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# Snyder Daily News

## Ask Us

Q—How much money has been made by the state since the lottery began and where does the money go?

A—According to the State Comptroller's Office, the Texas Lottery (instant-win games and Lotto Texas combined) had deposited $812 million at the end of fiscal year 1993. The money goes into the state's general revenue fund.

## Local

### Boosters

Snyder All-Sports Booster Club will meet at 7 p.m. Monday in the high school student center.

### Civil defense

The city's civil defense sirens will be tested at noon Monday, weather permitting.

### Backers

Ira Bulldog Backers will meet at 7:30 p.m. on Tuesday in the high school cafeteria.

### Grand jury

A Scurry County Grand Jury is scheduled to hear approximately 10 cases beginning at 9 a.m. Monday in 132nd District Court.

### Teachers

Retired teachers and other school personnel are invited to a noon meeting Monday at the Senior Citizens Center.

### Stanfield

Stanfield Elementary will have open house and a book fair from 4-7 p.m. Monday. The book fair will also be open through Oct. 7 from 8 a.m. until 3 p.m.

### SHS annuals

The 1993 high school annuals have arrived and may be picked up in the foyer of the auditorium from 7:50-8:05 a.m. or 3-4 p.m. You must have a receipt to get your yearbook.

### VFW post

VFW Post 8231 and the Ladies Auxiliary will meet at 7:30 p.m. Monday at the post home.

Ladies are asked to bring a covered dish. The district commander and president will be at the meeting.

## Weather

**Snyder Temperatures:** High Friday, 92 degrees; low, 57 degrees; reading at 7 a.m. Saturday, 59 degrees; no precipitation; total precipitation for 1993 to date, 13.81 inches.

**Snyder Area Forecast:** Saturday, party cloudy. Low in lowers 50s. Northeast wind 10-20 mph. Sunday, partly cloudy. High in the upper 70s. East wind 5-15 mph.

**Almanac:** Sunset Saturday, 7:28. Sunrise Sunday, 7:39. Sunset Sunday, 7:26. Sunrise Monday, 7:39. Of 274 days in 1993, the sun has shone 267 days in Snyder.

"BAREFOOT" SCENE — Corie Bratter (Tara Trevey) does some matchmaking for her mother and Victor Velasco (Mike Harrison) in a scene from the Ritz Theatre's "Barefoot in the Park" which opens Thursday at 8 p.m. in the Martha Ann Woman's Club. (SDN Staff Photo)

*At museum...*

# 'Official Images' to debut Sunday

A new exhibit, "Official Images: New Deal Photography," will open this Sunday at Scurry County Museum.

The exhibit was organized by the Smithsonian's National Museum of American History and will remain on display through Oct. 31. A series of related depression-era events are also scheduled throughout the month on the WTC campus.

A reception is planned from 1 until 4 p.m. Sunday to mark the opening of the exhibit.

"Official Images" presents documentary photographs made during the 1930s by federally employed photographers. Included are 81 photographs by such well-known photographers as Ben Shann, Russell Lee and Arthur Rothstein.

There are also six text panels. Depression era objects from the museum collection will be displayed in conjunction with the traveling exhibits.

Material drawn from the Farm Security Administration, the Civilian Conservation Corps, the U.S. Department of Agriculture, the Works Progress Administration, and the National Youth Administration expand the scope of the "Official Images" exhibit.

Admission to the museum during regular hours is free. The museum is open from 8 a.m. to noon and 1-5 p.m. Monday through Thursday and 8-12 and 1-4 p.m. Friday.

Complementing the exhibit will be a series of events:

—Wednesday, Oct. 6, American Documentary Photography in the 1930s, a program by Glen Richard Brown, Ph.D, from noon until 1 p.m. in the museum. Ad-

(See MUSEUM, Page 12)

**SDN Talking Newspaper Poll**

Do you favor or oppose President Clinton's Health Care Plan ?

Responses
49% For
51% Against

At chamber...

# *Ritz season tickets on sale*

Season tickets for the Ritz Community Theatre's new season are available through Wednesday at the chamber of commerce.

The Ritz's fall season will open with Neil Simon's "Barefoot in the Park" in October at Martha Ann Woman's Club. Evening performances are planned at 8 o'clock on Oct. 7, 11, 14 and 18. Matinees are set for 2:30 p.m. on Oct. 10 and 17. In addition, dinner theatres are scheduled Oct. 9 and 16 at 7 p.m.

Season tickets are $30 for six tickets, $60 for 12 tickets and $100 for 24 tickets.

The tickets are good for "Barefoot," as well as for the Ritz Theatre's Christmas production, "Amahl and the Night Visitor," and for a spring production of "Nice People Dancing to Good Country Music."

Reservations for individual performances of "Barefoot" should be made by calling the Senior Center at 573-4035 from 2-5 p.m. weekdays. Prices for single tickets are $6 each.

Dinner theatre tickets are $14 for adults and $10 for children under age 10.

Ellie Dryden will direct "Barefoot in the Park." Appearing as newlyweds Paul and Corie Bratter will be David and Tara Trevey. Others in the cast are Rick Freeman as a telephone repairman, Lloyd Cummings as a delivery man, Mary Lou Crawford as Mrs. Banks, Corie's mother, and Mike Harrison as Victor Belasco.

Sammie Jarrell is assistant director and Cummings is stage manager.

# United Way kick off luncheon set Tuesday

Scurry County United Way will hold its kick off luncheon at noon Tuesday at Martha Ann Woman's Club.

Tickets are $6 and should be reserved by noon Monday.

John Ballard, associate pastor at the First Baptist Church in Lubbock, will be guest speaker for the event.

United Way directors have adopted a goal of $72,200 for 1993.

Allocations are $25,000 to Scurry County Boys Club, $15,000 to Snyder Child Day Care Center, $11,000 to Noah Project, $6,000 each to the Girl Scouts and Boy Scouts, $5,500 to Oil Patch Foster Parents, $2,700 to Snyder Council on Alcohol and Drug Abuse, and $1,000 to the Red Cross.

L.E. "Doc" Griffin is honorary United Way chairman. Rod Waller is the board president.

To reserve tickets for Tuesday's luncheon, call Linda Franklin at 573-0397, the chamber of commerce at 573-3558, or Kim May at 573-9479.

# Vehicle bid county topic

Scurry County Commissioners Court will advertise for bids for a sheriff's department vehicle and plan to nominate a new member to Scurry County Appraisal District board of directors during a meeting at 10 a.m. Monday at the courthouse.

The sheriff's office will receive a new vehicle and Precinct 4 will take an old sheriff's department car, Sheriff Keith Collier said.

The new vehicle will be a four-door sedan and the specifications will be a police package. It will not include a trade-in, since the old sheriff's cruiser will remain in the county's possession, Collier said.

During the Sept. 27 commissioners meeting, County Judge Bob Doolittle requested the court make a decision for nominations to the appraisal district board of directors. Commissioners plan to nominate a new member during Monday's meeting.

Juvenile Probation Officer Larry Thompson will address the court concerning state funding for his department. The JPO is funded by both the county and the state.

# Homemaker program planned here Oct. 12

Lucinda Kahny, Homemakers Schools home economist, is excited to include Snyder in her schedule for 90's Lifestyle, the 1993 Homemakers School.

LUCINDA KAHNY

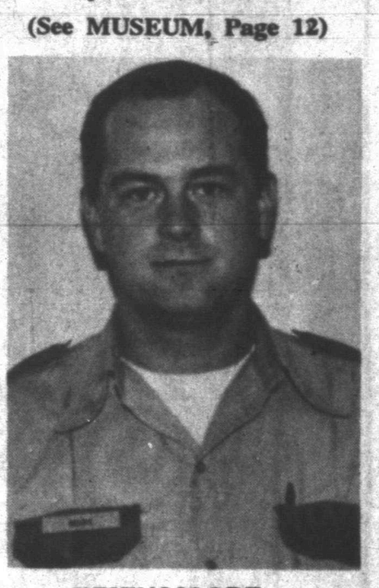
The program is scheduled for 7 p.m. on Tuesday, Oct. 12, at Worsham Auditorium.

With many local sponsors participating, this year's presentation promises to be lively and entertaining, Kahny said.

On stage, Kahny will display know-how with food and recipes and share hints and tips, all part of the 90's Lifestyle. The selection of recipes will include snacks and dessert ideas.

Those attending will each receive cents-off coupons, recipes and the 1993 90's Lifestyle Cookbook.

Doors open at Worsham Auditorium at 6:30 p.m. with the festivities getting underway at 7. Tickets, $2 each, are on sale at the Snyder Daily News office, 3600 College Ave.



KEVIN MOORE

# Major Moore transferred to Huntsville

Kevin Moore, major at the Price Daniel unit since May of 1992, has been transferred to Huntsville to become major at the Wynne unit.

Bob White, warden at the Price Daniel unit, said the appointment was effective Friday, and that a new major at the local Texas Department of Criminal Justice facility will be named later this month.

A nine-year veteran of the TDCJ, Major Moore came to Snyder from the Wynne unit where he served as captain from November 1991 to May 1992. Moore began his correctional career at the Coffield unit in Anderson County.

He was promoted to sergeant at the Ferguson unit in Madison County in 1984 and was elevated to the rank of lieutenant at the Ellis unit in 1989.

A native of Indiana, Moore moved to Texas after serving as a military police in the U.S. Army. Moore has a bachelor's degree in criminal justice from Sam Houston State University.

Moore and his wife, Christina, have an 11-year-old daughter, Shandi.

## The SDN Column

By Roy McQueen

The feller on Deep Creek says, "A narrow mind and a broad tongue generally show up together."

Having just one child, we often wonder how parents cope with a houseful. We recently saw a TV clip on a couple expecting their 18th child.

We'd expect some wives to quit speaking to their mates long before the number hit 10. On second thought, maybe the couples should have more conversation.

Last month, SDN staffer Shirley Gorman did a feature on a Colorado City couple who had their second set of twins in two years. The father, James Martin, works for Cogdell Hospital as a night charge nurse at the Price Daniel infirmary.

Gorman, a confirmed bachelorette, was intrigued by all the things associated with twins — the oldest not yet having reached the "terrible twos."

While the Martins are thankful and upbeat about their role as parents of twins and more twins, we tried to place ourself in the same situation. About the only thing positive we came up with is a double tax deduction.

We recently read about a mother-to-be who called the IRS to ask about the procedure for amending the family's tax return.

She explained that the doctor has just told her she was expecting twins, and she had only put down one as a dependent.

She got more "bad" news. The IRS advised she couldn't even claim one, yet. Dependents must be born in order to qualify.

Regardless of the number, life with children can be unpredictable.

Retired elementary school principal Jim Erwin once told us about a first grade class talking about "responsibility." The teacher asked each child to tell classmates what they were responsible for at home.

"My job," said one truthful little guy, "is to get out and stay out."

# NAACP fires lawyer for representing KKK

GALVESTON (AP) — Texas NAACP President Gary Bledsoe says he presented the group's chief lawyer a choice: the NAACP or the Ku Klux Klan.

Galveston attorney Anthony Griffin apparently made the wrong selection, and it cost him his job.

Bledsoe said Friday he has dismissed Griffin as the group's attorney because his dual role as a lawyer for the Klan conflicted with his duties at the NAACP. Griffin is representing the KKK in a court battle over the release of its membership list.

"Basically, we asked him to choose one or the other," Bledsoe told the Galveston Daily News.

"We told him that if he chose to represent the Klan this week (in court) he would be abdicating. ... I'm just sorry that he chose to represent the Klan," he said.

But Griffin said he was unaware that his appearance in court earlier this week on behalf of the Klan would result in his dismissal. He also said that he had not been told of his removal from office.

"This is the first time I've heard it," he said. "It sounds like I've been fired — and a client has every right to do that.

"But when it comes to commenting on the rightness or wrongness of that decision, I feel an obligation to wait until they tell me to my face."

Still, Griffin said he planned to attend the civil rights organization's state convention in Austin Saturday. He said he has an obligation to be there since he hasn't formally been notified he has been dismissed.

Bledsoe said association bylaws give him sole authority in hiring or firing the group's general counsel. Bledsoe is running for reelection Saturday against Ernest Deckard, head of the NAACP branch in Lyons.

Griffin has received national media attention — as well as harsh criticism from some officials with the National Association for the Advancement of Colored People — for his decision to represent Klan grand dragon Michael Lowe.

Griffin, widely considered to be one of the state's top civil rights lawyers, was asked by the American Civil Liberties Union to defend the KKK in a court battle over its membership lists.

The state is trying to force the Texas Knights of the Ku Klux Klan to turn over its membership rolls, arguing that the information is needed to conduct a criminal investigation. The state won the initial round in district court earlier this week when a state district judge in Austin ordered Lowe to turn over the records.

While making it clear he wholeheartedly opposes the Klan, Griffin has insisted that all organizations have a constitutional right to protect their membership lists.

Griffin points out that court precedents protecting membership lists are based on decisions in cases where the government attempted to get records of the NAACP on the pretext that it was a subversive organization. Some of those attempts were made in East Texas less than 25 years ago.

Some delegates at the NAACP state convention have threatened to petition the national office to revoke Griffin's membership in the NAACP.

But Bledsoe, who has publicly said throughout the dispute that he respects Griffin's ability and integrity, said he thought Griffin would continue to "work with everyone who is willing to work with him."

"I respect his position," Bledsoe said. "I just disagree with it, as lawyers will do. It's not the conflict with his position that's the problem. It's the conflict between the organizations."

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## Bingo tops SC agenda

Bingo will be the featured game of Monday's Game Day in the Senior Citizens Center. Play will begin at 10 a.m. An eight-ball tournament will also begin Monday morning.

Senior citizens will be electing new representatives to the center's Advisory Board from Monday through Wednesday. Voting will be from 9 a.m. to 1 p.m. each day.

Hoss Clayton and his band will be performing in the Senior Citizens Center dining room at 11 a.m. Tuesday. The Local Yokels will take the stage at 11 a.m. Thursday. The Sunshine Choir will meet for rehearsal at 10 a.m. Friday and the Sing Along for everybody will begin at 11:30 a.m.

A new band, the Senior Strings, will begin performing in the center on the third Friday of each month starting Oct. 15.

The Senior Center will be assisting the Ritz Community Theatre by accepting reservations for "Barefoot in the Park" through Oct. 15. The play will be presented in the Martha Ann Woman's Club starting Oct. 7 and will have its final performance on Oct. 17. Senior citizens who would like to give volunteer time for this project are invited to contact Pamela Fenton, activities director at the center.

A new game in the center is the Cowboy Scoreboard. Each senior citizen may place his or her name in a square on a board in the center each Thursday. The winner is determined by the score of the next Cowboy football game and receives a free salad bar at the Golden Corral.

The Senior Center will be issuing identification cards for local senior citizens Nov. 3-5. These cards carry valuable information about the card holder and can also be shown at local businesses which give discounts to senior citizens. Senior citizens who can give volunteer time to help with making the cards are invited to contact Mrs. Fenton.

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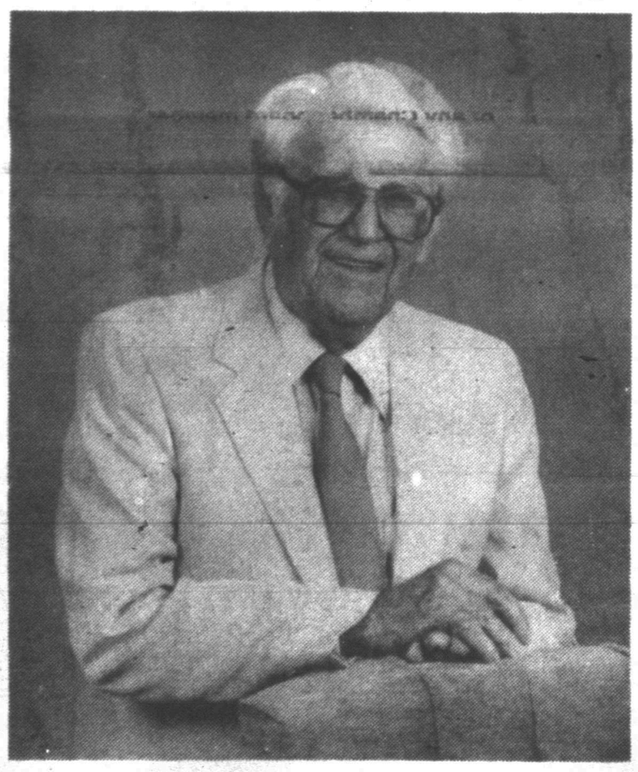
## A Bright Spot in our Hometown



When Scurry County's United Way fund drive needed a boost, the obvious choice as honorary drive chairman was a volunteer who has served his community for more than 50 years.

Leighton Griffin, better known as "Doc," is heading up the 1993 Scurry County United Way campaign. This effort and many others over the years has earned Doc the hometown spirit award presented each month by Snyder National Bank.

A native of Bell County in Central Texas, Doc Griffin came to Snyder with his family in 1927. His father, the late Ira Ancell Griffin, was recruited to Snyder and operated the Emergency Hospital that was then located above Stinson Drug on the north side of the square.

A 1931 graduate of Snyder High School, Doc attended the University of Texas for one year and returned to Snyder during the Depression and worked as a soda skeet at Stinson Drug.

He worked in the grocery business in Snyder for 25 years, first for Piggly Wiggly and later as a partner with Rex Miller in D&R Grocery.

Doc Griffin started a new career and retired after more than 25 years as the tax assessor-collector for the City of Snyder. After retirement, the city called on him to work part-time as the environmental control officer.

When Golden Terrace Village opened in 1984, Doc Griffin became manager. He retired as manager of the senior citizen complex in 1991.

In addition to his United Way work, Doc was an active member of the Lions and Kiwanis Clubs. He is past president of both as well as the AARP. Doc is now a member of the Golden K Kiwanis Club.

Doc has been active in Boy Scouting all his life. He became a Scouting volunteer in 1971. He has received some two dozen or more scouting awards, including the Silver Beaver — the highest award given an adult volunteer.

Doc is no stranger to the United Way effort which raises funds for a variety of service agencies in Scurry County. He is a former United Way board member and has worked in almost every fund drive since 1957. In 1978-79, Doc was chairman of the public employees division.

Doc married Wanda Shepherd in 1939. She died in 1990. He marrid Sue Dickey in January, 1991. They are members of the Colonial Hill Baptist Church.

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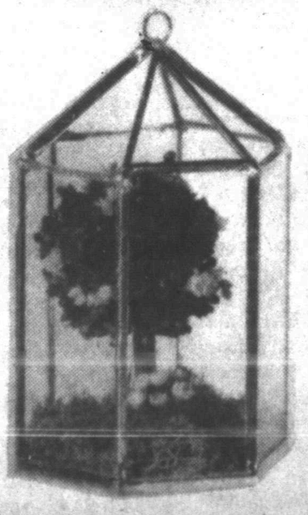

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# Ginsburg seated on high court

WASHINGTON (AP) — Supreme Court Justice Ruth Bader Ginsburg took her seat at the bench Friday in a ceremony marking the first time two women sat together on the nation's highest court.

With President Clinton and more than 300 friends, family and guests looking on, Ginsburg again swore to "do equal right to the poor and to the rich."

She took the same oath Aug. 10, when she became the 107th Supreme Court justice.

Ginsburg's new colleagues shook hands warmly with her as she approached Chief Justice William H. Rehnquist for the oath.

She took her place down the bench from Justice Sandra Day O'Connor in an historic moment.

O'Connor became the first female justice in 1981. That year, Ginsburg predicted to a university audience that another woman would join O'Connor within the decade.

Ginsburg replaced retired Justice Byron R. White, who sat in the president's row along with retired Justices William J. Brennan and Lewis F. Powell. Clinton was the first Democratic president since Lyndon B. Johnson to name a member of the high court.

Attorney General Janet Reno presented Ginsburg's presidential commission to the court.

Rehnquist joined Ginsburg for the traditional walk down the Supreme Court building's marble front steps. The chief justice took an early exit at the bottom of the stairs as Ginsburg's family joined her.

The newest justice soon looked perplexed and exclaimed, "I'm looking for my husband." A few moments later, Martin Ginsburg bounded down the building's front steps to join the family portrait.

The high court held its first photograph session with Ginsburg when the justices met for coffee shortly before the investiture.

The court refused news media organizations' request to televise the courtroom ceremony.

Ginsburg, a pioneering women's rights advocate and former federal appellate judge, is expected to be a more liberal justice than White. During the early 1970s she made the then-radical legal argument that the Constitution generally requires equal treatment for men and women.

Ginsburg joins a conservative court, but one that seems to lack an overriding ideological agenda.

Justices Harry A. Blackmun and John Paul Stevens, Midwest Republicans, are the court's most liberal members.

SCHOOLDAYS — Central third graders in Kathy Moore's and Kathy Spoor's classes performed *School Days* for a school assembly. Students in Moore's class shown in photo one are from left, top row: Taylor Cotton, Jason Burns, Enrique Perez, Zipporah Peoples; Amanda Rivera and Carissa Barrett; middle row: Marina Barrera, Cassi Guerrero, Jacob Pechacek, Tory Green, Rachel Cave, Barbara Lester and Erin Cooley; bottom row: Travis Thompson, Whitt West, Justin Martinez, Osvaldo DeSantiago, Trey Bowlin, Ashley Blevins, Tiffany Stanley and Kyle Bartels. Students in Spoor's class shown in photo two are from left, top row: Daniel Medrano, Jeremy Autry, Karen Rodriguez, Ashley Rodriguez, Alicia Hall, Stephanie Martinez and Wendi Whittenburg; middle row: Trey Roland, Clay Williams, Kellie Dodson, Debra Bollinger, Afton Sutter, Courtney James; bottom row: Ryan Coffey, Hailey Putnam, Lance Fletcher, Duran Lopez, Daniel Masias, Sara Cantu and Horacio DePaz. Tyger McClain is not pictured. (SDN Staff Photos)

## Two cents worth

ANNAPOLIS, Md. (AP) — Any time Sam Donaldson is ready for a new look, the people of Maryland are willing to put their 2 cents in — but not much more than that.

About two dozen people have mailed meager contributions to the "Sam Donaldson Hairpiece Replacement Fund."

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# Mother of slain federal agent says cult leader is to blame

LAKE CHARLES, La. (AP) — The mother of a slain federal agent says the only animosity she feels about her son's death during a raid on a religious compound is directed at dead cult leader David Koresh.

Marjory LeBleu, the mother of agent Conway LeBleu, said a scathing report on the failed February raid at the Branch Davidian compound in Waco doesn't really make a difference to her.

"We only know what we've seen on TV, and they didn't have the whole report, so it's not fair for me to make any comments on it at all," she said.

"There is nothing I can say that is going to bring Conway or the other boys back."

A report by the U.S. Treasury Department released Thursday said planners of the ambush knew cult members had been tipped off.

The report also said Alcohol, Tobacco and Firearms officials decided to raid the cult compound without considering less risky options.

Following the report's release, Treasury Secretary Lloyd Bentsen replaced the ATF's director and suspended five of the bureau's top officials.

LeBleu, 30, was one of the four agents slain in the Feb. 28 fight. LeBleu grew up in Lake Charles. His wife, Paige, and two sons live in Hammond.

Marjory LeBleu said she is still trying to sort out her feelings about the circumstances surrounding her son's death.

"I really can't say what I feel. We have been grieving since the 28th of February," she said. "One report is not going to change things. And if I have any anger, it's toward David Koresh and his followers and that's how I feel.

"I just feel sorrow for the innocent victims and the children left behind."

Rob McCorquodale, one of Conway's closest friends, recently helped set up a trust fund for the agent's two children, Scott Henry, 11, and Cameron Wayne, 1.

"I'm very reluctant to criticize the ATF agents because hindsight is always 20-20," McCorquodale said. "It's been the easiest on me to think that it was necessary. But it's very disturbing to know that Conway's loss wasn't absolutely necessary."

## 'Geraldo' dispute

NEW YORK (AP) — Geraldo Rivera says soap star Brent Jasmer is a cheap publicity-seeker. Jasmer's spokesman says Rivera is one to talk.

Jasmer, who stars in "The Bold and the Beautiful," met his birth mother on a "Geraldo" show that was taped Sept. 13 and aired Thursday.

Jasmer, 28, said that he was happy to see Elizabeth Fobes but that he had repeatedly said he wanted a private reunion. He said he was tricked into the public meeting.


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# Hearing scheduled

HOUSTON (AP) — A Mexican national sentenced to death for killing a Houston police officer will get a new hearing after a federal judge ruled the conduct of police and prosecutors may have caused the misidentification of the condemned man.

During an evidentiary hearing scheduled for Nov. 15, U.S. District Judge Kenneth M. Hoyt will consider whether police and prosecutors acted improperly in the investigation and trial of Ricardo Aldape Guerra.

Aldape Guerra, 31, was sent to death row for the July 13, 1982 shooting of Officer James Harris. The case has attracted the attention of civil rights activists and the Mexican government, with supporters claiming he was wrongly convicted.

"I'm pleased we'll finally have an opportunity to prove what we've been saying all along, that he was innocent and was convicted as the result of some unfair procedures," attorney Scott Atlas said.

In court documents, Atlas contends prosecutors and police intimidated witnesses into testifying that Aldape Guerra was the gunman.

Atlas and Aldape Guerra contend the gunman was actually Roberto Carrasco Flores, who later was killed by police.


