,690,900
STANTON	345,286	315,000	387,000

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Pharmacists brace for rush to get 'Human Joint Oil'

*New FLUIDjoint™ has substantially greater effect over Glucosamine for improving overall joint function**

By Lee Stearns
Universal Media Syndicate*

Pharmacists around the country are bracing for the rush of people expecting to get one of the newest breakthroughs in medical science called FLUIDjoint.

What calcium is to your bones FLUIDjoint is to your joints.

It's being compared to "human joint oil" for adults because of it's ability to deliver powerful micronutrients to the human joints.

Just imagine a formula that will help your body to reduce joint discomfort, stiffness and improve flexibility to enhance daily living activities.

Scientists have identified and condensed the micronutrients that your body can use and put to work within days.

With the special micronutrients in FLUIDjoint the only "effects" experienced are more mobility, comfort and improved joint health.

It's called FLUIDjoint. This brand-new supplement is a huge breakthrough for those concerned about joint function, because the clinical results show that the remarkable health benefits are substantial.

Not all drugstores have received deliveries of FLUIDjoint yet. But for those who want it first, we are providing the phone number and information on who has it so you can get it right now.

"FLUIDjoint goes directly to the cartilage and helps joints move with ease, helping to preserve cartilage and improve joint function," explains John L. Zenk, M.D.

"FLUIDjoint combines micronutrients that work with our own bodies immune systems to slow the cycle of cartilage destruction, leading to joint dysfunction."

"The major problem is that our immune function declines as we age. FLUIDjoint provides the valuable micronutrient support needed to help protect our joints," Dr. Zenk said.

Each chewable dose of FLUIDjoint is so good it tastes just like a tablespoon of a vanilla milkshake. That makes most people happy because they can get rid of all those huge supplement pills they choke down everyday.

"FLUIDjoint's effect was far superior than Glucosamine in every clinically measured joint parameter. A remarkable 90% of the people who use FLUIDjoint can expect to experience an improvement in joint function. FLUIDjoint is safe and effective for continuous, long term use, according to study results."

John L. Zenk, MD
Principal Investigator
Certified American Board of Internal Medicine

For most, FLUIDjoint provides rapid results. A noticeable improvement in joint performance can be seen in less than 14 days of taking the daily dosage.

Each place in your body where bone meets bone is a potential spot for the grinding agony of joint pain, arthritis, stiff fingers or sore knees.

Until now, many people have flocked to remedies that contain Glucosamine, Chondroitin, MSM or Collagen.

Yet, Glucosamine and Chondroitin have a common drawback, they do not work for everyone.

In contrast, FLUIDjoint is a new micronutrient supplement. Drugstores will be able to provide FLUIDjoint without a prescription.

Dr. Lee Randolph Beck, a biologist and former professor at the University of Alabama Medical School explains, "FLUIDjoint has extensive scientific support, and FLUIDjoint's micronutrients have been tested in well-controlled clinical studies."

"The results of one study revealed that FLUIDjoint was substantially effective in improving all measured parameters (joint pain, joint stiffness, activities of daily living and total WOMAC scores which measures overall joint function) beginning at the second week and continuing to the completion of the trial. No serious adverse reactions were noted in any of the groups," Dr. Beck said.

Figure 1 depicts the effect measurements for FLUIDjoint and glucosamine sulfate in one of the studies. In that study FLUIDjoint substantially beat glucosamine in the combined study.

Although both compounds show the ability to produce a large effect size in every category, FLUIDjoint out-performed glucosamine in every area measured in the study.

With many years of science behind FLUIDjoint, clinical tests show that daily consumption of the amazing key ingredient in FLUIDjoint is of great benefit to those who worry about joint function.

The active ingredient in FLUIDjoint was awarded a United States Patent 5,650,175, for the anti-inflammatory factor method of isolation and use.

"This all results in the most advanced joint health supplement on the market today. It lets you move with ease. It works sooner than imagined. Your joints can bend and flex easier so you can do all the things you love to do," Dr. Beck said.

