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Primary elections...

Voting locations open at 7 a.m. Tuesday

Scurry County residents are encouraged to vote Tuesday in either the Democratic or Republican Primary election.

Polls will open at 7 a.m. and close at 7 p.m.

Of interest are a number of contested races at the county, state and federal level.

There are 11 boxes located throughout the county for those planning on voting in the Democratic Primary. Voters should check their voter registration certificates if they are unsure of where to vote. A number from 5 through 15 on the certificate will correspond with voting boxes.

All citizens planning to vote in the Republican Primary should do so at City Hall.

According to the county clerk's office, 1,144 ballots were cast in the early voting period which ended Friday, including 699 Democratic and 445 Republican.

Among the local races of interest is Republican candidate for county judge, where incumbent Bob Doolittle is being challenged by Ricky Fritz. Bobby Goodwin, a former county judge seeking to regain the post, is unopposed on the Democratic ticket.

The judge's seat is the only locally contested race in the Republican Primary; however, there are several in the Democratic Primary. They include the Precinct 4 commissioner's race, where incumbent Jerry Gannaway is being challenged by Forrest Wemken. The winner will face Republican candidate Charles Henderson in November.

In the race for county treasurer, incumbent Charlie Bell is challenged in the Democratic Primary by Beverly Glasscock. Janet Merritt is unopposed in the Republican Primary.

For Precinct 1 justice of the peace, incumbent Wanda Rushing is opposed by Charlie Reynolds in the Democratic Primary. There is no Republican candidate.

No other local candidates are opposed in the primaries, although some will be in November.

On a statewide level, Ann Richards is seeking a second term as governor. She is challenged in the Democratic Primary by Gary Espinosa.

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Democratic Primary Voting Boxes

—Box 5, Fluvanna, at Fluvanna Community Center.
—Box 6, Union, at Union Community Center.
—Box 7, Northwest and west Snyder, at Scurry County Library.
—Box 8, West central Snyder, at the SISD administration building.
—Box 9, Ira, at the Ira Community Center.
—Box 10, Southwest Snyder, at Towle Park Barn.
—Box 11, Dunn, at Dunn Community Center.
—Box 12, Central and southeast Snyder, at the south side of coliseum.
—Box 13, Hermleigh, at Hermleigh Community Center.
—Box 14, Loyd Mountain, at Northeast Community Center.
—Box 15, North and northeast Snyder, at the north side of coliseum.

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Ask Us

Q—Has Snyder ISD approved the calender for 1994-95? If so, what are the dates for the Christmas holidays?

A—The 1994-95 calender will be on Tuesday's 7 p.m. school board agenda for approval. Tentatively, the dates are Dec. 19-30.

Local

WTC boosters

WTC Booster Club's meeting scheduled for today has been postponed until March 21.

Post 8231

VFW Post 8231 and the Ladies Auxiliary will meet at 7 this evening at the post home. All members are welcome. A board meeting will follow.

Band boosters

A meeting of the Snyder High School band boosters will be held at 7 tonight in the band hall.

HISD board

Teacher contracts and adoption of the 1994-95 school calendar are on the agenda for Hermleigh ISD trustees, who meet at 7:30 p.m. Tuesday.

TAP

Targeting All Parents schedule for the week is:

Today: 7 p.m., Building Self Esteem Within the Family, chamber of commerce conference room.

Tuesday: 7 p.m., Communicating Within the Family, First Baptist Church Multi-Purpose Center.

Wednesday: 1 p.m., Building Self Esteem Within the Family (Spanish session), Our Lady of Guadalupe Church; 7 p.m., Understanding Your Role as a Parent, Snyder Savings & Loan conference room.

Weather

Snyder Area Forecast: Tonight, cloudy and colder with a 40 percent chance of showers or thunderstorms. Low in the upper 30s. Northeast wind 10-20 mph and gusty. Tuesday, colder with a 50 percent chance of rain. High in the upper 40s. North wind 20-30 mph and gusty. Caution advised on area lakes.

Snyder Temperatures: High Saturday, 84 degrees; low, 40 degrees; high Sunday, 86 degrees; low, 44 degrees; reading at 7 a.m. Monday, 52 degrees; no precipitation; total precipitation for 1994 to date, 1 inch.

Almanac: Sunset today, 6:46. Sunrise Tuesday, 7:02. Of 65 days in 1994, the sun has shone 60 days in Snyder.



KIDS-R-US — Odds are highly unlikely a goat will give birth to a whole herd of kids but that's what Bob and Carolyn Barbee's nanny goat did. Two-year-old Brandon Lunsford, helps his grandparents care for the week-old kids. (SDN Staff Photo)

Bingo placed on May ballot

A local-option election for approval of bingo in Justice Precinct 1 is set for May 7 following action this morning by Scurry County Commissioners Court.

In a related item, the court accepted the recommendation of County Clerk Frances Billingley to consolidate voting boxes into a single box for the special election.

Billingsley said the consolidation will save the county considerable money. Voting will be held from 7 a.m. to 7 p.m. in the basement of the courthouse.

Early voting, which begins April 18, will be conducted in the county clerk's office on the third floor of the courthouse.

Commissioners called the election after being presented verified signatures of registered voters on petitions at last week's court meeting. The petitions were circulated earlier this year by the Snyder Veterans' of Foreign Wars post.

In other business, the court formally terminated the contract for grounds maintenance at Scurry County Coliseum, another cost-saving measure. Commissioners plan a cooperative effort with the Price Daniel Unit with the use of inmate labor.

The court also agreed to advertise for bids for a sectional-type boiler for the coliseum. Last week, the court opened bids for a tube-type boiler but became concerned because of the minerals in local water.

Coliseum Manager Jay Wesson said the building and grounds committee of the coliseum advisory board recommended rebidding and putting a sectional-type boiler in the specifications. Bid specifications will be available starting March 14 in the county judge's office. Bids will be received through March 25 and will be opened and considered at the court's March 28 meeting.

The court also was introduced to Doug Hutchinson, the new director of economic development, who told the court about efforts over the next two months to become familar with the entire community. Hutchinson, an employee of the Development Corporation of Snyder, will have his office in space donated by American State Bank.

County Judge Bob Doolittle presided at the meeting and commissioners present included Jerry Gannaway, Roy Idom and C.D. Gray Jr. Absent was Ralph Trevey.

TAAS tests to be given over 3 days

Snyder students will begin taking the Texas Assessment of Academic Skills (TAAS) test this week. Testing will be held Tuesday through Thursday.

Tests are scheduled as follows:

—Tuesday, TAAS writing for grades 4, 8 and Exit-level;

—Wednesday, Exit-level TAAS reading and TEAMS English language arts;

—Thursday, Exit-level TAAS and TEAMS mathematics.

Scurry County Coliseum will be the testing site for sophomores and out-of-school examinees. Junior, senior and English limited proficiency students will be tested in the high school library.

Examinees must be present and on time. No make-up sessions will be allowed.

Out-of-school examinees should be at the coliseum by 8:30 a.m. with an admission letter and a picture identification. Only registered TAAS out-of-school and TEAMS examinees who have picture identification will be admitted. Student identification will be verified at the test site.

School officials can be held liable for abuse, court rules

AUSTIN (AP) — Texas school officials can be held liable if teachers molest students and administrators know of or strongly suspect the abuse but do nothing to stop it, a federal appeals court has ruled.

The 5th U.S. Circuit Court of Appeals in New Orleans made its ruling in a case involving a 15-year-old girl at Taylor High School who was allegedly having a sexual relationship with a biology teacher in 1987.

The court, in a split decision, determined that the U.S. Constitution protects public school students from sexual abuse by teachers and other school employees.

"If the Constitution protects a school child against being tied to a chair or against arbitrary paddlings, then surely the Constitution protects a school child from physical sexual abuse," the court said in a 50-page ruling released last week.

Vella Fink, an attorney for the former student — who is now 22 and referred to as "Jane Doe" in the case — said the finding puts school officials on notice that they "cannot ignore the warning signs" of abuse.

Julian Shaddix, executive director of the Texas Association of Secondary School Principals, said the decision by the 5th Circuit will have "serious implications" for administrators.

"It's difficult to believe a principal anywhere showing indifference to those kinds of accusations," Shaddix said. "Certainly all of us — a teacher, principal, superintendent or school board — ought to be held responsible."

"But too often, false accusations are made," he added. "Principals are not afraid to be held accountable, but they are afraid of having to make almost Godlike decisions based on information that might not be accurate."

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Blood drive planned at Armory Guard here

Scurry County Advisory for United Blood Services and Cogdell Memorial Auxiliary are sponsoring a blood drive Tuesday.

The drive will be held from 10 a.m. until 7 p.m. at the National Guard Armory.

"This is a very special drive for two reasons," said UBS spokesperson Rachael Givens. "First, this drive has been deemed in honor of Macy Bilano, a nine-month-old Snyder baby who has received several blood transfusions during the course of extensive medical treatment in Lubbock.

"Second, this drive is of special importance due to an ongoing blood shortage both locally and across the nation. The severely cold weather in the east, the earthquake in California and the flu epidemic in our region have all contributed to the shortage. Many regular donors have been unable to donate because of these events."

Each blood drive participant will receive coupons for a DQ Sundae from Dairy Queen, malt or milk shake from Sonic Drive-In, medium drink with the purchase of any dessert from Whataburger, small soft drink and order of Potatoes Ole' from Taco John's, food from McDonald's, a dollar off at Golden Corral, half-off on video rentals at Depot Video, a medium drink with any food purchase from Wal-Mart; and a medium drink with any meal purchase at Long John Silver's Seafood Shoppe.

Every fifth donor will receive a 6-pack of cola and every other donor will receive a coupon for a regular order of Gill's Fried Chicken.

Seven $5 gift certificates from both Jaramillo's Restaurant and Spanish Inn will be distributed by random drawings. A Sunday buffet for two from Willow Park Inn will be awarded by a number drawing from a list of all donors.

Cookies will be furnished by Lawrence IGA and orange juice furnished by Cogdell Hospital Auxiliary.

Scurry County Senior Center VIVA volunteers have been making reminder phone calls.



FAREWELL RECEPTION — A farewell reception for former Cogdell Memorial Hospital CEO Tim Lancaster was held Sunday afternoon in the hospital board room, sponsored by the auxiliary. He has accepted a position with Hendrick Medical Center in Abilene. From left are auxiliary president Carol Davis; Lancaster; and his wife, Regina. (SDN Staff Photo)

Ex-member of prison board trying to lure jail to Waco

WACO (AP) — A private jail company headed by a former state corrections official says he hopes to bring to Waco a state jail that could accommodate up to 2,000 inmates.

Charles Terrell, who was on the Texas Board of Criminal Justice from 1987 to 1990, says he knows what the members look for in an applicant and believes he has the perfect bid.

