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The SDN Column

Roger B. Mize, the local banker who was named by Gov. Dolph Briscoe the other day to serve on the State Teacher Retirement System Board, had wiggled out of an appointment to another state post earlier in the year because he felt it was out of his field.

Someone on the governor's staff had inquired about the possibility of Mize serving on the Parks and Wildlife Commission. Mize told them he would be happy to serve the state in any way he could, but preferred that it be in a field where he had some experience.

"What do I know about wildlife?" he asked. "I'm a banker."

They nailed him on the Teacher Retirement System Board and he couldn't use the same excuse again because the State Teacher Retirement System rides herd on something over three billion dollars, which is something a banker knows something about.

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Life is made up of ironies. Last Tuesday afternoon, Daily News staffer John Long and photographer Paul Gilbert were returning to town after getting material for a story and photographs on Sun Oil Company's firefighting school that is currently in progress. Before they got back to the newspaper office, they learned that city firemen had been dispatched to a fire north of town. It turned out to be a fire at the Texaco Fuller Gasoline Plant of the type covered in the class at Sun.

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July 4 is going to be a day of special celebration throughout Texas on this Bicentennial year. The Calendar of Texas Events, which is prepared and distributed by the Travel and Information Division of the State Department of Highways and Public Transportation, lists special July 4 events in no less than 77 cities and towns, including Snyder, and most of them are billed as Bicentennial events. And, of course, there undoubtedly are many more that did not submit their listings for the Calendar.

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Texas United Community Services reports that people here gave at the rate of $3.96 per capita in the United Way campaign the past fall. That is considerably higher than the $2.15 per capita that was the rule around here a few years ago. The local United Way ranked third in the state in per capita giving in 1975 among campaigns raising $25,000 to $49,999. Actually our campaign went over $50,000 by the time it finally ended, but the goal here was $45,000.—WACIL McNAIR

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Today In History

By The Associated Press

Today is Sunday, April 4, the 95th day of 1976. There are 271 days left in the year.

Today's highlight in history:

On this date in 1917, the U.S. Senate approved a resolution of war against Germany.

On this date:

In 1581, Queen Elizabeth I knighted Sir Francis Drake.

In 1841, President William Harrison died of pneumonia at the White House, one month after his inauguration. John Tyler became president.

In 1865, during the Civil War, President Abraham Lincoln visited the fallen Confederate capital of Richmond, Va.

In 1932, Professor C.Q. King of the University of Pittsburgh isolated Vitamin C.

In 1933, 73 lives were lost when the U.S. Navy dirigible Akron fell into the Atlantic off New Jersey.

In 1968, the American civil rights leader, Dr. Martin Luther King Jr., was assassinated in Memphis, Tenn.

Ten years ago: Nineteen new astronauts joined the U.S. space team to train for flights to the moon and other missions.

Five years ago: Prime Minister Indira Gandhi's Congress Party called on the Indian people to support rebels in neighboring East Pakistan.

One year ago: U.S. unemployment rose above 8.7 per cent of the work force, the highest level since 1941.

Bicentennial footnote: Two hundred years ago today, British transports carrying soldiers and Tories from Boston were arriving in Halifax, N.S.

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The Weather

SNYDER TEMPERATURES: High Friday, 86 degrees; low, 48 degrees; reading at 7 a.m. Saturday, 52 degrees.

Northwest and Southwest Texas: Partly cloudy and a little cooler Sunday. Widely scattered afternoon and evening thunderstorms mainly south. Lows, 40s Panhandle to upper 50s south, except 30s mountains. Highs 60s Panhandle to mid-80s southwest.

North Central and Northeast Texas: Increasing cloudiness. Not so warm north. Lows in mid-40s northwest to mid 50s southwest. Highs 73 to 80.

South Central and Southeast Texas: Cloudy with slight chance of showers and a few thunderstorms most sections except extreme south. High upper 70s to mid 80s. Lows mid 50s to upper 60s.

BANDS HONORED—Alice Hollis, Snyder High School Band Sweetheart, was the center of attraction Friday night at the annual banquet hosted by the Band Parents Club. From left are Milton Ham, master of ceremonies at the banquet; Wayne Monroney, president of the Band Parents Club; Miss Hollis; Don Eiring, director of bands, and Charles Shaw, assistant director.

UNDER TENTATIVE AGREEMENT

Most Trucks Rolling

By CHERYL DEBES
Associated Press Writer

ARLINGTON HEIGHTS, Ill. (AP) — Talks aimed at ending a three-day strike of Teamsters truckers resumed today with most drivers already set to go back on the road under special contracts.

Negotiations between the union and the largest of three industry bargaining agents got under way at 10 a.m. EST at a hotel in this Chicago suburb. Two representatives of smaller trucking companies reached accord with the Teamsters on Friday.

An estimated two-thirds of the nation's Teamsters truck drivers were set to return to work under the Friday settlement and interim agreements in the union's first coast-to-coast strike.

"We are hopeful by Monday we could have all the trucks rolling," said Labor Secretary W. J. Usery Jr., who met with both sides into the early morning.

Usery announced Friday night what he called a "significant breakthrough" in the Teamsters' negotiations: a tentative agreement involving two trucking associations that employ about one-third of the striking Teamsters drivers.

Another third of the Teamsters already were covered by interim pacts signed with the union by individual trucking companies.

The settlements, however, did not produce an immediate back to work movement. Many truckers reportedly were waiting for word from their union locals. Pickets remained up at many terminals and truck stops, and highway patrols reported no increases in truck traffic.

Some 400,000 Teamster truck drivers and warehouse men struck at 12:01 a.m. Thursday when their national contract expired. By Friday, auto makers and some other industries were announcing plant shutdowns.

The tentative agreement with the two trucking associations announced Friday night reportedly include a $1.65-an-hour wage increase over 36 months, another $17 a week in health, welfare and pension benefits, and an open-ended cost-of-living allowance, something the Teamsters had fought particularly hard for. The salary increase would amount to $66 a week by the third year for a 40-hour week.

Under the expired National Master Freight Agreement, drivers received $7.18 to $7.33 an hour, with salaries averaging about $12,000 due to the ailing economy, union sources said. Some drivers, though, were earning as much as $35,000 though overtime.

Turkey Quake Kills Four

ANKARA, Turkey (AP) — An earthquake has killed four persons and demolished scores of homes in Turkey's eastern province of Agri, on the Russian border, the Turkish state radio reported today.

The radio said 1,500 head of livestock also perished in the quake which struck the remote and mountainous region Friday night.

The extent ofthe damage was not immediately known. The radio said military units in the area were clearing the rubble.

A week ago, two children were killed in an earthquake in the eastern province of Kars, neighboring Agri, and last September a giant quake leveled the town of Lice in the east, killing at least 2,000 persons.

Property Tax Proposals Eyed

By LEE JONES
Associated Press Writer

AUSTIN, Tex. (AP) — Whenever city legislators start talking about equalizing taxes on land, rural lawmakers fight back with proposals to impose property taxes on stocks, bank accounts and other "intangibles."

The legislature never has taken such talk seriously, accepting at face value the assertion that such a tax wouldn't work because the assets to be taxed are hard to locate.

Leaders of two groups with largely urban constituencies talked up such taxation, however, in testimony Friday before a committee of the Texas Advisory Commission on Intergovernmental Relations.

The commission will make recommendations later to the legislature and Gov. Dolph Briscoe.

"It seems totally unfair for the real estate economy to bear such a large portion of taxation, while the intangible sector carries none of the burden," said C.R. Johnson, assessor-collector of Galveston County.

Johnson is president of the Texas Tax Assessor-Collectors Association but said he was making that recommendation on his own.

He said such a tax could be enforced if "the people want it and the legislature is inclined to adopt it."

Sherman Fricks, secretary-treasurer of the Texas AFL-CIO, declared that imposing a property tax on intangibles "would mean tax reductions for the overwhelming majority of Texans."

He said the staff of the defunct Legislative Property Tax Committee had estimated that untaxed property in Texas, including intangibles, amounted to $252 billion.

Fricks called administrative objections to a property tax on intangibles "a smokescreen behind which the privileged few hide."

"Local governments would have no trouble collecting taxes on intangible property if citizens were required, under penalty of criminal law, to declare each Jan. 1 the market value of their intangible wealth," he said.

"Most would be happy to declare and pay taxes if the alternative was going to jail."

Intangibles now are taxable, under the Texas Constitution, but no government body taxes them.

Jim McGrew, director of the Texas Research League, opposed taxation of intangibles at the local level but said "it can be done" at the state level.

He warned against high expectations of such a tax. With bank stock remaining taxed at the county level, "it is most unlikely that the revenue from any state intangibles tax would exceed $100 million annually and might be substantially less than that figure," McGrew said.

Scurry Still Tops In Oil Production

Scurry County retained its leadership in oil production in 1975.

This has been confirmed by the Texas Railroad Commission, which announced that oil production last year in Scurry County amounted to 91,625,726 barrels. However, the production in 1975 represented a slight decrease from the 1974 figures, when Scurry also was the state's leader. The Scurry County production in 1974 totalled 94,172,788 barrels.

Second place in Texas production in 1975 went to Yoakum County, with a total of 82,814 barrels. Following, in order, were Ector County with 69,022,846 barrels, Gaines County with 60,776,690, Hockley County with 52,617,627, Andrews County with 52,348,896, and Gregg County with 49,701,293.

Oil production in the state last year totalled 1,185,682,816 barrels. Of the state's 254 counties, 212 of them had oil and-or gas production in 1975.

Scurry County, which has had oil production since 1923, produced its billionth barrel of oil in 1973, an event that was the occasion for a week-long celebration in Snyder. A year earlier, Scurry had replaced Ector County as the top oil producing county in the state.

Pecos County led Texas last year in gas production, with 744,387,944 thousand cubic feet (mcf), followed by Kleberg with 385,740,515, Ward with 329,871,326, Waller with 270,881,711, Winkler with 256,022,960 and Moore with 248,474,179.

Presidential Primary Push On In Texas

By GARTH JONES
Associated Press Writer

AUSTIN, Tex. (AP) — The big presidential primary push in Texas is on.

Former California Gov. Ronald Reagan, reportedly the GOP front runner in Texas, will hit Dallas Monday and move on through much of the state Tuesday and Wednesday in the first of three scheduled trips to Texas. Reagan has said Texas is the "key" state in his national catch-up try.

President Gerald Ford, whose Texas organization includes many state party officials including Sen. John Tower, R-Tex., starts off his final drive April 9 with a much publicized speech in front of the Alamo in San Antonio. He will be back again in Texas April 28-29.

Democrat Jimmy Carter's fast rising supporters are struggling to put together a Texas campaign but promise he will be in Dallas and Houston on April 20, plus other appearances if he comes out of the April 6 Wisconsin and New York primaries in good order.

Alabama Gov. George Wallace, whose campaign has shown signs of fading in other states, has no definite Texas trips scheduled but his determined supporters say there are tentative plans for at least two flying tours that will touch maybe 19 Texas cities.

Fred Harris, who se delegates will be on the ballot in 14 Texas senatorial districts, promises he will be in Texas April 27, after the Pennsylvania primary, until the May 1 primary. Supporters hope he also will be able to make Texas stops before then.

And backers of the uncommitted national convention delegate drive now say they are represented on all 31 Democratic senatorial district ballots, instead of the 17 districts where they originally filed.

A spokesman in the Houston office of Bille Carr, national Democratic committeewoman who spearheads the uncommitted campaign, said four former Sargent Shriver delegate slates in San Antonio, Corpus Christi and El Paso have joined the uncommitted ranks. Mrs. Carr also counts nine districts where supporters have been urged to vote for Carter delegates because uncommitted or Shriver delegates were not filed originally.

Reagan plans to spend all day Monday in Dallas, then move on Tuesday to Wichita Falls, Abilene and Lubbock, then to Longview on Wednesday, before leaving for Salt Lake City.

Tentative plans call for a second tour April 14-15 to Harlingen, Corpus Christi, Beaumont, Houston, Amarillo and El Paso. A third trip April 28-30 would include Fort Worth, Bryan, Houston, San Antonio, Austin, Temple, Waco, Dallas, Midland, Odessa and San Angelo.

Ford will start off his April 9-10 trip with a four or five-hour visit to San Antonio, highlighted by the Alamo speech. Then he flys to Dallas and on to Abilene and Amarillo.

On April 28-29, Ford tentatively schedules stops in Fort Worth, Houston, Lubbock and Tyler.

The April 20 date in Dallas and Houston for Carter is set aside for news conferences and fund raising affairs. However, his quickly organized staff say they are sure he will be in Texas before and after that date.

Carter's son, Chip, will campaign in Austin, San Antonio and Houston on Monday, then visit several East Texas colleges on Tuesday.

Fire Kills 7, Arson Suspected

MIAMI (AP) — Fire swept through a World War I vintage hotel early today, panicking its residents and killing at least seven of them. Firemen said they suspected arson and were looking for someone who "had made threats concerning the hotel."

Thirteen other people, some of them elderly residents forced to leap from the third floor of the hotel, were injured.

Officials said they expected to find more bodies, since not all 32 residents were acounted for.

Witnesses reported hearing a whooshing sound just as the fire began, and others reported hearing an explosion.

Fire Operations Officer Craig Hamilton said a man was taken into custody for questioning, but police later said the man was released.

"We have somebody else we're looking for," said a police spokesman. "We understand he had made threats concerning the hotel."

Four hours after the fire erupted in the three-story Avondale Hotel, one severely burned woman was pulled alive from the second floor.

"She was conscious enough to give me her name," said one fireman, shaking his head.

At the blaze's height, smoke billowed hundreds of feet into the air, covering much of downtown Miami.

Firemen said that when they reached the 60-year-old building, they could see people hanging from windows.

School, City Vote Underway

Snyder voters were electing a mayor and three city councilmen, while public school districts and the Scurry County Junior College District were electing trustees Saturday.

Polls for the Snyder city officials and for the Snyder Independent School District were located at the city hall. Voting also was underway at schools in Ira, Hermleigh and Fluvanna.

Voting for junior college district trustees and for county school board members was being conducted at the same polling places used by the public school districts.

There were no contested races for city council and mayor's posts in Snyder, and only one place on the Snyder School ballot had a contest. Fluvaana had no contests in its school races and neither did the junior college district nor the county board. Ira had six candidates seeking two posts on the school board and Hermleigh had four candidates seeking three school posts.

Polls were to close at 7 p.m. Saturday.

