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*Democrats say...*

## Gas-tax rollback must go to public, not oil companies

WASHINGTON (AP) — Democratic leaders are insisting any Republican proposal for a gas-tax reduction must guarantee the benefit goes to consumers, not oil companies.

"You know, the worst thing to do here, a real charade, would be if we lowered the gasoline tax and the consumer had the price go up," said House Minority Leader Dick Gephardt, D-Mo.

Senate Minority Leader Tom Daschle, D-S.D., advised reporters Wednesday to "expect a Democratic amendment that requires a rollback at the pump." Today he elaborated, saying oil companies would be asked to provide "official verification, subject to law, just like doing your income taxes."

J.D. Foster, executive director of the Tax Foundation, a business-financed research organization, said without extensive auditing a verification statement would be meaningless.

"From the oil companies' perspective, they could make such a statement, adhere to it or not and no one would be able to check," he said.

Having declared Memorial Day as their target to repeal President Clinton's 1993 gasoline-tax increase, Republicans are planning a full menu of news conferences and congressional hearings to highlight their tax-cutting zeal.

Senate Finance Committee Chairman William V. Roth, R-Del., scheduled a hearing on Friday with witnesses representing car owners, truckers, bus operators and others pinched by gasoline prices, which have risen to their highest level since the Persian Gulf War.

As a deficit-reduction measure in 1993, a Democratic-controlled Congress and Clinton enacted a 4.3-cent increase in the gasoline tax, bringing the total to 18.3 cents.

Until now, Republicans hadn't tried to repeal it. With gasoline prices having risen about 15 cents per gallon since February, Dole injected the issue into the election-year debate.

The House Ways and Means Committee planned its own hearing next Wednesday. The day before that, according to an aide, Republicans will hold a news conference revealing the details of their bill, including spending reductions to offset the tax cut.



CANDIDATE VISITS - Rudy Izzard, Republican candidate for the United States House of Representatives, spoke to a group of residents this morning as he was on a whirlwind tour of the 17th Congressional District. Izzard's main focus was challenging Rep. Charles Stenholm to vote to repeal the 4.3 percent gasoline tax, which was part of the 1993 budget. (SDN Staff Photo)

## THE SDN COLUMN

By Roy McQueen

**The feller on Deep Creek says, "The most important thing to save for old age is yourself."**

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Just when you think you've been exposed to advertising everywhere — think again.

In addition to news media advertising, there's restaurant menus and placemats, billboards, handbills and skywriting.

We thought it was pretty much the ultimate captive audience when we started to see advertisements posted over the fixtures in public restrooms.

In-store advertising is becoming more popular. We just read where advertising will hit a new low — on the supermarket floor.

In Florida, the sight of empty space underfoot gave somebody a bright idea. Some big name grocery store suppliers are buying advertising on floor tiles.

Suppliers are paying from $50 to $60 a month to have shoppers walk over them. The grocery industry figures it's not only a good source of revenue, but will encourage shoppers to do more impulse buying.

National statistics show that one-third of a shopper's purchases are not on the shopper's list they made at home.

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Windham school secretary Martha Gist has some questions...

--How does the guy who drives the snowplow get to work?

--Why are there flotation devices under plane seats instead of parachutes?

--If Allsup's is open 24 hours a day, 365 days a year, why are there locks on the doors?

--Why is it when you transport something by car, it's call a shipment, but when you transport something by ship, it's cargo?

--If olive oil comes from olives, where does baby oil come from?

--If con is the oppositive of pro, is Congress the opposite of progress?

--What are they called apartments when they are all stuck together?

--Do vegetarians eat animal crackers?

--Why is it that when you're driving and looking for an address, you turn down the radio?

--Why do you drive on parkways and park on driveways?

--If buttered toast always lands buttered side down and a cat always lands on its feet, what would happen if you tied a piece of buttered toast on the back of a cat and dropped it?

## Chance meeting reunites father, son

PUEBLO, Colo. (AP) — For gas station clerk Nueng Garcia, it was just another day on the job until he noticed the name of one man who paid with a check.

"Are you John Garcia?" he asked the man.

"Yes," came the answer.

"Were you ever in the Air Force?

"Yes."

"Were you ever in Thailand?

"Yes."'

"Did you ever have a son?"

With that question, the two stared at each other and realized at the same moment that they were the father and son who had been separated 27 years ago and half a world away.

"I started thinking — this couldn't be. I was totally shocked," the elder Garcia said today on ABC's "Good Morning America."

Until Monday's chance meeting, John Garcia had not seen his son since July 1969, when the elder Garcia was a young American serviceman.

Nueng was just 3 months old when his father left him and his mother, Pratom Semon, in Thailand. Both father and son said the woman did not want to leave her homeland for the United States.

Garcia said he continued to write and send checks to his son's mother after he left Thailand. Nueng said his mother was seeing another man, who put a stop to his father's correspondence.

After two years of writing, Garcia lost touch with his son. In later years, he sent letters to the government in Bangkok seeking an address. They went unanswered.

Nueng Garcia and his mother had moved to Colorado Springs in 1971, after immigrating to the United States with another American serviceman Semon married and has since divorced.

John Garcia moved to Pueblo nine years ago to take a job.

Garcia said he never goes to that gas station, wasn't even low on gas and hardly ever pays with a check.

"I don't even know why I stopped for gas," he said.

His 27-year-old son put his arm around the man who was once a stranger and said, "Dad ... I'm glad you stopped."

As for their plans now, Nueng said: "Twenty-seven years is a long time — we're catching up."

## Cinco de Mayo fiesta planned here Sunday

Snyder Chamber of Commerce is sponsoring its first Cinco de Mayo fiesta Sunday at the county coliseum.

Local and area citizens are invited to participate in a day of fun, food and games.

A parade, chili cookoff and sporting events are some of the activities planned.

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

Softball, volleyball and horseshoe pitching tournaments have been scheduled.

Parade and talent show entries are being requested.

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

Children 10 years and younger will gather afterwards for the breaking of pinatas.

Judging for the chili cookoff will also begin at 2 o'clock.

The day will close with a dance at the Latin American Center from 8 p.m. until midnight. Tickets for the dance are being sold in advance at the chamber.

For entry or other information about the fiesta, call 573-3558.

## SHS drama department makes 29th trip to state one-act contest

In University Interscholastic League offices in Austin, Snyder High School is a household name.

This weekend marks the 70th annual slate of state one-act play contests. Snyder High has participated in 29 of them — a "batting average" of 41 percent.

Drama director Jerry Worsham, who has taken Snyder on 27 of those trips, was busy Wednesday afternoon as the cast and crew prepared to leave for the trip to Austin.

"There's not much to say. Hopefully, we'll have some really outstanding news Saturday morning," he quipped.

"The Corn Is Green" cast takes the stage about 4:45 p.m. Friday, the second of eight Class 4A plays which have advanced to the state contest.

The cast is a young one — there are just six "veteran" performers among the group of 15.

After the regional contest last month, Worsham said, "We have some strong veteran leadership, but when we first began rehearsals, I wasn't sure we had everything it would take to go 'all the way to state."

The group has quickly matured, he said.

Among the cast members is Katie Thornton, who has been named Best Actress at the district, area and regional levels this year. Other "veterans" — some of who are appearing in lead roles for the first time but are seniors — are Matt Parker, Carl Strelecki, Jannica Northerns, Jennifer Hancock and Steve Taylor.

Parker was Best Actor at district, honorable mention at area and an all-star cast member at region. Hancock received honorable mention at district and was an all-star cast selection at area. Strelecki was named to the district all-star cast and earned honorable mention at area. Northerns was selected to the area all-star cast. Taylor was honorable mention all-star cast at region.

Another cast member, Emily Zeck, was honorable mention at district and an all-star cast member at area.

Other members of "The Corn Is Green" cast are Andy Parker, Jason Crow, Melanie Gibson, Eldon Scott, Joey Steakley, Jared Dennis, Brandon Rollins and Christina Bullard.

Crew members are Chris Post, Ryan Landes, Edwina Brooks, Anna Hannan, Jessica Mills, John Busby and Jack Hedges.

Session I of the 4A competition will begin at 4 p.m. with Granbury performing "Edith Stein." Following about 45 minutes apart will be Snyder in "The Corn Is Green," Port Lavaca Calhoun in "The Curate Shakespeare As You Like It" and Palestine in "Into The Woods."

The second session begins at 7:30 p.m. with Round Rock McNeil in "All the Way Home,"

See 'Green,' Page 10

## Apple Awards program tonight

The first Golden Apple Awards Banquet, sponsored by Snyder ISD and the chamber of commerce, will be held at 7 this evening at Martha Ann Woman's Club.

The banquet will honor SISD's Adopt-A-School partners and volunteers.

Terri Ives, a corporate consultant and seminar leader, will be the keynote speaker. Ms. Ives was named Outstanding Young Woman of America in 1974. She has been featured in "High Profiles" of the Dallas Morning News, ABC television and was a former consultant to first lady Betty Ford.

## 82 WTC students to graduate Friday

Eighty-two students are to receive associate degrees or certificates in technology Friday as Western Texas College presents its 25th annual graduation exercises.

The ceremony will be held in the central courtyard on campus at 7:30 p.m. A reception will follow in the Student Center.

Student body representatives Sharon Gill of Snyder, Chris Lambaren of Hermleigh and Brian Cody Smith of Aspermont will offer brief addresses on the theme "Choices, Challenges and Champions."

Dr. Mary Hood, head of the college counseling center, will offer the faculty response.

Dr. Harry Krenek, WTC president, will welcome students, parents and friends and offer closing remarks.

Degrees and certificates will be awarded by Bettie McQueen, dean of instruction, and presented by board of trustees president Carl Williams.

The Rev. Reynaldo Reyes, pastor of St. Elizabeth Catholic Church, will offer the invocation. Dr. Marty Akins, pastor of the First Baptist Church, will give the benediction.

Processional and recessional music will be played by Patsy Martin on the Sears Carillon.

There are 52 graduates to receive associate in arts degrees, 21 to receive associate in applied science degrees and nine to receive certificates in technology.

Members of the faculty will be presenting 25th anniversary pins to all graduates.

### ASK US

**Q—When are graduation exercises?**

**A—Commencement will be held Friday for Western Texas College students. All of the public schools in Scurry County are having senior graduation exercises on May 24.**

### FORECAST - ALMANAC

**Snyder Temps:** High Wednesday, 81 degrees; low, 51; 7 a.m. reading Thursday, 51; no precipitation; total for 1996, 1.93 inches.

Area Forecast: Tonight, clear. Low, mid 60s. S wind 10-20 mph. Friday, sunny. High, mid 90s. S wind 10-20 mph and gusty.



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**Sunset:** 8:24 p.m.
**Sunrise:** 6:57 a.m.
Of 122 days in 1996, the sun has shone 118 days in Snyder.

### TODAY'S THOUGHT

**The heart of the prudent acquires knowledge, And the ear of the wise seeks knowledge.**

**Proverbs 18:15**

# 'Prince Charming' proposes

NEW HAVEN, Conn. (AP) — Prince Charming rode his white steed across Southern Connecticut State University on Wednesday, then knelt on bended knee and asked his true love for her hand in marriage.

Her stunned reply? "Yes. Oh my God. Yes."

The prince, also known as Craig Cassella, a 27-year-old employee at AT&T, donned a purple robe, a feathery purple hat and white tights for the big event. He also prepared by taking riding lessons for the past two months.

Cassella and Jennifer Perillie, 23, have been dating for more than a year.

The junior from Stamford, who majors in secondary education and English, had just left class when her prince rode up. At first, she had no idea what was happening.

But then he was on his knee, holding out a diamond ring in a black velvet box. She was shaking and crying as she accepted.

Cassella, of Wallingford, said he got the idea when Perillie gave him a lighter inscribed, "From your Princess, to my Prince Charming."

After his big proposal, he took a deep breath and said, "I need a cigarette."

# Dr. Gott

**By Peter Gott, M.D.**



## Is antihistamine therapy unsafe?

**By Peter H. Gott, M.D.**

DEAR DR. GOTT: I have a slightly enlarged prostate gland and have a problem urinating. I also have a sinus problem and would like to take antihistamines, but all package inserts indicate I shouldn't take them if there is a history of difficulty urinating from an enlarged prostate. My doctor says antihistamines only affect the sphincter muscle at the bottom of the bladder. What's your view?

DEAR READER: Most men as they age develop enlargement of the prostate gland. This causes a number of symptoms, such as difficulty urinating. However, prostatic swelling can also irritate the sphincter in the lower bladder area, leading to urinary urgency.

Unfortunately, many antihistamine cough/cold preparations also cause spasm of the lower bladder, which — when severe — may cause an inability to urinate.

If you have mild/moderate prostatic enlargement, you can probably take these products without incident. If your prostate were quite large, you could experience a serious urinary problem. I say "could" because there is really no way to tell, short of taking the antihistamine and seeing what happens.

In my experience, most older men can take non-prescription anti-histamine/decongestant medicine without untoward effects — but there is always an unpredictable risk that the products may cause a sphincter-spasm with resulting trouble urinating. This may require the services of a urolgist who may have to catheterize the bladder.

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.

DEAR DR. GOTT: A nephew has a hole in his ear drum, without having had any infection. Since his grandmother had the same thing, we wonder if the condition is inherited and just what causes it.

DEAR READER: It's hard to say. Most ear drum perforations are caused by middle ear infections in childhood or by trauma (such as using cotton swabs to clear the ears — a definite no-no).

Your nephew should be examined by an ear-nose-and-throat specialist for several reasons. First, the hole increases the likelihood that bacteria and other microorganisms might enter the middle ear, causing severe infection. This is a particular risk during swimming.

Second, a hole in the ear drum can affect hearing.

Third, the hole can quickly and easily be patched, thereby avoiding future problems.

I don't believe that your nephew inherited this condition, but you'll have to await a definitive answer from the ear specialist.

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# Astro-graph

**By Bernice Bede Osol**



## Your Birthday

Friday, May 3, 1996

A promising endeavor in which you were involved last year was derailed by poor timing. In the year ahead, this situation could change and the failure may be replaced with success.

**TAURUS (April 20-May 20)** Diplomacy and tact will be natural tools for you today and you will wield them effectively. You will have the ability to put everyone at ease. Get a jump on life by understanding the influences that govern you in the year ahead. Send for your Astro-Graph predictions today by mailing $2 and SASE to Astro-Graph, c/o this newspaper, P.O. Box 1758, Murray Hill Station, New York, NY 10156. Make sure to state your zodiac sign.

**GEMINI (May 21-June 20)** Today, you may find more money in your pocket after a fortuitous shift of conditions at work. It may be triggered by an associate who likes you.

**CANCER (June 21-July 22)** Good things could happen for you today through social contacts. If you are in a position to spend time with friends, take time to do so.

**LEO (July 23-Aug. 22)** Today, you could do something personally to contribute to your material well-being. Act promptly as soon as you recognize the opportunity.

