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Brezhnev Quiets Fears Today Of Soviets Invading Poland

PRAGUE, Czechoslovakia (AP) — Soviet President Leonid I. Brezhnev today quieted fears of Soviet military intervention in Poland, saying the Polish Communist Party would be able to deal with its problems.

Meanwhile, the Czechoslovak news agency reported that the Warsaw Pact maneuvers were completed today, three weeks after they began, and that the participating forces were "returning to the places of their permanent stationing."

The maneuvers had raised fears that the Soviet-led forces would intervene to crush the independent labor movement in Poland. The Soviets still have at least 20,000 troops permanently stationed in Poland.

Brezhnev in a speech to the Czechoslovak Communist Party Congress charged that enemies of socialism were using "economic pressure and blackmail" as well as "propaganda lies, ruses and demagogy" against Poland's communist regime.

But the 74-year-old Soviet leader said the Polish party "with the support of all true Polish patriots" would be able to

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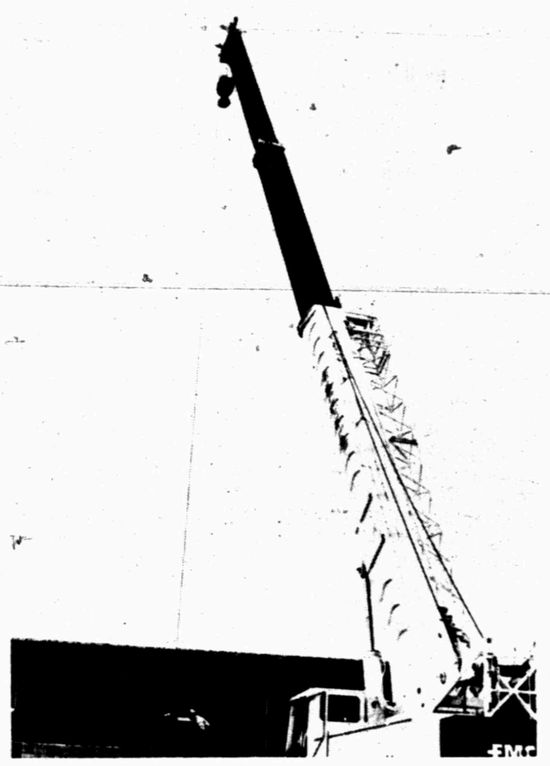

REACHING HIGH—A crane stretches high in the air to lift structural steel into place at the First National Bank Building, where construction work is moving along steadily. (SDN Staff Photo)

Tuesday update

New Storms Developing

By The Associated Press

Partly cloudy to sunny skies and seasonably cool temperatures across most of the country followed on the heels of weekend rains. But new storms were developing over in the Northwest, from the Pacific Coast to the central Rockies.

While it was cold and clear overnight for most of the nation, widely scattered showers fell from southern Minnesota to northern Colorado. Isolated showers also dotted eastern Texas and southern Florida, and there were scattered rain and snow showers in the northern Rockies and the Pacific Northwest.

Coal Miners Call Meet

WASHINGTON (AP) — The United Mine Workers' bargaining council is being summoned to the nation's capital for a strategy session amid signs the coal strike — and resulting layoffs of staff personnel — are causing dissension within the union.

UMW President Sam Church, in seclusion since union members rejected a tentative three-year contract with the soft-coal industry a week ago, notified the 39 bargaining council members of Friday's meeting, spokesman Eldon Callen said.

The nature of the meeting was not immediately known. Church remained unavailable for comment, but Callen said it was likely the session would involve plotting the UMW's next move.

Syria Says No Compromise

BEIRUT, Lebanon (AP) — Syria vowed today to reject any compromise with the Christians it is fighting in eastern Lebanon despite a U.S. warning that Israel may intervene on the Christian side, official sources reported.

The sources reported the Syrian stand was made plain to Lebanon's Christian President Elias Sarkis and Moslem Prime Minister Shafik Wazzan even before the dispatch of Syrian Foreign Minister Abdul Halim Khaddam to Beirut for talks today.

Wading Through Spending Package

WASHINGTON (AP) — Congress is wading through spending packages with sharply differing numbers from both President Reagan and House Democrats, trying to decide which one really adds up to a lower deficit, less inflation and the elusive goal of a balanced budget.

House Democrats unveiled a $713.5 billion alternative to Reagan's 1982 economic package Monday, calling for a much smaller budget deficit, a smaller tax cut, less spending for defense and more for social programs.

"We have put this budget together using real numbers," said Rep. James R. Jones, D-Okla., chairman of the House Budget Committee. "There are no magic tricks here."

The package presented by Jones said the $695.5 billion budget put forth by the Reagan administration actually would cost $717.8 billion.

White House budget director David A. Stockman acknowledged that it is difficult to compare the administration's budget with the Democratic alternative because the two spending plans use different economic assumptions and methods of calculation to estimate costs.

The result is "a very murky" disagreement over spending and revenue levels, Stockman said.

The House Budget Committee was beginning consideration of the Democratic plan today. The Democrats who control the panel were expected to have little trouble in bringing the plan outlined by Jones to the House floor intact.

Ask Us

Q.—Which towns would I look for on the map to get to the Bluebonnet Trail area of Texas?

A.—Bluebonnets cover a big area of the hill country of Central Texas, but the "trail" is mostly in and around a triangle formed by Burnet, Marble Falls and Llano, all of which are northwest of Austin.

At Council Session...

Gas Rate Ordinance Gets Final Approval

A new rate ordinance designed to increase Lone Star Gas Company's revenues here by six percent was approved on second and final reading last night by the Snyder City Council.

The new rates had been under study since last November when the gas company submitted application for an increase.

In other business, the council authorized the mayor to continue a lease with RS&P Railroad for property on the east side of the municipal garage at a nominal rental fee and approved the purchase of a three-wheeled motorcycle for use by the water department from Key Bros. Implement Co. The local firm submitted the only bid of $1,500.

The council agreed to consider recommendations of the staff at the May meeting for appointment of two members to the Colorado River Municipal Water District and to the Zoning Board of Adjustments.

An ordinance closing the westernmost portion of 13th St. was approved on first reading. The action was requested by C. A. White Trucking Co. and P. P. L. T. Corp.

A request to close portions of Peyton Ave. and Austin Ave. in North Snyder submitted by The Western Co. was tabled, pending acquisition of abutting property by the company, after which the request will be considered again.

An ordinance closing an alley in the Snyder Oaks Subdivision to clear the way for replatting a 4.256-acre tract was approved on first reading. The action was requested by John Reed and Dennis Chisum.

Marty Hammond, who had requested city sewer service for Block 15, Helms Subdivision, which is just outside the city, was advised to request annexation and indicated that he would do so.

The council approved city participation in expanding the city computer's memory capacity so that the county clerk's office may be added to those using the computer and the county tax office use may be increased.

The Snyder Chamber of Commerce was granted permission to stage a fireworks display July 4 in Towle Memorial Park, and City Manager John Gayle was appointed to represent the city on the Senior Citizens Advisory Board.

Also approved was a proposal to give the county a used warning siren. The city manager said two 20-year-old sirens remained after the city installed a new emergency warning system this spring and that the city would keep one as a spare.

The city manager reported that 349 animals were vaccinated on "Pet Vaccination Day" here March 28. The same event last year resulted in 343 vaccinations, and in 1979, the total was 420. The vaccinations at the special spring clinic are expected to decline now that the city requires that all animals impounded be vaccinated before they are released from the pound.

Following action on the regular agenda, the council went into executive session to discuss legal matters. Later they re-opened the session and adjourned without taking any action.

Mayor Milton Ham presided. Council members attending were Dr. John Best, Ed Thrift, Dr. Joe Reaves, Don Gressett, David Holt and Rod Waller.

WEDGE TURNER

Turner Heads Committee For July 4

Wedge Turner, manager of Lone Star Gas Co. here, has accepted appointment as general chairman of the annual July 4th Celebration this year.

Turner's appointment was announced by Truett Bryan, chamber president.

Various committees will begin work soon planning for the event which attracts thousands to Towle Memorial Park here each year, said Bill Warner, chamber manager.

The city council last night granted permission for the chamber to stage the fireworks display, which is the closing event each year for the Independence Day activity.

Schools Dismiss Early Wednesday

Snyder Public Schools will dismiss classes at 2:30 p. m. Wednesday, an hour earlier than usual.

Buses will run at that hour.

Teachers will be involved in staff development sessions for the remainder of the day.

WIN SWEEPSTAKES—The Snyder FFA Judging teams won sweepstakes at the West Texas State University FFA Judging Contests in Canyon Saturday. Approximately 100 schools competed. Pictured from left, kneeling is the Plant Identification Team, which placed first: Jeff Gilbert, placed second in individual; Rickey Thompson, first; and Roy Thompson, third. The Range and Pasture team also took first: Jeff Murphree, second in individual; Danny Proctor, fourth; and John Bloom, 7th. Standing, is the Crops Team which placed seventh: Bill Wilson, Jeff Miner and Luke Proctor. The Dairy Cattle Team placed fifth and included Clay Willingham, Jimmy Autry and Ricky Summers. The Meats Team placed sixth and included Riley Kitchens, Kelly Tolbert, and (not pictured) Noah Bilano. (SDN Staff Photo)

18 Indictments Returned Here

A Scurry County Grand Jury returned 18 indictments involving 16 individuals in a session which began at 9 a. m. and ended at 6 p. m. Monday.

Four of the indictments involved charges of sexual abuse of a child, with Leo Orosco charged in three counts and Ruby Robinson charged in one count. He is charged with committing sex acts with two minor girls and she is charged with engaging in deviate sexual activity with a minor girl in one count. District Judge Wayland G. Holt set bonds of $25,000 for Orosco on each of the three counts, and $25,000 for Ms. Robinson also.

The original complaints in the cases against Orosco and Ms. Robinson were filed by Lt. Steve Warren of the Snyder Police Dept.

Mark Wesley Kelley and Steven Wayne Kelley were indicted on charges of unauthorized use of a vehicle. They are charged with using a 1978 Mercury owned by Clifford Mayfield without the owner's consent. Bond for each was set at $5,000.

Clinton W. Cranfill also was indicted on a charge of unauthorized use of a vehicle. He is charged with using a truck belonging to L. L. Allen without the owner's consent. His bond was set at $3,000.

Benito Ortegon was indicted on a charge of assaulting a peace officer. He is charged with assaulting H. D. Burns, a city policeman, on March 11.

William Anthony Lindsey Jr. and James Dennis were indicted on criminal mischief charges. They are charged with breaking the windshield of an automobile owned by Ran-

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Compromise In Drinking Bill

AUSTIN, Texas (AP) — A compromise bill that would raise Texas' legal drinking age from 18 to 19 was approved today by House-Senate negotiators.

The measure next returns to the floor of the House and Senate, where retail grocers and other alcoholic beverage sellers are expected to lobby heavily to have it rejected.

"We are going to try to run with it in the House and Senate," said Sen. Bill Sarpalius, D-Hereford, sponsor of the bill.

Asked if he thought the measure could get through the two houses, he replied, "We'll have to wait and see. ... I don't know how much pressure the lobby is going to put on."

The sticking point has been a House provision that makes conviction for selling alcohol to a minor — in this case, someone under 19 — a virtual certainty if the seller failed to request a valid driver's license or other proof of age bearing a photograph.

SNYDER TEMPERATURES: High Monday, 71 degrees; low, 43 degrees; reading at 7 a. m. today, 54 degrees; precipitation, none; total precipitation for 1981 to date. 1.66.

West Texas — Windy and warmer today. Increasing cloudiness tonight, partly cloudy Wednesday and not so warm north. Highs 80s. Lows low 40s mountains to low 60s Big Bend. Highs Wednesday upper 60s north to mid 90s Big Bend.

