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Iran starts maneuvers in Gulf

KUWAIT (AP) — Iran announced today the beginning of naval maneuvers in the Strait of Hormuz, warning ships and aircraft to stay away of territorial waters as a U.S.-flag Kuwaiti tanker escorted by American warships steamed toward the gulf's only gateway.

Tehran radio said preliminary operations for the maneuvers, codenamed "Martyrdom," have begun in the Strait of Hormuz by the Revolutionary Guards. In a Tehran radio report monitored in Nicosia, Iran warned all ships and aircraft to avoid its territorial waters for three days starting at midnight. Iran had announced earlier that the maneuvers would begin Tuesday.

The Iranian announcement came as a U.S.-flag Kuwaiti tanker, the Gas Prince, escorted by two American warships, steamed toward the Strait of Hormuz on a return voyage through the Persian Gulf after loading liquefied petroleum gas from Kuwait, a shipping source in Kuwait said.

The exact location of the convoy was not known, but a U.S. Navy officer said Sunday that the convoy had sailed. Iran officials told navy graduates in Tehran that the United States yields only to force and would be addressed that way.

Tehran radio said the Iranian military "has issued a serious request to all shipping centers and military and civilian aircraft to halt all their air and sea traffic in the regional waters of the Islamic Republic of Iran in the Persian Gulf and Oman Sea for three days starting from 2400 hours tonight (8:30 p.m. EDT)."

BOUND FOR BELTON -- Snyder's Buffs took off for Belton this morning to play in the Texas Junior Teenage League State Tournament. The Buffs play Gainesville at 9 a.m. Tuesday in the first game of the eight-team, double-elimination event. Pictured are, left to right, front row, Richard Morris, Peyton Daniels, Greg Abell, and second row, John Conger, Saul Aviles, Justin House, Gilbert Hernandez, Pedro Villa, Bert Merritt, Brian Stearmer, and back row, Randy Morris, Marcus Greene, Willie Garcia, Bart Morton, Tommy Lane, manager O.D. Brewer and coach Ruben Felan. Not pictured are Jason West, Eric West, Les Rinehart and Bobby Clinkinbeard. (SDN Staff Photo)

Tonight...

Police on council's agenda

The Snyder Police Association will present its views Monday night before the Snyder City Council on the proposition to put city firemen and policemen under state civil service rules.

The proposition will be voted on Saturday, along with a half-cent county sales tax. The council in June voted to oppose the measure, which would establish a civil service commission here to decide questions related to hiring, firing, promotions and disciplinary actions in the fire and police departments.

Other business scheduled for the 6:30 p.m. meeting includes a request concerning the possible attachment of civic club signs to city billboards and a request from Scurry County Drug and Alcohol Abuse Services for the city to participate in an alcohol and drug abuse program for adolescents.

An ordinance that would rezone 1.4 acres in the 100 Block of East 37th St. from residential to commercial will be given a second reading, and councilmen will consider a request from Art Feinsod of the Snyder Motel Association.

Six minor injuries in head-on crash

Six persons were injured, none seriously, among 10 persons in two cars which collided head-on Saturday afternoon near Ira.

The Department of Public Safety said both cars were going about 20 mph when the crash occurred on a curving gravel road one mile south of Ira about 4:25 p.m. Saturday.

DPS Trooper Larry Brown said a 1979 Ford Thunderbird two-door driven by Billy D. Jones, 21, of 302 E. 23rd St. in Snyder was traveling west on County Road 3232 and was in collision with a 1979 Oldsmobile Cutlass two-door driven by Chad Raines, 31, of 3102 Ave. V in Snyder.

"Both vehicles were attempting to make a sharp corner on the gravel road and struck head-on," Brown said.

Martha Groate, 20, of 301 E. 23rd St. sustained minor injuries, along with Jones. Passengers Jane McFall, 11, Janet McFall, 14, and Jimmie McFall, 8, all of 302 E. 23rd St., were uninjured.

In the other car, Chris Raines, 25, of Irving, Chassity Raines, 6, and June Raines, 37, both of 3102 Ave. V, suffered minor injuries, along with the driver. Anna Raines, 25, of Irving escaped injury.

All of the injured were treated and released at Cogdell Memorial Hospital.

In another accident reported by the DPS, a 1975 Cadillac two-door driven by Joe Morgan Simmons, 49, of 1006 29th St. was east-bound on County Road 132 .6 of a mile west of Snyder when it went out of control on a curve and overturned once at 2:30 a.m. Sunday. Simmons was not seriously injured.

November polling places combined

Scurry County commissioners Monday voted to combine county polling places into four locations, one for each commissioner's precinct, for the Nov. 3 constitutional amendments election.

County Judge Bobby Goodwin noted that 23 proposed amendments will be on the state ballot.

Commissioner C. D. Gray said work is progressing rapidly on the Scurry County Airport renovation, with the main runway asphalt having been torn away and preparations being made to begin leveling the runway.

Gray said the annual Trades Day Saturday on the courthouse square was an apparent success, from the viewpoint of both vendors and visitors.

In an aside during the 30-minute meeting, Goodwin said that if voters approve the half-cent county sales tax, it is expected to generate some $250,000 annually and would allow property taxes to be reduced by a like amount. Had the sales tax been in place in prior years, higher sales

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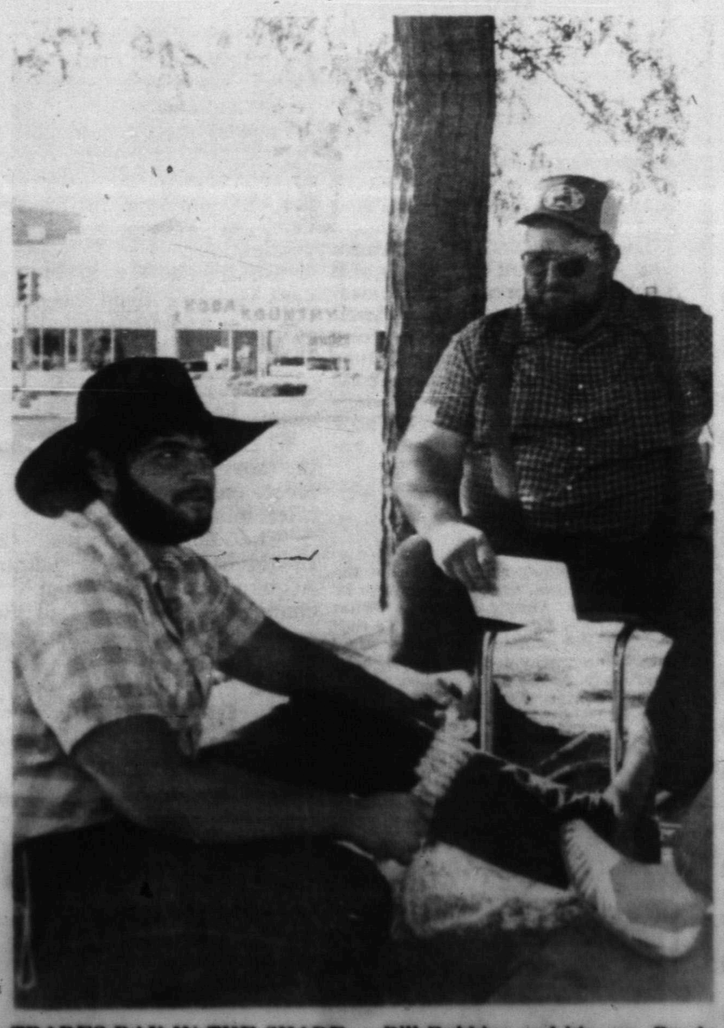

TRADES DAY IN THE SHADE — Bill Robbins and his son, Brad, from Mulligan's Mall relax under the Scurry County Courthouse shade trees during the chamber-sponsored Trades Day on the courthouse square. They were among 30 sellers at the annual event. (SDN Staff Photo)

School trustees convene tonight

Snyder school trustees will consider approval of a salary study for the district's paraprofessionals Monday when the board meets at 7 p.m. for its regular August session.

A study prepared by the Texas Association of School Boards will be presented.

In addition, the board will consider three personnel items. The board will approve resignations and also recommendations for employment. In addition, trustees will review an individual salary inquiry.

Other items on the agenda include approval of a tax collection contract with Scurry County. The school district last month approved moving its tax collection function from the appraisal district to the county tax office.

The board will also consider two policy revisions for the district's discipline management plan. Also scheduled for approval are policy updates as suggested by the Texas Association of School Boards.

Under informational items, the board will consider a request from the Rev. Steve Smith, and a letter from the journalism department and students. Also on the agenda is a report on the community grant.

The final agenda item is a work session of the 1987-88 school budget.

Absentee vote ends Tuesday

Absentee voting will conclude at 5 p.m. Tuesday in two special elections scheduled for Saturday.

Brisk absentee voting has been indicated in the city balloting related to the implementation of civil service. The Saturday city vote deals with the effort to place police and paid fire department personnel under state-wide civil service laws.

The separate county vote deals with the implementation of a half-cent sales tax to be used to offset county ad valorem taxes.

In the city election, 132 absentee votes had been cast while 99 absentee votes were noted in the county tax vote.

Saturday's civil service vote will be conducted at city hall from 7 a.m. until 7 p.m.

The county vote is scheduled for the same hours but at 15 polling places throughout the county. County voting will be based on voting precincts which are indicated on the voter registration card.

Directors take new positions

Two music directors in the Snyder public schools have resigned to become directors at two area schools.

Cliff Franklin, assistant band director at Snyder for the past eight years, last week was named head band director at Sweetwater High School. Franklin had also served two years with the Snyder Junior High band.

Barbara Perkins, junior high choral director for the past 5 years, has resigned to become choir director at Cooper High School in Abilene.

Ask Us

Q.--When is Snyder scheduled to begin the fall semester? Doesn't HB 72 state that school will begin after Labor Day?

A.--HB 72 states classes must begin on or after Sept. 1. Classes begin Sept. 1 this year and Labor Day is Sept. 7.

