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Britain returns Hong Kong to China

HONG KONG (AP) — Torn between excitement and anxiety, Hong Kong shed its 156-year-old colonial mantle today and rejoined China, its original master and now the pilot of its course to the future.

"I have relinquished the administration of this government. God Save the Queen," said a cable from Gov. Chris Patten to London, being sent at midnight as sovereignty changed.

With a simple ceremony and a switch of flags, Hong Kong was passed from the dwindling British Empire to the world's most populous nation. The Chinese flag finished its ascent up the flagpole eight seconds after midnight.

And in a moment, the territory's 6.3 million people ceased to be British subjects and became citizens of a new entity called the Special Administrative Region of Hong Kong.

"China will tonight take responsibility for a place and a people which matter greatly to us all," Prince Charles said in a speech shortly before the Union Jack came down before a global array of VIPs gathered in a hall overlooking Hong Kong harbor.

"We shall not forget you, and we shall watch with the closest interest as you embark on this new era of your remarkable history."

The brief handover ceremony at the convention center followed a day of parades, speeches, performances and banquets, followed by a night sky bursting with British fireworks over Victoria Harbor. Rain-drenched spectators joined bagpipers in a spirited, emotional rendition of "Auld Lang Syne" that resonated across the coastline.

Right on schedule, more than 500 Chinese troops rolled into Hong Kong in convoys precisely at 9 p.m. in preparation for the midnight handover.

The mood was of joy, sadness — and apprehension. Beyond the pageantry, for most Hong Kong people the historic event boiled down to one question: Will Communist China keep its promise to preserve Hong Kong's freedoms and its capitalist economy?

"Thirteen years ago we thought it was very far away. Now it's suddenly here," said Elsie Li, a clerk, referring to the 1984 agreement that Britain would hand back the colony today. "I still can't believe it's true."

Several pro-democracy, anti-China demonstrations were held in Hong Kong, and most remained small and peaceful. Just before the handover ceremony at the convention center, members of the April 5 Action Group, a coalition of Chinese activists, briefly blocked the road. Police holding hands surrounded them and moved them into an approved protest area.

Judge says docs' concerns reinforce feeling of the court

County Judge Ricky Fritz, responding to a medical staff statement released last weekend, said some of the doctors' concerns reinforce what the commissioners court has been saying for some time.

"We have said all along that the revenue to the hospital is going to drop because of changes in Medicaid and to make up for the loss in income, taxpayers will will have to shell out more," said Fritz.

The medical staff at Cogdell Memorial Hospital on Friday issued a statement which said the group is not in favor of leasing the hospital to Community Health Services at this time, and wants to continue the management arrangement it has with St. Mary Hospital.

According to the statement, eight physicians voted that the hospital not be leased, while four were undecided.

The statement stressed that funding for capital improvements is vital to Cogdell Hospital's future, and asked "If in the future, the hospital is unable to continue this, will the county and taxpayers be willing to provide for these capital needs?" The statement also pointed to a potential problem with the likelihood of Medicare/Medicaid funding cuts in future years.

Today, Judge Fritz said those are points the public needs to consider.

"If our citizens have to come up with a million more dollars, then they can can expect their tax rate to go up to 70 cents per one hundred dollars as opposed to the present 53 cents," Fritz said. "It's all a matter of economics.

"With Community Health Systems leasing our hospital and with the interest earned on the $8 million up-front lease payment they will give to the county, citizens can expect to see a drop in their taxes down to 33 cents per hundred," said the judge.

The county would no longer have to subsidize the hospital by almost a half-million dollars each year, Fritz added.

"The statement also said that the matter of capital improvements were a concern — well, it's a concern of ours, too.

"That's why we are putting in the contract that CHS will make over $3 million in improvements to the hospital in the next four years," said Fritz.

Scurry County citizens will have an opportunity to vote on the lease issue in an election set for Aug. 9.

"This matter is still in the hands of the voters," said Fritz.

Fritz also took issue with the presentation of the article, which appeared in Sunday's edition of The Snyder Daily News. He said the headline did not reflect the actual content.

The headline read "Medical staff says no to lease proposal." The doctors' statement was summed up, "At this time, though, the medical staff as a group does not favor the lease of the hospital..."

The article also pointed out that Dr. Gary Nussey and Dr. Bid Cooper plan to visit one or more CHS health care facilities and report back to the community.

Dr. Nussey added that he did not think the visits would change the medical staff opinion.



NEW OUTLETS FOR TOWLE PARK — City inspector Tom Valentine, left, observes as Midwest Electric Co-Op employees Jayson Steelman and Paul Jones put the finishing touches on some of the 18 new electrical outlets at the park. The outlets will be used by vendors during the annual Fourth of July celebration at the park Thursday and Friday.(SDN Staff Photo)

WTC board to consider bids, budget

What started out as a budget workshop has turned into a full meeting, as Western Texas College trustees tonight will consider personnel matters and bids for carpet and furniture.

The board normally meets the second Monday of each month and had set tonight aside to review the proposed 1997-98 budget. However, since the date was set, other matters have come up.

Those include the resignations of instructors Todd Danley, rodeo coach, and Michael Endy, drama instructor. The board will also consider the employment of Carla Thompson as director of the Senior Center.

Bids for carpet and furniture for the dorm, apartments and student center have come in, and board members will consider those.

Information and discussion items include pre-bid consideration of computer hardware and software, and, of course, the proposed budget.

Following that business, an executive session will be held to begin evaluation of the college president, Dr. Harry Krenek.

Tonight's meeting is set for 7 o'clock in the administration board room.

Clinton criticizes tax plans, wants his own

WASHINGTON (AP) — Jockeying with Congress, President Clinton today criticized House and Senate tax-cutting plans as inadequate and said he was revising his own proposals to provide more relief to middle-class Americans.

Picking apart the congressional measures, the president said: "The bills contain many good elements but I do not believe they represent the best way to cut taxes nor are they consistent with the balanced budget agreement."

The president put forth his plan as in advance of negotiations by House and Senate bargainers to meld the final version of the tax legislation passed by the two chambers last week. Formal negotiations will begin after the current Fourth of July congressional recess.

Faulting the congressional plans in the areas of relief for families and education costs, Clinton said: "They do an inadequate job of opening the doors to college. They direct far too little relief to the middle class. They include time-bomb tax cuts that threaten to explode the deficit. They do not do enough to keep our economy going."

He spoke on the South Lawn of the White House before leaving for a day of fund-raising in Boston and New York.

Clinton's proposal sweetens his offer of tax credits for children while insisting that poorer families with no income-tax burden also receive the benefit.

All of the plans generally offer $135 billion in tax cuts over five years, along with $50 billion in revenue-raising proposals, for a net tax savings of $85 billion.

Clinton proposed that a $500-per-child tax credit be made effective through the year 2002 for families with children age 16 and under and in future years for those through age 18. The cutoff point in family income would phase out from $60,000 to $75,000 through 2000 and phase out from $80,000 to $100,000 in the years after that.

Clinton initially proposed a $500 credit only for children under age 13. The House and Senate bills call for a credit for those under 17, with the Senate requiring that parents of children ages 13-16 put the money in an education savings account.

Both bills also give the credit to families with higher incomes, phasing it out for couples making more than $110,000.

Unlike the House version, Clinton's credit would be against the families' total federal tax burden, including Social Security and payroll taxes, and not just on income tax liability.

Some lower-income families can avoid paying income taxes through a special tax credit for the working poor. The House GOP bill would make these families ineligible for the $500-per-child credit, while the Senate version would give them a portion of it.

Regarding taxes on capital gains officials said Clinton's proposal has "a broad exclusion structured differently from what Congress has done but is intended to provide a reasonable (tax) rate for long-term investments over a year."

Rodeo, Bible camp being held in Snyder this week

Some three dozen youngsters from throughout Texas, New Mexico and Louisiana will be attending a Fellowship of Christian Cowboys Bible Camp and Rodeo here this week.

The rodeo events will take place at the Western Texas College Rodeo Arena while the Bible study and counseling sessions will be held at Scurry County Coliseum annex.

The event will conclude Wednesday at 3 p.m.

While here, the young cowboys will participate training in rodeo events until around 5 p.m. daily, and then have Bible study nightly from 6 until 10 p.m,.

Students attending the camp are in the 8th through the 12th grade.

Nicky Chapman, Lamesa, is president of the Lubbock subchapter of the group and is the organizer.

"Snyder has excellent facilities for this event and Todd Danley has been most helpful in making arrangements for us," said Chapman.

Danley was the coach of the Western Texas College rodeo team the past year.

"This is not a substitute for the young men's churches," said Chapman. "We just want to let them know they can still rodeo and have Jesus in their lives too."

Jobless rate falls to 4.4%

Unemployment in Scurry County fell to 4.4 percent in May, according to information released by the Texas Workforce Commission.

TWC estimated that of a labor force of 7,902, some 7,557 people were employed. The remaining 345 make up 4.4 percent.

Unemployment in the county was 5.6 percent in March, and fell to 4.6 in April.

TWC estimated that the unemployment rate in May for the City of Snyder was 4.7 percent. Based on a presumed labor force of 5,303, TWC estimated that 5,053 were employed.

The commission released unemployment statistics on several nearby counties. Among them:

County	Jobless
Fisher	4.1%
Jones	3.4%
Kent	2.6%
Mitchell	5.6%
Nolan	6.5%
Taylor	4.2%

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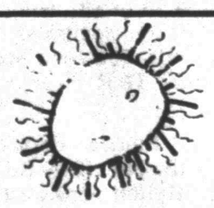
Q—Do you have to pre-register at the chamber for the horseshoe pitching tournament on July 4?

A—No, you can register Friday beginning at 9 o'clock at the chamber booth in the park. Don't wait too late however. The tournament begins at 1 p.m.

FORECAST - ALMANAC

Snyder Temps: High Saturday, 93; low, 70; high Sunday, 96; low, 71; reading at 7 a.m. Monday, 71; no precipitation; total precipitation for 1997 to date: 19.44 inches.

Area Forecast: Tonight, fair. Low around 70. South wind 5-15 mph. Tuesday, sunny. High around 100. South wind 10-20 mph. Fourth of July forecast, sunny. High around 100. Low around 70.



Jordan Stansell
Sunny

Sunset: 8:52 p.m.
Sunrise: 6:42 a.m.
Of 180 days, the sun has shone 168 days in Snyder.

TODAY'S THOUGHT

Problems do not go away. They must be worked through or else they remain, forever a barrier to the growth and development of the spirit.

M. Scott Peck, M.D.

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KOREAN WAR VETERANS — The Senior Citizens Center paid special tribute to Korean War veterans Friday. From left, back row, Bob Sealy, V.L. Buchanan, Wayne Merritt, Charles Anderson, Ralph Laywell, Richard Stanley, Bill Blankenship, Dayton McCarter, Dan Dever; front row, G.A. Parks, Roosevelt Asberry, Bruce Ainsworth, Horace Proctor, Don Duncan, Sonny Greenfield. Not pictured: Doyle Fowler and Robert Neblett. (Staff Photo By Shirley A. Gorman)

GOP hopes to avoid Clinton veto on budget

WASHINGTON (AP) — Smelling victory, congressional Republican leaders are angling for a July that ends with President Clinton's signature on compromise tax-cut and budget-balancing bills — without a veto showdown.

Next month's negotiations aimed at producing such a package will be delicate. Both parties want to claim prizes, bigger education tax cuts for Democrats and substantial capital gains tax reductions for the Republicans. GOP lawmakers will squawk as their leaders make concessions, complicating the arithmetic of getting majority votes in the House and Senate.

Nonetheless, GOP leaders are ready to bargain because they sense they are a hair's breadth from attaining their chief domestic priorities: The first sweeping tax cuts since 1981 and spending-cut legislation promising a balanced budget in five years that would be the first since 1969.

The spending bill also gives Republicans a double bonus of Clinton joining them in trimming Medicare, thereby blunting an issue Democrats used against them in the last election.