The SDN Column

Every time there is an election, people are reminded that one vote can be decisive, and once-in-a-while there is an election that proves it.

The Snyder School District had this experience Saturday when a single vote separated two candidates for a place on the board. We hear stories about these things happening in other places and those who try to get out the vote harp on them so much that some voters apparently ignore them. Then, along comes an example.

To say that a very small percentage of the eligible voters cast ballots in last Saturday's election would be an understatement. Nevertheless, just one was decisive.

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Del Hirst, who listened to broadcasts from Britain immediately following the attempted assassination of President Ronald Reagan, says the radio commentators and newspapers there had plenty to say about it. Almost all of their reactions were similar to those in this country and when they learned that the president had walked into the hospital under his own power following the shooting, despite a serious wound, a Daily Mail editorial was quoted: "John Wayne would have been proud of him."

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Astronomers intrigue us. Astronomy has had a big role in the space program and prior to that in many facets of our lives. Just how these people are able to calculate where and when the heavenly bodies will appear is beyond us, but they do.

Some people confuse astronomy with astrology. Astronomy is a science.

Since March 26 we have been interested in reports of a meteorite that apparently fell in this area. Oscar Monnig of Fort Worth, who calls himself an amateur astronomer, but who is recognized as a serious practitioner by the professionals, has been collecting information on these reports. Our most recent correspondence with him indicated that he was certain that a metrorite actually had fallen near Snyder, but he said one piece of inormation was missing. There should have been a noise similar to that made by an airplane breaking the sound barrier where the meteorite entered the earth's atmosphere. He judged that it should have been heard somewhere between Snyder and Sweetwater.

Well, Sunday night, we got a call from the Dennis Dooleys who live east of Hermleigh in Fisher County. They put us in touch with Jerry Hodges of Claytonville who not only saw the flash of the meteorite, but also heard the boom. It sounded like a mortar shell exploding, he said. The Dooleys also heard it, although they live closer to the Scurry County line. The flash caused his house to light up, despite the fact that the curtains were closed.

This should clinch it, according to Monnig, and there should be some meteorite roeks near that area, possibly to the north of it.

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The cactus patch philosopher says diet book authors live off the fat of the land.—WACIL McNAIR

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legends of hitler

It is disappointing but not surprising that a growing segment of people in West Germany look back on the era of the Nazi fuhrer. Adolph Hitler, as the "good old days."

A leading magazine (Der Spiegel) reported a year-long survey had been completed, showing that 18 percent of the 6,968 voters consulted nationwide agreed that "under Hitler, Germany really had it better."

If Germany were in a economic strait-jacket, struggling against hopeless odds to control inflation, the stance taken by that 18 percent might be easier to understand — after all, Hitler promised his party and its supporters "today Germany, tomorrow the world," or words to that effect. Germany, however, has regained much of its industrial muscle and does a comparatively decent job of keeping the monster Inflation caged and manageable.

The German Chancellor, Helmut Schmidt, professed to be alarmed over the results of the poll, so much so that his government had been keeping the results under wraps since it was completed last year.

Some races of people have never been too enthusiastic about democracy, and the Germans may qualify for inclusion into that group. After all, the nation developed its greatest vitality under such men as Bismarck, Kaiser Wilhelm and Hitler.

The fundamental doctrines of Nazism seem to appeal to a host of modernday Germans. It is one thing to have an extreme rightest world view and something else again to be willing to violate the rights of other people who might be in the way of attaining that kind of society. All too often, setting out to achieve extreme ideologies calls for taking extreme methods and a lot of mankind can get hurt under such conditions.

Most of today's potential Nazis are more than half a century old, according to the magazine, which would make them old enough to remember Hitler. Hitler came into power in Germany as early as 1933 and remained in command until he took his own life in a Berlin bunker in 1945.

The survey also showed that among rightists in Germany there was widespread resentment of the United States, perhaps because the German people felt deep down they could have knocked down Russia and conquered the Allies during WW II, had not America hurried to the side of England.

The results of the survey make one wonder what will happen to the Hitler legend in another 40 to 50 years. Will he become a folk hero to much of mankind. Even now, to many, his only sin was failing in his mission.

my turn

by john dunnam

First it was cigarettes, then when they saw how much attention could be had, they slowly started adding things to the list until the inevitable happened—now they claim to have found a link between cancer and coffee.

Do you get the feeling that somewhere in those squeaky-clean laboratories there is a sinister group of scientists intent on worrying us to death?

Also on their list are other little items like bacon, peanut butter and depending on where you live, drinking water. There seems to be a pattern here. If its not something we positively can't do without, its something that we positively don't want to do without, like peanut butter. Can you imagine life without peanut butter?

And whatever the passion, nobody gets off the hook. After giving cigarettes a bad name the scientists laid low until snuff and other forms of "smokeless tobacco" caught on. Then when they noticed that every kid from 12 to 80 had a Skoal ring on the back pocket of his jeans, they casually announce that there seems to be a higher incidence of oral cancer among chewers and dippers than among the regular population. By regular population I assume they mean people who don't drink water, coffee or eat peanut butter, bacon, etc.

In this day of budget cutting how much longer can the tobacco growers keep their government subsidies with this kind of press? It may be time to put a check on our over zealous scientists. I suggest that instead of educating them we elect them at large from the population like politicians. Lets return science to the people. Only then can we start looking for the real culprits in our crusade against cancer.

We might start with Johnny Carson's suggestion. He said in the end we may find that laboratory mice cause cancer.

I have my own pet theories. Has anyone ever checked to see if there is any correlation between high taxes and cancer? I also have my doubts about buttermilk, daytime TV, Howard Cosell and most states east of the Mississippi.

Maybe if we can't cure it, we can make it respectable. Surely there is something good to be said about the malady that along with heart disease and automobiles keeps the herd thinned.

Cancer isn't discriminatory. Rich or poor, black or white, it makes no difference.

It isn't particularly concerned with age either. My dad has been smoking cigarettes well over 50 years. I remember last year, a day after we had hauled hay, that he was sore only in a way that people who have hauled hay the day before can appreciate. As he lifted up his stiff, aching arms to light another cigarette, someone said. "Fred, them cigarettes are going to kill you."

"They're going to have to hurry," he groaned.

thoughts

The laws about vows make 60 the dividing line between mature and aged people. The redemption price of a person over 60 is less than that of a person under 60, probably presuming diminished usefulness after 60. The aged, however, enjoyed respect. A precept in the Holiness Code directs one to rise up before the hoary head and to honor the face of an old man (Lev. 19:32). Job expresses the idea generally held that age gives wisdom and understanding.

"With the ancient is wisdom, and in length of days understanding." — Job 12:12

paul harvey

profile of an assassin

You have to live in a polyglot, homogenous, ethnic potpourri like Chicago to fully understand what I am about to say.

Whenever the first announcement of a sensational crime crackles over the air or smears itself in a huge headline across the doorstep, the Jewish listener or reader immediately closes his eyes.

His second prayer is, "Please, God, don't let the criminal have a Jewish name."

The black citizen's second prayer is, "Don't let the criminal be black..."

And so on -- Polish, Greek, Italian...

Each racial or ethnic group which has suffered from being stereotyped has, as its second concern, its own image.

Well...

The accused in the March 30 shooting in Washington is white -- an upper middle-class 25-year-old blond named Hinckley -- whose parents are conservative Christian suburban Denver, Colo., Republicans.

Is there no way we can profile prospective assassins -- so that we can intercept them before they act?

Psychiatrists who have made a study of American assassins -- of the individuals who have shot at eight of our nation's 40 presidents -- find significant common denominators:

-- They are socially isolated individuals.

-- Each assassin was a reasonably young, adult, white male -- physically slight.

-- While most identify with some political purpose, in no case was the purpose served by his heinous misdeed. In each case,he wasted himself.

John Wilkes Booth killed Lincoln AFTER the war was over.

Garfield's assassin was involved in Republican party strife, which his act compounded.

McKinley's assassin was an anarchist. The Puerto Rican group which tried to kill President Truman defeated its own avowed objective.

John Hinckley Jr. joined a neo-Nazi socialist organization in Chicago but was expelled because, its leader says, "He was a nut; wanted to kill people and blow up things.

So the answer is no -- we cannot anticipate an assassin. Logic does not apply when dealing with an irrational individual.

Former President Ford said it: "There is no way to outrun a bullet; no way to protect a president from a kook.

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Berry's World

"No more kiss-and-tell lobbyists for the rest of the day!"

commentary

donald f. graff

Well, so we've done it again.

We, the press of the United States of America, that is.

It was just a few days ago that a State Department senior official was taking us to task for overplaying the El Salvador story. That's the same story, you may recall, that was Secretary of State Alexander Haig's very own favorite subject in non-stop testimony at congressional hearings until the crisis over crises suddenly diverted his attention and ours.

Now the White House press secretary says we've gone and blown that one out of all proportion. Merely because the secretary's run-in with Vice President George Bush over top billing on the administration's crisis-management team involved 1) Haig's publicly declaring against Bush's getting the job hours before Bush actually did, 2) reports of Haig's repeated threats to resign over this and other tussles for foreign-policy primacy (eight or nine times in the administration's first 65 days, the New York Times heard) and 3) presidential intervention to keep a semblance of peace among his top aides.

Worse, the president himself proceeded to chastise us for trying to make the news instead of being content to report it.

Clearly the press can't do anything right, at least not anything in any way connected with coverage of this administration's problems in lining up its foreign-policy procedures and priorities. Even though those involved in this crucial area of any new administration's responsibilities have so publicly hit Washington running into each other.

It would be one thing if the Haig-Bush fracas were an isolated incident. Although a pretty big thing, considering the intimations of a secretary of state challenging his own president. Americans have had plenty of experience with strong presidents working with strong foreign-policy directors — Richard Nixon and Henry Kissinger, Dwight Eisenhower and John Foster Dulles, Harry Truman and Dean Acheson. But the emphasis is on "working with."

You have to go back to Truman, again, and James F. Byrnes to find a relationship characterized less by mutual trust and confidence than by conflict. Byrnes took very seriously an ex-officio status as "assistant president" earned in many prestigious capacities before he arrived at the State Department. That relationship didn't last long.

But the crisis crisis is not isolated. It follows the now-you-see-it, now-you-don't manipulation of El Salvador as the national security challenge of the decade to date. It coincides with U.N. Ambassador Jeane J. Kirkpatrick's secret — from the ambassador's State Department bosses in particular — meeting with a South African military delegation that had slipped undiplomatically into the country. Then there was the recent signal — members of this would-be team seem to be great on signals to everyone except each other — from a National Security Council official to the Soviets that they had better shed their Communist ways or face the consequences: War.

Ane yet it is the press, we are told, that is making and overplaying news.

Every new administration can be excused its trials and inevitable errors in melding philosophical convictions, campaign promises and political realities into a coordinated foreign policy. And in assembling an effective and reasonably harmonious policy-managing team from individuals with diverse and frequently competitive interests, a process that inevitably generates internal power plays.

What cannot be excused is blaming the reporters of news for the bad news that is an equally inevitable consequence. In the present situation in particular, the press has every justification to spotlight the twists, reversals and clashes of Haig and company.

It does not require much memory to recall those pre-inauguration critiques of the Carter administration's management of foreign policy as inconsistent, confusing, self-contradictory and enunciated by too many different voices. The Reagan team promised changes when they took over and that is one election promise on which they must be given full credit for rapid delivery.

There certainly have been changes, but so far they appear to be mainly for the worse.

looking back

from the sdn files

10 YEARS AGO

Winning top honors in livestock judging at contests held at Abilene Christian College was a Fluvanna FFA team composed of Larry White, Steve Beaver, Randy Gill and Richard Gill.

Officers of the Travis Junior High Band were Debbie Fields, Captain; Christi Meynig, first lieutenant, and Barry Keller, second lieutenant.

A magnesium ingot was presented to the Borden County Museum by American Magnesium Co.