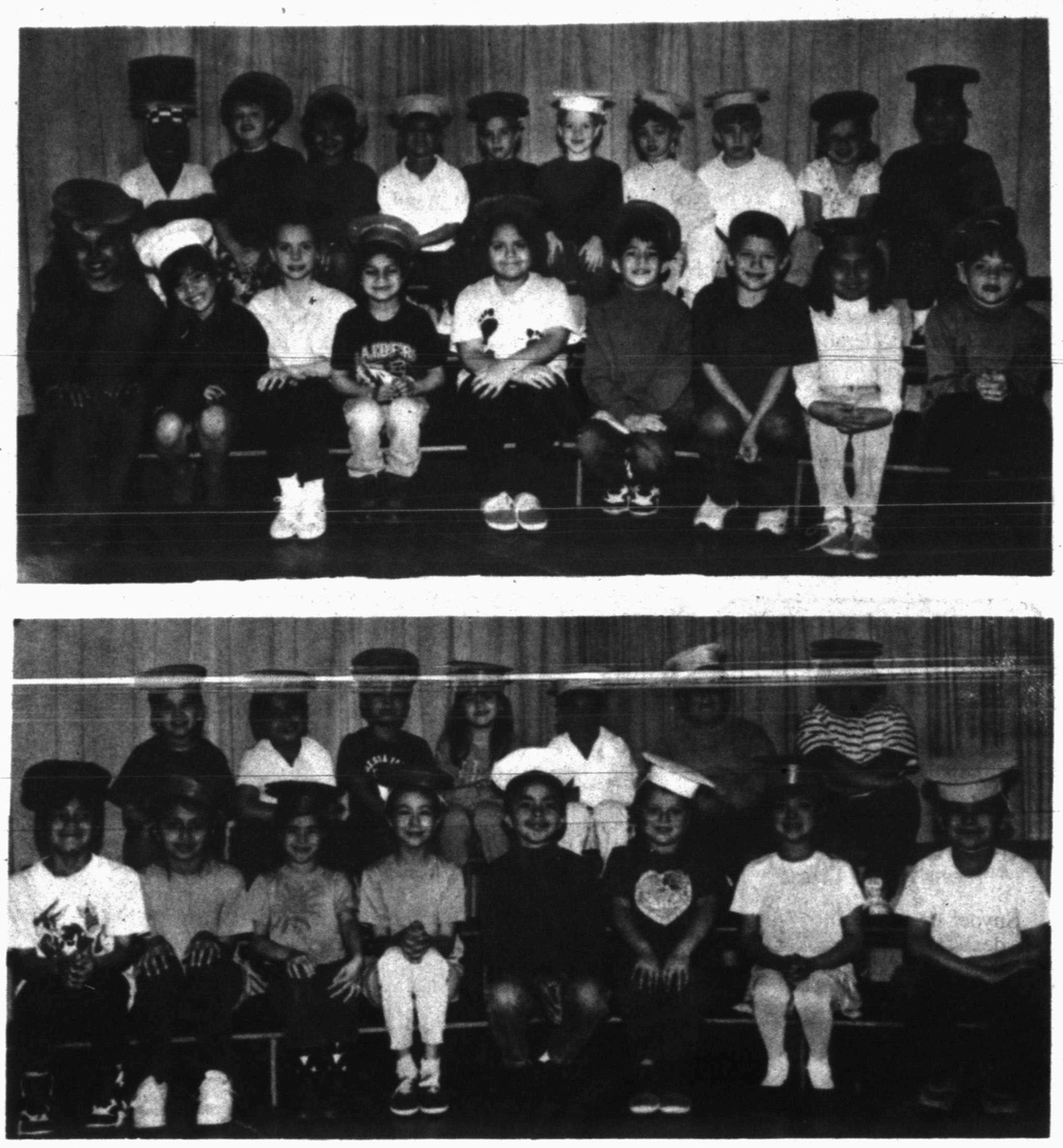
"I know what I'm talking about," said Terrell, 55, of Dallas.

The board guides the administration and operation of the Texas Department of Criminal Justice in the areas of policy, planning and budgets.

Terrell is now the chairman of Corrections Solutions Inc. — a company owned primarily by minorities. He said the company is ready to spend $37 million converting an old General Tire plant into a jail for minor offenders.

If CSI gets the contract, it plans to buy and renovate the plant so it can house between 1,500 and 2,000 non-violent criminals.

The minority ownership is key because the state has a minority procurement policy. Also, renovation should ease jail crowding quicker than new construction.



"CAPS FOR SALE" — Elizabeth Jenkins' and Elvira Gonzales' second graders at Stanfield Elementary presented a program, "Caps for Sale," for classmates and parents recently. In the top photo from left are, front row, Lucy Araralles, Anna Capetillo, Kathie Chandler, Ruben Flores, Andrienne Garcia, Matthew Garza, David Gomez, Rosana Gonzales, Gretchen Hollis; top row, Demetris Horn, Leslie Kennedy, Feather Lujan, Misty Merket, Macario Martinez, Dustin Orsak, Bradley Price, Destiney Proctor, Dusty Wilson, Sharon Grove and Hermina Gonzales. In the bottom photo are, front row, Joe Luis Alvarado, Aleida Arellano, Yvette Cerda, Sonia De La Cruz, Manuel De Paz, Maria Estrada, Veronica Estrada, Daniel Gutierrez; back row, Debbie Guzman, Fernando Ornelas, Jose Perez, Angelica Puente, Cesar Rodriquez, Pedro Perez and Yuriana Valenzuela. (SDN Staff Photo)

Astrograph

By Bernice Bede Osol

Your Birthday

Monday, March 7, 1994

You could be luckier than usual in the year ahead where old, established relationships are concerned. In fact, four associations might figure very prominently in your affairs.

PISCES (Feb. 20-March 20) Strive to be open-minded and flexible today, because you might be required to make some unexpected changes. They should prove to be more beneficial than your current mode of operation. Major changes are ahead for Pisces in the coming year. Send for your Astro-Graph predictions today. Mail $1.25 and a long, self-addressed, stamped envelope to Astro-Graph, c/o this newspaper, P.O. Box 4465, New York, N.Y. 10163 Be sure to state your zodiac sign.

ARIES (March 21-April 19) Making the most of today's developments could help you stabilize your position where your career is concerned. It may not be a permanent fix, but it might serve present needs.

TAURUS (April 20-May 20) If you're presently involved with others in an important endeavor, be sure to keep them posted today regarding your intentions and your actions.

GEMINI (May 21-June 20) Instead of coming to you directly, your best opportunities today might be granted through intermediaries. Be prepared to expand upon their offerings.

CANCER (June 21-July 22) Your mate's ideas and your ideas might not be that far apart today, so before acting on your own, check to see what your spouse has in mind. It may be better.

LEO (July 23-Aug. 22) If you only look out for your own interests today, it might put limitations on your benefits. However, if you think of others as well as yourself, greater rewards are a possibility.

VIRGO (Aug. 23-Sept. 22) The secret to your success today is to be a doer rather than a contemplator. Things you think are tough could turn out to be paper dragons when fearlessly faced.

LIBRA (Sept. 23-Oct. 23) Several interrelated, important situations can be satisfactorily finalized today if you go about them in an orderly fashion. Don't attempt to do things in fits and starts.

SCORPIO (Oct. 24-Nov. 22) Utilize your inquisitive faculties to add to your storehouse of knowledge today. You will understand things more readily, and facts that previously confused you may now be crystal clear.

SAGITTARIUS (Nov. 23-Dec. 21) Try not to be unrealistically concerned about your financial affairs today, because all should work out constructively for you in the long run. Don't let fear cause you to make bad decisions.

CAPRICORN (Dec. 22-Jan. 19) A close friend with a good track record might be the purveyor of some valuable information today. Have him/her repeat it until you fully understand it.

AQUARIUS (Jan. 20-Feb. 19) Even though you might be anxious to resume personal control over an endeavor today, it may prove wise not to make changes with something that is running smoothly.

Your Birthday

Tuesday, March 8, 1994

A number of joint endeavors are indicated for the year ahead with more being for social purposes than for commercial ones. You'll find constructive collaborators in both venue.

PISCES (Feb. 20-March 20) You're likely to feel a rather strong need for social companions today, provided you can function more as an observer than as a participant. Know where to look for romance and you'll find it. The Astro-Graph Matchmaker instantly reveals which signs are romantically perfect for you. Mail $2 and a long, self-addressed, stamped envelope to Matchmaker, c/o this newspaper, P.O. Box 4465, New York, N.Y. 10163.

ARIES (March 21-April 19) A circumstance might unfold today that could make it possible for you to draw closer as a friend to one who is now merely an acquaintance. Capitalize on this opening.

TAURUS (April 20-May 20) You might be luckier today if you focused your efforts on objectives of a mental nature, rather than those which are physical or material.

GEMINI (May 21-June 20) Utilize your imagination and don't bank too heavily on the ideas of others today. It's what you think that is of the greatest significance, not what associates are contemplating.

CANCER (June 21-July 22) In joint ventures today try to limit your investment to your talents and expertise, not your financial resources. Your concepts could have more value than cash.

LEO (July 23-Aug. 22) To gain the support of associates today, you must be able to view things from their perspective. In order to appreciate their points of view, put yourself in their shoes.

VIRGO (Aug. 23-Sept. 22) If you waste your time in a foolish manner today, it could generate guilt and lessen your feelings of self-worth. If you want to like yourself, be industrious and productive.

LIBRA (Sept. 23-Oct. 23) Social diversions could do you a world of good today, so don't look upon them as frivolous endeavors. Relaxing now charges your batteries for latter.

SCORPIO (Oct. 24-Nov. 22) Temporarily shelve your other interests today in order to focus on critical, domestic priorities. Begin with the ones that require immediate attention.

SAGITTARIUS (Nov. 23-Dec. 21) Today you should be able to absorb and retain knowledge more readily than usual today. If there is something new you've been wanting to learn, devote time to it now.

CAPRICORN (Dec. 22-Jan. 19) Any ideas you get today pertaining to ways that could make or save you money should be given serious consideration. If you can't use them now, try to use them later.

AQUARIUS (Jan. 20-Feb. 19) Avoid entanglements today that could impede your ability to operate in an independent manner. You might not function very well in situations where you're given constant directives.

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Rock 'n' roll still number 1, but country music is gaining

NASHVILLE, Tenn. (AP) — Rock 'n' roll continues as the most-sold form of music in the United States, with country a surging second.

Rock 'n' roll accounted for about 33 percent of all records sold in this country in 1993, according to the Recording Industry Association of America.

Country was next at about 18 percent of the $10 billion industry, the Washington-based association said in releasing its annual figures.

Pop music was third at just under 12 percent.

Urban contemporary, rap, classical, jazz, gospel, soundtracks and children's music all had less than 10 percent of the market.

In 1993, rock lost 0.6 percent of the marketplace and country rose 1.0 percent.

Since 1989, rock has dipped from 43 percent of the retail market to 33 percent while country has risen from 7 percent to 18 percent.

"There's been a shift in our mosaic," said Jay Berman, president of the RIAA.

The biggest selling album during 1993 was "Soundtrack:The Bodyguard," which has sold 10 million. It includes songs by Whitney Houston and various artists.

Janet Jackson's "janet," at 5 million, was second.

Kenny G's "Breathless" is at 6 million, but some of those sales go back to 1992.

"In Pieces" by Garth Brooks, at 3 million, was the biggest selling country album last year.

"Country music itself has a much broader and wider appeal," Berman said. "And I think the artists are also a new breed.

"You have a much wider potential consumer base with country. There is more touring in cities than the ones you would describe as a country market. As a result, the record labels have marketed these performers to a much wider audience."

He also said record buyers are getting a little older and therefore country is gaining popularity because older people enjoy country more than rock.

By RIAA standards, rock includes hard rock, soft rock, alternative, new wave, punk, heavy metal and pop rock.

Country includes bluegrass, country rock, country western and western.

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Mitchell County

Threshold Development Co. will drill the No. 6 L.A. Strain in the Sharon Ridge field, 10 miles northwest of Colorado City. Planned for a depth of 1,700 feet, location is in Section 3, Block 27, T&P survey.

Threshold Development will drill the No. 7 L.A. Strain in the Sharon Ridge field, 10 miles northwest of Colorado City. Also contracted for 1,700 feet, location is in Section 3, Block 27, T&P survey.

Kent County

Sharp Image Energy Inc. will drill the No. 3-B Spur in the Sharp Spur field, 28 miles northwest of Jayton. Planned for a depth of 6,700 feet, drill site is in Section 13, Block B, PSL survey.

Sharp Image Energy Inc. will drill the No. 4-B Spur in the Sharp Spur field, 28 miles northwest of Jayton. Planned depth is 6,700 feet, and location is in Section 13, Block B, PSL survey.

Garza County

Dallas Production Co. will drill the No. 1-G Beggs Ranch in the Beggs field, 19 miles east of Post. Planned depth is 8,300 feet, and location is in Section 58, Block 7, H&GN survey.

Fisher County

R.E. Foree Trust A will plug and abandon the No. 2-A Jonisue in the Bowden field, six miles southwest of Roby. Drilled to a depth of 5,175 feet, location is in Section 193, Block 3, H&TC survey.

R.E. Foree Trust A will plug and abandon the No. 4-A Jonisue in the Bowden field, six miles southwest of Roby. Total depth was 5,200 feet, and location was in Section 193, Block 3, H&TC survey.

Conoco Inc. will drill the No. 51 Palo Pinto unit in the Round Top field, 10 miles west of Hamlin. Planned for a depth 5,600 feet, location is in Section 80, H&TC survey.

Community Calendar

MONDAY

Tumbleweed Toastmasters meeting; American State Bank conference room; 6 p.m.

Canyon Reef 4-H Club; Senior Citizens Center; 7 p.m.

Scurry County Alcoholics Anonymous; Park Club in Winston Park; 8 p.m. For more information, call 863-2348, 573-8626, 573-1141 or 863-2349.

Overeaters Anonymous; board room of Cogdell Memorial Hospital; 7:30 p.m.; call 573-8322 for more information.