**VIRGO (Aug. 23-Sept. 22)** Today you might be luckier than usual in ventures or endeavors that have elements of chance. Keep this in mind, but don't do anything outlandish or foolish.

**LIBRA (Sept. 23-Oct. 23)** Someone who feels indebted to you might do something to make your life a little easier today. Your benefactor may be a relative or family member.

**SCORPIO (Oct. 24-Nov. 22)** If you have a chance to work with an associate's far-fetched idea today, take a crack at it. Your version could turn out to be far more feasible and functional.

**SAGITTARIUS (Nov. 23-Dec. 21)** You will conceal an inner strength today. If you are confronted by challenges, you can bring this skill to the surface.

**CAPRICORN (Dec. 22-Jan. 19)** If you are involved in negotiations with large organizations today, don't hold back any ideas. You could have something they want.

**AQUARIUS (Jan. 20-Feb. 19)** Just because something didn't work out too fortunately for a friend, doesn't mean that it won't work out well for you. In fact, the opposite might be true.

**PISCES (Feb. 20-March 20)** Today, concentrate on situations or things about which you feel lucky. If your perceptions are correct, you may fulfill some ambitious objectives.

**ARIES (March 21-April 19)** Competition could evaporate before your eyes today if you appear unafraid of challenges. If you act as if you can't lose, you won't.

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**Population centers**

**In the nation's first census in 1790, the center of population was 23 miles east of Baltimore, Md. In 1850, the central point was 23 miles southeast of Parkersburg, W.Va. By 1900, a point 6 miles southeast of Columbus, Ind. was honored, and by 1950 it was 3 miles northeast of Louisville, Clay County, Ill. The 1980 count put the center at slightly west of DeSoto, Mo.**

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# Hollywood, publishers interested in L.M. Alcott's 'new' manuscript

BOSTON (AP) — A beautiful but penniless governess discovers she is an heiress. Her pure heart wins her the love of a dashing English lord.

Louisa May Alcott wrote this romantic tale when she was 18, but few knew about her unpublished first novel until two Alcott scholars found the manuscript in the stacks at a Harvard University library.

"I've come up with a lot of nice things before, but none as good as this," Joel Myerson, an English professor at the University of South Carolina, said Tuesday.

The manuscript, titled "The Inheritance," was found along with a note from Alcott claiming authorship of the story. The manuscript was listed in the library card catalog for the last 22 years and had been checked out at least five times by other scholars who apparently never thought to publish it.

The card catalog lists it as "'The Inheritance,' a manuscript; Boston, 1849; 166 pages, unpublished; her first novel."

Alcott's journals never mentioned the tale, written in 1849, predating her first published novel, "Moods," in 1864, and her most famous novel, "Little Women," in 1869.

Myerson and his collaborator, Daniel Shealy of the University of North Carolina at Charlotte, said they first saw the manuscript in it was handwritten and difficult to decipher, and they only recently finished transcribing it.

"When we read the first couple of pages we thought the novel was worth photocopying. When we finally got around to transcribing it, we realized how good it was," Myerson said.

Myerson said he wasn't surprised by some news reports heralding the manuscript as "newly discovered."

"People would say they discovered it even if it was sitting on the steps of the White House," he said. "No one is going to write a headline saying someone finally paid attention to a long-ignored manuscript."

Now Hollywood producers are vying for rights to the story, and book publishers will get their first shot at it this week, said Todd Shuster, a partner in Zachary Shuster, a Boston-based literary agency.

Agents negotiating the deal have been flooded with calls since word of the manuscript spread among major studios, Shuster said.

"We knew we had a wonderful novel on our hands, but we didn't expect it to produce ... this breaking of the floodwaters," he said.

The novel has a "feminist streak" and is "romantic with a capital 'R,'" Shuster said.

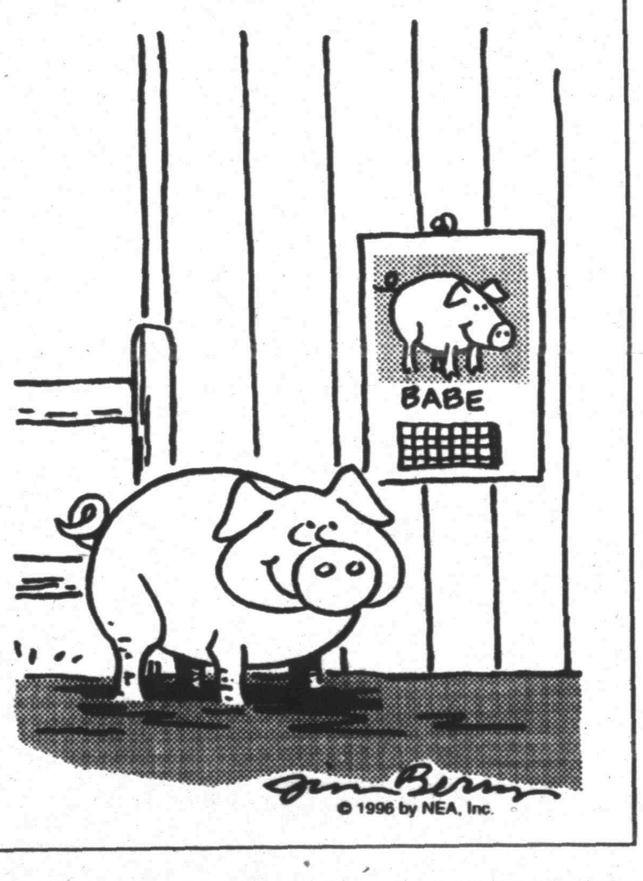
Set in an English castle, the novel follows the trials of the beautiful Edith, an orphan hired as a governess by the Hamilton family. A jealous aunt accuses the governess of stealing.

Virtuous Edith knows who committed the crime, but will not reveal the name. Instead, she resolves to accept the blame and leave the family.

A castle page confesses to the theft and, in the final twist, produces an excerpt from the will of a Hamilton ancestor revealing that Edith is an heir to the family's fortune. To sweeten the ending, Edith wins the heart of handsome Lord Percy.

Shuster would not reveal details of offers he is fielding, but pointed to another recent Alcott find, "The Long Fatal Love Chase." His partner, Lane Zachary, negotiated that manuscript's $1.5 million sale to Random House two years ago.

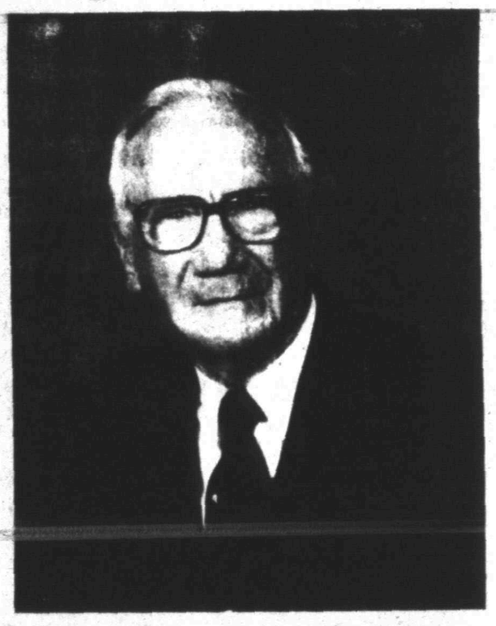
## Berry's World




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We've got that hometown spirit and we're passing it around!

A Bright Spot In Our Hometown



William H. "Bill" Wilson Jr.

In Snyder, the name Bill Wilson is easily associated with the automobile industry.

There are two Bill Wilsons - William H. Wilson Jr. and William H. Wilson III. Each of the Wilsons has a long history of community service. There's only one difference between "Big Bill" and "Little Bill." The elder Wilson has been at it longer.

William H. Wilson Jr. will step down next month after serving almost 27 years as a member of the Western Texas College board of trustees.

The college is just one accomplishment of the elder Wilson, a person who has put his time, energy and own money into the development of Snyder and Scurry County.

For this reason, Snyder National Bank is proud to honor William H. Wilson Jr. with the hometown spirit award.

Mr. Wilson, a native of Sherman, discovered that the TCU pilot training school was booked, so he entered Texas Women's College as a Bible student and took pilot training in the evenings.

Not being able to get into the Army Air Force with only two years of college, Wilson joined the Royal Canadian Air Force and served as an instructor for two years.

When the U.S. entered World War II, Wilson returned to the United States and joined the Air Corps. He was sent to Australia where he flew 37 missions as a B-17 pilot. His first mission was flown with just one hour of training in the aircraft.

Wilson's loyalty to this community is well-known, but so is his loyalty to his fellow pilots of World War II. A member of the 43rd Bomb Group, Wilson has served as president of the association and is presently secretary-treasurer.

"Willing, Able, Ready," was the motto of "Ken's Men" during the war. Putting that motto into action has paid off for Wilson in business and for his community.

While Wilson played a major role in the establishment of WTC, he has also been a key player in every economic development activity in Snyder for 38 years.

For some 25 years, Wilson was a member of the board of directors of Snyder National Bank. He had served as a director of Haskell National Bank before moving to Snyder in 1957.

Wilson has a simple formula for success. It includes working — and working together.

Because of his many tireless years for the benefit of his community, William H. "Bill" Wilson Jr. is a bright spot in our hometown.

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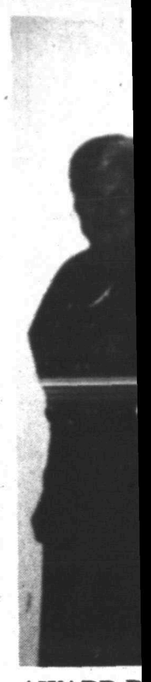
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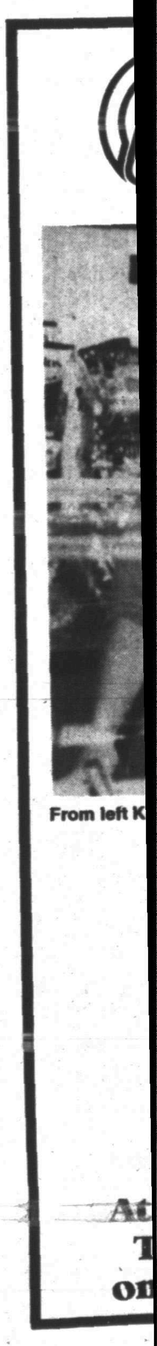


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AWARD RECIPIENTS — Members receiving awards at the Xi Alpha Alpha Theta chapter of Beta Sigma Phi April 20 Founder's Day brunch include Mickey Baird, girl of the year; Norma Cumbie, Ms. Congeniality; Carolyn Limmer, program of the year; Brenda Hedges, 15 year pin and Order of the Rose; and Loretta Worthen, president's award and perfect attendance. (Contributed Photo)

# Beta Sigma Phi members celebrate Founder's Day

Members of the Xi Alpha Alpha Theta chapter of Beta Sigma Phi met on April 20 for a brunch at the Snyder Country Club to celebrate Founder's Day.

The traditional celebration honored the 65th year of the largest women's social, service, and cultural organization in the world. There are 250,000 members active in chapters in 20 countries throughout the world.

Serving as Mistress of Ceremonies for the celebration was President Mickey Baird. This year's theme of the Indian Dreamcatcher was carried out throughout the table decorations and award presentations.

Barbara Bills was chairman of the food and decorations committee.

Patricia Warren was selected to present the special message from the International Office. Other members taking part in the program were Jackie Buckland, Carolyn Limmer and Norma Cumbie.

Awards were presented to outstanding chapter members, recognizing them for their sorority work.

Those receiving awards were Carolyn Limmer, program of the year; Norma Cumbie, Ms. Congeniality; Loretta Worthen, president's award and perfect attendance; Mickey Baird, girl of the year; Brenda Hedges, 15 year pin and Order of the Rose.

Outgoing officers and committee chairmen also received awards. The scrapbook was presented by Wanda Early and the yearbook by Carolyn Limmer.

Incoming officers also were recognized. They are Norma Cumbie, president; Brenda Hedges, first vice-president; Janeen Patterson, second vice-president; Jackie Buckland, treasurer; Carolyn House, recording secretary; Betsy Griffin, corresponding secretary; and Jeanne Johnson, extension officer.

The Founder's Day festivities were concluded with Norma Cumbie announcing the 1996-1997 theme, "Reflections of Love."

# Senior piano recitals slated for Sunday

## *Bethel Studio to present Murphree*

Bethel Studio of Music presents Brandi Nicole Murphree in her senior piano recital 2:30 p.m. Sunday at First Baptist Church in Rotan.

Brandi is the 17-year-old daughter of Randy and Sheila Murphree of Rotan and the granddaughter of Nell Ballew and Carroll and Wanda Murphree, also of Rotan. She is the great-granddaughter of Effie Murphree of Rotan.

Her program will feature piano and organ sacred music, handbell repertoire and the school alma mater.

The public is invited and a reception will follow in the fellowship hall.

While attending Rotan High School, Brandi has participated in cheerleading, basketball, track, band and one-act play. She is also a member of the National Honor Society.

Music has been an important part of Brandi's life. She has studied piano for the past 11 years, the past 10½ years under the direction of Lynn Bethel. She has entered National Guild Auditions, Federated Music Festivals and piano contests in Lubbock, Midland and Odessa.



Brandi Murphree

Brandi plans to attend Texas Tech University in Lubbock next fall, majoring in nursing.

## *Barbara Tune to present Crawford*

Mrs. Barbara Tune will present Jacob Crawford in a senior piano and voice recital at 1:30 p.m. in the sanctuary at Trinity United Methodist Church.

Jacob is the son of Greg and Sandra Crawford. He is the grandson of Bobby and Norma Cumbie, and Gerald and Mary Lou Crawford.

Jacob has studied piano for the past seven years under instructor Barbara Tune. He has participated in guild auditions earning Superior and Superior Minus ratings. He also participated in the Abilene Music Festival.

Jacob performs in the Snyder High School Choir. He has many outstanding achievements, such as All-Region Choir, All-Area Choir, State Solo and Ensemble Soloist, National and State FFA choruses, Outstanding Junior Award, and Outstanding A cappella Chorus member this year. His instructor was Melanie Smith for junior high and high school. The past year, his instructor has been Ronda Haire.

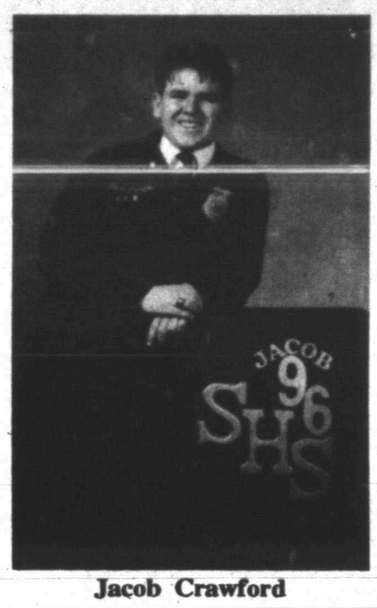
Crawford says he loves piano, FFA and choir.

