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Tentatively...

Counsel, Gingrich agree on six-figure fine and reprimand

WASHINGTON (AP) — The House ethics committee's special counsel and lawyers for Newt Gingrich have tentatively agreed to recommend that the speaker pay a six-figure financial penalty and be reprimanded by his colleagues, House Republican sources said today.

Special counsel James M. Cole, who conducted a yearlong investigation of Gingrich's ethical problems, and the speaker's lawyer, Randy Evans, were expected to make their recommendations separately at a public hearing as early as today.

The committee was meeting in private today as it struggled to finish the final stages of a two-year investigation plagued by partisan conflict.

The financial penalty was described by the sources as a reimbursement for extra work the committee performed due to inaccurate statements submitted under the speaker's name.

One knowledgeable GOP activist said he'd been told the fine was recommended for $100,000 and one of the House sources said it was in that range.

The New York Times reported today that evidence in the case would be turned over to the Justice Department for further investigation.

Two of the House sources said Cole would not make that recommendation — but one of them said the investigative material would be available if the Justice Department asked for it. That source said Republicans adamantly opposed a committee letter to Justice inviting the department to begin an investigation.

The House is set to vote Tuesday on a punishment for Gingrich. A reprimand for bringing discredit upon the House would allow the Georgia Republican, who has admitted violating House rules, to retain his powerful post. A more serious censure would make him ineligible to serve as speaker under Republican caucus rules.

The ethics committee planned a public proceeding today to hear from Cole and a lawyer for Gingrich. The panel also planned to make public Cole's report.

The committee first had to accept the final language of Cole's report at a private session. Because members of the committee — four Republicans, four Democrats — have waged constant partisan warfare, there was no guarantee the acceptance would be a formality.



SCHOOL BOARD RECEPTION — Snyder ISD trustees were honored with a reception Thursday afternoon in honor of School Board Recognition Month in Texas. Trustees Glenn Clarady, Charles Anderson and Geraldine Parker and other board members visited with a number of well-wishers, including Donna Smith shown here. (SDN Staff Photo)

Rubin says...

Balanced-budget amendment a 'threat'

WASHINGTON (AP) — Treasury Secretary Robert Rubin told Congress today that approval of a balanced-budget amendment to the Constitution would expose the U.S. economy to "unacceptable risks."

Rubin, in testimony before the Senate Judiciary Committee, said that 26 years on Wall Street had convinced him of the importance of fiscal responsibility. But he said a constitutional amendment to achieve that aim was the wrong approach to take and would have serious consequences.

"A balanced-budget amendment could turn slowdowns into recessions and recessions into more severe recessions or even depressions," Rubin said. "It could prevent us from dealing expeditiously with emergencies such as natural disasters or military threats."

He complained that any type of escape clause to allow for unbalanced budgets during economic downturns would be seriously flawed because of the time required for Congress to reach a consensus on the need to use it.

"A balanced-budget amendment is a threat to our economic health, will expose our economy to unacceptable risk and should not be adopted," Rubin told the committee.

He said that Congress and the White House are very close to an agreement that would achieve a balanced budget by 2002 and that this was the proper approach to take.

"Politically, historically and economically, the forces are in place to balance the budget. We are not far apart," Rubin said.

Holiday closings

Scurry County financial institutions will be closed Monday in honor of Martin Luther King Jr.'s birthday.

Mail will be placed in the boxes at the post office, but there will be no home delivery of mail, said postal officials.

Students in the Snyder ISD will have a holiday, but students at Ira and Hermleigh will have classes as usual.

Scurry County courthouse, city hall, Scurry County Museum and Western Texas College will operate on their normal hours.

Stock show is underway

Wesley Kellner's heavyweight cross was grand champion of the show during Thursday's swine judging at the Scurry County Junior Livestock Show.

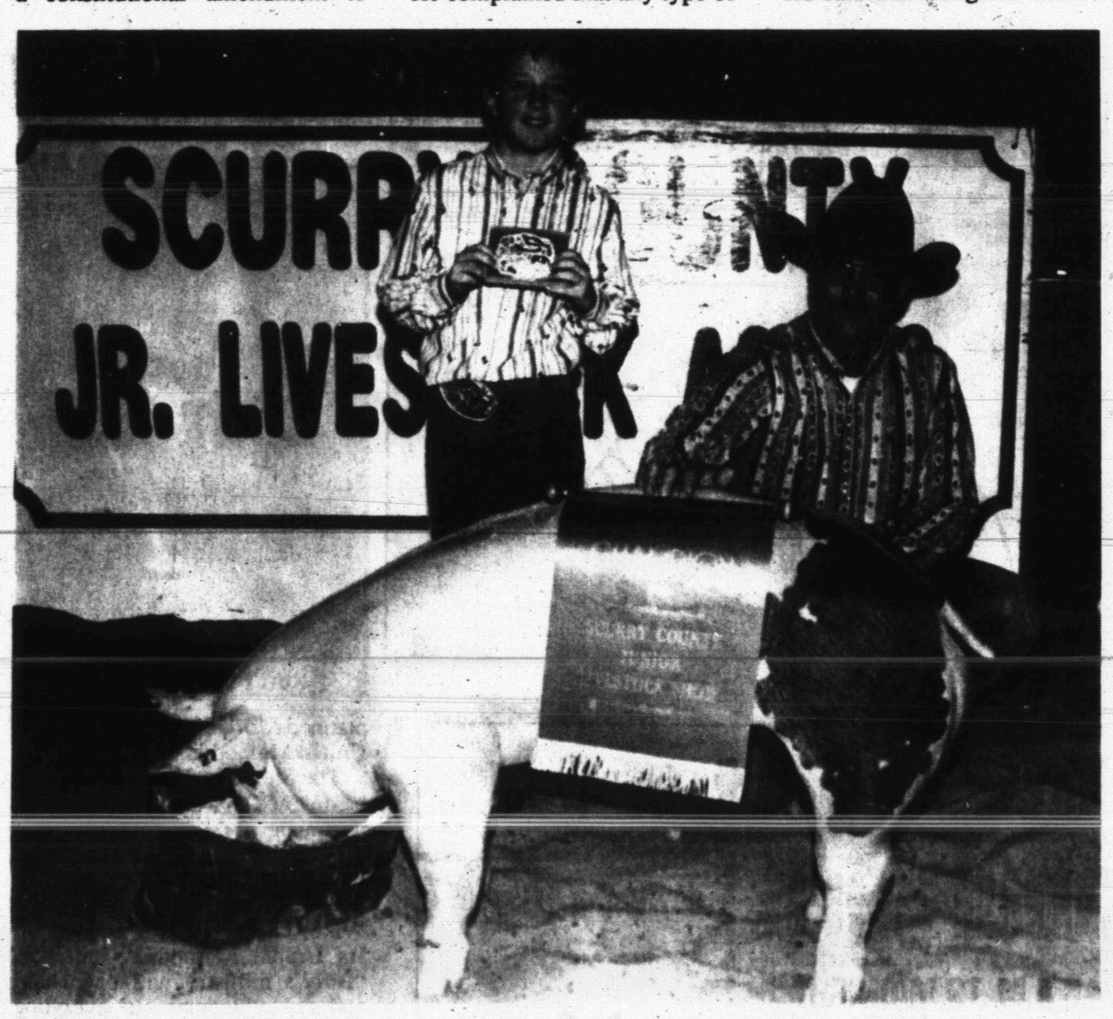
The three-day event continues tonight with steer judging at 6 o'clock, followed by the lamb show. A buyer's meal is set for 11:15 a.m. Saturday in the annex. Just prior to the 1 p.m. auction will be the crowning of the 1997 queen and presentation of the commercial steer winner, Top Hand Award, traveling trophies and Caprock scholarships.

Queen candidates were named Wednesday. They are Candace Sanchez, Ira FFA; Stephanie Perkins, Scurry County 4H; and Shauna Huddleston, Snyder FFA.

Cody Cribbs exhibited the reserve champion last night, a lightweight hampshire. Cribbs is a Snyder FFA student; Kellner represents Ira FFA.

Lori Sanders, another Snyder FFA student, was presented with the showmanship award.

The grand champion buckle was donated by Scurry County Farm Bureau, the reserve champion bag by Ezell-Key Feed & Seed and the showmanship bag by Caprock Securities.



GRAND CHAMPION HOG — Wesley Kellner's heavyweight cross received grand champion honors during Thursday night's swine judging at the Scurry County Junior Livestock Show. Shown with Kellner is Richard Long, Ira High School ag teacher. (SDN Staff Photo)

Trustees 'tour' annual academic indicator report

Snyder ISD trustees took a tour through the district's Academic Excellence Indicator System (AEIS) during Thursday night's monthly board meeting, which also included a public hearing on the document.

The one-inch-thick book offers a wealth of academic information about the district, including results of the Texas Assessment of Academic Skills (TAAS), student attendance and dropout rates.

Additional performance results are also included about college admission tests, including the Scholastic Aptitude Test (SAT) and American College Test (ACT). The information indicates the percentage of students tested and those scoring at or above criterion scores.

The information is broken down by campus, and ethnic background.

Individual campus improvement plans are also included.

The report is available for public viewing on the district's individual campuses, at the administration building and at Scurry County Library.

In other matters, the board formally accepted the resignation of Stanfield second grade teacher Elizabeth Jenkins. Jenkins had submitted her resignation at the beginning of the spring semester following 43 years of teaching. Trustees approved Lorinda Hardin as her replacement at Stanfield.

The trustees also heard an update on Texas Association of School Board policy 53 on first reading.

Supt. Gayle Lomax notified the board that the district had received a $20,000 grant from the Texas Education Agency for staff development/parent training.

Board president Charles Anderson presided and all trustees were in attendance, including Luann Burleson, Richard Chambers, Mark McCormick, Glenn Clarady, Geraldine Parker and Janet Stribling.

Following the meeting, trustees viewed a demonstration of the Internet.

THE SDN COLUMN

By Roy McQueen

The feller on Deep Creek says, "Etiquette is the art of knowing which fork to use to eat the salad of the person seated at your right and which knife to use to put butter on the bread of the person seated on your left."

Keeping tabs on our neighbors: The Rotan Advance reported that Fisher County resident Steve Carriker has a new appointment.

The former state senator has been appointed head of the USDA Rural Development for Texas. The agency formerly was called the Farmers Home Administration.

The Texas state office is located in Temple. When reorganization is completed later this year, Rural Development will have 217 employees and 30 field offices in Texas.

Rural Development is the agency that has awarded a $383,000 grant to the Development Corporation of Snyder to fund street improvements in SnTx Park I.

Don Ingram, a long-time newspaper friend from Andrews, has resolved to be less cynical this year.

He sometimes serves as a volunteer ranger at Guadalupe National Park. One recent weekend, he rounded a corner to find a woman reading a book atop a boulder.

He asked if she needed assistance. Finding all in order, they exchanged pleasantries. She asked how he liked working in the park and then he asked what the woman did for a living.

"I'm an astronaut," she said.

"Yeah, right, and I'm the pope," Ingram shot back, trying not to be outdone by the visitors.

Last week, Ingram received a 8x10 envelope from the Johnson Space Center. Inside was a color photograph of Dr. Janice Voss, nuclear physicist with two space flights to her credit.

Larry Crabtree, in the Vernon Daily Record, bought a book to help him get rid of some holiday pounds. Costing $10, it was entitled "Lose Weight Fast."

He says losing weight is like playing the lottery. So far he has only lost $10."

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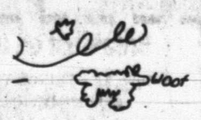
Q—Enough cold weather. When is the normal last freeze date in Scurry County?

A—According to the Texas Almanac, April 4.

FORECAST - ALMANAC

Snyder Temps: High Thursday, 36 degrees; low, 22; 7 a.m. Friday, 23; no precipitation; total for 1997, .42 of an inch.

Area Forecast: Tonight, fair. Low 15-20. Variable wind 5-10 mph. Saturday, sunny and warmer. High in the mid 50s. Southwest wind 10-20 mph and gusty.



Tyler Price

Windy!

Sunset:
6:05 p.m.
Sunrise:
7:44 a.m.
Of 16 days in 1997, the sun has shone 12 days in Snyder.

TODAY'S THOUGHT

A journey of a thousand miles begins with a single step.

- Chinese Proverb

Cosby's son wanted to help kids with learning disabilities

LOS ANGELES (AP) — If not for his famous last name, few would know of Ennis William Cosby.

As the only son of entertainer Bill Cosby, he had a dream far removed from the spotlight: to educate children with learning disabilities like himself. Cosby had overcome dyslexia.

That dream came to an abrupt halt early Thursday when the 27-year-old Columbia University doctoral student was gunned down while fixing a flat tire near Bel-Air, one of the city's most exclusive and safest neighborhoods.

Before ducking into his home in New York City, a grim-faced, puffy-eyed Bill Cosby told reporters: "He was my hero."

No immediate arrests were made. Police suspect the younger Cosby might have been the victim of a robbery attempt. Nothing apparently was taken.