Vernon Woman Dies Saturday

Parthena V. Connor, 48, of Vernon died unexpectedly at Cogdell Memorial Hospital at 6:49 a.m. Saturday. She had been taken to the hospital from a local motel.

Funeral arrangements were pending at Sullivan Funeral Home in Vernon. Local arrangements were handled by Bell-Seale Funeral Home.

Records Are Set By Snyder Banks

Snyder banks set new records in both deposits and loans in the first quarter of 1976.

Figures in statements as of the close of business on March 31 show deposits totalling $68,540,538,44, an increase of some $3 million since the first of the year and a gain of nearly $10½ million in the past year.

Loans totalled $26,748,106.67, an increase of around half a million dollars since the first of the year.

The previous all-time records were set in the fourth quarter of 1975 when deposits amounted to $65,563,233.09 and loans totalled $26,251,771,34.

For the first quarter of 1975, deposits totalled $57,154,712.43 and loans $22,412,786.86, both of which were records at that time.

In the first quarter report this year, West Texas State Bank showed deposits of $29,155,004.68 and loans of $11,578,390.85. Snyder National Bank had deposits of $39,385,533.76 and loans of $15,169,715.82.

PRESENTS AFS PROGRAM—Diana Campbell, left, Americans Abroad student in Spain last summer, presented a slide program Saturday morning at a meeting of the American Field Service Chapter here, sponsor of the exchange student program. Miss Campbell, 19, a Snyder High School graduate and now a student at Texas Women's University, spent two months in Pamplona, Spain, as an AFS student. She is shown here with Mr. T.W. Pollard, of the local AFS chapter. "I'd li... go back some day," said Miss Campbell, d... of Mr. and Mrs. Bill Campbell, Route 2, Sn...

ASTRO-GRAPH

Bernice Bede Osol

For Sunday, April 4, 1976

ARIES (March 21-April 19) It's a day when you'll feel restless unless you have a lot to do, so don't be afraid to take on two or three projects.

TAURUS (April 20-May 20) Don't feel you're being selfish today if you're thinking of personal gain. Some days you have to get the best of the bargain!

GEMINI (May 21-June 20) When you make the scene today, things should really start happening. Your bubbling personality pumps pep into proceedings.

CANCER (June 21-July 22) Someone you've known for a long time would deeply appreciate hearing from you today. If you can't visit, at least call her.

LEO (July 23-Aug. 22) You won't be content today with people who think narrowly. Pal around with those who have a broad perspective. You'll be much happier.

VIRGO Aug. 23-Sept. 22) You're likely to be a shade or two better than the competition today. If you win, accept your laurels graciously.

LIBRA (Sept. 23-Oct. 23) If you have faith in yourself today, it'll be obvious to others and will serve as an inspiration to those of fainter heart.

SCORPIO (Oct. 24-Nov. 22) You can change things today. Even obstacles that seem insurmountable will fall if you really set your mind to overcoming them.

SAGITTARIUS (Nvo. 23-Dec. 21) Footloose and fancy-free though you usually are, you work much better today when teamed with one whom you respect.

CAPRICORN (Dec. 22-Jan 19) Though others may be looking for a cozy spot in the shade to take it easy today, you won't be happy if you're idle.

AQUARIUS (Jan. 20-Feb. 19) Today you will be in a very gregarious mood. If you can't be near the folks you love, then love the folks you're near.

PISCES (Feb. 20-March 20) Family-oriented pleasures are dear to your heart today. It's fine to have friends around, but keep the action on the home court.

your birthday

April 4, 1976

Frequent movement is in the offing for you this coming year. Your jaunts may not be long, but they will be keyed both to pleasure and profit.

For Monday, April 5, 1976

ARIES (March 21-April 19) Be logical and sensible where your self-interests are concerned today. If you let your heart rule your head a problem could result.

TAURUS (April 10-May 20) Be careful today that you don't spend more than you take in. It would be wise to salt away your surplus rather than blow it.

GEMINI (May 21-June 20) Although friends will treat you helpfully today, you shouldn't request favors from them for things you can easily do yourself.

CANCER (June 21-July 22) If you don't keep your goals in mind at all times today, you're likely to slack-off when you should be going full steam.

LEO (July 23-Aug. 22) Don't read more into a situation than was intended, if a member of the opposite sex is especially friendly toward you today.

VIRGO (Aug. 23-Sept. 22) Care for duties and responsibilities before turning your attention to something more frivolous. Make this a productive day.

LIBRA (Sept. 23-Oct. 23) Your decisions today are likely to be well-thought-out. However, they won't mean much if you don't do anything about them. Get going.

SCORPIO (Oct. 24-Nov. 22) Normally when you undertake a project you see it through, but today you might be tempted to settle for half measures.

SAGITTARIUS (Nov. 23-Dec. 21) In dealing with youngsters today, you won't get your message across if you pamper them too much. Be gentle, but also be firm.

CAPRICORN (Dec. 22-Jan 19) You have a tendency today to add more frills to your handiwork than may be needed. Don't let creativeness exceed your good taste.

AQUARIUS (Jan 20-Feb. 19) You may find things of a speculative nature very appealing today, so be on guard that you don't take financial risks impulsively.

PISCES (Feb. 20-March 20) Make the most of your opportunities today. Though they may be small ones, they could still be worth taking advantage of.

your birthday

April 5, 1976

This coming year is a good time to add to your store of knowledge subjects that can be used to advance your personal ambitions. You'll find they can be put to an excellent use.

Scurry Students On Honor List

SAN MARCOS—Two students from Scurry County are among the 3,400 Southwest Texas State University students on honor lists for the fall semester.

Listed on the honor roll are Angeline L. Amato, Ira, and Emmalie J. Sleeper, 3011 Forty-second Street, Snyder. Placement on the honor list requires a student to be enrolled for at least 12 semester hours of course work excluding physical education activities, and to achieve at least an overall "B" grade average.

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Ford Inspects Dairy Herd

CAMPBELLSPORT, Wis. (AP) — President Ford inspected a dairy herd today as he stumped for Wisconsin farm votes in an all-out effort to put his Republican presidential campaign back on the winning road following Ronald Reagan's surprising victory in North Carolina.

Ford rose early to visit the 400-acre farm of Peter Senn in the rolling countryside near Campbellsport.

Two Youths Face Marijuana Count

Four Rotan youths were arrested late Friday night in the parking lot at the Scurry County Coliseum and charged with possession of marijuana.

Arrested and placed in city jail were Jack Cadenhead, Jr., and Glenn Wilfrong, both 18-years-old. Two 17-year-old women were also taken into custody, and both have been released to their parents.

Approximately one ounce of marijuana was found in the possession of the youths, officers said.

THEY'RE OFF—Some of the 60 or more persons participating in the "Hike-Bike" for the Scurry County Association for Retarded Citizens are shown lined up for the start Saturday morning. The event, sponsored by the Teans Aid the Retarded (TAR), has a goal of $3,500 this year. The hikers and bikers were on a course of approximately 22 miles.

SPCA Group At Meeting In Houston

Officers and directors of Sweetwater Production Credit Association joined other agricultural credit specialists from across the state for the Federal Intermediate Credit Bank's annual meeting of stockholders April 1-3 in Houston's Hyatt Regency.

Sweetwater PCA participants included board members T.L. Finley, Loraine, chairman; W.J. Harvey, Roby, vice chairman; L.D. Echols, Lamesa; Audry Head, Snyder; and Othell O'Kelly, Trent. O'Kelly served as the association's official delegate. PCA officers F.C. Shillingburg, president; Eddie Mitchell, assistant vice president in the Colorado City office; and Arthur Maberry, loan representative, accompanied the group.

The meeting brought together representatives from 32 Production Credit Associations and 7 agricultural credit corporations, according to Shillingburg.

The Federal Intermediate Credit Bank of Houston, source of most funds for PCAs and agricultural credit corporations, last year loaned more than $1.2 billion to Texas farmers and ranchers through these credit sources.

HOSPITAL NOTES

ADMISSIONS: Redi Sealy, 3101 Ave. V; John Baugh, Rt. 3, Box 288; Luria Patterson, Box 5, Fluvanna; Melvin McKinney, Box 587; Kimmy Minter, 3803 Noble Drive; Arthur Molena, 2907 Ave. V; Willie Davis, 3409 Ave. L; Edna Thompson, Rt. 2, Box 238B; Lane Allen, 3720 Austin; Jesse Grizzle, Box 85, Ira; Joan Brake, 2100 Forty-first; Tonja Menges, 200 Chestnut.

DISMISSALS: Johnny Guynes, Christene Graham, Edna Clayton, Laverne Tullis, Lucille Bohanna, Bobby Armstrong, William Johnson, Mattie Arnold, Edith Roberson.

BIRTHS

Mr. and Mrs. Danny Menges, 200 Chestnut, are the parents of an 8 lb. daughter, born at 6:10 a.m. April 2 in Cogdell Memorial Hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Keith Pherigo of Snyder are the parents of a 7 lb. 14 oz. son, born March 31 in Medical Arts Hospital in Big Spring. He has been named Matthew Randal. Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Balzer of Big Spring and Mr. and Mrs. Larry Pherigo of Coahoma. Mr. and Mrs. T.M. Pherigo of Snyder are great-grandparents.

Rich farmland covers the Mississippi alluvial plain which was once useless swampland.

4 Mishaps, Two Thefts Are Reported

Four traffic accidents and two thefts were reported by city police.

A major hit and run mishap occurred Friday afternoon at Thirtieth Street and Avenue K. Involved in the accident was a 1975 motorcycle driven by Loomis L. Allen. The car, which left the scene, was later apprehended by city police at 1100 Twenty Street. Police have one suspect in custody in connection with the accident. Loomis was taken to Cogdell Memorial Hospital where he was treated and released.

A minor mishap occurred at 7 a.m. Friday at East Highway and Cherry Avenue. Involved in that mishap were a 1973 Chevrolet driven by Doyle E. Eades and a 1974 Ford driven by David A. Jennings.

Twenty-sixth Street and Avenue L was the scene of another mishap at 7:06 p.m. Involved in that accident were a 1971 Chevrolet driven by Billy J. Oxford and a 1969 Buick driven by Mary Elaine Cagle. A wrecker had to be called to remove the 1971 Chevrolet.

A minor accident was reported at the Coliseum Parking lot Friday night. Involved in that mishap were a 1969 Chevrolet owned by Judith A. Wheelus and a parked 1969 Chevrolet owned by Howard W. Blair of Sweetwater.

David Fabia of Borger reported that his watch was stolen from his pick-up truck while it was parked at College Avenue and Twenty-seventh Street. Value of the watch is estimated at $175.

Betty J. Cobb reported that $190 had been taken from her residence in the 3200 block of Avenue K. The theft is believed to have occurred sometime between Thursday night and Friday night.

WTC Students To Convention

Ten students from Western Texas College will attend the national convention of Phi Theta Kappa in Biloxi, Miss., April 5-7, Dr. Ed Barkowsky, faculty sponsor, said.

Students attending will be Amy Bollinger, Charlotte Cargile, Jamie Derringer, Jean Gusta, Kenneth Gusta, Thomas Murphy, Deneese Pemberton, Ricky Price, Marketa Sissom and Teresa Williams.

Phi Theta Kappa is the national honor fraternity for students in two-year colleges and has more than 450 chapters on college campuses across the United States.

TowerWants To Debate Reagan

AUSTIN, Tex. (AP) — Sen. John Tower, R-Tex, wants to debate former California Gov. Ronald Reagan in a statewide Texas debate over the nation's military preparedness.

"I am not willing to let irresponsible charges that imply President, Ford is soft on national defense go unchallenged," Tower told a Capitol news conference about Reagan's nationwide TV speech Wednesday.

No date or site for the debate was proposed—except that it be before the May 1 primary.

Tower said that he, as second-ranking Republican on the Senate Armed Services Committee, believed he was qualified to "set the record straight".

The Texas senator said Reagan "made statements that are inaccurate . . . statements that were shot through with misinformation . . . fabricated figures."

"The statements Reagan made the other night spread confusion among our allies . . . it shows a rather shallow grasp of international matters," he said.

Congress established the Indiana territory in 1800.

Guadalupe To Host Diocesan Council Meet

Our Lady of Guadalupe Church in Snyder will host an important meeting of the Diocesan Council of Catholic Women at 6:30 p.m. Tuesday.

Representatives of churches in Big Spring, Colorado City, Stanton, Garden City, Hermleigh and Snyder will participate in the meeting.

The goal of such gatherings it it promote and sustain the efforts of dedicated women in their endeavors to work for the church and the community.

The most Rev. Bishop Steven A. Leven will be present to deliver a message and to install new officers.

Firemen Called

One grass fire was reported by the fire department.

The grass fire occurred about 12:55 a.m. Saturday, approximately six miles northwest of the city of Highway 84.

The first public school in the U.S. opened in Boston, Mass., in 1821.

Ford Never Spanked

NEW YORK (AP) — First Lady Betty Ford says her mother never spanked her and she has never spanked any of her four children.

Asked by McCall's magazine whether the President had ever spanked their children, she replied:

"Oh, no, he wouldn't lay a hand on them!"

To Be Exhibited

LOS ANGELES (AP) — An exhibit of old master drawings will be presented at the Los Angeles County Museum of Art April 28-June 13.