TUESDAY

Plainview Family & Community Education Club; 2 p.m.

Weight Watchers; Trinity United Methodist Church; 5:30 p.m.

TOPS TX56; 5:30 p.m. weigh-in and meeting from 5:30-6:30 p.m.; 2501 35th. For information, call Jean Yearwood at 573-9444.

Beta Sigma Phi; Snyder Country Club; 7 p.m.

Snyder Shrine Club, call 863-2702 for meeting place; 7 p.m.

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

Canyon Gun Club; 1910 25th Street; 7:30 p.m.

New Horizon Alcoholics Anonymous (closed); Park Club in Winston Park; 8 p.m. For more information, call 573-1141, 573-5867.

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

WEDNESDAY

Snyder Christian Women's Club's "Easter Parade" Luncheon; MAWC; style show by Bib & Tucker; Denise Messick of Rotan, music; Stephanie Reed of Lubbock, wife of former NFL quarterback and mother of four, speaker; lunch, $5.50 or beverage only is $1; free nursery with reservations, reservations taken at 573-1454 or 573-3440.

Altrurian Daughters Study Club; MAWC; 2 p.m.

Narcotics Anonymous; Park Club in Winston Park; 8 p.m. For more information, call 573-3961.

THURSDAY

Snyder Palette Club; W. 37th Street; Priscilla Marsh of Plainview, oil demonstration; Joy McGlaun, hostess; 9 a.m. to 4 p.m.

Ministerial Alliance; Willow Park Inn; 9:30 prayer meeting; 10 a.m. meeting

Noah Project Advisory Committee; MAWC; noon.

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

Scurry Lodge 706; AF and AM degree classes; 7 p.m.

New Horizons Alcoholics Anonymous (closed); in Winston Park; 8 p.m. For information, call 573-3308 or 573-1141.

FRIDAY

Free blood pressure clinics; Senior Citizens Center, 9:45-11:45 a.m.; Cogdell Memorial Hospital emergency waiting room; 1-2:30 p.m.

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

Cornelius-Dodson House; open by appointment; 573-9742 or 573-2763.

Lubbock church renovation project set

LUBBOCK (AP) — Memories cling like mystic cobwebs inside the old St. Paul's on the Plains Episcopal Church.

It was here that Lubbock pioneers gathered in 1914 to share their faith, marry their sweethearts, baptize their children, mourn their dead.

The gothic windows are gone, along with the altar, electric organ and shiny brass kneelers.

A visitor today finds a mess of peeling paint, protruding nails and tattered wallpaper. Dust dances in a sunbeam that lets itself in through splintered shingles.

"You have to use your imagination," conceded Tom Whiteside, brushing his foot over a whiskey bottle.

Whiteside and other history buffs know what they're up against trying to salvage the oldest public building still standing in Lubbock.

But their $109,000 restoration project got a big boost from the City Council earlier this year when council members agreed to grant St. Paul's a proper home.

Currently, the little clapboard building — sandwiched between Amigos Auto Service and a voice mail company — stands just a few yards off busy Avenue Q. Vandals and natural deterioration have taken a toll after 80 years.

So the city agreed to keep up the maintenance if the Lubbock Heritage Society renovates the church and moves it to a public park.

"I think it's wonderful," said Blanche Todd, who remembers Sunday school classes under the high rafters and Celtic cross. "It has hurt me all these years to see it deteriorating."

The building hasn't been used as a church since 1941, when its expanding congregation moved. Its new owner stripped most of the identifiable church symbols and created three apartments.

When the owner died in 1987, his family gave the building to the heritage society.

Volunteers have worked since then to return St. Paul's to the way it looked in 1914.

"It embodies the straight and simple lifestyles of the time ... durable and rugged and hardfast," said architect Mary Crites, who calls the church part of Lubbock's identity.

"If you took a town or city that had no evolution of its buildings — everything plopped down from, say, 1985 — you would have a community that's nameless, not unique," she said.

Researchers give credit for St. Paul's founding to Sally McKee Coleman, a devout Episcopalian who reportedly barred cowboys from her boarding house until they removed their guns and combed their hair.

The 20-by-30 church was ornamented with buttresses on the outside corners and colored paper pasted to the windows for a stained-glass effect. Its members — mostly ranching families and students at Texas Technological College — extended the building at least twice.

Now its future again holds weddings and other functions for people who make reservations at the park.

DATE BOOK

March 7, 1994

Today is the 66th day of 1994 and the 77th day of winter.

TODAY'S HISTORY: On this day in 1917, the first jazz record was recorded, by the Original Dixieland Jazz Band.

TODAY'S BIRTHDAYS: Luther Burbank (1849-1926), botanist; Maurice Ravel (1875-1937), composer; Anna Magnani (1908-1973), actress; Janet Guthrie (1938-), auto racer, is 56; Daniel Travanti (1940-), actor, is 54; Franco Harris (1950-), football great, is 44; Joe Carter (1960-), baseball player, is 34; Ivan Lendl (1960-), tennis player, is 34.

TODAY'S SPORTS: On this day in 1930, Georgetown High School of Chicago defeated Homer, 1-0, in the lowest-scoring organized basketball game ever.

TODAY'S QUOTE: "You drive the car, you don't carry it." — Janet Guthrie, when asked about the importance of strength in her sport

TODAY'S WEATHER: On this day in 1717, eastern New England's "Great Snow" (which began Feb. 27) ended, after leaving depths of up to 4 feet in the Boston area and drifts of 25 feet at Dorchester, Mass.

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TODAY'S MOON: Between last quarter (March 4) and new moon (March 12).

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Dr. Gott by Peter Gott, M.D.

Is hepatitis B passed to offspring?

By Peter H. Gott, M.D.

DEAR DR. GOTT: I've seen many articles on hepatitis B but still have unanswered questions. Once you have it, are you automatically a carrier? Once cured, can it be passed on to an offspring? Are periodic checks to avoid recurrence necessary? And, finally, are immunization shots of any value after you have had it?

DEAR READER: Hepatitis B is a type of viral liver infection, usually transmitted by contaminated blood transfusions or by any means, including puncture wounds and sexual activity, that introduce the virus into the recipient's bloodstream.

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Hepatitis B is a worldwide health problem because more than 10 percent of populations — especially in the Far East — carry the virus, and transmit it to their children.

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Periodic blood tests (to avoid recurrence) are not necessary, because most patients are immune for life.

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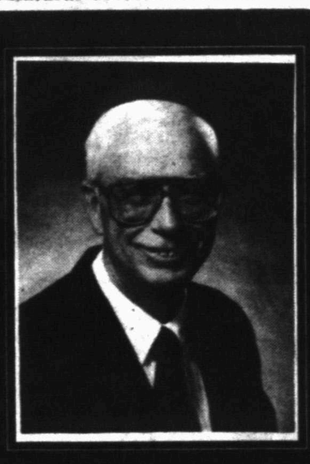
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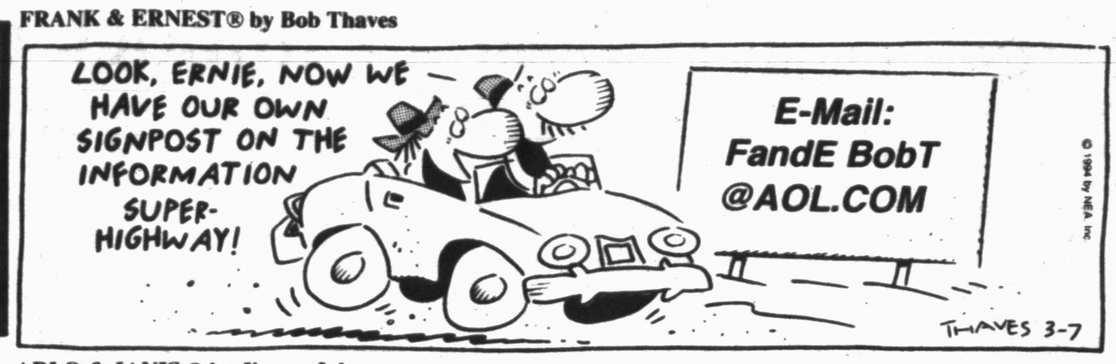
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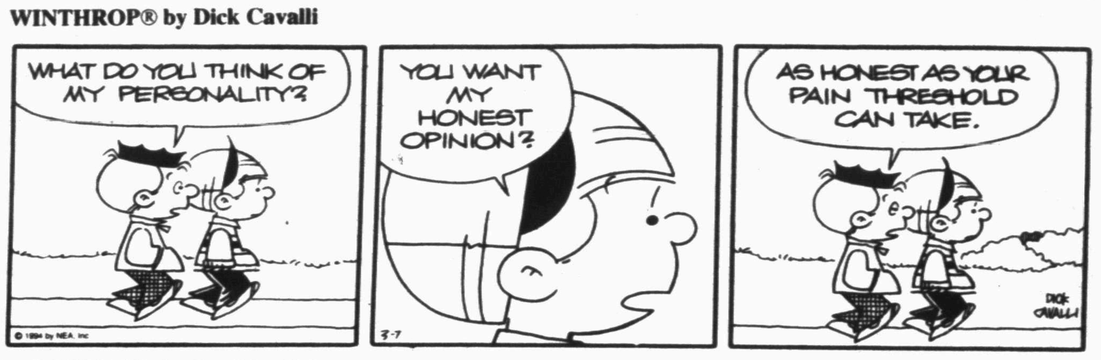
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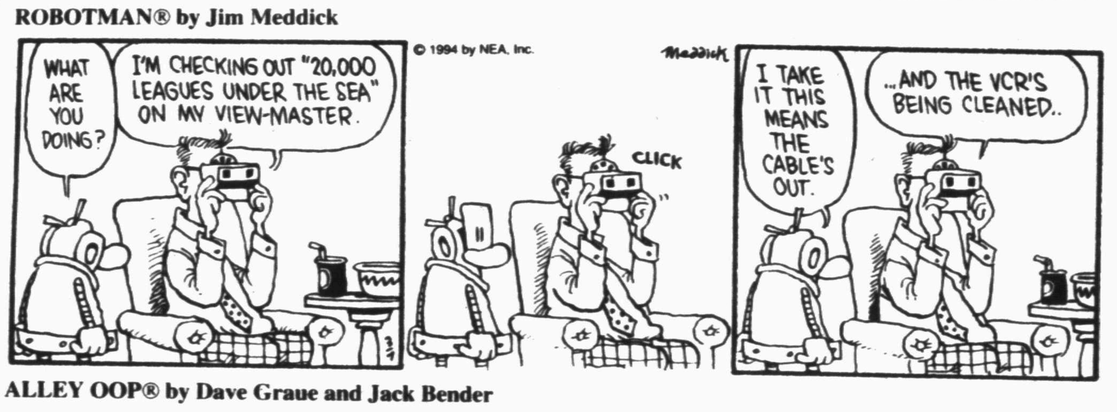
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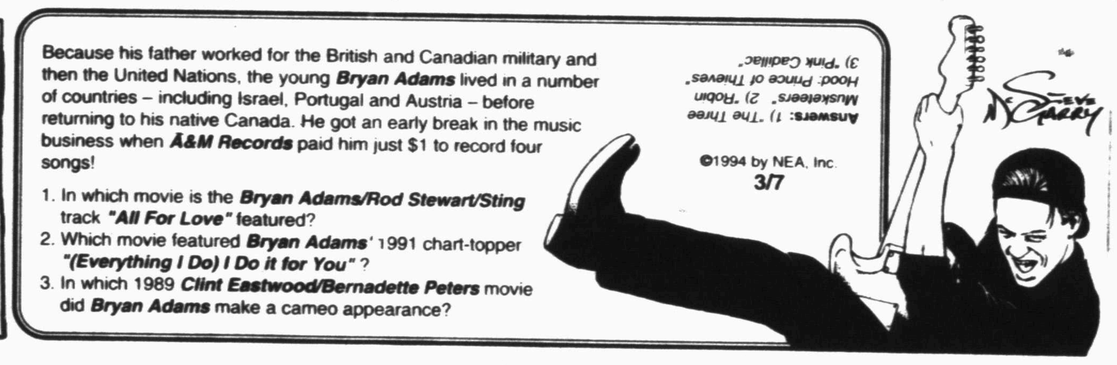
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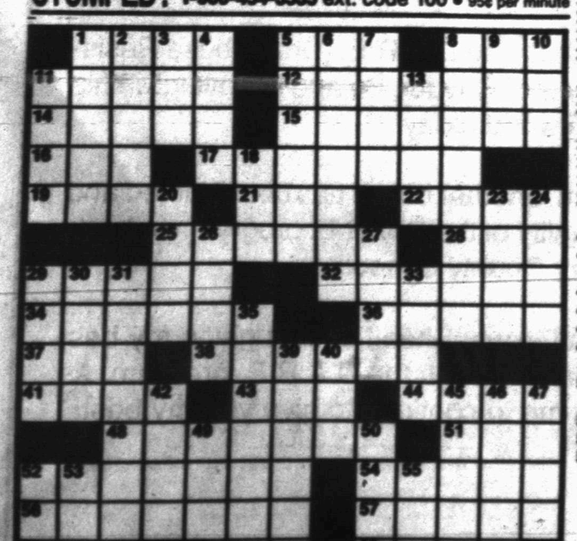
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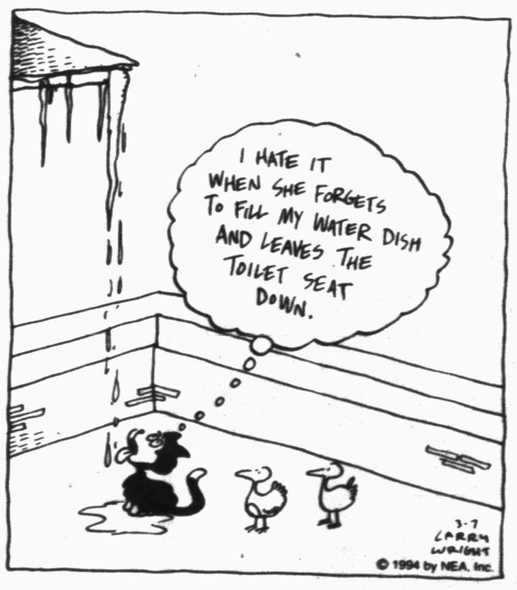
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Tigers top G'wood in tourney contest