Police later cordoned off the nearby Cosby family home in upscale Pacific Palisades. A man who identified himself as Bill Cosby's brother-in-law allowed detectives to enter the house despite no search warrant, said Detective Roseanne Parino.

Police barred anyone from entering the house — including family — for fear of contaminating possible evidence, Parino said.

Cosby was driving a dark green Mercedes-Benz convertible on the San Diego Freeway when a flat tire forced him to pull over.

In the cold, still night, he threw on the car's emergency lights and put the spare tire on the car, which was registered to Cosby Productions. He was replacing the lug nuts when he was shot dead with a single gunshot.

A woman who found the body in a pool of blood next to the car about 1:30 a.m., indicated the assailant was a white man. The woman saw "at least a portion of this and we are interviewing her," Police Cmdr. Tim McBride said, without elaborating.

Tire-changing equipment was beside the car. The trunk and passenger door were open, and the emergency flashers were still blinking.

The woman was actually the person Cosby was en route to visit, according to a KCBS-TV report. He called her by cellular phone at 1:15 a.m. and asked her to come help him light the area. She arrived shortly after the shooting and called police about 1:30 a.m., the station said, citing unidentified sources.

The station would not disclose her name, saying only that she was in her 40s, lived in Los Angeles and was in the entertainment industry.

Police sources quoted in today's (New York) Daily News said a second witness was in the area at the time of the killing, and that a composite sketch of the suspect was to be released today.

Cosby was the middle child of Bill Cosby and wife Camille. He had four sisters; two older and two younger. Like their brother, all their names begin with E: Erika, Erinn, Ensa and Evin. Their father said the E stood for excellence.

The elder Cosby is one of the world's richest entertainers, a man for whom fatherhood was the wellspring of his stand-up comedy, a best-selling book and the most popular TV series of the '80s, "The Cosby Show."

He was in New York, where CBS' "Cosby" is produced, when McBride broke the news.

In a statement, Cosby said: "Our hearts go out to each and every family that such an incident occurs to. This is a life experience that is truly difficult to share."

Cosby and other family members left their Manhattan home Thursday night with a police escort. The entertainer's Los Angeles publicist, David Brokaw, declined to say where they went, but said Cosby was not en route to Los Angeles.

Born on April 15, 1969, in Amherst, Mass., Ennis Cosby graduated in 1992 from Morehouse College in Atlanta. In May 1995, he received a master's degree at Columbia University's Teachers College and was seeking his doctorate in special education there.

It was a path his father also had taken. Bill Cosby received his doctorate in education in 1976 from the University of Massachusetts.

The younger Cosby was in Los Angeles while on winter break.

His dream was to establish a private school for students with learning disabilities, said one of his university advisers, Margaret Jo Shepherd.

"His special commitment was to poor children who needed special help and who might not have the resources to get that on their own," Shepherd said. "He had a passionate desire to teach, to be useful and to improve conditions for children, especially in urban areas."

The Rev. Jesse Jackson, a close friend of the Cosby family, said, "Such a tragic loss diminishes all of us."

CNN apologizes for graphic footage

NEW YORK (AP) — Bill Cosby's family got an on-air apology from CNN after the network showed footage of his dead son lying in a pool of blood.

The footage, taken from a helicopter by KTLA-TV, showed a Mercedes, its emergency lights still blinking, by the side of a Los Angeles freeway. The camera then moved in to a closeup of the body of 27-year-old Ennis William Cosby, who died of a single gunshot wound.

Even though KTLA-TV shot the raw footage and submitted it to CNN on Thursday, the Los Angeles TV station did not air it.

After CNN showed the scene at 2:02 p.m. EST, there was an "immediate negative reaction" from CNN staff in the Atlanta newsroom and hundreds of calls of protests from the public, CNN spokesman Steve Haworth said.

CNN anchorwoman Bobbie Battista came on the air from a commercial break at 2:28 p.m. and said: "There was some tape that aired that showed a closeup of Ennis Cosby, and it was inappropriate to air that. We apologize for that, and to his family as well."

Mike Klein, CNN's supervising producer, ordered the apology, Haworth said.

CNN had received the tape several hours earlier, before it had been confirmed that the dead motorist was Cosby's son. An editor putting the footage together for viewing improperly included the closeup, Haworth said.

CNN has no precise rules for airing such footage, considering it a judgment call depending upon the circumstances.

"We are not in the business of showing gratuitously violent material on air," Haworth said. "We will only show the material that is necessary to explain the story to the viewers."

KTLA-TV did not air it because of a long-standing policy against showing anything graphic, said Fernando Lopez, manager of news operations at the station.

The station received several angry phone calls because the CNN broadcast said the tape was "courtesy of KTLA," he said.

Museum display tells Mescalero Sands story

The 14-year struggle to preserve the Mescalero Sands in southeastern New Mexico is documented in a display at Scurry County Museum.

The exhibit, "Desert Soliloquy," portrays the lengthy campaign spearheaded in 1964 by Eastern New Mexico University graduate student Calvin Smith to have the Mescalero Sands designated a "national natural study area."

The Bureau of Land Management approved the site as an "Outstanding Natural Area" in 1980. The sands are located about 38 air miles southeast of Roswell, just off NM 31.

The display describes the geology, archeology, history and natural history of a very secluded area. It features about 100 color photographs and transparencies taken by Smith. The American West Foundation provided a grant toward the preparation of "Desert Soliloquy."

Smith, who now serves as director of Baylor University's Strecker Museum and Museum Studies Program in Waco, will give an oral presentation about Mescalero Sands and the designation campaign at the Scurry County Museum during February. A date has not been set yet.

The museum is located on the Western Texas College campus. For more information, call 573-6107 from 8 a.m. to 4 p.m., Monday through Friday.

Area students can travel to England for college credit

A travel-abroad experience, for college credit, will be offered this summer.

A Western Texas College English instructor and a Snyder High School English teacher will lead a two-week trip to England starting June 9.

The college-credit course is English 2322, Literary England. Cost of the study-abroad program is $2,199, plus $97 for tuition.

Teachers are Jana Martin, an English instructor at WTC for the past four years, and Beth Bowen, who has taught British Literature at Snyder High School for eight years and has led seven student groups on various tours of Europe.

An informational meeting concerning next summer's program is planned for 5 p.m. Wednesday on the WTC campus, in 2B110.

Two brief meetings during the spring semester will introduce students to the required reading and research assignment. The class involves one week of morning study on the WTC campus from June 2-6.

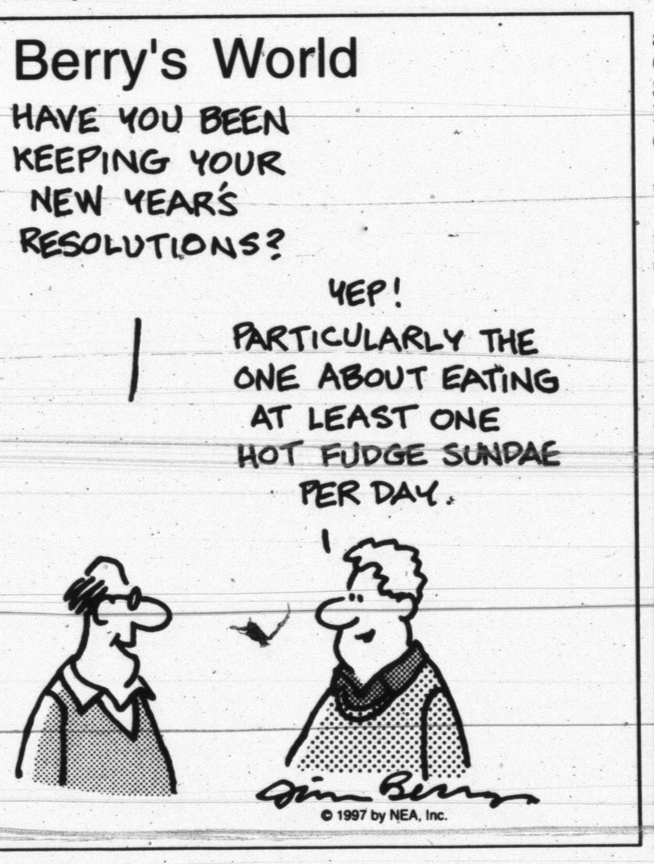
The class will be followed by the two-week excursion to England. Students return June 23.

While in England, students will have an opportunity to visit various locations associated with English authors. There will also be time for students to explore England on their own.

Prerequisite for the course includes completion of English 1301 or credit for the course through ACT, SAT or CLEP testing.

Hall to teach the Word on Wednesday

Dudley Hall will be teaching the Word Wednesday at 7 p.m. at the Church of the Hills, located 14 miles north on U.S. 84. Turn left at the Fluvanna cut off (Highway 612). The building sits on the left before topping the hill.



Scenes ran by mistake

SPRINGFIELD, Mo. (AP) — Viewers of "The Flintstones" got a little more yabba-dabba-do than they expected Thursday.

The local cable company broadcast explicit sex scenes from The Playboy Channel over the Cartoon Network for several minutes just before 1 p.m. — while the audio continued to be the voices of Fred and Barney.

The glitch came on a day when bad weather had closed most southwest Missouri schools. A mother called TCI of Springfield Inc., which provides the Cartoon Network to 50,000 homes, to complain.

Ross Summers, the cable outlet's general manager, said the problem likely arose in testing the signal for the Playboy channel, which the company intends to offer in February.

Union Methodist sets revival

Revival services are scheduled at Union United Methodist Church, Wednesday through Sunday, Jan. 22-26, with the Rev. Billy McCaulley, conference evangelist.

His messages will center on the topic, "Encounters with Christ."

Services are scheduled at 7 p.m., Wednesday through Saturday. Sunday services will begin at 10:50 a.m. and 6 p.m. An additional Sunday service is also planned for 9:30 a.m. at Ira United Methodist Church.

The Saturday night service will be devoted to a concert of Christian music.

A covered dish dinner will follow services on Sunday.

According to Rev. Monte Wike, pastor of both Union and Ira United Methodist Churches, "Billy's ministry will be a help and encouragement to everyone who attends. He is a good Bible preacher, and his music ministry is second-to-none."

For more information, call the pastor at 573-6706.

Union Methodist is located five miles west of Snyder on Highway 180.

McCaulley is the founder and president of Words and Music Ministries.

His music blends traditional and contemporary Christian music. His primary instrument is the soprano saxaphone, on which he recorded his first album in 1993.

He has set the Beatitudes to music in the title song, "Blest." He is currently set to release two more album projects this spring.

McCaulley is a graduate of Texas Tech University and Asbury Seminary. He is an ordained United Methodist minister, having served Methodist pastorates in northwest Texas before entering full-time on the evangelism field.

He is a member of the National Association of United Methodist Evangelists (NAUME) and of the Gospel Music Association (GMA). He and his wife, Mary Kay, are the parents of three sons, Ben, a sophomore at Monterey High School; Josh, age 11; Luke, 7. They live in Lubbock.



Rev. Billy McCaulley

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RIBBON CUTTING CEREMONY — Caprock Securities Inc., 2517 College Ave., was welcomed by the Snyder Gold Coats as a new member of the chamber of commerce with a ribbon cutting ceremony. Chamber manager Donna Fowler presented the membership plaque to Sid and June Wall, owners, and Terry Webb, receptionist. Members of NASD and SIPC, the company offers stocks, bonds, mutual funds and IRA's, and is open from 9 to 5, Monday through Friday. (Staff Photo by Jo Ann Nunley)

Shahravan's lawyer says he believes her

DALLAS (AP) — The woman charged with falsely accusing two Dallas Cowboys stars with sexual assault surrendered to police Thursday as her lawyer insisted that she was "the victim of a rape."

Nina Shahravan, 23, turned herself in at the Dallas County jail about 5 p.m. and posted $500 bond on a misdemeanor perjury charge, which carries a stiffer penalty than her initial charge of filing a false police report.

If convicted, she could be sentenced to a year in jail and a $4,000 fine.

Ms. Shahravan, a former stripper, refused comment as deputies ushered her into the jail, but her lawyer, David Smith, denied that she had lied in her accusations against Cowboys stars Michael Irvin and Erik Williams.

"I don't believe my client is guilty," Smith said. "My client doesn't believe she's guilty of any offense. I represent the victim of a rape.

"The original statement given by my client to the Dallas police is true," he said.

Ms. Shahravan filed a police report Dec. 30 accusing Irvin of holding a gun to her head while Williams and a third man, never identified, raped her in Williams' home.

Higher ed minority enrollment to suffer

AUSTIN (AP) — Despite a growing number of ethnic minorities in Texas, the state won't be able to improve minority enrollment in colleges and universities because of an anti-affirmative action court ruling, according to members of the Texas Higher Education Coordinating Board.

The board approved a report Thursday that addresses how the state can attract minorities into higher education despite a court ruling that struck down race-based enrollment efforts.

The report details efforts to attract students by need rather than by race.

"Criteria related to income levels of parents, parental educational level and disadvantaged economic status of the school district in which a student attended high school should be considered for use in the provision of special admission status and the awarding of financial aid," the report said.