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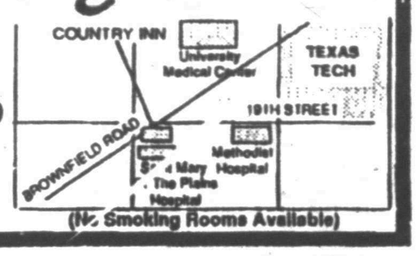


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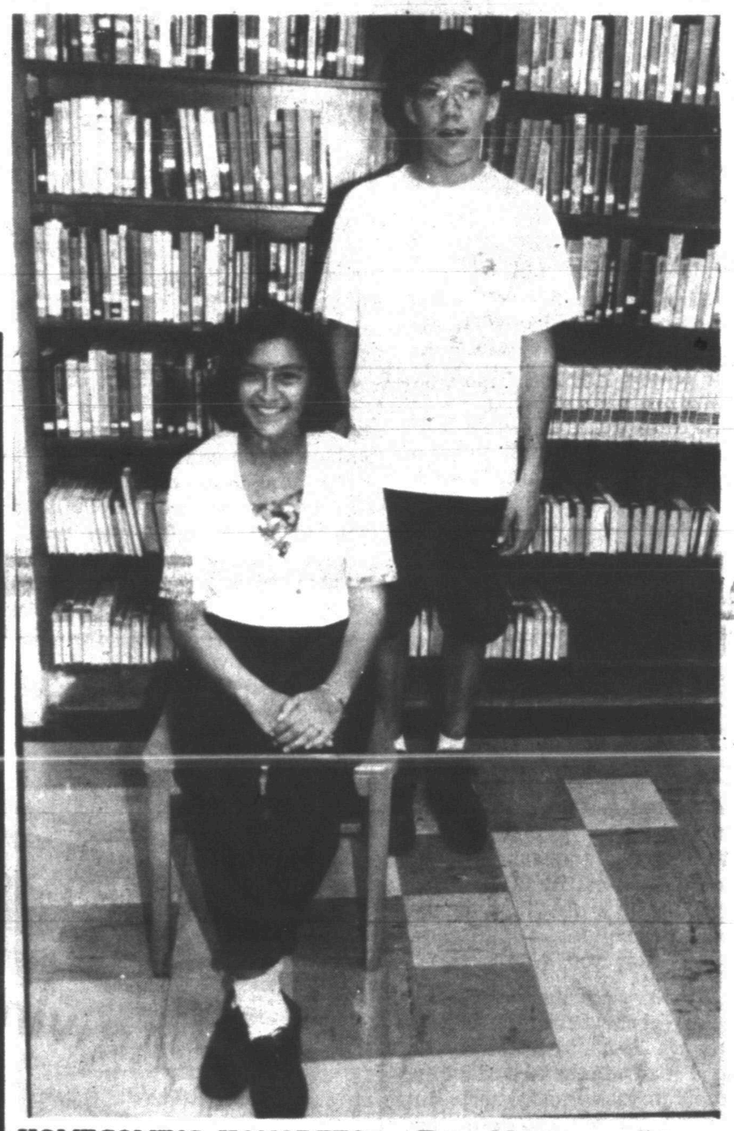

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## Date Book

Oct. 2, 1993

*Today is the 275th day of 1993 and the 11th day of fall.*

**TODAY'S HISTORY:** On this day in 1967, Thurgood Marshall was sworn in as the first black associate justice to the U.S. Supreme Court.

**TODAY'S BIRTHDAYS:** Mohandas K. Gandhi (1869-1948), Indian political and spiritual leader; Groucho Marx (1890-1977), comedian; Graham Greene (1904-1991), writer; Maury Wills (1932-), baseball star, is 61; Rex Reed (1938-), film critic, is 55; Don McLean (1945-), singer-songwriter, is 48; Sting (1951-), singer-songwriter, is 42.

**TODAY'S SPORTS:** On this day in 1968, Bob Gibson struck out a World Series record 17 batters as the St. Louis Cardinals defeated the Detroit Tigers 4-0 in game one.

**TODAY'S QUOTE:** "Happiness is never really so welcome as changelessness." — Graham Greene

**TODAY'S WEATHER:** On this day in 1981, lightning blasted a crater on a city street in Prospect, Conn.

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**TODAY'S MOON:** Between full moon (Sept. 30) and last quarter (Oct. 8).

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Oct. 3, 1993

*Today is the 276th day of 1993 and the 12th day of fall.*

**TODAY'S HISTORY:** On this day in 1990, East and West Germany were politically reunited.

**TODAY'S BIRTHDAYS:** Thomas Wolfe (1900-1938), writer; Gore Vidal (1925-), writer, is 68; Chubby Checker (1941-), singer, is 52; Lindsey Buckingham (1947-), musician, is 46; Dave Winfield (1951-), baseball player, is 42; Dennis Eckersley (1954-), baseball player, is 39.

**TODAY'S SPORTS:** On this day in 1951, Bobby Thompson hit the "shot heard 'round the world," a three-run homer that took the New York Giants to a pennant over the Brooklyn Dodgers.

**TODAY'S QUOTE:** "A narcissist is someone better-looking than you are." — Gore Vidal

**TODAY'S WEATHER:** On this day in 1988, 7.87 inches of rain fell on Nimes, France, in three hours, resulting in floods and mudslides that caused eight deaths and $634 million in damage.

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## Snipes in trouble

LOS ANGELES (AP) — Wesley Snipes is making a name for himself as a bust-em-up movie cop. But that doesn't mean he can tote a gun anytime he wants in the real world.

The 31-year-old actor pleaded no contest Thursday to carrying a loaded weapon. He was placed on two years' unsupervised probation and fined $2,700.

Snipes, who played policemen in "Rising Sun" and "Passenger 57," was represented by an attorney and didn't appear in court.

A bystander spotted a 9mm semiautomatic pistol under Snipes' jacket when his motorcycle overturned Aug. 3.

## Financial Focus

The debate goes on: Should you purchase a mutual fund through a full-service investment representative and pay a "load" (up-front sales charge), or should you buy directly from a "no-load" fund and possibly avoid a sales charge?

With the purchase of a conventional load fund, you get the immediate and future advice and service of the fund's representative. It would seem, then, that your need for advice and service should be a major consideration in deciding which type of fund to buy. Nevertheless, thousands of individuals forsake advice and service to avoid a sales charge. Ironically, many of these investors still end up paying for professional advice.

For example, Eric Kobren offers a newsletter that provides advice on a large family of no-load funds. His subscribers number more than 100,000 individuals, and they invest more than $10 billion in this family of funds.

The New England Monthly recommends Kobren's service on the basis that no-load funds have become "so complicated that customers were desperate for an unbiased source who could explain what was what." One subscriber says he used to spend at least 10 hours a week studying his no-load funds. Now, with this paid service, he is "...hiring (Kobren) to do my reading and advising..."

What investors pay Kobren to do through his newsletter is nothing more than what they would pay a competent registered investment representative to do if they purchased a load mutual funds.

For instance, the newsletter promises to show investors how to select the mutual funds that best meet their needs. It says that investors don't need to own 10 to 20 different funds to earn excellent returns. Owning just "three to six funds and three trades a year" should do it. But which funds and what trade? That's for shareholders to decide - and they pay a handsome annual subscription for the challenge.

On the other hand, a full-service investment representative generally offers this service face-to-face. In fact, the full-service broker is under strict regulations to make sure that the funds investors purchase are appropriate for their stated investment objectives. Part of the sales charge goes to pay for this service.

More and more investors are finding that seleting the proper mutual fund from more than 3,500 offered to the public can be demanding and costly. What those investors save in sales charges they may end up paying in subscription fees, not to mention the time they spend monitoring their investments.


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# Dr. Gott By Peter Gott, M.D.

DEAR DR. GOTT: My mother is in a nursing home, and I've made an unusual observation while visiting. Whenever patients have their fingernails clipped, they grimace as though in great pain. Does something change with age to cause nail cutting to be a difficult experience?

DEAR READER: I don't believe so. I, too, have noticed this phenomenon, and I've concluded that it is not related to discomfort. Nursing home residents, who are often confused and disoriented, will frequently grimace during any activity, such as bathing or shaving, that is performed by another person.

I think this is identical to the response of small children, who will often cry or make faces when having their hair cut or washed. They just don't want to be a part of this activity — and they let us know it. To a large degree, elderly, demented patients adopt the same posture.

DEAR DR. GOTT: Please devote a column to menopause. I'm 82 years old and suffer terribly during the day. Nights are tolerable. I hate to wear sweaters, take them off, and go through the inconvenience of this situation.

DEAR READER: At the end of their reproductive years, when the ovaries stop making the female hormone estrogen, many women experience an array of signs and symptoms. These include hot flashes, moodiness, sweats, emotional swings, difficult intercourse and osteoporosis, to mention just a few.

Such menopausal symptoms can be quite disabling to a woman in her 40s and 50s. But they can be helped by using supplemental estrogen to compensate for the natural deficiency.

Notice that I said "40s and 50s." This is the time when virtually 100 percent of women experience menopause, to one degree or another. Thus, menopausal symptoms in someone 82 years of age would be extraordinarily unusual. Therefore, I urge you to be examined by your family doctor.

Your symptoms may not reflect menopause at all. You could be anemic, for example, or have a glandular disorder, such as hyperthyroidism. Your doctor can diagnose your condition with an examination and blood tests. If necessary, he will refer you to a gynecologist for another opinion.

To give you more information, I am sending you a free copy of my Health Report "Menopause." Other readers who would like a copy should send $1.25 plus a long, self-addressed, stamped envelope to P.O. Box 2433, New York, NY 10163. Be sure to mention the title.

Few people are unfamiliar with the Braille system of reading for the blind, yet few know much about its originator. I have abstracted the following information from an article by Dr. A.J. Dunning (Department of Cardiology, University of Amsterdam) in the June 1993 MD Magazine. Dr. Dunning has also written a book on the subject ("Extremes: Reflections on Human Behavior," 1992, Harcourt Brace and Co.)

Louis Braille was born in 1809, the son of a French saddle-maker. At the age of 3, he accidentally poked himself in the eye with one of his father's tools. No effective remedies were available at the time for such a serious injury. The eye was merely dressed with medicinal plasters and herbs. For unknown reasons, the child soon suffered an unusual complication: blindness in the other eye as well.

As the blind boy grew, he showed superior intelligence and an exceptionally retentive memory. His father taught him the alphabet and certain simple words by hammering letters made from hobnails in blocks of wood.

Because he could not possibly adapt to the rigors of the village school, Braille was sent to a small school for the blind in Paris. He enrolled at the age of 10. The school was little more than a workhouse, with poor accommodations and food. No one had developed a satisfactory method to teach the blind how to read.

Braille survived as best he could, working on simple handicrafts and playing music; he also vowed to find some kind of code by which he could bypass his eyes. He experimented with an awl and heavy paper. By the age of 15, he had developed a system using six raised dots that, by their numbers and arrangement, yielded 63 symbols.

The entire school soon committed to the project. Braille, his fellow students and the school's director constructed a simple drawing board over which a ruler moved with openings so dots could be printed on the reverse side of a piece of heavy paper.

In his teens, Braille became a teacher in his own school. He was gifted and never stopped working on ways to improve his system. In fact, he discovered that music could be transcribed, too; he became a church organist in his neighborhood.

Predictably, the established authorities rejected Braille's efforts, even though Braille publicized his invention in a booklet that was printed in the outmoded relief-letter method. Not until 1830, when post-Napoleonic France revived under King Louis-Philippe, did Braille begin to achieve recognition — largely because some of his pupils had become teachers at other institutions. His invention was demonstrated at exhibitions and in concerts by blind musicians. He also devised a typewriter with 10 metal prongs that inscribed raised dots on paper.

In 1852, Braille died of tuberculosis, after having given away all his possessions and expressing gratitude that he had been permitted the opportunity to help those who shared his misfortune. He left an enormous legacy but was carried by horse cart back to his hometown, Coupvray, where he was buried.

However, in 1952, the French government restored the saddler's cottage he grew up in and transferred his body (minus the hands, which remain in Coupvray) to the Parthenon. Louis Braille's phenomenal contribution was finally acknowledged.

And phenomenal it is. Today, Braille is the universal alphabet of 40 million blind persons. Because the blind are undistracted by dominant visual information, they can "see" with their fingertips, "reading" 60 to 120 words a minute, translating up to 3,000 dots a minute into meaningful sentences. Braille reading is usually performed by an index finger, but the thumb, a toe or even the tip of the nose can be used.

Like the sighted reader, the blind reader perceives lines of text, not individual letters. Thus, Braille demonstrated that eyes and fingers are only organs of perception; the real interpretation of language takes place in the brain.

As Dunning concludes: "Braille could not have accomplished this without being blind; no sighted person could have had his intuition." Unquestionably, Braille was a great benefactor; he deserves to be honored for his remarkable achievement.

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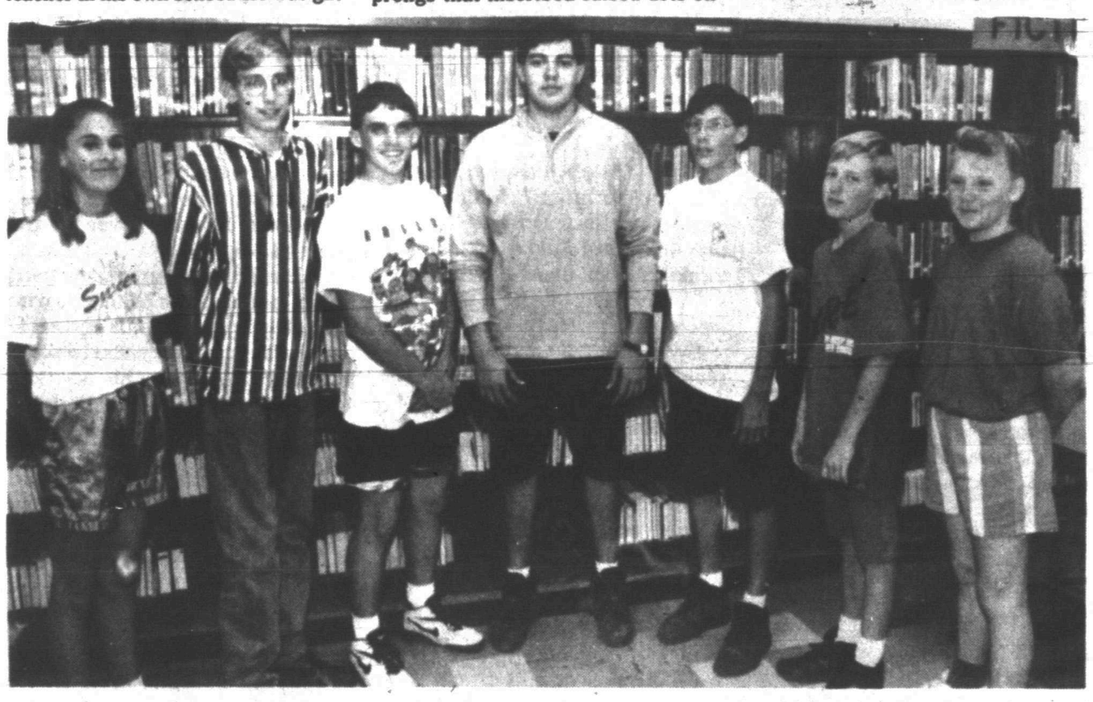

TOP MATH STUDENTS — Hermleigh's top math students for the first six weeks are fom left, Brandi Bates, algebra I; Jack Hudgins, algebra 2; Chris Roemisch, geometry; Chris Lambaren, trigonometry; Larry Lambaren, 8th math; Josh Hudgins and Jennifer Roemisch, 7th grade. (SDN Staff Photo)


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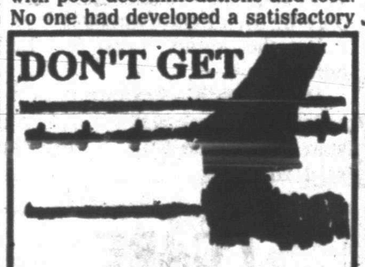

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UNDER PRESSURE — Dumas quarterback David Stone (16) tries to get off a pass as Tigers Chris Mills, behind Stone, Oliver Vasquez (66) and Jeff Armstrong (55) close in. The Tigers limited Dumas to just 180 total yards in Friday's 22-19 non-district grid win. (SDN Staff Photo)

# SHS exorcises Demons

## *Jones' 85-yard kickoff return difference in 22-19 victory*

By PHIL RIDDLE
SDN Sports Editor

They run it in practice all the time. Since August, there is no telling how many times the Snyder Tigers have practiced their now-famous starburst kickoff return.

All that practice paid off Friday night when senior Terrell Jones accepted the handoff from Lee Idom at the center of the star and scooted 85 yards for a touchdown with 1:19 to go, giving the Tigers a 22-19 come-from-behind non-district football win over Dumas.

Jones' last-minute heroics, along with a stellar defensive performance were the catalysts in Friday's SHS victory.

The beleaguered Tiger defense had given up nearly 400 yards a game before Friday's meeting. Dumas could manage only 180 total yards and just one pass completion.

"The kids played with a lot of emotion," said SHS defensive coordinator Jack Dorsett. "I think they had fun tonight, and I don't think they've been having fun.

"We've had that as a theme all week, just to have fun.

"We didn't do anything different," Dorsett reported. "We ran our base defense almost all night."

Snyder's defense had to come to the rescue early in the game as the offense gave up four first-half turnovers, three inside its own 30.

In spite of having great field position most of the first half, Dumas couldn't drive the ball on the Tiger defense and was able to come up with just 13 points.

"I thought we played pretty good defense," said Tiger head coach David Baugh. "We made enough mistakes early in the game to get behind by three or four touchdowns. We were very fortunate to hold them to 13 points with the field position they had."

Dumas opened the scoring with :23 left in the first quarter when quarterback David Stone fired into the end zone from a yard out on fourth and goal, capping a 49-yard, 10-play march.

The drive was highlighted by runs of 18, seven and three yards by Frank Chacon, who wound up rushing for a game-high 110 yards, and an 11-yard burst by fullback Joe Dan Rogers.

Dumas kicker James Charles added field goals of 40 and 37 yards, the first set up by Alfredo Medrano's interception of a Matt Cave pass, and the second coming on a fumble by Cave.

Snyder broke a seven-quarter scoring drought late in the second period when Cave scooted in from four yards away to leave the Tigers down by just seven at the break, 13-6.

Four minutes deep into the third frame, junior Chris Mitchell, who wound up with 90 yards and a TD on 16 tries, cut inside and broke at least three tackles on his way to a 45-yard touchdown. Matt Parker's PAT kick knotted the score at 13-all.

Parker punched in a 22-yard field goal at the 10:03 mark in the fourth to give Snyder its first lead of the game, before Dumas began what appeared to be a time consuming, back-breaking drive.

The Demons, led by Chacon, who carried the ball 14 times in the 17-play drive, went 80 yards for the go-ahead score.

Chacon did the honors, bouncing over from the one with 1:31 left in the game.

On the ensuing kickoff Charles, who had been making returns impossible by lifting kickoffs into the end zone, landed the boot just short enough for the Tigers to set up a return. Jones wound up with the ball, cut right, and was off to the races, streaking 85 yards untouched into the end zone for the winning tally.

Larry Thompson, playing safety for the SHS defense, swiped a Dumas pass to end the Demons' last possession.

"It was an ugly win," coach Baugh said. "But it was a win. We've got to figure out what's wrong with our offense and see if we can fix it."

"We have to throw more and we have to block better."

Snyder's offense gained only 184 yards to 180 for Dumas.

Cave completed two passes, both to split end Thompson, for 48 yards. He was sacked only once, but was pressured four times more.

The Tigers wound up their non-district slate with a 3-2 mark, which satisfies Baugh.

"If you look at who we've played in the first five games," he said. "I think we've been pretty successful."

Dumas is 1-4 after its first five outings.

Snyder opens District 2-4A competition next week at Levelland.

The Levelland tilt is followed by a trip to Lubbock on Saturday Oct. 16 to face Estacado, a home battle against loop favorite Plainview Oct. 22, a road trip to Lamesa on Oct. 29, then the regular-season finale here against Frenship.

# Cowboys gearing up for Green Bay

IRVING (AP) — The Emmitt Smith odyssey comes full circle Sunday when the NFL's leading rusher for the last two seasons makes his first start. Was his arrival on the scene too late to save the stumbling Super Bowl champions?

"I don't think so," Smith said. "It's not how you start, it's how you finish. I think we'll still get to the Super Bowl. And I still think I have a good shot at the rushing title."

Without Smith, the Dallas Cowboys struggled to find a running game behind rookie Derrick Lassic in losses to Washington and Buffalo. The Smith stalemate was such a distraction that the Cowboys were in helmet-throwing revolt.

Smith's mere presence on the sidelines against Phoenix was enough to get the running game in gear. In a backup role, he produced 45 yards in just eight carries in a 17-10 victory over the Cardinals while Lassic was scoring two touchdowns.

The 10-point favorite Cowboys have had two weeks to get ready for the Packers.

Besides working Smith back into the offense full-time, they inserted Ken Norton Jr. at middle linebacker and benched Robert Jones. A rookie, Darrin Smith, will play the weakside outside linebacker.

The Packers lead the all-time series 8-5 but Dallas won the last time the two teams met, 20-17 in 1991 at Milwaukee County Stadium.


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| Frenship | 4 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Estacado | 3 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Snyder | 2 | 3 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Levelland | 1 | 4 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Lamesa | 0 | 5 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |

**Friday, Oct. 1**
Snyder 22, Dumas 19
Coronado 34, Frenship 0
Levelland 17, Hereford 14
Littlefield 29, Lamesa 13
Roswell, N.M. 3, Estacado 0
Plainview 49, Palo Duro 6

**Friday, Oct. 8**
Snyder at Levelland
Estacado at Lamesa
Plainview at Frenship

## Head-to-head

| | Snyder | Dumas |
|---|---|---|
| First downs | 7 | 9 |
| Yards rushing | 136 | 172 |
| Yards passing | 48 | 8 |
| Passes-completed | 2 of 9 | 1 of 9 |
| Intercepted from | 1 | 1 |
| Fumbles-lost | 3-3 | 0-0 |
| Penalties-yards | 3-45 | 9-57 |
| Punts-avg. | 4-31.8 | 5-28.3 |

**Score by quarters**

| | | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Snyder | 00 | 06 | 07 | 09 | -22 |
| Dumas | 07 | 06 | 00 | 06 | -19 |

**Scoring summary**

DUM 1st Q; :23; David Stone 1-yard run. PAT James Charles; 7-0.

DUM 2nd Q; 8:36; Charles 40-yard FG; 10-0.

DUM 2nd Q; 6:10; Charles 37-yard FG; 13-0.

SNY 2nd Q; :41; Matt Cave 4-yard run. PAT no good; 13-6.

SNY 3rd Q; 8:00; Chris Mitchell 45-yard run. PAT Matt Parker; 13-13.

SNY 4th Q; 10:03; Parker 22-yard FG; 16-13.

DUM 4th Q; 1:31; Frank Chacon 1-yard run. PAT no good; 19-16.

SNY 4th Q; 1:19 Terrell Jones 85-yard kickoff return; PAT no good; 22-19.

**Individual statistics:**

Rushing: Snyder — Chris Mitchell 16 carries for 90 yards, TD; Keith Orosco 6 carries for 32 yards; Matt Cave 8 carries for 15 yards; Terrell Jones 1 carry for -1 yards; Dumas — Frank Chacon 21 carries for 110 yards, TD; Joe Dan Rogers 12 carries for 48 yards; Armando Venzor 12 carries for 15 yards; David Stone 7 carries for -1 yards.

Passing: Snyder — Matt Cave 2-9 for 48 yards, 0 TDs, 1 int.; Dumas — David Stone 1-9 for 8 yards, 0 TD, 1 int.

Receiving: Snyder — Larry Thompson 2 catches for 48 yards; Dumas — Joe Dan Rogers 1 catch for 8 yards.

# Oilers seek solutions to team's shaky start

HOUSTON (AP) — How much more turmoil can the Houston Oilers take without falling completely apart?

Or, have they already?

The team with nine Pro Bowl performers and Super Bowl aspirations, started its spiral in January with a humiliating 41-38 playoff loss to Buffalo after leading 35-3 in the third quarter.

"We certainly haven't done much since then to get our confidence back," coach Jack Pardee said.

The downhill slide has featured one controversy after another, threatening to rip the team apart before the season even reaches the halfway point.

The arrival of defensive coordinator Buddy Ryan led to ruffled feelings over Ryan's old comment about the run-and-shoot which he renamed the "chuck and duck."

Ryan hasn't uttered the comment since arriving, but has said the Oilers problems haven't been the defense's fault.

Pardee has received increasing criticism for not firing up his talented team. Losses two weeks in a row haven't helped.

"Its hard to have a lot of self-esteem right now," Pardee said. "Losing breeds more negativeism and it affects us all some."

The Oilers had nasty contract negotiations with defensive tackle Ray Childress and took until deep into training camp to sign No. 1 draft pick Brad Hopkins, who had been ticketed as an immediate starter at left tackle.

They're 1-3 going into Sunday's open date following last Sunday's 28-13 loss to the Los Angeles Rams, which intensified questions about Pardee's job security.

A week earlier, quarterback Warren Moon was removed from the game after throwing four interceptions in an 18-17 loss to San Diego, fueling speculation the he's over the hill.

Now comes their bye week and Camp Turmoil is in full session.

Pardee is still the coach and Moon is still the quarterback. Owner Bud Adams gave Pardee a vote of confidence and Pardee says Moon is still his quarterback for the Oilers next game — Monday night against Buffalo.

The once prolific offense has scored more than two touchdowns in a game only once in the last 13 games. Problems with injuries in the offensive line have contributed to the sluggishness and given Moon happy feet in the pocket.

Mike Munchak, a perennial Pro Bowler, has been injured all season. Hopkins was a late arrival because of a contract holdout.

"You have three of the top six offensive linemen different from last year," offensive coordinator Kevin Gilbride said. "Some of these guys are struggling. They're playing their hearts out but it's not quite the same guys we had before."

Pardee didn't hesitate a minisecond when asked if Moon would start against the Bills. "Yes," he said firmly.


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# Lewis rallies to down Bruno

CARDIFF, Wales (AP) — Lennox Lewis, apparently on the road to defeat, suddenly found a short cut to victory with a blasting left hook in the seventh round that enabled him to keep the WBC heavyweight championship early Saturday morning.

Frank Bruno, the 31-year-old challenger trying for the third time to be a heavyweight champion, dominated the first half of the fight and had Lewis in trouble early in the seventh round. Then the unbeaten Lewis unleashed a thunderous left hook that turned Bruno's legs to rubber. Lewis followed with a barrage of head punches that sent Bruno into a neutral corner, where Lewis continued his attack.

Then as Lewis hit Bruno with a left to measure him for a right, referee Mickey Vann pulled the champion back and warned him.

Lewis leaped back to the assault with another barrage and Vann stopped the first heavyweight title match between two Britons at 1:12 of the seventh round.

Judge Adrian Morgan of Britain had Bruno leading 59-55 after six rounds, but judges Tony Castellano and Jerry Roth of the United States saw it 57-57 each.

The AP card had Bruno leading 59-55 after six rounds.

Before the fight, Lewis had said that British boxing fans would remember it forever. The 28-year-old champion, however, might choose to forget a performance that certainly won't raise his stock in the United States, where he will be compared with unbeaten Riddick Bowe, who is recognized as champion by the IBF and WBA.

Lewis went into the fight before an estimated crowd of 20,000 in the famed rugby stadium at Cardiff Arms Park as a heavy favorite, but Bruno certainly didn't act like a big underdog.

