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Clinton acquitted of perjury and obstruction

WASHINGTON (AP) — The Senate today acquitted William Jefferson Clinton of perjury and obstruction of justice, ending a 13-month drama that catapulted an affair with a White House intern into only the second presidential impeachment trial in history. The vote allows the 42nd president to finish his term in office.

"It is therefore ordered and adjudged that William Jefferson Clinton be and hereby is acquitted of the charges in the said articles," Chief Justice William Rehnquist declared.

Senators voted 50-50 on the impeachment article accusing Clinton of obstruction of justice, far short of the two-thirds required for conviction. Earlier, senators rejected the charge of perjury by a 55-45 vote, as 10 Republicans joined the Democrats.

Both charges would have required 67 votes for conviction, a threshold that senators have known for weeks would not be met.

Shortly after the votes, Rehnquist banged his gavel to end the five-week trial. Senators then rejected an effort by Sen. Dianne Feinstein, D-Calif., to force a vote today on her recommendation to censure the president for "shameful, reckless and indefensible" behavior.

Her proposed censure, which Democrats may try to resurrect after a mid-February recess, would rebuke Clinton for giving false or misleading testimony and "impeding discovery of evidence in judicial proceedings." The symbolic effort was a reminder that, acquittal aside, Clinton remains forever tarnished as only the second president in history to be impeached.



SKY VIEW — Western Texas College's planetarium was one of a number of stops along the tour during the campus open house Thursday. Melanie Shelhamer (left) with Abilene Career Stop and Phi Theta Kappa president Jessica Garmer are shown silhouetted against the sky. (Staff Photo By Joyce May)

Report states Stanfield school has no cancer-causing agents

Stanfield Elementary is free of any cancer-causing agents.

That was the finding in a final report to the Snyder ISD board of trustees at its meeting Thursday night.

Lawton Taylor, director of maintenance, presented the final report from the environmental study, and no new findings were revealed.

Two earlier reports from King Consultants indicated there were no carcinogens found during the extensive study of the building's air or water supply.

The study did indicate a large amount of mold and fungus in the building's duct work.

Brian Rogers of King Consultants, had said earlier that finding is not unusual.

"There are years of dust in the system, just like in every other school in Texas," Rogers said.

Taylor said Thursday night that, "Zero asbestos was found, there is no lead in the water — nothing that would cause cancer."

The study was prompted after the school administration received a letter from Stanfield school employees noting that since 1993, six teachers who had worked in the building had cancer.

Taylor also updated the board on immediate maintenance problems throughout the district.

Taylor said the immediate need was to update the electrical systems throughout the district in order to add computers and other technology.

He also estimated this cost to be $306,000, district-wide.

Another priority item, said Taylor, is the cooling system at the high school. "It may be good for one to two years."

In addition to the maintenance report, the board also approved his resignation, effective June 30.

Taylor, who has been with the district since 1988, is retiring.

The board also approved the resignation of Stanfield Elementary principal Lois Boles who has been with the district since 1992.

The board approved one-year extensions of all other administrators, including campus principals and assistant principals, as well as the contracts for assistant superintendents Dr. Melissa Jones and Lee McNair.

Dr. Jones serves as the assistant superintendent for elementary curriculum and special programs, while McNair is the assistant superintendent for business and finance.

The contract of athletic director and head football coach David Baugh was also extended, as was the contract for Barbara Granato, director of special programs.

The new personnel contracts will expire on June 30, 2001.

The board also called the school board election for May 1.

Terms of Place 1 trustee Glenn Clarady, Place 4 trustee Mark McCormick and Place 5 trustee Janet Stribling will be on the ballot.

Board president McCormick presided at last evening's meeting, and board members in attendance were Clarady, Luann Burleson, Richard Chambers, Bill Moss and Mike Levens. Stribling was absent.

Scurry Co. cotton delivered to Lorber

Lorber Industries of Texas received its first full load of Scurry County cotton Thursday.

The longer staple irrigated cotton was produced by Jim Spence and processed and marketed by Paymaster Gin.

Lorber has also purchased a few bales of cotton from Nelson Hallford, who is a spinning technician at the Lorber spinning plant in addition to being a cotton producer.

Hallford's cotton was produced at Dunn and processed at Farmer's Co-op Gin.

"Lorber always tries to buy local cotton, depending on quality and local growing conditions," Dwight Jackson, director of administration, said.

Thursday's load was the first full load of Scurry County cotton.

It had been shipped to a warehouse in Seagraves for storage, then shipped back here.

Officials said Lorber is considering building a larger warehouse for cotton, which would cut transportation costs.

SISD mineral values could drop 50 percent

Preliminary figures given to the Snyder Independent School District Board of Trustees Thursday night indicate mineral values on the school's tax rolls could drop as much as 50 percent due to declining oil prices.

Scurry County's chief tax appraiser Larry Crooks cautioned the board that the figures he presented were raw numbers, and subject to change.

Translated into dollars, Crooks said the district's losses due to low oil prices could be as high as $750,000.

A report from the State Comptroller's office earlier in the week projected the school district would lose up to $825,000 in oil-related tax money.

Lee McNair, assistant superintendent for business and finance, presented the board with figures estimating loss of revenue due to taxes and state revenue at $950,780 for the school year 1999-2000.

McNair's figures included loss of revenue from the state due to an estimated drop in enrollment of 150 students.

Both McNair and Supt. Gayle Lomax stated that the legislature is looking at several avenues to lessen the burden on West Texas school districts adversely affected by low oil prices.

In reviewing the information given to the trustees, board president Mark McCormick stated he was surprised to see that residential property is 27.7 percent of the tax role, while mineral values comprise 22.7 percent.

Residental property values are listed at $140,341,355, while mineral values are on the 1998 tax rolls at $105,480,490.

In anticipation of a budget shortfall, Supt. Lomax announced a district-wide hiring freeze effective immediately for all positions.

"As we go through these difficult times, this district will tighten its belt," said Lomax.

Lomax said the assistant superintendant post currently vacant would remain so for the 1999-2000 school year.

Schools in West Texas which are even more heavily dependent on oil prices for financial support than Snyder's are expected to see tremendous financial shortfalls.

Denver City ISD is projected to lose $5,250,000 in revenue - more than half of its normal operating budget.

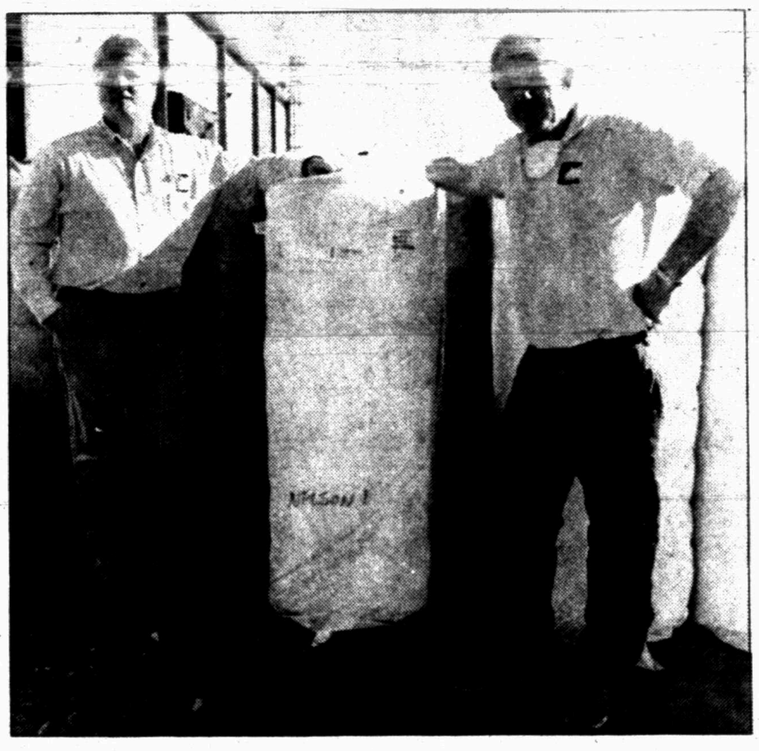
Andrews ISD is expected to lose $7.5 million.

Andrews ISD Supt. David Goodman said major personnel cuts could be in his district's future.

"It doesn't matter how many pencils you don't buy, you're not going to make up seven million dollars," said Goodman. "These kind of losses can only be made up by cutting personnel."

Snyder's superintendent agrees with that assessment.

"Eighty-percent of our budget is personnel, so it doesn't take long to figure where we will have to look first," Supt. Lomax said earlier in the week.



SCURRY COUNTY COTTON — Lorber Industries of Texas purchased cotton from Nelson Hallford, right, to use in its spinning mill. Hallford is a spinning technician at the plant in addition to being a cotton producer. (SDN Staff Photo)

Capitol is evacuated after threat

WASHINGTON (AP) — Police ordered the U.S. Capitol evacuated today after an apparent threat, shortly after the Senate voted to acquit President Clinton.

Security officers swept through the corridors and ordered people to leave. One Senate aide said he was told there was a bomb threat.

THE SDN COLUMN

By Roy McQueen

The feller on Deep Creek says, "Stress is when you say yes, but mean no — or if you say no, but mean yes.

Keeping tabs on our neighbors: "Clintonese" is sure to find its place into the history books. Lynn Brisendine, in the Brownfield News, told a Clinton story that is sure to serve as a reference for future history buffs.

Dad: Son, come in here a minute. We need to talk about the scratch down the side of the car. Did you do it?

Son: I don't believe — if I understand the definition of 'scratch the car' — that I can truthfully say I scratched the car.

Dad: Well, it wasn't there yesterday, and you drove the car last night. No one has driven it since, so how do you explain the scratch?

Son: Well, as I've said before, I have no recollection of scratching the car. While it is true that I did take the car out last night, I did not scratch it.

Dad: But your sister, Monica, has told me she saw you back the car out against the mailbox at the end of the driveway. She saw you get out to examine the car, then drive away. So, again, I'll ask you, did you scratch the car?

Son: Oh, you mean you think you have evidence to prove I scratched it. Well, you see, I understood you to mean did I, myself, scratch the car. I stand by my earlier statement that I did not scratch the car.