Joseph D. Hinton, John Boren and Joe Sentell were elected to the Snyder City Council.

15 YEARS AGO

City Secretary K. O. Pitner administered the oath of office to the following newly-elected city officials: M. L. Broman, mayor; James Kincaid and Jack Lawrence. Rayburn Burgess, another new councilman, was out of town.

The Colorado River Municipal Water District and the City of Midland agreed on a contract for the district to provide additional water supplies for Midland.

Officers elected by the VFW auxiliary were Maxine Norris, president; Bonnie Timora, senior vice president; Idell Clay, junior vice president; Dorothy Lane, treasurer; Francine Spivey, chaplain; Dorothy Taggart, conductress; Nell Fowler, guard, and Maude McIntyre, three-year trustee.

20 YEARS AGO

Cyrus B. Miller Jr. of Arlington was named credit manager at Cogdell Memorial Hospital.

R. O. Thomas, science teacher at Snyder High School, joined Glenn Richardson, a former science teacher here, to judge a science fair at Midland.

Eldon and Weldon Perry, A. D. Groseclose Jr. and James Ince were installed as new members of the Hermleigh Lions Club.

The Rev. Jimmie Nelson, pastor of Colonial Hill Baptist Church, was advised that his doctoral dissertation had been approved at Southwestern Baptist Theological Seminary.

25 YEARS AGO

Bob Clinton, Snyder High School Choral Music Director, announced a spring tour for the SHS choir to include Cisco, Eastland, Brownwood, San Angelo and Colorado City.

Officers elected by the Suburban Study Club were Mrs. W. M. Tooley, president; Mrs. Douglas Horn, first vice president; Mrs. J. D. Richardson, second vice president; Mrs. Karl McFall, secretary, and Mrs. Earl Kirk, treasurer.

J. Leo Whalen of Altus, Okla. was named assistant manager of the J. M. McDonald Co. department store on the west side of the Snyder square.

Members of the Snyder High School volleyball team that placed second in the District 3-AA tournament at Abilene were Viola Hinojos, Oma Ivison, Lawanna Row, Anna Lou Joines, Charlotte Chauncy and Janell Moore.

30 YEARS AGO

Presentation of two stage shows highlighted the formal opening of Snyder Truck and Tractor.

For the first time in history, a two-way radio was installed in a Borden County law enforcement officer's car. Sheriff Sid Reeder looked forward to being able to keep in contact with other officers in the area.

Eight new members were were inducted by the Board of Stewards of First Methodist church. They were R. J. Alexander, Dr. John Blum, Aubrey Cox, Charles Tyer, J. W. Phillips, Glen C. Snyder, Bob Eastus and Clyde Hall.

BARBS

Phil Pastoret

A neighbor who had his outdoor gas-fired grill stolen says that the thief is obviously planning a crookout.

Add to your collection of collective nouns: A smirk of clerks in a prestige shoppe.

The new 18-cent stamp has a "B" instead of a picture on it for "broke," maybe?

ASTRO·GRAPH

Bernice Bede Osol

Your Birthday

April 8, 1981

This coming year you may launch a project or enterprise which you create yourself. However, you may need assistance to pull it off properly. Don't be afraid to share.

ARIES (March 21-April 19) Your enthusiasm is easily aroused today, but what's more important is that you're not apt to sit on ideas which excite you. You'll get them done, and properly. Romance, travel, luck, resources, possible pitfalls and career for the coming months are all discussed in your Astro-Graph which begins with your birthday. Mail $1 for each to Astro-Graph, Box 489, Radio City Station, N.Y. 10019. Be sure to specify birth date.

TAURUS (April 20-May 20) There are goings-on at this time which may be partially screened from your view, yet they could benefit you materially. A helpful friend may bring them to your attention.

GEMINI (May 21-June 20) Friends know they can depend on you today, so don't be too surprised if they call upon you to manage situations they can't handle.

CANCER (June 21-July 22) Goals or secret ambitions you've set for yourself can be fulfilled today, but it may require all the imagination you can muster to do so. Think!

LEO (July 23-Aug. 22) Pats on the back will mean a lot to friends and associates today. If you see a pal starting to falter, step in and boost his ego.

VIRGO (Aug. 23-Sept. 22) This is a good day to implement well-thought-out changes which you feel could better your position in life or add to your resources. Get moving.

LIBRA (Sept. 23-Oct. 23) Persons with whom you associate will have a great effect upon your attitude today, so it behooves you to team up with individuals you inspire you to spend your time productively.

SCORPIO (Oct. 24-Nov. 22) What you have to offer by way of expertise or service has great value today. Don't be afraid to ask a realistic price for your skills.

SAGITTARIUS (Nov. 23-Dec. 21) Others find you an amicable person to begin with, and today they appreciate your virtues even more than usual. Your easygoing style wins allies.

CAPRICORN (Dec. 22-Jan. 19) One thing which makes you so effective today: You know how to get at the root of matters and build upon the basics. Dig and proceed.

AQUARIUS (Jan. 20-Feb. 19) You're a take-charge type today who is able to lead others because you set the proper example. You'll not demand what you won't ask of yourself.

PISCES (Feb. 20-March 20) Don't let situations hang today which are important materially. Wrap them up now, even if it means you have to put in a few hours overtime.

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Dear Abby

House Privileges Don't Include Sex

By Abigail Van Buren

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DEAR ABBY: Our son Bob, who is 18, has been having sexual relations with his girlfriend, Terri, who is also 18. She's on the pill. I spoke with Bob and Terri openly about this and told them I was opposed to premarital sex on religious and moral grounds. I also knew that they would continue, but I told them that they were *not* to bring their sex into our home!

Last weekend my husband and I went out of town and asked our married daughter to stay at our house to look after our dogs. When we returned home, we were told that Bob had sneaked Terri into his bedroom and she spent the night with him!

We told Bob we knew that Terri had slept at our home, and he said, "I am 18 and can do as I please."

Bob is basically a good boy. He doesn't do drugs and has an average record in school. He is graduating in May and we had promised him a new car. After last weekend, we reversed our decision and told him if he can't respect our wishes and our home, he doesn't deserve a new car.

My question: Do you think we were justified to reverse our decision for that reason?

DISAPPOINTED PARENTS

DEAR PARENTS: No. You promised Bob the car unconditionally. The punishment you imposed was inappropriate for the crime.

However, an 18-year-old who lives with his parents and is supported by them is not entitled to do as he pleases. If he's under their roof, he lives under their rules.

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DEAR ABBY: I have been engaged to Jess for four years. He says he loves me, but I am beginning to wonder. I am 37 and Jess is 55. His wife died six years ago, and he says he can't marry me until his wife's will is settled and all business is taken care of. (She had a lot of holdings and real estate.)

After we became engaged, Jess asked me to give up my little house and move into his mother's big home and look after her. His mother is 91, and at times she is totally confused. I have to watch her carefully or she will walk outside with nothing on.

Every time I mention getting married, Jess accuses me of rushing him. I feel as though I am being used.

A priest advised me to forget Jess, but whenever I tell him I'm moving out, he assures me he loves me and we will be married "soon."

How much more time should I give him?

HAD IT IN NORTH DAKOTA

DEAR HAD IT: If you don't have that ring on your finger by the Fourth of July, kiss Jess goodbye and declare your independence.

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DEAR ABBY: I could not believe the letter from WAITING IN WASHINGTON who asked you how much to charge her elderly mother-in-law for room and board. She says she is providing Mother with many "extras" that she couldn't get in a nursing home.

I submit that over the years, Mother provided her son with countless "extras" that he couldn't get in an orphanage.

Here in Korea where people have far less than in America, it is the eldest son's "privilege" (not duty) to take care of his parents when they are no longer able to take care of themselves. Old age and its accompanying wisdom are deeply respected. We Americans would do well to emulate this approach.

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COMMUNITY CALENDAR

TUESDAY

Art Guild Study Club, Martha Ann Woman's Club, hostesses are Mary Devenport and Clara Mae Noah, 6:30 p.m.

If you are interested in losing weight, meet with TOPS 56, Snyder, at the National Guard Armory, 6:30 p.m.

Single Alternative Meeting, Fellowship Hall of First United Methodist Church, 7 p.m. to 10 p.m.

WEDNESDAY

Altrurian Daughter's Club, book review by Bobbie Steakly, Martha Ann Woman's Club, 3:30 p.m.

Mayflower Extension Homemakers Club, Coliseum annex, guests are welcome, 7 p.m.

Ira Booster Club, school library, 8 p.m.

Sparkle City Squares, National Guard Armory, workshop at 8 p.m., square dance lessons at 8:30 p.m.

THURSDAY

Women's Tennis Association, Snyder Country Club, 9:30 a.m.

Snyder Palette Club, Paint Day, Ag building, Scurry County Coliseum, 9-5.

Necomers luncheon, Reddy Room at Texas Electric, Margaret Drum on Spring Fashions, 10:30.

Scurry County Retired Teachers, meeting at the Senior Center. 2 p.m.

Hope For Tomorrow Weight Control class, community room of Snyder National Bank, 6:30 p.m., enrollment at 6 p.m.

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

Stargazers Extension Homemakers, Coliseum, Genealogies by Dale Neves and workshop on flower making. 7 p.m.

Musical Coterie, Martha Ann Woman's Club, hostesses are Vera Holsinger and Monette O'Day, 8 p.m.

Western Texas College, NIRA rodeo, 8 p.m., Scurry County Coliseum.

FRIDAY

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

Western Texas College, NIRA rodeo, 2 p.m. and 8 p.m.

Newcomers Pot Luck Supper, Towle Park Barn, 7 p.m.

SATURDAY

Western Texas College NIRA rodeo, 2 p.m. and 8 p.m., Scurry County Coliseum.

People Without Partners, Snyder Country Club, 1:30 p.m.

Diamond M Musuem, Open from 1 p.m. till 4 p.m.

SUNDAY

Western Texas College NIRA rodeo, 2 p.m., Scurry County Coliseum.

Scurry County Museum will be open 1-5 p.m., WTC campus.

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

Diamond M Museum, Open from 1 p.m. till 4 p.m.

BRIDGE

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Crackingly good defense

NORTH 4-7-81
♠K 9 5
♥10 8 2
♦A J 9 5
♣9 4 3

WEST
♠6
♥K 6
♦K 10 6 3
♣K Q J 10 7 2

EAST
♠8 7 4 3
♥7 5 3
♦Q 8 2
♣A 8 5

SOUTH
♠A Q J 10 2
♥A Q J 9 4
♦7 4
♣6

Vulnerable: Both
Dealer: South

West	North	East	South
			1♠
2♣	2♠	Pass	4♠
Pass	Pass	Pass	

Opening lead: ♣K

By Oswald Jacoby and Alan Sontag

Here is one of those so-called "book hands" with a surprise ending. Clubs are opened and continued.

South ruffs the second club with his 10 of trumps, plays the queen of trumps and then the deuce to dummy's nine. Now he leads the eight of hearts and finesses.

West takes his king and leads a third club. South makes the loser-on-loser play of discarding a diamond. That diamond was going to lose eventually so why not now? This leaves dummy's king of trumps to ruff the fourth club and South takes the rest of the tricks.

This is the sort of play that any expert is expected to make and does make, but it decided an important team match when the late John Crawford held the West cards.

Declarer made the expert play as expected, but when he led the eight of hearts and let it ride John let it hold. South tried the finesse again. Who wouldn't?

Now John took his king and led the third club. South discarded his losing diamond and John led a fourth club.

South ruffed in dummy, but the late Howard Schenken, sitting East, got to throw away his third and last heart. There was no way for South to get to his hand to pull the last trumps and he had to lose the hand and the match.

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HAPPY BIRTHDAY!

Judy D. is

45 today.