In Brief

Assassination

MANILA, Philippines (AP) — Police set up roadblocks and searched hospitals today after the first assassination of a Cabinet member in the Philippines.

Witnesses told police three to five gunmen riddled Local Governments Secretary Jaime Ferrer's car with automatic weapons fire Sunday evening about a block from his home in suburban Paranaque. One gunman may have been wounded.

Ferrer, 70, a staunch anti-Communist, and his driver died of multiple gunshot wounds. No group immediately claimed responsibility for the killings.

Denies charge

PARIS (AP) — Premier Jacques Chirac has denied charges that his representatives asked Iran to wait until his center-right coalition won power to free French hostages in Lebanon.

Local

Swim lessons

Swimming lessons, offered by lifeguards at Towle Park Pool, will be held Tuesday through Saturday. Lessons will be given daily from 10 until 11 a.m. Charge for lessons is $2 per day.

Success seminar

A third and final Freshman Success Seminar is planned Tuesday at Western Texas College.

It begins at 9 a.m. in the Student Center and will conclude about 2 p.m. Students may pre-register for the fall semester. A complimentary lunch will be served to students and parents.

NAACP meet

A meeting of the Snyder chapter of the NAACP will meet at 7:30 p.m. Monday in the fellowship hall of the Mt. Olive Baptist Church.

Producer meet

A meeting of the Scurry County Producer's Association will be held at 8 tonight in the chamber of commerce board room.

SWIM luncheon

Snyder Women in Motion (SWIM) will meet at noon Tuesday at The Shack.

The new organization is designed to supply a volunteer group for civic activities. All women are invited.

Weather

Snyder Temperatures: High Saturday, 95 degrees; low, 69 degrees; high Sunday, 96 degrees; low, 70 degrees; reading at 7 a.m. Monday, 72 degrees; no precipitation; total precipitation for 1987 to date, 16.14 inches.

Snyder Area Forecast: Tuesday, mostly sunny with highs in the mid 90s. Wind southeast 10 to 15 mph.

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Dear Abby

By Abigail Van Buren

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DEAR ABBY: I am 27 and getting married in September to a wonderful young lady named Julie. She and I are nudists, as is her whole family. We have always wanted an outdoor wedding, and want to have the ceremonies at the nudist camp where we met three years ago.

So far, all our invitations have been accepted — except one. You guessed it — the reluctant one is my mother. The non-nudists understand that they will not be required to be nude. My 23-year-old sister and I have tried unsuccessfully to persuade Mother to attend. She refuses to budge, saying if we want her to attend, we will have to change our plans.

Shall we give her an ultimatum and stick with what we want? At this point, I feel like telling my mother we will miss her. What do you say?

BOBBY IN NASHVILLE

DEAR BOBBY: It appears that your mother has already given you an ultimatum — either have a conventional wedding or count her out. Knowing how your mother feels about nudity, if you stick with your plans, it will clearly show her that you don't give a fig (leaf) about whether she attends or not.

P.S. Where will your best man carry the ring? I hope this covers everything.

* * *

DEAR ABBY: I'm considering changing my name. It's not that I'm ashamed of my name, but it's very long, hard to spell and hard to remember, which could be a disadvantage for a young man hoping to make it in the business world. What do you think?

C.J. IN BUFFALO

DEAR C.J.: I'm reminded of a very bright, ambitious young man who faced the same dilemma. He concluded: "The harder a name is to remember, the harder it will be to forget." Thank you, Arnold Schwarzenegger.

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DEAR ABBY: I am a 17-year-old girl. I graduated from high school with a B average, have been accepted to the university of my choice, and have a good, steady job. I do not smoke, drink, take drugs or associate with people who do.

My problem? Three or four months ago I became interested in getting a small (about 3 inches high) purple rosebud tattooed on the outside of my ankle. I looked around, and found what I believe to be the safest, most sanitary place to have it done, and I discussed it with the owner. However, being only 17, I need a parental consent form signed first.

My father refuses to sign it. He says, "Tattoos are bad news." He still believes the old stereotype that only drunken sailors, dirty bikers and other "undesirables" have tattoos.

I tried to explain that every day I have seen many people driving Mercedes and BMWs and dressed in business suits with tattoos. I also tried to explain that a tattoo will not change who I am, and that it will be virtually harmless and will not hurt anyone, excluding myself momentarily.

What do you think?

TO TATTOO OR NOT TO TATTOO

DEAR TO TATTOO: I think you should quit trying to sell your father on the "harmlessness" of a tattoo, and wait until you are old enough to get one without parental consent. Over the years I have had numerous letters from tattooed readers requesting information on how to remove tattoos. Please reconsider.

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(Every teen-ager should know the truth about sex, drugs and how to be happy. For Abby's booklet, "What Every Teen-Ager Ought to Know," send a check or money order for $2.50 and a long, stamped (39 cents), self-addressed envelope to: Dear Abby, Teen Booklet, P.O. Box 447, Mount Morris, Ill. 61054.)

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Professional clowns to staff AJRA finals

Several professional clowns will be on hand for the national AJRA rodeo finals which kick off Aug. 11 in Snyder.

The event will be televized for the second year in a row.

Professional clowns include Rick Chatman, Leon Chaffee, and Tom Feller.

Activities for the AJRA finals will conclude Aug. 15.

Sex, nudity, violence usual fare for some television stations

BOSTON (AP) — Movies containing nudity, violence and profanity are becoming standard fare on some independent TV stations, a trend being watched by the Federal Communications Commission.

Independent stations, or those not affiliated with the networks, say they are prompted by competition from cable television to show uncut versions of movies that previously were broadcast only after severe editing.

The FCC is studying public reaction to the sexually explicit movies and has yet to take action against any independent stations. The network tends to edit much more heavily.

"We're trying, because Congress told us to do this, to try to evaluate where the American people are along this line of what is offensive," said Charles Kelley, who heads the FCC's enforcement division.

Federal statutes prohibit the broadcast of obscenity, indecency or profanity, said Edith Wise, the FCC enforcement division's chief of complaints and investigations.

"But the fact is, this is invoked very rarely if at all, because of the First Amendment," she said recently. In addition, the 1934 Communications Act prohibits the FCC from censoring broadcasts.

When Boston's WLVI-TV shows the movie "Summer Lovers," its love scene involving three people is left intact.

"The edited version, they should have called it 'Summer Acquaintance.' It completely changed the movie," said Vicki Gregorian, the station's program director.

Unedited R-rated movies are routinely shown at 8 p.m. on WXXA in Albany, N.Y. Among the films it broadcasts with sex scenes and profanity untouched are "Midnight Cowboy," "Animal House" and "One Flew Over The Cuckoo's Nest."

"We feel the artist is making a statement, and for us to edit the film is changing what the director is trying to say," said Melanie Gerig, WXXA's program director.

Not all viewers agree. And irate viewers' negative reactions to unedited movies once shown on WATL-TV in Atlanta prompted a change in policy at the station.

"They called ad agencies in New York," said Don Hess, program director. Today, WATL shows R-rated movies with less editing than the network versions, but with much of the possibly objectionable matter cut out.

A survey done for WXXA found 63 percent of its viewers preferred to see R-rated movies uncut, said Ms. Gerig. The station often gets calls from movie buffs in the rare cases when it does edit out a scene, she said.

WXXA runs disclaimers before the movie and at each commercial break warning of the adult nature of the material, she said.

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Community Calendar

MONDAY

Noah Project support group for victims of family violence; 3:45 p.m.; for more information, call 573-1822.

Tiger Shark Swim Club; WTC; 6-18 years of age; 4-5:30 p.m.; for more information, call Mike Harrison at 573-8511 ext 283.

Open duplicate bridge; Colorado City bridge room; 7 p.m.

Snyder Springer Booster Club; Texas Electric Ready Room; 7 p.m.

District Scout Meeting; Boys' Club; 7:30 p.m.

Adult Children of Alcoholics (or other dysfunctional families); 3781 Highland; 8 p.m.; for more information, call 573-8730.

Scurry County Alcoholics Anonymous; Winston Park building, off 37th St. in Winston Park; 8 p.m. For more information, call 573-4870 or 573-1357.

TUESDAY

Ladies Golf Association; tee time at 8:30 a.m.

Phobic and Anxiety Disorders meets at 1911 25th St. at 6 p.m. Led by licensed professional counselor. Call 573-8140 or 573-9750 for more information.

Tiger Shark Swim Club; WTC; 6-18 years of age; 6:30-7:30 p.m.; for more information, call Mike Harrison at 573-8511 ext 283.

TOPS TX56; weigh-in and meeting 7-8 p.m.; 2501 35th St.; for more information, call Peggy at 573-9000.

Snyder Singles Organization; First United Methodist Church; games and fellowship, 7:30 p.m.

Scurry Lodge 706; AF and AM degree classes; 7:30 p.m.

New Horizon Alcoholics Anonymous; Chapel of Roses, Ave. K and 13th St.; 8 p.m. For more information, call 573-2101.

Al-Anon; Chapel of Roses, Ave. K and 13th St.; 8 p.m. For more information call 573-2101.

WEDNESDAY

Christian Women's Club Prayer Coffee; 4509 Fredonia; 10 a.m.

Tiger Shark Swim Club; WTC; 6-18 years of age; 4-5:30 p.m.; for more information, call Mike Harrison at 573-8511 ext 283.

Narcotics Anonymous; Winston Park building, off 37th St. in Winston Park; 8 p.m. For more information, call 573-3956 or 573-0414.

Sparkle City Squares; National Guard Armory; Sleepy Browning, caller; 8:30-10 p.m.

THURSDAY

Scurry County Library; Creepy Crawlers — design and decorate your own snake with materials supplied by the library; movie; 10 a.m.

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

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

Overeaters Anonymous, a program for out-of-control eating; St. John's Episcopal Church Parish Hall; 2214 42nd St. All are welcome; the meeting is free; 4 p.m. For more information, call Joann at 573-9839.

Weight Watchers of West Texas; basement of First Presbyterian Church; 6 p.m. New members welcome and should register at 5:30 p.m.