The report was done to find ways to deal with effects of the federal court decision known as the Hopwood case, named after lead plaintiff Cheryl Hopwood.

In that case, the 5th U.S. Circuit Court of Appeals in New Orleans struck down the University of Texas law school's former admissions policy, which was meant to boost enrollment of blacks and Hispanics. Ms. Hopwood was among four whites who challenged the policy.

The appeals court said the policy discriminated against whites, and the U.S. Supreme Court allowed the ruling to stand.

The decision has resulted in Texas universities' halting the consideration of race as a factor in admissions and financial aid, following advice by state Attorney General Dan Morales.

While the 5th Circuit's jurisdiction also includes Louisiana and Mississippi, members of the board said those states aren't complying because of a separate court case.

That puts Texas at a unique disadvantage, they said. Outside the 5th Circuit, universities are under a previous U.S. Supreme Court ruling allowing race to be considered as a factor. Some suggested the distinction doesn't make sense.

"No other state in the union has the same problem we have with Hopwood," said board member Jodie Jiles of Houston.

Jiles said recruiting efforts based on need will produce only 60 percent of the minority enrollment that was created by race-based efforts prior to the Hopwood ruling.

"We were doing a poor job of minority recruiting before Hopwood, so now it's only going to get worse," Jiles said.

"The number one conclusion from this committee is that we have taken a giant step backwards in recruiting minorities," said board member Carlos Villa of El Paso. "Other states don't have Attorney General Dan Morales interpreting the decision as he has here."

Ward Tisdale, a spokesman for Morales, said, "Our interpretation of the Hopwood ruling and our guidance to agencies is sound, prudent and responsible. They remain unchanged."

Tisdale said agencies are free to ignore Morales' interpretation of the ruling.

"Doing so, would maximize their legal exposure in our opinion," Tisdale said. "The attorney general believes that diversity and inclusiveness are extremely important public policy goals.

Community Calendar

FRIDAY

Hermleigh Community Center Family Night; 6:30 p.m.

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

Scurry County Alcoholics Anonymous; Park Club in Winston Park; for information call 573-8626, 573-9458 or 573-8929; 8 p.m., open meeting (last Friday of the month is the birthday meeting, pot luck at 7 p.m.).

Al-Anon; Park Club in Winston Park, 37th & Ave. M; for information call 573-3956 or 573-2101; 8 p.m.

SATURDAY

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

Narcotics Anonymous; Park Club in Winston Park; for more information call 573-2101, 573-0949, 573-3667 or 573-1579; 7 p.m.

SUNDAY

Scurry County Alcoholics Anonymous; Park Club in Winston Park; for information call 863-2349; 10 a.m.

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

Narcotics Anonymous Park Club in Winston Park; for information call 573-2101, 573-0949, 573-3667 or 573-1579; 5 p.m.

Beginners Alcoholics Anonymous and Narcotics Anonymous; Park Club at Winston Park, 37th & Ave. M; 7 p.m.

Date Book

Jan. 17, 1997

Today is the 17th day of 1997 and the 28th day of winter.

TODAY'S HISTORY: On this day in 1874, Chang and Eng, the joined brothers who popularized the term "Siamese twins," died.

On this day in 1955, USS Nautilus, the world's first nuclear powered submarine, began its maiden voyage.

On this day in 1995, the city of Kobe, Japan, was devastated by an earthquake that measured 7.2 on the Richter scale.

TODAY'S BIRTHDAYS: Benjamin Franklin (1706-1790), U.S. statesman-publisher-inventor; David Lloyd George (1863-1945), British prime minister; Mack Sennett (1884-1960), film producer; Al Capone (1899-1947), racketeer; Moira Shearer (1926-), ballerina, is 71; James Earl Jones (1931-), actor, is 66; Shari Lewis (1934-), puppeteer, is 63; Muhammad Ali (1942-), boxing great, is 55; Jim Carrey (1962-), actor, is 35.

TODAY'S SPORTS: On this day in 1971, the Baltimore Colts defeated the Dallas Cowboys 16-13 in Super Bowl V, a game marred by 11 turnovers and 133 yards in penalties.

TODAY'S QUOTE: "When men are employed, they are best contented." — Benjamin Franklin

TODAY'S WEATHER: On this day in 1982, 15 people were injured when Chinook winds gusting to more than 135 mph buffeted northeastern Colorado.

SOURCE: 1997 Weather Guide Calendar; Accord Publishing, Ltd.

TODAY'S MOON: Between first quarter (Jan. 15) and full moon (Jan. 23).

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Bridge

By Phillip Alder



	North 01-17-97 ♠ Q 7 2 ♥ 10 9 3 ♦ K 3 ♣ Q J 7 6 4	
West ♠ 10 9 8 4 ♥ Q 2 ♦ 8 7 5 4 ♣ 9 8 2		East ♠ A K J ♥ 6 5 4 ♦ Q J 10 9 6 ♣ 10 5
	South ♠ 6 5 3 ♥ A K J 8 7 ♦ A 2 ♣ A K 3	

Vulnerable: East-West
Dealer: North

South	West	North	East
		Pass	Pass
1 ♥	Pass	2 ♥	Pass
4 ♥	Pass	Pass	Pass

Opening lead: ♠ 10

There is still space

By Phillip Alder

There is an inverse relationship between a computer's hard disk and one's brain. As the computer gets older, so the hard-disk fills up. One's aging brain loses gray cells, reducing one's powers of memory. However, despite this loss of mental prowess, there is still enough space remaining for the information needed during a bridge deal. Which is the key element here?

Against four hearts, West leads the spade 10. East wins the first three tricks with the spade jack, ace and king. Then he switches to the diamond queen. How should you continue?

Most British players would open that East hand. The good five-card suit and the desire to get in the first shot outweigh the slight shortage of high-card points.

South, whose memory banks were filled to overflowing with percentage plays, won trick four in his hand with the diamond ace. He cashed the heart ace, played a diamond to dummy's king and ran the heart 10. When West produced the queen, South shook his head. "My finesses are nearer zero percent than 50."

North, who prefers to use the textbook only when there is nothing better, was unsympathetic.

"How many points had East shown?" he asked.

"Let's see," replied South. "I suppose it was 11: eight in spades and presumably, three in diamonds."

"Right — yet he couldn't open the bidding. How can he have the trump queen? You must play out the ace and king, hoping for the best."

"Sorry, partner," said East. "I should have switched to the diamond 10 or nine. Then South doesn't have a perfect count."

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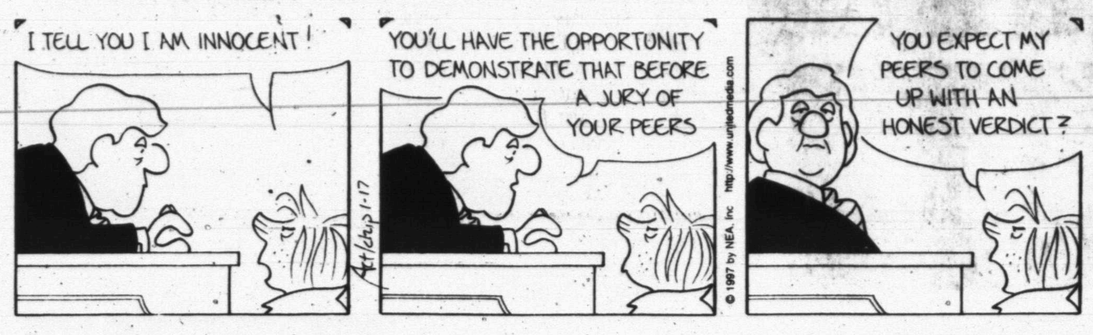
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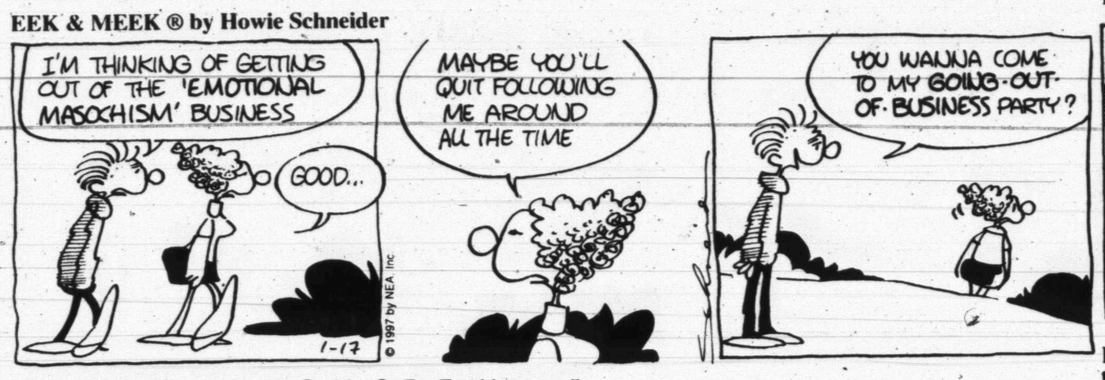
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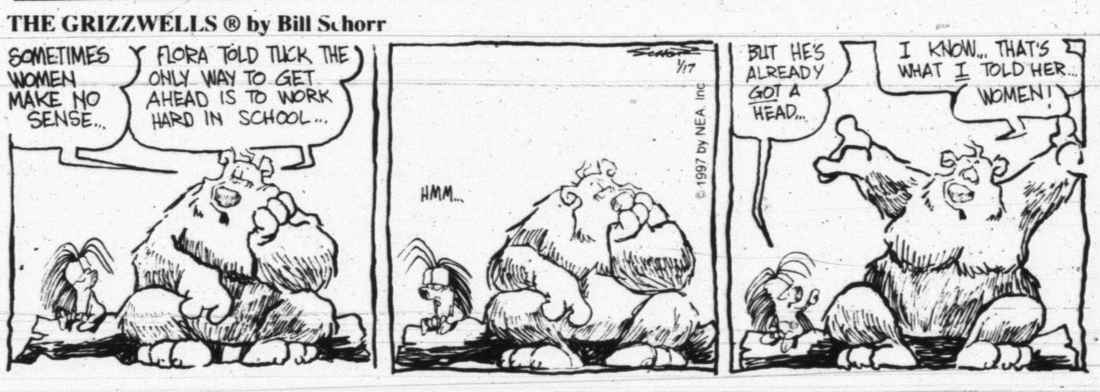
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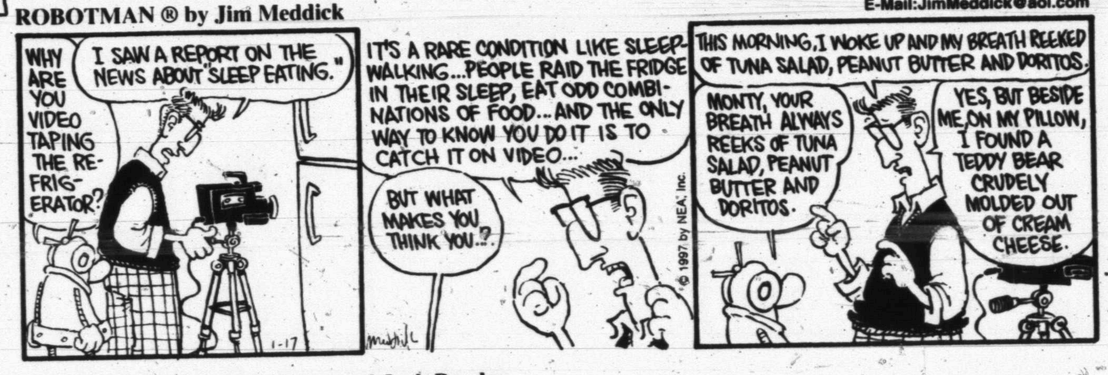


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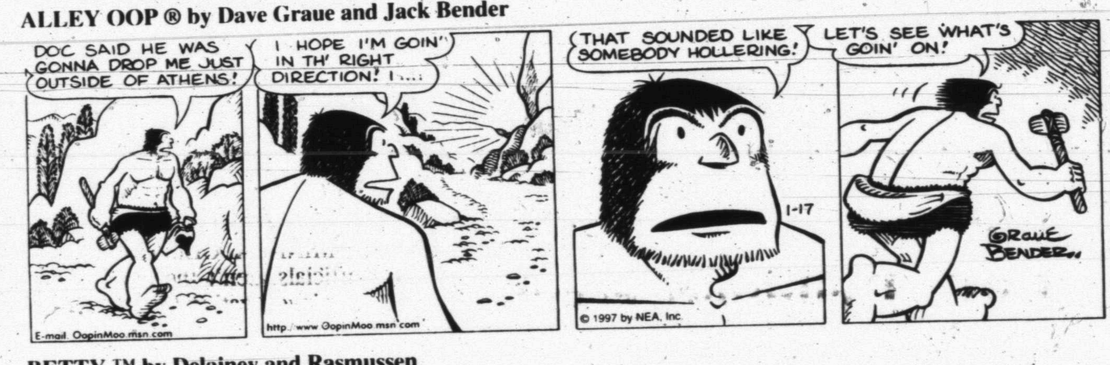


