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THE SDN COLUMN

By Roy McQueen

The feller on Deep Creek says, "Middle age is when you realize caution is the only thing you care to exercise."

Ole what's-her-name's sense of humor is going to the dogs. She claims we flunked out on sensitivity training.

So, we turned to the Internet for help and found an article that said "Why Dogs are Better than Women."

--Dogs don't whine, unless they want in or out.

--Dogs love it when your friends come over.

--Dogs don't care if you use their shampoo.

--Dogs think you sing great.

--A dog's time in the bathroom is confined to a quick drink.

--Dogs don't expect you to call when you're running late.

--The later you are, the more excited dogs are to see you.

--Dogs will forgive you for playing with other dogs.

--Dogs don't notice if you call them by another dog's name.

--Dogs want to play rough..

--Dogs love red meat.

--A dog's relatives never visit.

--Dogs never need to examine the relationship.

--Dogs never criticize.

--Dogs understand that instincts are better than asking for directions.

--Dogs do their snooping outside, as opposed to your wallet or sock drawer.

--Dogs don't let magazine articles guide their lives.

--Their favorite dinner is a hamburger.

--Dogs don't go to the restroom with other dogs for long periods of time.

We showed this to ole what's-her-name — and she barked at us.

It reminds us of two guys walking with their best friends. One guy had a Doberman and ther other a Chihuahua.

The guy with the Doberman suggested they get something to eat, but the restaurant had a sign prohibiting pets inside.

The guy with the Doberman said to follow his lead. He put on a pair of dark glasses and told the waitress that the Doberman was his seeing-eye dog. The man and his best friend were reluctantly allowed in.

The man with the Chihuahua decided to try his luck. Donning a pair of dark glasses, he was confronted at the entrance, "Sorry pal, no pets."

The man with the second dog explained that it was his seeing-eye dog. The doorman was surprised. "A Chihuahua?"

The fellow with the little dog reacts, "You mean they gave me a Chihuahua?"



FISHING BUDDIES — Texas Parks & Wildlife game wardens and other officials took time Monday to go fishing with a group of students on an end of school field trip. Game Warden Andy Ozuna and Ray Martinez were slowed in their fishing with a tangled line. (SDN Staff Photo)

Second rollover kills 20-year-old

By Wade Warren
Staff Writer

Less than two days after three Snyder women died in a one-vehicle rollover near Roscoe, a second rollover has taken the life of another local resident.

James Pilgrim, a 1996 graduate of Snyder High School, died this morning from injuries he received in a one-vehicle rollover Monday night.

He had been transported by Snyder EMS to Cogdell Hospital and then transferred by helicopter to Lubbock University Medical Center following the accident.

The 20-year-old, a resident of 2711 48th St., was pronounced dead at 10:45.

Pilgrim was driving a 1995 Chevrolet pickup which overturned some four miles south of Snyder on Highway 350 around 11 p.m. Monday.

He was thrown out of his vehicle and was found unconscious by a passing motorist who noticed the pickup in a pasture with its lights still on.

Pilgram was enrolled in the golf/landscape technology program at Western Texas College last semester. He was a part-time employee at Bar-H-Bar.

Early Sunday morning, another one-vehicle rollover claimed the lives of Snyder residents Angela Faye Biggers, 24, Stella Camille Jackson, 24, and Shaundra Jackson, 21, seven miles west of Roscoe on U.S. Highway 84.

CMH awards event tonight

Cogdell Memorial Hospital will hold its annual employee recognition reception this evening at Martha Ann Woman's Club.

Service awards, employees of the month and the employee of the year will be recognized.

All Cogdell employees are invited, along with their spouses or a guest. Medical staff, the board of managers, Foundation board, county commissioners court and auxiliary volunteers have also been issued an invitation.

The reception will begin at 6 o'clock with an hor d'oeuvres buffet. Presentation of awards will begin at 6:45 and the reception will end about an hour later.

Music will be provided by Judy Brown.

THAAD goes thud, fails fifth flight test

WASHINGTON (AP) — The Pentagon's costly missile defense system failed a fifth flight test when a booster rocket misfired today, the latest mishap in a problem-plagued program that carries a $15 billion price tag.

The Theater High-Altitude Area Defense, or THAAD system, built by Lockheed Martin Corp., failed to intercept a target for the fifth consecutive time in a flight test at White Sands Missile Range, N.M.

The initial cause was a booster rocket failure.

"Preliminary investigation indicates that the THAAD missile lost control shortly after launch," the Pentagon said in a written statement. "The missile impacted on the White Sands Missile Range about two miles north of the launch site. ... Analysis of the flight data is under way to determine the cause of the malfunction."

The Hera target rocket that the missile was to have intercepted was detonated in flight and its debris landed harmlessly in the desert, as planned in the event of a miss, according to the Pentagon.

The test, which occurred at 7:20 a.m. EDT, was the eighth overall for the THAAD and the fifth involving an actual missile flight and attempted intercept.

The THAAD system is designed to provide U.S. forces in the field protection from attack by Scud and other short- and medium-range missiles. Its technology involves "hitting a bullet with a bullet," a technical challenge the program's designers and managers have so far failed to meet.

President Clinton's defense budget request for missile defense seeks $822 million for continued testing and development of THAAD next year. The House National Security Committee has endorsed that figure. Today's failure, however, could influence House and Senate floor debate on the program.

Shadowing program offered

Junior high students have just five days after today to apply for a week-long shadowing program planned this summer by Snyder ISD.

The program is designed to introduce students to activities and requirements of the workplace by allowing them to observe and participate at various job sites in the community.

The purpose of the program is to assist students in forming educational and career goals.

Dates of the shadowing program are June 8 through July 3, but each student will participate for a week, from 8 a.m. to noon daily.

Information and applications have been handed out to all students at Snyder Junior High. Students who are interested in the program should return completed applications to Linda Huestis or Margaret Corkran by next Tuesday.

Shadowing is a School To Work program, funded by monies from the West Central Texas Workforce Development Board.

Participants include Cogdell Memorial Hospital, Snyder Daily News, Scurry County, Snyder Police Department, TU Electric, Lang Tire, Senior Center and private businesses.

William Henderson...

Postmaster general named

WASHINGTON (AP) — William J. Henderson, a 26-year veteran of the Postal Service, was named the nation's 71st postmaster general today.

Henderson, currently the agency's chief operating officer, will succeed Postmaster General Marvin Runyon, who is leaving office this Friday. Henderson does not require a Senate confirmation and will take over the position Saturday.

"Bill is an outstanding leader and innovator. As chief operating officer, he has lifted service for first-class mail to levels that many thought were unattainable," said Sam Winters, chairman of the post office's governing board.

Henderson, 50, has been chief operating officer of the agency since 1994. Before that, he served in a variety of jobs throughout the Postal Service. He is the first career postal employee to serve as postmaster general since William G. Bolger in 1978.

"I am deeply honored and look forward to serving our nation further and addressing the ongoing challenges of competitiveness, new technology and high quality service for our customers," Henderson said today.

The announcement of a successor to Runyon comes just a day after the independent Postal Rate Commission approved a series of increases in postage costs, including a penny more for first-class stamps.

No date has been set for those increases to take affect, but the governing board is expected to discuss that issue at its next meeting in early June.

Before becoming chief operating officer of the Postal Service, Henderson headed the marketing division of the agency. He also served as a field division manager in Greensboro, N.C. and as postmaster in Memphis, Tenn. and Stockton, Calif.

He is a graduate of the University of North Carolina.

The Postal Service, an independent government agency, has more than 776,000 career employees and annual revenue of $58 billion.

Sanctions against India are possible

WASHINGTON (AP) — Raising the specter of U.S. sanctions, President Clinton today called on India to halt its nuclear tests and urged neighboring nations "not to follow down the path of a dangerous arms race."

Speaking at a White House event on international crime, Clinton said he was deeply disturbed by India's announcement that it had set off three underground nuclear blasts. He said that action flew in the face of "the firm international consensus" to stop the spread of nuclear weapons.

"I call on India to announce that it will conduct no further tests and (that) it will sign the comprehensive test ban treaty now and without conditions," Clinton said. "I also urge India's neighbors not to follow suit, not to follow down the path of a dangerous arms race."

Clinton vowed to enforce "very stringent provisions" in U.S. law that deal with nuclear tests by non-nuclear nations. "I intend to implement them fully," he said.

White House spokesman Mike McCurry suggested that India's actions had thrown into question Clinton's plans to travel to the country later this year. "We certainly are going to have to assess that development as we consider our itinerary," McCurry said. Clinton had been planning a visit to India as part of an effort to raise the U.S. profile on the subcontinent.

McCurry added that under the statute, the imposition of sanctions "is dealt with almost as a certainty." Indeed, Sen. Joseph Biden, D-Del., said the 1994 anti-proliferation law leaves the administration virtually no alternative.

Countries that run afoul of the law by detonating nuclear devices are subject to denial of U.S. credits and credit guarantees. The law also requires U.S. opposition to loan requests to international lending institutions and bars loans from any U.S. bank to the Indian government except those that provide food or other agricultural commodities.

Fort Stockton board rejects school uniforms

FORT STOCKTON (AP) — School administrators in Fort Stockton say they'll try to come up with a tougher student dress code to present to the school board.

Superintendent Dale Pitts favors uniforms, but school trustees nixed that idea unanimously Monday night, saying the idea didn't have broad enough support from parents.

Last week, school officials mailed a questionnaire to 1,100 parents of students in the first through seventh grades at Fort Stockton. Of the 194 who responded, 120 said requiring students to wear khaki pants and white dress shirts was OK.

That was a clear majority of those who responded, but the board said it was reluctant to require uniforms with opposition from more than a third of the parents.

Some parents and faculty members have argued for the uniforms, saying they would help neutralize a growing discipline problem.

ASK US

Q—What are the dates for the White Buffalo Festival?
A—October 2-3.

FORECAST - ALMANAC

Area Forecast: Tonight, fair. Lows near 60. S winds 5-15 mph. Wednesday, partly cloudy. Highs, mid 90s. S-SW winds 10-20 mph.

Snyder Temps: High Monday, 98 degrees; low, 60; 7 a.m. Tuesday, 60; no precipitation; total for 1998, 5 inches.



Angie Massey
Partly cloudy

Sunset: 8:31 p.m.
Sunrise: 6:49 a.m.
Of 131 days in 1998, the sun has shone 129 days in Snyder.

TODAY'S THOUGHT

Wisdom is always an overmatch for strength.

Phaedrus

American Airlines plans 14 daily Austin flights from LF

DALLAS (AP) — American Airlines, which has vehemently opposed new service at Love Field, has asked permission to begin 14 daily flights to Austin from the airport, only five miles from downtown Dallas.

The airline said it is making the move to keep other carriers from grabbing its passengers should the close-in airport be opened to competition.

In a letter Monday, the airline told Danny Bruce, Dallas' aviation director that it wants to begin its service Aug. 15, assuming it can get two gates at Love Field.

Gary Kennedy, American's vice president of corporate real estate, wrote:

"The single impediment to the Aug. 15 commencement date is the availability of adequate gate, counter and support facilities. American will need these facilities as quickly as possible to avoid any delay in our proposed start-up date."

Love Field is dominated by Southwest Airlines Co., which offers about 140 departures daily from its 13 gates at Love Field. Southwest has 14 daily departures to Austin from Love Field.

Southwest spokesman Ed Stewart says the Dallas-based carrier is used to competition throughout its system and isn't worried about American's arrival at Love Field.

"Competition is competition. It's just another day at the office," Stewart said.

American now offers 14 round trips between Dallas/Fort Worth International Airport and Austin. Also flying on that route are Delta Air Lines Inc., with six daily round-trips, and Lone Star Airlines Inc., with two.