Tiger Shark Swim Club; WTC; 6-18 years of age; 6:30-7:30 p.m.; for more information, call Mike Harrison at 573-8511 ext 283.

Alateen; for the children of alcoholics; 7 p.m. For more information, call 573-2101.

District Scout Roundtable; Boys' Club; 7:30 p.m.

Scurry County Alcoholics Anonymous; Winston Park Building, off 37th St. in Winston Park; 8 p.m. For more information, call 573-4870 or 573-1357.

FRIDAY

Story Time for Preschoolers; Scurry County Library; 10 a.m.

Duplicate bridge; Snyder Country Club; 1:30 p.m.

Cornelius Dodson House; open to public 2:30-5 p.m.

Tiger Shark Swim Club; WTC; 6-18 years of age; 4-5:30 p.m.; for more information, call Mike Harrison at 573-8511 ext 283.

Al-Anon; Chapel of Roses, Ave. K and 13th St.; 8 p.m. For more information call 573-2101.

Alcoholics Anonymous; Ave. K and 13th St.; 8 p.m. For more information, call 573-2101.

Clinta Blackard Williams' art will remain on display at MAWC through Aug. 7 and will be shown by appointment. Please call 573-9736 or 573-5344.

SATURDAY

Diamond M Museum, open from 1-4 p.m.

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

Narcotics Anonymous; Winston Park building, off 37th St. in Winston Park; 8 p.m. For more information, call 573-3956 or 573-0414.

Sparkle City Squares; Dance; Sleepy Browning, caller; Ira, Old School Gym; 8-10 p.m.

SUNDAY

Scurry County Alcoholics Anonymous; Winston Park building, off 37th St. in Winston Park; 10 a.m. For more information, call 573-4870 or 573-1357.

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

Diamond M Museum, open from 1-4 p.m.

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

Judge rejects claim to oil fortune

BEAUMONT, Texas (AP) — A Tennessee hog farmer and thousands of his relatives have dropped their federal court fight for a share of the Spindletop oil fortune.

U.S. District Judge Howell Cobb has dismissed the lawsuit filed against five major oil companies by John Howard Meadows and about 18,000 of his relatives.

Cobb took the action Friday after lawyers for the group agreed to drop the suit when they could not produce a title to the contested land.

The plaintiffs had claimed kinship to deceased wildcatter James Meadors.

Attorney Bruce D. Herrigel, of Clinton, N.J., representing the Meadows clan, said in court papers the Meadows group had agreed not to refile their suit unless they could produce documents showing a clear chain of ownership from William McFaddin or his heirs to mining engineer Anthony F. Lucas.

McFaddin was a cattle rancher and land owner in Southeast Texas around the turn of the century. Lucas drilled the well-known Spindletop oilfield.

The gusher erupted in 1901, spouting thousands of barrels of oil before workers could cap the well. The purported heirs alleged they were related to deceased wildcatter Meadors, whose last name was spelled several ways including Meadows.

Meadors' purported heirs alleged that in 1911 Lucas gave Meadors a one-eighth mineral rights interest in the Spindletop oilfield in payment for work.

In their suit, the purported heirs claimed oil companies cheated them out of royalties.

A northern elephant seal was recorded at a depth of 2,900 feet, says National Geographic.

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Artery test poses risks

By Peter H. Gott, M.D.

DEAR DR. GOTT — My brother, age 55, had an angiogram due to constant headaches. After the test he was told to lie flat on his back for eight to 10 hours, which he did. Why was this necessary? For three weeks after the test, his voice was garbled and he lost the hearing in one ear. Is this a normal side-effect?

DEAR READER — By performing an angiogram (X-ray study of arteries), your brother's doctors probably were trying to discover if a tumor or malformed blood vessel was causing his headaches. This test involves placing a tube into an artery and injecting material, called contrast medium; therefore, patients often are required to remain supine for several hours after the procedure until the contrast medium has dispersed and the puncture wound in the artery has sealed off.

Unfortunately, angiograms of the head can sometimes cause strokes or temporary neurological events that resemble strokes. These are called transient ischemic attacks, or TIAs, and are among the most common complications of brain angiography. This apparently is what happened in your brother's case. Although your brother's TIA was hardly "normal," it was a recognized side-effect of the procedure.

Of course, his garbled speech and loss of hearing may have had another cause. For instance, certain forms of migraine headache can cause symptoms that mimic TIAs.

To give you more information, I'm sending you a free copy of my Health Report on HEADACHES. Other readers who want more information on the subject should send $1 to P.O. Box 91369, Cleveland, OH 44101-3369. Be sure to ask for the Health Report on Headaches.

DEAR DR. GOTT — Since I retired, I no longer take daily showers: no dirt, no sweat. How often do I need to bathe?

DEAR READER — The frequency with which one bathes is a highly individualized decision. Years ago, in rural New England, parents used to sew their children into long johns in November and take them out for a bath in May. Cleanliness was relative and took a back seat to warmth.

Our modern society has become preoccupied with cleanliness and body odor. The pendulum has swung to an extreme, in contrast to the medieval kings of France, who bathed a few times a year and relied on perfume at other times.

If you are inactive in your retirement, you probably do not need a daily shower. How often should you bathe? Ask those around you to let you know when you need a shower — or take one on Saturday night whether you need to or not!

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Bridge

James Jacoby

NORTH 8-3-87
♠ 4 3 2
♥ A Q 9 2
♦ K J
♣ A 10 7 5

WEST
♠ A Q 10 9 5
♥ 10 7 6 4
♦ 8 2
♣ Q 6

EAST
♠ J 7
♥ K J 8 5
♦ 5 4
♣ K J 9 8 3

SOUTH
♠ K 8 6
♥ 3
♦ A Q 10 9 7 6 3
♣ 4 2

Vulnerable: Both
Dealer: South

West	North	East	South
			Pass
Pass	1 ♣	Pass	1 ♦
Pass	1 ♥	Pass	3 ♦
Pass	3 ♠	Pass	3 NT
Pass	Pass	Pass	

Opening lead: ♠ 10

You need only to ask

By James Jacoby

When you have a long minor suit to run in a no-trump contract, nine tricks are frequently there, provided the opponents don't take five tricks first. In today's deal, South did not open with a pre-emptive bid in first position, feeling that his K-8-6 of spades represented too much outside strength. In response to North's one-club opening, he bid one diamond and then jumped to three diamonds after partner's rebid of one heart. That gave North the responsibility of deciding whether to go further.

What might North do? In these situations the three no-trump game is usually best, but where was the spade stopper? North certainly could not count on his 4-3-2 to do the work. The answer is what has come to be called a western cue-bid. North bid three spades. And what did that say? Simply "I've got enough to bid over three diamonds, and if you can stop or partially stop the spade suit, let's try for three no-trump." South was happy to oblige, and happier still to find that North had the K-J of diamonds as part of his high-card values. In the current instance, it is logical that the spade bid asks for a stopper or partial stopper. (When North holds controlling values in the suit, he can bid no-trump himself.) But don't blame me if you try out the western cue-bid some time and find yourself in game with no play and no semblance of a stopper in the key suit.

Since the contract was played from the right side, declarer had an overtrick when West led from his strong suit. Had North been declarer in three no-trump, the jack of spades lead would have quickly set him.

A new book by James Jacoby and his father, the late Oswald Jacoby, is now available at bookstores. It is "Jacoby on Card Games," published by Pharos Books.

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Callers ask police for action

DALLAS (AP) — Friends, relatives and neighbors want officials to step up their investigation into an attack on the wife of a prominent Methodist minister that left her comatose.

Margaret "Peggy" Railey was choked nearly to death in the April attack and her husband, the Rev. Walker Railey, has refused to cooperate with police investigators and prosecutors.

"All of them (callers) have been angry that we have not arrested anyone in this case and because we have not required people to tell what they know," said Lt. Ron Waldrop.

Railey has not talked with police since the day after he found his wife unconscious on the floor of their garage April 22. When questioned before a grand jury last week, he repeatedly invoked his Fifth Amendment right to remain silent, sources said.

Neighbors of the couple, who lived in the Lake Highlands area of Dallas, say they no longer feel vulnerable to threats they and the Raileys believed had come from a white supremacist group.

Railey had received several threatening letters attacking his pro-civil rights stance in the weeks prior to the attack. Authorities later determined the letters were typed on a typewriter from Railey's church, First United Methodist of Dallas.

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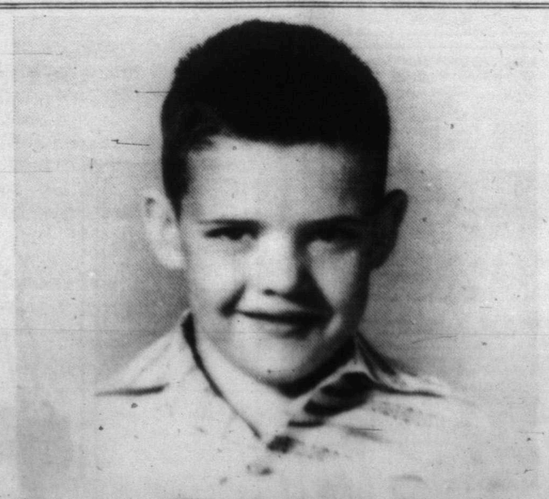

Happy Birthday, Jimmy
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Astro-Graph

By Bernice Bede Osol

Your Birthday

Tuesday, Aug. 4, 1987

In the year ahead, you will have more time and financial wherewithal to spend on situations that fulfill your pleasurable needs. You're in a cycle that portends happy conditions.

LEO (July 23-Aug. 22) You'll be competent at managing difficult situations today, but the credit you'll deserve may go to another just because this person is more flamboyant. Know where to look for romance and you'll find it. The Astro-Graph Matchmaker set instantly reveals which signs are romantically perfect for you. Mail $2 to Matchmaker, c/o this newspaper, P.O. Box 91428, Cleveland, OH 44101-3428.

VIRGO (Aug. 23-Sept. 22) A misunderstanding could put a damper on what should be a good day for you. Be mindful of how you say things and to whom you say them.