90TH BIRTHDAY—Shown above with her cake is Mrs. E.M. Davis, a resident of Snyder for 83 years. She was honored Saturday with a birthday party at the home of Patricia Nix, a granddaughter. (SDN Staff Photo)

Mrs. Davis Celebrates 90th Birthday

Mrs. E.M. Davis, 2904 Ave. N, celebrated her 90th birthday Saturday with a party with her family. Mrs. Davis moved here 83 years ago with her parents. She remembers traveling to Snyder from South Texas in a covered wagon.

Mrs. Davis has four children: Mrs. O.C. Heath, Plains; Mrs. Dalton Stanley, Center; Mrs. T.R. Derrick, Big Spring; and Mrs. C.W. Chapman, Dallas.

She also has 13 grandchildren, 28 great-grandchildren and 15 great-great-grandchildren.

Deadline Nears For Watercolor Workshop

April 17 is the deadline for registration for a watercolor workshop scheduled at Western Texas College on April 24 25.

Rob Erdle, assistant professor of art at North Texas State University, will instruct the workshop. Registration fee is $15 for both days, or $10 for one day, with fees payable in advance. Registrants will be sent a supply list upon receipt of their registration.

The session on April 24 will begin at 9 a. m. with a historical watercolor survey. At 11 a. m., students will be asked to build a unique structure from a still-life. Following a lunch break, a second painting session will feature surface and light as observed from a still-life.

On Saturday morning, Erdle will discuss contemporary watercolor and mixed media starting at 9 a. m. From 10-12 noon students will work on a landscape. From 1-3 p. m., a second painting time will focus on responses to the environment, also a landscape.

A 30-minute critique will follow each day's activities.

The workshop is designed for beginning as well as experienced watercolorists.

Details about the workshop may be obtained from the Fine Arts Division office at WTC, 573-8511, extension 234. Persons wishing to register by mail should send a check or money order for the required fee along with their name and mailing address to the Fine Arts Division, Western Texas College, Snyder.

CLEANING UP—Girls from Jr. Girl Scout troop 62 were busy recently cleaning litter from the Lamesa Highway. They are helping with the "Put the Sparkle Back into Sparkle City" campaign. Girls pictured, not in order, are Missy Gann, Teresa Weir, Judy Gann, leader, Dianne McCauley, Jo Carroll Merritt, Janice Ward, Wendy Martin, Renee Arnold, Amy Webster, Andrea Veazey, Donna Beggs and June Meurer, leader.

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Potatoes And Cheese

By Cecily Brownstone
Associated Press
Food Editor

DINNER FOR TWO
Veal Chops SwissPotatoes
Broccoli SaladBowl Fruit
CookieBars

SWISS POTATOES

The cheese adds interesting texture as well as flavor.

2 medium potatoes (each about 5 ounces)
¼ cup commercial sour cream
1-3rd cup grated (medium-fine), loosely packed Swiss cheese
Salt and pepper to taste

Pare potatoes, quarter and boil in a small amount of boiling water or steam until tender; drain and put through a ricer or a food mill. With a spoon beat in the sour cream, cheese, salt and pepper. Turn into a small, shallow baking dish (we used one designed for shirring eggs). Bake uncovered in a preheated 450-degree oven until very hot and sparsely tinged golden brown — about 15 minutes. Makes 2 large servings.

Special powers were attributed to the orange in Renaissance England, Italy and Sicily. It was believed witches could bring death to an enemy by pinning the victim's name to an orange and leaving the orange in a chimney.

HOSPITAL NOTES

ADMISSIONS: Ira Pruitt, 507 35th; Gregory Castillo, 3009 Ave. E; Gene Underwood, 1907 19th; Theresa Ashworth, 3714 Ave. U; Jay Cromenes, 2108 35th; Ann Chaney, 2605 Ave. J; Emma Huffman, 3741 Sunset; Gary Parks, Fluvanna; Wilber Mae Carter, Big Spring, Brian Hill, Spur; Cathy Guynes, Box 427; Estelle Haskins, 3807 Galveston; Jeral Beard, 2200 45th; Audrey Wasson, 2506 Ave. M; Walter Graham, Rotan; Becky Robinson, Rt. 1, Box 295; Vickie Alvarado, 2808 Ave. M; Bonnie Guynes, Rt. 1, Box 13.

DISMISSALS: Katherine Rogers, Melanie Lee, Patsy Smith, Veronica Garza, Walter Graham, James Martin, Verdie Clements, Sylvester Milton, Mary Hilcher, Casimiro Loyola, Georgia Butler, Loretta Curtis, Roy Reeder, D.D. Chandler, Elia Guitron.

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He will be in Abilene in late May.

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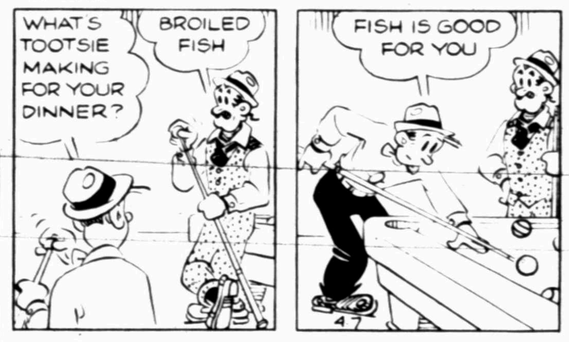

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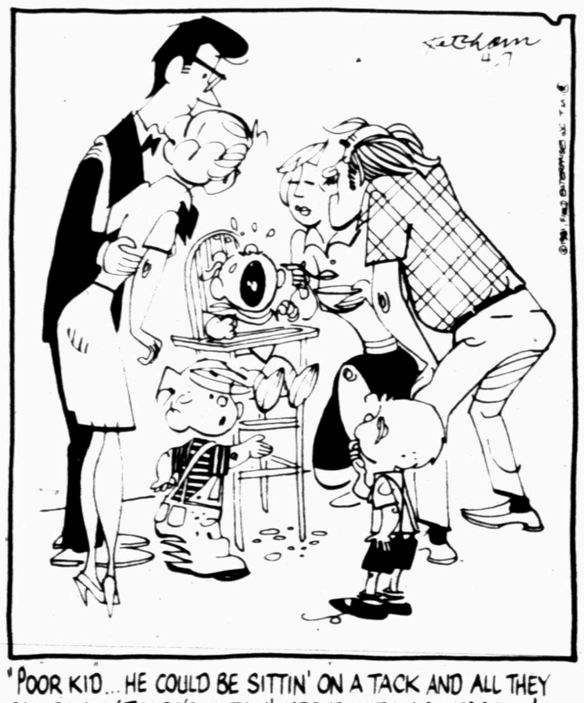

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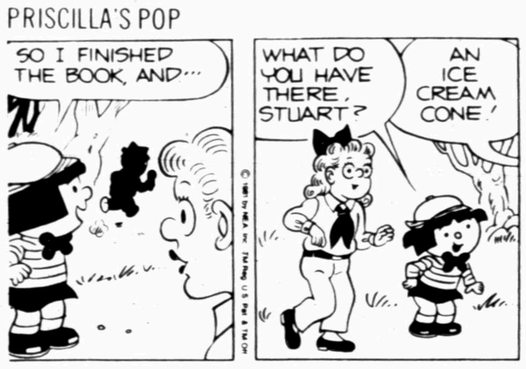

"POOR KID... HE COULD BE SITTIN' ON A TACK AND ALL THEY CAN SAY IS 'THERE'S NOTHIN' WRONG WITH HIS **LUNGS**!"

ACROSS

1 Beverages
5 Singer Harris
9 Give name to
12 Annoying feeling
13 Couch
14 Noun suffix
15 Gifts
17 Time zone (abbr.)
18 Foe
19 Internal parts
21 Behold (Lat.)
23 Alley
24 Pending
27 Rowing tools
29 Sky twinkler
32 Fill with love
34 Undivided
36 Thin cord
37 Repair shoe
38 Small quantity
39 Is indebted to
41 Grow drowsy
42 Her Majesty's ship (abbr.)
44 Branches of learning
46 Most moist
49 Queer
53 Greek letter
54 Easiest to handle
56 Mongrel dog
57 Is human
58 German negative
59 Lend a hand
60 Relax
61 Lohengrin's bride

DOWN

1 Rise and fall
2 Short jacket
3 Skin problem
4 Abasement
5 Greek letter
6 31st President
7 Former Spanish colony
8 Throwing rope
9 Fraud
10 Soviet Union (abbr.)
11 Beet genus
16 Powerful businessman
20 Law charges
22 Freight
24 Bandleader Arnaz
25 Biblical preposition
26 Astronaut's final direction
28 More dry
30 Folksinger Guthrie
31 Organ pipe
33 Resort city in Florida
35 Made home
40 Sprinkles
43 Surface drain
45 Net
46 Ten (prefix)
47 Small articles case
48 Term of royal address
50 Irish dance
51 Egyptian deity
52 Volcano in Italy
55 Landing boat

Answer to Previous Puzzle

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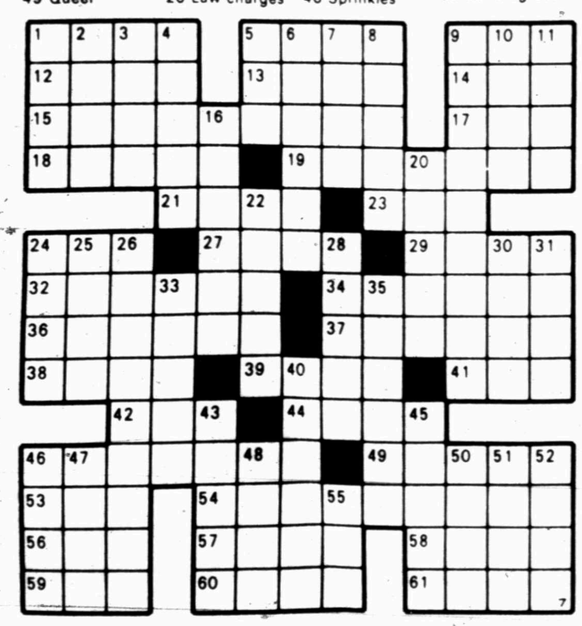

OUR BOARDING HOUSE with Major Hoople

'Racehorse' Tugs At Heartstrings Of Jury

By MICHAEL LUTZ
AP Writer

LIBERTY, Texas (AP) — Attorney Richard "Racehorse" Haynes, plucking at the emotions of the jury, timed his question dramatically: "If you succeed in taking Vickie Daniel's children away from her, are you prepared to answer them when they ask, 'Where's my mommy?'"

"Yes, sir," answered the Rev. David Murph, whose wife, Jean Daniel Murph, is seeking custody of Mrs. Daniel's two children from her stormy, four-year marriage to the late Price Daniel Jr., Mrs. Murph's brother.

Murph, pastor of the Community Christian Church of Richardson, said he thought Franklin Baldwin Daniel, 3, and Marion Price Daniel IV, 1, would be hurt at first if separated from their natural mother.

"But it would be worth it in the long run, if it benefited them for the rest of their lives," Murph said.

Mrs. Daniel is charged with murder in the Jan. 19 shooting of the former Texas House Speaker, who died of a gunshot wound in the stomach. She has admitted firing the shot but pleaded innocent, claiming Daniel beat and threatened her prior to his death.

Murph testified he had never observed any actions by Mrs. Daniel before Jan. 19 that were detrimental to her children.

When asked by Haynes if he had evidence Mrs. Daniel had done anything since then that was not in the best interests of her children, Murph replied, "Killing their father."

Murph said he became concerned about Mrs. Daniel after hearing his wife and Charlotte Daniel, his sister-in-law, complain about Mrs. Daniel emotional instability and accusations that she did not tell the truth.

Haynes pointed out that Murph never went to Mrs. Daniel to find out if the accusations were true. Murph said his wife's beliefs probably had influenced his opinion of Mrs. Daniel.

