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Tuesday update

Capping Delayed

STAVANGER, Norway (AP)-- The team of American "blowout killers" seeking to cap a runaway oil well in the North Sea today decided to postpone the operation one more day in order to lift more equipment onto the rig.

Plans to cap the well were postponed Monday by gale force winds.

Meanwhile, the Norwegian government appointed a blue ribbon panel to investigate the first blowout in Norway's offshore Ekofisk oil field.

Pledge Action On Plan

WASHINGTON (AP)-- Leading members of Congress promised to move quickly on President Carter's plan to hold down hospital costs, but a heated debate is expected in both the House and Senate.

In a message Monday to Congress, Carter proposed that total increases in hospital bills be limited to about 9 per cent a year at most facilities. Hospital costs have been going up about 15 per cent a year, twice the national inflation rate.

Five Escapees Hunted

CANON CITY, Colo. (AP)--Authorities searched today for five long-term inmates who fled from the Colorado penitentiary after overpowering 2 guards.

The inmates, who escaped on Monday, had a police radio and at least one gun, prison authorities said.

Some of the roadblocks that had been set up in the Wetmore area, 20 miles southeast of Canon City, were taken down Monday night, prison spokesman Nard Claar said.

Cranes Leave Refuge

AUSTIN (AP)--Most of a record 69 whooping cranes have left the Aransas National Wildlife Refuge on the Texas coast for their Canadian breeding grounds, the parks and wildlife department reported today.

Surveys of the whooper winter grounds at Aransas revealed a record number of 12 young made the fall flight south in 1976.

The SDN Column

Snyder Jaycees and Jaycee-ettes had pre-registered over 800 youngsters for the Super Kids event last Saurday, but fewer than 400 actually showed up to participate, which worked out real well.

If all who signed up had been there Saturday, we might have gone into Sunday morning," one of them commented.

As it was, the big event didn't end until 7 p.m. Saturday.

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The sponsoring Jaycees and Jaycee-ettes also had been keeping their fingers crossed all day, hoping that they could run off the Super Kids contests without any injuries. They made it, almost. No mishaps had been reported until they began assembling the group to receive medals at the conclusion. That's when one youngster jumped a fence and broke a leg.

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One result of increased utility rates is additional state taxes, according to Bob Bullock, state comptroller. Bullock says the dramatic increases in utility rates in recent years has pushed state utilities tax totals up to $28.9 million for the first six months of this fiscal year, while the telephone tax brought in $24 million. These tax receipts have been increasing by 25 per cent or more the past three years.

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We noticed still another "family affair" on the list of Snyder Chamber of Commerce presidents after it was called to our attention that Henry Clark, the current president, is the grandson of H. P. Wellborn, the 1926 president.

H. W. Cargile, chairman of the board of West Texas State Bank, and Joe Cargile, now a Crosbyton banker, are the only living father-son combination to head the local chamber. H. W. Cargile had the role in 1954 and Joe Cargile was the president in 1961.

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The cactus patch philosopher says a lot of people who insist that the butcher's scales be strictly honest have no objections at all if the bathroom scale fools around a bit.—WACIL McNAIR

IN CONTESTS AT WTC—These students from Hermleigh High School were among a group of 80 students and sponsors from half a dozen high schools participating in the fifth annual Social Science Contest today at Western Texas College. From left are Tracey Kruger, Joe Don Williamson and Cathy Hess. Contestants came from Hobbs, Sweetwater, Hermleigh, Merkel, Crosbyton and Snyder. (SDN Staff Photo).

$4 Million Cut Nixed

By LEE JONES
Associated Press Writer

AUSTIN (AP) — State representatives today rejected an attempt to cut $4 million from the general appropriation bill by reducing pay raises for district attorneys and appellate judges.

They voted 106-34 against an amendment by Rep. Buck Florence, D-Hughes Springs, giving DAs a pay raise from the present $24,800 to $25,600 next year and $26,500 in 1979. The bill, however, raises them to $35,000 in 1978 and $37,500 in 1979.

Florence's amendment also would have trimmed appellate judges' salaries. For example, a supreme court justice would have gotten $49,000 in 1978 instead of the $50,600 provided by the bill.

Debate, however, centered on the DAs, with Florence calling them "these noble district attorneys who in so many cases do so little."

Rep. Bill Hollowell, D-Grand Saline, said that higher salaries for DAs were necessary to get them to give their full attention to prosecuting criminals and stop them from practicing law on the side.

"Let's pay these guys a decent salary and demand that they prosecute these criminal cases," Hollowell said.

The $15.7 billion general appropriation bill appeared headed for several days of debate, with more than 70 amendments pending, many of them designed to cut the amount of money to be spent.

Rep. Carlyle Smith, D-Grand Prairie, failed, 85-45, Monday with an amendment to limit judges to the same 3.4 per cent annual pay raise that state employes would get.

Carter, Hussein Conclude Talks

WASHINGTON (AP) — President Carter concluded talks with Jordan's King Hussein today and said that it might be better to abandon plans for a Geneva conference on the Middle East "unless we see some strong possibilities for substantial achievements."

Carter talked about long-intransigent Middle Eastern problems with reporters after bidding farewell to Hussein at the driveway behind the Oval Office.

Although Carter said that "so far I have been encouraged" about peace prospects, he added, "to raise expectations too high would be, I think, potentially very damaging."

Asked about the problem of Palestinian representation at a Geneva conference, the President said such matters remain to be worked out. But he said:

"The one thing I might add on which all the leaders seem agreed is that the more agreement that we can reach before going to Geneva, the less argument there's going to be about the form of the Palestinian representation.

"I think unless we see some strong possibilities for substantial achievements, before a Geneva conference can be convened - unless we can see that prospect, then, I think it would be better not to have the Geneva conference at all."

Earlier in his administration, Carter had talked firmly about plans for a Geneva meeting in the last half of 1977.

The President said that after he completes his own round of talks with Middle Eastern leaders next month, he and his advisers will "consolidate our own analysis" as a prelude to another Middle East visit, expected in June or July, by Secretary of State Cyrus R. Vance.

Commissioners Pledge Unified Support For Hospital Project

The Scurry Commissioners Court last night pledged unified support of a proposal to enlarge Cogdell Memorial Hospital.

Meeting in a joint session with the county hospital board, commissioners were brought up to date on the preliminary plans for a 50-bed addition to the county hospital.

They had a number of questions concerning the proposed project and following a two-hour discussion, all four commissioners said they would give their support to the hospital board's recommendations.

The hospital board had approved preliminary plans last week and launched preparations for submitting the proposal to the State Health Facilities Commission, which must give its approval before the project can advance.

Commissioners indicated that they had been surprised at the preliminary cost estimates. However, after listening to views of hospital board members, they said that they would submit the issue to voters when the time comes and that they would lend their personal support. A county bond issue will be required to finance the project, which preliminary estimates indicate will cost around $3¼ million. This figure is purely a "ball park" estimate, said Cy Miller, hospital administrator, and final estimates cannot be made until the working plans are completed.

It was estimated that it will require some four or five months for the project to clear the State Health Facilities Commission and for the final plans to be completed.

Commissioners asked questions mostly concerning the size of the proposed addition and the cost. Commissioner Hassie Sneed said he wanted to be certain that 50 rooms will be needed.

A. Z. Glover, member of the hospital board, said that the board could wind up with "egg on our faces" if the addition is too small or too large, but that it appears that the demand for hospital services will continue to increase. It might be better to have a few spare rooms than not enough, he suggested.

Commissioner Jess Everett said that the commissioners were not "jumping on chairs and shouting for joy" at the prospects of calling an election for a bond issue of over $3 million, but that he was willing to back the hospital board's judgment following last night's discussion. Commissioner Eldon Perry asked about the prospects that costs of construction might go even higher.

Since oil values in the county have passed their peak, the question of financing came in for considerable discussion. However, the two bankers on the hospital board both expressed confidence in this area's economic outlook.

Martin Brooks, president of West Texas State Bank, said that he felt the hospital could not wait until growth occurs to make preparations to take care of it. He said he expected Snyder and Scurry County to continue on the upswing for several years.

Rex Robinson, executive vice president of Snyder National Bank, said he could not be anything but optimistic over Snyder's future. He also cautioned that delays likely would mean higher costs in the future to provide the facilities now proposed.

"I believe that in five

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Panel Rejects Proposals To Alter Supports

WASHINGTON (AP) — The Senate Agriculture Committee today rejected most of the Carter administration's proposals for changing the rice price-supports program and part of its recommendations on cotton supports.

In both cases, it chose the potentially more costly alternatives.

The committee also began discussions of the administration negotiated peanut industry's proposals to change that program, recently the most costly of the existing supports.

A vote is expected Wednesday, with the Agriculture Department's plan considered a shoo-in against more expensive ones offered by a minority of growers.

Texas Gas Industry Denies Part In Scheme

By The Associated Press

Texas natural gas industry spokesmen have denied any participation in an alleged price-fixing scheme although they have acknowledged a federal probe into the subject.

The probe was announced by the Justice Department, saying it was being conducted under the provision of the Sherman Act that covers anti-trust violations.

A spokesman for the Justice Department said letters had been sent to producers and pipeline companies requesting records and information. "If a violation is found, we will bring a civil suit seeking an injunction against the violator," he said.

The spokesman added that the civil probe was not tied to the recent energy program announced by President Carter.

"The probe was under way before that," he said.

In Dallas, a spokesman for Lone Star Gas Co. said the firm had received the letter from the Department of Justice.

"In fact, we received letter No. 1794 which may give some indication of how many letters are being sent," the spokesman said. "We are going to study it and give 100 per cent co-operation. We are not involved and have not been involved in price fixing."

In Houston, a spokesman said Coastal States Gas Corp. Also had received subpoenas for documents for the Justice department anti-trust division investigation.

"We will co-operate fully," the spokesman said.

Coastal States is the parent firm of Lo-Vaca Gathering Co., operator of an intrastate gas system that faces customer suits approximating $1.6 billion Negotiations are under way for possible settlement of the suits that allege default of contracts for the supply of gas either as to volumes delivered or as to prices charged.

In Amarillo, officials of Pioneer Natural Gas Co. said Monday the company had received a letter from the Justice Department and "will comply with the request for information because we don't think we are involved in any wrongdoing."

Spokesman Bob Mills said the probe "is just on more step by the federal government to bring intrastate gas under federal jurisdiction."

Intrastate gas in Texas is not regulated, but gas flowing out of the state is regulated by the Federal Power Commission which sets price ceilings.

JP Salary Hiked By $100 Per Month

Scurry County Commissioners Court yesterday agreed to raise the salary of the Justice of the Peace in Precinct No. 1 by $100 per month.

The commissioners took action on the proposal following a recommendation by the county grievance committee that the salary for that office be set at $14,010.82, the same as the salary for a county commissioner.

Justice of the Peace Bobby Goodwin had requested the grievance committee increase his salary from $12,130.34 per year to $14,556.98, the same as county-wide elective offices.

The grievance committee voted 6-3 for the $14,010.82 figure, which automatically sent the request before the commissioners court. An unanimous decision would have put the grievance committee's recommendation into effect on May 1 without going before the court.

The grievance committee had voted 8-1 to leave the Justice of the Peace clerk's salary unchanged. Goodwin had asked that the clerk's salary be increased from $8,254.05 to $9,798.80, the salary for chief deputies in the courthouse. Commissioners took no action on the clerk's salary, but indicated that it would be considered when the 1978 budget is prepared.

SNYDER TEMPERATURES: High Monday, 74 degrees; low, 49 degrees; Reading at 7 a.m. today, 54 degrees; precipitation, none; total precipitation for 1977 to date, 5.91.

West Texas: Partly cloudy tonight with widely scattered showers and thunderstorms, mainly south portion. Sunny and warmer Wednesday. Low tonight 45 to 55. High Wednesday 78 to 85 except near 90 Big Bend.

Weather Service Program Presented

City personnel and representatives of other local agencies involved in emergency operations sat in on a meeting this morning arranged by the National Weather Service.

The session, which was held in the council room at city hall, was designed to acquaint local personnel with procedures and services available through the National Weather Service.

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big dose of reform

The Texas House of Representatives Thursday created county-wide offices to appraise property for tax purposes, replacing the present system of having an assessor for each political sub-division. The vote on final passage was 88-58.

The bill would set up county-wide appraisal service to replace present appraisal boards maintained by cities and special districts. Counties retain assessor-collectors unless they elect to join the new appraisal districts. A set of state agencies (not named in news dispatches) would have supervisory power over the entire property tax system. At the top will be a State Property Tax Board.

Taxpayers dissatisfied with values fixed by the county appraisal board have the privilege of appealing to local review boards. If dissatisfied with the decision of that agency the taxpayer may file suit in a district court or appeal to a new State Property Tax Appeals Commission.