"Piano challenges me in many different areas and makes my understanding of music clearer," he said.

He plans to major in music education and opera in college.

Selections for the recital include works of Glover, Bach, Rollin Rambo, Pachabel, Gillock, Scarlatto, Daniels and Williams.

The public is invited.




Jacob Crawford

# Bridge

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By Phillip Alder

North 05-02-96
♠ 10 9
♥ K 9 8 2
♦ A J
♣ A 10 8 6 4

West
♠ K J 7
♥ 5 4
♦ 9 7 5 3 2
♣ K J 2

East
♠ Q 8 6 5 4 2
♥ Q 7 6 3
♦ ---
♣ 9 7 5

South
♠ A 3
♥ A J 10
♦ K Q 10 8 6 4
♣ Q 3

Vulnerable: Both
Dealer: North

| South | West | North | East |
|---|---|---|---|
| | | 1 ♣ | Pass |
| 2 ♦ | Pass | 3 ♦ | Pass |
| 4 NT | Pass | 5 ♥ | Pass |
| 5 NT | Pass | 6 ♦ | All pass |

Opening lead: ♠ 7

Blaise Pascal, the French scientist and philosopher, said, "The eternal silence of those infinite spaces terrifies me." At the bridge table, though, knowing about spaces can point toward the winning line.

Today's deal was declared by Lars Kjellberg from Sweden. The bidding isn't on record. so I have guessed at an auction. South's two-diamond response is, of course, a strong jump shift. As South wouldn't make this bid with four hearts, North knew there was no point in showing that suit. Instead, with his two diamond honors being equivalent to three-card support, he raised the suit. Then two doses of Blackwood led to six diamonds.

Maybe at the table East had bid spades, or perhaps West, because he selected the spade seven, believes in agressive leads against small slams.

After winning the first trick with the spade ace, Kjellberg played a trump to dummy's jack. When East discarded a spade, South continued with a heart to his jack — whew! Declarer played a diamond to dummy's ace, finessed his heart 10 and drew trumps. Then came the heart ace, a club to dummy's ace and the heart king, on which South discarded one of his black-suit losers.

Why did South play the hearts like that? Well, after trick two, declarer knew six of West's cards (one spade and five diamonds) whereas he knew only two of East's (two spades). That left 11 empty spaces for the heart queen in the East hand to only seven spaces in West's hand. So, the odds favored playing East for the heart queen.

# Community Calendar

**THURSDAY**

Deep Creek Chapter ABWA; 6:30 p.m.;

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

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

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

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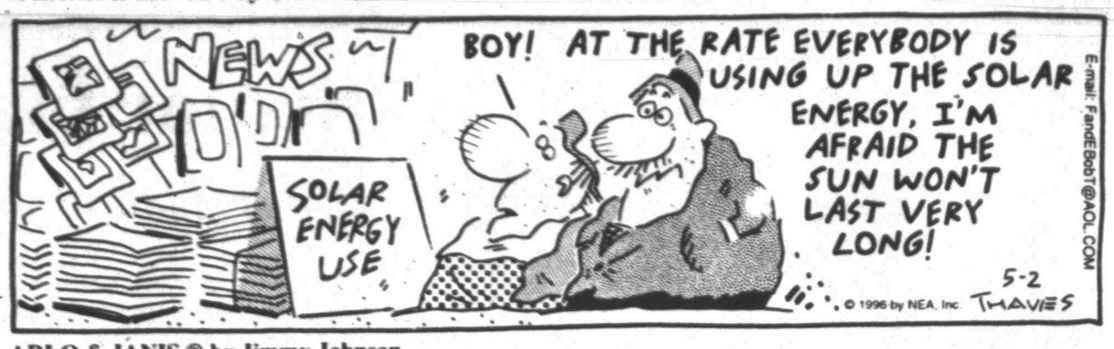

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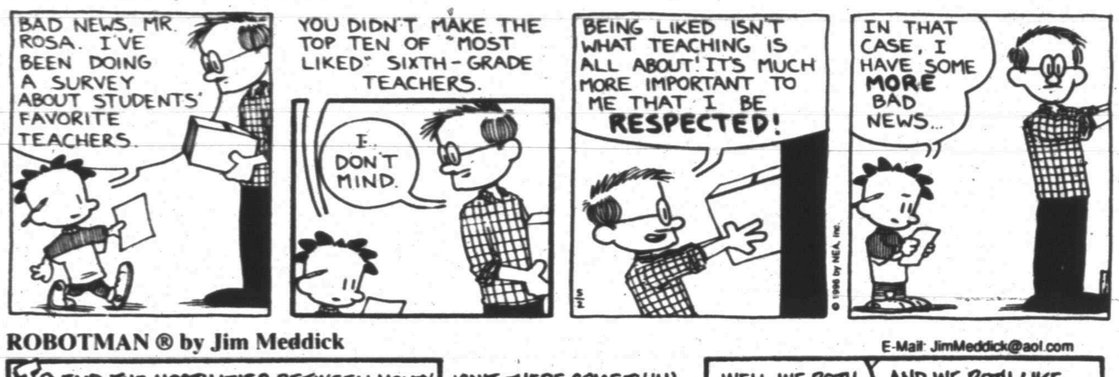

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## NEA Crossword Puzzle

**ACROSS**

1 — in Cincinnati
5 Sound of a blow
9 Everything
12 Adam's grandson
13 Distinctive air
14 Plaything
15 Actress — Schneider
16 Take-off artist?
18 Put into effect
20 Small child
21 British Navy abbr.
22 Popular article
24 Cities
27 Lodging
31 After-bath item
32 Decrease
33 Iced —
34 — out (use thriftily)
35 Long times
36 Prexy's assistant
37 Made tranquil
39 Fencing call, en —
40 Kind of lettuce
41 Make lace
42 Vibrate with a buzzing sound
45 Of a planet's path
49 — National Park
52 Underground home
53 Cagers' org.
54 Baseball's — Speaker
55 Landed
56 Negative prefix
57 Impudence (sl.)
58 Loch — monster

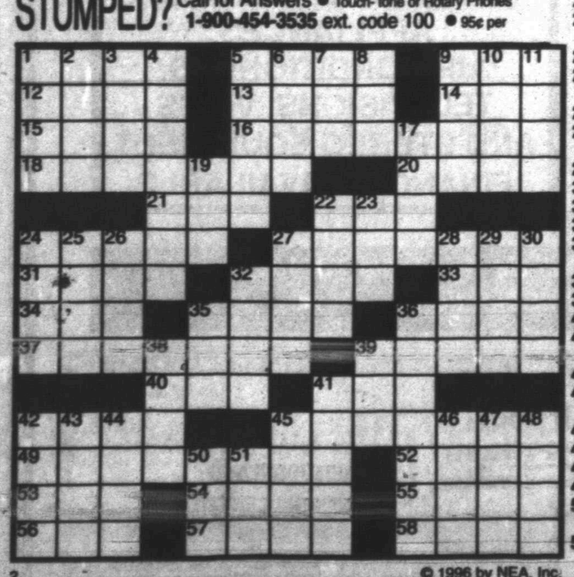
**DOWN**

1 As you —
2 Fort —
3 Italian city
4 Extrasensory
5 Stays expectantly
6 Actor — Cronyn
7 Jackie's 2nd husband
8 Small rug
9 ABA member
10 View
11 Stringed instrument
17 Tropical fruit
19 Actress Thurman
22 Weight units
23 Shade
24 Southwestern Indians
25 Garden tool
26 Extorted money from
27 Crew member
28 Roman highway
29 Require
30 Yawn
32 Sorrows
35 WWII area
36 Papal headquarters
38 Piece of land
39 Yak
41 Hair ringlet
42 Comedian Ed —
43 Vagabond
44 No man — — island
45 — Redding
46 Narrative
47 Rara —
48 Allows
50 Rockies (abbr.)
51 Author Levin

Answer to Previous Puzzle

| | | | | | | | | | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| F | H | A | | S | U | I | T | | X | M | A | S |
| L | A | D | | O | P | R | Y | | I | A | G | O |
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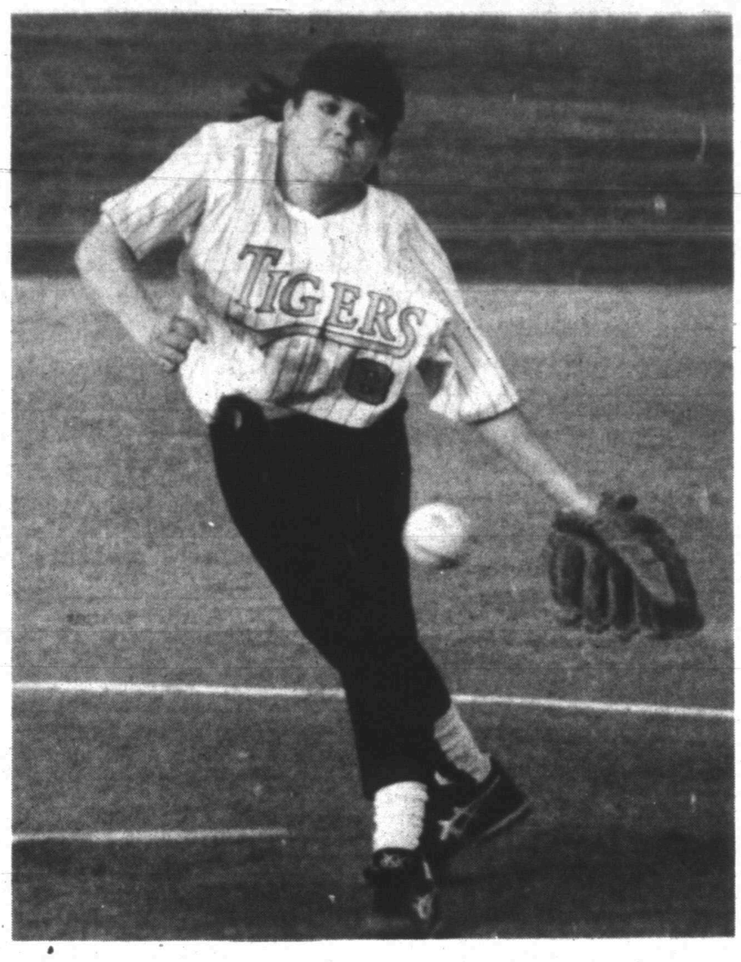



"It's no fun firing someone if you've already changed the name on his parking spot!"




"BOY, YOU'D NEVER THINK A GUY THAT LOOKS LIKE THAT WOULD BE TICKLISH."

# SPORTS



FAST BALL—Lady Tiger freshman pitcher Brittany Drummond will be called upon one more time Friday when Snyder takes on Andrews in the regional semifinals in Midland. Since taking the starting position midway through the season after Amanda Huff was injured, Drummond has won 10 of 12 games. In the two Lady Tigers' playoff victories, she has one run on nine hits with an ERA of .5. (SDN Staff Photo by Brent Taylor)

# Lady Tigers and Lady Mustangs set for regional semifinal clash

By Brent Taylor
*Sports Editor*

It will be a history-setting game Friday when the Snyder Lady Tigers face the Andrews Lady Mustangs in a regional semifinal softball contest.

The Lady Tigers, playing in their second year, have never made it this far in the state playoffs. Andrews is playing in its inaugural season, so anything the Mustangs do is historic.

The semifinal encounter is set for 6 p.m. in Midland at the Bill Williams complex. The complex is located south of Chritensen Stadium, home of the Midland Angels.

The Lady Tigers have won two playoff games, the first a 6-1 decision over Joshua in bi-district and the second, a 6-0 victory over Denison in the area round. The Lady Mustangs got a bye in the first round and defeated El Paso Parkland, 6-0, in an area game.

Snyder and Andrews have played twice this year with Snyder coming out on top both times — but only by one run, 7-6 and 15-14.

Amanda Huff, who is out for the season with a shoulder injury, pitched the first game, while Joanie Wemken won the second game. Tomorrow, Andrews will face a third Lady Tiger pitcher, freshman Brittany Drummond.

The Lady Tigers had to score four runs in the top of the sixth to pull out the first win in Andrews. In the second game in Snyder, the Lady Tigers scored in the bottom of the seventh to break a 14-14 tie and take the win.

Lady Tigers coach Billy Hicks' main concern is one of coaches everywhere. When you have two evenly matched teams and one of the teams has won two games, it puts even more pressure on you to win the third.

"We just have to continue to do what we have done all year and that is play good defense and get the timely hits."

The Lady Mustangs are coached by a Snyder High School grad, Eddie Bane. In a telephone interview Wednesday, Bane said, "We have a good team one night and a bad team the next. It's just a matter of what team is going to show up.

"Last year, the kids played club ball and did not take it as serious as UIL. This has been a learning experience for the girls. Anything we get now is just icing on the cake for us."

Bane added, "I didn't know I still had so many friends in Snyder. They have been calling all week ragging on me."

In the Mustangs' game with Parkland, junior pitcher Jackie Ortega allowed just four hits and didn't face more than four batters in an inning.

Snyder faced Ortega in both games, but also saw Leesa Lopez as well.

As a team, Snyder is hitting .387, but in the playoffs has dropped to .373. Jodi White continues to lead all hitters with .530 for the season and .625 in the two playoff games.

Drummond will get the start on the mound for Snyder. In 12 games, she has won 10. Drummond is averaging allowing 4.25 runs on 6.4 hits, striking out 1.75 and walking 1.25 batters per game. She has an ERA of 2.26 with a playoff ERA of .5.

The winner of Friday's game will face the winner between Fort Stockton and Brownwood for the right to go to Austin for the state tournament. Those two teams play tonight in Coahoma.

## Playoff site changed for bi-district

The site for the bi-district playoff game between the Snyder Tigers and Granbury Pirates has been changed.

The best two-out-of-three series will now be played in Graham with game one Friday, May 10 at 7:30 p.m. Game two will be Saturday, May 11 at 1 p.m. and game three, if necessary, will follow immediately.

## LOCAL SPORTS BRIEFS

### ACS Sword of Hope golf tournament

Western Texas College golf course will be the site of the American Cancer Society Sword of Hope golf tournament Saturday.

The four-person scramble will have an entry fee of $100 per team or $25 per individual. First place team will receive $200, second $150 and third $100. Trophies will be given for first, second and third place teams. Many other prizes will also be awarded.

There will be two tee times, 8:30 a.m. and 1:30 p.m. To sign-up a team or individual, contact the WTC Pro Shop at 573-9291 or Wayne Monroney, 573-9920.

The tournament is sponsored by the Scurry County Unit of the American Cancer Society.

### Softball league team sign-ups

Any team wishing to play in the Snyder Men's Slowpitch Softball league is asked to sign-up by Friday.

Entry fee is $250 per team. The league will begin play Monday.

For more information, contact Chris Maxfield at 573-6862 during the day or at night, 573-4332.

