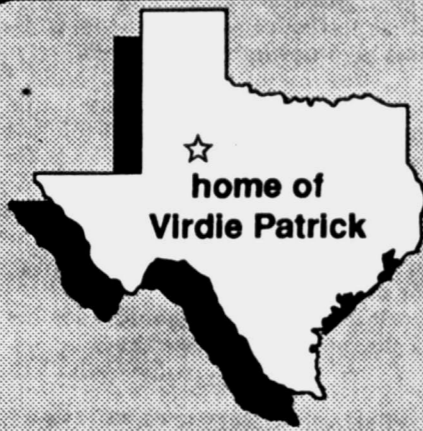


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Ask Us

Q—Since a bus is provided for after-school athletics, can we assume one will also be provided for the new morning athletic periods for seventh and ninth grade students?

A—No special bus arrangements have been made for morning athletics. The morning athletic period won't effect ninth graders because it will be first period. The seventh grade athletic period will begin at 7:30 a.m., and bus students will be permitted to be late without penalty.

In Brief

Change nixed

AUSTIN (AP) — The House Public Education committee has voted to delete a controversial proposed change in the no-pass, no-play rule from an education bill already passed by the Senate.

Committee members took the action late Thursday night on a 6-2 vote on an amendment that would remove it from the bill.

Local

Prom

Snyder High School's annual junior/senior prom will be at Scurry County Coliseum Saturday. The public is invited to view decorations for this year's theme of "Board Games" from 8 p.m. to 10 p.m.

Scout fly-up

Girl Scout fly-up ceremonies will be held 2 p.m. Sunday at the Scout Hut, 2300 35th St.

Following ceremonies, a 10-year time capsule will be dug up and another will be buried. All scouts, leaders and guests are welcome.

SHS banquet

Snyder High School All-Sports Banquet will be held at 6 p.m. Saturday, May 25, in the county coliseum.

Tickets, at \$10 for adults and \$8 for students, must be purchased by Tuesday, May 21. They are available at West Texas State Bank, Snyder National Bank, American State Bank and Allstate Insurance.

Weather

Snyder Temperatures: High Thursday, 90 degrees; low, 61 degrees; reading at 7 a.m. Friday, 66 degrees; no precipitation; total precipitation for 1991 to date, 3.87 inches.

Snyder Area Forecast: Tonight, fair. Low in the mid 60s. Southeast wind 5-15 mph. Saturday, possible early morning low cloudiness or fog, otherwise partly cloudy. High 85 to 90. Southeast wind 10-20 mph.

Almanac: Sunset today, 8:34 p.m. Sunrise Saturday, 6:46 a.m. Of 136 days in 1991, the sun has shone 131 days in Snyder.

15 floats registered...

Color guard to lead parade Saturday

A color guard from Reese Air Force Base will be at the forefront of Saturday's Armed Forces Day parade, an event held to honor Scurry County servicemen and women.

The 2 p.m. parade will begin at College Ave. between the Lawrence IGA and Junction shopping center parking lots and precede north to the square. Ceremonies, including a reading

of the names of Scurry County servicemen who participated in Operation Desert Storm, will be held at the courthouse gazebo.

Reese Air Force Base is to conduct a fly-over about 3:30 p.m., parade organizers note.

Over 70 banners will be carried by local Girl Scouts and Boy Scouts or by family members, recognizing county residents in

the armed forces.

Fifteen organizations have registered floats in the parade, which will also feature marching bands from Snyder High School and Snyder Junior High, and a choir and band from Ira School.

Veterans from all wars have been asked to march in the parade. The National Guard Armory will also supply a color

guard.

Military equipment will be displayed, including a troop carrier, jeeps, a small emplacement excavator, a HEMMT, a full tracked armored personnel carrier and others.

City and county officials will be in the lineup, along with numerous organizations, including the VFW and American

Legion and auxiliaries, Kiwanis, Jaycees, 4-H Club, FFA, NAACP, Bethel Baptist Church, Mothers Against Drunk Driving, Deep Creek ABWA, Snyder Wheels Car Club, West Elementary, Snyder Bow Hunters, Scurry County Sheriff's Posse, TOPS 56 Club and employees from West Texas State Bank, Cogdell Memorial Hospital, Lawrence IGA, Kmart and Wal-Mart.