All this is included in a package bearing the attractive label of reform. Two reasons are given for enacting this piece of legislation. One is to eliminate inequities in valuation property for tax purposes. Apparent motivation is to have uniformity in property values throughout the State because allocation of State school funds is based in part on taxable values in local district. A second objective is to eliminate confusion growing out of variation in assessed value of property within a county.

One agency will do the job of assessing values for cities and special districts in a county. Rates, of course, will be determined by governing authorities in political subdivisions. A second professed purpose is to prevent juggling of valuations by local authorities in order to get a bigger cut in funds received from the State. Another objective is to require reductions in local taxes offsetting additional money from the State.

That is about it for the House version of tax reform. The Senate on the same day the House was completing its work on the tax measure passed on a voice vote a House bill basing taxation of farm and ranch land on five-year average production. That comes pretty close to being a tax on income. But adoption of a constitutional amendment is necessary for this to be effective.

One or two conclusions seem warranted. Relinquishing local control over taxation for local purposes and turning the job over to state system is a drastic change. If finally approved the people may discover they may be getting more "reform" than they bargained for.

labor plans big push

Organized labor has sustained two rebuffs so far from the current administration in Washington, but don't expect it to waste any time licking its wounds.

Big labor apparently subscribes to the theory that a good offense is the best defense, and it has served notice that it is launching its "spring offensive." This means that, since it has not been able to get all of its demands by working under present rules, it plans an all-out assault to get the rules changed to its own advantage.

Failure of the "common situs" picketing bill in Congress and President Carter's recommendation of a substantially lower minimum wage they had had demanded were bitter pills for the union bosses. They immediately vowed to push even harder for repeal of 14b, but it develops that this is rather mild compared to their major objective. It is HR 77, a bill by Rep. Frank Thompson (D-N.J.) which would automatically certify a union as the bargaining agent whenever it could persuade 55 per cent of the employes involved to sign authorization cards. It would take away the rights of employes to express themselves anonymously through the secret ballot and obviously it would clear the decks for strong arm tactics to get signatures on the authorization cards. And, obviously, once the 55 per cent acquiescence was attained, the rights of the remaining 45 per cent would be ignored.

my turn...

by wanda rushing
news editor

I was both shocked and amused last week when I read the Zaire-Coke story. And I was in for a second surprise before I finished reading the story...the U.S. had refused to ship the requested Cokes.

Now I have nothing against Cokes, except they are fattening, and I don't wish to deny the Zaire soldiers of "the pause that refreshes", but the fact that it was included on the military shopping list, made me stop and think. How many "essential" items could be included under the non-lethal aid requests. The Carter administration had already denied them arms, (score one for Carter) so maybe they were just trying to get their share of the American giveaway, that most all foreign countries seek.

When President Mobutu Sese Seko of Zaire found out that Washington wouldn't send the Cokes, he was willing to shell out $60,000 from his own war time treasury to get the Cokes delivered. It makes a dumb old country girl question their need for aid in the first place.

At last report the government was keeping its hands-off on the Coke deal, but Zaire will get their supplies of the soft drink in a purely commercial transaction.

The Coca-Cola officials were surprised, too. They thought they already had a bottling plant in the African nation. I'm sure they won't miss out on this opportunity to expand now that they know there is such a demand there for the soft drink.

Are the Zaire forces bribed to fight for a Coke? Maybe they should have asked for Dr. Peppers, known for their 10-2-and 4 breaks. It could slow down the war immensely.

paul harvey

importance of fitness

Eula Weaver of suburban Los Angeles had a stroke and was left mostly paralyzed.

Additionally, her hands and knees were agonizingly arthritic.

She was 77 and faced with spending the rest of her life as an invalid--or she might force herself to start walking again.

Even with the pills it was painful, but she was determined to walk again.

She went on a diet of mostly green vegetables and fresh raw fruit, less than three ounces of meat a day.

Now it's 10 years later. Eula Weaver is 87. No more pills. She jogs a mile every day.

And on an indoor bicycle she pedals the equivalent of 10 miles before dinner.

In the National Senior Olympics these last three years she has won six gold medals.

This is not to suggest that every stroke victim should jump from his wheelchair and start running.

What it does suggest is that, allowing for physiological variables, we could all take better care of ourselves.

Recently the American Medical Assn. sought, from the most recent statistical evidence, to ascertain whether our nation's health is in fact improving.

Despite their best efforts to be definitive, the researchers had to submit two answers to the question--yes and no.

Our nation's death rate is now the lowest in history.

In eight years, the number of Americans over 65 has increased from 18.8 million to 22.3 million.

Ten years ago you could expect to live 68.4 years.

Today you can expect to live 70.2 years.

Of the 10 leading causes of death 10 years ago, nine have been reduced.

But on the debit side of the ledger, more Americans are killing themselves — unnecessarily, voluntarily, directly or indirectly.

Knowingly we continue to jeopardize our health by smoking, drinking, overeating and under exercising.

So the death rate from cancer continues to rise.

And the death rate from suicide and homicide continues to rise.

And though we are living longer and have more healthy years--we also have more invalid years.

And that is why the AMA's researchers had to say that medicine is winning the war against diseases, losing the war against excesses.

In the four nations where life expectancy is greater than ours--Sweden, Japan, United Kingdom and France--per capita use of cigarettes is less.

Dr. Arlan Richardson of Illinois State University quotes Dr. Alex Comfort, "Until the mid-19th century, infections remained a mystery. Until Louis Pasteur, bacteria remained a mystery."

He is convinced that our generation will learn enough about the protein link with the aging process to control it.

But while science cooperates to extend our lives, excesses conspire to shorten them.

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in washington

martha angle and robert walters

WASHINGTON — (NEA) — In the eyes of Congress, it is more blessed to give than to take away. And therein lies the rub for President Carter, who is having precious little success so far in trimming the fat from the federal diet.

When he assumed the presidency just three short months ago, Jimmy Carter vowed to give the government a lean and hungry look befitting this era of limited resources and lowered expectations.

He would, he promised, combine competent management with compassionate purposes to give the taxpayers a maximum return on their involuntary investment in Uncle Sam, Inc.

A noble aspiration. But Carter failed to reckon with the obdurate profligacy of the Congress, which is always more willing to talk about fiscal restraint than to practice it.

Although it is still early in the congressional budget process, certain patterns are emerging on Capitol Hill which hold ominous portents for Carter's hopes of eliminating ineffective or outmoded programs in order to free up funds for new initiatives like national health insurance and welfare reform.

"None of our more significant proposals to reduce the budget has moved," one top Office of Management and Budget executive admitted recently. "On the big ones, we're having trouble even getting someone to introduce them in Congress."

At the rate things are going, this OMB official said, Congress could wind up boosting Carter's $459-billion proposed budget for fiscal 1978 by a whopping $25 billion.

His assessment is no doubt excessively gloomy; Congress is about to impose its own spending targets for the fiscal year, and every indication is that it will set total outlays only $3 billion or so above the Carter recommendation.

But both the House and Senate continue to throw money down a multitude of ratholes at a time when the government simply can't afford such waste.

Carter, like all presidents, has tried to look at the budget from a broad, national perspective. But Congress remains hopelessly parochial. Each and every member of the House and Senate has only one question when it comes to federal spending: what's in it for my district, my state, my pet projects and favorite agencies?

No member of Congress who ever played even the smallest role in creating a specific federal program would think of admitting the whole thing was a flop and should be terminated. Instead, the inclination is always to throw a few million more dollars into the project in hopes that the original, often misguided, scheme will at last be vindicated.

No member of Congress can bear to cut a program which brings federal dollars to his district, even if they are wasted by the recipients or might be used far more effectively elsewhere.

And no member of Congress likes to vote against a colleague's pork barrel project for fear that his own will suddenly become vulnerable.

While the Republicans controlled the White House, dominant congressional Democrats could always argue that they were simply marching to the beat of a different drummer, doling out dollars for more worthy purposes than the wicked old White House wanted to pursue.

But Carter and the Congress now purport to share the same goals. The difference is that the president realizes their common objectives cannot be achieved merely by piling new programs on top of the existing ones; federal revenues just aren't growing fast enough to permit such a luxury, and the deficit is already at an intolerable level.

Carter has repeatedly pledged to balance the budget by the end of his first term. There is no way he can keep that promise, let alone undertake any significant new policy initiatives, if Congress is going to insist that every cow is sacred just because it's presently alive and gulping greenbacks.

The great water project war may seem silly from a distance, but it is central to the long-term challenge facing both the president and the Congress. There is more at stake than a test of wills. Dollars poured over needless dams will not be available for other projects that may well be far more deserving.

letters to editor

To The Daily News:

The Scurry County Historical Commission would like to express appreciation to you and The Snyder Daily News for your cooperation in helping make our community aware of its heritage and of the efforts being made to preserve that heritage.

We are especially indebted for the space being given for the series of articles bring re-printed from the Historical Markers in Scurry County book. Commission members have received favorable comments on this series, and we hope the comments have reached you as well.

Your coverage of the recent dedication program for the Smith-Harris Memorial book collection at the Scurry County Library was also appreciated. The collection will certainly be an asset to the library, and the donors were pleased that many local residents came out for the dedication ceremonies.

Again, our thanks to you. Your help is of great value in our work of historical preservation.

(Mrs.) Edith Whatley McKanna
Chairman
Scurry County
Historical Commission

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To The Daily News:

Having been in the newspaper business as an aviation writer for the Daily Oklahoman and the publisher of an aviation magazine during the days gone by, I wanted to congratulate you and your staff on the excellent job and coverage that you gave to the Annual McLaughlin Memorial Award in the Snyder Daily on Friday and Sunday. It was well done. You all did just an excellent job.

I was invited to the affair by Jean DeFord. I felt that all concerned admired the coverage on the activity.

Keith Kahle
Fort Worth

john cunniff

less inflation seen

NEW YORK (AP)- Just as some business economists are upgrading their diagnosis of 1977's economic health, the White House appears to think the patient won't be as strong as anticipated.

The most important revision by the Office of Management and Budget is its expectation of an inflation rate, as measured by the consumer price index, of 6.7 per cent for the 12 months to December 1977, or 1.4 per cent more than foreseen earlier.

At the same time, some business economists have gone the other way, anticipating less inflation than before, mainly because President Carter has removed the $50 rebate factor from his economic program.

"Assuming that Congress goes along with the administration, which looks likely, the near-term danger of substantially higher inflation and interest rates has been sharply reduced," said Albert Cox Jr.' president of Merrill Lynch Economics Inc.

Cox has been among the foremost opponents of economic stimulus, saying for many weeks that it was unneeded and that if applied would lead to a precarious economic imbalance.

Now, following Carter's dropping of the rebate proposal, he is telling clients that "stable growth looks much more probable in the year ahead and somewhat more probable later in 1978 as well."

Prospects for double-digit inflation have been reduced, he says.

whileCox and others were revising their outlook to include a bit more sunshine, Budget Director Bert Lance was beginning to see more gray as he looked through his economic telescope.

Along with more inflation, his office foresees a smaller rise in the total output of goods and services, some 4.9 per cent compared with a gain of 5.4 per cent announced just two months ago.

The revision is said to be a consequence of the severe winter and the continued drought in the West.

Oddly, some business economists are now expressing relief that the economy apparently came through the winter without long-lasting or irreversible damage. And they see the drought, while remaining serious, somewhat alleviated.

Despite the introduction of gray matter into the relatively brighter scenario it had been using, there is now little in the White House forecast that differs greatly from that of some widely used independent economists.

The former has revised downward the expected advances. The latter have closed the gap from their end by revising upward their anticipations for the economy.

But perhaps more important than these considerations is the belief, held by both government and private economists, that the much troubled American economy is making progress, and relative to other countries, strong progress.

It is fascinating to reflect upon a simple fact about the U.S. economy in 1977, says Rinfret, and it is this: "The American rate of economic growth will outstrip any major industrial economy in the world, including the U.S.S.R. and Japan."

LAFF - A - DAY

"Betcha can't find the secret compartment!"

thoughts

There is nothing better for a man than that he should eat and drink, and find enjoyment in his toil. This also, I saw, is from the hand of God;—Eccl. 2:24.

"The only method by which people can be supported is out of the effort of those who are earning their own way. We must not create a deterrent to hard work." - Robert A. Taft, American statesman.

The first British parliament was also known as Simon's Parliament after the baron, Simon de Montfort, who convened it in January, 1265.

Barbs

By PHIL PASTORET

Gossips haven't disappeared — it's just that now they're called data coordinators.

You can tell a really dry martini — it's served with a whiskbroom rather than with a napkin.