### C-City Chamber 3-man scramble

The Colorado City Chamber of Commerce is sponsoring a three-man scramble at the Wolf Creek Golf Links Saturday and Sunday.

A 1996 Ford pickup will be given to the first person with a hole-in-one on Sunday. Entry fee is $150 per team with a limit of 60 teams. Tee times will be at 8 a.m. and 1:30 p.m.

For more information, contact the golf course at (915) 728-5514 or the chamber of commerce, (915) 728-3403.

### Snyder men's league tourney

The first annual Snyder men's league basketball tourney will be May 10-11 in the Snyder High School gym. The open division tournament will be double elimination.

Teams will be limited to 10 players with an entry fee of $100 per team. Deadline to enter will be May 5. There will be a three-point shooting contest open to anyone with a cash prize awarded.

For more information, contact Bryan Cave, 573-3916 or Mike Rodriguez, 573-6631.

### Coed volleyball tournament

Mitchell County Sheriff's department is seeking coed volleyball teams for the first annual coed volleyball tournament to be held May 11 at "The Pit".

Entry fee is $100 per team with a maximum of 10 players per team. First and second place trophies and individual T-shirts will be awarded.

For more information or entry form, call (915) 728-3395. All proceeds will benefit Mitchell County Sheriff's department youth services projects.

## GIRLS' LITTLE DRIBBLERS RESULTS

**8 YEAR OLD DIVISION**
**SUNS 17, STARS 8**

**Suns:** Sequoya Powell 13, Sirena Medrano 4.

**Stars:** Dianca Gonzales 4, Dondi Brock 2, Whitney Kinney 2.

**DYNAMITES 8, HOOPSTERS 6**

**Dynamites:** Jessica Taylor 6, Breanna Talavera 2.

**Hoopsters:** Aeryal Peoples 4, Wendy Reed 2.

**JUNIOR DIVISION**
**LITTLE RAIDERS 37, SHARPSHOOTERS 24**

**Little Raiders:** Erin Burleson 24, Taren Knipe 7, J.J. Mandrell 4, Blake Robertson 2.

**Sharpshooters:** Ashley Morrow 12, Courtney Cox 4, Karen Taylor 4, Jacy Beccue 2, Glyn Wright 2.

**RED HOTS 41, HOT SHOTS 21**

**Red Hots:** Kelby Drum 15, Priscilla Ybarra 14, Jessica Sollis 8, Andra Dunham 2, Amanda Whitson 2.

**Hot Shots:** Beth Clements 10, Gretchen Hollis 6, Brittainy Milota 3, Whitney Criswell 2.

**SWOOPSTERS 16, SHARPSHOOTERS 14**

**Swoopsters:** Tass Baze 6, Kayla Guerrero 4, Rachel Redman 4, April Lollar 2.

**Sharpshooters:** Ashley Morrow 10, Katie Chandler 2, Karen Taylor 2.

**TUFF STUFF 31, SPURS 10**

**Tuff Stuff:** Desiree Braziel 8, Misha Wofford 8, Dominique Braziel 7, Jordan Donelson 6, Franki Briseno 2.

**Spurs:** Ashley Fredrick 8, Heather Holmes 2.

**HOT SHOTS 34, LITTLE RAIDERS 13**

**Hot Shots:** Beth Clements 20, Gretchen Hollis 8, Mandy Burns 6.

**Little Raiders:** Erin Burleson 9, Taren Knipe 2, Blake Robertson 2.

**TUFF STUFF 14, SWOOPSTERS 9**

**Tuff Stuff:** Desiree Braziel 8, Jordan Donelson 6.

**Swoopsters:** April Lollar 6, Tass Baze 2, Kayla Guerrero 1.

**LITTLE TIGERS 26, SPURS 15**

**Little Tigers:** Sara Thornhill 9, Diane Morin 8, Laura Arellano 5, Megan Fletcher 2, Tiffany Kubena 2.

**Spurs:** Ashley Fredrick 8, Stacey Williamson 5, Heather Holmes 2.

**SHARPSHOOTERS 12, ROCKETS 11**

**Sharpshooters:** Katie Chandler 4, Ashley Morrow 4, Courtney Cox 2, Karen Taylor 2.

**Rockets:** Sarah Crawford 5, Amanda Calley 2, Denise Thomas 2, Heather Zajicek 2.

**MAJOR DIVISION**
**JAZZ 38, BULL-ETTES 13**

**Jazz:** Andra Lancaster 20, Elvia Barrera 8, Katie Voss 6, Cheyenne Walker 4.

**Bull-ettes:** Taylor Daniell 9, Kayla Beck 2, Stormy Clark 2.

**JAMMERS 35, FAST BREAK 10**

**Jammers:** Chasity Perales 9, Lori Chesser 8, Celeigh Sterling 8, Maritza Aguirre 4, Lauren Day 4, Chaelyn Robinson 2.

**Fast Break:** Michelle Nettles 8, Samantha Everett 1, Shiloh Fritz 1.

**NIKE'S 42, MAGIC 12**

**Nike's:** Ramona Zamora 24, Stephanie Molina 6, Zipporah Peoples 6, Chrissy Hernandez 2, Dawn Lopez 2, Tyger McClain 2.

**Magic:** Terri Marshall 4, Patrica Vargas 4, Erin Dunham 2, Rebecca Fuqua 2.

**REBELS 41, NIKE'S 28**

**Rebels:** Meagan Hatley 17, Amber Alexander 10, Crystal Atkinson 10, Kellie Dodson 2, Keeli Shoemake 2.

**Nike's:** Ramona Zamora 12, Zipporah Peoples 8, Dawn Lopez 4, Jeremee Lester 2, Tyger McClain 2.

**MAGIC 24, FAST BREAK 15**

**Magic:** Patrica Vargas 20, Lauren Lee 2, Rebecca Fuqua 1, Stacey Vaughn 1.

**Fast Break:** Michelle Nettles 7, N'Cole Bryan 3, Kali Clements 3, Tara Jones 2.

**JAZZ 46, HORNETS 16**

**Jazz:** Katie Voss 15, Andra Lancaster 14, Cheyenne Walker 9, Elvia Barrera 4, Katie Kerley 4.

**Hornets:** Candace Gonzalez 8, Afton Sutter 4, Ashley Blevins 2, Haley Holmes 2.

## MAJOR LEAGUE BASEBALL

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**East Division**

| | W | L | Pct. | GB |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| NewYork | 14 | 10 | .583 | — |
| Baltimore | 14 | 13 | .519 | 1½ |
| Toronto | 12 | 14 | .462 | 3 |
| Detroit | 9 | 19 | .321 | 7 |
| Boston | 8 | 19 | .296 | 7½ |

**Central Division**

| | W | L | Pct. | GB |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| Cleveland | 17 | 8 | .680 | — |
| Chicago | 15 | 11 | .577 | 2½ |
| Minnesota | 14 | 12 | .538 | 3½ |
| Milwaukee | 12 | 13 | .480 | 5 |
| KansasCity | 9 | 19 | .321 | 9½ |

**West Division**

| | W | L | Pct. | GB |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| Texas | 17 | 10 | .630 | — |
| Seattle | 16 | 11 | .593 | 1 |
| California | 14 | 12 | .538 | 2½ |
| Oakland | 13 | 13 | .500 | 3½ |

**Tuesday's Games**

Cleveland 5, Chicago 3
Boston 13, Detroit 4
Toronto 9, Milwaukee 8
Minnesota 16, Kansas City 7
Seattle 8, Texas 0
New York 13, Baltimore 10
California 7, Oakland 3

**Wednesday's Games**

Boston 5, Detroit 1
Cleveland 9, Chicago 5
Toronto 9, Milwaukee 3
Minnesota 6, Kansas City 5, 10 innings
Texas 5, Seattle 4
New York 11, Baltimore 6, 15 innings
California 6, Oakland 4

**Thursday's Games**

Milwaukee (Karl 2-1) at Toronto (Hanson 2-4), 12:35 p.m.
California (Abbott 0-4) at Oakland (Johns 2-2), 3:15 p.m.
Texas (Witt 3-1) at Detroit (Lira 1-3), 7:05 p.m.
Chicago (Fernandez 4-1) at New York (Cone 3-1), 7:35 p.m.
Cleveland (Hershiser 2-2) at Seattle (Wolcott 1-3), 10:05 p.m.
Only games scheduled

**Friday's Games**

Toronto (Quantrill 0-3) at Boston (Sele 1-2), 7:05 p.m.
Texas (Hill 3-2) at Detroit (Keagle 3-1), 7:05 p.m.
Milwaukee (Bones 1-4) at Baltimore (Erickson 1-2), 7:35 p.m.
Chicago (Baldwin 2-0) at New York (Gooden 0-3), 7:35 p.m.
Oakland (Reyes 3-3) at Kansas City (Appier 2-3), 8:05 p.m.
Minnesota (Robertson 0-4) at California (Finley 3-2), 10:05 p.m.
Cleveland (Nagy 3-1) at Seattle (Hitchcock 3-0), 10:05 p.m.

NATIONAL LEAGUE
**East Division**

| | W | L | Pct. | GB |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| Montreal | 18 | 10 | .643 | — |
| Atlanta | 16 | 12 | .571 | 2 |
| Philadelphia | 14 | 11 | .560 | 2½ |
| NewYork | 12 | 14 | .461 | 5 |
| Florida | 11 | 17 | .393 | 7 |

**Central Division**

| | W | L | Pct. | GB |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| Chicago | 14 | 14 | .500 | — |
| Houston | 14 | 14 | .500 | — |
| Pittsburgh | 13 | 14 | .481 | ½ |
| St.Louis | 12 | 16 | .429 | 2 |
| Cincinnati | 9 | 17 | .346 | 4 |

**West Division**

| | W | L | Pct. | GB |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| SanDiego | 18 | 10 | .643 | — |
| SanFrancisco | 14 | 13 | .519 | 3½ |
| LosAngeles | 14 | 15 | .483 | 4½ |
| Colorado | 12 | 14 | .462 | 5 |

**Tuesday's Games**

Florida 7, Philadelphia 2
Pittsburgh 10, Cincinnati 7
Montreal at New York, ppd., rain
Atlanta 7, Houston 5
Chicago 7, St. Louis 6
Los Angeles 7, Colorado 4
San Francisco 9, San Diego 4

**Wednesday's Games**

Chicago 9, St. Louis 3
Montreal 4, New York 0, 1st game
New York 6, Montreal 0, 2nd game
Houston 3, Atlanta 0
Pittsburgh 4, Cincinnati 3
Philadelphia 6, Florida 5
Colorado 4, Los Angeles 1
San Diego 9, San Francisco 4

**Thursday's Game**

Philadelphia (Grace 4-0) at Florida (Brown 2-3), 7:05 p.m.
Only game scheduled

**Friday's Games**

New York (Wilson 1-1) at Chicago (Navarro 1-3), 3:20 p.m
Los Angeles (Parks 2-1) at Pittsburgh (Darwin 2-2), 7:05 p.m.
Philadelphia (Mulholland 2-2) at Atlanta (Maddux 4-1), 7:40 p.m.
Montreal (Cormier 1-1) at Houston (Reynolds 4-1), 8:05 p.m.
Florida (Burkett 1-4) at Colorado (Reynoso 1-2), 9:05 p.m.
St. Louis (Osborne 1-2) at San Diego (Ashby 3-1), 10:05 p.m.
Cincinnati (Schourek 3-1) at San Francisco (Fernandez 3-1), 10:05 p.m.

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First Round
(Best-of-5)

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

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

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

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

**Monday, April 29**
Atlanta 90, Indiana 83, Atlanta leads series 2-1
Portland 94, Utah 91, OT

**Tuesday, April 30**
Orlando 101, Detroit 98, Orlando wins series 3-0
Houston 104, L.A. Lakers 98, Houston leads series 2-1
Seattle 96, Sacramento 89, Seattle leads series 2-1

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

**Thursday, May 2**
Indiana at Atlanta, 7 p.m (TNT)
L.A. Lakers at Houston, 9:30 p.m. (TNT)
Seattle at Sacramento, 10:30 p.m. (TBS)

**Friday, May 3**
San Antonio at Phoenix, 9 p.m. (TNT)

**Saturday, May 4**
Houston at L.A. Lakers, TBA, if necessary (NBC)
Sacramento at Seattle, TBA, if necessary (NBC)

**Sunday, May 5**
Atlanta at Indiana, TBA, if necessary
Phoenix at San Antonio, TBA, if necessary
Portland at Utah, TBA

## Transactions

**BASEBALL**

TEXAS RANGERS—Purchased the contract of RHP Jeff Russell from Oklahoma City of the American Association. Optioned RHP Rick Helling to Oklahoma City. Transferred RHP Chris Nichting from the 15-day to the 60-day disabled list.

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## 010 LEGAL NOTICES

INVITATION TO BID

Sealed proposals, addressed to Jerry Church, Superintendent, Hermleigh Independent School District, P.O. Box 195, Hermleigh, Texas 79526 are being received for Renovations to Entry, Ag shop, Elementary School, High School, and Kitchen/ Cafeteria at the Hermleigh I.S.D. Bids will be received in the office of the Construction Manager until 5:00 p.m., May 28, 1996. Bids will be received until 2:00 p.m. on May 29, 1996, at the Office of Hermleigh I.S.D. Superintendent, at which time the bids will be opened and read publicly in the Hermleigh I.S.D. Board Room at Hermleigh, Texas. All bids mailed prior to this date and all inquiries should be to the Construction Manager.

D.S.A., INC.
P.O. BOX 698
CLEBURNE, TEXAS 76033
METRO 477-2139

Bids received after 2:00 p.m., May 29, 1996, closing time will be returned unopened. Seperate contracts and purchase orders will be awarded for the various disciplines of work required. Time on this project is of the utmost importance. Each bid will be considered based on price and time schedule on each portion of work to be completed. The awarding of bids will not be made at this time. Payment and Performance Bond shall be as follows:

For a contract price of $25,000 or more, the Contractor will furnish a Payment bond and a Performance bond of not less than one hundred (100%) percent of the contract price, conditioned upon the faithful performance of the contract and upon payment of all persons supplying the labor or furnishing the materials used on this project. Costs of the bonds shall be paid by the Contractor.

Plans and specifications may be secured from D.S.A., Inc., P.O. Box 702, Cleburne, Texas 76033, 817/645-8864 between the hours of 8:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m. Monday thru Friday of each week beginning May 6, 1995.

The Owner reserves the rights to waive any formalities or to reject any or all bids. No bids may be withdrawn until the expiration of 30 days from the date bids are opened. Bid prices will be accepted according to price of equal work and materials, the ability of the contractor to man the project and complete the project, as time is very important to meeting time schedules of the Owner.