"This is worth having," said Senate Majority Leader Trent Lott, R-Miss. "I don't want the president to veto it. I want him to sign it."

Lott spoke after a triumphant week for the GOP. The House and Senate passed similar bills slicing $140 billion in five-year savings out of Medicare, Medicaid and other programs, plus measures trimming taxes on families, students and investors by $135 billion.

In 1995, the first Republican-controlled Congress in 40 years brashly sent Clinton bigger versions of the same legislation. The move yielded a veto and two government shutdowns that crippled GOP momentum and almost cost them control of the House. They wounded themselves anew recently in a confrontation with the White House over a disaster-aid bill.

Now, Republicans desperately want to avoid another embarrassment — especially House Majority Leader Newt Gingrich, R-Ga., whose stewardship has drawn fire in recent weeks from his own rank-and-file.

Welfare system faces change

WASHINGTON (AP) — A sweeping change in American social policy that took root in the early 1990s will quietly culminate Tuesday as a law overhauling the nation's welfare system takes full effect.

"The old system dies at midnight," said Jack Tweedy of the National Conference of State Legislatures.

Nearly a year after President Clinton signed the law ending the federal government's six-decade guarantee of assistance for the neediest, efforts to change the system are well under way in most states.

"I think we're going to be more like career counselors," said Rochelle Halperin, who has been a caseworker in Phoenix for five years. "In the past, we focused on education and skills training and help with any other barriers. Now, (the client) needs to be out there working."

Halperin's office, along with three others in Arizona, officially become "empowerment centers" on Tuesday, where applicants will be greeted by bulletin boards of job listings.

"When people walk into our offices, they'll understand this is no longer an entitlement. We're here to help you get a job," said Bruce Liggett, who is helping to implement Arizona's program.

Thanks in part to the booming economy, the number of Americans on welfare has already dropped dramatically. About 4 million families were on assistance in March, down 20 percent from the 1994 peak.

Although given unprecedented authority to design their plans, states do not differ radically in their approaches. Most hold to the traditional premise of welfare: a check to help families in need.

Only one state is changing that basic formula. In pioneering Wisconsin, there will be no more welfare — just help finding a job, and if necessary, a paycheck for showing up to perform community service.

While using less radical means, nearly every state has stepped up work requirements and refocused on getting people into jobs.

Federal law now requires recipients to work after two years, and states must have 25 percent of them at work by this fall. That proportion will climb, in steps, to 50 percent in 2002.

Still, there are differences among states: How soon must work begin? How much support do caseworkers provide?

Some states have created strong "work-first" programs that assume everyone can and should work immediately. Led by Wisconsin, they include Texas, Virginia, Mississippi and Georgia.

"Instead of saying, 'You're poor and you need help,' we look at what strengths you bring," said Michael Thurmond, who directs Georgia's program. "We try to build on those."

Arizona plans to convert all welfare offices into "empowerment centers," featuring job postings, computers for resumes and telephones for interviews. All adults signing up for welfare will have to enter two-week classes, emphasizing work habits and attitude. Then they'll look for work.

The idea is to see who sinks and who swims before intervening with help for those who need it, said Gretchen Evans, who runs the Arizona work program. "It makes no difference if you have a GED (high school equivalency certificate) or a diploma," she said.

Other states tend to have more job training.

In Iowa, those who want benefits must develop an individual plan, promising to take steps toward self-sufficiency in exchange for cash in the meantime, said Mary Jean Timp, spokeswoman for the welfare department.

"It recognizes that the barriers are different for each person," she said.

Diversion programs also are increasingly popular. In nearly half the states, a person can forgo benefits in exchange for an upfront cash payment. The money might pay a debt or fix a car — and keep someone on her feet.

States also are trying to scare people from the system, warning they will have to work if they sign up. Administrators say some opt out.

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OC bombing conspiracy theory fuels grand jury

OKLAHOMA CITY (AP) — Two men convinced of a larger conspiracy surrounding the Oklahoma City bombing have forced a grand jury probe into the topic.

Jury selection was scheduled to begin today, thanks to 13,500 signatures collected by Charles Key and Glenn Wilburn on a petition to empanel a grand jury.

Key, a state representative, and Glenn Wilburn, an accountant who lost two grandsons in the blast, said they have a profound distrust for the official explanation of the blast.

Timothy McVeigh awaits execution for bombing the Alfred P. Murrah federal building on April 19, 1995, and Terry Nichols faces a federal trial beginning Sept. 29.

The federal indictment alleged they plotted the bombing with "others unknown." But federal authorities now doubt a larger conspiracy. And they vehemently deny any prior knowledge of the attack, as Key and Wilburn also allege.

Robert Macy, the Oklahoma County district attorney who will advise the grand jury, already promised to file state murder charges against McVeigh and Nichols. Macy does not need a grand jury to bring charges.

He initially opposed the petition, but now says he hopes the panel will "find out what the truth was in the Oklahoma City bombing, if there is any additional evidence."

Oklahoma Attorney General Drew Edmondson, however, called the grand jury investigation a waste of time and taxpayer money.

"The notion that it can learn something that the FBI was unable to learn, is, I think, ludicrous," Edmondson said. "The witnesses that Mr. Key is talking about, we know who they are, we know what they have to say. That doesn't get us any closer to knowing the truth of it, hearing them say it again."

The petition names seven witnesses who have said they saw at least one other person with McVeigh in Oklahoma City on the day of the bombing, which killed 168 people. None of the witnesses was called before the federal grand jury primarily concerned with indicting McVeigh and Nichols.

Date Book

June 30, 1997

Today is the 181st day of 1997 and the 10th day of summer.

TODAY'S HISTORY: On this day in 1859, French acrobat Charles Blondin walked across Niagara Falls on a tightrope.

On this day in 1936, "Gone With the Wind" by Margaret Mitchell was published in New York.

On this day in 1975, Cher married Greg Allman of the Allman Brothers four days after she divorced Sonny Bono.

TODAY'S BIRTHDAYS: Susan Hayward (1917-1975), actress; Buddy Rich (1917-1987), drummer; Lena Horne (1917-), singer-actress, is 80; Nancy Dussault (1936-), actress, is 61; Mitch Richmond (1965-), basketball player, is 32; Mike Tyson (1966-), boxer, is 31.

TODAY'S SPORTS: On this day in 1899, Charles "Mile-a-Minute" Murphy broke the 60 mph speed barrier on a bicycle.

TODAY'S QUOTE: "I came, I saw, I was confused." — Breyten Breytenbach

TODAY'S WEATHER: On this day in 1988, over 12 inches of rain fell on Worden, Kan.

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

TODAY'S MOON: Between last quarter (June 27) and new moon (July 4).

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Oil Patch News

Scurry County

Pennzoil Exploration will drill the No. 118-23 SACROC unit in the Kelly-Snyder field, five miles northwest of Snyder. Planned for a depth of 7,200 feet, location is in Section 295, Block 97, H&TC survey.

Garza County

Patterson Petroleum will drill the No. 1 Jeff in the Happy field, 10 miles south of Post. Planned for a depth of 8,500 feet, drill site is in Section 18, Block 2, T&NO survey.

HAT Oil and Gas Inc. will drill the No. 5 Crooked Stick, an 8,000-foot wildcat located three miles southwest of Justiceburg. Location is in Section 30, Block 6, H&GN survey.

Wheeler Operating has completed the No. 2-A Connell in the Arlene field, seven miles east of Post. The venture was finaled to produce five barrels of oil and 55 barrels of water. Perforations were from 2,854-3,040 feet, and location is in Section 66, Block 5, GH&H survey.

Mitchell County

Parker and Parsley will drill the No. 417 Mary Foster in the Iatan East Howard field, nine miles southwest of Westbrook. Planned for a depth of 3,400 feet, location is in Section 7, Block 29, T1S, T&P survey.

Parker and Parsley will drill the No. 418 Mary Foster in the Iatan East Howard field, nine miles southwest of Westbrook. Contracted for 3,400 feet, drill site is in Section 7, Block 29, T1S, T&P survey.

Parker and Parsley will drill the No. 419 Mary Foster in the Iatan East Howard field, nine miles southwest of Westbrook. Also scheduled for 3,400 feet, drill site is in Section 8, Block 29, T1S, T&P survey.

Parker and Parsley will drill the No. 420 Mary Foster in the Iatan East Howard field, nine miles southwest of Westbrook. Planned depth is 3,400 feet, and location is in Section 8, Block 29, T1S, T&P survey.

Parker and Parsley will drill the No. 421 Mary Foster in the same field, nine miles southwest of the townsite. Scheduled depth is 3,400 feet, and drill site is in Section 8, Block 29, T1S, T&P survey.

Parker and Parsley will drill the No. 422 Mary Foster in the Iatan East Howard field, nine miles southwest of Westbrook. The venture will be drilled to a depth of 3,400 feet, and location is in Section 8, Block 29, T1S, T&P survey.

Nolan County

Pioneer Exploration will drill the No. 28-A Billie Hanks in the Hylton northwest field, six miles south of Nolan. Planned for a depth of 6,300 feet, drill site is in Section 28, Block Z, T&P survey.

Walter Exploration Inc. will drill the No. 2 Pace Heirs unit, a 4,300-foot wildcat located 12 miles southeast of Sweetwater. Location is in Section 68, Block 20 T&P survey.

Pioneer Exploration will drill the No. 32-A Billie Hanks in the Hylton northwest field, six miles south of Nolan. Planned for a depth of 6,300 feet, drill site is in Section 28, Block Z, T&P survey.

Dr. Gott

By Peter Gott, M.D.

What's responsible for peptic ulcers?

By Peter H. Gott, M.D.

DEAR DR. GOTT: I am confused about the cause of peptic ulcers. I know that aspirin can cause them, but what about bacteria?

DEAR READER: Peptic ulcers can be caused by a variety of medications that interfere with the normal barrier preventing stomach acid from burning the intestinal lining. Such medicines include aspirin, ibuprofen and most prescription anti-inflammatory drugs.

However, ulcers are also associated with bacteria, called H. pylori. Consequently, patients who don't take medications but who have ulcers should have a blood test to check for H. pylori.

If the test is positive, short-term treatment with a combination of antibiotics will eradicate the microorganism, thereby curing the ulcers.

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

DEAR DR. GOTT: How long should a person take antibiotics for an infection?

DEAR READER: The time varies. Most relatively minor infections — such as bronchitis — clear up after a week or 10 days of therapy. Other infections that are more widespread (pneumonia, diverticulitis and so forth), may require two weeks or more. Serious infections (Lyme disease, abscesses, infected heart valves, etc.) may need antibiotics for months.

Also, the choice of antibiotic and the duration of treatment depend on the type of bacteria causing the ailment; some micro-organisms are more resistant than others. For instance, tuberculosis is usually treated for a year or more.

For most everyday infections, a week is the minimum. Patients who mistakenly discontinue antibiotics after a few days run the risk of reinfection or the development of antibiotic-resistant strains of bacteria. I encourage readers to follow their doctor's instructions on a case-by-case basis.

DEAR DR. GOTT: My wife has been diagnosed with cortical atrophy. All the doctor will tell me is that this means "brain shrinkage" and it will worsen. Is there no hope?

DEAR READER: The cause of cortical atrophy is elusive. It is, perhaps, due to mini-strokes, but there is no medical consensus about this. In any case, the condition leads to dementia: progressive decline in brain function, thinking, memory and judgment.

Cortical atrophy, which resembles Alzheimer's disease but occurs at an older age (usually in the 80s and 90s), is diagnosed by CT or MRI scanning.

Other than an aspirin a day (to prevent further mini-strokes), the treatment is far from satisfactory. Patients with this disorder need a lot of help with everyday activities and may require prescription medicines to control anxiety and emotional outbursts. Unfortunately, many victims of cortical atrophy eventually must be placed in nursing homes.