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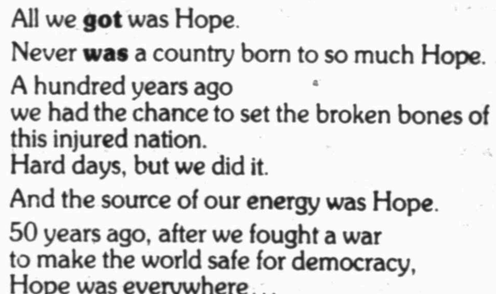

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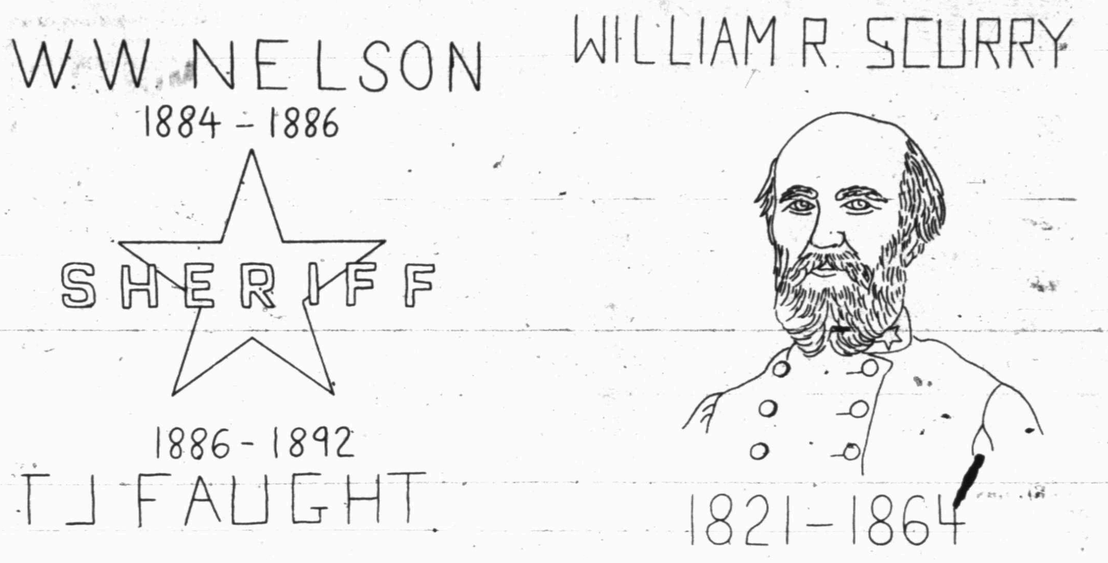

QUILT BLOCKS—Two of the quilt blocks in the Scurry County Centennial Quilt.

A Little About One Or Two Hundred Things

By JEAN EVERETT

A white sheet is a white sheet—and rather hard to find in these days of colored bed linens—until it is touched by hands of the Pins and Needles Committee of the Pioneer Skills Festival; then it becomes an outstanding pictorial history of Scurry County.

Transformed by ingenuity of women, the queen sized white sheet is now being quilted into a beautiful lasting heirloom. The thirty-eight 12 inch square blocks plus a double sized center block are set together by strips of bright red material, with a Betsy Ross flag appliqued at the corners. The outside border of red is enhanced by white embroidery work of early brands which were registered at the court house. The brands date from 1885.

Art work and design of the centennial quilt was done by Janelda Martin Davis. Each block represents a segment of Scurry County history. Women throughout the county embroidered the blocks then returned them to the Pins and Needles committee for completion of the quilt. All lettering is done in black thread, but each person chose her own colors for other portions of the block. Many of the blocks are filled in with crayon coloring. Satin stitches, chain stitches, long and short and outline stitches—almost every embroidery stitch known has been used in the handwork.

The oldest person to work a block is Mrs. Alice Askins, 86 years of age. She embroidered the black and gold sheriff block honoring W.W. Nelson and T.J. Faught. Nelson was sheriff from 1884 to 1886; Faught followed him in 1886 and served until 1892.

The youngest lady to add her stitchery to the history quilt is Luann Thomason, age 20. She chose to do the first Snyder jail house.

Janelda Davis has hand stitched the portrait of W.R. Scurry so realistically that you want to pull on his beard. History records that Scurry's nickname was "Dirty Neck" but they fail to tell why. At any rate, he must have been an original ring-around-the-collar man to have earned such a title. Scurry had a brilliant military record, rising through the ranks to receive a commission. He fought in the Mexican War and then joined the Confederate Army to fight in the Civil War. Before going to war and spending his time on the battlefields, Scurry had studied to be a lawyer. He was admitted to the Texas Bar before he was twenty-one years old.

When the Legislature of Texas created 54 counties in west and northwest Texas, they named them for many of the notable men of the Republic of Texas and of the state; thus our own county was given the name in honor of William Read Scurry.

Mrs. Davis announces that just as soon as the Centennial Quilt is finished, it will be on display at the County Library and later at the Museum. We hope it will inspire you to share your antique quilts, tops, throws, hand woven coverlets, collections with us for display at the Skills Festival.

Sturdy cases with glass fronts are being constructed for use at the Festival. These cases are to be kept locked, so that your valuable heirloom pieces will be protected. If you have any antique handwork that you would like to display at the celebration, please contact one of the following ladies: Francis Daniel, Evelyn Sumerald, Bess DeLoach, Ruth Shaw, Luann Thomason, Lucille Bynum, or Janelda Davis. They will give you more information as well as secure data from you about your articles.

'Spring' Show At Planetarium

A public show in the Western Texas College planetarium is planned at 2 o'clock this afternoon.

The show will explain how the time of the arrival of spring is calculated and will point out the constellations which may be seen in skies over Snyder at this season.

Tickets may be purchased at the planetarium between 1:45 and 2 and are priced at $1, 50c, or $2 for family groups.

Awards Day WTC Set May 4

The annual Awards Day program has been scheduled for May 4 at Western Texas College.

Nominations for the awards are made by faculty members on the basis of outstanding achievement and recognition is extended to the students at presentation ceremonies held in the Fine Arts Theatre.

ASU Adds To Music Staff

SAN ANGELO—The appointment of Billy Neil Davis an an assistant professor of music at Angelo State University has been announced by ASU President, Dr. Lloyd D. Vincent.

Davis' appointment, which is subject to formal approval from the Board of Regents, Texas State University System, will be effective with the start of the fall semester.

A native of Brownwood, Davis will concentrate his activities in the areas of choral music, methods classes and voice classes. He will become director of the university's choral activities which include the University Choir and the Entertainers--a group specializing in popular songs and musical presentations.

Davis is a graduate of Hardin Simmons University where he received a Bachelor of Arts degree, a Bachelor of Music degree, and a Master of Music degree. His major areas of study included religious music and music education.

For the past 13 years, he has been a music teacher and choral director in public schools and since 1971 he has been employed by Nimitz High School in Irving.

ACT Tests Are Set April 10

ACT tests will be given at Western Texas College on April 10, Dr. Mary Hood, Director of Testing, has announced.

Students taking the tests are to report to room 101 in Academic Science Building A by 8:30 a.m. There will be signs on campus to direct students to the building.

Persons who need further information may contact Dr. Hood's office by calling WTC, 573-8511, extension 275.

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Ex-Thieves Find Work

Numerous former criminals are finding a useful place in society by serving as "management consultants" to protect businesses against crimes they, the consultants, once served time for.

According to a story in the Wall Street Journal, an apartment complex in Washington, D.C., for example, is guarded by a security force of ex-felons. They work for a detective agency run by released convicts.

In Los Angeles, a computer expert who was sent to prison for defrauding a telephone company of $1 million now runs a security service that advises companies how to prevent computer fraud. He has also conducted university seminars on computer crime.

Other companies are employing ex-burglars and safecrackers "who know the score" to ease their joints in order to point out deficiencies in their security systems.

"We've hired psychiatrists and psychologists in the past to tell us how to cut crime in our stores," says the vice president of one discount store chain. "But nothing seemed to work. These ex-robbers have given us a new insight into the problem."

The success of these reformed criminals depends, of course, upon a continuing supply of unreformed criminals. Fortunately for them, if not for society, there seems little prospect of any shortage developing in that category.

A Bonafide Bargain

There have been a few questions raised, but nobody seems to want to make a big issue of suggestions that a mass vaccination program be planned in response to warnings that a "swine flu" epidemic may be just around the corner.

Vaccines have proved their worth in the past half century, the latest example being the polio vaccine that all but obliterated that crippling disease. A few cases of these diseases recur but almost without fail, this results from failure to use the remedies at hand.

Half a million Americans lost their lives during an epidemic of the swine flu in 1918. Our population has doubled since then. Moreover, the percentage of the population classified as "aged" now is much greater than in 1918 because the life-span has been extended. And the flu epidemics always take their heaviest toll among the aged.

Estimates of the cost of gearing up for mass innoculation against the swine flu range upward to $150 million. This is a mere drop in the bucket as federal funding is reckoned. If it can save a few hundred thousand lives, it will be the biggest bargain in the history of the world.

Letter To Editor

To The Daily News:

I would be very remiss if I did not take the time to write this letter of appreciation to the many wonderful people of your fine city who did so much for my wife and me and for Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Morgan, when we had the misfortune of having an automobile accident near Snyder on Thursday, March 18th at about 8 p.m.

Our automobile was totally destroyed and it first appeared that both Mrs. Shelton and Mrs. Morgan had serious injuries, but fortunately their injuries were only minor.

Within minutes after the accident your county sheriff, Mr. Keith Collier, was on the scene and had an ambulance in route to take the injured to the hospital. Sheriff Collier went out of his way to see that every detail was taken care of and his kindness and concern could not have been equaled.

How fortunate the people of Scurry County are to have a man of Mr. Collier's caliber as their county sheriff.

Officer Keith Pherigo of the Texas Highway Patrol arrived shortly after the accident and he too showed us every courtesy and assured us that he would help us any way that he could. These two fine gentlemen took care of our every need at a time when our needs were great and we shall always be grateful to them for this.

To ALL of the good people at Cogdell Memorial Hospital, "You are the greatest" and are to be commended for your fine spirit and the splendid and efficient manner in which you took care of our injured. Each of you went the extra mile beyond the call of duty and to all of you, we are most appreciative.

I could write page after page trying to express our thanks but my vocabulary is too limited to properly do this so once again our most sincere appreciation to all of the good people of Snyder and may God bless all of those who were so kind and considerate to us when we needed it the most.

Mr. & Mrs. Duane Shelton
Mr. & Mrs. Ralph Morgan
10112 Harvest Hills Road
Oklahoma City, Oklahoma 73132

Ambassador Sees Less Violence

EASTON, Mass. (AP) — A growing revulsion to violence on all sides will end bombings in Northern Ireland within the next five years, says the Irish ambassador to the United Nations.

Ambassador Eamonn Kennedy said Friday that even the more radical leaders "are realizing that the road on which they have been going is a cul de sac."

Kennedy spoke with newsmen before addressing an Irish studies conference at Stonehill College.

Rep. Hays To Wed

WASHINGTON (AP) — Rep. Wayne L. Hays will be married within the next month, but the Ohio Democrat isn't saying who he's taking to the altar.

The couple wishes to keep their plans private, a spokesman said Friday.

Hays was divorced from his first wife earlier this year.

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Jay Huckabee, 1976 Buick 4-dr. hardtop, from Snyder Motor Co.

Kenneth Kellner, 1976 Chevrolet pick-up, from Mal Donelson Chev. Co.

David Baremore, 1976 Chevrolet 2-dr., from Mal Donelson Chev. Co.

Gene Bowlin, 1976 Chevrolet pick-up, from Mal Donelson Chev. Co.

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MARRIAGE LICENSES

Randy Wayne Badger of Snyder and Tonia Ann Walton of Snyder.

Walter Lee Clements, III, of Sweetwater and Barbara Jean McDonnell of Sweetwater.

Kent James Sprague of Snyder and Dorothy Irene Roemisch of Hermleigh.

Leonel Lorenzo Vela of Snyder and Maria Alaniz of Snyder.

ACTION IN DISTRICT COURT

E.M. Menges of and for Yale E. Key Oil Well Service, judgment granted.

In the matter of the marriage of Purvis Melvin Morris and Ruby Risinger Morris, divorce granted.

In the matter of the marriage of Victoriano Pesina and Manuela Pesina, divorce granted.

In the matter of the marriage of Evalyn Walker Horn and W.C. Horn, Jr., dismissed.

WARRANTY DEEDS

Maggie L. Barnes to LaWayne Luther Fagan, a tract of land in lot 2, blk. 9 in the Manry Addition to the city of Snyder.

Jeff W. Stubblefield, et ux, to W.T. Bloomer, et ux, the northwest ¼ of section 126 blk. 3 in Scurry County.

James D. Sanders, et ux, to Alfred C. Alderete, et ux, all of lot 4 and the west 5 feet of lot 3 in blk. 2 of the Highlands Addition to the city of Snyder, with exceptions.

Thomas F. McBroom, et ux, to Daniel Collins, et ux, lots 14, 15, 16, in blk. 38 of the Andress Heights Addition to the city of Snyder, with exceptions.

Hillside Memorial Garden, Inc. to Edgar T. Patterson, et ux, a tract of land in sec. 95, blk. 3 in Scurry County.

L.V. Rasca, et ux, to Riley Douglas White, et ux, lots 1 and 2 in blk. 38 of the Grayum and Nelson Heights Addition to the city of Snyder.

Billy Joe Corley, et al, to Albert M. Corley, the northwest ¼ of Sec. 208 in blk. 97 in Scurry County.

Ronal B. Gladson, et ux, to Henry Borrego, et ux, all of lot 25 in blk. 1 of the Cullum Addition to the city of Snyder.

O.H. Culp, Sr., and Connie Culp to Donald Joe Culp, et ux, first tract; South 140 acres in sec. 147, blk. 3 in Scurry County; second tract, all of blks. 10 and 111, except 6.10 of an acre out of the southeast corner and tracts of land in blk. 112 and 113; third tract, all of blks. 107 and 109 in the town of Hermleigh containing 12.6 acres of land more or less; fourth tract, a part of blk. 108 in the town of Hermleigh; fifth tract, the south and northwest parts of blk. 110 except for 1 acre in the northeast corner.

Bill Don Payne to Shauna S. Payne, all of the east 75 feet of lot 2 in blk. 69 of the Grayum and Nelson Second Addition to the city of Snyder.

John D. Richardson, et ux, to Jerry D. Gandy, et ux, two acres of land in sec. 88 in blk. 3 in Scurry County.

W.D. Earnest, et ux, to Terry Sowell, the northwest ¼ of sec. 181, blk. 3 in Scurry County.

Stella Fenton Webb to Gerardo S. Luna, et ux, a tract of land in lot 1, blk. 4 of the Cody Addition to the city of Snyder.

Chester Charles Atkinson, et ux, to Margie Barron, all of lot 13 in blk. 2 of the Cullum Addition to the city of Snyder.

James Charles Dunn to Carolyn Reon, a tract of land in blk. 28 in the Wilmeth Addition to the city of Snyder.

Malcom Ray Byrum to Bobby Leroy Hart, et ux, all of lot 1 in blk. 4 of the Parkplace Addition to the city of Snyder.

W.C. Brown to James P. Johnson, et ux, all of lot 5 inblk. 6 of the Alamo Heights Subdivision being out of and a part of the south ½ of the north ¼ of sec. 96.

Lonie Ball to Harlon C. Ball; first tract, a tract of land in the northeast portion of section 484 in blk. 97 in Scurry County; second tract, a part of the northeast section 484 in blk. 97 in Scurry County.