Dad: Are you telling me you didn't drive the car into the mailbox?

Son: Well, you see, sir, I was trying to drive the car into the street. I mishandled the steering, and it resulted in direct contact with the mailbox, though that was clearly not my intent.

Dad: So, you are then saying that you did not hit the mailbox?

Son: No sir, that's not my statement. I'll refer you back to my original statement that I did not scratch the car.

Dad: But the car did hit the mailbox, and the car did get scratched as a result of this contact?

Son: Well, yes. I suppose you could look at it that way.

Dad: So you lied to me when you said you did not scratch the car?

Son: No, no, that's not correct. Your question was "did I scratch the car?" From a strict legal definition, as I understand the meaning of that sentence, I did not scratch the car — the mail box did. I was merely present when the scratching occurred. So my answer of "no" when you asked if I scratched the car was legally correct, although I did not volunteer information.

The dad was reassured. He remembered that every young man has the ability to grow up to become president.

ASK US

Q—How many pounds of yarn does Lorber Industries produce in a week?

A—According to Lorber officials, the spinning plant produces between 270,000 and 280,000 pounds of yarn, which is then sent to buyers in various locations, including Mexico and California.

FORECAST - ALMANAC

Snyder Temps: High Thursday, 50 degrees; low, 24; 7 a.m. Friday, 25; no precipitation; total for 1999, .95 of an inch.

Area Forecast: Tonight, clear. Low, lower 20s. Light wind. Saturday, sunny. High, mid 60s. S wind 5 15 mph.



Matthew Arguello
Sunny

Sunset:
6:28 p.m.
Sunrise:
7:27 a.m.
Of 42 days in 1999, the sun has shone 41 days in Snyder.

TODAY'S THOUGHT

"Stretch your hands as far as they reach; grab all that you can grab."

Yoruba Proverb

Court may want to restudy Miranda ruling

WASHINGTON (AP) — Legal experts doubt the Supreme Court ever will let state and local police ignore its 1966 Miranda decision on criminal suspects' rights. But they say a new federal appeals court ruling could cause the justices to restudy the landmark ruling.

"If this goes to the Supreme Court, the justices will have to decide whether they want to toss out more than 30 years of jurisprudence that stemmed from Miranda," said Stephen Saltzburg, a George Washington University law professor. "I don't think they'll go for that."

University of Michigan law professor Yale Kamisar said, "It would be an interesting battle, but I think Miranda would win out."

Millions of Americans have seen movie and TV police officers read suspects their rights. "You have the right to remain silent. Anything you say may be used against you in a court of law. You have the right to an attorney. If you cannot afford one, an attorney will be appointed for you."

Police nationwide have been giving such warnings before questioning criminal suspects in custody ever since the Supreme Court said they had to in a decision called Miranda vs. Arizona. Failure to do so often means a confession or incriminating remark made to police is inadmissible as evidence in court.

In the 1966 ruling, the Supreme Court threw out an Arizona court's conviction of Ernesto Miranda on charges of kidnapping and rape. Miranda, who was identified in a police lineup, confessed and signed a written statement without being told he had a right to a lawyer.

The decision was steeped in the constitutional protection against self-incrimination, but the court never explicitly said the Constitution requires such warnings to guard against police coercion.

Ruling in a Virginia bank robbery case this week, a three-judge panel of the 4th U.S. Circuit Court of Appeals said a long-ignored 1968 federal law trumped the Miranda decision and freed federal law enforcement officers from having to give the familiar warnings in every case.

That ruling is now binding law in the 4th Circuit's five states — Virginia, Maryland, North Carolina, South Carolina and West Virginia.

Congress said such evidence could be used at trial as long as federal judges are sure the statements were made voluntarily. The federal law says compliance with Miranda is just one factor to be considered.

Seven presidential administrations, Republican and Democratic alike, have refused to enforce the 1968 law, however, out of concern for its constitutionality.

"We ... have determined the Supreme Court has concluded that (Miranda) is constitutionally based since ... it has applied it to the states as well," Attorney General Janet Reno said Thursday. "It would be up to the Supreme Court to make the determination that it was not constitutionally based."

Twelve cheerleaders attending nat'l finals

Twelve Snyder cheerleaders are attending the American Spirit Championship National Finals today through Sunday in San Antonio. The convention includes competitions featuring routine cheers, dance combinations and tumbling.

Varsity cheerleaders include Janette Allen, Starla Davis, Ashley Grimmett, Shannon Hall, Mary Hollis, K.K. McClain, Lauren Hackfeld and Lindsey Nicholson.

Others from either the junior varsity or freshman cheerleading squads include Cary Brown, Vanessa Freeman, Jaci Smith and Tara Price.

Alternate varsity cheerleader Debbie Foster was not able to attend because she has a broken foot.

Neika Porter, sponsor and coach, is also at the convention.

Kay Carter assists with cheerleader activities.

The cheerleaders earned the estimated $8,000 in costs, which includes new uniforms for the four non-varsity cheerleaders, through various fund-raisers, including bake sales and car hopping at the Sonic. They also received donations from the community.

To prepare for the finals, the cheerleaders had attended twice-a-month clinics in Lubbock. The cost was $250 per session.

The Lubbock instructors also provided the music to go along with the routines the Snyder girls were to perform.



16 hospitalized

ATLANTA (AP) — Twenty-one people were hospitalized Thursday after an unidentified man sprayed a mysterious substance on a train.

The fumes caused chest pains, respiratory problems and eye irritation among the victims, who were given oxygen and then washed down with a water and bleach solution before they were transported to a hospital.

Most of the victims were expected to be released. A 14-year-old boy was in critical condition.

Garmer, Tyler selected for USA academic team

Western Texas College has selected Jessica Garmer and Jason Tyler as nominees for the All USA Community and Junior College Academic Team.

Both are members of the Psi Zeta Chapter of Phi Theta Kappa.

On April 20, the two will travel to Austin for a luncheon honoring their being named to the team, which is sponsored by USA Today and Phi Theta Kappa.

Garmer and Tyler, were selected last December in a campus-wide selection process.

The two sophomores were chosen from a slate of six students previously named among the 19 WTC students listed in this year's Who's Who in American Junior Colleges publication.

WTC students receiving the Who's Who honor are initially nominated by WTC faculty members.

The top six students from the Who's Who list are considered for the academic team based upon highest grade point average and involvement in campus activities.

Other finalists included Genieva Gaona of Lubbock, international student Nicole Mazava of Slovakia, Geoffrey Sanders of Snyder and Travis Dale Simpson of Lubbock.

Each of the six prepared an essay of 500 words or less detailing their most outstanding experience while attending WTC.

Five WTC faculty members then ranked the essays, based on a point rating system.

The essay along with recommendations from campus faculty and administrators were next forwarded for the nationwide contest.

The honorees will next be placed on either the 1st or 2nd place team.

First place winners will travel to Nashville.

In addition, 20 first place students will receive a $2,500 cash stipend and be featured in a special edition of USA Today.

The second place winners will receive medallions and have their names listed in USA Today.

Garmer, a sophomore from Snyder, serves as PTK president and has been active in student government as a chairperson of entertainment.

She recently volunteered for the America Reads mentor program with Phi Theta Kappa. Also, she was elected a "campus favorite" and a nominee for Miss WTC last spring.

Garmer plans to transfer to Texas Tech University next fall, working towards a Ph.D.

Tyler is a sophomore from Pullman, Wash. working towards a BA degree in criminal justice.

After earning his degree, he plans to pursue a career as a law enforcement officer.

He is currenlty involved in student government as treasurer.

He also is a member of the Baptist Student ministry and serves on the Traffic Appeals Committee at WTC.

Tyler was also named a "campus favorite" last spring and was chosen as Mr. WTC at the annual spring formal.

El Nino had some surprises

WASHINGTON (AP) — From its speedy development to its unusual strength and sudden departure, last year's El Nino provided surprise after surprise to scientists.

They responded by making it what may have been the most completely studied, measured, probed and prodded weather phenomenon on record.

Michael J. McPhaden of the National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration's Pacific Marine Environmental Laboratory in Seattle details that analysis in today's issue of the journal Science.

"I don't think anyone in the community realized how strong it would be," he said in a telephone interview.

"Another great surprise was how quickly it ended," he said. "We basically went from the strongest El Nino on record to moderate to strong La Nina conditions in the course of a month."

El Nino is a periodic warming of the eastern tropical Pacific Ocean that can cause unusual weather worldwide. La Nina is its opposite, a cooling of that water to below normal readings.

4-H youth wins awards

Scurry County 4-H youth recently participated in the Southwestern Exposition and Livestock Show in Ft. Worth.

The results of the Ft. Worth Livestock Show include: Tess Gruben, first place, middle weight Hereford Steer; T'Leah Eicke, sixth place, light heavy weight Hereford steer; Tatum Gruben, eight place, heavy weight Hereford steer; and Malorye Miller, ninth place, light weight polled Hereford steer.

Other 4-H youth also exhibiting at the Ft. Worth Livestock Show were: Rad Eicke, Morgan Miller, Cody Beaver and Katie Voss.

County officials adopt safety audit program

Scurry County officials took a pro-active stance on Improving workers' safety by adopting a resolution to participate in a safety audit program.

The program provides for a comprehensive safety effort on the part of Scurry County in exchange for approximately $7,038 off of their Workers' Compensation bill.

This resolution was adopted by County Judge Ricky Fritz, County Commissioners Ralph Trevey, Roy Idom, Howard Limmer, and Cholanne Lindsey, as well as by Sheriff Darren Jackson.

This resolution will allow administrators of Scurry County's self-insurance pool to assist department heads in the enhancement of their current safety and health programs.

A board of county officials oversees the county's partnership with over 300 other Texas counties and public entities in a non-profit Workers' Compensation self-insurance pool.

This board has cut the projected Workers' Compensation bill for the county by approximately $7,038 in exchange for the enhanced safety effort.

The board has "invested" this money within the county, confident that the comprehensive safety efforts will pay off for Scurry County, its employees, and other members of self-insurance pool.