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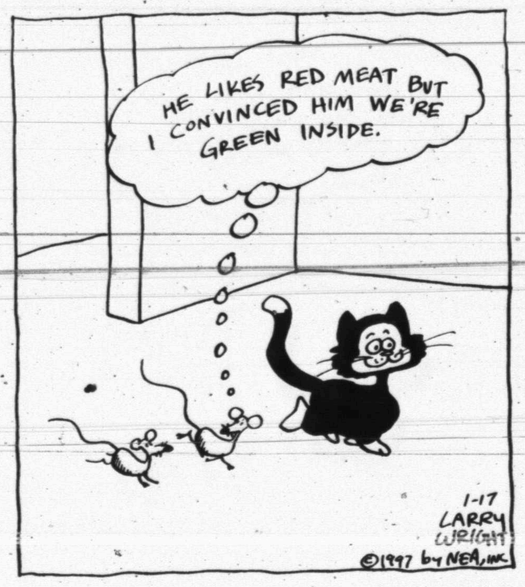
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ACROSS

1 Japanese volcano
5 Charcoal, e.g.
9 Powerful explosive (abbr.)
12 Brought up
13 Prince in India
14 Debtor's letters
15 — 500 race
16 Had bills
17 Born
18 Jockey's attire
20 Coagulates
22 Map abbr.
23 Pro — (for the time being)
24 Boxing-victory abbr.
27 — Aviv
29 Desert grains
33 Describing Ann or Andy
35 Tug
36 Away from the wind
37 Capable of estimation
40 Runs into
42 Mrs. Peron
43 Old age
44 Olympic org.
46 Bullfight cheer
48 Timepiece
50 Fabric
53 Casual shirt
54 Missouri's neighbor
56 Views
58 Comparative suffix
59 Dry
60 Pelvic bones
61 GI's address
62 Late-night host
63 Aromatic ointment

DOWN

1 Investigative agcy.
2 Vases
3 The Return of the —
4 Type of poem
5 Iced
6 Car assemblers' assn.
7 Expel
8 Soup scoops
9 Color slightly
10 Negatives
11 Cal. abbr.
19 Kiss Me — 21 American Indian
24 Streetcar
25 Vegetable
26 S-shaped molding
28 Early stringed instrument
30 Local movie theater (sl.)
31 Listless
32 Musher's vehicle
34 Understand? (2 wds.)
38 Guacamole ingredient
39 Like Michael Jordan
41 — studies
45 Small task
47 Dye compound
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52 One with will power?
53 Senorita's aunt
55 Get the gold medal
57 Gloomy

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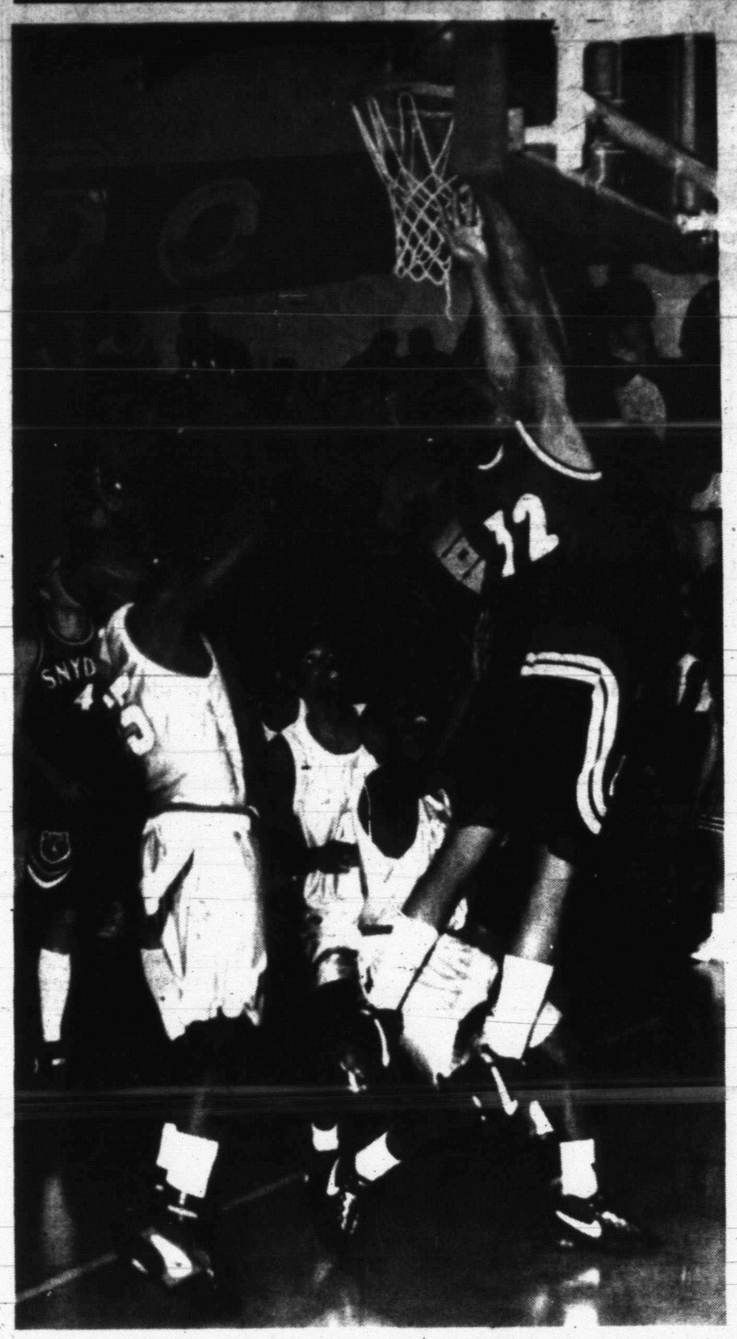
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SPORTS



LAYING IT UP — Snyder's Chris Riggins (32) lays the ball up in a recent district 2-4A game against Estacado. Shaown in the background is Rick Henderson (4). The Tigers are set to face the Lamesa Tornadoes in District 2-4A action tonight. The girls will tip-off at 6:30, and the boys at 8 o'clock. (SDN Staff Photo)

Beebe, McMahon serving as Super Bowl consultants

GREEN BAY, Wis. (AP) — Don Beebe is serving as a Super Bowl consultant to his fellow Green Bay Packers, telling them just what the colossal event is going to be like.

Of course, there's one thing from his experience that he doesn't want to share: what it's like in the loser's locker room.

Nobody on the Packers can appreciate the all-or-nothing nature of the Super Bowl like Beebe, who lost four consecutive NFL championships with the Buffalo Bills from 1990-93.

"It's an awful experience. That whole offseason is awful. You dominate teams all year and then you lose in the Super Bowl and you're labeled as losers," Beebe said. "At Buffalo, if anything, we were winners. But that's not how we'll go down in history."

Coach Mike Holmgren turned to Beebe and backup quarterback Jim McMahon, his only other player with Super Bowl experience, to help prepare the Packers (15-3) for the Super Bowl against New England (13-5) on Jan. 26 at the Louisiana Superdome.

McMahon was the starter for Chicago in the 1986 Super Bowl, when he took New Orleans by storm, mooning a helicopter, parading down Bourbon Street in the wee hours, feuding with Bears management over his use of an acupuncturist and finally leading his team to a 46-10 rout of the Patriots.

"We had a players meeting Wednesday and I got up and talked about the things not to do, and Jim got up and talked about the things to do," Beebe said. "So, that's a little ironic, don't you think?"

Defensive end Sean Jones said the meeting was as diametrical as it sounds.

"I guess they had Beebe, who is a Christian," Jones said. "And then they had McMahon, who's the anti-Christ. But Beebe lost four times and McMahon won. So, they're on different ends of the spectrum.

"But they had great insight. Hopefully, everyone heard what they said."

Beebe's first bit of advice was a warning about the chaotic days ahead. He advised his teammates to finish up such matters as family travel and ticket arrangements this week.

Then he told them not to have too good of a time in New Orleans, leaving them exhausted physically or mentally on game day.

"You've got to be in the eye of a tornado, where it's calm, and not on the outside because it'll be hectic," Beebe told his teammates.

"I remember my first Super Bowl, it was overwhelming — the media and everybody wanting tickets and phone calls. Once the game came I was just shot. I was able to learn from that, and, shoot, my last Super Bowl was the best mentally I ever played."

With Beebe's history of Super Bowl losses, some teammates cracked that maybe it's time for him to return to Aurora, Ill.

"Some of the guys were saying, 'OK, Don, your job's done. You can go home now. We don't want you for the Super Bowl,'" Beebe said.

Of course, Beebe is needed, not only for the game but for the preparation

"Beebe brings experience, he's been there four times," split end Antonio Freeman said. "And he knows what it's like down there. He knows the attention we're going to receive. He knows how wild it's going to be. He's letting guys know it's going to be something you can't even imagine."

Something else Beebe knows about is facing difficulties in the big game.

"You're going to face adversity, no matter what game you ever play in," Beebe said. "And in this game, it's going to be much more hype than any game you've ever played. The emotions are going to be riding high.

"If you make a mistake, you're going to feel like you've let the team down, yourself and your fans, and you're going to feel really low, unlike a regular-season game where it was just another play and you just go on," he said.

"So if we have a turnover early in the game, big deal. Let's just keep going, plugging away, and keep driving, just like we did against Carolina in the championship game," Beebe said. "We had the interception and then a fumble and we gave them 10 points. But we just kept plugging away and kept going and finally we ended up dominating the game at the end."

'9ers peg Mariucci

SANTA CLARA, Calif. (AP) — Steve Mariucci, with only a year's experience as a college head coach, inherited one of the great pro football legacies of success Thursday when he was introduced as coach of the San Francisco 49ers.

Standing on a podium between his predecessors, George Seifert and Bill Walsh, Mariucci was admittedly overwhelmed to be in their presence.

"I am in awe of those two coaches. I'm happy they're here," he said as the trio posed for pictures.

He was also clear about the mission behind his five-year contract:

"It's my time to carry the torch, keep the high standards of excellence here that this organization has built over the past 15 years, and I understand that's a challenge," said the 41-year-old Mariucci who led California to a 6-6 record this season in his only head coaching assignment.

Getting the job, he said, "happened so fast, it was the most unusual turn of events here in the last few days."

Team owner Eddie DeBartolo said there were two main reasons he hired Mariucci.

"We think he's a great talent and we think he fits the 49er image to a tee," DeBartolo said. "If this man is given the time that he needs, and no one gets rambunctious, then he will do the type of job that we hired him to do. He has a great history in his short years in this field."

Prosecutors join investigation

Rodman may face assault charges for kicking cameraman

MINNEAPOLIS (AP) — NBA officials aren't the only authorities investigating Dennis Rodman this time.

The Chicago Bulls star could face assault charges after kicking a courtside cameraman in the groin during a game at Minnesota on Wednesday night.

"He wants to say that it's not OK for (Rodman) to do that," Gale Pearson, the lawyer for cameraman Eugene Amos, said Thursday. "If we were on the streets, it would not be OK. You've got to call it what it is, and that's an assault."

The NBA said Thursday it is reviewing the incident and considering a suspension, which would be the second of the season for Rodman.

Although the extent of Amos' injuries weren't known, they weren't believed to be serious. He was treated and released at the hospital Wednesday night.

Minneapolis police spokeswoman Penny Parrish said no charges would be filed Thursday. The investigating officer, Sgt. Pete Jackson, was off Thursday, and Parrish said the process will take several days, including attempts to contact Rodman.

Clair Cole of the Minneapolis city attorney's office said charges wouldn't be filed before next week. Pearson said she and Amos planned to meet with prosecutors today.

Rodman was unavailable for comment Thursday after practice in Deerfield, Ill. He said after the game that he was kicking at a camera and complained that photographers sit too close to the court along the baseline, endangering players' safety.

Rodman said he didn't intend to hurt Amos, but doubted the severity of the injuries.

"I thought I hit him in the thigh, then all of a sudden he went back," he said. "I said, 'What's wrong with you? I'm sorry I hit you.' Then all of a sudden he says, 'Get away from me.' All of a sudden he passed out. I'm like, 'Yeah, right.'"

The incident was the latest in a growing list of transgressions and erratic behavior by Rodman. Pearson said she was receiving calls from media nationwide Thursday, including representatives of Geraldo Rivera.

Amos, described by Pearson as a Chicago native and lifelong Bulls fan, is an in-house cameraman who was working on a freelance basis at the Target Center.

"He just couldn't believe his luck to work at this game," Pearson said.

Amos filed an assault report Wednesday night after talking to police at the Hennepin County Medical Center, where he was taken for an examination after being carried off the arena floor on a stretcher.

If a charge is filed, it most likely will be fifth-degree assault, a misdemeanor punishable by up to a year in jail and a $3,000 fine. Cases resulting in serious injuries can be upgraded to third-degree assault, a felony that carries a maximum sentence of five years and $10,000.

"He couldn't believe that Rodman would take his frustrations out on him," Pearson said. "That's the bottom line. He can't believe this happened. He's really disappointed. It's a fallen-angel kind of thing."