BIG SPRING — The Snyder Tigers evened their season record at 4-4 while racking up three wins and a second-place finish at the weekend Big Spring Varsity Baseball Tournament.

The Tigers' Saturday results included a 7-1 shellacking of Greenwood and a 9-1 loss to host Big Spring, the eventual tourney champ.

"We really played well," said SHS coach Albert Lewis. "We've been hitting the ball pretty well all along, but our defense is really improving. We had only one error in all four games at Big Spring."

Curt Rinehart was the winning pitcher in the victory over Greenwood. Rinehart fanned 10 and walked only one, limiting the Rangers to five hits in a 7-inning complete-game appearance.

"That was one of Curt's better days," Lewis said. "He's going to really be a lift to our pitching staff if he keeps going like this."

Top offensive producers in the Greenwood game included Chris Mitchell, who went 2-for-3 with a pair of RBI and a stolen base, and Reagan Key, who had three hits in four plate appearances, driving in three runs.

The Tigers were able to push in one run against the defending 3-4A champion Steers in a game started Friday and concluded Saturday.

Big Spring pitchers Freddy Martinez and Mike Oliva limited SHS to just three hits while combining for 11 Ks.

The Steers hammered out 12 hits, seven for extra bases, including homers by Todd Parrish and Bustamente.

"Big Spring is just awesome," said Lewis. "I wouldn't be surprised to see them in the state tournament this summer."

Snyder's Reagan Key was the loser versus Big Spring, giving up six hits, six runs and a walk, while fanning eight in four innings. Lee Idom pitched the final three frames, ringing up a pair of strikeouts and two walks.

Snyder's scheduled Tuesday meeting with Sweetwater was cancelled due to TAAS testing. The Tigers' next slated outing will be Tuesday, March 15 when Big Spring visits.

The annual Snyder Baseball Tournament is planned for March 17-19.

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Key, Idom and Hart; Martinez, Oliva and Hamshor; WP: Martinez; LP: Key; HR: Big Spring — Bustamente, Parrish; 2B: Parrish, Martinez, Copeland, Hamblin (2); Record: Snyder 4-4.

Big Spring Varsity Baseball Tournament
5-team round-robin
Thursday's games
Big Spring 4, Big Spring JV 0
Sweetwater 6, Greenwood 3
Snyder 19, Big Spring JV 0
Big Spring 11, Greenwood 0
Friday's games
Snyder 4, Sweetwater 3
Big Spring JV 5, Sweetwater 5
Saturday's games
Greenwood 3, Big Spring JV 2
Big Spring 9, Sweetwater 6
Big Spring 9, Snyder 1 (continued from Friday)
Snyder 7, Greenwood 1

Cage pairings

AUSTIN (AP) — Pairings for the 1994 boys' state basketball tournament at Frank Erwin Center in Austin:

SEMIFINALS
Thursday, March 10
Class 1A
Laneville (33-3) vs. Nazareth (32-5), 8:30 a.m.
Anderson-Shiro (38-0) vs. Lipan (33-3), 10 a.m.
Class 3A
Ferris (29-3) vs. Sour Lake Hardin-Jefferson (29-7), 2 p.m.
Littlefield (32-4) vs. Sinton (30-7), 3:30 p.m.
Class 4A
Plainview (33-3) vs. Dallas Lincoln (14-21), 7 p.m.
Port Arthur Lincoln (30-3) vs. Austin Anderson (28-8), 8:30 p.m.
Friday, March 11
Class 2A
Krum (35-0) vs. Somerville (26-9), 9:30 a.m.
Shallowater (32-4) vs. Troup (32-5), 11 a.m.
Class 5A
Sugar Land Willowridge (36-1) vs. Midland (24-11), 3 p.m.
Plano East (32-4) vs. San Antonio East Central (30-4), 7 p.m.
FINALS
Saturday, March 12

Girls basketball

Girls state tournament
Frank Erwin Center, Austin
Semifinals
Thursday's games
Class A
Sudan 71, La Rue La Poyner 55
Jayton 50, Moulton 44
Class 3A
Waco La Vega 58, Brownsboro 57 (OT)
Dripping Springs 57, Canyon 53 (OT)
Class 4A
Waco Midway 61, Borger 47
Dallas Lincoln 59, Tomball 47
Friday's games
Class 2A
Hemphill 50, Bloomington 47
Tuscola Jim Ned 51, Rogers 40
Class 5A
Conroe 49, San Antonio East Central 46
Amarillo 58, Clear Creek 37
Saturday's games
Championships
Class A
Sudan 40, Jayton 36
Class 3A
Dripping Springs 64, Waco La Vega 56
Class 2A
Tuscola Jim Ned 31, Hemphill 29
Class 4A
Waco Midway 52, Dallas Lincoln 40
Class 5A
Amarillo 62, Conroe 46

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Snyder girls take first place at Andrews' Mustang Relays

ANDREWS — Snyder's Lady Tigers track squad, led by first-place finishes in the long jump, the shot put, the discus throw, the 400 and 800 meter relays, and the 800 meter run, dominated the field at Saturday's Mustang Relays, taking first place with 188 points.

"We kind of went through an eye-opener at our first meet," said SHS coach Patty Grimmett. "We worked hard all week and it paid off for us.

"Plus, the weather conditions were a lot better.

"We really came together as a team," Grimmett continued. "We worked hard to put everything together as one unit."

Snyder's boys' team, led by Jason Miller's second in the 110 hurdles and thirds in both the long jump and the 300 meter hurdles, finished in sixth place at the meet with 46 points.

The Snyder girls' improvement over last week's 10th-place finish at the ABC Tiger Relays at Frenship came mostly in the relays, where SHS snagged top honors in both the 400 meters and the 800 meters, then took third in the mile.

"We worked real hard on our hand-offs," Grimmett reported. "That's what hurt us last week at Frenship."

Edwina Brooks, Kelly Clay, Paige Gayle and Devon Reed combined for a first-place 52.65 in the sprint relay, over a second better than last week's time.

The 1:53.87 by Snyder's Brooks, Clay, Trish McGrew and Reed in the 800 meters was a 5-second improvement over last week's season-opening time.

A 12-second improvement was reflected in the 4:42 mile relay time posted by Raechele Wemken, Bianca Rocha, Maria Quiros and Jamie Prather.

Snyder also made a good showing in the girls' field events, sweeping the top three spots in the long jump.

Reed posted a 15-91/2 leap for first, followed by McGrew's 14-101/2 and a 14-7 by Brooks.

In addition, seniors Kristi McClure snagged the top two slots in the shot put. McClure heaved the shot a first-place 34-11, followed by Green's runner-up 34-1/2.

Green also took first in the discus throw with a personal-best 125-1.

In other field events, Brooks' 33-71/4 was good for second in the triple jump, trailed by teammates Reed, with a third-place 31-111/4, and Clay, who took fifth with a 30-83/4; and Jina Miller and Melissa Horn wound up in a second-place tie in the high jump, each topping the 4-8 mark.

Prather added a first-place 2:33.39 in the 800 meters. Wemken took third in the event with a 2:37.11 and Angela Rodriguez wound up sixth for SHS with a 2:40.42.

Keri Kemp flashed an 18.2 and Samantha Boyd registered an 18.98 for second and sixth in the 100-meter hurdles; Reed, Clay and Brooks finished third, fourth and fifth in the 100 meters with times of 13.31, 13.41 and 13.61; Paige Gayle wound up third in the 200 meters with a 29.00 clocking, while teammate McGrew's 29.15 was good for fifth; and Prather and Rodriguez took second and fourth in the 1600 meters with respective times of 5:54.8 and 6:08.6.

Snyder's closest competition at the meet was host Andrews, which finished with 112 points.

Jason Miller's 16:37 in the 110 hurdles and a 43.6 in the 300 hurdles led the SHS boys here Saturday.

Miller also added a third-place 19-93/4 effort in the long jump and a fifth-place, 40-53/4 leap in the triple jump.

Other SHS boys placing Saturday included Anthony Jones, who took third in the 200 meters with a 53.48 clocking, twin brother Terrell Jones, who wound up with a fourth-place 23.99 in the 200 meters, and the mile relay team of both Joneses, Josh Bell and Joe Bilano, who rang up a fourth-place 3:46.11.

In addition, shot putter Emiliano Chaidez took fourth with a 44-4 heave, and Jesus Esparza's 11:52.7 time was good for fifth in the 3200 meters.

Lamesa won the boys' team title here with 141 total points. Andrews accumultated 94 for second, trailed by Levelland's 90 and Sweetwater's 88.

The SHS track teams will host Saturday's annual Canyon Reef Relays at Tiger Stadium.

Field events and preliminaries are expected to begin at approximately 9 a.m.

Eighth at Andrews...

SHS golfers meet objective

ANDREWS — Coach Bob O'Day and the Snyder Tigers accomplished their objective at the weekend Andrews High School Golf Classic, to finish no lower than 10th in the tough 28-team event.

The Tigers, led by junior Bryan Word's 79-81--160, registered a 36-hole 658 to tie Monahans for eighth place at Andrews Country Club.

"I was real pleased with our finish here," O'Day said. "Our goal was to place in the top 10 and we met our goal."

El Paso Coronado carded a team-total 618 for first place, followed by El Paso Hanks' 625, Midland High with a 633 and Plainview's fourth-place 634.

Derrick Pursley of host AHS won the medalist race with his 146 tally on twin 73s. Hanks standout Jesse Sosa shot a 77-73--150 for second place.

Other Snyder scores include an 81-82--163 by senior Jeff Armstrong, sophomore Page Patterson's 166 on rounds of 85 and 81, an 83-87--170 from sophomore Carl Strelecki and sophomore Matt Parker's 89-86--175.

Snyder will wind up its non-district slate with a trip to the Friday and Saturday San Angelo Classic, then will begin defense of its District 2-4A title with a trip to Levelland March 14.

Andrews High School Golf Classic
Andrews Country Club
Final standings
Team scores: 1. El Paso Coronado 310-308--618; 2. El Paso Hanks 323-302--625; 3. Midland 323-310--633; 4. Plainview 308-326--634; 5. Midland Lee 323-314--637; 6. Andrews 323-317--640; 7. Big Spring 330-324--654; 8. (tie) Snyder 328-330--658; Monahans 326-332--658; 10. Pampa 334-328--662; 11. El Paso Montwood 324-339--663; 12. Lamesa 338-327--665; 13. Lubbock Coronado 336-330--666; 14. Lubbock High 343-333--676; 15. Andrews B 333-347--680; 16. Frenship 349-341--690.

