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Home Of Roy Bennett, Sr.

WTC trustees hold the line on tax rate

For 3rd year, college taxes go unchanged

Trustees at Western Texas College approved a $6.7 million budget Monday and kept the tax rate at just over 29 cents for the third straight year.

The budget relies on a tax rate of 29.08 cents per $100, the same rate set by the board last year and the year before. By holding at that rate, trustees elected to go with $28,000 less in taxes than the previous year. Due to a decline in values, the board would have had to set the rate at 29.46 cents — the effective rate — in order to recoup the difference.

Trustees adopted three budgets, or funds: the current fund at $6,745,003; the student services fee fund at $77,068; and the student housing fund at $736,035.

Combined, the funds are almost $93,000 lower than in 1995-96.

The budget includes no cost-of-living or across-the-board salary increases. It does include salary increases for seven employees whose duties or workload have changed. Bettie McQueen, dean of instruction, declined to accept a salary adjustment provided to her.

In other business, the board approved Mark Bland to fill the newly created position as director of community services. Bland's responsibilities include development of all community service courses, including driver education, leisure and recreational courses, and the Kid's College for the summer of 1997.

Bland graduated from Angelo State University in 1995. He managed the WTC swimming pool this past summer.

He replaces John Gibson, who has been reassigned as director of workforce education.

Trustees accepted a bid from Texas Book Company to operate the college bookstore. The contract calls for a $6,000 guaranteed annual income for Texas Book Company, plus four percent of the gross revenue from

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Golf course budget lands in the rough

Western Texas College trustees spent about an hour and a half on the golf course Monday evening, but it was the budget — and not a little white ball — that the board was knocking around.

In a scenario that has presented itself more than once in 1996, trustees grappled with the prospect of putting more funds into a course projected to lose $55,000 this year.

Currently, annual course memberships are $380, and allow the members unlimited rounds at no extra fee. Green fees for non-members are $8.50 on weekdays.

As golf course supervisor Bill Mitchell noted, even 300 members at $380 each wouldn't cover the course's $130,000 budget. There are only 123 members currently.

Several members of the Men's Golf Association appeared before the board earlier this year to voice complaints about the upkeep of the course.

"I think people don't really understand that the college is subsidizing the golf course," said Mitchell. "A lot of people don't believe that. They think we're taking golf course money and using it somewhere else."

The latest issue, as the board dealt with the budget Monday, was the deterioration of the 20-year-old pump house, where water is pumped for irrigation of the course. A non-budgeted item for this coming year, the pump house is on the verge of collapse, trustees were told.

Among the items in the course budget for 1996-97 is a fairway mower, estimated to cost about $30,000. The unit is 13 years old, and constantly being repaired, Mitchell said.

Cost for a new pump would be $40,000 to $50,000, not including a foundation or a building.

WTC President Dr. Harry Krenek suggested taking the fairway mower out of the budget, applying that $30,000 toward a new pump house and pump, and supplementing with contingency funds, if necessary. Ultimately, the board agreed, but not before a lengthy discussion, which included the possibility of raising green fees, membership rates, or requiring members to pay a small green fee in addition to the annual fee.

"I think our golf is too cheap. Green fees, at best I think, are two-thirds of what they should be," said Mitchell.

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Gun show sets weekend dates

Scurry County Coliseum will once again be the site of the annual Canyon Gun Club's Gun, Knife and Coin show Saturday and Sunday.

The show will get underway at 9 a.m. both days, closing at 6 p.m. Saturday and 5 o'clock Sunday.

A $3 admission fee will be charged each day with children under 12 getting in free with a parent.

Canyon Gun Club president Joe Cheyne said interested persons are welcome to bring firearms to "trade, sell or brag about," but no loaded guns are allowed. Firearms will be checked at the door.

Tables will be set up offering various items for sale including shotguns, rifles, handguns, blowguns and rubberband guns, gold jewelry, custom made knives, coins and other related items.

Memberships to the Canyon Gun Club will be available at $25 per individual or $35 a couple. The annual fee entitles members to use the club range.

Nancy and Gene Bowlin will have a registration booth for a hunter education course to be held Sept. 7-8.

Canyon Gun Club is an NRA affiliated club.

BACK TO SCHOOL CONVOCATION — Christy Smith, a new teacher in the Snyder school district, greets State Sen. Tom Haywood prior to the opening of SISD's annual convocation this morning. Also shown with the senator are Faye Bell, a retired teacher with the district, shown on the far left, and Ann McCabe, SISD assistant superintendent. (SDN Staff Photo)

Tax rate going down at Ira...

Approval of the 1996-97 budget and tax rate are among the agenda items for Ira ISD trustees, who meet at 7:30 this evening.

Working on the budget hasn't been quite as tough this year as in the past for Ira ISD, which for the first time is anticipating receiving some state funding.

"We finally got poor enough that the state is going to help us some," quipped Supt. Rick Howard.

Ira ISD, considered one of the state's "wealthy" districts in past years, has had to give up funds to other districts. This year the district will go from being funded 99 percent locally to 90 percent locally.

That will enable trustees, should they choose, to lower taxes from $1.50 to around $1.45 per $100 valuation. The proposed budget is slightly more than $1.4 million.

In other business, trustees will consider early payment discounts for 1996-97, budget amendments and an agreement with the Hobbs Alternative School.

...but may see increase at HISD

Hermleigh residents may see a hike in their school taxes as HISD trustees take on the 1996-97 budget this evening.

The board will meet at 7:15 in the elementary school building.

HISD taxes are currently $1.30 per $100 valuation; however, the effective rate as calcuated by the appraisal district is $1.32. The effective rate is the rate necessary to bring in the same amount of tax dollars as the previous year.

The board could raise taxes as high as $1.42 without incurring a possible rollback.

Supt. Jerry Church said the board will probably consider a tax rate of $1.35 to $1.40. The proposed 1996-97 budget is some $1.2 million.

In other business, trustees will amend the 1995-96 budget, pay bills and consider an agreement with the Hobbs Alternative campus.

Trustees will also consider whether to auction or otherwise dispose of some air conditioners, evaporative coolers and computer equipment the district no longer needs.

Hutchison warns GOP not to play 'strong, silent type'

SAN DIEGO (AP) — If Republicans want to court women's votes, they better stop playing "the strong, silent type" says Sen. Kay Bailey Hutchison.

"We really are doing the things that will help the women of this country, but we don't talk about it," she said. "We're like the strong, silent type, and we need to talk about it."

The first woman elected to the Senate from Texas and a leader in the GOP's effort to close the gender gap, Mrs. Hutchison will address the Republican National Convention on Tuesday night.

She said the GOP champions economic and anti-violence measures important to women, pointing to anti-stalking legislation and a measure that would allow stay-at-home spouses to increase their IRA contributions.

"If people want this country to go in a different direction, if we want smaller government, lower taxes, a moral compass and a strong national defense, they should be Republican," Mrs. Hutchison said in an interview.

Mrs. Hutchison almost lost her spot in the 123-member Texas convention delegation because of her support for abortion rights. But she said the flap shouldn't be seen as a sign that Republicans are intolerant.

Mrs. Hutchison opposes federal funding for abortion, except in cases of incest, rape or to save the life of a mother. She favored a ban on partial-birth abortions that was vetoed by President Clinton.

THE SDN COLUMN

By Roy McQueen

The feller on Deep Creek says, "Everybody likes a good laugh. That's why we have brothers-in-law and in-house investigations.

Think Rain!

Staffers at Western Texas College are hoping for an exciting school year, but it could have been considerably more eventful than they had planned.

A printer's miscue on the college catalog could have given prospective students — and parents — the wrong idea about expanded college curriculum.

The 1996-97 WTC catalog arrived from the printer in Arkansas. For the first time, a toll-free number had been given for students and parents wanting more information.

The toll-free college number is 888-GOTOWTC. Printed below was supposed to be the corresponding numbers, 888-468-6982. However, a couple of numbers were transposed, resulting in the call being directed to another "educational" hotline.

Dialing the incorrect number, the call would have been answered, not by the WTC college relations department, but by a sultry voice working a fantansy hotline, courtesy of Sparkle Communications.

Fortunately, the error was caught before the catalog was distributed, and college administrators quickly were having the cover reprinted.

College is designed to expand the horizons, but this isn't exactly what they had in mind.

Think Rain!

You may remember that Texas A&M University had a similar problem last fall.

The Aggies had developed a video showing "typical campus life" that was to be sent to incoming freshmen and their parents.

A mixup at the recording company put the Aggieland cover on the wrong video, one that contained both sex and violence.

Maybe all this advanced technology isn't what it's cracked up to be.

Think Rain!

Fine print, laced with a lexicon of dirty words, is taking on a new role on the Internet.

A common Web trick is to include words in tiny text, some hidden in text the same color as the page's background to lure visitors.

After adding key words like "sex" and "nudity," one company reported an increase volume from 100 to 15,000 per week.

Maybe progress ain't so wonderful.

Group headed for California

A Snyder group is headed to California tomorrow for a strategy session with Lorber Industries executives.

Lorber has plans to construct a mill and offices at Snyder's industrial park, SnTx Park I, beginning no later than Jan. 1.

Among those planning to make the trip are Development Corporation of Snyder board president Roy Baze, vice president Roy McQueen and executive director Doug Hutchinson. Others include city manager John Gayle and city engineer Beverly Coots and John Gibson, director of workforce education for Western Texas College.

The delegation leaves Wednesday morning for Los Angeles and returns Thursday afternoon.

Following a tour of the plant, officials will coordinate construction schedules and discuss planning for additional Lorber plants. Last year, Lorber said his company would eventually construct a campus of six textile plants in the industrial park.

ASK US

Q—What is an acre-foot of water?

A—It is the quantity of water needed to cover one acre of land with one foot of water.

FORECAST - ALMANAC

Snyder Temps: High Monday, 91 degrees; low, 65; 7 a.m. reading Tuesday, 65; no precipitation; total for 1996, 6.65 inches.

Area Forecast: Tonight, fair. Low around 65. SE wind 5-10 mph. Wednesday, sunny. High 90-95. S wind 5-15 mph.