Rodman was suspended by the Bulls for two games without pay — costing him about $104,878 — last month after a profane tirade on television after a game. Rodman's comments after Wednesday's game also contained profanity — not related to the kicking incident — and were broadcast live.

College scores

By The Associated Press

EAST
Boston U. 61, Hartford 49
Delaware 81, New Hampshire 47
Maine 71, Towson St. 58
Northeastern 64, Vermont 61
Rhode Island 85, Duquesne 83

SOUTH
Cent. Florida 77, Mercer 60
Charleston Southern 64, Md.-Baltimore County 57
Coll. of Charleston 72, Florida Atlantic 64
Fla. International 90, Campbell 64
Georgia St. 57, Stetson 52
Jacksonville St. 71, Centenary 68
Lamar 77, W. Kentucky 70
Louisiana Tech 83, Jacksonville 70
Md.-E. Shore 72, Morgan St. 60
Morehead St. 77, E. Kentucky 55
N.C.-Asheville 63, Winthrop 59
N.C.-Wilmington 56, William & Mary 53
NE Louisiana 70, McNeese St. 61
Nicholls St. 86, NW Louisiana 71
SE Louisiana 77, Samford 76
SW Louisiana 87, Ark.-Little Rock 84
Tennessee Tech 70, Tenn.-Martin 59
Wofford 86, VMI 65

MIDWEST
Akron 66, W. Michigan 60
Butler 75, Wis.-Milwaukee 59
Creighton 76, S. Illinois 67
Detroit 69, Loyola, Ill. 62
Evansville 69, Drake 62
Ill.-Chicago 64, Wright St. 56
Illinois St. 101, Indiana St. 58
Michigan 89, Purdue 65
Temple 70, Cincinnati 55
Tulane 87, Xavier, Ohio 85
Wis.-Green Bay 71, N. Illinois 67

SOUTHWEST
Arkansas St. 65, Texas-Pan American 51
Rice 74, Texas-El Paso 60
Sam Houston St. 63, Texas-San Antonio 60
Texas Christian 101, Brigham Young 61
Tulsa 80, New Mexico 57
Utah 74, Southern Meth. 57

FAR WEST
Boise St. 73, E. Michigan 61
CS Northridge 90, Weber St. 81

Little Dribblers results

MAJORS

Raptors 37, T'wolves 16

Raptors: Jed Martin 10 Chance Greenwood 10, Andrew Bane 8, Colby Driggers 7, Justin Johnson 2. T'wolves: Logan Hill 11, Clint Blume 3, Tyler Kerr 1, Zach Cain 1.

Spurs 37, Jazz 32

Spurs: Stafford Gray 12, Shawn Roemisch 10, Cory Lewis 9, Dustin Davenport 6. Jazz: Josh Mendoza 15, Josh McGaha 7, Lee Scott 6, Shane Kitchens 4.

Warriors 34, Celtics 33

Warriors: Kris Hatley 14, Will Davis 6, Isaac Ramon 4, Blake Grimmet 4, Isrea Sosa 2, Joshua Pickerel 2, Justin Stoker 2. Celtics: Andrew Vargas 13, Clay Williams 8, Thomas Vargas 7, Taylor Cottonm 3, Demetris Horn 2.

Magic 32, Pacrers 24

Magic: Tanner Beard 12, Patrick Alderetti 7, Matt McCormick 6, Marcus Villareal 4, Matt Long 2, Tyler Pollard 1. Pacers: Adam Rogers 8, Jake Barnes 6, Justin Boyd 4, Nathan Wilkins 4, Jess Wall 2.

Mavericks 48, Jazz 47

Mavericks: Zach Starnes 27, Colter Williams 9, T.J. Jones 8, Jeff Fine 2, Bret McClendon 2. Jazz: Josh Mendoza 26, Josh McGaha 12, Lee Scott 4, Shane Kitchens 2, Josh Knox 2.

Celtics 54, T'wolves 27

Celtics: Clay Williams 26, Andrew Vargas 17, Thomas Vargas 14, Demetris Horn 7, Billy Duck 4. T'wolves: Logan Hill 17, Tyler Kerr 6, Joel Silva 4.

Pacers 37, Spurs 36

Pacers: Adam Rogers 12, Justin Boyd 11, Jake Barnes 10, Jess Wall 4. Spurs: Cory Lyons 17, Stafford Gray 7, Peter Perez 6, Dustin Davenport 5, Shawn Roemisch 1.

Magic 33, Warriors 31

Magic: Tanner Beard 12, Brady Reed 5, Peter Alderetti 5, Tyler Pollard 5, Matt McCormick 4, Marcus Villareal 2. Warriors: Kris Hatley 13, Will Davis 6, Josh Pickerel 4, Isaac Ramon 3, Blake Grimmet 3, Justin Stoker 2.

MINORS

Rockets 30, Knicks 16

Rockets: Lico Castillo 18, Barrett Bowlin 8 Kennon Garcia 2, Kasey Krop 2. Knicks: Cade Simpson 8, David Duck 5, Louis Silva 2, Pedro Villa 1.

Pistons 24, Nuggets 37

Pistons: Cale Lancaster 12, Justin Cave 4, Nathan Ricossa 4, Brad Richardson 2, Tyler Thompson 2. Nuggets: Zac Garcia 18, Tyler Hogan 16, Jarrod Fletcher 2.

Heat 6, Lakers 28

Heat: Bryan Clifton 2, Brandon Bragg 2, Andrew Dupree 2. Lakers: Wesley Kellner 8, Jeffrey Gibson 8, Garrett Gibson 4, Jordan Lollar 2, Joel Lollar 2, Jeremy Reed 2, Blake Mayo 2.

Sonics 37, Bulls 36

Sonics: Chase Luft 27, Dustyn Williams 6, Chancs Grantham 2, Corbin Clements 2. Bulls: Eric Martinez 13, Blake Seale 12, Jay Weaver 5, Austin Lyle 2, Paul Haines 2, Cade Owen 2.

Rockets 32, Nuggets 37

Rockets: Lico Castillo 28, Kasey Krop 4. Nuggets: Zac Garcia 20, Tyler Hogan 10, Jarrod Fletcher 5, Ross Taylor 2.

Lakers 40, Knicks32

Lakers: Wesley Kellner 20, Garrett Pinson 13, Jeremy Reed 5, Stephen Martinez 2. Knicks: Cade Simpson 23, David Duck 6.

Bulls 35, Pistons 20

Bulls: Eric Martinez 16, Cade Owen 8, Jay Weaver 6, Blake Seale 4, Paul Haines 3. Pistons: Cale Lancaster 6, Jason Cave 4, Nathan Ricossa 4, Brad Richardson 2, Donald Jeffery 2.

NBA at glance

By The Associated Press
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EASTERN CONFERENCE

Atlantic Division	W	L	Pct	GB
Miami	27	10	.730	—
NewYork	27	10	.730	—
Washington	19	17	.528	7½
Orlando	15	19	.441	10½
NewJersey	9	25	.265	16½
Boston	9	26	.257	17
Philadelphia	8	28	.222	18½
Central Division				
Chicago	33	4	.892	—
Detroit	27	9	.750	5½
Atlanta	24	11	.686	8
Cleveland	21	15	.583	11½
Charlotte	21	16	.568	12
Milwaukee	18	17	.514	14
Indiana	17	18	.486	15
Toronto	12	24	.333	20½

WESTERN CONFERENCE

Midwest Division	W	L	Pct	GB
Houston	29	9	.763	—
Utah	25	12	.676	3½
Minnesota	16	21	.432	12½
Dallas	12	22	.353	15
Denver	10	28	.263	19
SanAntonio	9	26	.257	18½
Vancouver	7	31	.184	22
Pacific Division				
L.A.Lakers	28	11	.718	—
Seattle	27	11	.711	½
Portland	21	16	.568	6
Sacramento	16	23	.410	12
GoldenState	14	22	.389	12½
L.A.Clippers	14	22	.389	12½
Phoenix	13	25	.342	14½

Wednesday's Games

Golden State 128, Philadelphia 111
Charlotte 116, New Jersey 104
Chicago 112, Minnesota 102
Orlando 78, Dallas 66

Thursday's Games

Miami 102, Boston 94
Atlanta 78, Orlando 67
Houston 89, Sacramento 80
Denver 88, Cleveland 87, OT
Utah 95, Phoenix 91
Portland 102, L.A. Lakers 98

Friday's Games

New Jersey at Philadelphia, 6:30 p.m.
Miami vs. Washington at Baltimore, 6:30 p.m.
Golden State at Indiana, 6:30 p.m.
Milwaukee at Chicago, 7:30 p.m.
Houston at Dallas, 7:30 p.m.
Sacramento at San Antonio, 7:30 p.m.
Utah at Vancouver, 9 p.m.
Toronto at Portland, 10 p.m.
Cleveland at Seattle, 10 p.m.

Snyder frosh keep clean slate with tournament win

SWEETWATER — The Snyder High School freshman A team continued to dominate its schedule on Thursday afternoon with a 65-22 pounding of Sweetwater in the Sweetwater Tournament.

The Tigers started off slow, scoring only eight points in the first quarter, but rallied to out-point the hosts 23-6 in the second and 20-2 in the fourth.

Sonny Cumbie was the high man for the Tigers with 22 points. Trey Gorman and Greg McAnaw contributed 10 apiece. Paul Camp got into the act by nailing 6, and Josh Ward, Jared Hester and Justin Phillips all added 4. Layne Scott drained 3 and Justin Rosson rounded up the night with 2.

The Tigers will face the winner of the Lamesa-Big Spring matchup on Saturday at 1:30 p.m.

Should the Tigers win, they will advance to the championship game to be played Staurday at 6 p.m. Should they lose, they will play for third place at 4:30 Saturday.

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SHOWMANSHIP AWARD — Snyder FFA student Lori Sanders was presented with the Showmanship Award following the swine show at the county livestock show. Shown presenting the award to Sanders is Sid Wall of Caprock Securities. (SDN Staff Photo)

Minor injuries in wrecks; officers make felony arrest

One felony arrest was made Thursday and Department of Public Safety troopers investigated two accidents which occurred within minutes of each other along the same stretch of U.S. Highway 84.

Jason Wayne Ash, 20, 3017 38th St., was arrested at 5:42 p.m. at his home on an outstanding felony warrant for motion to revoke probation.

DPS troopers were called to a one-vehicle accident at 4:58 p.m. some six miles north of Snyder on U.S. Highway 84. Involved was a 1996 GMC pickup driven by Burl Belew of Fluvanna. Belew was southbound on the highway and according to DPS reports, he apparently fell asleep and the vehicle drifted into the median and across a concrete embankment. Belew, and his wife Virginia, who was a passenger in the vehicle, were transported by Snyder EMS to Cogdell Hospital where they were treated and released.

Some seven minutes after the Belew accident was reported, troopers were notified of another accident some 100 yards south.

A 1989 Peterbilt truck driven by Kenneth Hallmark of Hawley was struck in the rear by a 1980 Chevrolet pickup driven by Richard Durham of Lubbock. Durham was taken by Snyder EMS to Cogdell Hospital where he was treated and released.

In other activity, Jeanette Claxton notified officers at 1 p.m. that someone had stolen her son's coat while they were at the doctor's offices at Cogdell Medical Center. An offense reort for theft was submitted.

Rick Freeman notified deputies at 4:27 p.m. that some items had been stolen from a vehicle some 10 miles from Snyder on the Roby Highway. An offense report for theft was submitted.

DPS troopers arrested a 26-year-old male at 9:58 p.m. at the intersection of FM 4196 and CR 466 for misdemeanor driving while intoxicated.

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Swine show results

Swine Show

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Hamps: Lightweight: 1. Cody Cribbs, Snyder FFA; 2. Kendra Nachlinger, Hermleigh FFA; 3. Amy Church, Snyder FFA; 4. Richard Wilkins, Ira FFA; 5. Celeigh Sterling, Ira FFA; 6. Jerrod Rinehart, Snyder FFA; 7. Rocky Gill, Hermleigh FFA; 8. Janet Eckert, Hermleigh FFA; 9. Wesley Kellner, Ira FFA; 10. Lori Eckert, Hermleigh FFA.

Mediumweight: 1. Wesley Kellner, Ira FFA; 2. Marvin Butler, Snyder FFA; 3. Nathan Free, Hermleigh FFA; 4. Jacinda Judah, 4H; 5. Brian Gordon, Snyder FFA; 6. Brian Gordon, Snyder FFA; 7. Samantha Berry, Hermleigh FFA; 8. Randy Holder, Hermleigh FFA; 9. Jennifer Mireles, Hermleigh FFA; 10. Brandy Gill, Hermleigh FFA.

Heavyweight: 1. Kendra Nachlinger, Hermleigh FFA; 2. Casey Frizzell, Hermleigh FFA; 3. Rocky Gill, Hermleigh FFA; 4. Cody Cribbs, Snyder FFA; 5. Valerie West, Hermleigh FFA; 6. Colter Brown, Ira FFA; 7. Janet Eckert, Hermleigh FFA; 8. Misty Ritch, Hermleigh FFA; 9. Michael Cotton, Snyder FFA.

