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THE SDN COLUMN

By Roy McQueen

The feller on Deep Creek says, "The trouble with cash flow is the direction of the tide."

It didn't happen on "Make A Difference Day," but a Good Samaritan did help himself right into the hoosegow.

In other words, the road to jail may be paved with good intentions.

The unfortunate chain of events began early one Monday morning when the would-be Good Samaritan stopped to help two men and a woman whose truck had run out of gas.

The woman decided to ride into town with the Good Samaritan to get more gas. But before they could reach a service station, the rescuer's car also ran out of fuel.

A passing motorist stopped to offer assistance, and he wound up taking the woman on to town to get the gasoline.

The Good Samaritan, meanwhile, waited patiently, assuming that she would bring back gas for his car, as well as for the truck. Think again.

The woman had hitched a ride with a delivery man back to her vehicle, and she and her companions apparently went merrily on their way.

When the same delivery man saw the wannabe Good Samaritan standing by his vehicle, he stopped to offer assistance. The stranded Samaritan said, "no thanks," that a woman had already gone into town for gas.

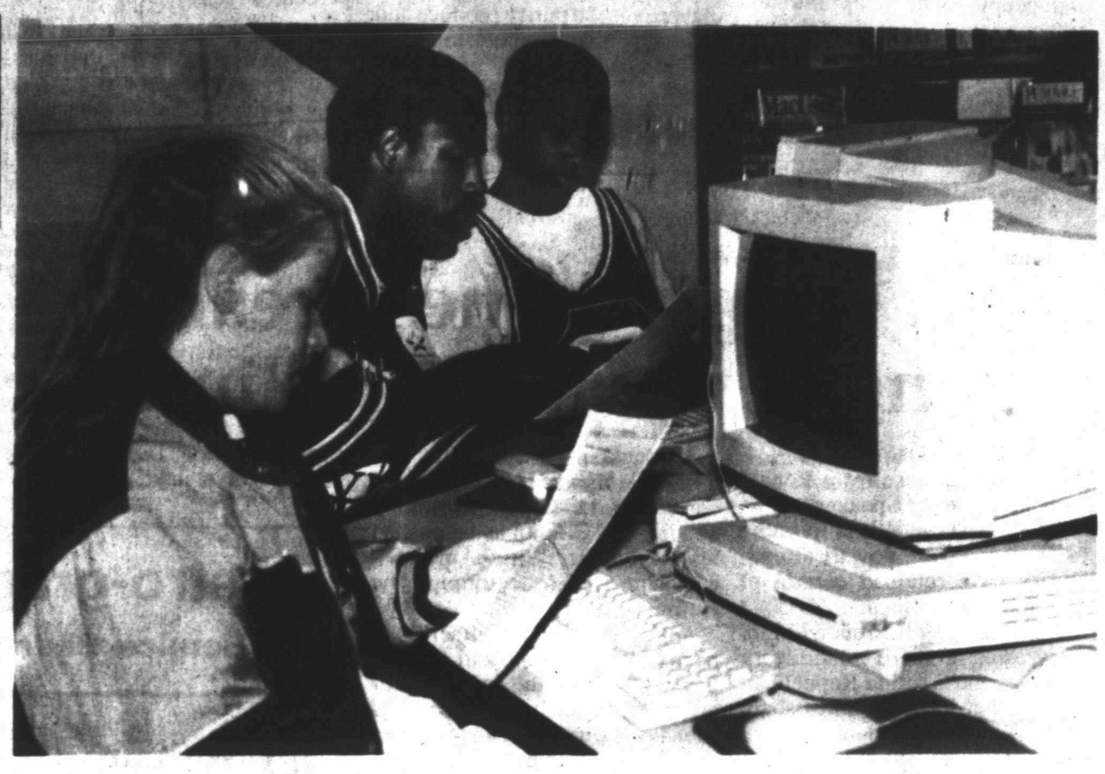
Really? "Would that be the same woman who just left down the road in a refueled white truck?"

Explaining that she was also supposed to rescue him, the Good Samaritan offered some choice comments about the character of the woman and her two male companions whom he had tried to help.

The delivery man took the irate Samaritan to a convenience store for gasoline. Still fuming from his unbelievable experience, the Samaritan began telling his sad story to a pair of nearby police officers.

During the conversation, the officers asked for the man's identification. When the check was run on him, it was discovered that the Good Samaritan was wanted on traffic warrants in Dimmitt County.

He did get a free ride, to jail, without running out of gas.



PARENTS VISIT SCHOOLS — Eighth grader LaCrystal Brooks explained her assignment in Tonya Canada's computer class at Snyder Junior High School to her stepfather, Vincent Slay. Also pictured left is Stephanie Ervin. Today was SISD Parent Involvement Day and parents are invited to attend classes with their children this week. (Staff Photo by Jo Ann Nunley)

Long agenda awaits council

Ordinances, budget matters

A lengthy agenda awaits Snyder City Council when it meets at 6:30 tonight, including 10 items of new business.

Among the items to be considered will be an ordinance providing for a zoning change for some 22 acres on which developers hope to build an assisted-living apartment complex. The area is immediately north of the new St. Mary Clinic and would front on Houston Avenue.

Developers and homeowners in that area attended last month's planning and zoning commission meeting and were vocal in their opposition to the zone change.

The commission voted unanimously to deny the request. Building inspector Vic Chambers reminded the audience that the commission could only make a recommendation to the city council, which would then act on the request.

In other items of new business, the council will consider on first reading an ordinance for budget amendments for the fiscal year from Oct. 1, 1995 and ending Sept. 30, 1996, line-item transfers and an ordinance classifying a muffler sales and repair shop as a service business to allow the construction of a business in the 1700 block of 37th St.

Also, the council will consider:

—a resolution authorizing the city to participate, along with other municipalities, in intervening in Lone Star Gas Company's gate rate;

—first reading of a resolution dividing a lot in the 1800 block of 26th Street into two separate lots;

—a request by First Baptist Church to close Avenue Q between 26th and 27th Streets during Sunday morning and evening worship services and during Wednesday evening services;

—re-appointment of Joe Jackson to the Permian Basin Airport Zoning Board;

—a request by Mayor Pro-Tem Vernest Tippens to attend a Texas Municipal League Conference in Corpus Christi;

—and, an award of certificate of achievement for excellence in financial reporting to city financial officer Jeanne Jackson.

Three items of old business are to consider on second reading the approval of an ordinance prohibiting parking on 30th Street between College Avenue and El Paso Avenue, re-submission of an Economic Development Grant in the amount of $1,475,000 for the Development Corporation of Snyder's work at the industrial park, and a grounds maintenance contract that was tabled last month.

Also, the court will consider awarding of bids for the use of the city's water reclamation farm.

The council is presided over by Mayor David Holt. Council members are Tippens, Ron Shaw, Dayton Robertson, Jerry Webb and I.E. Martin.

There is one vacancy on the council.

Jetliners collide near New Delhi

NEW DELHI, India (AP) — A Saudi jumbo jetliner collided in flight with a Kazak airliner today near New Delhi, exploding in flames and sending fiery wreckage plunging into the fields. About 350 people were feared killed.

The Saudi plane had just taken off from Indira Gandhi International Airport bound for Saudi Arabia when it hit a Tupolev-154 of the Kazak Airlines that was making its landing approach, Indian news reports said.

Police said the collision between the Saudi Boeing 747 and the Kazak Tu-154 took place after nightfall about 60 miles west of Delhi near the town of Charkhi Dadri.

A civil aviation official said the Saudi plane was cleared to climb to 14,000 feet, and the Kazak aircraft was authorized to descend to 15,000 feet at the time of the accident.

Building contractor Rao Singh witnessed the crash: "I saw fireballs and big black smoke about three or four kilometers from my house falling into the fields," he said, reached by telephone and speaking in Hindi.

"The sky was absolutely red," he said.

Four hours after the accident, only four or five bodies had been recovered and brought to a hospital, said police Constable Balwant Singh.

Rao Singh said villagers in Charkhi Dadri, a town of 50,000 residents surrounded by flat farmland, reported debris was spread across a six-mile area.

Police cordoned off the area and rescue vehicles went to the crash site. The Indian government ordered a judicial inquiry into the accident.

WTC board approves outside audit

Western Texas College trustees on Monday approved the 1995-96 annual audit and bids for computer equipment.

The board also set a planning session for Nov. 25, reviewed the fall enrollment report and heard pre-bid information on items pertaining to the rodeo program.

Action items approved by the board included:

—The 1995-96 audit as approved by Todd Hrbacek of Hrbaeck & May, Sweetwater. Hrbacek called the audit a "clean one" and noted no exceptions were found.

—The fall small class report. Classes which fall under a designated number of students must be formally approved by the board.

—Bid of $15,037 from Computer Solutions for the purchase of nine computers, a monitor, five printers, miscellaneous equipment and software to be used in eight areas throughout the campus. Trustee Drew Bullard abstained from voting.

—Bid ratification from a corsortium of local agencies for building and contents liability insurance in the amount of $24,350 annually, for a three-year period.

—Financial reports for September and October and previous minutes.

An enrollment report for the fall indicates 1,032 students, down some 19 students from the fall of 1995. Administrators said the largest factor in the decline in enrollment at the Daniel and Wallace prison units. Enrollment at those two locations dropped by 72 from the previous fall, primarily because of new Texas Department of Criminal Justice regulations that went into effect this fall.