Sealed Bids:
Hermleigh Independent School District
Jerry Church, Superintendent
C/O D.S.A., Inc.
(Construction Manager)
P.O. Box 698
Cleburne, Texas 76033

NOTICE TO ALL PERSONS HAVING CLAIMS AGAINST THE ESTATE OF BAMA LANE

Notice is hereby given that original Letters of Administration for the estate of Bama Lane were issued on April 26th, 1996, in Cause No. 5,290, pending in the County Court of Scurry County, Texas, to-wit:
LILLIE M. McADAMS COMBS
The residence of such Administrator is Big Spring, Howard County, Texas. The post office address is:
HB 69, Box 22
Big Spring, TX 79720
All persons having claims against this estate which is currently being administered are required to present them within the time and in the manner prescribed by law.
Dated the 26th day of April, 1996.
(s)Lillie M. McAdams Combs

NOTICE OF FEDERAL COMMUNICATIONS COMMISSION APPLICATION

On April 10, 1996, an application was filed with the Federal Communications Commission, Washington, DC, for a permit for a new FM station to operate on Channel 246A at Snyder, Tx, by Quinton W. Goode and Mark C. Noble, a partnership d.b.a. Highland Broadcasters. The transmitter and antenna will be located at an existing tower site west of Avenue E, .35 miles north of FM 1673, Snyder, Scurry County, Texas. The FM antenna will be at the 102m level on the 123m tower. The station will operate with 6.0 kw ERP. The studio will be located within the station's principal city contour. A copy of the application and related papers are on file for public inspection during normal business hours at the Scurry County Library, Snyder, Tx.

THE STATE OF TEXAS
TO: ANY AND ALL CHILDREN OF BAMA LANE, if living, and if deceased, the legal representatives of said children, together with any and all unknown heirs of the said Bama Lane, deceased;

GREETINGS:

You are hereby notified that Lillie M. McAdams Combs has been appointed Administratrix of the estate of Bama Lane, in Cause No. 5,290, of the County Court of Scurry County, Texas. Said Administratrix has also filed an Application for a determination of the heirs of Bama Lane, such Application having been filed on the 2nd day of February, 1996.

You are commanded to appear and file a written answer to such application at or before 10 o'clock a.m. of the first Monday after the expiration of 42 days from the date of issuance of this citation, the same being Monday, the 10th day of June, A.D., 1996.

Your failure to appear in such proceeding shall result in a forfeiture of any and all interest you may have in said estate.

If this citation is not served within 90 days after the date of its issuance, it shall be returned unserved.

Issued this the 26th day of April, A.D., 1996.

GIVEN UNDER MY HAND AND SEAL OF SAID COURT, at office in Texas, this the 26th day of April, A.D., 1996.
COUNTY CLERK,
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(s) Frances Billingsley
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# Much-heralded slaughter of British cattle said delayed

LONDON (AP) — The much-heralded mass slaughter of British cattle did not begin today as expected.

Farmers were left fuming and grumbling about bureaucratic glitches in the government's efforts to bring the mad cow crisis under control by killing thousands of cattle considered most likely to carry the disease.

The killing probably won't begin for several days, said cattle market operator Paul Gentry, even though the government said the program is officially under way. Agriculture Minister Douglas Hogg had told Parliament the slaughters would likely start today.

"It has not, cannot and will not start today," said Gentry, because slaughterhouses and cattle farmers need to receive and properly finish the paperwork required to guarantee payment by the government for their losses.

While officials were busy sending out instructions, farmers desperate for cash to keep their businesses afloat were complaining they had waited long enough.

Britain's beef business has been hit hard by the scare over mad cow disease, formally known as bovine spongiform encephalopathy, since the government said in March that several people apparently caught a fatal brain disease from infected cattle.

The beef industry got a boost when the hamburger chain Wimpy said it would put British beef back on its menus in a few days.

"We've had thousands and thousands of letters from people asking us to use British beef and saying they wouldn't come in unless we did," said Wimpy spokeswoman Katherine Young.

Wimpy had joined McDonald's and Burger King in pulling British beef off the menu when the mad cow scare began. Wimpy, which destroyed hundreds of thousands of burgers, says it has installed new controls to make sure its meat is even safer than the government requires.

The European Union also had imposed a ban on exports of British beef products.

Hogg says 60 slaughterhouses and 80 markets around Britain, including Gentry's in Newark, 110 miles northeast of London, will be used as collection centers.

Many in the embattled industry figured the program would not really get going until next Tuesday, following a three-day holiday weekend in Britain.

"Until the paperwork is signed and sealed, they can't pull the trigger," said Joy Fox, a regional representative of the National Farmers Union.

The National Farmers Union has estimated that British rendering plants can process 15,000 cattle a week. Britain's Intervention Board, which is handling the slaughter, was unable to say how many cattle will be killed although a backlog of 90,000 cattle has developed over the past five weeks.

Targeted for slaughter are dairy cows that have outlived their usefulness and beef cattle over 30 months old.

The cattle are to be killed with a special pistol that can shoot a bolt into the front of an animal's head. The cattle will then be ground up and either incinerated or buried, said Jean Auty, a spokeswoman for the Intervention Board.

Critics say the slaughter is nothing more than a public relations gesture that has no scientific basis, but many in the $6 billion beef industry said they have to do something to keep from going broke.

Slaughterhouse owner David Williams called the killing unconscionable waste of food.

# Pocket book delayed by red tape

NEW YORK (AP) — Pocket Books — one-time queen of the quickie books — has been dethroned, done in by government red tape.

Although the paperback publisher was the first to announce a book on Unabomber suspect Theodore Kaczynski, Warner Books won the publishing race. Warner shipped its book "Mad Genius: The Odyssey, Pursuit and Capture of the Unabomber Suspect" on Wednesday, The New York Times reported today.

Officials at Pocket Books are still drumming their fingers, waiting for FBI approval of their book "Unabomber: On The Trail of America's Most Wanted, Serial Killer." The FBI gets to review the book because co-author John Douglas is a retired agent.

Are the Pocket Books authors disappointed? Annoyed? How about fuming?

"If this is the FBI's idea of expediency, then I can see why it took them 18 years to catch the Unabomber," Douglas' co-author, Mark Olshaker, told the Times.

The Pocket Books version written by a team of journalists was finished just 13 days after Kaczynski's April 3 arrest in a Montana cabin. Six copies were delivered to FBI reviewers that day.

FBI Unit Chief Pat Solley apparently doesn't understand the cutthroat world of publishing. She told the Times it was her understanding they had 30 days to review it.

"We're grinding on," she said. "I really couldn't say when (approval) will come."

As Pocket Books was tied up in red tape, Warner speeded up production, using triple shifts at a printing plant near Buffalo.

The authors are Nancy Gibbs, Richard Lacayo, Lance Morrow, Jill Smolowe and David Van Biema with the editorial staff of Time magazine.

# Hospital

ADMISSIONS: John Mathis, 2409 40th; B.D. Bruyere, 2406 42nd; Pearl Cagle, 4500 Ave. U; Clara Cain, 1915 Clymans; Ruby Smith, 422 CR230; Vera Vincent, 2701 48th.

DISMISSALS: Dakota Duncan, Bryan Dupuy, Kimberly Shifflett and baby, Ruby Smith, B.D. Bruyere.

CENSUS: 47 (Med., Surg.-11, Long-term Care-36.

# 4 arrested by officers

Two people were arrested Wednesday and two others taken into custody early this morning as local law enforcement agencies worked numerous calls.

Officers arrested a 17-year-old male at 1:18 p.m. in the 3400 block of College Avenue for possession of drug paraphernalia.

A 48-year-old female was arrested at 6:05 p.m. at 28th Street and Avenue K on outstanding warrants for public intoxication and assault/family violence.

Officers arrested a 17-year-old male at 12:03 this morning in the 3900 block of College Avenue for misdemeanor driving while intoxicated.

Following a report of a possible prowler at 2:13 this morning in the 100 block of Elm Street, officers arrested a 36-year-old male for public intoxication.

In other activity, an officer was requested at Lawrence IGA #100 at 11:41 a.m. in reference to a forged check.

A 16-year-old female who was reported as a runaway on April 27 was located at 3:04 p.m. and later released to her mother.

Claudette Castillo requested to speak to an officer at 4:12 p.m. from 2901 W. 3rd St., in reference to her dog being stolen.

At 5:17 p.m., an offense report for injury to an elderly person was submitted in reference to an incident earlier in the day.

A report for aggravated assault was submitted at 10:20 p.m. in reference to a juvenile assaulting his mother.

A report of a possible prowler was made at 1:59 p.m. from the Alamo Heights area.

# Markets

## Midday Stocks

NEWYORK(AP)-

| | High | Low | Last | |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| AMR Corp | 90⅛ | 89½ | 89⅝ | — ⅛ |
| AT&T Corp | 60⅛ | 59⅝ | 59⅝ | — ¼ |
| AirTouch | 30⅛ | 30⅛ | 30⅛ | — ⅛ |
| Albertsons | 37½ | 37 | 37 | — ⅛ |
| Alldsignal | 59⅛ | 58⅛ | 59⅛ | — ½ |
| Alltel | 32⅝ | 32¼ | 32⅜ | — ⅛ |
| AmStores | 33⅜ | 33 | 33⅛ | — ⅛ |
| Ameritech | 58 | 57¼ | 57½ | — ⅜ |
| Amoco | 72⅜ | 71⅞ | 72⅜ | — ¼ |
| AndarkPtr | 58⅛ | 57⅞ | 57⅞ | — ⅛ |
| ArmcoInc | 5⅜ | 5⅛ | 5⅛+ | ⅛ |
| AtlRichfld | 117⅛ | 116½ | 117 | + ½ |
| ATMOS Egy | | 24⅛ | 24⅛ | 24⅛ |
| Aviall | | 9⅛ | 9⅛ | 9⅛ |
| BakerHughes | 30⅛ | 29⅝ | 29⅝ | — ⅛ |
| BellAtl | 64½ | 63⅞ | 63¾ | —1 |
| BellSouth s | 39½ | 38⅝ | 38⅝ | —1 |
| BethSteel | 13⅜ | 13⅛ | 13⅜ | + ⅛ |
| BritPet | 107⅛ | 106⅛ | 106⅝ | — ⅛ |
| BurlNoSFe | 87⅛ | 87 | 87⅛ | — ⅛ |
| Caterpillar | 65⅛ | 64 | 65⅛ | + ½ |
| CenSoWst | 27⅛ | 26⅞ | 27 | — ⅛ |
| Chevron | 57⅞ | 56⅞ | 57⅞ | — ⅛ |
| Chrysler | 64⅛ | 63⅛ | 64⅛ | + ½ |
| Coastal | 39⅛ | 38⅜ | 38⅜ | — ⅛ |
| CocaCola | 81⅛ | 80⅝ | 80⅝ | — ⅛ |
| CocaColawi | | 40⅝ | 40⅜ | 40⅜ |
| ColgatePalm | 75½ | 74⅜ | 75⅛ | —1⅛ |
| CooperIn | 42⅜ | 42 | 42⅛ | — ½ |
| CyprusAmax | 27⅛ | 27 | 27⅛ | + ⅛ |
| DallSemicn | 20⅛ | 20 | 20⅛ | + ⅛ |
| DeltaAirl | 82 | 81 | 81⅜ | + ⅛ |
| DigitalEq | | 59⅜ | 58⅛ | 58⅛ |
| Dillard | 41½ | 41 | 41 | + ⅜ |
| DowChem | 89⅜ | 88⅛ | 89⅛ | + ⅛ |
| DresserInd | 30⅛ | 30⅛ | 30⅛ | — ⅛ |
| DuPont | 79⅛ | 78⅛ | 79⅛ | — ⅛ |
| EastmanChem | 67⅛ | 67 | 67⅛ | — ⅛ |
| EstKodak | 77⅛ | 76⅛ | 77⅛ | — ⅛ |
| EljerInd | 11⅛ | 11 | 11⅛ | — ⅛ |
| Enserch | 21⅛ | 21⅛ | 21⅛ | — ⅛ |
| Entergy | 26⅛ | 26⅛ | 26⅛ | — ⅛ |
| Exxon | 84⅛ | 82⅛ | 84 | + ⅜ |
| Flowers s | | 14⅛ | 14⅛ | 14⅛ |
| FordMotor | 36⅛ | 36⅛ | 36⅛ | — ⅛ |
| GTE Cp | 43⅛ | 43 | 43 | — ⅛ |
| GenDynam | 65 | 64⅛ | 64⅛ | — ⅛ |
| GenElec | 77⅛ | 77 | 77⅛ | — ⅛ |
| GenMills | 57 | 56⅛ | 56⅝ | — ⅛ |
| GenMotors | 54⅛ | 54⅛ | 54⅜ | + ⅛ |
| GenMotors E | 56⅛ | 56⅛ | 56⅛ | — ⅛ |
| GaPacif | 77⅞ | 77 | 77⅞ | + ⅛ |
| GlobalMar | 11⅛ | 11 | 11⅛ | — ⅛ |
| Goodrichs | 39⅛ | 39⅛ | 39⅜ | — ⅛ |
| Goodyear s | 52⅛ | 52⅛ | 52⅛ | — ⅛ |
| GtAtlPac | 35⅛ | 34⅞ | 35⅛ | + ⅛ |
| Haliburtn | 56⅛ | 55⅞ | 55⅝ | —1⅛ |
| Hanson ADS | 15⅛ | 15 | 15 | — ⅛ |
| HarteHanks s | 25 | 24⅛ | 24⅜ | — ⅛ |
| HoustonInd s | 22 | 21 13-16 | 21⅛ | — ⅛ |
| IBM | 109⅛ | 108 | 108⅞ | +1 |
| IntlPapers | | 40⅜ | 39⅞ | 40⅜ |
| JohnsnJns | 92⅛ | 90⅞ | 91⅛ | —1⅛ |
| K mart | | 10⅝ | 10⅛ | 10⅝ |
| Kroger | 40⅛ | 39⅝ | 40⅛ | + ⅜ |
| Litton | 44½ | 44 | 44⅛ | — ⅛ |
| LockhdMart | 82⅛ | 81⅛ | 82 | — ⅛ |
| Lowes Cos | 33⅜ | 33⅛ | 33⅜ | — ⅛ |
| Lubys | 24 | 23⅞ | 23⅜ | — ⅛ |
| LucentTech n | 34⅜ | 33 | 33⅛ | —1 |
| MayDeptStrs | 51⅛ | 51 | 51⅜ | + ⅛ |
| Medtronics | 52⅛ | 51⅛ | 51⅛ | —1⅛ |
| Mobil | 114⅛ | 112 | 114⅛ | +1⅛ |
| Monsanto | 152⅛ | 150⅛ | 152⅛ | +1⅛ |
| Motorola | 62⅛ | 61⅛ | 61½ | — ⅛ |
| Nationsbk | 79⅛ | 78⅛ | 78⅛ | —1⅛ |
| Navistar | 11⅛ | 11⅛ | 11⅛ | — ⅛ |
| NorandEngy | 10⅞ | 10⅞ | 10⅞ | + ⅛ |
| Norwest | 35⅝ | 35⅛ | 35⅜ | — ⅛ |
| Nynex | 48⅜ | 47⅞ | 48⅛ | — ⅛ |
| OryxEngy | 16 | 15⅞ | 15⅞ | — ⅛ |
| PacTelesis | 34⅛ | 33⅜ | 33⅛ | — ⅛ |
| Panenergy | 32½ | 32⅛ | 32⅜ | — ⅛ |
| Penney JC | 51 | 50⅝ | 50⅞ | — ⅜ |
| Penzoil | 43⅜ | 43⅛ | 43⅜ | — ⅛ |
| PepBoys | 33⅞ | 33⅛ | 33⅛ | — ⅛ |
| PepsiCo | | 64⅛ | 63⅞ | 64 |
| PhelpDodge | 74⅛ | 73⅜ | 74⅛ | — ⅛ |
| PhilipPet | 40⅛ | 39⅞ | 39⅞ | — ⅛ |
| PilgrmPrd | 6⅛ | 6⅛ | 6⅛ | — ⅛ |
| Polaroid | 45⅝ | 45⅜ | 45½ | — ⅛ |
| Praxair | 39⅛ | 38⅝ | 39 | + ⅛ |
| ProctGamble | 84⅛ | 83⅛ | 83⅝ | —1⅛ |
| PubSNwMx | 17⅞ | 17⅝ | 17⅞ | — ⅛ |
| RoyalDutch | 140⅛ | 139⅛ | 140⅛ | — ⅛ |
| SBC Comm | 50 | 49⅜ | 49⅝ | — ⅛ |
| SaraLee | 31 | 30⅞ | 31 | — ⅛ |
| SearsRoebs | | 51 | 50⅛ | 51 |
| SherwinW | 46½ | 45⅞ | 45⅞ | — ⅛ |
| SmthBchADS | 54⅛ | 54⅛ | 54⅛ | — ⅛ |
| SouthernCo | 21⅛ | 21⅛ | 21⅛ | — ⅛ |
| SwstAirlines | 29⅝ | 29⅛ | 29⅜ | — ⅛ |
| Sprint | 42⅛ | 41⅜ | 41⅞ | — ⅛ |
| SterlingChm | | 11½ | 11½ | 11½ |
| SunCo | 30⅛ | 30⅛ | 30⅜ | — ⅛ |
| TNP Ent | | 24⅛ | 23⅞ | 24 |
| Tandy | 52⅛ | 52⅛ | 52⅛ | — ⅛ |
| TempleInl | 48⅛ | 47⅞ | 48⅛ | + ⅛ |
| Tenneco | 54⅛ | 53⅛ | 53⅜ | —1 |
| Texaco | 84⅛ | 83⅛ | 84⅛ | — ⅛ |
| TexasInd | 63⅛ | 62⅞ | 63 | — ⅛ |
| TexasInsts | 58⅛ | 57⅞ | 57⅞ | +1⅛ |
| TexUtil | 40 | 39⅝ | 39⅞ | — ⅜ |
| Textron | | 85⅞ | 84⅛ | 85⅛ |
| Travelers | 60⅝ | 59⅛ | 60⅛ | — ⅛ |
| TrinityInds | 35⅛ | 34⅛ | 35 | — ⅛ |
| TritonEngy | 53⅛ | 53⅛ | 53⅜ | — ⅛ |
| Tyler | | 2⅞ | 2⅞ | 2⅞ |
| US WestCm s | | 32⅛ | 32⅛ | 32⅛ |
| USWstMda n | 19⅛ | 19⅛ | 19⅛ | — ⅛ |
| USX Delhi | | 14 | 13⅞ | 13⅞ |
| USX-Marathn | 21⅛ | 21⅛ | 21⅜ | — ⅛ |
| USX-USS | 33⅛ | 32⅞ | 33⅛ | + ⅛ |
| UnCarbde | | 45⅞ | 45 | 45⅛ |
| UnPac | | 68⅜ | 68 | 68⅜ |
| UnitedTech | 109 | 108 | 108⅛ | —1⅛ |
| Unocal | 31⅞ | 31⅛ | 31⅜ | — ⅛ |
| WalMart | | 24 7-16 | 24⅛ | 24⅛ |
| WstnGasRs | 15⅛ | 14⅝ | 14⅞ | + ⅛ |
| WestghEl | 19⅛ | 19 | 19⅛ | — ⅛ |
| WinnDixie s | 33⅛ | 32⅛ | 33 | — ⅛ |
| Woolworth | 18⅛ | 18⅛ | 18⅝ | — ⅛ |
| XeroxCp | 149⅛ | 148 | 149⅛ | + ⅛ |
| ZenithE | 12⅛ | 12 | 12⅛ | + ⅛ |