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ANNUAL MEETING HELD—The Women's Auxiliary of Cogdell Memorial Hospital held their annual awards luncheon at the Shack April 18. In the absence of Mrs. Lois Greer, the outgoing president, Mr. Cy Miller, administrator of the hospital, presided. Total hours contributed by "Pink Ladies and Candy Stripers" were 13,876 . Pictured above are the new officers for the coming year. They are, from left, Mrs. Terry Allen, recording president; Mrs. Hugh Boren, board member; Mrs. Ruby Anderson, second vice-president; Mrs. George Stewart, corresponding secretary. Not pictured are Mrs. Bill Line and Mrs. L.Q. Greer, board members.

FLUVANNA NEWS

By STELLA JONES

Mr. and Mrs. W.F. Mathis had the following as their guest: Mr. and Mrs. Joe Blair and Jo Mathis of Lubbock, Mr. and Mrs. V.A. Wills, Mr. and Mrs. W.O. Mathis and Dow of Fluvanna, and Mrs. Bill Hurles of San Antonio, who visited several days with her parents.

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Hunnicutt of Big Spring, took dinner and visited with Mrs. Beden Owen, then later in the afternoon his parents Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Hunnicutt joined the group and on Monday, April 4th,went to Lubbock for the afternoon.

On March 31, Mrs. Stella Jones accompanied her son, Bill Cade of Rotan, to Midland where they attended the funeral of Mrs. Martha Strickland, sister-in-law of Mrs. Jones.

Sunday afternoon Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Smith took their grandson, John Patten, to his home in Abilene and visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Don Patten.

Those who had Easter dinner in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Royce Patterson and Tom, near Snyder, were all of Mrs. Robert Warren's children, nine grandchildren out of sixteen and eight grandchildren out of 9. Those attending were, Mr. and Mrs. Bobby E. Warren and grandaughter Tina Warren of Huntsville, Mr. and Mrs. J.W. Warren, Jay Will and Candy of Midland, and Mr. and Mrs. Terry Gilberth, John and Carrie of Baird.

Also Mr. and Mrs. G.K. Fambro, Faye Sullenger, Mr. and Mrs. Billy Sulenger, Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Price, Belinda and Cliff.

Also attending were Mr. and Mrs. Tom Valentine and Krystyl, Mr. and Mrs. Emmett Hataway, Royce, and Ross all of Snyder, Mr. and Mrs. Tommy Smith, Kerrie and Wes of Midland. Guest of the family were Mrs. Ruby Benson, Mr. Cora Patterson, Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Smith all of Fluvanna, John Patten of Abilene. Mr. and Mrs. Jack Burney, Mr. and Mrs. Demsel Fambro, Robin and Stephanie, all of Snyder. In the afternoon the children had an Easter egg hunt.

Mrs. Pearl Reeder was in Lamesa this past week visiting her granddaughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. Sammie Stevens and boys.

The following group met at the community center on April 9-10 for an Easter family get-to-together, Mr. and Mrs. James Stansell, Mr. and Mrs. Bobby Stansell, Gregory, Mark and Cynthia, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Stansell and Teresa, Mr. and Mrs. Clinton Gregory, Vickie, Patricia, and Jayme, all of Fluvanna. Mr. and Mrs. Steve Stansell and Clovis, Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Stansell, R.D. Barney and Becky, Mrs. T.M. Hughes, all of Snyder, Mr. and Mrs. R.L.Montgomery, Danny and Glen, Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Montgomery all of Slaton, Mrs. Gary Parton, Leeann, Cody and Casey, of Levelland, Mrs. A.D. Kinder and Georgia of Arlington also attended.

In the group were Mr. and Mrs. Tim Mebane and Billy Weldon of La Feria, Mr. and Mrs. Rusty Wilson, Ben and Kevin of College Station. Mrs. Pearl Mosley of Jacksboro, Mr. and Mrs. Gammy Padila, Mr. and Mrs. Larry Padilla, and Angie, Mr. and Mrs. Gary Baker, Randy and Robyn all of Wichita Falls, Mr. and Mrs. Mike Holmes, Michelle, David and Amy of Blackwell were in attendance.

The Fluvanna Church of Christ gave Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Paden and Cathey a going-away salad supper on Sunday night. Mr. Paden has accepted a church at Robert Lee.

Mrs. Jim Noon and Kim recently spent a week with her parents Rev. and Mrs. Clayton Pennington. Mrs. Noon and Kim stopped in Abilene on Sunday night where she spent the night with her sister and family Mr. and Mrs. Leon Bedford and boys, going on to her home in Arlington on -Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Dean Ball spent last week in Hico visiting with her sister and husband Mr. and Mrs. Jake McClammy. Mrs. McClammy was confined to the hospital in Hico. They returned home by Brownwood Lake where they visited with Mr. and Mrs. O. Z. Ball of Slaton who were fishing there.

Zenda Ball recently spent a week with her brother and family, Mr. and Mrs. Dennis Ball and Deann in Snyder.

Mr. and Mrs. Hurston Lemons and Buster took Easter dinner and ate with their son and family Mr. and Mrs. Bobby Lemons and children.

Mrs. Virgie Garris of Abilene, visted several days last week with Mrs. Cora Patterson and Mrs. Ruby Benson.

Mr. and Mrs.E.H. McCarter of Brownsville were guest of her sister and husband Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Jones during the week of March 22.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Jones, Susie and Phil spent part of their spring vacation in Ruidosa,N.M.

Mr. and Mrs. Glen Toombs returned home on the 7th from a tour to Washington D.C. and New York with 42 members of Lamesa Cotton Growers.

Mr. and Mrs. Wallace Jones Jr., Paul and Glen of Lubbock and Wally Jones and Mr. and Mrs. Jack Jones and girls of Snyder visited Easter Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Jones.

Mr. and Mrs. Royce Summers and Jason visited Friday with Mrs. Ethridge Strickland and Mr. Simon Best and took care of some business.

Church To Honor Its Six Seniors

Six graduating seniors will be honored at a Family Night supper at the First Presbyterian Church Wednesday night. The meal will begin promptly at 6:30 p.m. in the church basement.

Seniors to be recognized will be Alan Floyd, Randy Collum, Brenda Owens, Susie Jones, Robin Trail, and Glenn Smylie.

All those attending the supper are asked to bring a covered dish.

SCHOOL LUNCH MENU

ELEMENTARY SCHOOL

WEDNESDAY

FOOD FOR THOUGHT: Better to let 'em wonder why you didn't talk than why you did.

Poorboy Steak w-Country Gravy
Fluffy Whipped Potatoes
Green Beans
Hot Rolls
Applesauce Cake
Milk

THURSDAY

FOOD FOR THOUGHT: We would rather be ruined by praise than saved by criticism.

Manager's Choice

FRIDAY

FOOD FOR THOUGHT: If at first you don't succeed, you are running about average.

Peanut Butter & Jelly Sandwich
Beef Vegetable Soup
Orange Wedges
Chocolate Cookie
Milk

SECONDARY SCHOOL

WEDNESDAY

Beef Tacos w-Taco Sauce
Cheese, Lettuce, Tomato
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w-Dressing
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THURSDAY

Manager's Choice

FRIDAY

Barbequed Hot Links
w-Potato Salad
Fresh Orange Sections
Pork & Beans
Ranger Cookie
Milk

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Oswald and Jim Jacoby

Ozzie's partner makes slam

NORTH 26
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♥ A 7
♦ A 7
♣ K 10 8 6 5

WEST
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♥ J 8 3 2
♦ K Q J 6 3
♣ Q 7

EAST
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♥ Q 10 9 4
♦ 9 5 4 2
♣ J 4 3

SOUTH (D)
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♥ K 6 5
♦ 10 8
♣ A 9 2

East-West vulnerable

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Pass	5 N. T.	Pass	6 ♦
Pass	6 ♠	Pass	Pass
Pass			

Opening lead — K ♦

By Oswald & James Jacoby

Mary Zita Jacoby never has become a really expert player, but her 1,500 master points are mostly of the red variety since she usually played in major events with some of the family.

She sat South today, while Oswald held the North cards. His bidding can best be described as typical husband-wife slam bidding. For all he knew, when he settled for six spades the combined hands might produce seven spades slam.

Mrs. Jacoby was unhappy with the dummy. She could only count to 11 tricks. Of course, 12 would have been or seven notrump, but he decided to settle for the small easy without that diamond lead, but that diamond lead is what hit her.

She drew trumps with two leads after taking the first diamond and noted that trumps had been accounted for. Then she played three rounds of hearts to ruff the third one in dummy. A diamond was led to her 10 and West's jack.

West made his best lead — the queen of clubs. Now Mary Zita remembered that honors were supposed to divide. She rose with dummy's king, finessed against East's jack and made the slam.

Ask the Jacobys

A California reader wants to know her correct rebid with: ♠ — ♥ J x x x x x ♦ x x x x ♣ x x x after partner has opened with a game-forcing bid of two spades and rebid three clubs over our correspondent's negative two notrump.

This is a hanged if you do, hanged if you don't situation. We favor three hearts with four clubs as a second choice, but don't have much faith in either call.

(Do you have a question for the experts? Write "Ask the Jacobys" care of this newspaper. The Jacobys will answer individual questions if stamped, self-addressed envelopes are enclosed. The most interesting questions will be used in this column and will receive copies of JACOBY MODERN.)

COMMUNITY CALENDAR

TUESDAY

B&PW Club will have dinner meeting at Martha Ann Woman's Club; 7 p.m.

If you are interested in losing weight come meet with the TOPS 56 at Stanfield Elementary School at 6:30 p.m.

WEDNESDAY

Sparkle City Squares will have lessons at the National Guard Armory, 8:30 p.m.

Altrurian Daughters Club will meet at Martha Ann Woman's Club. Nutritional Health, program; Mrs. R.E. Patterson, hostess; Mrs. Ophelia Blackard, chairman; 3:30 p.m.

THURSDAY

Snyder Palette Club will meet at Airport Terminal Bldg. W. 37th for workday; 9 a.m. to 5 p.m.

ABWA will meet at Martha Ann Woman's Club; 7 p.m.

Fashion Flight '77, 2 p.m., Western Texas College Student Center cafeteria. Call student Activities Office for reservations.

Nutrition Seminar at 7:30 p.m. at Scurry County Coliseum. Public invited to attend. No admission charge.

FRIDAY

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

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ON THE FASHION SCENE—Pants are still in the fashion picture for spring and summer, and pants styled for daytime and evening wear will be shown in the Fashion Flight '77 style show scheduled at 2 pm Thursday in the WTC Student Center cafeteria. Stacy Payne of Stanton, left, and Millie Maxwell of Slaton will be among the WTC students serving as models in the show. There will be no admission charge, but persons planning to attend are asked to make reservations by calling the Student Activities office so seating arrangements may be planned. (Photos by Neely Wright)

SUITABLE SHIRTING—T-shirts are big news on the fashion scene this season as Tressie Griffin of Crosbyton (left) and Tesa Mohler of San Angelo show in the photos above. They will be among the models for spring and summer styles in Fashion Flight '77 at the WTC Student Center cafeteria at 2 o'clock Thursday afternoon. Persons interested in attending the show are asked to make reservations by calling the Student Activities office, 573-8511, extension 276, Mrs. Mickey Baird, Student Activities Director, said.

Nutrition Seminar Here Thursday

Dr. Frank Peters, chiropractic physician and nutritionist, from Amarillo, will be the featured speaker at 7:30 p.m. Thursday, at the Scurry County Coliseum.

Dr. Peters and his brother, Terry Peters, D.C. have toured the Southwest presenting programs on nutrition.

Ex-pro football player Jesse Powell of the Miami Dolphins will speak on instant protein nutrition.

Those interested in nutrition and food supplement are invited to attend the hour long seminar.

A question and answer session will conclude the program. There is no admission charge.