LIBRA (Sept. 23-Oct. 23) Have fun and enjoy yourself today, but put limits on your spending or else pals might draw you into activities that overtax your finances.

SCORPIO (Oct. 24-Nov. 22) You have the rare gift today to turn a little into much if you follow your logical instincts. Don't let your feelings or emotions lessen this force.

SAGITTARIUS (Nov. 23-Dec. 21) This is an excellent day to undertake assignments that pique your imagination. However, if you get others involved, they may impede your ingenuity.

CAPRICORN (Dec. 22-Jan. 19) There is no in-between with you today. You'll either be a dynamo who gets things done, or a dud who merely misinforms. Strive for balance.

AQUARIUS (Jan. 20-Feb. 19) Members of the opposite sex will find you especially appealing today. Complications could ensue, however, if your innocent flirtations are taken seriously.

PISCES (Feb. 20-March 20) The motivation you need today is not of the ordinary variety. Rather, it will be something very special for which you will have to fight.

ARIES (March 21-April 19) You have what it takes to make it in the commercial world today, but unfortunately, you might waste too much time and effort on the wrong prospects.

TAURUS (April 20-May 20) A beneficial change you've been wanting to make can be accomplished today. It will happen in spite of the lack of cooperation of people who said they would help.

GEMINI (May 21-June 20) You can't be all things to all people today. Don't be disturbed if a co-worker doesn't see the same virtues in you that your friends do.

CANCER (June 21-July 22) Financial conditions look promising for you today, but there's a possibility you might not develop them in ways that could provide you with the greatest returns.

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Father searches for missing son

SISTERDALE, Texas (AP) — A distraught father has not abandoned the search for his son, who helped rescue other youths before being washed away by the flooded Guadalupe River last month.

"He's my son. Can't just leave a part of you," says John Bankston Sr. "I know a part of him is with the Lord, but a part of him is still down here. I want to find my son."

Bankston and a handful of volunteers have combed the banks of the Guadalupe looking for John Bankston Jr., missing since July 17 when floodwaters swept away a busload of Dallas-area church campers returning from the Pot O' Gold camp in Comfort.

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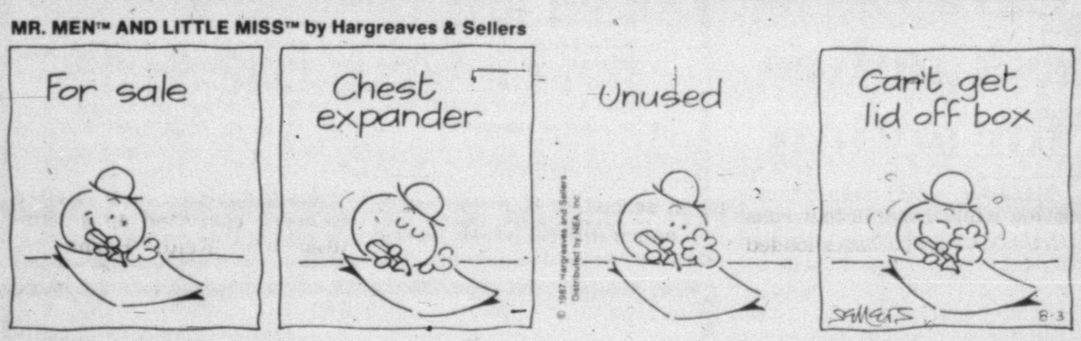

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13 Neither masculine nor feminine
14 Ingesting
15 Idle
16 Stretch out
17 Last mo.
19 Edgar Allan ____
20 Period of historical time
22 Organ for hearing
23 Mouth part
24 Crime
26 Caesar's enemy
28 Accounting agency (abbr.)
30 ____ Tse-tung
31 Landing boat
32 Look closely
33 Former S.E. Asian association
35 Dentist's degree (abbr.)
37 Moist
38 Make a choice
40 Relative
42 Clump
43 ____ culpa
44 Wipe out (sl.)
46 Big lizard
49 In no way
52 Jelly base
53 Play segments
54 Build
55 ____-Saxon

DOWN

1 Large knife
2 Shake
3 Speaks
4 Jackie's 2nd husband
5 Noise
6 Fixed
7 Who (Fr.)
8 Ideal place
9 Fable writer
10 Elm, e.g.
12 Malarial fever
13 Bridge bid (comp. wd.)
18 ____ Vegas
21 Shoelace tip
23 ____ of London
25 Space agency (abbr.)
27 Pork fat
29 Turk
33 Entice
34 Unclose (poet.)
36 Glazing
37 Horse bet
39 Spanks
41 Swiss city
42 Dry dishes
45 Mexican money
47 Air Traffic Control (abbr.)
48 Insect egg
50 Wood sorrel
51 Skin problem

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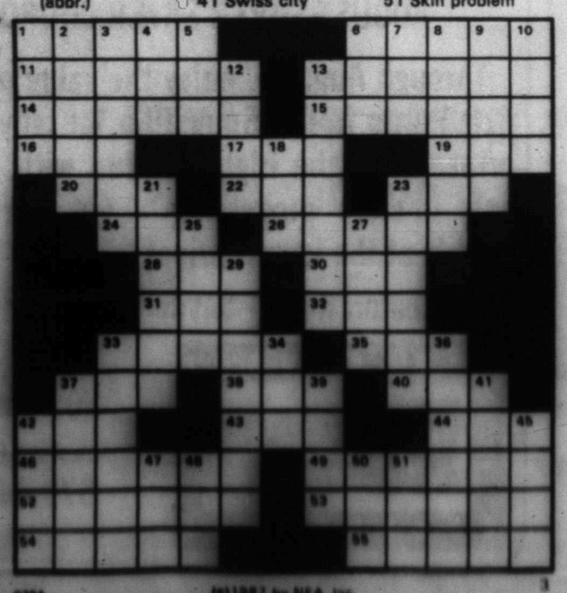

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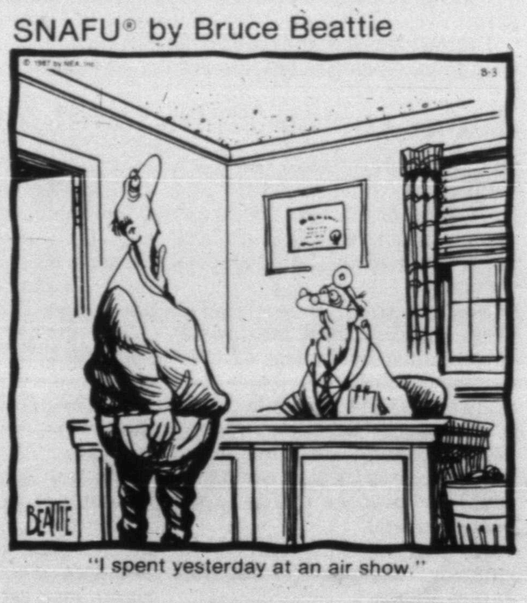

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Grab speedy Barksdale....

Cowboys sign, trade Fellows

THOUSAND OAKS, Calif. (AP) - Wide receiver Rod Barksdale, the newest Dallas Cowboy, never played high school or college football but has world class speed that gives defensive backs migraine headaches.

To get Barksdale from the Los Angeles Raiders on Sunday night, Dallas signed holdout cornerback Ron Fellows then traded him to Coach Tom Flores' team 19 miles down the road at Oxnard.

It was the first player-for-player trade the Cowboys have made since 1984 when they traded Butch Johnson to the Houston Oilers for Mike Renfro.

Fellows, who had no contract and refused to report to the Cowboys' training camp, shopped his talents around the NFL and decided he preferred playing for the Raiders.

Fellows, a former seventh round draft choice from Missouri, was under the gun after Dallas drafted Baylor's Ron Francis in the second round. The rookie has been impressive in training camp.

"I'm delighted I'm going to the Raiders. I didn't want to go to Green Bay or somewhere like that," Fellows said from Dallas.

Coach Tom Landry said "Francis has so much talent he could start for us at right cornerback."

Landry had said before training camp that Fellows was "our best pure cover man because of his speed and quickness."

However, Landry was critical of Fellows' inability "to finish off more plays."

Fellows had 67 tackles and five interceptions in 1986.

Barksdale, starting his third season in the NFL, joined the Raiders as a free agent in 1985 and spent a year on the injured resrve.

His biggest NFL day was 179 yards on six receptions against the Indianapolis Colts. Barksdale caught 18 passes for 434 yards.

He has run a 10.2 in the 100 meters at Arizona. He was sixth in the 1984 NCAA championships in the 200 meters.

"He can burn it," said club President Tex Schramm. "With the speed he has, he has real value."

Schramm said Fellows had been on the market from the start of training camp.

"We're interested in doing anything we can to try to improve the club," Schramm said.

Asked if he thought he had been traded fairly by the Cowboys, Fellows said "not exactly. I'll be more appreciated by the Raiders."

Schramm said the Cowboys looked at offensive tackles but couldn't work a deal.

Still missing from camp is holdout linebacker Jeff Rohrer, who is being fined $1,000 per day until he shows, and first round draft pick Danny Noonan of Nebraska.

Rohrer has threatened to retire if he doesn't get a big increase over the $192,000 he was scheduled to make this season.

Buffs leave today, play tomorrow

Snyder's Buffs, local and district champions, were to leave this morning for Belton and the Texas Junior Teenage League State Tournament.

Snyder is scheduled to play Gainsville in the opening game of the eight-team tourament, slated for 9 a.m. Tuesday.

LL playoff slated here tonight

Abilene Dixie and Lubbock Northeastern will square off at Logan Field here today in a regional Little League playoff game, scheduled for 7:30 p.m.

Both teams advanced to this week's series by winning at local, area and district levels. Dixie reached with a win over Snyder last week in Abilene.

Winner of this week's series will advance to the state tournament in Waco.

Oiler linemen heralded but clippings don't win

SAN ANGELO, Texas (AP) - New Houston Oiler offensive line coach Kim Helton has a highly decorated group of linemen that includes three first round draft choices.

But Helton doesn't read press clippings or dwell on past accomplishments.

"They are only great if they make this football team great," Helton said.