Medalists: 1. Derrick Pursley, Andrews, 73-73--146; 2. Jesse Sosa, Hanks, 77-73--150.
Snyder scores: Bryan Word 79-81--160; Jeff Armstrong 81-82--163; Page Patterson 85-81--166; Carl Strelecki 83-87--170; Matt Parker 89-86--175.

Girls golf team registers 704

MIDLAND — Snyder's Lady Tigers posted a 36-hole 704 to finish third among some of the area's top 4A and 5A teams in the weekend Tall City Invitational golf tournament at Midland's Green Tree Country Club.

Led by third medalist Brooke Lowrance's 78-82--160, the Lady Tigers trailed just Midland Lee, which turned in a 674 tally, and San Angelo Central's 677 in the final standings.

Snyder was the top 4A team in the tournament, its closest competition coming from 10th-place Plainview, which posted a 36-hole 809.

Midland Lee's Kami Fuller shot a 159 to tie Kristin Knight of Odessa Permian for the top individual score. Lowrance, April DeVries of Abilene Cooper and Lee's Kim Fisher were all a shot behind the leaders.

Other Snyder scores include Kayla Drain's 88-83--171; Mandy Baker's 90-93--183; a 100-90--190 by Brooke Kubena; and a 192 on twin 96s by Kelli Lacik.

Tall City Invitational
Green Tree CC, Midland
Final results
Team scores: 1. Midland Lee 335-339--674; 2. San Angelo Central 344-333--677; 3. Snyder 352-352--704; 4. Abilene Cooper 366-358--724; 5. Midland High 387-376--763; 6. Odessa Permian 396-379--775; 7. Abilene 396-379--775; 8. Amarillo 399-389--788; 9. Tascosa 403-388--791; 10. Plainview 412-397--809; 11. Lamesa 418-391--809; 12. Abilene Cooper B 417-398--815; 13. Dumas 422-409--831; 14. Midland B 438-408--846; 15. Midland Lee B 445-417--862; 16. Odessa Permian B 447-462--909; 17. Monterey 448-464--912; 18. Coronado 468-447--915; 19. Sweetwater 495-460--955.

Medalists: 1. (tie) Kami Fuller, Midland Lee, 82-77--159; Kristin Knight, Odessa Permian, 85-74--159; 3. (tie) Brooke Lowrance, Snyder, 78-82--160; April DeVries, Abilee Cooper 80-80--160; Kim Fisher, Midland Lee, 80-80--160.

Snyder scores: Kayla Drain 88-83--171; Kelli Lacik 96-96--192; Mandy Baker 90-93--183; Brooke Kubena 100-90--190.

Robinson, Ellis lift Spurs past Orlando

SAN ANTONIO (AP) — San Antonio coach John Lucas is starting to push All-Star center David Robinson as NBA Most Valuable Player.

Even though Robinson leads the NBA in scoring, Lucas said all facets of his game should be considered, rather than single categories.

"Look at what he's done," Lucas said Sunday after Robinson scored a game-high 36 points to lead the Spurs to a 111-103 comeback victory over Orlando.

"He's the fastest center in the league and moves the best laterally. He is the best passer and one of the best shooters. He ranks low as far as power, but look at how he blocks shots. Considering everything, he has surpassed all of his Dream Team teammates this year."

Robinson contributed another strong all-around game, producing game-high totals of 13 rebounds, six blocked shots and three steals. He also had seven assists.

After missing much of the third quarter with foul trouble, Robinson boosted San Antonio from a 16-point deficit in the final 14 minutes of the game.

Robinson scored 12 points in the fourth quarter, outplaying Orlando center Shaquille O'Neal down the stretch in a matchup of the NBA's top two scorers.

"This was a big, big victory for us," Robinson said. "The intensity level was high. It was a television game, so it was big for both teams. There was almost a playoff feel to it."

As Robinson sank two free throws at the end of the game to ice the victory, many in the Alamodome crowd chanted "MVP."

"That was very gratifying to here that, to feel the people are behind you," Robinson said. "It's a great feeling to know you have that support at home."

"I think everybody realizes we have the real MVP in the league," Spurs forward Antoine Carr said. "He's not in Orlando. He's right here in San Antonio."

O'Neal, who celebrated his 22nd birthday Sunday, led Orlando with 32 points and 11 rebounds, but was limited to three points in the final quarter. San Antonio outscored Orlando 37-17 in the final quarter as the Magic shot 33 percent and committed five turnovers.

"We had them beat, but we made some mistakes at the end of the game that really cost us," O'Neal said.

NBA glance

By The Associated Press

	W	L	Pct.	GB
EASTERN CONFERENCE				
Atlantic Division				
New York	38	19	.667	—
Orlando	34	23	.596	4
Miami	32	25	.561	6
New Jersey	30	28	.517	8½
Boston	21	36	.368	17
Philadelphia	20	39	.339	19
Washington	18	40	.310	20½
Central Division				
Atlanta	41	16	.719	—
Chicago	37	21	.638	4½
Cleveland	35	24	.593	7
Indiana	30	26	.536	10½
Charlotte	23	33	.412	17½
Milwaukee	17	40	.298	24
Detroit	13	44	.228	28
WESTERN CONFERENCE				
Midwest Division				
Houston	40	15	.727	—
San Antonio	42	17	.712	—
Utah	41	19	.683	1½
Denver	29	28	.509	12
Minnesota	16	41	.281	25
Dallas	8	50	.138	33½
Pacific Division				
Seattle	42	14	.750	—
Phoenix	37	19	.661	5
Portland	36	22	.621	7
Golden State	34	23	.596	8½
L.A. Lakers	21	35	.375	21
L.A. Clippers	19	38	.333	23½
Sacramento	19	38	.333	23½

Saturday's Games
Washington 124, L.A. Lakers 118
Miami 120, Philadelphia 83
Atlanta 90, Indiana 88
Utah 103, Dallas 90
Houston 124, L.A. Clippers 107
Milwaukee 117, Detroit 108
Seattle 114, Sacramento 98
Golden State 129, Charlotte 112
Sunday's Games
Cleveland 99, Chicago 95
San Antonio 111, Orlando 103
New Jersey 126, Philadelphia 99
Denver 117, Minnesota 97
Utah 103, Phoenix 92
Seattle 102, Sacramento 85
Monday's Games
Boston at Miami, 7:30 p.m.
New York at Detroit, 7:30 p.m.
L.A. Lakers at Milwaukee, 8:30 p.m.
Golden State at Portland, 10:30 p.m.

Bonds homers in 7-4 SF win

by The Associated Press

Barry Bonds stood in the on-deck circle watching Colorado reliever John Burke doing a terrific impression of Ryne Duren.

For those who don't remember, Duren was a hard-throwing reliever with thick glasses whose repertoire for the New York Yankees of 31/2 decades ago included throwing his first warmup pitch — sometimes more — all the way to the backstop.

He would take out a hanky, wipe perspiration off his glasses, look toward home plate and squint. The message: Look out!

Burke threw 10 warmup pitches Sunday. Seven reached the backstop.

After all the preliminary heat, Burke surprisingly threw an off-speed pitch for a strike. The second pitch was a ball. The next never reached the catcher's mitt.

Bonds hit it far over the right-field wall at Scottsdale Stadium for a 4-1 lead in the fourth inning enroute to an 7-4 victory. Just another at-bat for the San Francisco Giants' outfielder — his fourth of the spring. They have resulted in two triples, a homer and five RBIs.

"Maybe he was a little nervous," Bonds said of Burke. "The guy has a good, live arm. He only had two choices: Walk me or throw strikes."

Burke said there was no message intended during his warmups.

"I didn't even know Bonds was coming up," he said. "I guess I was nervous. I felt like a 6-year-old out there."

Bonds, who led the league with 46 homers last season, isn't ready to say he's in midseason form.

"I'm not there yet — I'd like to face a couple of lefties," he said.

His hits in the game — the first a two-run triple in the opening inning off David Nied — came against right-handers.

Rangers 3, Twins 2

Jon Shave homered off Jeff Innis in the bottom of the ninth inning for power-laden Texas at Port Charlotte, Fla.

Astros (ss) 4, Mets (ss) 2

A Houston split squad took advantage of Dwight Gooden's wildness in the second inning to score three runs. Gooden walked five in two innings at Port St. Lucie, Fla.

Royals 5, Astros (ss) 4

Hubie Brooks and Steve Balboni walked with the bases loaded off Kevin Gallaher in a three-run 10th inning and Kansas City rallied to defeat the other Houston squad at Haines City, Fla.

Canas pushes JV to victory

Richard Canas smacked a 2-run single in the sixth inning Saturday to help Snyder's JV take a 14-13 win over Sweetwater.

Canas, who was 3-for-3 in the game, drove in Teddy Murray and Jeremiah Johnson with the decisive runs.

Other top hitters for SHS included Patrick Jordan, who had two triples in five at-bats, and Wayne Braziel, who finished 2-for-4 with a three-bagger.

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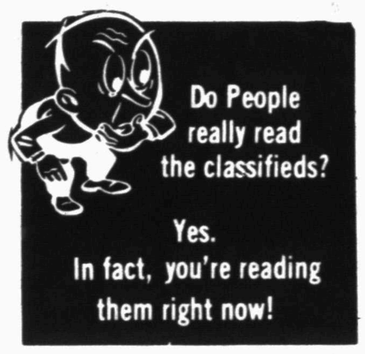
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Scientists say hantavirus widespread

ATLANTA (AP) — Urban rats prowling subway tunnels and house mice scurrying through cupboards are not the culprits.

Federal health officials say other kinds of rodents that usually shy from humans are the most likely to carry the hantavirus that has shown up in the Northeast after killing more than 30 people in the Southwest.

Early in the investigation of the often fatal respiratory illness, scientists from the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention thought they might be dealing with a new virus.

Over time, as they learned more about the illness and investigated variant strains of the virus and its ability to infect different species of rodents, CDC researchers were less surprised to see it crop up elsewhere.

"We're going to find hantavirus all over the U.S.," predicted Dr. Jamie Childs, a CDC epidemiologist in charge of trapping rodents and looking for signs of infection.

"This is not a new disease. We're just newly recognizing it," Childs said.

There's no reason to panic, he said. Hantavirus, in an even rarer form than that now under investigation, has infected rodents in the United States for years without causing epidemics.

And those infected with the newly discovered forms, most commonly deer mice, are usually "either out in the woods or in the fields," Childs said. "There is no indication that Norway rats (common to urban areas) or house mice are going to be the major reservoir of this disease."

Most victims of last year's outbreak lived in the Four Corners area of New Mexico, Arizona, Utah and Colorado, where the rare respiratory disease caused by hantavirus was first recognized in May. Since then, only isolated cases have been reported across the country.

The latest victim was David Rosenberg, who died in January when he returned to school in Rhode Island after a visit home on New York's Long Island.

Last week, CDC and New York health officials wore gloves while setting hundreds of traps in areas Rosenberg visited while on winter break. Later, the investigators who examine the trapped rodents would wear masks, gowns and respirators.

The CDC has confirmed 60 cases of hantavirus in 16 states; at least 36 deaths have been caused by the virus since May.

So far, three strains of deadly hantavirus causing respiratory illness have been discovered in the United States:

— The Southwestern strain.

— One that killed a Louisiana man.

— One discovered in cotton rats in Florida.

The CDC is considering the possibility of two more separate strains, the case in the Northeast and one in California.

"Now we know that there's a very diverse picture of hantavirus," Childs said.

Each of the new strains appears linked to a particular rodent, said C.J. Peters, chief of the CDC's special pathogens branch.

Deer mice, the suspect in the Southwest, have been abundant there and in other parts of the country for centuries. CDC officials suggest that the hantavirus outbreak last summer was linked to an extraordinarily wet season.

The CDC has found hantavirus in the victims, but not rodents, in California, Louisiana and the student in the Northeast.

Norway rats carry a different hantavirus, one that attacks the kidneys rather than the respiratory system, but it's rarely transmitted to humans, Childs said. CDC officials now say that a earlier report of a house mouse infected with a new form of hantavirus has been discredited.

Even so, there's good reason to avoid contact with rodents.

Hantaviral pulmonary syndrome, as the disease is called, is believed to be carried in airborne particles of dried feces or urine from rodents. Symptoms develop about two weeks after exposure.