American said that its first flight will depart Love Field at 6:40 a.m. and that its last return flight from Austin is scheduled to land at Love at 9:17 p.m.

American spokesman Al Comeaux said American will determine later whether it needs to reduce its D/FW Airport-Austin schedule. He said the airline also is looking at other markets, inside Texas and outside.

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Industrial technology students win at state

Snyder High School's industrial technology students won at state competition in Waco over the weekend.

Drafting winners include:

Fernando Rodriguez, three second places and three third places.

Vanessa Jones, one first place, two second places and two third places.

Metals winners include: Fernando Rodriguez, one first place.

Aaron Stansell, second place.

Electronics winners are:

Wade Yearwood, two first places with one being the best in the state; two second places.

Jason Fisk, one second place.

Tommy Wilson, two first places, and both were best in the state, and one second place.

Rebuilt lawnmowers winners include:

Mario Gonzales, one first place; Tommy Wilson, Paul Cooley, both second place.

Martin Ferrusca, first place and best in the state.

Restoring lawnmowers winners include:

Derek Rushing, one first place and best in state.

Randy Romero, one second place.

Scott Reston, one third place.

Five horse power engines winners include:

Nick Long, Jared Boyd and Ray Jasso, one first place for each.

Cory Trujillo, one second place.

Woods winners include Derek Rushing, Randy Romero and Martin Ferrusca, all third places.

Tommy Wilson also won ninth in extemporaneous speaking.

Instructors include Dewey Farley, drafting, metals and electronics; Jim Eaks, woods; Terry Leatherwood, extemporaneous speaking and small engines.



OKLAHOMA — Snyder High School's choral department will present "Oklahoma" at 7:30 p.m. Friday and Saturday in Worsham Auditorium. Reserved tickets are on sale now for $7 each. General admission is $4. For tickets or more information, call Katie Necessary at the high school, 573-6301. Cast members include Kelli Henderson, Zach Allred, Allison Bowden and Leslye Starnes. (Staff Photo By Shirley A. Gorman)

Minnesota tobacco deal good for Texas, Dan Morales says

AUSTIN (AP) — Minnesota's $6.6 billion lawsuit settlement with the nation's tobacco industry will benefit Texas, according to Attorney General Dan Morales.

It also could increase the $2.3 billion in fees scheduled to be paid to five private attorneys who worked on Texas' case.

Those fees already are being challenged as too high, and opponents say the Minnesota settlement should prove lower fees are possible and more appropriate.

"The Minnesota lawyers started two years earlier and ended three months later than the Texas lawyers did," said John Butler, head of Texans for Reasonable Legal Fees.

"Minnesota's lawyers also cut their fees to $440 million — still an incredible fee but a fraction of the Texas attorney general's fee claim," he said.

Morales' office, aided by the five private attorneys, earlier this year settled Texas' lawsuit against leading tobacco companies for $15.3 billion. The settlement remains tied up, however, because of legal challenges, including challenges to the attorneys' fees.

The attorney general has backed the $2.3 billion in fees for the private Texas attorneys. He said the state cut a deal with the attorneys for 15 percent and should honor it.

Morales on Monday said Texas' settlement contains a "most favored nation" clause, which allows Texas to reap the benefits of more favorable settlement terms won by other states.

More than a dozen states have sued tobacco companies. Among other things, the states have sued over the costs they have faced treating smoking-related illnesses.

Under Minnesota's settlement, announced last week, tobacco companies will pay the state its settlement more quickly than the 25 years in which they will pay Texas, Morales said. He also said Minnesota's settlement includes more marketing and advertising limits on tobacco products.

Morales spokesman Ward Tisdale said portions of Minnesota's settlement also could add more money to Texas' settlement. He could not say how much.

Taken on a per-resident basis, Minnesota's settlement is worth $1,408.59 for each of the state's 4,685,549 residents. Texas' settlement is worth $787.06 for each of the 19,439,337 Texans.

If the Texas' settlement were to increase, attorneys fees also would go up.

Gov. George W. Bush and a separate group of state legislators have challenged the $2.3 billion in fees as unreasonable. Their challenge remains pending before U.S. District Judge David Folsom.

Tisdale said Morales is reviewing Minnesota's settlement to determine what terms are best and which terms would improve Texas' settlement.

Asked if lower attorneys' fees were among those terms considered to be better in the Minnesota settlement, Tisdale said "everything is open."

"We get to pick and choose what we see as better for the state," Tisdale added.

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Paul wrote the Romans, "And if Christ is in you, though the body is dead because of sin, yet the spirit is alive because of righteousness" (Romans 8:10). Paul paints a grim portrait of natural man as he vainly struggles with sin, weakness and death. Piercing the blackness of this portrait is the possibility of goodness, power and life, all experiences which can be ours if Christ is in us.
To the Colossians Paul wrote, To whom God willed to make known what is the riches of the glory of this mystery among the Gentiles which is Christ in you, the hope of glory" (Colossians 1:27). The Christian speaks of life with assurance and experiences life with enthusiasm. And it is not the kind of life one runs through once and then loses it. It is life eternal! "And this is the promise which He Himself made to us: eternal life" (1 John 2:25).

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SNYDER TOUR — Members of Lubbock Women's Club, visiting several places in Snyder and were pictured as they toured the Cornelius-Dodson House and having tea in the Dermott Schoolhouse. In the top photo, museum docent Jean Everett (second from left) visits with Bobbie Hargrove (left), former Snyder resident who organized the trip, and Carolyn Matthews and Jerry Grimes, all from Lubbock Women's Club. The group had tea in the Dermott Schoolhouse and pictured from left are Maedelle Miller, Mary McConnell, Jo Couch, Jerry Grimes, Ann Koch and Mary Louise Logan, all from Lubbock. (Staff Photo by Jo Ann Nunley)

Lubbock group visits Snyder

Around 40 Lubbock Women's Club members boarded a bus last week for a "Snyder Cruise" and visited several entertaining, educational and historical sites with Bobbie Hargrove as their guide.

Bobbie, and her husband, Dr. Bob Hargrove, a dentist, lived in Snyder many years. Both were active in school and civic organizations and enjoyed playing golf. Mr. and Mrs. Hargrove were longtime members of Colonial Hill Baptist Church.

The Hargroves moved to Lubbock five and one-half years ago but have kept an interest in their "hometown" where they raised three children.

The group's first stop was at the Wagon Wheel Ranch where refreshments were served. Next, they were greeted downtown by Gold Coats and viewed the DeLorean Car at Snyder National Bank, then on to Timber and Threads, the Craft Mall, Classic Interiors, the Ritz Theatre and the Antique Mall.

Following lunch and a style show by Bar-H-Bar Family Outfitters at the Snyder Country Club, they visited Western Texas College, the wild flower preserve and Scurry County Museum where children's wild flower artwork is on display.

Next they toured the Cornelius-Dodson House and the Dermott School Building. Their last stop was the Hays Ranch where they saw the white buffalo hide and Judy Hays told about its history.

On the bus trips to and from Lubbock, the women played games, won prizes and had refreshments.

Bridge By Phillip Alder



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

Vulnerable: North-South
Dealer: South

South	West	North	East
1 ♦	Pass	1 ♥	Pass
1 NT	Pass	3 NT	All pass

Opening lead: ♠ 2

Following on from the excellent "Counting at Bridge," Mike Lawrence (aided by the programming skills of Fred Gitelman) has produced a second great product, "Private Bridge Lessons, Volume 1."

The disk contains over 130 deals on seven topics: endplays, squeezes, locating the opponents' high cards, mystery deals (in which the line of play is unclear), safety plays, percentage plays, and entries. As you progress through each deal, Lawrence asks you the questions you should be asking yourself. (He also makes useful observations about the bidding.)

Here is one deal from the locating section. Hide the East-West cards as best you can. How would you play in three no-trump after West has led the spade two?

Your contract seems to be on the line at trick one. If you misguess the spades, you will surely fall to immediate defeat. Yet *it isn't a guess*. Answer this question first: What happens if you make the correct spade play?

You still aren't home. You need *both* red-suit finesses to work. So, you should place East with those kings. And how many spades has East got?

Assuming West's lead is honest, East has *five* spades. If he had ace-fifth of spades and both red-suit kings, probably he would have overcalled one spade. The answer is clear: Call for the spade *king*.

A second disk winner

I agree wholeheartedly with Lawrence when he claims that locating your opponents' high cards is the most important topic in declarer-play.

You must have Windows 3.1 or 95 on your computer. The disk is available for $37.95 postpaid from Mike Lawrence, 131 Alvarado Road, Berkeley, CA 94705.