Garrett Pinson

Fair

Sunset: 8:28 p.m.
Sunrise: 7:09 a.m.
Of 225 days in 1996, the sun has shone 221 days in Snyder.

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Bushes speak at opening

SAN DIEGO (AP) — Texas Gov. George W. Bush, sharing the limelight with his family in his first national speech, called on Republicans to correct a culture that he says has turned its back on personal responsibility.

"It is the heart and will of America that gives me confidence when I say that we can solve the biggest problem facing our country, and that is a failed country, and a failed culture," Bush said to a warm welcome Monday night at the Republican National Convention.

"A culture which once delineated right from wrong and good from bad has shifted to a culture that flouts virtue and revels in irresponsibility. It's a culture that says, 'If it feels good, do it and be willing to blame somebody else for society's ills,'" said Bush, a convention co-chairman.

The way to fix the problem, he said, is not through government programs but through a change in attitude, through Americans turning into "good citizens and good neighbors."

"I urge you to teach a child to read. When you return home, open up a child-care center for welfare moms at your church or synagogue. Sit with the elderly or disabled," he said. "I know we can create a more decent and compassionate society."

Bush spoke before his wife, Laura, took the stage to talk about Texas' reading initiative. He also was assigned the task of introducing his father, former President George Bush, a task he relished.

"He was a great president, but more importantly, he's the best dad a fella could have," said the younger Bush.

Earlier, he said he would treasure the moment.

"There's a lot of ... good things that happen to you in politics, and one of them is kind of these personal scrapbook moments — and this is one," the younger Bush said.

"It kind of reminds me of when I was able to in 1988 ... (to) read out the Texas votes that put him over the top for his nomination," he said.

Former President Bush savored the introduction by his son and also praised another son, Jeb Bush, a delegate from Florida who lost the governor's race there.

"If you'll excuse just a little parental pride, I am very proud of the governor of Texas, and I am equally proud of a certain Florida delegate who waged an honorable campaign and almost was elected governor," he said.

The former president said candidate Bob Dole would treat the White House with respect. "He will be a president we can look up to," he said.

Before leaving the podium, he was joined by his wife, Barbara. He called her "arguably the most popular woman in the United States of America."

The younger Bush spoke of his 14-year-old twin daughters, saying cultural change must occur for their sake.

"We love them dearly. But the world we want to leave for them is not the world they will inherit, unless as a society we act now," Bush said. "What we need in America is renewal of spirit, a return to selfless concern for others."

RITZ FLAGS - Snyder's Ritz Theatre received a new United States flag and a new Texas flag in brief ceremonies held Monday at the theatre. Shown at the presentation were, from left, U.S. Rep. Charles Stenholm who presented the U.S. flag, Sammie Jarrell of the Ritz board of directors, State Rep. David Counts who presented the Texas flag and Ritz board members, Mike Thornton and Mike Hartman.

Chicago cardinal seeks end to denominational division

CHICAGO (AP) — In an attempt to end infighting and promote unity among the nation's Catholics, the archbishop of Chicago is organizing a forum to address such issues as abortion and celibacy for priests.

Cardinal Joseph Bernardin said Monday the Catholic Common Ground Project will sponsor conferences aimed at bringing "together persons of divergent perspectives in search of a Catholic common ground."

The project, led by Bernardin and 23 other prominent Catholics, will not dwell on dogmatic matters or challenge the teachings of the church, he said.

"Our discussion must be accountable to the Catholic tradition," said Bernardin, a liberal voice in the church and the nation's senior active Roman Catholic cardinal.

The first conference will probably be held next year in Chicago, and will focus on the relationship between the church and U.S. culture. Invitations will be sent to those interested in discussion, Bernardin said.

The need for the project, Bernardin said, grew out of disagreements over abortion, birth control, the ordination of women and celibacy for priests that are polarizing the Catholic church and endangering its mission.

Robert O'Gorman, a professor of pastoral studies at Loyola University, said it became clear in March how much the church is divided when Lincoln, Neb., Bishop Fabian Bruskewitz excommunicated Catholics who were members of 12 groups, including Planned Parenthood, Call to Action and Catholics for a Free Choice.

Linda Pieczynski, president of Call to Action, praised Bernardin.

Judge seeks voluntary reduction in water use

SAN ANTONIO (AP) — A federal judge has asked water users across the Edwards Aquifer region to voluntarily limit landscape watering to hand-held hoses and buckets in an effort to cut water usage.

Senior U.S. District Judge Lucius D. Bunton III faxed the plan Monday night to attorneys for major water pumpers named in an Endangered Species Act lawsuit filed by the Sierra Club.

Most of the water reduction would come from the San Antonio area, the largest user of aquifer water.

Reid Meyers, president of the San Antonio Golf Association, said the plan could put the city's 30 courses out of business, costing thousands of jobs.

Water resources experts Joe Moore and Todd Votteler submitted the plan last weekend to Bunton, who has set a Monday deadline for comments that could result in revisions.

When Bunton appointed Moore and Votteler to draw up the plan two weeks ago, he said emergency action is needed to restrict pumping from the aquifer in an effort to maintain flow from springs that sustain five federally protected species and downstream users on the Guadalupe River.

Bunton said at a hearing Aug. 1 that he hopes cities will adopt the plan voluntarily; but that if they don't or if goals aren't met, he could take further steps.

The plan calls for maximum pumping of 1.2 times average winter usage for cities and water sellers but exempts industrial, commercial and military pumpers except for their discretionary use such as for landscape watering.

Golf courses are specifically named as discretionary rather than commercial users.

"It's disappointing," Meyers said. He said watering golf courses with hand-held hoses and buckets "doesn't work, and it's absolutely more efficient to use the computer-controlled irrigation systems than it is to do it that way."

The plan noted three straight years of below-average recharge of the aquifer and declining springflows.

It would prohibit watering new lawns, parks or golf courses and the filling of new swimming pools.

It allows existing lawns, parks and golf courses to be watered only with hand-held hoses and buckets between 8 p.m. and 8 a.m.

The plan also says the San Antonio Water System and Bexar Metropolitan Water District should work with the Edwards Aquifer Authority to have a plan in place by Jan. 1 to pay farmers not to pump from the Edwards. The plan suggests using surcharges on high water use.

All users of aquifer water, including owners of domestic wells and those downstream in the Guadalupe River basin, are asked to follow the rules.

Ken Kramer, state director of the Sierra Club, said he was gratified when told the major points of the proposed plan.

"I'll have to look at the specifics, but obviously the main goal that we've had in the past few weeks is to try to establish the pumping limitation of 1.2 times winter average for municipal and other users," he said.

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SCURRY COUNTY HEALTH UNIT

FOOD HANDLER SEMINAR

The Scurry County Health Unit will present a Food Handler Seminar, Thursday, August 15, 1996. It will be held at the Fine Arts Theatre at Western Texas College. The class will consist of 6 videos entitled: PERSONAL HYGIENE; INTRODUCTION TO FOOD SAFETY; RECEIVING AND STORING; PREPARATION, COOKING, AND SERVING; PROPER CLEANING AND SANITIZING; MANAGING FOOD SAFETY, HACCP. The first class will be from 9:00 a.m. to 11:00 a.m., the second class will be from 2:00 p.m. to 4:00 p.m., and the third class will be from 6:00 p.m. to 8:00 p.m. Each class will contain the same material, but we hope by offering three classes, we will make it more convenient for different shift workers to attend. We also want to encourage any persons who work concession stands, church food service, food vendors, etc. to attend any of these classes. We feel you will go away with valuable knowledge.

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Jewelry program given by local store owner

Stargazers Family and Community Education Club met July 15 with vice president Mary Ann Juarez presiding and Mike McLeod presenting the program.

Eight members answered roll call with "how I start my day," followed by the thought for the day, "democracy is a method of getting ahead without leaving any of us behind."

The traditional hint, "add a teaspoon of lemon juice to each quart of water used to cook rice, the grains will stay white and separated," was read by a member.

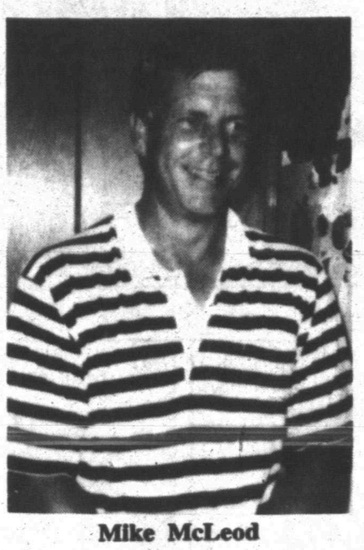
After reading and approving the minutes, members voted to donate to the Senior Citizens Center in memory of Frances Black's husband and Mildred Rogers' brother.

Mike McLeod, owner of McLeod's Jewelry for 16 years, gave the program. In addition to selling jewelry, he repairs broken jewelry, sizes rings and sets diamonds and other stones. He also has trophies and plaques, with engraving, and class rings.

He explained the process of casting rings and how diamonds are graded.

Pauline served refreshments and the hostess gift was given to Sheila McCormack.

All interested persons are invited to attend the next meeting set for 7 p.m., Aug. 19 at 3102 Beaumont. County Agent Kathryn Roberts will present the program on bread making in a bag.



Mike McLeod

Snow returns

NASHVILLE, Tenn. (AP) — Hank Snow, an institution at the Grand Ole Opry, returned to a standing ovation after being ill for seven months.

"We have always been one big family here," Snow told the Opry audience Friday. "Everybody on the Opry came up and said how glad they were to see me back."

Snow, 82, known as "The Yodeling Ranger" had been ill with a respiratory problem.

Ira School Menu

THURSDAY

Hamburgers
Potato Chips
Cookies

FRIDAY

Corn Dogs
Pinto Beans
French Fries
Peaches w/Cool Whip

Bridge

By Phillip Alder

North 08-13-96
♠ A 8 7 5 2
♥ 6 4 2
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West
♠ Q J 6
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Dealer: South

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3♥	Pass	6♥	All pass

Opening lead: ♥ 5

He preferred to return home

In 1927, Robert d'Unienville was born in Mauritius, the small island in the Indian Ocean situated about 500 miles east of Madagascar. In 1947, he went to study at Oxford University. There he met and formed a partnership with Alan Truscott, now the bridge columnist for The New York Times. They were very successful, qualifying for the British team that finished third in the 1951 European Championship.