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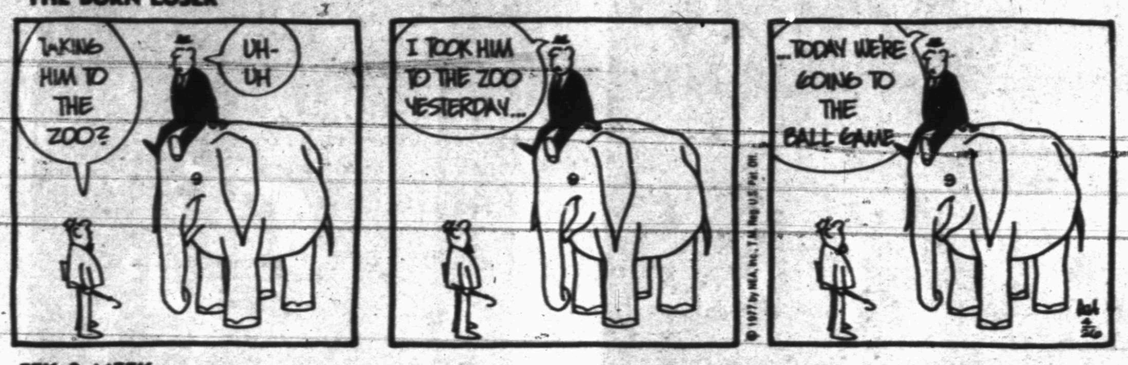

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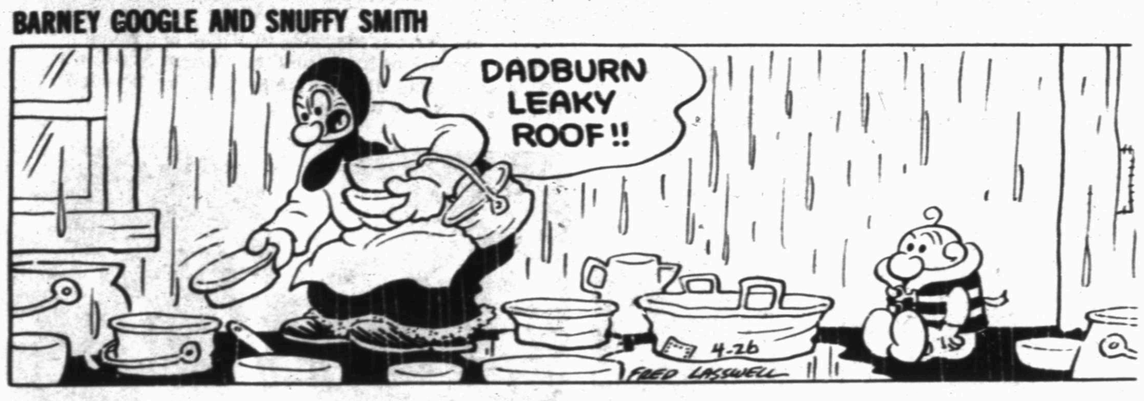

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34 Water (Fr.)
35 Mideast seaport
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37 Kind of tree (pl.)
39 Resorts
41 Greek letter
42 Biblical hero
43 Solemn pledge
44 Tool for writing
45 Admit
47 Painting medium
49 Sidestep
52 Indefinite
56 Brooch
57 School (Fr.)
61 Depression initials
62 Swallow up
63 Road builder
64 Navy ship prefix (abbr.)
65 Samuel's teacher
66 Strikes
67 Rested in chair

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1 Varmint
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4 Scene
5 Dog doctor, for short
6 George Gershwin's brother
7 Mae West role
8 More cunning
9 Coin of Mexico
10 Lawyer's patron saint
11 Portal
19 Doctor's helper (abbr.)
21 Film spool
23 British prime minister
24 Garden plant
25 Hammer part
26 French composer
27 Arizona city
29 California wine district
31 Northern European
32 Erato
33 Scandinavian god
38 Having boots
40 Quakes
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48 Musical syllable
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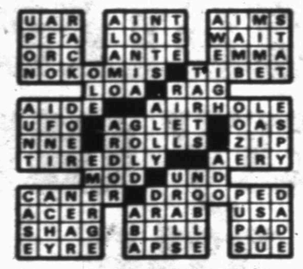

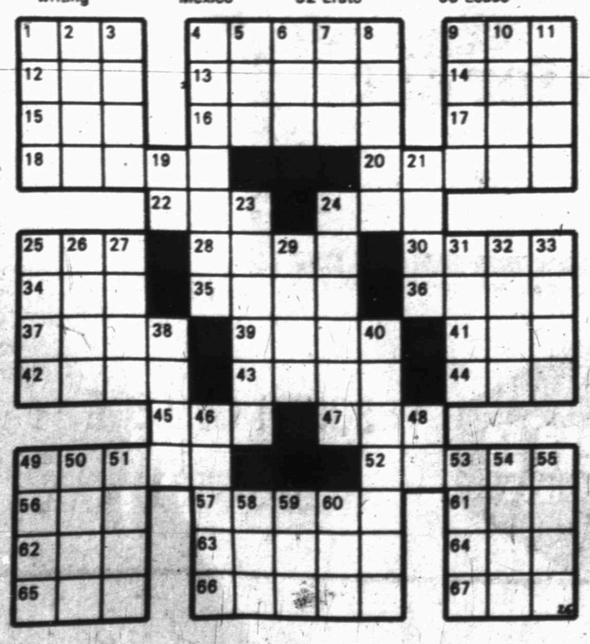

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Cincinnati Sees Red; Raps Atlanta, 23-9

The awakening Cincinnati Reds did not wash away their frustrations Monday night. Instead, they almost washed away the Atlanta Braves.

Apparently determined to prove that anything the Los Angeles Dodgers can do, they can do better, the world champion Reds, who had scored only 25 runs in their previous seven games and went to Atlanta with a four-game losing streak and an embarrassing 4-10 record, unloaded 18 hits and buried the Braves 23-9.

Gen. Sherman could not have sacked Atlanta any better, although the Dodgers teed off on the Braves' beleaguered pitching staff for 16 runs and 16 hits Sunday.

"You don't wash away frustrations with games like these, you do it by winning 2-1 games," said Cincinnati Manager Sparky Anderson, who benched All-Star catcher Johnny Bench Sunday and threatened to seat other non-producers.

"I'd rather see a played game than one like this one. Don't get me wrong, I like to win any way we can, but the other kind pleases me more. This kind is nice when you're on the right end of it, but I don't enjoy them because when you're on the other end it's not very pleasant."

In the only other National League game, the Dodgers whipped the San Diego Padres 7-3 as Ron Cey walloped his sixth and seventh home runs of the season. The St. Louis-Chicago game was postponed by cold weather.

In the American League, the New York Yankees defeated the Baltimore Orioles 9-6, the California Angels trimmed the Oakland A's 11-6 and the Boston Red Sox edged Toronto 6-5 after the Blue Jays won the opener of a doubleheader 4-3.

The Reds scored six runs in the first inning and erupted for 12 runs in the fifth, tying a modern NL fifth-inning record and scoring the most runs against the Braves since they moved from Milwaukee to Atlanta in 1966.

George Foster drove in seven runs with a three-run homer in the first inning, a run-scoring double in the second and an RBI single as well as a two-run homer in the fifth. Bench and Cesar Geronimo also homered.

The Reds' onslaught made it easy for pitcher Jack Billingham although he was reached for 17 hits and all nine Atlanta runs in eight innings.

Dodgers 7, Padres 3

Cey drove in three runs with his two homers and Rick Rhoden won his third straight game with a seven-hitter. Cey, who has hit in all 15 Dodgers' games, increased his national League-leading RBI total to 25, a club record for the month of April.

Randy Jones, last year's Cy Young Award-winner, took the loss and dropped to 1-3. Steve Garvey also homered and Davey Lopes rapped three hits as the Dodgers won for the 10th time in their last 11 games. Dave Winfield and Gary Sutherland homered for the Padres.

Yankees 9, Orioles 6

Reggie Jackson answered Baltimore's boobirds with a two-run fifth-inning homer, keying a three-run rally that propelled the Yankees to their sixth consecutive victory. Jackson, who signed a lucrative New York free agent contract after one season in Baltimore in which he played out his option, also legged out a ground double on the wet grass in a two-run first inning and doubled and scored in the eighth.

Thurman Munson also hit a two-run homer for the winners.

Jackson was booed continuously and had to be restrained from going after a fan when the game ended.

Manager Billy Martin said a jagged piece of glass was thrown at him and he was struck by a piece of ice. A large plastic container was thrown into right field when Jackson took his position in the seventh inning and about a dozen hot dogs were tossed toward home plate when he batted for the first time.

Angels 11, A's 6

Nolan Ryan allowed 18 baserunners in 5 2-3 innings but came away a winner as home runs by Don Baylor, Tony Solaita and Bobby Brich powered California over Oakland. Ryan struck out only four and allowed 10 hits, five runs walked seven and hit a batter before being relieved in the sixth

League Standings

By The Associated Press

American League

East	W.	L.	Pct.	GB
Milwkee	9	4	.692	-
Balt	7	6	.583	2
N York	8	8	.500	2½
Toronto	8	9	.471	3
Boston	6	8	.429	3½
Detroit	6	10	.375	4½
Cleve	4	9	.308	5
West				
Chicago	9	5	.643	-
K.C.	9	6	.600	½
Oakland	10	7	.588	½
Minn	10	7	.588	½
Texas	7	7	.500	2
Calif	8	10	.444	3
Seattle	7	12	.368	4½

Monday's Results

Toronto 4-5, Boston 3-6
New York 9, Baltimore 6
California 11, Oakland 6

Only games scheduled

Tuesday's Games

Toronto Hargan 1-1 at Cleveland Garland 0-2
Chicago Brett 2-1 at Detroit Rozema 1-0
Seattle Montague 1-0 at Minnesota Zahn 3-0.
Boston Wise 0-1 at Milwaukee Augustine 2-1, n
New York Holtzman 1-0 at Baltimore May 1-2, n
Texas Perry 1-2 at Kansas City Hassler 1-1, n
Oakland Blue 0-2 at California Simpson 1-2, n

Wednesday's Games

Chicago at Detroit
Seattle at Minnesota
Boston at Milwaukee, n
Toronto at Cleveland, n
New York at Baltimore, n
Texas at Kansas City, n
Oakland at California, n

National League

East	W.	L.	Pct.	GB
S Louis	9	6	.600	-
Montreal	7	6	.538	1
Pitts	7	6	.538	1
Chicago	6	6	.500	1½
N York	6	8	.429	2½
Phila	5	7	.417	2½
West				
Los Ang	12	3	.800	-
Atlanta	8	8	.500	4½
S Fran	7	7	.500	4½
S Diego	8	10	.444	5½
Houston	6	9	.400	6
Cinci	5	10	.333	7

Monday's Results

St Louis at Chicago, ppd, cold
Cincinnati 23, Atlanta 9
Los Angeles 7, San Diego 3

Only games scheduled

Tuesday's Games

St. Louis Rasmussen 1-2 at Chicago Reuschel 1-1
Philadelphia Christenson 1-1 at Pittsburgh Candelaria 1-0, n
Cincinnati Alcala 1-1 at Atlanta Niekro 0-2, n
Montreal Hannahs 1-1 at New ork Koosman 1-1, n
Los Angeles Sutton 2-0 at San Diego Shirley 2-1, n
Houston Lemongello 0-3 at San Francisco Halicki 2-1, n

Wednesday's Games

St. Louis at Chicago
Philadelphia at Pittsburgh, n
Cincinnati at Atlanta, n
Montreal at New york, n
Los Angeles at San Diego, n
Houston at San Francisco, n

State Shorts

DALLAS (AP)—Infielder Steve Macko, who has sparked Baylor to a 10-game winning streak that pushed the Bears into the Southwest Conference post-season baseball tournament, has been named the SWC's spring athlete of the week.

Macko, a senior from Dallas, went 13-for-26 in six Baylor victories last week, enlucing two doubles, a triple and a homer, to raise his average to 453.

Others contending for the SEC's weekly spring honor were Rice Trackster Mike Novelli, and baseballers Ralph Wheeler of Houston, Mark Johnston of Texas Tech and Texas A&M's Brad Blair.

AUSTIN (AP)—The Southwest Conference champion Texas Aggies open the first annual SWC post-season baseball tournament at 5 p.m. May 19 against either Baylor or Arkansas.

The opponent will depend on which team finishes fourth in the final SWC race. Texas visits Baylor this weekend.

Texas, as the second or third place team, will host the third place team at 8 p.m. in the double elimination tourney at Disch-Falk Field.

WACO(AP)—Mike Little, a 6-3 point guard from Howard County Junior College and Abilene, has signed a basketball letter of intent with Baylor.

Coach Jim Haller said Little will have three years of eligibility with the Bears. He averaged 18 points and six assists per game with Howard County last year.

He is the brother of former All-Southwest Conference guard Richard Little.

AUSTIN (AP)—Texas Longhorn basketball Coach Abe Lemons has announced the signing of his second and third players from the Los Angeles area in two years.

Henry Johnson and Dave Shepard, who were the top two scorers in the city last year, averaged 30 and 24 points, respectively, for Manuel Arts High School.

Last year, Lemons also reached into the Los Angeles area to sign Bon Baxter, who became the Southwest Conference's Newcomer of the Year.

Johnson is 6-6 and Shepard 6-4.

Alabama is seeking its fourth straight Southeastern Conference basketball title.