Mrs. Murph followed her husband to the witness stand and gave a different version of an abortion Mrs. Daniel said she had in 1978. Mrs. Daniel testified her husband did not want any more children and forced her to have an abortion.

"She (Mrs. Daniel) said she was deeply depressed after Franklin was born and she couldn't bear to have another child so she had the abortion and it just killed Price because he wanted another child," Mrs. Murph testified.

Mrs. Murph also said she visited Mrs. Daniel in the hospital following Daniel's death.

"She told me, 'You know I didn't mean to do it,'" Mrs. Murph testified. "I told her not to talk about it, that he was at peace, and she said, 'I won't believe it.'"

Board Sets Annual Meet

The 18th annual meeting of the Scurry County Child Welfare Board has been set for 7:30 p. m. April 13 in the dining room of the Senior Citizens' Building.

Shirley Fritz, director of the Snyder Child Day Care Center, will present a program regarding the activities and services the center offers the community.

The annual report of the child welfare unit's activities will be presented to the public and to the county commissioners court.

The public is invited to attend. Members of the commissionrs court, their wives, various city and county officiala and their wives have been especially invited to attend.

BIRTHS

Becky and Terry Robinson, Rt. 1, Box 295, are the parents of a girl born April 6 at 4:17 a.m. at Cogdell Memorial Hospital. She weighed 8 lbs. 12½ oz.

Vickie and Armando Alvarado, 2808 Ave. M, are the parents of a baby girl born April 6 at 3:08 a.m. at Cogdell Memorial Hospital. She weighed 8 lbs. 12 oz.

Bonnie and Randy Guynes, Rt. 1, Box 13, are the parents of a girl born April 6 at 2:20 a.m. at Cogdell Memorial Hospital. She weighed 6 lbs. 2½ oz.

HEALTH
Lawrence E. Lamb, M.D.

Demand rehabilitation

By Lawrence Lamb, M.D.

DEAR DR. LAMB — My father had a stroke with nearly total paralysis on the left side. Being a professional person and having worked with older adults, I wanted rehabilitation for him. His doctor would have placed him in a nursing home from the hospital since my mother could not possibly care for him. The hospital wasted a month with their rehabilitation program which was merely range of motion exercises. Why, in a city with two stroke rehabilitation units, do doctors not send patients to rehabilitation centers unless the family requests it? Most people don't know the possibilities open to their loved ones.

We spend billions on rehabilitation and who deserves it more than our older citizens who are all too soon thrown aside? Please ask relatives and friends of stroke victims to demand rehabilitation as soon as possible.

DEAR READER — I hope everyone who reads this column takes good note of your justifiable complaint. Not every community has the good fortune to have stroke rehabilitation centers but when available they can do a great deal to return a stroke victim to a functional, enjoyable and meaningful life. Not everyone can be totally rehabilitated but many can be helped enormously.

The key message in your letter is early effort and more than just passive movement. Patients who are left with a speech problem should be started on speech therapy as soon as the victim's condition has stabilized, and that usually means within the first week. Working the muscles and even electrical stimulation of paralyzed muscles is often helpful.

I have discussed in more detail what can be done for rehabilitation after a stroke in The Health Letter number 16-6, What You Need to Know about Strokes, which I am sending you. Others who want this issue can send 75 cents with a long, stamped, self-addressed enVelope for it to me, in care of this newspaper, P.O. Box 1551, Radio City Station, New York, NY 10019. This issue stresses early rehabilitation for the best results.

DEAR DR. LAMB — I am 61 years old. I have arthritis in my back, knees and some in my shoulders. I have not used any milk for a couple of years because I heard it was bad for arthritis. Now I hear one should drink a lot of milk because it is good for bones and could prevent arthritis. I don't know whether I should drink milk. Could you advise me what is best for arthritics?

DEAR READER — Your question embraces several mistaken ideas. First, many people call osteoporosis, which is dissolving or porous bones, arthritis. It is not. An adequate calcium intake does decrease a person's chances of developing this condition or may help to minimize it. Milk is good for this purpose.

Second, many people believe real arthritis, osteoarthritis, which occurs in most people if they live long enough, is made worse by calcium. This form of arthritis does cause bony spurs but that is from regrowth of bone tissue and has nothing to do with calcium intake. Calcium, and hence milk, will not cause or aggravate osteoarthritis.

Since you are a woman of 61, I would strongly advise you to obtain at least a gram of calcium a day, about the amount in one quart of milk.

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Higher Costs Cited...

TESCO Pushing For Power Conservation

Predicting that the cost of electricity per kilowatt hour this summer will be at least 50 percent higher than last year, Texas Electric Service Co. is urging its customers to take early steps to help hold down hot weather bills.

Bills could be sustantially higher that last summer even if the coming summer months are cooler than last year, said Bill Marquardt, TESCO president.

He said the cost of electricity will be higher primarily because of higher prices the company is having to pay for fuel to produce electricity, but also because of a rate increase approved and put into effect last fall.

"Our biggest long-term contract for low-cost natural gas expired on Jan. 1, and we are having to buy progressively more expensive gas to replace the amount supplied by that contract," Marquardt said.

"This summer we no longer have the low-cost Old Ocean gas available and because the prices we're having to pay for all our fuels are continuing to increase, we expect our over-all fuel cost to be more than double what it was last summer."

Marquardt said the company is urging customers to leave their air conditioners off until they are really needed.

Ceiling fans and ordinary floor and table fans can be very effective in reducing the need to run air conditioners. "We really believe people who use fans will find they can run their air conditioners at higher thermostat settings---and in fact can leave them off entirely some of the time," he said.

Also, he said, customers may want to consider going on TESCO's average billing plan. Customers on this plan pay for all the electricity they use, but their payments are averaged out over a 12-month period. In the high-use summer months, they pay for less electricity than they use, and then make up the difference in low-use months by paying for more than they use.

TESCO is urging customers to have their airconditioners checked to make sure they are operating efficiently. Also, the company plans "Operation Tighten-Up" meetings which will provide information on conserving electricity, and customers are being encouraged to intall highly energy efficient airconditioning and water heating equipment. Details of this program will be available April 15. TESCO officials hope it will help reduce the number of power plants the company will have to build, thereby holding down price increases.

Cast Includes Hermleigh Youth

ABILENE—Curtis Tate, son of Mr. and Mrs. Donald Tate, Rt. 1 Hermleigh, was selected for the cast of the dinner theater production of "George Washington Slept Here" at Abilene Christian University.

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Long Distance Calls To Rise About 16%

WASHINGTON (AP) — The cost of a long-distance telephone call probably will go up about 16 percent, perhaps as early as next month, under a government ruling giving the American Telephone & Telegraph Co. a bigger profit margin.

In a brief public announcement following a closed-door meeting Monday, the Federal Communications Commission said it had voted unanimously to raise AT&T's authorized rate of return, or profit margin, from 10.5 percent to a floating range between 12.5 percent and 13 percent.

After the announcement, AT&T spokesman Pic Wagner said the company will aim for a 12.75 percent rate of return and will seek to increase its long-distance rates accordingly as soon as possible.

Wagner said that would be about a 16 percent rise in interstate phone rates, increasing revenues by $1.4 billion over a year's time. At the full 13 percent rate of return, he said, long-distance rates could increase 17 percent.

Monday's decision does not allow AT&T to raise its rates immediately. The company, in most case, cannot file a new rate schedule until the commission releases a written order explaining its decision. The FCC's staff may then suspend the effective date of the new rates if it wishes to review their legality.

Sources at the FCC and AT&T predicted, however, that the new rates could take effect as early as next month. AT&T last raised its rates by 5.1 percent in June 1980 in what was the first increase in four years.

AT&T reported in 1980 that its profit margin was 9.91 percent, but it nonetheless became the first American company to post earnings of more than $6 billion in a single calendar year.

The giant telephone company has been fighting to raise its rate of return to 13 percent since 1979. It was not until Feb. 5, however, that an FCC administrative law judge recommended the rate be set at 10.87.

AT&T appealed to the full commission, leading to Monday's ruling, which the FCC attributed to the effects of inflation and the slowness of its own procedures. The FCC's staff had recommended an 11.5 percent rate of return.

The floating range allowed by the order means that the FCC will permit the actual rate of return to vary as much as .25 percent in either direction "to reflect the volatility in current economic and financial conditions."

Dates Set For MX Hearings

WASHINGTON (AP) — The exact locations have been determined for the Air Force's public hearings in Texas on the proposed MX missile system.

The hearings will be held in four Texas cities — Austin, Lubbock, Amarillo and the Panhandle town of Dalhart.

Hearings also are scheduled in New Mexico, Utah and Nevada.

The first public hearing in Texas on the draft environmental impact statement released last December about the potential effects of the massive MX system will be held at the auditorium of the Lyndon B. Johnson Library in Austin.

Sessions are scheduled at 7 p.m. April 14 and at 1:30 p.m. April 15.

The remaining hearings are scheduled April 16 at the banquet room of the Lubbock Memorial Civic Center, April 20 at the Amarillo Civic Center and April 21 at the Dalhart High School auditorium.

In each of the three cities, sessions are scheduled at 1:30 p.m. and 7 p.m. each day.

The hearings were scheduled to collect public comment on the draft environmental impact statement released by the Air Force late last year.

Six of the eight possible choices outlined in the draft environmentl impact statement would locate the entire system of 200 missiles and 4,600 shelters in Utah and Nevada.

The seventh alternative would place the entire system in eastern New Mexico and West Texas, with the support bases at Clovis, N.M., and at Dalhart.

The eighth alternative would split the system between New Mexico, using Clovis as the support base, and Utah-Nevada.

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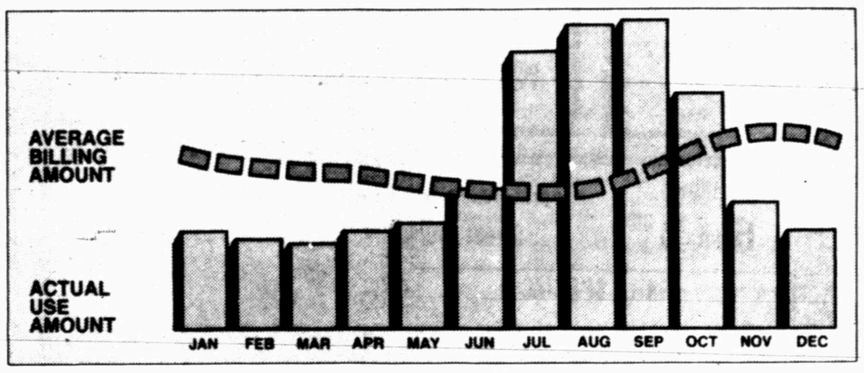

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Self-Styled Rebels Taking On IRS

EDITOR'S NOTE: Hundreds of auto workers in Flint, Mich., recently filed false income tax exemption claims with the Internal Revenue Service in a flirtation with America's tax rebels. In the first of a three-part series, AP Urban Affairs Writer Lee Mitgang examines the rebellion as the April 15 tax deadline nears.

By LEE MITGANG
AP Urban Affairs Writer

His gray hair was neat, his smile warm, his three-piece suit authoritative. When he delivered his homily with sincerity and flashes of humor, his angry gospel rang clear to the small group of disciples gathered in a Times Square church for a Sunday meeting.

"You don't owe income tax!" said the guest speaker, Ed Ellison, who represents a Maryland-based tax protest group called the Free State Constitutionalists.

"Right on!" shouted back a man in the audience, wearing a Revolutionary War style tricorner hat.

It's a scene being repeated across the country as the April 15 tax deadline nears — at a Holiday Inn in Baltimore on Monday nights, a temple in Queens, N.Y., a smorgasbord restaurant in Garden Grove, Calif., before crowds of 150 or more five nights a week.

These are America's tax rebels — most of them white, politically conservative, middle-class — who are so enraged by inflation and a poor economy, so convinced that the federal government is stripping away precious freedoms, that they risk fines and even prison by refusing to pay part or all of their federal income tax.