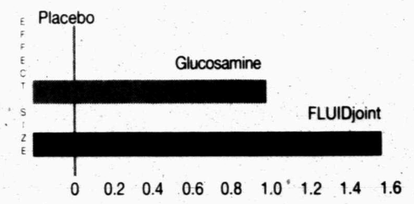
"Not all drugstores have received deliveries of FLUIDjoint yet. Until shipments have reached all 30,000 of our drugstores, we've opened a National Direct Order Line **1-800-239-6133 ask for Dept. FJ4366.** So anyone who doesn't want to wait can call immediately and have FLUIDjoint sent to their home," said John Lindesmith, PatentHEALTH spokesman.

"It has been announced that **Eckerd** and **Wal-Mart** stores are the first in the area to receive FLUIDjoint and now have it available," Lindesmith said. ■

The 10 Joint Trouble Spots
✔ Check all that apply:

❑ Neck ❑ Wrist ❑ Toes ❑ Elbow
❑ Shoulder ❑ Fingers ❑ Hip
❑ Back ❑ Knee ❑ Ankle

The Clinical Results



FLUIDjoint Outperformed Glucosamine in Every Clinically Measured Joint Parameter of the Study

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FLUIDjoint vanilla milkshake chewable tablets are well accepted and easier than swallowing pills. They can deliver faster and increased absorption to your joints than pills. The twice daily dosage comes in a cobalt blue prescription designed bottle.



For Complete References see Current Therapeutic Research, Vol. 63, No. 7, July 2002. Dr. Lee Randolph Beck a biologist and former professor of the University of Alabama Medical School is currently the Chief Scientific Officer for the producer of the milk biologics ingredients. John L. Zenk, M.D. the former Chief of Medicine at St. Francis Hospital, Minnesota, is currently retained as the Chief Medical/Scientific Officer of the licensee of the milk biologics ingredients.

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1. **Eckerd** and **Wal-Mart** stores are offering a special introduction of FLUIDjoint while supplies last.
2. Until shipments of FLUIDjoint have reached all U.S. drugstores you can get FLUIDjoint now directly from the National Processing Center by following the instructions below. FLUIDjoint carries an unconditional money back guarantee. Each shipment of FLUIDjoint contains 60 chewable tablets.

A. For fastest service to get FLUIDjoint order by phone. Those with a credit card can call **1-800-239-6133** ask for Dept. **FJ4366** to order. You can call 24 hours a day.

B. To order by mail, enclose $29 plus $5.87 for shipping and handling, in check or money order made payable to *FLUIDjoint.* Send with this FLUIDjoint order form to:

PatentHEALTH, LLC
FLUIDjoint National Processing Center Dept. FJ4366
Postal Drawer 3678,
Akron, OH 44309-3678

C. Print your name and address here:

Brand new Texas State Quarters are free to all State Residents

To be among the first to get the brand new Uncirculated Texas State Quarter unveiled by Governor Rick Perry, residents are entitled to claim within 7 days

By: Shane Tedeschi
Universal Media Syndicate

The United States Mint has announced the release of the newest of the popular 50 State Quarters. And this one honors our own home state of Texas.

But here's the best part of this announcement.

You will actually be among the first to get the brand new Uncirculated Texas State Quarter free, just by sending three first class postage stamps to cover shipping of the coin's protective display capsule.

We are providing the address in the box to the right so residents can request the free Texas State Quarter right now.

The U.S. Mint's 50 State Quarter collection has been so popular that Texas residents may be left scrambling to be among the first to get the new State Quarters.

The Governor unveiled the "Lone Star State" Quarter design at an Official Texas State Quarter bash. "The Texas Quarter will reflect an immense pride in our state shared by every Texan," remarked Governor Rick Perry as reported in a press release on TexasGov.com.

But, the Governor's Office said it does not yet have plans for an Official Release Ceremony when the State Quarters come out in late June. Therefore, special arrangements have been made separately to ensure all Texas residents will get State Quarters free.

The United States Monetary Exchange has announced it is giving away the brilliant uncirculated Texas State Quarters free to all state residents who request one.



■ **FREE** – *The new Quarter Dollar honoring the Great State of Texas*

John Thomas White, Executive Director of the privately owned U.S. Monetary Exchange confirms: "We are giving away the brilliant uncirculated Texas State Quarters free in an effort to ensure that all state residents have an equal opportunity to get one."

"With no news of an Official Release Ceremony, there is no reason for residents to risk being left out. Every resident should have a fair chance of being among the first to get their own home state quarter."