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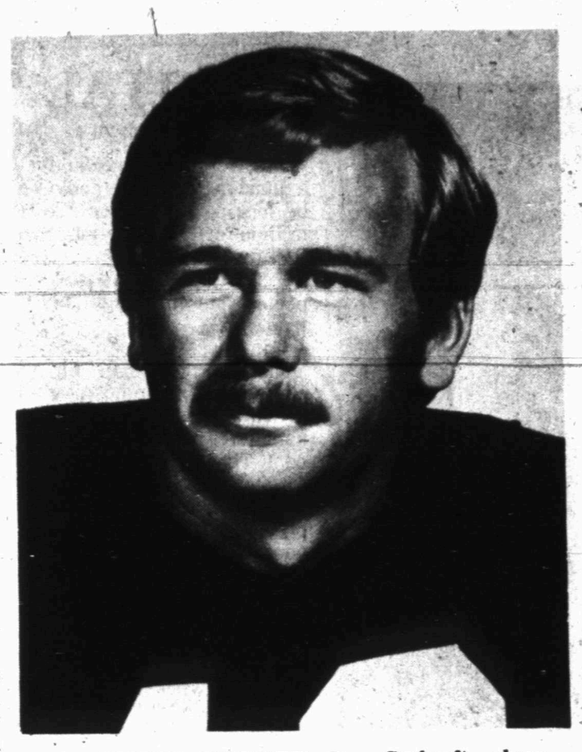

ALL-SPORTS SPEAKER—Don Cockroft, place-kicker-punter for the Cleveland Browns, will be the featured speaker at Snyder's All-Sports Banquet May 2 at the high school cafeteria. Cockroft, who has broken several records with his honored efforts, is an active member of the Fellowship of Christian Athletes.

SWC Tournament Opens With Aggies Holding Lead

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On Friday the losers will play at 3 p.m. with the winners tangling at 7:30 p.m.

The survivors will play Sunday with the 2-0 team gaining a bye to the finals.

Should there be two teams left with just one defeat after game six, then the championship game will be played at 7:30 p.m. Monday.

The winner of the tournament will automatically advance to the NCAA South Central Regional Tournament in Arlington the weekend of May 28.

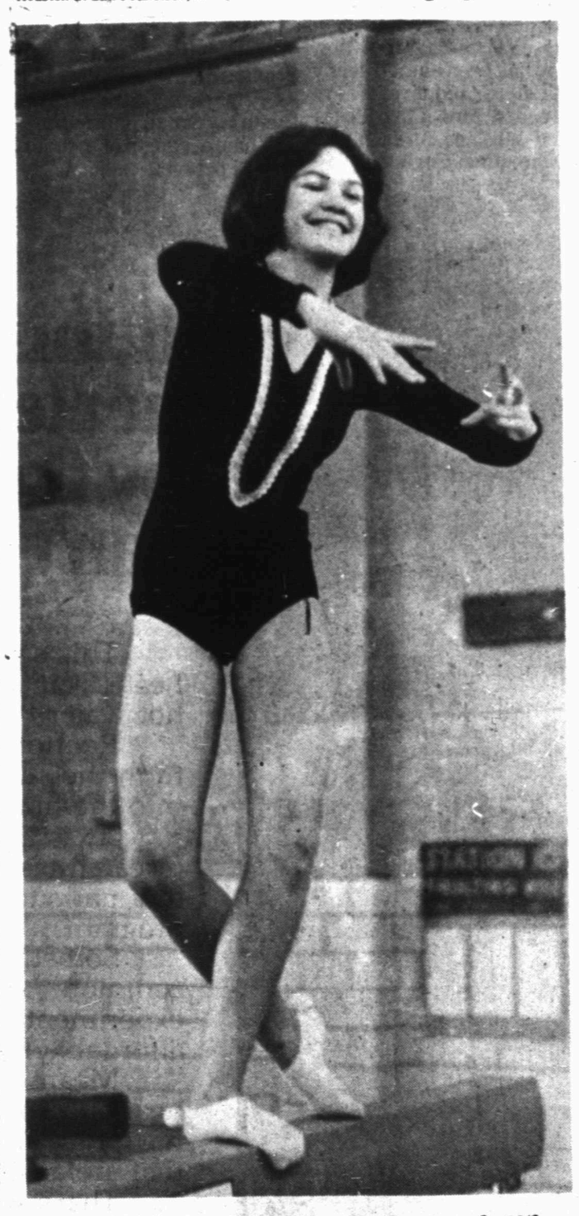
Texas A&M would be strongly considered for an at-large berth in the NCAA playoffs even if it doesn't win the tournament.

Ira Holds Banquet

IRA—The annual all-Sports Banquet will be held tonight at 7 o'clock in Ira Gym.

Tickets for the awards ceremony and supper prepared by Jackson's of Post and the Ira PTA will be available at the door for three dollars.

This year's banquet will honor athletes from grades 5-12 in track, basketball, football, tennis and golf. A special award will be presented as "fan of the year", honoring a person or couple who has followed "their sport in all phases." The recipient is chosen by the Ira athletes.



SNYDER GYMNAST—Rita Black earned 18th position in a field of 40 competiting on the balance beam at the State Gymnastics Championships last weekend. Coach Doug Fitzjarrell was pleased with Rita's performance, and that of the whole team, which finished seventh in the state. It was Snyder's first year in the competition. (SDN Staff Photo)

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Mitchell To Co-Coach Region 5 All-Stars

Mike Mitchell, Western Texas College Basketball Coach who last week accepted the job of athletic director and head coach at Southern Idaho, will be on the sidelines for one more game before he leaves Texas.

Mitchell and John Carter, coach at McLennan Community College, will coach the Region 5 All-Stars against Region 14 All-Stars in a game Friday night at Waco in conjunction with the 12th Annual Texas Coaches Association Basketball Clinic.

Wayne Ballard of San Jacinto College and Leon Spencer of Henderson County Junior College will coach the Region 14 All-Stars.

Mitchell has two of his WTC stars on his Region 5 All-Star Team — Lawrence Butler and Darryl Smith. Butler was named most valuable player in the region following the regional tournament last month.

Warrant Issued For Texas Player

ORLANDO, Fla. (AP)—A warrant charging suspended Texas Rangers second baseman Lenny Randle with aggravated battery in the spring training beating of Manager Frank Luchesi has been issued by local authorities.

Randle is charged with beating Lucchesi in Orlando as the two were discussing Randle's status with the team. Lucchesi spent seven days in a hospital.

Lucchesi had no comment on the filing of the criminal charges and also declined to comment on whether he would file civil charges.

"Once again, I'm saying no comment," said Lucchesi. "I have two years under the statute of limitations to decide on something like that and I'm not worried about it at this time. My only worry is about the Rangers playing winning baseball."

Randle reportedly was angry over losing his job to rookie Bump Wills, son of former Los Angeles Dodgers star Maury Wills.

The Rangers' 30-day suspension of Randle ends Wednesday. The club has been trying to trade Randle, whom they fined $10,000

Snyder Trio Swats Well In Tourney

KERMIT—Snyder's Jeff Wesson won the men's singles C division of the Kermit Invitational Tennis Tournament held Friday and Saturday.

Also in C division, Randy Burrus and Trey Harlin of Snyder won second place in mens doubles play.

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HUNGER WEEK PROCLAIMED—Snyder Mayor John Fagin, seated, is shown signing a proclamation declaring April 24 through May 1 as World Hunger Week. The observation of World Hunger Week is being sponsored locally by the Baptist Student Union at Western Texas College. Sandra Boley, BSU president at WTC, is standing at left while Mickey Porter, BSU Director at WTC, is at right. (SDN STAFF PHOTO)

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DXL	11¾ off ⅛
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Exxon	51 up ⅛
Fairchild Cam	28¼ up ⅛
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Gen Elec	52 up ½
Gen Foods	31½
Gen Mtrs	66⅞ up ⅛
Gen Tel	29¾ off ¼
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Jhn-Man	35 up ¼
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Mobil Oil	65⅜ up ⅜
Monsanto	78 up ¼
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Safeway	45⅜
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Sony	9¼
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Texaco	26¼
Texas Inst	77⅞ up ⅝
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Xerox Cp	45¾ up ⅛

Elvis' Pillow Brings $120

AUSTIN (AP) — Mrs. Vernon G. Smith of Elgin and her daughter, Sarah, are the proud new owners of a pillow that once cradled the head of rock singer Elvis Presley.

And the Wild Basin Fund, to purchase land for a city recreation area, is better off by $120.

Mrs. Smith bid the $120 in an benefit auction, saying she wanted the pillow for her daughter's 23rd birthday.

"She really wanted it for herself. It's not for me," Sarah said as the two picked up the pillow and its "unwashed" case from a bank where it had been displayed for several weeks.

Mrs. Smith carefully put the pillow in a newly bought plastic zipper pillow case, "for protection."

HOSPITAL NOTES

ADMISSIONS: Alice Foreman, 2105 College; Jack Waren, 410 30th; Joe Sentell, 2708 28th; Virginia Buerger, 1806 37th; E. J. Bergeron, 2708 42nd; Vickie Chaney, 1405 Ave. T; Elizabeth Thomas, Box 92; Rosa Torres, Box 154; Virginia Morales, 3010 Ave. E; Rose Butler, 2406 O'Neal; Sam Raborn, 3007 Crockett; Linda Eaton, 802 East 6th; Frances Cook, 4400 Ave. U; Robert Escobedo, 701 31st; Virginia Lovell, Dallas.

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Grain

CHICAGO (AP) — Wheat No 2 hard red winter 2.43¼n Tuesday; No 2 soft red winter 2.43¼n Corn No 2 yellow 2.47n hopper 2.43n box. Oats No 2 heavy 1.79¼n Soybeans No 1 yellow 10.01½n.

No 2 yellow corn Monday was quoted at 2.47½n hopper 2.43½n box.

Livestock

AMARILLO, Tex. (AP) — Carlot choice steer beef 1.00-1.50 higher than Monday. Other steer and heifer beef 1.50 higher than last week. No sales cow beef reported. Steer beef: Choice 3 500-900 lbs. 63.50-64.00, choice 4, 699-900 lbs. 59.75-60.00. Good 3 500-800 lbs. 60.25. Heifer beef: Choice 3 500-700 lbs. 61.75.

FORT WORTH (AP) — Livestock prices Tuesday.

Cattle and calves 300. Slaughter cows 1.00-1.50 lower. Slaughter bulls and calves not tested. All feeder cattle and calves 1.00-2.00 lower, mostly 2.00 lower. Demand moderate. Trading fairly active. Overall quality on feeder cattle not as attractive as Monday.

Slaughter cows: Cutter and utility 1-3 25.00-28.80.

Feeder steers: Choice 300-500 lbs. 44.00-47.00. Good 250-400 lbs. 44.00-47.00, 400-600 lbs. 40.00-44.50; good and choice 500-650 lbs. 40.00-43.00. Standard 250-500 lbs. 35.00-40.00.

Feeder heifers: Choice 300-550 lbs. 35.00-37.00. Good 250-550 lbs. 33.50-36.50. Standard 350-550 lbs. 33.00-34.50.

Hogs: 500. Barrows and gilts 1.00 higher; US 1-2 200-220 lbs. 36.00-36.50, US 1-3 200-250 lbs. 35.50-36.00, US 2-3 200-270 lbs. 35.00-35.50.

Sows: 1.00 higher; US 1-3 300-600 lbs. 31.00-32.00.

Boars: 300-650 lbs. 23.00, 160-250 lbs. 26.00.

Cotton

NEW YORK (AP) — Cotton futures No. 2 were mostly lower at midday.

The average prices for strict low middling 11-16 inch spot cotton declined 21 points to 72.57 cents a pound Monday for the 10 leading markets, according to the New York Cotton Exchange.

Midday prices were 50 cents a bale higher to $1.75 lower than the previous close. May 75.60, Jul 76.10 and Oct 72.85.

OBITUARIES

S. Patchell

Funeral service was held Monday at Klein Funeral Home in Tomball for Stanley Patchell, 21, a former Snyder resident. He was killed in a traffic accident early Saturday near Conroe. His brother, Mark Patchell, was injured in the mishap.

He was the son of Mr. and Mrs. Jack Patchell, who formerly lived in Snyder and Midland and who now live in Spring, near Houston.

Burial was in Resthaven Cemetery in Houston.

J. J. Schultz

Word has been received of the death on April 25 of J. J. Schultz of Freeport. He was the son of the late W. R. Shultz, long time resident of the Snyder area.

Services are tentatively set Wednesday at the First Baptist Church in Freeport.

Among the survivors are five sisters, Mrs. Holly C. Shuler and Mrs. Wren O. Moore, both of Snyder and Mrs. Chris West of Pep, Mrs. Johnny Panter of Dallas and Mrs. E. M. Smiley of Fresno, Calif. and a brother, W. E. Shultz of Clovis, N.M.

Carter Judge At FFA Convention

Joe Carter, Agriculture Division chairman at Western Texas College, has been selected to serve as one of the FFA Scholarship Selection Committee judges at the Area FFA Convention in Midland May 13-14.

The Scholarship Selection Committee is to meet Friday afternoon, and should complete their selections that afternoon. Only current graduating high school seniors are eligible for the FFA scholarships.

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HOSPITAL

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years, instead of three and a quarter million we could be looking at five or six million for the same job." Robinson declared.