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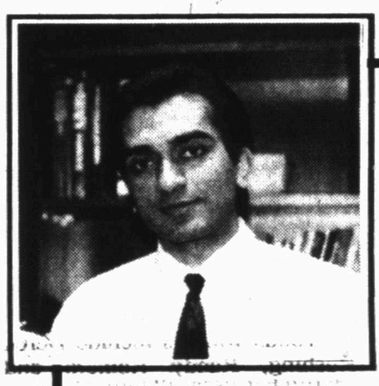
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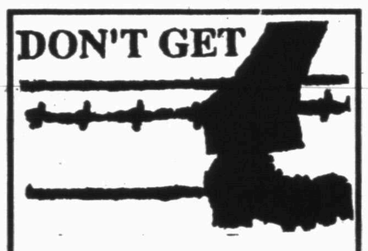
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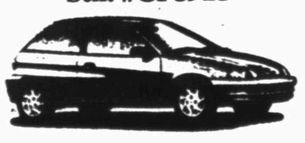
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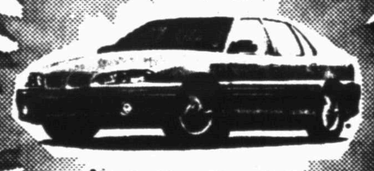
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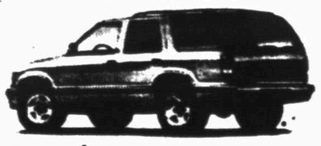
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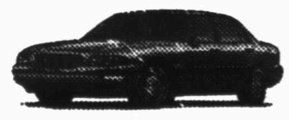
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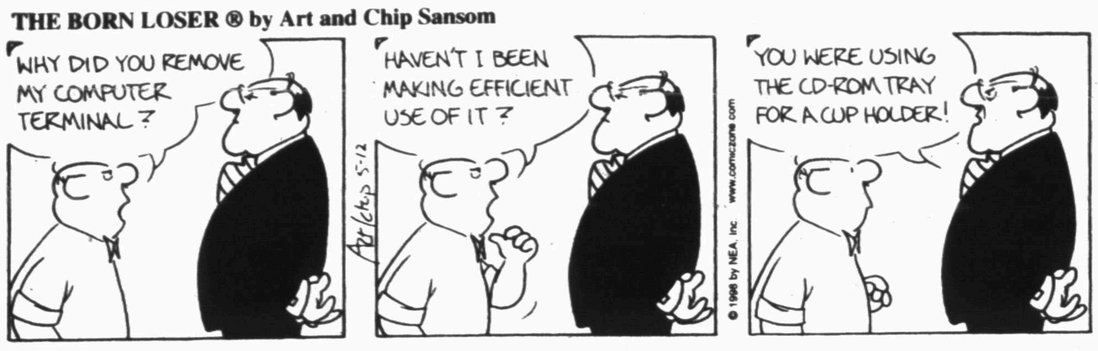
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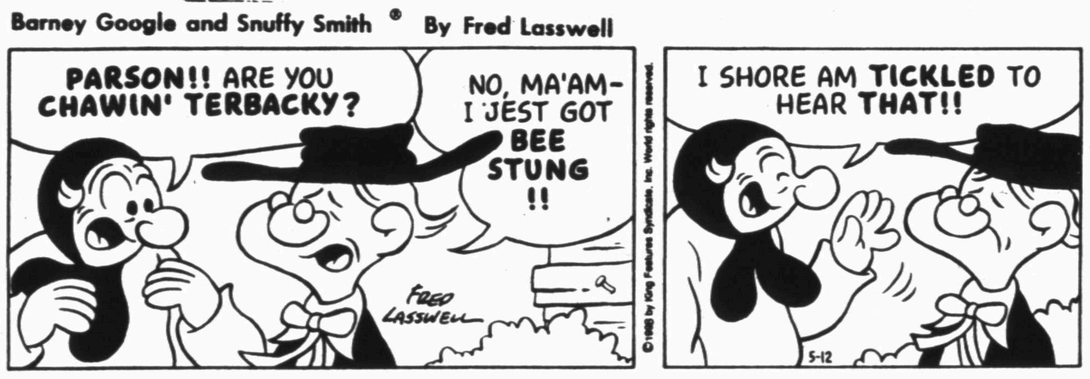
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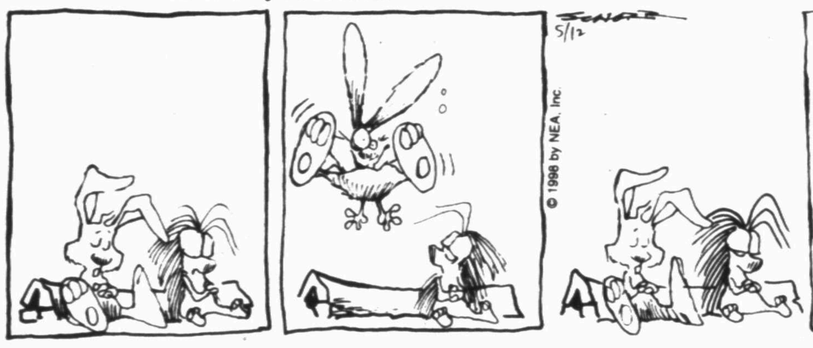
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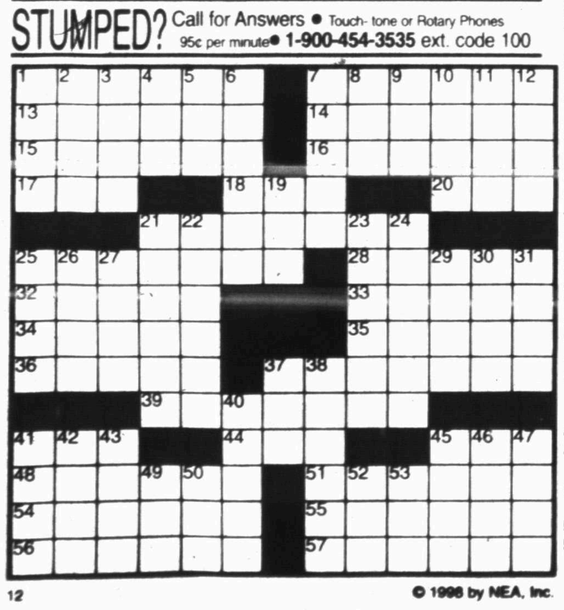
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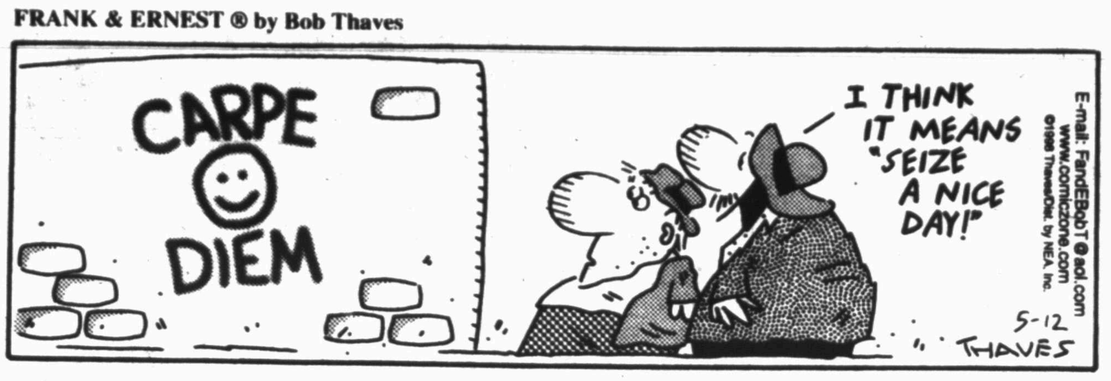
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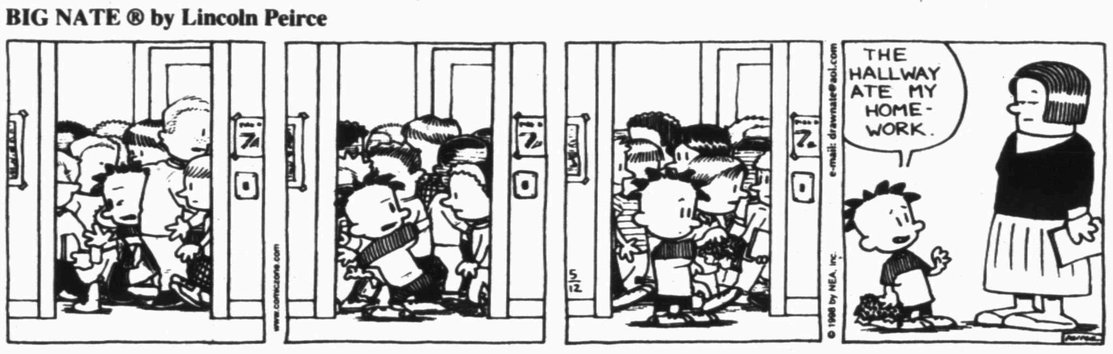
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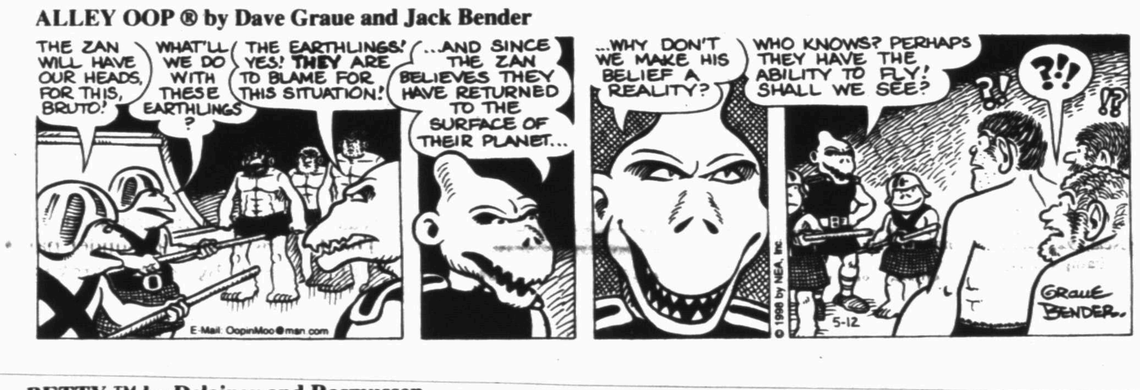
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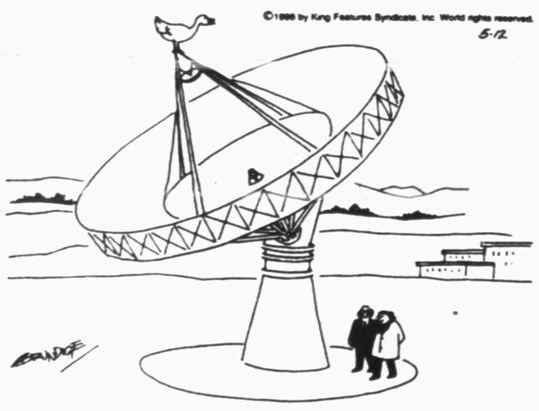


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SPORTS

Highland Park ties record...

Lady Tigers trail by 20 strokes in Austin

By Eric Drennan
Sports Editor

AUSTIN — Things didn't exactly turn out like the Lady Tigers expected in the first round of the state golf tournament.

But one thing is for sure — the race is on.

Snyder never really got it going Monday en route to a 329, while Dallas Highland Park fired a record-tying 309 to take the lead after 18 holes.

Second-round action began this morning, with Montgomery sitting in third at 340 and Pampa in fourth at 341.



Daysha Weaver
...cards 81

Girls 4A

Dallas Highland Park: (309): Maiko Sonda, 71; Elizabeth Mundinger, 76; Moria Murphy, 77; Jennifer Footlik, 85; Hilary Jackson, 90.

Snyder (329): Keisha Gafford, 79; Daysha Weaver, 81; Lacey Kidd, 84; Randi Reed, 85; Sally Barham, 87.

Montgomery (340): Nicole Johnson, 77; Christi Steale, 84; Katy Gardner, 87; Ashley Neal, 92; Lauren Hemphin, 110.

Pampa (341): Alison Piersall, 81; Shelbie Allison, 81; Cortnie Allison, 89; Melissa Gindorf, 90; Maggie Cowan, 95.

El Campo (342): Kristie Coffman, 77; Tammy Coffman, 77; Jenna Rod, 87; Sara Buss, 101; Jenny Thigpen, 117.

Grapevine Colleyville Heritage (351): Pia Alamaki, 79; Marla Anderson, 90; Sara Marques, 90; Rusty Trowell, 92; Staci Zugaro, 103.

Gregory-Portland (354): Brooke Shelton, 86; Megan Kemp, 87; Cayla Carr, 87; Ashley Walter, 94; Patty Cahill, 95.

Austin Anderson (381): Katherine Cavanaugh, 76; Kim Hornsby, 97; Alyson Ligon, 101; Brooke Johnson, 107; Josie Cavanaugh, 129.

Boys 4A

Team Totals: 1. Austin Anderson 283; 2. Dallas Highland Park 291; 3. (tie) McKinney and Sour Lake Hardin-Jefferson 297; 5. Granbury 302; 6. (tie) Andrews and Bastrop 304; ;8. Rosenberg Lamar 317.

"We made a bunch of mental errors today that cost us strokes," Snyder Coach Matt Glenn said. "But I guarantee you that Tuesday will be a different story.

"Our expectations have been so high and the pressure has always been on us all year. But now the pressure's on Highland Park and our kids are going to go gunning for them."

Sally Barham was the first off the tee for Snyder after carding an opening-round 87 in only her second varsity event.

Barham was followed by Randi Reed who had an up-and-down ride on her way to finishing at 85. The junior made double bogies on the ninth and 18th holes.

Lacey Kidd, who was her usual steady self with an 84 on the first day, teed off third for the Lady Tigers.

Snyder's leader, senior Daysha Weaver, went next. She had a streak of five consecutive bogies before making par on four of the past five holes to finish with an 81.

Last to go off this morning was Keisha Gafford, playing in the top spot. Gafford stroked in a 25-foot birdie putt on No. 15 and another one on the final hole to shoot a 79.

The junior went out in 41, but after talking to Glenn about her putting, came in at 38.

"I hit the ball probably as well as I have all year, but I was struggling some with my putter," Gafford said. "I got some confidence early on the back side and things got better from there."



Keisha Gafford
...fires 79

Despite the 20-stroke lead by Highland Park, today's round is expected to be a fight to the finish.

Four of the five Lady Scots fired their best rounds of the entire year on Monday. A feat like that will be hard to duplicate in the final round.

"I don't expect Highland Park to play quite as well as they played today, and I don't expect us to play quite as bad as we did," Glenn said. "We're going to try and jump on them early, and if we can make up nine strokes or so on the front side, then watch out because the race is on then."