Of the 1,032 students, 337 come from in-district. This does not include TDCJ inmate students. The college has 25 out of state students and another 21 foreign students.

The 1,032 includes students enrolled in academic and vocational credit programs and excludes individuals enrolled in workforce education courses, administrators said.

Bettie McQueen, dean of instruction, presented a report on the college instructional program. She outlined methods by which

See College, Page 10

Court told to rethink congressional district ruling

WASHINGTON (AP) — The Supreme Court today ordered a lower court to reconsider its ruling upholding a predominantly Hispanic congressional district in the Chicago area.

The justices told the lower court to re-evaluate the district's validity in light of their recent decisions making it harder to draw election districts that maximize racial minorities' political clout.

In other action, the court:

—Rejected the federal government's latest effort to open up local telephone markets nationwide to competition. The court, in a pair of one-sentence orders, refused to set aside a federal appeals court order that temporarily has put on hold new federal rules designed to increase competition.

—Turned away the appeals of two Arkansas bankers once charged with misusing funds to boost Bill Clinton's political career. The justices refused to hear arguments by Herby Branscum Jr. and Robert M. Hill that independent counsel Kenneth Starr lacked the authority to prosecute them as part of his far-reaching Whitewater investigation.

In the congressional mapping case, the 4th district — including parts of Chicago and Cook County represented by Democratic Rep. Luis Gutierrez — was drawn by a three-judge federal court as part of a new redistricting plan in 1991. Illinois lawmakers had failed to come up with their own plan following the 1990 census.

The district, with a 59 percent Hispanic voting-age population, is shaped like a "C" running from one Hispanic-dominated area of Chicago, through the western suburbs, and back to another part of the city with a large Hispanic population.

The three-judge court said such a district was needed to protect against dilution of Hispanic votes and protect nearby black-dominated districts.

In 1993, the Supreme Court ruled for the first time that congressional districts designed to help racial minorities might violate white voters' rights.

Last March, a lower court rejected a challenge to the 4th district by voter James R. King, who had sued in 1995. He said the court improperly took race into account in drawing the district's boundaries.

A new three-judge panel upheld the district, calling it an "uncouth configuration" that nonetheless was needed to remedy previous violations of the federal Voting Rights Act.

Last June, the Supreme Court threw out voting districts in Texas and North Carolina and made it more difficult to draw districts aimed at boosting minority voters' clout.

The federal court in Illinois was told to restudy the 4th District case in light of those two rulings.

Jury selection begins in court

Jury selection was being held in 132nd District Court this morning in a civil case, Tim Riggan vs. Christopher Daniel Mills, individually, and Pool Well Service.

A panel of some 150 citizens was called as potential jury members.

Riggan is seeking to recover damages following a July 14, 1995 mishap in which a Pool Well Service pickup driven by Mills crashed through Riggan's Edward D. Jones office at 42nd and College.

The mishap occurred shortly before 6:30 a.m. before anyone had arrived for work in the office. The pickup was headed east on 42nd Street, traveled through the intersection, jumped the curb and plowed into the front office.

Mills backed the pickup out of the office and was not injured.

Attorneys in the case are Gary Terrell of Lubbock, representing Tim Riggan; Larry Bell of San Angelo, representing Pool Well Service; Mike Brown of Huntsville, representing Mills; and interveners J. David Nelson of Lubbock, representing D. Gail Latimer; and Frank R. Stamey of Abilene, representing Monte West, Billy Calley and Tim Riggan, joint venture.

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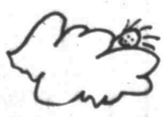
Q—Who pays for officials, lights, workers, etc., for playoff games at Tiger Stadium?

A—Snyder chamber of commerce pays for the programs and tickets, plus provides personnel to sell them. Other expenses are paid through gate receipts, including $450 for the use of the stadium.

FORECAST - ALMANAC

Snyder Temps: High Monday, 74 degrees; low, 42; 7 a.m. Tuesday, 47; no precipitation; total for 1996, 14.54 inches.

Area Forecast: Tonight, mostly cloudy. Low 45-50. E-SE wind 5-15 mph. Wednesday, mostly cloudy morning, becoming partly cloudy. High 70-75. S wind 10-20 mph.



Erica Little

Cloudy

Sunset: 5:46 p.m.
Sunrise: 7:10 a.m.

Of 316 days in 1996, the sun has shone 312 days in Snyder.

TODAY'S THOUGHT

It is the glory of God to conceal a matter, But the glory of kings is to search out a matter.

Proverbs 25:2

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New rules weighed after outbreak of E. coli

WASHINGTON (AP) — The government is considering forcing all apple juices, and possibly other fruit juices, to be pasteurized to fight the dangerous E. coli bacteria that keeps surfacing in fresh foods.

Also under debate is chemically washing fresh produce or forcing manufacturers to adopt quality-control programs that prove foods stay pure from harvest to dinner table.

Once thought a threat only in undercooked meat, the virulent E. coli O157 strain now has surfaced repeatedly in apple cider, even lettuce. At least 49 people were sickened after drinking trendy, unpasteurized fruit juices. E. coli is strongly suspected in the death of a 16-month-old child Friday in Denver.

This outbreak, from California-based Odwalla Inc. gourmet juices that contained tainted apple juice, has spurred government doctors to action because it showed even large manufacturers known for quality are vulnerable.

"There's no doubt this is a different problem this time," said John Vanderveen of the Food and Drug Administration.

Just hours after Odwalla began its recall, Vanderveen called a special meeting to warn apple juice makers "to ratchet up their quality control" while the government decides the next step.

Meanwhile, Vanderveen is advising parents of young children and people with weak immune systems, who are most at risk from foodborne illnesses, to buy only pasteurized juices. Unpasteurized ones, a minority on the market, must be sold cold, so shoppers should check the label when buying any chilled juice, he added.

Pasteurization, a heating process, kills E. coli, while simply washing fruit with water doesn't. But many people say unpasteurized juices taste better — so the Agriculture Department is funding research to find better pasteurization methods to preserve the flavor while killing the E. coli.

And the FDA is considering experimental chemical washes that promise to purify produce and additives that might kill the bacteria.

But if the FDA requires pasteurization, the rule could apply both to the upscale, all-natural juices sold in supermarkets and perhaps even to the cider that farmers sell at roadside stands.

At least four U.S. outbreaks of E. coli O157, a particularly dangerous strain discovered in 1982, were linked to raw lettuce in the past year. Last month, it sickened 10 people who drank apple cider in Connecticut.

While bacterial outbreaks are increasing, so is Americans' consumption of all-natural foods — an industry growing about 25 percent a year.

People don't understand that fresh or natural "doesn't necessarily mean better for you," said Dr. Mitchell Cohen, bacterial diseases chief at the federal Centers for Disease Control and Prevention. One worry: Organic foods often are fertilized with cow manure even though E. coli flourishes in cattle.

The industry is studying better safeguards, but simply getting food workers to wash their hands might prevent E. coli contamination, said John Aguirre of the United Fresh Fruit and Vegetable Association.

When the Odwalla outbreak hit, the Clinton administration already was planning a broader initiative to better safeguard all foods. One step is expected to be an expansion of the nation's fledgling early-warning system for foodborne risks, which now operates in just five states.

But the latest E. coli outbreak has the FDA considering what steps fresh food makers should take immediately.

One option is requiring the natural food industry to adopt strict quality-control programs similar to ones now required for seafood and meat companies. These force companies to prevent contamination at every step of production, from harvesting to sales.

Newt Gingrich: he is ready, willing to work with Clinton

WASHINGTON (AP) — Borrowing a phrase from Ronald Reagan, House Speaker Newt Gingrich declared "It is morning in America again" now that Republicans have retained control of the House and Senate.

But in a speech Monday night showcasing a more conciliatory Gingrich, the Georgia Republican insisted that his party must share its dawn with President Clinton.

Republicans "should not flinch from four years of working with this administration, because it is the administration the American people chose," Gingrich said in his first speech since last week's election.

Gingrich spoke of cooperation in the grandest of terms, saying not just America but the world depends on congressional Republicans and Clinton working together.

"We'll seek to find every possible common ground to work with him for the betterment of America because the entire world is watching to see if we can make this experiment of self government work," he told the friendliest of groups — GOPAC, the political action committee he chaired until last year.

Throughout his speech, it was clear that this was not the Gingrich of 1995, who shouted revolution and ignored Clinton as he pushed his "Contract With America" campaign manifesto through the House.

"We cannot allow ourselves to be mired down as the anti-Clinton party, subsumed in some sense of anger or rage," Gingrich said Monday night. "We cannot be in a permanent campaign."

But Gingrich also celebrated Republican victories in the campaign just ended, saying Republicans should not be depressed over Bob Dole's loss to Clinton.

"It is morning in America again," he suggested, quoting Reagan's 1984 presidential campaign slogan. "Is this disrespectful of Bob Dole and Jack Kemp? Not at all."

Astro-graph

By Bernice Bede Osol



Your Birthday

Wednesday, Nov. 13, 1996

Try to remain alert in the year ahead so that you can distinguish between real opportunities and pipe dreams. If you make sound choices, the results could be very satisfying.

SCORPIO (Oct. 24-Nov. 22) People who work for you today might not comply with your wishes unless you watch them and check what is being done. Astro-Graph predictions for the year ahead make wonderful Christmas stocking stuffers for all signs of the zodiac. Mail $2 for each and SASE to Astro-Graph, c/o this newspaper, P.O. Box 1758, Murray Hill Station, New York, NY 10156. Make sure you state desired zodiac signs.