CAN'T WAIT — Michelle Brasher and her son, two-year-old Scooter, can't wait for her husband to return from the gulf region. The U.S. Navy trooper was deployed in December but is expected to return to the U.S. soon. (SDN Staff Photo)

Serviceman's wife, son wait for husband to return home

By Shirley A. Gorman
SDN News Editor

Michelle Brasher leans toward shyness and keeping her feelings inside, but when the Persian Gulf War began she could no longer confine her fears and frustrations.

Fortunately, others were there for her.

When Mrs. Brasher's husband, Michael, was deployed with the Navy as the U.N. deadline for a full Iraqi withdrawal from Kuwait drew closer, she managed to cope. But when the war started, she, like many Americans, became concerned and depressed over television's continual coverage of the war and anti-war protesters.

Her husband was deployed three days after Christmas, and she and Scooter, their two-year-old son, arrived in Snyder one month later. They have been liv-

ing with her parents, Clyde and Bertha Reynolds, since.

She found much-needed support from many avenues, including Operation Storm, a local support group formed in January for troops in Operation Desert Shield/Desert Storm, their families and others.

As a serviceman's wife, Mrs. Brasher came to value the group for its weekly companionship and camaraderie and the friendly ear of people who were there when she needed to talk.

Guest speakers were helpful, she said, including one who advised people to "Turn your set off for a while when the war news gets to be too much for you."

The separation was especially hard for Mrs. Brasher, because it was her husband's first appointment. While she knew that the possibility of war existed, she never thought it would happen

as soon as it did.

In the beginning, she wrote her husband daily letters, but delivery was slow (at one point he had only received seven of 37 letters mailed by her) and she decided to curtail her pace.

But the kink in the delivery of mail was not her only concern. Scooter was also affected by the separation from his dad. In the beginning, he cried and repeated, "Daddy on ship in water." He also had nightmares.

To combat this, Mrs. Brasher comforted her son, explaining the situation as best she could, showed him pictures of his father and kept him away from the constant barrage of war news which dominated the media for the duration of the war.

She also received a book through Operation Storm called "The Fuzzy Wuzzy Book," which (see WIFE, page 14)

City council, officials to ponder future plans

Snyder City Council and city officials will get together for an informal but important meeting Saturday at City Hall.

The "retreat" is an annual meeting to begin budget preparations and plan future priorities. Those attending will break at 2 p.m. for the Armed Forces Day parade.

The meeting will begin at 8 a.m. with the swearing in of Mayor Troy Williamson and council members Mike Thornton, J.D. Smith and Jack Denman.

City Manager John Gayle said topics will include revenue pro-

jections, the five-year capital improvements plan, sewage treatment plant, water line replacement/rehabilitation, solid contact clarifier, and the city's role in economic development.

The group will also consider beautification, cleanup and demolition, intragovernmental contracts, downtown revitalization, street improvements, future annexations and future goals of the city.

City department heads and first-line supervisors will also attend the retreat.

The SDN Column

By Roy McQueen

The feller on Deep Creek says, "Storage space is like money. You use up all you have."

Keeping tabs on our neighbors:

Joe Thompson, in the Hood County News, says today's proms don't even resemble those in the old days.

"TCU ballroom, tuxedos, prom dresses, flowers, dining out — they do it up right, huh."

"Twenty-five years ago, the junior class spent the week decorating the gym, and decorations were mostly handmade."

"Prom night attire was your best suit or sport jacket. If you came stag, well, at least you wore a clean shirt. Yep, a tie was even in order."

"Shined shoes, clean socks, H&A hair oil, some of dad's Old Spice splashed from head to armpits, a \$3.50 corsage for your best girl, and you were off to pick her up for the big night."

"Those were the days when the guys actually

went to their date's house, knocked on the door, introduced themselves to her parents and sat in a cold stare while waiting and waiting."

"By the time your date was ready, the sweat was standing like pebbles on your upper lip and you were afraid to raise your arm pits the rest of the evening."

"One prom memory was my first taste of prime rib... a fancy name for a raw roast."

Times have changed.

Mike Nichols, in the Fort Worth Star-Telegram, asked if kids are growing up too fast.

"You may well find the answer to that question written with eyeliner on your 8-year-old's face."

"It seems that in their headlong rush toward adulthood, today's kids run every red light between the womb and the world... They don't slow down until they reach age 18 or varicose veins, whichever comes first."