The state coins that are being given away free are special because they are uncirculated. That means they have never been distributed to businesses or banks for use in trade, so they are mint fresh.

You can not find these uncirculated Quarters in your pocket change.

"When the U.S. Mint first started the 50 State Quarter program back in 1999, we knew that some of the State Quarters would probably increase in value. But none of us knew just how quickly many of the State Quarters would actually increase," White said.

Some of the uncirculated Quarters have already increased in value by as much as 516%. "Even though the values fluctuate dramatically, we are still able to give first priority to residents of the state by letting them have their own Texas State Quarter free. This is our way to help make sure local residents are among the first to get their own state quarter in its most valuable form--mint fresh, brilliant uncirculated condition," said White.

The Texas State Quarters are being given away free on a first come first served basis with a limit of one per household, in accordance with the announced delivery schedule from the U.S. Mint.

All requests must be made within seven days of the date of this publication. So, hurry--you don't want to miss out. ■

Here's How To Get the Free Texas Quarters

Follow these instructions to get your FREE uncirculated Texas State Quarter delivered to your home. Limit 1 per household:

1. Write your name and complete address neatly on a piece of paper.
2. Enclose along with three first class postage stamps. MONEY CAN NOT BE ACCEPTED.
3. Send the stamps loose inside your envelope. DO NOT remove adhesive backer. DO NOT staple, tape or affix the stamps.
4. Mail to:

U. S. Monetary Exchange
FREE Coin Dept. TX265
Southern Dist. Center
Special Drawer 3678
U.S. Postal Zip 44309-3678

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School finance thorn in Senate's side

AUSTIN (AP) — Texas senators tried again Wednesday to ferret out a way to pay for public schools with a sufficient revenue source before the end of the special legislative session.

The 30-day session concludes next Wednesday, and key senators are in constant discussions about how to replace promised property tax relief. Sen. Florence Shapiro, who heads the Senate Education Committee, said a bill would have to be voted out of committee by Friday morning at the latest to survive this special session.

"I'm hoping, I'm hoping that we can pass a bill out of the committee of the whole at least by Friday," Lt. Gov. David Dewhurst said, shortly after meeting with House Speaker Tom Craddick.

Key legislators said state-taxed video gambling is off the table because of staunch resistance in the House. That proposal would likely require a change in the state constitution, which means two-thirds of both chambers must agree before it is approved.

Shapiro said broadening the franchise tax on businesses could be part of the solution. Shapiro said a reform could bring in as much as $3.5 billion in more money for schools.

Dewhurst also said he favors the idea of a "broad-based business tax that's fair, that's uniform, that creates a level playing field and that has a low rate."

Earlier this week, Shapiro rolled out her proposals to the Senate that detailed the spending side of the legislation, including a teacher incentives package and a change in the distribution formulas.

Lawmakers express outrage after viewing more photos

WASHINGTON (AP) — Fresh photos showing American soldiers brutalizing Iraqi prisoners with snarling dogs or forced sex left members of Congress angry and disgusted, but apparently with few new clues about how widespread the abuse was and who ultimately should be held accountable.

In separate private screenings on Capitol Hill, House and Senate members saw photos and video Wednesday of Iraqi corpses, military dogs menacing cowering Iraqi prisoners, Iraqi women forced to expose themselves and other sexual abuses.

Some lawmakers said the pictures included forced homosexual sex; others said the quality of the photos were too poor to discern what was happening.

The 1,600-plus photos were in addition to those that already surfaced publicly depicting abuse and sexual humiliation at Abu Ghraib prison near Baghdad. The photos have created international condemnation and threatened to undermine U.S. military and rebuilding efforts in Iraq.

Lawmakers differed over whether the new batch of photos should be released. Some said they feared releasing photos would only further inflame international passions; others argued it would demonstrate the openness of American society and limit the damage caused by the gradual leaking of photos to media outlets.

En route to Iraq for a surprise visit today, Defense Secretary Donald H. Rumsfeld told reporters traveling with him that administration lawyers oppose releasing the photos on grounds that would violate a Geneva Convention stricture against presenting images of prisoners that could be construed as degrading.

Lawmakers also disagreed about whether the photos they saw were much worse than the ones already made public.

Sen. Ron Wyden, D-Ore., said, "It was significantly worse than anything that I had anticipated. Take the worst case and multiply it several times over."