SAGITTARIUS (Nov. 23-Dec. 21) Try to avoid extravagance today, and watch out for friends who might try to involve you in an expensive adventure.

CAPRICORN (Dec. 22-Jan. 19) It will be better to do one thing and do it properly today instead of attempting several things at once. Try to prioritize your tasks.

AQUARIUS (Jan. 20-Feb. 19) You will not have much success if you try to persuade others to do something for you which you can easily take care of yourself.

PISCES (Feb. 20-March 20) Involvements that have strong elements of risk should be avoided today, because your fear of losing might take precedence over your will to win.

ARIES (March 21-April 19) If you sense resistance, you might slow down instead of pushing the pedal to the metal. To achieve your goals today, you must be tenacious.

TAURUS (April 20-May 20) Take care not to create unnecessary problems for yourself today. Think before you act. You should be your biggest advocate, not your worst enemy.

GEMINI (May 21-June 20) Assess your finances realistically today and set your budget accordingly. You should not be extravagant or borrow from others. Make do with what you have.

CANCER (June 21-July 22) Keep important objectives in clear focus today, or else you may drift off on a tangent and something that could have been acquired will not be attained.

LEO (July 23-Aug. 22) It will prove wise today to try to temper your grandiose ideas with a healthy sprinkling of reality. For best results, maintain a balanced perspective.

VIRGO (Aug. 23-Sept. 22) A proposal presented to you today by someone you do not know too well could have strings attached. Examine the package carefully.

LIBRA (Sept. 23-Oct. 23) You and your mate might argue about your collective resources today. Strive to reach an agreement as soon as possible.

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BLOW HARDER — Reid Johnson was photographed as he urged Stacey Bunch to blow harder to turn a circlular object into a square one at a recent Safe Child After School Program. The Magic Johnson Magic Show has provided entertainment at several organizations in the area. The Safe Child program is sponsored by Snyder ISD with financial support from Family PRIDE, an initiative of the Children's Trust Fund of Texas. Additional funding is provided by a grant from Texas Work and Family Clearinghouse. (Staff Photo by Jo Ann Nunley)



PLACE IN ROSE SHOWS — Wilson Howell of Snyder is an avid rose fan and has a large rose garden with many varieties. Howell, along with his wife Joy, attended several rose shows this past summer. As members of the American Rose Society, they entered the rose show in Dallas and won first in Anne Morrow Lindberg, second in Veldfire and third in Touch of Class. At the Albuquerque Rose Society's 11th annual Fall Rose Show, Wilson's Louise Estess rose won third in the princess category. In El Paso's 40th annual Rose Show, he won Best of Show, with three-of-a-kind miniature roses in a bowl, Classic Touch, three-of-a-kind; and the second highest award, King, with his Olympiad rose. (Staff Photo by Jo Ann Nunley)

Snyder Duplicate Bridge Scoreboard

Dot Casey directed three days for Duplicate Bridge Club held at the Snyder Country Club.

FRIDAY

Six tables.

1. Anita Talbott, Ann Davis
2. Shirley Stewart, Christine Stuard.
3. Billisue Stuard, Louise Thompson.

SUNDAY

Three tables.

1. Dot Casey, Louise Thompson.
2. TIE: Charles Blakey, LaVerne Hood and Barbara Yorgesen, Nona Morrison.

Three tables.

1. TIE: Dot Casey, Barbara Yorgesen; Rube McKinley, Louise Thompson; Margaret Birdwell, Tizzy Hall.

Community Calendar

TUESDAY

DAR; Snyder Country Club; program, Jessie Scarbrough; ancestor sketch, Dot Casey; hostesses, Ann Smartt and Jo Flynn; noon.

Weight Watchers; Trinity Methodist Church (south wing); noon; for more information, call 1-800-359-3131.

Plainview TFCEC; for information call Nancy Higgins, 573-7770; 2 p.m.

Atheneum Study Club; MAWC; Anne von Roeder, hostess; Timber and Threads owner, Tina Sanders, will give program; 4:15 p.m.

Snyder Shrine Club; call 863-2702 for meeting place; 6 p.m.

Narcotics Anonymous; Winston Park Club; for more information call 573-2101, 573-0949, 573-3667 or 573-1579; 6 p.m.

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

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

New Horizon Alcoholics Anonymous; Park Club in Winston Park; for information call 573-1141 or 573-2101; 8 p.m.

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

WEDNESDAY

Narcotics Anonymous; Park Club in Winston Park; for information call 573-2101, 573-0949, 573-3667 or 573-1579; 8 p.m.



Q. What Do You Get When You Cross A Pig Farmer With A Dirt Contractor?
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Bridge

By Phillip Alder



	North	11-12-96
	♠ 6	
	♥ K Q 10 2	
	♦ A 9 7 4 2	
	♣ Q 10 6	
West		East
♠ A Q 9 2		♠ J 7 5 4 3
♥ J 8 4		♥ 7 6 3
♦ 10 6 5		♦ K Q 3
♣ J 9 8		♣ K 5
	South	
	♠ K 10 8	
	♥ A 9 5	
	♦ J 8	
	♣ A 7 4 3 2	

Vulnerable: Both
Dealer: South

South	West	North	East
1 ♣	Pass	1 ♦	Pass
1 NT	Pass	3 NT	All pass

Opening lead: ♠ 2

It makes you want to expectorate

By Phillip Alder

It is traditional to lead fourth-highest from a suit headed by at least one honor. Against suit contracts, though, many pairs now lead the third-highest from a three- or four-card suit and lowest from a five-carder. These leads, known as thirds and fifths, usually count out the suit quicker. And one isn't misled when the lead is low from honor-third, which often happens in the middle of the play. However, this style isn't recommended against a no-trump contract, because you frequently cannot afford to "waste" the third-highest card.

Defending against an aggressively bid three no-trump, West led his fourth-highest spade, the two. East knew the rules, playing third-hand high with his jack. After winning with the king, declarer cashed the club ace and played a club to dummy's 10. Suddenly — for South — the sun burst through the clouds. Not only did East win with the king, but also the spades were blocked.

For East-West this was exasperating. If only West had led his third-highest (or second-highest or highest) spade, the suit wouldn't have become blocked and the contract would have been defeated.

"Sorry, partner," added East. "If I had played the three or seven at trick one, letting South win the first trick with his eight, the contract would have gone down."

"It's not so simple," pointed out South. "If you start like that, I might well play a heart to dummy's queen and call for the club queen. As the cards lie, I keep you (East) off the lead and get home."

This didn't make East or West feel better.

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Basketball star Shaquille O'Neal wears a size 22-EEE shoe.

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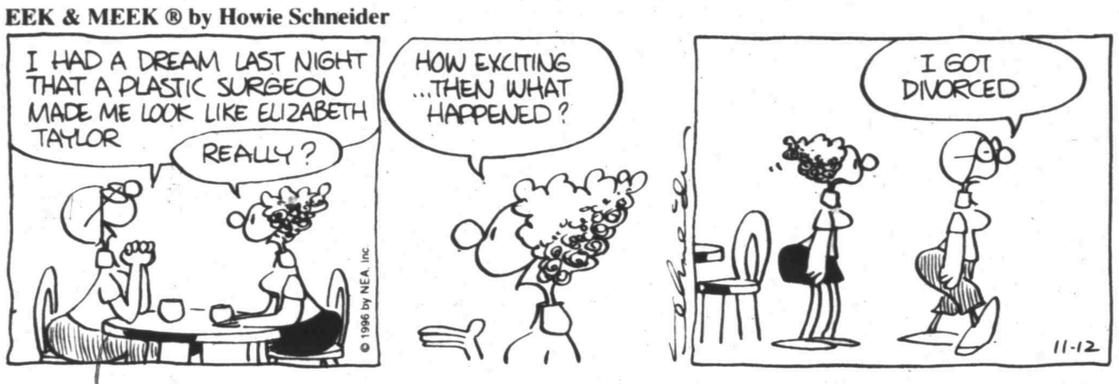
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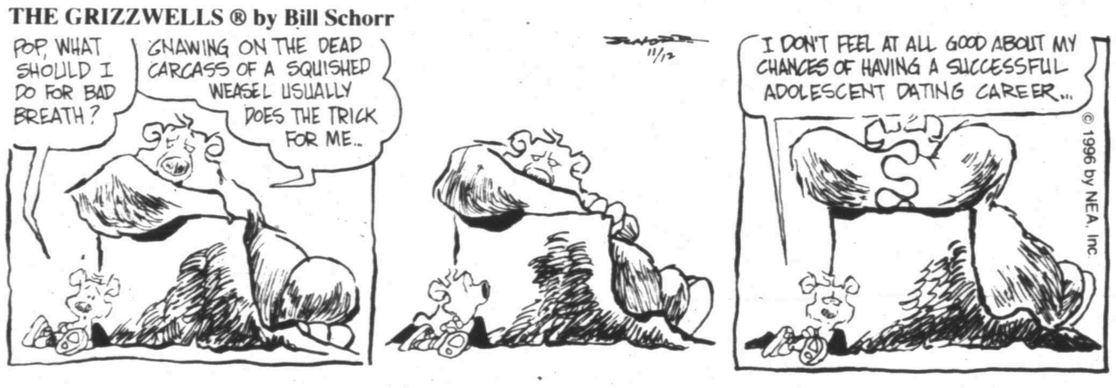
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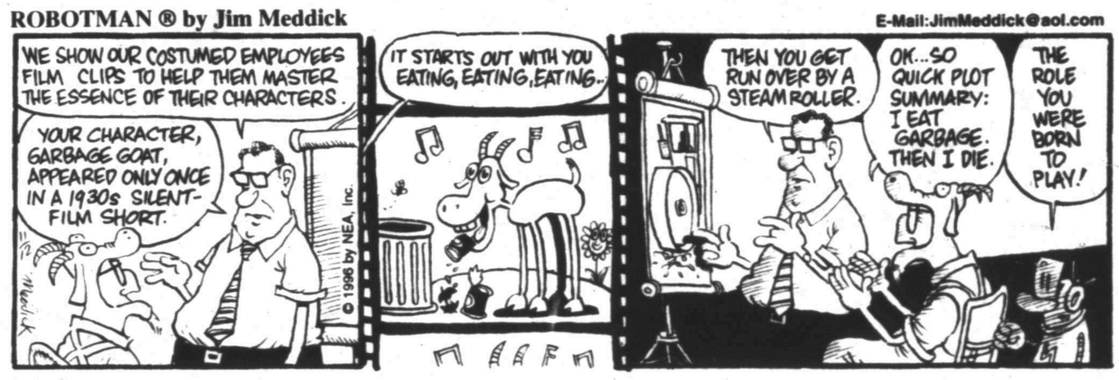