"If (starting left guard) Mike Munchak can make the left tackle, the center, right guard and the right tackle, great and we're in the playoffs and he's in Hawaii (Pro Bowl), then he's great.

"Otherwise, he's just another guard on a losing football team."

Helton's fiery workouts and straight talk have not been greeted enthusiastically by all of his linemen.

Two players, former starting center Jim Romano and reserve tackle Mike Kelley have left camp.

Starting left tackle Bruce Matthews has not reported to camp and on Sunday promising line prospect Don Maggs suffered a knee injury that may require major surgery.

Knitting together a cohesive offensive line is Helton's assignment and he's doing it with tough talk.

"You're like Jim Palmer, a no hitter," Helton screamed during a preseason workout.

He shouted at another player following a good block "That's good, that's good, I just want you to show up every day and not every third day."

The Oilers have stockpiled first round draft choices on their offensive line but they've never fulfilled their potential.

Helton wants to erase the stigma that the Oiler linemen, while talented, are "too nice."

"We're not nice except to our wives and children," Helton said. "We certainly won't be nice to the other team.

"I think people get nice titles when you lose. Everybody is hunting for a reason why and they will say the line is too nice or this or that is wrong."

Helton's banter is not all criticism.

"He makes blocking exciting," tight end Jaime Williams said. "When you do well, he's all over you and when you do bad he's still all over you.

"He's different from what Mike and Jim were used to but as far as I'm concerned he's benefitting our team."

Munchak, one of the three Oiler offensive line No. 1 draft picks, likes the aggressiveness training Helton is administering but he tunes out much of the screaming.

""When you're out there working your butt off in 2-a-days and you legs don't want to move and some guy is on you, abusing you, there's no doubt you don't want to listen to it," Munchak said.

"It's like if you have a hangover and your boss is on you, you just kind of sit there and don't talk back. You just say 'yeah, yeah, yeah' to yourself.

"You're better off keeping your mouth shut. If it gets out of hand, I guess you talk to the coach after practice."

Helton will stand by his coaching style.

"I'm not a yeller just to be yelling," he said. "I'm a coach that's an intense guy who likes to have things done correctly.

"I don't care really, how they respond. I'm going to ask them to get on the pile, and I'm going to ask them to push and press and kick and fight and get their job done.

"Now if that's a yeller, then that's what I am.

Fights break out almost daily when the offensive and defensive linemen get together for drills.

Helton hopes his message is getting across.

"We're going to be as aggressive on the field as our defense," Helton said.

"And I hope that after awhile they are going to start yelling at each other because I need a break."

Davis enters elite 30-30 club; Scott, Astros shut out Padres

by The Associated Press

The door to baseball's elite 30-30 club must be located in the upper left field stands at Cincinnati's Riverfront Stadium because that's where Eric Davis knocked to enter.

The 25-year-old outfielder became only the seventh player in history to hit 30 home runs and steal 30 bases in the same season when he knocked a towering drive off the facade of the upper deck leading off the bottom of the 11th inning Sunday.

Davis' 30th homer - he also stole his 38th and 39th bases - gave the Cincinnati Reds a 5-4 victory over San Francisco that stretched their National League West lead over the second-place Giants to three games.

Davis joined Willie Mays (1956, 1957), Hank Aaron (1963), Bobby Bonds (1969, 1973, 1975, 1977, 1978), Dale Murphy (1983), Tommy Harper (1970) and Ken Williams (1922) as the only players in the 30-30 club.

"I was just looking to hit the ball somewhere and get on and score a run," Davis said. "I knew he (reliever Jeff Robinson) was going to give me a pitch to hit."

With two months left in the season, Davis has a solid chance to become the first player with 40 homers and 40 stolen bases in a single season.

Meanwhile, St. Louis beat Pittsburgh 9-1 for its third victory in a row after a seven-game losing streak and upped its lead in the NL East to six games over Montreal, which lost to New York 7-4. Elsewhere, it was Houston 6, San Diego 0; Chicago 3, Philadelphia 2 in 10 innings; and Atlanta 10, Los Angeles 5.

Astros 6, Padres 0

Mike Scott pitched a three-hitter over eight innings and Alan Ashby homered, doubled and singled and drove in three runs. Scott, 12-7, who has won all of his nine decisions against San Diego in Houston, held the Padres hitless until Tony Gwynn singled with two outs in the fifth.

Cardinals 9, Pirates 1

Joe Magrane pitched an 11-hit complete game in 103-degree St. Louis heat and Terry Pendleton drove in four runs with a homer and double. The Cardinals, who had lost seven straight before the Pirates came to town, swept three games from Pittsburgh, which has dropped seven in a row.

Mets 7, Expos 4

Ron Darling and Roger McDowell combined on a four-hitter and Keith Hernandez drove in New York's first three runs with a pair of doubles and a grounder as the Mets climbed within one-half game of the second-place Expos in the NL East.

Cubs 3, Phillies 2

Chicago second baseman Ryne Sandberg drove in two runs, including the game-winner with a single over a pulled-in Philadelphia outfield in the 10th inning.

The Cubs tied the score with single runs in the eighth and ninth innings off Philadelphia relief ace Steve Bedrosian, who relieved Shane Rawley to start the eighth.

Braves 10, Dodgers 5

Paul Runge's second major-league homer ignited a six-run fourth inning that also included a three-run double by Ted Simmons.

Seitzer has a 'Royal' time; Rangers defeat Orioles, 5-2

by The Associated Press

Rookie Kevin Seitzer had a royal feeling after going 6-for-6, hitting two homers, driving in seven runs and scoring four times.

"I'll probably never have a feeling like I had today," said Seitzer, who tied or broke several team records Sunday in leading host Kansas City over Boston 13-5.

Seitzer hit his eighth homer leading off the third inning against starter Bob Stanley, 3-11. He had an RBI single in the fourth, a three-run homer in the fifth, giving the Royals an 8-3 lead, and added a two-run double in the eighth.

His 13 total bases tied a team record set by George Brett, and the seven RBI also matched the club record. Seitzer is now batting .324 with 55 runs batted in, both tops on the team.

Mark Gubicza, 9-10, allowed eight hits, including Dwight Evans' 21st and 22nd homers, in 8 1-3 innings. Jerry Don Gleaton got the final two outs.

Elsewhere in the American League, New York beat Detroit 8-5; Toronto outlasted Cleveland 11-5; Chicago beat Milwaukee 7-3; Seattle edged California 5-4; Oakland defeated Minnesota 6-5 in 11 innings; and Texas beat Baltimore 5-2.

Rangers 5, Orioles 2

Bobby Witt pitched five-hit ball for 8 1-3 innings and tied a major-league record by striking out four batters in one inning as Texas beat visiting Baltimore.

Witt, 5-5, struck out a season-high 11 batters and was backed by home runs by Geno Petralli and Pete Incaviglia.

Witt became the 18th pitcher in major-league history to strike out four batters in an inning when he fanned Ray Knight, Terry Kennedy, Mike Young and Gerhart in the second.

Yankees 8, Tigers 5

Before 46,212 at Yankee Stadium, Dan Pasqua singled three times and drove in two runs and Mike Pagliarulo hit a two-run homer, leading New York over Detroit.

The Yankees increased their AL East lead to three games over the Tigers.

Don Mattingly, and Dave Winfield also had three hits in a 17-hit attack.

Rick Rhoden, 14-6, allowed five runs on 12 hits in eight-plus innings and Dave Righetti got his 20th save.

Mariners 5, Angels 4

John Moses scored Dave Valle in the ninth inning with a suicide squeeze bunt to lift visiting Seattle over California.

Mike Kingery gave Seattle the early lead with a grand slam in the first inning.

Blue Jays 11, Indians 5

Ernie Whitt drove in four runs with a homer and a bases-loaded triple and Lloyd Moseby drove in three runs to lead host Toronto over Cleveland in a game delayed nearly four hours by rain.

Toronto got off to a fast start with homers by Moseby and Whitt in the first inning off Darrell Akerfelds, 0-2.

Athletics 6, Twins 5

Jose Canseco singled to score the winning run with two out in the 11th inning as Oakland edged Minnesota.

Canseco's hit off reliever Jeff Reardon, 5-6, scored Luis Polonia, who had singled and taken second on a throw home that nailed Alfredo Griffin at the plate.

White Sox 7, Brewers 3

Bill Long and Bobby Thigpen combined on a five-hitter and Steve Lyons hit a two-run homer as Chicago took 3-of-4 at Milwaukee.

Baseball glance

By The Associated Press

AMERICAN LEAGUE

East Division

	W	L	Pct.	GB
New York	64	41	.610	—
Toronto	61	43	.587	2½
Detroit	59	42	.584	3
Milwaukee	52	51	.505	11
Boston	48	56	.462	15½
Baltimore	48	57	.457	16
Cleveland	37	67	.356	26½

West Division

	W	L	Pct.	GB
Minnesota	56	50	.528	—
Oakland	54	50	.519	1
California	54	51	.514	1½
Kansas City	51	53	.490	4
Texas	50	53	.485	4½
Seattle	50	54	.481	5
Chicago	43	59	.422	11

Sunday's Games

New York 8, Detroit 5
Toronto 11, Cleveland 5
Kansas City 13, Boston 5
Chicago 7, Milwaukee 3
Seattle 5, California 4
Oakland 6, Minnesota 5, 11 innings
Texas 5, Baltimore 2

NATIONAL LEAGUE

East Division

	W	L	Pct.	GB
St. Louis	64	39	.621	—
Montreal	58	45	.563	6
New York	58	46	.558	6½
Chicago	54	50	.519	10½
Philadelphia	53	50	.515	11
Pittsburgh	45	59	.433	19½

West Division

	W	L	Pct.	GB
Cincinnati	56	49	.533	—
San Francisco	53	52	.505	3
Houston	51	53	.490	4½
Los Angeles	47	57	.452	8½
Atlanta	46	58	.442	9½
San Diego	39	66	.371	17

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Howe could move up soon

DALLAS (AP) - With Texas Rangers manager Bobby Valentine wanting pitcher Steve Howe moved up to the American League team immediately, club president Mike Stone says he thinks something will happen this week.