A great bridge career was being predicted, but Robert (pronounced Rob-air) decided to return to Mauritius, where he became a much respected math teacher. He was also the island's best bridge player. Here is a deal that exhibits his expertise.

If West had led a diamond, six hearts would have failed. But he selected a trump. D'Unienville drew trumps, played a spade to dummy's ace, ruffed a spade in hand and ran the club nine to East's jack.

What could East do now? Nothing! If he led a spade, declarer would ruff, play a club to dummy's 10, ruff another spade, lead a club to dummy's ace and discard his diamond loser on the 13th spade. A diamond switch would be won by South's queen. And a club return is similar to a spade.

I first met Robert in the United States, but in 1993 I spent a month in Mauritius. I had some meals at his house and we played bridge and golf together. It amazed me that he had left England for the more austere lifestyle in Mauritius, yet I had to admire his decision. Robert, who died last February, will be missed by all who knew him.

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BRIDGE

PHILLIP ALDER

Gladson descendants meet

Descendants of the late Earl and Hettie Gladson held their reunion on July 6-7 at the home of James and Carla Barnes at Hubbard Lake, near Breckenridge.

Members from seven of eight children attended and four generations were represented out of the 90 people attending.

Family members of the late Thelma and J.M. Griffin included Melvin and Wanda Griffin from Muleshoe; Melba and Edgar Cotton from Houston; Kenneth and Betty Lou Griffin of Midland, and their grandson, Mike Griffin and his wife, and their great-grandchildren; Mr. and Mrs. Keith Griffin from Tyler and their grandson, Stewart Cotton and his wife, and two great-grandsons.

Family members of the late Lester Gladson and his son, Norman Gladson, attending were Mrs. Margie Gladson from Sterling City, and Norman's daughter, Tracy, and her husband Randel Frierson, and two great-grandchildren from Haskell.

Bessie Early attended with her daughter, Billie Wilson, and her grandson, Jeremy, from Oklahoma City; Donald and Tommie Hodges and their grandchildren and their spouses, Steve and Melissa Hodges, and Diane and Terry Gaudet, Brooke, Kahla, Ashley and Dustin, from the Houston area.

Faye Myers attended with several nieces and nephews; Willard and Flora Gladson and their son and daughter-in-law, Royce and Dorothy Gladson, and grandson, Mark and Ceree Gladson from Odessa and their daughter, Judith and her husband, Elvin Rousseau from Atlanta; a grandson, Duane Rousseau from Dallas and granddaughters, Laurinda and Steve Burks; Susan and her guest, Brad Woods; Mendy and her fiancee, Brian Waid from the Dallas area, and their daughter, Janis, and husband, George Page from Snyder and their grandsons Mitchell and Willie Ray Page, their granddaughter and her husband, Holly and Carl Moon Jr., and their great-grandchildren, Ashlie and Amber Moon from San Marcos, their daughter and her husband, Gayna and Cecil Cowan, a granddaughter, Tiffani Cowan, grandson, Clint Cowan and his guest from San Marcos, a grandson, Cameron Cowan and Zoe Cowan, Corbin Cowan, Kennedi Jo Cowan, all from Caddo, Okla.

Also, Wayland and Laurence Gladson and their granddaughter, Michelle, and her husband, Mike Whitfield from Gustine; their grandson and his wife, Justin and Lori, and great-grandson, Blake Barnes from Stephenville; their son, Charles, and his wife, Kathy Gladson from Rockford, Ill; their daughter, Renee and her husband, Johnny Nix, and their grandsons, Zachary and John Paul Nix, and their granddaughter, Christi Nix from Lewisville.

The family of the late Wayne Gladson was represented by his daughter, Phyllis and her husband, Paul Tidwell, and grandchildren, Trevor, Cory and Angela from Carrollton.

Deceased family members memorialized were Maurice Ray Gladson and wife, Edith, and their daughter, Connie; Clarence Myers, J.B. Early; Todd Barnes and James Barnes and Norman Gladson.

Community Calendar

TUESDAY

Snyder Shrine Club; call 863-2702 for meeting place; 6 p.m.

Defensive Driving Course; community room of Snyder Savings & Loan; cost $30; no reservations necessary, call 573-2850 for further information; 6-9 p.m.

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

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

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

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

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

WEDNESDAY

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

THURSDAY

Upper Colorado SWCD meeting; country club; noon.

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

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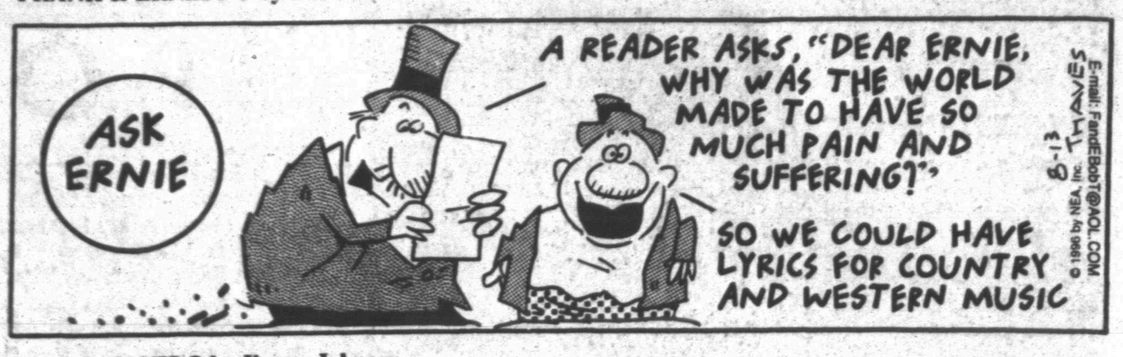

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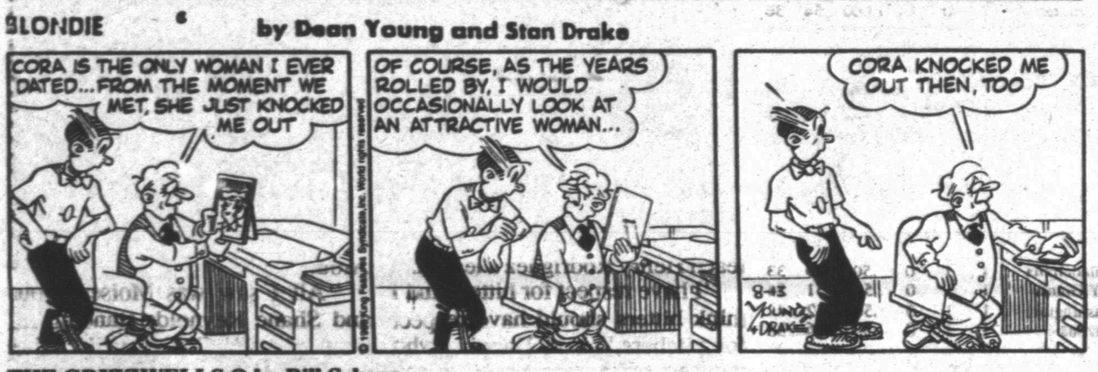

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1 Loan shark
7 Advantageous
13 Chief ore of lead
14 His and hers
15 Straight
16 Mother —
17 Actress Lupino
18 Order of whales
20 Overweight
21 On the loose (2 wds.)
24 Egyptian
27 — National Park
31 Word used before brush or line
32 Hem in
33 Fish-eating mammal
35 Tenant's payment
36 Body build
40 Unit of heredity
41 Like a bull
43 Race (an engine)
46 Grafted, in heraldry
47 Talent
50 Ideal place
53 '60s dropout
55 Claws
56 Exit
57 Constant
58 — Scholar

DOWN

1 Citrus fruit
2 Stated
3 Arm bone
4 Dakota Indian
5 Make into law
6 Seldom
7 Pronounces
8 Feminine pronoun
9 Always (poet.)
10 Feudal estate
11 Celestial bear
12 Future attys.' exam
19 Chinese philosophy
21 Not moving (2 wds.)
22 Egyptian earth deity
23 Come into view
24 Cut of meat
25 Word of honor
26 Be sorry for
28 Two words of understanding
29 Nashville's st.
30 Feminine suffix
34 Inlet
37 Squeamish
38 Vase
39 One or the other
42 Horse sound
43 Furrows
44 Coup d' —
45 Small rodent
47 Imitated
48 Get up
49 Hardy lass
51 Kentucky blue grass
52 Neither Rep. nor Dem.
54 Tennis instructor

Answer to Previous Puzzle

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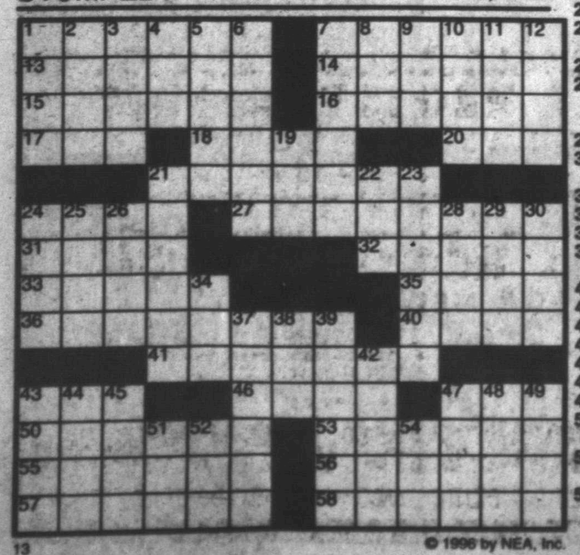

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MAJOR LEAGUE BASEBALL

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American League Standings
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East Division

	W	L	Pct.	GB
NewYork	69	48	.590	—
Baltimore	60	56	.517	8½
Boston	57	62	.479	13
Toronto	54	65	.454	16
Detroit	42	76	.356	27½

Central Division

	W	L	Pct.	GB
Cleveland	72	47	.605	—
Chicago	66	53	.555	6
Minnesota	58	60	.492	13½
KansasCity	56	64	.467	16½
Milwaukee	55	64	.462	17

West Division

	W	L	Pct.	GB
Texas	67	52	.563	—
Seattle	60	57	.513	6
Oakland	60	60	.500	7½
California	53	65	.449	13½

Monday's Games
Milwaukee at Baltimore, ppd., rain
Toronto 5, Boston 1
Texas 7, Detroit 0
Chicago 3, New York 2, 10 innings
Oakland 11, Minnesota 1
Cleveland 5, California 4
Kansas City 10, Seattle 4

Tuesday's Games
Milwaukee (D'Amico 3-5) at Baltimore (Wells 9-10), 7:35 p.m.
Boston (Sele 5-9) at Toronto (W.Williams 1-0), 7:35 p.m.
New York (Weathers 0-1) at Chicago (Andjuar 0-2), 8:05 p.m.
Detroit (Oliveras 7-7) at Texas (Pavlik 12-6), 8:35 p.m.
Cleveland (Ogea 6-3) at California (Boskie 10-6), 10:05 p.m.
Minnesota (Aguilera 5-4) at Oakland (Wengert 5-7), 10:05 p.m.
Kansas City (Linton 5-7) at Seattle (Mulholland 0-1), 10:05 p.m.