West Texas Bank to Charles A. Wells, et ux, a tract of land in lot 7 in blk. 39 of the Wilmeth Addition to the city of Snyder.

Weldon Johnson, et ux, to Jerald Smith, a tract of land in section 181, block 3 in Scurry County.

Billy Allen Clement, et ux, to Thomas B. Cowen, et ux, a tract of land in lot 3, blk. 10 of the Blankenship Addition to the city of Snyder.

Alton Sturdivant, et ux, to James R. Turnbow, et ux, all of lot 11 in blk. 5 of the Adams Addition to the city of Snyder.

Gilbert Richter to Melba Richter Ohlendorf, all of the northwest ¼ of section 145, blk. 97 in Scurry County, with exceptions.

Raymond Fay Murphy, Jr., et ux, to Bob D. Bell, et ux, all of lot 34 in block "E" of the Highland Park Addition to the city of Snyder, with exceptions.

Jerald Smith, et ux, to Frank N. Konvicka, et ux, a tract of land in the southeast ¼ of section 181, blk. 3 in Scurry County.

Melba Richter Ohlendorf to Gilbert Richter, all of the northeast ¼ of section 98, blk. 25 in Scurry County, with exceptions.

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BY BILLY E. ROACH
COUNTY EXTENSION AGENT

BRUCELLOSIS HEARING SET FOR APRIL 15:

The "merry-go-round" on the eradication of brucellosis is continuing. New regulations regarding this cattle disease, commonly known as "Bangs," have been proposed by the Texas Animal Health Commission to meet federal standards. These regulations will go into effect unless rejected at a statewide hearing on April 15.

The hearing will begin at 9 a.m. in the Trinity Room of the Downtowner Motor Hotel in Austin. Anyone interested in attending to voice their opinions on the proposed regulations is encouraged to do so.

The proposed regulations are aimed at effectively controlling and eventually eradicating the disease and to thereby establish Texas as a "Certified Free State." The regulations are in accordance with the U.S. Animal Health Association and the Animal and Plant Health Inspection Service of the U.S. Department of Agriculture.

Here are a few of the requirements set forth in the proposed regulations. First of all, all male and female cattle two years of age or older offered for sale at any livestock market in Texas intended for breeding purposes must be tested for brucellosis. Steers and spayed heifers will be exempt.

If an infected animal is found in any herd, the herd will be quarantined on the owner's premise until such cattle have been tested to meet the requirements for quarantine release. Herd owners will have the right to supplemental tests. Reactor cattle will not be branded and condemned to slaughter until results of such supplemental tests (if requested) are ascertained.

Regarding calf vaccinations, it is pointed out that the proposed regulations call for all female beef calves to be vaccinated between the ages of three and eight months.

The proposed regulations on brucellosis control and eradication also provide specific definitions and procedures in classifying cattle, obtaining and maintaining certification status, and qualifying methods and standards. Cattlemen interested in reviewing the proposed regulations are invited to stop by the county Extension office.

RESULT DEMONSTRATION SUMMARY:

The summary of result demonstrations conducted in Scurry County in 1975 will be available soon. If you do not receive one in the mail within the next two weeks and would like to have one, please stop by the County Extension Office and pick up one.

Francis Scott Key, a lawyer who authored the "Star-Spangled Banner" in 1814, served as U.S. attorney for the District of Columbia, 1833-41.

Briscoe Urges Basics In Education

SAN ANGELO, Tex. (AP) — Gov. Dolph Briscoe says the Texas Education Agency has not done its job of making sure that basics are emphasized in education.

In a speech to the Rotary Club here Friday, Briscoe called for a return to basics in education, saying the schools' curricula are filled with "dozens of options which take away from basic teaching needs."

The governor added: "They (the education agency) are going to have to get back to giving basic directions instead of theories:"

Briscoe said the goal of education should be to graduate each student from high school "with a saleable skill. We need to get back to basics."

Briscoe said also that as the economic climate in the state continues to improve, the tax base in most school districts has been increasing and that trustees and superintendents will have to look closely at their budgets and live within their incomes.

"Further," he said, "school boards are going to be looking more closely at proposals made by administrators and are going to be exercising budget restraints."

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For what it's worth, Joe Sentell is not a nuclear physicist. When this lad fools around with fission, it has to be spelled "fishin' ". He might split hairs, but atoms...never! In fact, he figures that fallout is a problem for a barber. Still and all, Joe Sentell can explode the myth that good insurance is necessarily expensive.

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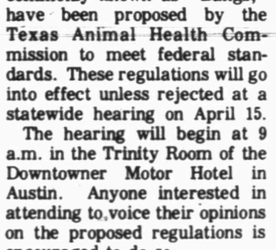

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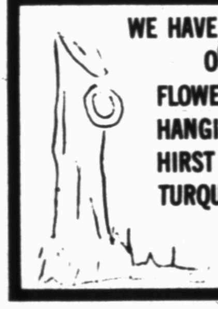

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Dr. Lamb
Common queries on hormones

By Lawrence E. Lamb, M.D.

DEAR DR. LAMB—I am a 59-year-old woman. When I was 45 I had a hysterectomy. I have taken no medication since. For the past few years I find I am having dryness of the vagina which makes family life painful. I have heard that taking hormone pills will correct this situation but I have been reluctant to take any with all of the dispute and news that such pills will cause cancer.

DEAR READER—I have gotten a lot of letters recently from women like you who want to take hormones for one problem or another and are afraid to do so because of the news stories they have read about the increased risk of cancer if they do.

Most of these news stories have indeed emphasized the dangers of taking female hormones and in my opinion have presented an unbalanced view to the public. Let's look at your problem. You don't have a uterus because it has been surgically removed. Neither you nor any other woman can get cancer of the uterus if you don't have one. The news stories about cancer were all based on an increased risk of cancer of the uterus, not other body cancers. The risk is of endometrial cancer, a cancer of the cells that line the uterus.

There is no solid evidence that female hormones increase cancer of the breast. By contrast there is some fairly good evidence that female hormones may prevent other cancers. Let's look at lung cancer. It causes one-third of all cancer deaths in men. It causes only 11 per cent of cancer deaths in women. Why? There are almost as many women cigarette smokers now as men, but not quite. One possible answer is that female hormones may help to protect a woman from lung cancer even if she smokes. I think a better way to prevent lung cancer is to not smoke but if a woman is hooked on that undesirable habit she apparently can be glad she has female hormones.

Of course when as many women have smoked as long as many men have, then the incidence of lung cancer in women may increase, but at present it looks as if female hormones prevent a lot of these cancers in women. Other information suggests that female hormones may protect against other cancers as well, far outweighing the dangers of taking hormones, even if a woman has not had her uterus removed. Simply put, in the rush to condemn the use of female hormones because of the slight increase in risk of cancer of the uterus, women are apt to be exposed to a far greater risk of developing other forms of cancer. That is not progress.

A lot of answers are not yet available. Smaller doses, interruption of treatment and other steps, as well as regular follow examinations may prevent or result in early detection of any cancer of the uterus that might develop.

You can use K-Y lubricant, which you should be able to find in the drug store and buy without a prescription. It will help. But your problem is most likely caused by an inadequate amount of hormones. You should see your doctor and if he finds this to be true by examining you he can give you some hormone creams and perhaps hormone pills. They will relieve the condition and may improve other aspects of your life. They will not and cannot cause you to have cancer of the uterus. you have already had surgery that is ultimate prevention of that danger.

DEAR DR. LAMB—I am going to have a cataract operation and my doctor said he can put in some permanent contact lenses because my eyes are healthy. He said they sew them in and they are permanent. I have talked to alot of people who have had this done and they are happy because they don't have to wear any other glasses and they don't have to take them out.

What could you tell me about this or can I have the other operation and put contact lenses on and wear other glasses besides the contact lenses? Are these permanent glasses that the doctor wants to put inside my eyes approved?

I would sure hate to lose my eyesight. I am 69 years old and never wore glasses when I was young.

DEAR READER—I wish I could give you a definite answer. Certainly implanting an artificial lens inside the eye is a very promising technique. Eventually I would guess that it will become the standard procedure in all healthy eyes, but I don't think we are at that stage yet. There are a number of eye specialists in the country who are very enthusiastic about this procedure and they have reason to be.

Let's start at the beginning, a cataract is an opacification of the lens in the eye. All of the light that enables you to see must pass through the lens. The cataract operation simply removes that opaque, clouded lens.

Before contact lenses were popular, individuals who had cataracts removed wore very thick lenses that magnifed images 25 to 30 times their normal size. This greatly distorted the field of vision.

The successful development of contact lenses has been a great benefit. The amount of magnification and distortion by the contact lens resting on the outside of the eyeball after the cataracts have been removed is minimal.

Now we have implants of a new lens into the eye itself. Since these are internal they require none of the usual care attended to contact lenses. The amount of magnification and distortion with such lenses is really minimal.

If there is other disease inside the eye then the use of an implant may not improve vision nor will an external contact lens or ordinary glasses. At least the amount of improvement will be limited by the degree of other disease in the eye.

Some specialists who have been implanting lenses have seven to eight years experience now and to date there have been no serious complications. The problem is, in advising people who may read this column, that there is no experience over a longer period of time. How will these lenses work in 10 or 15 years? That would be important in a young person.

You will have to depend on your doctor's recommendation and your own feeling about it. You could wear contact lenses and you could wear contact lenses plus ordinary glasses if you needed the same kind of effect that bifocals provide for some people.

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FEATURED ARTIST—Works by Dorothy Peterson, above, will be featured in an exhibit in the Fine Arts Gallery at WTC this month. The gallery is open from 8-5 Monday through Thursday and from 8-4 on Fridays.

Mrs. Peterson's Art Showing Here

Paintings, drawings and prints by Dorothy Peterson of Midland will be featured in the April exhibit in the Fine Arts Gallery at Western Texas College.

The show is to include 30 pieces, mostly paintings and drawings. It is open to the public without charge, and may be seen during regular campus hours each week day.

The new show will open April 6.

Mrs. Peterson paints in oil, mixed media, watercolor and encaustic. Most of her drawings are done in a wash and line technique, and the prints include serigraphs and a few lithographs.

"I consider myself an expressionist," Mrs. Peterson said, "and my imagery runs from representational to non-objective, depending on the treatment I feel each individual piece requires."

A native of central New Mexico, Mrs. Peterson holds a bachelor of science degree from the University of New Mexico. She has studied art at UNM, the Dallas Museum of Fine Arts, Roswell Museum, Odessa College, Midland College and in various workshops and seminars.

Formerly on the art faculty of Midland College, she is now devoting her time to completing work on a master's dereee at the University of Texas of the Permian Basin and to painting in her Midland studio. She has lived in Midland since 1968.

Mrs. Peterson has been exhibiting her work competitively since 1960 and has received regional and national recognition in important shows in Oklahoma, Louisiana, Mississippi, New Mexico and Texas. She is a sponsoring member of the Tumbleweed Artists of Midland and a member of Artists Equity, the national professional artists' organization.

Jova's Son Is Sentenced To Jail

MAIDSTONE, England (AP) — John Thomas Jova, 24, son of the American ambassador to Mexico, pleaded guilty to drug smuggling and has been sentenced to 2½ years in jail.

His lawyer told a Maidstone court on Friday that Jova was the victim of a blackmail plot in which international drug smugglers took photographs of him in bed with a homosexual at a London party.

Jova, son of Ambassador Joseph J. Jova, was arrested last Dec. 9 at Folkestone Harbor as he arrived on a car ferry from France.

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Doctors, Health Officials Split

ATLANTA (AP) — State public health officials and private physicians are split over President Ford's plan for nationwide immunization against a swine-type flu virus. Too much, say some; too little, say others.

About 300 public health officers and immunologists, heads of state medical associations and private physicians from all 50 states met here Friday at the National Center for Disease Control, which will coordinate the proposed vaccination program.

"I question the national scare tactics that have been used," said Dr. George Behnke of the Wisconsin Medical Society. "I think they (the government) have overreacted to this thing. I wonder how much politics is involved."

But while Behnke and others criticized the immunization program, it appeared to have at least some supporters at the meeting.

"Our responsibility is prevention," said Dr. George E. Hardy of Birmingham, Ala., president of the National Association of County Health Officers, speaking in support of the program.

Ford asked for $135 million for flu vaccine for 213 million Americans and the House Appropriations Committee approved the request Friday.

In making his request, the President warned that "unless we take effective counteraction, there could be an epidemic of this dangerous disease next fall and winter here in the United States."

At least 11 cases of swine-type flu were confirmed in the first three months of this year among soldiers at Ft. Dix, N.J. One soldier died.

The startling thing about the Ft. Dix virus was that some health officials compared it with a strain believed to have caused a worldwide epidemic in 1918-19 that killed 20 million persons, including 548,000 in the United States.

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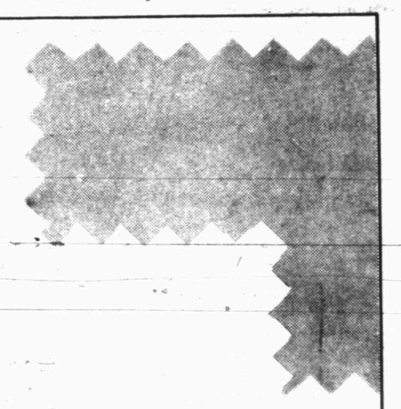

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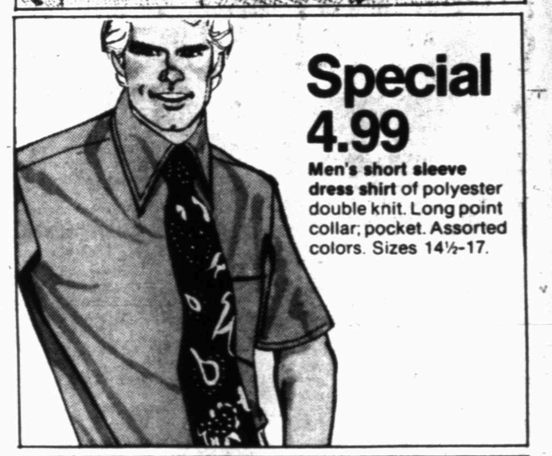

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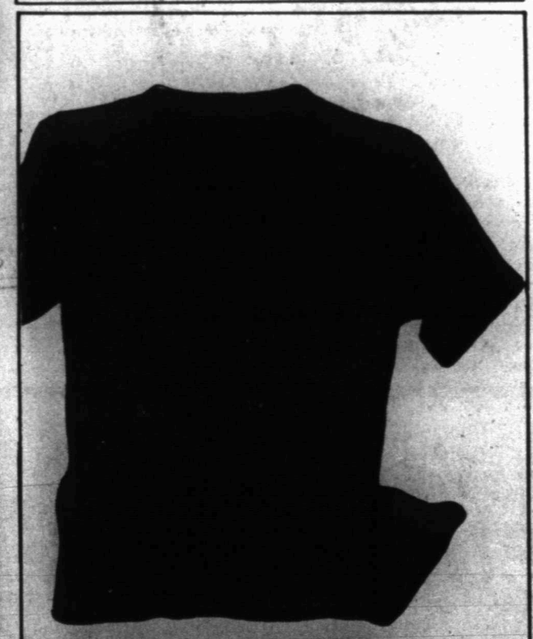

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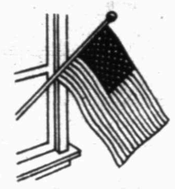
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SECTION B, APR. 4, 1976

NATIONAL LIBRARY WEEK—Familiar faces around the WTC library are Mrs. Maggie Barnes, RN, left, of Hermleigh and Gerald Corkran. Mrs. Barnes is a student at WTC and will receive the Associate Arts degree next month. Corkran is Director of the Developmental Reading Center. The WTC library will be observing National Library Week April 4-10 and invites area residents to come in to get acquainted with its services.