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20 Highest card
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23 Seinfeld's network
24 How sweet — —
25 Shade of blue
27 Rent what you are renting
29 I think, therefore — —
31 Zero
32 Roman 52
33 Actress Joanne —
34 International org.
37 Future LL.Bs.' exam
40 Hurried
41 Caviar source
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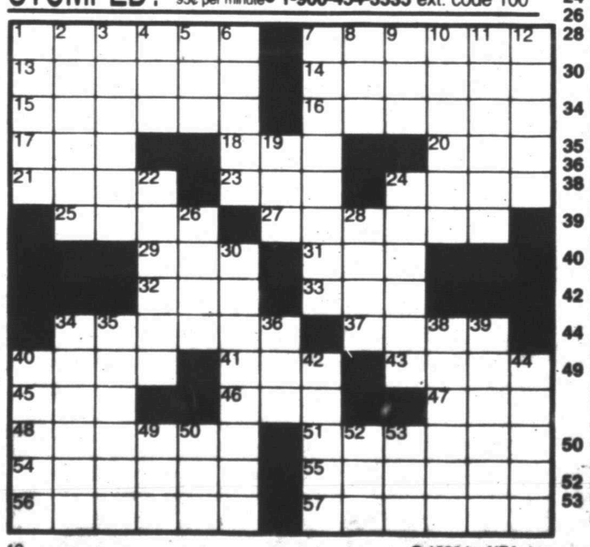
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9 Future bks.
10 Change significantly
11 Bring out
12 Challenges
19 Cosby's network
22 Fastened
24 Maltreat
26 River nymph
28 Revolve (a floating log)
30 Very small photo
34 Displace from a country
35 Not quite
36 Alley —
38 Lack of purpose
39 Vituperative speech
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44 Actor Robert —
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50 Chemical suffix
52 Picnic pest
53 Neighbor of Fr.

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By The Associated Press
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East	W	L	T	Pct.	PF	PA
Buffalo	7	3	0	.700	191	175
NewEngland	7	3	0	.700	275	215
Indianapolis	5	5	0	.500	172	208
Miami	5	5	0	.500	238	205
N.Y.Jets	1	9	0	.100	172	264
Central						
Pittsburgh	7	3	0	.700	230	160
Houston	6	4	0	.600	230	190
Cincinnati	4	6	0	.400	214	226
Jacksonville	4	6	0	.400	202	208
Baltimore	3	7	0	.300	244	286
West						
Denver	9	1	0	.900	262	167
KansasCity	7	3	0	.700	206	168
SanDiego	6	4	0	.600	225	249
Seattle	5	5	0	.500	206	239
Oakland	4	6	0	.400	217	190

NATIONAL CONFERENCE

East	W	L	T	Pct.	PF	PA
Philadelphia	7	3	0	.700	228	203
Washington	7	3	0	.700	239	190
Dallas	6	4	0	.600	206	165
Arizona	4	6	0	.400	164	238
N.Y.Giants	4	6	0	.400	157	189
Central						
GreenBay	8	2	0	.800	288	144
Minnesota	5	5	0	.500	169	194
Chicago	4	6	0	.400	144	192
Detroit	4	6	0	.400	208	214
TampaBay	2	8	0	.200	115	195
West						
SanFrancisco	7	3	0	.700	234	152
Carolina	6	4	0	.600	217	148
St.Louis	3	7	0	.300	201	280
NewOrleans	2	8	0	.200	152	235
Atlanta	1	9	0	.100	176	303

Sunday's Games
Arizona 37, Washington 34, OT
St. Louis 59, Atlanta 16
Buffalo 24, Philadelphia 17
Kansas City 27, Green Bay 20
Houston 31, New Orleans 14
Miami 37, Indianapolis 13
New England 31, New York Jets 27
Tampa Bay 20, Oakland 17, OT
Cincinnati 34 Pittsburgh 24
Dallas 20, San Francisco 17, OT
Jacksonville 30, Baltimore 27
Denver 17, Chicago 12
Seattle 42, Minnesota 23
Carolina 27, New York Giants 17
Monday's Game
San Diego 27, Detroit 21
Sunday, Nov. 17
Carolina at St. Louis, 1 p.m.
Chicago at Kansas City, 1 p.m.
Cincinnati at Buffalo, 1 p.m.
Denver at New England, 1 p.m.
Jacksonville at Pittsburgh, 1 p.m.
New Orleans at Atlanta, 1 p.m.
New York Jets at Indianapolis, 1 p.m.
Seattle at Detroit, 1 p.m.
Washington at Philadelphia, 1 p.m.
Baltimore at San Francisco, 4 p.m.
Miami at Houston, 4 p.m.
New York Giants at Arizona, 4 p.m.
Tampa Bay at San Diego, 4 p.m.
Minnesota at Oakland, 8 p.m.
Monday, Nov. 18
Green Bay at Dallas, 9 p.m.

NATIONAL BASKETBALL ASSOCIATION

By The Associated Press
National Basketball Association
All Times EST
EASTERN CONFERENCE

Atlantic Division	W	L	Pct	GB
NewYork	5	1	.833	—
Miami	4	1	.800	½
Orlando	2	1	.667	1½
Philadelphia	2	3	.400	2½
Washington	2	3	.400	2½
Boston	1	4	.200	3½
NewJersey	0	3	.000	3½
Central Division				
Chicago	7	0	1.000	—
Cleveland	4	1	.800	2
Detroit	4	1	.800	2
Milwaukee	4	1	.800	2
Charlotte	3	2	.600	3
Atlanta	3	3	.500	3½
Toronto	2	3	.400	4
Indiana	1	3	.250	4½

WESTERN CONFERENCE

Midwest Division	W	L	Pct	GB
Houston	6	0	1.000	—
Utah	2	2	.500	3
Denver	3	4	.429	3½
Minnesota	2	3	.400	3½
Dallas	1	4	.200	4½
SanAntonio	1	5	.167	5
Vancouver	0	6	.000	6
Pacific Division				
L.A.Lakers	4	2	.667	—
Seattle	4	2	.667	—
L.A.Clippers	3	2	.600	½
Portland	4	3	.571	½
Sacramento	2	4	.333	2
GoldenState	1	4	.200	2½
Phoenix	0	6	.000	4

Sunday's Games
Cleveland 101, Denver 86
L.A. Clippers 81, Minnesota 70
New York 101, Vancouver 82
L.A. Lakers 92, Atlanta 85
Portland 94, San Antonio 81
Monday's Games
Denver 104, Toronto 93
San Antonio at Utah, ppd., warped floor
Chicago 97, Phoenix 79
Seattle 110, Sacramento 94
Tuesday's Games
Philadelphia at New York, 7:30 p.m.
Detroit at Washington, 7:30 p.m.
Charlotte at Miami, 7:30 p.m.
Cleveland at Atlanta, 7:30 p.m.
Portland at Minnesota, 8 p.m.
L.A. Lakers at Houston, 8 p.m.
Phoenix at Milwaukee, 8:30 p.m.
Indiana at Dallas, 8:30 p.m.
Golden State at Seattle, 10 p.m.
L.A. Clippers at Vancouver, 10 p.m.
Wednesday's Games
Atlanta at Boston, 7 p.m.
Philadelphia at Toronto, 7 p.m.
Washington at New Jersey, 7:30 p.m.
Portland at Cleveland, 7:30 p.m.
Denver at Detroit, 7:30 p.m.
Miami at Chicago, 8:30 p.m.
L.A. Lakers at San Antonio, 8:30 p.m.
Sacramento at Utah, 9 p.m.

Basketball season opens tonight

Tigers hope inexperience won't hinder team

By Brent Taylor
Sports Editor

Inexperience will be the major concern for the Snyder Tigers basketballers when the hit the court tonight in the season opener against the Bobcats from San Angelo Central.

Coach Bud Birks welcomes back two lettermen from last year and only one starter from the 1995-96 team that went 20-9, but only 5-5 in league play.