SDN honors Scurry County servicemen and women

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Victor Dunkins
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Gabriel Hinojos
Jayme Jones
Kenneth Keller
Mark E. Lee
Brett Martin
Kenny Martin
Mike Martini
Jackie Massey
Jami McCravey
Mike McCravey

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Kelly McGaha
Brad McSpadden
Loy McSpadden
John Menges
Kelly Milton
Lee Minyard
Billy Montgomery
Troy Mosley
Colton Norwood
Ruben S. Olivo
Darren Pace
Vernon L. Presswood
David Raschke
Christopher J. Reyna

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Cheri Rumpff
Manuel Salazar
Sam Shifflett
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Randy Townsend
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Antonio Zapata

Border agent hurt

EL PASO, Texas (AP) — A U.S. Border patrol agent stabbed while attempting to help a motorist was rushed into surgery early today, hours after he fatally wounded his alleged attacker near an international bridge, officials said.

released by FBI officials investigating the matter or officials at R.A. Thomason Hospital, was on his way to surgery at about 1:30 a.m. after his condition slipped from stable, to guarded.

A nursing supervisor said the surgery was to determine whether the agent was suffering from internal bleeding.

The agent was stabbed shortly after 9 p.m. MDT Thursday, near an international bridge, said a Border Patrol field operations supervisor.

FBI spokesman Terry Kincaid said the agent shot the suspect twice in what was termed a "very bizarre incident."

The agent, whose name was not On The Farm Tire Service
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Dear Abby

By Abigail Van Buren
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Passing Motorist Throws Out More Than Baby's Bathwater

DEAR ABBY: Your recent column on litterbugs brought back a vivid memory that illustrates how expensive being a litterbug can be.

We live in a very nice neighborhood in Portland, Ore. We have a beautiful yard with many hedges and bushes. One day, a passing motorist tossed a disposable diaper from his car. As he flung it out the window, it caught on his gold watchband,

sending the watch flying along with the diaper!

Of course, we picked up both pieces of litter, disposed of one, repaired the other, and my husband wore that beautiful gold watch for 12 years before he replaced it. That happened 20 years ago, and to this day I still don't mind picking up litter. You never know what you'll find!

MARION IN OREGON

Both of us are relatively young (22) and struggling for our financial independence. We had a great time during her stay here.

However, she did something that really bothered me, and I don't know how to handle it. She kept calling her boyfriend in Los Angeles — at least twice a day — and she also accepted collect calls from him without my knowledge or consent.

After one of his "collect" calls, I told her I was on a tight budget and couldn't afford a large phone bill, but she made another call as if I had said nothing to her.

Now I am reluctant to have her over any more due to the fact that she has no consideration for my feelings or my pocketbook.

When and how should I let her know how I feel about this?

UNCERTAIN

DEAR UNCERTAIN: Send your "very dear friend" a copy of your telephone bill with her calls plainly encircled with a note: "I know you would want to pay for your calls."

And in the future, do not welcome anyone into your home who has no consideration for your feelings or your pocketbook.

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DEAR MARION: My, how time flies! (Sorry, I couldn't resist it.) And speaking of disposing of litter by tossing it out the car window, read on:

DEAR ABBY: My husband and I were driving down a country road when a car passed us and a person on the passenger side tossed a lighted cigarette out the window. The cigarette landed on the back of a pickup truck carrying a load of hay! A small fire started. The driver, who was directly in front of us, was unaware of the fire, so we sounded our horn and kept at it until we caught up with him and motioned for him to stop, which fortunately he was able to do.

I shudder to think what could have happened had his gas tank exploded.

CLOSE CALL IN WISCONSIN

DEAR ABBY: A very dear friend from Los Angeles came to visit me in San Diego over her spring break. (She lives in L.A. with her parents.)