Area Residents Invited To Visit WTC Library

"Free People - Free Libraries" will be the slogan displayed in libraries across the United States during the observance of National Library Week April 4-10.

The Western Texas College library extends an invitation to area residents to visit the library during this special week, and pledges service to library patrons whenever such services are needed.

The college library is located in the Learning Resource Center. It is open from 8 a.m. to 9 p.m. Mondays through Thursdays, 8 a.m. to 4 p.m. on Fridays and 2-5 p.m. on Sundays while classes are in session at the college.

Anyone who has a Scurry County library card or an identification card from a Snyder public school may check materials out of the WTC library. Students from area high schools may check out materials by special arrangement.

Dr. James Tully is Dean of Learning Resources at WTC. Larry Anderson is Director of Library Science and Mrs. Hattie Simpson is Associate Director of Library Science for Public Services. Mrs. Kathleen Genuchi, Associate Director for Technical Services, is on leave of absence while studying at Texas Woman's University. Mrs. Evelyn Slater and Nona Sutton are library clerks. Student assistants are Shirley Blankenship of Roscoe, Becky Lantrip of Abilene, Judi Williams of Sweetwater, Dee Ann Wright of Clyde and Gwen Camp of Snyder.

The WTC library currently subscribes to 227 periodicals and 30 newspapers. Recent issues are kept in the reading room while older materials are available for research on microfilm. The library houses a grand total of 24,000 books and periodicals, Anderson said.

Statistics compiled at the end of February showed the approximate number of persons using the LRC materials during the month to be 3,118. Circulation for the month was set at 1,446, with total circulation for the semester at 2,378.

Some rare items are included in the library, and persons who would like to use these are invited to inquire at the circulation desk.

WTC Doubles Honor Student Scholarships

Scholarships offered by Western Texas College to valedictorians and salutatorians of Texas high schools will be doubled starting with the 1976 fall semester, Glenn Davis, WTC Financial Aid Officer, has announced.

Effective with the beginning of the fall semester, WTC will offer a $200 scholarship to any valedictorian who enrolls in college for the first time as a full-time student. As in the past, these students will continue to be exempt from tuition fees under state law.

Students eligible for these scholarships will receive checks for $200 upon completion of enrollment, and may use the money to pay room and board, buy books or for other expenses related to college education.

The salutatorian of any Texas high school graduating class will receive a scholarship in the amount of $100 for the freshman year upon enrollment at WTC. The salutatorian of any Scurry County high school will receive a $200 scholarship.

These scholarships may be renewed for a second year depending on the availability of funds and the academic progress of the students, Davis said.

Prospective students interested in information about any financial aids available at WTC are invited to contact Davis at his office in the Administration Building during regular business hours Monday through Friday.

3rd Cheerleader Clinic At WTC

The third annual Cheerleader Clinic has been scheduled June 14-18 at Western Texas College.

Planned for the second year are Girls' Basketball Camp with sessions from June 20-25 and June 27-July 2 and a Bible Camp scheduled July 11-17. The Bible Camp is for students from grades 7-12 and recent high school graduates, while the basketball camp is primarily for girls in grades 6-9.

Personnel from the national All-Star Cheerleading Conference (ASCC) will provide professional instruction for the cheerleader clinic. It is primarily designed for present and prospective high school cheerleaders, although students from junior high schools and colleges are also welcome to attend.

Instruction at the clinic will emphasize basic cheerleading techniques, partner stunts, tumbling, squad coordination, soul chants, pompom routines, tryout tips, voice control, leadership and responsibility.

Advisors are invited to accompany their squads at a minimum cost and special seminars are scheduled daily for advisors.

Tuition fees for students are determined by the ASCC. Applications for the clinic are to be obtained by writing to Pepster All-Star Cheerleader Conference, 819 Broadway, Kansas City, Mo. 64105. Additional information about the clinic may be obtained by writing Mickey Baird, Director of Student Activities, at WTC.

All summer campers at WTC are housed in the air conditioned dormitories and eat their meals in the Student Center cafeteria. Recreational facilities on campus are open to the campers during their stay, and other types of entertainment are planned for them as well.

Former Snyder Teacher Heads New University

Dr. James H. Stewart Jr., a former Snyder teacher, has been formally inaugurated as the first president of Texas Eastern University at Tyler.

Dr. Chester A. Newland, director, Federal Executive Institute, United States Civil Service Commission, delivered the inaugural address at the program on March 27 which drew representatives from 68 colleges and universities in 19 states.

On the inaugural program were Ralph Spence of Tyler, representing the Coordinating Board, Texas College and University System; Dr. Gordon W. Sweet of Atlanta, Ga., from the Southern Association of Colleges and Schools; C.C. Nolen, president of North Texas State University, representing the Texas senior colleges and universities; Dr. Jack M. Elsom, president of Ranger Junior College, representing Texas community-junior colleges; Dr. Robert H. Cranford, president of the Texas Eastern University faculty senate, and Dennis R. Mortis, a TEU student.

Texas Eastern University was created in 1971 as Tyler State College. Dr. Stewart was selected as president on Aug. 7, 1972, the year a 200-acre site for the campus was selected in southeast Tyler. First students were accepted in January of 1973. The school gained full membership in the Association of Texas Colleges and Universities in April of 1975, and on May 26, Gov. Dolph Briscoe signed a bill changing the name to Texas Eastern University. Total degree production reached 275 last year. At present, TEU offers 33 baccalaureate degrees and 11 graduate degree programs. It has 131 full-time employes, and 47 of its 53 full-time faculty members have earned doctorates.

Dr. Stewart began his teaching career in Snyder in 1954, serving on the junior high faculty and as coach of a seventh grade football team. Subsequently he became a junior high assistant principal and after 10 years in Snyder Public Schools, he accepted a position as assistant to the dean of the graduate school at North Texas State University. He served as assistant superintendent, superintendent and as superintendent of development at the Masonic Home and School of Texas in Fort Worth. Then, he went back to Denton to become assistant to the president and director of development of North Texas State University, the position he held when he was named president of TEU.

DR. JAMES H. STEWART JR.

While teaching in Snyder, Dr. Stewart was married to Colleen Sole, and they now have two children, Bryan and Wade.

Drilling Pace Up

AUSTIN, Tex. (AP) — There were 304 oil well completions and 40 gas well completions in Texas the last half of March, the Railroad Commission reported Friday.

Oil well completions for the year total 1,873, compared with 1,476 at this time in 1975, and gas well completions total 1,114, compared with 837 for the same period last year.

The commission said 451 wells were plugged, including 210 dry holes.

Twenty-two wildcat oil wells were completed: 5 in the Houston district, 4 in the No. 1 San Antonio district, 3 each in the Corpus Christi and Abilene districts, 2 in the Pampa district, and 1 each in the San Antonio No. 2 district and the Kilgore, San Angelo, Midland and Wichita Falls districts.

Twenty-six wildcat gas wells were drilled: 8 in the Corpus Christi district, 5 in the Houston district, 4 in the Abilene district, 2 each in the two San Antonio districts and the San Angelo district, and 1 each in the Kilgore, Midland and Pampa districts.

New World Record

FARMVILLE, N.C. (AP) — An announcer for WRQR-FM here claims a new world record for the longest nonstop radio broadcast by staying awake for 220 hours, four minutes and 10 seconds.

By the time Blake Comby, 22, had stopped his marathon effort at 4:04 p.m. Friday he had been awake without drugs for nine days, four hours, four minutes and 10 seconds.

The Guiness Book of World Records says the previous broadcast record was 216 hours, set by a Little Rock, Ark., announcer last October.

Comby is a senior communications major at East Carolina University.

Welfare Takes Over Prude Ranch

FORT DAVIS, Tex. (AP) — The State Welfare Department today took over the Prude Ranch school to supervise the removal of its 43 youths to other installations or to foster homes after the school was closed Friday because of internal problems.

John Prude, founder and administrator of the ranch, an installation for youths with behavioral problems, said the decision to close the ranch was made Friday evening after a meeting with representatives of the Welfare Department.

"We've been having internal problems, hard feelings among the staff and, because they were relating those feelings to the kids, we felt it was better to close down the school and reopen at some other time, possibly in the fall," Prude said in a telephone interview.

The school, located in the Jeff Davis mountains, covers 3,500 acres owned by the Prude family. Prude said the school has a staff of 40 including teaching staff, child care supervision and nursing and clinical personnel. It has been in operation for seven years.

It is a private facility licensed by the Welfare Department and under the Texas Youth Council.

Prude said a group of Welfare Department officials were at the installation Friday evening and would supervise the closing down of the school making sure the youths, ranging in age from 12 to 17, are turned over to other installations, returned to their homes or placed in foster homes.

Prude said the problems with the staff arose about two weeks ago.

"They had some very strong feelings toward me as administrator. They felt that I was not doing some things I should be doing and were letting the kids share those feelings."

He said the disgruntled members of the staff submitted a list of grievances to the school board.

"They were not satisfied with the board's decision," Prude said, "and they went to the Welfare Department."

He said department representatives came to the school for an investigation and the decision to close the school followed a lengthy meeting with school officials.

"We felt it was the best thing for the kids and the program at this time," Prude said.

RSVP Coffee At Hermleigh

RSVP members and prospective members are invited to attend a coffee starting at 9:30 Tuesday morning in the Hermleigh Community Center.

There will be no coffee this month at the Union Community Center because of a conflict in scheduling, Mrs. Betsy Duncan, RSVP director, said.

A coffee is planned on April 13 in the Fluvanna Community Center.

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Dunn Couple To Observe Anniversary

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Sorrells of Dunn will celebrate their 50th wedding anniversary with a reception in their honor at the Dunn Community Center Saturday, April 10 from 3-5 p.m.

Hosting the celebration will be their sons and daughters-in-law; Mr. and Mrs. Jimmie Don Sorrells and Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Wayne Sorrells, both of Dunn; Mrs. Lillian Ashley of Ira and Mrs. Grace Satterfield of Midland; and Mrs. Betsy Rossen of Odessa.

Mrs. Sorrells, the former Sina Edd Copeland, was born July 31, 1909 in Bowie County.

Mr. Sorrells was born in Scurry County on July 23, 1902.

They met in Howard County in 1904 and were married in the Colorado City Court House on April 6, 1926.

They moved from Westbrook to the Dunn Community in 1953, after Mr. Sorrells retired from the Standard Oil Company after twenty-seven and one half years of service. He engaged in farming from 1953 until 1958.

Mrs. Sorrells is a member of the Dunn Church of Christ.

The couple have one granddaughter and five grandsons.

They invite all their friends and relatives to join in their celebration April 10.

Phone Book Has Split Personality

TELEPHONE: The First Hundred Years. By John Brooks. Harper & Row. 369 Pages. $12.50.

Since there was "no comprehensive and objective history of the telephone, telephoning as a social act, or the American Telephone and Telegraph Co.," John Brooks decided to write one. "Telephone" is the result.

Brooks, a fine writer who has authored such very good books as "The Go-Go Years," does what he set out to do but in so doing his book has a decidedly split personality. When dealing with the history of the telephone and the effect Alexander Graham Bell's invention has had on society — especially in America — Brooks is informative, interesting, entertaining. But when dealing with AT&T — and its many offshoots — Brooks, who was given access to the company's files and had no restrictions placed on him by it, slips into drabness.

The problem, of course, is that even a writer as good as Brooks is cannot make the uninteresting interesting. The history of AT&T and the various men who captained it is, frankly, mostly soporific stuff.

Fortunately, Brooks has inserted enough interesting material around the dull stretches to make his book worth reading. Of especial interest is the space he devotes to the appearance of the telephone in literature.

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DEAR ABBY: A man signed LOST IN HOUSTON asked you how to get his girl back, and you sloughed him off, telling him to get a new girl. A lot of help that was!

The guy said he has lost his temper and hit his girl. But it happened only once, and he promised he'd never do it again. The girl, however, refused to have anything to do with him after that because she had been married to a guy who beat her up and she wasn't going to take any more chances.

Abby, what happened to all that compassion and understanding you are supposed to have?

I'd have told the girl to grab a chair and hit the guy back. After all, the Bible says, "An eye for an eye and a tooth for a tooth."

NOT LOST IN CHICAGO

DEAR NOT: Violence begets violence. And I'm not about to tell a woman who has suffered at the hands of a wife beater to risk marrying another. Besides, she has only two eyes and a limited number of teeth.

DEAR ABBY: My trouble is my marriage. Two years ago I lied to my husband about a phone call. When he walked into the house, I was talking to my mother long-distance. I told him that she had called me, but actually I had called HER. When he got the phone bill he knew I had lied. He became very angry, and I have been paying for it ever since.

Shortly after that, our sex life stopped altogether. He said, "You've got about as much sex appeal as a 50-gallon drum." (He said that because I was overweight.) He said when I got down to normal size, our sex life would start again. Well, I put my mind to it and I lost 58 pounds. I thought I looked pretty good, but after we had sex once, he said I was still too fat!

He still says he can't make love to a liar. (The long-distance phone call.) But I can't live without love, and I don't think it's fair to be punished for one lie I told two years ago. What should I do? My husband is a regular Army man.