Monday marked the first day that Birks had his full team on the floor for practice with the addition three football players.

Rick Henderson will be looking to better his district most valuable player season from a year ago. The 6-5 senior is a versatile player who can post up inside and then move out and knock down a three pointer.

Birks said Henderson hit 50 percent of his threes last year and shot around 55 percent from the field.

Monday was the first practice for Matthew Fambro, who saw limited playing time a year ago after missing the first half of the season with injuries. Joining Fambro from the football squad will be Jeremiah Johnson and Chad Carter.

According to Birks, "On a positive side, we are athletic. We can run and jump well and we are aggressive. On the negative side, it's lack of experience. We basically have one person out there who has ever really played in a varsity game.

"I think we will be alright inside, but we need to develop a point guard. We are going to have some outside shooters beside Rick. The attitude so far has been real good."

Snyder has been involved in two scrimmages and competed well according to the coach. "I though we did a good job against Abilene High, Breckenridge and Lubbock Monterey."

The biggest question mark will be who can step up and help the Tigers. "Sometimes you have kids who can step in and they are ready to go and then you have others that don't understand how big a jump it is from playing JV ball to varsity and how much more demanding and tough and physical you have to be just to survive, especially in this district."

Size should not be a problem for Snyder. "Jimmy Taylor, Matthew Fambro, you are looking at kids who are 6-3 to 6-5 who can jump. Chris Riggins is also of similar size."

As far as the district race looks, Plainview is predicted to win with the help of four of six players back from last year. Lamesa is picked second with a 6-5 and 6-8 players. Estacado, with a new coach, is selected third, with Levelland fourth, Snyder fifth and Frenship sixth.

Tonight's games in the Snyder High School gym are set to tip off with the JV at 6, followed by the varisity at 7:30

SHS Girls have new look, attitude and coach

By Brent Taylor
Sports Editor

A new look with a new attitude can best describe the 1996-97 version of the Snyder High School girl's basketball team.

Coach Rick Archer has taken over the program and has instituted a new, upbeat-pace offense and has taught the fundamentals to go with making a winner.

The Tigers finished last year with a 14-15 record, but went 5-5 in district, the best loop mark since 1988's team finished 10-6.

Archer's team will feature a high-octane offense which will utilize the whole team and a relentless full-court pressure defense. "We want to move the ball around quickly and look for the screens to open up the shots. On defense, we will show full court pressure the entire game. To do what I want, the girls have to be in good physical shape and they are," Archer said.

The girls basketball team has six returning lettermen, including second team all-district performer Erica Garvin and honorable mention Melanie Kidd.

Garvin has become a lot more physical underneath the basket and will be a scoring threat everytime she touches the ball, Archer said. Kidd is one of the Tigers' best three-point shooters.

Another player who will provide valuable time inside will be 5-10 Tiffany Garza. Garza missed most of last season with a knee injury, but helped to lead the Lady Tiger volleyball team to the playoffs and showed no signs of the knee bothering her.

The other returners include Brooke McQuire, Darla Blackwell and Mandy Hess.

The Tigers have been involved in two scrimmages in the preseason, and according to Archer, won three of four quarters in the first outing in Big Spring and then won seven of eight quarters last Saturday.

Archer said the girls are about where they need to be going into the season opener tonight in San Angelo against Lake View. "In some areas, we are probably ahead of where I thought they would be. We will find out tonight how far we have come. The girls have been working hard and have a great attitude. They are hungry to win."

Tip off for tonight's games has been moved to 6 for the varsity and 7:30 for the JV.

Local fans will have to wait until Nov. 22 to see the ladies in action at home. This weekend, the Tigers will be in the Howard College tournament begining Thursday.

Humphries' desperation toss gives Chargers win

SAN DIEGO (AP) — Herman Moore, a receiver making a cameo appearance on defense, took a swipe at the ball and missed. Cornerback Ryan McNeil jumped, but it went through his hands.

Andre Coleman, standing near the back line of the end zone, didn't miss. The 5-foot-9 receiver caught Stan Humphries' desperation 46-yard pass on the last play of the first half, boosting the San Diego Chargers to a 27-21 victory over the Detroit Lions on Monday night.

"I think they just forgot about me," said Coleman, who proved that you don't have to be big to make huge plays in the NFL.

Just when it seemed like Barry Sanders, another little guy who makes big plays, was going to take control of the game and help take some pressure off coach Wayne Fontes, Coleman redeemed himself by making the spectacular play.

Coleman lost his starting job to rookie Charlie Jones a week earlier. Jones was knocked out early Monday night with bruised ribs, and Coleman proceeded to make two mistakes in the span of three plays. He fumbled on a reverse and lost 7 yards, then dropped a perfect pass from Humphries.

"It was a little frustrating," Coleman said. "But that's all it takes sometimes, is one big play, and all of a sudden it changes the momentum. It just so happens that was the play and I'm glad I made it."

That the Chargers got off the play was big in itself.

Jason Hanson missed a 53-yard field goal with 1:21 left in the first half, keeping the Lions' lead at 14-10 and giving the Chargers the ball on their 43.

Wacker will resign at end of season

MINNEAPOLIS (AP) — After five losing years as Minnesota football coach, Jim Wacker paved the way this morning for resigning when the season ends.

"What we are going to do is in the best interest of the program and the best interest of the players. And that's all," Wacker said in an interview on WCCO-AM this morning.

"It's been a fun run and I would not trade it for anything in the world," he said.

The coach did not directly say he was resigning. But Wacker has said he wanted to end the season with at least six wins to make his fifth season a winning one. The Golden Gophers are 3-6 and on a six-game losing streak following a 45-28 loss Saturday to Wisconsin; two games remain.

"It's our job to win six and if we don't, then they need a change, then you need to bring in a new man, a new person, a new face, a new enthusiasm and then the players get excited, and boom, all of a sudden this thing will turn," Wacker said this morning.

"More than anything I want to see a winning football program at the University of Minnesota," he said.

Wacker met with the team early this morning. Players who filed out after declined to comment. The university also had no comment.

Wacker's media luncheon is scheduled for 11 a.m., when he is expected to make the resignation official. It would be effective at the end of the season.

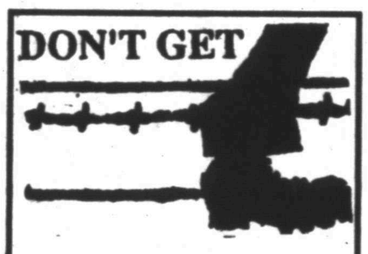
Wacker told friends Monday he wanted the Gophers to be able to hire a new coach by Dec. 1, the Saint Paul Pioneer Press reported. He said it was a tremendous disadvantage when he was hired in late December 1991 and couldn't assemble a staff until after Jan. 1, the newspaper said.

Wacker, who is 15-38 in his fifth season, has a mandate to win five games this season. When he signed a two-year contract extension just before the final game of 1995, it included the stipulation that he would resign if he did not win at least five.

The team's last two games this season are against Illinois and Iowa, both at the Metrodome.

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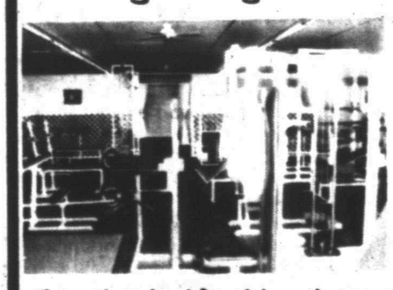
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010 LEGAL NOTICES

SECOND JUDICIAL DISTRICT COURT
COUNTY OF BERNALILLO.
STATE OF NEW MEXICO

IN THE MATTER OF THE ESTATE OF
GRACE L. LEEMHUIS,
Deceased.

NOTICE OF HEARING BY PUBLICATION

THE STATE OF NEW MEXICO:

TO: DOLORES MARIA SANDOVAL A/K/A DOLORES MARIA THOMPSON; THE UNKNOWN HEIRS OF GRACE L. LEEMHUIS, DECEASED, AND ALL UNKNOWN PERSONS WHO HAVE OR CLAIM ANY INTERESTS IN THE ESTATE OF GRACE L. LEEMHUIS, DECEASED OR IN THE MATTER BEING LITIGATED IN THE HEREINAFTER-MENTIONED HEARING.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the undersigned, Roberto C. Armijo, Personal Representative of the Estate of Grace L. Leemhuis, Deceased, has filed with the above-named Court a Petition for Determination of the Decedent's Heirs, for Confirmation and Approval of Distributions, and for Order of Complete Settlement of Estate by Personal Representative. The Petition is on file with the Clerk of this Court.

Hearing on the Petition which Petition seeks an Order of Complete Settlement of Estate by Personal Representative, will be held at the Bernalillo County District Courthouse, 415 Tijeras, N.W., Albuquerque, New Mexico on the 20th day of December, 1996, at 8:00 o'clock a.m. at the court room of the Honorable Gerald R. Cole, District Court Judge.

Pursuant to § 45-1-401 NMSA 1978, notice of the time and place of hearing on said petition is hereby given you by publication, once each week for two (2) consecutive weeks.

Witness our hands and the seal of this Court.

DATED: November 6, 1996.
(s) Thomas J. Ruiz
CLERK OF THE DISTRICT COURT
By: (s) Natalie M. Fajardo
DEPUTY
(s) Roberto C. Armijo
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Oregon has to make severe tax cut work

PORTLAND, Ore. (AP) — Fed up with higher property taxes, Oregon voters have approved one of the most severe tax limits in the country, leaving the Legislature with the daunting task of figuring out how it will work.