Bright sunshine and temperatures near 90 were expected again for the final round.

In the Class 4A boys event, it was the Austin Anderson show. The Trojans posted a 1-under par 283 to lead by eight strokes. Andrews, the Region I winner, carded a 304 Monday for sixth place in the standings.



Lacey Kidd
...steady

Tigers face EP Riverside in Ft. Stockton

The Tigers will go west Friday in hopes of eventually going east.

Snyder's area playoff tilt with El Paso Riverside has been scheduled Friday and Saturday, as expected, in Fort Stockton.

Snyder Coach Roland Herrera said Friday's game will start at 7 p.m. in a best-of-three series.

The second encounter starts at noon Saturday. A third game, if necessary, will begin 30 minutes after the second game.

Coach Herrera said the home team will be determined by a flip of a coin in Fort Stockton prior to the game.

El Paso Riverside (18-7) drew a first round bye in the playoffs after capturing its district championship.

Snyder, 24-6 for the season, won back-to-back bi-district games last weekend in Amarillo. The Tigers belted Pampa 11-2 on Friday and nipped the Harvesters, 3-2, in the second game on Saturday.

The Tigers, ranked in the top 10 in Class 4A during most of district play, hopes to eventually make it to the state tournament in Austin.

Snyder ace Clay Berryman, who fanned 16 Pampa batters in Amarillo, is expected to start on the mound.

GIRLS LITTLE DRIBBLERS

Major League
Hornets 35, Sonics 26
Hornets: Andra Dunham 17; Diane Morin 6; Lacie Thompson 4; Brittany Milota 4; Elizabeth Campbell 2; Kelby Drum 2.
Sonics: Lindsey Wilson 15; Kassey Burney 6; Amber Sanchez 5.
Junior League
Red Hots 36, Rockets 27
Red Hots: Brianna Talavera 20; Erica Little 10; Aeryal Peoples 4; Brittany Dickerhoff 2.
Rockets: Jessica Taylor 16; Amanda Murray 7; Samatha Berry 2; Jordan Stansell 2.
Magic 24, Hot Shots 19
Magic: Sequoya Powell 16; Ashley Pavlosky 4; Jada Bilano 2; Rachael Herrera 2.
Hot Shots: Alana Culp 12; Marleah Akins 7.

NBA PLAYOFFS

CONFERENCE SEMIFINALS
(Best-of-7)
Sunday, May 3
Chicago 83, Charlotte 70
Monday, May 4
Seattle 106, L.A. Lakers 92
Tuesday, May 5
Indiana 93, New York 83
Utah 83, San Antonio 82
Wednesday, May 6
Charlotte 78, Chicago 76
L.A. Lakers 92, Seattle 68
Thursday, May 7
Indiana 85, New York 77
Utah 109, San Antonio 106, OT
Friday, May 8
Chicago 103, Charlotte 89
L.A. Lakers 119, Seattle 103
Saturday, May 9
New York 83, Indiana 76
San Antonio 86, Utah 64
Sunday, May 10
Indiana 118, New York 107, OT, Indiana leads series 3-1
L.A. Lakers 112, Seattle 100, L.A. Lakers lead series 3-1
Chicago 94, Charlotte 80, Chicago leads series 3-1
Utah 82, San Antonio 73, Utah leads series 3-1
Monday, May 11
No games scheduled
Tuesday, May 12
San Antonio at Utah, 8 p.m. (TNT)
L.A. Lakers at Seattle, 10:30 p.m. (TNT)
Wednesday, May 13
New York at Indiana, 7 p.m. (TNT)
Charlotte at Chicago, 9:30 p.m. (TNT)
Thursday, May 14
Utah at San Antonio, 8 p.m. (TNT), if necessary
Seattle at L.A. Lakers, 10:30 p.m. (TNT), if necessary

NHL PLAYOFFS

SECOND ROUND
(Best-of-7)
Thursday, May 7
Washington 4, Ottawa 2
Dallas 3, Edmonton 1
Friday, May 8
Buffalo 3, Montreal 2, OT
St. Louis 4, Detroit 2
Saturday, May 9
Washington 6, Ottawa 1
Edmonton 2, Dallas 0
Sunday, May 10
Buffalo 6, Montreal 3, Buffalo leads series 2-0
Detroit 6, St. Louis 1, series tied 1-1
Monday, May 11
Ottawa 4, Washington 3, Washington leads series 2-1
Dallas 1, Edmonton 0, OT, Dallas leads series 2-1
Tuesday, May 12
Buffalo at Montreal, 7:30 p.m. (ESPN2)
Detroit at St. Louis, 7:30 p.m. (ESPN)
Wednesday, May 13
Washington at Ottawa, 7 p.m. (ESPN2)
Dallas at Edmonton, 9:30 p.m. (ESPN2)
Thursday, May 14
Buffalo at Montreal, 7:30 p.m. (ESPN2)
Detroit at St. Louis, 7:30 p.m. (ESPN)

Texas Rangers get 4th straight win

ARLINGTON (AP) — Ivan Rodriguez was excited about reaching the 1,000-hit mark. Texas manager Johnny Oates preferred to talk about the star catcher's work with pitcher Bobby Witt.

"Sometimes we take Pudge for granted because he does so much offensively," Oates said. "I thought Pudge had as much responsibility as anybody for the game that Bobby pitched. He kept his pitches down and made sure he changed speeds."

Rodriguez singled in the second inning to reach 1,000 hits, and added a two-run homer in the third as the Rangers routed the Boston Red Sox 8-2 on Monday night for their fourth straight victory.

"It's a good feeling," Rodriguez said. "Not too many people have done that. I didn't think about that too much. I was just seeing the ball well."

Rodriguez has played 914 games, making him the second-fastest Rangers player to 1,000 hits behind Buddy Bell, who did it in 869 games.

Pitching on his 34th birthday, Witt overcame a two-run first and allowed only five hits after giving up seven runs and four hits over 1 1-3 innings in his previous start against the New York Yankees.

"I was trying to be too fine with my pitches and that's not the way I should pitch," said Witt, who started the night with an 8.33 ERA. "I need to be aggressive and that's what I tried to do tonight."

Witt (4-1) and John Burkett had been struggling in the Rangers rotation. Burkett took a perfect game into the seventh inning Sunday night against Cleveland in a 5-3 victory, and Witt followed with his strong performance.

Rusty Greer and Kevin Elster also homered, and Juan Gonzalez drove in two runs with a ground-out to push his major league-leading RBI total to 48.

Reggie Jefferson's RBI triple and John Valentin's sacrifice fly put Boston ahead in the first before Witt settled down.

"Bobby made a few mistakes early and kept the ball up, but he started getting it down and changing speeds," Oates said. "With Bobby, I knew it was only a matter of time."

Greer hit a solo homer in the first, and the Rangers took a 4-2 lead in the second against John Wasdin (3-1), making his first start of the season. Rodriguez led off with a single, snapping an 0-for-11 slump, and scored on a double by Lee Stevens. Elster followed with his fifth homer.

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American League

East Division

	W	L	Pct.	GB
NewYork	24	7	.774	—
Boston	24	12	.667	2½
Baltimore	19	17	.528	7½
Toronto	16	20	.444	10½
TampaBay	15	20	.429	11

Central Division

	W	L	Pct.	GB
Cleveland	20	16	.556	—
Chicago	14	20	.412	5
KansasCity	14	22	.389	6
Minnesota	14	22	.389	6
Detroit	10	22	.313	8

West Division

	W	L	Pct.	GB
Texas	23	13	.639	—
Anaheim	19	16	.543	3½
Seattle	18	18	.500	5
Oakland	15	20	.429	7½

Monday's Games
Kansas City at N.Y. Yankees, ppd., rain
Tampa Bay 4, Cleveland 2
Baltimore 4, Minnesota 0
Texas 8, Boston 2
Only games scheduled
Tuesday's Games
Boston (Rose 1-3) at Texas (Sele 5-2), 2:35 p.m.
Seattle (Moyer 2-4) at Detroit (Thompson 2-4), 7:05 p.m.
Oakland (Candiotti 3-4) at Toronto (Hanson 0-1), 7:05 p.m.
Cleveland (Colon 3-1) at Tampa Bay (Johnson 1-1), 7:05 p.m.
Kansas City (Rusch 3-4) at N.Y. Yankees (Wells 3-1), 7:35 p.m.
Baltimore (Kamieniecki 2-1) at Minnesota (Hawkins 1-3), 8:05 p.m.
Anaheim (Olivares 1-0) at Chicago White Sox (Eyre 1-4), 8:05 p.m.
Wednesday's Games
Seattle (Cloude 3-1) at Detroit (Moehler 2-3), 7:05 p.m.
Oakland (Haynes 1-1) at Toronto (Clemens 4-3), 7:05 p.m.
Kansas City (Rapp 2-3) at Tampa Bay (Saunders 1-3), 7:05 p.m.
Cleveland (Ogea 1-1) at Baltimore (Drabek 2-4), 7:05 p.m.
Texas (Helling 6-0) at N.Y. Yankees (Cone 4-1), 7:35 p.m.
Boston (Saberhagen 5-0) at Minnesota (Radke 3-3), 8:05 p.m.
Anaheim (Watson 2-3) at Chicago White Sox (Sirotka 5-2), 8:05 p.m.

National League

East Division

	W	L	Pct.	GB
Atlanta	27	11	.711	-
NewYork	18	15	.545	6½
Philadelphia	18	17	.514	7½
Montreal	13	23	.361	13
Florida	13	25	.342	14

Central Division

	W	L	Pct.	GB
Houston	23	13	.639	-
Milwaukee	19	16	.543	3½
Chicago	20	17	.541	3½
St.Louis	18	17	.514	4½
Cincinnati	18	19	.486	5½
Pittsburgh	17	20	.459	6½

West Division

	W	L	Pct.	GB
SanDiego	24	13	.649	-
SanFrancisco	21	17	.553	3½
LosAngeles	18	19	.486	6
Colorado	17	21	.447	7½
Arizona	8	29	.216	16

Monday's Games
Atlanta 8, Cincinnati 1
Pittsburgh 5, Colorado 2
St. Louis 7, Milwaukee 0
Houston 5, Florida 2
San Diego 2, N.Y. Mets 1
Chicago Cubs 4, Arizona 2
San Francisco 7, Montreal 2
Philadelphia 5, Los Angeles 2
Tuesday's Games
Colorado (Wright 2-3) at Pittsburgh (Loaiza 1-1), 1:35 p.m.
Atlanta (Smoltz 3-0) at Cincinnati (Weathers 2-1), 7:05 p.m.
Florida (Hammond 0-0) at Houston (Bergman 2-2), 8:05 p.m.
Milwaukee (Wagner 1-3) at St. Louis (Mercker 2-2), 8:10 p.m.
Chicago Cubs (Mulholland 1-1) at Arizona (Benes 2-3), 10:05 p.m.
Philadelphia (Schilling 4-3) at Los Angeles (Martinez 4-2), 10:05 p.m.
N.Y. Mets (Jones 1-3) at San Diego (Hamilton 3-2), 10:05 p.m.
Montreal (Perez 1-3) at San Francisco (Gardner 2-1), 10:05 p.m.
Wednesday's Games
Montreal (Hermanson 3-3) at San Francisco (Darwin 3-2), 3:35 p.m.
Florida (Sanchez 2-1) at Cincinnati (Tomko 4-1), 7:05 p.m.
Pittsburgh (Lieber 1-4) at Houston (Hampton 5-1), 8:05 p.m.
Atlanta (Glavine 4-2) at St. Louis (Politte 2-2), 8:10 p.m.
Chicago Cubs (Trachsel 3-1) at Colorado (Astacio 3-4), 9:05 p.m.
Milwaukee (Juden 4-1) at Arizona (Blair 0-6), 10:05 p.m.
Philadelphia (Green 3-2) at Los Angeles (Park 3-1), 10:35 p.m.
N.Y. Mets (Mlicki 1-3) at San Diego (Ashby 5-2), 10:35 p.m.