Early symptoms resemble the flu — fever, chills, muscle aches and general listlessness — but the disease progresses rapidly to breathing difficulties.

The disease is fatal about 60 percent of the time.

No cases are known of human-to-human infection.

The hantavirus family is named for the Hantaan River in Korea, where the first strain was discovered decades ago. That virus infected about 3,000 American soldiers in the Korean War, killing 190 by destroying their kidneys. The virus itself was not identified until more than 20 years later.

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Alldsignal	783/8	777/8	777/8	+1/2
Alldsignal wi	391/8	391/8	391/8	+3/8
Alltel s	267/8	265/8	263/4	
AmStores	51	491/2	505/8	+1
Amer T&T	517/8	511/2	517/8	+1/2
Ameritech	421/4	417/8	421/4	+7/8
Amoco	527/8	521/2	523/4	+1/8
AndarkPtr	46	455/8	453/4	—1/8
Arkla	73/4	75/8	75/8	
ArmcoInc	53/4	55/8	55/8	—1/8
AtlRichfld	1001/8	995/8	100	+1/2
ATMOS	293/8	293/8	293/8	—1/4
Aviall n	173/8	17	173/8	+1/4
BakerHughes	183/4	181/2	181/2	—1/4
BancTexas	11/2	11/2	11/2	—1/8
BellAtl	537/8	531/4	533/4	+3/4
BellSouth	551/4	547/8	55	
Beth Steel	22	211/2	213/4	—1/8
Borden	147/8	145/8	143/4	—1/8
Brit Pet	653/4	651/2	655/8	+1 1/8
Caterplr	1127/8	1111/2	1115/8	—1/2
CnaSoWst	271/2	273/8	271/2	+3/8
Chevron	881/2	871/2	871/2	—3/4
Chrysler	605/8	60	601/4	+3/4
Coastal	32	317/8	317/8	—1/4
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EstKodak	443/4	441/2	443/4	+1/8
Enserch	153/8	15	151/4	+1/4
Entergy	335/8	331/2	331/2	+1/8
Exxon	651/4	647/8	651/8	—1/8
FlowerInd	181/4	181/8	181/8	
FordMotor	657/8	651/4	651/2	+3/8
GTE Cp	325/8	321/8	321/4	—1/8
GnDyn	943/8	921/2	923/4	—1 3/4
GenElct	1053/4	105	1053/8	+1/2
GenMills	553/8	551/8	551/4	+1/8
GenMotors	623/4	621/4	623/8	+3/8
GenMotors E	327/8	325/8	325/8	—1/4
GaPacif	713/4	711/4	713/8	+1/4
GlobalMar	43/8	4	43/8	+3/8
Goodrich	421/4	411/2	421/4	+1
Goodyear s	447/8	443/8	447/8	+7/8
GtAtlPac	267/8	263/4	263/4	+1/4
Haliburtn	303/4	303/8	303/8	—1/8
Hanson ADS	203/8	201/8	201/4	
HoustInd	401/4	401/8	401/4	+1/8
IBM	53	521/4	521/2	—1/8
IntlPaper	723/4	721/8	725/8	+3/4
JohnsnJns	401/8	395/8	397/8	+1/8
K mart	185/8	183/8	181/2	—1/8
Kroger	251/4	251/8	251/4	+1/8
Litton	683/4	68	683/8	+7/8
vjLoneStar	21/8	2	21/8	—1/8
Lowes	651/8	643/8	643/8	—1
Lubys	233/8	231/4	233/8	+1/4
Maxus	43/4	45/8	45/8	—1/8
MayDS s	433/4	43	431/4	+1/4
Medtronic	787/8	785/8	783/4	—1/2
Mobil	791/2	781/8	781/4	—1
Monsanto	751/2	75	751/8	+3/8
Motorola s	1063/4	1055/8	1053/4	+1
Nationsbk	481/2	481/4	483/8	+5/8
Navistar s	241/8	237/8	241/8	
Nynex s	375/8	373/8	371/2	+1/4
OryxEngy	181/4	177/8	18	+1/8
PacTelesis	543/4	541/4	545/8	+1/4
PanhECp	221/2	221/4	221/4	—1/8
PenneyJC s	567/8	561/4	563/8	+5/8
Pennzoil	537/8	533/4	537/8	
PepBoys	28	271/2	271/2	—1/2
PhelpDodge	563/8	557/8	56	
PhilipPet	271/4	267/8	271/8	+1/8
PilgrmPrd	85/8	81/2	81/2	
Polaroid	317/8	311/2	311/2	—1/4
Praxair	191/8	187/8	191/8	+1/4
ProctGamble	573/4	567/8	575/8	+3/4
PubS NwMx	133/8	131/8	131/4	—1/8
RoyalDutch	1051/4	1043/4	105	+3/4
SFePacCp	231/2	233/8	231/2	
SaraLee	221/4	213/4	217/8	+5/8
SearsRoeb s	491/2	483/4	491/4	+5/8
SherwinW	331/4	331/8	331/8	+1/8
SmthBchADS	297/8	283/4	291/2	+1/2
SmthBc eqt	273/8	27	271/4	+1/2
SouthCo s	211/8	207/8	211/8	+3/8
SwAirlines s	343/4	341/8	341/8	
SwBell s	395/8	39	391/4	—1/4
Sprint	363/8	355/8	361/4	+5/8
SterlingChm	6	53/4	6	+1/8
SunCo	351/4	347/8	351/8	+3/8
TNP Ent	171/4	171/8	171/4	
Tandy	417/8	411/2	411/2	—1/8
TempInl	503/4	505/8	503/4	+1/8
Tenneco	573/8	561/4	571/4	+7/8
Texaco	657/8	651/4	653/8	—5/8
TexasInd	37	361/2	37	+3/4
TexasInst	863/8	851/4	851/2	+7/8
Tex Util	383/4	381/2	385/8	+1/8
Textron	575/8	571/4	571/4	+1/8
Travelers s	361/8	357/8	36	+3/8
Trinty s	427/8	423/4	423/4	—1/4
TritonEngy	293/8	287/8	293/8	+5/8
US West	411/4	403/4	411/8	+5/8
USX Delhi	165/8	161/2	165/8	
USX-Marathn	17	167/8	167/8	+1/8
USX-USS	413/8	411/4	411/4	
UnCarbde	241/2	241/8	241/2	+3/8
UnPac	597/8	595/8	597/8	+1/4
UnitedTech	685/8	673/4	681/2	+7/8
Unocal	273/4	273/8	273/8	—3/8
WalMart s	283/8	281/8	283/8	+3/8
WstnGasRs	283/4	285/8	285/8	
WestghEl	145/8	143/8	143/8	—1/8
WinnDixie	531/4	521/2	531/4	+1/8
Woolwth	21	203/4	21	+1/4
Xerox Cp	971/2	963/4	971/2	
ZenithE	117/8	111/2	111/2	—1/4

Peace officers make 8 arrests

Snyder area law enforcement officers made eight arrests during the past 48 hours, including one for aggravated assault on a peace officer.

Police received a complaint of a music disturbance at 12:31 a.m. Sunday in the 2800 block of Avenue X. At the scene, officers arrested 30-year-old Danny Ramos for aggravated assault on a peace officer, hendering apprehension and resisting arrest. Police also arrested a 34-year-old man for disorderly conduct and resisting arrest, and a 22-year-old man for hendering apprehension and resisting arrest.

At 3:57 p.m. Sunday, police arrested a 34-year-old woman in the 1800 block of 30th Street on Victoria and Abilene DPS warrants for speeding and failure to appear.

At 4:53 p.m. Sunday, officers arrested a 38-year-old woman in the 1900 block of 17th Street on a warrant for criminal trespass.

DPS officers arrested a 49-year-old man along West 37th Street at 7:44 p.m. Sunday for driving while intoxicated. The man is also being charged with evading arrest by Snyder police.

At 1 a.m. today, police officers arrested a 35-year-old woman in the 1800 block of 30th Street on a warrant for no liability insurance. She was released after paying a fine.

Officers also arrested a 26-year-old woman in the 1900 block of Coleman at 7:39 p.m. Saturday for public intoxication.

At 5:02 p.m. Sunday, Cogdell Memorial Hospital contacted police in reference to having a 24-year-old assault victim in the emergency room. Two male suspects, ages 21 and 14, have been identified and a report for Class A assault has been filed. The case will be sent to the county attorney and juvenile court.

In other weekend activity:

—A man contacted police at 11:55 a.m. Saturday to complain that he had been assaulted by another man at 34th Street and Avenue M. A report for Class C assault was filed.

—At 12:50 p.m. Saturday, W.C. McFatridge notified police that someone had stolen a tiller from his residence at 1811 Ave. O. A report for felony theft was filed.

—At 12:52 p.m. Saturday, Wayne York notified police that someone had stolen an antenna from his 18-wheeler while it was parked across from the Texan Restaurant. A report for Class B theft was filed.

—Officers responded to a disturbance in the 500 block of 33rd Street at 9:58 p.m. Saturday. A report for assault/family violence was filed.

—Rhonda Link contacted officers at 1:17 p.m. Sunday in reference to someone damaging her vehicle. A report for Class A criminal mischief was filed.

—At 8:21 p.m. Sunday, officers responded to a disturbance in the 2500 block of 37th Street. A report for assault/family violence was filed.

Hospital Notes

ADMISSIONS: Carolyn Bond, 100 E. 37th Apt. 34; Edna Campbell, Snyder Healthcare Center; Jamie Long, Dickens; Misty Moore, Spur; Ruth Sheldon, 219 Ave. T; William Smith, 3706 Austin; Evelyn Sumruld, 1609 15th; John Thomas, P.O. Box 444; Charlett Towery, 2101 40th.

DISMISSALS: Jerry Surratt, Jamie Long, Roland Seymore.

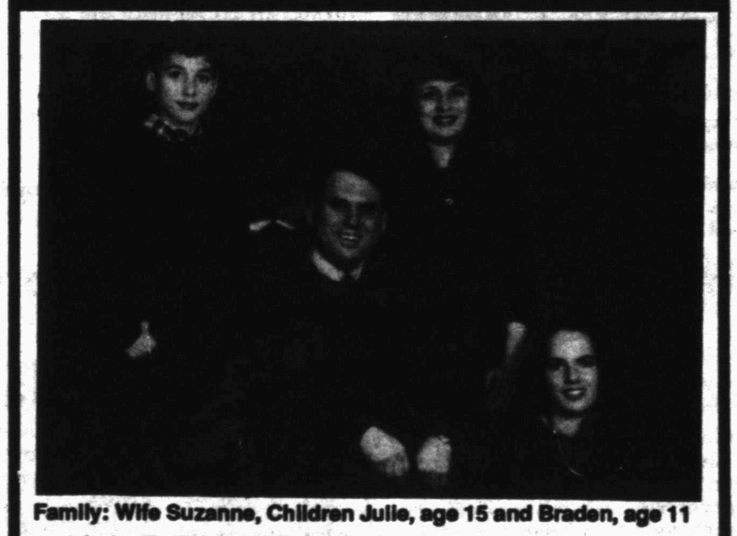
Census: 57 (Med.-20, Long-Term Care-34, CCU-3).

Births

David and Susan Rios of Arlington announce the birth of their son, David Joseph Rios, born at 1:56 a.m. on March 6 in Arlington.

Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Sandercox of Arlington and Mr. and Mrs. Jessie Rios Sr. of Snyder.

Re-Elect County Judge
BOB DOOLITTLE



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East

East Elementary Night Out will be held Tuesday at Spanish Inn.

Family Life

The Family Life video series airing on Snyder Cablevision Channel 2 will be "Learning to Solo." The program airs from 7 to 7:30 this evening.

'Easter'

Snyder Christian Women's Club is sponsoring an "Easter Parade" luncheon from 11 a.m. until 1 p.m. Wednesday at Martha Ann Woman's Club.

Lunch is $5.50. Reservations must be made by noon Tuesday by calling 573-1454 or 573-3440.

Ira ISD

Ira ISD's practical parenting class, Making Food Families Better, will meet at 7:30 p.m. Tuesday in the school cafeteria. Refreshments will be served and child care provided. Parents of children of all ages are encouraged to attend. For child care call 573-2628.

PLO sources playing down Israeli plan to resume talks

JERUSALEM (AP) — An Israeli envoy met with PLO leader Yasser Arafat today for the first time since the Hebron mosque massacre to press for a resumption of peace talks. Two Palestinians died in a clash with Israeli troops during more Arab rioting.