Perry said he had suspected that this might be true.

Commissioner Charlie Yoast said he had full confidence in the hospital board and that he would back their proposal 100 per cent. The other three commissioners agreed. County Judge Preston Wilson, the presiding officer of the commissioners court, also is an ex officio member of the hospital board and had expressed his full approval when the board accepted the preliminary plans last week.

Miller said that the data required for an aplication to the State Health Facilities Commission are being prepared. The application must remain before the state agency for three months before it can be acted upon. The architects, Page, Southerland and Page of Austin, have indicated that it will require around five months to complete the final plans.

Hospital board members and commissioners court members all agreed that the project will require some county taxes. However, several said they had already heard expressions of support. Also, it was noted that the county's coliseum bonds will be paid off next year, which will clear the county of bonded indebtedness.

Sam Cross and Henry Clark, members of the hospital board, said they were convinced that a minimum of 50 beds would be needed in the new addition and that they already had encountered public support for the project.

John Jarrell, chairman of the hospital board who presided over the joint session, said the board was anxious to keep the commissioners court informed about the proposal and that they appreciated its support and any suggestions it had to improve the hospital.

Diapause Program Application Made

The Scurry County Producers Association has made application to the State Department of Agriculture for a 1977 diapause control program. It is anticipated that the program will cover 140,000 acres. In 1976 the State Department of Agriculture provided a portion of the cost of the program plus supervisory personnel during the spray period.

At the annual meeting held March 28, eight additional directors were added to the board. This brings the total to 24, six from each county precinct. Officers elected at the first board meeting in 1977 were Carl Williams, president; Butch Nachlinger, vice president; and Rickie Hester, secretary-treasurer.

The uniform planting date recommended by the association for 1977 is May 16. This date should coincide well with moisture, temperature and other cultural practices for Scurry County. A uniform planting date is a very important part of a diapause control program. This is especially true if anearly season insect control is to be considered.

Although different, but in close association with the diapause program, a pest management program will be conducted in Scurry County in this year. This is a program covering approximately 3000 acres in which the insect situation in cooperating fields will be monitored weekly.

Many producers are also cooperating with an intense pheromone trap program to determine the number and dates of emerging over-wintered weevils. This information will be used to predict the need for and timing of a spray program.

The success of the 1976 program, the present market price of cotton and the future of cotton production in Scurry County should encourage every producer to participate in this program, association officials said.

BIRTHS

Mr. and Mrs. Ira Dwayne Riggs of Rt. 1, are the parents of a son, born in Rolling Plains Memorial Hospital in Sweetwater at 6:30 a.m. April 23. He weighed 7 lb. 12 oz. and has been named Ira Dwayne Riggs II. Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Roscie Williams Jr. and Mr. and Mrs. Ira Riggs Jr., all of Snyder.

Mr. and Mrs. David Stokes, are the parents of a 7 lb. 1 oz. girl, born at 1:22 p.m. April 23, in Rolling Plains Memorial Hospital in Sweetwater. She has been named Jenny Ellen. Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Carl Stokes and Mr. and Mrs. Junior Duke, all of Snyder.

Dog Theft Is Under Probe

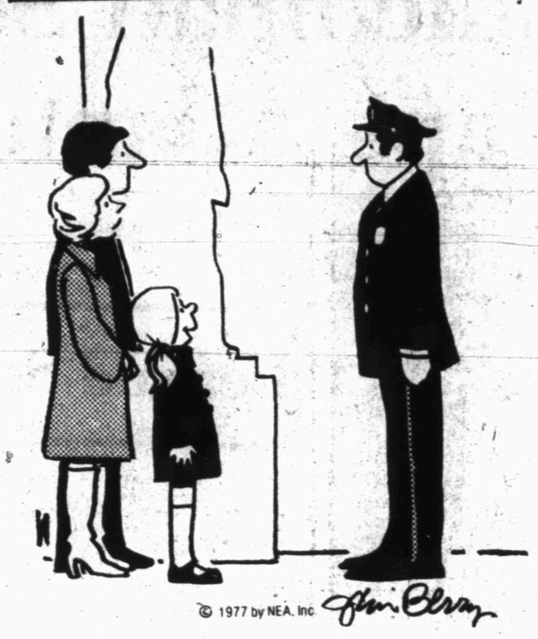
Police are investigating the reported theft of a 100-pound Samoyed Husky dog valued at approximately $175.

The dog was reportedly taken from the 2910 Ave. C residence of Robert Mankins sometime between 11 p.m. Sunday and 7 a.m. Monday. Mankins told officers the chain which had been used to tether the dog was not broken and appeared to have been unlatched.

Officers also investigated a minor traffic accident Monday at 1:07 p.m. at the Snyder High School parking lot. Involved in the mishap were a parked 1973 Plymouth owned by Ronald Mayfield and a 1972 Ford driven by Cynthia Ann Chapman.

A dulcimer is a musical instrument with metal strings which are struck with two small hammers. It has a range of two to three octaves.

Berry's World



"It was fun seeing the Capitol and all of the congressmen, whose heads President Carter goes over!"

ABC Cancels Six Shows

LOS ANGELES (AP) — ABC's "Streets of San Francisco" and "Bionic Woman" won't be back on television next fall, nor will "Most Wanted," "Dog and Cat," "Blansky's Beauties" and "The Tony Randall Show."

All were canceled on Monday as ABC became the first of the three television networks to make public its lineup of evening shows scheduled for the new season in September.

ABC also said its "Captain and Tennille" and "Brady Bunch" variety shows are being taken off as weekly series, but will continue next fall as occasional specials aired at various times.

The network announced six new series for next season, five of them comedies. The sixth is a Thursday variety show starring comedian Redd Foxx, who is leaving NBC's hit "Sanford and Son" after this season.

Two of the new comedies are hour-long shows, "San Pedro Bums," about five high-spirited young men, and "Love Boat," a luxury liner series starring Gavin McLeon, who for seven seasons played a newswriter on CBS, "Mary Tyler Moore Show."

Icebergs, broken-off ends of glaciers that slide into the sea, are about seven times as big below the water as above.

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CHAMPION GRASS JUDGING TEAM—Members of the 1st place grass judging team in competition held Saturday in Lubbock are, from left, Lonnie Blackard, Kathy Merritt, and John Richardson, all Snyder High School students. Richardson was named high individual in the competition. Miss Merritt was 2nd high individual and Blackard was 3rd high individual. (SDN STAFF PHOTO)

AGRICULTURAL CONTESTANTS—Four teams of Snyder High School students competed Satureday in the 50th Annual Texas Tech University Vocational Agriculture Judging Contest. Shown, from left on the front row is the 3rd-ranked poultry team composed of Dwain Hicks, 4th high individual; Lana Hill and Jeffery Pylant; 2nd-ranked cotton team composed of Rodney Babcock, 2nd high individual; Eddie Thompson, 3rd high individual and Melanie Jarrell. From left on the second row is the 2nd-ranked wool judging team composed of Ty Springer, 4th high inbdividual; Guy Murphree, 6th high individual and James Allen; and the 3rd-ranked meats judging team composed of Tammie Hicks and Paul Wilson. Not shown on the meats judging team is Lee Allen Jarrell. (SDN STAFF PHOTO)

Gaston Loses Fight On Open Records 'Charge'

AUSTIN (AP) — Rep. Frank Gaston, R-Dallas, concedes he has lost his fight to win passage of a bill that would allow governmental agencies to charge for "access" to public records.

Gaston told the House State Affairs Committee Monday night the bill has been changed to accommodate those who testified against a similar measure in the Senate.

All it would do, Gaston said, is extend the cost provision in the current law - now applicable to computers - to file cabinet records.

Committee Chairman Tom Uher, D-Bay City, referred the bill to a "thorough, deliberate and slow subcommittee."

Uher drew out the word slow for a couple of seconds, to accompanying laughter by other committee members.

Gaston acknowledged after the hearing that the bill was dead. "The subcommittee will never meet," he said.

He told the committee, "This is to get at those people who come in and want to see a list of all the burglaries so they can go out and sell burglary alarms."

Taxpayers should not have to pay for the cost of furnishing information that others will make a profit on, he said.

Some committee members objected that the charge provision would hurt poor people who want to see government records.

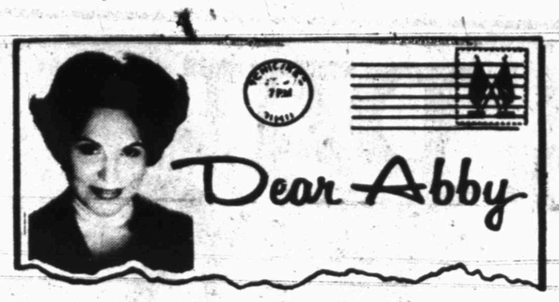
Rep. Bill Blythe, R-Dallas, suggested Gaston's purpose could be accomplished by making persons requesting voluminous records sign an affidavit that they would not use the information commercially, then penalize them with a misdemeanor charge if they violated that affidavit.

No one on the committee suggested this would violate the First Amendment rights of those involved in commercial entrprises.

"As a former member of the press, I don't see any trouble at all," Gaston said. "Even before the Open Records Law, a good reporter never had any problem getting access to records." He said he had had no problem in getting records "in 20 years."

Among those who testified against the bill were George Baker, representing the Texas Press Association and the Texas Daily Newspaper Association; Bill Reddell, editorial page editor of the San Antonio Express- News; and Rush Evans, general manager of KTBC-TV in Austin.

TOP AWARD—Devin Donelson, a Snyder Junior High School student, received the outstanding design award for a wooden bowl he placed in the industrial arts competition held Saturday at Abilene Christian University. (SDN STAFF PHOTO)



Wheeler's Mama: 10-4 And Trust The Lord

By Abigail Van Buren

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DEAR ABBY: I certainly identified with MIKE'S WIFE, the lady whose husband drives 200 miles a night to deliver newspapers and has had two serious accidents in five years. She said Mike has been driving for 20 years, and whenever he left, she was a nervous wreck until he returned home safely. She also said she'd begged him to change jobs, but he refused.

Maybe I can give her a different point of view: My husband, David, is also a truck driver. He drives an 18-wheeler and is gone for a week to 10 days at a time. We've been married for six years, and the first year I was a nervous wreck if David wasn't home when I expected him. I'd find myself crying and shaking and planning his "funeral."

It finally dawned on me that if the good Lord decided to take David, He would take him, and no amount of worrying on my part would change things.

From then on, every time David leaves on a trip, I pray to God to protect him from harm and get him home safely. Then I rest easier, knowing that my David is in God's hands.

Thanks, Abby, for being there.

DAVID'S WIFE IN ALABAMA

DEAR WIFE: And thanks for reminding us that there is enormous power in prayer. Read on for a letter from another trucker's wife:

DEAR ABBY: I married Luke, a wonderful guy who drove a truck long distances for a living. Sometimes he'd be away from home for a whole week.

After four years and two babies, I begged Luke to quit that job because I worried constantly that he'd get killed on the road, and I wanted him home every night. I pleaded and nagged until he finally quit his job and took a truck driving job in town. It didn't pay nearly as well, but at least he was home every night. He stayed with it for a year, but I knew he wasn't really happy. He never complained, but I could tell he missed the road.

Then we had a long heart-to-heart talk, and I agreed to let him go back to his old job—long-distance trucking. Overnight his happy attitude returned!

I'd be lying if I said I didn't miss him, but I would rather have a husband who's happy when he IS home, than one who isn't quite so happy but is home all the time.

LUKE'S WIFE

DEAR WIFE: Your Luke is lucky to have you for a wife.

DEAR ABBY: How did you get so far afield in your answer to that man who wrote to say that his mother (a former school teacher) returned all his letters after having "corrected" his spelling and grammar with a red pencil?

He was hurt to the point of writing to you, and you told him that his mother was doing him a favor by pointing out his mistakes.

Good grief! You should take a poll to find out how many mothers get letters regularly from their married sons. And of those who do, how many really care if the letters contain a few errors in spelling and grammar.

I would have advised that man to quit writing to that crab of a mother for six or eight months. Then she might get the message and toss out those red pencils.

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DEAR C.H.: Sorry, but your suggestion is no improvement on my answer. I did advise him to let his mother know that her red pencil corrections irritated him and to please knock it off.

For Abby's new booklet, "What Teen-agers Want to Know," send $1 to Abigail Van Buren, 132 Lasky Dr., Beverly Hills, Calif. 90212. Please enclose a long, self-addressed, stamped (24¢) envelope.

Students Take 5 Field Trips

Engineering Technology students at Western Texas College have completed five field trips this semester, Carl Barber, instructor, said.

The trips were planned to contribute to the students' practical education, providing first-hand study of the operations of various industries.

"Students gain a better knowledge of the job opportunities available to technicians," Barber added, "and prospective employers are able to show the students the types of jobs they are offering qualified personnel."