Howe was suspended by the National Association of Professional Baseball Leagues, which governs the minor leagues, in 1986, but the drug-related suspension was lifted last month and the former Los Angeles Dodger reliever signed a contract and joined the Oklahoma City 89ers.

Valentine said Sunday he thought Howe was ready to join the Rangers.

Tyson unifies crown; Spinks doesn't agree

LAS VEGAS, Nev. (AP) - Mike Tyson, who says he has felt like the real champion ever since he won a piece of the heavyweight title from Trevor Berbick last year, now is the undisputed king.

At least he is in the eyes of the World Boxing Council, World Boxing Association and International Boxing Federation following his 12-round unanimous decision victory Saturday night over 10½-to-1 underdog Tony Tucker.

Some people dispute Tyson's claim to the championship. Among them is Michael Spinks, who won the IBF title from Larry Holmes, then had it taken from him for refusing to agree to a mandatory defense, against Tucker.

Spinks and promoter Butch Lewis held a news conference Saturday afternoon to call for a Spinks-Tyson fight.

Tyson's co-promoters Jim Jacobs and Bill Cayton said such a fight is not possible until the fall of 1988. Tyson is scheduled to fight Tyrell Biggs Oct. 16, possibly at Atlantic City, N.J., and plans call for three more fights after that, which would take the 21-year-old champion into the summer.

Spinks and Lewis were in the "cheap" seats at the Las Vegas Hilton to watch Tyson unify the championship for the first time since Spinks' brother, Leon, an 8-1 underdog, scored a 15-round split decision over Muhammad Ali Feb. 15, 1978.

Tyson's failure to knock out the 28-year-old Tucker, as expected, disappointed many of his fans in a crowd of about 7,600.

Strange wins Jude Classic

MEMPHIS, Tenn. (AP) - With the PGA Championship starting on Thursday, Curtis Strange can't spare himself the luxury of enjoying his victory in the $742,043 St. Jude Classic golf tournament.

"What I'm going to have to do is get myself ready. I have never played particularly well after winning a tournament," Strange said after Sunday's one-stroke victory over Russ Cochran, Tom Kite, Denis Watson and Mike Donald.

Strange sunk a six-foot birdie putt to cap a round of 69 for a four-day score of 275 over the 7,282-yard, par-72 Colonial Country Club course.

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Companies hope to capitalize on turnaround

DALLAS (AP) — Oilfield service companies are quietly calling back employees furloughed when oil prices slid below $10 per barrel.

Executives said although a full-fledged recovery isn't under way, they're encouraged by crude selling for more than $21 a barrel.

In recent weeks, many energy company stocks have traded at 52-week highs; domestic drilling activity is up by more than 250 rigs from last year's low of 663.

If the trend holds, the industry will improve, industry leaders say.

"Last year all the news was bad," said Guy Marcus, a spokesman for Halliburton Co. "Now you pick up the phone and it is good news."

Companies have responded cautiously.

Last month, Halliburton, an international oil services company based in Dallas, recalled 50 workers at its oil field services division in Oklahoma. Halliburton cut 18,000 jobs last year because of the collapse in drilling activity.

Lone Star Technologies, the Dallas-based parent of Lone Star Steel Co., a manufacturer of drill pipe, has quietly called back 300 workers in recent months. Lone Star lost $9.3 million in the first quarter of 1987 and laid off about two-thirds of its 4,000 employees in 1986.

There is also hope for a Wall Street turnaround as stocks of oil exploration and production companies have risen in response to improved earnings and higher crude oil prices.

Prices firmed after OPEC agreed on production quotas and rose on continuing fears of disruption of world oil markets from the Iran-Iraq war.

When crude prices fell about 60 percent last year, the oil services industry bore the brunt of the collapse. Total spending on oil rigs, tools, drill pipe and related products and services fell to $9 billion in 1986 from $40 billion in 1982.

Only recently has Halliburton, which has seen its worldwide employment decline by 68,000 since 1980, discontinued on a trial basis a furlough procedure in which its oil service employees take one week off without pay every two months.

"Bringing people back full time gives an indication of our expectations," Marcus said.

The manufacturers, distributors and processors of oil tubular products also were devastated by the downturn. Prices for pipe and tube, used in drilling wells, declined more sharply than other kinds of oil field equipment.

At Lone Star Technologies, the company is producing pipe at about 20 to 30 percent of its capacity, up about 5 percent from a year ago, said Judi Murrell, vice president of corporate relations.

The most important market indicator for pipe manufacturers, Ms. Murrell said, is the amount of footage drilled, a measurement of productivity of working oil rigs. Total footage drilled in the United States last year was 171 million feet compared with 320 million feet in 1985.

Lone Star expects this year's total footage drilled to be about the same as last year's, Ms. Murrell said.

But the trend still appears positive.

"Half of the wells were drilled in the first few months of 1986 and then it went straight down," Ms. Murrell said. "This year it started low and will probably increase as the year goes on. So even though the numbers are the same, the picture is prettier."

Another aspect of improving oil prices is the effect they may have on major oil producers' exploration budgets during the second half of the year. Industry analysts say many major oil companies underspent during the first six months, so expenditures for the second half of the year could be almost doubled.

Douglas Yadon, publisher of the Preston Pipe Report based in Tulsa., Okla., said he expects the number of active rigs, currently at 917, to climb to 1,300 to 1,600 by the end of the year.

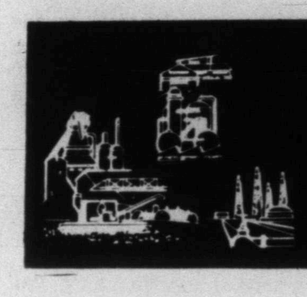
From a 1981 peak of 4,530 active drilling rigs in the United States, the count dropped to a low of 663 in July of 1986, according to the Baker-Hughes Rotary Rig Count, a widely followed index of domestic drilling activity.

Despite the positive signs, the energy industry has a long climb back.

Odeco Chairman Hugh Kelly said his company is still losing money and the recovery has a long way to go before it will produce profits. But he expects utilization rates for offshore rigs in the Gulf of Mexico will climb to 70 percent levels by the end of this year.

Kelly said earlier this month that an increase in drilling permits and bid requests for offshore lease tracts indicate that a recovery in the contract drilling business is under way and gaining momentum.

During World War II, the Italian fleet surrendered to the Allies in 1943.



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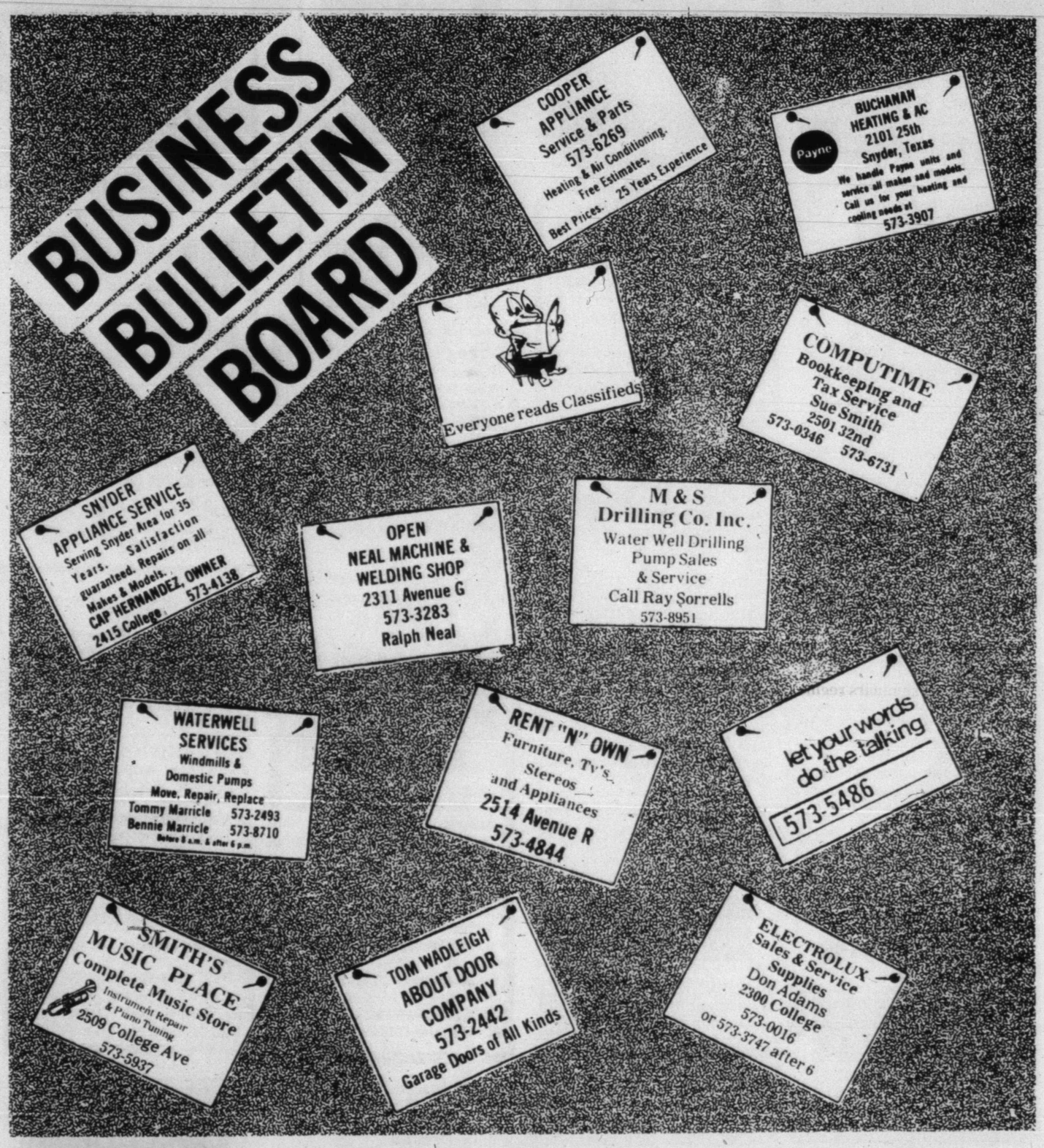

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JIDDA, Saudi Arabia (AP) — A fierce war of words has broken out between Iran and Saudi Arabia following deadly clashes in Mecca, with Tehran calling for the overthrow of the Saudi government and Saudis accusing Iran of smuggling explosives.