Officials at the Palestine Liberation Organization's headquarters said an Israeli offer made to Arafat in Cairo, Egypt, contained "nothing new" toward meeting PLO conditions for reviving autonomy talks and predicted it would be rejected.

Prime Minister Yitzhak Rabin warned in Jerusalem that the delay heightened the risk that "crazies" on both sides could strike again in their campaigns to wreck the Israel-PLO peace effort.

The talks have been stalled since a Jewish settler, Baruch Goldstein, shot 30 Muslim worshipers to death while they prayed in a Hebron mosque Feb. 25.

Two Palestinians were reported shot to death by troops in Hebron today after an army jeep was stoned, raising the overall death toll to 29 in the violent reaction to the massacre. Clashes also were reported in Bethlehem.

Israeli officials are trying to get talks with the PLO going again in an attempt to calm Arab passions and reduce the violence.

Egyptian government officials said Israeli envoy Jacques Neriah, a senior Rabin adviser, flew to Cairo today and met with Arafat to discuss resuming the talks.

PLO officials at their headquarters in Tunis, Tunisia, speaking on condition of anonymity, said Neriah gave Arafat new ideas for getting the talks going again, but they declined to discuss the details.

Arafat and Neriah both left Egypt without speaking to reporters.

Arafat arrived in Cairo on Sunday for talks with President Hosni Mubarak, who has been mediating attempts to bring Israel and the PLO together again.

Speaking on Israel radio, Rabin said delay "plays into the hands of the Palestinian terrorists" seeking revenge for the massacre and "opens possibilities for the crazies or a crazy on the Israeli side" to further damage the peace process.

Israel has offered to speed up implementation of the Sept. 13 peace accord with the PLO, which provides initially for limited Palestinian autonomy in the Gaza Strip and the West Bank town of Jericho.

Liable for abuse

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In the lawsuit, the freshman student claimed she was seduced into a sexual relationship with Taylor biology teacher Jesse Lynn Stroud seven years ago.

Stroud, a biology teacher and assistant coach from 1981 to 1987 had a history of inappropriate behavior with his female students, according to the appeals court opinion.

Stroud gave flowers, candy and flirtatious cards to some female students, let them take his truck during lunch hour, bought them alcohol and didn't require some to take tests or turn in homework, the opinion said.

Several teachers, students and parents reported his behavior to Lankford and other school officials and told the principal they had seen Stroud fondling or inappropriately hugging some students, the judges wrote.

Despite that, the court said, former Taylor High School principal Eddy Lankford downplayed the incidents and suggested that some of the students were "jealous."

Stroud has moved out of Taylor and could not be reached by The Associated Press.

Lankford, who retired several years ago but still is employed part time by the Taylor school district as a truant officer, could not be reached at his residence.

The court criticized Lankford and former Taylor superintendent Mike Caplinger for claiming they could ignore the abuse and remain immune to a federal lawsuit filed by the student in 1989 in Austin.

The majority determined that the student can't sue Caplinger because he took steps to correct the situation but that she can sue Lankford because he showed "deliberate indifference" to her plight.

Polls open at 7 a.m. Tuesday

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Running in the Republican Primary are George W. Bush, son of the former U.S. President, and Abilenian Ray Hollis.

Republican U.S. Senator Kay Bailey Hutchison, is being challenged in the primary by Tom Spink, M. Troy Mata, James C. Currey, Ernest J. Schmidt, Roger Henson and Stephen Hopkins. Running in the Democratic Primary are Jim Mattox, Michael A. Andrews, Richard Fisher and Evelyn K. Lantz.

U.S. Rep. Charles W. Stenholm, representing the 17th District, is unopposed in the Democratic Party. He will be opposed in November by either Roy Emerson Falls, Don Schmidt Jr. or Phil Boone, who are all seeking the Republican nomination.

District 30 State Sen. Steven A. Carriker is unchallenged in the Democratic Primary. He will face an opponent in the general election — either Tom Haywood or Doyle High, who are seeking the Republican nomination.

District 70 State Rep. David Counts, a Democrat, will face Republican Wilma Hogan in November.

Three admitted to local hospital

Three people were admitted to Cogdell Memorial Hospital over the weekend as a result of two traffic accidents.

John Thomas, 49, was admitted with chest injuries after the 1977 Ford he was driving went out of control and struck several fence posts shortly before 8 p.m. Sunday. The accident occurred some five miles from Snyder on West 37th Street.

Two women were brought to Cogdell ER following a one-vehicle accident which was reported at 12:05 a.m. Sunday along the Clairemont Highway. Held for observation were 20-year-old Misty Moore of Spur and 15-year-old Jamie Long of Dickens. Both received multiple abrasions and contusions.

No other information on the accidents was available.

At 3:08 p.m. Saturday, a 1979 Mercury driven by Francisca Molinar of 401 30th St. struck the Western Auto store at 2500 Ave. R.

At 6:59 p.m. Saturday, officers worked a hit-and-run in which an unknown vehicle struck a fence owned by Ralph Hernandez of 1801 Ave. G.

At 4:02 p.m. Sunday, police worked an accident in the 3000 block of Avenue D. A utility trailer came loose from a 1992 Chevrolet driven by Brenda Kay Burney of 311 36th Place and struck a pole owned by TU Electric.

Obituaries

Willard Jones Jr.

1924-1994

Graveside services were set for 2 p.m. today in Hillside Memorial Gardens for Willard H. Jones Jr., 69, of Snyder with Tom Holcomb, minister of the East Side Church of Christ, officiating.

Mr. Jones died at 4:05 a.m. Saturday in Methodist Hospital in Lubbock after a lengthy illness.

Born June 27, 1924, in Breckenridge, he married Janet Chambers on Aug. 20, 1968, in Lubbock. He had lived in Snyder since 1952 and was a head roustabout for Texaco for 35 years, retiring in July, 1986. He was a member of the East Side Church of Christ and was a World War II Navy veteran.

Survivors include his wife, Janet Jones of the home; three sons and two daughters-in-law, Jerry Lee Jones of Lubbock, Mike and Lisa Jones of Snyder and Mitchel and Crystal Jones of Snyder; two daughters and sons-in-law, Wenona and Billy Evans of Snyder and Marla and Joe Carpenter of Midland; one brother and sister-in-law, Dan and Gail Durham of Albuquerque, N.M.; and eight grandchildren.

A.W. Presley

1927-1994

Services have ben set for 10 a.m. Thursday in Bell-Cypert-Seale Funeral Home Chapel for A.W. (Bill) Presley of Snyder with the Rev. Danny Williams, pastor of Lighthouse Assembly of God Church, officiating. Burial will follow in the Hillside Memorial Gardens.

Mr. Presley, 66, died at 2:48 a.m. Sunday in Lubbock's Methodist Hospital after a lengthy illness.

Born on Nov. 27, 1927, in Waverly, La., he married LaFrances Watts on Dec. 2, 1950, in Cotton Valley, La. She survives. He was a veteran of the U.S. Navy and U.S. Army during the Korean Conflict.

Other survivors include four sons, DeWayne Presley of Hermleigh, Joe Presley of Hermleigh, David Presley of Middleton, Ind., and Ricky Presley of Tomball; two daughters, Jan Curry of Snyder and Lois Roberts of Hamlin; two brothers, Wayne Presley of Roby and A.J. Presley of Richland Hills; two sisters, Juanita Cockran of Hermleigh and Elzora King of Vidor; and 14 grandchildren.

Silas Devenport

1903-1994

Services are set for 2 p.m. Thursday in the First Baptist Church Chapel for W. Silas Devenport, 90, of Gunter, former longtime Snyder resident. The Rev. T.O. Upshaw, retired Baptist pastor, will officiate. Burial will be in Hillside Memorial Gardens.

Mr. Devenport died at 5:45 p.m. Sunday in Medical Plaza Hospital in Fort Worth after a lengthy illness.

Born on July 24, 1903, in Erath County, he moved with his parents to Abilene where he started school. They later moved to Fisher County. He married Mary Alice Wiman on Aug. 4, 1925, near Roscoe. She died on Jan. 3, 1994.

After high school graduation, he attended Hardin-Simmon University and Simmons College and graduated from North Texas State College with a BA degree. He later graduated with a master's degree from Texas Tech. He taught school 38 years, mostly in Scurry County and was principal at Northeast Elementary when he retired. Mr. Devenport was a life member of the PTA and Texas Retired Teachers Association. He was a deacon for many years at First Baptist Church. He left Snyder about 10 years ago, moving to Fort Worth, then to Gunter where he lived the last two years.

Survivors include two sons, Don Devenport of Garland and Joe Devenport of Greenville; one daughter, Mary Lou D'Esposito of Fort Worth; one sister, Ophellia Roddy of Lubbock; five granddaughters; and five great-grandchildren.

Edith McBride

1910-1994

BIG SPRING — Services are set for 2 p.m. Tuesday in Nalley-Pickle & Welch Rosewood Chapel for Mrs. Otis (Edith) McBride, 83, of Vealmoor who died Saturday at her residence. The Rev. Jim Mosley, pastor of Westbrook Baptist Church, and the Rev. Myron Crawford of Mineral Wells, retired, will officiate.

Interment will follow in Trinity Memorial Park.

Born on July 29, 1910, in Polar, she married Otis McBride on Sept. 7, 1928, in Mammoth Spring, Ark. They moved to Borden County in 1936 from Arkansas. Mrs. McBride taught school on the Miller Ranch in Vealmoor, Ackerly and at Airport Elementary in Big Spring. She taught 39 years before retiring in 1973.

She also taught Sunday school for many years and was a member of Ackerly Baptist Church.

She was preceded in death by eight brothers and sisters and by one grandson, Perry Kruse.

Survivors include her husband, Otis McBride of Vealmoor; two daughters and sons-in-law, Donna and Corky Kruse of Ira and Kay and Donny Leek of Vealmoor; three granddaughters, Jan Kruse of Del Rio, Shelia Wadleigh of Fort Worth and Shannon Gibson of San Antonio; one grandson, Doyce Taylor of Vealmoor; and four great-grandsons and several nieces and nephews.

The family suggests memorials to Hospice of the Southwest, Inc., P.O. Box 14710, Odessa, 79768-4710, or the Borden County Emergency Medical Transport.

Fred Walton

1929-1994

TEXAS CITY - Services were set for 2 p.m. today in the Emken-Linton Funeral Home Chapel for Fred W. Walton, 65, who died Friday at St. Luke's Hospital in Houston. Burial was to follow in the Forest Park Cemetery.

He was the brother of E.D. Walton of Snyder and the uncle of Dalton Walton, also of Snyder.

Born in Electra, Mr. Walton had lived in Texas City for the past 33 years. Active in civic affairs, he was owner of F.W. Walton, Inc. and co-owner of Tennille, Inc.

A Baptist, Mr. Walton was a member of the National Roofers Association and the Sheet Metal Contractors Association. He was an avid golfer.

Survivors also include his wife, Patricia Walton of Texas City; three daughters, Pamela Guidry, Renee Walton and Angela Cooper, all of Texas City; three sons, Patrick Walton and Robert Anthony Walton of Texas City and Michael Walton of Baytown; his mother, Mrs. Fred Walton of Electra; three sisters, Dena Joyce Bailey of Fort Worth, Sally Beth Givens of Pampa and Paulette Marks of Wichita Falls.

The family suggests memorials to the Fred Walton Memorial Scholarship Fund at the Gulf National Bank in Texas City.

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Democratic Candidate
County Treasurer

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Tight belt puts Nolan County bank account back in the black

By JIM POLLARD
Correspondent

SWEETWATER — Nolan County Judge Jack Aycock said in 1989 that the county had to tighten its belt and bring expenditures in line with revenue.

At Monday's county commissioners meeting, Aycock was elated that his goal had been accomplished. The 1993 audit report, presented at the meeting, showed that revenues and expenditures were virtually equal at $3.4 million.

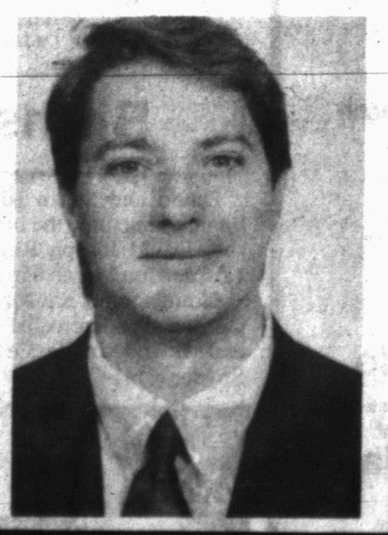
Aycock issued his ultimatum after county expenditures soared to a record high of nearly $4.5 million compared to revenues barely over $3.3 million.