National League Standings

East Division

	W	L	Pct.	GB
Atlanta	71	45	.612	—
Montreal	65	52	.556	6½
NewYork	56	64	.467	17
Florida	54	64	.458	18
Philadelphia	48	70	.410	24

Central Division

	W	L	Pct.	GB
Houston	64	55	.538	—
St.Louis	63	55	.534	½
Chicago	58	59	.496	5
Cincinnati	56	58	.491	5½
Pittsburgh	51	67	.432	12½

West Division

	W	L	Pct.	GB
SanDiego	65	55	.542	—
LosAngeles	62	56	.525	2
Colorado	61	56	.521	2½
SanFrancisco	49	67	.422	14

Monday's Games
Atlanta at Philadelphia, ppd., rain
Montreal 8, Houston 1
Los Angeles 6, Cincinnati 5
Chicago 11, New York 1
Only games scheduled

Tuesday's Games
Atlanta (Maddux 10-10 and Bielecki 8-2) at Philadelphia (Hunter 1-2 and Beech 1-0), 2, 5:05 p.m.
Colorado (Ritz 13-7) at Florida (Leiter 11-10), 7:05 p.m.
Houston (Drabek 6-7) at Montreal (P.J.Martinez 9-7), 7:35 p.m.
San Francisco (Gardner 10-4) at Pittsburgh (Lieber 5-4), 7:35 p.m.
San Diego (Hamilton 10-6) at Cincinnati (Jarvis 4-5), 7:35 p.m.
Chicago (Telemaco 4-6) at New York (Harnisch 8-7), 7:40 p.m.
Los Angeles (Candiotti 6-8) at St. Louis (Stottlemyre 10-7), 8:05 p.m.

$48 million makes Emmitt and Jerry best of friends

IRVING (AP) — Jerry Jones finally got it right.

It took three contract negotiations with Emmitt Smith before the Dallas Cowboys owner realized he couldn't negotiate with his star running back like it was an oil and gas deal.

Smith, twice involved in bitter contract disputes with Jones, got an eight-year contract worth $48 million including an NFL-record $15 million bonus Monday.

"I learned from the last two times," Jones said. "I made some mistakes. And I learned from them."

Smith refused to come to the Cowboys training camp his rookie year until Jones settled just before the first game of the regular season. Smith missed the first two games of the 1993 season, which the Cowboys lost, before Jones realized he had miscalculated his running back's resolve and quickly settled.

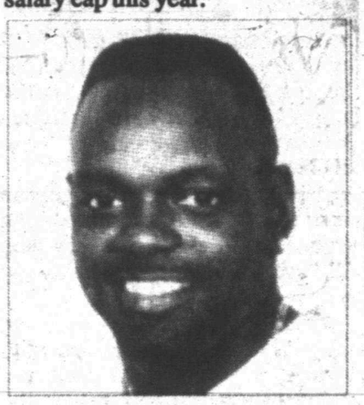
"No deal is ever easy," Smith said. "Things went wrong the first two times. Egos got involved. But Jerry did the right thing this time.

"I didn't want the whole elephant. I wanted to leave room for Jerry to bring in other players."

Jones wouldn't say how he manipulated the salary cap dollars to make the deal. But he said the NFL would give it a green light.

"I think the NFL will be excited about it," Jones said.

Jones will get about a $500,000 rebate from the NFL on the salaries of suspended Michael Irvin and Shante Carver. Smith will count about $3 million against the salary cap this year.



Emmitt Smith

"This is going to cost us so much I may have to stop construction on my house," Jones quipped.

Jones has been paying big bucks for his star players.

Quarterback Troy Aikman signed an eight-year deal worth $50 million, which included an $11 million bonus. Deion Sanders signed a seven-year contract worth a total $35 million, including a bonus of $12.999 million last September.

Smith had challenged Jones to "do the right thing."

"Jerry did the right thing," Smith said. "All of his words became reality today. I had a lot of faith in Jerry."

Smith has been the NFL's leading rusher four times and has been the NFL MVP and a Super Bowl MVP.

"We're happy Emmitt is going to be with the Cowboys as long as he plays the game of football," Jones said.

"I believe if you start something you finish it," Smith said. "I played all my football at one high school, at one college (Florida), and I wanted to play all my professional football for the Dallas Cowboys."

Smith's new agent, Eugene Parker, met secretly with Jones and his son, Stephen.

"I didn't want anything to leak out," Smith said. "And that was hard for me to do because it's hard for me to shut my mouth."

FLIGHT WINNERS — First flight winners in the Ladies' Tournament of Champions held over the weekend were, top from left, Kaye Cypert, first low gross; Finnie Seale, second low gross; Donna Stehley, first low net; and Jo Sterling, second low net. Second flight wineners were, bottom from left, Randy Head, second low net; Juanita Hester, first low net; Terry McAdams, second low gross; and Peggy Hardin first low gross. (Contributed Photos)

NATIONAL FOOTBALL LEAGUE

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AMERICAN CONFERENCE

East

	W	L	T	Pct.	PF	PA
Buffalo	1	1	0	.500	42	29
Miami	1	1	0	.500	34	34
NewEngland	1	1	0	.500	38	31
Indianapolis	1	2	0	.333	47	47
N.Y.Jets	0	2	0	.000	29	61
Central						
Baltimore	2	0	0	1.000	54	36
Houston	2	0	0	1.000	47	25
Cincinnati	1	1	0	.500	38	38
Pittsburgh	1	2	0	.333	43	54
Jacksonville	0	2	0	.000	27	41
West						
Denver	2	0	0	1.000	60	45
KansasCity	2	0	0	1.000	74	12
Seattle	2	0	0	1.000	43	36
Oakland	1	2	0	.333	79	62
SanDiego	1	2	0	.333	53	49

NATIONAL CONFERENCE

East

	W	L	T	Pct.	PF	PA
Philadelphia	1	1	0	.500	39	33
N.Y.Giants	1	1	0	.500	51	54
Washington	1	1	0	.500	42	41
Arizona	1	1	0	.500	16	36
Dallas	1	2	0	.500	48	97
Central						
GreenBay	2	0	0	1.000	48	24
Detroit	1	1	0	.500	56	48
TampaBay	1	1	0	.500	26	13
Minnesota	1	1	0	.500	35	55
Chicago	1	1	0	.500	36	51
West						
Carolina	1	1	0	.500	58	52
St.Louis	1	1	0	.500	27	26
SanFrancisco	1	1	0	.500	33	33
NewOrleans	1	2	0	.333	32	76
Atlanta	0	2	0	.000	17	35

Thursday's Games
Philadelphia 30, New York Jets 16
Seattle 24, Oakland 19
Buffalo 35, Minnesota 12

Friday's Games
Detroit, 34, Washington 25
St. Louis 17, Jacksonville 10

Saturday's Games
Baltimore 37, New York Giants 27
Tampa Bay 16, Atlanta 0
Houston 16, Indianapolis 12
Kansas City 42, New Orleans 6
Denver 40, Carolina 28
San Francisco 16, San Diego 13, OT
Arizona 13, Cincinnati 10

Sunday's Games
Chicago 24, Miami 21
Green Bay 24, Pittsburgh 17

Monday's Game
New England 31, Dallas 7

Thursday, Aug. 15
Oakland at Atlanta, 8 p.m. (ESPN)

Friday, Aug. 16
Detroit at Houston, 8 p.m.
Cincinnati at Washington, 8 p.m.

Saturday, Aug. 17
Tampa Bay at Pittsburgh, 6 p.m.
Green Bay at Baltimore, 7 p.m.
Seattle at Indianapolis, 7 p.m.
Buffalo at Carolina, 7:30 p.m.
Chicago at New Orleans, 8 p.m.
St. Louis at Kansas City, 8 p.m.
New York Giants at New York Jets, 8 p.m.
Denver at Dallas, 8 p.m. (FOX)
Arizona at San Diego, 10 p.m.

Sunday, Aug. 18
Philadelphia at New England, 1 p.m. (NBC)
San Francisco at Jacksonville, 8 p.m. (TNT)

Monday, Aug. 19
Minnesota at Miami, 8 p.m. (ABC)

Cowboys look pathetic in 31-7 loss to Patriots

IRVING (AP) — The Dallas Cowboys have to remind themselves they are the Super Bowl champions after the way they've played in the last two preseason games.

"It's been pathetic," quarterback Troy Aikman said. "The offense has been off. The only saving grace is that this is the preseason."

Hason Graham returned the second-half kickoff 96 yards for a touchdown and the New England Patriots beat the Cowboys for the first time in franchise history 31-7 in an exhibition game Monday night.

Dallas had beaten the Patriots all six times they have met in the regular season and once in an exhibition game.

The loss comes on the heels of a 32-6 loss to Kansas City a week ago in Monterrey, Mexico.