In the last four years, 2,781 Americans have gone to jail for tax fraud — and the IRS describes 539 of them as tax protesters. The IRS says it has no idea how much tax the government loses because of protesters.

And the problem is growing, says the IRS. Spokesman Tony Bombadere says in 1980 the government received 13,390 protest returns, up from 8,784 the year before and 5,694 in 1978.

"They are a stubborn bunch," says Vincent Walker of the Manhattan district office of the IRS. They don't consider themselves lawbreakers, and many insist the IRS has no right to exist, much less to tax.

"The American people," says James Wickstrom of Tigerton, Wis., a member of a group called Sheriff's Posse Comitatus which claims chapters in 40 states, "finally are finding out that the graduated income tax is destroying them. They've had enough of this communist IRS."

In Maryland, there's the Free State Constitutionalists and the Committee of Correspondence. There's the Thomas Jefferson Equal Tax Society in Virginia, the Golden Mean Society in Montana, the Tax Patriots in Sumter, S.C., the Committee for the Restoration of the Constitution in New York and Americans for Constitutional Taxation in Frederica, Del., among others.

On March 28, some 300 protesters led by the Americans for Constitutional Rights recalled a 1773 anti-tax demonstration — the Boston Tea Party — and dumped tax forms in the Boston harbor.

Walker, of the Manhattan IRS office, says "all indications are that the numbers are continuing up."

In February, a Michigan anti-tax group, We The People ACT, encouraged 3,500 auto workers in Flint to declare dozens of exemptions to halt tax withholding by their employers in the largest tax protest in memory. Most backed down under IRS pressure, and the agency recently announced a crackdown on that form of protest.

Anti-tax movement activists estimate that there are 30 or 40 active tax protest groups scattered around the country, with total active membership anywhere from 50,000 to 250,000.

Most of the groups have a few hundred members, but at least two — Your Heritage Protection Association in Los Angeles, and the Alaska Patriots in Action — claim close to 20,000 members each.

Nevertheless, Carr Ferguson, until Jan. 20 the assistant U.S. attorney general in charge of the Justice Department's tax division, calls the tax protest movement "a major, probably the major, challenge to the (Internal Revenue) Service today.

"I think it's manageable — because the number (of protesters) is not yet big — by using the traditional civil and criminal sanctions. But you have to realize that the tax system is one of self-assessment. If the tax movement erodes taxpayer morale, this could have a ripple effect."

Donald Alexander, IRS commissioner from 1973 to 1977, says, "The IRS is being stretched to the limit. It would be difficult for it to cope without making public examples of some of the protesters."

Still, Alexander and others say, Americans remain highly compliant with tax rules. IRS figures show that the government receives about 93 million returns — one for every 2.5 people in the United States.

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Nancy, Bush Stand-Ins While Reagan Recovers

By TERENCE HUNT
Associated Press Writer

WASHINGTON (AP) — President Reagan, receiving an expanded range of antibiotics to ward off infection and still feverish, is sending his wife and Vice President George Bush as his stand-ins at a Republican dinner at the same hotel where he was shot eight days ago.

Extraordinary security steps were being followed at the Washington Hilton Hotel, where nearly 3,000 guests were expected at a $1,000-a-plate, black-tie dinner tonight to raise money for Republican candidates for the House and Senate.

White House limousines carrying the president's wife, Nancy, and Bush and his wife, Barbara, were to enter the hotel through the garage, instead of stopping outside at the "presidential entrance" where a would-be assassin fired six shots at Reagan on March 30.

"The Bushes and Mrs. Reagan will have a closed entrance and exit — directly into the garage — and take a back elevator," said Larry McCarthy, a spokesman for the gala.

Other precautions also were planned but were not publicly discussed.

The president was described Monday by his daughter, Maureen, as "doing terrific" as he continued his convalescence at George Washington University Hospital.

After a 90-minute visit, Ms. Reagan said they talked about "feeling good — and that bullets are not friendly things."

Aides said Reagan is expected to remain hospitalized at least until the end of the week, and White House chief of staff James A. Baker III said Reagan might not be able to deliver a planned nationally televised appeal for his tax-cut proposals before income tax day, April 15.

The president, who was troubled by a temperature as high as 102 degrees Fahrenheit last week, had a slight fever again Monday. Deputy White House press secretary Larry Speakes refused to reveal the specific figure, but a source who insisted on anonymity said it was less than 100 degrees. The normal body temperature is 98.6 degrees.

A White House medical report said doctors had found no evidence of infection in Reagan's wounded left lung.

But as a precautionary move doctors said they widened the types of antibiotics given to Reagan to reach more types of bacteria that could cause infection.

A chest X-ray taken Monday showed "modest clearing" of lung infiltrates — probably dried blood or damaged tissue — along the track of the bullet that entered the president's chest and lung.

White House press secretary James S. Brady, recovering from a bullet wound in the brain, was able to open his eyes and was making jokes, a medical bulletin said.

Brady took his first look at his doctor, Arthur Kobrine, and remarked: "Not a bad job, doc," report said.

Timothy McCarthy, the Secret Service agent who was shot in the liver in the assassination attempt, "continues to make excellent progress," the medical bulletin said. And police officer Thomas Delahanty, shot in the neck, was described as "up and around and eating well."

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By The Associated Press

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ArmcoInc	40 1/2	40 1/8	40 1/4
AtlRichfld	51 5/8	51 1/4	51 3/8
Beth Steel	28 7/8	28 3/4	28 3/4
Boeing	34 1/2	34	34 1/4
Borden	28 3/8	28 1/4	28 1/8
Brit Pet	32 1/2	32 3/8	32 3/8
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Chrysler	6 1/4	6 1/8	6 1/8
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West Germans Flock To Spas

OBERSTAUFEN, West Germany (AP) — They go to lose weight and end up wrapped like mummies in wet sheets. Others stomp around in calf-deep water to try to relieve tension. And almost all are reimbursed by liberally dispensed federal insurance.

More West Germans than ever are flocking to health spas, whatever their complaint or the method of treatment. Once exclusive refuges for the rich and well-born, health resorts are now within financial reach of the masses, thanks to the nation's generous social security plans.

In this mountain village, the "Schrothkur" is the main industry. The local Cure Association says 12,000 guests a year flock to nearby hotels and sanatoriums for "the cure."

That's just a fraction of the 380,000 people, the highest number in postwar history, who applied for federally sponsored health cure benefits in 1980, according to the Federal Office for Employee Insurance. Only 40,000 of the applications were rejected.

Besides some rather strange regimens, practically all the 100 recognized cure resorts scattered throughout West Germany offer fresh air, exercise, balanced diets and mineral waters. Those amenities may account for the widespread faith in their methods, both among the public and the government.

The federal government lists a total of 29,000 beds available for insurance-paid cures in some 145 clinics and sanatoriums and 80 other cure homes.

"The idea is to keep people healthy and working so fewer retire early," one federal health expert explained.

Almost every employed West German contributes to government-supported health and retirement plans. The number of rehabilitation trips allowed varies greatly from job to job and according to need. Most cures include two to four weeks away from work with most expenses paid, and the resort stay usually is not counted against vacation time, according to federal and state rules.

Permission is rarely granted for more than one cure every two years, and in all cases, the employee must fill out an application demonstrating why he needs the cure, the government expert explained.

"Patients generally can't expect a 'cure vacation,' but they have to take part in a real rehabilitation program," he said.

Some of the programs offered by German spas may strike non-Germans as somewhat bizarre.

The ancient spas grew up around mineral or hot springs, and variations of the water cure are still among the most popular. Dozens of resorts offer the "Kneipp cure," named for a 19th century practitioner, Sebastian Kneipp.

Kneipp, once a tubercular child who said he overcame his illness by "hardening" himself with daily cold baths in a river, developed a "natural medicine" system of treatment with plant extracts and balanced diet, supplemented by periodic outdoor splashes.

Patients practicing the Kneipp cure tramp around in ponds, brooks or the mud flats of the North Sea. The exercise lasts less than a minute, and the foot must be raised completely out of the water with every step, the rules stipulate.

Afterward, patients don dry wool socks and go for a brisk walk or run.

Guests here at Oberstaufen pay $400 to $600 for a three-week treatment which includes a diet of fruit juice, toast and low-fat essential foods, dry wine, schnapps and a procedure called "packing" — being wrapped in wet sheets for two hours.

"In the 'moist warmth' of the packing, the circulation is stimulated, the blood circulation of the organs and skin is augmented, the body temperature is raised, the metabolism is speeded up and the body is made to sweat," explains the rule book for treatment.

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Jenkins Soars High, Higher

AUSTIN – Being unable to compete for his home town may have stunted Snyder High School track performances this season, but it hasn't taken the edge off of pole vaulter Dale Jenkins, who cleared 16-6 here Saturday to win the high school division of the Texas Relays.

Jenkins was found ineligible to compete with Snyder his senior year when it was discovered he had not taken the required number of courses last semester. The standout trackster transfered to Abilene Christian High School at mid-term to continue his record setting performances.

His 16-6, achieved on his first try, was the third best in Texas Relays (HS) history and equals his own personal best. Jenkins then failed in three attempts at 16-9, despite clearing, it was reported, over 17-0 in warmups earlier.

Jenkins, who cleared 15-3 at the Canyon Reef Relays the week before, indicated he was concentrating only on vaulting at this time. "But I'll run when we get to state," he said of the upcoming TCIL state meet. In addition to the vault, Jenkins is also a top hurdler, and will probably run a leg of the 1600 relay for Abilene Christian.

While in Snyder last week, Jenkins said he was going to try a new, longer pole, and re-position his grip higher, after going over the 16-3 mark easily but swiping the bar on the way down.

He did change for the Texas Relays, and is now considering another pole which would help him clear the 17-0 mark.

Here Saturday, Desmond Kidd of Austin took second in the vault with a 15-6, followed by Doug Jones of San Antonio East Central who had a 14-6. Greg Duplantis, Lafayette, won the event last year with a vault of 16-8, but entered the competition at 15-6 here and failed to clear it.

DALE JENKINS
...vaulting higher and higher

Rice Coach Going Pro

HOUSTON (AP) - First he told his players, then he told his boss - Mike Schuler was through as Rice University's head basketball coach.

Schuler, whose Owls never posted a winning season in his four years there, said he was leaving the Southwest Conference school to be Larry Brown's assistant with the New Jersey Nets of the National Basketball Association.

He planned to hold the announcement until Wednesday but by Monday night "word had leaked out and he did finally confirm it," said Rice's sports information director, Bill Whitmore, after talking to athletic director Augie Erfurth.

"Erfurth said Schuler came to him today (Monday) and told him he was accepting a position with the New Jersey Nets of the NBA," said Whitmore. "Erfurth said he hates to see Mike go and that the program at Rice is much better than when he came four years ago.

"Erfurth said we will give our full attention to finding a new head coach and he said he is accepting applications," Whitmore continued. "Erfurth said Schuler had already told the players."

Schuler's team was 12-14 last season, 7-9 in SWC play, and 30-76 over his four-year tenure.

Suzanne Lenglen of France won the women's title at the Wimbledon tennis tournament six times.

In eight years of competitive tennis, from 1919 through 1926, Suzanne Lenglen of France lost only one tournament match.

NBA Playoffs Resume Tonight; Rockets-Spurs

by The Associated Press

Making the best out of a difficult situation, Kansas City Coach Cotton Fitzsimmons has remolded his team following an eye injury to Phil Ford and led the Kings to their first victory in a National Basketball Association playoff series.

By upsetting Portland 2-1 in the first-round miniseries, the Kings earned a shot at their playoff nemesis of the past two seasons, the Phoenix Suns, in a best-of-seven Western Conference semifinal that begins tonight in Phoenix.