For more than half the state's voters, warnings that the measure would harm public education and police and fire departments were not persuasive.

Gov. John Kitzhaber, his three predecessors and nearly all other elected officials opposed Measure 47, as did major industries, labor unions and groups as diverse as the Oregon Farm Bureau and the Oregon League of Conservation Voters.

Next year's Legislature has to sort out the complicated measure and help decide what services might have to be cut as a result of less revenue for the state.

"It's going to be terrible," said Burton Weast, executive director of the Oregon Fire Chiefs Association.

"I would say having fewer ambulances, fewer fire trucks, fewer fire stations clearly is not in the public's best interest," he said.

The measure directs any revenue redistribution by the Legislature to give top priority to public safety and schools, a provision that added to the nervousness of other state departments, including higher education.

Oregon has no sales tax, and voters have repeatedly turned down proposals to impose one. Revenue for local services comes almost entirely from property and income taxes.

The new leaders of the Legislature, elected Monday, had no clear idea of what the new measure means, let alone what could be done to lessen its impact.

"I don't think anybody really understands what it entails," said the new House speaker, Lynn Lundquist, a Republican.

New taxes are unlikely, though.

"The people of Oregon did not say, 'Please give us another tax to replace the revenue,'" Lundquist said.

The measure rolls back property taxes for the 1997-98 fiscal year to either the amount paid in 1994-95 or to the amount paid for 1995-96 minus 10 percent, whichever is less. The measure also restricts how local governments can raise money.

Six years ago, Oregon voters approved a property tax limit by 52 percent to 48 percent, the same margin by which Measure 47 was passed last week. But the earlier measure, known as Measure 5, phased in the limit over five years.

Increased property taxes over that time all but erased any savings to homeowners, especially in the most populous parts of the state.

For now, local government officials are holding back on cuts until they see what the Legislature does.

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Dear Abby

By Abigail Van Buren



Kids Need Sex Education Both at Home and School

by Abigail Van Buren

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DEAR ABBY: For some time now, I have been reading about parents who can't decide who should inform kids about sex. Some argue that the teachers should do it. Others respond that it's the parents' job. Is it me, or does this seem juvenile? Shouldn't both teachers and parents explain the facts of life to the kids? I thought the idea was to protect and educate the next generation.

Teen-agers complain that their teachers can't get past the biology of it all. They dwell so much on hormones that by the end of class nearly half the kids have their heads on their desks and they're snoring. Teachers don't like to talk about the touchy-feely stuff. (At least they didn't when I was in high school two years ago.) If kids want a discussion of foreplay, oral sex, masturbation or homosexuality, they usually have to rely on their friends, movies, magazines, etc.

The parents are usually no better than the teachers. They shouldn't wait for their children — especially their teen-agers — to start asking questions. Sex isn't something that you shut in a closet, then bring out and dust off when a kid comes of age. Sex education starts when a parent tells a child where it's OK and not OK to touch someone.

If a 16- or 17-year-old comes home and suddenly asks his or her parent's opinion about sex, it's probably already too late. But if that happens to be the case, treating the teen as if he or she has committed a mortal sin will only make the situation worse.

JENNIFER IN NORFOLK, VA.

DEAR JENNIFER: Until parents agree on the quality of sex education their children should receive, and elect school boards who will ensure that their wishes are enforced, sex education in the schools is not likely to improve.

The problem is many parents fear that talking about sex or sexuality will encourage sex, even though studies show that informed teen-agers are less likely to become sexually active than those who are ignorant. Parents must recognize that if their children don't learn about sex from their teachers or their parents, they will learn it elsewhere, and what they learn can be incorrect, confusing or contrary to the parents' beliefs. Frank communication is an important means of influencing a child's behavior before a problem occurs.

The American Social Health Association (ASHA) offers a helpful booklet titled "Becoming an Askable Parent: How to Talk With Your Child About Sexuality," which can be ordered by sending $2 (to cover printing, postage and handling) to: ASHA, Dept. DA69, P.O. Box 13827, Research Triangle Park, N.C. 27709.

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DEAR ABBY: You were right as usual when you advised that a widow should be addressed by the name she prefers, and her wishes should prevail.

My name is Mrs. Kenneth A. Grow and always will be — even though I am a widow. I prefer that only my close friends address me by my first name.

It frosts me when I'm in a doctor's waiting room and a 20-year-old girl calls out, "OK, Vivian, the doctor will see you now!"

How come he's "Doctor" and I'm just Vivian? It seems that good manners have gone down the drain with the baby boomers.

MRS. KENNETH GROW,
PALM SPRINGS, CALIF.

DEAR MRS. GROW: If you think the staff in your doctor's office elevates their boss to a higher level while showing a lack of respect for his older patients, I suggest you inform the doctor, who may not be aware of it.

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To receive a collection of Abby's most memorable — and most frequently requested — poems and essays, send a business-sized, self-addressed envelope, plus check or money order for $3.95 ($4.50 in Canada) to: Dear Abby's "Keepers," P.O. Box 447, Mount Morris, Ill. 61054-0447. (Postage is included.)

Transplant gives cat chance for better life

MESQUITE (AP) — Cats may have nine lives, but they have only two kidneys and that's what was giving Willie problems.

Willie's kidneys were bad, but he has an owner who was willing to travel thousands of miles for lifesaving transplant surgery. He got the kidney through transplant surgery that's still relatively complicated even for humans.

Willie, a Persian cat owned by Toni Sessions in this Dallas suburb, got sick last summer. He felt lousy, was listless, always thirsty and generally out of sorts.

Ms. Sessions took Willie to veterinarian Dr. Mark C. Pirrung, who did some tests, found the kidney problems and put him on medication.

But the cat didn't seem to get better, so Dr. Pirrung sent Willie to Dr. Cheryl Harris, a veterinary internist. She did more tests and discovered that Willie had polycystic renal disease, a hereditary condition that is almost always fatal.

"In fact, all the other cats in Willie's litter had died," Dr. Pirrung said Monday. "Willie was the only cat remaining alive."

The vets told Ms. Session about the possibility of a kidney transplant at the University of California at Davis, where the surgery was first performed.

"Now, most people would say, 'That's awfully expensive. I can't do that,'" Dr. Pirrung said. "But Ms. Sessions is one of those clients who's willing to go an extra mile for her cat."

In this case it was a few thousand extra miles and about $7,000.

Ms. Sessions and Willie flew to California in late September to make sure he was a suitable candidate for a transplant. He was, but he had problems getting through the surgery.

"He was in the intensive-care unit out there for two weeks after surgery," Dr. Pirrung said. "And it was three weeks before Ms. Sessions could bring him home."

The cat is taking an anti-rejection drug so his body won't attack the new organ. He also needs regular blood-pressure checks and other tests to make sure his kidney is functioning properly.

He's improving rapidly, Ms. Sessions said.

"He's super now," Ms. Sessions said. "He's eating, he's running, he plays, and he purrs."

He also has a new playmate since as part of the transplant arrangement, the recipient's owner received the feline donor, too.

Ms. Sessions now has six cats, three persians, a pair of Himalayans and the latest addition, Frak, an orange bruiser of the kind called alley cat.

The feline donor was a research animal.

"They don't like to take cats from the pound," Dr. Pirrung said. "They don't want to take a chance that this is someone's pet."

"A lot of people don't understand this. A lot don't think an animal has a place in your home or in your family," Ms. Sessions said. "But for me, my cats have always come first."

Questions surround contracts for pay phones in state jails

AUSTIN (AP) — Texas Department of Criminal Justice officials are looking into contracts that led to pay phones in state jails despite a vote by the Texas Board of Criminal Justice to forbid pay phones for convicts.

"This situation never should have happened," said Allan Polunsky, chairman of the Texas Board of Criminal Justice, which oversees the state jail and prison systems.

"Some people jumped the gun on these phones without considering the state law. But we have corrected that problem — once and for all," he is quoted as saying in Monday editions of the Austin American-Statesman.

Pay phones have been forbidden in Texas prisons as part of a longstanding policy designed, in part, to keep prisoners from harassing victims.

The Department of Criminal Justice had been authorized by the Legislature to install pay phones in state jails in 1995. Lawmakers even reduced the agency's budget by $5 million as an incentive.

But in March the criminal justice board voted to continue the telephone ban, even though the Legislature specifically didn't want it applied to state jails. Phones in state jails were supposed to be a rehabilitative tool so prisoners could stay in contact with their families.

Compounding the matter is the fact that the money earned from pay phones installed at the Top Street State Jail in downtown Houston was to be split between the state jail developer and the phone company instead of going to state taxpayers, the newspaper reported.

State officials insist that no evidence of fraud exists. But state auditors reported that phone contracts in four state jails may have violated state law because the revenues were not to go to taxpayers.

By one estimate, the potential commissions could have been $600,000 a year. Auditors reported that the Department of Criminal Justice still "does not know how much revenue has or has not been collected" by the operators or developers.

At one jail, auditors also reported a $266,000 advance or "signing bonus" may have been paid by a phone company — but not to the criminal justice agency, as auditors and corrections officials insist it should have been.

The audit didn't identify the telephone provider, or the jail.

Pay phones were operated briefly at only two state jails. They were disconnected at others before they could be used.