Texas Association of Counties (TAC), which administers the program, is providing safety specialists at no additional charge to the county to assist in realistic, cost effective measures for accident prevention.

TAC's Mike Strawn, who oversees this initiative state, "I applaud these county officials for taking their safety efforts seriously."

He added, "There are so many things that county officials can let fall through the cracks and unfortunately, many taxpayers never know. Safety programs usually fall into that category, so seeing this commitment is a testament to these officials working together to prevent unnecessary accidents and save on Worker's Compensation costs to taxpayers."

Strawn also stated, "Our board has thrown in these immediate incentives on their Workers' Comp bill, which should lead to some really substantial long term savings. Sometimes the best thing that comes out of these programs is keeping people from getting hurt on the job and seeing improvement in morale and productivity."

Museum board elects three new members

The Scurry County Museum elected three new board members in January.

David Beaver, Jo Ann Prince and Kent Wright will replace outgoing board members Robert Adams, Laura Jones and Martha Martin.

In addition, Drew Bullard will return for a second three year term.

Other board members include James R. Cave, president; C.R. Perez, vice president; and Dr. Carl Dillaha, secretary.

Bullard will serve as treasurer.

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WESSON-MARTIN EARNS CAR — Mary Kay Independent Consultant Jana Wesson-Martin (left) recently qualified as a team manager and earned a red Pontiac Grand Am. To qualify as a team manager, Wesson-Martin had to meet specific sales and team building requirements. Also pictured is Wesson-Martin's sales director, Denise Wood. (SDN Staff Photo)

Local on road to success

Jana Wesson-Martin, Mary Kay Independent Consultant, is on the road to success.

She recently qualified as a team manager and earned a red Pontiac Grand Am.

To qualify as a team manager, Wesson-Martin, who's been in business less than a year, had to meet specific sales and team building requirements.

When asked what appealed to her most about the business, Wesson-Martin said, "Financially, I'd put this company up against any other. When I was considering the business, I was so impressed to learn that its clean, pure marketing plan is taught at some 36 business schools, including Harvard and Oxford. And it's one of the top companies internationally."

Mary Kay is America's best-selling brand of skin care and color cosmetics, based on the most recently published sales data.

The product line ineludes more than 200 premium products, including both women's and men's skin care and nutritioanl supplements.

The U.S. Mary Kay fleet, the largest commerical fleet of GM passenger cars in the world, includes 10,000 career cars valued at more than $150 million.

Wesson-Martin and her husband, Rick, have two sons, Wes, 15, and Jed, 13. She is also assistant professor of English at Western Texas College.

20 years later...

Stolen Indian baskets returned

RENO, Nev. (AP) — Three hand-woven Indian baskets stolen in broad daylight from the Nevada Historical Society more than 20 years ago and valued at nearly $1 million have been officially returned.

The event on Thursday ends a tale of thievery, dealing and negotiating.

"We don't know who stole them and we really don't know where they've been," said Peter Bandurraga, Nevada Historical Society director.

The baskets were made by Washoe Tribe member Dat So La Lee, who is believed to have lived from about 1850 to 1925. She made the baskets for Carson City businessman Abe Cohen, who sold them.

Dat So La Lee made about 120 baskets in her lifetime, and her work became renowned for its intricate style and distinctive weave.

The Nevada Legislature purchased 20 remaining baskets from Cohen's widow in 1945 for $1,500. Their value has soared, with some estimated at $300,000.

In 1978, four were stolen from the Nevada Historical Society on the University of Nevada, Reno campus. One was recovered two years later — and the rest vanished.

"At one point, we suspected they'd never be seen again," said J.R. Hill, agent in charge of the FBI office in Reno.

Then, in 1997, the three missing baskets were purchased by Paul Shepard, a Tucson, Ariz., art dealer. Shepard brought them to the attention of the FBI after an expert on Washoe tribal art identified them as stolen.

The art dealer said he purchased the baskets from another collector, Hill said. Nevada eventually paid the man $55,000 to get them back.

Historical Society officials were worried about how the rare and delicate baskets made of tule and fern were being stored by the FBI.

The baskets were secretly returned and stored in a climate-controlled room at the society's headquarters here. Last month, authorities decided there was insufficient evidence for any prosecutions in the case and authorized the FBI to release the baskets.

Hatch eyes motives in Starr leaks

WASHINGTON (AP) — Sen. Orrin Hatch is questioning whether the Justice Department can conduct an unbiased probe of possible misconduct by Independent Counsel Kenneth Starr.

Hatch, chairman of the Senate Judiciary Committee, also complained Thursday that the timing of recent news leaks about whether Starr overstepped his bounds in the early days of the Monica Lewinsky investigation smacks of partisanship.

"The articles appeared in the press while the Senate was conducting final deliberations on the articles of impeachment against President Clinton," Hatch, R-Utah, wrote in a letter to Deputy Attorney General Eric Holder.

"The timing of these articles could not be more suspicious," Hatch wrote, warning Holder to be ready to answer questions about the matter at a previously scheduled meeting with him today.

"We will provide whatever information is appropriate at the meeting," Justice Department spokesman Myron Marlin said.

Community Calendar

FRIDAY

Cornelius-Dodson House; open by appointment, call 573-9742.

Just For Today NA; Snyder Park Club; for information, call 573-0949 or 573-8018; 6 p.m.

Scurry County AA, closed meeting; Park Club in Winston Park; for information, call 573-8626, 573-9458 or 574-1292; 8 p.m.

Al-Anon; Park Club in Winston Park, 37th and Ave. M; for information, call 573-4203, 573-8626, 573-2101 or 573-0695; 8 p.m.

SATURDAY

Defensive Driving Course; Snyder Savings and Loan; no reservations necessary, cost $30, for more information call 573-2850; 8 a.m. to 3 p.m.

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

Rolling Plains Ratite Association; The Shack; 7 p.m.

Just For Today NA, open meeting; Park Club; for information, call 573-0949 or 573-8018; 7 p.m.

SUNDAY

Scurry County AA, open meeting; Park Club in Winston Park; for information, call 573-8626, 573-9458 or 574-1292; 10 a.m.

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

Just For Today, closed meeting; Park Club in Winston Park; for information, call 573-0949 or 573-8018; 5 p.m.

Bridge

By Phillip Alder



	North	02-12-99
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	♥ K 10 8 6 5 2	
	♦ 10 3	
	♣ K Q 3	
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♥ J		♥ Q 9 7 4
♦ A K J 8 7 5		♦ 4
♣ 9 6 5 2		♣ J 10 7 4
	South	
	♠ A Q J 4 2	
	♥ A 3	
	♦ Q 9 6 2	
	♣ A 8	

Vulnerable: North-South
Dealer: South

South	West	North	East
1 ♠	2 ♦	2 ♥	Pass
3 NT	Pass	Pass	Pass

Opening lead: ♦ A

Keeping an eye open

By Phillip Alder

Bridge experts tend to divide into two camps. The first plays with blinders on, concentrating on finding the best technical line. The second uses "table presence." These players are like My Favorite Martian, with antennae always up, tuned in for any little clue the opponents are willing to transmit. (It is illegal to take any notice of partner's rhythm or demeanor.)

Dorothy Truscott is particularly good at noting her opponents' tempo. She gives this deal in the final chapter of her book "Bid Better, Play Better" (Devyn Press).

North did well to pass out three notrump; four hearts would have had no chance.

West started with two top diamonds, East discarding a club. Now West switched to the heart jack. Truscott won with the ace and returned a heart to dummy's king, hoping for a favorable break. However, when West threw a diamond, she continued unerringly with a spade to her ace and a low spade from hand, bringing down the king. Now South had nine tricks: four spades, two hearts and three clubs. Why did Truscott play the spades in that abnormal way?

The first clue came when West cashed his second top diamond. This marked him with a side entry, which had to be the spade king. Without that card, he would have switched at trick two, hoping partner could gain the lead to poke a diamond through South's queen.

The second indication also came at trick two. East was reluctant to part with a club. With five clubs, he wouldn't have been worried. And if he had four clubs, he must have begun with four spades. Hence West had king-doubleton.

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Date Book

Feb. 12, 1999

Today is the 43rd day of 1999 and the 54th day of winter.

TODAY'S HISTORY: On this day in 1872, Silas Noble and James Cooley of Granville, Mass., patented a toothpick-making machine.

On this day in 1963, the movie "Cleopatra," starring Elizabeth Taylor, premiered.

On this day in 1974, the Philadelphia Mint struck the first Susan B. Anthony dollar coin.

TODAY'S BIRTHDAYS: Abraham Lincoln (1809-1865), U.S. president; Charles Darwin (1809-1882), naturalist; George Meredith (1828-1909), writer; John L. Lewis (1880-1969), labor leader; Omar Bradley (1893-1981), U.S. Army general; Bill Russell (1934-), basketball great, is 65; Judy Blume (1938-), writer, is 61; Arsenio Hall (1958-), entertainer, is 41.

TODAY'S SPORTS: On this day in 1926, baseball player Joe Garagiola was born in St. Louis, Missouri.

TODAY'S QUOTE: "It may seem strange that any men should dare to ask a just God's assistance in wringing their bread from the sweat of other men's faces, but let us judge not, that we be not judged." — Abraham Lincoln

TODAY'S MOON: Between last quarter (Feb. 8) and new moon (Feb. 16).