In other playoff action tonight, Houston is at San Antonio in the opener of the other West semifinal. In the East, it's Chicago at Boston and Milwaukee at Philadelphia, with both home teams trying to take 2-0 leads in their series.

Houston is expected to try to play a slow-tempo, half-court game against San Antonio. That was the formula that enabled the Rockets to knock off the defending champion Los Angeles Lakers in their miniseries, when Houston kept the Lakers' running game well under control.

But it may not work against the Spurs, who have shed their run-and-gun image this season and beefed up their rebounding and half-court defense.

Chicago is another playoff team that would like to play at a slow tempo, but against Boston that can be tough. The Bulls found that out in the final 3:44 of the third period when the Celtics outscored them 18-4 to pull away en route to a 121-109 victory.

Of the four semifinals, only the Milwaukee-Philadelphia series pairs two teams that both like to run. The 76ers captured the opener 125-122 in a fast-paced game that featured 38 points by Julius Erving, fine play at both ends of the court by Bobby Jones and 20 blocked shots by the Philadelphia club. But there were encouraging notes for Milwaukee, too, such as supersub Junior Bridgeman's 32 points and the Bucks' repeated success at scoring off the transition.

"Whenever they got the ball, they really tried to force the issue," Philadelphia forward Caldwell Jones said of the Bucks. "They always make the outlet pass, and even if we score they try to inbound the ball to midcourt. I think they feel that's the only way they're going to win - control the tempo and turn it into a track meet."

NCAA Checking On Texas A&M

COLLEGE STATION (AP) — Texas A&M officials say they do not know why the National Collegiate Athletic Association has initiated a "preliminary investigation" into the school's athletic program.

A&M athletic director Marvin Tate said Monday he received a "form letter" two weeks ago from the NCAA informing the school that the department was being reviewed. But Tate stressed the inquiry was only a "preliminary investigation."

"If they (NCAA) get an allegation, they look into it to see if there needs to be an investigation. It's no big deal," Tate said. "I don't know what sport it is or anything."

Tate says he has no idea whether the review involved one athlete or sport, or if actual charges had been leveled against the school.

Both Tate and head football coach Tom Wilson said A&M will cooperate fully with the NCAA, adding that they want the matter settled as soon as possible.

"Evidently someone has reported something to them (the NCAA) concerning Texas A&M, and if somebody reports something they have to look into it," Wilson said. "We feel like we haven't done anything wrong."

Wilson said he doesn't know when the investigation will take place, "sometimes it takes weeks, sometimes months, sometimes years."

Wilson also said he did not know what sport the investigation involves.

Tate says Texas A&M's next step is to "just see if the NCAA is going to conduct a (full-scale) investigation."

"If something's happened, we want to get it resolved," he said.

Monday also was the day Southern Methodist University in Dallas was required to answer questions in writing concerning the NCAA's probe into the Mustang football program.

"We mailed our response Friday," said SMU president Dr. Donald Shields.

The school anticipates, after executive sessions during the next few months with NCAA personnel, to hear final word on the investigation in late May or early June.

Manson Pulls First Upset

HOUSTON (AP) — Unseeded Bruce Manson upset No.2 seed Jose-Luis Clerc of Argentina, 3-6, 6-4, 7-6 in the opening round of the $175,000 Houston National Tennis Championship.

In another upset by an unseeded player, Ramesh Krisman of India, defeated No.6 Vijay Amritrag of India, 3-6, 6-2, 6-2.

But two seeds did prevail, seventh-seeded Mel Purcell beat Hans Gildemeister of Chile, 6-3, 7-6, and No.8 seed Jose Higueras of Spain, defeated Ferdi Taygan 6-0, 6-3.

In other first round matches, Rick Meyer downed Anand Amritrag of India, 5-7, 7-5, 6-1; Ben McKowan defeated Francisco Gonzalez of Puerto Rico, 6-4, 6-4; Victor Pecci of Paraguay, beat Hank Pfister 6-1 6-4.

4 p.m. At Moffett Field...

Tigers Test Ector Today

Snyder, leading the District 2-AAAA baseball race by a half game, can further its cause today with a win over highly-touted Odessa Ector. The pair of district strengths meet take Moffett Field at 4 p.m.

Snyder gained the half-game edge when Ector and Andrews were toppled last week, disrupting a three-way tie. Snyder remains the only unbeaten 2-4A team after the midway point of the first round with a 2-0 record. Ector and Andrews are 2-1 each, while Monahans and Pecos are another half game back at 1-1.

Hard hitting has been the key to Snyder's success this year, though the Tigers are capable of good defense and have shown pitching brillance at times. Leading mound man Tony Degrate, 5-1, is expected to get the start for Snyder today.

Degrate is one of only two regulars back from last year. The other, Mike Roemisch, is to take the mound Friday when the Tigers travel to Andrews.

Ector, nipped 8-7 by Monahans last Friday, is the only other 2-4A team besides Snyder with a winning season record. The Eagles are 11-6, while Snyder is 11-7-1.

Ector had its chances against the Loboes, but stranded eight runners throughout the game; two in the final inning. The Eagles committed eight errors in the first four innings to go behind 7-2, and were never able to catch up.

However, Ector coach Jim Davis was quoted as saying "We're tougher on the road...".

The Eagles will get a chance to prove that today.

District Standings

2-4A STANDINGS

Team	District W-L	Season W-L
Snyder	2-0	11-7-1
Ector	2-1	11-6
Andrews	2-1	8-9
Monahans	1-1	6-7
Pecos	1-1	4-14
Ft Stockton	1-2	5-8
Lamesa	0-3	2-12

FRIDAY RESULTS– Monahans 8, Ector 7; Fort Stockton 5, Andrews 1; Pecos 13, Lamesa 2; Lubbock Coronado 22, Snyder 10 (non-district).

TODAY'S GAMES– Ector at Snyder, Andrews at Monahans, Pecos at Fort Stockton.

Season To Start, But Questions Are Without Answers

CINCINNATI (AP) - Nobody knows who will throw out the first ball of the 1981 baseball season nor how long the players will be playing, but at least the ushers will be working at Riverfront Stadium.

The Cincinnati Reds, baseball's first professional team, open the National League's 1981 season with the world champion Philadelphia Phillies on Wednesday.

But for the third consecutive season, baseball opens under the threat of a job action.

This year, the Major League Players Association has threatened to strike on May 29 unless there is an agreement on the veterans free agent compensation system, the same issue that suspended the spring schedule in 1980.

The Reds, however, settled one issue late Monday night. The 300 ushers, who will take tickets and find seats for the sellout crowd of more than 50,000, accepted a new contract giving them a 20 percent raise.

Local 375 of the Office and Professional Employees Union had threatened to strike after they rejected a flat $2.50-per-game hike for overtime for any game that lasts more than five hours.

The ushers will now get $17 for the first five hours, up $1.50, and $2.50 for overtime. Last season they got $15.50 per game and $1.50 overtime.

Meanwhile, the Reds haven't decided who will throw out the first ball. President Ronald Reagan had agreed but was wounded last week.

Vice President George Bush said on Monday that he couldn't attend, either, because he had too many commitments between his own schedule and sitting in for Reagan while the President recuperates.

One of two former Iranian hostages accepted invitations to the game and might be elected for the first-ball honors Bert C. Moore of Mount Vernon, Ohio, and Leland Holland, whose children live in Cincinnati.

'Smith' Arrested; FBI Says Wanted On Several Counts

LOS ANGELES (AP) - The flamboyant career of boxing promoter Harold J. Smith, named in an embezzlement suit by Wells Fargo Bank, has ended with the revelation that Smith is someone else - a man described by federal officials as a fugitive "bad check and bunco artist."

Smith, who parlayed the name of former heavyweight champion Muhammad Ali into a prominent position in boxing, burst into gulping sobs as he stood before a federal magistrate Monday and said, "My true name is Ross Fields."

A prosecutor seeking to block Smith's release from jail said Fields had an arrest record dating to the 1960s, is wanted in three places and is now a figure in a grand jury investigation of an alleged $21.3 million embezzlement from Wells Fargo Bank.

Smith's wife, Barbara Newman Smith, actually is Alice Vicki Darrow, wanted in Alabama on federal charges of interstate transportation of fraudulent securities, according to Assistant U.S. Attorney Dean Allison. She has used 20 aliases over the years, Allison said.

Smith, who was arraigned on a passport falsification charge, was ordered held on $200,000 bail on that complaint and on a warrant from North Carolina, where he is wanted in a check forgery case.

His attorney said friends hoped to post bond sometime today.

The disclosure of Smith's double life was the latest bizarre twist in the Wells Fargo story, which broke last January.

Smith, head of Muhammad Ali Professional Sports Inc., dropped from sight amid accusations by Wells Fargo officials that he and L. Benjamin Lewis, a MAPS board member and operations officer of the bank's Beverly Hills branch, were involved in a fraud scheme involving MAPS funds.

SWC Standings

By The Associated Press

TEAM	Conference W	L	T	Pct.	GB	All Games W	L	Pct.
Texas	8	1		889	—	38	4	895
TCU	7	2		778	1	20	8	714
Ark	6	6		500	3½	21	12	636
Houston	5	6	1	458	4½	21	15	581
Tech	4	5		444	4½	22	12	647
Rice	5	7		417	4½	21	14	600
Baylor	4	8		333	5½	15	15	500
A&M	2	6	1	278	5½	20	12	621

Horse Racing Legislation Is Heating Up Once Again

AUSTIN (AP) - Legislators and voters have turned down legalized horse race betting many times, but Rep. Craig Washington - calling it a "natural resource" - says it's time to allow Texans to go to the track.

The House and Senate Committees on State Affairs on Monday listened to the oft-heard pros and cons of horse racing. Both panels sent the bills to subcommittee.

Washington, D-Houston, said his bill is "an idea whose time has come."

"Fashion it if you will as a natural resource that is available to the state," he said.

Washington's bill allows local option elections to decide if pari-mutuel betting would be legal. Sen. Ike Harris, R-Dallas, is carrying a similar Senate bill.

Opponents testified legalized gambling preys on the poor, who go to the track in search of a quick payoff. Not so, said Washington.

Washington predicted legalized pari-mutuel wagering would bring the state up to $40 million the first year. His bill calls for a 5 percent state tax on a track's gross receipts.

Pro-horse racing witnesses Monday included Brad Gates, sheriff of Orange County, Calif. He said the track in his county causes him no problems.

"We spend more time trying to keep illegal elements out of bingo," he said. Texans last year OK's a constitutional amendment legalizing bingo for charity.

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Carolyn Kay Gaede was indicted on a charge of interference with child custody and had a bond of $3,500 set. She is charged with taking a minor child out of the state in violation of a divorce decree.

Henry Gaede was indicted on a theft charge. He is charged with theft of an amplifier and CB radio owned by Bill Dennis.

Kelly Gene Smith was indicted on a kidnapping charge in connection with a complaint that he restrained a woman without her consent by threatening deadly force. His bond was set at $5,000.

Joe Garza was indicted on a charge of hindering a secured creditor. The complaint alleges that he unlawfully took a car out of state. His bond was set at $3,000.

Indicted on felony DWI charges were R. V. Goldsmith, Carl O'Neal Coffelt, Francisco Garcia and Robert Vera Jr. Bond for each was set at $1,500.