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Jury nixes death in Rolex killing

ANGLETON (AP) — A jury has decided on a life sentence instead of the death penalty for a 34-year-old man who used a steak knife to kill his 80-year-old neighbor for a Rolex watch.

Jurors spent 11 hours deliberating before returning the verdict about 9:45 p.m. Keith E. Flannery Jr. must serve 40 years of the sentence before he will be eligible for parole.

Flannery, an admitted crack addict, was convicted Thursday of capital murder in the January 1996 slaying of Elliott Wall Hebert, who was robbed of a Rolex watch, a diamond ring and $1,400 cash in Alvin.

Witnesses said the victim and Flannery were friends and that Hebert had lent Flannery money on more than one occasion.

After state District Judge Robert May read the sentence and as jurors watched, the victim's son, Lonnie Hebert, confronted the killer.

"You took something from me that was real precious," Lonnie Hebert said, as Flannery looked at his face and showed no emotion.

"That's something I'll never forget — finding my dad laying on the floor with a knife stuck in him. My dad tried to help you and I hope you live with that for a long time. I hope you see him laying there like I did. You'll get what you deserve where you're going."

A juror told The Brazosport Facts the most damaging evidence was testimony from Flannery's former girlfriend, who said Flannery had threatened to rob Hebert months before the murder.

Another juror said testimony of witnesses who said they heard Flannery confess to the murder was more convincing than any physical evidence presented during the trial.



SPECIAL TRIBUTE — Local members of the American Legion and Veterans of Foreign Wars conducted the flag raising and posted the colors during Friday's Korean War veteran tribute at the Senior Citizens Center. From left are Dayton McCarter, Robert Neblett and Bob Sealy. (Staff Photo By Shirley A. Gorman)

Now back home...

Mother facing deportation

LUBBOCK (AP) — A Filipino native who is married to a U.S. serviceman and feared being deported is back at home with her husband and children — for now.

Shirley Pekowski, 33, was arrested by U.S. Border Patrol agents in Lubbock on Monday after they received her immigration records and a 2-year-old warrant for her deportation to her native Philippines.

She was released from an Immigration and Naturalization Service detention center in El Paso late Friday with the help of Catholic Family Services and an attorney.

"I'm happy I'm home to see my children," Mrs. Pekowski said Saturday. "I'm happy to be home — that's all I can say."

Still, Mrs. Pekowski wonders what will happen to her.

She was released when officials found her detention was causing undue hardship on her husband, Robert, and her four children, ages 8 months, 2, 4, and 6. Her warrant for deportation is still active; her release is only temporary. She has until July 28 to get her case settled in immigration court.

Pekowski said he and his wife have been trying to settle her immigration status since 1994, when they were married. A series of bureaucratic snafus and misunderstandings culminated in her arrest, said the six-year Army veteran.

The couple met in 1992 when Pekowski was stationed in Honolulu. Mrs. Pekowski had been in the country since 1985, when she came to Hawaii to visit her mother. Files show she was scheduled to see an immigration counselor when she first entered the country, Border Patrol agents in Lubbock said.

However, Pekowski said his wife didn't understand the laws and spoke little English. The couple went to INS authorities after their wedding to settle her status and had a June 1995 court date, but Pekowski said he was reassigned to Washington, D.C.

Later, a warrant was issued for Mrs. Pekowski's deportation with instructions that she report to immigration authorities in Honolulu — while the couple was living in the nation's capital.

Pekowski said he repeatedly tried to get help from INS officials, but was shuffled around and ran into brick walls.

Border Patrol agents in Lubbock said Mrs. Pekowski has had plenty of time to straighten out her case. They had little choice but to arrest her when they found the warrant for her deportation, said agent Alan Langford.

The couple's attorney Bernard Rosenblum called the ordeal an "administrative foul-up."

"This case may be history before her case even goes to trial. I don't think any immigration judge in the world is going to say she has to leave," he said. "They're not fleeing immigration — they'd been contacting INS to adjust their status."

Four women battalion commanders

EL PASO (AP) — Four women recently promoted to combat battalion commander are the highest-ranking women ever in the Army's combat branch.

They are Lt. Col. Deborah Hollis, Lt. Col. Beverly Stipe, Lt. Col. Barbara L. Trehorne and Maj. Heidi Brown. All are assigned to air defense battalions.

Each will command 500 to 800 soldiers assigned to Patriot missile batteries. Hollis will be stationed in Germany and the others at Fort Bliss in El Paso.

"I think now there are a lot more openings if I choose to continue on with my career," said Hollis, 38, who earned a master's degree in business administration from Syracuse University in 1990. She will command the 1st battalion, 7th Air Defense Artillery, 94th Air Defense Artillery Brigade in Darnstadt, Germany, beginning sometime in June 1998.

Air defense artillery units have included women since 1979. Of the 1,819 air defense officers, 155 are women with ranks from first lieutenant to colonel.

Dear Abby

By Abigail Van Buren



DEAR ABBY: I am divorced and have three daughters. My ex-husband "Sam" married "Connie." She is 11 years younger than I am. Connie has no children of her own and they do not have children together yet.

My girls are under 18, so we still have the weekend visitation arrangement. The last time they were scheduled to visit their father, Connie came to pick them up.

The problem: Connie reeked of alcohol. Sam and I do not live in the same town — there's about a 15-mile drive between us. Now I'm kicking myself in the hindquarters because I let my daughters leave with her.

I cannot have any more children, Abby, and the three I have are a precious gift from above. Had my daughter's friend come to pick her up and the friend reeked of alcohol, there's no way I would have let my daughter get into the car. I let them go with Connie and hoped for the best because I did not want to start a fight — which I now feel was incredibly stupid. What should I do if this happens again?

TRYING TO DO RIGHT
IN MINNESOTA

DEAR TRYING TO DO RIGHT: Allowing the children to ride with a driver who reeked of alcohol was inexcusable. You are fortunate it wasn't a tragedy. If Sam doesn't know about this incident, he should be made aware of it.

Since you can't predict whether Connie will show up drunk or sober, in the future either you or your ex-husband must provide the transportation for the children.

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DEAR ABBY: My husband and I were married three years ago in a small ceremony. Since our wedding was small, we decided not to have bridesmaids or groomsmen. One of my husband's closest friends came to the ceremony, but claims he "got lost" on the way to the reception. Needless to say, he never made it to the reception, nor did he present us with a wedding gift.

Now, three years later, this friend is getting married. He has asked my husband to be a groomsman (requiring him to rent a $60 tuxedo), and has already invited us to a "pantry and tool" shower.

In light of the fact that he never bought us a wedding gift, I have a problem buying him a wedding gift, much less a shower gift.

How would you handle this?

TICKED OFF IN TALLAHASSEE

DEAR TICKED OFF: If your husband accepts the honor of being a groomsman, he is obligated to buy a wedding gift. And if you and your husband attend the shower, you'll be expected to bring a shower gift. Let bygones be bygones.

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DEAR ABBY: A young lady we work with had a baby. She was hoping it would be a girl. In fact, we all hoped she would have a daughter, so when we held a shower for her, many of us gave her gifts for a girl.

Well, the baby turned out to be a boy. And guess what? She sent the gifts back to us and asked *us* to exchange them for boy things.

Abby, I ask you, is that proper etiquette? Or should she have exchanged the gifts herself?

PEEVED IN PITTSBURGH

DEAR PEEVED: Was it proper etiquette? Absolutely not! She should have quietly exchanged the gifts herself.

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Good advice for everyone — teens to seniors — is in "The Anger in All of Us and How to Deal With It." To order, send a business-sized, self-addressed envelope, plus check or money order for $3.95 ($4.50 in Canada) to: Dear Abby, Anger Booklet, P.O. Box 447, Mount Morris, Ill. 61054-0447. (Postage is included.)

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By Phillip Alder

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♣ Q 8 6 4

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♦ ---
♣ K J 9 7

Vulnerable: North-South
Dealer: North

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1 ♥	2 ♦	3 ♥	4 ♣
4 ♥	5 ♣	5 ♥	Dbl.
Pass	Pass	Pass	

Opening lead: ♦ 2

You know but he doesn't

By Phillip Alder

Today's deal lends artistic verisimilitude, as W.S. Gilbert phrased it, to John Ruskin's opinion that "the essence of lying is in deception, not in words."

Sitting East was Richard Oshlag. He saw that "normal" defense would make things easy for declarer. Instead, he produced a falsecard that completely fooled South — and he didn't utter a word while doing it.

When North cautiously jumped to only three hearts, Oshlag might have bid three spades to direct the lead. However, envisioning a minor-suit game, he preferred to continue with four clubs. (West couldn't have four spades when he didn't show the suit over one heart.) South was itching to double five clubs, but North tried to make up for his previous underbid.

At trick one, most defenders sitting East would automatically play the diamond queen. Declarer would ruff, draw trumps ending in the dummy, and ruff out the diamond ace. South would discard three spades on dummy's diamond winners and romp home. His 11 tricks would be two top hearts, three diamonds, three club ruffs in the dummy and three spade ruffs in hand.

Realizing this, in tempo Oshlag played the diamond *ace*. Thinking West had the diamond queen, declarer trumped, ruffed a club in the dummy, discarded a spade on the diamond king, and ruffed a diamond. When the queen didn't drop from West, South continued his crossruff, but that gave him only 10 tricks: one down.

Try not to make it easy for declarer to read the cards.

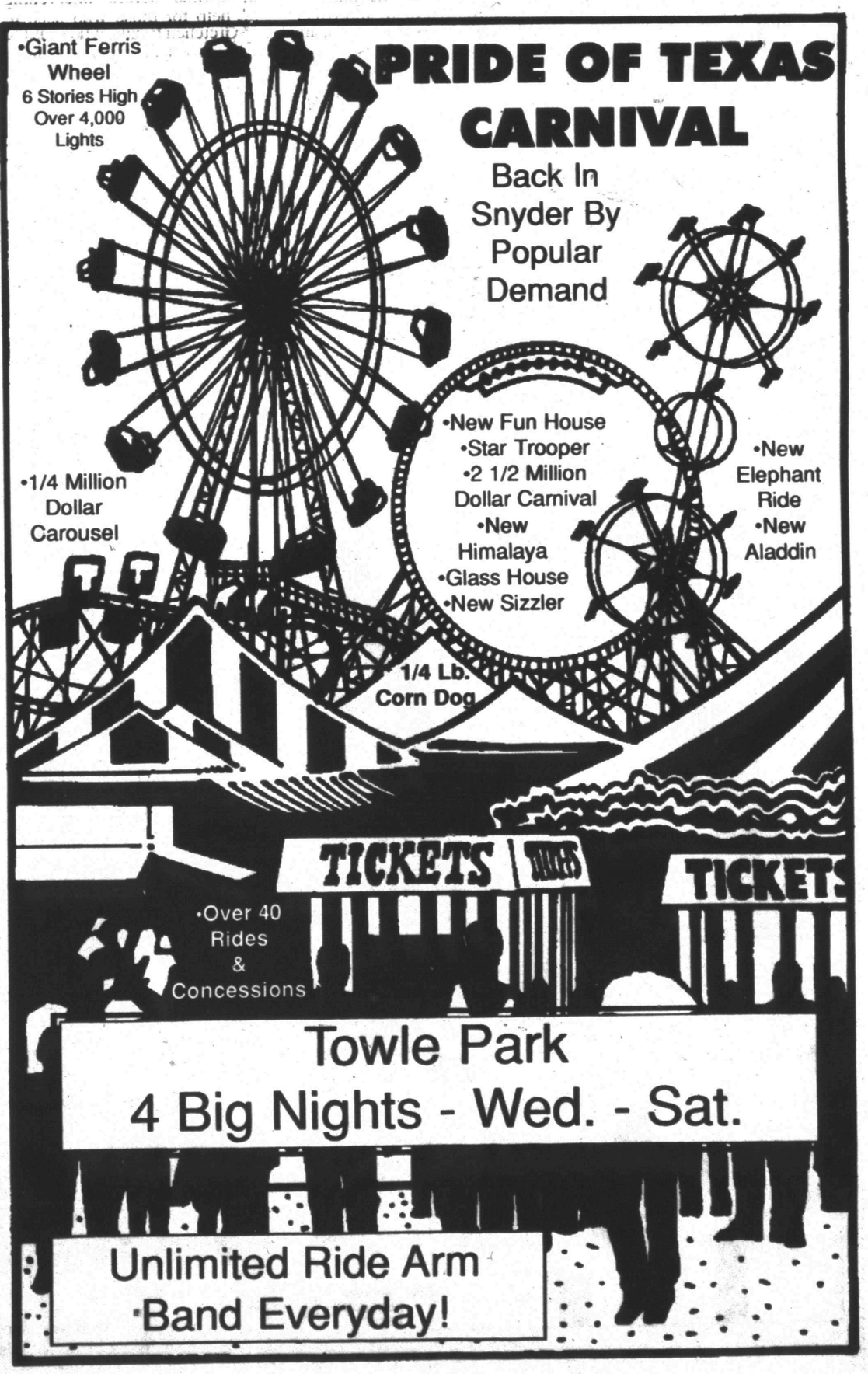
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All persons and/or clubs who plan on operating a food booth during the July 4th celebration must ***first*** fill out an application for a temporary vendor permit at the Scurry County Health Unit. The cost of the vendor permit is $5.00.