UNLOVED

DEAR UNLOVED: Something is drastically wrong, and it's not your weight or a lie you told two years ago. Army families can get free counseling from the chaplin on the base. Go! Your Army man is marching to the wrong drum.

DEAR ABBY: I am 23 years old, divorced and the father of a beautiful 2-year-old daughter.

Every week I drive 650 miles to see her. We love seeing each other, but when I prepare to leave, she cries and begs me not to go. It just tears me apart.

I love her so much I can't bring myself to let her forget me. Some of my friends are divorced, and they never see their kids. They say that it's just a matter of putting them out of your mind and that if I really loved Lisa, I would be a man about it, get out of her life and stay out.

Would it be more humane to Lisa if I just walked out of her life and never came back so that she could forget about me?

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DEAR DADDY: I disagree with your friends. In time Lisa will learn to accept the fact that you come and go. She will also realize that you love her. If you suddenly disappear forever, she'll assume you've deserted her. Continue seeing Lisa whenever possible and try to build a good father-daughter relationship.

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Can anyone really fault Hal for going wrong? We know that we can't.

Ask the Jacobys

An Idaho reader asks if a raise of partner's two notrump opening to four notrump is Blackwood or just a notrump slam try.

The answer is that the response merely says that you have slam interest and want your partner to go on if he has a maximum two notrump. However, be careful about making this bid with a new partner. He may play all four notrump bids as Blackwood.

(Do you have a question for the experts? Write "Ask the Jacobys" care of this newspaper. The Jacobys will answer individual questions if stamped, self-addressed envelopes are enclosed. The most interesting questions will be used in this column and will receive copies of JACOBY MODERN.)

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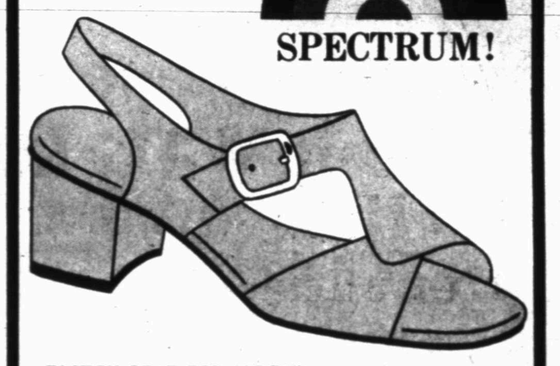

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Eime, Hatter Wed In Home Ceremony

Miss Debra Dianne Eime and Bruce Gordon Hatter were united in marriage March 23 at 7:30 p.m. in the home of the bride's parents. Henry Hartman, minister of the Grace Lutheran Church, performed the ceremony.

The home was decorated with a basket of spring flowers, a wedding gift from Dr. and Mrs. Carl Dillaha.

Parents of the couple are Mr. and Mrs. Robert A. Eime of Snyder and Mr. and Mrs. Earl Hatter of Tuscon, Arizona.

The bride was given in marriage by her father. She was adorned in a blue moire double knit gown featuring elbow length push up sleeves. She carried out the tradition of something old by wearing a cameo necklace belonging to her sister. The cameo has been worn at the weddings of all the women in the family of the bride's mother for the past thirty years. Something new was her gown. She wore a blue garter and a six pence in her shoe, which was a gift from her uncle.

The bride carried a bouquet of daisies and baby's breath with the wedding band of her grandmother, Mrs. J.B. Middlebrook of Lamesa, tied in it.

Attendants of the couple were Mary Jane Hathaway and Scotty Hathaway of Snyder. The matron of honor wore a pink lace gown and carried a nosegay of daisies and pink ribbon.

Susan Tolbert presided at the reception following the ceremony. The two tiered wedding cake was topped with a miniature bride and groom which had been taken from the bride's parent's cake thirty years ago.

For the ten day wedding trip to Tuscon, Arizona, the bride chose a blue doubleknit two piece suit splashed with spring flowers.

When the couple return they will reside at 2611 El Paso.

The bride graduated from Snyder High School and attended WTC and North Texas State University in Denton. She is employed at Hoyt Furniture. Her husband, also a graduate of SHS, is employed by Arrow Construction.

Out-of-town guests for the wedding were from Lubbock and Lamesa.

X-Ray Research Shows Men Thicker Skinned

ST. LOUIS, Mo. (AP) — It has now been scientifically proved that women's skin is thinner than men's and it's also softer, or "significantly more compressible," as the researchers say.

Dr. Johnny Bliznak and Dr. Tom W. Staple used a new x-ray technique to measure skin thickness in 418 patients at the Mallinckrodt Institute of Radiology here and substantiated what some have long suspected. The difference is only a fraction of a millimeter but it is a difference and it occurs no matter what the weight or height.

For instance, the median skin thickness of a 120-pound, 25-year-old woman is 1.17 millimeters, while the skin of a man of that weight and age is 1.41 mm thick.

Their study, published in "Radiology," showed there was no significant difference in skin thickness between blacks and whites.

Exchange Student Is Guest Speaker At ABWA Meeting

The Scurry Charter Chapter of the American Business Women's Association met for their regular dinner meeting on Thursday evening at the Martha Ann Woman's Club. Guests included Mrs. Bill Line, Genetha Payne, Sara Jo Taylor, Minnie Beall, and Norene Murphy. The program was a slide presentation by Lars Clausen, who is the Foreign Exchange Student from Denmark. Margaret Easterwood introduced the vocational speaker, Edna Rainwater, who is an employee of White's Auto Store.

After the general business meeting, plans were discussed concerning Boss' Night to be held April 22, at Martha Ann's Woman's Club. It was announced that Dr. Thomas Kim, President of McMurry College, will be the speaker for the evening and the Boss of the Year will be selected at that time. All members were urged to be making plans to attend this very special meeting.

New members were installed by Mary Faver, President; Ileta Hall, Membership Chairman; and Hazel Berry, Vice-President. The table was centered with carnations surrounded by candles in silver holders. New members had been presented corsages made of carnations. Together with their sponsors, they were: Genetha Payne, sponsored by Irene Brooks; Sara Jo Taylor, sponsored by Edna Rainwater; Minnie Beall, sponsored by Marilyn Burton; and Norene Murphy, sponsored by Mary Faver.

Benediction was given by Vern Beasley.

PRESENTS PROGRAM—Lars Clausen, American Field Service student from Denmark, presented a program about his country to members of ABWA. Pictured with Lars is Inez Teaff.

Ajax Store Was Underground

SALT LAKE CITY, Utah (AP) — Ajax, now a ghost town, once boasted the most unusual mercantile store in the west.

William Ajax founded this settlement in 1872 near the town of Tooele, south west of Salt Lake City. He went to work digging a store which in its heydey was said to have a larger daily sales volume than any store in Salt Lake City. The 11,000-square-foot store, according to the National Automobile Club, was completely subterranean and had a 15-foot ceiling, alcoves and a mezzanine floor.

It offered a wide variety of merchandise and prospered for years, but early this century sales slowed and it went out of business.

Library Exhibit

NEW YORK (AP) — An exhibition called "The American Idea, Discovery and Settlement, Revolution and Independence" is being shown at the New York Public Library on Fifth Ave. through July 19.

Omaha Day Care Center Unusual

OMAHA, Neb. (AP) — An unusual day care program has been initiated at Omaha Housing Authority's Hilltop-Pleasantview Homes.

Under the program, residents are licensed by the state to provide day care in their apartments for other residents.

The program is directed by Family Service of Omaha-Council Bluffs, which trains the day care mothers and provides them with supplies.

MAKE FINAL PLANS—Snyder Jaycee-Ettes June Taylor (left) Louise Rankin and Sandy Norris are shown making final plans for the city wide Cancer Crusade. Several other civic organizations and invididuals will be helping with the door to door campaign April 3-9. For further information call 573-8341, or 573-9833.

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West Side of the Square

MAY WEDDING PLANNED—Mr. and Mrs. O.R. Brown of 304 Thirty-third Street announce the engagement and approaching marriage of their daughter, Audrey Colette, to Dr. Robert R. Taylor of 4503 College Ave. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. R.C. Taylor of 1402 Broadway, Sweetwater. A May 1 wedding is planned.

ENGAGEMENT ANNOUNCED—Mr. and Mrs. James Stehley, 2804 Denison Street, announce the engagement and approaching marriage of their daughter, Jacque Ann, to Rickey Woody Wallace, son of Mr. and Mrs. James Wallace, 2702 Twenty-fifth Street, Lubbock, Texas. Wedding vows will be exchanged June 12. (Photo by Craft)

Community Calendar

MONDAY

Weight Watchers of West Texas will meet at 7 p.m. at Martha Ann Woman's Club. New members are welcome.

TUESDAY

The Art Guild Study Club will meet at 7 p.m. at Martha Ann Woman's Club with Mrs. Mary Starnes as hostess.

Beta Sigma Phi will meet at 7:30 p.m. at Martha Ann Woman's Club.

Twentieth Century Club will meet at 3 p.m. at Martha Ann Woman's Club with Mrs. C.W. Key as hostess.

RSVP coffee and games, 9:30-11:30 a.m., Hermleigh Community Center

WEDNESDAY

Altrurian Daughters will meet at 3:30 p.m. at Martha Ann Woman's Club with Mrs. Roger Mize, Mrs. Ross Carroll, Mrs. W.B. McSpadden, and Mrs. Billy Null, hostesses. The program "Wild Flowers" will be presented by Joe Carter.

THURSDAY

Snyder Palette Club will meet at 9 a.m. at the Airport Terminal Building. Mary Hogsett, of Abilene, will be guest artist.

Retired Teachers Association will meet at 2 p.m. at Colonial Hill Baptist Church.

Twilight Garden Club will meet at 7:30 p.m. at Martha Ann Woman's Club.

FRIDAY

Altrurian Club will meet at 3 p.m. at Martha Ann Woman's Club with Mrs. W.C. Wheeler as hostess.

Open Duplicate Bridge Club will meet at 1:30 p.m. at the Snyder Country Club.

SUNDAY

Open Duplicate Bridge Club will meet at 1:30 p.m. at the Snyder Country Club.

SCHOOL MENU

ELEMENTARY SCHOOL

Monday

FOOD FOR THOUGHT: Difficulties are the things which show what men are...Madder

Snyder Western Cheese Burger on Toasted Buttered Bun
Pork & Beans
Corn Chips
Apple Wedge
Fruit Cobbler
Milk

Tuesday

FOOD FOR THOUGHT: Contentment will make a cottage look as fair as a palace...Secher

Grilled Cheese or Peanut Butter Sandwich
Beef Vegetable Soup
Crackers & Croutons
Whipped Strawberry Jello
Milk

Wednesday

FOOD FOR THOUGHT: Don't question your wife's judgement, look who she married..Will Rogers

Tico Taco Burger w-Condiments
Lettuce, Tomato & Cheese
Mexipinto Beans
Orange Wedge
Peach Short Cake w-Topping
Milk

Thursday

FOOD FOR THOUGHT: We must be satisfied to advance in life as we walk step by step..Hall

Kitchen Made Corndogs w-Mustard and Catsup
Oven Fried Potatoes
Seasoned Spinach
Fruit Cocktail w-Peanut Butter Cookie
Hush Puppies
Milk

Friday

FOOD FOR THOUGHT: A truth that's told with bad intent, beats all the lies you can invent..Blake

Manager's Choice

SECONDARY SCHOOL

Monday

Pigs in a Blanket w-Catsup and Mustard
Fried Potatoes
Cabbage Relish Salad
Raspberry Jello w-Applesauce
Chocolate Pudding
Milk

Tuesday

Diced Turkey over Buttered Rice
Chopped Parsley Garnish
Peas and Carrots
Jellied Cranberry-Orange Salad
Cheese Biscuit
Cinnamon Crispies
Milk

Wednesday

Beef Pot Pie w-Pastry Top
Celery Stuffed w-Peanut Butter
Blue Lake Green Beans
Peach Upside Down Cake
Milk

Thursday

Tigerburger w-Condiments
Catsup, Mustard, Salad Dressing
Pinto Beans
Lettuce, Tomato, Onion & Pickle
Potato Chips
Banana Shortcake
Milk

Friday

Grilled Cheese Sandwich w-Chili
Chopped Onion Garnish
Fresh Orange Sections
Hay Stack Salad
Sliced Peaches w-Cowboy Cookie
Milk

BRIDE-ELECT HONORED—Miss Kelly Townsend, bride-elect of Keith Baize, was honored with a bridal shower at the Union Community Center. Hosting the event were Imo Dee England, Lillian Williamson, Jeanne Liner, Pat Moffett, Carla Clark, Marion Gibson, Eloise Wesson, Von Seth Adams, Jo Alice McMullan, Helen Hoyle, Doris Spikes, Buena Jackson, Opal Williams, Faye Eubanks, Barbara Sutton, Alice Gray, Eloise Lambert, Maxine Thompson, Ann von Roeder, LaVerne Hood and Donna Adams. Pictured are (from left) Mrs. Bentley Baize, mother of the prospective bridegroom, the honoree, Mrs. Flavio Reyes, mother of the honoree and Tony Townsend, sister of the honoree.

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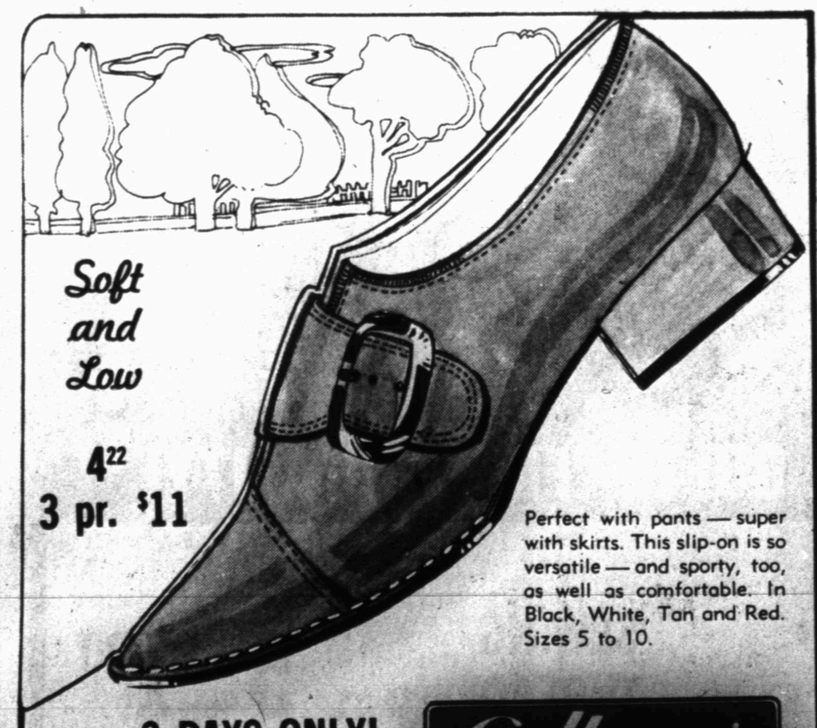

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Masters Crown Is Big Goal For Pros

By BOB GREEN
AP Golf Writer

AUGUSTA, Ga. (AP) — "The Masters, the majors, is where it's all at," said Hubert Green.