"Bruno didn't surprise me at all," said Lewis, but the challenger certainly surprised a lot of ringsiders. Bruno didn't appear as tight and tense as in failed challenges against Tim Witherspoon for the WBA title in 1986 and against Mike Tyson for the undisputed title in 1989.

Witherspoon knocked him out in 11 rounds and Tyson stopped him in five.

When Lewis landed that thunderous left hook in the seventh, however, Bruno reacted as he had in his previous two challenges when he got into trouble. He didn't react at all.

Lewis said he came out cold and that the chilly, damp weather "bothered me." The champion entered the ring in a jacket, pants and a wool cap and spent each break between rounds wrapped in a blanket.

Bruno, meanwhile, paid no attention to the 40 degree cold.

Bruno, who weighed 238 pounds, 9 more than the champion, seemed to control the first five rounds by forcing the action and landing several hard jabs, stiff left hooks and one especially hard right.

# Broncos stampede Ira for 51-6 6-man victory

MEADOW — Ira was outmatched Friday, facing the No. 3 six-man football team in the state, Meadow, with only eight players suited up.

In spite of the Bronco's 51-6 non-district win, Ira coach Darren Janssen saw some positive things.

"We gave them a lot," Janssen said. "The boys did a really good job. We had three players starting in positions they've never played in and they played a hard game.

"Scott Strong started his first game at quarterback and I was real pleased with the way he handled himself. He showed a lot of composure."

Running backs Coy Henderson and Tomas Sanchez each rushed for 120 yards. Henderson scored the Bulldogs' only TD with a 77-yard blast in the second quarter.

Meadow jumped on top with just 16 seconds gone in the game when Tony Quintanilla rambled 70 yards with the opening kickoff.

The Broncos scored 40 points in the first quarter, including TD tosses of 27, 59 and 35 yards by Casey Rowland.

Meadow is undefeated in five games while Ira is winless in all its non-district starts.

The Bulldogs open District 6 play Friday, hosting Highland.

# 'Cats hand Hermleigh 42-0 non-district loss

GRADY — Hermleigh wound up its non-district football schedule Friday with a 42-0 loss at the hands of District 5 power Grady.

Standout running back Tommy Hewtty rushed for 151 yards and scored three touchdowns to lead the Wildcats.

Hewtty opened the scoring with a 51-yard kickoff return. Manual Aguirre made it 12-0 after one quarter when he picked up a Cardinal fumble in the end zone.

Grady quarterback Timmy Garza found Robert Moreno for an eight-yard TD pass, and Chris Hewtty scored from 11 yards out to stake the 'Cats to a 28-0 halftime lead.

Grady's final scores came in the third on a 28-yard scramble by Tommy Hewtty and a two-yard dive by Aguirre.

The Wildcats' record improves to 5-0, while Hermleigh slides to 1-4.

The Cardinals open District 6 competition next week, hosting defending loop champ Borden County.

# Sophomore QB leads Cougars past Coyotes

LAMESA — The Klondike Cougars posted their third non-district football win over a District 6 six-man opponent Friday, whipping Borden County, 51-6.

Klondike sophomore quarterback Tanner Etheridge threw for five touchdowns, ran for a score, and returned a punt 55 yards for a TD to pace the Cougars, who also have victories over Hermleigh and Ira to their credit.

Etheridge crossed the goal line from three yards out to give Klondike a 6-0 advantage in the first.

Borden County knotted the tally at 6-all with its only score, a first-quarter Cody Cox run of seven yards, before Klondike caught fire.

Esquiel Barrios snagged TD passes of 36 and 30 yards from Etheridge, Clayton Stone hauled in a scoring toss of 25 yards, Cody Oaks and Etheridge connected for 5 yards and a touchdown, and Mike Lee scooted 40 yards with a throw from the sophomore QB to wind up the scoring.

The game ended in the third period on the 45-point rule.

Klondike remains unbeaten in five starts on the season while Borden County is at 1-4.

The Coyotes open defense of their loop title Friday at Hermleigh.

### District 6-A(6)

| Team | Season | | District | |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| Highland | 4 | 1 | 0 | 0 |
| Borden Co. | 1 | 4 | 0 | 0 |
| Loraine | 1 | 3 | 0 | 0 |
| Hermleigh | 1 | 4 | 0 | 0 |
| Trent | 0 | 4 | 0 | 0 |
| Ira | 0 | 5 | 0 | 0 |

**Friday, Oct. 1**

Klondike 51, Borden County 6
Highland 64, Novice 20
Abilene Christian at Trent
Grady 42, Hermleigh 0
Meadow 52, Ira 6
Loraine at Wilson

**Friday, Oct. 8**

Borden County at Ira
Highland at Ira
Loraine at Trent

# Western Texas riders claim berths in finals

VERNON — Five Western Texas College roughstock riders earned spots in Saturday's finals at the Vernon Regional Junior College NIRA Rodeo.

In addition, two calf ropers and three members of the WTC women's team held top-ten spots with Saturday's slack yet to go.

The rodeo winds up Saturday with the 7:30 p.m. short go, featuring the top 10 qualifiers in each event.

Bareback riders Travis Whiteside and Troy Thomson scored 69 and 64 points, respectively to snag two berths in the event's finals.

Whiteside went into the finals in second place. Thomson was in fifth with one ride left.

Saddle bronc riders Fletcher Tigner, Bronc Collier and Trey Griffin will also represent WTC in the finals Saturday night.

Tigner wound up the long go in a third place tie with 69 points. Collier was in fifth with his 67, followed by a sixth-place 65 from Griffin.

Leddy Lewis and Dean Passuto were resting in seventh and 10th place in calf roping before Saturday morning timed-event slack.

Lewis had a first go time of 10.7, while Passuto tied his calf in 11.2 seconds.

Almost certain for slots in the championship finals are WTC women's team members Leslie Greer, Mandy Harsh and Dusti Beaton.

Greer held first place in breakaway roping and was the runner-up in goat tying before Saturday morning's slack. The WTC sophomore posted a 2.7, to lead second-place Harsh's 2.9 in breakaway roping, then rang up an 8.5 in goat tying, barely ahead of teammate Beaton's fourth-place 8.9.

# Gonzalez rips homer in win

ARLINGTON (AP) — Juan Gonzalez hit his career-best 46th home run to take another step toward his second consecutive major league title as the Texas Rangers beat the Kansas City Royals 2-0 Friday night.

Winner Roger Pavlik pitched three-hit ball for 8 1-3 innings and Tom Henke set a club record with his 40th save.

Gonzalez's fourth-inning shot to left snapped a scoreless tie and sent the Rangers to their fifth victory in their last six games. Seattle's Ken Griffey Jr. hit his 45th homer Friday to stay within striking distance.

Gonzalez returned to the lineup Thursday after missing nine consecutive games with a back problem and homered to reassume the major league lead with 45. Friday's shot marks the 34th time in major league history a player has hit 46 or more homers.

## SDN sports week

**Sunday, Oct. 3**

**Golf**
Couples Turkey Shoot at Snyder Country Club. Tee-off at 1:30 p.m.

**Tuesday, Oct. 5**

**Volleyball**
Snyder varsity, JV and freshmen at Seminole. Matches begin at 5:30 p.m.

**Thursday, Oct. 7**

**Football**
Snyder JV hosts Levelland at 7 p.m.
Snyder freshmen at Lamesa at 4:30 p.m.
Snyder eighth grade at Lamesa. B game at 5 p.m. A game at 6:30 p.m.
Snyder seventh grade hosts Lamesa. B game at 5 p.m. A game at 6:30 p.m.
Ira Junior High hosts Trent at 6 p.m.

**Rodeo**
WTC rodeo team at Sul Ross State University Rodeo in Alpine.

**Friday, Oct. 8**

**Football**
Snyder Tigers at Levelland at 7:30 p.m.
Ira hosts Highland at 7:30 p.m.
Borden County at Hermleigh at 7:30 p.m.

**Rodeo**
WTC rodeo team at Sul Ross State University Rodeo in Alpine.

**Saturday, Oct. 2**

**Volleyball**
Snyder Lady Tigers JV and varsity at Levelland. Matches begin at 2 p.m.

**Tennis**
SHS varsity hosts Estacado at 10 a.m. at Snyder Junior High.
SHS JV at Brownfield at 1 p.m.

**Rodeo**
WTC rodeo team at Sul Ross State University Rodeo in Alpine.

**Golf**
Snyder boys' golf team vs. Frenship at Sundown at 9 a.m.


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# High school football scoreboard

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**Class 5A**

Abilene Cooper 30, Odessa 13
Aldine Eisenhower 20, Aldine 7
Aldine MacArthur 59, Houston Smiley 0
Alice 32, CC Carroll 27
Arlington Bowie 28, Arlington Sam Houston 21
Arlington Lamar 24, Arlington Martin 10
Austin Crockett 16, Round Rock 14
Austin Johnston 21, Austin High 17
Beaumont Central 23, Baytown Sterling 9
Beaumont West Brook 17, Vidor 0
Brazoswood 17, Pearland 13
Burleson 52, FW Southwest 6
CC Ray 20, CC Moody 18
Canutillo 49, Bayard Cobre (N.M.) 0
Conroe McCullough 51, Spring 25
Converse Judson 34, SA Taft 7
Crowley 34, Midlothian 6
Cypress Creek 25, Cypress-Fairbanks 12
Dallas Adams 28, North Dallas 6
Dallas Kimball 21, Dallas South Oak Cliff 7
Dallas Sunset 52, Dallas Skyline 0
DeSoto 20, Garland Lakeview 6
Deer Park 35, Baytown Lee 19
Del Rio 35, Laredo Martin 28
Denton 10, WF Rider 0
Edinburg 26, La Joya 7
EP Andress 21, EP Austin 20
EP Bel Air 24, EP Socorro 19
EP Eastwood 49, EP Del Valle 0
EP Irvin 23, EP Jefferson 8
EP Montwood 46, EP Ysleta 30
EP Riverside 28, EP Hanks 3
El Paso 34, EP Burges 11
Euless Trinity 38, FW Wyatt 0
FW Paschal 25, FW Eastern Hills 14
Flower Mound Marcus 21, Allen 7
Fort Bend Clements 23, Angleton 21
Fort Bend Willowridge 27, Fort Bend Kempner 3
Galveston Ball 38, Texas City 19
Garland 21, South Garland 3
Grapevine 21, The Colony 14
Harlingen 45, Brownsville Porter 7
Harlingen South 13, Brownsville Hanna 10
Houston Cypress Creek 45, Houston Cypress-Fairbanks 12
Houston Jones 14, Houston Austin 7
Houston Memorial 7, Alief Hastings 0
Houston Milby 32, Houston Reagan 0
Houston Northbrook 37, Rosenberg Terry 8
Houston Sharpstown 36, Houston Bellaire 16
Houston Washington 33, Houston Waltrip 0
Houston Westbury 39, Houston Lee 3
Houston Yates 57, Houston Sam Houston 0
Humble 29, Humble Kingwood 25
Hurst Bell 35, FW Western Hills 21
Irving 16, Irving Nimitz 7
Katy Mayde Creek 14, Houston Langham Creek 10
Keller 20, Richland Springs 13
Killeen 36, Wilmer-Hutchins 18
Klein Forest 15, Huntsville 14
La Porte 37, PA Jefferson 0
Laredo Nixon 40, Laredo United South 8
Lewisville 35, Sherman 33
Lubbock Coronado 34, Frenship 0
Lubbock Monterey 14, Borger 7
Lufkin 37, Tyler Chapel Hill 20
McAllen Rowe 28, McAllen Memorial 7
Midland Lee 14, San Angelo Central 7
Mission 24, McAllen High 23
Nacogdoches 24, Texas High 23

**Class 4A**

A&M Consolidated 42, Austin LBJ 7
Alamo Heights 40, Smithson Valley 0
Andrews 38, San Angelo Lake View 10
Austin Reagan 25, San Marcos 0
Austin Travis 6, SA East Central 3
Austin Westlake 34, Killeen Ellison 14
Bay City 36, Bryan 7
Beeville 27, Robstown 24
Big Spring 28, Monahans 10
Brazosport 41, Hitchcock 6
Brenham 24, Conroe Oak Ridge 3
Bridge City 24, Hamshire-Fannett 17
Brownwood 44, Georgetown 14
CC Calallen 64, Port Lavaca Calhoun 7
Carthage 21, Atlanta 7
Channelview 22, Friendswood 14
Clear Brook 28, Dickinson 17
Columbia 21, Houston Strake Jesuit 21 (tie)
Conroe Scarborough 20, Houston Wheatley 6
Corsicana 24, Dallas Jesuit 7
Dallas Hillcrest 34, Paris 23
Denison 41, Dallas Samuell 12
El Campo 35, Bastrop 17
FW Brewer 21, Boswell 3
Granbury 28, Waco Midway 18
Greenville 17, Ennis 14
Gregory-Portland 35, CC Flour Bluff 10
Hays 28, Taylor 0
Henderson 21, Marshall 14
Highland Park 34, Terrell 14
Houston C.E. King 27, Dayton 21
Jacksonville 39, Kilgore 6
Kingsville 16, Tuloso-Midway 0
La Marque 41, Santa Fe 14
Levelland 17, Hereford 14
Liberty-Eylau 36, PA Jefferson 12
Lindale 26, Kaufman 12
Lockhart 21, Austin McCallum 7
Magnolia 21, Liberty 20
Mercedes 44, Toluca (Mex) 0
Mount Pleasant 42, Longview Pine Tree 28
Navasota 35, Crockett 21
New Braunfels 16, Schertz Clemens 13
Palestine 27, Hallsville 12
Pampa 15, Amarillo Tascosa 12
Pecos 25, Fort Stockton 6
Plainview 49, Amarillo Palo Duro 6
Pleasanton 35, Carrizo Springs 20
Port Neches-Groves 9, New Caney 0
Rockwall 25, Garland Naaman Forest 16
Round Rock McNeil 17, Manor 0
SA Memorial 32, SA Antonian 6
Seagoville 31, Justin Northwest 17
Sharyland 36, Los Fresnos 35
Snyder 22, Dumas 19
Stephenville 62, Breckenridge 3
Sulphur Springs 37, Whitehouse 0
Tomball 28, Livingston 7
Uvalde 35, Kerrville Tivy 27
Waco University 28, Cedar Hill 0
Waxahachie 23, Lancaster 7
West Orange-Stark 42, Jasper 7
Wharton 9, Waller 7
Wichita Falls 38, Amarillo Caprock 14

**Class 3A**

Abilene Wylie 39, Early 0
Alpine 28, Van Horn 8
Alvarado 19, Ferris 14
Amarillo River Road 34, Tulia 23
Ballinger 35, Coleman 0
Barbers Hill 24, Beaumont Kelly 7
Bellville 20, Hallettsville 7
Bridge City 24, Hamshire-Fannett 17
Buna 51, Kountze 13
Caldwell 28, Needville 7
Cameron 35, Lorena 7
Canton 28, Eustace 14
Center 63, West Rusk 0
Childress 14, Floydada 13
Clyde 40, Merkel 0
Coldspring 60, Grapeland 0
Columbus 26, Sealy 16
Comanche 21, Eastland 20
Crandall 25, Kennedale 6
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Daingerfield 26, Clarksville 15
Denver City 29, Crane 20
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Elkhart 41, Trinity 19
FW Lake Worth 16, FW Castleberry 14
Fairfield 42, Hearne 0
Falfurrias 60, Brownsville St. Joseph 0
Forney 12, Athens 7
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George West 27, Nixon-Smiley 13
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Goliad 40, Palacios 7
Graham 35, Mineral Wells 10
Greenwood 39, Abilene Cooper 16
Hebbronville 16, Roma 13
Hidalgo 17, La Feria 14
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Hooks 14, North Lamar 6
Ingleside 28, Aransas Pass 26
Ingram 35, Bandera 23
Iowa Park 34, Wellington 7
LaGrange 40, Hempstead 8
Lampasas 27, Fredericksburg 9
Linden-Kildare 20, Queen City 19
Littlefield 29, Lamesa 13
Longview Spring Hill 14, Pleasant Grove 6
Lubbock Roosevelt 49, Kermit 2
Mabank 33, Brownsboro 14
Madisonville 40, Teague 6
Marble Falls 27, Brady 21
Marlin 35, Troy 3
Medina Valley 33, SA Cole 14
Mexia 12, Mart 6
Mount Enterprise 21, Oakwood 20
Muleshoe 27, Colorado City 7

**Class 2A**

Archer City 57, Henrietta 0
Arp 34, Big Sandy 8
Aubrey 10, Nocona 0
Bangs 27, Dublin 20
Banquete 14, Ben Bolt 14 (tie)
Bells 39, Anna 12
Blanco 27, SA St. Anthony 0
Blooming Grove 7, Valley Mills 0
Boyd 14, Holliday 13
Brackettville 28, Asherton 8
Bullard 58, Union Grove 0
Caddo Mills 28, Whitewright 7
Canadian 21, Perryton 13
Celina 45, Dallas Temple Christian 0
China Spring 40, Whitney 19
Cisco 57, Albany 26
Clifton 12, Academy 7
Cooper 30, Odessa 13
Crosbyton 28, Ralls 20
Cushing 39, Colmesneil 24
East Bernard 49, Industrial 20
Edgewood 14, Malakoff 0
Eldorado 26, Coahoma 7
Electra 42, Knox City 7
Florence 28, Bruceville-Eddy 0
Freer 34, Riviera 0
Garrison 8, Hemphill 7
Godley 15, Venus 14
Goldthwaite 41, DeLeon 0
Gruver 14, Boys Ranch 0
Hamlin 67, Hawley 6
Harmony 14, Harleton 13
Honey Grove 42, Muenster 8
Hull-Daisetta 34, Hardin 9

**Class 1A**

Alvord 33, Windthorst 0
Anton 28, Farwell 0
Baird 70, Tolar 0
Bremond 41, Coolidge 0
Bronte 42, Menard 9
Celeste 53, Savoy 7
Center Point 40, Sabinal 21
Charlotte 35, Falls City 0
Chilton 18, Waco Parkview 2
Collinsville 55, WF Notre Dame 0
Crawford 21, Hubbard 13
Dawson 32, Normangee 0
Evant 8, Cross Plains 7
Flatonia 16, Poth 14
Gunter 56, Maud 0
Happy 42, Clarendon 14
Hart 33, Plains 13
Hico 54, Millsap 0
Iola 48, Apple Springs 8
Leakey 13, Nueces Canyon 6
Lindsey 43, Hallettsville Sacred Heart 13
Meridian 37, Wortham 12
Munday 32, Olney 15
Nazareth 35, Vega 19
O'Donnell 30, Motley County 8
Petersburg 21, Sudan 14
Petrolia 29, Bryson 3
Pettus 56, Shiner St. Paul 14
Rankin 43, Midland JV 0
Rising Star 38, Gorman 14
Robert Lee 53, Irion County 21
Roby 20, Santa Anna 0
Rocksprings 33, Harper 7
Roscoe 55, Miles 0
Runge 28, Weimar 26
Shamrock 13, Crowell 12
Spur 55, Lorenzo 0
Tenaha 21, Beckville 8
Throckmorton 14, Chico 14 (tie)
Union Hill 21, Prairiland 3
Valley View 33, Little Elm 0
White Deer 26, Kress 8
Wink 44, Marfa 0

**Six-Man**

Abbott 57, Bynum 20
Amherst 63, Lefors 42
Aquilla 37, Blanket 28
Aspermont 77, Lueders-Avoca 32
Buena Vista 82, Balmorhea 54
Cherokee 28, Paint Creek 26
Chillicothe 50, Miami 19
Covington 76, Blum 70
Dell City 60, Fort Hancock 28
Gordon 35, Lometa 22
Grady 42, Hermleigh 0
Groom 34, Samnorwood 6
Guthrie 66, Patton Springs 18
Harrold 33, Rule 7
Highland 64, Novice 20
Jayton 58, Blackwell 28
Klondike 51, Borden County 6
Loop 52, Southland 20
Meadow 52, Ira 6
Milford 64, Cranfills Gap 14
Mullin 40, Lohn 0
New Home 71, Wellman 25
Paint Rock 46, Brookesmith 21
Panther Creek 56, May 16
Richland Springs 67, Sidney 16
Rochester 71, Irdell 0
Ropesville 58, Whitharral 8

# Bowling News

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9-29-93

| Team | W | L |
|---|---|---|
| Better-N-Nothing | 16 | 0 |
| Red Man | 13 | 3 |
| ESP | 10 | 0 |
| Mark Thompson Team | 10 | 6 |
| Snyder Paint & Body | 10 | 6 |
| AJ Silkscreens | 9 | 7 |
| K&M Pumping | 8 | 8 |
| Mary Batchelor Team | 7 | 9 |
| Pizza Inn | 7 | 9 |
| Bobby Davis Team | 7½ | 8½ |
| Misfits | 6½ | 9½ |
| Woody Taylor Team | 6 | 10 |
| Wes Tex Drilling | 6 | 10 |
| Nolan Electric | 5 | 11 |
| Tom Seabourn Team | 4 | 12 |
| Edwin Jackson Team | 3 | 13 |

**High series:** Jack Beall 593; Sandra Clawson 518; **High game:** John Nichols 217; Jack Beall 217; Cindy Lindsey 203; **High handicap series:** Jack Beall 662; Beth Kellner 636; **High handicap game:** John Nichols 265; Cindy Lindsey 240.

**Converted splits:** Roger Pavlik 2-5-7; Ronnie Hines 3-10, 3-10; Helen Kellner 3-10; Dorothy Matthews 4-5; Sandra Clawson 3-10; Duchess Klein 2-7; Bobby Davis 3-10; Grace Beauchamp 5-10; Mary Pat Taylor 6-7; Jack Beall 3-10; Bruce Beall 3-10; [illegible]-10; Norma Seabourn 5-10; Morris Allred 3-10; Bonnie Allred 5-7, 3-10; David Lee 6-7; Condy Aikin 3-10; Donna Jackson 3-10; Woody Taylor 2-4-10.

**Most pins over average:** John Nichols 78; Cindy Lindsey 50; **Most pins over series:** Kenneth Kellner 93; Beth Kellner 75.

# Flag football league organizing

Teams or individuals interested in competing in a newly-formed flag football league must register by Wednesday.

Cost to play is $125 per team.

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

# WGA schedules Tuesday event

Snyder Country Club's Women's Golf Association will host its final play day of the season Tuesday, beginning at 10 a.m.

Format for the event will be Fairways Everywhere-Front Nine.

A luncheon and business meeting will follow competition.

# NFL glance

By The Associated Press
All Times EDT

**AMERICAN CONFERENCE**

| East | W | L | T | Pct. | PF | PA |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Buffalo | 2 | 1 | 0 | .667 | 64 | 46 |
| Indianapolis | 2 | 1 | 0 | .667 | 52 | 40 |
| Miami | 2 | 1 | 0 | .667 | 60 | 57 |
| N.Y. Jets | 2 | 1 | 0 | .667 | 89 | 47 |
| New England | 0 | 4 | 0 | .000 | 51 | 119 |
| **Central** | | | | | | |
| Cleveland | 3 | 1 | 0 | .750 | 79 | 66 |
| Pittsburgh | 2 | 2 | 0 | .500 | 92 | 75 |
| Houston | 1 | 3 | 0 | .250 | 81 | 79 |
| Cincinnati | 0 | 4 | 0 | .000 | 37 | 89 |
| **West** | | | | | | |
| Denver | 2 | 1 | 0 | .667 | 67 | 52 |
| Kansas City | 2 | 1 | 0 | .667 | 42 | 40 |
| LA Raiders | 2 | 1 | 0 | .667 | 57 | 39 |
| San Diego | 2 | 1 | 0 | .667 | 53 | 63 |
| Seattle | 2 | 2 | 0 | .500 | 61 | 59 |

**NATIONAL CONFERENCE**

| East | W | L | T | Pct. | PF | PA |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| N.Y. Giants | 3 | 0 | 0 | 1.000 | 69 | 37 |
| Philadelphia | 3 | 0 | 0 | 1.000 | 77 | 65 |
| Dallas | 1 | 2 | 0 | .333 | 43 | 58 |
| Washington | 1 | 2 | 0 | .333 | 76 | 67 |
| Phoenix | 1 | 3 | 0 | .250 | 64 | 76 |
| **Central** | | | | | | |
| Detroit | 3 | 1 | 0 | .750 | 78 | 63 |
| Minnesota | 2 | 1 | 0 | .667 | 32 | 44 |
| Chicago | 1 | 2 | 0 | .333 | 74 | 53 |
| Green Bay | 1 | 2 | 0 | .333 | 66 | 41 |
| Tampa Bay | 0 | 3 | 0 | .000 | 27 | 97 |
| **West** | | | | | | |
| New Orleans | 4 | 0 | 0 | 1.000 | 97 | 68 |
| San Francisco | 2 | 2 | 0 | .500 | 87 | 82 |
| LA Rams | 2 | 2 | 0 | .500 | 71 | 69 |
| Atlanta | 0 | 4 | 0 | .000 | 91 | 146 |

**Sunday, Oct. 3**

Atlanta at Chicago, 1 p.m.
Detroit at Tampa Bay, 1 p.m.
Green Bay at Dallas, 1 p.m.
Los Angeles Raiders at Kansas City, 1 p.m.
Indianapolis at Denver, 4 p.m.
Minnesota at San Francisco, 4 p.m.
New Orleans at Los Angeles Rams, 4 p.m.
Philadelphia at New York Jets, 4 p.m.
San Diego at Seattle, 4 p.m.
New York Giants at Buffalo, 8 p.m.
Open Date: Cincinnati, Cleveland, Houston, Pittsburgh, New England, Phoenix

**Monday, Oct. 4**

Washington at Miami, 9 p.m.