"I would expect the starters to see more time next Saturday (against Denver)," Aikman said. "I would expect to be in there as much as a half, and I would think that the other starters would be in there with me. We're playing without Michael Irvin and Jay Novacek, but there is still no excuse for the way we played."

New England coach Bill Parcells, who faces the Cowboys again on Dec. 15 in the regular season, said the Patriots shouldn't be overwhelmed by the victory.

"It's a win, but it's just a preseason game," he said. "I looked out there and didn't see Emmitt Smith playing for Dallas, but I'm glad we moved the ball against their defense. We still did too many dumb things."

Smith, who signed an eight-year, $48 million contract extension earlier in the day, did not play for the Cowboys.

"We ran the ball well, and that is a good sign," Patriots quarterback Drew Bledsoe said. "The Cowboys are a better team than they showed. When we play in December, it will be a different game."

The Cowboys dropped to 1-2 in the exhibition season. New England evened its preseason mark at 1-1.

Olajuwon weds 18-year-old

HOUSTON (AP) — Houston Rockets center Hakeem Olajuwon was married to 18-year-old Dalia Asafi of Houston last week in an arranged union.

"There is no dating process, no boyfriends and girlfriends in Islam," Olajuwon said in a statement issued Monday. "Families meet, talk, get to know one another. Then the marriage is arranged."

The NBA star said he has worshiped for years at the same Houston mosque as the bride's father. But since men and women are separated when praying, he did not meet his future bride or her mother until a meeting was arranged.

"In the Islam faith, it is customary for a girl to marry much younger than they do in America, at age 15 or 16, for instance," Olajuwon said in a statement.

7 ejected as Expos punch out Astros

MONTREAL (AP) — Danny Darwin, a veteran of 21 major league seasons, is from the old school.

On Monday night, he tried to teach Henry Rodriguez a lesson.

"I have respect for hitters and I think hitters should have respect for pitchers," said Darwin, who touched off a wild brawl in the Houston-Montreal game at Olympic Stadium.

"I'm having a bad game, No. 1, and he shows me up," Darwin said. "Maybe I'm from the old school, but there's no room in baseball for that."

The game, won 8-1 by the Expos, featured seven ejections, including Astros manager Terry Collins — who received a nasty gash above the lip that required four stitches to close, the result of a thrown batting helmet during the melee.

"Danny took offense that the guy hit a home run and stood at the plate," Collins said. "But that's the way things are done today, and it's not right."

Rodriguez hit his 30th home run in the second inning, and Darwin thought he took too much time admiring it.

The next inning, Darwin allowed a two-run double to Moises Alou and a two-run homer to Darrin Fletcher, giving the Expos a 6-1 lead.

Then up came Rodriguez and the stage was set.

Darwin hit Rodriguez and the benches emptied, with the ensuing 10-minute brawl spilling all over the Olympic Stadium infield. It was 20 minutes before umpires sorted out matters and the game resumed.

Collins was struck while trying to pull Astros pitcher Shane Reynolds away from Moises Alou.

"All I saw was Moises Alou and Shane Reynolds standing in front of me," Collins said. "The next thing I know I got hit. Somebody told me it was a helmet. I didn't know. It's unfortunate. We don't need that in baseball."

"That was a real fight," Expos manager Felipe Alou said. "There were some guys out there who weren't out there trying to break things up. If the films show anybody doing something abnormal, they should be punished."

Rodriguez knew something was coming when he went to bat in the third.

"I knew I was going to get hit," said Rodriguez, whose homer made him the fifth Expo to reach the 30-homer mark in a season. "Maybe I made a mistake and watched the ball, but I'm not the first guy to do that. I don't think he should hit someone because they watch it."

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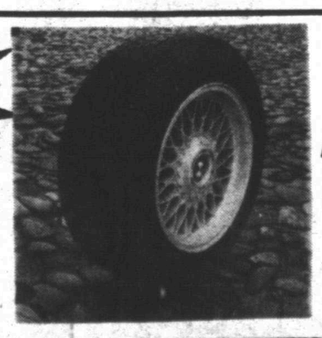
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Trooper shot to death in 1934 honored

SOUTHLAKE (AP) — Doris Edwards had been married less than two years when her husband, state Trooper E.B. Wheeler, went to work on Easter Sunday 1934.

Wheeler never made it home after running into Bonnie Parker and Clyde Barrow.

While Bonnie and Clyde are infamous, their victims are often forgotten. Mrs. Edwards hopes a monument erected Monday on the site where her husband and partner were killed will be a step toward changing that.

"It's just stayed inside me and festered all this time — all the publicity on Bonnie and Clyde, glamorizing them," said Mrs. Edwards, now 85. "I want the world to know what vicious killers and murderers they are."

On that fateful day in 1934, the 26-year-old Wheeler and his rookie partner, H.D. Murphy, rode on motorcycles toward a black Ford that was parked on a hill, planning to offer assistance. Bonnie and Clyde saw them coming and opened fire with rifles and shotguns.

Murphy, 24, left behind a 20-year-old fiancee, who wore her wedding dress to his funeral.

Over the next 50 years, Bonnie and Clyde — who were blamed for at least 12 deaths — would become the stuff of legend, memorialized in movie and song. And the deaths of Wheeler and Murphy would go all but overlooked.

Mrs. Edwards become outraged after seeing a Bonnie and Clyde exhibition at the Dallas public library featuring letters, photographs and the bullet-riddled shirt Barrow wore when he and Parker were ambushed in Louisiana.

Lawyers settling differences over Citadel plan for women

CHARLESTON, S.C. (AP) — After some prodding by a federal judge, lawyers resolved their differences over The Citadel's plans to admit women, agreeing to let pregnant cadets return after giving birth and allowing latches on women's doors.

The lawyers sat down for a four-hour closed-door meeting Monday after U.S. District Judge C. West Houck, exasperated over what he called petty squabbling, sent them to a room to work out their differences.

Three women are scheduled to arrive on campus Aug. 24. They will be the first to enroll since the college changed its all-male policy in June, two days after the U.S. Supreme Court ruled a similar admissions policy at Virginia Military Institute was unconstitutional.

The Citadel filed a 21-page plan last week for accommodating women. It deals with everything from sexual harassment to dating policies.

After Monday's meeting, lawyers for The Citadel agreed to change a proposal to kick out pregnant cadets. Instead, the cadets must leave when their pregnancies interfere with training but can return after having their babies.

And the Justice Department, which had challenged the school's all-male policy, agreed it could accept — for security purposes — latches on the women's doors.

Justice Department lawyer Michael Maurer had said that latches should be installed on all dorm rooms, because "anything that sets female cadets apart is a source of concern."

Under The Citadel's military-style training, barracks doors have no latches and cadets can expect unannounced visits by superior officers at any time.

Date Book

Aug. 13, 1996

Today is the 226th day of 1996 and the 55th day of summer.

TODAY'S HISTORY: On this day in 1521, Cortez succeeded in capturing the city of Tenochtitlan in Mexico.

On this day in 1961, East German soldiers began erecting the Berlin Wall.

On this day in 1992, Woody Allen filed suit seeking custody of his children from Mia Farrow.

TODAY'S BIRTHDAYS: Lucy Stone (1818-1892), women's-rights leader; Annie Oakley (1860-1926), markswoman; Bert Lahr (1895-1967), actor-comedian; Alfred Hitchcock (1899-1980), director; Ben Hogan (1912-), golf great, is 84; George Shearing (1919-), pianist, is 77; Fidel Castro (1926-), Cuban leader, is 70.

TODAY'S SPORTS: On this day in 1935, the first roller derby was attended by 20,000 fans in Chicago.

TODAY'S QUOTE: "Seeing murder on television can... help work off one's antagonisms. And if you haven't any antagonisms, the commercials will give you some." — Alfred Hitchcock

TODAY'S WEATHER: On this day in 1979, 15 yachtsmen died when strong winds sank 23 boats racing between England and Ireland.

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

TODAY'S MOON: Day before new moon.

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Astro-graph

By Bernice Bede Osol

Your Birthday

Wednesday, Aug. 14, 1996

A plethora of social involvements will be in store for you in the year ahead. You will have opportunities to participate in activities you've always wanted to experience.

LEO (July 23-Aug. 22) Steer clear of high-rolling acquaintances today because you might feel compelled to spend more than you can afford just to keep up with them. Leo, treat yourself to a birthday gift. Send for your Astro-Graph predictions for the year ahead by mailing $2 and SASE to Astro-Graph, c/o this newspaper, P.O. Box 1758, Murray Hill Station, New York, NY 10156. Make sure to state your zodiac sign.

VIRGO (Aug. 23-Sept. 22) Today, do not brag about things you have yet to accomplish. If you achieve your goals, the results will speak for themselves.

LIBRA (Sept. 23-Oct. 23) An acquaintance who expounds his or her ideas in bold, dramatic terms might make you feel inferior today. Make sure to analyze this person's comments thoroughly.

SCORPIO (Oct. 24-Nov. 22) It might prove unwise to enter into a joint endeavor today if you are in a minority position. If your role is not equal to someone else's, don't get involved.

SAGITTARIUS (Nov. 23-Dec. 21) Underestimating your adversaries today could have undesirable consequences. Try to be realistic when sizing up your opponents.

CAPRICORN (Dec. 22-Jan. 19) Do not look for others to do things for you today that you should handle yourself. You will not find anyone who will drop what they're doing to help you.

AQUARIUS (Jan. 20-Feb. 19) Use caution in commercial affairs today. Do not kid yourself into believing that others will be looking out for anything other than their own survival.

PISCES (Feb. 20-March 20) Even if you're not in complete accord with your mate today, make it a point to support him or her in front of others.

ARIES (March 21-April 19) Instead of imposing your ideas on co-workers, seek their views and opinions. Their thoughts could lead to constructive solutions.

TAURUS (April 20-May 20) If you lack financial discipline, you will erode your budget today. What you fritter away now you might really need later.

GEMINI (May 21-June 20) If you hope to get rid of a problem today, you might opt for a strategy that will resolve your dilemma only temporarily. Strive to find a permanent solution.

CANCER (June 21-July 22) Associates will not be impressed by your tall tales today, but they will sit up and take notice if what you say has credibility.