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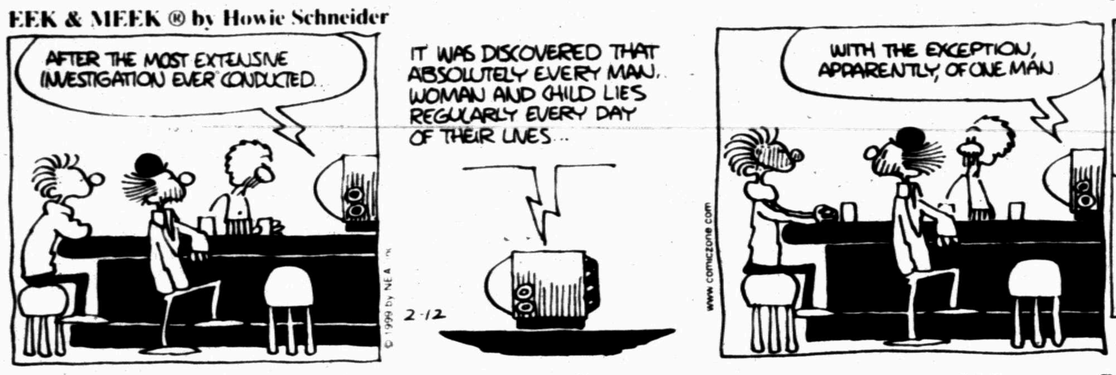
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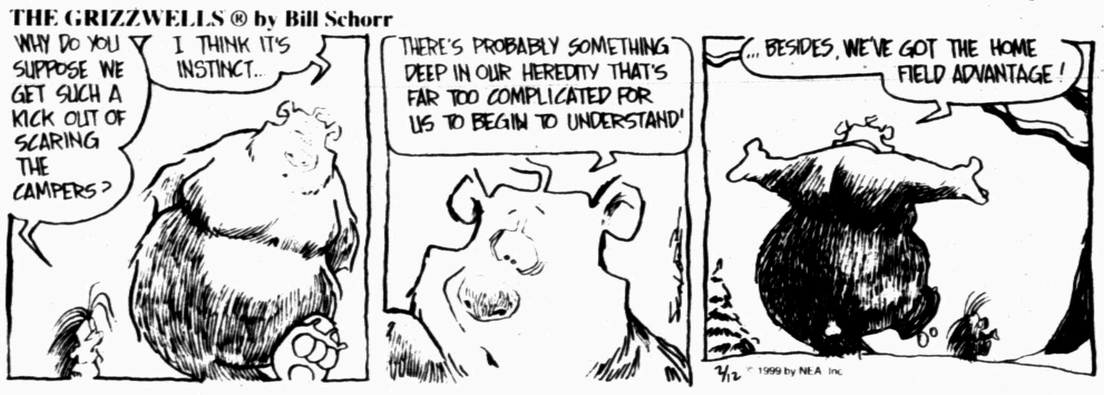
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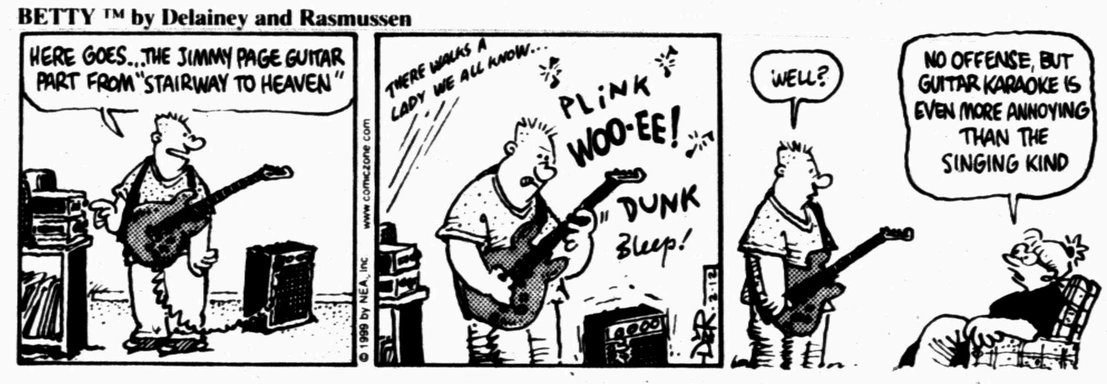
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13 More like Uriah Heep
14 Peter of "My Favorite Year"
15 Cuba or Bermuda
16 Wise counselor
17 Hawaiian wreath
18 Finish
20 Marsh
21 Fat around kidneys
23 Legal matter
24 Starlet's quest
25 Attention-getting sound
27 Comprise
29 Thousands of years
31 Necessity for life
32 Three, in Turin
33 Scold
34 Senator Kennedy's turf
37 Carol
40 To laugh, in Toulouse
41 Lay
43 Bicycle part
45 U.N. member
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48 Property
51 "La —" (Puccini opera)
54 Unlock again
55 Smoother
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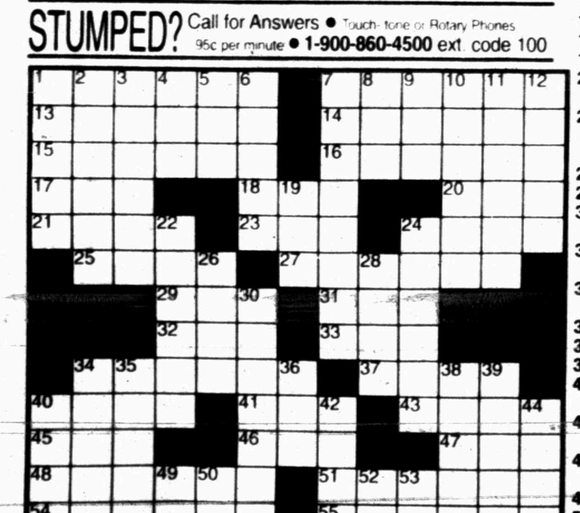
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10 Passable
11 Dismal
12 Suit fabric
19 By birth
22 Feared African fly
24 Fifth word of "Auld Lang Syne"
26 Legal wrong
28 Favoritism
30 Artificial rubber
34 Actress Jacqueline
35 Gifted speaker
36 Lump
38 — Creed
39 Dirts
40 They're regretful
42 Himalayan region
44 Put into action
49 GI's address
50 Actor Danson
52 Caesar's breakfast?
53 Dress border

Answer to Previous Puzzle

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SPORTS

WTC on target in 67-54 win

After dropping four straight, Western Texas improved its shooting and tightened up its defense in the paint to get back on the winning track.

The Lady Dusters shot 54 percent in the first half, then shut down Clarendon's Kirl Neptune in the final 20 minutes to record a 67-54 conference victory Thursday night at Scurry County Coliseum.

The victory snaps a four-game skid and improves Western Texas' record to 16-9 on the season and 4-6 in WJCAC play.

The Lady Dusters continued their strong defensive play, but it was their offensive performance which secured the win, according to WTC coach Valery Jackson.

"We played pretty good defense, like we have been lately," Jackson said. "But we shot the ball a lot better. We've been struggling on the offensive end in our last few games, but the girls executed well and put the ball in the hole tonight."

The Lady Bulldogs started strong, feeding the ball inside to Neptune, a 6-foot post.

Neptune poured in 14 points in the opening half to keep Clarendon in the ballgame.

Western Texas responded with balanced scoring as eight Lady Dusters got on the board in the first 20 minutes.

Ten points from Crystal Williams and an 8 of 10 performance by the WTC squad from the free-throw line, powered the Lady Dusters to a 37-29 halftime advantage.

"Clarendon came out ready to play and they were having success getting the ball to Neptune," said Jackson. "But our girls hung in there and made their free throws and only turned the ball over 12 times in the first half to give us the lead."

Western Texas took control of the game in the second half by shutting down Neptune. Clarendon's sophomore leader netted just two points in the final period.

WTC point guard Carrie Fincher continued her squad's assault from the charity stripe, draining all six of her second-half attempts. The Lady Dusters finished the night 22 of 29 from the line.

"We've been playing really well lately, we just haven't been able to put the ball in the hole," Jackson remarked. "Tonight we could and that was the difference. If we can keep on shooting the ball well, then we should finish the season on a strong note."

Danielle Brown led the Lady Dusters with 11 points, while Williams and Pam Odhuong'o added 10 apiece.

Western Texas hits the road to visit Frank Phillips on Monday, before returning home Thursday to host Odessa.

Clarendon (54)
Neptune 6 4-6 16, Weatherby 4 1-3 10, Henderson 5 1-2 11, Gardner 2 2-2 6, Knorpp 1 1-2 3, Russ 1 0-1 3, Parks 1 1-1 3, Davis 1 0-0 2. **Totals 21 10-17 54.**
Western Texas (67)
Odhuong'o 2 6-10 10, Lawrence 2 4-4 9, Brown 5 0-0 11, Williams 4 2-2 10, Wells 2 2-3 6, Fincher 0 6-6 6, Tran 2 1-2 5, Moon 2 0-0 4, Cavazos 1 1-2 4, Vizcorrondo 1 0-0 2. **Totals 21 22-29 67.**
Halftime score: Western Texas 37, Clarendon 29. Three-point goals: Clarendon 2 (Russ, Weatherby), Western Texas 3 (Brown, Cavazos, Lawrence). Rebounds: Clarendon 27 (Neptune 10), Western Texas 25 (Odhuong'o 7). Total fouls: Clarendon 20, Western Texas 19. Fouled out — Knorpp.

Houston 105, Dallas 95...

Rocket rookies pick up slack

DALLAS (AP) — Scottie Pippen isn't the only Houston newcomer making a big early impression.

Rookies Michael Dickerson and Cuttino Mobley and veteran Stanley Roberts showed Thursday night in a 105-95 victory over the Dallas Mavericks that the Rockets have weapons other than their well-publicized headliners.

Dickerson scored 21 points, including a game-sealing 3-pointer with 2:04 left, as the Rockets downed Dallas for the 10th consecutive time.

Roberts, playing in his first game for Houston, had 10 points and Mobley, a second round pick from Rhode Island, scored eight points.

"Stanley Roberts and Dickerson stepped up for us," Houston's Charles Barkley said.

Dickerson, a first-round draft pick from Arizona, came into the game averaging just four points. His 3-pointer gave Houston a 97-88 lead, and Dallas couldn't recover.

Dickerson was 8-of-13 from the field as he surprised Dallas with his outside shooting ability.

"Dickerson made some big shots for us," coach Rudy Tomjanovich said. "He's a very good shooter. Our bench did a great job for us."

Barkley had 16 points and 15 rebounds for the Rockets, Scottie Pippen added 16 and nine rebounds, Othella Harrington had 13 points and Roberts 10.

"We played really good defense," Barkley said. "We haven't given up 100 points this year. That's great. We have to keep building on it."

Pippen agreed.