# Baseball glance

By The Associated Press
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**AMERICAN LEAGUE**

| East Division | W | L | Pct. | GB |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| x-Toronto | 94 | 66 | .588 | — |
| New York | 87 | 73 | .544 | 7 |
| Baltimore | 84 | 76 | .525 | 10 |
| Detroit | 84 | 76 | .525 | 10 |
| Boston | 80 | 80 | .500 | 14 |
| Cleveland | 76 | 84 | .475 | 18 |
| Milwaukee | 67 | 93 | .419 | 27 |
| **West Division** | W | L | Pct. | GB |
| x-Chicago | 92 | 68 | .575 | — |
| Texas | 86 | 74 | .538 | 6 |
| Kansas City | 82 | 78 | .513 | 10 |
| Seattle | 81 | 79 | .506 | 11 |
| Minnesota | 70 | 90 | .438 | 22 |
| California | 69 | 91 | .431 | 23 |
| Oakland | 68 | 92 | .425 | 24 |

x-clinched division title

**Friday's Games**

Chicago 4, Cleveland 2
Milwaukee 8, Boston 4
New York 9, Detroit 6
Baltimore 7, Toronto 2
Seattle 8, Minnesota 2
Texas 2, Kansas City 0
Oakland 7, California 2

**Saturday's Games**

Seattle (Fleming 11-5) at Minnesota (Banks 11-11), Noon
Milwaukee (Bones 10-11) at Boston (Sele 7-2), 1:05 p.m.
Detroit (Krueger 5-4) at New York (Abbott 11-13), 1:30 p.m.
Chicago (Alvarez 15-8) at Cleveland (Mlicki 0-0), 1:35 p.m.
Kansas City (Gordon 11-6) at Texas (Brown 15-11), 4:05 p.m.
California (Finley 15-14) at Oakland (Welch 9-10), 4:05 p.m.
Toronto (Hentgen 19-8) at Baltimore (Sutcliffe 9-10), 7:05 p.m.

**Sunday's Games**

Milwaukee (Eldred 16-16) at Boston (Minchey 1-1), 1:05 p.m.
Detroit (Wells 11-9) at New York (Kamieniecki 10-7), 1:30 p.m.
Chicago (Bere 11-5) at Cleveland (Grimsley 3-4), 1:35 p.m.
Toronto (Cox 7-6) at Baltimore (McDonald 13-13), 1:35 p.m.
Seattle (Leary 11-8) at Minnesota (Tapani 11-15), 2:05 p.m.
Kansas City (Appier 17-8) at Texas (Bohanon 4-4), 3:05 p.m.
California (Langston 15-11) at Oakland (Darling 5-9), 4:05 p.m.

**End Regular Season**

**NATIONAL LEAGUE**

| East Division | W | L | Pct. | GB |
|---|---|---|---|---|
| x-Phila. | 97 | 63 | .606 | — |
| Montreal | 93 | 67 | .581 | 4 |
| St. Louis | 85 | 75 | .531 | 12 |
| Chicago | 83 | 77 | .519 | 14 |
| Pittsburgh | 74 | 86 | .463 | 23 |
| Florida | 64 | 96 | .400 | 33 |
| New York | 57 | 103 | .356 | 40 |
| **West Division** | W | L | Pct. | GB |
| Atlanta | 102 | 58 | .638 | — |
| San Francisco | 102 | 58 | .638 | — |
| Houston | 84 | 76 | .525 | 18 |
| Los Angeles | 80 | 80 | .500 | 22 |
| Cincinnati | 72 | 88 | .450 | 30 |
| Colorado | 67 | 93 | .419 | 35 |
| San Diego | 60 | 100 | .375 | 42 |

x-clinched division title

**Friday's Games**

New York 4, Florida 1
Houston 2, Cincinnati 0
Montreal 6, Pittsburgh 3
Atlanta 7, Colorado 4
Philadelphia 4, St. Louis 2
Chicago 8, San Diego 5
San Francisco 8, Los Angeles 7

**Saturday's Games**

Pittsburgh (Cooke 10-10) at Montreal (Fassero 12-5), 1:35 p.m.
Philadelphia (Jackson 12-11) at St. Louis (Urbani 1-3), 2:15 p.m.
Houston (Portugal 17-4) at Cincinnati (Browning 7-7), 2:15 p.m.
Colorado (Reynoso 12-10) at Atlanta (Maddux 19-10), 3 p.m.
San Francisco (Hickerson 7-5) at Los Angeles (Hershiser 12-13), 3:05 p.m.
New York (Fernandez 4-6) at Florida (Rapp 4-5), 7:05 p.m.
Chicago (Morgan 10-14) at San Diego (Brocail 3-13), 10:05 p.m.

**Sunday's Games**

Colorado (Nied 5-8) at Atlanta (Glavine 21-6), 1:10 p.m.
New York (Schourek 4-12) at Florida (Armstrong 9-16), 1:35 p.m.
Pittsburgh (Hope 0-1) at Montreal (Martinez 15-9), 1:35 p.m.
Philadelphia (Rivera 13-9) at St. Louis (Arocha 11-8), 2:15 p.m.
Houston (Harnisch 16-9) at Cincinnati (Luebbers 2-5), 2:15 p.m.
San Francisco (Torres 3-4) at Los Angeles (Ka.Gross 12-13), 4:05 p.m.
Chicago (Harkey 10-10) at San Diego (Worrell 2-7), 4:05 p.m.

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*On-the-job deaths...*

# Women account for seven %

WASHINGTON (AP) — Women account for only 7 percent of on-the-job deaths, but 40 percent of these workplace fatalities are murders, according to the first comprehensive government accounting of how people die at work.

Only 15 percent of workplace deaths among men resulted from murder, according to the Labor Department study released Friday. Officials suggested the difference was due to the large number of women exposed to crime by working late at night.

Highway vehicle accidents caused the most job-related fatalities, said the survey. They accounted for 18 percent of the 6,083 fatal job injuries in 1992.

The study by the department's Bureau of Labor Statistics showed that homicides were a close second with 17 percent of the total, or 1,004 deaths.

"Relative to common perceptions, sales work is dangerous," Labor Secretary Robert B. Reich explained at a news briefing. "There are a lot of all-night convenience stores that simply are the scenes of crimes."

Although men represent 55 percent of the workforce, they comprise 93 percent of all job-related deaths, the study found.

The disproportion of deaths among men and women workers resulted from the differences in the industries and occupations in which men and women are typically employed.

Another anomaly: the self-employed and those working in family businesses accounted for 20 percent of the workplace fatalities.

Reich said the study represented the first national census of occupational deaths. It will be used in government efforts to improve the safety and health of American workers.

In light of the new data on motor vehicle deaths, Reich said he will reexamine a proposed rule requiring seat belts on the job that has been delayed for several years.

Transportation fatalities accounted for 40 percent of job-related deaths, the study found.

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# Strange colored pond probed

SAN BENITO (AP) — City officials are trying to clean up a large, shallow pond that alarmed nearby residents when it turned bright reddish-pink.

State biologists said Friday the discoloration is a natural occurrence — the result of high levels of sulfur-producing bacteria.

Neighbors complained the pond is often a site for illegal dumping, and some feared that toxins may have caused the strange color.

But Charles Webster, a biologist for the Texas Resource Conservation Commission, took samples and concluded that nothing toxic has been dumped into the water.

Sulfur bacteria blooms are known to cause stagnant water to turn red or pink in South Texas, Webster said.

"It happens every summer here in the (Rio Grande) Valley," he said.

San Benito Mayor Chuck Weekley said the city has been trying to contact the landowner since residents started complaining about bad odors last month.

The landowner, who lives in Matamoros, Mexico, has yet to respond, Weekley said.

The city wants to make the owner pay for refilling the pond with dirt and cleaning up the site, which is strewn with illegally dumped construction materials and other garbage.

Webster said the pond was created when the dirt was removed to be sold to the state highway department to help build overpasses decades ago. The owner never refilled the land, allowing rainwater to settle over an area roughly equaling two football fields.

The strange water color alarmed Norma Olvera, 22, a neighbor who is eight-months pregnant with a fetus diagnosed to have anencephaly — a rare birth defect preventing development of the child's brain.

Dr. Dennis Perrotta, chief of epidemiology for the Texas Department of Health, said it was "extraordinarily unlikely" that Mrs. Olvera's condition was related to the bacteria in the pond.

There are no studies suggesting a link between sulfur bacteria and neural tube defects, Perrotta said.

Perrotta said scientists aren't sure of all potential causes of anencephaly, so they're reluctant to rule anything out. But they agree that the birth defect is formed by the first weeks of pregnancy, he said.

Since the pond changed color recently, it is unlikely the bacteria effected Mrs. Olvera's early pregnancy period about seven months ago, Perrotta said.

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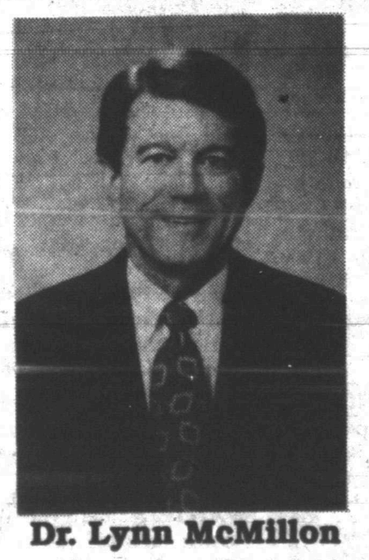


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Notice is hereby given that original Letters Testamentary for the Estate of W.D. Everett, Jr., Deceased, were issued on September 13, 1993, in Cause No. 5084 pending in the County Court of Scurry County, Texas, to: Verna Lou Everett, the residence of such Executor is Scurry County, Texas. The post office address is: 2603 El Paso Ave., Snyder, Texas 79549. All persons having claims against this Estate which is currently being administered are required to present them within the time and in the manner prescribed by law. Dated September 27, 1993.

BakerBrown
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Attorneys for the Estate

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MUSEUM EXHIBIT — Shirley Leftwich is shown holding a hat worn by Bill Hartsfield when he was a member of the Civilian Conservation Corp in the 1930s. The hat is one of the objects in a new exhibit opening Sunday depicting life during The Depression. (SDN Staff Photo)

# Navy secretary recommends resignation of top admiral

WASHINGTON (AP) — Navy Secretary John Dalton has accused the Navy's top admiral of a "lack of leadership" and said he should resign over the 1991 Tailhook sexual harassment scandal, a senior Pentagon source said Friday.

Dalton recommended to Defense Secretary Les Aspin that Admiral Frank Kelso II, the chief of naval operations, step down from his post, said the source, who spoke on condition of anonymity.

"Aspin has not yet made a decision," said the source, who added that Kelso was faulted for a "lack of leadership" in connection with the scandal over sexual assaults at a 1991 convention of Navy aviators.

In a report Friday, CBS News said Dalton also recommended Aspin discipline a dozen other admirals for their handling of the Tailhook scandal.

Pentagon spokeswoman Kathleen deLaski had no immediate comment.

Dalton has been reviewing files of senior Navy admirals who attended the Tailhook Association convention in a Las Vegas hotel where some 83 women and 7 men were assaulted. The association is a booster organization for naval aviators and had close ties to the Navy.

Kelso's resignation, if it is obtained, would be biggest shock yet in the two years that the scandal has rocked the Navy.

In June 1992, Dalton's predecessor, H. Lawrence Garrett III, took responsibility for "a failure of leadership" that allowed the event to occur and resigned.

In September 1992, then-acting Navy Secretary Sean O'Keefe stripped three admirals of their jobs for failing to investigate the incident aggressively. Two of them retired.

A senior Navy officer, who declined to be identified by name, said Kelso has played no role in reviewing Tailhook disciplinary cases and is not aware of any recommendations for discipline in the Tailhook case.

Kelso gave a speech at the 1991 Tailhook convention and most admirals involved in naval aviation attended the event at a Las Vegas hotel, that the Pentagon's inspector general concluded was marked by "an atmosphere of debauchery."

At the convention, women who ventured down one hotel hallway were forced to run a "gantlet" of drunken male aviators during which they were pinched and groped. Aviators fondled the genital areas of some women and forced others to disrobe.

The inspector general's report implicated 117 officers in incidents of sexual misconduct or conduct unbecoming an officer. The inspector general found that 51 officers had lied during follow-up investigations.

## Police clash with demonstrators

MOSCOW (AP) — Hundreds of hard-line protesters clashed with police in central Moscow Saturday, then barricaded a main street with wood, metal and burning tires. Several police and at least one protester were injured.

Witnesses said several riot police fired their pistols to disperse the crowd during the afternoon clash, about three blocks from the Russian parliament building which is occupied by lawmakers opposed to President Boris Yeltsin's order to disband the parliament.

## Reception

A retirement reception for Lone Star Gas Co. employee Bobbie Stroud will be held from 2-4 p.m. Friday, Oct. 8, at the local LSG office.

## Yearbook

The 1993-94 Tiger Times Yearbook is on sale in Room 113 at Snyder Junior High until Nov. 5. Reserve a copy by paying $12, or $6 now and $6 when the yearbooks arrive in the spring.

## ADD group

Parents and teachers are invited to attend the Attention Deficit Disorder support group meeting at 7 p.m. Tuesday in the Snyder National Bank meeting room.

A two-hour video on behavior management will be shown. For more information, call Charlesta Scott at 573-9522.

## Class of '43

Snyder High School Class of 1943 will have a 50-year reunion Oct. 8-9 at Willow Park Inn. A buffett will be held at 7 p.m. Oct 8. Events on Oct. 9 include breakfast at 8:30 a.m., get-together from 2-5 p.m. and supper at 7 p.m.

Class members, teachers and friends are invited.

# Serbs, Croats press Muslims

BELGRADE, Yugoslavia (AP) — Prospects for rescuing a peace plan for Bosnia-Herzegovina dimmed Friday as Serbs and Croats threatened to withdraw concessions previously offered to the besieged Muslim-led government.

Radio reports indicated an escalation of fighting in Bosnia.

In Geneva, international mediators Thorvald Stoltenberg and Lord Owen said they had no immediate plans to resume peace talks.

Bosnian Foreign Minister Haris Silajdzic said on Bosnian TV he had spoken with Stoltenberg and assured him of government willingness to continue peace talks.

The talks have centered on a plan to divide Bosnia into Serb, Croat and Muslim ministates. The Muslim-led Bosnian parliament on Wednesday rejected the current version of the plan.

"We gave the concessions in order that the plan be accepted," Momcilo Krajisnik, head of the Bosnian Serb parliament, said Friday. Now "there is no reason for giving concessions."

The Bosnian Serb assembly was to formalize its response at a meeting soon in Banja Luka.

Silajdzic said the government was suggesting international arbitration on territory taken by force, and reiterated parliament's demands for international guarantees of any peace plan. U.N. and NATO planners say up to 50,000 peacekeepers would be needed.

The Bosnian foreign minister stressed, "There will be no peace without a just peace. ... From our side there is the will to end hostilities."

He said he would do his utmost to ensure continuation of humanitarian aid during the coming winter.

Bosnian Croats met late Thursday in the Adriatic port of Neum, the focus of intense bargaining with Bosnian President Alija Izetbegovic's government.

# Prosecutor confronts Erik Menendez with inconsistencies in story

LOS ANGELES (AP) — A prosecutor challenged Erik Menendez' truthfulness Friday, suggesting the murder defendant lied about buying the guns he and his brother used to kill their millionaire parents.

Erik and his brother, Lyle, have testified they made a tour of gun stores in Santa Monica and San Diego on Aug. 18, 1989, before buying two Mossberg pump shotguns for protection from their parents.

Deputy District Attorney Lester Kuriyama told the witness one store he named didn't carry guns in 1989, and suggested he was lying.

Erik, 22, and Lyle, 25, are charged with the premeditated first-degree murder of their parents, Jose and Kitty Menendez on Aug. 20, 1989. They say they acted in self defense and the guns had been bought for protection from parents who threatened to kill them.

The prosecutor, seeking to show the killings were carefully planned murders for money, led Erik through the details of the gun purchase again.

## Obituaries

### Mr. Davis Jr.

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Services are pending at Bell-Cypert-Seale Funeral Home for Anderson Davis Jr. who died at 2:50 p.m. Thursday in Cogdell Memorial Hospital. He was 72.

## Registration begins for CROP walk

The sixth annual CROP walk, sponsored by Scurry County Ministerial Alliance, will be held Sunday, Oct. 24.

Walkers will meet at the courthouse at 1:30 p.m. The walk, five kilometers to Tiger Stadium, will begin at 2 o'clock.

Over the years, the walk has raised thousands of dollars to aid victims of natural disasters around the world, including the United States.

Monies also go to help develop the economies of third world countries.

Twenty-five percent of the funds stay in Scurry County to help the hungry through the Gentle Dove food ministries.

Walkers take pledges for each kilometer walked and turn in the money after the walk is completed.

Groups, churches or individuals interested in participating should contact Dr. Tim Griffin at the First Christian Church, 573-6115 or 573-6647.

## Museum

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mission is free. The public is invited to bring a "brown bag" lunch. Drinks and dessert will be provided.

—Tuesday, Oct. 12, Symposium in the Fine Arts Theatre from 10:45-11:30 a.m. Dr. Jim Palmer will chair as guest speakers reminisce about the Great Depression.

—Saturday, Oct. 16, Depression Era Antique & Collectibles Show from 10 a.m. until 6 p.m. in the museum. Admission is $1.

—Sunday, Oct. 24, a film, "The Grapes of Wrath," and a program from 1-4 p.m. Admission is free.

## Police note four arrests, three mishaps

Snyder police made four arrests and worked three traffic accidents Friday and early Saturday.

Police arrested a 49-year-old man at the courthouse at 4:53 p.m. Friday for public intoxication.

At 11:40 p.m. Friday, officers were called to a disturbance in the 1000 block of 27th Street where they arrested a 24-year-old man for Class C assault/family violence.

Police were called to another disturbance at 12:53 a.m. Saturday at the Kingswood Apartments. A 29-year-old man was arrested for public intoxication.

At 6:02 a.m. Saturday, police arrested a 26-year-old man in the 3200 block of College Avenue on a warrant for terroristic threats and for resisting arrest.

David Lane contacted police at 4:58 p.m. Friday in reference to the theft of two motorcycle helmets. A report for Class A theft was filed.

Police worked a traffic accident at 7:32 a.m. Friday in the 2100 block of 42nd Street. Involved were a 1979 Ford driven by Juanita Eckert of Rt. 1 Box 162 and a parked, unoccupied 1971 Chevrolet owned by Mike Cooper of 2111 42nd St.

Police worked a second accident at 3:02 p.m. Friday in the 3100 block of 37th Street. Involved were a 1977 Ford driven by Julie Arlene Dupuy of 708 Coliseum Drive and a 1992 Mercury driven by Emma Davis Cates of 3213 40th.

Officers investigated a third mishap at 6:01 p.m. Friday in the 700 block of 38th Street. Involved were a 1990 Cadillac driven by Michael Anthony Nelson of 2505 Ave. C and a 1987 Buick driven by Alfredo Arellano Arce of 1505 27th St.

At 1:03 a.m. Saturday, a woman came to the police department to report that her 14-year-old daughter had ran away from home. The girl was later located and released to her parents.

## Births

Tara Kesner announces the arrival of her brother, Reagan Scott, born at 10:47 p.m. Friday, Oct. 1 in Cogdell Memorial Hospital. He weighed 8 lbs., 10 ozs. Parents are Scott and Paula Kesner of Snyder. Grandparents are Jerry and Jo Kesner of Breckenridge, formerly of Ira, Nell Ivey of Imperial and Bill Ivey of El Paso. Great-grandparents are Wayne and Peggy Eubank of Snyder.

## Calvary cancels 'Teens Only'

Calvary Baptist Church has cancelled Saturday's "Teens Only" revival meeting.

All other revival services remain the same. They include three Sunday services: 9:45, 10:50 and 6 p.m. Monday through Wednesday services are set for 7:30 p.m.

Jamey Ragle will be the evangelist. A nursery will be provided for all services.

## Astro-graphs By Bernice Bede Osol

### Your Birthday — Sunday, Oct. 3, 1993

In the year ahead several new social interests might be developed which will increase your circle of friends and acquaintances. Some very nice people may enter your life.

**LIBRA (Sept. 23-Oct. 23)** Something you've been wanting to change but couldn't might undergo a transformation on its own today owing to outside factors. You'll like what transpires. Libra, treat yourself to a birthday gift. Send for your Astro-Graph predictions for the year ahead by mailing $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.

**SCORPIO (Oct. 24-Nov. 22)** In order for agreements or contracts into which you enter today to stand the test of time, the terms must equally benefit both parties concerned.

**SAGITTARIUS (Nov. 23-Dec. 21)** Success is indicated in most of your involvements today. However, the ones that could be the most productive pertain to your security and earnings.

**CAPRICORN (Dec. 22-Jan. 19)** An endeavor in which you're presently involved with several others has good probabilities for success; but it is poorly organized. See if you can't get the kinks out of it today.

**AQUARIUS (Jan. 20-Feb. 19)** Surprises could be in the offing. This may be a day of happy endings regarding three matters that are presently hanging fire. They can be tackled collectively, if you'll try.

**PISCES (Feb. 20-March 20)** If you've been considering getting involved in a new enterprise or project, try to take your first steps today. This is a good time for starting fresh endeavors.

**ARIES (March 21-April 19)** You might be luckier in your financial or material affairs today than you will be tomorrow. Don't postpone until later measures that can be taken now.

**TAURUS (April 20-May 20)** Without being self-serving today, you should be able to focus your efforts on endeavors that advance prominent, personal interests.

**GEMINI (May 21-June 20)** Your intuitive perceptions in your business dealings today could turn out to be your greatest asset. If you have a strong, persistent hunch, play it.

**CANCER (June 21-July 22)** You'll be more comfortable around friends today whose likes and dislikes are in close harmony with yours. Stay away from persons who view life differently than you do.

**LEO (July 23-Aug. 22)** Today you might be required to take some form of calculated risk in order to improve your lot in life. If all of the signals are positive, give it a try.

**VIRGO (Aug. 23-Sept. 22)** Try to include some form of physical exercise in you plans today, especially if you haven't been too active lately. A friendly, competitive sport could be the best.

### Your Birthday — Monday, Oct. 4, 1993

Your probabilities for fulfilling your objectives in the year ahead look great, but you must be patient. Victory is likely, so don't be discouraged by a sluggish pace.

**LIBRA (Sept. 23-Oct. 23)** Caution and prudence are required today in joint ventures, especially of a commercial nature. Proceed along traditional lines and avoid big risks. Major changes are ahead for Libra 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.

**SCORPIO (Oct. 24-Nov. 22)** Don't put yourself in a position today that would permit someone to make a decision for you who might not have your best interests at heart. Do your own thing.

**SAGITTARIUS (Nov. 23-Dec. 21)** Be very careful regarding how you talk about others today, because unkind comments will be traceable. Additionally, you could be opening yourself up for criticism as well.

**CAPRICORN (Dec. 22-Jan. 19)** Usually you're a reasonably good manager of your resources and you know how to get good mileage from the dollars you spend. Today, however, none of the above might be evident in your dealings.

**AQUARIUS (Jan. 20-Feb. 19)** It might prove best today not to do things for others you resent doing. If your heart isn't in your deeds, they'll be displeased and so will you.

**PISCES (Feb. 20-March 20)** Don't be afraid to ask questions today if you are dealing with critical information that affects others as well as yourself. No one will think less of you if you say you don't understand.

**ARIES (March 21-April 19)** A friend of yours you often felt never treated you with the same generosity you showered on him/her might give you more cause today to continue to think so.

**TAURUS (April 20-May 20)** Timing is of immense importance today, so don't try to prematurely push projects if they aren't ready. If you do, an endeavor that has possibilities might never come to fruition.

**GEMINI (May 21-June 20)** Today you might be inclined to compound your mistakes. To offset this, errors should be promptly corrected instead of trying to make the most of a bad development.

**CANCER (June 21-July 22)** It might not be wise today to get too deeply involved with a close friend in a commercial arrangement. If a misunderstanding arises, it could cause hard feelings on both sides.

**LEO (July 23-Aug. 22)** When striving for personal objectives today you might bruise associates in the process. Be a go-getter, but also try to be a decent guy.

**VIRGO (Aug. 23-Sept. 22)** Disengage yourself from unproductive procedures today if they aren't producing anticipated results. In order to be fruitful, you must be creative and flexible.


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TDCJ GRADUATES — These students graduated from Western Texas College's Texas Department of Criminal Justice correctional officer class this week. From left are, William Dean Adams of Fort Stockton, David Charles Balthrop of Throckmorton, Dirk Anthony Barrington of Wichita Falls, Henry Alton Butts of Abilene, Jack Cohorn of Lamesa; Heath Leon Cowan of Snyder, Kenneth Floyd Cribbs of Anson, Marcus Wayne Daughtry of Snyder, Phillip Clay Devore of Gorman, Karen Lanette Dixon of Colorado City; second row, Charles M. Dollins, Breckenridge, Jimmy Dale Drake of Lamesa, Anthony Todd Dunham of Snyder, Randy James Fisk of Snyder, Philip Sutton Gable of Early, Rudy L. Garcia of Brownfield, David Wayne Gray of Seymour, James Craig Hankins of Winters, Roberto Ornelas Hernandez of Pecos, Terry Martell Holden of Abilene; third row, Gary Blant McGee of Abilene, Nadean Morris of Post, Jimmy Don Otts of Throckmorton, Johnny Joe Ramirez of Rankin, Robert C. Rasberry of Abilene, Jimmy Don Roberts of Brownwood, Dagoberto Rivera Rodriguez of Lamesa, Michael Wayne Shankles of Big Spring, Peter Neil Wasleigh of Snyder, Troy Leon Watson of Muleshoe; top row, Jamie Redwine of Colorado City, Felix Vigil of Westbrook, Kimberly Roquemore of Snyder, and Leanord Dodgen, instructor. Not pictured is Perry Wristen of Lamesa. (SDN Staff Photo)

# Authority granted

AUSTIN (AP) — The Austin City Council has given Austin Community Television authority to write rules to prevent obscenity from being broadcast over public access television channels.

Rule-writing power was shifted to the non-profit ACTV board from the able Commission, which advises the city council on television issues. Under a negotiated contract, ACTV would manage the public channels for at least a year.

"It just delineates more clearly that the council is holding ACTV responsible for what goes out over access channels," said Mayor Bruce Todd.

# Wife of murdered man asks Texas AG for help

AUSTIN (AP) — A woman whose husband was among five people abducted from a Kentucky Fried Chicken restaurant in Kilgore and murdered a decade ago wants Attorney General Dan Morales to spur prosecution of the case.

"We feel like we've been just hung out to dry for the last 10 years," said Lana Maxwell Chiles at a Capitol news conference Friday. "Somebody's got to listen to us."

She has remarried since the September 1983 murders of David Maxwell, 20; Mary Tyler, 37; Opie Ann Hughes, 39; Joey Johnson, 20; and Monte Landers, 19. All were found in rural Rusk County with multiple gunshot wounds to their heads and backs.

The restaurant, which was robbed, was in Gregg County; the homicides occurred in Rusk County. Prosecutors in both counties have refused to send the case to grand juries, citing lack of evidence or lack of money.

"We just really need help on this," Ms. Chiles said.

"We're talking about five human beings. It wasn't just them that died. It's a piece of all of us that were the victims," she said. "I was pregnant at the time, and my son is almost 10 years old, and the killers still aren't caught."