# Stores pulls offer

HENDERSONVILLE, N.C. (AP) — A two-for-one Mother's Day promotion backfired on a jewelry store owner who offered a free gun with the purchase of a diamond ring.

The ads, which began running last week, were pulled from television and radio after complaints from customers, said John Laughter, owner of Shelley's Jewelry. "We've offended some of our older female customers," he said Wednesday.

Shelley's four stores in Hendersonville, Waynesville and Forest City had offered a .22-caliber rifle with every diamond ring sold.

"Everybody commented on the old joke about shotgun weddings," Laughter said.

# Scurry County Country



## The Emu Report

By Shirley Pate, Pate Emu Farm

It is always important to keep an adequate supply of fresh water for emu. During the summer months ahead it is even more urgent. Jeff Williams, DVM, with the Live Oak Veterinary Clinic, Jacksboro, has this bit of advice.

"During hot humid summer months, chicks can become dehydrated very easily within a few hours in some cases. Chicks and juveniles up to six months of age are more susceptible to dehydration than adult birds.

The reason they become dehydrated is because the total body surface area, compared to the body weight, is much greater for the young birds than adults. The greater body surface area allows more body fluids to escape and more heat to penetrate the chick which increases the risk of dehydration. At times, during the day, the chick may not be able to physically drink enough to maintain its body fluid levels. Some other causes of dehydration are diarrhea, impaction and various diseases that cause chicks to stop drinking.

Dehydration, or loss of body fluids, can range from mild with no noticeable signs to severe with impairment of bodily function.

During severe dehydration chemical and electrolyte imbalances occur in the chick. Potassium, sodim chloride are lost. The pH balance of their blood decreases creating a chemical imbalance termed "metabolic acidosis." The glucose or blood sugar level falls. These imbalances can cause central nervous system disorders and may also cause cardivascular collapse.

The first clinical signs are usually depression and lethargy. The birds will isolate themselves and will not want to move. The skin under the wings and on the legs will become wrinkled as the body cells shrink in an effort to conserve water. The chick may start to feel sick or disoriented and will not want to drink, further complicating the problem. If the dehydration is not corrected, seizures, coma, shock and death can occur.

Diagnosis is usually made on clinical signs, however, a complete blood count, packed cell volume, total serum protein and a liver/kidney profile may be needed to determine the cause. Often, oral electrolyte replacement fluids, combined with dextrose will rehydrate the chick. However, if the dehydration is severe enough, intravenous fluids combined with oral therapy may be needed.

Prevention, as with other disease, is extremely important. Having a well ventilated and shaded area is very important. A three sided aluminum shed is not adequate because there is no ventilation.

If a large number of birds are in a pen, more than one water receptacle may be needed because the more submissive birds may be held off by the dominate birds. Changing water frequently will help increase consumption, adding balanced electrolytes to the water receptacles will help reduce the risk of dehydration, but most importantly one must monitor the birds for physical signs of dehydration, especially during the hottest part of the day.

For further information call Pate Emu Farm, 573-5340.

## Computerized spray system economical

WASHINGTON (AP) — A precision spraying system relying on computer chips and electric eyes is proving effective and cost-saving against weeds in soybean, cotton and other field crops.

Small sensors installed in the tops of spray hoods detect even tiny green weeds, which activates a nozzle that sprays herbicide onto the weeds without wasting the chemical on bare ground.

"The grower who applies herbicides with this type of controlled precision is definitely going to save on production costs," said James E. Hanks, an engineer with the Agriculture Department's research unit at Stoneville, Miss.

Hanks has been testing the "smart sprayer" on soybeans. The Agricultural Research Service has signed an agreement with Patchen California Inc. to develop a system for using it on row crops.

Hanks used a tractor-pulled eight-row hooded spray system in his test. Half the system was equipped with sensor-controlled spray hoods and the other half with conventional hoods that spray continuously.

## Make paper out of trash

KEARNEY, Neb. (AP) — They've found another use for the tons of cornstalks and husks that are left over from the conversion of corn into ethyl alcohol. A plant expected to open by June 1997 will turn the trash into pulp for making paper.

Heartland Fibers LLC of Willmar, Minn., is building the $89 million plant.



## Town & Country Topics

By Kathryn Roberts
County Extension Agent

**BEDTIME CAN BE A HAPPY TIME**

Bedtime is a special time for children and parents. It's a great time for developing closeness and connectedness before going to sleep.

As a parent, you can give your child what he needs and wants and still have him going to bed in a timely manner.

1. Respect your needs. Take care of yourself during the day so you are not feeling frazzled at your child's bedtime. Set your child's bedtime at an hour that allows you some solitude with your partner or self after your child goes to bed.

2. Whenever possible, have both parents be a part of the bedtime ritual. Bedtime is more fun and less of a burden when both parents participate.

3. Start your bedtime ritual 45 minutes to one hour before your child's actual bedtime hour to avoid unnecessary stress and struggle.

4. Respect his sense of time by telling him that bedtime is in 15 minutes, allowing him to complete a particular activity before his actual bedtime hour.

5. Offer choices instead of orders.

6. Create a bedtime ritual with your child's help and advice. The routine needs to have a quality of sameness to provide a sense of security.

7. Create Closeness. Examples: Talk about "Remember When," Listen To Your Child's Feelings About the Day, Say Three Things That You Love About Each Other.

Some children may talk more freely with the lights out. Try to discover what is most encouraging to your child in enhancing your communication together.

It is essential that you do not talk to your child after the bedtime routine is complete. Your child will pay more attention to your actions than your words.

## Colorado City Livestock Auction

COLORADO CITY — The Colorado City Livestock Auction had a run of 487 head of cattle at the Saturday, April 27 Sale. Feeder and stocker steers and heifers, slaughter cows and bulls were steady to $1 lower. Stocker cows and pairs were steady.

Stocker & feeder steers: 200 to 300, 50 to 62; 300 to 400, 48 to 54; 400 to 500, 43 to 52; 500 to 600 42 to 51; 600 to 750, 40 to 52.
Stocker & feeder heifers: 200 to 300, 48 to 54; 300 to 400, 40 to 51; 400 to 500, 38 to 46; 500 to 600, 37 to 44.50; 600 to 750, 36 to 44.
Springer bulls: 35 to 40.25.
Slaughter cows: 24 to 32.50.
Stocker cows: 250 to 300.
Pairs: 250 to 495.

## Sweetwater cattle auction

The market at Sweetwater had a run of 477 head of cattle for the Wednesday, April 24, sale. Stocker and feeder cattle were 2 cwt lower with packer cows and bulls 1 cwt higher. Limited demand on pairs and springs.

**STEERS**
300-400: 50-58
400-500: 47-57
500-600: 45-53
600-700: 44-51

**HEIFERS**
300-400: 40-51
400-500: 38-48
500-600: 36-47
600-700: 38-44.50

**BRED COWS**
Good: 325-390
Older and Plainer: 250-325

**PAIRS**
Good: 375-450
Older Plainer: 300-375

**PACKER COWS**
Good: 28-32.50
Low Yielding: 20-28

**PACKER BULLS**
Good: 38-42
Low Yielding: 34-38


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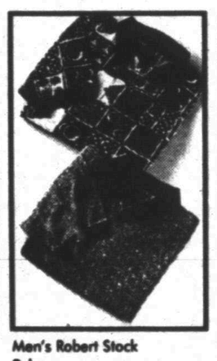

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Men's Cyrk Nylon Shorts, Reg. 12.99 SALE 6.99


Men's Pocket T-Shirts, Reg. 7.99 SALE 3/$18


Men's Robert Stock Polos, Reg. 24.99 SALE 17.99



4-20, Reg. 14.99 & 17.99 SALE 12.99 & 14.99
2-4T, Reg. 9.99 to 12.99 SALE 7.99 & 9.99



4-20, Reg. 9.99 & 14.99 SALE 7.99 & 11.99
2-4T, Reg.7.99 SALE 5.99
Selection will vary by store



4-14, Reg. 8.99- 14.99 SALE 5.99 - 9.99
2-4T, Reg. 7.99 SALE 5.99
Selection will vary by store


Women's ESO Leather Oxfords, Reg. 14.99 SALE 9.99


Men's Riddell Athletic Shoes, Reg. 19.99 SALE 15.99
Reg. 24.99 SALE 17.99
Reg. 29.99 SALE 19.99



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C. Men's
6pk. Reg. 7.99 SALE 5.99
6pk. Reg. 5.99 SALE 4.99










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Juniors' Palmetto Twill Scooters, Reg. 19.99 ..... 14.99
Women's Espirit & Copper Creek Sandals, Reg. 29.99 ea. ..... 24.99 ea.
Women's Mootsies Tootsies Sandals, Reg. 19.99 ..... 15.99

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Spring SAVINGS!!

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Reg. $1199 As Is Slight Freight Damage ..... SALE $799
Standard Dresser, Mirror, Hdb., 1 NT Stand
Reg. $527 ..... SALE $299

Douglas Table & 6 Chairs Oak Trim On Chairs Reg. $539 SALE $449





Traditional Sofa & Love Seat By Coventry, Green, Burgundy, Blue Reg. $1118 SALE $888

All Appliances On Sale
Kitchen Aid, Whirlpool, & Roper. Roper Washer STARTING AT $299

LIVINGROOM SPECIAL CLOSE OUTS!
Cottage Lane Green Velvet Sofa
Reg. $559 CASH & CARRY ..... SALE $279
Southwest Love Seat W/Oak Trim
Reg. $549 CASH & CARRY ..... SALE $269
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# Business and education leaders urge help for 'anxious' workers

WASHINGTON (AP) — A group of American business and education leaders are urging new strategies to help "anxious" workers adapt to a rapidly changing economy that many believe is leaving them behind.

"New technologies, new competitive forces and new ways of organizing economic activities are changing the nature and structure of work in America," the New York-based Committee for Economic Development said today.

"Like the earlier restructuring from agriculture to industry, these changes enhance our economic prospects but also outpace institutional change," the report added.

The report, which was released here, found "no 'magic bullets' or quick fixes."

But it added it is essential to respond constructively to opportunities that economic change provides, rather than resisting change.

Like other recent reports, the CED report noted that a majority of new jobs pay above-average wages, and major companies have generally increased employment, despite well-publicized reports of corporate downsizing.

The White House Council of Economic Advisers reported last week that more new, high-paying jobs were created in recent years than were eliminated, but acknowledged, "The speed of transformation in the U.S. labor market has left many American workers anxious about their economic futures."