"Our team defense stepped up and helped us to this win," Pippen said. "We do a good job getting back in transition defense. You credit this win to our tough defense."

Against Andrews...

Tigers look to maintain win streak, district lead

Carrying a bus load of confidence and a five-game winning streak, the Snyder Tigers travel to Andrews tonight, looking to keep their share of the district lead.

Snyder (16-12, 7-1) can retain their portion of 5-4A's top spot with a win over the Mustangs (10-20, 5-3). Tip-off is slated for 7:30.

The Tigers are knotted atop the standings with Lake View, and a win tonight followed by a victory on Tuesday over Big Spring would crown Snyder as District 5-4A co-champions.

But coach Bud Birks knows the Tigers must first take care of business in Andrews.

"I'm sure their coach will have something new for us," Birks said. "They'll have a new wrinkle that we haven't seen and our kids will have to be ready and respond."

Snyder edged the Mustangs by two points in their first meeting at the SHS gym. But since that match-up, the Tigers are executing better and playing with more confidence.

"This team has tremendous heart," said Birks. "They believe they can beat anybody and so they're never out of a game."

The Tigers will be without the services of junior Trey Gorman who will miss tonight's contest due to pinkeye.

Snyder concludes its district schedule Tuesday at home against Big Spring.

9th grade girls topple Cooper, fall to 'Stangs

Snyder's freshman girls basketball team wrapped up its season by splitting its final two games.

The Lady Tigers rallied to capture a 32-31 victory over Abilene Cooper, before falling to Andrews, 51-35.

Against the Lady Cougars, Elvia Barrera poured in 16 points to pace Snyder.

Lori Chesser netted seven points, with Stephanie Molina notching four. Andrea Martinez posted three points, while Maritza Aguirre added two.

Barrera again led the Lady Tigers' effort against Andrews, rattling home 15 points.

Martinez registered eight points, with Chesser and Laci Hackfeld accounting for six apiece.

Local Sports Schedule

TODAY
Basketball: Snyder Tigers at Andrews, JV at 6 p.m., varsity at 7:30.
Hermleigh Lady Cardinals vs. Blackwell, district playoff at Highland, 6:30.
Ira Bulldogs vs. Jayton, playoff practice game at Roby, 8 p.m.
Golf: Snyder varsity boys and JV girls at Big Spring tourney.
SATURDAY
Baseball: Snyder Tigers at Midland High, scrimmage, JV and varsity at 11 a.m.
Softball: Snyder Lady Tigers at Abilene Cooper, scrimmage at Redbud Park, 2 p.m.

NBA GLANCE

Thursday's Games
Miami 102, Toronto 84
Atlanta 100, Charlotte 88
Cleveland 99, San Antonio 89
Orlando 87, Detroit 81
Minnesota 86, L.A. Lakers 75
Houston 105, Dallas 95
Milwaukee 95, New Jersey 75
New York 73, Chicago 68
Utah 82, Phoenix 74
Indiana 101, Vancouver 97
Friday's Games
San Antonio at Philadelphia, 8 p.m.
Dallas at Denver, 9 p.m.
Utah at Golden State, 10:30 p.m.
Saturday's Games
L.A. Clippers at Phoenix, 9 p.m.
Denver at Seattle, 10 p.m.
Sunday's Games
San Antonio at Chicago, 2:30 p.m.
Milwaukee at Orlando, 3 p.m.
Atlanta at Philadelphia, 3 p.m.
Dallas at Vancouver, 3 p.m.
Indiana at L.A. Lakers, 5:30 p.m.
Portland at Golden State, 9 p.m.
Minnesota at L.A. Clippers, 9 p.m.

Sports Briefs

Snyder to host playoff games

A pair of District 14-A playoff basketball games will be held tonight at Scurry County Coliseum.

O'Donnell will square off with Spur at 6 p.m. in girls' action, followed by Aspermont vs. O'Donnell in boys' action at 8 o'clock.

Ticket prices are $2 for adults and $1 for students.

Pitching clinics scheduled

Weekly pitching clinics for girls' fast-pitch softball will begin Wednesday. Classes are limited. For more information, contact Herman Martinez at 573-0390.

MGA golf tournament

The Men's Golf Association of Western Texas College will hold a nine-hole, double-elimination, two-man scramble.

Tee times for 18 holes will be either 9:30 a.m. Saturday or 1 p.m. Sunday.

The field will be divided into two eight-team brackets and only the first 32 players to call will be accepted. To register contact Wayne Monroney at 573-9920.

Moon released by Seahawks

KIRKLAND, Wash. (AP) — Warren Moon was released by Seattle, leaving Jon Kitna as the only quarterback on the Seahawks' roster. Moon, 42, who was to be paid $5 million next season, still could return with a reduced salary.

Thomas agrees to five-year deal

MIAMI (AP) — All-Pro Zach Thomas has agreed to a five-year contract with the Miami Dolphins that is expected to make him one of the game's highest paid linebackers, The Associated Press learned.

Price to announce retirement

ATLANTA (AP) — Mark Price, a four-time All-Star who holds the NBA record for career free-throw percentage, was to announce his retirement today.

Price was waived by Orlando in June after just one season with the Magic. His 12-year career will officially end with a news conference at Alexander Memorial Coliseum, where he starred for Georgia Tech.


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COUNTY TREASURER'S REPORT

ORDER OF THE COMMISSIONERS COURT OF SCURRY COUNTY, TEXAS, APPROVING THE TREASURER'S REPORT FOR THE 4TH CALENDAR QUARTER, 1998. TO ALL TO WHOM THESE PRESENTS MAY COME, BE IT KNOWN THAT:

THE COMMISSIONERS COURT OF SCURRY COUNTY, TEXAS, did duly convene in Special Session at its meeting place in the Courthouse in the City of Snyder at 10:00 o'clock A.M. on Monday, February 1, 1999 and, the entire membership of said court, viz., Ricky Fritz, County Judge, presiding, and Ralph W. Trevey, Roy Idom, Jr., Howard Limmer., and Chloanne Lindsey Commissioners for Precincts, 1, 2, 3, and 4, respectively, being present, the matter of the comparison and examination of the Quarterly Report of Charlie Bell, Treasurer for Scurry County, for the period October 1 thru December 31, 1998 came to the attention of said Court and the said Court compared and examined the same, and inspected and counted all the actual cash, certificates of time and demand deposits, and other assets in the hands of the Treasurer belonging to the County at and as the time of such report: NOW, THEREFORE, the Commissioners Court finds that the Treasurer at and as of the time of his said report did not have actually in his hands any money or other assets of Scurry County but the same were all on deposit in the Snyder National Bank of Snyder, Texas, the official County depository, except the following, viz., Texpool; and that from the commencement of business at 8:00 o'clock A.M. on October 1, 1998 through December 31, 1998, the beginning and ending balances for each fund of the Treasurer of Scurry County, Texas, for such quarterly period are fully and accurately reflected by the following tabulation attached hereto, incorporated herein by reference, and made a part hereof for all purposes;

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF we, the aforesaid and undersigned County Treasurer, County Judge, and each Commissioner, swear that the above and foregoing averments are complete and correct and that the requirements of Article 1636, Vernon's Annotated Civil Statutes of Texas 1925, as amended, have been in all things duly complied with by the County Judge and each Commissioner aforementioned in the Special Session of said Court of Scurry: WHEREOF WITNESSETH OUR HANDS on the first above date.

SCURRY COUNTY TREASURER
FOURTH QUARTERLY SUMMARY

FUNDS	*CASH & INVESTMENT BALANCES DATE: 09-30-98*	*RECEIPTS*	*TRANSFERS IN*	*DISBURSEMENTS*	*TRANSFERS OUT*	*CASH & INVESTMENT BALANCES DATE: 12-31-98*
GENERAL						
Departmental				$734,625.81		
Jury				3,214.77		
Permanent Improvement				0.00		
Airport				38,567.82		
Health Unit				27,886.58		
Park & Coliseum				64,352.40		
Library				53,805.34		
TOTALS						
GENERAL FUND	$28,742.02	$2,785,580.26	$907,425.98	$912,451.72	$2,521,174.58	$288,121.96
PAYROLL CLEARING FUND	649.28	14,795.23	846,174.58	859,929.58	1,075.26	614.25
TEXPOOL FUND	5,747,575.96	84,335.48	2,082,459.00	0.00	1,057,567.00	6,856,803.44
ABANDONED VEHICLE FUND	2,109.95	2,649.98	0.00	1,357.32	0.00	3,402.61
D.A.R.E. PROGRAM FUND	744.20	222.26	0.00	230.19	0.00	736.27
HEALTH UNIT FUND	11,423.74	11,806.25	0.00	863.13	0.00	22,366.86
JUVENILE PROBATION FEES FUND	1,685.94	18.62	0.00	0.00	0.00	1,704.56
LIBRARY DONATIONS FUND	1,692.40	509.01	0.00	545.57	0.00	1,655.84
COGDELL DEPRECIATION FUND	73,710.27	788.56	150,000.00	160,658.41	0.00	63,840.42
COGDELL REFUND FUND	(7,944.07)	73.83	48,749.81	40,764.91	0.00	114.66
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TOTAL ALL FUNDS	$6,605,981.50	$6,587,260.94	$4,941,871.44	$5,055,777.19	$4,934,535.82	$8,144,800.87

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Interest 4th Quarter	$96,132.98
Interest Earned to Date	$374,141.15

(s) Charlie Bell, County Treasurer
(s) Ricky Fritz, County Judge
(s) Ralph W. Trevey, Commissioner for Precinct No. 1
(s) Roy Lee Idom, Jr., Commissioner for Precinct No. 2
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(s) Chloanne Lindsey, Commissioner for Precinct No. 4

SUBSCRIBED AND SWORN to by the said Charlie Bell, Ricky Fritz, Ralph W. Trevey, Roy L. Idom, Jr., Howard Limmer., and Chloanne Lindsey before me, the undersigned, a NOTARY PUBLIC in and for Scurry County, Texas: WHEREOF WITNESSETH on 1st day of February, 1999 in Snyder, Texas, my hand and official seal.