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Bridge

By Phillip Alder

<p>NORTH 5-17-91</p> <p>♦ 9 8 7 3 ♥ K J ♦ 4 3 ♠ A Q 10 9 8</p>	<p>EAST</p> <p>♥ K 2 ♦ 9 8 5 ♠ A J 10 9 ♣ 7 6 5 2</p>	<p>SOUTH</p> <p>♦ Q 6 5 ♥ A Q 10 ♠ K Q 8 2 ♣ K J 4</p>
<p>Vulnerable: Both Dealer: South</p>		
<p>South 1 NT 2 ♦</p>	<p>West Pass Pass</p>	<p>North 2 ♦ 3 NT</p>
<p>East Pass All pass</p>		
<p>Opening lead: ♥ 7</p>		

The warning bell

By Phillip Alder

When the dummy comes down, stop and consider how you will try to defeat the contract. Even if declarer calls for a card immediately, you may pause to assess the position. Try to count both sides' points and tricks. Don't worry about delaying the game. It is better to play slowly and accurately than quickly and badly. In particular, partner will be happy when you find the right defense.

Cover the South and West cards with thumbs or quarters. Against three no-trump, your partner, West, leads the seven of hearts. Declarer puts up dummy's king and drops the 10 from his hand. Next comes a low diamond from the dummy. How do you envisage defeating the contract?

This hand is much easier to solve when presented on a piece of paper. At the table, there are no warning bells telling you the critical moment has arrived.

From partner's top-of-nothing heart lead, you know declarer has three heart tricks. If South is missing a club honor, the finesse is going to work. So he has five club tricks. If you let him sneak a diamond trick past your ace, that will be his ninth.

Your only chance is to take four fast spade tricks. True, the odds are not good, but any chance is better than none. You must put up the ace of diamonds, and switch to the king and another spade, ignoring partner's low spade under your king, because he cannot afford to signal with a card higher than the four. With the given distribution, West will cash three more spade tricks to defeat the contract. Then your ears will be ringing with partner's congratulations.

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Author wants his story told

BATH, England (AP) — An American author charged with trying to blackmail actress Jane Seymour has been freed on the equivalent of \$40,000 bail.

George Mendoza, 57, of Greensburg Village, Pa., was charged with demanding \$100,000 from the actress.

Police said Mendoza contacted Seymour's sister, Annie Gould, at the actress' home here and threatened to publish certain photographs, tape recordings and other material if he wasn't paid.

Mendoza raised a fist as Bath magistrates granted him bail Thursday, saying, "I'm innocent."

He vowed to "tell my side of the story" during the trial. "It will be a real shocker," he said.

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 ABCL Open Pairs Duplicate Bridge; Snyder Country Club; 1:30 p.m.
 Cornelius-Dodson House; open by appointment by calling 573-9742 or 573-2763.
 Friday Night Swingers Golf; odd holes; 5:30 p.m.
 AI-Anon; Par Club at Winston Park; 8 p.m. For information, call 573-2101, 573-3657 or 573-3956.
 Alcoholics Anonymous (closed); Park Club in Winston Park; 8 p.m. For information, call 573-8626, 863-2348 or 573-9410. (Last Friday of the month is open birthday meeting).

SATURDAY

Alateen Step Study Group; Park Club at Winston Park; 2 p.m. For information, call 573-8929 or 573-5164.
 People Without Partners; Inadale Community Center; games of 42 and dominos; 6:30 p.m.

SUNDAY

Scurry County Alcoholics Anonymous; Park Club in Winston Park; 10 a.m. For information, call 573-8626 or 573-9410.
 Scurry County Museum; Western Texas College; open from 1-4 p.m.
 ACBL Open Pairs Duplicate Bridge; Snyder Country Club; 1:30 p.m.

Police probe is broadened

PALM BEACH, Fla. (AP) — The police chief says several people are being investigated for possible obstruction of justice in the alleged rape at the Kennedy family estate. But he declined to name any names.
 "It's more than one. There are several people we're still looking at," Police Chief Joseph Terlizze said in an interview Thursday. Police hope to conclude their investigation next week, Terlizze said.
 He refused to say if any Kennedy family members who gave statements to police during the rape investigation, including Sen. Ted Kennedy, were suspects in the investigation.
 The senator's nephew, William Kennedy Smith, was charged May 9 with second-degree sexual battery, Florida's equivalent of rape, and misdemeanor battery.
 A 29-year-old woman told police Smith tackled and raped her at the family's seaside estate

after the two walked on the beach in the early morning hours of March 30.
 Smith, a 30-year-old medical student at Georgetown University, has denied any wrongdoing. He is free on \$10,000 bail.
 Kennedy, who was eventually interviewed by police, did not immediately return phone calls from officers and left Palm Beach two days after the alleged rape without talking to the police.
 He has said he "was never never told that weekend" that there would be a rape charge.