Morales spokesman Ron Dusek said the attorney general's prosecutors assistance division hadn't yet received any information from Ms. Chiles, although she said she sent Morales' office material including a video of news reports a week ago.

"It is our policy to not get involved in the business of local district attorneys" unless they request assistance or there is information that such involvement is warranted, he said.


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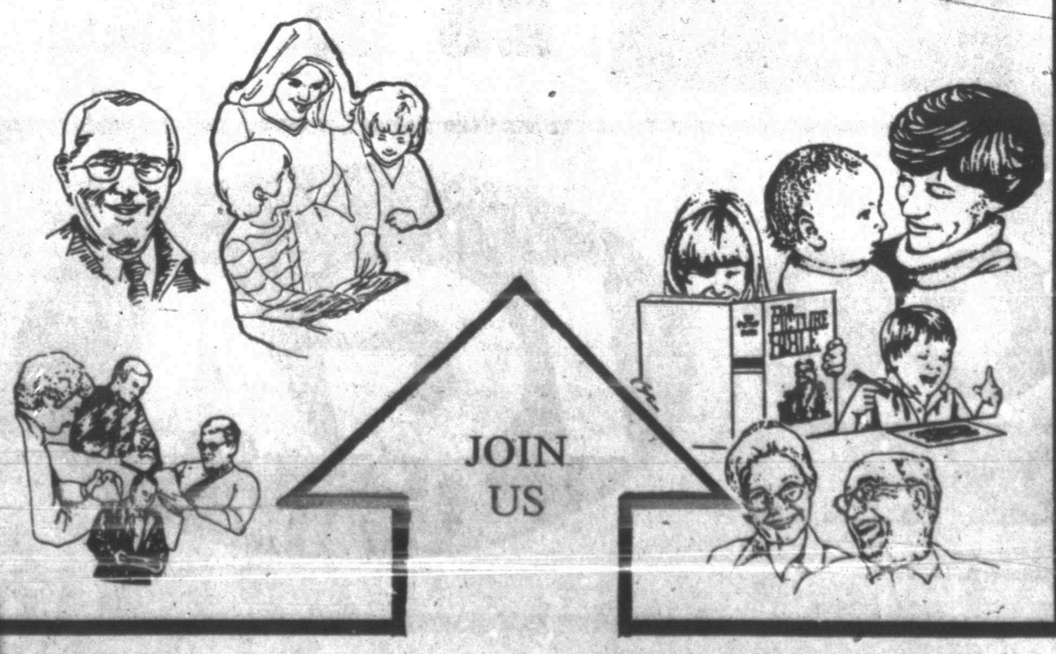




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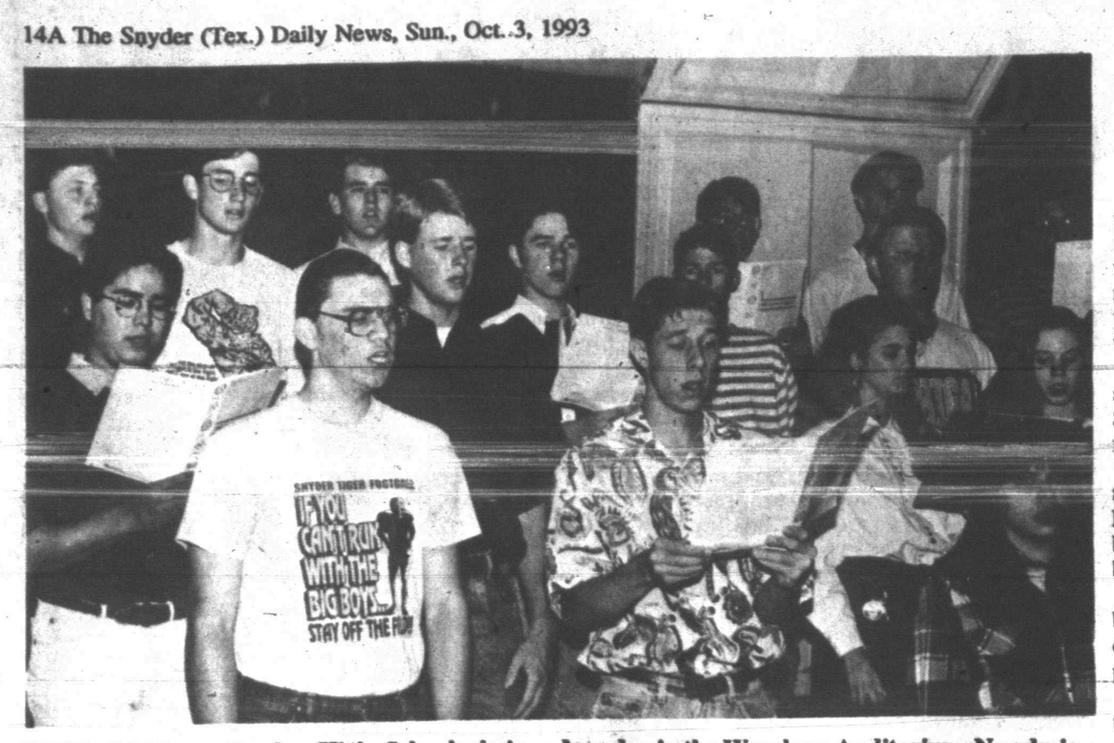


REHEARSAL — Snyder High School choir, under the direction of Melanie Smith, rehearses for a performance of all SHS choirs at 8 p.m. Monday in the Worsham Auditorium. No admission will be charged. (SDN Staff Photo)

# Federal judge fines, sentences ex-Congressman Bustamante

SAN ANTONIO (AP) — A federal judge Friday sentenced former congressman Albert Bustamante to 31/2 years in prison for racketeering and a concurrent two years for accepting an illegal gift while in Congress.

U.S. District Judge Ed Prado also ordered Bustamante to pay $55,100 in fines and court costs for the two convictions.

Bustamante, 58, will be allowed to surrender to authorities later. Prado said Bustamante likely will be permitted to remain free on bond pending appeal.

Bustamante told the judge he believes he ultimately will be cleared during the appellate process.

"I believe in the system," Bustamante said, as his wife, three children and other friends and relatives looked on.

Bustamante, who often spoke freely outside the courtroom during his trial last summer, had little to say after Friday's sentencing.

"I have no more comments. We'll address that on appeal," Bustamante said, trying to move away from a group of news reporters.

"I'm going to the moon — if they'll let me," Bustamante added, then ducked out of the federal courthouse.

Earlier, Bustamante had said he expected a sentence of about three years. The punishment was set under federal sentencing guidelines, which specify ranges of punishment depending on a number of factors.

Defense attorney Tony Canales described the federal sentencing system as "a mathematical grid computation" that lacks humanity.

The maximum Bustamante could have received was 20 years in prison on the racketeering conviction and two years in prison on the illegal gratuity conviction. Both charges also carried maximum fines of $250,000.

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# Meza will be allowed to live in Austin; protests possible

AUSTIN (AP) — Convicted child-killer Raul Meza will get his wish. He will be allowed to live in Austin where in 1982 he was sentenced for the slaying of an 8-year-old girl, state officials said Friday.

Meza, 32, will be released from the Uvalde County Jail within the next five to 10 days, according to his attorney Colin Amann of Houston.

That's the time needed to allow state officials to withdraw an arrest warrant on Meza. On Thursday, a parole panel ruled that Meza did not violate the conditions of his release from prison when he was arrested Aug. 31 at his grandparents' home near Uvalde.

The charge against him, which stemmed from a dispute with his grandfather, has been dropped, Amann said.

That clears the way for Meza to return to Austin, where he has said he wants to live.

"It's probably going to resemble Vicksburg," Amann said of the expected public outcry that has followed Meza for months.

"He has committed the most horrific crime anybody can imagine, but the fact remains that in the eyes of the law he has done the time," he said.

In 1982, Meza accepted a plea bargain agreement in which he confessed to killing Kendra Page. He was sentenced to 30 years. He received another four-year sentence in 1989 for having a weapon in prison.

He was released June 21 on mandatory supervision because his good time credits equaled his sentences.

Since then, Meza was bounced around several communities because of protests from people who did not want to have a child killer living there.

He eventually settled near Uvalde until his arrest.

Amann said he hopes Meza's return to Austin doesn't produce any incidents.

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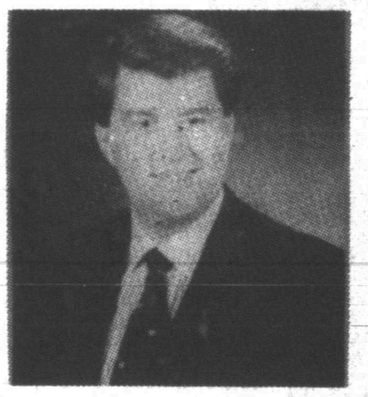

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# Scurry County Folks

By Shirley A. Gorman

Summer vacation for most folks usually means lots of play time and very little or no work. Not so for Diana Espinosa, a senior at Angelo State University, who served nearly three months as a volunteer counselor for LORMS, an acronym for Lutheran Outdoor Retreat Ministries.

The 1990 Snyder High School graduate spent May 25 through Aug. 15 organizing Christian day camps for children, the hardest and yet most fulfilling work she said she has ever done.

Espinosa and the five other LORMS counselors traveled throughout the state conducting the non-denominational camps for children four years old through the fifth grade.

Each Saturday found them at a new town or city, preparing to work with another set of youngsters. Classes were usually planned from 9 a.m. to 4 p.m. Each week, they traded age groups, but Diana said she preferred the four year-olds.

Though the day camps were non-denominational, Diana said they always held them at the Lutheran church.

Her LORMS volunteer work left her no margain for shyness as she was usually the one who stood before congregations of 200 to 300, apprising them of the work LORMS does and the day camp activities they had planned for the week.

Diana said they also attended the regular Sunday morning Bible class at each church, where they taught songs to the children and told them about upcoming camp activities.

They always wore their yellow staff T-shirts on Sunday mornings, she said.

A person qualified in first aid was always stationed at each camp because the counselors were not allowed to even put on a Band-Aid, Diana said.

Day camp participants were treated to field trips which Diana described as "excellent." Water Day was always a fun day. And there were lots of arts and crafts for the children to enjoy, she said. Most activities were planned out-of-doors to preserve the camp atmosphere.

The camps were always well attended. For Diana's first day she faced 15 eager four-year-olds who "amazed me," she said.

She was understandably "nervous" that first day; but she said she had gained "my confidence" by the third day.

She said they played "co-op games" where the children "had to figure things out in their heads." She especially liked those activities.

For example, Diana said she would lay a towel on the ground and all her children would be able to fit on it. Then she would fold the towel to make it smaller so the children had to think of ways they could all fit anyway. Each time she made the towel smaller the children had to get more creative in coming up with ways they could fit on the space.

These exercises identified the leaders and followers in each group, Diana said. She also noted that the exercises and activities were "drawn out" so the children could have more time to learn their lessons.

All the fun activities were designed to teach the children the importance of "going last and serving others."

At each day camp, Diana said, the counselor and his or her children were considered a village.

Each village took turns being in charge of the daily worship services, which were an important part of the camps. All the villages came together as a group for these services, which included scripture readings, songs and a special opening and closing.

The villages all joined together for "roundups" too, with the children performing skits depicting something they had learned in Bible study.

All-camp activities brought everyone together again so they

(See FOLKS On Page 2B)

BUSY SUMMER — Diana Espinosa, who is a senior at Angelo State University, spent a very busy summer helping to organize Christian day camps for children throughout the state. She is pictured with memorabilia from her volunteer work as a counselor for LORMS (Lutheran Outdoor Retreat Ministries). Diana graduated from Snyder High School and Western Texas College. She is the daughter of Manuel and Abelia Espinosa. (SDN Staff Photo)

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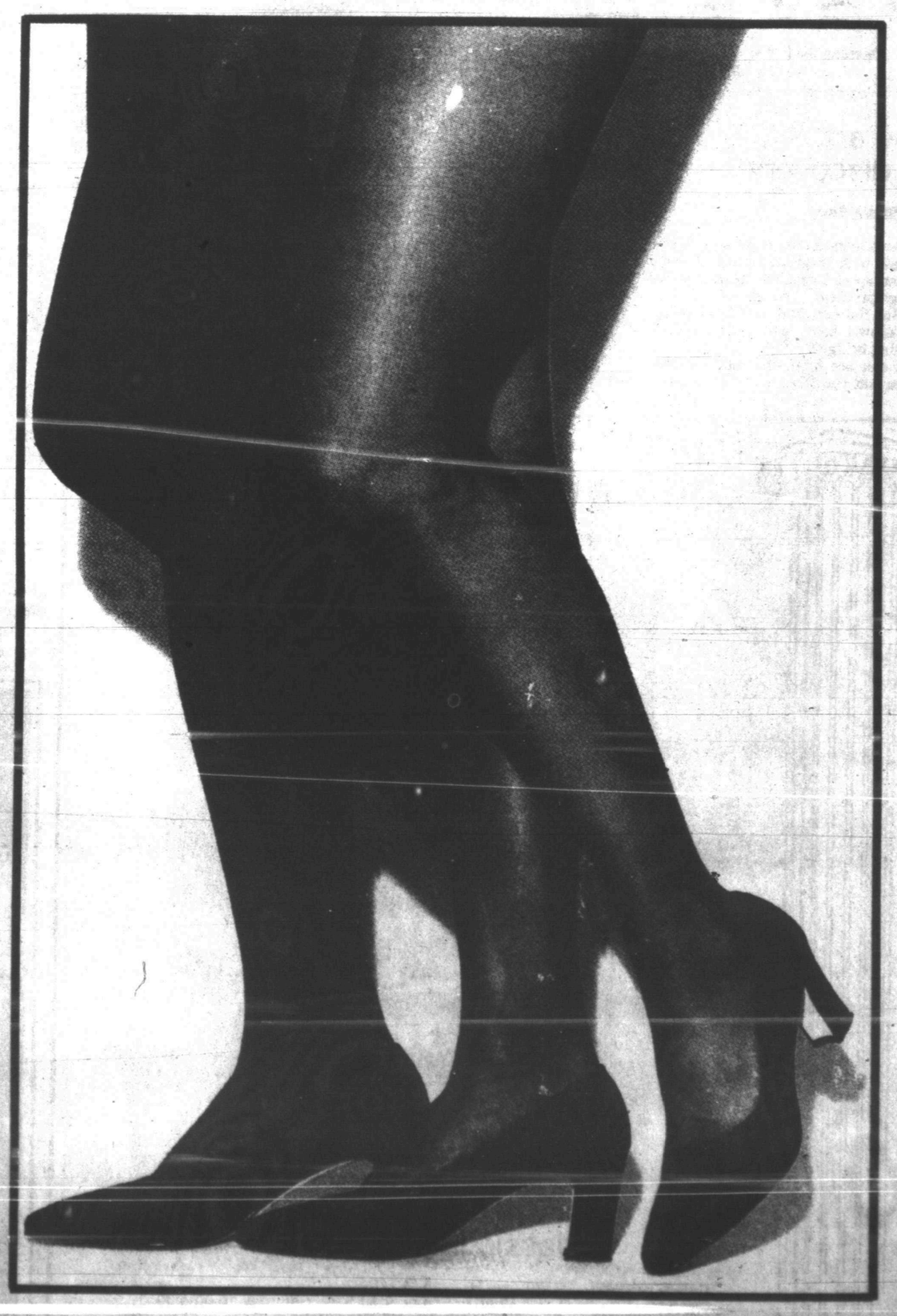

DECEMBER NUPTIALS — Mr. and Mrs. Royale D. Lewis of Gail announce the engagement and approaching marriage of their daughter, Shelly Dawn, to Scott Bolton, son of Mr. and Mrs. Bob Bolton of Alvin. The couple will exchange vows on Dec. 31 in the East Side Church of Christ in Snyder. (Contributed Photo)

## Bridge

By Phillip Alder

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### The art of discovery

By Phillip Alder

The meerschaum pipe was filling the air with fragrant smoke. Holmes looked up as I entered. "Show me the bridge problem," he said.

"But Holmes, how could you possibly know I have spent the afternoon playing bridge?"

"I can see from the mud on your shoes that you came here via the park. The only time you walk here by that route is after playing bridge at your club."

Of course.

I passed Holmes a sheet of paper showing only the North-South hands from the deal in the diagram.

"I was in seven spades. South led the diamond queen. As you can see, it's 'The Case of the Missing Queen.' But I didn't find her. Given that West has two trumps, how should I have planned the play, Holmes?"

"Leaving clubs until last, I win with the diamond ace, immediately ruff a diamond high in hand, lead a trump to dummy's queen, ruff another diamond, play another trump to dummy and ruff the last diamond."

"West discards a low club, Holmes."

"Excellent! Now I play three rounds of hearts, ruffing the last in the dummy."

"West discards another club."

"The final piece of the jigsaw, Watson. East started with one spade, six hearts and five diamonds. Therefore, he has only one club. I play a club to my king and, if the queen hasn't dropped, I finesse my club jack with assurance."

"Brilliant, Holmes."

"Elementary, my dear Watson."

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According to French philosopher Michel de Montaigne: "There is no man so good, who, were he to submit all his thoughts and actions to the laws, would not deserve hanging 10 times in his life."

## Scurry County Folks

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could enjoy games, sing-a-longs and "acting crazy."

Thursday evenings at camp were community celebrations where the campers were joined by their parents and other family members, Diana said.

Villages again put on skits. Everyone enjoyed the evening meal and then the parents were invited to see all the work their children had completed earlier in the week.

When two of her days camps were cancelled, Diana had the opportunity to help out with a beach camp conducted at Port Aransas, her first beach experience. Her group was 18-year-olds. There were four counselors, plus one cook.

Working with her group of 15 to 18 campers — all from Alvin — made that experience one of "the most awesome" of the summer, she said. On Mondays the village of the day always conducted the worship service.

They all also enjoyed a field trip to the Texas State Acquarium in Corpus Christi. Diana and her group also caught fish while deep sea fishing. All of their activities were related to nature, Diana said.

A flat tire on the van she was transporting the youngsters in turned out to be a "learning experience" in changing a tire, she said.

Diana also served two weeks at Luther Hill, the first week as a counselor. She assisted with archery and arts and crafts.

One of the biggest challenges, Diana said, was working with children from "all types of families."

She said she always managed to have at "least one character" in each group she worked with. Children with ADD (Attention Deficit Disorder) had to have daily medication. She also learned how to handle "problem children." One of the first things children were taught was that when counselors raised their hands in the air it meant everyone had to be quiet and listen.

The children learned what "kitchen patrol" or KP duty meant. They also enjoyed music at pool parties.

Children learned to respect each other's opinions and for a concensus they all had to agree, Diana said.

Environmental concerns also played a role in the day camps. They recycled products and planted flowers at the camp sites.

At the end of each week, campers were asked to fill out evaluations which are kept on file in the LORMS' headquarters in Austin.

Diana and the other counselors in her group also spent two weeks in San Antonio, where they stayed with host families. In many ways, this was one of the best periods of her summer job because she and the other counselors in her group were able to do so many things together.

Diana said their hosts were very protective and did not want them to go out at night. But since some of the counselors were experienced they all enjoyed doing things together, such as visiting the River Walk nightly and sitting down to a huge, sumptious home-cooked meal at each home on a rotating basis.

Since Diana is a folkloric dancer, she said she really enjoyed getting to see the ones in San Antonio perform.

Diana discovered LORMS while at Angelo State University. She and the nearly 100 other counselors in the program all attended two weeks of intensive staff training in mid-May at Camp Chrysalis in Kerrville, learning songs and co-op games. Social workers and pastors were among the many people who spoke during the training sessions which began at 8 a.m. or earlier.

Diana said they learned ways to handle problem children, often performing skits to reinforce the message. Daily devotions, some as long as two hours, were conducted during the training session.

The counselors were also divided into villages and took turns practicing things they would later teach the children at day camp.

After applying for a counselor's position, Diana underwent a thorough personal interview before learning in March that she had the job.

She enjoyed her summer's work so much that she found it hard to say goodbye to the campers, some of whom still write to her.

She also misses her fellow counselors. "We did everything together. We got along very well. I miss not having them around."

Diana's immediate goal is to graduate from Angelo State University where she is majoring in bi-lingual education and communications. She is interested in working as either a speech or Spanish teacher or in the communications field.

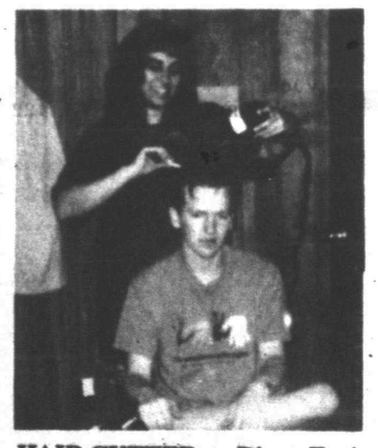
Diana, who has been working with children since she was 13, is very active in San Angelo. Her volunteer work includes the women's shelter, the Boys Club on Mondays through Fridays, and the mental health hospital.

Besides Snyder High School, she is also a graduate of Western Texas College.

Diana is the daughter of Manuel and Abelia Espinosa.

PORT ARANSAS — Diana Espinosa, LORMS counselor, and camper, Michael Stevens, show off a tiny squid they found during their deep sea experience. (Contributed Photo)

CAMPERS — Diana Espinose, LORMS counselor, is pictured with some of the campers in her village at Camp Luther Hill in La Grange. (Contributed Photo)



HAIR CUTTER — Diana Espinosa is shown cutting the hair of fellow LORMS counselor, Terry Matula of Houston. (Contributed Photo)

## Snyder Duplicate Bridge Scoreboard

FRIDAY

Dot Casey directed six tables of bridge at the Snyder Country Club.

1. Ann Davis, Monte West.
2. Shirley Stewart, Verdi Kimbro.
3. Rogene Spruell, Malven Stevenson.
4. Dot Casey, Margaret Birdwell.
5. Anita Talbott, Martha Fagin.

SUNDAY

Dot Casey directed five tables.

1. Verdi Kimbro, Ann Davis.
2. Dot Casey, Louise Thompson.
3. Nona Morrison, Polly Ballard.
4. Dora Blakey, Charley Blakey.

TUESDAY

Dot Casey directed three tables.

1, Dora Blakey, Charley Blakey.
2. Dot Casey, Rube McKinley.
3. Polly Ballard, J.O. Morrison.

## Keep tailgate meals simple and zesty

By The Associated Press

There's a chill in the air, and the school colors are flying above the stadium. It's time for a pre-game tailgate feast.

ZESTY 'N' CHUNKY BEEF CHILI

2 tablespoons vegetable oil
21/2 pounds boneless beef chuck roast, cut into 1/2-inch pieces
1 cup coarsely chopped onion
1 cup chopped green pepper
2 cloves garlic, crushed
1 teaspoon salt
Two 141/2-ounce cans whole peeled tomatoes
6-ounce can tomato paste
3 tablespoons chili powder
1 teaspoon dried oregano leaves
1/4 to 1/2 teaspoon crushed red pepper

Toppings: shredded lettuce, shredded cheese, sliced green onions, cilantro leaves, drained and rinsed black beans, dairy sour cream, diced avocado, sliced jalapeno pepper.

Heat oil in large skillet or Dutch oven over medium heat. Add beef, onion, green pepper and garlic; cook until beef is evenly browned, stirring occasionally. Pour off drippings. Sprinkle salt over beef. Add tomatoes with juice, tomato paste, chili powder, oregano and crushed red pepper. Cover tightly; reduce heat to low to medium-low; simmer 11/2 hours until beef is tender. Serve with choice of toppings. Makes 8 cups.

Recipe from: Meat Board Test Kitchens.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# Local chapter to meet with Sweetwater DAR

Members of the Martin Preuitt Jr. Chapter of the National Society of the Daughters of the American Revolution plan to travel to Sweetwater to hear Chaplain Gary Norris on Oct. 12.

Norris is guest speaker at the luncheon meeting to be held at Mulberry Manor. Chaplain (CPT) Norris, is an ordained minister of the National Baptist Churches of America, and the Southern Baptist Convention. He holds a bachelor of arts degree (1979) from Hardin-Simmons University, Abilene, graduating as a Distinguished Military Graduate; and a master's of divinity degree (1985) from Southwestern Baptist Theological Seminary in Fort Worth.

CHAPLAIN GARY NORRIS

Chaplain Norris assumed duty as chaplain of the 12th Cavalry Battalion, First Cavalry Division, Fort Hood, Tex., in January. His previous active duty assignments and training have been in Fort Monmouth, N.J.; Fort Benning, Ga.; Ansbach, Germany; Fort Bliss, Tex.; and again in Fort Monmouth.

His four Army Reserve assignments have been in Dallas.

Chaplain Norris was born in 1953 in Lubbock and graduated from Coronado High School in May, 1971. After his marriage to Charm McMillan of Sweetwater in 1973, he worked with Vernon McMillan at Moore-Eidson Grain. He made a Christian profession of faith at the First Baptist Church in 1974. Responding to a call to full-time gospel ministry, he entered Hardin-Simmons in January, 1975, and was licensed to preach by the First Baptist Church in Sweetwater in 1975.

## Scurry County Library News and Views

**BOOK FEATURE**

"How to Sell Your House, Condo, Co-op," by Amy Bry.

This book is for people who see their houses as homes, yet still want to make a quick reasonable sale in an uncertain and volatile market. Information on creative sale techniques can improve your chances of a sale. Simple improvements can increase your home's appeal. Based on the pluses and minuses of using a broker, you can decide whether to sell on your own or not. This is an essential reference that will steer you firmly toward your goal.

**NEW NON-FICTION**

"Play Yards, Play Things."

"Make Your Own Living Trust," by Denis Clifford.

"Safe Home: Safe Neighborhoods," by Stephanie Mann.

"We Were Soldiers Once...and Young," by Harold G. Moore.

**NEW FICTION**

"A Case of Need," by Michael Crichton.

"The Mexican Tree Duck," by James Crumley.

"The Black Opal," by Victoria Holt.

**LIBRARY HOURS**

10 a.m. to 6 p.m. — Mon., Wed., Fri. & Sat.

10 a.m. to 9 p.m. — Tues. & Thurs.