The CED report said the new economy is built on knowledge and skills.

"In general, the new economy bodes well for those American workers who have education beyond high school and who are prepared for careers in managerial, professional and technical occupations," the report said.

"But the American economy is offering fewer and fewer high-paying jobs and grim long-term prospects for the less skilled," it noted.

The report called for public and private policies to produce stronger economic growth and more widely shared economic opportunity.

Specifically, it called on:

—Employers to invest more in the training of their workers, redesign their benefits and ease adjustment to job loss.

—Government to adopt growth-oriented economic policies and to maintain and expand open markets at home and abroad.

—Business and government to work together to broaden economic opportunity for all Americans.

—Business and government to make changes in unemployment, retirement, health and other policies to better serve a more flexible, mobile work force.

# *Dear Abby*

*By Abigail Van Buren*



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## Scheme to Get Rid of Junk Mail Runs Into Dead End

DEAR ABBY: After reading the comments in your column about junk mail, I had to share my experience with you. It all started in Vancouver, where my wife ordered a sweater for me from the landlady who ran the bed and breakfast inn where we were staying. The landlady wanted to be paid only for the yarn, not her time. She suggested we give what we felt it was worth to our favorite charity.

When we received the sweater at home in Pennsylvania two months later, my wife sent a check to the landlady and asked her to put her favorite charity on the check. Soon my wife was getting pelted with financial support letters from Jimmy Swaggart's ministry. Finally, I wrote DECEASED on one of the solicitations and returned it. Presto! She no longer got mail from Jimmy Swaggart.

My brother-in-law, a doctor in Miami, heard how I got rid of my "junk mail" and put "deceased" on all of his junk mail and returned it to sender. A few weeks later, he realized that he was not receiving important mail that he was expecting. He then found out that his postman had seen "deceased" on his mail and, assuming that he was indeed dead, had put "deceased" on his first-class mail and sent it back, too. My brother-in-law then discovered that he'd been mourned by his Harvard classmates and was no longer a member of some of his clubs and associations.

His remark to me was, "The next time you get a smart idea, don't tell me about it!"

AN ABBY FAN IN
LAKE WALES, FLA.

P.S. About 30 years ago, I wrote you about my wife not being interested in sex. You suggested we see a sex therapist, only we couldn't afford to go because I was starting a new business. This year, when things went from bad to worse, we started going to a therapist — and we wished we had taken your advice years ago!

**DEAR FAN IN LAKE WALES: Better late than never.**

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DEAR ABBY: I have never written to you before, but I read the letter from "Wondering in Missouri," about the lady who wanted to know if she should give her children things that were special to her before she passed away. Yes, yes, yes — please do!

My mom died earlier this year and none of her wishes were obeyed. For years and years, she had been telling everyone the things that she wanted her children and grandchildren to have. Well, after she was gone, her husband ignored her wishes, refused to pay one cent for the funeral, and treated us worse than anyone could ever begin to imagine. He kept everything she wanted her loved ones to have.

I and her granddaughters are devastated. We not only have to live every single day with the grief of losing her, but we have nothing of hers that she wanted us to have. Mother would be so very sad.

Her husband destroyed her will and did not even give us the courtesy of seeing her last words. So, if you have loved ones who are special to you — then please, please give them the things that you want them to have before you die. We can't even get a lawyer to try and fight this injustice because we can't afford it. My heart is broken.

BROKENHEARTED IN OREGON

**DEAR BROKENHEARTED: I have often said, "Do your giving while you're living, and you'll be knowing where it's going."**

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# Date Book

May 2, 1996

*Today is the 123rd day of 1996 and the 44th day of spring.*

**TODAY'S HISTORY:** On this day in 1863, Confederate general Stonewall Jackson was fatally wounded by his own troops when he failed to give sentries a password.

**TODAY'S BIRTHDAYS:** Catherine the Great (1729-1796), Russian empress; Vernon Castle (1887-1918), dancer; Manfred von Richthofen, "The Red Baron" (1892-1918), German World War I ace; Bing Crosby (1903-1977), actor-singer; Benjamin M. Spock (1903-), pediatrician, is 93; Theodore Bikel (1924-), singer-actor, is 72; Lesley Gore (1946-), singer, is 50.

**TODAY'S SPORTS:** On this day in 1988, Pete Rose was suspended for 30 days after shoving an umpire during a game.

**TODAY'S QUOTE:** "The more people have studied different methods of bringing up children the more they have come to the conclusion that what good mothers and fathers instinctively feel like doing for their babies is the best after all." — Benjamin Spock

**TODAY'S WEATHER:** On this day in 1968, Juniper Lake, Ore., recorded a low temperature of zero and a high temperature of 81 degrees.

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

**TODAY'S MOON:** Day before full moon.

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**Kids should always come first in any school system.** The adults are sometimes the problem in any community. The battle that just ended in Hermleigh was because of the adults not wanting the full truth. We have just ended a year of pain for all and as usual the kids are the worst victims. We wonder why nations can't get along and here we in a small community can't find a way to get at the truth without calling everyone liars. Once again statements have been made without looking to see the whole story so we PRO. HISD have checked the minutes of the past three years.

List of school board members for 1993-96

May 1993- May 1994
Ronnie Price, Jimmy Hudgins, Tony Lambaren, Neil Beeks, Julius Roemisch, James Rinehart and Milton Adams.

May 1994-May 1995
Carole Haynes, Chip Roemisch, Milton Adams, John Williamson, James Rinehart, Neil Beeks and Andrew Rodriguez.

May 1995-May 1996
Chip Roemisch, Milton Adams, John Williamson, James Rinehart, Jimmy Hudgins, Andrew Rodriguez and Sherene Digby. We lost Andrew right before the election so three months later and after we the voters were told our opinions on filling the seat didn't matter they appointed Jay Roemisch.

After the meeting we were told our opinion didn't matter- we felt like our address was Hermleigh, USSR.
We want to look at items listed in the last letter printed in the paper.

1. Approved $1,000 raise Mr. Church. June 22, "93" vote was 6-1, Neil Beeks against. Last three years salary has been $49,000.
2. Approved $1,000 raise Mr. Spieker, June 22 "93" vote was 6-1 Neil Beeks against. Last three years salary has been $39,000 plus $3,000 for counselor $42,000.
3. Approved $1,000 raise for teachers July 13 "93." Vote 6-1 Ronnie Price against. This is above state base. Here we find that for the next two years these gentlemen that were given credit for doing this have voted against this action taken in "93."
4. Approved 100% health coverage. This first took place in Aug. 21, 1990 Vote was 5-1, Jimmy not present. Was voted on again July 13, "93" vote was 5-0 Jimmy and Tony abstained because wives worked for the school. Again in July 11, "95" vote was 4-3 with Jimmy, James and Milton against.
5. Approved stage curtain. Discussion was found July 20, "93" and a quote of $2,000 with delivery in 4-6 weeks. but found no record where this board had voted on it.
6. Approved new heater for high school July 13, "93" vote was 7-0 the new heater replaced one that died. Were they going to let the kids freeze?
7. Approved purchasing computers found discussion but found no recorded vote. Listed in budget.
8. Approved Saxon math June 8, "93" vote was 7-0 Mr. Church brought this to the board.
9. Approved additions to playground July 20, "93" Limit purchase to $5,000 vote 6-0 Tony was not present
10. Aproved move pole on football field here there is some confusion minutes state all members were present but vote on April 14, "94" was 5-1 with Milton Adams against.
11. Approved practice field same as number 10.
12. Approved new lights for field Sept. 13, "95" VOTE 6-0 Jimmy was not present.
13. Approved resurfacing gym floor. The only place this can be found is June 8, "93". It was to be discussed in July board meeting. Listed in budget.
14. Approved painting gym exterior July 19, "94" is the first place this is found presented by Chip. Voted Sept. 13, "94" 4-2 with Milton and James against. Neil was not present.
15. Approved new lawn tractor discussed in Sept. 13, "94", Oct. 11, "94", March 14, "95", finally April 19, "95" in a special call meeting with nothing on agenda but lawn tractor. Vote 7-0.
16. Approved paying off bus. Aug. 9, "94" vote 6-0 Andrew not present.
17. Approved improvements to concession stand at football field first found Nov. 10, "94" Chip requested this project as possible goal for 95-96 vote 6-0, May 12, "95"
18. Approved new weight room and dressing room. This was brought before the board June 13, "95" Voted on Oct. 10, "95" 5-2 with Milton and James against.
19. Approved renovation of $500,000. This was first found Oct. 10, "95" and action was finally started April 23, "96" with a vote of 7-0 bids are to be taken.
20. Approved wire welder Richard Smith brought this to board vote 6-0 Sept. 13, "94" price $1,500.
21. Insisted computer teacher be hired. When computers became mandated by the state to be in school systems. We have had a computer teacher for at least 5 years.
22. Insisted new water coolers. Found James asked about this Oct. 11, "94" Minutes show ordered by Nov. 10, "94" meeting. No meeting was in between so no vote is recorded.
23. Insisted new green door for lunchroom. Found discussed May "94" it was a screen door and one would assume general maintenance is done every year.
24. Insisted hot water in bathrooms. Vanities with hot water heaters were ordered before Nov. 10, "94" meeting. Could not find a vote taken in the minutes before this meeting.
25. Insisted TAAS scores improve on Feb. 14, "95" A discussion took place as to what the school board could do to help improve the scores and that is all they did is discuss. The scores may not have been as good as the rest of the area schools, but statewide we did OK. The next time the scores came out and were up the ones to get the loudest praise was the parents, then came the students and then the teachers. Some of the parents are willing to admit we did nothing to help the scores go up. The test covers what the students should be learning during their education.
26. Insisted person in sign language be hired. The law is if you have someone who needs sign language you must provide someone or transportation for student to nearest campus. The parents chose to keep the student in Hermleigh so a person was hired.
27. Insisted that a weighted grading policy. This is a good idea so let's give the total board full credit.
28. Insisted on grievance form. Already had a procedure installed just added paper work.
29. Insisted that travel expenses be documented. Already doing.
30. Insisted that administration follow state law. Already doing.
31. Insisted that administration follow retirement rules. Already doing.
32. Would like to see all teachers certified. All teachers are certified in the field they are teaching.
33. Would like to see more screening for learning disorders. The state has list that can be tested for and will allow testing for but without permission and first and foremost without parental permission you could open a can of worms that sure could bite your hand off.
34. Would like to see athletic director. No one wanted the job that already worked for the school. Statement made April 23, "96" We don't want to go outside the school to get one do we? (By Milton Adams)
35. Insisted that all students be fed on all school trips. Some misunderstandings occurred during the school year and this has become a big issue. The school does feed the students when they are on a school trip. Some of us can remember when the school didn't have the money to spare and we parents sent money or were there to buy food.

Some people like to say we are not educating our students. There are students and parents that care and want the best for our school and there are some students and parents that don't care and don't take the responsiblity for their part. Example of just four students that have just received recognition Donis McHaney from Texas Tech will receive 12 Hr. credit in English and does not have to take the entrance exam because she scored so high on her TAAS test. Also was offered a scholarship to A&M because of ACT score. Jack Hudgins just won the WTC social science contest beating out students from larger schools and was recognized as the top senior student in the WTC social science contest. April 30, 1996 Chris Lambaren received most outstanding student at WTC. A 1994 graduate of HISD. Rebecca Ramey was given most outstanding foreign language at McMurry Collge on Dean's List with a 4.0 grade average. (All we do is produce uneducated students) Another example for us to look at is the state has four ratings for accountability and accreditation. Since the state started this, HISD the first year we were acceptable and the next two years we were recognized. There is just one step above recognized. There are many requirements to meet but just four of them are: dropouts is lower, TAAS test improve, ACT scores up and attendance good. Being recognized puts us in the upper percent of the schools statewide. (Here once again we are not educating our students according to some) Why can't we give credit where credit is due? Keep shining HISD.

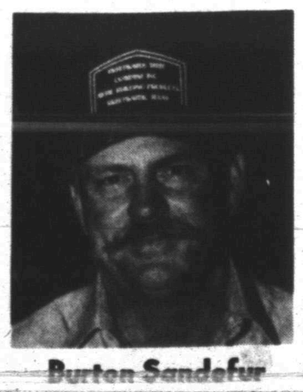
TAX RATE FOR SURROUNDING SCHOOLS 1994-95
1. Colorado City $1.45 per $100
2. Loraine $1.47
3. Westbrook $1.49
4. Roby $1.26
5. Rotan $1.27
6. Snyder $1.44
7. Ira $1.50
8. Roscoe $1.29.5
9. Blackwell $1.45
10. Highland $1.50
11. Gail $1.45
12. Hermleigh $1.36

Some of these were higher because of bonds. Yes, our tax rate dropped this year, but this is the first deficit budget passed since Mr. Church came in 1979-1980 school year. One person on the present board wanted a lower rate. Money was spent this year that they did not budget for some $15,000 dollars for the extra audit and lawyer and by the way this was all wasted because they did nothing at last board meeting because they had no grounds to act on. 3-12 meeting Sherene asked the attorney "could information found be turned over to D.A. at no charge to district? The answer was yes, so why did they choose to go to TEA? $2,671.63 was the last lawyer bill and on it we werer charged for document and letters prepared by the lawyer and in the meeting of April 16, 1996 the board asked for the documents and letters and Milton was to get them on April 23, 1996. He told the board they would become public record when the board took possession and he didn't know if they wanted to be public record. Some of us feel they are already public record since public funds paid for them. In the minutes of Aug 28, 1995 you will find "Consider Local Policy". Milton suggested that all documents signed by the board president be presented to the entire board for its inspection for the members that are present as an administrative procedure of this board. Motion by Milton seconded by John approved 7-0. Did he sign anything at the lawyer's office we don't know about?

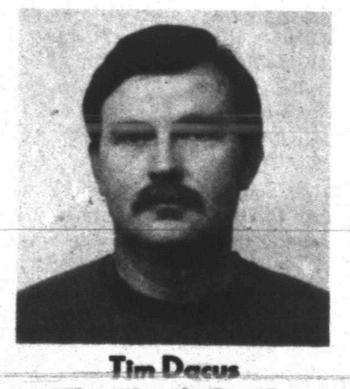
Just one more little fact Hermleigh was not the only one with an auto tax.
Most of the money that was used to pay for all of the improvements came from the CED program that school boards of the past worked hard for.

On Wednesday, May 1 the voters of HISD received an unsigned postcard supporting Barnes, Mireles & Rinehart. The card indicates the three have formed an alliance to continue to pursue investigative audit. Is this agreement pandering to a special interest group or is it cronysim as one board member likes to refer?