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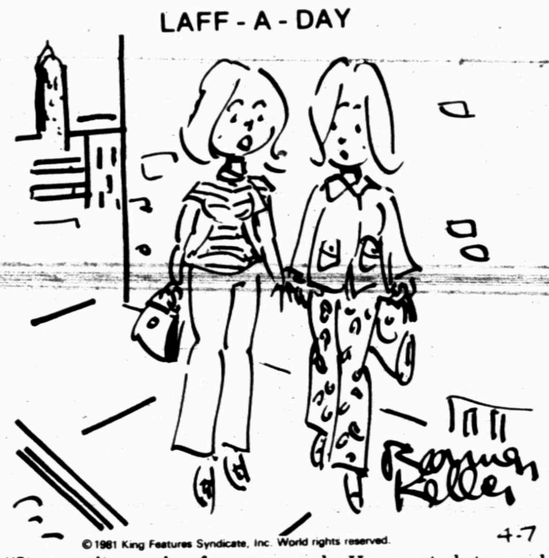

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Reagan To Give FBI Account Of Shooting

By TERENCE HUNT
Associated Press Writer

WASHINGTON (AP) — President Reagan, described as looking and feeling fine, planned to give FBI agents a first-hand account today of the attempt on his life eight days ago.

Investigators had an appointment with the president at his hospital room before noon. Reagan's counselor, Edwin Meese III, also planned to be there.

"It's part of the routine investigation," said Larry Speakes, White House deputy press secretary. The session marks the president's first official participation in the probe of the March 30 shooting.

Speakes also announced that the president will make a major economic address from the White House after he is discharged at George Washington University Hospital. The spokesman said the address probably will be nationally broadcast, but likely will not occur before April 15, income tax day.

There is no word yet on when the president will be discharged. Asked whether Reagan's tentative release date had slipped back, Speakes said no firm date ever had been fixed. "It's a day-by-day thing," he added.

The latest medical bulletins indicate Reagan still is running a slight fever and receiving an expanded range of antibiotics as a precaution against infection.

Speakes refused on Monday to reveal the specific figure, but a source who insisted on anonymity said it was less than 100 degrees. The normal body temperature is 98.6 degrees.

Two Mishaps, Theft Reported

Police investigated two mishaps and a felony theft Monday, according to police reports.

A 1974 Ford Dump Truck, owned by the City of Snyder and driven by Asencion Rios of 3010 Ave. E, hit the traffic light at 4200 College Ave. at 7:08 a.m. There was no damage to the truck and an undetermined amount of damage to the signal, which is owned by the State of Texas.

At 12:30 p.m., a hit and run incident was investigated in the 3700 block of Austin. Struck by a vehicle which left the scene was a 1971 Chevrolet legally parked and owned by Neil Malief of Rt. 2.

At 12:42 p.m., Durwood Kruger reported that an air compressor, vauled at $700, had been taken from a work site in the Park Place Addition.

Rodeo Team Barbecue Set Here Sunday

The Western Texas College rodeo team will host a barbecue Sunday preceding the final performance of the NIRA rodeo in the Scurry County Coliseum.

Serving will begin at 11:30 a. m. behind the coliseum, said Bob Doty, rodeo advisor. Tickets are priced at $3 each and may be puchased in advance from rodeo team members or at the door. Serving will continue until about 2 p. m. when the rodeo gets underway.

Proceeds from the barbecue will go to the WTC rodeo scholarship fund, and everyone is invited to attend.

WTC and Howard College are co-sponsoring the NIRA rodeo here, the first college rodeo to be held in the coliseum. Performances will be held at 8 p. m. Thursday through Saturday nights, and at 2 p. m. on Saturday and Sunday. Rodeo tickets, priced at $3 and $2, can be purchased at the door.

BREZHNEV SPEAKS

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deal with its own problems.

"As far as the Soviet Union is concerned," Brezhnev said, "it has been and continues to be the loyal friend and ally of socialist Poland."

Brezhnev's host, Czechoslovak party chief Gustav Husak, by implication prodded him before the congress Monday to reverse the course of events in Poland and crush the independent labor movement if unrest continued in the neighboring country.

With Brezhnev sitting on the stage behind him, Huszak in his report opening the congress pointedly equated the situation in Poland with the Hungarian revolution in 1956 and the liberal communist movement that took over the Czechoslovak government in 1968.

Both times Soviet troops intervened to restore orthodox communist rule. Husak, who was put in power by the 1968 intervention, said "the foundations of socialism are threatened" by the continuing crisis in Poland. Restating the 1968 Brezhnev Doctrine formulated to justify the invasion of Czechoslovakia, he warned:

"All who are attempting to misuse the events in Poland for instigating antisocialist campaigns must be reminded that the protection of the socialist system is the concern not only of each socialist state but also the joint concern of all the states of the socialist community which are determined to defend their interests and the socialist achievements of all their people."

He criticized the Polish Communist Party for failing to resolve the crisis and accused the United States and other Western nations of trying to pull Poland out of the Soviet bloc.

Brezhnev himself charged in February that anti-government forces were fomenting anarchy in Poland, but he said then that the Polish party's new chief, Stanislaw Kania, and his associates were "redressing the critical situation." On March 4, after the Soviet Communist Party Congress, he met in Moscow with Kania and Poland's new premier, Gen. Wojciech Jaruzelski. An announcement then said the Polish leaders outlined their efforts to restore order and "overcome the serious threat to the Polish people's socialist gains."

Brezhnev's speech today was his first to a party congress outside the Soviet Union since December 1975, when he spoke to a Polish party congress.

Meanwhile, Warsaw Pact military maneuvers continued in and around Poland for the 19th day with no end in sight. In the West, U.S. Defense Secretary Caspar W. Weinberger said the Russians were gradually reinforcing their divisions in Poland in an "invasion by osmosis" to intimidate and coerce the Poles. But Secretary of State Alexander M. Haig Jr. said he did not believe Soviet military intervention was imminent.

OBITUARIES

Ivy Smoot

Ivy Smoot, 84, who resided at Snyder Oaks Care Center, died at 1:55 a. m. today in Cogdell Memorial Hospital.

Funeral service has been set for 2 p. m. Wednesday in the Bell-Seale Chapel. Doug Allee, minister of East Side Church of Christ and the Rev. David Haladay, pastor of Green Hill Baptist church, will officiate. Burial will be in Hillside Memorial Gardens, under direction of Bell-Seale Funeral Home.

He was a native of Indian Territory, and was a retired farmer.

Surviving are two sisters, Mrs. Nell Gray of Snyder and Mrs. Louise Mae Smith of Lubbock.

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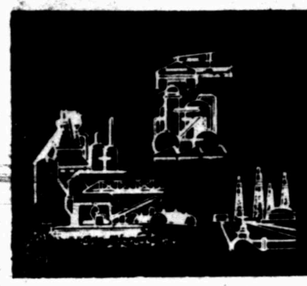

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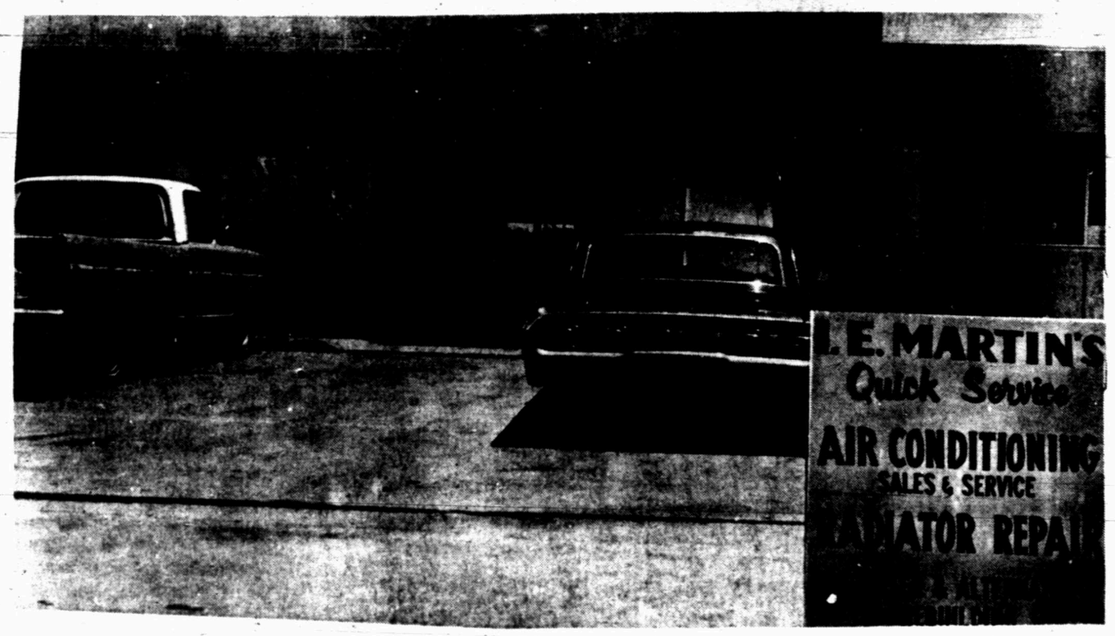

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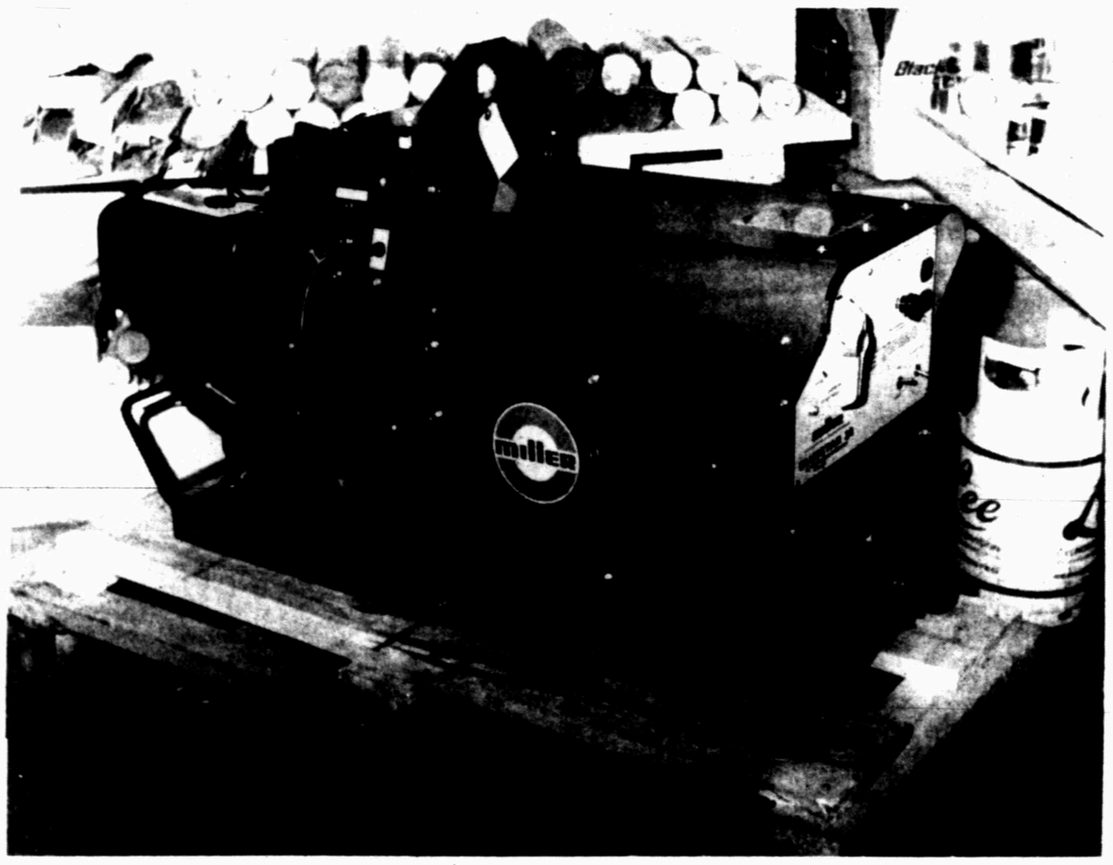

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Automakers Want Quotas

WASHINGTON (AP) — President Reagan's decision to ease auto regulations, criticized by consumer advocates as a precursor of more deaths and injuries on the nation's highways, doesn't go quite far enough, say automakers who are pressing for import quotas on Japanese cars.

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