The pay phone contracts follow a $33.7 million contract awarded by the Department of Criminal Justice without competitive bids for the purchase of soy-based meat substitute. That contract is now the focus of federal and state criminal investigations.

Officials at the criminal justice agency say that past contract mistakes already have been corrected.

Convicts are currently allowed one five-minute call every 30 days if they behave.

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Coupon still good for breakfast

DOCTORS INLET, Fla. (AP) — Clipping coupons is a good way to save money, especially if the coupon is from 1935.

Fred Simpson was thumbing through a July 1935 issue of Fortune magazine last month when he spotted a coupon for a mail-order breakfast of sausage and pancakes from Jones Dairy Farm of Fort Atkinson, Wis. The price, including shipping, was $1.

"There was no expiration date on it, even if it was over 60 years old," said Simpson, who was 3 when the ad was published.

"I showed it to my wife and told her I was going to send it in. She said, 'Aw, go on, you're wasting your time.'"

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Americans often lack health insurance data

WASHINGTON (AP) — A private research group says Americans need to be better educated on health-care options available to them.

A survey conducted for the group by Louis Harris and Associates last year found that 55 percent of the respondents had never heard of "managed care" plans and did not know what the term meant. And a third of those surveyed were unfamiliar with health maintenance organizations, or HMOs.

"The health care community has failed to deliver the information consumers need to make sound choices," said Stephen Isaacs, an author of the study and president of the Center for Health and Social Policy in Pelham, N.Y., which conducts health policy research.

"Employers, providers, health plans and governments must find better ways to provide information and to make it understandable to ordinary people," he said Monday.

More than half of all Americans who have health-care coverage are in managed-care plans — a broad category of plans that coordinate patient services and monitor care in an effort to control costs.

These plans generally arrange with selected physicians to provide health-care services to plan members, with financial incentives for patients to used those providers.

HMOs are a form of managed care that provide comprehensive services for a fixed prepayment.

Isaacs' study was published in the current issue of Health Affairs, an industry magazine, which also included a study comparing HMOs with traditional health-care plans in terms of patient access and satisfaction.

That survey found that those who use HMOs complain of more unmet medical needs, even though they see their doctors more — and spend less time in waiting rooms — than those who visit doctors under other circumstances.

Of those who don't participate in HMOs, 37 percent said they had unmet medical needs simply because they couldn't afford the cost. The next-highest percentage, 25 percent, said they had trouble scheduling appointments.

For those who enroll in HMOs, the opposite was true. Of those with unmet medical needs, 35 percent said they couldn't schedule an appointment, while 26 percent said they couldn't afford medical care.

"Our findings suggest that HMOs and traditional insurance trade off administrative barriers for financial ones," said medical economist Tami Mark, who worked on the study. "HMO members have an easier time getting in the door to the health system but may have a harder time once they get in the system."

That study, drawn on Department of Health and Human Services data, was conducted by the Project HOPE Center for Health Affairs, a health-care think tank, with funding from the Robert Wood Johnson foundation.

In the Harris poll, which incorporates the views of 1,081 Americans and was conducted in mid-1995, Isaacs found that as the choice for medical coverage proliferates, many employees participating in employer-sponsored health coverage plans have little idea about differences in the programs they are offered.

The study found that one-third of the respondents didn't understand one of the most basic concepts of most managed-care plans — that a monthly fee covers nearly all costs, providing that a patient uses doctors and hospitals within the plan.

Travis Co. elects first woman sheriff

AUSTIN (AP) — Margo Frasier has won her bid to become Travis County's first woman sheriff, making her part of a select group in Texas. Now she says she'll win over those who think being sheriff should remain a man's job.

"I think when women are in law enforcement, the initial thing you face is people wonder if you're tough enough. I never worry about proving that," Ms. Frasier said. "People will realize in the (course) of doing your job that you are."

Of 254 counties, 251 have male sheriffs. The other three female sheriffs are Carmella Jones, in the Panhandle's Armstrong County; Mary Choate, in Bowie County in Northeast Texas; and Frances Kaiser in Kerr County, west of San Antonio.

Ms. Frasier, a Democrat, last week defeated Republican Alvin Shaw, chief deputy of the Travis County sheriff's department.

"During the campaign, people came to me and said they didn't see it as a woman's job. They said they would never vote for a woman sheriff. As far as the political office of sheriff, I think it's the last great male bastion. It's extremely rare for women," Ms. Frasier said.

But she's accustomed to firsts.

"For me, in some ways it's a continuation of a pattern. I was the first female lieutenant and captain in the (sheriff's) department, so I'm used to it," she said.

Besides serving with the Travis County sheriff's office, Ms. Frasier has been a state corrections officer. Since 1985, she has worked as an attorney representing police and sheriff's departments in criminal justice, civil rights and employment cases.

Ms. Choate, a Democrat elected to her third term as Bowie County sheriff last week, said voters are more likely to pay attention to candidates' qualifications than their gender.

"I'm not sure I got any more or less votes from being a woman," said Ms. Choate, who has a bachelor's degree in interdisciplinary studies and had worked with the Texarkana Police Department for seven years before first being elected sheriff.

"People are looking more at what the whole person has to offer as a candidate," she said, the Austin American-Statesman reported.

While she says her re-election shows gender is becoming less of a concern to voters, Ms. Choate said there is at least one marked difference between her and other candidates.

"(My gender) really hasn't seemed to play a big part up here, because I was known in the criminal justice field before I was elected," she said. "But I do think I'm one of the few people who has run for sheriff who doesn't own a cowboy hat of any color."

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Dr. Gott

By Peter Gott, M.D.



Is herbal remedy OK for menopause?

By Peter H. Gott, M.D.

DEAR DR. GOTT: I'm 51 and interested in taking an herbal remedy from outside the United States to help ease menopausal problems. I've done some research and know this herb contains plant steroids that have estrogen-like effects. Is there an increased danger of health problems when taking this remedy? Are there side effects?

DEAR READER: Many studies have shown that herbal remedies manufactured in foreign countries (where quality control may be deficient) often contain contaminants and additives (such as steroids) that are not listed on the label and can be very dangerous. Moreover, the amount of estrogen in these compounds is not enough to reverse the symptoms of menopause or provide any significant health benefits.

Although anecdotal evidence suggests such remedies occasionally can relieve some symptoms, I advise you to avoid such products, which have been reported to cause various side effects, such as immune deficiency, and — in rare instances — death. Your gynecologist should be able to give you appropriate advice about how to cope with menopause and its complications (heart disease, osteoporosis and others), by using prescription hormones.

To give you more information, I am sending you a copy of my Health Report "Menopause." 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: I'm a 55-year-old woman with hemochromatosis. Please discuss this in your column.

DEAR READER: This genetic trait, often called "iron overload," usually does not become evident before middle age, when the complications appear.

Because patients with hemochromatosis cannot control the amount of iron entering their cells, the level of iron builds up year after year, gradually poisoning many of the body's tissues.

In general, the disease is painless until the iron toxicity damages the internal organs, with resulting cirrhosis (liver scarring), skin pigmentation ("bronzing"), diabetes, and cardiomyopathy (malfunction of the heart muscle). These complications must be treated as they arise.

Hemochromatosis itself is treated with phlebotomy, the periodic removal of blood (and, hence, iron). This process is repeated weekly until blood tests show that the body's iron level has returned to normal; after this, patients must undergo phlebotomy every three or four months to maintain the normal iron level. In some instances, chelation (using special medicines to remove excess iron) can be quite effective.

Because hemochromatosis does not cause symptoms for many years (while organ damage is nevertheless occurring), relatives of such patients should be tested for the disease using a serum iron concentration and other analyses. If the tests show excess iron, the relatives should undergo the therapy that I mentioned.

Although untreated hemochromatosis is fatal, modern therapy is almost always successful.

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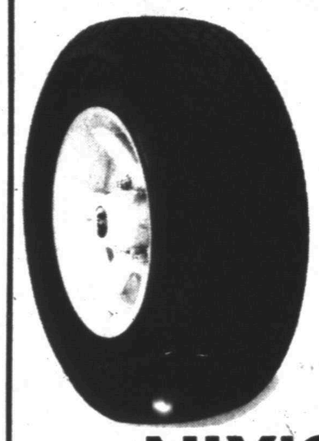
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Schmitz convicted on lesser charge

PONTIAC, Mich. (AP) — A onetime "Jenny Jones Show" guest was convicted today of a lesser charge of second-degree murder for fatally shooting a gay admirer who revealed his crush during a taping of the TV talk show.

Jurors opted against the more serious charge of first-degree murder against Jonathan Schmitz, which would have carried an automatic life sentence. Second-degree murder carries a sentence of up to life in prison. Sentencing was set for Dec. 4.

An Oakland County Circuit jury of seven men and five women deliberated all day Friday and about 2½ hours today before reaching its decision.

Schmitz, 26, was charged with fatally shooting Scott Amedure three days in March 1995 after the two were taped for a "Jenny Jones Show" segment on same-sex crushes.

His lawyers said the show misled him into believing he was going to meet the woman of his dreams, and said he was publicly ambushed and humiliated when his secret admirer turned out to be Amedure.

"It's OK," Schmitz said to his mother in the gallery as he was being led from court after the verdict was announced. Connie Schmitz appeared upset and near tears.

"I think they (jurors) knew it couldn't be first degree because of his capacity being so obviously diminished," defense attorney James Burdick told WDIV television after the verdict. But Burdick said he would appeal the second-degree murder conviction.