"This is hallowed ground," said Ben Crenshaw.

"I'm not major-tournament oriented, but I've come so close before, I'd really like to win the Masters," said Johnny Miller.

"I have a certain small interest in it," understated Hale Irwin.

"Now, the way things have worked out, winning the Masters is the major goal in my career," said Lee Trevino.

"I'd rather win the Masters than 10 regular tournaments," said Gary Player.

"It's a tournament I've grown up thinking about," said Tom Watson.

"I'm tired of finishing second," said Tom Weiskopf.

Those men—possessed of those ambitious, determined attitudes—form perhaps the most outstanding corps of challengers ever assembled to test Jack Nicklaus' domination of the famed Masters Golf Tournament.

"I think it's obvious there are now probably more men with a chance to win—not just guys who have an outside chance but men who have to be considered very strong threats to win—than ever before," said Nicklaus, the pre-tourney favorite, the outstanding player in the game, winner of a record five green jackets that go to the Masters champion, and the defending title-holder.

Golf's annual spring rite starts this week at the famed Augusta National Golf Club course when a select, invitational, international field of 77 players begins play in this, the first of the season's four major tests of golfing greatness.

Miller, generally considered to be the heir apparent to Nicklaus' role of golf's premier performer, got off to his usual sensational start this season, winning two of the first five events.

The young man with that happy history of shooting extremely low rounds, also has demonstrated his proficiency on the 7,030-yard, par-72 Augusta Natonal Course. He played his last two rounds in the Masters last season in a record 131 strokes and came within one shot of tying Nicklaus and forcing a playoff.

Weiskopf owns perhaps the most frustrating record in the history of the Masters. He's been second four times—more than any other man—including a tie for that position last year.

In addition to his victories in the Los Angeles and Citrus opens, Irwin has scored a second and a third-place finish, last season matched the tournament record with a 64 in the last round.

Crenshaw has scored consecutive victories in the Bing Crosby and the Hawaiian Open.

Green has won the last three times he's started, a feat that has been accomplished only twice in the last 14 seasons. The 29-year-old won a record $118,000 in his three-week sweep and established himself as the outstanding player of the year so far.

And he has himself geared for a major assault on his first major title.

Watson, winner of the British Open and two other tournaments last season, hasn't won this year but was second in one event and has been close in three others. He's been plagued with one bad shot, just one shot that goes astray and leads to a double-bogey or triple-bogey that destroys his title chances.

Then there's Gary Player, twice a Masters champion, holder of more than 100 international titles.

"I've been grinding," said the gritty little man from South Africa. "I haven't played badly. I've been in the hunt in almost every tournament. And that's the key. If you keep staying close, then eventually you're going to win."

Trevino has the Masters as his major goal.

"When I won the PGA (two years ago), that gave me three of the Big Four," said Trevino, who has won two U.S. and British Open crowns. "Only four guys—Nicklaus, Player, (Gene) Sarazen and (Ben) Hogan—have ever won all four.

"That's awful good company for a little, fat Mexican. And I've got a shot at it. I'd sure like to get it. It's probably the biggest goal of my career."

Detroit Tigers Are Improved

By LARRY PALADINO
AP Sports Writer

LAKELAND, Fla. (AP) — Last year about this time, when people were reporting how bad the Detroit Tigers were likely to be in 1975, Manager Ralph Houk got a little upset and asked the critics to "wait 'til the bell rings" before judging the rookie-laden club.

By the end of the baseball campaign, the Tigers had gotten their bells rung. They lost 102 games — most in the major leagues and second-most in Detroit histoy.

After star reliever John Hiller and veteran outfield standout Mickey Stanley got hurt in late July, the team fell from contention and eventually lost 19 straight games.

General Manager Jim Campbell wasn't about to stand pat after such embarrassement. He went on the market and grabbed slugger Rusty Staub for right field, solid hitter-fielder Milt May to catch and free agent Alex Johnson — much traveled but still with a potent bat — for left field.

With veteran left-handed pitching star Mickey Lolich gone to the New York Mets for Staub, Campbell reached into Houston's rotation to grab southpaw Dave Roberts. And he bolstered the bullpen with lefties Bill Laxton (who came with Staub) and Jim Crawford (who came with Roberts).

Unsatisified, Campbell dished out $25,000 in drafting right-handed relief prospect Bruce Taylor from the Cincinnati system. Except for Taylor's sore arm in training camp, everything else has seemed to work out well.

There's just no way anyone could expect Detroit to drop 102 games again. The return of Hiller and Stanley, the already-mentioned additions, plus the superb designated hitting of Willie Horton should insure a decent season.

Joe Coleman is coming off two bad seasons and is expected to shake his slump and become Detroit's top starter.

Ray Bare, only 8-13 last year, could challenge for that No.1 status. Bare, who combined with Laxton in spring training to pitch a seven-inning no-hitter against the Chicago White Sox, was the Tigers' most consistent starter last year, Houk said.

Sophomore Vern Ruhle, still developing, and Roberts — a dismal 8-14 last year, but a 17-game winner in 1973 — round out the rotation. Rookie right-hander Steve Grilli is a bullpen possibility.

Aurelio Rodriguez, perhaps the best fielding third baseman in the American League, is still in his prime and back from a 60 RBI season. Second-year shortstop Tom Veryzer, who reported some 20 pounds overweight this March, hit .313 after the All-Star break while second baseman Gary Sutherland expects to be stronger after overcoming a bout with hypoglycemia.

Don't expect miracles from Detroit, but don't expect anything close to last year's collapse. The Tigers should be in the thick of things most of the time and finish fourth or fifth in the East.

Basin Chapter Plans Tourney

The Permian Basin Chapter of the American Petroleum Institute has announced plans for the seventh annual "Sour Crude Open" golf tournament, to be held at Ranchland Hills Country Club, Midland, Texas on April 29, 30 and May 1, 1976.

The 18 hole tournament is a 2 man team low ball event with teams competing in either the Handicap or Peoria division. The tourney draws oilmen from throughout the Permian Basin and is limited to the first 400 entrants. Teams may play on any one of the three days by requesting a starting time.

For further information contact Oren Albright in Midland at 684-4436.

NFL Is Trading

By The Associated Press

Quarterbacks Steve Spurrier, John Hadl, Lynn Dickey and Bobby Douglass have been sent packing as the National Football League opened its swap shop with a burst of activity.

The NFL lifted its ban on trading Friday and the result was a flurry of deals that would have done justice to Wall Street. Spurrier, a former Heisman Trophy winner, was sent by San Francisco to Tampa Bay, Hadl went from Green Bay to Houston, Dickey went from Houston to Green Bay and Douglass was traded from San Diego to New Orleans.

Spurrier, a nine-year veteran who never lived up to the promise he showed at the University of Florida, was dealt to the expansion Buccaneers for wide receiver Willie McGee, linebacker Bruce Elia and a second-round draft choice.

"We have said all along that if we traded for an established quarterback, he would have to be one who is a good athlete," said Tampa Bay Vice President Ron Wolf. "In Steve Spurrier we think we have found the right blend for an expansion-team situation."

The trade of Spurrier clears the way for the much-rumored trade that would send quarterback Jim Plunkett from the New England Patriots to the 49ers.

Hadl, veteran cornerback Ken Ellis and two undisclosed draft choices were sent to Houston for Dickey, a five-year veteran who has spent most of his time warming the Oilers' bench behind Dan Pastorini.

"Any time you make an investment like this, it's expensive," admitted Bart Starr, the Packers' coach and general manager. "But if you break it down and analyze it, I think you can justify it."

For his part, Dickey was delighted. "After you've been around the National Football League for a while, struggling like I have, and then find somebody who wants you...what more can you ask?"

Douglass and a third-round draft pick became New Orleans property in exhange for linebacker Rick Middleton. Douglass, a 6-foot-4, 228-pounder, is known more as a runner than a passer. He set an NFL record for quarterbacks in 1968 with Chicago by gaining 968 rushing yards.

Last season, as a third-stringer at San Diego, he threw only 47 passes and completed only 15.

Several other trades were announced Friday.

San Diego picked up wide receiver Charlie Joiner from Cincinnati in exchange for defensive end Coy Bacon. "Coy is one of the real established linemen in the NFL," said Bengals General Manager Paul Brown. "He is a top pass rusher, has plenty of experience and wants to play for a contender."

The Buffalo Bills dealt defensive end Walt Patulski to St. Louis for the Cardinals' second-round pick in the college draft; the New York Jets sent middle linebacker Steve Reese to Tampa Bay for an eighth-round draft choice; Tampa Bay acquired defensive back Mike Washington from Baltimore for a third-round pick.

Western Golfers Triumph

BORGER—Western Texas College won the Great Plains Golf Tournament at Huber Country Club's course here last Thursday and Friday. The Westerners carded a 293-295—588 or 12 over par for the 36 holes to win the tourney.

Scores of other teams: Odessa 309-291—600; New Mexico 309-295—604; Midland 303-303—606; Howard 310-296—606; Clarendon 315-309—624; Amarillo 326-302—628; South Plains 318-310—628; New Mexico Military 321-307—628; and, Frank Phillips 325-306—631.

Each school played five players and counted the four low scores each day. Strong winds up to 30 miles per hour Thursday, but had abated to 15 miles per hour Friday.

Individual WTC scores: Ross Wortham 72-72—144; Bryan Hargrove 73-71—144; Grant Collyns 74-75—149; Arnold Madril 74-77—151. Donnie Loerwald fired an 84 the first day, then withdrew due to illness.

Ross Wortham and Bryan Hargrove tied for medalist honors, shooting even par golf. Grant Collyns was fifth with five over for the 36 holes.

The Westerners played with only four players the second day and could not drop a score. It was the first time for WTC to win the Great Plains Tournament. The Westerners tied Odessa for first place in 1973, placed third in 1974, and finished second in 1975.

Joe Kapp Disappointed Over Jury's Verdict

SAN FRANCISCO (AP) — Joe Kapp went for millions and came out with nothing in his legal battle against the National Football League.

"I'm disappointed, of course, and hope it doesn't hurt the players over-all," said the former quarterback who sued the NFL and lost.

A U.S. District Court jury, which listened to more than four weeks of testimony in the antitrust case, deliberated only six hours Friday before returning its verdict: that Kapp suffered no damages and that the New England Patriots had not breached a contract with him.

"I'm very sorry for Joe Kapp, who placed too much reliance in his agent, John Elliott Cook," NFL Commissioner Pete Rozelle said in New York after learning of the verdict.

"It's a possible turning point for settling these matters in collective bargaining rather than in court," added Rozelle, who testified for eight hours during the trial.

The NFL is being challenged in court by players on several other fronts, mostly over the controversial Rozelle Rule, and no collective bargaining agreement is in effect now.

Kapp, who contended he was forced out of football in 1971 after he refused to sign an NFL standard player contract with the Patriots, seemed to have won a key victory in late 1974 when Judge William T. Sweigert ruled in a pretrial summary judgement that several NFL rules—including the college draft and Rozelle Rule—violated antitrust laws.

But the NFL lawyers argued that Kapp and Cook devised a "game plan" to sue the NFL when the Patriots asked the quarterback to sign the standard contract. Kapp joined the Patriots in 1970, leaving the Minnesota Vikings after a bitter contract dispute, and played under a memo agreement calling for $600,000 for three seasons.

Rozelle ordered Kapp out of the Patriots' training camp in 1971 on the grounds that the collective bargaining agreement then in force required all players to sign such contracts. It was Cook's contention that the memo agreement was a legal contract and that the NFL contract contained illegal provisions.

Sweigert told the jury in final instructions Thursday that although some NFL rules violated antitrust laws, Kapp's counsel had to show the quarterback sustained damages because of the violations.

Kapp was the highest paid player in the NFL when he left, and his attorneys claimed damages to him amounted to possibly as much as $11.8 million.

"It's no longer '40 for 60.' It's old No. 1 at the cash register. He wants his right off the top," said William Willis, an attorney for the Patriots, while summing up the defense's case.

Finley Trades Oakland Stars

MESA, Ariz. (AP) — Oakland A's Owner Charles O. Finley has avoided his annual contract showdowns with slugger Reggie Jackson and pitcher Ken Holtzman by trading the two to Baltimore.

But in his blockbuster announcement Friday night, the A's owner insisted the salary disputes had nothing to do with the six-player deal with the Orioles.

He said he had been "trying to consummate this deal for the past two months" and that it "was made because I felt it would lead to another world championship."

The A's got 29-year-old right-hander Mike Torrez, 20-9 last season with a 3.06 earned-run average, and outfielder Don Baylor, who batted .282, hit 25 homers and stole 32 bases for the Orioles last American League baseball season.

The other players in what Finley said was "a straight three-for-three trade with no money involved" were Bill Van Bommel, a minor league pitcher for the A's since 1971, and Paul Mitchell, a 26-year-old right-hander the Orioles brought up from their Rochester farm club late last season.

Jackson, the A's' highest paid and most colorful player, went into seclusion with friends, declining comment. His agent and partner in several Arizona business ventures, Gary Walker, said, "I've never seen Reggie more reflective in his life. He has to give it a lot of thought.

"It isn't necessarily true that he will be going."

Walker said the trade "presents a tremendous amount of problems" for Jackson because of the outfielder's business interests in Arizona and California. "He would have played for a lot less in Oakland than anywhere else," Walker said.

Holtzman said, "As much as I hate to leave Oakland, this might be my one chance to get some security in the game. I'm glad more for financial reasons."

In Baltimore, Orioles' general manager Hank Peters said, "Charlie (Finley) and I have been talking about this thing off and on ever since last winter...It will affect our payroll, but it doesn't worry me. We have several other unsigned players. I have to believe that Jackson and Holtzman are willing to sign."