The application must be completed and returned to the Scurry County Health Unit before 5:00 p.m. July 2, 1997. Those who do not turn in an application will not be allowed to operate a food booth. Once your menu has been decided and it has been written on your application, you ***cannot*** add to it, though you can delete any of the items. ***MENU IS TO BE LIMITED TO THREE (3) POTENTIALLY HAZARDOUS FOODS. EXAMPLES:*** BEEF, CHICKEN, RICE, BEANS, PORK. ***ALL POTENTIALLY HAZARDOUS FOODS MUST BE PREPARED ON SITE, NOT AT HOME.***

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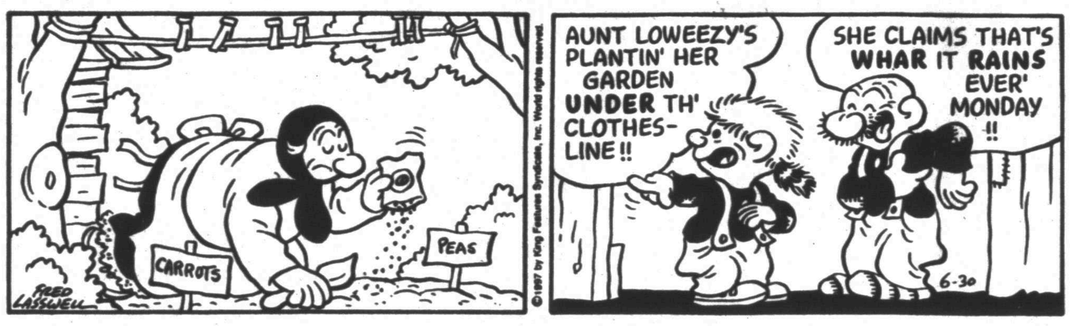
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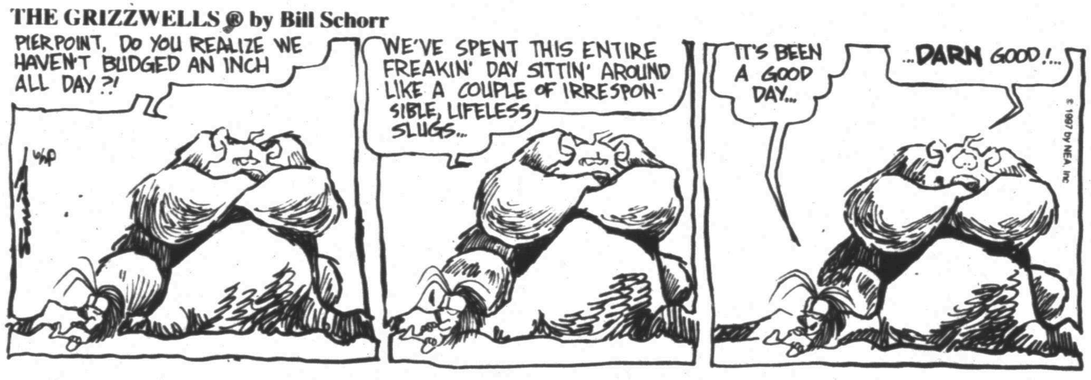
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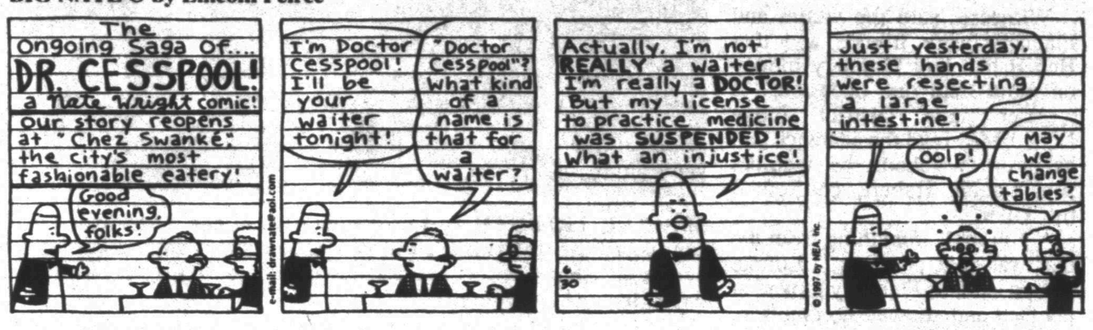
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NEA Crossword Puzzle

ACROSS

1 Horse's gear
5 Unwanted plant
9 Actor Linden
12 Govt. farm agency
13 Jason's ship
14 Workers' assn.
15 Hunter, e.g.
17 Uncle (Sp.)
18 Mary — Moore
19 Resident of Boise
21 Do it on the dotted line!
23 Paving goo
24 Ore. summer hrs.
27 Red veggie
29 Center of a shield
32 Raise the volume
34 Connected
36 Do a police officer's job
37 Tenant
38 Knots in cotton fiber
39 Native of Edinburgh
41 Health resort
42 Tina Turner's ex
44 Do — others ...
46 TV cartoon series
49 Actress Dale —
53 Unit of mass (abbr.)
54 Sleep-inducing
56 Failure
57 Freshwater porpoise
58 Small deer
59 Language suffix
60 Makes a head movement
61 Formerly, formerly

DOWN

1 Corrode
2 Glimpse
3 Matinee man
4 Nostrils
5 Used to be
6 Regal fur
7 Mild oath
8 Actor Robert —
9 Haphazard
10 Inter — (among others)
11 Crazy bird
16 Social groups
20 Transports
22 Chaps
24 Detailed program
25 Gilded
26 Depravity
28 Eagle's claw
30 Sound from a pager
31 Concert halls
33 Office tables
35 Written communication
40 Tooth
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48 Taboo item
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51 Bites
52 Rabbit tail
55 Western-hemisphere assn.

Answer to Previous Puzzle

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SPORTS

Iron Mike's bad temper comes back to bite him

LAS VEGAS (AP) — For once, even Don King was silent.

Mike Tyson's postfight excuses had long since rung hollow, and not even the usually long-winded promoter in charge of Tyson's career was up to the task of resurrecting them.

The outrage that followed Tyson's disqualification for biting Evander Holyfield's ears showed no signs of abating, though, even in the conspicuous absence Sunday of the former heavyweight champion and his handlers.

"It's certainly a sad day for boxing," said Marc Ratner, director of the Nevada State Athletic Commission.

Holyfield nursed a pair of tender ears Sunday, a day after Tyson was disqualified after the third round of his rematch with Holyfield in boxing's richest fight ever.

Holyfield is $35 million richer and still holds the WBA heavyweight title, but it was a hollow win in a fight that fell well short of its potential of being one of the best heavyweight rematches in recent history.

Tyson, meanwhile, celebrated his 31st birthday today in the face of public scorn.

A Nevada boxing commission is scheduled to meet Tuesday to consider fining him up to $3 million and suspending him from boxing for biting part of one of Holyfield's ears off and trying to do the same with another.

"It's over. I know it's over," an angry Tyson kept repeating in his dressing room after the fight. "My career is over."

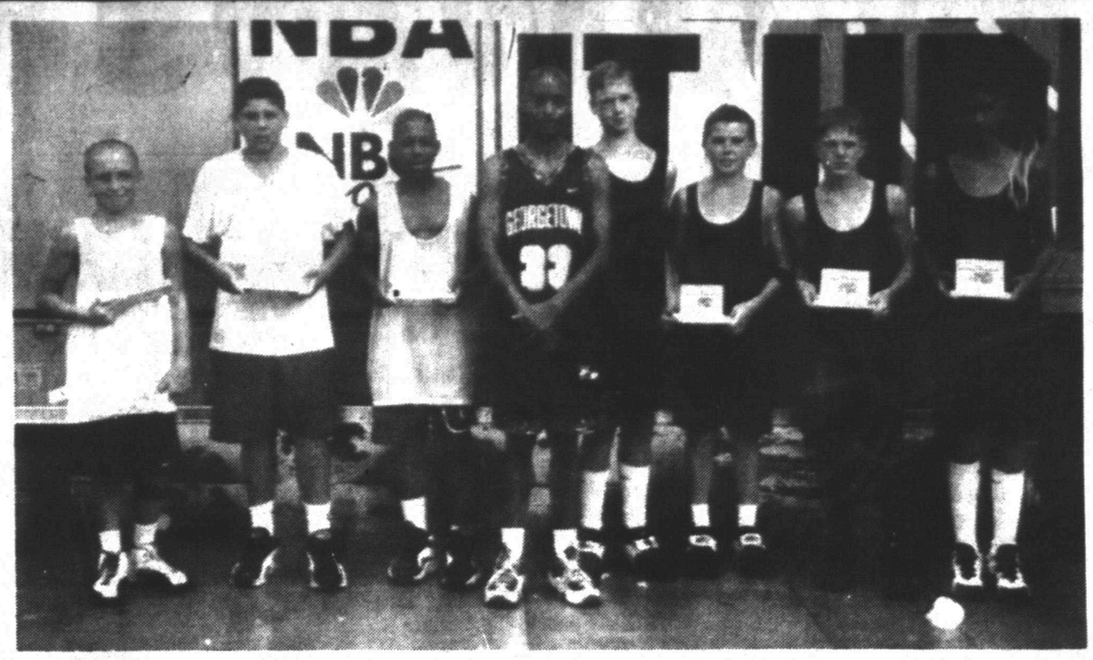
Tyson had just fought his way through an enraged crowd that was screaming and making obscene gestures at him. A bottle of water thrown from the stands just missed his head, and he had to be stopped from going into the seats to beat up his tormentors.

The fight, which started with Holyfield smiling and singing to himself in his corner and Tyson grim-faced across the ring, ended in bedlam, with Tyson seemingly out of control and trying to hit anyone around him.

His actions might cost him far more than a fine and suspension. Now the target of the scorn of the boxing world, Tyson will have a tough time reaping the huge paydays that have been his since leaving prison two years ago after serving a term for rape.

"We don't know what's in store for Mike Tyson," said Jay Larkin, the man behind boxing for Showtime-SET, which still has a 1½-year contract with Tyson. "We're waiting for a lot of answers."

What is next for Tyson might well depend on the athletic commission, which will meet Tuesday to launch a formal complaint against Tyson. His $30 million purse has been held up, but the most he can be fined is $3 million.