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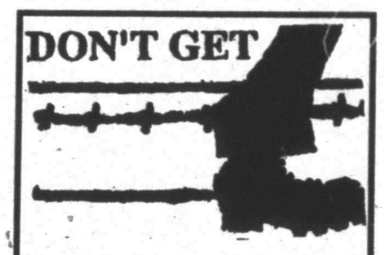
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Arrests, mischief dominate reports

Arrests and reports of criminal mischief and thefts dominated the police blotter on Monday.

Officers were called to the parking lot at McDonald's at 9:21 a.m. in reference to a vehicle blocking traffic at the drive-thru window. Officers arrested Lisa Marie Welch, 29, of 3606 Hill Avenue for felony driving while intoxicated. A passenger in the vehicle, a 42-year-old male, was arrested for public intoxication and the possession of drug paraphernalia.

Following a report at 1:57 p.m. from the 2600 block of Avenue X of a person threatening another person with a knife, officers arrested a 20-year-old male for misdemeanor driving while intoxicated, evading arrest and minor in possession of alcohol.

Deputies arrested a 38-year-old male at 3:19 p.m. on U.S. Highway 84 on an outstanding county warrant for theft of service.

Several criminal mischief reports were filed, including two by Earnest Shifflett. He requested to speak to an officer at 7:42 a.m. in reference to someone breaking out the front glass of his residence. An offense report for criminal mischief was submitted. He later requested to speak to a deputy in reference to someone shooting cotton trailer tires near Arrow Construction. A report for criminal mischief was also submitted in that incident.

Jerry Hatfield requested to speak to an officer at 11:08 a.m. in reference to someone damaging the door to the Sweet Shop.

An offense report for criminal mischief was submitted.

An offense report for criminal mischief was submitted at 12:42 p.m. from the Whataburger parking lot. Gina Johnson said someone nad damaged her vehicle while it was parked at the business.

Modesta Sanchez requested to speak to a deputy at 12:55 p.m. in reference to someone damaging her mailbox at 717 3rd St. An offense report for criminal mischief was submitted.

A report for Class A theft was made at 6:20 a.m. Monday from a location on Camp Springs Road. Bill Houston told deputies that someone had pulled his water well and taken four joints of one-inch PVC pipe and a one-half-horsepower pump.

Michael Rodriquez requested to speak to an officer at 7:53 p.m. in reference to a residence at 2405 31st Street being burglarized. An offense report for burglary of a residence was submitted.

A report of a gas drive-off was made at 10:17 p.m. from the Snyder One-Stop in reference to a person not paying for $9.01 in gas. The person returned at 10:48 p.m. and paid for the gas.

At 1:41 this morning, a report of a possible prowler was made in reference to someone hearing noises in the area of the 3000 block of 40th Street.

Man who planted bomb set free

PHOENIX (AP) — A man who spent 20 years in prison for planting a car bomb that killed an investigative reporter was freed from prison and disappeared with the help of the federal government.

John Harvey Adamson, 52, was released from prison Monday, given a new identity and moved to an undisclosed location outside of Arizona as a member of the federal Witness Protection Program.

Adamson, who has been in the program since 1990, was sentenced to life in prison after he pleaded guilty to second-degree murder in the 1976 slaying of Don Bolles.

After years of legal wrangling, Adamson received a reduced sentence for testifying against two other men who are now serving time for charges stemming from Bolles' slaying.

Markets

NEWYORK(AP)

	High	Low	Last	
AMR Corp	84⅝	83⅜	84	— ⅛
AT&T Corp	55⅝	54⅝	54⅝	—1
AirTouch	27⅝	27⅛	27⅛	— ⅜
Albertsons	40⅞	40⅝	40⅞	+ ⅛
Alldsignal	62⅝	62	62½	+ ¼
Alltel		28¼	28¼	28½
AmStores	39⅛	38⅝	39⅛	+ ⅞
Ameritech	55	54⅝	54⅝	— ¼
Amoco	69⅛	68⅞	68⅞	— ½
AndarkPtr	53⅞	53⅜	53⅜	— ¼
ArmcoInc	4⅛	4⅛	4⅛	— ⅛
AtlRichfld	118⅛	117⅞	118	+ ⅛
ATMOS Egy	22¼	22¼	22¼	+ ⅛
Aviall	7⅞	7⅞	7⅞	— ⅛
BakerHughes	29⅝	29⅝	29⅝	— ⅛
BellAtl	61⅛	60⅞	60⅞	— ⅜
BellSouth s	39⅝	39⅛	39⅛	— ⅜
BethSteel	10⅛	10⅛	10⅛	— ⅛
BritPet	115⅞	115	115⅛	+ ⅛
BurlNoSFe	82⅞	81⅞	82⅞	+1⅛
Caterpillar	71	70⅞	70⅞	— ⅜
CenSoWst	27	26⅞	26⅞	— ½
Chevron	58⅛	57⅞	58⅛	+ ⅜
Chrysler s		29	28⅞	29
Coastal	41⅞	41	41⅝	+ ⅜
CocaColas	50⅝	49½	50⅛	+ ½
ColgatePalm	82⅛	81⅞	81⅞	— ⅛
ComclMetalr	30⅛	30	30⅛	+ ⅛
CooperIn	38⅞	38⅞	38⅞	— ⅜
CyprusAmax	21⅛	21	21	— ⅛
DallSemicn	18⅛	18	18	— ⅛
DeltaAirl	72	71⅞	71⅞	— ⅜
DigitalEq	39⅝	39	39⅝	— ⅜
Dillard	34⅛	33⅞	33⅞	— ⅛
DowChem	78⅛	77⅞	77⅞	— ⅛
DresserInd		28⅞	28⅞	28⅞
DuPont	82⅝	81⅞	82⅛	— ⅜
EastmanChem	53⅛	52⅞	53	+ ⅛
EstKodak	75⅞	75⅛	75⅝	— ⅛
EDS Corp	53⅛	52⅞	53⅛	+ ⅜
EljerInd	9⅝	9⅛	9⅛	— ⅛
Enserch	20	19⅞	19⅞	— ⅛
Entergy	26	25⅞	25⅞	+ ⅛
Exxon	81⅜	81⅛	81⅛	+ ⅛
FstBksAm s		10	10	10
Flowers s		18⅝	18⅛	18⅝
FordMotor	34⅛	33⅞	33⅞	— ⅛
GTE Cp	41⅞	41⅛	41⅛	— ⅛
GenDynam	65⅝	65⅞	65⅛	— ⅜
GenElec	85⅛	84⅞	84⅞	— ⅛
GenMills		55½	55	55½
GenMotors		52⅝	52⅛	52½
GaPacif	77⅛	76⅞	76⅞	— ⅜
GlobalMar		14⅛	13⅞	14
Goodrichs	37⅛	37⅛	37⅛	— ⅛
Goodyear s	46⅛	45⅞	46	— ⅛
GtAtlPac	27⅞	27⅛	27⅛	+ ⅜
Haliburtn	53⅞	53⅜	53⅜	— ⅛
Hanson ADS	13⅛	13	13⅛	+ ⅛
HarteHanks s		25⅞	25⅞	25⅞
HoustonInd s	23	22½	22⅝	— ⅛
IBM	112⅝	111⅛	112⅝	+ ⅛
IntlPapers	41⅛	40⅞	41	— ⅛
JohnsnJn s	52⅛	52⅛	52⅛	— ⅜
K mart	10⅝	10⅛	10⅛	+ ⅛
Kroger	39⅝	39⅝	39⅝	— ⅛
Litton		44⅛	44	44⅛
LockhdMart	85⅝	84⅞	85⅝	+ ⅛
Lowes Cos	37⅛	37⅛	37⅛	— ⅛
Lubys		24⅛	24⅛	24⅛
LucentTech n	37⅛	36⅞	37	— ⅛
MayDeptStrs	45⅝	44⅞	45	— ⅜
Medtronics	55	54½	54⅝	— ⅛
Mobil	111⅞	110⅞	111⅛	+ ⅜
Monsanto s		31⅛	30⅞	31⅛
Motorola	56	55⅞	55⅞	— ⅜
Nationsbk	91⅛	90⅞	91⅛	— ⅛
Navistar		9⅝	9⅝	9⅝
NoramEngy		14⅛	14⅛	14⅛
Norwest	37⅛	37⅛	37⅛	+ ⅛
Nynex	45⅝	45⅝	45⅝	— ⅛
OryxEngy		17	16⅞	17
PacTelesis		34⅛	34⅛	34⅛
PanEnergy	33⅛	33⅛	33⅛	— ⅛
Penney JC	52⅛	52⅛	52⅜	— ⅛
Pennzoil		52⅛	52⅛	52⅛
PepBoys	31⅛	31⅛	31⅛	— ⅛
PepsiCo s		30⅞	30⅞	30⅞
PhelpDodge		60⅞	60⅛	60⅞
PhilipPet	39⅝	39⅜	39⅝	— ⅛
Polaroid	43⅝	43⅛	43⅛	— ⅛
Praxair	38⅛	38⅛	38⅛	— ⅛
ProctGamble		88⅞	88⅛	88⅞
PubSNwMx	19⅝	19⅛	19⅛	— ⅛
RoyalDutch	150⅛	149⅞	150⅛	— ⅛
SBC Comm	49⅝	49⅛	49⅝	— ⅛
SaraLee	32⅛	31⅞	32⅛	+ ⅛
SearsRoeb	45	44½	44⅞	— ⅛
SherwinW	46⅞	46⅜	46⅝	— ⅜
SmthBchADS	55⅝	54⅞	55⅝	+ ⅛
SouthernCo	23	22⅞	22⅞	— ⅛
SwstAirlines	25⅛	25	25	— ⅛
Sprint	38⅞	38⅛	38⅛	+ ⅛
SterlingChm	11⅞	11⅜	11⅜	— ⅛
SunCo	25⅞	25⅞	25⅞	— ⅛
TNP Ent		25⅞	25⅞	25⅞
Tandy	45⅛	45⅛	45⅛	+ ⅛
TemplInl	50⅞	50⅞	50⅞	— ⅛
Tenneco	51⅛	50⅞	51⅛	+ ⅛
Texaco	86⅞	86	86	— ⅜
TexasInd	67⅛	66⅛	66⅞	—1
TexasInst	47⅛	46⅛	46⅞	— ⅛
TexUtil	43⅛	42⅞	43	— ⅛
Textron	84⅞	84⅛	84⅞	+ ⅛
Travelers s	45⅝	45⅛	45⅝	— ⅛
TrinityInds	32⅞	32⅜	32⅞	+ ⅛
TritonEngy	44⅛	44⅛	44⅛	— ⅛
Tyler		1⅜	1⅜	1⅜
US WestCm s	31⅜	31	31⅜	+ ⅛
USWstMda n	18⅛	18	18⅛	+ ⅛
USX Delhi		12⅜	12⅜	12⅜
USX-Marathn	20⅝	20⅝	20⅝	— ⅛
USX-USS	27⅛	27	27⅛	— ⅛
UnCarbde	43⅞	43⅝	43⅝	— ⅛
UnPac	71⅞	70⅞	71⅛	+ ⅜
UnitedTech	117⅞	116⅞	117	— ⅜
Unocal	33⅜	33⅛	33⅜	— ⅛
WalMart	26⅝	26	26⅛	+ ⅜
WstnGasRs		14	13⅞	13⅞
WestghEl	16⅛	16	16	— ⅛
WinnDixie s	35⅛	35⅛	35⅛	+ ⅛
Woolworth	21	20⅝	20⅝	— ⅛
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Births