Breed Champion: Cody Cribbs, LW; **Reserve:** Kendra Nachlinger, HW.

Durocs: Lightweight: 1. Jacinda Judah, 4H; 2. Sara CArpenter, Snyder FFA; 3. Amber Haarmeyer, Ira FFA; 4. Cody Cribbs, Snyder FFA; 5. Trey Roemisch, Hermleigh FFA; 6. Wesley Kellner, Ira FFA; 7. Adam Roemisch, Hermleigh FFA; 8. Katie Howard, Ira FFA; 9. Korby Calley, Ira FFA; 10. Johnna Ferris, Snyder FFA.

Heavyweight: 1. Lori Sanders, Snyder FFA; 2. Jared Boyd, 4H; 3. Jenise Judah, 4H; 4. Tommy Gordon, Snyder FFA; 5. Lee Bailey, Snyder FFA; 6. Jason Ecker, Hermleigh FFA; 7. Shawn Purcell, Snyder FFA; 8. Amber Sanchez, Ira FFA; 9. Brook Wikes, Ira FFA; 10. Laurie Huddleston, Snyder FFA.

kBreed Champion: Lori Sanders, HW; **Reserve:** Jared Boyd, HW.

Black OPB: 1. Shane Harmon, Snyder FFA; 2. Jenise Judah, 4H; 3. Jason Eckert, Hermleigh FFA; 4. Jacinda Judah, 4H; 5. Brandon Williamson, Snyder FFA; 6. Justin Boyd, 4H; 7. Jeremy Porter, Snyder FFA; 8. Jennifer Williamson, Snyder FFA; 9. Shauna Huddleston, Snyder FFA; 10. Lance Beaver, Snyder FFA.

Chesters: 1. Shae Rinehart, Hermleigh FFA; 2. Korby Calley, Ira FFA; 3. Amber Haarmeyer, Ira FFA; 4. Cody Cribbs, Snyder FFA; 5. Lori Eckert, Hermleigh FFA; 6. Brandon Williamson, Snyder FFA; 7. Laurie Huddleston, Snyder FFA; 8. Monte Beaver, Snyder FFA; 9. Aron Stanley, Snyder FFA; 10. Veronica Williams, Snyder FFA.

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Breed Champion: Rikki Wikes, HW York; **Reserve:** Shae Rinehart, Chester.

Crosses: Lightweight: 1. Richard Wilkins, Ira FFA; 2. Brandy Shafer, Snyder FFA; 3. Lori Sanders, Snyder FFA; 4. Helen Gulyayeva, Snyder FFA; 5. Michael Duhaime, Hermleigh FFA; 6. Shauna Huddleston, Snyder FFA; 7. Jackie Beck, Ira FFA; 8. Lisha Leatherwood, Ira FFA; 9. Shawn Purcell, Snyder FFA; 10. Jeremy Porter, Snyder FFA.

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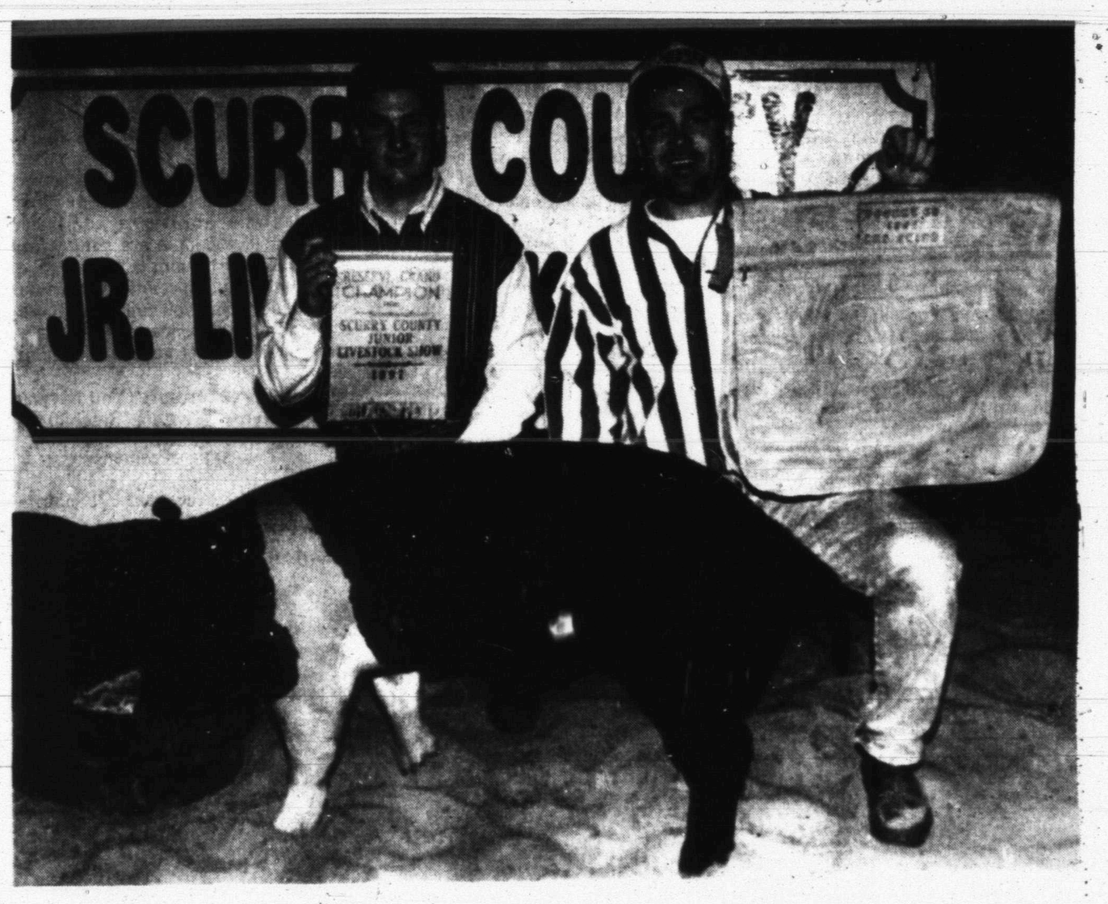
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Breed Champion: Wesley Kellner, HW; **Reserve:** Richard Wilkins, LW.

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Showmanship: Lori Sanders, Snyder FFA.

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RESERVE CHAMPION HOG — Cody Cribbs exhibited the reserve champion hog during Thursday night's swine judging at the annual Scurry County Junior Livestock Show. Cribb exhibited a lightweight hampshire. Shown with Cribbs is David Frazier, Snyder High School ag teacher. (SDN Staff Photo)

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Chevron				68¼ 68⅛ 68½
Chrysler s			34⅛	34⅜ 34½— ⅛
Coastal			50⅞	50¼ 50⅜+ ⅛
CocaColas				58 57⅞ 57⅞
ColgatePalm			96⅜	94½ 95¾+1⅛
ComclMetals			28⅜	28¼ 28⅜+ ⅛
CooperIn			42⅜	42¼ 42⅜+ ⅛
CyprusAmax				24⅛ 23⅞ 24⅛
DallSemicn			24¼	24¼ 24⅜+ ⅛
DeltaAirl			78¼	77¼ 78 — ⅝
DigitalEq			37⅛	35⅝ 35⅝— ⅛
Dillard			30¼	30¼ 30⅜+ ⅛
DowChem			82⅜	81⅝ 82⅛+ ½
DresserInd			35⅝	35¼ 35½— ⅛
DuPont			110⅛	108¾ 110⅝+1⅝
EastmanChem			56¼	55¾ 56 + ⅛
EstKodak			85⅛	85 85⅛— ⅛
EDS Corp			48⅜	47⅞ 48⅛+ ⅛
Enserch				23½ 23¼ 23⅜
Entergy			27⅛	27⅛ 27⅛— ⅛
Exxon			103¼	103 103⅛+ ⅛
Flowers			21⅛	20⅝ 20⅝— ⅛
FordMotor			33¼	33 33⅛+ ⅛
GTE Cp			45⅜	45 45⅛+ ⅛
GenDynam				71 70 71 + ¾
GenElec			103⅜	101¾ 103 +1⅛
GenMills			64⅛	64⅛ 64⅛+ ⅛
GenMotors			60¼	59 59⅛—1¼
GaPacif			77⅛	77 77⅛+ ⅛
GlobalMar			25¼	24⅜ 25 + ⅛
Goodrichs			39⅛	39 39⅛— ⅛
Goodyear s			55⅛	54¾ 54¾— ⅛
GtAtlPac			31⅜	31⅛ 31⅛+ ⅛
Haliburtn			73⅛	72⅛ 72⅛—1
Hanson ADSs			7⅛	7⅛ 7⅛+ ⅛
HarteHanks			26⅛	25⅛ 25⅛— ¼
HoustonInds				23⅛ 23 23⅛
IBM			165⅛	164¼ 165⅛— ⅛
IntlPaper			43	42⅜ 42⅝+ ¼
JohnsnJn s			52⅛	51⅝ 51⅝— ⅛
K mart			11¼	11 11⅛+ ⅛
Kroger			46¼	45¼ 46 + ⅛
Litton			47	46¼ 46⅞+ ⅛
LockhdMart			89½	88¼ 89⅛+1
Lowes Cos			35⅜	35 35 — ⅛
Lubys				20⅜ 20¼ 20⅜
LucentTech n			52	51⅛ 51⅞+ ⅛
MayDeptStrs			46⅜	45⅞ 45⅞+ ⅛
Medtronic				66⅜ 65⅞ 66¼
Mobil			132⅛	131¼ 131¼— ¼
Monsanto s			38⅜	37⅞ 38⅛+1⅛
Motorola			69¾	68⅜ 69½+ ⅛
NCR Corp n			34¼	34¼ 34¼— ⅛
Nationsbk			106⅜	105½ 105¾+ ¼
Navistar			10	9⅞ 10 + ⅛
NoramEngy			15 9-16	15⅜ 15⅜
Norwest				46⅜ 45¼ 46¼
Nynex			50	49¼ 49¾+ ¼
OryxEngy			26	25¾ 25¾+ ¼
PacTelesis			37⅜	37⅛ 37⅛+ ⅛
PanEnergy			45½	45¼ 45⅜— ⅛
Penney JC				48½ 48¼ 48¼
Pennzoil			62¼	61⅞ 61⅞+ ⅛
PepBoys			29¾	29¼ 29½+ ¼
PepsiCo s			30¾	30¼ 30⅜+ ⅛
PhelpDodge			74¼	73⅜ 74⅛+ ⅛
PhilipPet			46¼	46¼ 46½+ ⅛
PilgrmPrd			10⅜	10¼ 10⅜+ ⅛
Polaroid			46	45⅜ 45⅝— ¼
Praxair			46⅜	46¼ 46½+ ⅛
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SmthBchADS			67⅞	67¼ 67½+ ⅛
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TemplInl			56½	55¾ 56¼+ ⅛
Tenneco			44⅛	44¼ 44⅛+ ⅛
Texaco			107⅛	106⅛ 106¾+ ¼
TexasInd			50⅝	50¼ 50⅜+ ⅛
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US WestCm			33¾	33½ 33½
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UnPac s			62¾	62 62½— ¼
UnitedTech s			67¼	67¼ 67⅛+ ⅛
Unocal			45¾	43¾ 43¾— ¼
WalMart				23⅜ 23¼ 23¼
WstnGasRs				19⅜ 19⅛ 19⅜
WestghEl			19⅛	19¼ 19½+ ⅛
WinnDixie			32¼	31¼ 32⅛+ ½
Woolworth				21¼ 21 21
XeroxCp s			57¼	56½ 57 + ⅜
ZenithE			11¾	11½ 11½— ⅛

Births

Mark and Kelly Irvin Minor are parents of an eight-pound, 11-ounce son, Landry Roemisch Minor. He was born at 7:59 p.m. on Jan. 14 in All Saints Hospital in Fort Worth.

Grandparents are Ann and Malcolm Irvin of San Angelo, Wanda Minor of Montague, and Bill Minor of Canton, Ohio.

Baiul book in stores

HARTFORD, Conn. (AP) — An Oksana Baiul autobiography geared toward teens is being shipped to bookstores this month, just as the figure skater faces drunken driving charges.

The publishers said Thursday that Ms. Baiul's troubles could help sales.

"It might actually heighten interest in trying to understand her," said Harold Clarke, president of Random House Children's Publishing.

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Study finds 7 in 10 Texans are playing lottery

AUSTIN (AP) — Seven of 10 adult Texans like to take a chance on the lottery.

A new study released Thursday said the typical player reported wagering about $12 per week on the lottery's gambling games, which generated $3.4 billion in sales last year.

The study conducted for the Texas Lottery Commission also concluded that those with the lowest levels of education and the smallest incomes were among those less likely to play.

"Not only are Texans who fall within these lower income and education groups significantly less likely to participate in the lottery, they represent a relatively small proportion of our player base," said Zoann Attwood, the lottery's acting director.