Jackson, whose $140,000 salary was cut 20 per cent this year, was seeking a three-year contract for about $200,000 a year. Holtzman, 18-14 last year with a 3.14 earned-run average, also wanted a three-year pact. He sought a total of $460,000, compared with his $93,000 pay last season.

Ladies Golf Year Begins

The Snyder Country Club Women's Golf Association will hold a luncheon and business meeting at 12 noon Tuesday, April 6, at the Snyder Country Club.

No pairings are scheduled for Tuesday, but there will be a low gross, low net, and low putt play. Awards will be presented following the luncheon.

All members are urged to be present at the meeting.

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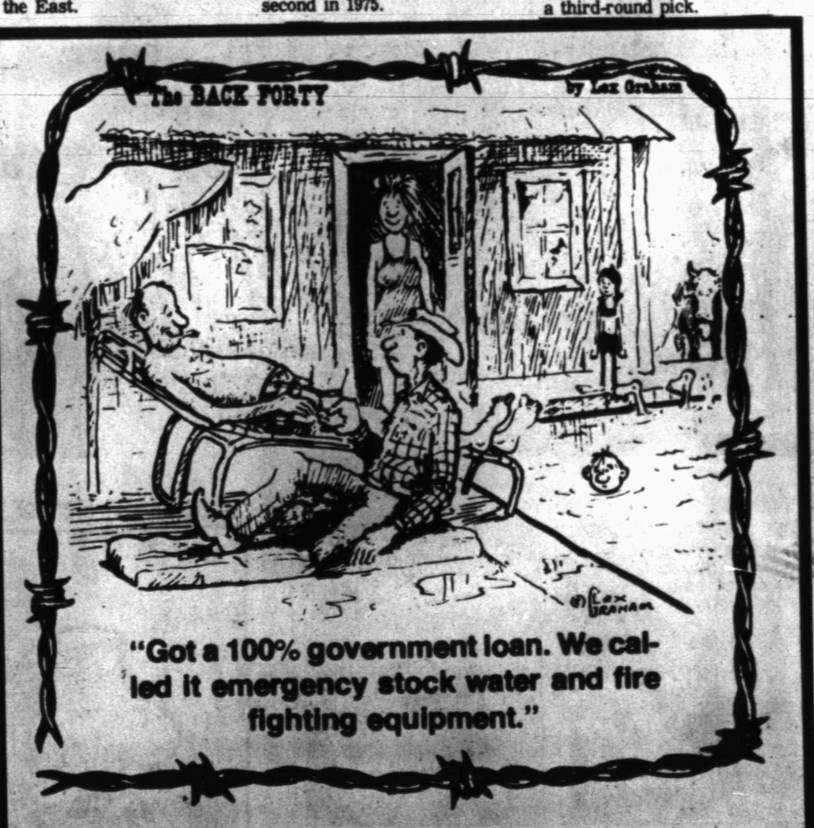

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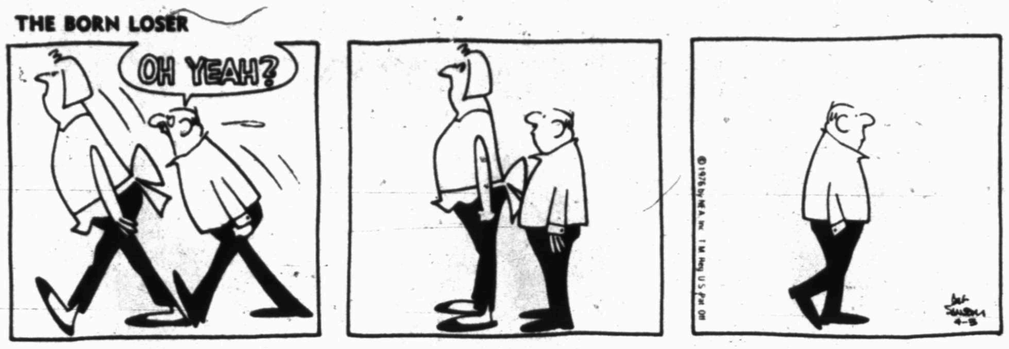

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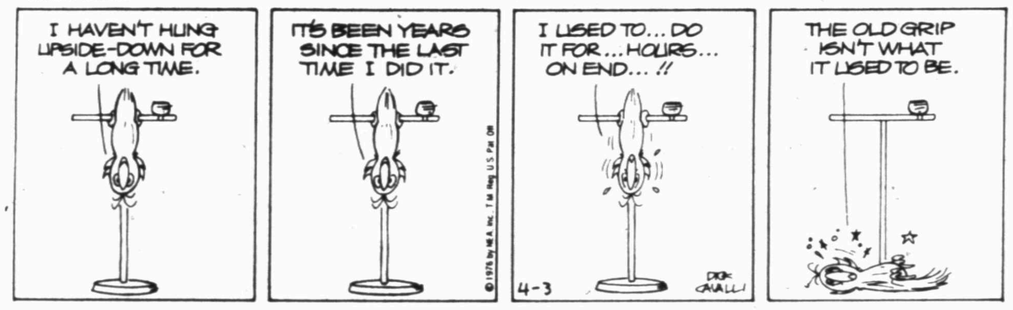

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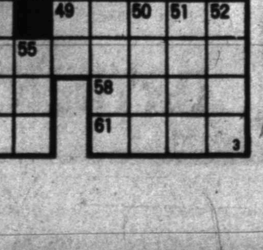

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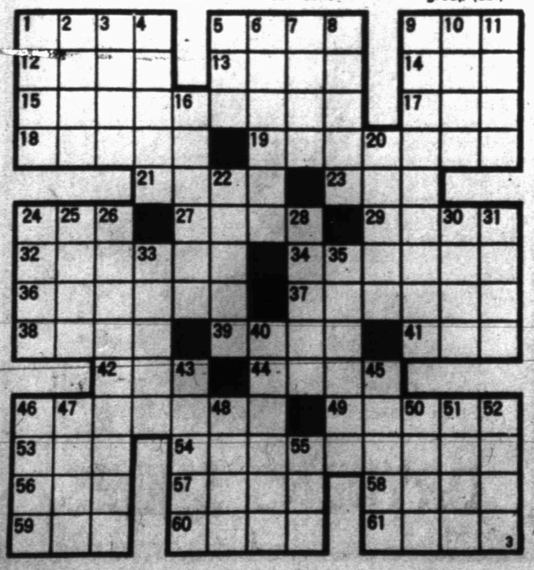

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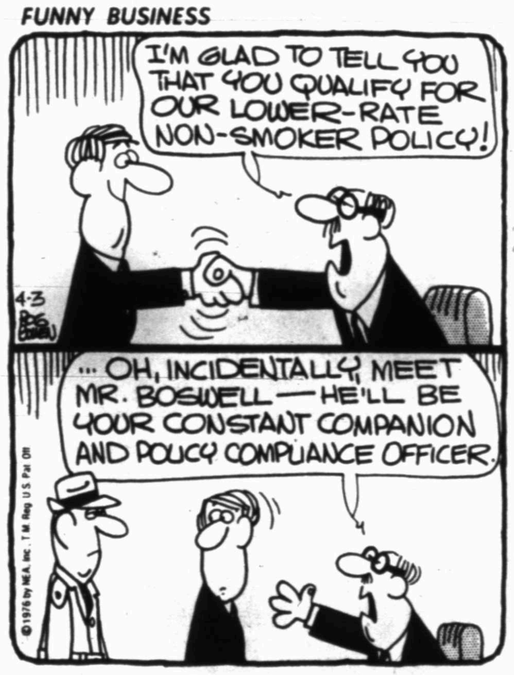

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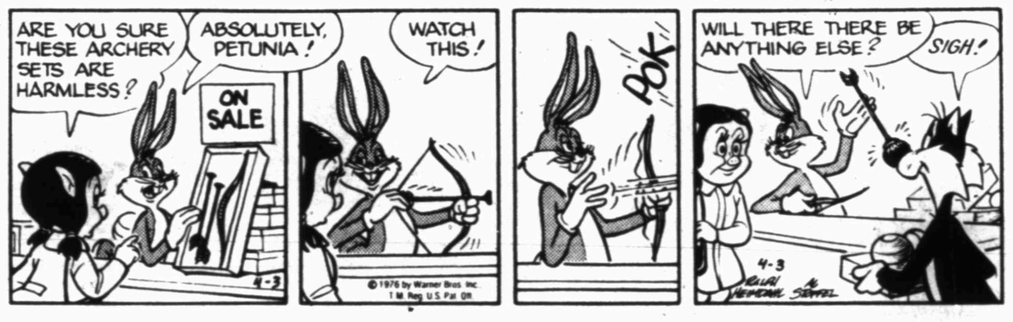

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FROM WTC TO DELAWARE—Gov. Sherman Tribbett of Delaware, left welcomes Dr. Joe Reaves of Western Texas College, who was on a visit to Dover last week. Dr. Reaves has been corresponding with Gov. Tribett with a view toward having the governor appear in Snyder on the Western Texas College Forum on National Affairs. Dr. Reaves said he was "impressed that the governor took time to see me and discuss the possibility of coming to Snyder sometime in the future.

Class Planned At WTC For Texas History Buffs

Texas history buffs are invited to join an informal Texas History Seminar being planned as a Community Services course at Western Texas College starting Thursday night.

"We hope to get a group of people together to help finalize the plans for the course at the first meeting," J.M. Kayser, instructor, said. "The Seminar is designed to concentrate on the social and economic history of the area of West Texas in which we live. It's not a political study, but an informal look at the land and the people from the pre-history period to recent years."

There will be no textbooks to purchase, but Kayser has prepared a bibliography of some of the most widely recognized books available which deal with this aspect of Texas history. Texas history enthusiasts will recognize many of the authors and titles on the list, and this material will provide the basis for the class discussion.

Listed in the bibliography are Alkali Trails, The Spur Ranch and Rollie Burns by Dr. W. Curry Holden of Lubbock, In Search of the Buffalo by Charles Anderson of Snyder, The Longhorns and The Mustangs by J. Frank Dobie, The Great Plains by Walter Prescott Webb, Adventure in Glory by Seymour Connor, Texas The Lone Star State by Dr. Rupert Richardson and 30 other works.

"We can bring in some source people to expand on topics which the class would like to discuss with them," Kayser said.

Subjects Kayser has suggested for the course are Texas Indians, the coming of the Spanish, the massive buffalo slaughter of the 1870s, the period of the open range followed by the establishment of ranches and agriculture and the discovery and development of oil.

Classes in the Seminar will meet from 7-9 Thursday nights through May 13. Students will pay fees of $10 each and a minimum of 14 persons will be required to form the class.

The Thursday night session will be held at 7 p.m. in room 106 of Academic Science Building B on the east side of the Central Courtyard. Persons interested in further information may contact Mrs. Wanda Falls in the Community Services office at WTC, 573-8511, extension 237.

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Conservationists Meet At Abilene

Local conservation leaders were in Abilene on Monday attending the spring meeting of the West Texas Association of Soil and Water Conservation District Directors.

W.L. Wilson Jr., Chairman, Walter Stirl, vice chairman, Carl Williams, secretary and Leon Sterling of the Upper Colorado Soil and Water Conservation Districts Board of Directors, and Erwin A. Pavlik, district conservationist for the Snyder Field Office, Soil Conservation Service, attended from Borden and Scurry Counties.

Participating on the program were J.M. Sterling, West Texas Association vice chairman; Kenneth Kuykendall, Cherokee, vice president, Association of Texas Soil and Water Conservation Districts; Joe Antilley, member Texas State Soil and Water Conservation Board, State Senator Grant Jones, Bob Gallagher, executive director, West Central Texas Council of Government, and Barney Jefferson, Area II Field Representative, Texas Soil and Water Conservation Board.

Jones, who was introduced by State Board member Joe Antilley of Abilene, spoke on effective representation in the legislature. He told the group that most people could care less about getting involved in political activities. In his address to the directors. present he urged them to point out how proposed legislation will effect the people served by the respective representative or senator.

Bob Gallagher, Executive Director, WCTCOG discussed the purpose of Council of Governments with the Directors. He told the directors that Soil and Water Conservation Districts have a very important role in seeking solutions to problems in the Council of Government area.

Antilley and Kuykendall reviewed State Board and State Association Activities. The meeting was hosted by the Middle Clear Fork Soil and Water Conservation District.

The June meeting will be hosted by the Concho Soil and Water Conservation District at Angelo State University on June 28.

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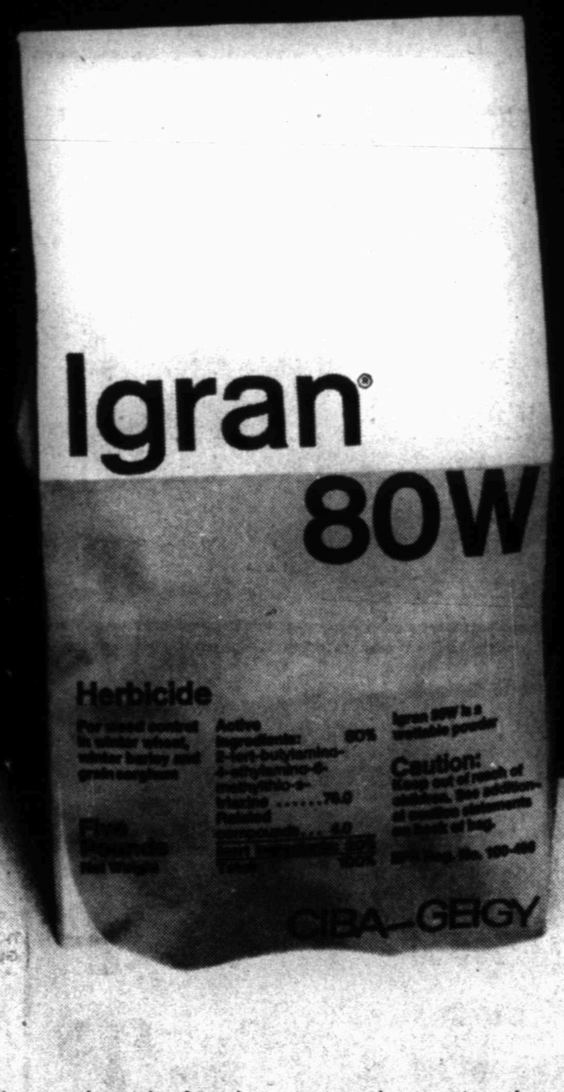

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