Four of the companies visited expressed interest in interviewing sophomore students for employment.

Cities visited were Snyder, Colorado City, Lubbock, Midland and the Fort Worth—Arlington area. Industrial and electronic complexes toured were the SUNCO gas plant, Texas Electric, Radio-TV WBAP-KXAS, General Motors, the Petroleum Museum in Midland, Texas Instruments, Litton Industries, FFA Communications Center, and Miller's automated packing plant.

Instructors organizing and participating in the field trips are Barber, Bob Klemm, Jerry Row, Randy Mosley and George Baskins.

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SWEEPSTAKES TROPHY—Snyder Junior High Band's Sweepstakes trophy is exhibited by these four students. From left are Sylvia Lopez, Tammy Highfield, Kris Seale and Mike Martinez. It was the only sweepstakes winner in Class C at recent contests held at Abilene. The SJHS band rated tops in both concert playing and sight reading. (SDN Staff Photo)

Hearing Set On DOT Plan

AUSTIN (AP) — Federal Dist. Court Judge Jack Roberts has set a May 5 hearing on $2 million the Department of Transportation wants to take away from Texas and give to other states.

Roberts issued a temporary restraining order Monday to keep the DOT from redistributing any of the $2 million originally allocated for railroad planning in Texas.

A hearing on a preliminary injunction was set for May 5.

The DOT maintained that the state's rail plan, under the Texas Railroad Commission's authority, was deficient and not eligible for federal funds.

According to DOT regulations, funds unallocated by April 30 are to be divided among other states.

Roberts said the order keeps DOT from reallocating the money until the dispute over the Texas rail plan is settled but "it is no way intended to mean that the federal and state agencies involved in this dispute should not continue to negotiate and attempt to resolve the problems."

Physician Sentenced In Fraud

SAN ANTONIO (AP) — A San Antonio physician has been sentenced to the maximum five years in prison for making a false Medicare payments claim.

U.S. District Court Judge John Wood Jr. also fined Dr. Raul E. Gaona $10,000 Monday. Gaona has already paid a $10,130 civil penalty to administrators of the national health care agency.

Carlsbad Group To Visit Friday

About 40 members of the Carlsbad Chamber of Commerce will be on hand Friday for a "whirlwind, goodwill tour," according to Executive Vice President Eddie Lyon.

The group will meet with members of the local media, Chamber of Commerce officials and other dignataries during a noon luncheon at The Shack.

"Our primary mission is to meet with community representatives, extolling the virtues of Carlsbad and Carlsbad Caverns," Lyon said. "The caverns gets tens of thousands of visitors per year from throughout the nation and we'd like to make a special invitation to the people of Snyder and West Texas to join us during the vacation months."

Lyon also feels the promotion of Carlsbad helps local West Texas communities, especially those on U.S. 180.

"We have promoted that highway as 'the shortest route to Carlsbad Caverns' all along Interstate 20," Lyon said. "This brings many of our visitors through towns such as Snyder on their way to Carlsbad. These communities can then promote many of their local attractions and provide a much more well-balanced vacation for the tourists, while beefing up their own economy."

New brochures on Carlsbad Caverns will be available from the Snyder Chamber office at no charge as well as pertinent information concerning food, lodging, etc.

Hayes' Cadillac On Auction Block

MEMPHIS (AP) — The gold-plated Cadillac of Isaac Hayes, Academy Award winner for "Theme from Shaft," goes on the auction block Thursday.

The court-ordered auction follows the filing in federal court last December of bankruptch petitions by Hayes and his wife, Mignon, An attorney for the singer-composer estimated that Hayes' debts may run up to $6 million.

Jasper Jones of Delta Auction Co., who will conduct the auction, said he expects the car to go for $10,000 to $15,000.

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Notice is hereby given that the Commissioner's Court of Scurry County, Texas, will convene at 2:00 o'clock p.m., on Friday, May 6, 1977, at the Scurry County Courthouse, in the Commissioner's Courtroom, Snyder, Texas, then and there publicly to open and consider all sealed bid proposals marked on the outside "SCURRY COUNTY JAIL FACILITIES, SNYDER, TEXAS" theretofore received by the undersigned County Judge in his office in the said Courthouse for Scurry County to agree and contract with a person, firm or corporation to construct said jail facilities, in accordance with the more detailed plans, specifications, and bidding documents which may be examined or secured by contacting the architect retained by Scurry County for such project, J.D. Hinton, at his office, 2804 32nd Street, Snyder, Texas.

Qualified general contractors may obtain one complete set of drawings, specifications and bidding documents from the architect for marking a $50.00 deposit which will be refunded upon return of said documents in good condition.

No bid proposals shall be entitled as a matter of right to consideration unless it shall be accompanied by a negotiable cashier's or certified check or a bank or postal money order in the amount of 5 per cent of the bid price contained in the proposals or by a bid bond in form and with surety satisfactory to the Commissioner's Court.

Under Section 2 of Article 2368a of Vernon's Revised Civil Statutes of the State of Texas of 1925, as amended, the right is reserved by Scurry County through its Commissioner's Court to reject any or all of the bid proposals tendered and to waive any and all technicalities.

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Tri County Council on Drug Abuse & Alcoholism, Education. Information & treatment Preferal Agency, Rm. 102 Wallace Bldg. 2425 College Ave. Call day or nite. 915-573-3233. A United Way Agency.

IF YOU drink, that's your problem if you want to stop, that's our problem Alcoholics Anonymous, 573-5337 or 573-5117.

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1971 INTERNATIONAL TRAVELALL, factory air, power brakes and steering, heavy duty radiator and springs, wide mirrors, load-leveling hitch, trailer brakes, ready for trailer. $1900.00. 573-5641 or after 5:00 and weekends 573-5954.

FOR SALE 1972 FORD Gran Torino, automatic transmission, power and air V eight motor, in excellent condition see at 3110 Ave. U. Call 573-2495 or 573-3187.

FOR SALE: My wife's 1974 Olds Cutless Salon, loaded, new steel belted tires, uses regular gas, excellent condition. Call 573-6647 after 5 p.m.

FOR SALE 34-foot 5th wheel camper and pickup. 2300 32nd St.

FOR SALE 1973 Monte Carlo, loaded, cruise, 8-track, tilt steering, excellent condition, call 573-8877.

1972 VEGA CAMBACK, 1600 CC engine, good tires, clean, $1250.00. Also 1968 Mustang Fastback, GT 390 Souped up. $350.00. 573-2418.

1976 VEGA HATCHBACK, $200.00 equity, about $1600.00 owed. Call Abilene 677-8876 or see at 890 Davis Dr. in Abilene

TAKE UP payments on 1974 LTD. Call after 6:30 - 573-2879.

1972 CHEVROLET IMPALA, priced to sell. Call 573-9900 until 4:00. After 4:00 call 573-8951.

FOR SALE: Honda CB 350, good condition. $495.-00. Call 573-0688.

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1972 VEGA CAMBACK, 1600 CC engine, good tires, clean. Also 1968 Mustang Fastback, GT 390 Souped up. 573-2418.

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or other Concrete
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WE BUY, SELL, trade guns. Gene's Gun Shop. 3602 Hill. Call 573-2323.

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A Perfect One For Every Figure
Anita Erwin
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FOR SALE
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FRED CROSS
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1972 15' TIDECRAFT BOAT with 50 h.p. Johnson motor on self-loading trailer. 573-2106 after 6:00 p.m.

FOR SALE: 5 H.P. outboard motor, $60.00 firm, runs good. 863-2319.

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3602 Hill Ave.
Rifles - Scopes - Ammunition
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1-25" Screen Console TV-Dark Wood reg. price 489.95 now 349.00
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Next Door to Hillside Memorial Gardens

GUITAR FOR SALE, Les Paul copy. Call 573-9665.

BUILT-IN KITCHEN-AID Dishwasher for sale in excellent condition, used only about 6 mo. but replaced in remodeling, also large Dearborn room heater, 18,000 BTU Air-cond. Also used only short time, Tappan Microwave, 1 yr. old. Call 573-8855.

TWO THREE Speed bicycles, 1 woman's, almost new, 1 mans, $150.-00 for both. Also white Maytag washer-dryer, excellent condition, works great, $200.00 for both. 573-3856.

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Sweetwater, Texas

DOGS-PETS, ETC. K-3

TWO AKC registered Chow-Chow puppies. 3749 Dalton Dr.

FOR SALE: Boston Terrier Bulldog pups, 5 weeks old, with good markings. $50.00 each. Phone 573-8320.

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ONE-HALF Beagle pups-ready for good homes, 6 week old. Call 573-0539.

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GARAGE SALES K-5

BACKYARD SALE
children & adult clothes, paper back books, some antiques, odds, and ends
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GARAGE SALE
Wed. - Sat.
10:00 - 6:00
(Weather permitting)
2704 Ave. M

WANTED TO BUY K-14

IN SNYDER ONE DAY A WEEK
Want to buy old furniture, glassware, silver - one piece or a housefull.
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RENTALS L-1

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WANT TO BUY-RENT L-12

WANTED TO rent 3 bedroom house for family wishing to move to Snyder - employment waiting. Any location. Roy Carter - Snyder High School. 573-2503 or 573-2818 at night.

WANT TO RENT 2 or 3 bedroom house by May 15th. No children, house in country would be satisfactory, call 573-6396, night 573-2101.

REAL ESTATE M

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East Hwy.

VACATION AT HOME
in this cool spacious 4 Bdrm brick at south edge of town. Lovely living rm, comfortable Den with fireplace, king size kitchen, patio & big shady back yard.

CONSERVE ENERGY
in this snug 2 Bdrm home with garden room. Pretty new carpet. Refrigerated air., Big corner lot. East

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Nearing completion - 3 Bdrm, 2 Bth brick home. Refrig. air. Extra lrg double garage. Good financing.

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3 bdrm, 2 Bth home. New carpet, new paint, new refrigerated central air. Large corner lot overlooking the Coliseum.

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if sold this week - approx. 3 acres of commercial property fronting on two streets with 6 office or apartment units-As is condition. East Hwy.

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when you can own this 2 Bdrm home for only $11,000.00. Just redecorated - Central Area.

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CLASSIFIED ADS

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1. W. Snyder nice older 6 rooms & garage apt.
2. West - 3 bdrm. 1 bath, $13,000 cash or new loan.
3. Mobile Home lots. Outside City Water Available Terms.
4. Cafe Bld. all of the fixtures, doing a good business, cheap.
5. W. 3 bdm. den, 2 baths, well located & priced reasonable.
6. Ideal Home - site on 20 a. East on pavement. city water
7. House to move, $1,000.
8. Good 2 bedrm. home, located in Central area. $7,000.
9. Near Square, N.E. 2 bdrm. brick, $18,500.

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Phone 573-2133
NEW LISTING

3 bedrm. brick, 2 bath, large beamed ceiling den with woodburning fireplace, separate dining room, utility room, draped, dlb. garage, established fenced yard. On well lighted broad street. Southwest location.

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WEST OF ELEMENTARY SCHOOL... brick, 3 bedroom, 2 bath, double car garage.. carpet.. on Irving St.. $32,-500.00.

EAST... extra nice 2-bedroom with good carpet, refrig. air and central heat.. 201 35th Street.

SOUTHWEST... large 3 bedroom with den.. one extra large bedroom.. located west of football field on 39th St.. priced to sell.. 3008 39th Street.

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REDUCED PRICE.. will sell this 3 bedroom, 2 bath home with den and separate apt in back garage for only $16,500.-00.. carpeted.. refrig. air.. 3112 37th Place.

SEE THIS EXTRA NICE HOME AT 3206 40th St.. new carpet.. large corner lot.. clean and nice.. $16,500.00.

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Business Phone 573-5612
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611 East Highway
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Nearly finished 3 bedr. 2 bath frame homes in nice East neighborhood. Priced in the High 20's and Low 30's.

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Very neat 2 bedr. with large kitchen, fenced yard with room for garden, over sized garage. Owner will sell on FHA loan. 2808 Ave. L.

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3 bedr. 2 bath brick with small formal living room and large family room with fireplace, built-ins, ref. air, 2 car garage. Excellent location on Crockett.

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3 bedr. 2 bath, large family room with fireplace, nice study off of 2 car garage, utility room. Quality built homes. Mid 40's.

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ready to move into 3 bedr. with large kitchen, new carpet and paneling. 2204 26th Street.

ONLY $12,500...
3 bedr. 1 bath... new paneling and paint... fenced yard... 302 20th St.

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2 bedr. with den and living room... corner lot, carport, new carpet, in excellent condition. 201 24th Street.

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Nice corner lot in Bassridge. Will sell for appraised value.

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2 bedr... freshly painted, carpeted and draped. Large storage house in back yard. 318 28th Street.