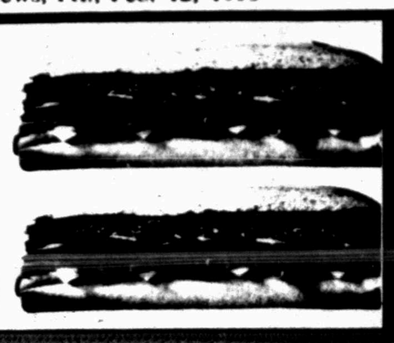
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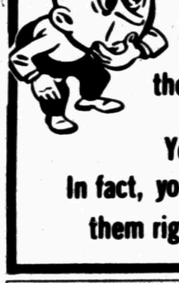
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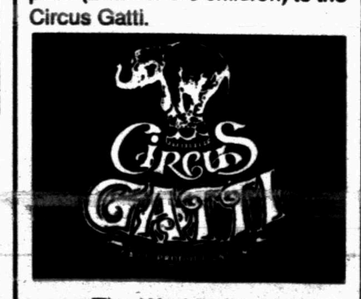
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4505 Denison 3-2-1 $68.5T.
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AT&T Corp		87¼	85 86 7-16—	1¾
AirTouch		91 1-16	90 1-16	90¼+ 7-16
Albertsons		58¼	56 15-16	57⅛— ⅛
AlldSignal	43	15-16	43¼ 43 13-16+	1-16
Alltel		61	9-16 60¼ 61 —	⅛
AmOnline s	161½	157 1-16	159 11-16—	5
AmOnline wi		81½	78¼ 80 1-16—	2 7-16
AmStores		34⅛	32 9-16 32⅜—	1 9-16
Ameritech		63⅛	61 7-16 61 11-16—	1⅜
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ATMOS Egy		25	9-16 25⅛ 25⅛—	⅛
Aviall		11	1-16 10¼ 11 —	1-16
BP Amoco	83	15-16	83 1-16 83⅛—	7-16
BakerHughes		18	9-16 17⅛ 17	15-16
BankAmerica		64⅛	62¼ 63⅜—1	9-16
BellAtl s	57	15-16	57 5-16 57 9-16—	⅛
BellSouth s		46	11-16 45¼ 45 7-16—	½
BethSteel			8¼ 8 1-16 8¼—	1-16
BurlNoSFe s		34⅛	33 13-16 33⅛—	3-16
CBS Corp			37 1-16 36	36⅛+ ⅛
Caterpillar		46	7-16 45 5-16	45⅜+ 3-16
CenSoWst		25⅛	24 13-16 24⅛—	⅛
Chevron		80	3-16 79¼ 79	11-16+ ⅛
Citigroup		53	15-16 52¼ 52⅜—	⅛
Coastal s	31	25-32	31½ 31 9-16—	1-16
CocaCola		64	15-16 63	63⅛— ⅛
ColgatePalm		87⅛	85¾ 86⅛—	⅛
ComclMetals		23½	23¼ 23⅜—	3-16
CooperIn		43¼	42 7-16 42⅜—	5-16
CyprusAmax			11¾ 10 15-16	11 1-16
DaimlrChry n	95	5-16	94 3-16 94	7-16—15-16
DallSemicn		35	15-16 35¼ 35	3-16— 1¾
DeltaAirl s			53¼ 52¼ 53	3-16— ⅜
Dillards Inc			26 25 13-16	26 + 1-16
DowChem		94	13-16 93¾ 94	11-16+ ⅛
DuPont			54½ 52 13-16	53⅜— ⅜
EastmanChem			46½ 46	46 — 3-16
EstKodak		66	3-16 65 9-16	65⅜— 3-16
EDS Corp			48 47	47⅜— ½
Entergy			28¼ 28¼	28⅜+ 1-16
Exxon			71¼ 70¼ 70	9-16+ 3-16
FstBksAm		20⅛	20 9-16 20	9-16— 1-16
Flowers		24	1-16 23 13-16	23 13-16— ⅜
FordMotor s		59	15-16 58⅛ 58	11-16—1 7-16
GTE Cp		64	9-16 64 1-16	64 5-16— ¼
GenDynam s			58½ 57 13-16	58¼+ ½
GenlElec		99	13-16 97 3-16	97⅛— 2¼
GenMills		82	7-16 81 15-16	82 1-16+ ¼
GenMotors			85 11-16	84¼ 85 — ⅜
GaPacGP			67 3-16	64¾ 66¼+ 5-16
GlobalMar		8	1-16 7 13-16	7 15-16— ¼
Goodrich		33½	33 5-16	33 5-16— 7-16
Goodyear s		49¼	49 1-16	49 5-16— ⅜
GtAtlPac		31⅛	30 13-16	30 13-16— 9-16
Halliburtn			31⅞ 30½	30¾— 9-16
Hanson ADS		36	9-16 36	7-16+ ¼
HarteHanks s		25	13-16 25¼	25⅜— 3-16
HomeDepot			58¼ 57 5-16	57⅜— ⅛
IBM		176¼	171¾ 172⅜—	5¼
IntlPaper			42½ 41 15-16	42¼+ ¼
JohnsonJn	85	3-16	84 5-16	84 11-16+ 1-16
K mart		16	9-16 16 1-16	16¼+ ¼
Kroger Co		60¼	60⅛ 60	13-16— 5-16
Litton	56	9-16	55 7-16	55⅛—1 3-16
LockheedM s		36¼	35⅞ 35	11-16—15-16
Lowes Cos s		56	5-16 54¾	55 1-16+ ⅜
Lubys		14	7-16 14	1-16 14 3-16— ¼
LucentTech s	100	13-16	96⅞ 97	11-16— 3¾
MayDeptStrs		60	5-16 59¾	59 9-16— ⅜
MediaOne	54	11-16	53 9-16	54 3-16—13-16
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Navistar			35¼ 33 5-16	35¼+ 2¼
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Penney JC	38	9-16	37 15-16	38 1-16— 7-16
PennzEngy s		11	5-16 11 3-16	11 3-16— ⅛
PepBoys			18¼ 18	18 1-16+ 9-16
PepsiCo		38	37¼ 37	11-16— 3-16
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PubSNwMx	16	11-16	16 3-16	16 3-16— 9-16
ReliantEngy		27	15-16 27¼	27½— 7-16
RoyalDut			44 7-16	43¼ 44
SBC Comm s			52¾ 51½	51¾— ¾
SaraLee s			25¾ 25¼	25 11-16+ 5-16
Scripps EW			44 7-16	44¼ 44¾
SearsRoeb		39	13-16 39 5-16	39¼+ ¼
SherwinW		25	7-16 24 15-16	25 — 1-16
SmithKlBchm		68¾	67 9-16 67	11-16— ⅜
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SwstAirl s			28 26¾	27 1-16— 15-16
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SprintPCS n			34¼ 33¾	33 7-16— 5-16
Sunoco Inc	33	13-16	33 7-16	33 11-16+ ¼
TNP Ent		31	9-16 31 5-16	31 5-16— ¾
Tandy	53	1-16	52 1-16	52 5-16—11-16
TempleInland		59	5-16 58¾	58¾— 1-16
Tenneco		30	15-16 30¾	30½+ 1-16
Texaco		51	1-16 50¾	50 7-16— 1-16
TexInd				25¾ 2525 — ½
TexasInst		94½	92 5-16	93 1-16— 2
TexUtil		41¾	40 13-16	40 15-16— 1
Textron		75	5-16 74¾	74¾— 5-16
TriconGlbR		57	7-16 56¼	57 — 1¾
TrinityInds		35¼	35¼ 35	9-16+ ¾
TritonEngy			6½ 6	7-16 6½
Tyler			5	7-16 5¼ 5¾
US West Inc			63 61¾	61¾— 9-16
USX-Marathn	23	7-16	23 1-16	23 3-16— 1-16
USX-USS		27	5-16 26	11-16 27 1-16+ ¾
UnCarbde		42	1-16 41	3-16 41¾— ⅜
UnionPacif		49¾	49¾ 49	11-16— 3-16
UnitedTech	121	7-16	120 3-16	121 5-16— 3-16
Unocal		30	13-16 29¾	30 1-16+ 3-16
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Art gallery to close

NEW YORK (AP) — John McEnroe must have decided art isn't his game.

The former tennis champion has decided to close his gallery in New York's trendy SoHo neighborhood, said his father, John P. McEnroe.

"He had his eyes opened a little bit by the whole experience," the senior McEnroe said Thursday of his son's stint with the downtown gallery, which sold contemporary art.

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$25 million proposed for boll weevils

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"Cotton is the state's top cash crop, earning more than $1.5 billion a year in direct cash receipts. ... Our producers have been losing their competitive edge to growers in other southern states which have not experienced drought and where boll weevil eradication has been completed resulting in lower production costs," she said Thursday.

Texas produces about 30 percent of the nation's cotton.

The proposed $25 million emergency appropriation in a bill by Senate Finance Committee Chairman Bill Ratliff, R-Mount Pleasant, could be used during the current fiscal year to help continue boll weevil eradication efforts already underway.

3 robbed, 1 killed

CLEBURNE (AP) — Three teen-agers were robbed and one of them was later shot to death after they pulled over in response to someone who flashed their lights at them on a Cleburne street about 2 a.m., police said.

After they pulled over early Thursday, Richie Abbott, 18, of Cleburne and two friends were taken at gunpoint to a Cleburne residence and Abbott was shot once in the head, police said.

Abbott died as paramedics worked to save him, police said.

Five suspects from Cleburne and Crowley were arrested early Thursday afternoon.

Tiffany Hall and Amanda Tremblay, both 19, were in Johnson County Jail facing charges of aggravated robbery.

Jury acquits 2 bounty hunters

DALLAS (AP) — Two bounty hunters have been acquitted of charges they carried guns and badges and pretended to be police when they captured a man who had jumped bail after pleading guilty to two counts of delivering drugs.

A jury returned innocent verdicts on Thursday for Arlington private investigator Douglas Keith Fox and former Fort Worth police officer Roy D. Morrison.