Sen. Jim Talent, R-Mo., said, "Anything like this is shocking ... but it's generally the same as what's in the public domain — no huge surprises."

The viewing came a day after Islamic militants, in a video, showed the beheading of an American in Iraq to avenge the prison abuse. President Bush said "there's no justification" for the killing of Nicholas Berg, 26, and that it would not shake U.S. resolve to bring democracy to Iraq.

It was reported that the CIA has used coercion in interrogating prisoners who were high-level members of al-Qaida. The New York Times, quoting unidentified current and former counterterrorism officials, said at least one CIA worker has been disciplined for using a gun to threaten a detainee.

Memorial for Flight 93 now being planned

PITTSBURGH (AP) — A landscape architect and a public art consultant who worked as competition advisers for the Oklahoma City bombing memorial will play a similar role in the development of a national memorial to honor those who died on United Flight 93.

The Flight 93 Federal Advisory Commission and Memorial Task Force will meet the newly appointed design competition consultants — Donald J. Stastny of Portland, Ore.-based StastnyBrun Architects and Helene Fried of San Francisco-based Helene Fried Associates — at the groups' meetings Friday and Saturday in Somerset.

U.S. soldiers and militiamen fight near shrines today

KARBALA, Iraq (AP) — Heavy gunfire and huge explosions resounded today as American forces battled Iraqi militiamen near a gold-domed shrine that is one of the most sacred sites for Shiite Muslims. Thick smoke rose over the city center.

The fighting continued during a surprise visit to Baghdad by Defense Secretary Donald H. Rumsfeld who was seeking to calm the storm over abuse of Iraqi prisoners by American soldiers. He was accompanied by Air Force Gen. Richard Myers, chairman of the Joint Chiefs of Staff, and some of the Pentagon's most senior lawyers.

Pentagon officials arranged meetings with the top U.S. commander in Iraq, Lt. Gen. Ricardo Sanchez, and other senior commanders.

In Karbala, fighters loyal to radical cleric Muqtada al-Sadr regrouped in alleys north of Imam Hussein shrine. Smoke drifted over the shrine, apparently from a nearby a power generator that had been set afire.

Fighting also raged near the city's Imam Abbas shrine. American forces are concerned that any damage to the two shrines could enrage Iraq's majority Shiite population as the United States tries to stabilize Iraq ahead of a transition to sovereignty on June 30.

Imam Hussein was the son of the Shiites' most revered saint, Imam Ali Ibn Abu Talib, the Prophet Muhammad's cousin and son-in-law. Hussein was killed in a 7th century battle with the army of a Muslim Sunni leader, and Shiites view his death as the defining moment of their history.

Abbas, the namesake of Karbala's other prominent shrine, was a half brother of Hussein.

Residents said the fighting, which began Tuesday night, left many homes destroyed and shops gutted by fire, and many families fled to safer areas of the city. In some cases, men stayed while women and children left.

Young men gathered at some street corners to watch the fighting. Militiamen in groups of three and four moved in side streets.

Majeed Mohammed Ali, owner of a cloth shop across the road from the Imam Abbas shrine, and two employees loaded his merchandise into a truck for storage elsewhere.

"I cannot wait any longer. Many shops have been burned down. I will not reopen my shop until all this is over," Ali said from atop the truck.

Pilgrims pleaded with guards of the two shrines to let them in, but they remained closed. Many of the faithful searched for telephones to assure relatives that they were safe.

Grass fire spreads to abandoned house

• ***House fire***

Two fire trucks and 14 firefighters responded to the 1900 block of N. Ave. O around 7:30 p.m. Wednesday. The owners of the property were burning grass and flames got out of control and reached an abandoned house on the property. The house was a total loss.

• ***Arrest***

A 21-year-old male was arrested at Highway 208 and Brick Plant Road on charges of driving while intoxicated at 8:42 p.m. Wednesday.

• ***Gas drive off***

A report of a gas drive off in the amount of $45.20 at McD's 66 was made at 7:21 a.m. Wednesday.

• ***Burglary of a vehicle***

At 5:19 p.m. Wednesday, a report of a CD player and speakers stolen from a vehicle at Bill's Auto Salvage was turned in.