Auditors from Springer and Associates said no irregularities were found, and that the county's healthy financial condition was a result of good, conservative county leadership.

The audit showed that the three county funds — the general fund, the farm to market fund, and internal service fund had a cash balance totaling almost $1 million at the end of fiscal 1993.

The report also showed how the county's funds were spent — 15.6 percent went to general county administration, 13.3 percent for judicial services, 19.7 percent for public safety (mainly the sheriff's department), 24.7 percent to the four precincts, 6.7 percent for intergovernment agencies, and 20.1 percent for other operating costs.

In other business, commissioners tabled the juvenile department's request to be added to the county's workers' compensation policy.



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Dear Abby



Love and Support Are More Than Just Matter of License

by Abigail Van Buren

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DEAR ABBY: I missed the letter from "Old-Fashioned," who evidently did not approve of people living together before marriage, but I had to write to you when I read the reply from "Sharon" — whose fiance moved in with her prior to their marriage to help her with her breast cancer treatment and all the physical and emotional issues surrounding this disease.

My daughter, Tracy, was also diagnosed with breast cancer at the age of 24. Four months before her wedding, she moved in with her fiance. Seven months after they were married, we lost her. She was 29. I thank God every day for the time she had to experience life as long as she could, including their living together, and especially for the great love my son-in-law, Mark, had for her. He could have walked away, but didn't.

I now work with the Colorado Chapter of the National Breast Cancer Coalition, whose goal is the prevention and cure of breast cancer. I do this because of Tracy, and for my other daughters, Terry and Tiana, and for you and me and all women.

I send my love to "Sharon" and am so thankful she is a survivor. I hope you can publish this letter. And, Abby, thank you for all your work. Please sign me ...

ONE MOTHER'S LOVE IN LOUISVILLE, COLO.

DEAR MOTHER: My sincere condolences on the loss of your daughter. Almost everyone we know has lost a loved one to this terrible disease. I hope in our lifetime a cure for cancer is found. Thank you for your poignant, sensible letter.

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DEAR ABBY: My granddaughter is now 25 years old. Ever since she was born, I have given her $50 on every birthday.

She has now graduated from college and has a job.

My question: When do I stop giving her money? She has done nothing for me, her 88-year-old grandfather.

J.J. IN TERRYVILLE, CONN.

DEAR J.J.: You may stop whenever you like. And since she has, in your words, "done nothing for you," right now isn't too soon.

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DEAR ABBY: I want to thank you for printing the article from the person who recommended holding your pet while it is "put down" to make its last passing moments more bearable. I had handed over that task to my husband on two other occasions, but this time, with a cat I'd loved for 13 years, I changed my approach.

"Bailey" was my favorite of all the cats I've had. We shared a special relationship. I couldn't allow her to go through this without my loving touch and voice to soothe her.

My grief is stronger with this pet's passing than any pet I've ever had. But knowing that there was no struggle, that she felt no pain, and remembering how she purred to the very end assures me that I did what was kindest for her. After the love and affection she gave me during her lifetime, it was the very least I could give back to her. Thanks for listening.

AMY STITT, PEACHTREE CITY, GA.

DEAR AMY: Because you are obviously a cat lover, you will positively adore the new book "Cat Love Letters," collected correspondence of "cats in love" by Leigh W. Rutledge, published by Dutton and available in bookstores now.

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Limestone extraction...

Central Texas residents fear project

TEHUACANA (AP) — The prospect of new jobs arriving in Tehuacana hasn't convinced residents of the small agricultural town that a large rock quarry should be built nearby.

City and county leaders have passed resolutions opposing the plant, and the historic town of 322 says it may even go to court to stop Crushed Stone Inc. of McKinney from building it.

The 200-acre limestone mine and rock-crushing plant site is bounded by a historic Wichita Indian archaeological area, the city's spring-fed well and the homes of longtime Tehuacana residents, including the owner of the property being leased to Smith.

"Tehuacana has been sold out for the going rate of aggregate," said Pam Stuver, whose home sits two-tenths of a mile from the construction plant, about 40 miles northeast of Waco.

The city, which has a stop sign, a grocery store and an annual bluebonnet festival, went on record against the plant last October, days after learning about the rock mine and crusher plans.

After unsuccessful efforts to get the state to halt the project, the Tehuacana City Council decided to stop it through the courts. A group of vocal residents formed a "Save Tehuacana" defense fund.

The City Council passed a resolution against it, as did the Limestone County Commissioners Court.

The City Council has hired the same law firm that represented the Sierra Club in a successful battle to institute management of the Edwards Aquifer to protect endangered species in the state's largest springs.

"Year after year after year, we lose another piece of America," Jean Ogilvie, a member of the Tehuacana City Council, told The Dallas Morning News.

"Our small towns are the backbone. Pretty soon America, as we remembered it being, won't be any more unless you stand up ... and say, 'No, we are not going to do that, we're going to stop right here.'"

Project owner Eddie Smith, who says the plant will have a $500,000 payroll, contends he is complying with state and federal regulations on mining. He attributes the opposition to "fear of the unknown."

"But that doesn't justify trying to stop business from coming into that area," he said. "This is going to have a very positive economic impact on all of Limestone County."

Smith said he has invested $1 million in his plant, has all necessary permits to begin operation and hopes to begin mining and crushing limestone by April.

A tense year later, nuclear mystery remains unsolved

DEMILITARIZED ZONE, Korea (AP) — For North Korea and its neighbors, it's been a year of living dangerously. Now the year is ending, but not the danger.

Last March 12, the isolated, secretive communist government in Pyongyang announced that North Korea would leave the Nuclear Non-Proliferation Treaty and abruptly halted international inspections of its atomic sites.

World leaders voiced consternation. Fear grew that North Korea was trying to build nuclear weapons.

Last week, after months of balking and bluster, North Korea finally allowed inspections to resume. But the inspectors are not being allowed to see all the sites they want to see, and North Korea has denounced some terms of the deal.

And there is still no answer to the central question: Is North Korea trying to build the bomb?

"I don't think this is a fundamental resolution of the nuclear dispute, but things have been so bad these last twelve months, it's an encouraging development," said Katy Oh, an analyst at the Rand Institute in California.

North Korea has a million-man army, a growing long-range heavy artillery force and an improved ballistic missile arsenal. It keeps concentrations of troops and weapons close to the border, which is only 30 miles north of Seoul, the South Korean capital.

The United States made plans — the timing is now uncertain — to bring in Patriot missile batteries to back up its 36,000 troops in South Korea.

In the 21/2-mile-wide demilitarized zone that divides the Koreas, each day is another battle in a war of nerves.

"We see the North Koreans every day," Staff Sgt. William Campbell, 27, said in an interview at Camp Bonifas, the guard post nearest the DMZ. "Do we feel threatened? Yes. Outgunned? Definitely."

Army Gen. Gary E. Luck, commander of U.S. forces in South Korea, told Congress last week that while there is no "dramatic evidence" North Korea is preparing an attack, it remains "our most critical near-term military threat."

Like the daily eyeball-to-eyeball confrontation at the border, the nuclear dispute has been a classic study in Cold War-style brinksmanship. But both sides showed they could be pragmatic about concessions to advance their agendas.

"Diplomacy is not a zero-sum game," said William J. Taylor Jr. of the Center for Strategic and International Studies in Washington. "Both sides have to gain something."

North Korea, hoping to ease the isolation that has crippled it economically, won a pledge of high-level talks with the United States. South Korea also is getting talks it wants: resumption of the North-South dialogue, suspended for the past four months.

In exchange for North Korean cooperation with inspectors, the United States and South Korea called off joint military maneuvers that were to start within weeks.

In some ways, the accord that led to resumed nuclear inspections is as inconclusive as the armistice that halted the Korean War four decades ago without a treaty. The inspection agreement, like the Korean peace, is a makeshift proposition.

"We can't yet draw a bright scenario," said Cha Young-koo, director of arms control research for the Korean Institute for Defense Analysis in Seoul. "It's back to where it was a year ago."

Supreme Court: parodies of songs cannot be banned

WASHINGTON (AP) — The Supreme Court today gave broader protection to parodies of copyright works, a victory for free-speech advocates in a dispute over rap group 2 Live Crew's bawdy version of the rock classic "Oh, Pretty Woman."

The court, in a unanimous ruling, said copyright owners do not have an absolute right to stop others from poking fun at their words and music.

"Like less ostensibly humorous forms of criticism, (parody) can provide social benefit, by shedding light on an earlier work, and, in the process, creating a new one," Justice David H. Souter wrote for the court.

"We thus line up with the courts that have held that parody, like other comment or criticism, may claim fair use" of a copyright work, Souter wrote.

In other actions today, the justices:

—Left intact former heavyweight champion Mike Tyson's rape conviction, for which he is serving a six-year prison sentence.

—Refused to revive Detroit's lawsuit over the 1990 census, which the city claimed had substantially undercounted black residents.

—Agreed to decide whether most people who say they were misled before buying stocks may rescind the deal if the sellers can't prove their innocence.

The court sent the 2 Live Crew case back to a lower court for further hearings.

Today's ruling reversed a federal appeals court ruling that said the 2 Live Crew song's "blatantly commercial purpose" prevented it from being a fair use of the original Roy Orbison song.

"It is uncontested here that 2 Live Crew's song would be an infringement of Acuff-Rose's rights in 'Oh, Pretty Woman' ... but for a finding of fair use through parody," Souter wrote.

The rap group's parody uses much of Orbison's music and the first line of lyrics: "Pretty woman, walking down the street." Then it shifts to "big hairy woman," "bald-headed woman" and "two-timin' woman."

The owner of the song's copyright, Acuff-Rose Music, sued for copyright infringement, contending the parody sought to cash in on the original hit's enduring popularity.

The rap group had sought permission to use the song and offered to pay royalties, but Acuff-Rose refused.

Lotto Texas

by The Associated Press

No tickets correctly matched all six numbers drawn Saturday night for the twice-weekly Lotto Texas game, state lottery officials said. The ticket was worth $20 million.

The numbers drawn Saturday night from a field of 50 were: 48, 40, 34, 47, 44 and 3.

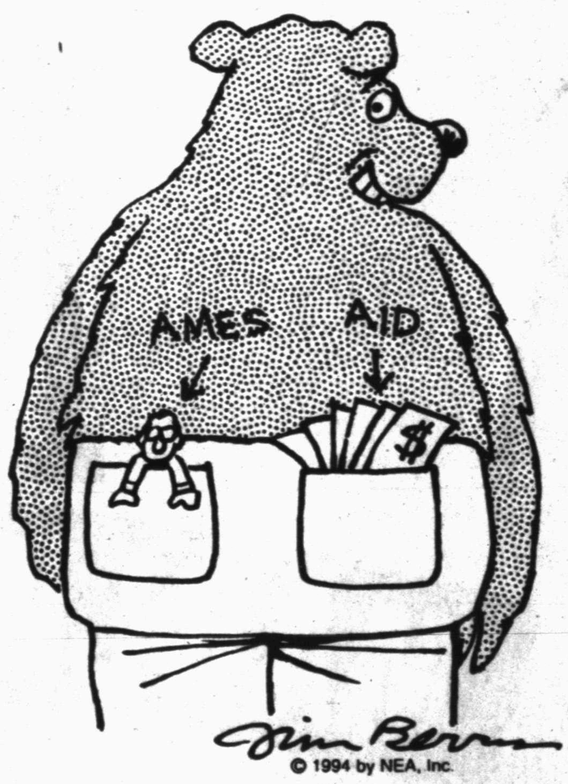
Lottery officials estimate the jackpot for Wednesday night's game will be $35 million.

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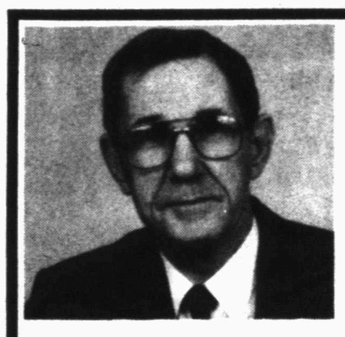
AUSTIN (AP) — Here are results of Lotto Texas Pick 3 winning numbers drawn Saturday by the Texas Lottery:

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