Edward Allen Wright was wanted on two $25,000 bonds when he skipped bail. Wright and two witnesses, who had more than a dozen police trips among them, alleged that the bounty hunters pounded on Wright's door in January of last year while yelling that they were Dallas police.

They said that once Fox and Morrison were inside, they flashed guns and badges.

Defense attorney David J. Pire praised the verdict. He said a lack of credibility among the complainants helped his cause. Pire also noted that Wright never complained to a Dallas County constable or jailers that the bounty hunters put a gun to his head.

Fox testified that he never identified himself as a police officer, and business associates testified that he never carried a weapon on the job.

Fox and Morrison still face misdemeanor charges of unlawful restraint stemming from a separate incident with another bail jumper about the same time.

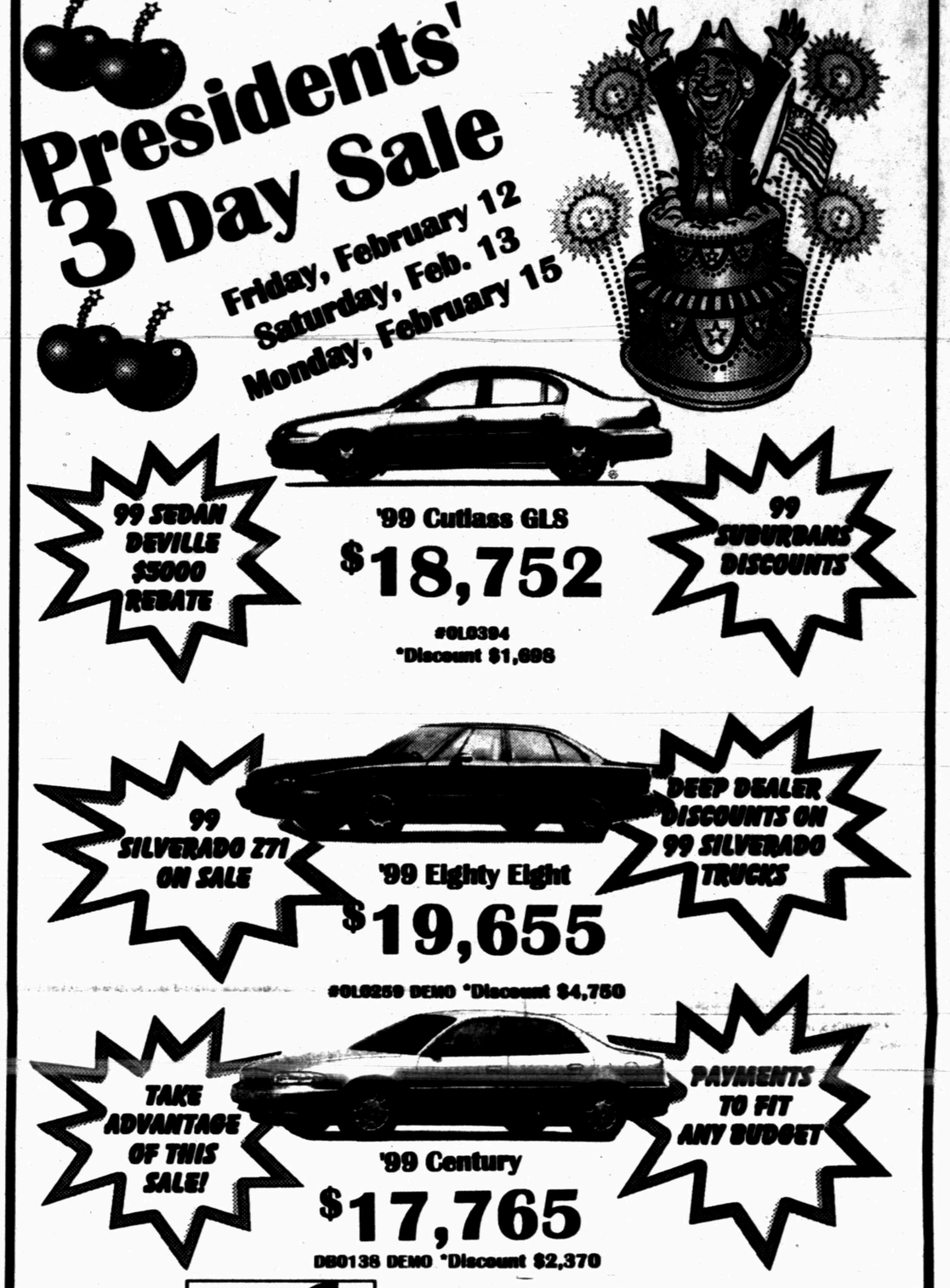
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I've told Patty that although I support her, I can't do what she's asking. It has put quite a strain on our marriage. If I give in and have that final argument, I know Patty will miss her sister and want to make up with her. With that in the background, I know I wouldn't be comfortable with Anita in our home.

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DEAR ABBY: Last month a dear friend's husband passed away. The death notice placed in the newspaper by her son-in-law closed with, "Memorial donations to the Mary Jane Doe Educational Fund in care of John Doe appreciated."

Abby, Mary Jane is the deceased's 3-year-old granddaughter. John Doe, the deceased's son-in-law (who is a lawyer and is easily able to pay for his daughter's education), was asked, "Is the money to be used for a scholarship for a needy student?"

He answered, "No, it's for my daughter."

John Doe's mother is Jewish. So, is this a Jewish custom?

CONFUSED IN CANADA'S CAPITAL

DEAR CONFUSED: Your letter is a first. No, it's not a Jewish custom. And the rabbi with whom I discussed your letter was as flabbergasted as I was.

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DEAR ABBY: I have known and cherished Ellen's friendship for 36 years. We're both in our 70s now and have been corresponding regularly because we both live comfortably and well in different states. We look forward to receiving mail from each other.

However, for the last four years, Ellen's letters have been written on memo pads, odd pieces of paper or whatever appears to be available. The last one I received from her was written on three separate scraps of paper.

My letters to her have always been on pretty, matched stationery. Do you think Ellen would think I was implying she was cheap if I mailed her a box of stationery and asked her to use it to write to me?

SICK OF SCRAPS, BILLINGS, MONT.

DEAR SICK OF SCRAPS: I have a better idea: Be subtler. Send her a lovely box of stationery with a note that says: "When I saw this, it reminded me of you and our many wonderful years of friendship — so I thought you ought to have it."

A friendship of 36 years' duration should be more important to you than the kind of paper that sustains it across the distance.

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Everybody has a problem. What's yours? Get it off your chest by writing to Dear Abby, P.O. Box 69440, Los Angeles, Calif. 90069. For a personal reply, please enclose a stamped, self-addressed envelope.

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Astro-graph

By Bernice Bede Osol

Your Birthday

Saturday, Feb. 13, 1999

The more you associate with persons who are resourceful and progressive, the better the year ahead will progress for you. Dealing with nonproductive types will only prove to be a drag for you.

AQUARIUS (Jan. 20-Feb. 19) You could discover today that by holding a grudge against someone who did something you resent and who you're forced to be involved with will cause you more pain than it does him or her. Trying to patch up a broken romance? The Astro-Graph Matchmaker can help you understand what to do to make the relationship work. Mail $2.75 to Matchmaker, c/o this newspaper, P.O. Box 1758, Murray Hill Station, New York, NY 10156.

PISCES (Feb. 20-March 20) Review how much time and money you've been spending on nonessential things and activities. You'll quickly identify the culprits today and be able to weed them out.

ARIES (March 21-April 19) If you appreciate the fact that objectives you set for yourself might not be too easy to come by today, you won't be so inclined to quit should the going get tough.

TAURUS (April 20-May 20) Being cautious about things is understandable, but being totally negative is self-defeating. Should you resort to the latter, you might possess too many doubts to do anything worthwhile today.

GEMINI (May 21-June 20) Just because you think you have something more important to do today, don't renege on an obligation you promised to take care of, or you'll look very bad in the eyes of others.

CANCER (June 21-July 22) Pessimistic associates could have a very bad affect on your outlook today and cause you to see mud instead of stars. Avoid these types if possible.

LEO (July 23-Aug. 22) You could easily turn insignificant tasks into gigantic undertakings today if your methods are slipshod. Plan what you're going to do before you swing your hammer.

VIRGO (Aug. 23-Sept. 22) Make positive projections today instead of negative ones or you could spend all your time worrying about things that'll probably never happen.

LIBRA (Sept. 23-Oct. 23) Unless you're spoiling for a fight today, don't try to pin the blame on your mate for everything that goes awry in your household. Treat life philosophically.

SCORPIO (Oct. 24-Nov. 22) If you attempt to embellish what you're selling or promoting today, your deception will quickly be discovered and you may never be trusted again. Instead, use the soft, factual approach.

SAGITTARIUS (Nov. 23-Dec. 21) Don't saddle yourself today with something that could later cause buyer's remorse. Be certain that any purchase of consequence is exactly what you want.

CAPRICORN (Dec. 22-Jan. 19) Disputes or any disagreements among family members today should be settled as expeditiously and speedily as possible. If not, fences might take a great deal of time to mend.

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THE SNYDER DAILY NEWS



DEDICATION — On hand at the dedication of the Workforce Training Center at Western Texas College were the board of trustees along with representatives from Adling and Associates, the architect firm for the project. Pictured from left are Alex Gross and Bill Adling, with Adling and Associates and trustees Jackie Greene, Dr. Jay Kidd, Carolyn Barbee, Eddie Peterson, Lee Presswood, R.C. Patton and Drew Bullard. (SDN Staff Photo)

Oilfield accident...

Testimony continues in trial

Max Drum, who narrowly escaped death in an oilfield accident involving hydrogen sulfide gas in 1996, was on the witness stand this morning testifying in a wrongful death suit being heard in 132nd District Court.

Thursday afternoon, Midland forensics engineer Ronald Britton continued his testimony, and Snyder EMS director Perry Westmoreland also testified.

Also testifying via a video tape deposition was State Rep. Warren Chisum of Pampa.

Drum's father, R.L. "Buddy" Drum, Jerry McNew and Juan Guardado died in the accident as they attempted to clean the inside of a frac tank.