College board approves audit

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WTC, its faculty and staff are actively recruiting students; discussed instructor course loads; and touched briefly on the nursing program, prison classes, Carl Perkins grants, Americans with Disabilities Act and the golf/landscape program.

She noted that the college is now linked to the internet; has three concurrent high school/college classes; and is in the midst of preparing for accreditation.

Don Buckland, instructor of Golf/Landscape Technology, presented a plaque to the board on behalf of the GLT program and the West Texas Golf Course Superintendent's Association. The association earlier this fall held its 10th annual conference on the campus.

Trustees briefly discussed a Western Junior College Athletic Conference (WJCAC) survey concerning the expansion of women's sports in the conference. Unlike WTC, several conference schools are not in compliance with Title IX, and need to add a women's sport. Information from WTC's classified/clerical committee and faculty association indicate softball and volleyball would be their top choices.

That information will be sent to the WJCAC. Administrators pointed out that if WTC were to add a women's sport, it would also have to add a men's sport to remain in compliance with Title IX.

They noted that while adding sports programs would increase enrollment, they would also increase costs, as well as create a housing problem since the dormitory is generally full when the fall semester begins.

The board also heard pre-bid information on bucking machines and the purchase of steers for the rodeo program and heard a report from trustees Dr. Jay Kidd and Lee Presswood on a recent Texas Association of Community College Trustees and Administrators meeting.

Trustees set a board planning session for Nov. 25 at 6 p.m.

All trustees were present Monday, to include Kidd, Presswood, Bullard, R.C. Patton, Carolyn Barbee, Eddie Peterson and Jackie Greene Jr.

Hospital

ADMISSIONS: Tom Hargrove, Rotan; Jessie Leyva, 1112 26th; Triston Lopez, 317 32nd; Wernette Smith, P.O. Box 1177; Richard Alaniz, Hermleigh; Vida Frazier, Rotan.

DISMISSALS: Dean Robertson.

CENSUS: 61 (Med., Surg.-18, Long-term Care-39, CCU-4).

Obituaries

Baby Castaneda

Infant

Services are still pending at Carter-Stewart Funeral Home in Hollis, Okla., for Gabriel Adam Castaneda, infant son of Frank and Betty Jo Castaneda of Snyder.

He was born and died Saturday, Nov. 9, at Cogdell Memorial Hospital.

B.C. Drinkard

1912-1996

BROWNWOOD — B.C. Drinkard, a Scurry County native, died at 8:42 this morning in Brownwood Regional Medical Center. He was 84.

Funeral service is set for 10 a.m. Thursday in the Davis-Morris Funeral Home Chapel. Burial will be held at 3:30 p.m. Thursday in a cemetery in Scurry County yet to be determined.

Born July 23, 1912 in Scurry County, Mr. Drinkard had been active in the banking business. He is survived by his wife, Babe of Brownwood; and numerous relatives in Scurry County.

Martha Copp

1913-1996

LUBBOCK — Service is set for 2 p.m. Wednesday in the Highland Baptist Church for Martha Moss Copp, 83, who died Sunday, Nov. 10, in Lubbock Hospitality Home. Burial will follow in the City of Lubbock Cemetery.

Born March 15, 1913 in Fluvanna, she married Melvin Copp on Jan. 6, 1929. He died in 1984.

Mrs. Copp worked as the financial administrator for Highland Baptist Church for 22 years, retiring in 1976.

She was a charter member of Highland Baptist Church and was a life-time and charter member of the South Plains Porcelain Art Club.

She was also preceded in death by a son, Gene Copp, in 1989.

Survivors include a daughter, Linda Duncan of Lubbock; a sister, Margaret Ligon of McKinney; six grandchildren; and seven great-grandchildren.

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Snyder man critical following an assault

A 35-year-old Snyder man is listed in critical condition at Lubbock's University Medical Center this morning after suffering head and facial wounds in an assault, believed to have taken place in Colorado City earlier in the morning.

Jesus Dominguez, 2801 Ave. Y, was found in a vehicle parked in the 900 block of Avenue Y at 1:35 a.m. following a report of a disturbance. A Snyder EMS unit was dispatched and he was transported to Cogdell Hospital before being transferred to Lubbock.

The case is still under investigation.

Three people were arrested Monday, including two for failure to pay city fines for traffic violations.

Officers arrested an 18-year-old male at 10:48 a.m. in the 2900 block of Avenue J for unpaid traffic tickets.

At 10:52 a.m., officers arrested a 22-year-old male at Coliseum Drive and Avenue E on six outstanding city traffic warrants.

Officers arrested a 43-year-old male at 2:40 p.m. for Class C assault/family violence.

At 11:40 a.m., the fire department responded to Snyder Healthcare at 5311 Big Spring Highway in reference to a fire alarm. The alarm was accidently set off by an electrician.

In other activity Monday, Connie Wells notified deputies at 7:22 a.m. that a stray emu had wandered onto her property on CR 3119.

A minor accident was reported at 9:23 a.m. from 26th Street and College Avenue. Involved were a 1990 Chevrolet driven by Jeanette Lara, 18, of 1006 26th St. and a 1991 Mitsubishi driven by Joy Barstow, 17, of 1378 Ave. P. Both went by private vehicle to Cogdell Hospital where they were treated and released.

A minor accident was reported at 10:23 a.m. in the 5300 block of Trinity Boulevard. Involved were a 1992 Chevrolet pickup driven by Johnnie Herrley of 2405 Uvalde and a 1991 Oldsmobile driven by Grace Fowler of 3605 Ave. V.

An offense report for burglary was submitted at 6:17 p.m. in reference to a burglary at 1903 Ave. E.

A report of a possible gas leak was made at 9:08 p.m. at the Lone Star Gas pipeline office at 3400 Ave. A.

A possible prowler was reported at 11:57 p.m. from the 800 block of 26th Street.

An offense report for criminal mischief was submitted at 12:06 p.m. from Skinny's on 37th Street in reference to someone cutting tires on a vehicle belonging to Manuel Navarette.

What's Up?

Ira ISD trustees to convene

Ira ISD board will meet at 5:30 p.m. today. Agenda items include a budget amendment to the food service fund and payment of bills.

Stanfield Parent Council

Stanfield Parent Council will meet at 7 tonight in the school cafeteria.

Grief support group

The grief support group meets at 7 tonight at the First Presbyterian Church.

Early release day coming

Wednesday is an early release day for Snyder ISD students. Classes will dismiss at 2 p.m. to allow for a teacher and staff development period.

World hunger banquet

Hermleigh Central Baptist Church will hold a Banquet To Remember For World Hunger at 6:30 p.m. Wednesday. Tickets are $7 for adults, $3 for children and $20 for a family of five or more. Children under age three will be admitted free. All proceeds will go to world hunger. For more information, call Alan Lee, 863-2305, or Bee Beauchamp, 573-0509.

Hermleigh trustees to meet

Hermleigh ISD board will meet at 7 p.m. Thursday. Agenda items include approval of policy updates, teacher appraisal dates, and advance placement testing, and a tour of the high school building.

Trinity Methodist Church

Heart-n-Soul will be playing at Trinity Methodist Church at 7 p.m. Saturday. Admission is free.

Help needed for toys display

Scurry County Museum needs old toys to use during the holiday season, Nov. 15-Jan. 8. The museum wishes to display toys from pioneer times to the present day. Also, photographs are needed for background scenes behind the toys. Anyone having toys or photos which can be used is asked to call 573-6107.

Volleyball fund-raiser

Snyder's Lady Tigers volleyball team is holding its annual fund-raiser. The team is offering a Win Win Discount Card, good for savings at 15 local businesses. The cards are $5 each and good for one year.

Poinsettia fund-raiser

Large poinsettias in red, white and jingle bell are available from any Snyder High School choir member for a donation. Call 573-9649 or 573-8034 for more information.

GED testing resumes

GED test dates will be at 6 p.m. Dec. 3, and at 8 a.m. on Dec. 4. Tests are administered in the Learning Resource Center on the WTC campus. For more information or to make an appointment, contact Geraldine Parker at 573-8511, ext. 322, from 8-11 a.m. Tuesday through Thursday or 6-8:30 p.m. Tuesdays and Thursdays.

A new minimum standard for passing the GED will become effective Jan. 1.

Key to Kingdom series

The Key to the Kingdom series continues on TCA Cable TV Channel 2. The next tape, "Known by His Justice," will air at 7 p.m. Monday.

Christmas luncheon at museum

Scurry County Museum Association will sponsor a Christmas luncheon at the museum on Sunday. Tickets for the 12:30 to 2 p.m. event are $12.50 each.

Following the luncheon, Anita Powell will discuss old toys. For reservations, call 573-6107.

Pick 3

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

2-3-9

(two, three, nine)

Bus driver challenged gunman

TYLER (AP) — A casino bus driver shot in the face while trying to keep three armed robbers from escaping says he challenged one of the gunmen to fire.

"He told me to shut up or he was going to shoot," Mike Gibbs said Monday. "I said, 'Well, if you're going to shoot, shoot me. Get it over with because when you shoot me, you're going to kill yourself and probably a good 50 percent (of the people), if not everyone else.'"

About 60 passengers were robbed at gunpoint Thursday as the bus headed from Dallas to the Isle of Capri Casino in Bossier City, La. Midway through the 200-mile trip, the gunmen stood up, put on ski masks, and yelled it was a holdup.

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