Sports Briefs

SCC scramble and MGA

A members' scramble is held each Tuesday at 5:30 p.m. at Snyder Country Club. At 5:30 p.m. each Thursday, the Men's Golf Association has a 9-hole event. The Thursday format varies.

Pumpjack Partnership

Snyder Country Club will host the annual Pumpjack Partnership Saturday and Sunday.

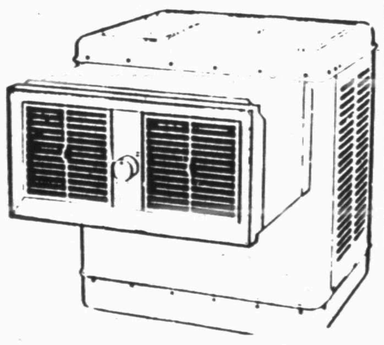
Format is a two-man scramble and entry fee is $150 per team. For more information contact the SCC pro shop at 573-7101.

'98 softball classic

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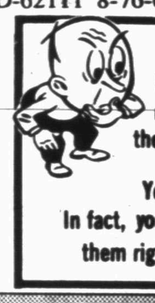
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This contract is subject to all appropriate Federal laws, including Title VI of the Civil Rights Act of 1964. The Texas Department of Transportation hereby notifies all bidders that it will insure that bidders will not be discriminated against on the ground of race, color, sex or national origin, in having full opportunity to submit bids in response to this invitation, and in consideration for an award. Plans and specifications, including minimum wage rates as provided by Law, are available for inspection at the office of Dan Richardson, Area Engineer, Abilene, Texas, and at the Texas Department of Transportation, Austin, Texas. Bidding proposals are to be requested from the Construction and Maintenance Division, 200 East Riverside Drive, Austin, Texas 78704-1205. Plans are available through commercial printers in Austin, Texas, at the expense of the bidder.

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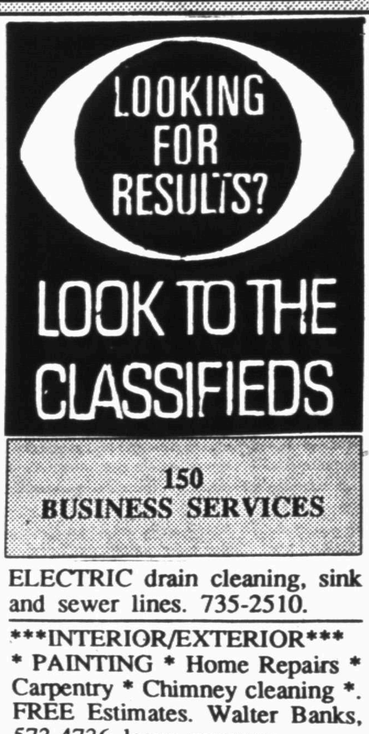
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Dr. Gott by Peter Gott, M.D.

DEAR DR. GOTT: When you swallow phlegm, does it return to your lungs or stay in the stomach? Is swallowing phlegm harmful?

DEAR READER: Phlegm is merely mucus produced by the cells of the respiratory tract. Usually it is clear and sticky; sometimes it is discolored by blood cells or pus if an infection is present.

When a person swallows phlegm, it enters the stomach and is digested. Therefore, this habit is not harmful and is certainly more appropriate than hawking and spitting.

In the presence of a severe infection, such as pneumonia or tuberculosis, phlegm may contain many living bacteria. Although these micro-organisms are usually killed by gastric acid, some may not be and can infect the intestinal tract. This is why serious infections that cause yellow or green phlegm are usually treated with antibiotics. This state of affairs is not common, however.

We all produce phlegm, in quantities that may vary, because this substance washes our respiratory tracts. Hence, swallowing phlegm is a normal human activity.

DEAR DR. GOTT: Some medications list weight gain among their side effects. How does a drug cause weight gain? Surely medicines don't contain calories.

DEAR READER: As every woman knows, a temporary increase in weight is common around the time a menstrual period is due. Caused by salt (and water) retention associated with hormonal changes, this phenomenon is annoying but harmless.

The same relation is often the result of medication, too, which can increase water-weight. Not all drugs do this, and not everybody is susceptible to this effect. When the potential side effects of medicines include weight gain, the manufacturers are referring to fluid retention, not the weight change caused by excess calories.

DEAR DR. GOTT: Every time my boyfriend wears leather, he develops pimples. For example, wearing leather sandals leads to a rash on his feet, and leather bracelets and necklaces cause him to break out. Is this an allergy?

DEAR READER: Yes, it probably is. Don't let him wear a leather jacket.

Seriously, some people are highly sensitive to the compounds used to tan and color leather. Therefore, your boyfriend is not reacting to the leather per se, but to additives used in the processing of hides. He should avoid leather products that touch his skin. If he wishes, he can confirm my theory by seeing an allergist, who will test him for the various compounds that are causing the skin reaction.

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Gas drive-off results in arrests

Failure to pay for $8.77 worth of gas at Allsup's in Hermleigh resulted in two Austin teens being jailed Monday morning.

Two females, age 18 and 19, were arrested by DPS troopers after they were stopped on Highway 350 in reference to the gas drive-off.

The two were discovered to be in possession of marijuana and were booked into jail on a misdemeanor possession charge.

In other activity Monday, deputies investigated the theft of several items from a storage building at a location on Round Top Road.

Officers filed a report of family violence at 1:37 p.m.

Deputies investigated a report of forged checks at CSI at 3:27 p.m. and filed a report for forgery.

Kim Rankin requested to speak to an officer at 6:50 p.m. at 3105 41st St. as someone had vandalized her vehicle. An offense report for Class B criminal mischief was submitted.

Markets

Midday Stocks

NEWYORK(AP)-Morningstocks:

	High	Low	Last	
AMR Corp	149	3-16	147¼	147¼- ¼
AT&T Corp	57	11-16	57	1-16 57⅛- ¼
AirTouch	52¼		51¼	51 15-16+ 1-16
Albertsons	46		5-16	45¾ 45⅞- ¼
AlldSi s	43	15-16	43¾	43 11-16+ 1-16
Alltel	41	13-16	41¼	41⅜+ 1-16
AmOnline s	87⅞		85¾	87⅜+ ¼
AmStoress	23¾		23½	23 3-16- 7-16
Ameritech s	46		3-16	45¾ 45⅞- ¼
Amoco s	44		3-16	43¾ 43¾
AndarkPtr	71¼		71¼	71⅜- ¼
ArmcoInc	6¾		6 11-16	6¾- 1-16
AtlRichfld	80¾		80 1-16	80⅜+ ⅜
ATMOS Egy	30¾		30 3-16	30⅜+ 1-16
Aviall	14	9-16	14 3-16	14 9-16+ ⅛
BakerHughes	38¼		37 9-16	38 -13-16
BellAtl	93	1-16	92¼	92 15-16- ¼
BellSouth	66	3-16	65¾	66 1-16+ ⅛
BethSteel	15		14 13-16	14⅞- 1-16
BritPet s		94¼	93¾	93¾+ ⅛
BurlNoSFe	100	9-16	99¾	99⅝- ⅜
CBS Corp	32	15-16	32⅜	32 15-16
Caterpillar s	56¼		55¼	56 3-16+ ⅛
CenSoWst	27	3-16	27	1-16 27⅛- ⅛
Chevron	85⅞	85	1-16	85 11-16+11-16
Chrysler	51¾		51	51 9-16-15-16
Coastal	74¾		74¾	74⅝- ⅛
CocaCola	77⅞		77⅜	77 13-16+ ⅜
ColgatePl	88	13-16	87¾	88 13-16+1 1-16
ComclMetals	32¾		32¼	32⅜- ⅛
CooperIn		69¾	69¼	69¼
CyprusAx	16¾	16	11-16	16 11-16- 3-16
DallSemicn	37¼		36¾	36 15-16- ⅛
DeltaAirl	114⅞		113¾	113 9-16- ⅜
DigitalEq	58¾	57	15-16	58 9-16- 3-16
Dillards Inc	39⅝	38	9-16	38 15-16+ ⅛
DowChem	99	15-16	99⅛	99 9-16- ⅛
DresserInd		50¾	50	5-16 50⅝- ⅛
DuPont s	80¾	78	11-16	80 3-16+11-16
EstChem	69¾		69	5-16 69 9-16- ⅛
EstKodak	72	3-16	71	7-16 71⅛- 7-16
EDS Corp		37¼	36¾	37 - ⅛
Entergy	25	3-16	24	15-16 25 1-16+ 1-16
Exxon		73¼	73	73 11-16+ ⅛
FstBksAm		25¼	25⅛	25⅛
Flowers	20	15-16	20¼	20⅜- ⅛
FordMotor s		45	9-16	45 45⅜+ ⅛
GTE Cp	59⅜		59¼	59⅜+ 3-16
GenDynam s		42¼	41⅞	42¼+ ⅛
GenIElec		83¼	83	83 5-16+ ⅛
GenMills	68	7-16	68	68 1-16- 1-16
GenMotors	72	3-16	71	72 3-16+1 5-16
GaPacGP s		81	79¾	80⅞+ 1
GlobalMar		25¼	24⅜	24⅜
Goodrich	53¼	52	11-16	52⅛+ 1-16
Goodyear s	69	11-16	69¾	69⅝- ⅜
GtAtlPac		31¼	30⅜	30⅝- ⅜
Halliburtn s		52¼	52	5-16 52¼
Hanson ADS	29¾		29¼	29 9-16+ ⅛
HarteHanks s	21¼		21	9-16 21⅛- ⅛
HomeDepot s	69	15-16	69¼	69 11-16
HoustonInds	29		28¾	28 15-16+ 1-16
IBM	118¼		117⅞	118¼-1 3-16
IntlPaper	54⅜		53¾	54 5-16+1 5-16
JohnsonJn	70¾	69	15-16	70 9-16+ 7-16
K mart		19		18¾ 18⅞+ ⅛
Kroger	41	11-16	41	77-256 41 5-16- 5-16
Litton	60¾		60	7-16 60 9-16+ 1-16
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LowesCos	69¾	68	15-16	69 5-16+ 1-16
Lubys	18		9-16	18¾ 18¾- 3-16
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Monsanto		55	11-16	55 55 - 7-16
MorganJP	132¾	130	13-16	131⅛- ⅛
Motorola		55¾	55	55⅜- ⅛
NCR Corp	37	36	9-16	36 9-16- 7-16
NationsBk	74	7-16	73	9-16 74 1-16+ ⅛
Navistar		28¼	27	15-16 28 - ⅜
Norwests	38¼	37	13-16	37 15-16+ 1-16
OryxEngy	25¾	25	7-16	25 9-16+ ⅛
Penney JC		71	70	7-16 70⅝- ⅜
Pennzoil		63¾	62¼	63¼+ ⅛
PepBoys	23	9-16	23¼	23 7-16+ 7-16
PepsiCo 6	39	11-16	38	11-16 39 9-16+13-1
PhelpDodge		65	5-16	65 65¼+ ⅛
PhilipPet		49	9-16	49 3-16 49 7-16
PilgrmPrd		17¼	17	1-16 17⅛- 3-16
Polaroid	42	7-16	42	3-16 42⅛- 3-16
Praxair		50⅜	49¾	50 5-16+13-16
ProctGam	81	9-16	80	11-16 81 3-16+ ⅛
PubNw	22	13-16	22	11-16 22 11-16- 3-16
RoyalD	57	5-16	56	13-16 56 15-16+ 9-16
SBC Com		39	9-16	39¼ 39⅜+ 9-16
SaraLee		60¾	59	15-16 60 1-16- ⅜
Scripps EW		54¼	54¼	54⅛- 5-16
SearsRoeb		59¾	58⅞	59 + ⅛
SherwinW		34⅜	34¼	34⅜- 3-16
SmthBcADS		57	7-16	57 1-16 57⅛- 1
SouthernCo		26	1-16	25⅞ 26 1-16
SwstAirl s	26½		26	3-16 26 5-16+ 1-16
Sprint		69¾		69 5-16 69 5-16
SunCo	42	1-16	41	11-16 41 15-16- 1-16
TNP Ent		33		32 15-16 33
Tandy s	47	11-16	47	7-16 47 7-16- 5-16
TempleInland		67¼	66¾	67 1-16+13-16
Tenneco			43	42¾ 42¾
Texaco	61	7-16	60	11-16 61 5-16+11-16
TexInd		63	7-16	63 63 1-16- ⅛
TexasInst s		63¾		62¾ 62¾- 1⅛
TexUtil		39¾	38¾	39 7-16+11-16
Textron	79	15-16	79	9-16 79 13-16+ ¼
Travelers s		61	3-16	60¾ 60 13-16+ ⅛
TriconGl		30	9-16	30 5-16 30¾+ 3-16
TrinityInds		49		48¾ 48¾+ 1-16
TritonEngy		42	5-16	41 13-16 42¼+ ¼
Tyler		10¾		10¾ 10¾+ 3-16
US WestCm	51	11-16	51	1-16 51⅛- 5-16
USWstMda		38¾		38¾ 38 11-16+ 3-16
USX-Mar 6	36	1-16	35	13-16 35 13-16- 3-1
USX-USS		37	11-16	37¼ 37⅜+ 1-16
UnCarbde		53	11-16	53¼ 53 3-16- ⅛
UnionPacif		56¼	55	11-16 56 1-16+ 5-16
UnitedTech		97¼		96¾ 96⅞- ⅛
Unocal			39¾	39¾ 39¾
WalMart	52⅜	51	15-16	52 9-16+1 7-16
WstnGasRs		17	13-16	17¼ 17⅜+ ¼
WinnDixie		38¼		38 38 3-16- ⅛
Woolworth		21⅛	20	15-16 21⅛+ 9-16
Xerox Corp			112	111 111⅛- ⅜
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Compaq	30 15/16	-9/16
Cabletron	14 3/16	-3/16
Cisco Sys.	75 1/16	+5/16
Dell	91 3/16	+13/16
Brinker Int'l.	23 15/16	-1/16
Calloway Glf.	23 9/16	-1 3/16
Fannie Mae	57 3/4	0
Intel	83 9/64	+41/64
JP Morgan	130 3/4	-1 3/8
Korea Fund	6 13/16	-3/16
Lehman Bros.	70 15/16	-1/4
3 M	93	-7/8
Phillip Morris	37 15/16	-5/16
Microsoft	83 15/16	-5/16
Netscape	26 1/2	-15/16
Oracle	25 11/16	-5/16
Petsmart	10 15/16	-1/8
Patterson Egy.	13 9/16	0
Sun Am.	47 11/16	+1/4
Safeskin	38	-1/8
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GOP making inroads on education, tax issues