Maria Flores of Snyder announces the birth of her daughter at 6:06 a.m. on Aug. 12 in Cogdell Hospital. She weighed seven pounds.

News Briefs

Panhandle: body found in barrel

CHANNING (AP) — The body of a man who appears to have been dead from two to six months was found in a barrel dumped in the Panhandle.

Hartley County authorities said the barrel was discovered Sunday night along FM 767, about 18 miles west of Channing.

Some people driving by saw the 55-gallon drum, thought it was abandoned and stopped to pick it up.

Sheriff Johnny Williams said his office has no reports of a missing person. An autopsy will be performed in Lubbock.

The victim wore dentures, imprinted with the name "Bush." Officials were not sure if that's the name of a company or an individual.

Channing is about 40 miles northwest of Amarillo.

Out-of-state inmates to be moved

HOUSTON (AP) — About one-third of its 244 Oregon sex offenders will be removed from a private prison in north Houston before the end of the week, the facility's warden says.

Warden Pam Fugazzi said Monday that all of the inmates will be moved in about two weeks.

The removal follows strong complaints by Houston city officials and Harris County officials when they learned following an escape that the out-of-state sex offenders were being held at the private prison.

It is against state policy to house out-of-state prisoners considered dangerous.

A car used by two Oregon inmates who escaped from the prison last week was found near Eagle lake, where another car was reported stolen, officials said.

Until the escape was reported last Wednesday local officials said they didn't realize that the Corrections Corporation of America Inc. facility was being used to house violent offenders.

Judge won't destroy confession tape

PORTLAND, Ore. (AP) — A federal judge refused Monday to order the destruction of a jailhouse tape recording of a conversation between a triple-murder suspect and a priest.

U.S. District Judge Owen Panner said the fact that the tape bears on the cases of two murder suspects outweighs the Roman Catholic church's interest in having it destroyed.

He said he accepted the church's argument that the recording violated the priest's religious freedom rights, but did not rule on whether the taping was illegal.

In an affidavit filed last week, the suspect, Conan Wayne Hale, claims he told the priest in the taped conversation that his co-defendant committed the murders of three teen-agers whose bodies were found outside Springfield.

In court Monday, Panner criticized Lane County District Attorney Doug Harcleroad's decision to tape the discussion, but commended him for later admitting he was wrong.

David Brinkley sets retirement plan

NEW YORK (AP) — Newsman David Brinkley has told TV Guide he will retire from his long-running Sunday morning ABC news series, "This Week With David Brinkley," after the presidential inauguration in January.

Brinkley, 76, who is currently anchoring the network's coverage of the Republican National Convention, says he needs a change after 15 seasons with the program, according to the magazine's Aug. 24 issue.

"I worked all my life. I'd like to have a little time off," he says.

Brinkley, who joined NBC News in 1943, first teamed with partner Chet Huntley at the 1956 political conventions. Huntley and Brinkley went on to co-anchor the NBC news from 1956 to 1970.

Tobacco firms may be required to pay

NEW ORLEANS (AP) — A record award to a Florida man who got lung cancer after smoking may be the first step in taking the tobacco industry down the same road that forced asbestos makers to pay billions of dollars in damages, anti-smoking groups say.

The reason: When jurors see secret tobacco company documents indicating that executives knew nicotine was addictive — as in the Florida case — smokers could win.

Industry watchers and lawyers compared the verdict with years of legal wrangling over asbestos, which was used as insulation for decades before being banned in the early 1970s, when it was linked to cancer and respiratory disease.

In recent years, plaintiffs in class-action cases have settled for more than $4 billion from three major asbestos makers.

John Banzhaf, executive director of Action for Smoking and Health, an anti-smoking coalition, said asbestos makers initially tried to dodge legal liability.

"Once the plaintiffs were able to show the industry was deceitful about knowing about the harmful effects of their product ... that's what persuaded juries," he said.

A jury in Jacksonville, Fla., on Friday ordered the Brown & Williamson Tobacco Co., the maker of Lucky Strikes, to pay Grady Carter $750,000, only the second time the tobacco industry has been ordered to pay damages in a liability case. Carter, 66, got lung cancer after smoking for 44 years and had to undergo surgery.

Tobacco companies have said the verdict is an aberration and will not set a precedent for future cases. Cigarette makers have never paid a penny in damages in a smoking-related suit.

But Banzhaf said the increasing flood of internal tobacco company documents reaching the public would make it easier for people to sue.

"A small country lawyer can take on the tobacco industry with the tremendous clout of these secret documents," he said.

Since Friday's verdict, Banzhaf's office has been swamped with calls from smokers and relatives of people who died, trying to find out how to sue, he said.

As in other cases, B&W said in the Florida case that it was Carter's own decision to smoke and when to quit.

Illegal freon also smuggled

HOUSTON (AP) — The steering wheel is too hot to handle. The seat belt buckle can sear your skin. It's summer, and most drivers can't imagine coping without air conditioners.

Smugglers have found a way to capitalize on the need for cheap cool breezes, the U.S. Customs Service says. Freon, the now-banned refrigerant used in car air conditioners, has emerged as the No. 2 smuggling problem behind drugs along the Mexican border.

"If you look at contraband crossing the U.S.-Mexican border, we're looking at cocaine, marijuana, heroin, prescription drugs and then Freon," said Steve Hooper, a Customs agent.

Scientists believe Freon, used in most automobiles built before 1993, is eating away Earth's ozone layer. The black market for the gas has flourished since Jan. 1, when it became illegal to make or import it in the United States.

It can cost anywhere from $80 to $1,200 to modify a car for new coolants, said Frank Allison, executive director of the International Mobile Air Conditioning Association.

U.S. motorists can legally buy Freon made before 1996 or recycled Freon.

Dear Abby

By Abigail Van Buren

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Rules help elderly parents live with kids

DEAR ABBY: I found the enclosed clipping from your column in a collection of favorite articles compiled by my late sister. I think its message to the elderly bears repeating.

80 AND HOLDING IN RIVER FOREST, ILL.

DEAR 80 AND HOLDING: Thank you for sending it to me. I agree, the rules are worth repeating. Read on:

DEAR ABBY: When my husband's mother came to live with my husband and me 23 years ago, she made our lives so miserable I vowed I would never bring such misery to my children if I ever had to live with them. One day, I wrote myself a letter containing some rules. I put it in an envelope marked, "To be opened on the day I go to live with one of my children" — then I put it away.

I've been widowed and self-sufficient for eight years, but I was recently forced to give up my job and move in with my daughter. I'm submitting that letter. Perhaps your older readers might benefit from it, as I intend to. Here are the rules:

— Give what you can toward your keep. Any budget will stretch just so far.

— Keep yourself clean and neat. Fresh undies and daily baths are a must.

— Remember, it is their home. Give them privacy at every opportunity.

— Try to make your own friends and develop interests outside the home.

— If you suspect they would like to go away on a vacation but are hesitant because of you, offer to visit another relative or friend so they will be free to go.

— Don't offer any advice or express any opinion on family matters unless asked.

— Volunteer information that they might be too embarrassed to ask for, such as arrangements for your burial, hospitalization, etc.

These rules were written more than 22 years ago. I read them often and am determined to keep them.

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DEAR ABBY: Three years ago, after 27 years of marriage, I went through a divorce. My husband had become involved with another woman and refused to break it off, so I really had no choice.

I have picked up the pieces of my life and put them back together little by little. I have not dated since my divorce. I needed this time to heal and to work on rebuilding my life. A shattered 27-year marriage is difficult to get over quickly.

There is a very nice man from a neighboring community who lost his wife to cancer about a year ago. We went to the same school and church. I know him and his family; however, I don't know if he is dating anyone. I'm almost sure he doesn't know that I am alone now.

Would it be OK for me to write him a note or give him a call? I know times have changed, but I don't want to appear too pushy. It's been 30 years since I have dated, but now that I'm alone, my thoughts keep drifting back to this man.

What do you think, Abby?

YOUNG AT HEART

DEAR YOUNG: It would certainly be OK for you either to give him a call or send him a note. Nothing ventured, nothing gained. I wish you well. Please keep me posted.

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DEAR READERS: If you would like your letter published, please include your name, area code and telephone number.

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Dr. Gott

By Peter Gott, M.D.

Getting care when money is tight

DEAR DR. GOTT: I read a column of yours today with disbelief and some amusement. Do you really think people can take you seriously when you make statements such as "most physicians and hospitals are willing to accept patients who are financially in trouble"? You've got to be kidding!

DEAR READER: In my experience, most reputable hospitals and physicians are willing to provide a certain amount of free work to those patients who cannot pay and who are not covered by Medicare or welfare programs.