Iran, which accuses Washington of orchestrating the killing of hundreds of pilgrims Friday, ordered Moslems to launch "direct attacks on U.S. interests and their presence all over the world."

Iranian media reported that more than 1 million people demonstrated in Tehran Sunday, chanting "Revenge!" Iran's sympathizers in Lebanon also protested Sunday and attacked the empty Saudi Embassy. The pro-Iranian Islamic Jihad, releasing a picture of U.S. hostage Terry Anderson, threatened to punish the Saudi government and the United States.

Several Arab and Moslem countries meanwhile expressed support for Saudi Arabia's King Fahd following the riots in Islam's holiest city.

Saudi Arabia says 402 people, including 275 Iranians, were killed and 649 people injured when an Iranian anti-American demonstration grew violent on Friday, the eve of the annual Moslem pilgrimage to Mecca.

Saudi authorities said the deaths were caused by trampling and rioting, and police did not fire a shot.

Iran claimed Saudi police opened fire and said 650 Iranians were either killed or missing and 700 others hospitalized.

The clashes pushed tensions in the Middle East to a fever pitch at a time when the U.S. Navy is engaged in a risky operation to escort Kuwaiti tankers through the Persian Gulf.

Iran's official Islamic Republic News Agency said Iranian naval maneuvers codenamed "Martyrdom" would begin Tuesday in the Strait of Hormuz — part of the route followed by the U.S.-escorted convoy.

Iran's Parliament Speaker Hashemi Rafsanjani told the chanting protesters in the capital of Tehran Sunday that Iran must "uproot the Saudi rulers in the region." His speech was broadcast on Tehran radio and monitored in Nicosia, Cyprus.

The United States has denied any role in the clashes.

An Iranian delegation was swiftly sent home from Jidda Saturday when the government learned the group wanted to investigate the Mecca killings.

Obituaries

Carl Nelson

Graveside services for Carl Nelson, 77, of Snyder Nursing Center, formerly of Floydada, were held at 2 p.m. Monday in Floydada Cemetery with the Rev. Hollis Payne of Vigo Park officiating.

Burial was under the direction of Moore-Rose Funeral Home of Floydada.

He died at 7:30 p.m. Friday in Snyder Nursing Center after a lengthy illness.

He was born in Wise County and moved to Floyd County in 1917. He married Audrey Burgett Johnson on Oct. 21, 1946 in Clovis, N. M. She died in 1975. He was a U.S. Army veteran of World War II. He was a retired grain elevator supervisor and a member of Calvary Baptist Church in Floydada.

Survivors include two daughters, Shirley Carthel of Snyder and Carla Baker of Fort Worth; a stepson, Troy Johnston of Gordon; four brothers, Raymond of Plainview, Herman of Lubbock, Lloyd of Amarillo, and Dean of Bell Flower, Calif., two sisters, Opal Higgins of LaMesa, Calif., and Lena Mae Ooley of Plainview; and eight grandchildren.

Marjorie Eagan

GREENVILLE--Graveside services for Marjorie M. Eagan, 77, will be held at noon Monday in Old Mission Cemetery in Wichita, Kan.

A former resident of Snyder, Mrs. Eagan lived in Greenville and died Saturday in a Greenville nursing home.

Born in Snyder, she married E. W. Eagan on Dec. 4, 1928 in Lubbock. He died in 1980. She was a retired bookkeeper and a member of the Delrose Methodist Church.

Survivors include a son, J. Eagan of Olathe, Kan.; a daughter, Mary Goad of Greenville; five grandchildren; and five great-grandchildren.

Pari-mutuel racing battle out of gate

DALLAS (AP) — Proponents of racetrack gambling are mounting an advertising blitz to promote the Nov. 3 binding referendum on legalizaing pari-mutuel wagering.

Officials of the Texas Horse Racing Association say the Austin-based group plans to spend $1.6 million to counter opposition from religious leaders and prominent Texans — whose group includes Dallas Cowboys Coach Tom Landry and former U.S. Sen. Ralph Yarborough.

"I'm 99 percent sure it will pass," said Ricky Knox, executive director of the Austin-based Horse Racing Association, of the proposition to allow betting at horse and dog race tracks.

As of last month, the association had collected the names and addresses of 485,000 supporters to be targeted in get-out-the-vote efforts, he said. Consultants have been on board for months, and more than 40,000 pro-racing pamphlets have been distributed statewide.

Staffing has been arranged for phone banks that will become operational in about two weeks, several fund-raisers have been held, and bumper stickers have been passed out at horse shows that say: "Don't mess with taxes. Race horses in Texas."

Pari-mutuel racing's chief opposition is a coalition of ministers, politicians and anti-crime organizations called Texans Who Care, which opened a campaign headquarters in Dallas last week. Leaders of the coalition said they got a late start because they were tied up in a legislative battle against a lottery bill.

The organization received its first shipment of 20,000 anti-gambling brochures last week, has hired a pollster and a direct-mail expert.

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Iran-Contra hearings near their end today

WASHINGTON (AP) — The Iran-Contra hearings neared their end today as Defense Secretary Caspar Weinberger urged investigators to allow presidents continued leeway on when to notify Congress that a covert operation has been authorized.

"A rigid time or an inflexible time is not a very good thing," Weinberger said, although he added that he generally favors an existing legal requirement for notification of Congress in a "timely fashion."

Weinberger was in the witness chair for the second day at the nationally televised congressional hearings on the secret U.S. sale of arms to Iran and diversion of profits to benefit the Nicaraguan Contra rebels.

Leaders of the House and Senate investigating panels hoped to wrap up Weinberger's testimony by early afternoon before adjourning for the final time.

The panels intend to question several CIA officials privately next week, and then spend the month of August writing a formal report on the affair that has dealt major political damage to President Reagan.

The hearings ended as they had begun — under the glare of television lights in the ornate Caucus Room of the Russell Senate Office Building.

Since the hearings got under way on May 5, investigators have heard Cabinet officers describe how they tried unsuccessfully in 1985 and again in 1986 to persuade Reagan not to go ahead with the arms sale initiative, only to find the president going ahead with the plan out of concern for the American hostages held in Lebanon.

The joint committees also heard testimony that while Reagan approved the arms sales, he never knew that Lt. Col. Oliver L. North, a staff deputy at the National Security Council, was helping provide military assistance to the Contras at a time when Congress had banned all direct or indirect U.S. military aid to the Nicaraguan insurgents.

In a dramatic moment last month, the lawmakers heard former National Security Adviser John M. Poindexter say that he alone authorized the diversion of arms sales proceeds to the Contras, and never informed the president.

Poindexter resigned and North was fired last Nov. 25 after the fund diversion was uncovered by Justice Deparrtment investigators, and Congress is still trying — nine months later — to answer lingering questions in the affair.

"The evidence clearly is that the president of the United States did not authorize the diversion," said Rep. Michael DeWine, R-Ohio, as Weinberger listened from the witness table.

"In summation, there is and was no smoking gun," DeWine said.

DeWine offered his own summation after questioning Weinberger about the current legal requirement that a president notify Congress in a "timely fashion" about covert operations.

Reagan kept Congress in the dark about the Iranian arms sales for nearly a year, until they were disclosed in a Middle Eastern magazine. Some lawmakers have called for tighter notification requirements.

Weinberger said he was against rigid timetables.

"Generally speaking I think notificiation should be given a short time after" a presidential decision is made to authorize a covert action, he said.

But, he said, a "rigid time or an inflexible time is not a very good thing."

Earlier, one panel member said Reagan would have had to break off the arms sales if either Weinberger or Secretary of State George P. Shultz had told Congress about them.

"That would have done more to discourage the president from going forward after they heard from the Hill in very strong language" than resignation threats from either Cabinet officer, said Sen. William Cohen, R-Maine.

Crew members of crash summoned before judge

MEXICO CITY (AP) — Three American crewmen of a cargo plane that crashed on a crowded Mexican highway have been ordered to appear before a federal judge to answer charges that include involuntary manslaugter, a court official says.

The charges by the Federal Attorney General's Office stems from the Thursday evening crash of the 35-year-old Boeing 377 that was carrying 18 thoroughbred horses. The plane was operated by Belize Air International, a cargo charter service.

The government news agency Notimex reported Sunday night the death toll from the fiery crash rose to 41 with the weekend death of one of those injured. It said 33 victims had been identified and forensics experts were working to identify the other eight.

The Red Cross said 23 people remained hospitalized, mostly with burns and fractures. Most of those killed and injured were on the ground.

Arrested are pilot Frederick Morr, 49, of Hialeah, Fla., co-pilot Robert Banta, 61, of North Bay Village, Fla., and flight engineer Forrest Wootten, 55, of Dade County., Fla. In addition to manslaughter, they are accused of bodily injury and damage to private and government property.

They are to appear before Judge Alfredo Munguia Camara of the Federal District Second Penal Court to answer the charges. A court official, speaking on condition of anonymity, said no specific hearing date has been set, "but it will probably be on Monday if they can get counsel and papers ready."

The three remained Sunday under guard at the American-British-Cowdray Hospital, recovering from injuries sustained during the crash. Armed policemen patrolled the hallway outside their rooms.

Meanwhile, Attorney General Sergio Garcia Ramirez told reporters Sunday that Belize Air International has assumed legal responsibility for those killed and for the property damage. He refused to elaborate.

Commissioners convene Monday

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figures would have produced even more revenue.

The judge said such a tax would have produced $479,078 for the county in 1984, $504,167 in 1985 and $410,878 last year.

The tax would be collected on the same items as the one-cent city sales tax, except that the county tax would also apply to telephone and telecommunications services.