WASHINGTON (AP) — The GOP has cut into the Democrats' advantage with the voters on education in the past year, but still trails badly on that issue as well as overhauling health care and protecting the environment, according to a survey conducted for the Republican National Committee.

Roughly six months before the fall election, the survey also found that Republicans fared better on issues such as working to strengthen values; revamping the tax and welfare system and cutting government spending.

The GOP poll also found that voters attached little importance to campaign finance reform, an issue that has triggered sustained fighting this year in the House and Senate.

The survey was conducted within the past two weeks by a combination of three polling organizations, and party chairman Jim Nicholson distributed a summary of the results to lawmakers. None of the pollsters involved would comment, nor would RNC officials.

The summary, a copy of which was obtained by The Associated Press, contains mixed news for Republicans, some of whom have expressed concerns recently about holding onto their House majority in November.

"The overall political mood has lost some of its earlier euphoria, but it is still good," Nicholson's polling memo reported. Congressional job approval is at 53 percent, and 51 percent of those surveyed believe the nation is moving on the right track, it said.

At the same time, "Republican voters — especially GOP women — do not perceive the nation to be on the right track."

In addition, Democrats outpoll Republicans, 42-38, when the survey asks which party's generic candidate deserves support.

At the same time, Nicholson told Republicans that based on the polling data, "Voters continue to want a Republican Congress to check the president. ... When you note that Bill Clinton is in the White House, and you ask who you want to control Congress, Republicans then enjoy a 14-point advantage," his summary stated.

As for Clinton, the Republican poll said his job approval rating remains high, but his personal approval has deteriorated. In addition, Nicholson advised Republicans, Clinton "seems on the verge of becoming an electoral liability."

He reported that only 6 percent of the undecided voters in the poll said a personal appearance by Clinton would make them more likely to vote for the Democratic candidate, and 15 percent said it would make them less likely.

On education, Republicans have mounted a major effort in the House and Senate since last year to recast their appeal to voters. Instead of advocating the abolition of the Education Department, they have crafted legislation designed to provide limited tax breaks for families saving for private school expenses; give vouchers to some low-income students for use in the school of their choice; and bundle existing federal programs into block grants with fewer federal strings.

The survey confirms what other polls have found — that education ranks high on the list of voter concerns this year.

"We are making headway on education as a party, though we are still down," the memo says. "We are now down 13 points on this issue, an improvement from January of this year when we were down 18 and from June 1997 when we were down 21 points. The evidence suggests that we are beginning to be heard."

In addition, the memo suggests to Republicans how they should discuss the proposal to combine existing education programs into one block grant.

"It is not enough to say that the money will be spent on kids and in the classroom," it says. "The message must outline what happens if it's spent in this fashion. Money spent on kids means more teachers are hired, which means classroom sizes will be smaller.

On another key election-year issue, Republicans are seen by the public as more interested in shielding the tobacco industry than in protecting young people from smoking, according to the poll. The reverse is true for Democrats.

At the same time, the survey suggested that Republicans can scuttle the comprehensive tobacco bill pending in the Senate in favor of a less-sweeping measure without additional loss of public support.

Condemned man tries to stop execution

HOUSTON (AP) — Attorneys for a Texas death row inmate set to die next week has filed suit in federal court contending the state's clemency policy and the way the Texas Board of Pardons and Paroles handles clemency petitions are unconstitutional.

The suit filed Monday in U.S. District Court in Austin by condemned killer Robert Anthony Carter names Texas Gov. George W. Bush and all 18 members of the parole board as defendants.

Similar efforts filed in recent months on behalf of other death row inmates, including Karla Faye Tucker earlier this year, have failed.

"Those were denied by the courts and we expect this one to be too," Ward Tisdale, a spokesman for the Texas attorney general's office, said.

Carter, 34, faces lethal injection May 18 for the 1981 shooting death of a Houston service station cashier during a robbery. He was 17 at the time of the crime.

His attorneys contend he has below-normal intelligence and suffered brain damage caused by multiple head injuries. Their suit contends the Harris County jury that determined he should be put to death was not allowed under the law at the time to reject a death sentence for compassionate reasons or because of the defendant's lessened moral culpability.

The Texas law was changed in 1991 to accommodate those factors.

Attorney Caroline Turner English said the suit in Carter's case is the first to name Bush as a defendant. State attorneys were to respond to the lawsuit Tuesday in Austin.

The suit also contends death row inmates are not allowed a meaningful opportunity to present their clemency petitions to the board.

"Clemency proceedings in Texas are a sham," Carter said in the suit.

At least 10 of the 18 parole board members must recommend clemency for the governor to consider it.

Carter's lawyers last week filed a clemency petition with the board contending the killing of clerk 18-year-old Sylvia Reyes on June 21, 1981 lacked premeditation, brutality and "depravity that typically is present in death penalty cases."

The inmate, who dropped out of school in the 10th grade, said the gun he was carrying discharged by accident when he reached into the cash drawer that had been opened by Ms. Reyes. A witness, however, who identified Carter as the gunman, testified he shot the woman deliberately as she tried to prevent him from taking the cash.

During the punishment phase, prosecutors introduced evidence that Carter had killed an elderly man during an attempted robbery a week before the Reyes slaying.

Date Book

May 12, 1998

Today is the 132nd day of 1998 and the 54th day of spring.

TODAY'S HISTORY: On this day in 1937, King George VI was crowned at Westminster Abbey.

On this day in 1980, Maxie and Chris Anderson were the first to make a nonstop balloon flight across North America.

On this day in 1994, John Smith, leader of Britain's Labor Party, died in London.

TODAY'S BIRTHDAYS: Socrates (470-399 B.C.), philosopher; Edward Lear (1812-1888), poet; Yogi Berra (1925-), baseball player and coach, is 73.

TODAY'S SPORTS: On this day in 1972, the Boston Bruins defeated the New York Rangers to win the Stanley Cup in six games.

TODAY'S QUOTE: "You can observe a lot by watching." — Yogi Berra

TODAY'S WEATHER: On this day in 1883, an unusual aurora borealis, resembling an "ice-covered lake on which the moon was shining," was seen from Ludvika, Sweden.

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TODAY'S MOON: Day after full moon (May 11).

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Astro-graph



By Bernice Bede Osol

Your Birthday

Wednesday, May 13, 1998

In the year ahead, your material position can be strengthened through enterprise and effort, but do not become too daring or foolish. Follow your natural inclinations to success.

TAURUS (April 20-May 20) A treasured axiom says, "a bird in the hand is worth two in the bush." Keep this in mind today in all of your commercial affairs, both large and small. 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. Be sure to state your Zodiac sign.

GEMINI (May 21-June 20) Friends who are in a position to assist you might beg off today if they feel you're only cozying up to them because they are needed. Be sincere.

CANCER (June 21-July 22) If you are unduly impressed with your own ideas today, it could cause you to turn a deaf ear to superior suggestions from co-workers.

LEO (July 23-Aug. 22) Subdue inclinations today to impulsively jump into joint endeavors before testing the waters. Know exactly what you're getting yourself involved in. Be slow, not sorry.

VIRGO (Aug. 23-Sept. 22) People who are sincerely concerned about your welfare might want to offer you helpful advice today. Hear them out in detail before making any moves.

LIBRA (Sept. 23-Oct. 23) You're not the type of person who ignores responsibilities. However, today you might step out of character and leave what needs doing up to others.

SCORPIO (Oct. 24-Nov. 22) Even though material conditions are improving, this is not the right time to be wasteful or extravagant. Focus your efforts on thrift and prudence.

SAGITTARIUS (Nov. 23-Dec. 21) Today you might be a shade too opinionated for your own good. You may think you're impressing others — you are, but not necessarily in the right way.

CAPRICORN (Dec. 22-Jan. 19) Keep a lock on your tongue today, or else there's a possibility you may not be able to keep an important secret.

AQUARIUS (Jan. 20-Feb. 19) Do not permit your extravagant whims to gain the upper hand today. If you pal around with big spenders, there's a chance this could happen. Call your shots for yourself.

PISCES (Feb. 20-March 20) It will take more than your charismatic personality to get you by today where important goals are concerned. Objectives can be achieved through dedication, not smiles and one-liners.

ARIES (March 21-April 19) Usually, you're a logical, methodical individual, but today you might leave important matters up to chance and severely lessen your chances for success.