## Top 8 singles

1. "Dreamlover," Mariah Carey
2. "If," Janet Jackson
3. "Right Here (Human Nature)," SWV
4. "Can't Help Falling In Love," UB40
5. "The River Of Dreams," Billy Joel
6. "Whomp! There It Is," Tag Team
7. "Lately," Jodeci
8. "Runaway Train," Soul Asylum

## National award for teachers set

Project Self-Esteem, a national award honoring teachers who teach self-worth, has been initiated by Discovery Toys, Inc. a $93 million distributor of educational and developmental toys, books and games, headquartered in Martinez, Calif.

The project began Sept. 1 and will run through Nov. 30.

The project calls on the nation's teachers to submit a project designed to boost feelings of self-worth in elementary school children.

Three winning projects will be chosen by Hugh Downs, chairman of the U.S. committee for UNICEF and host of ABC News' "20/20;" Ann Pleshette Murphy, editor-in-chief of Parents Magazine; Dr. Donald J. Cohen, director of the Yale Child Study Center; and Lane Nemeth, CEO of Discovery Toys.

Discovery Toys, Inc. will award the winning three teachers with $1,500 cash to fund their individual self-esteem projects; $3,500 worth of educational and developmental toys, books and games; and a paid weekend for two to New York City, where the winners will be honored at a luncheon in June of 1994.

Entries must include an application, a one-page essay giving the overview of the teacher's project, details on how the teacher would use a cash award to create a new project or enhance a current one, a description on how the teacher and student will work together on the project, and the known or anticipated impact the project will have.

For applications, and further information, contact Carolyn Ricossa at 573-3447.

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## Community Calendar

**MONDAY**

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

Open duplicate bridge; Colorado City bridge room; 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**

Ladies Golf Association; Snyder Country Club; 9 a.m.

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

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

TOPS TX56; 5:30 p.m. weigh-in, and meeting from 6 to 7 p.m.; 2501 35th. For information, call Jean Yearwood at 573-9444.

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

Snyder Police Auxiliary; Snyder National Bank Community Room; 7:30 p.m.

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 Prayer Coffee; home of Nova Greenlee on Tobosa Rd.; 10 a.m.

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

**THURSDAY**

Advanced Duplicate Bridge; Colorado City bridge room; 1:30 p.m.

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

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

Snyder Fire Dept. Auxiliary; Central Fire Station; 7 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**

Storytime for 4-and 5-year-olds; Scurry County Library; 10 a.m.

Snyder Jaycees; noon luncheon; Golden Corral.

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.

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

Scurry County Alcoholics Anonymous (closed); Park Club in Winston Park; For information, call 573-8626, 863-2348 or 573-1141. (Last Friday of the month is the birthday meeting); 8 p.m.

**SATURDAY**

Defensive Driving; Snyder Savings & Loan Community Room, 27th & College; 8:30 a.m. to 4 p.m.

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

**SUNDAY**

Scurry County Alcoholics Anonymous; Park Club in Winston Park; 10 a.m. For more information call 573-1141, 863-2348, 863-2349 or 573-8110.

Scurry County Museum; Western Texas College; open from 1-4 p.m.

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

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**BREAKFAST**

**MONDAY**

Fruit
Buttered Oatmeal
Toast
Milk

**TUESDAY**

Juice
Dry Cereal
Toast
Milk

**WEDNESDAY**

Fruit
Cinnamon Rolls
Milk

**THURSDAY**

Juice
Buttered Rice
Toast
Milk

**FRIDAY**

Fruit
Scrambled Eggs
Toast
Milk

**LUNCH**

**MONDAY**

Chicken Strips/Gravy
Mashed Potatoes
Pickled Beets
Hot Rolls
Fruit Bars
Milk

**TUESDAY**

Pepper Steak
Steamed Rice
Tomato Wedges
Hot Rolls
Pink Applesauce
Milk

**WEDNESDAY**

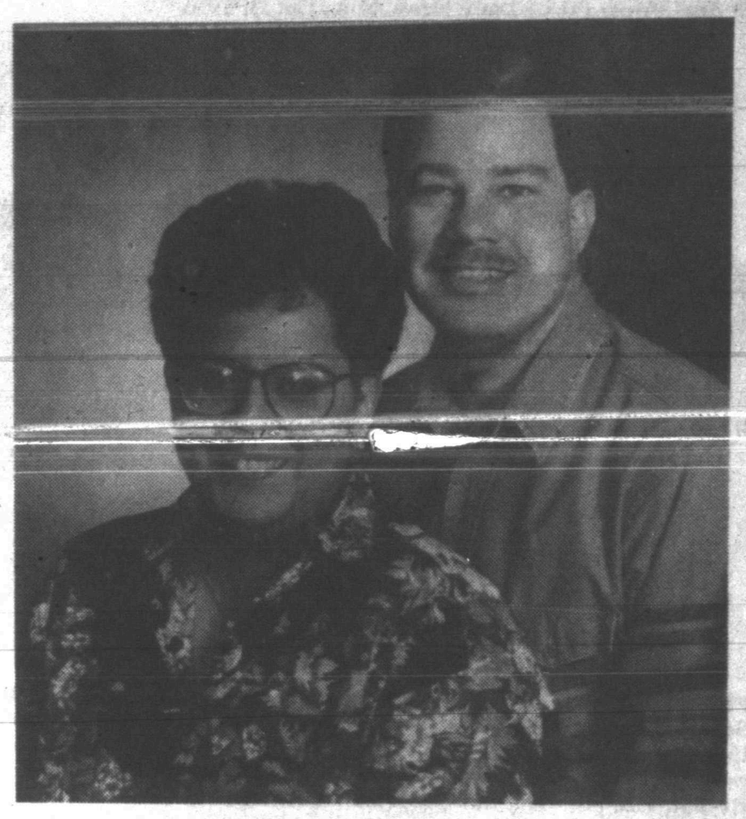
Chili Beans
Buttered Cabbage
Corn Bread
Bread Pudding
Milk

**THURSDAY**

Barbecued German Sausage
Potato Salad
Shredded Lettuce
Hot Rolls
Blond Brownies
Milk

**FRIDAY**

Fish Nuggets
French Fries
Cole Slaw
Hush Puppies
Rice Krispie Bars
Milk



**ENGAGEMENT REVEALED — Michele Rowe announces the wedding plans of her mother, Ylia Rowe of Gail, to Ron Pavlovsky of Big Spring. His parents are Rannaiel and Kayleen Pavlovsky of Big Spring. The future bride's mother is Maria Guerrero of Gail. The couple's wedding ceremony is set for 7 p.m. on Dec. 18 in the First Baptist Church in Gail. (Contributed Photo)**

"Rocky" won the Academy Award for Best Picture of 1976. Best actor and actress awards went to the late Peter Finch and to Faye Dunaway for "Network."

Bridal Registry
Jamie Roberts
Bride-Elect of
Jason West
Misti DeVon Welsh
Bride-Elect of
Toby Lee Haynes
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Bride-Elect of
James Gerhard
Tricia Pylant
Bride of
Darren Pylant
Shelly Dawn Lewis
Bride-Elect of
Scott Bolton
Kenya Menix
Bride of
Jake Menix
Misty Jenkins
Bride Elect of
Tommy Lane
Jackie Carroll
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PENWOMEN OFFICERS — Officers for the Scurry County Penwomen are, from left, Christine Killgo, telephone chairman; Garnet Quiett, publicity; Dorothy Cox, treasurer; Sherry Bryant, vice president and program chairman; and Janelle Burk, president. Not pictured is Betty Boyd, secretary. The group meets every third Wednesday each month at 1:30 p.m. in member's homes. (SDN Staff Photo)

## Ask Anne & Nan

By Anne B. Adams and Nancy Nash-Cummings

# Say bye, bye to blackened bananas

DEAR ANNE AND NAN: My husband buys five to six bananas a week for cereal, but before the week is out the house is full of gnats or fruit flies or whatever they are. We usually leave the bananas on the kitchen counter or put them in the refrigerator, where they promptly turn black. Please tell us if you have a remedy for our predicament. Anything to get rid of the bugs. —MR. AND MRS. D.A. Miller, Vicksburg, Miss.

DEAR MR. AND MRS. MILLER: The only way to solve your problem is to store your bananas in the fridge as soon as you buy them. Yes, the skin turns black but the fruit stops maturing, doesn't get mushy and most important you won't have fruit flies, at least not on your bananas.

DEAR ANNE AND NAN: Please could you tell me the best way to wash or clean a mattress and box spring? Can they be washed with any special solution? Awhile ago we had an ice bag break on the mattress. Is there any way to remove the water marks? —A. DOPP, Elk Green, Ill.

DEAR A.: If all you're dealing with is a water stain, our recommendation is to leave it alone. Mattress ticking is made to last, and the more you scrub it the greater the possibility of its breaking down. You can buy fitted covers for both your box spring and mattress, and of course a mattress pad will remove the offending stains from view.

In case of urine stains, first scrub the stain with cold water; then rub detergent into the stain and scrub with hot water and chlorine bleach. Rinse thoroughly. This may change the color of the fabric on the mattress but shouldn't harm it. Wait for a dry, sunny day and take the mattress into the sun to dry.

DEAR ANNE AND NAN: Would you settle a little dispute between me and my sister? We want to know the name of a movie that Hal Holbrook and Elizabeth Montgomery played in. In the movie, Hal Holbrook's name was Parchis and he was married to Elizabeth Montgomery, but he had an affair with the school teacher and they had a little girl together. —THE DISPUTERS, Charleston, W.Va.

DEAR DISPUTERS: The title of the made-for-TV movie is "The Awakening Land" and it aired in 1978. It's based on a trilogy of novels by Conrad Richter about the life of a frontier woman in the Ohio territory in the late 18th century.

DEAR ANNE AND NAN: Can you tell me where I can purchase a 24-hour deodorant for sensitive skin? — DOLLIE DONAHUE, Fort Smith, Ark.

DEAR DOLLIE: Nan's husband developed a sensitivity to all deodorants. The only thing he uses now is a deodorant crystal. It's been very effective and stops odor without the aluminum chloride found in many other deodorants. It's made from pure mineral salts that attack odor-causing bacteria.

You just wet the crystal and apply it; it lasts all day even in the hottest, most humid weather.

We have found this product in a catalog called Seventh Generation. They have a toll-free number, 1-800-456-1177. One crystal is $7.95 and will last at least a year.

FEEDBACK: REMOVING PERSPIRATION ODOR FROM CLOTHING — A reader from Fort Smith, Ark., writes, "My uncle worked for a dry-cleaning firm, and he told me to spray Lysol spray on these stains. I really don't know about the 'yellow' stain, but I do know that it has worked very well for me as far as removing odor from clothing, and has not harmed any fabric that I am aware of."

RUSSIAN TEA — This recipe is from Marilyn Hart of Jamestown, N.D.

Mix together 1/2 cup instant tea, 2 cups orange Tang, 1 small package of lemonade mix, 1 teaspoon ground cloves, 1 teaspoon ground cinnamon, 1 cup sugar and 1/4 teaspoon salt. Mix well. Serve 2-3 teaspoons to cup of boiling water.

*Write to 'Ask Anne & Nan' at P.O. Box 240, Hartland, VT 05048. Questions of general interest will appear in the column. Due to the volume of mail, personal replies cannot be provided.*

*Anne B. Adams and Nancy Nash-Cummings are co-authors of 'Dear Anne and Nan: Two Prize Problem-Solvers Share Their Secrets' (Bantam).*

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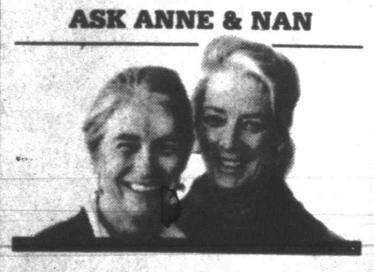

During the two-century Mongol subjugation of Russia beginning in 1238, Moscow, an unimportant town on a small hill, underwent a phenomenal transformation to become the most powerful principality in Russia.

## Snyder School Menu

Call 573-NEWS Ext. 297

**BREAKFAST**

**MONDAY**
Oatmeal
Cold Cereal
Toast
Grape Juice
Milk

**TUESDAY**
Buttered Toast w/Jelly
Cold Cereal
Orange Juice
Milk

**WEDNESDAY**
Cinnamon Roll
Cold Cereal
Pineapple Juice
Milk

**THURSDAY**
Scrambled Eggs
Cold Cereal
Biscuits
Apple Juice
Milk

**FRIDAY**
Breakfast Pizza
Cold Cereal
Grape Juice
Milk

**LUNCH**

**MONDAY**
Hamburger
Chicken Burger
Burger Fixins
French Fries
Fruit Mix
Choice of Milk

**TUESDAY**
Chicken Fried Steak
Chicken Nuggets
Country Gravy
Whipped Potatoes
Green Beans
Hot Roll
Choice of Milk

**WEDNESDAY**
Sloppy Joes
Barbecued Rib on a Hoagie Bun
Buttered Carrots
Fresh Apple
Birthday Cake
Choice of Milk

**THURSDAY**
Burrito
Enchilada Casserole
Tossed Salad
Buttered Corn
Apple Crisp
Choice of Milk

**FRIDAY**
Corn Dog
Chili Dog
Baked Beans
Pineapple Tidbits
Brownie
Choice of Milk

## Ira School Menu

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**MONDAY**
Student Holiday

**TUESDAY**
Beef Tamali Pie
Vegetable Salad
Pinto Beans
Mixed Fruit w/Topping

**WEDNESDAY**
Chicken Strips
Creamed Potatoes w/Gravy
Early June Peas
Rolls
Jello w/Fruit

**THURSDAY**
Turkey Pot Pie
Shredded Lettuce
Orange
Ice Cream

**FRIDAY**
Tuna and Noodles
Relish Cup
Green Beans
Plain Cake w/Icing

Playwright Tennessee Williams was born in 1911 in Columbus, Miss.

WEST, ROBERTS ENGAGED — Mr. and Mrs. Bill Roberts of Olney announce the engagement and approaching marriage of their daughter, Jami Dawn, to Jason Lee West, son of Mr. and Mrs. Monte West of Snyder. The bride-elect graduated from Mabank High School and is a senior advertising major at Abilene Christian University. The prospective groom graduated from Snyder High School and Abilene Christian University and is operations manager for Insurance Credit Corp. in Abilene. A Jan. 8 wedding is planned at the ACU Chapel on the Hill (Contributed Photo)

## Now is the time...

# *Plant peonies*

By LEE REICH
For AP Special Features

Now is the best time of year to plant peonies. Beg or buy some roots, and you will have year after year of flowering clumps for the garden, as well as cut blossoms that retain their delicacy floated on water in big, glass bowls indoors.

How do you approach peonies a fellow gardener has consented to share?

Before attacking the clump with a shovel, cut off all the leaves. Then slide your shovel into the soil, underneath the clump along its edge, and work the mass up and out of the soil.

Once you have the clump out of the ground, shake loose or wash away the soil to expose the "eyes."

The eyes, which are the pointed, whitish knobs protruding from the fleshy roots, are the buds for next season's shoots. Take a sharp knife and divide the clump into pieces for planting, making sure each piece has at least one good eye.

Save some thought as to where you want peonies before you bed them down in their new home, because a clump of peonies need not be disturbed for well over a decade. Peonies thrive in full sun but will tolerate partial shade.

Even after the peony flowers are gone for the season, their summerlong foliage provides a fresh, dark green background to heighten the colors of other flowers.

Since peonies do stay in one place year after year, don't plant them where you annually dig or rototill the soil.

With the site selected, dig a hole 2 feet wide by 2 feet deep for each clump. Peonies like a soil that is only slightly acidic, so add limestone or sulfur to adjust the pH accordingly. You now also have the opportunity to enrich the soil beneath the roots with compost or well-rotted manure.

Never use fresh manure on peonies. Chemical fertilizer can be added at the rate of 1/2 pound of 5-10-5 per square yard.

The actual planting of the roots, while not difficult, can spell the difference between success or failure. Set the roots with the eyes pointing upward and 2 inches below the surface of the ground. Hold a straight board of wood across the hole level with the soil surface and measure down with a ruler to get the planting depth right. Then sift the soil back around the roots and firm it in place. Lay down a blanket of leaf or straw to protect the roots for the first winter in their new home.

Over 2,000 years of cultivation in China and 200 years of cultivation in Europe has resulted in many, many varieties of peony. "Festive Maxima," a massive white flower with crimson flecks near its center, has been a popular variety since it was introduced in 1851. For a rich, red flower, you might choose "Nippon Beauty." "Krinkled White" is just as the name describes it.

Peony flowers come in all shades and combinations of whites, yellows and reds; flower shapes range from those with double ruffles of petals, to those with delicate, simple, poppylike blooms.

Once planted, peonies get along with very little care. Botrytis is a disease that can spread from this year's leaves to next season's shoots and flower buds.

The control is simple: Each fall cut the leaves off at ground level and burn or compost them, or cart them away. Only after a peony clump is more than a decade old does it need rejuvenation.


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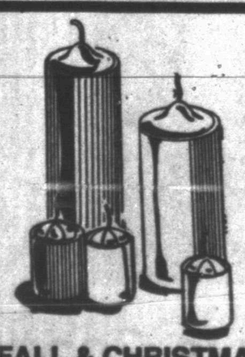
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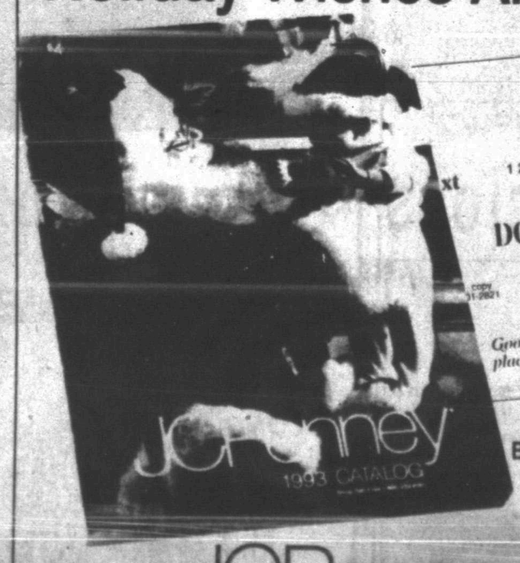

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# 'Significant woes' uncovered in audit

AUSTIN (AP) — The state auditor's office has recommended that the Legislature enact tighter controls for quasi-state entities, describing them as institutions that have become a powerful fourth branch of government.

"Reviews of quasi-state entities identified significant problems due to inadequate direction and oversight provided by their boards," State Auditor Lawrence Alwin said in the report released Thursday.

He said the problems had the effect of "potentially putting billions of dollars at risk."

Quasi-state entities refer to the numerous institutions established by the Legislature to accomplish long-term projects, the report said.

The list of quasi-state entities in the report ran more than three pages long and did not include all of them. The entities includes dozens of advisory bodies, river authorities, task forces, soil and water districts, and other institutions.

They range from the little-known — Select Poet Laureate of Texas — to the more high-profile — the Texas High Speed Rail Authority, which is in charge of overseeing a proposed $5.8 billion "bullet" train system.

The report to state leaders says quasi-state entities have evolved into an economically and politically powerful fourth branch of state government, a hybrid between public agencies and private companies. The entities control billions of dollars and administer numerous federal and state programs.

# Public Records

**New Vehicle Registration**

Production Pump Systems, 1993 Chevrolet pickup from Big Country Chevrolet.

Scurry County Head Start, 1993 Ford Club Wagon from Wilson Motors.

Patterson Drilling Co., two 1994 Chevrolet pickups from Big Country Chevrolet.

James W. and Janet Wesson, 1994 Chevrolet pickup from Big Country Chevrolet.

Jess Everett, 1993 Chevrolet pickup from Big Country Chevrolet.

E.D. Walton Construction Company, 1994 Chevrolet pickup from Big Country Chevrolet.

Kathleen M. Weaver, 1994 Chevrolet suburban from Big Country Chevrolet.

LaFrances and Albert W. Presley, 1993 Chevrolet pickup from Big Country Chevrolet.

W.H. Wood, 1993 Chevrolet pickup from Big Country Chevrolet.

Reta's Cake Shop, 1994 Chevrolet pickup from Big Country Chevrolet.

Don Zahn, 1993 Chevrolet Blazer from Big Country Chevrolet.

Shondra D. and James A. Robinson, 1993 Ford pickup from Wilson Motors.

Gladys Potter, 1993 Ford pickup from Wilson Motors.

Lanny and Lynda Perry, 1993 Ford pickup from Wilson Motors.

Josh Rains, 1993 Ford pickup from Wilson Motors.

Sidney and Nancy Brunson, 1993 Ford Explorer from Wilson Motors.

**Marriage License**

Trinidad D. Muniz and Mary Ellen Villanueva, both of Hermleigh.

Paul Grant Sturdivant and Deborah Garcia, both of Snyder.

Saul Rodriguez Aviles and Eloise Marie Wood, both of Snyder.

Christopher Leon Smith and Brittany Dawn Altman, both of Snyder.

Donnie Ray Goswick and Peggy Louise Dodds, both of Snyder.

**Filed in District Court**

Scurry County vs. Eloy Hill, et al, delinquent tax suit.

Scurry County vs. Juan R. Gutierrez, delinquent tax suit.

**Action in District Court**

Javier Martinez and Eva Garcia vs. Myron Fenton, dismissed with prejudice.

Lumbermens Mutual Casualty Co. vs. Roy Lee Botts, dismissed without prejudice.

Snyder Savings and Loan Association vs. B.B. Hardee, et ux, suit on note.

**Warranty Deeds**

Aubrey Joe May to Isrrael Hinojos Jr., et al, all of Lot 4, Block 2 of Kittrell Heights Addition.

General Financial Services of Wichita, Kan., a corporation, to Randy D. Bryan, et ux, two tracts of land in the northeast one-quarter of Section 123, Block 3 of H&GN Survey.

Byron Hedges, et ux, to Charles Edward Ballard, all of Lot 17, all of the south nine feet of Lot 16 and all of the north five feet of Lot 18, Block 5, Section 2 of Parkway Addition.

Marvin B. Applin, et ux, to Maurice Rosus, et ux, tract of land in southeast one-quarter of Section 124, Block 3 of H&GN Survey.

Frank J. Beaver, et ux, to Bobby Jack Cumbie, et ux, .61 acres in Section 182, Block 3 of H&GN Survey.

Jearld Smith to John Velasquez, north 50 feet of Lot 4, Block 34 of Blankenship Addition.

Art Feinsod to J.C. Goolsby, Lot 2, Block 1 of Grayum & Clark Subdivision of Cody Heights Addition.

Ora Wells, a widow, to Luis Guzman, et ux, the north 70 feet of the east 31 feet of Lot 6, and the north 70 feet of the west 33 feet of Lot 7, Block 17 of A.C. Wilmeth Addition.

T.R. Young to Raymond Tidwell, the north 100 feet of west 50 feet of Lot 1, Block 16 of Manry Addition.

Nations Bank of Texas to Garland Bishop, all of southwest one-quarter of Section 94, Block 2 of H&TC Survey.

Sammie Marie Robins, attorney-in-fact for Merle Johnston Williams, to Carl E. Stokes, et ux, Lot 3 and southwest one-half of Lot 2 in Block 13 of Colonial Hill Addition.

Judy Ellen Killgo to Michael David Williamson, the west 75 feet of the east one-half of Lot 2, Block 14 of Scarborough Addition.

Carla L. Fowler, a widow, to John H. Pilcher, et ux, tract of land out of the northeast one-quarter of Section 120, Block 97 of H&TC Survey.

# Dear Abby

by Abigail Van Buren

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## Woman Starts to Pull Away After Best Friend Comes Out

DEAR ABBY: I have had a best friend (I will call her Janet) for many years. We have had a few problems that we have managed to get through, but a more difficult problem has occurred and I need your advice.

A few weeks ago, Janet told me that she is gay, and our friendship has not been the same since. I feel uncomfortable talking to her and being around her. If possible, please give me some advice soon, because Janet invited me to go camping with her and I don't know what to do.

CANADIAN READER

**DEAR READER: You and Janet need to have a serious talk. Ask her whether her feelings for you go any deeper than a cherished friendship. (She may say no.) It would be a shame to lose a long-standing friendship because of a misunderstanding.**

**The fact that Janet is gay does not necessarily mean that she is attracted to all women. (Straight people are not necessarily attracted to every person of the opposite sex, either.) Sexual feelings are only part of a person's life.**

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DEAR ABBY: Here's how one telephone call changed my life: During World War II, I was a sergeant at a U.S. Air Force base, manning the telephones, when a female with a lovely voice called asking for Corporal Joe Smith (not his real name).

"Are you the corporal's wife?" I asked.

She replied, "No, Joe isn't married."

I don't know what got into me, but I said, "Oh, is that what he told you? He has a picture of his wife and two kids beside his bunk, and if you give me your name and address, I'll drive over this evening and prove it."

She gave me her name and address; I borrowed a car and went to see her. I know this sounds corny, but when we met face-to-face it was love at first sight.

I finally confessed that I didn't even know a Corporal Smith. I just liked the sound of her voice and wanted to meet her.

This story has a very happy ending. We eventually married in 1945, and we now have three grown daughters and a son, plus 14 grandchildren and two great-grandchildren.

LUCKY IN ARIZONA

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DEAR ABBY: You printed a letter from a 14-year-old girl who was walking home from the library on a cold, windy night with her arms loaded with books when a man she had never seen before offered her a ride — and she accepted. When he let her out, he made her promise she would never again get into a car with a stranger — regardless of how "nice" he looked.

Abby, that man should take his own advice. Just because the girl looked like a "sweet" girl, she could have had a knife or a gun, and he could have ended up in big trouble.

A teen-aged girl here in Phoenix was just sent to prison for killing a woman she didn't even know because her boyfriend told her to — on a whim. This girl had never been in any kind of trouble before. I hope you think this is important enough to print.

C. BAKER

**DEAR C. BAKER: I do.**

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DEAR ABBY: A young couple I know would be greatly comforted by a letter you once ran titled "Welcome to Holland." God bless you, Abby.

LOIS LANE,
MISSOURI CITY, TEXAS

**DEAR LOIS: The subject of that essay was the reaction of a parent whose child was born with Down syndrome. I published it to highlight National Down Syndrome Awareness Month, which is the month of October. I dedicate it to the parents and grandparents of babies born everywhere with various disabilities:**

"Welcome to Holland"
by Emily Pearl Kingsley

"I am often asked to describe the experience of raising a child with a disability — to try to help people who have not shared that unique experience to understand it, to imagine how it would feel. It's like this ...

"When you're going to have a baby, it's like planning a fabulous vacation trip — to Italy. You buy a bunch of guidebooks and make your wonderful plans. The Coliseum. The Michaelangelo David. The gondolas in Venice. You may learn some handy phrases in Italian. It's all very exciting.