HOOP IT UP — Two Snyder teams competed in the 3 on 3 Hoop It Up basketball tournament in Dallas. Both teams advanced to the finals which were called off due to bad weather. The Bullets were declared the champions based on their margin of victory in the previous games. Members of the Bullets and Wildcatz are, left to right, Marcus Villareal, Josh McGaha, Josh Mendoza, coach Rocky Ware, Zach Starnes, T.J. Jones, Chris McLeod and Andrew Vargas. Not pictured is Kris Hatley. (Contributed Photo)

Astros defeat Chicago and lead NL Central by 1 game

CHICAGO (AP) — Making his first start in 1½ seasons, Tommy Greene needed all the support he could get.

His Houston Astros teammates complied, handing him a 7-0 lead en route to a 10-8 victory over the Chicago Cubs on Sunday.

"It was exciting. I'm just glad to be back and get the opportunity to pitch again," said Greene, who missed all of last season because of back and shoulder injuries.

He started for the first time since Sept. 16, 1995, when he pitched against the New York Mets.

"I ended up throwing a lot of pitches," Greene said. "That's what happens when you get a lot of strikeouts. I worked the count full a lot and they fouled a lot of pitches off before I got to strike three. I'd rather get all groundouts or line-drive outs right away rather than working deep counts every hitter."

Greene, who hit an RBI double, struck out seven in 4 1-3 innings, allowing four runs, six hits and two walks.

The Astros held on against the Cubs as Derek Bell and Brad Ausmus drove in three runs each.

"We got key hits today with guys in scoring position. That was a big difference," said Bell, who, along with his teammates, were held to two hits Saturday in a 5-2 loss to Chicago.

Bell hit a solo homer and a two-run single and Ausmus hit a three-run double for Houston, first in the NL Central at the midway point of the season despite a 40-41 record.

Dias Minor (1-0) pitched 1 1-3 innings of one-hit relief, helping hand the Cubs their 16th loss in 23 games. Billy Wagner got four outs for his 14th save.

Terry Mulholland (5-9) lost his fifth consecutive start, allowing seven runs and seven hits in 4 2-3 innings. He has allowed 23 earned runs in 28 2-3 innings during his skid, a 7.22 ERA.

Bell's fifth homer put Houston ahead in the fourth, and the Astros took a 7-0 lead in the fifth. Greene hit an RBI double, James Mouton a two-run double and Ausmus cleared the bases.

Rey Sanchez homered with one out in the fifth, his first since April 1, 1996, against San Diego's Andy Ashby.

Dave Hansen's RBI single chased Greene in the fifth. Mark Grace greeted Tom Martin with an RBI single and Sammy Sosa had a run-scoring groundout to pull the Cubs within 7-4.

Bell hit a two-run single off Terry Adams in the eighth and Berry grounded into a run-scoring double play off Mel Rojas.

"Our pitching just wasn't there," Cubs manager Jim Riggleman said.

Jose Hernandez hit a two-run homer in the bottom half and Grace singled in a run. Sanchez

Wetteland blows save again

OAKLAND, Calif. (AP) — Whether he felt good or not, things almost always worked out last year for World Series MVP John Wetteland.

Wetteland, now the Texas Rangers' closer, said he "felt good" when he came into Sunday's game against the Oakland Athletics in the eighth inning, but things turned out badly.

"I threw strikes and my breaking pitches were quality. I'm not happy with the results," said Wetteland, who blew yet another save in Sunday night's 7-5 loss to the Oakland Athletics.

Wetteland blew a save for the third time in four tries, allowing run-scoring hits to pinch-hitters Dave Magadan and Mark Bellhorn in the eighth inning as Oakland scored five times to overcome a three-run deficit.

"A ground ball finds a hole, and another guy hits a flare," Wetteland lamented. "Good pitches are going to get outs the greatest percentage of the time."

Wetteland, who relieved Xavier Hernandez in the eighth, now has four blown saves in his last eight tries. He has recorded one save since June 15, and has allowed eight runs — six earned — in his last five games.

"Wetteland threw some good pitches," Texas manager Johnny Oates said. "We just dug the hole too deep and couldn't get out of it."

Carlos Reyes (3-0) relieved Steve Karsay in the top of the sixth and allowed one run and three hits for the win. Buddy Groom got the final out for his second save.

Texas starter Ken Hill took a 5-2 lead into the eighth, but was replaced after Matt Stairs led off with his 12th home run. Hernandez replaced Hill and struck out Mark McGwire, who earlier hit his 29th home run to tie for the major league lead.

But Hernandez (0-2) then gave up a double to Jose Canseco and an RBI single to Jason Giambi. After Scott Spiezio walked, Wetteland entered the game.

Magadan, hitless in his last 13 appearances as a pinch-hitter, singled to score pinch-runner Damon Mashore with the tying run. Bellhorn followed with a bloop single to score Spiezio with the winner.

Magadan scored on a throwing error for the final margin.

"He (Oates) must have seen my at-bats against Wetteland when I didn't swing the bat that well," Magadan said. "I just happened to get good wood on the ball, and it fell in for a hit."

Snyder rolls over Clyde in all-star tournament game

The Snyder 9- and 10-year-old all-stars advanced in the winners bracket of the Distict V tournament Saturday with an 11-5 victory over Clyde at Logan Field.

Snyder scored four runs in the top of the first, but Clyde answered with two of their own in the bottom.

Snyder added three in third while Clyde got one man home in the third and two in the fourth.

The top of the sixth proved to be costly for Clyde. Snyder's Cade Simpson singled and Zach Garcia doubled following a leadoff walk by Garrett Pinson. Jeremy Lopez then smashed a triple to center.

Clyde could not respond as Snyder's Caleb Gutierrez took care of all three batters in the sixth.

Snyder 11, Clyde 5

Snyder: Lopez, triple; Garcia, double; Gutierrez, three singles; Simpson, two singles.

Snyder All-stars dominate Eastland in opening game

The Snyder 11- and 12-year-old all-stars played a near perfect game Saturday night in their 13-0 win over Eastland in the District V tournament in Abilene.

Snyder's Billy Pena faced 13 Eastland batters but only one reached first base.

Pena walked the leadoff man then struck out the next seven hitters he faced and ended up with nine strikeouts on the night.

Snyder pounced on Eastland early by sending nine men to the plate in the first inning.

Chance Greenwood led off with a single and doubles by Pena and Brady Reed had Snyder up 2-0.

With Reed standing on second, Joseph Martinez blasted a fastball over the left field fence, driving in two more runs. Logan Hill crossed the plate later in the inning and Snyder led, 5-0.

Pena then took command of the game with some help from his defense which committed only one error.

Josh Gutierrez belted a three-run homer in the second and Snyder added two more in the fourth before the game ended due to the 10-run rule.

With the victory, Snyder remains in the winners bracket and will face Baird Tuesday night at 6 in Abilene.

Snyder 13, Eastland 0

WP: Billy Pena; LP: Kerr Foster.

Snyder: Martinez and Gutierrez, home run and single; Pena, three doubles; Reed, double and single; Jed Martin, double; Greenwood and Eric Dickerhoff, two singles; Stafford Gray, single.

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National League

East Division

	W	L	Pct.	GB
Atlanta	52	28	.650	-
Florida	47	32	.595	4½
NewYork	45	34	.570	6½
Montreal	44	35	.557	7½
Philadelphia	23	55	.295	28

Central Division

	W	L	Pct.	GB
Houston	40	41	.494	-
St.Louis	38	41	.481	1
Pittsburgh	36	43	.456	3
Cincinnati	33	46	.418	6
Chicago	31	49	.388	8½

West Division

	W	L	Pct.	GB
SanFrancisco	46	34	.575	-
Colorado	42	39	.519	4½
LosAngeles	39	41	.488	7
SanDiego	35	45	.438	11

Saturday's Games

St. Louis 12, Cincinnati 6
Chicago Cubs 5, Houston 2
San Diego 9, Los Angeles 3
Florida 4, Montreal 2
N.Y. Mets 8, Pittsburgh 3
Atlanta 9, Philadelphia 1
Colorado 9, San Francisco 2

Sunday's Games

Atlanta 6, Philadelphia 5
N.Y. Mets 10, Pittsburgh 8
Houston 10, Chicago Cubs 8
San Francisco 7, Colorado 4
Los Angeles 10, San Diego 4
Florida 5, Montreal 3
St. Louis 6, Cincinnati 5, 12 innings

American League

East Division

	W	L	Pct.	GB
Baltimore	50	27	.649	-
NewYork	45	33	.577	5½
Toronto	37	39	.487	12½
Boston	36	43	.456	15
Detroit	35	42	.455	15

Central Division

	W	L	Pct.	GB
Cleveland	39	35	.527	-
Chicago	40	38	.513	1
Milwaukee	37	39	.487	3
KansasCity	36	40	.474	4
Minnesota	35	43	.449	6

West Division

	W	L	Pct.	GB
Seattle	47	33	.588	-
Anaheim	41	38	.519	5½
Texas	38	40	.487	8
Oakland	34	48	.415	14

Saturday's Games

Cleveland 12, N.Y. Yankees 8
Detroit 9, Boston 2
Milwaukee 5, Kansas City 3
Toronto 5, Baltimore 2
Minnesota 11, Chicago White Sox 5
Texas 2, Oakland 0
Anaheim 6, Seattle 1

Sunday's Games

Boston 8, Detroit 6
Toronto 3, Baltimore 2
Milwaukee 3, Kansas City 2
N.Y. Yankees 11, Cleveland 10
Chicago White Sox 6, Minnesota 4
Seattle 3, Anaheim 2
Oakland 7, Texas 5

Monday's Games

Kansas City (Belcher 8-7) at Chicago Cubs (Trachsel 4-6), 2:20 p.m.
Florida (Fernandez 8-6) at Boston (Wakefield 3-7), 7:05 p.m.
N.Y. Mets (Clark 6-4) at Detroit (Thompson 7-6), 7:05 p.m.
Atlanta (Glavine 8-4) at N.Y. Yankees (Mendoza 3-2), 7:35 p.m.
Philadelphia (Maduro 3-6) at Baltimore (Mussina 9-2), 7:35 p.m.
Montreal (Martinez 9-3) at Toronto (Hentgen 8-4), 7:35 p.m.
Chicago White Sox (Darwin 2-5) at Pittsburgh (Lieber 4-8), 7:35 p.m.
Milwaukee (Eldred 7-8) at Cincinnati (Mercker 5-5), 7:35 p.m.
Minnesota (Robertson 7-4) at St. Louis (Morris 5-4), 8:05 p.m.
Cleveland (Nagy 8-4) at Houston (Kile 9-3), 8:05 p.m.
Anaheim (Gross 1-0) at Colorado (Holmes 3-1), 9:05 p.m.
Texas (Witt 8-4) at Los Angeles (Valdes 4-8), 10:05 p.m.
San Diego (Ashby 3-4) at Oakland (Wengert 3-6), 10:05 p.m.
San Francisco (Foulke 1-2) at Seattle (Wolcott 4-4), 10:05 p.m.

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Charlotte	1	3	.250	3
Cleveland	1	3	.333	3

Western Conference

	W	L	Pct	GB
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Phoenix	2	2	.500	-
Sacramento	2	2	.500	-
Utah	1	3	.250	1

Saturday's Games

Phoenix 68, Cleveland 63
Houston 76, Utah 58

Sunday's Games

New York 65, Phoenix 57
Charlotte 67, Cleveland 44

Monday's Game

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BID NOTICE

Western Texas College will be accepting bids on Carpet and Janitorial Supplies until 1:00 p.m., July 3, 1997 for Carpet and 1:00 p.m., July 10, 1997 for Janitorial Supplies. Further information concerning the bid may be obtained by contacting the Business Office at Western Texas College, telephone 915/573-8511, Ext. 203.

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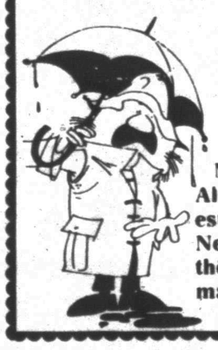
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Rains raise aquifer level

SAN ANTONIO (AP) — Recent rains raised the level of the Edwards Aquifer by 10 feet in four days and should continue to refill the natural underground reservoir for two more months, officials say.