Lawyers for the plaintiffs are arguing that the tank's design aided in the death of the three men.

On Tuesday, Cathy McNew, the widow of Jerry McNew, testified.

The suit was filed on Oct. 29, 1998 by the wives of the three victims.

The defendant in the trial is Bill Stephens Welding Company of Pampa — the firm which built the frac tank.

Paula Stephens, the president of the company which built the frac tank, also testified Tuesday afternoon.

Artoro Guardado, the brother of Juan, was the first to discover the men inside the frac tank and notified the firm's answering service of the accident.

Law enforcement personnel and Snyder EMS were made aware of the accident by an employee of the answering service.

Artoro Guardado was treated at Cogdell Memorial Hospital, but Max Drum was air-lifted from the scene to Lubbock's Methodist Hospital for treatment.

Besides Snyder EMS units, three helicopter ambulances responded to the scene of the accident about two miles west of U.S. 84.

Numerous defendants, including Gecko Booty 1994 Limited Partnership, Geo Sciences Exploration, Drum Transports, the estate of R.L. Drum and Max Drum were named as defendants.

However, plaintiffs non-suited all defendants with the exception of the Pampa company.

District Judge Ernie Armstrong is presiding in the trial which is expected to continue into next week, with the exception of Monday which is a holiday at the courthouse.

Bill aims to curb drug use

AUSTIN (AP) — Giving Texas youngsters a fresh reason to turn down drugs, tracking overdoses and creating tougher penalties for dealers when drugs cause death are proposed new tools in the fight against teen-age drug use.

"We've got to be tough, and we've got to be compassionate," Republican Lt. Gov. Rick Perry said Thursday, joining a bipartisan group of lawmakers in touting a package of proposals spearheaded by Senate State Affairs Chair Florence Shapiro, R-Plano.

Plano, a prosperous Dallas suburb, gained notoriety after a dozen young people died of heroin overdoses. But Ms. Shapiro and other officials said there are problems around the state.

Sen. Eliot Shapleigh, D-El Paso, told of a school volunteer in his district who called with her concerns.

"She said, 'There are more young girls hooked on drugs in this high school than I've ever seen,'" Shapleigh said.

Sen. Eddie Lucio, D-Brownsville, told of a study showing 13-year-olds using drugs.

"These are babies we're talking about here," he said.

The package includes proposals to:

— Provide a model for public schools to do drug tests at parents' request. Parents would pay for two hair sample tests to be conducted within a year, and results would be sent only to parents. Legislation isn't needed for such programs, but backers said a law could provide an example and encouragement.

Such a program already exists in Allen Independent School District, said Superintendent Barbara Erwin. Students can use such drug testing as a reason to say no when offered illegal substances, she said.

"Let me tell you about young people. They're more afraid of their parents than they are of death," she said.

— Prevent 16- and 17-year-olds from checking themselves out of drug treatment facilities if their parents checked them in. Parents who check in children who are minors would have to approve their release.

— Create a statewide system for the Texas Department of Health to report overdoses and drug-related injuries and illnesses.

Obituaries

Bill Sumruld

1920-1999

CARROLLTON — William L. "Bill" Sumruld, a native of Snyder, died Thursday, Feb. 11, at his home in Farmers Branch.

Funeral service for Mr. Sumruld, 78, is set for 10 a.m. Monday in the Rhoton Funeral Home Chapel. The Rev. Jerry Hayes will officiate, and burial will follow in the Howard Cemetery in Desdemona.

Born March 14, 1920 in Snyder, Mr. Sumruld was an aircraft machinist. His wife, Margie Nelle Sumruld, preceded him in death.

Survivors include a daughter, Jana Sumruld of Dallas; three granddaughters, Julie Golden, Sharon Littlejohn and Tammy Littlejohn, all of Dallas; a great-grandson, Christopher Golden of Dallas; and a brother, C.W. Sumruld of Snyder.

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Maxine Wood

1933-1999

Funeral service for E. Maxine Wood of Lubbock, formerly of Snyder, is set for 2 p.m. Saturday in the Wright Colonial Funeral Home Chapel.

The Rev. Marty Akins, pastor of Snyder's First Baptist Church, will officiate. Burial will follow in the Snyder Cemetery.

Mrs. Wood, 65, died Thursday, Feb. 11, in Lubbock's University Medical Center following a lengthy illness.

Born March 2, 1933 in Holliday, she married L.E. Wood on Jan. 20, 1952 in Hobbs, N.M. She was a homemaker and a member of the First Baptist Church in Eunice, La., where she served as librarian. Mrs. Wood was also active in many civic organizations.

Survivors include her husband, L.E. Wood of Lubbock; three daughters, Debra Lynn Whitley of Lubbock, Ann Wood of Coppell, Cathy Baudoin of Katy; two sisters, Peggy Baker of Midland and Cathrine Holz-Knecht of Hobbs; her mother, Thelma Vines of Hobbs; three grandchildren; and several nieces and nephews.

The family suggests memorials be made to the Meals on Wheels or to a favorite charity.

Driving without licenses sends 2 to jail Thursday

Driving without licenses sent two subjects to jail Thursday.

A 21-year-old male was arrested by Department of Public Safety troopers at 2:04 p.m. for driving with no drivers license.

At 9:55 p.m., officers took a 26-year-old male into custody on the same charge.

Two offense reports for dog bite were also filed Thursday.

The animal warden was called to the 3700 block of Avondale at 7:38 a.m. in reference to a dog bite. An offense report was submitted.

At 1:44 p.m., a nurse at Cogdell Memorial Hospital requested the animal warden in reference to a dog bite victim. The animal warden was dispatched and an offense report was filed.

In other activity, Anita Benz requested an deputy at 4:01 a.m. in the 2000 block of FM 1609 in reference to someone running over her mailbox. An offense report for criminal mischief was filed.

Ira School board extends contract of the principal

Ira ISD board of trustees extended the contract of school principal Rodney Schneider during Thursday night's monthly board meeting.

Schneider also received a $2,000 a year raise to increase his salary to $48,000 per year.

His contract now runs until 2001.

The board also called the trustee election for May 1 as the terms of Sid Wall, Kirby Sterling and Lance Autry are expiring.

The trustees also extended the contract with an inter-regional food purchasing and commodity processing cooperative.

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events

WHAT'S UP?

ONGOINGS

Valentine service, banquet

First Church of the Nazarene will have a Valentine's Day service Sunday at 10:45 a.m., followed by a banquet. There will be door prizes, games and activities. The church is located on the Colorado City Highway and everyone is invited.

Hermleigh Masonic Lodge

Hermleigh Masonic Lodge No. 987 will have a called meeting at 7 p.m. Monday for work in the E.A. Degree.

Bible study tapes

Bible study video tapes air weekly on cable TV channel 2. The tapes to be shown at 7 p.m. Monday are "Omens," followed by "Raising Children for Success."

Parkinson's Support Group

The Parkinson's Disease support group will meet from 10 until 11:30 a.m. Tuesday in the Cogdell Hospital board room. Guest speaker will be JoBeth Hardegree, Cogdell Hospital registered nurse.

Free tax aid service

Free tax help will be available every Wednesday at the Senior Center. Help is also available for shut-ins. Call 573-3822 or 573-4035.

East Elementary parent council

The East Elementary parent council will meet at 7 p.m. Thursday in the school auditorium.

Fish Fry

A Fish Fry sponsored by St. Elizabeth Catholic Church Men and Women's Association will be held from 5:30-8 p.m. next Friday in the Parish Center, 30th and Ave. A. Tickets, sold at the door, are $6 for adults and $4 for children ages 6-12. Proceeds will go to the scholarship fund.

Discover Creation program

A Discover Creation program, presented by former evolutionists, will be presented from 7-9 p.m. Feb. 22-24 in the Family Life Center of the First Baptist Church. Evidence from both science and scripture will be presented and will be informative for both youth and adults.

Kiwanis pancake feast

Snyder Kiwanis Club will held its annual Pancake Feast Saturday, March 6, in the West Elementary Cafeteria from 7 a.m. until 2 p.m. Tickets are $4 per person and children under six may eat free. There will be a drawing for a free TV. Tickets may be purchased at the door, from any club member or by calling 573-2191.

Food Cupboard needs freezer

Snyder Food Cupboard is in need of a large freezer to store meat. Can pay a small sum or will accept a donation. Call 573-3203.

Hermleigh photos wanted

The Scurry County Museum is seeking photographs of buildings in Hermleigh. The photos may be donated or loaned and one will be used on the 1999 Christmas ornament. Call 573-6107 or come by the museum on the WTC campus.

Distance learning course

Midwestern State University will offer a trimester course, public personnel administation, through the distance learning lab on the Western Texas College campus. The course begins Feb. 23 and will meet from 5:30-9:15 p.m. each Tuesday. To apply, call 1-888-521-1112 or 940 397-4400.

1998 First Methodist cookbook

The First United Methodist Church's 1998 cookbook, compiled by the Angel Seekers Sunday School Class and dedicated to the memory of Ruby Anderson, can be purchased at the church or Classic Interiors. The cost is $10 and all proceeds benefit the Lord's Acre projects.

Planetarium shows

The refurbished planetarium at Western Texas College is available for group shows Thursday evenings and all day on Fridays. The shows are by reservation only and there is no charge. There are three presentations available in the 59-seat auditorium, one for pre-K, another for K through 4, and one for general audiences. For reservations contact Sharon Gill at WTC, 573-8511, ext. 312.

Adult education classes

Adult basic education classes that can lead to a GED are underway at Western Texas College. Students may enroll at any time in Room 209 of the WTC library. Both day and evening sessions are held Tuesday and Thursday. Call 573-8511, Ext. 322, for more information.

Road to Recovery program

Volunteers are needed to take patients to Abilene or Lubbock one day a week for cancer treatment. Following approval by the American Cancer Society, drivers will be provided liability insurance and can be reimbursed for fuel expenses incurred for the trip. For more information, contact ACS Road to Recovery volunteer coordinator Martha Schiebel at 573-8626 and leave a message, or Sammie Jarrell at 573-5993.

Pick 3

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

9-9-2

Cash Five

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

1-28-29-31-35