The trick here is to be upfront right from the beginning. Doctors and hospitals must be informed of patients' financial problems early on, so that the health-care providers aren't stuck holding onto a big, unexpected bill after the fact. This is, I can assure you, a frustrating and maddening experience.

In addition, once medical personnel are aware of the situation, they can usually enlist the aid of social workers, who can often obtain federal or state financial assistance.

OK, I know that there are exceptions to this scenario. And, obviously, there are limits. Public, charity hospitals are becoming relics of the past, and no hospital or doctor can afford to take care of non-paying patients exclusively. But I stand fast.

What's more, I'll go one step further by stating that any doctor or hospital that doesn't perform at least some pro bono work ought to be drummed out of the corps.

Look, I wouldn't want my son to be deprived of necessary medical attention if he were in a far-off, uncaring city. So, if someone in need of help in my community comes to the office for medical care — and tells me he can't pay — what am I going to do, kick him out? Is that what medical practice is all about? I'll tell you, my friend, when that time comes, I'll take down my shingle.

In my view, doctors and hospitals have a humanitarian responsibility to care for those in need; when we stop providing this service, the health care industry will not only lose its luster but will cease attracting qualified and dedicated workers. The very purpose of doctoring will evaporate. The end.

DEAR DR. GOTT: What is the most successful way to treat prostatitis?

DEAR READER: Antibiotics. Most types of prostate infection are caused by low-level bacterial inflammation that can be cured by a prolonged course of drug therapy, sometimes lasting a month or more, administered by a urologist.

Some cases of prostatitis seem to be related to non-infectious congestion of the gland, which may be relieved by prostate massage. However, in the main, antibiotics offer the most consistent cure for most cases of prostatitis.

To give you more information, I am sending you a copy of my Health Report "The Prostate Gland." Other readers who would like a copy should send $2 plus a long, self-addressed, stamped envelope to P.O. Box 2017, Murray Hill Station, New York, NY 10156. Be sure to mention the title.

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GOP keynote speech to target Clinton record

SAN DIEGO (AP) — Republicans will target President Clinton's record on taxes, the economy, crime and drugs at tonight's convention session. Keynote speaker Susan Molinari will extend a hand to women voters alienated by the GOP's positions on issues dear to them.

Going into Day Two, Republican Chairman Haley Barbour said the attacks on Clinton "may get loud, it may even get a little hot."

Molinari, 38, who supports abortion rights, said today she won't speak on that divisive issue. Instead, she will direct her remarks both to women and "our generation, a generation that's been able to derive all the benefits of our parents' and our grandparents' hard work and belief in the American system. ..."

"As a Republican female, I have a gender gap as an elected official. My polls always reveal that. And part of the problem is not so much our message as the way we communicate our message," she said on NBC's "Today" show.

"I don't think my speech has any lines that you're going to remember, said Molinari, a New York congresswoman. "The one thing I want people to remember and take away from this speech is that Bob Dole is everything that we need for this country to take us into the next century."

During Monday's opening night session, retired four-star Gen. Colin Powell declared Dole was the candidate "most qualified by virtue of his beliefs, competence and chasacter to become the next president of the United States of America." Yet Powell refrained from attacking Clinton, under whom he served as chairman of the Joint Chiefs of Staff.

Former President Bush also raised the character issue in deriding Clinton, who drove him from the Oval Office. "It breaks my heart when the White House is demeaned, the presidency itself diminished," Bush said to the delegates' delight.

Dole watched the proceedings from his hotel room. "It was a great night," he said afterward. "We're off to a great start." He planned just one public event today, a breakfast with disabled athletes.

Tonight, to draw a contrast between Clinton and Dole, the convention presents prime-time videos of Main Street Americans discussing their problems with health care, welfare, education, drugs, crime and the economy.

With Clinton ahead in the polls and the economy growing, a parade of governors, senators and congressmen will try to make the case that the president has done a poor job and that Dole and Jack Kemp offer better solutions.

Opening night speakers lambasted Clinton as a flip-flopping leader who slowed the economy with tax hikes and turned to conservative themes only as the election neared.

Despite the convention's air of excitement, there were no spontaneous demonstrations, no dancing in the aisles. Many delegates found the speakers hard to hear and the podium impossible to see in the elongated San Diego Convention Center. The tightly scripted schedule left little room for distractions.

Molinari on Monday played down disputes over abortion — despite the catcalls when Powell asserted his belief in affirmative action and the right to abortion.

In this morning's interview, Molinari commented that "obviously I don't agree with a lot of what's in this platform. But this platform is a working document."

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Golf course

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But he was quick to point out that members and non-members would likely balk at paying more.

"If you are a golfer, green fees are too high. If you are an administrator, they are too low. And if you are an English teacher, you probably shouldn't have the golf course in the first place," said Dr. Krenek.

The simple fact is, some concluded, the number of golfers may not be available to provide enough in fees to keep the course in the black.

"The college is providing a service for the community...at a good price," said Milton Ham, athletic director and head of the pro shop. He compared the golf course to county parks, which provide no income, but can be seen as improving the overall quality of life in a community. "I don't think we have to aplolgize for it. It is a major plus for this campus, this college and this community."

Trustee Drew Bullard asked Mitchell and Ham to present ideas to enhance revenue at the course. Administrators will study alternatives to replacing the entire existing pump house and pump, too.

Total revenues for the course and pro shop are projected at $279,854 for 1996-97 while expenditures amount to $334,949.

What's Up?

Extended clinic tonight

Scurry County Health Unit will offer extended clinic hours this evening until 7 o'clock.

Mitchell-Scurry Baptist

Mitchell-Scurry Baptist Association's quarterly meeting will be held today at the First Baptist Church in Ira. The executive board will meet at 6 p.m., followed by a fellowship meal and evangelism and missions reports.

All-Sports Booster Club

The first meeting of the 1996-97 year for the newly reorganized Snyder All-Sports Booster Club will be held at 7 this evening in the high school student center. Anyone interested in helping support all sports is encouraged to attend.

People For Progress

People For Progress will be at the Snyder Park Club from 9-12 and 1-4 p.m. Wednesday and Thursday, taking applications for utility and weatherization assistance.

Mini health fair planned

A mini health fair will be held from 9:30 a.m. until 2 p.m. Wednesday at the Senior Center. The fair will include demonstrations, testing and hand-outs. Those participating may bring in their prescriptions and health care professionals will discuss them. To schedule an audiology testing appointment, call 573-4035.

Hobbs Baptist revival

Hobbs Baptist Church is holding a revival at 7 nightly through Thursday. Everyone is welcome.

Jury call canceled

The jury call for 132nd District Court on Monday has been canceled.

Season passes on sale now

Season passes for all Snyder public schools home volleyball and basketball games are on sale at the SISD business administration office. Passes are $30 for each sport, or $50 for a combined volleyball-basketball pass. The passes are good for all home games, from the varsity level through seventh grade. If purchased individually, adult tickets to home games are $2 each.

Pick 3

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

5-5-8

(five, five, eight)

1 injured in accident

Officers investigated a two-vehicle accident at the traffic circle at 7:53 a.m. Monday which sent one person to the hospital.

Involved were a 1992 Chevrolet pickup driven by Hilaria Gutierrez of 1811 Ave. T and a 1997 Ford pickup owned by Midwest Electric Co-op and driven by Thomas Witt of Box 1277, Snyder.

Gutierrez was transported by Snyder EMS to Cogdell Hospital where she was treated and released.

At 1:15 p.m. Saturday, officers investigated a mishap in the 3300 block of 37th Street at 1:15 p.m. Involved were a 1994 Cadillac driven by Mamie New of Colorado City and an unknown vehicle which left the scene.

At 12:37 p.m. Saturday, officers investigated a two-vehicle accident in the 1300 block of 25th Street. Involved were a 1991 Pontiac driven by Linda Banks of 3604 Ave. V and a 1990 Toyota driven by Karrie Terrill of Lamesa.

The fire department responded to a vehicle fire at 4:45 p.m. Monday at the intersection of Huffman Avenue and U.S. Highway 84. A 1986 Buick station wagon owned by Charles Holloway of Snyder received major damage to the engine compartment and minor damage to the interior.

Budget approved at WTC

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$200,000 to $400,000. The company, in return, pledges funds toward scholarships and remodeling of the bookstore.

Texas Book Company has operated the store for the past 11 years. The contract will be for three years.

Trustees also ratified bids from American Building Maintence for paper goods in the amount of $11,102.50 and $47,247 for two 15-passenger vans from Wilson Motors.

The board approved $15,301 to upgrade the college's 911 system. Funds amount to $11,051 to Telident, Inc. and $4,250 to ATS Telcom.

Following the regular meeting, the board met in executive session to discuss allegations made about a WTC employee. Upon reconvening, the board directed administrators to take whatever action is necessary to resolve the matter.

All board members were present Monday, to include Carolyn Barbee, Jackie Greene, R.C. Patton, Eddie Peterson, Lee Presswood and Dr. Jay Kidd.

Obituaries

Birdie Pippin

1907-1996

TRENT — Funeral service is set for 10 a.m. Wednesday in the River of Life Church for Birdie L. Pippin, 89, who died Sunday, Aug. 11, in a Merkel nursing home. Burial will follow in the Trent Cemetery.

Mrs. Pippin was the mother of Jester Pippin of Snyder.

Born in Trent, she had lived in Merkel for the past four years. A homemaker, Mrs. Pippin also worked at the Abilene State School for nine years and for Starr Nursing Home for 13 years. She was a member of the Assembly of God Church.

She married Frank Pippin in 1930 in Crosbyton, and he preceded her in death.

Survivors include three other sons, Frank "Pete" Pippin of McCaulley, Bobby Pippin of Merkel and Earl Pippin of Abilene; three daughters, Dora Nicks of Burnet and Geraldine O'Hara and Earlene Smith, both of Abilene; a brother, C.T. Meeks of Los Baros, Calif.; 30 grandchildren; and 52 great-grandchildren.

Enters plea

IRONTON, Ohio (AP) — The brain-damaged man accused of setting a fire in a fireworks store that killed nine people pleaded innocent by reason of insanity today.

Todd Hall, heavily shackled and wearing an orange jail jumpsuit, screamed obscenities during the 10-minute hearing.

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