"After months of eager anticipation, the day finally arrives. You pack your bags and off you go. Several hours later, the plane lands. The flight attendant comes and says, 'Welcome to Holland.'

"'Holland?!' you say. 'What do you mean, Holland? I signed up for Italy! I'm supposed to be in Italy. All my life I've dreamed of going to Italy.'

"But there's been a change in the flight plan. They've landed in Holland and there you must stay.

"The important thing is that they haven't taken you to a horrible, disgusting, filthy place, full of pestilence, famine and disease. It's just a different place.

"So you must go out and buy new guidebooks. And you must learn a whole new language. And you will meet a whole new group of people you would never have met.

"It's just a different place. It's slower-paced than Italy, less flashy than Italy. But after you've been there for a while and you catch your breath, you look around, and you begin to notice that Holland has windmills, Holland has tulips, Holland even has Rembrandts.

"But everyone you know is busy coming and going from Italy, and they're all bragging about what a wonderful time they had there. And for the rest of your life, you will say, 'Yes, that's where I was supposed to go. That's what I had planned.'

"And the pain of that will never, ever, ever go away, because the loss of that dream is a very significant loss.

"But if you spend your life mourning the fact that you didn't get to Italy, you may never be free to enjoy the very special, the very lovely things about Holland."

**Readers: For information on Down syndrome, and to be put in touch with local Down syndrome organizations, contact the National Down Syndrome Congress, 1605 Chantilly Drive, Suite 250, Atlanta, Ga. 30324; (800) 232-6372. Its hotline offers a wealth of information on any subject related to Down syndrome. A telephone call can provide that difficult-to-find information or assist you in establishing contact with others in a similar situation.**

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# 'Hollywood-ization' of news denounced

MIAMI BEACH, Fla. (AP) — Dan Rather denounced his profession for replacing foreign reports and in-depth analysis with mayhem, gossip and puff.

The CBS anchorman said Wednesday night at a news broadcasters convention that the transformation is "the Hollywood-ization of news."

A climate of fear that ratings will slide pervades many television newsrooms, Rather said. In a speech to the Radio-Television News Directors Association convention, he urged news directors to stop letting market researchers dictate decisions.

"We pay them to fool us," Rather said.

Rather praised ABC's "Nightline" for substantive news.

"What has happened to us doesn't have to continue," he said. "Just a few good men and women can make a decisive difference."

He said that any newsroom could experience a debacle like "Dateline NBC" did with its exploding truck story. He also criticized his own network's airing of a Noah's ark special in February that turned out to be a hoax.

# Makes video game

LOS ANGELES (AP) — Don't accuse Daryl Gates of arrested development: The former police chief has joined the computer age with his own video game.

Gates, who retired last year in the wake of the Rodney King beating, was chief consultant on "Police Quest IV: Open Season." It's due in stores at the end of October.

"I got myself a PC and you get immersed in the things," Gates said Thursday. "The game's a lot of fun. It's very realistic."

Actors were filmed with a digital camera at the Police Academy and "a miserable cop bar," Gates said. The $70 interactive game by Sierra On-Line depicts a murder investigation.

"You really have to be systematic," Gates said. "There are lot of places to move you off center. You have to make split-second decisions."


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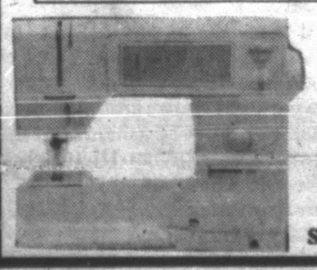

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# Presidential pensions are out of sight

By Joseph Spear

Take out a piece of paper and a pencil, and number from 1 to 2. We're going to have a quiz. Subject: the presidency.

Question No. 1: What former president was the first to receive a pension? Question No. 2: Why were presidents given retirement benefits?

If you wrote down George Washington, Grover Cleveland or Herbert Hoover in answer to Question No. 1, you are wrong.

The first president to receive post-tenure support from the taxpayers was Harry Truman. Every one of his predecessors retired to private life and made do as best they could. Some of them — Thomas Jefferson and James Monroe come quickly to mind — died paupers. They refused to exploit their position in order to maintain the dignity of the office in which they had served.

Therein lies the answer to Question No. 2. Pensions were provided for in the Former President Act of 1958 so that retiring chief executives would not have to sell their souls to make a living.

According to biographer David McCullough, the only income Harry Truman had when he returned to Missouri was a $112.56-a-month army pension. But he resisted six-figure offers from major corporations and asked Congress to help him out with a modest allowance. The lawmakers gave him $22,500 a year.

Guess what George Bush's pension and perks come to?

He was given $1.5 million to get his papers and personal effects to Texas and set up his office. His office rent will be completely paid for. He will get $150,000 a year for staff salaries. He will get the standard presidential pension — now $143,800 a year — plus additional monies for his service as a congressman, diplomat, CIA chief and vice president. All told, he will have to get along on an income of $187,800 a year.

Bush will also get free health care, free travel, free telephone service, free stationary. He will be surrounded by Secret Service agents around the clock.

The grand total to keep George Bush in the style to which we accustomed him: well over $4 million, not counting his one-time transition expenses.

But at least we are keeping Mr. Bush out of penury, right?

Well, no. He is already a millionaire.

Ok, so we are preserving the dignity of the office, right?

Well, no. Earlier this month, Bush flew to Atlanta to give a speech to a convention of Amway distributors. His reported fee for those words of wisdom: $100,000. In May, he was paid another $100,000 for a two-day trip to Braziel.

Am I the only person in this putative democracy who thinks this is outrageous and that we ought to ask affluent chief executives to pay more of their own bills when they retire?

For the first time in 131 years, we know have five living ex-presidents. All of them are wealthy, and three are very rich. Yet the taxpayers are forking over more than $20 million a year to support their baronial lifestyles — and the fattest of the cats still prostitute themselves to anybody who can afford them.

Gerald Ford, for example, has served on dozens of corporate boards, endorsed real estate developments, huckstered commemorative medals, lectured for a minimum of $15,000 per talk. He reportedly pulls down $2 million a year. Ronald Reagan will deliver one of his platitudinous orations for about $75,000. He got $5 million for his memoirs and pocketed $2 million for a trip to Japan.

The only two of our ex-chief executives who conduct their affairs with any sense of dignity are Richard Nixon and Jimmy Carter. Nixon actually refuses Secret Service protection and he never takes fees for his lectures.

I would not be so callous as to argue that former presidents who need pensions shouldn't have them. But what is the point of rewarding millionaires who exploit their station anyway?

Ordinary citizens on Social Security pensions are "means tested" and the well-to-do get fewer benefits. Why not apply a similar test to retired chief executives?

## Buffalo Reef

By Bill McClellan

What's this at Piney Point Village? Trash talk? With the Japanese?

The small but high class Houston suburb is taking on the Japanese government in an issue over trash — garbage. Seems the Japanese Consulate in Piney Point Village has refused to pay for trash collection for 10 years now. The tally is up to $14,000, and Piney Point officials say enough is enough already.

It is a matter of principle, not the money, Consul General Shojiro Imanishi retorts. The Japan-U.S Consular Convention exempts each country's consulates from local taxes and fees and therefore, Japan won't pay.

Piney Point officials say they don't care about any Consular Convention — this isn't the federal government — so come on, Sho, pay up.

Well, Imanishi says, I'll hand over 3,000 bucks. But the rest, he says, are taxes, and the Japanese government is exempt from paying them.

No deal, Sho, the council has said. Maybe you ought to have the Japanese government come over here and pickup up the trash, then, 'cause you're fixing to have service cut O-F-F.

And with that and a two-week's notice, the ball — or trash in this case — is back in Japan's court, or can.

"The city of Piney Point Village refuses to cower to a foreign nation that refuses to be a good neighbor," says Councilman Jim Baker.

Stand firm, Piney Point. Don't take no trash.

# Editorial Comment

### Corpus Christi Caller-Times on NAFTA debate:

President Clinton back in August won the battle of the budget but may well lose the war on the North American Free Trade Agreement, which this country desperately needs in this time of economic malaise.

The struggle in Congress will be determined by how well the president can convince the American people that NAFTA will be an economic boon and not a job killer as portrayed by opponents. ...

U.S. Trade Representative Mickey Kantor in hearings before the House Ways and Means Committee took on the detractors. He said the agreement is "a substantially better deal" for U.S. workers than the present situation, in which the Mexican market is restricted for many U.S. exports. Approving NAFTA, he said, "will provide the best potential market for U.S. jobs and will grow U.S. jobs." ...

Kantor's is a persuasive message. But it is having to contend with a lot of misinformation and demagoguery on this vital issue. To use Jesse Jackson's rhyme in a different context, NAFTA is getting the shafta.

### Valley Morning Star, on fairness in broadcasting:

It is hard to imagine a more ill-advised piece of legislation than the misnamed Fairness in Broadcasting Act of 1993. It would give the federal government the power to force radio and television broadcasters to provide "equal time" to opposing points of view. ...

Today, the average household can tune in to dozens of radio stations and four major television networks. Technology ensures there are many outlets for opposing points of view.

That aside, the Fairness in Broadcasting Act of 1993 raises a profound philosophical question: Do all thoughts and expressions have equal value in the marketplace of ideas?

If, say, a radio station did a half-hour show with the president of the local NAACP, should it be compelled by the Federal Communications Commission in Washington to give equal time to a representative of the local Ku Klux Klan? Or if a TV station did an hour-long news show on violent pornography, should makers of snuff films get 60 minutes of air time to state their case. Of course not. ...

The cause of free speech and unfettered expression hardly would be served if Congress passes a law that enables the federal government to dictate the political balance of what is broadcast over the airwaves.

## Country Life

By Deanie Francis Mills

"Each age has its own particular communication difficulties between adults and young people ... but in recent years, it seems to have reached epidemic proportions ... Invariably, the differences in opinion are so great that it is difficult to believe that the persons involved are even related."

I wrote these words in March of 1970, for my college campus literary magazine, "The Strayed Reveller." That spring, four kids were shot dead by National Guard soldiers at a campus demonstration at Kent State University in Ohio. That night, tensions on campuses all over the country reached an excruciating high. I remember calling my parents long-distance, just to tell them that I was all right.

Citing such varied sources as "Time" magazine, the "New York Times," and the movie, "The Graduate," (I quoted Simon and Garfunkel: "Hear my words that I might teach you /Take my arms that I might reach you/ But my words like silent raindrops fell, and echoed/ in the wells of silence"), I wrote, "Will this gap continue to widen until the adult and youth worlds are polarized with no chance of the gap being bridged? Or will bridges begin breaching this gap — bridges such as Moratorium Day" (in which we all wore black armbands to protest the loss of life in Vietnam), "when young and old alike rallied for a common cause? The solution may as yet be unknown, but the problem is now recognized as an important one, and recognition is part of the key to its solution."

I was nineteen then. One of our homecoming queen candidates that year came to the football field dressed in bibbed overalls, a scarlet bandana on her head, clutching a handful of wildflowers.

I don't think it occurred to a single one of us young people back then that the day might come when our own children would laugh at our choices in music, or roll their eyes at our ignorance about how "things are different now," or argue with us about clothes.

After all, we were going to be different. For one thing, we weren't going to raise our kids to be "seen and not heard." We — unlike our parents — were going to listen to our kids. And God knew we weren't squeamish about sex, either, or drugs, or any other problem our kids might encounter. After all, our generation had been pretty solid; we didn't figure there was much our kids could think up that we hadn't thought of already.

We were going to be cool parents.

But that was before having sex could kill you. Before drugs that didn't just mellow you out — they fried your brains and gave you heart attacks. Before kids started carrying guns to school and shooting teachers for giving them a failing grade, or classmates for looking at them wrong. Before technology grew to such a supersonic level that you could live a lifetime in front of a television set and a computer terminal and never need for anything. (Except, maybe, love.) Before kids had to learn to cope with two or three different sets of stepfamilies before they were completely grown. (And maybe someday have a stepmom or stepdad the same age as them.)

To my horror, I'm realizing that the world my children are facing is every bit as terrifying to me as the world I faced was to my mother. The world of the sixties must have looked insane to her, spinning crazily out of control. But that's nothin' compared to the world of the nineties.

We have to keep making up new rules as we go along, and every day, old rules get discarded.

We want so desperately to protect our kids, and it's impossible because none of us is safe.

We try to teach them what we have learned through the years — to make the way easier — and find, to our dismay, that they do not listen to us any better than we listened to our parents. They don't think we really understand because their world IS different from the one we knew growing up during the sheltered fifties and early sixties.

But maybe all us aging Boomer parents do have one advantage: if there is one thing we remember vividly, it is how it felt to be young. (To this day, memories of my father's notorious lectures can make me squirm. I could draw you a picture of that parquet floor pattern that I stared at for so many hours while he ranted and raved at me and my mother sat silently by. You simply did not dispute your father's word back then. And there was so very much I could have told him, had he only listened.)

My kids know that, even though my music may be corny and my clothes funky, I will always, always listen to them.

I think the young Deanie would have found that a pretty fair legacy. A peace dividend, from a long and bitter war.

# Letters to the Editor

## NAFTA

Dear Editor:

I would like to respond to Rep. Charles Stenholm's letter addressing Mr. Bill Cain which appeared in the SDN Sept. 26 regarding the North American Free Trade AND FINANCE Agreement.

Mr. Stenholm is correct in stating that each house will have 20 hours (not minutes) to debate NAFTA when it comes to the floor. This is called "fast track," but it not only limits the time of debate, it also does not allow a Senate filibuster. However, he goes on to say that Congress will have 90 legislative days to review the agreement before a vote must be held giving way to public hearing and debates. I am curious then, as to why he stated in the Sept. 5 Lubbock Avalanche-Journal that NAFTA will pass in the House by a vote of 218-217 on Christmas Eve. I think that it will probably pass on or before Dec. 15.

The initial "fast track" powers expired June 1, 1993. However, congressional allies of the Clinton administration slipped legislation into the 1,000-page budget package which was rushed to the House on the evening of May 27. Days later, House members learned that while they were passing the budget bill they were also reauthorizing "fast track" status for NAFTA. These powers expire Dec. 15! Why the secrecy and why the rush?

Stenholm states, "NAFTA phases our tariffs at different rates over the next 15 years." He's so right. According to Mexican President Salinas 84% of Mexican exports will immediately be free from duties to enter the U.S. and Canada. In turn, they will open their market to 42% of our goods, mainly raw materials and goods not made in Mexico.

U.S. trucks will not be allowed to enter Mexico until 1997, while Mexican trucks will have immediate access to the entire U.S. Mexican interests can own 100 percent of U.S. trucking companies by 1997. U.S. interests must wait until 2005 for the same right. Check page I-M-63 of Vol. 2.

The U.S. must honor the Mexican 18-year-old minimum age for commercial driving licenses, while the U.S. keeps its 21-year-standard. In addition, Mexican truckers do not have to read English to get a license authorizing them to drive in the U.S.

DDT and other U.S. EPA and

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## Say history doesn't repeat itself?

Dear Editor,

I am enclosing an article I thought it might be of interest to your readers.

G.W. Bigham

DID SOMEONE SAY HISTORY DOES NOT REPEAT ITSELF?

1. Both Lincoln and Kennedy were concerned with the issue of Civil Rights.

2. Lincoln was elected in 1860, and Kennedy was elected in 1960.

3. Both were slain on a Friday in the presence of their wives.

4. Their successors, both named Johnson, were Southerners, Democrats, and had previously served in the Senate.

5. Andrew Johnson was born in 1808; Lyndon Johnson was born in 1908.

6. John Wilkes Booth was born in 1839; Lee Oswald in 1939.

7. Booth and Oswald were slain before trial could be held.

8. Booth and Oswald were both Southerners favoring unpopular ideas.

9. Both Presidents' wives lost children through death while residing in the White House.

10. Lincoln's secretary, whose name was Kennedy, advised him not to go to the theatre the night he was killed.

11. President Kennedy's secretary, whose name was Lincoln, advised him not to go to Dallas, where he was killed.

## Reader 'ticked off' over 1993 Tiger's Lair

Dear Editor:

Have you ever felt cheated, disappointed and a little ticked off? I feel like the class of 1993 was ripped off! I can understand being on a budget and money problems, but the 1993 Tiger's Lair was a joke.

Last year the journalism department told us when we ordered our great memory book, the seniors had to pay, I believe $28. I spent a total of $33 on this so fantastic book. My brother, an underclassman, had to pay I believe $25. I figured it was going to be something special for that price. Our yearbooks were exactly the same — no difference whatsoever.

If I had known how cheaply made the yearbook was, I wouldn't have spent that much money on a book that looks worse than a junior high yearbook. I probably wouldn't have spent $15 even on it. Believe me, there are several former seniors who feel the same as I!

The cover looks like a Velveeta Cheese box — with no point whatsoever. It is a mustard yellow color with a logo like Velveeta Cheese saying "SHS Tiger Lair" in red, black and white. You tell me how is that supposed to represent the Snyder Tigers?

The pages on the inside were just as bad. There were 31 seniors missing, not including missing underclassmen, some pages were blurry, the names were all uneven with the rows of pictures, and to top it off, as I said before the yearbook looked like a junior high yearbook. It was thin; it's as if the staff was too lazy to put a little more work into something that means a lot to the seniors.

Something that really ticked me off was that I paid extra money to have my name printed on the cover and guess what, it wasn't even on there. A girl (name anonymous) in journalism who gave me my yearbook said they didn't have their print shop do the books. Well, who did them?

Anyway she told me if I brought my yearbook in about a week from now that they would put my name on it. I then asked her if for some reason I was unable to take my yearbook to them, if I could have the money I paid extra, back. Of course she said NO!

I honestly feel my money was wasted on a piece of crap and that's putting it nicely.

I know that it is too late to do anything about the 1993 yearbook. I just wanted to say that I am not proud of my yearbook. When I look at it I see an advertisement for Velveeta Cheese, nothing about our mascot, the Tiger.

The administration needs to hire someone who is responsible enough to finish a job they start. I sure hope that my letter will be taken into some consideration, especially for the 1994 Tiger's Lair Yearbook.

Make them proud, not embarassed or ashamed to bring out their yearbook in 20-30 years to show their kids and grandkids. Don't let them be ashamed of their alma mater, Snyder High School, like the Class of '93!

Disappointed,
Misty Murphy,
Former 1993 senior

# Austin eighth-grader calls playing chess fun

AUSTIN (AP) — Chess can be a very serious game, but Adi Smith says he doesn't see it that way.

"At the moment, I'm just playing for fun," Adi says. "I'm not sure what I want to happen with it."

Don't let the casual attitude fool you. A lot of good things concerning chess already have happened for him.

Last year, the St. Andrew's Episcopal School student won the national chess championship for seventh-graders. He also has nearly two dozen trophies and plaques won at various tournaments. But sometimes he seems a bit bored with his success at the chessboard, his parents say.

"At the moment, I like basketball more," he says. "I usually play every day after school for a little bit."

He also spends time listening to music, going in-line skating, tending to his pet turtles and playing football on the school team.

Adi's parents, Larry and Ester Smith, don't mind having a son with widely varied interests. But they both say they wish he'd get a little bit more serious about chess.

"He could be a lot better if he would take it more seriously," Ester says. "I think he relies on brains rather than practice. Brains only go so far in chess."

Larry, who often challenges his son to a game of chess and takes him to various tournaments, says Adi is a natural at the chessboard.

"Right now, my rating is probably higher, but it's obvious to me that he has more raw talent than I do," Larry says. "He picks up things more easily than I do — the relationship between the pieces."

While Adi enjoys playing tournament chess, he never seems overly serious about developing his game. In fact, his mother says he goes long stretches without practicing. He doesn't get all worked up over playing chess.

"It's something fun," Adi says. "It's something to do."

Adi started playing tournament chess nearly five years ago, when the father of a classmate organized a chess club at St. Andrew's. The classmate already was an outstanding young chess player, and the father volunteered to coach a school chess team. Within two months, the group went to its first tournament and finished eighth in the country in its age group.

The chess-playing classmate moved away, but Adi continued with the sport. About a year ago, he took a class at the Northwest Recreation under Austin's Alexey Root, one of the nation's top 10 women's players.

"He was certainly a star in that intermediate class," Root says. "His concentration and seriousness really impressed me. I've heard from his parents that he hasn't been a chess since then. But when he's actually at the chessboard, he's thinking about it rather than letting his mind wander."

Tournament chess can be pressure-packed. Even younger players try to psyche each other out and mentally wear down their opponents.

Larry says a current movie called "Searching for Bobby Fischer" does a good job ot focusing on that side of junior chess. But he says it mostly ignores the pleasant experiences that keep kids coming back month after month.

"When you go to any tournament, tournaments are large, with lots of kids there," Larry says. "All these kids and their teams are lying there between rounds, playing speed chess with cold pizza around. I don't think it captured that side. For kids, it's fun."

Tournament chess also can be hard work, Larry says.

"What's surprising is how much energy kids use up in playing chess," Larry says. "The coaches will tell the kids and the parents of the kids to have them load up on carbohydrates — just like marathon runners. This is surprising, but it is true: Your brain uses up a lot of calories. By the end of the tournament, the kids are really exhausted."

"Another thing that really hit me is that here you have these young kids who you typically think of as having an attention span of a few minutes. But some of these games last two or three hours. It's kind of remarkable seeing young kids focusing on one chess game for that long."

At this moment, Adi isn't even sure whether he wants to compete in the eighth-grade national championship. It may help that Root is taking over as coach of the St. Andrew's School team. She'll work with team members on Mondays, after school.

His parents say they aren't going to push him, however, they do hope that he will go as far in chess as he desires.

"I hope he'll become a more serious player," Ester says. "I think he's becoming more mature and will take advantage of that."

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## SDN Letters to the Editor

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FDA prohibited chemicals are allowed on fruits and vegetables impoted into the U.S. from Mexico. Meat imported from Mexico does not have to meet the same USDA standards as U.S. raised and processed meat. (Vol I, pages 7-31, Article 713)

This is only a sampling of what's in this agreement. There are one-sided "phased-in" deals regarding agriculture, automobiles, banking, communications, and real estate. In the AJ, Stenholm was quoted as saying, "It's not perfect, and it's probably not as good as it could have been. But no agreement is ever perfect." Well, Mr. Stenholm, an agreement which will affect this country like no other should be perfect.

One participant of the U.S. negotiating team said that when the trade talks began not a single person in the Commerce Department's Office of Mexico spoke Spanish and that 95% of the Mexican documents on regulations and procedures was never translated for review.

USA Today recently reported that the U.S. would lose $200 million the first year NAFTA ends tariffs on Mexican imports. Also, the World Bank lent Mexico $1.8 billion to finance environmental cleanup along the Rio Grande, a step toward securing the agreement. It is my understanding that U.S. taxpayers are responsible for 20% of that loan ($360,000,000).

Why NAFTA? U.S. Rep. Henry Gonzales, chairman of the Banking and Finance Committee, summed it up when he said, "It's a back door scheme for our biggest American banks to get what they haven't been able to get directly from Congress..." It certainly appears to be a very drastic step in keeping the overregulated U.S. companies from relocating out of the country.

**Rebecca Boyd**
**Snyder, TX 79549**

### Satanism

**Dear Editor,**

As a public school teacher and supervisor for many years, I always felt the way a Dallas resident feels when she wrote to the Sound Off! column of the Dallas/Ft. Worth Heritage in the October issue.

I enclose it and ask you to print it in full.

**Thank you,**
**Jon D (J.D.) Smith**

Every shred of religious observance has supposedly been stripped from the public schools. There's a gag rule on even saying a pleasant "Merry Christmas" or "Happy Hanukkah."

But what about Halloween? The high holy day of the satanists is alive, well and lavishly honored in classrooms throughout our nation.

Halloween songs are sung. Halloween stories are told. Classrooms are decorated with witches, ghosts, ghouls and demons. In some schools, children are even instructed to wear macabre masks, make up and costumes in celebration.

A parent of one public school student who objected to her son being required to attend a Halloween party during hours of instruction was told that she could take him home if she wanted to. However, he would be counted absent for half a day.

A high school teacher of my acquaintance was required by her principal to wear a Halloween costume to school even though she protested that such an observance was contrary to her religious beliefs.

In order to understand the true meaning of Halloween, one must know that it is the most important observance of the entire year in satanism — on the same level that Christmas is for Christians.

It is also the most significant festival of witchcraft cults. Halloween dates back to the pagan Druids, a people of ancient Britain known for their ungodly ways.

On October 31, Halloween, they honored the Earth Mother goddess with human sacrifice. After filling huge wicker structures with living humans, they set them on fire.

Evidently sacrifices of living things on this date continue to be made. Irene Arrington Park, a former witch, says, "On this day the satanic powers and passions of evil and wickedness and corruption run rampant among satanists. Unsually there is a mass celebration where blood sacrifices are offered. It may be an animal or even the life of a baby or child."

The law now prohibits religious observance in public schools. What has happened, however, is that godly observances have been banned, while ungodly observances continue to flourish.

Since satanism (defined in New Webster's Dictionary of the English Language as "...the worship of Satan") is a religion, under the policy of separation of church and state, its symbols and observances also should be prohibited.

**Wanda Vaassallo**
**Dallas**

## Senior Center Menu

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**MONDAY**
Steak Fingers w/Cream Gravy
Whipped Potatoes
Herbed Green Beans
Tomato Wedges
Banana Pudding

**TUESDAY**
Chicken Spoonbread Dressing
Giblet Gravy
Cranberry Sauce
Sweet Potato Patty
Fried Okra
Pea Salad
Chocolate Chip Cookies

**WEDNESDAY**
Spaghetti & Meat Sauce
Corn O'Brien
Tossed Salad
Garlic Bread
Tropical Apples

**THURSDAY**
Chopped Sirloin Steak
Baked Potato
Cauliflower w/Cheese Sauce
Perfection Salad
Applesauce Cake

**FRIDAY**
Fried Fish
Golden Hominy
Black-eyed Peas
Pineapple & Cottage Cheese on Lettuce
Spicy Bread Pudding

## Mr. T receives Humanitas award

CAMBRIDGE, Mass. (AP) — Mother Teresa, Albert Schweitzer and — Mr. T?

When the list of heroes is compiled by the Harvard Lampoon, you can be sure it will be weird.

The humor magazine gave Mr. T. its Humanitas award — a gold spray-painted trophy made of balsa wood — for the socially conscious message of his "Mr. T and the T-Force" comic book.