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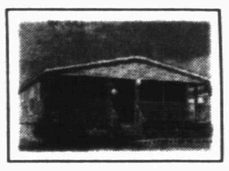


Senior April Baker is involved in the school choir, A Capella choir, show choir and Tiger Jazz. She is currently the choir secretary. She is a member of FCA and the National Honor Society. After graduation she plans to attend college and major in elementary education.

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News Briefs

Simpson won't be in his TV movie

LOS ANGELES (AP) — Norman Mailer is writing the screenplay and Barry Levinson is directing a TV movie about the O.J. Simpson case.

So who's completing the all-star trio and starring as the tarnished football Hall of Famer?

No one.

Lawrence Schiller, who co-authored "American Tragedy; The Uncensored Story of the Simpson Defense" with James Willwerth, said Simpson will be a mere presence and not a character in the film based on the book.

"O.J. doesn't exist in the film," he said Monday. "This is a film about attorneys dealing with evidence and the real process that goes on behind the scenes."

Schiller is producing the three-hour special, which is to air on a Sunday night on ABC. He hopes to start filming at the end of this year and get the movie on the air next spring.

Schiller said Levinson, the director of "Wag The Dog," "has the ability to bring humor, wit and irony into the most difficult circumstances."

Schiller collaborated with Simpson on his jailhouse book, "I Want to Tell You," and is working on a book about the JonBenet Ramsey murder case.

"American Tragedy" is a look at the defense team that won Simpson's acquittal in the 1994 murders of Nicole Brown Simpson and Ronald Goldman.

The book was written before the civil trial in which Simpson was found liable for the killings and ordered to pay $33.5 million in damages to the families of the victims.

'Gender bias' in insurance coverage

ARLINGTON, Va. (AP) — The American College of Obstetricians and Gynecologists is taking the position that health insurers who cover the impotence drug Viagra but don't pay for female contraception are guilty of "gender bias," USA Today reports.

"Pregnancy is a medical condition, just like impotence," Luella Klein of Emory University, a spokeswoman for the organization, told the paper. "And the cost benefit of preventing pregnancy is much greater than treating impotence."

An early industry study found that insurance companies are reimbursing about half of the men getting prescriptions for the new pill, a lower rate than for other drugs.

At least 10 states cover the pill for men who qualify for Medicaid, the state-federal health insurance program for the poor. But at least 12 states have refused to cover it.

USA Today reported that many employer-sponsored plans that will not pay for women's birth control are covering Viagra.

It said the obstetricians and gynecologists group is issuing a statement at its convention in New Orleans putting the organization on record backing laws to force insurers that offer prescription drug benefits to cover birth control.

Woman who sued Citadel settles

CHARLESTON, S.C. (AP) — A former female cadet at The Citadel who sued over alleged sexual harassment and physical abuse has settled her case for $33,750.

The state-supported military college was not named as a defendant, but it paid Kim Messer $15,000 as part of the settlement to stave off a separate lawsuit.

Messer and Jeanie Mentavlos, two of the first four women to enter the corps of cadets in 1996, left after one semester — claiming they were hazed and harassed. Among other things, they said cadets kicked them, punched them and set their clothes on fire.

Messer accused six male cadets of negligence and mistreatment. One settled separately for an undisclosed amount; the insurance companies of the other five contributed to the settlement.

Sandy Senn, an attorney for two of the male cadets, said the settlement was not an admission of wrongdoing.

"It doesn't take a mathematician to recognize that attorneys' fees alone would far exceed the individual contributions," she said Monday.

Mentavlos' federal civil-rights suit against the school and the same six cadets is pending.

"The settlement with the Messer family closes a chapter in the history of The Citadel," the school said in a statement. "The Citadel does not tolerate or condone the behavior that is alleged to have occurred in this case."

Gene technology must be proven

BETHESDA, Md. (AP) — The head of the National Human Genome Institute says a new technology that promises a faster and cheaper way of piecing together the human genetic pattern will have to prove itself before he will adopt it.

Dr. Francis Collins said Monday it is premature to change the plan now being followed by government-supported laboratories to sequence the human genome, which is the pattern of genes in each human cell.

Collins made the statement at a news conference hastily called in the wake of an announcement of a partnership between the Institute for Genomic Research in Rockville, Md., and the high-technology firm of Perkin-Elmer Corp. of Norwalk, Conn.

Dr. J. Craig Venter, head of Genomic Research, announced that the partnership, using new Perkin-Elmer technology, will be able to identify the entire human genome sequence for about $200 million within three years.

The technology uses a new machine invented by Perkin-Elmer that can do in just 15 minutes the gene analysis that now takes about eight hours to perform. A lab using the new technology will not be in full operation for some months, however.

Senate GOP eyes missile-defense plans

WASHINGTON (AP) — Impatient with the pace of the Pentagon's efforts to develop a national missile defense system, Senate Republicans are pressing to commit the nation to such a shield even before the technology is fully developed.

The legislation, which already has 50 sponsors in the chamber, drew the strong opposition of the Clinton administration and its Senate allies, who are threatening to block the bill through delaying tactics.

The bill by Sens. Thad Cochran, R-Miss, and Daniel Inouye, D-Hawaii, has wide GOP support. It would direct the Pentagon to deploy such a system as soon as technology permitted.

The administration's present program requires identifying an emerging ballistic missile threat first; then, if necessary, three years would be provided to put the program into effect.

Critics argued that the legislation would commit the United States to deploy a technology that hasn't even been developed yet.

Senate Minority Leader Tom Daschle, D-S.D., told reporters Monday the legislation would "accelerate and expand fairly dramatically the missile defense system."

"We're on the right track," Daschle said. "We're doing the right things. The administration has made the commitment. And we just don't think that now is the time to change course when it comes to the missile defense system that has been contemplated and agreed to."

Fifteen years after then-President Reagan disclosed his hopes for a "Star Wars" missile defense, none has been developed to protect the entire nation, even though nearly $50 billion has been spent toward achieving such a system.

Cochran told the Senate: "The administration policy is a wait-and-see policy."

Both Defense Secretary William Cohen and Gen. Henry Shelton, chairman of the Joint Chiefs of Staff, oppose the measure.

In a letter made public Monday, Cohen said the legislation would "eliminate taking into account the nature of the threat when making a deployment decision. This could lead to the deployment of an inferior system less capable of defending the American people if and when a threat emerges."

Sen. Carl Levin, D-Mich., another opponent, told the Senate "the current program is well-planned" and the legislation before the Senate "commits us to deploy a system that could weaken the security of this nation." It could also violate existing disarmament treaties with Moscow, he said.

The bill "will lead to more weapons being on this Earth's surface," Levin said.

Republican leaders have scheduled a vote for Wednesday in an effort to keep Democrats from following through on their threat to block the bill with a filibuster. Such a motion requires 60 votes.

"I would hope and expect that we will have the votes necessary" to keep the filibuster going, Daschle told reporters.

But Levin said he wasn't so sure what the vote count was.

The Pentagon this month awarded Boeing Co. a $1.6 billion contract to develop a defense against ballistic missiles. Under the three-year contract, Boeing will design, develop, test and integrate a variety of components for a limited national missile defense system.

But no decision has been made on putting such a system in place. The GOP bill would commit the administration to such a decision.

Doctor of fertility clinic sentenced

SANTA ANA, Calif. (AP) — One of three doctors who ran a world-renowned fertility clinic shut down because of an egg-theft scandal has been sentenced to three years' probation for mail fraud.

Dr. Sergio Stone faced his trial alone because both his co-defendants fled the country.

"I am going to try my best to practice again," Stone said after his sentencing Monday. "I am not so sure I will be able to do so but I will try my best."

Stone's probation includes a year of home detention, during which he must wear an electronic monitoring device. The judge also ordered Stone to pay a $50,000 fine and more than $14,000 in restitution to insurance companies.

The Center for Reproductive Health on the University of California's Irvine campus was run by Dr. Ricardo Asch, with Stone and Dr. Jose Balmaceda as partners, until it was shut down in 1995.

Patients alleged that their eggs or embryos were taken without their consent and implanted in other women, resulting in an estimated 15 babies born of uncertain parentage.

Dear Abby

By Abigail Van Buren



Commitment Is Not Marriage In Eyes of Religion and Law

DEAR ABBY: This is in response to the advice you gave to "Upset in Tennessee," whose son was unhappy that his live-in was not considered a part of the family.

You are so right about this arrangement not being sanctioned by religions, and that the right to inherit property, the right to collect their Social Security benefits, share in lower cost on insurance and to make medical decisions are not allowed couples who are not legally married. The live-in may even be barred from the beloved's hospital room.

Abby, I have lived with a man for 40 years. We have paid our taxes; raised two fine children who are now responsible, loving, law-abiding adults; volunteered when our community needed us; attended church regularly; and yet we never married.

I have read your column for years and was often amazed by the advice you have given your readers. I seldom disagreed with it. But this time I was astounded by your answer because it stated in print what gays have been fighting for so loudly over the past decades.

Oh, did I forget to mention that my live-in and I are gay?

SANTA CLARITA, CALIF., READER

DEAR SANTA CLARITA READER: I am in favor of committed relationships, regardless of the sexes of the individuals. I think what makes religious conservatives uncomfortable at the notion of same-sex committed partnerships is the term "marriage." Call it what you will, legally recognized domestic partnerships carrying equal legal entitlements should be available to everyone. Read on:

DEAR ABBY: I am writing in response to "Upset in Tennessee," who refuses to recognize her son's "live-in" because the two are not married.

I have a slightly different twist to the story. I am a gay man in my 40s and have been in two long-term relationships. The first was for 12 wonderful years and ended in 1990 when my partner died. When he and I visited my parents at the same time my brother and his live-in girlfriend did, my mother showed my brother and his girlfriend to separate bedrooms, but showed my partner and me to the same bedroom.

My brother was upset and asked, "Mother, why are you making us sleep in separate rooms and letting 'Jim' and 'Doug' share the same room?" Mother responded: "If Jim and Doug could be married, they would be, so in my eyes, they are married. You, on the other hand, *choose* not to be married and therefore, under my roof, you will abide by my rules."

Abby, I wish the law and society were as wise and understanding as my parents.

I agree that people who love each other and have a committed relationship should be married, and I wish I could marry the person I love and have lived with for six years. But until society can accept our love, I guess we will have to be without benefit of the "cheap piece of paper." As it stands, if he becomes ill and hospitalized, I may not even be allowed to visit him.

Thanks, Abby, for hearing me out. I wish I *could* "make it legal."

MARRIED IN MY HEART

DEAR MARRIED: Your mother is a woman with great insight and compassion. And I hope that one day soon your wish is granted.

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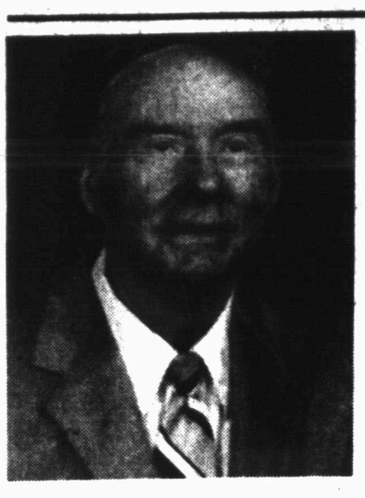
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THE SNYDER DAILY NEWS

Obituaries



Ollie Richardson

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1905-1998

Scurry County native Ollie Richardson, 93, of Dunn died Monday, May 11, at Cogdell Memorial Hospital.

Service is set for 4 p.m. Thursday at Trinity United Methodist. Burial will follow in the Dunn Cemetery.

Mr. Richardson, a farmer and stockman, was born on April 24, 1905 in Dunn to G.N. and Sudie Amy Dunn Richardson. The Dunn family came to Scurry County in the late 1800s and gave the land for the townsite of Dunn.

The Richardson family farm was homesteaded by G.N. Richardson in 1889 and has been owned and farmed by the Richardson family for 100 years and will be recognized this year as a Texas Centennial Farm.