The recharge leaves the San Antonio's sole source of drinking water at its highest level since May 1994. The rains, which produced severe flooding in the Texas Hill Country, also are allowing farmers cultivating tens of thousands of acres west of San Antonio to reduce their reliance on the aquifer.

"There have been a lot of irrigators who have turned their pumps off and probably won't turn them on for the rest of the year," said Steve Walthour, hydrologist with the Edwards Aquifer Authority. "These are the guys who generally irrigate up until around the Fourth of July.

"This is about the time of year that we start getting into heavy lawn watering, and we don't have that now."

Officials say the aquifer level at the Bexar County index well jumped from 666.3 feet above sea level June 20 to 676.9 feet Friday. That compares with the June historical average of 662.7 and a six-year low of 627.5 feet in the midst of a drought a year ago.

The aquifer's all-time high of 703.3 feet was recorded in June 1992, and its low was 612.5 feet in 1956.

Also showing an improvement are aquifer-fed springs.

Flows from the Comal Springs in New Braunfels rose from 273 cubic feet per second (cfs) on June 20 to 320 cfs on Wednesday, just above the June average of 288 cfs.

There won't be any estimate of the amount of water flowing into the aquifer until after officials conduct extensive calculations at year's end.

Astro-graph

By Bernice Bede Osol

Your Birthday

Tuesday, July 1, 1997

In the year ahead your best career opportunities are likely to develop in an unusual sequence, so don't despair if things initially appear to be going wrong. Corrections will come later.

CANCER (June 21-July 22) Joint endeavors look encouraging for you today, especially those that are comprised of unique elements. Do not be afraid to experiment. Trying to patch up a broken romance? The Astro-Graph Matchmaker can help you understand what to do to make the relationship work. Mail $2.75 to Matchmaker, c/o this newspaper, P.O. Box 1758, Murray Hill Station, New York, NY 10156.

LEO (July 23-Aug. 22) Making quick decisions could suit you perfectly today. Ideas that come to you in a rush might be comprised of ingenious substance, so don't hesitate to use them.

VIRGO (Aug. 23-Sept. 22) Remain alert and expectant today. Career opportunities might suddenly develop for you through strange channels and in a least suspected way.

LIBRA (Sept. 23-Oct. 23) Someone who now lives quite a distance from you might try to get in touch with you today. What he or she needs to discuss is very worthwhile, so try to link up if possible.

SCORPIO (Oct. 24-Nov. 22) Swiftly shifting conditions tend to benefit you and your family today, and an aggravating circumstance looks like it will be resolved to your satisfaction.

SAGITTARIUS (Nov. 23-Dec. 21) Partnership arrangements could be your strong suit today, especially those where friends are involved. Together, you'll quickly do the difficult legwork.

CAPRICORN (Dec. 22-Jan. 19) Acknowledgment and rewards, which up until now has been denied to you, might soon be forthcoming. Compensation proportionate to your input is probable.

AQUARIUS (Jan. 20-Feb. 19) People who meet you for the first time today will be duly impressed. A friendship might begin to blossom with someone to whom you'll be introduced.

PISCES (Feb. 20-March 20) Your sense of timing could be your greatest asset today. If there is something of consequence for which you require closure, handle the matter as your instincts direct.

ARIES (March 21-April 19) Do not be reluctant to request favors today from friends you've been helping recently. Your pals can do a number of things for you that you can't generate on your own.

TAURUS (April 20-May 20) A critical career matter might be subjected to some unexpected alterations today. After the smoke clears, you'll see that what occurred may work to your advantage.

GEMINI (May 21-June 20) Today you'll be extremely creative in arrangements that can advance personal ambitions, even though your modus operandi may appear very contrived to bystanders.

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State prison overcrowding expected by 1998

AUSTIN (AP) — Despite a recent $1.5 billion expansion to accommodate more inmates, the Texas prison system is filling up again, the system's board chairman says.

"I feel that it is certain that we will reach capacity in the first half of 1998," Allan Polunsky, chairman of the Texas Board of Criminal Justice, said in a Morris News Service story published Sunday.

Men's prisons have reached 98-percent occupancy and women have been moved from the Neal Unit in Amarillo to units with lower occupancy rates to relieve crowding, according to prison officials. The population is increasing by 450 to 600 inmates per month.

Prompted by public outrage over the release of dangerous criminals, the state spent about $1.5 billion to add 94,000 beds to the prison system by the end of 1995. That brought the current system capacity to about 144,000 beds.

Prison officials blame the space crunch on longer sentences, a crackdown on good-time credits, a decrease in the parole approval rate and an increase in parole revocations.

Only last year, the state's leadership told the prison board to hold up on constructing eight new high-security units because projections at that time indicated the additional space wouldn't be needed before this year.

The Legislature during its recently ended session authorized two new units and three additional units could be built with state approval.

A recommendation on where to build the new prisons could came as soon as July 17.

The Estelle Unit in Huntsville and Woodman State Jail at Gatesville will be opened soon, but that won't cure the problem, according to prison officials.

Vacant state jails in Houston, Dallas and Edinburg also might be opened, said Glen Castlebury, spokesman for the Criminal Justice Department.

Another possible solution, Polunsky said, is that the state could resume paying counties to house state inmates.

"I don't think that's the best option, either for the state or the counties," Polunsky said.

New courts veto criticism target

FORT WORTH (AP) — Sexual assault and child abuse cases will be harder to prosecute because of Gov. George W. Bush's veto of a bill creating 15 new courts, judges and legislators say.

Bush vetoed the bill because it denied him the power to appoint them.

"He is going to be delaying a lot of justice in a lot of courts across this land," said state Rep. Senfronia Thompson, D-Houston, chairwoman of the House Judicial Affairs Committee.

Thirteen of the 15 judges would have been elected, which Bush said circumvented his powers in the Texas Constitution.

He added that if the courts were really needed legislators would not have waited until January 1999 to open them, instead of letting him appoint them in September.

"He felt this was a deliberate attempt by the Legislature to circumvent the Constitution," said Karen Hughes, a Bush spokeswoman. "The way they did it was to circumvent his appointment authority."

The veto means Bexar County lost four courts, Fort Bend County lost two and Tarrant, Cameron, Galveston, Harris, Nueces, Tom Green, Travis, Smith and Webb counties lost one each.

The judge in the Tarrant County and one of two new judges for Fort Bend County would have been appointed. The other judges would have been elected in November 1998 and taken office in January 1999.

Tarrant, which has hoped to begin prosecuting aggravated sexual assault and child abuse cases in a new court by Sept. 1, will continue using auxiliary courts and visiting judges to help handle the growing number of cases, said state district Judge Bob Gill, who is the administrative judge for the county.

Gill said he did not know how many cases will be affected by not having the new courts.

Lawmakers and judges argue that the construction of the bill was not unusual.

It is common for the Legislature to create a court and delay its opening, to allow time to find courtroom space or funds, said lawmakers.

There also were concerns that the Justice Department would not have time to clear creation of the courts, according to Thompson and Rep. Robert Puente, D-San Antonio.

Man shot after gang scolded

FORT WORTH (AP) — An innocent bystander whose brothers and friends had chased down and scolded three suspected gang members for throwing beer cans at them was shot to death, police said.

Rodolfo Gutierrez, 34, was shot in the chest early Sunday on his front porch after three young men returned to the house after the confrontation, police said.

Homicide Detective Manny Reyes said Gutierrez and his brothers had cooked barbecue, watched the Mike Tyson-Evander Holyfield fight and were on the front porch when the youths walked past and hurled two beer cans at them.

Several of the men gave chase and confronted the youths.

"The people that got confronted, they didn't like being confronted, and they came back and shot the house," Reyes said. "It's just downright meanness on the part of the gang people."

He called Gutierrez, who moved to Fort Worth from Del Rio several months ago, an innocent victim.

"If there was ever a 100 percent by any means innocent party, it was him, just by sitting there and not saying a word," Reyes said.

A murder warrant has been issued for a teen suspect in the case, Reyes said Monday.

Trooper recants story on Clinton

WASHINGTON (AP) — An Arkansas state trooper who guarded then-Gov. Clinton says he confirmed falsehoods about Clinton's reported marital infidelities as part of a proposed tell-all book project, The New Yorker says.

Two other magazines also quote from an affidavit trooper Ronald Anderson gave to Clinton's lawyers in 1994 in which Anderson says a Clinton foe promised troopers high-paying jobs in exchange for their help in undermining Clinton.

The New Yorker, in its edition on newsstands Monday, said Anderson claims in the affidavit that in discussions with other troopers about a proposed book on Clinton's marital cheating he confirmed stories about the president even though he knew many "were nothing more than old fish tales, with little, if any, basis in fact."

He says in the affidavit that he participated in the deception because, after the 1992 Democratic Convention that nominated Clinton for the presidency, he thought his knowledge of candidate Clinton might prove profitable.

The New Yorker and Time magazine, in its latest edition, both quote Anderson as saying that Cliff Jackson, an Arkansas lawyer and longtime Clinton foe, offered the troopers jobs outside Arkansas for seven years for $100,000 a year in exchange for their cooperation in publicizing alleged Clinton scandals.

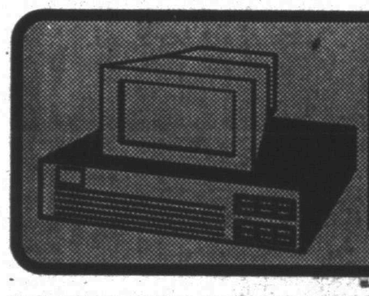
Jackson told the AP in a telephone interview Sunday evening that the assertions in Anderson's affidavit are "totally false" and "libelous."

"I never guaranteed anything," he said. "Where the $100,000 figure came from mystifies me. The seven-year period is absolute nonsense."

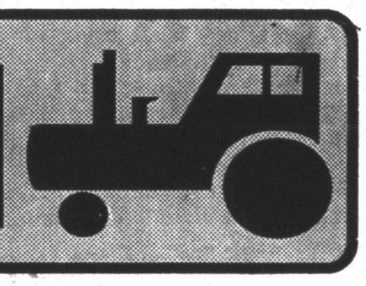
Jackson said that when the troopers were talking about coming forward in 1993 with their accounts of Clinton's extramarital affairs, they became concerned for their jobs in Arkansas.

As part of his professional contract with them, Jackson said he agreed that he would "use his best efforts to secure alternate acceptable employable opportunities for bodyguards, if they so desire, outside the state of Arkansas."

Jackson said that agreement was as close as he ever came to any type of offer to any state trooper. He said he never made any offer to compensate troopers to help hurt Clinton.



Business and Industrial News



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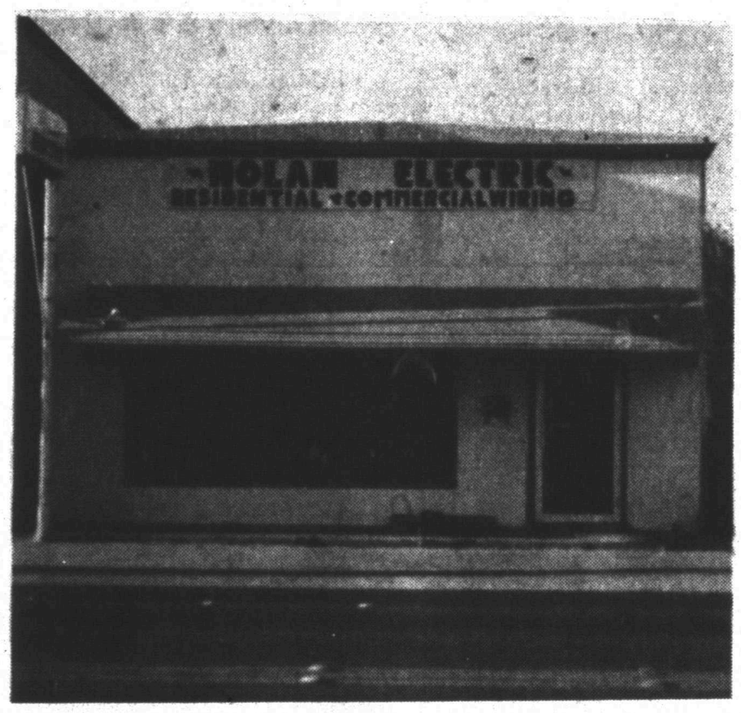
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NOLAN ELECTRIC — Located at 1010 25th St. for 20 years, Nolan Electric specializes in residential and commercial wiring. (SDN Staff Photo)

San Antonio to purchase air base

SAN ANTONIO (AP) — In a deal that is the largest of its kind, officials from San Antonio and the Air Force will get together this week to finalize the $108 million sale of Kelly Air Force Base to the city.