Ceremonies planned for Girl Scouts

Girl Scout Service Unit No. 46 of Snyder will be having their annual Fly-up Ceremony Sunday, May 19, at 2 p.m. at the Girl Scout Hut, 2501 35th St.
 All scouts are asked to be in attendance to greet the new girls who will join their troop.
 Daisy Troop 313 will be flying up to Brownies. Third grade Brownies will be flying up to Juniors. Sixth grade Juniors will be flying up to Cadettes.
 Following the ceremony, a time capsule will be opened that was buried 10 years ago by Girl Scouts and another one will be buried with items that reflect this time period. Items taken from the capsule will be displayed inside the scout building. The capsule will be reburied near the flagpole.
 The organization is asking members of Troop 1 or Lone Troop of 1929-30 to contact Jo Ann Cearley at 573-3926. Snyder Girl Scouts and their leaders are invited to attend.

Astro-graphs By Bernice Bede Osol



May 18, 1991

You could be luckier materially in the year ahead than you have been in the past several years. However, how wisely you use your luck could vary from time to time.
TAURUS (April 20-May 20) Lead by example today, especially in critical domestic matters. Family members won't do as you say, but they will do as you do. The ball is in your court. Know where to look for romance and you'll find it. The Astro-Graph Matchmaker instantly reveals which signs are romantically perfect for you. Mail \$2 plus a long, self-addressed, stamped envelope to Matchmaker, c/o this newspaper, P.O. Box 91428, Cleveland, OH 44101-3428.
GEMINI (May 21-June 20) Unfortunately, this is one of those days when others might not take what you say at face value. If you're espousing something of importance, better have your facts ready.
CANCER (June 21-July 22) Strive to be as prudent as possible in your financial affairs today. If you're shopping, look for bargains and, unless it is absolutely necessary, don't take on new obligations.
LEO (July 23-Aug. 22) Don't seek advice from a negative friend today regarding an endeavor about which you feel enthusiastic. This individual could put a damper on your hopes.
VIRGO (Aug. 23-Sept. 22) Under most conditions, you are inclined to be of help to others. But, individuals you'll assist today must first pass some pretty tough standards in order to qualify.
LIBRA (Sept. 23-Oct. 23) If things don't go fast enough for you today, you might be tempted to take some risks in order to accelerate the pace. Instead of moving you forward, however, they may do otherwise.
SCORPIO (Oct. 24-Nov. 22) The joy of achievement will provide you with the greatest gratification today. Yet, it is questionable whether you'll have cause to celebrate; you may not put out your

Publisher named

BIG SPRING, Texas (AP) — 1975. Patrick J. Morgan has been named publisher of the Big Spring Herald.
 Morgan, 44, has been active in publishing since his began work in 1962 at his father's newspaper, The Town & Country Leader, in Excelsior Springs, Mo. He became a full partner, president and publisher of the Leader in



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Reasoner to quit

NEW YORK (AP) — Harry Reasoner, the witty, erudite broadcast journalist who was one of the original correspondents for CBS' popular "60 Minutes," says goodbye to the show's viewers in a broadcast to be aired Sunday.
 Reasoner, 68, and fellow CBS newsman Mike Wallace, 72, were the top-rated news magazine's first correspondents when the show began in 1968.
 Reasoner's farewell show, taped Thursday, includes remarks by Wallace and other "60 Minutes" colleagues Morely Safer, Ed Bradley, Steve Kroft and Andy Rooney.

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Abrahams helped organize Operation Storm

By Shirley A. Gorman
SDN News Editor
Kay Abrahams doesn't just get mad. She does something about it.

Let's turn back the clock to January when the Persian Gulf War was just beginning. Like

most people in America, including Snyder and Scurry County, she watched the war news on television.

When more and more coverage began to be given to groups who protested the war, she got mad. She had a nephew in the service

and knew friends with loved ones also in the service. She said she was upset because she did not want troops in the gulf to have to watch that kind of news. It bothered her that they might be treated like the Vietnam War veterans had been.

In the beginning, her intention was to contact the members of a support group in the county and urge them to write to television networks to complain about too much attention being given to anti-war groups. She had seen reports that churches throughout

the country were organizing support groups, and assumed Snyder had one too.

She first contacted Snyder Chamber of Commerce and was referred to the Snyder Daily News. She did and once again drew a blank. No one knew of any

such organization.