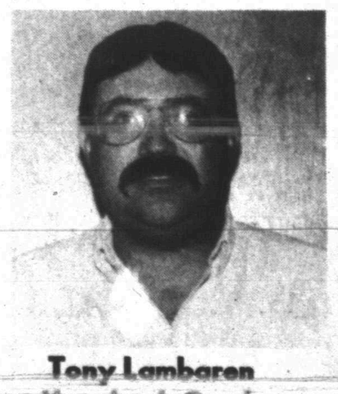
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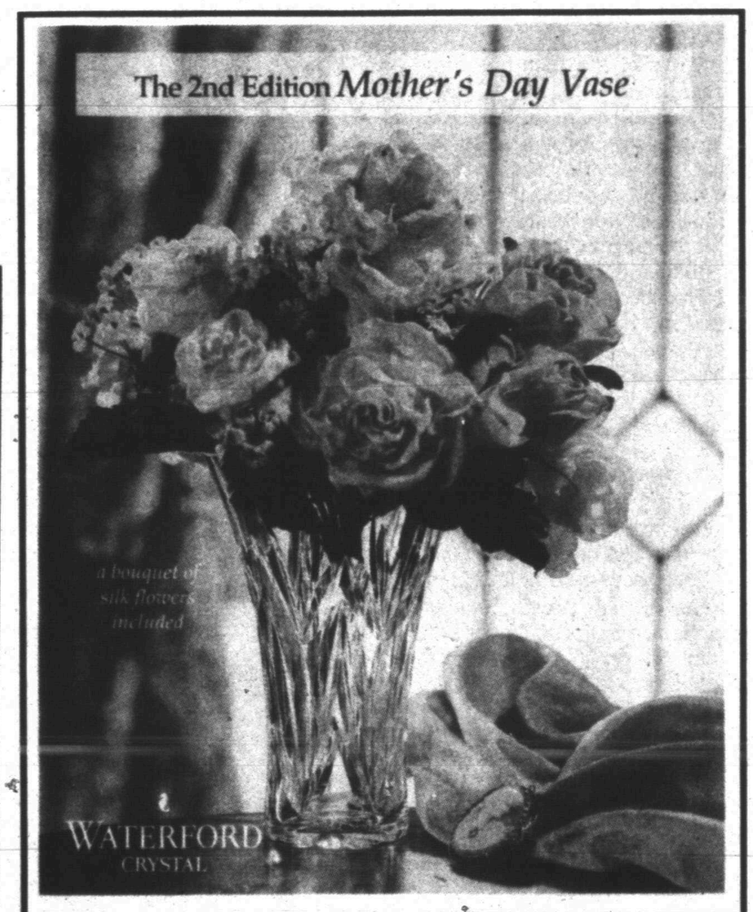


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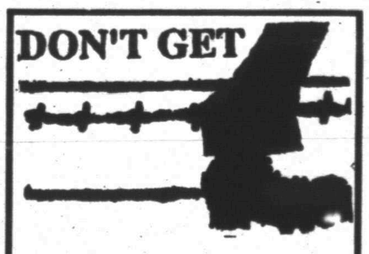
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THE SNYDER DAILY NEWS



GOING FOR THE 'GREEN' — Cast and crew members of "The Corn Is Green" will compete in the State UIL One-Act Play Contest Friday in Austin. Members are, left to right, front row, Jennifer Hancock, Stephen Taylor, Katie Thornton, Matt Parker, Jannica Northerns, Emily Zeck, Melanie Gibson and John Busby, and back row, Chris Post, Carl Strelecki, Joey Steakley, Andy Parker, Jared Dennis, Eldon Scott, Ryan Landes, Brandon Rollins, Jessica Mills, Jason Crow, Christina Bullard, Anna Hannan and Jack Hedges. (SDN Staff Photo)

# Obituaries

## Stella Pate

1903-1996

Graveside service is set for 2 p.m. Friday in the Snyder Cemetery for Stella Mae Sanders Pate, 92, who died at 9:20 a.m. today, May 2, in Cogdell Memorial Hospital following a long illness.

Mrs. Pate was a homemaker and had been a long-time resident of the Union community, having moved from Maryneal in 1944.

Born in Brown County, she married W.R. "Bill" Pate on Jan. 4, 1925 in Blackwell. He died in 1985.

Mrs. Pate was a member of the Union Baptist Church.

Survivors include two sons and daughters-in-law, Gene and Dian Pate and Tommy and Shirley Pate, all of Snyder; a sister, Jalie Van Zandt of Jasper; six grandchildren, Jennifer Gambrell, Jimmy Pate, Peggy Pate, Patricia West and Penny Roberson, all of Snyder, and Shauna Ward of San Angelo; and five great-grandchildren.

## Mandy Minor

1911-1996

Mandy Lorena "Babe" Minor, a former long-time resident of Scurry County, died Wednesday, May 1, at her grandson's home in Shreveport, La. She was 85.

Graveside service is set for 4 p.m. Friday in the Ira Cemetery. The Rev. Steve Long, pastor of the Ira First Baptist Church, will officiate. Arrangements are under the direction of Bell-Cypert-Seale Funeral Home.

Born in Parker County, she married J.W. "Jim" Minor on March 26, 1930 in Snyder. He died in 1974.

She was also preceded in death by a son, Jimmie Leon Minor.

She and her husband were long-time residents of the Ira community. She was a homemaker and a member of the Ira First Baptist Church. Mrs. Minor had lived in Louisiana with family for the past few years.

Survivors include a daughter, Billye Curtis of Madera, Calif.; a daughter-in-law, Dolores Minor of Shreveport; a sister, Alma Masterson of Mineral Wells; a brother, Everett Thompson of Mineral Wells; three grandsons, Jimmie Leon Minor Jr. of Shreveport, James Davis Minor of Mineral Wells and Phil Curtis of Madera; five great-grandchildren; and two great-great-grandchildren.

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## Jesse Davis

1902-1996

FORT WORTH — Graveside service is set for 1 p.m. Friday in the Marble Falls City Cemetery for Jesse H. Davis, 93.

Mr. Davis, the father of Sammie Jarrell of Snyder, died Wednesday, May 1, in Fort Worth. Laurel Land Funeral Home in Fort Worth is in charge of arrangements.

A retired pipeline engineer for Humble Oil Company, Mr. Davis was a member of the First United Methodist Church of Marble Falls. Born June 19 1902 in Oenaville, Tex., he wa a volunteer at Renaissance Park Care Center.

Survivors include another daughter, Sue Cook of Crowley; a son, Baker H. Davis of Waco; two sisters, Dorothy Meacham of Troy and Annie Bitner of Richmond; six grandchildren; and 13 great-grandchildren.

The family suggests memorials to a charity of choice or to the First Methodist Church in Marble Falls.

## Leo Hodges

1918-1996

TULIA — Leo Hodges, the brother of two Snyder residents, died Wednesday, May 1, at Prairie House Living Center in Plainview.

Service for Mr. Hodges, 77, is set for 2 p.m. Friday in the Wallace Funeral Home Chapel. Officiating will be the Rev. Rusty Gray, pastor of Tulia Christian Fellowship. Burial will follow in Parklawn Memorial Gardens.

Born in Comanche County, he married Jackie Watts on April 3, 1946 in Lubbock. Mr. Hodges was a U.S. Army veteran of World War II.

Mr. Hodges had worked as a butcher for Piggly Wiggly in Brownfield, and had owned Leo's Drive-In and A-Z Tot Shop, both in Levelland. He retired in 1983.

Survivors include his wife, Jackie Hodges of Tulia; two sons, Randy Hodges of Lubbock and Gary Hodges of Trinidad, West Indies; a daughter, Debbie Huckeby of Tulia; two brothers, Joe Hodges of Eastland and Bobby Hodges of Mabank; five sisters, Annie Dunn and Margie Norred, both of Snyder, Opal Bonner of Midlothian, Estelle Erwin of Gorman and Vaudean Everheart of Bowie; five grandchildren; and two great-grandchildren.

## Mrs. Hudgins

1922-1996

ODESSA — Graveside service is set for 2 p.m. Saturday in Sunset Memorial Gardens for Dorothy Marie Hudgins, 73, who died Tuesday, April 30, at her home here.

The Rev. Robert Guido was to officiate, and arrangements are under the direction of Hubbard-Kelly Funeral Home.

She was the sister of Fred Gilliand of Snyder.

Born in Towanda, Kan., she married James W. Hudgins on Aug. 10, 1943 in Kilgore. He died in 1991.

Mrs. Hudgins was a homemaker and had moved to Odessa in 1968. She was a Methodist and a member of the Order of Eastern Star.

Survivors include a son, Ronald Wayne Hudgins of Roswell, N.M.; two daughters, Paula Davis of Odessa and Jerri Lynn Halbrooks of Ruidoso, N.M.; another brother, Kenneth Ray Gilliand of Marshall; a sister, Ethel Henry of Kilgore; seven grandchildren; and two great-grandchildren.

# Probation ordered for 4 teen-agers

EAST BERNARD (AP) — Four teen-agers were each sentenced to six months' probation and 40 hours of community service for killing a cat by putting it in a sack and hitting it with baseball bats.

The four students at East Bernard High School had already been kicked off the school's state championship baseball team after beating the cat to death in March and running over the carcass with a pickup truck.

The cat, nicknamed Tiger, lived around the baseball team's park and was fed by local residents. The players had said they were tired of the gray, striped tabby defecating around the baseball field, officials said.

The students, sentenced Monday, could have each received up to a year in jail and a $4,000 fine for the misdemeanor animal cruelty charge.

Britt Sensat, Danny L. Crane and Ryan Walters, all 17, had admitted to the crime and agreed to the sentence before Wharton County Judge Lawrence Naiser. A 16-year-old, whose name was not released, agreed to a similar form of probation within the juvenile criminal justice system.

# Cease-fire sought in Liberia

MONROVIA, Liberia (AP) — Three U.S. warships with some 2,000 Marines on board moved toward Liberia's shores today after fierce fighting erupted on a strategic bridge in the capital.

The ships moved closer to the coast in case they were needed to protect the U.S. Embassy, which is not far from the Johnson Street Bridge, said a Marine officer speaking on condition of anonymity.

Earlier today, Charles Taylor, a top government official and rebel leader, called off a cease-fire and ordered his troops to prepare for a major assault on a military barracks held by his archrival.

"We do not wish to take power by force of arm," Taylor said on his radio station, KISS-FM. But "there will be no cease-fire until the situation is arrested."

Taylor also warned the United States to stay out of the internal affairs of the West African country, whose capital has been engulfed in its worst fighting in six years of war.

Rebel factions moved their battles away from the U.S. Embassy and into Taylor's neighborhood on Wednesday, a day after Marines guarding the embassy shot to death three Liberians who fired toward the compound during heavy fighting.

# New budget tactic used by Clinton

WASHINGTON (AP) — Unveiling a new tactic in the budget debate, President Clinton summoned moderate Republican and Democratic lawmakers to the White House today in hopes of undercutting the GOP leadership.

The meeting, scheduled for late this afternoon, was called to see if Clinton can find grounds for compromise with a moderate coalition led by Sens. John Breaux, D-La., and John Chafee, R-R.I.

"The president is looking for sensible people at the center of the political spectrum," White House press secretary Mike McCurry said. He accused the GOP leadership of pushing "an unacceptable, extreme" balanced budget plan.

The call for a moderate plan is part of Clinton's budget strategy to portray Republicans, particularly presidential rival Bob Dole, as extremists.

News of the meeting came as Republican leaders considered legislation that initially would extract less savings from Medicare than they proposed last year, a device they hope will shield them from election-year attacks by Clinton and perhaps make striking a budget deal easier.

That idea has prompted a warning from a leader of the House's firebrand GOP freshmen that they won't vote for a budget "which is not honestly and sincerely balanced."

This latest episode in the battle to balance the federal budget sheds light on the problems Republican face in deciding how best to use the approaching fiscal 1997 budget process to help the candidacies of their presidential hopeful, Senate majority leader Dole of Kansas, and of other GOP legislators.

# Green

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followed by Friendswood in "The Life and Adventures of Nicholas Nickleby," Paris North Lamar in "Antigone" and Edcouch-Elsa in "Scapino!"

Both sessions will be held in Bass Concert Hall. Admission is $3 for students and $5 for adults per session.

Snyder High has won 13 state titles, including the 1995 crown.

# What's Up?

## Luncheon & fashion show

The annual Wild Flower Luncheon and Fashion Show will be held at Scurry County Museum Friday from 11:30 a.m. to 1 p.m. Tickets are $12.50 at the door Friday.

## Model airplane club

Snyder Area Model Airplane club will meet at 7 tonight at the club flying field, 2½ miles south of Western Texas College on Round Top Road. Visitors are welcome.

## 'Lipstick Supper' slated

G-20 Social/Community Service Club is having a "Lipstick Supper" today at 6:30 p.m. in the home of Samantha Keller, 2707 Ave. W. All freshmen girls interested in joining the club are invited to attend. For information, call Stephanie Whittenburg at 573-3837 or Amanda Scott at 573-9533.

## Cogdell Auxiliary banquet

The Cogdell Memorial Hospital Auxiliary Awards Banquet will be held at 7 tonight at Snyder Country Club.

## Parents meeting planned

Parents of Snyder High School seniors will meet at 8 tonight in the high school student center.

## Pyron Cemetery meeting

The annual Pyron Cemetery meeting will be held Friday at 10 a.m. in the Inadale Community Center. Everyone is invited. Lunch will be served.

## Grace Lutheran fund-raiser

Grace Lutheran Church will have a garage and bake sale fund-raiser from 8 a.m. to 2 p.m. Saturday at the church, 5500 College Ave., near Cogdell Hospital. Everyone is invited.

## Senior May Day event coming

The Senior Center's annual fund-raiser, May Day, will be held Saturday in Scurry County Coliseum. The 2:30 to 9 p.m. event will include arts and crafts, collectibles, antiques, a quilt auction, a barbecue and more.

## Turkey shoot scheduled

Ira Senior Class is sponsoring a turkey shoot, set from 2:30 p.m. until dark on Saturday. The event will be held behind the Ira baseball field.

## MAWC Silver Tea planned

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

## Senior parent donations

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

## DL office notes key dates

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

## 'Corn Is Green' coming

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

## Band registration slated

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

## Ira kindergarten registration

Ira ISD kindergarten registration for students who will turn five before Sept. 1 has been set for Monday and Tuesday from 8 a.m. until 3 p.m.

Documents needed include a birth certificate, social security number and updated immunization record at the time of registration.

## Pick 3

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

6-1-4

(six, one, four)

## Lotto Texas

AUSTIN (AP) — No tickets bought in the latest Lotto Texas correctly matched all six numbers drawn for the twice-weekly game, state lottery officials said Wednesday. The jackpot was worth $4 million.

The numbers drawn Wednesday night from a field of 50 were: 9, 15, 24, 29, 44, 48.

Seventy-seven tickets each matched five numbers to pay $1,871. Four numbers were matched on 4,840 tickets, making each worth $107. Three numbers were matched on 93,734 tickets, making each worth $3.

If sales continue as expected, lottery officials estimate the jackpot for Saturday night's game will be $8 million.