The military base and improvements are being acquired by the Greater Kelly Development Corp., a city agency formed to guide the future use of the facilities and work force after Congress voted in 1995 to close the San Antonio Air Logistics Center at Kelly by 2001.

After officials sign the agreement at the Spanish Governor's Palace on Wednesday, the development corporation will officially begin the redevelopment of the 1,871-acre base to be abandoned by the Air Force before 2001.

The agreement will transfer ownership of all Kelly land, buildings, equipment and utilities east of the runway to a city-appointed redevelopment authority.

The proposed $108 million, 40-year deal is a landmark not only for San Antonio but for the Defense Department. It's the largest and longest of 19 such deals the Pentagon has struck across the country.

Still unanswered is the question of exactly what will happen to the aircraft maintenance workload formerly handled by military personnel at the base.

An independent base closure commission in 1995 recommended that the workloads of Kelly and McClellan AFB in Sacramento be shifted to surviving depots in Georgia, Oklahoma and Utah.

The White House quickly countered with a plan to allow private contractors to take over much of the two depots' work, sparing thousands of jobs there — but depriving the three remaining depots of jobs they expected and need to operate more efficiently.

Two men charged after 22 emus hit with bats

COLLEYVILLE AP) — Animal cruelty charges are being considered against two men accused of using baseball bats to kill 22 emus they were raising as a business venture.

The men apparently believed the only way to cut their business losses was to kill the flightless birds, police said. Emus are raised for their meat, feathers, oil and leather.

"I have never seen anyone resort to beating their animals because the market may have dropped out. That's absolutely ridiculous," Young said. "This is the worst case of physical abuse I've seen — because of the sheer numbers."

One of the birds was alive but near death when officers arrived about noon Friday in response to a neighbor's complaint, said Reed Young, chief cruelty investigator with the Humane Society of North Texas.

Animal control officers had to kill the injured bird after freeing it from a fence where it had gotten stuck, he said.

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Consumer spending up slightly

WASHINGTON (AP) — Consumer spending rose 0.3 percent in May, bolstered by an identical increase in personal incomes, the latest evidence of moderate economic growth on the eve of the Federal Reserve's interest-rate-setting meeting.

The Commerce Department said today spending totaled a $5.37 trillion rate, compared with $5.35 trillion a month earlier. Incomes rose to an annual rate of $6.77 trillion, up from $6.75 trillion in April.

The advances were in line with analysts' expectations.

Personal consumption had risen just 0.1 percent in April, slowest since last September. Analysts believe spending has decelerated to about a 2 percent annual rate during the April-June quarter, less than half the 5.6 percent rate during the first three months, the fastest in five years.

Consumer spending represents two-thirds of the nation's economic activity and the newest report was released a day before the Federal Open Market Committee's two-day meeting to decide interest-rate policy.

Many analysts believe Fed officials will leave rates unchanged pending more data on the economy's condition.

Initial data on the April-June performance suggest it has moderated to about a 2 percent annual rate from the first quarter's sizzling 5.9 percent pace.

Income growth in May was slightly above the 0.2 percent advance in April. Private wages and salaries, the most closely watched component of income, rose $9.5 billion compared with a $2.7 billion increase a month earlier. Both employment and average hourly earnings increased.

Disposable income also increased 0.3 percent, up from 0.2 percent in April.

The combination of incomes and spending meant that Americans' saving rate was 5.1 percent, unchanged from April.

Spending on durable goods increased 0.2 percent after falling 1.7 percent a month earlier. Motor vehicles accounted for much of the May increase and more than accounted for the April decrease.

Spending on nondurable goods such as food and fuel fell 0.1 percent, slower than April's 0.6 percent decline. Spending on services advanced 0.5 percent compared to 0.9 percent in April.

The income and spending figures were not adjusted for inflation. When adjusted, disposable incomes rose 0.3 percent, up from 0.1 percent in April. Spending rose 0.4 percent after remaining flat the previous month.

Revoluntionary war gunboat discovered

FERRISBURG, Vt. (AP) — A Revolutionary War gunboat, part of a small fleet commanded in a strategic battle by Benedict Arnold before he turned traitor, has been found nearly intact on the bottom of Lake Champlain, officials said today.

No decision has been made yet on whether to leave the ship in place or to raise it, said Art Cohn, head of the Lake Champlain Maritime Museum. The ship's exact location in the 115-mile-long lake was not released.

The 54-foot vessel is "in an excellent state of preservation, sitting upright on the bottom, its mast still standing over 50 feet high and its large bow cannon still in place," Cohn said.

It was found in early June during a sonar survey of the lake bottom, he said.

Only four vessels survived out of the 15-ship squadron led by Arnold in the Battle of Valcour Island in 1776.

The newly discovered ship was identified as one of Arnold's flotilla because it matches another of his gunboats, the Philadelphia, which was found in 1935 and is at the Smithsonian Institute. While the Philadelphia was damaged and sunk during the battle, this vessel apparently escaped and is believed to have been deliberately scuttled during the Americans' retreat.

"This could prove to be the most significant maritime discovery is American history in the last half century," said Philip Lundeberg, curator emeritus of naval history at the Smithsonian's American History Museum. "The apparently excellent condition of the gunboat is highly unusual for an artifact this old and is one of the reasons the discovery is so significant."

The lake's cold water is credited with preserving a number of wrecks that have been found there in recent years.

Lake Champlain, which divides New York and Vermont, was of strategic importance in the Revolutionary War because it extends up into Canada.

American forces took control of the lake in 1775 and used it to invade British Canada. That campaign failed, leaving a 10,000-man British force poised to move through the colonies.

American forces met the British fleet Oct. 11, 1776, at the Battle of Valcour Island.

The Americans lost the battle and Arnold later switched sides, giving the British information about American plans.

Three die in college mountaineering trip

ANCHORAGE, Alaska (AP) — Members of a college mountaineering class were descending a snowfield in the Chugach Mountains when they slid on the 60-degree slope into a boulder field 1,000 feet below.

Two people, a man and a woman, were killed.

Twelve others were injured in the accident Sunday evening on Ptarmigan Peak, about 16 miles southeast of downtown Anchorage.

Climbers were from the University of Alaska at Anchorage.

Stroud's condition upgraded at UMC

Bobby Stroud's condition at Lubbock's University Medical Center has been upgraded to sataisfacatory and he has been moved to a private room.

Stroud, 68, was pulled from the bottom of Western Texas College's swimming pool around 10:30 a.m. Wednesday by a lifeguard.

The lifeguard began CPR on Stroud and he continued until members of Snyder EMS arrived.

Stroud was taken by EMS to Cogdell Hospital where he was stabilized and later transferred by EMS to the Lubbock hospital where he has been treated for the near-drowning.

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ADMISSIONS: June 27- Maria Flores, 1213 N. Ave. M.; June 28-None; June 29-Novella Johnson, 2006 37th #16; Belinda Pittman, 958 N. Ave. M.

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CENSUS: 41 (Med., Surg-7, Long-term Care-34).

Obituaries

Oma Kroger

1926-1997

Oma Nell Kroger, a native of Scurry County, died Sunday, June 29, at her sister's home in Snyder after a lengthy illness.

Graveside service for Mrs. Kroger, 71, is set for 2 p.m. today in Hillside Memorial Gardens. The Rev. F.R. "Bear" Williams will officiate and arrangements are under the direction of Bell-Cypert-Seale Funeral Home.

Born Jan. 12, 1926 in Scurry County, Mrs. Kroger was a homemaker and had worked at Northern Electric Manufacturing. She was a member of the committee that selected black and gold as the Snyder High School colors.

Survivors include her father, Cannon Burditt of Snyder; a brother, M.C. "Snuffy" Burditt of Snyder; a sister and brother-in-law, Mamie Lou and Dennis Eubank of Snyder; and a granddaughter, Melissa Hatton.

Mrs. Kroger was preceded in death by her husband, Earl; and a son, James Anthony Hatton.

William B. Ward

1918-1997

FLUSHING, N.Y. — Mass was held at 9 a.m. today in the Transfiguration Catholic Church for William Bery Ward, 78, of Flushing, N.Y. He was the brother of Hollis Ward, Jimmy Ward and Dycie Kemp, all of Snyder.

Burial was in the Long Island National Cemetery.

Mr. Ward died on June 26 after a short illness.

He was born on Dec. 27, 1918 in Lamar County to the late Lon and Maggie Ward of Roscoe. Mr. Ward was reared in Roscoe and married Katherine Dell in May of 1945 in Brooklyn, N.Y. He was retired from an electric company and was a Navy veteran of World War II.

He was preceded in death by a daughter, Doreen Ward in 1960.

Survivors include his wife, Katherine Ward of the home; one daughter, Janet Keil of Pleasantville, N.Y.; one son, Barry Ward of Virginia; and another sister, Cleola Myers of Hyatsville, Md.

Valetta Rogers

1932-1997

ATHENS, Tex. — Valetta Earlene Rogers, the mother of Gerald Rogers of Ira, died Saturday, June 29, in an Athens care center. She was 64.

Order of Eastern Star rites were held Sunday in the Foster and Brown Funeral Home Chapel. Graveside service was set for 2 p.m. today in Bronte's Fairview Cemetery.

Born in Wilmeth, she married Lonnie Ray Rogers in 1950. She was a homemaker and had lived in Athens since 1966. Mrs. Rogers had been a member of the Order of Eastern Star since 1962.

Survivors also include her husband, Lonnie Rogers of Athens; a daughter, Renetta Boyd of Joshua; her mother, Mavis Parish of Abilene; a sister, Elaine Ballard of Abilene; and five grandchildren.