After another phone call to the chamber, Abrahams called the SDN again and received encouragement to start a support group herself.

She agreed and things began moving quickly. An "Ask Us" question appeared in the SDN listing Abrahams' number in case anyone else was interested in forming a support group. They were.

The first meeting — January 24 — was held at the National Guard Armory because Abrahams had first been told that some 200 people had expressed an interest in forming the support group. Fifty-one persons (the original number Abrahams had prepared for) showed up that first night and in spite of a "rocky start" those who were really interested in the support group and were able to devote time to the fledging project worked to make Operation Storm a viable organization, and eventually elected officers.

"Elected" isn't exactly the right word to use, at least in Abrahams' case. Though she told everyone from the beginning that "this was not going to be her group" nor was she interested in getting any glory for herself, everyone agreed she should serve as leader. Any doubts on her part were answered by a chorus of support — usually something along the line of "You're doing a good job" or "You know what you are doing."

So Abrahams did her best to get Operation Storm off the ground. She realized that the group needed to keep close ties with the family of each service person and that Operation Storm should not be "too structured."

This did not prove to be easy at first as the wide range of people in the group all had different ideas about what to do and how to do it. Those first meetings drew people of both sexes and all ages. But Operation Storm survived the initial confusion to become a viable support group which is still together, though the actual war has been over for months.

Other officers were added, including Zulema Gonzales as vice president and Tonia Hall as secretary. Later, a treasurer — John Arnold — was elected.

Hall, the wife of a serviceman, has since moved to a military base in Georgia and Arnold recently resigned his position. Back problems have also kept Gonzales from being as active as she would have liked.

Perhaps one of the major reasons Operation Storm has not disbanded is because Americans are still serving in the gulf, trying to help the Kurdish refugees by providing a safe environment, tents, shelters, food, clothing and medicine.

Abrahams said the group had not planned to become a fund raising organization and saw no need to elect a treasurer. However, it soon became apparent that they needed money to purchase supplies and other items. In the beginning, Abrahams bore the initial expenses herself.

They also decided to establish dues of \$1 a month.

Operation Storm was opened to everyone who wanted to show support or who needed support because loved ones were either deployed to Saudi Arabia or might be deployed.

Abrahams said reservists and their families were included because many reservists were either deployed to the gulf or were on the waiting list to go. In fact, she told of one young man who packed to go the gulf four different times but was never deployed. This was very hard emotionally on his parents.

"This was such an emotional time for the family that we felt they deserved as much support as those whose loved ones were in the gulf," she said.

During the next few weeks, Operation Storm volunteers dwindled to about 15 people who attended meetings on a regular

(see, ABRAHAMS, Page 7)

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IT BEGAN WITH AN IDEA — Kay Abrahams, who was instrumental in getting Operation Storm organized in Snyder, is pictured with the name banner she made for her nephew, Derrick Gray of

Midland. Name banners for all county service people will be displayed during the parade. (SDN Staff Photo)