• ***Theft***

Police responded to the 500 block of 20th St. on a report of a juvenile taking a Weedeater from a yard.

A report of a stolen bicycle was made from the 3700 block of Ave. V at 9:34 p.m. Wednesday.

• ***Verbal threats***

At 11:49 p.m. Wednesday a report was made of threats left on an answering machine.

• ***Attempted break-in***

A close patrol of the area around La Gloria Restaurant was requested at 1:00 a.m. today due to pry marks found on a door there.

• ***Railroad crossing warning***

The crossing arms and lights on Ave. E were reported to be malfunctioning at 4:02 a.m. Thursday. The railroad was notified.

• ***Snake prank***

Police responded to the 2900 block of Ave. V concerning a report of a large dead snake being left on a front porch Wednesday evening.

• ***Loose livestock***

Three cows were reported loose on FM 1611 just past CR 264 at 7:07 p.m. Wednesday. Deputies secured the cows.

Obituaries

Lynetta Hibdon

1972-2004

LUBBOCK — Lynnetta Denise Hibdon, a native of Snyder, died Tuesday, May 11, in Lubbock after a lengthy battle with cancer.

Service for Mrs. Hibdon, 32, is set for 10 a.m. Friday in St. John's United Methodist Church. Kathryn Boren and Joyce Bromm will officiate. Burial will follow in the City of Lubbock Cemetery.

Born March 6, 1972 in Snyder, the family moved to Lubbock in 1973. She married Tommy Don Hibdon on Aug. 4, 1990. A graduate of Lubbock High School, she earned a bachelor of arts degree from Texas Tech University in 1993, graduating Cum Laude, and a master of arts degree in 1998.

She was awarded an honorary doctorate in literature by her colleagues after finishing her course work in 2004.

She was a longtime Tech employee, serving in many positions starting in 1989. She retired March 31.

Mrs. Hibdon served as a Girl Scout troop leader, was president of the PTA at Murfee Elementary and had served as a member of the Caprock Council and Montana Service Unit and was honored with the establishment of the Lynnetta Hibdon Award in April.

She was preceded in death by her father, Orville Lynn Schwartz; and her grandmother, Etheline Smith Schwartz.

Survivors include her husband, Tommy Hibdon of Lubbock; a daughter, Katie; her mother, Janet Schwartz; a brother, Nick Schwartz; a stepfather, Al Buchanan; a paternal grandfather, Cecil Raymond Schwartz of Hawley; maternal grandparents, T.V. and Joy Early of Snyder; maternal great-grandmother, Addie Lucille Early of Snyder; her mother-in-law, Rayetta Hibdon; three brothers-in-law, Tracy, Shawn and Anthony Hibdon, all of Lubbock, and George Hibdon of Amarillo; her father-in-law, Jerry Hibdon of Amarillo; grandmothers-in-law, Edna Laney and Joyce Hibdon of Lubbock; 12 aunts and uncles; and 14 cousins.

Visitation will be from 6-8:30 this evening at White's Funeral Home.

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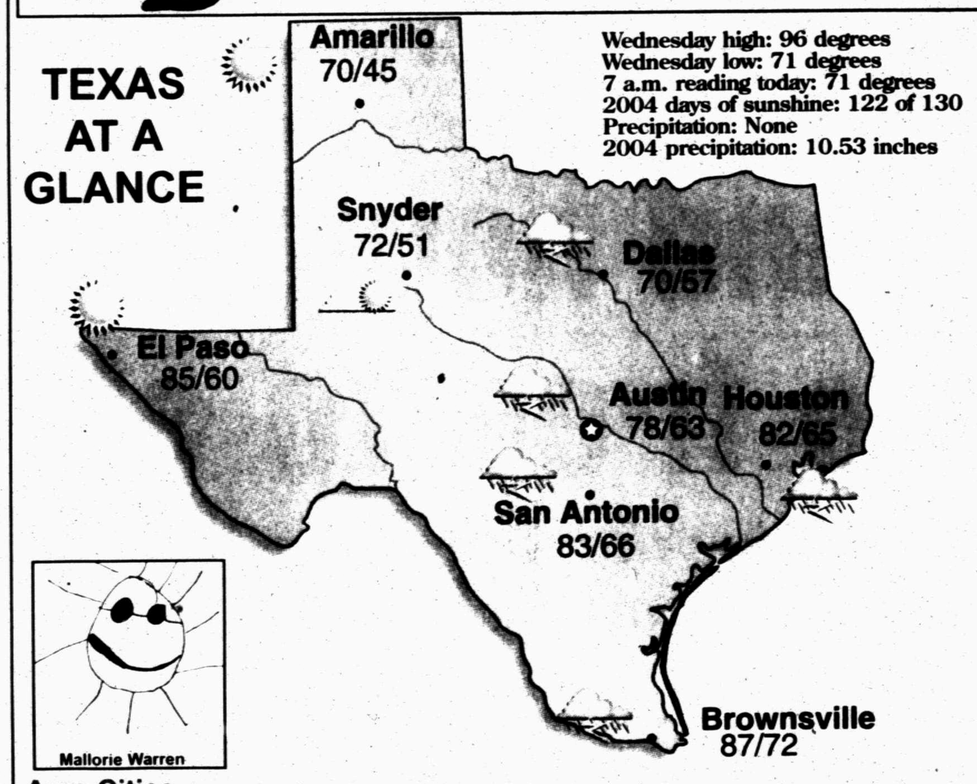
Today's Weather