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Alltel	33 3-16	32⅛	32¼— 5-16
AmerOnline	54⅛	53¼	53 9-16—15-16
AmStores	50¼	49⅛	49⅛+ ⅛
Ameritech	68 9-16	67⅛	67 9-16—15-16
Amoco	87⅞	87	87⅛— ⅛
AndarkPtr	61 7-16	61 5-16	61 7-16+ 5-16
Armcolnc		3⅛	3 13-16 3⅛
AtlRichfld s	70⅛	69⅝	70⅛+ ⅛
ATMOS Egy		23⅛	23⅛ 23⅛
Aviall	14¼	14⅛	14⅛— ⅛
BakerHughes	38 7-16	38	38 1-16— 1-16
BellAtl	74⅛	73 5-16	73 9-16— 5-16
BellSouth	45	44⅝	44 11-16— 3-16
BethSteel	10 9-16	10⅜	10 7-16— ⅛
BritPet s	75⅜	74⅛	74 13-16+ ⅛
BurlNoSFe	90¼	89⅛	89⅛— ⅛
Caterpillar	108¼	106 1-16	106 3-16—1 13-16
Caterpillar wi	54¼	53⅛	53⅛— 1
CenSoWst	21 1-16	20⅞	20 15-16— 1-16
Chevron	73⅛	72⅛	73 1-16+ 5-16
Chrysler	33¼	32⅛	32⅛+ ⅛
Coastal	53⅛	53	53 5-16+ 1-16
CocaCola	71 1-16	69 15-16	70 1-16—15-16
ColgatePalm s	66⅛	65¼	65¼— ⅛
ComclMetals	30⅝	30½	30 11-16— 1-16
Cooperln	51¼	50⅜	51 1-16+ ⅛
CyprusAmax	24⅜	24⅛	24½— 3-16
DallSemicn	37 7-16	37⅛	37⅛— 1-16
DeltaAirl	85¼	82¼	83⅛—1 13-16
DigitalEq	36⅜	35 9-16	35⅞— ⅛
Dillards Inc	35¼	34⅜	34⅜— ⅛
DowChem	88⅛	87 1-16	87 5-16— ⅜
DresserInd	36⅞	36 3-16	36 9-16— 3-16
DuPont s	61 15-16	60⅞	61 1-16— 1-16
EastmanChem	64	62⅝	62 15-16—1 3-16
EstKodak	79⅛	77⅛	77 9-16—15-16
EDS Corp	42 11-16	42 1-16	42 5-16— ⅛
Enserch		22¼	22 22 1-16
Entergy	27	26 11-16	26 11-16— 5-16
Exxon s	61⅛	59 13-16	60⅛— 1-16
Flowers s		16¼	16⅛ 16⅛
FordMotor	39¼	38 9-16	38 11-16— 5-16
GTE Cp	43½	42⅞	43 1-16+ 3-16
GenDynam	76⅛	75⅛	75⅛—13-16
GenElecs	66¼	65	65 3-16— ⅛
GenMills	65¾	65	65 — ⅛
GenMotors	56 1-16	55¼	55⅜— 1-16
GaPacif	88⅛	86 7-16	86⅛—1 5-16
GlobalMar	23 5-16	23⅛	23⅛+ ⅛
Goodrich	44⅞	44	44⅛+ ⅛
Goodyear s	63⅛	62½	62⅝— ⅛
GtAtlPac	26¼	26 5-16	26 5-16— 5-16
Haliburtn	79⅜	78 9-16	78¾+ ⅛
Hanson ADS n	25⅜	25⅛	25⅛— ⅛
HarteHanks	29 13-16	29¼	29 13-16— 1-16
HomeDepot	68¼	68⅛	68⅛— ⅛
HomeDepot wi	46	45⅛	45⅝— ⅛
HoustonInds	21½	21 3-16	21¼— 3-16
IBM s	92⅛	90¼	91 — ⅛
IntlPaper	49⅛	48 7-16	48⅛— 9-16
JohnsonJn	64⅞	63¼	63½— ⅛
K mart	12 5-16	12⅛	12⅛— ⅛
Kroger s	28⅛	27⅞	28 — ⅛

Midday Stocks

Litton	48⅛	47¼	48 1-16+	1-16
LockhdMart	104⅝	103⅛	103 13-16—	7-16
Lowes Cos		37⅛	37⅛ 37	11-16
Lubys		20⅛	20 20⅛+	⅛
LucentTech	72⅛	71 3-16	71 7-16—	⅛
MayDeptStrs	48 5-16	47⅛	47⅜—	⅛
Medtronic	87⅞	86⅛	86½—	⅛
Mobils	70⅛	69¼	69 9-16+	3-16
Monsanto	42⅛	41⅛	41 13-16—	⅛
MorganJP	106⅜	105⅛	105 11-16—1	1-16
Motorola	76⅛	74⅛	74 13-16—2	1-16
NCR Corp n	29¼	28⅛	28 15-16—	⅛
NationsBk s	65⅛	64 15-16	64 15-16—	5-16
Navistar		18	17⅞ 18 +	⅛
NoramEngy	15⅜	15¼	15⅛—	1-16
Norwest	56⅛	55⅞	56 5-16—	⅛
Nynex	56⅛	55⅞	56⅛—	⅛
OryxEngy	20⅝	20⅛	20⅛+	⅛
Penney JC	51⅛	50 11-16	51⅛+	⅛
Penzoil	76 7-16	75⅞	76 —	⅜
PepBoys	34 9-16	34 5-16	34 7-16+	3-16
PepsiCo	38 7-16	38	38⅛+	⅜
PhelpDodge	86⅛	85 13-16	85 13-16—	1-16
PhilipPet	42 13-16	42⅛	42 7-16—	5-16
PilgrmPrd	11⅜	11⅛	11⅛+	⅛
Polaroid	55⅝	53⅝	55 3-16+1	13-16
Praxair	55⅛	54⅝	54⅝—	⅛
ProcGam	139 15-16	138 1-16	138⅜—11-16	
PubSNwMx	18	17 15-16	18 + 1-16	
RoyalDut s	53¼	52⅛	52⅜—	⅛
SBC Comm	60	59⅜	59⅝—	1-16
SaraLee	42⅞	41⅞	41 15-16—	⅛
SearsRoeb	54⅛	53⅛	54 3-16+	9-16
SherwinW s	30 15-16	30⅛	30 11-16—	⅛
SmthBc ADS	92 9-16	91⅛	91⅛—	⅛
SouthernCo	21 11-16	21 7-16	21⅜—	⅛
SwstAirlines	26⅛	26	26 1-16—	5-16
Sprint	52⅛	51 7-16	51⅜—	⅛
SunCo	31 15-16	31⅛	31 11-16+	1-16
TNP Ent	23⅜	23⅛	23⅛—	⅛
Tandy	57 1-16	56⅞	56⅞—	3-16
TempleIn	57 1-16	55 13-16	56 13-16—1	3-16
Tenneco	44⅝	44⅛	44⅜—	⅛
Texaco	109⅛	108 7-16	109 3-16+	11-16
TexasInds	26⅝	26⅛	26⅞+	⅛
TexasInst	85⅞	84⅛	84⅜—	1-
TexUtil	34⅛	33⅜	33 13-16—	⅛
Textron s	66 5-16	65⅛	65⅛—	9-16
Travelers s	63¼	62⅝	63⅛—	⅛
TrinityInds	31⅛	31⅛	31⅛+	7-16
TritonEngy		44⅛	44⅛ 44⅛	
Tyler	2⅛	2 1-16	2 1-16—	1-16
US WestCm		36⅛	36⅛ 36⅛	
USWstMda	20⅛	20⅛	20⅛+	3-16
USX Delhi	13	12⅞	13 +	⅛
USX-Marathn	29⅛	28 13-16	29⅛+	3-16
USX-USS	35 1-16	34 9-16	34 11-16—	3-1
UnCarbde	47⅛	47	47⅛—	⅛
UnPac s	69⅛	68 3-16	68 7-16—	11-16
UnitedTech s	84	83⅛	83 11-16—	11-16
Unocal	39	38⅛	38 7-16—	1-16
WalMart	33⅛	32⅝	32 15-16+	⅛
WstnGasRs	18⅝	18⅜	18⅜+	⅛
WestghEl	23 13-16	23 9-16	23 9-16—	⅛
WinnDixie	38⅛	38 7-16	38 11-16—	⅛
Woolworth	24⅛	24 9-16	24⅛+	⅛
Xerox Corp	79	77⅞	78⅛—	⅛
ZenithE		12	11⅞ 11	15-16

What's Up?

Hobbs Baptist Church revival

Hobbs Baptist Church revival continues through Wednesday. Rev. Henry Roe is the evangelist. Services are at 7 o'clock nightly.

Seniors and parents

A meeting has been scheduled at 7 this evening in the high school Student Center for 1998 SHS seniors and their parents to plan fund-raisers and other activities.

Bible study series

Bible study video tapes are airing on TCA Cable Channel 2. They are followed by a series of tapes titled "Archaeology and the Bible." The next tape, "Known by His Justice," will air at 7 tonight Monday, followed by "The Divided Kingdom."

Playday set Tuesday

Youth of all ages are invited to participate in a playday, to be held Tuesday at 7 p.m. at the Scurry County Rodeo Association Arena. Events are $2 each to enter, and include goat tying, barrels, flags, western pleasure, western horsemanship, stakes, reining, ride-a-buck, breakaway roping, poles, boot race and egg and spoon race. Ribbons will be awarded. For information call 573-5423.

Second summer school session

Snyder ISD's second summer school session for high school students will begin Wednesday and run from 7:15 a.m. to 12:45 p.m. and will end July 24. The exit-level TAAS tests will be given July 15-17 at the junior high.

SISD sets reception

Snyder ISD will host a reception honoring Patsy Taylor and Ann McCabe from 3-4:30 p.m. Wednesday in the Garden Room at First Baptist Church. Mrs. Taylor, personnel secretary, is retiring after 20 years. Mrs. McCabe, assistant superintendent, is leaving to take a position with the Region 18 Education Service Center in Midland.

Book signing scheduled

A book signing for Jean Everett and her new book of poems, *Ramblings*, will be held from 2-5 p.m. Friday in the Dermott School. A portion of the proceeds from book sales will go to Historic Scurry County, Inc., which is sponsoring the event.

Canyon Community reunion

Anyone who has lived or is now living in the Canyon Community and would be interested in having a community reunion is invited to a meet at Snyder National Bank at 7 p.m. July 15. Officers will be elected. For more information, call Dayton McCarter, acting president, at 573-3093.

Class of '87 reunion

Registration forms are being sent out for the SHS 1987 Class Reunion to be held Aug. 2. Anyone not receiving a registration form by mail should call Robyn Fambro Wilson at 915 368-4583. RSVPs due July 1.

Snyder Bowhunters raffle

Snyder Bowhunters are holding a raffle for a new 4-wheel drive Honda four-wheeler to be given away Aug. 3. Tickets are $10 each. To purchase tickets, contact Steve Hand at (915) 556-3313 or 573-0257; Dale Putnam at (915) 634-9589 or 572-2420; or Woody Wooddell at 573-8566.

Publication holiday

The Snyder Daily News will not publish an edition on Friday, July 4. Regular publication will resume with the weekend edition.

G-20 to help museum

G-20 Club members are painting street numbers on curbs. Donations will be given to the Scurry County Museum. If you are not contacted and wish to have the painting done, call 573-6107 from 8-5 p.m. Monday through Thursday.

Texas Lottery

AUSTIN (AP) — The winning Lotto Texas numbers drawn Saturday by the Texas Lottery:

3-11-16-28-40-44

Estimated Lotto Texas jackpot: $31 million

Pick 3

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

7-9-1

Several people jailed through the weekend

Traffic-related offenses resulted in three people being arrested in Snyder over the weekend.

Officers arrested a 21-year-old male at 5:04 p.m. Saturday in the 500 block of 20th Street for no Texas driver's license and no liability insurance.

At 6:15 p.m Saturday, a 31-year-old woman was arrested at the sheriff's office on warrants from White Settlement for exhibiting an expired license plate and no driver's license and a misdemeanor motion to revoke probation warrant.

A 22-year-old female was arrested at 9:36 a.m. Sunday on an city warrant for failure to wear a seat belt.

In other activity over the weekend, an officer was requested at the Purple Sage Motel at 9:06 a.m. Saturday in reference to someone causing damage to the laundry room. An offense report for Class B criminal mischief was submitted.

An offense report for criminal mischief was submitted at 12:48 p.m. Saturday in reference to locks being broken on pens at the Snyder High School ag farm.

Sheryl Gilbert requested to speak to an officer at 12:49 p.m. Saturday in reference to a theft from a residence at 5210 Etgen. An offense report for Class A theft was submitted.

An offense report for assault/family violence was submitted at 9:53 p.m. Saturday.

At 8:24 p.m. Sunday, officers submitted an offense report for family violence.

Thirteen reports of people illegally popping fire works in the city limits were also made over the weekend.

Space launch doubtful

CAPE CANAVERAL, Fla. (AP) — With thunderstorms predicted, forecasters are giving NASA only a 10 percent chance of launching space shuttle Columbia on Tuesday afternoon for a science mission.