The 4-year-old Texas Lottery has set a number of records for fast growth and now alternates with New York's as the nation's largest lottery. In 1996, the lottery paid $1.9 billion in prizes and produced $1.1 billion in profit for the state treasury.

The report issued Thursday was based on a survey of 1,716 Texans aged 18 and older. The survey was conducted by the University of Texas-Austin last September. It had a margin of error of plus or minus 2.4 percentage points.

The survey found that 70 percent of adult Texans said they purchased a ticket in the preceding year. That compared with 71 percent in 1994 and 64 percent in 1992, the Texas lottery's initial year.

The typical player reported spending about $12 per week, or $636 a year.

However, lottery spokesman Steve Levine said actual sales figures indicate that players spend an average of $362 annually.

The difference appears due to using self-reported figures and extending them out over a whole year, Levine said. For example, a $1 per week error in what a player told an interviewer he spent would be a $52 difference when computed as an annual figure, he said.

The largest section of the population, 64 percent, reported playing the twice-weekly Lotto Texas game, which offers million-dollar prizes.

Fifty-five percent reported that they played the lottery's scratch-card games, 29 percent played the Cash 5 lotto game, and 16 percent played the Pick 3 daily numbers game.

Those most likely to take a chance were between 26 and 66 years old, with more than 73 percent playing. Those over 67 were the least likely to play, with 53 percent reporting lottery purchases last year.

The survey found that 75 percent of Texans with a high school diploma or some college were likely to play. Sixty percent of those who didn't finish high school said they played, and 68 percent of college graduates bought tickets.

As for income, 57 percent of Texans making less than $10,000 played, while 71 percent of those making $10,000 to $19,999 a year played. The most likely income groups to play were those making $20,000 to 29,999 — 76 percent — and $30,00 to $49,999 — 78 percent. Seventy-four percent of those making more than $50,000 played.

The study said there is "very little difference among the races concerning the incidence with which each plays the Texas Lottery."

There was, however, a difference between men and women.

Approximately 75 percent of men play, while 65 percent of women do.

"Males are more likely to buy lottery tickets than women, and they buy more of them," the study said.

Lottery players listed by region

AUSTIN (AP) — Here, according to a new study, are the percentage of adults playing in each of the Texas Lottery's 10 sales districts:

Abilene — 77 percent
Austin — 68 percent
El Paso — 64 percent
Houston — 70 percent
Irving — 71 percent
Lubbock — 64 percent
McAllen — 68 percent
San Antonio — 74 percent
Tyler — 63 percent
Victoria — 79 percent

Statewide — 70 percent

Dr. Gott By Peter Gott, M.D.



Cold sore drug embroiled in hot debate

By Peter H. Gott, M.D.

DEAR DR. GOTT: Although I enjoy reading your column every day in my local newspaper, I must take issue with your recent answer to a reader who asked about using lysine pills to prevent cold sores. You said that this therapy is ineffective. Not true. My wife and I keep a supply handy and have achieved great success. Whenever we feel a cold sore starting, we begin taking lysine after every meal. This invariably prevents the sores from appearing. We have friends who do this, too.

DEAR READER: In my original column, I stated that many medical authorities discourage the use of lysine, an amino-acid supplement, for treating cold sores. The reason is that lysine is not consistently effective.

This is not to say that in all cases the amino acid is ineffective. Rather, it appears not to help the majority of patients with cold sores.

I don't necessarily side with the experts. I have patients, like you and your wife, who regularly abort cold sores by taking lysine — and I encourage them to do so. Lysine is completely harmless, there is no other standard therapy for cold sores, and — hey! — who am I to argue with success?

I appreciate your writing to remind my readers that safe and inexpensive remedies continue to play an important role in treating diseases, even though all patients may not experience benefit.

As an aside, the same principle seems to hold true for using quinine pills to treat leg cramps. This compound used to be available over-the-counter but can now be purchased only by prescription because of its supposed ineffectiveness. Nonetheless, I have several patients who swear by quinine and were quite upset when they were forced to buy the more expensive form of the drug. This seems unreasonable to me.

I guess this is just a long-winded way of saying: If lysine works for you, fine. Continue to use it.

To give you more information, I am sending you a copy of my Health Report "Fads I: Vitamins and Minerals." Other readers who would like a copy should send $2 plus a long, self-addressed, stamped envelope to P.O. Box 2017, Murray Hill Station, New York, NY 10156. Be sure to mention the title.

DEAR DR. GOTT: Since I had coronary artery bypass grafting 10 years ago, I've been unable to vomit. I believe that during surgery certain nerves were cut that caused an inability to regurgitate. Is there any validity to my theory or am I retching up the wrong tree?

DEAR READER: I suppose it's possible that, as a consequence of your surgery, certain key nerves to your stomach were injured, but this would be an unusual complication of the operation, in my experience. It's more likely that you didn't easily vomit before the procedure and now that you're older, you are even less able to do so.

There is still some debate, however, about whether the aging process reduces the ability to vomit, or whether older people are simply less likely to need to vomit. In any case the situation is not medically harmful and I believe that you can safely disregard it, in the absence of other symptoms, such as bloating and abdominal pain.

One thing is for sure: You haven't lost your sense of humor. Retching up the wrong tree? I like it!

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Astro-graph

By Bernice Bede Osol

Your Birthday

Saturday, Jan. 18, 1997

In the year ahead, you will not spend too much time worrying about money. If you continue to work hard, you will receive the benefits you deserve.

CAPRICORN (Dec. 22-Jan. 19) A rise in status could be in store for you today. You will either get a bonus or additional respect from your peers. Trying to patch up a broken romance? The Astro-Graph Matchmaker can help you understand what to do to make the relationship work. Mail $2.75 to Matchmaker, c/o this newspaper, P.O. Box 1758, Murray Hill Station, New York, NY 10156.

AQUARIUS (Jan. 20-Feb. 19) You can learn many things today through discussions with two people whose minds you admire. This will be especially true if the conversations are philosophical.

PISCES (Feb. 20-March 20) There could be greater financial opportunities around you today than usual. You may be especially fortunate in generating new earnings from a second source.

ARIES (March 21-April 19) Romance might be in the air today. Plan a surprise for your significant other and do not pay attention to outside influences.

TAURUS (April 20-May 20) Today, if you do a good job, the rewards might exceed your expectations. You will take great pride in your tremendous accomplishments.

GEMINI (May 21-June 20) If you've been planning to launch a new project, this will be a good day to light the fuse. You will have good luck throughout the day.

CANCER (June 21-July 22) A sum of money may come your way today by a roundabout route. This opportunity will be engineered by a friend who wants to help.

LEO (July 23-Aug. 22) You can make significant strides toward the completion of a difficult project if you engage in a frank and open discussion with people who have similar interests.

VIRGO (Aug. 23-Sept. 22) You might be more fortunate than usual today in regard to your finances. Act quickly, especially when you discover a potentially profitable situation.

LIBRA (Sept. 23-Oct. 23) You will have an urge to be outgoing and gregarious today, so get together with friends whenever possible. Do not limit the group; the more the merrier.

SCORPIO (Oct. 24-Nov. 22) Even without doing anything special or voicing any profound statements today, you'll still command attention and respect from associates.

SAGITTARIUS (Nov. 23-Dec. 21) When you deal with others on a one-to-one basis today, you will reap large benefits. The same tactics will not work with every person.

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Dogs beings poisoned

DALLAS (AP) — Somebody in Fisherman's Paradise has poisoned more than two dozen dogs in as many days, and saddened residents of the remote, once-tranquil fishing hamlet don't know what to make of it.

"I've found three dead dogs in my back yard — two were mine, one was a neighbor's," Debbie Spears said Thursday. "We started finding them yesterday: Dogs everywhere lying dead.

"Some of the people's dogs died the night before last and some yesterday. Three died this morning."

Her 6-month-old beagle, Domino, and year-old Rottweiler, Gypsy, were among 27 dogs poisoned in Fisherman's Paradise, an unincorporated community of about 400 on the Brazos River 70 miles southwest of Dallas.

It is the community's second mass poisoning since 1994, when a dozen animals died. After those deaths, seven houses were burglarized. A worker at a nearby ranch was fired after confessing to several of the poisonings.

"I can't understand people like that — why people would do that," said Ray Rogers, whose chow-husky mix, Biscuit, was a victim. "I hope to God it wasn't someone who lives up here."

Rocky Bankhead's son had to shoot the family's Labrador retriever, Jake, after it went into convulsions Wednesday.

"A lot of people are upset, particularly elderly people who live alone and use their dogs for protection and companionship," said Bankhead, 35. "We're worried about all the pets — and the children.

"My thought is that some type of food — like hamburger meat — was thrown out of a vehicle and that is how the dogs were getting poisoned," he said.

Ms. Spears said gopher poison containing strychnine and mixed in meat was a possible culprit. Two of the dead dogs were taken to Texas A&M University for tissue analysis.

"It's too early to tell, but the odds are it is a potent poison," said toxicologist Dr. John Reagor of Texas Veterinary Medical Diagnostic Lab in College Station. "The animals were dead within hours of ingesting it."

Dear Abby

by Abigail Van Buren

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Judging by Size of the Gift, Thought Didn't Count for Much

DEAR ABBY: I have never written to you before, but I have had an experience that has annoyed me greatly. My son recently got married. It was a lovely wedding at an exclusive club. There was a sumptuous meal and unlimited beverages of every kind. No expense was spared.

One of the wedding gifts was a box containing two towels and a toothbrush holder. Included with it was a card signed by 12 of my daughter-in-law's co-workers.

Abby, I know the thought is what's supposed to count and not the gift, but it cost over $500 to entertain those 12 people. Considering they all earn more money than my daughter-in-law and son, I think a gift that cost $35 (collectively) was miserly. We are all upset because we don't know if the gift was given in a mean-spirited manner or because they are "etiquette-challenged."

Should we approach them on the subject or forget it? We are split on the decision. Sign me ...

CANNOT BELIEVE IT IN FLORIDA

DEAR CANNOT BELIEVE IT: Do not approach them about the cost of the gift. It would be worse manners to call them on it. Wedding gifts are not the "price of admission" to a party. People should give what they can afford.

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DEAR ABBY: I am writing in response to "Came Up Clean in Los Angeles," who heard from an old pen pal who was a police dispatcher who ran her name through a police computer and sent her the printout of her driver's license personal information.

In California, where the pen pal worked, police dispatchers routinely access information from the California Law Enforcement Telecommunications System (CLETS) as part of their everyday job.

We *are* authorized users of this system. However, the use of any CLETS information for other than official business may be in violation of the California Penal Code. Additionally, the use of CLETS for other than official law enforcement purposes may result in the employing agency seeking dismissal and/or prosecution of the employee. I have no doubt that other states have similar laws.

I, too, am a police dispatcher and am proud of what I do. I was surprised that a fellow dispatcher would obtain such personal information and then send the information to that person, regardless of their relationship. We use this criteria in the workplace: the need to know and the right to know. If you have neither, you have no business running the person or vehicle.

Perhaps the agency for which the pen pal works needs to re-educate its employees on the consequences of such actions.

LAURA ARSHER PERRY, POLICE AND FIRE DISPATCHER

DEAR LAURA: With so much confidential information being stored in data banks, and a growing number of individuals able to access it, periodic reminders about the importance of confidentiality (and the penalties for breaching it) may curb potential abuses. Thank you for your intelligent suggestion.