Local 3-Day Forecast

Fri 5/14	Sat 5/15	Sun 5/16
72/51	80/60	86/63
Mostly cloudy skies early, then partly cloudy in the afternoon. High 72F.	Partly cloudy. Highs in the low 80s and lows in the low 60s.	Mix of sun and clouds. Highs in the mid 80s and lows in the low 60s.
Sunrise 6:45 AM, Sunset 8:35 PM	Sunrise 6:45 AM, Sunset 8:36 PM	Sunrise 6:44 AM, Sunset 8:37 PM

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TEXAS AT A GLANCE



Wednesday high: 96 degrees
Wednesday low: 71 degrees
7 a.m. reading today: 71 degrees
2004 days of sunshine: 122 of 130
Precipitation: None
2004 precipitation: 10.53 inches

Mallorie Warren

Area Cities

City	Hi	Lo	Cond.	City	Hi	Lo	Cond.	City	Hi	Lo	Cond.
Abilene	69	52	pt sunny	El Paso	85	60	sunny	Midland	76	54	mst sunny
Amarillo	70	45	sunny	Fort Stockton	81	56	sunny	Raymondville	88	69	t-storm
Austin	78	63	t-storm	Gainesville	67	51	t-storm	Rosenberg	82	64	t-storm
Beaumont	82	66	t-storm	Greenville	70	54	t-storm	San Antonio	83	66	t-storm
Brownsville	87	72	t-storm	Houston	82	65	t-storm	San Marcos	80	64	t-storm
Brownwood	72	54	t-storm	Kingsville	85	69	t-storm	Sulphur Springs	71	54	t-storm
Corpus Christi	82	70	t-storm	Livingston	79	60	t-storm	Sweetwater	72	52	pt sunny
Corsicana	71	57	t-storm	Longview	74	56	t-storm	Tyler	73	55	t-storm
Dallas	70	57	t-storm	Lubbock	74	48	mst sunny	Weatherford	67	52	t-storm
Del Rio	83	67	t-storm	Lufkin	78	60	t-storm	Wichita Falls	68	47	t-storm

National Cities

City	Hi	Lo	Cond	City	Hi	Lo	Cond	City	Hi	Lo	Cond
Atlanta	83	63	t-storm	Houston	82	65	t-storm	Phoenix	98	70	sunny
Boston	74	61	pt sunny	Los Angeles	79	60	mst sunny	San Francisco	71	53	windy
Chicago	68	47	t-storm	Miami	83	75	pt sunny	Seattle	70	48	mst sunny
Dallas	70	57	t-storm	Minneapolis	55	38	rain	St. Louis	71	51	t-storm
Denver	65	44	mst sunny	New York	78	66	pt sunny	Washington, DC	88	69	pt sunny

Moon Phases

Last	New	First	Full
May 11	May 19	May 27	Jun 3

UV Index

Fri 5/14	Sat 5/15	Sun 5/16
Extreme	Extreme	Extreme

The UV Index is measured on a 0 - 11 number scale, with a higher UV Index showing the need for greater skin protection. 0 — 11

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