He married Maurine Grimes on Sept. 3, 1933 in Dunn. She died on Aug. 2, 1992. Mr. Richardson served on the Dunn school board and the SISD board.

He was also preceded in death by two brothers and two sisters.

Survivors include three daughters, Anne von Roeder of Snyder, Mary Alice Dunn of Houston and Judy Gebben of Colorado Springs, Colo.; one son, John Richardson of Dunn; 10 grandchildren; seven great-grandchildren; and special caregivers, Evelyn Ware and Marie Durst.

Jerry Grant

1953-1998

Jerry Don Grant, a former resident of Snyder, died Sunday, May 10, at his home in Indianapolis, Ind., of an apparent heart attack. An autopsy was ordered.

Services for Mr. Grant, 44, are pending at Wright Colonial Funeral Home.

Born Dec. 26, 1953 in Big Spring, Mr. Grant was a registered nurse.

Survivors include a daughter, Megan Grant of Crawfordsville, Ind.; a son, Ethan Grant of Crawfordsville; his parents, Don and Margo Grant of Snyder; a sister and brother-in-law, Pat and David Wittie of Snyder; a brother and sister-in-law, Gary and Belinda Grant of Snyder; and several aunts, uncles, nieces and nephews.

The family suggests memorials to Cogdell Memorial Hospital Foundation designated for the speciality clinic.

Arnold Reynolds

1914-1998

H. Arnold Reynolds, a resident of Snyder since 1992, died at 12:18 this morning at Hendrick Medical Center in Abilene after a lengthy illness.

Funeral service for Mr. Reynolds, 83, is set for 10 a.m. Friday in the Bell-Cypert-Seale Funeral Home Chapel. Homer Anderson, minister of 37th Street Church of Christ where Mr. Reynolds was a member, will officiate. Burial will follow in Hillside Memorial Gardens.

Born Oct. 22, 1914 in Crosbyton, he married Polly Proctor on Sept. 16, 1933 in Crosbyton. Mr. Reynolds was a retired civil service employee and had moved to Snyder from Lytle, Tex.

He was preceded in death by three brothers and three sisters.

Survivors include his wife, Polly Reynolds of Snyder; two daughters, Sue Lyon of Snyder and Betty Starr of Abilene; a son, Jerry Reynolds of Smyrna, Ga.; a brother Basil Reynolds of Athens, Ala.; eight grandchildren; and nine great-grandchildren.

Camille Jackson

1973-1998

Service is set for 10 a.m. Wednesday in Bell-Cypert-Seale Funeral Home Chapel for Stella Camille Jackson.

The Revs. Willie Hopkins of Vernon and Tony Wofford, pastor of Word Is Life Deliverance Church, will officiate. Burial will follow in the Snyder Cemetery.

Mrs. Jackson, 24, died in a one-vehicle accident Sunday, May 10, on Highway 84 seven miles west of Roscoe.

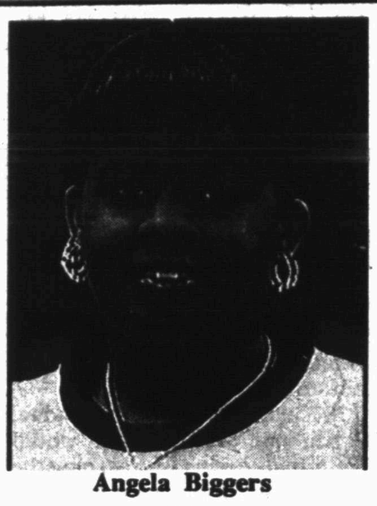
Born on May 19, 1973 in Snyder, she married Jerry Don Jackson on Dec. 29, 1996 in Snyder. She was employed by the Snyder Independent School District. She was a member of Word Is Life Deliverance Church.

Survivors include her husband, Jerry Don Jackson of Snyder; a daughter, Eboni Tyree Jackson of Snyder; her parents, Margie and Jerome Hopkins of Odessa; a sister, Whitney Hopkins of Odessa; her grandmother, Bernice Thompson of Snyder; and her extended family, Chester, Wayne, Tony, Lisa, Demetrice; her father, Stanley Cobb; and numerous nieces, nephews and cousins.

Marriage annulled

WEST POINT, N.Y. (AP) — Two West Point cadets who married and had a baby avoided expulsion by getting an annulment.

"It's really been my goal throughout this that the service academy's policy remains unchanged: Married cadets are not allowed," said Lt. Gen. Daniel Christman, superintendent of the U.S. Military Academy.



Angela Biggers

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1974-1998

Funeral service for Angela Faye "Pooh" Biggers, 24, is set for 2 p.m. Wednesday in the Wright Colonial Funeral Home Chapel. The Revs. O.J. Archie of Midland and Tony Wofford of Snyder will officiate. Burial will follow in the Mitchell County Cemetery.

A 1998 graduate of Western Texas College, Ms. Biggers died Sunday, May 10, in an Abilene hospital from injuries sustained in a one-vehicle rollover on U.S. 84 between Hermleigh and Roscoe.

Born April 5, 1974, Ms. Biggers was a 1992 graduate of Colorado City High School and earned her associate of science degree in computerized business technology from WTC.

Survivors include her father, Frank Biggers of Colorado City; her mother and stepfather, Anita and Earnest Peavy of Snyder; a son, Darius Biggers of Snyder; a sister, Felsha Biggers of Snyder; two half sisters, Tracey Craig of Dallas and Breanna Biggers of Colorado City; a half brother, Adrian Sneed of Snyder; her grandparents, Earnest and Angeline Biggers of Colorado City; and several aunts, uncles, nieces and nephews.

She was preceded in death by her grandparents Pete and Willie Faye Davis; a great-grandmother, Faylee Kirksey; and by two brothers, Frank Biggers Jr. and Damon Biggers.

Homer Reed

1932-1998

Homer Lynn Reed, a resident of Snyder for the past two years, died Monday, May 11, at his home at 2902 42nd St. after a lengthy illness.

Graveside service for Mr. Reed, 65, is set for 10:30 a.m. Friday at the Fort Bliss National Cemetery in El Paso. Bell-Cypert-Seale is in charge of arrangements.

Born July 19, 1932, he married Betty J. McCook who died in 1986. He retired in the mid 1970s as a master sergeant after 20 years in the U.S. Air Force.

Mr. Reed moved to Snyder from El Paso, and was a member of the Church of Christ.

Survivors include his mother, Lorna Reed of Snyder; a son and daughter-in-law, Scott and Debbie Reed of El Paso; a daughter and son-in-law, Robin and James Simmons of El Paso; a sister, Mavis Brumbelow of Snyder; and two grandsons.

He was preceded in death by his father, Homer Reed.

Ms. Jackson

1976-1998

Funeral service for Shaundra Monique Jackson, 21, is set for 10 a.m. Wednesday in the Bell-Cypert-Seale Funeral Home Chapel. The Revs. Willie Hopkins and Tony Wofford will officiate. Burial will follow in the Snyder Cemetery.

Mrs. Jackson died Sunday, May 10, in Sweetwater's Rolling Plains Hospital from injuries sustained in a one-vehicle accident on U.S. 84 between Hermleigh and Roscoe.

Born Oct. 18, 1976 to Willie and Debra Tippens in Snyder, she was a member of the Word Is Life Deliverance Church.

Survivors include a daughter, Jasmine Jackson of Snyder; her parents, Willie and Debra Tippens of Snyder; two brothers, Jerry Don Jackson of Snyder and Anthonie DeShawn Jackson of Arlington; her grandmothers, Vernest Tippens of Snyder and Edna Jackson of Arlington and formerly of Snyder; and a host of uncles, aunts and cousins.

Walter James

1917-1998

RICHARDSON — Walter James, the father of Nancy Doyle of Snyder, died Sunday, May 10, in Vencor Hospital in Dallas.

Funeral service was set for noon today in the Restland Funeral Home Memorial Chapel. Interment will follow in Restland Memorial Park.

Born April 15, 1917 in Godley, Tex., he served as a pilot in the 5th Air Force during World War II and was awarded the Distinguished Flying Cross and Air Medal.

Mr. James retired in 1986 after 33 years selling electrical appliances to home builders and contractors. He was a member of the Richardson East Church of Christ where he served as an elder for several years.

Mr. James was preceded in death by his parents, Walter and Dovie James; two sisters, Rita Glenn and Joe Cumbie; and a brother, John James.

Survivors include his wife, Doris James of Richardson; a daughter and son-in-law, Nancy and Tommy Doyle of Snyder; a son and daughter-in-law, David and Judy James of Carrollton; another daughter, Mendi James of College Station; four grandchildren, Brandi and Casey Doyle of Snyder, Kimberly and Jason James of Carrollton; a brother and sister-in-law, Al Gene and Rozelle James of Garland; and several nieces and nephews.

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events

WHAT'S UP?

ONGOINGS

West Science Fair

West Elementary sixth graders will conduct their annual science fair from 6:30 to 7:30 this evening in the National Guard Armory. Admission is free.

Scurry Lodge 706

Scurry Masonic Lodge 703 will hold an E.A. Degree at 7:30 this evening. All Masons are invited.

Northeast Play Day

Northeast Elementary will its Play Day for fifth graders from 9 a.m. to 2 p.m. Wednesday at the dirt track behind the school.

Agricultural valuations

Scurry County Appraisal District Agricultural Advisory Committee will meet at 8 a.m. Wednesday in the appraisal district office to consider agricultural valuations for 1998.

Chamber members party

Wednesday at 5 p.m. is the deadline to RSVP for Friday's chamber members party. The event will be held at the Billy Huddleston residence, a quarter-mile south of Halliburton on 1611 at 6:30 p.m.

Washington, D.C. trip

A meeting for those planning to attend the Washington, D.C. and New York trip will be held at 5 p.m. Thursday in the junior high auditorium. All parents and students need to attend.

Snyder Healthcare open house

Snyder Healthcare will hold an open house from 10:30 a.m. to 4 p.m. Friday for volunteer recognition day and Nursing Home Week. Everyone is invited.

Museum rummage sale

Scurry County Museum needs items for its rummage sale, to be held starting Friday. The museum needs to raise $21,000 in order to continue operating at its present level. If you have items to donate, call 573-6107.

Senior Class car wash

Hermleigh Senior Class will have a car wash from 9 a.m. to 3 p.m. Saturday at Long John Silver's. Donations will be accepted. All proceeds are for the senior class trip. For information, call 863-2722.

SHS Classes of 1952 and 1953

Snyder High School Classes of 1952 & 1953 will host a reception from 1:30-3 p.m. Saturday at the Wagon Wheel Ranch Party Barn. All classmates, friends, families and teachers are invited.

NHS inductions scheduled

Snyder High School National Honor Society induction ceremony will be held at 3 p.m. Sunday in Worsham Auditorium.

Class of 2000 fund-raiser

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

Manic/depressive support group

A manic/depressive (bipolar) support group will meet at 7 p.m. Monday in the First Baptist Church Family Life Center. For information, call Debbie at 573-1154.

Schools supplies

The deadline for ordering school supplies for next year has been extended until Monday. Contact the elementary school offices for order forms. Orders must be prepaid.

Adult basic education

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

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

Pick 3

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

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

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DISMISSALS: Luis Carrisalez, April Boyd, Martha Johnson.

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Births

Loryn N'cole Martini welcomed home her sister, Alyssa Brooke, who was born April 30 weighing seven pounds, one ounce. Parents are Cindy and Jason Martini of Castroville.

Grandparents are Pearlene and Dale Nolan of Snyder and Sue Martini of Burnett. Their great-grandparents are L.C. and Clyda Mize of Colorado City and Elwanda Nachlinger of Snyder.