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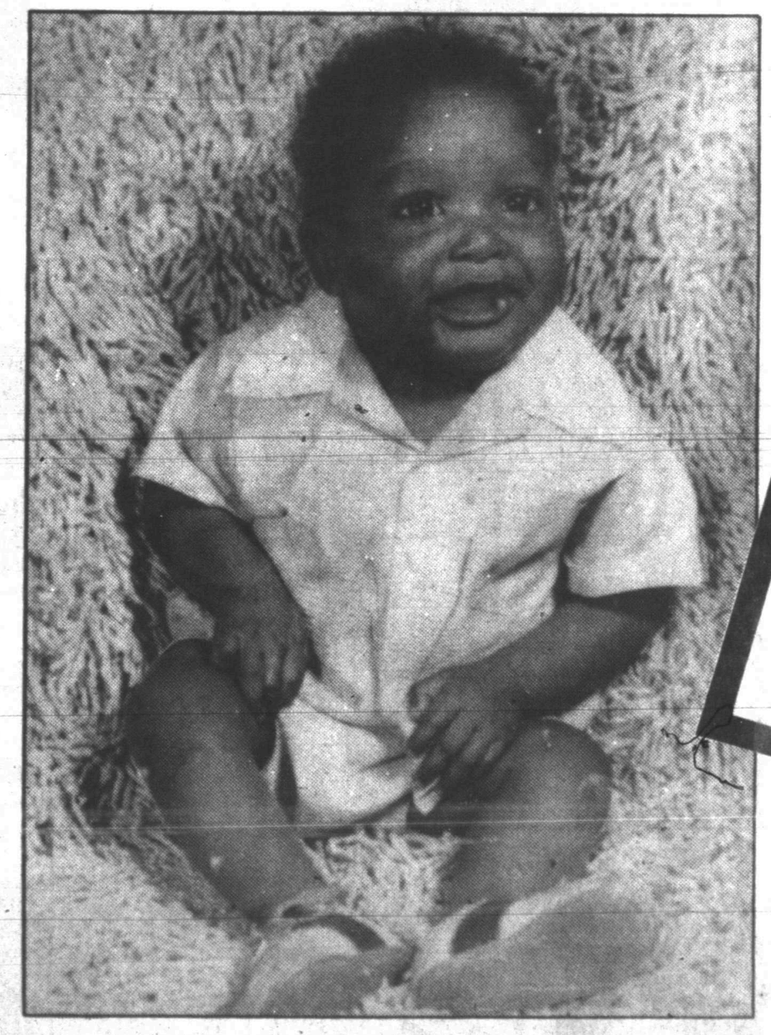

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From The Gang

# Comics Page

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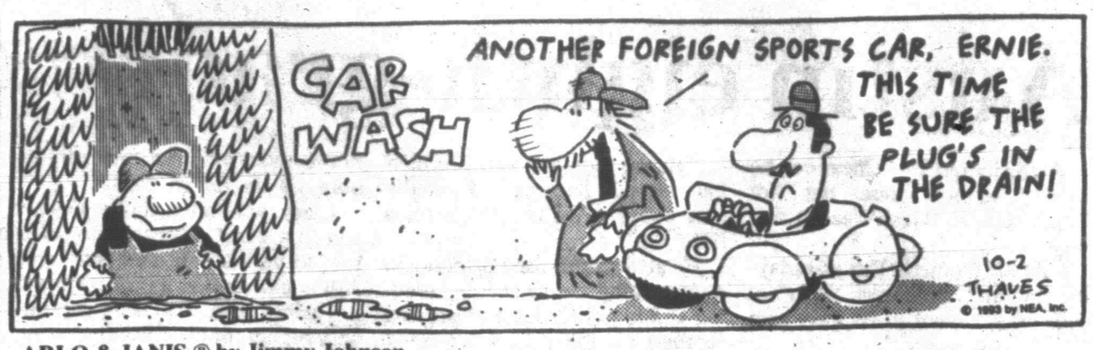


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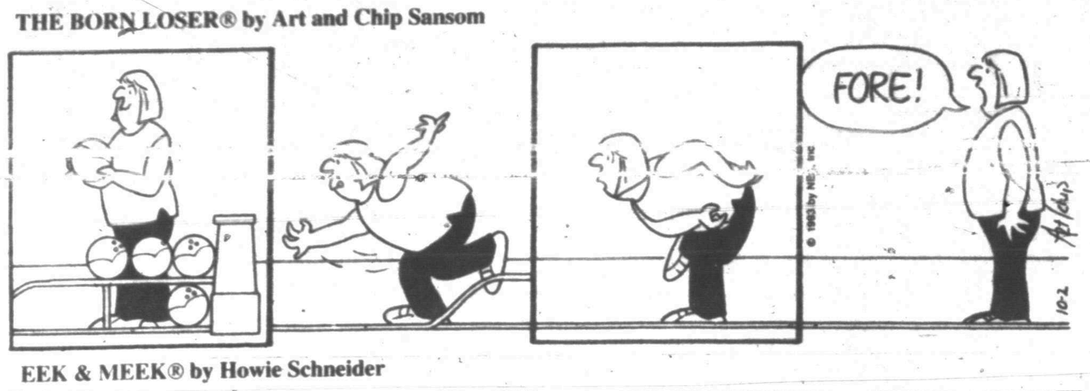


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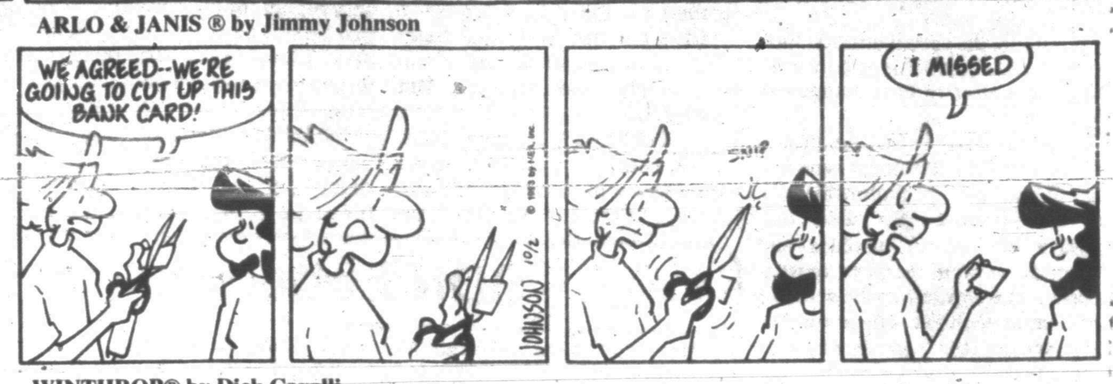


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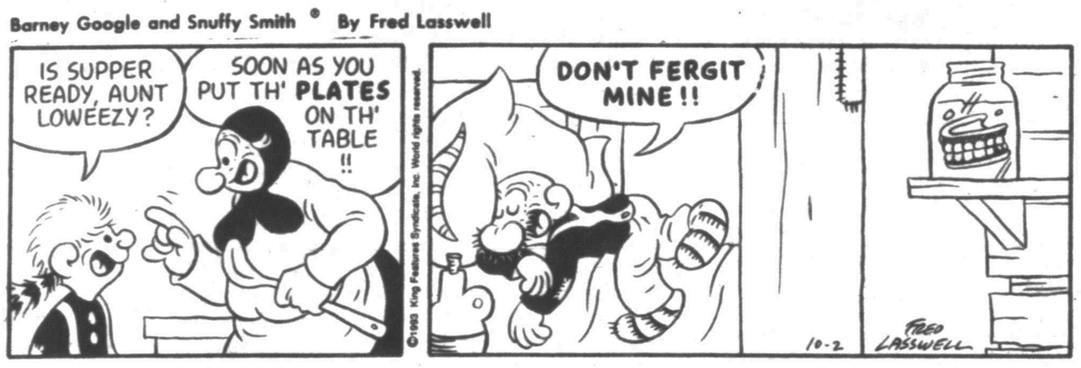


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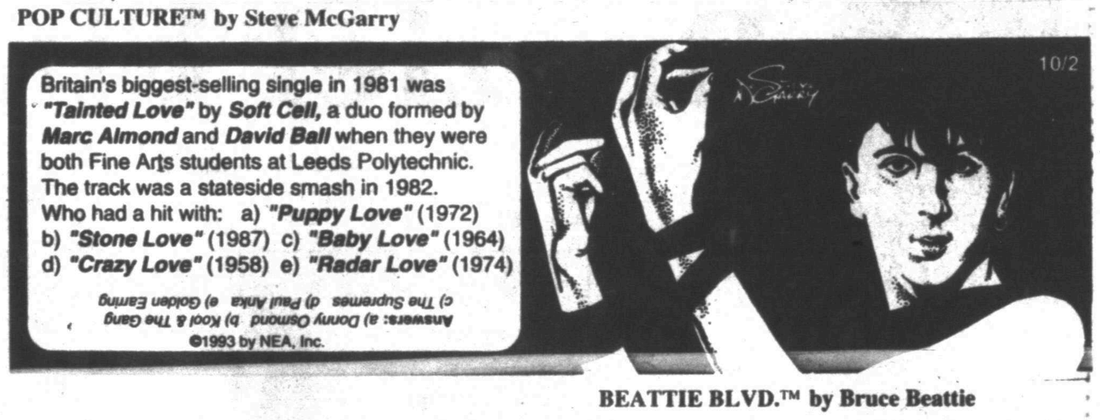


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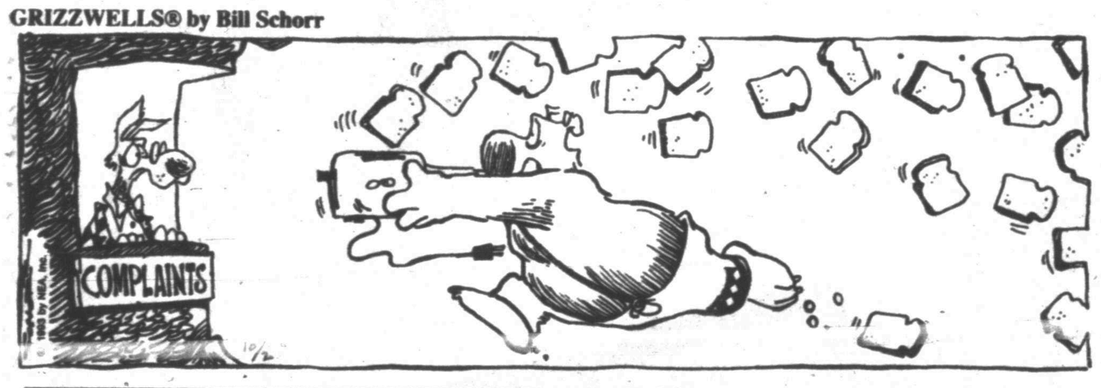


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**ACROSS**

1 Real-estate map
5 Drama
9 Apply lightly
12 Ireland
13 River in France
14 Inlet
15 Bad
16 Artists
18 Legal matter
19 Autumn flowers
20 Glacial ridge
21 Beast
23 Of form
24 Produces
27 Ship's curved planking
28 Rim
29 Flavor
31 Bird call
33 La — tar pits
37 Pigeon pea
40 Improvising
42 Radiates
44 Biceps, e.g.
45 Rupee fraction
46 — moss
48 Actor Linden
49 Medicinal vapor
51 Cut away
52 Letter of alphabet
53 Quote
54 Units of energy
55 Mao — tung
56 TV's talking horse (2 wds.)
57 Fruit drinks

**DOWN**

1 Nobility
2 Pepped up
3 Originating
4 — Aviv
5 Peopled
6 Actor — Neeson
7 In present condition (2 wds.)
8 Deep yearning
9 Fears
10 Male aviator
11 Sordidly
17 Boxing-victory abbr.
19 Spoil
22 Encounter
23 Colo. time
25 Chinese monetary unit
26 Guessed
30 Recedes
32 Existed
34 — Nixon
35 Make bigger
36 Ever youthful
37 Portray
38 Ammonia compounds
39 Chinese fruit
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50 Math abbr.
51 Edible seed

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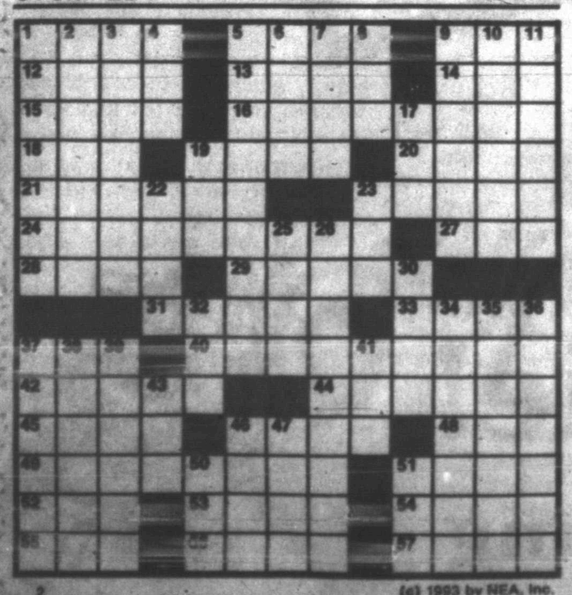

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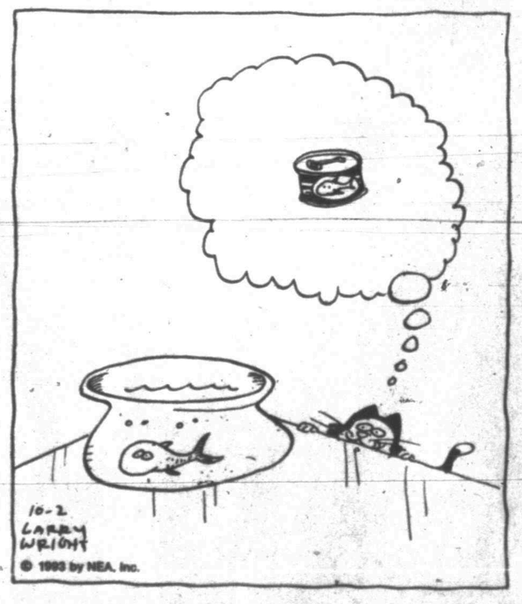


LAFF-A-DAY

"Jane, will you *please* stop polishing the vines?!"

DENNIS THE MENACE

"MOM LIKES THE OUTDOORS, UNLESS IT COMES INDOORS!"

# Dade County restaurant tax helps homeless

MIAMI (AP) — Starting Friday, anyone who eats at a big restaurant in Dade County will be helping those who often go hungry: the homeless.

A new 1 percent tax on restaurant checks is expected to raise $7.5 million in its first year for private shelters, counseling and other programs to help get homeless people into permanent housing.

The plan is being hailed as a model for other big cities — this, in a city that has been accused in recent years of trying to sweep the homeless from view.

"They didn't always have the best reputation," said St. Paul, Minn., Mayor Jim Scheibel, chairman of the U.S. Conference of Mayors task force on hunger and homelessness. "And now (the program's) viewed as the way to go."

The National League of Cities and homeless-rights groups say the tax apparently is the first in the nation passed specifically to help the homeless.

The goal is to help people like 34-year-old Andre Santana, who has lived for nearly a year in a shack that hangs precariously over Biscayne Bay in downtown Miami.

"I really do want to get out of here," said the unemployed construction worker. "People bring food here. I don't want people to bring food. ... I want to buy food with the money I make."

Passed in July, the tax applies to restaurants that serve alcohol and have annual sales of $400,000 or more.

Some big restaurants have filed appeals with the county.

"If it's restaurants, it should be all restaurants: the McDonald's, the Wendy's," said Shari Rochester, dining room manager at the Rusty Pelican on Key Biscayne. "We donate a lot of our food. We do a lot that way."

Miami's problems with the homeless made headlines in 1988 and 1989 when the city sought to roust people living in parks and beneath highway overpasses in anticipation of the Orange Bowl and Super Bowl. As recently as last year, police drove the homeless from their encampments around the city.

Last November, a federal judge ordered the city to stop that and create "safe zones" where homeless people could eat, sleep, bathe and cook without fear of arrest.

The program's first phase envisions building up to three 500-bed shelters where the homeless could live for a week to 30 days. Then they would get six to nine months of medical treatment, job training, drug or alcohol rehabilitation or other services.

The final phase is movement to safe, long-term housing. Single men — who make up the largest share of Miami's 6,000 to 10,000 homeless — might live in special homes with communal dining rooms, with the tax money subsidizing their rent.

# Seeks redemption in health reform

By Jill Lawrence
AP Political Writer

WASHINGTON (AP) — Dave Durenberger would like to be remembered this way: authority on health care, catalyst for health reform, senator to whom a respected first lady once said, "You ask the most interesting and challenging questions."

That sure would beat ending up in history books for the following: marital problems; a rape allegation, later withdrawn; an ethics investigation; a public "denouncement" by his colleagues; and an indictment, rare for a sitting senator, on charges of bilking the Senate.

No wonder the Minnesota Republican has decided to skip a re-election bid and pursue a different kind of legacy.

Few have latched onto the Clintons' health-care reform drive more zealously than lawmakers who need redemption, or may soon. In its lofty aims of lifetime security and universal access to care, they sense a chance to do good and — just maybe — write a transcendent chapter in their careers.

For some, the all-out reform effort provides a relatively graceful opportunity to quit. Instead of bruising re-election campaigns and constant reminders of all that's gone wrong, here's an exit that might even enhance their reputations.

Thus Durenberger, the top Republican on Senate Medicare and disability subcommittees, says his decision to retire "clears the deck for me to seize the opportunity of a lifetime" — 15 months devoted to health reform.

A similar rationale comes from Sen. Donald Riegle, D-Mich. "I want to do the best job that I possibly can" as chairman of a subcommittee on health for families and the uninsured. That requires time and bipartisan goodwill, he said, and a bitter campaign would strain both resources.

Of course, Riegle, too, has a reputation to bury. He's one of the Keating Five, the quintet of senators tarred by association with a villain in the savings and loan scandal.

Another major player in the health-care arena is Rep. Dan Rostenkowski, D-Ill., under investigation by a grand jury examining fraud at the House Post Office. He has made no secret of his desire to cap decades in Congress — and years as chairman of the House Ways and Means Committee — by playing midwife to national health reform.

Rostenkowski said this week he ran for re-election last year "so I could try in my little way" to improve the health system. His decision on a 1994 race is due next month; by then he could be weighing legal as well as policy considerations.

Then there's Sen. Bob Packwood, R-Ore., accused of multiple instances of sexual harassment and under investigation by the Senate Ethics Committee. The allegations were publicized shortly after his re-election last year — giving him nearly a full six-year term to attempt some damage control.

# *Lawmakers show generosity to atom smashers, farmers*

WASHINGTON (AP) — Lawmakers scrambling through spending bills for the new federal budget year are opening government coffers to a Texas atom smasher and the former Soviet republics.

Just hours before Friday's start of fiscal year 1994, the Senate voted Thursday to give President Clinton all $640 million he requested for the year's work on the superconducting super collider. The multibillion-dollar research instrument is under construction outside Dallas.

Deficit-conscious opponents tried to kill the collider, but its defenders prevailed on a 57-42 roll call. Senators will now begin seeking compromise with members of the House, which voted to kill the program in June.

"I have every confidence the House will accede to the Senate wishes," said a hopeful Sen. Kay Bailey Hutchison, R-Texas.

In other actions Thursday:

—Clinton signed a stopgap spending measure that will keep the government functioning into the new fiscal year even though only three of the 13 normal appropriations bills have been enacted.

—The president also signed a $13 billion foreign aid bill containing $2.5 billion for Russia and other former Soviet republics. The Senate had given it final congressional approval, 87-11, just hours earlier.

—The House approved $71 billion for agriculture programs in a compromise that eliminates subsidy payments in 1994 for honey, wool and mohair. But in a last-minute change, lawmakers allowed payments to be made for wool and mohair produced in this calendar year, a concession that will cost $190 million. The Senate must act before the bill can go to Clinton.

—The House voted 325-102 for a $240 billion defense bill that buys everything from ballistic missiles to bullets for Boy Scouts. Along with its usual collection of weapons systems, the measure contained $2 million for a Spanish-American War-era program that dispenses ammunition and weapons to firearms competitions. An effort by liberals to kill the program failed, 242-190.

The money for the super collider was included in a measure financing the government's energy and water programs. The overall $22 billion bill was approved, 89-10. The House and Senate will now have to write a compromise version before sending it to the White House.

In the same bill, the Senate voted, 53-45, to preserve more than $30 million for work on the advanced liquid metal reactor. That contradicts an earlier House vote to kill it.

Supporters say the reactor, designed to burn plutonium, could be the long-sought answer to the problem of nuclear waste disposal. But opponents said the reactor could be easily converted into a breeder that would create plutonium, and might thus lead to a proliferation of nuclear arms.


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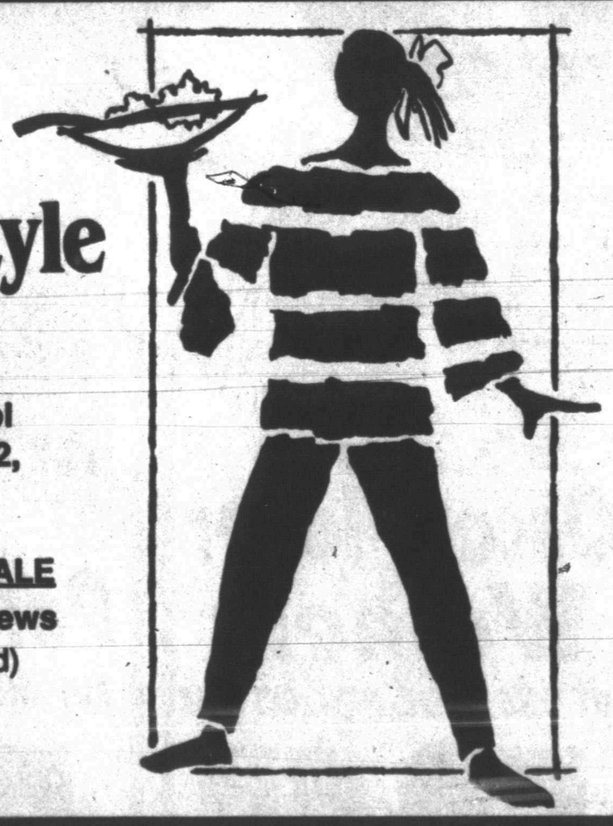

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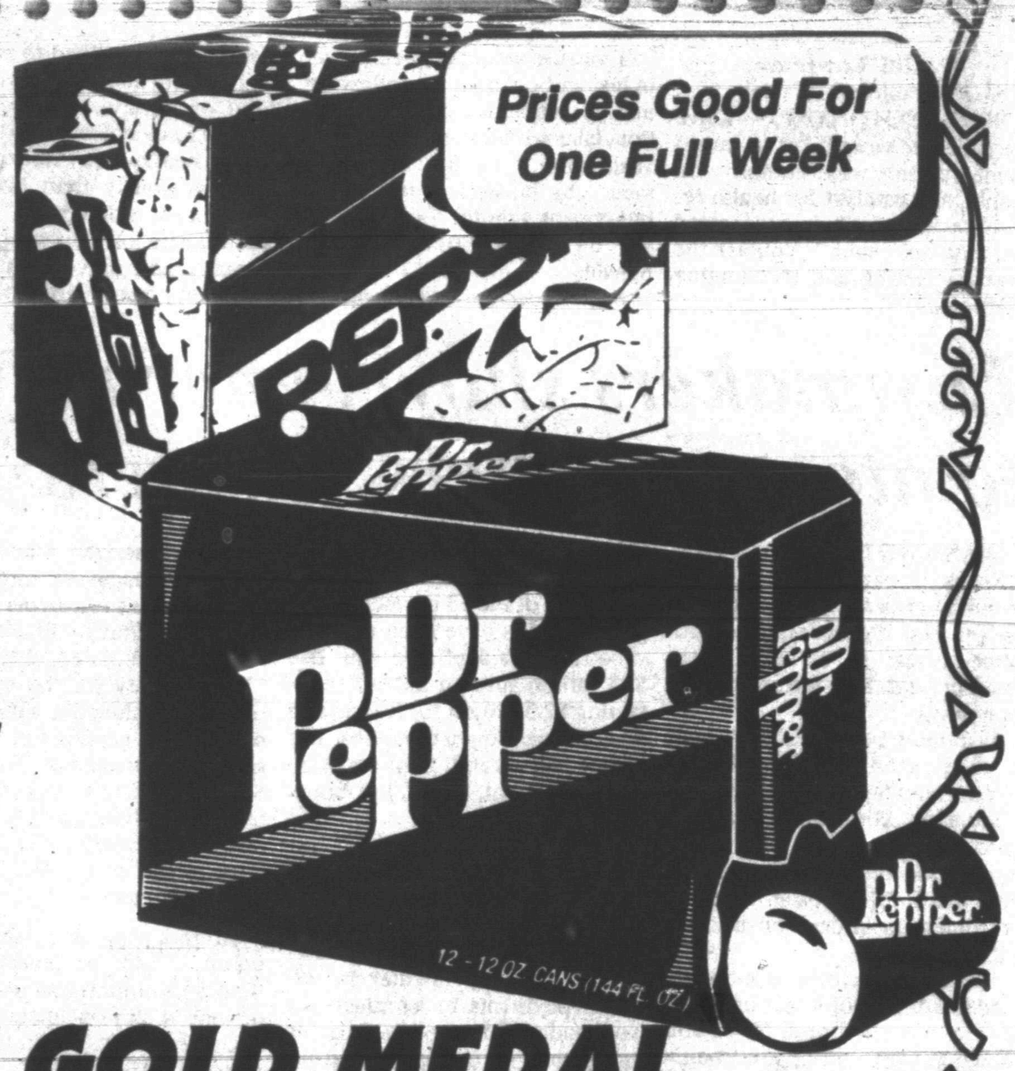


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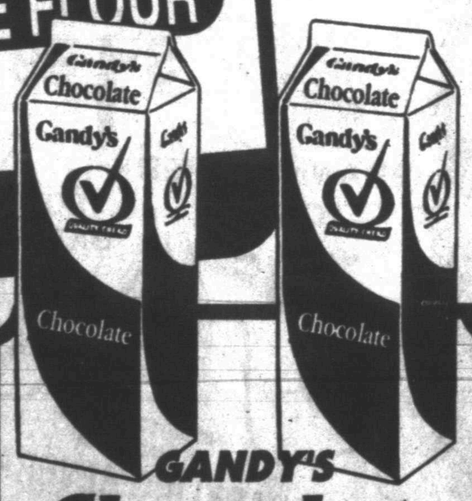

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