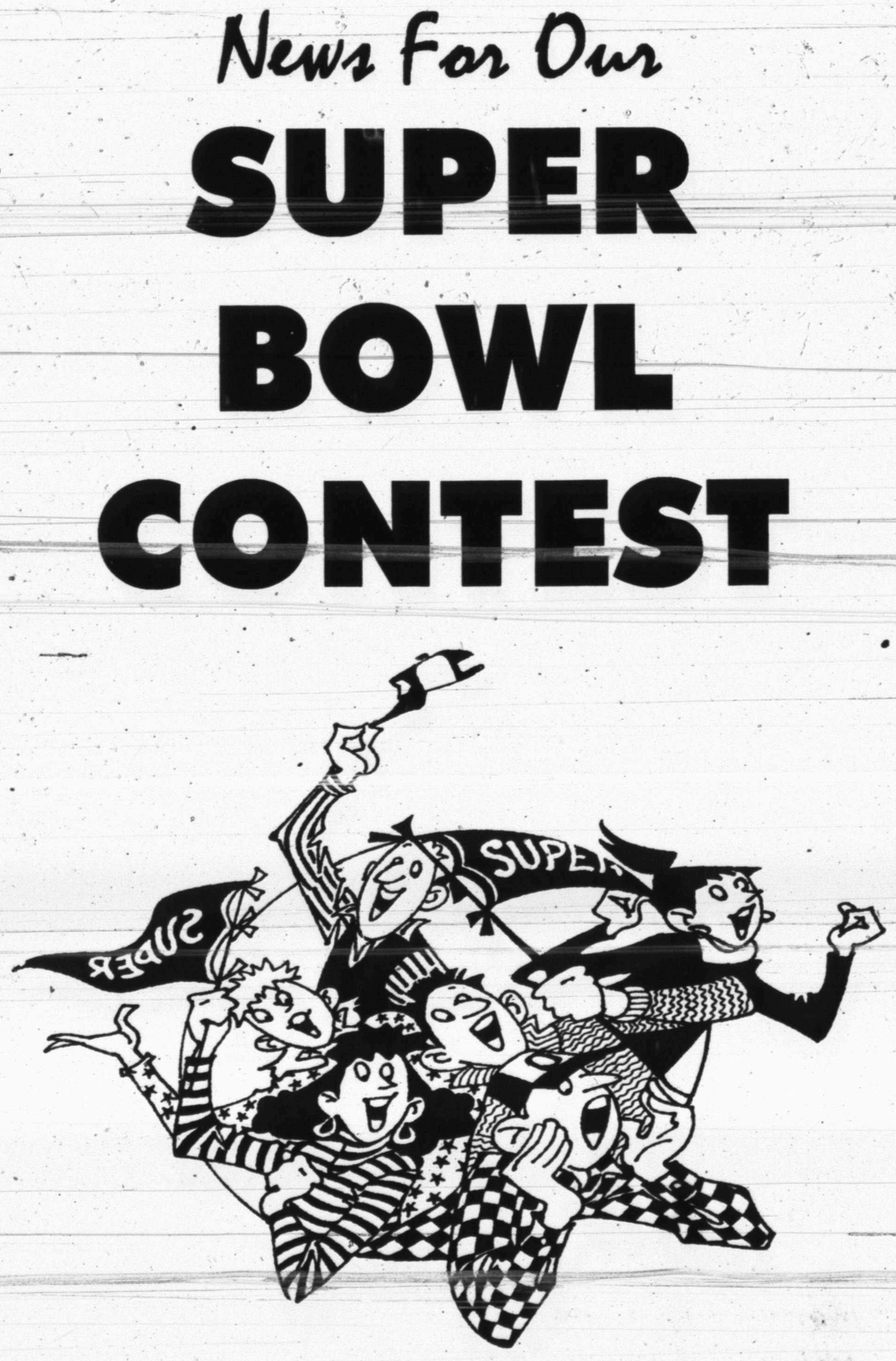
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WHOA! — Richard Durham of Lubbock escaped serious injury after his pickup rear-ended a truck-tractor driven by Hawley resident Kenneth Hallmark on U.S. Highway 84 shortly after 5 p.m. Thursday some six miles north of Snyder. The accident occurred a few minutes after a one-vehicle mishap took place in the same vicinity involving Fluvanna residents Burl and Virgina Belew. Durham and the Belews were all treated and released from Cogdell Hospital. See story, Page 7. (SDN Staff Photo)

Obituaries

David A. Pugh

1965-1997

Funeral service is set for 3 p.m. in the chapel of First Baptist Church for David A. Pugh of McMinnville, Ore. The Rev. Miller Robinson, retired Baptist minister, will officiate. Interment will follow in Hillside Memorial Gardens.

Mr. Pugh, 31, died Wednesday, Jan. 15, in CWVMC Hospital in McMinnville.

Born on June 23 in Campbell, Calif., he married Teresa Anne Clark on Oct. 28, 1989 in Houston. He was reared and attended high school at Alvin. He later joined the U.S. Army and was a member of the Rangers, stationed in Germany. After completing his tour of duty, he returned to Texas.

He and his wife moved to Humble and to McMinnville in 1990 where he worked as a carpenter. He was a member of the McMinnville Lodge of the Benevolent and Protective Order of Elks, and he enjoyed hunting and fishing.

Survivors include his wife, Teresa Pugh of McMinnville; a son, Justin Pugh of McMinnville; his father, Ronald Pugh of Texas; his mother, Sie Pugh of Aptos, Calif., a brother, Brian Pugh of Texas; his father- and mother-in-law, Lindy and Carla Clark of Richardson, formerly of Snyder; a brother- and sister-in-law, Stanley and Marie Clark of Snyder; and a sister- and brother-in-law, Denise and John Stufflebeam of Allen.

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Jean Schomer

1915-1997

EARLY — Funeral service for Jean Schomer, 81, of Brownwood will be held at 2 p.m. Saturday at Heartland Funeral Home Chapel. Burial will follow in the Bangs Cemetery, under the direction of Heartland Funeral Home. The Revs. R.C. Hester and Bill Allen will officiate.

Mrs. Schomer died Sunday in the Brownwood Regional Medical Center.

She was born on June 12, 1915 in Gail, the daughter of the late William and Gertrude Hester. Mrs. Schomer attended schools in Seminole, Snyder and Wink. She married Andrew J. Taylor on Dec. 6, 1935 in Crane. He died on July 19, 1960. She married John L. Schomer on Nov. 7, 1964 in San Angelo. He died on July 27, 1972.

She had lived in Brown County for the past 32 years, moving from West Texas. A homemaker, Mrs. Schomer was a member of the Bangs First Baptist Church, the Republican Women's Club, the Odd Fellow and Rebecca Lodge and the TOPS Club.

She was also preceded in death by four brothers and two sisters.

Survivors include four sons, J.L. Dyer of Deer Park, Ray Dyer of Wallis, Jerry Taylor of Tempe, Ariz., and Jackie Taylor of White Oak; two daughters, Kay White of Watauga, Paula Ruder of Brownwood; a stepdaughter, Donna Schomer; a brother, Roy Hester of Abilene; three sisters, Pauline Powell of Dallas, Lucille Cantwell of Columbia, Mo., and Gladys Lewis of Dallas; 19 grandchildren; 22 great-grandchildren; and one great-great-grandchild.

Dole visits Texas

PITTSBURG, Texas (AP) — Through the magic of television, Bob Dole came to Texas to shoot a commercial that features his hometown in Kansas.

The former senator visited this little East Texas town Thursday to film a spot for Visa.

The Kansas Republican and failed presidential candidate said he agreed to do the commercial "because it looked like a lot of fun, it showcases my hometown and it's a nice break from working on my inaugural address."

Dole honored with highest civilian medal

WASHINGTON (AP) — In a poignant act of political reconciliation, President Clinton today awarded Bob Dole the Presidential Medal of Freedom for his service in Congress and heroism in World War II. Choking back tears, Dole said, "I will cherish it as long as I live."

In a ceremony also marked by Dole's dry humor, the president said of his former Republican presidential rival: "Son of the soil, citizen, soldier and legislator, Bob Dole understands the American people, their struggles, their triumphs and their dreams."

After draping the nation's highest civilian honor around Dole's neck, Clinton shook his hand and then led the East Room audience in a standing ovation.

Dole let the applause wash over him then jokingly began taking the oath of office: "I, Robert J. Dole ..."

As Clinton and the crowd broke into laughter, Dole continued: "... do solemnly swear. Uh, wrong speech." Amid the continuing laughter, he joked, "I had a dream that I would be, this historical week, receiving something from the president. But I thought it would be the front door key."

Clinton will be inaugurated for his second term on Monday.

Dole's voice choked when he formally accepted the medal and again when he closed his brief remarks by telling Clinton, "May God bless you and each inhabitant of this house — and God bless America."

Dole was accompanied by his wife, Elizabeth, and daughter, Robin — just as he was along the campaign trail.

Gone from last year's presidential campaign was the partisan sniping as Clinton, 2½ months after beating Dole, sought a climate of reconciliation with Republicans on the eve of his second term.

Senate Majority Leader Trent Lott, R-Miss., was receptive, calling the morning "a class act." But, he added, Clinton has so far reached out to Republicans only in rhetoric. "On the substance of the legislative proposals, we haven't see a lot yet."

Recalling Dole's heroism in the war, which cost him the use of one arm, the president said, "Senator Dole turned adversity to advantage and pain to public service."

Today's ceremony also served as an occasion to unveil the design for a World War II monument in Washington.

'Abner' auditions will begin Monday

Auditions for the Ritz Theatre spring musical, "Lil' Abner," will be held Monday and Tuesday at the theatre, located on the south side of the square.

Auditions will be held from 6 until 8 p.m. Monday and from 5 until 7 p.m. Tuesday.

The popular musical comedy, based on the Al Capp comic strip by the same name, is scheduled for production April 10-13 and 17-20.

The cast of approximately 35 will include such characters as Lil' Abner, Daisy Mae, Marryin' Sam, Pappy and Mammy Yokum, Stupefyin' Jones, Moonbeam McSwine, Earthquake McGoon, General Bullmoose, Hairless Joe, Lonesome Polecat, Appassionata von Climax, Evil Eye Fleegle and a host of others.

There are eight solo parts and others will be part of various chorus numbers. All roles are for high school or adult performers.

Auditioners should be prepared to sing a number of his or her choice and provide their own accompaniment. A piano, tape deck and CD player will be available.

Sam Robertson will be the musical director. Call 573-4053 or 573-4892 for additional information concerning auditions.

What's Up?

Ritz work day Saturday

There will be a volunteer work day at the Ritz Theatre on the south side of the square Saturday, beginning at 10 a.m. General maintenance, cleaning, painting and organizing of costume and prop storage needs to be done. All volunteers are welcome. Supplies will be furnished.

Yearbook deadline nears

Time is running out to buy a 1997 Snyder High School yearbook. Books purchased before next Thursday will have the buyer's name on the cover. After that date, it will not. Yearbooks will not be sold after Feb. 1. The price is $40. Anyone who has put a deposit down on a book is reminded that the balance is due by Feb. 3.

Scurry Youth Center

Scurry Youth Center, located at the Boys & Girls Club, is open Friday and Saturday evenings from 7 until 11. To participate, you must have a current Boys & Girls Club membership or pay $1 admission.

AARP chapter to meet

The local AARP chapter will meet at noon Monday in the Senior Center. Roy Baze will bring the program. The board of directors will convene following the meeting.

Central Parent Council

Central Elementary Parent Council will meet at 1 p.m. Tuesday. All parents are welcome.

Stanfield Parent Council

Stanfield Parent Council meeting will be held at 7 p.m. Tuesday.

Grief support group

The grief support group meets at 7 p.m. Tuesdays at the First Presbyterian Church.

Hall to teach at Church of the Hill

Dudley Hall will be teaching the Word Wednesday, at 7 p.m. at the Church of the Hills, 14 miles north on U.S. 84. Turn left at the Fluvanna cut off (Highway 612). The church sits on the left before topping the hill.

Study in England meeting

An informational meeting is set for 5 p.m. Wednesday on the WTC campus in 2B110 for persons interested in a two-week study abroad program in England, starting June 9.

The program is for college credit, English 2322. Study leaders are Jana Martin, WTC English instructor, and Beth Bowen, SHS English teacher. Cost of the program is $2,199 plus $97 college tuition.

Adult education classes

GED and ESL classes are available at Western Texas College. Times are 8-11 a.m. Tuesday through Thursday and 6-8:30 p.m. Tuesdays and Thursdays. Contact the college continuing education department for more information.

Donkey basketball coming

Snyder High School girl's basketball program will bring donkey basketball to Tiger Gym at 7:30 p.m. Jan. 30. Ticket information will be announced soon.

Circus tickets being sold

Representatives from Circus Gatti will be contacting local residents offering tickets to the circus, which will held at a yet to be determined date in February. Scurry County Sheriff's Posse is sponsoring the event.

Volunteer help sought by museum

The Scurry County Museum is seeking a volunteer or volunteers to help assemble a large pre-cut doll house. If you are interested please call the museum at 573-6107. The museum is located on the Western Texas College campus, 6200 College AVenue. It is open from 8 a.m. to 4 p.m., Monday through Friday.

Pick 3

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

2-1-2

(two, one, two)

Cash 5

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

1-5-9-10-13-28

(one, five, nine, ten, thirteen, twenty-eight)

Investigators seeking clues into clinic bombing

ATLANTA (AP) — Investigators seeking clues to twin bombings at an abortion clinic bundled up against bitter cold today to question residents and workers, many of them nervous about returning to their jobs.

"I don't want to, but I have to," said Jose Pena, a clerk at the nearby Country Hearth Inn. "I just hope nothing happens."

He said several guests of the motel checked out early because of Thursday morning's bombings.

Agents of the FBI and Georgia Bureau of Investigation stopped every car trying to enter the street where the office building is located, asking drivers how often they visit the area and whether they saw anything suspicious before the explosions.

The first bomb, which exploded at about 9:30 a.m., left the Atlanta Northside Family Planning Services clinic in ruins and blew out windows across the street. The second bomb went off about an hour later less than 100 feet away — near a trash bin in the parking lot.

No one was injured in the first blast, but at least six people were hurt in the second, including FBI and Bureau of Alcohol, Tobacco and Firearms agents, rescue workers and a television cameraman. All of the injuries appeared to be minor.

Two bombs, strategically timed and placed in a manner designed to hurt law enforcement officers and rescue workers, are common tactics used by terrorists.

Rob Stadler had just arrived at his wife's law office in the three-story building that houses the clinic when the first blast sounded, shattering glass and bringing down walls and ceilings. He was standing outside, comforting his sobbing wife, Christine, when the second one came.

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