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FOR SALE: Lot approx. ¾ of an acre with utilities also Soliary 1976 - 14 x 84 3 bedrm. 2 bath, now set up on above land to be sold together or separately. Also M'System 10 x 59 1 bedrm. Trailer. 1903 Ave. E. 573-0886.

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3311 College 573-6928

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OLD WEST — Nice Carpeted & paneled. 2 bdrm, & sewing room, $12,700.

BUILDERS DREAM
WEST 30th 16 acres — 2 water wells - Call for appointment.

OLD WEST — Large 3 bdrm, dining utility room also a nice apartment with central heat & ref air, dble garage.

COMMERCIAL 215 x 150' has 3 bdrm home, carpeted, dishwaher, plus apt that rents for $150 month, also 40' by 60' shop. Also house has basement.

COUNTRY LIVING — Large 2 bdrm, carpeted 1 acre - good water well, 14 Loaded fruit trees. 2 storage buildings.

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Mrs. Joyce Barnes 573-6970

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REALTORS
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PEACE & QUIET—½ acre, barn, 4 Bdrm., 2 Bath, Brick..Separate living rm. and den with fireplace, Large Kitchen with bar.

STANFIELD AREA..Large 3 Bdrm., Dining area, Utility, New carpet, Fenced..3790 Highland.

PRICE REDUCED..Ready to move into, very clean 2 Bdrm..3009 40th st.

BUDGET PLEASER..4 Bdrm., 1 Bath, Corner lot, 900 26th St..Only $15,000.00

OVERLOOKING PARK.. World of Living..4 Bdrm. 3 bath, Den with Fireplace, Formal living room.

STORM CELLAR..3 Bdrm. 1 bath, Storage, Large utility.. 211 35th St.

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Home Phone 573-3158
Mrs. Eddie Jo Richardson 573-3990

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Mobile home and 2 lots for sale.
3 BR in Hermleigh, good condition, reasonable.
20 acre sites, good location, water available.
Texas Veteran Land sites, 15 acres, $15,000.
233 acres west of Dermott, $325 per acre.
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Commercial lots, good locations.
Nice lake cabins, J.B. Thomas.
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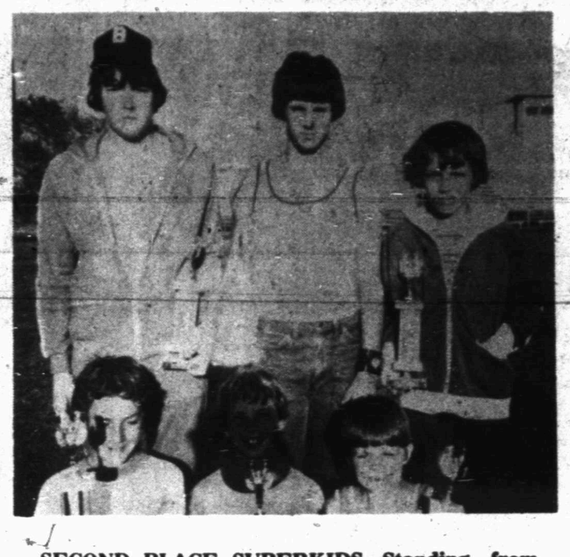
2425 College Ave.
Phone 573-9472
Virginia Eime 573-3713

FIRST PLACE SUPERKIDS—Standing, from left, Tracy Witherspoon (16-18), Paul Gafford (14-15), Steve Gressett (12-13); kneeling, Charles Bolinger (10-11), Doug Chitsey (8-9), Tonya Holladay (6-7).



SECOND PLACE SUPERKIDS—Standing, from left, Russell Gafford (16-18), David Lee (14-15), John Overton (12-13); kneeling, Lee Minyard (10-11), Mike Mcwilliams (8-9), Darrel Williams (6-7).

THIRD PLACE SUPERKIDS—Kneeling, from left, Chris Gordon (8-9), Todd McLeon (6-7), Dana Parham (10-11); standing, Eddie Witcher (14-15), Carroldon Burleson (16-18), Trey Mcwilliams (12-13).

FOURTH AND FIFTH PLACE SUPERKIDS—First row, from left, Susie Doan (for Mark Doan 16-18), Charlie McCormick (6-7), Chad Engelhardt (8-9), David Calvert (10-11); second row, Trudy Hataway (16-18), Curtis Gafford (12-13), Whit Parks accepting for David Lofton 12-13); front row, Geoffery Chamblee 8-9), Cary Gunset (10)11), Zell Gaston (14-15) and Tommy Tullis (14-15).

Sponsors Pleased With 'Superkids'

Snyder Jaycees and Jaycee-ettes reported that they were "very pleased" with the results of their "Superkids" event held Saturday which involved well over 300 youngsters.

They announced that participants should take their sheets and funds to their respective school offices. The Superkids event was held as a benefit for the Lung Association.

The youngsters were in competition in 12 events. The Jaycees and Jaycee-ettes expressed appreciation to a number of individuals, organizations and business firms which assisted in the event, as well as the participants themselves.

Vonnie Overton of Overton Transport donated all trophies and plaques, and Gloria Ziske of It's A Botique arranged for Hang Ten of California to donate frisbees for the competiton. Perry's donated material so that each participant would have a number on his back and Furr's donated candy.

Many others contributed time and energy. Some of these were the Teens Aid the Retarded(TARS), Phi Theta Kappa of WTC, the Colorado City Jaycees, West Texas Branch of the American Lung Association, the Lucky 13 and Gay 20 Social Clubs and Snyder Public Schools.

In fact, spokesmen for the sponsoring organizations said, the cooperation of the entire community helped make the project succesful.

Scouts Solve Plane Mystery

MONROE, Wash. (AP) — State aviation officials didn't know where to turn when they found a mound of airplane wreckage in the woods near here. It seems they weren't missing any planes.

It took the Boy Scouts to solve the puzzle.

At the "crash site," discovered this week, investigators from the Aeronautics Commission found charred and battered pieces of engines, wings and fuselages. Going by the largest piece, they identified the craft as an Ercoupe, and decided it had been in the woods more than 20 years.

Buy they couldn't find any record of such a plane on the list of missing planes or the list of found wrecks.

Then the confusion was compounded when other pieces of wreckage were identified as parts of three other kinds of planes.

But as soon as the Boy Scouts heard about the mystery, they solved it.

A group of Scouts had carted bits and pieces of wrecked planes to the woods and placed them there as an aid in training Explorer Scouts in search-and-rescue work.

Use Snyder Daily News Classified Ads—Call 573-5486.

For Wednesday, April 27, 1977

ASTRO-GRAPH
Bernice Bede Osol

TAURUS (April 20-May 20) This is a good day to start that home project you've been finding dozens of excuses for avoiding. You'll perform enthusiastically!

GEMINI (May 21-June 20) You may get a last-minute invitation to a social function today. By all means go. It could prove quite exciting.

CANCER (June 21-July 22) Your prospects for getting what you go after today are very strong. Give the matter that means the most to you top priority.

LEO (July 23-Aug. 22) Mentally, you're very alert today. You are likely to pick up some valuable knowledge you will be able to use.

VIRGO (Aug. 23-Sept. 22) The way you handled a previous situation has convinced a person vital to today's plans that he can place his full confidence in you.

LIBRA (Sept. 23-Oct. 23) Your surest successes today will be found in projects you've most recently become interested in. Try to concentrate in these areas.

SCORPIO (Oct. 24-Nov. 22) Challenging situations evoke the best that's in you today. Meet the difficult head-on.

SAGITTARIUS (Nov. 23-Dec. 21) You have a way of making just about everything you do today fun and exciting. It's because you live with a sense of adventure.

CAPRICORN (Dec. 22-Jan. 19) A condition that has been a source of annoyance is beginning to change more to your liking. You should see the first indications today.

AQUARIUS (Jan. 20-Feb. 19) An ally who knows how to advance something that you can't do on your own has been won over to your cause. Things will soon start perking.

PISCES (Feb. 20-March 20) Overlook no possibilities today where you can turn your talents into a profit.

ARIES (March 21-April 19) You're even more attractive and appealing to the opposite sex today than usual. Be ready to duck Cupid's darts.

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It will take but an additional little push this year to change a previously slow-moving situation into one which pays off. Don't abandon that old enterprise!

HEALTH
Lawrence E. Lamb, M.D.

Best athlete diet?

DEAR DR. LAMB — From what I've read I've always thought any athlete would need a high protein diet, but at the last Olympic games some of the athletes were supposedly on high carbohydrate diets.

Would such a diet be recommended for a weight lifter trying to build muscle as well as a runner or a boxer who needs long-lasting energy? Would you give an example of a high carbohydrate diet?

DEAR READER — The only reason one needs protein as opposed to carbohydrate or fat in the diet is to provide enough of the amino acids in protein to replace lost protein from the body or to build new protein as in new muscle growth.

The calorie needs of the body for energy can be supplied by any of these three basic foods. Your question is a bit like asking me if you should burn coal or wood to heat the house. There is no advantage in consuming more protein than is needed for the building processes I mentioned.

Carbohydrates are a good source of energy because the body can process them rapidly and they require less oxygen to enable your cells to release the energy than does either fat or protein. That is because carbohydrates already contain some oxygen.

Whether you are using carbohydrates, protein or fat you need to consume enough calories to meet your needs and still leave the protein available for building purposes. So, 100 grams of protein a day with adequate total calorie intake from any source is more than adequate for most muscle building programs despite what you may have been told by people interested in selling protein supplements.

I am sending you The Health Letter number 5-4, Weight Training for Energy and Weight Control. It explains this in more detail for you. Others who want this information can send 50 cents for it with a long, stamped, self-addressed envelope for mailing.

Vegetables, fruits and cereals are mostly carbohydrates. For concentrated carbohydrates you want foods devoid of roughage and water. The ultimate on this scale for energy is sugar. All of the sweets are concentrated carbohydrates obtained from vegetables, fruits and cereals — corn syrup, beet sugar, honey from flowers' nectar. Starch is also concentrated carbohydrate and is broken down to sugar by the digestive process before it is absorbed.

The advantage of the carbohydrate foods also is that one can increase the calorie intake without increasing the fat and cholesterol consumption. Many of the so called high protein foods contain lots of fat and cholesterol. A high percentage of the calories in a porterhouse steak or many roasts are from fat not protein.

You should know that an excess of any calories — above what you need for real muscle growth, maintaining your body and providing energy for your activities — will be converted to fat and cholesterol by your body. Your body can change sugar to cholesterol. A good diet for everyone, including athletes, will thus avoid obesity while providing the needed energy requirements.

(Because of the volume of mail Dr. Lamb cannot answer your letters personally but he will answer representative letters of general interest in his column. Write to him in care of this newspaper, P.O. Box 1551, Radio City Station, New York, NY 10019.)

(NEWSPAPER ENTERPRISE ASSN.)

FBI Entering McManus Case

HOUSTON (AP) — The Federal Bureau of Investigation has joined the search for Vernon Eugene McManus, charged with capital murder in the slaying of a Baytown couple last July.

The FBI charged McManus Monday night with fleeing to avoid prosecution when he failed to appear in court to testify on the first day of his trial.

The FBI complaint said the 33-year-old former college football assistant coach asked Baytown businessman George Watson last August about banking procedures in foreign countries, specifically the Grand Cayman Island in the Carribbean Sea.

The FBI also said McManus sought help from a Baytown police informant in trying to get a false identification and talked to the informant about traveling to Florida where he could easily mix with tourists and be undetected.

McManus, scheduled to go on trial Monday in connection with the slayings of Paul and Mary Cantrell, was reported missing Sunday after his blood-stained car was found near a county road.

The FBI report said the smeared blood found in McManus' car "is inconsistent with normal blood patterns in cases in which individuals have been injured or killed in autos.

Defense attorneys Mark Vela and Don Smith were scheduled to examine McManus' car today and possibly will seek an independent analysis of the blood found in the car.

The Houston Post reported that Department of Public Safety chemists found the blood matches the defendant's blood type.

The defense attorneys told State Dist. Judge I.D. McMaster Monday they could not start testimony in the case without the defendant. McMaster ordered McManus' bonds of $50,000 on the two indictments forfeited and issued an arrest warrant.

McMaster told the jury panel—which had been selected after almost seven weeks of questioning—to report back in two weeks.

The dead couple's daughter, Paula Cantrell Derese, 26, pleaded guilty to lesser charges of murder in the case in January. She had agreed to testify against McManus and was scheduled to be sentenced after the McManus trial.

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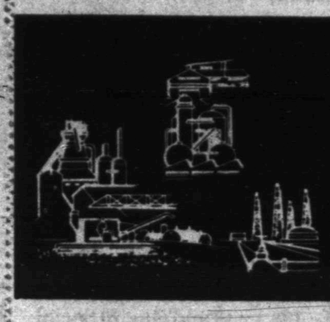

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