An additional feature, Goodwin said, is that when someone from Scurry County purchases a vehicle, for example, outside the county to be used here, the seller would be required by law to collect the county's tax there and earmark it for Scurry County to be routed here through the state comptroller's office.

Hospital Notes

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DISMISSALS: Rueben Gonzales, Katrina Baze, Lois Barton, Hattie Gatlin, Maria Martinez.

Births

Eric and Kim Arnold of Kilgore are the parents of a baby boy, Justin Ray, born at 2:24 p.m. Friday in Good Shepherd Medical Center, Longview. He weighed five pounds 10 ounces. Grandparents are J.D. and Betty Farmer of New London and Tommy and Jo Arnold of Snyder.

Seven arrests reported by city police

Seven persons were arrested Saturday and Sunday by Snyder police, including two who were taken into custody for misdemeanor possession of marijuana.

Officers were called to the scene of a disturbance at 12:44 a.m. Saturday in the 1000 Block of 26th St. and arrested a 39-year-old man for public intoxication, disorderly conduct and resisting arrest.

A woman with whom the man reportedly had been fighting was taken by private vehicle to Cogdell Memorial Hospital, where she was treated for minor injuries.

A 21-year-old Snyder woman was arrested for public intoxication outside a dance at the National Guard Armory at 11:54 p.m. Saturday, along with two 20-year-old men who were arrested for public intoxication and possession of less than two ounces of marijuana.

Three men, ages 23, 20 and 23, were taken into custody at the same location at 12:51 a.m. Sunday for public intoxication.

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Oil Patch News

Scurry County

Steward Exploration Inc. will drill the No. 1 Mayes, an 8,000-foot wildcat two miles south of Hermleigh. Location is in Section 162, Block 3, H&TC survey.

Bill W. Murphy Operating Co. has completed the No. 7 W. H. Sterling in the Sharon Ridge field, two miles west of Ira. The well produced 63 barrels of 41 gravity oil and 47 barrels of water. Perforations were from 2,945-3,112 feet, and location is in Section 122, Block 97, H&TC survey.

Mabee Petroleum Corp. has completed the No. 10-C R. O. McClure in the Sharon Ridge field, seven miles west of Ira. The well produced seven barrels of 29 gravity oil and 36 barrels of water. Perforations were from 1,734-799 feet and location is in Section 142, Block 97, H&TC survey.

Fisher County

Fina Oil and Chemical has completed the No. 6 Diedrich-Wolff in the Pardue field, 10 miles northwest of Hamlin. The well produced 195 barrels of 40 gravity oil. Gas-oil ratio was 1,508-1 with perforations from 3,896-901 feet. Location is in Section 104, Block 1, H&TC survey.

Marshall R. Young will drill the No. 7-A Allen, a 4,900-foot wildcat 10 miles east of Rotan. Location is in Section 105, Block 1, H&TC survey.

Mitchell County

Mobil Producing has completed the No. 228 Mary Foster in the Iatan East Howard field, nine miles southwest of Westbrook. The well produced 47 barrels of 28 gravity oil and 188 barrels of water. Perforations were from 2,434-3,306 feet, and location is in Section 17, Block 29, T&P survey.

Natural Resource Management will drill the No. 3 Barber in the Dockrey field, two miles southwest of Westbrook. Planned for a depth of 3,500 feet, location is in Section 9, Block 28, T1S, T&P survey.

Borden County

Mabee Petroleum Corp. has completed the No. 1-590 Miller in the Vavett field, 15 miles northeast of Gail. The venture produced 48 barrels of 37 gravity oil and five barrels of water. Perforations were from 5,324-330 feet, and location is in Section 590, Block 97, H&TC survey.

Parallel Petroleum has completed the No. 1 Doyle Newton, a wildcat located 12 miles northeast of Gail. The venture was finaled to produce 65 barrels of 41 gravity oil and 250 barrels of water.

Gas-oil ratio was 1,200-1 with perforations from 7,912-916 feet. Location is in Section 104, Block 1, H&TC survey.

Exxon Corp. will drill the No. 2-MSW Brown in the Blackard field, nine miles west of Gail. The re-entry is planned for a depth of 8,744 feet, and location is in Section 3, Block 32, T5N, T&P survey.

Citation Oil and Gas Corp. will drill the No. 5-B Muleshoe Ranch, an 8,500-foot wildcat 16 miles south of Gail. Location is in Section 23, Block 30, T4N, T&P survey.

Borden County

Amoco Production Co. will drill the No. 47-A Good in the Ackerly north field, 30 miles southwest of Gail. Planned for a depth of 8,000 feet, location is in Section 36, Block 33, T4N, T&P survey.

Amoco Production will drill the No. 62-A T. J. Good in the Jo Mill field, 30 miles southwest of Gail. Planned depth is 7,400 feet, and location is in Section 38, Block 33, T4N, T&P survey.

Amoco Production will drill the No. 61-A T. J. Good in the Jo Mill field, 30 miles southwest of Gail. Also planned for 7,400 feet, location is in Section 38, Block 33, T4N, T&P survey.

Amoco Production will drill the No. 59-A T. J. Good in the Jo Mill field, 30 miles southwest of Gail. The venture will be drilled to 7,400 feet, and location is in Section 38, Block 33, T4N, T&P survey.

Amoco Production will drill the No. 58-A T. J. Good in the Jo Mill field, 30 miles southwest of Gail. Also planned for 7,400 feet, location is in Section 38, Block 33, T4N, T&P survey.

Amoco Production will drill the No. 56-A T. J. Good in the same field, 30 miles southwest of Gail. Planned depth is 7,400 feet, and location is in Section 38, Block 33, T4N, T&P survey.

Amoco Production will drill the No.54-A T. J. Good in the Jo Mill field, 30 miles southwest of Gail. The project is planned for 7,400 feet, and drill site is in Section 38, Block 33, T4N, T&P survey.

Amoco Production will drill the No. 52-A T. J. Good in the Jo Mill field, 30 miles southwest of Gail. Also set for 7,400 feet, location is in Section 34, Block 33, T4N, T&P survey.

Amoco Production will drill the No. 51-A T. J. Good in the Jo Mill field, 30 miles southwest of Gail. Scheduled for 7,400 feet, location is in Section 36, Block 33, T4N, T&P survey.

Amoco Production will drill the No. 49-A T. J. Good in the Jo Mill field, 30 miles southwest of Gail. Also scheduled for 7,400 feet, location is in Section 36, Block 33, T4N, T&P survey.

Nolan County

B&F Operating has completed the No. 2 Wayne Lister in the Divide east field, three miles east of Nolan. The project was finaled to produce 29 barrels of 46 gravity oil and 20 barrels of water.

Gas-oil ratio was 16,836-1 with perforations from 3,581-597 feet. Location is in Section 289, Block 64, H&TC survey.

Grand Energy will drill the No. 1 Grand McReynolds in the Divide field, one mile south of Nolan. Planned for a depth of 6,900 feet, location is in Section 284, Block 64, H&TC survey.

Howard County

Exxon Corp. will drill the No. 17-B E. W. Douthit in the Howard-Glasscock field, 15.5 miles southeast of Big Spring. Planned for a depth of 4,200 feet. Location is in Section 3, Block K, TTRR survey.

ARCO Oil and Gas has completed the No. 15-C E. W. Douthit in the Howard-Glasscock field, 14 miles southeast of Big Spring. The venture produced 32 barrels of 23.8 gravity oil and 56 barrels of water.

Gas-oil ratio was 438-1 with perforations from 2,569-3,120 feet. Location is in Section 123, Block 29, W&NW survey.

Maralo Inc. will drill the No. 7 J. B. Ryan in the Luther southwest field, 10 miles north of Big Spring. Planned for a depth of 10,100 feet, location is in Section 34, Block 32, T2N, T&P survey.

Kent County

Mobil Producing has completed the No. 761-C Salt Creek Unit in the Salt Creek field, nine miles northwest of Clairemont. The venture produced 384 barrels of 39.2 gravity oil and 384 barrels of water.

Gas-oil ratio was 234-1 with perforations from 6,390-514 feet. Location is in Section 167, Block G, W&NW survey.

Garza County

Campbell Oil Ltd. has completed the No. 4-41-4 PLK in the Happy field, 12 miles south of Post. The well produced 73 barrels of 38.8 gravity oil. Perforations were from 8,332-350 feet, and location is in Section 1, Block 2, T&NO survey.

John L. Cox will drill the No. 1 Connell Estate, an 8,200-foot wildcat eight miles southeast of Post. Location is in Section 37, Block 5, GH&H survey.

Maralo Inc. will drill the No. 2 Kirkpatrick, an 8,300-foot wildcat 6.5 miles northwest of Justiceburg. Location is in Section 14, Block 5, GH&H survey.

Union Oil of California will drill the No. 17-C K. Stoker, a 5,400-foot wildcat five miles northwest of Justiceburg. Location is in Section 938, Block 97, H&TC survey.

Starkey Oilfield Services Inc. has completed the No. 1 Connell in the Post field, 10 miles east of Post. The well produced six barrels of 38.1 gravity oil. Perforations were from 2,845-848 feet, and location is in Section 78, Block 5, GH&H survey.

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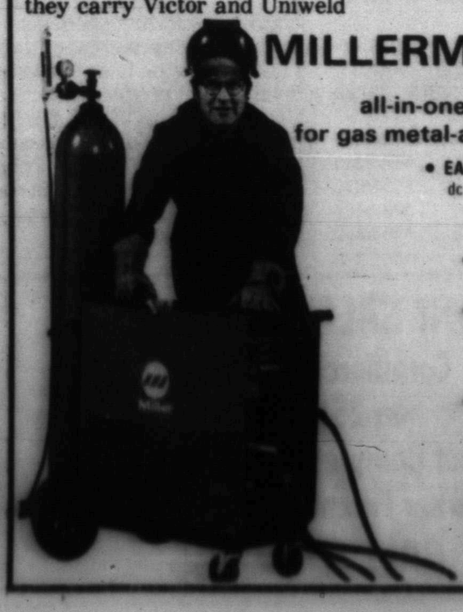

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