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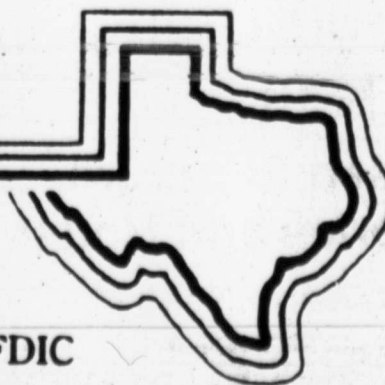
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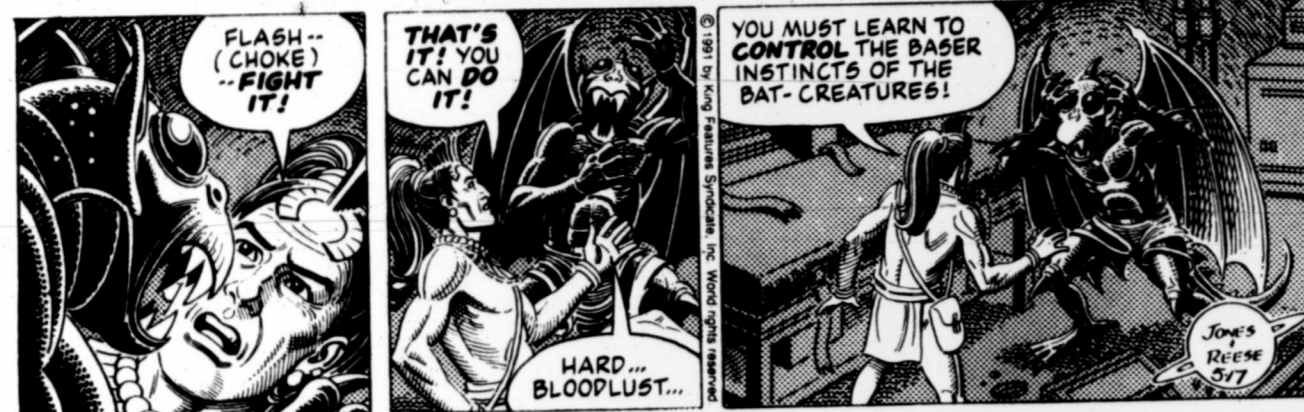
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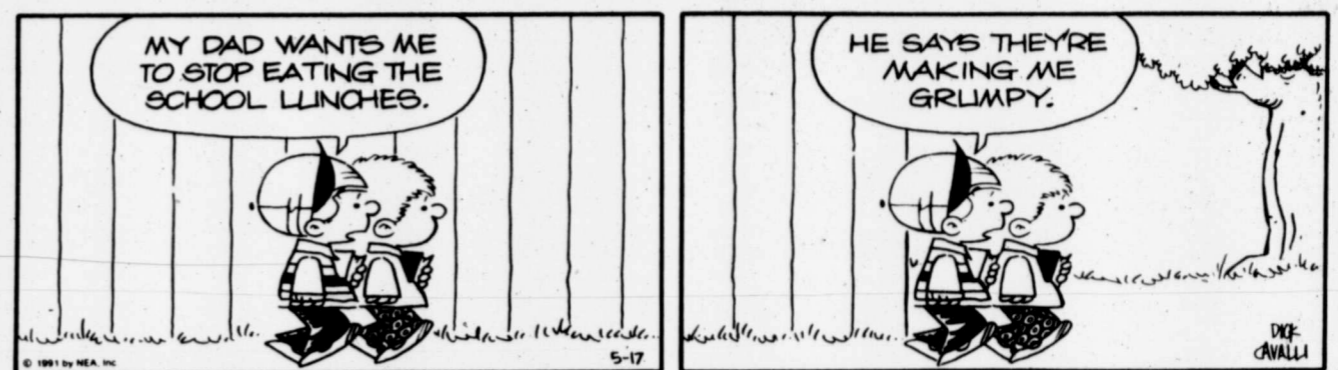
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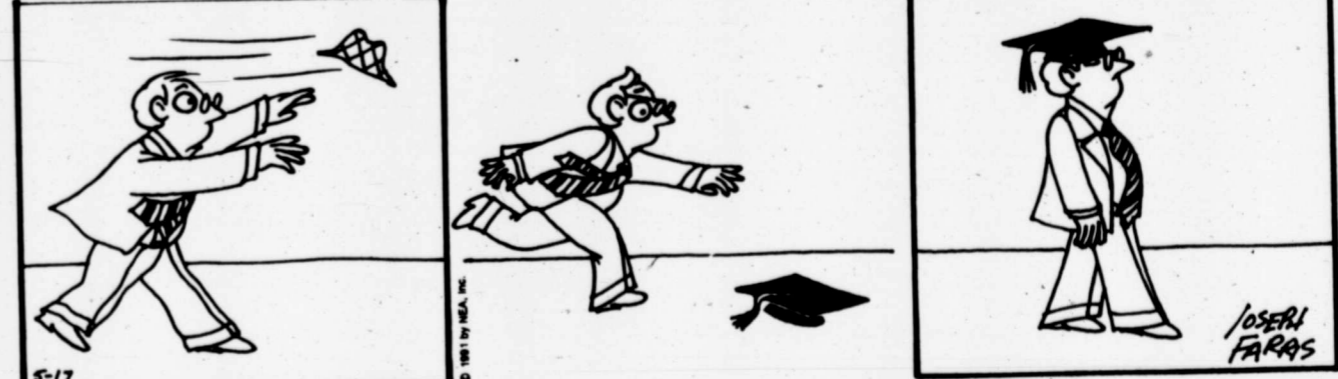
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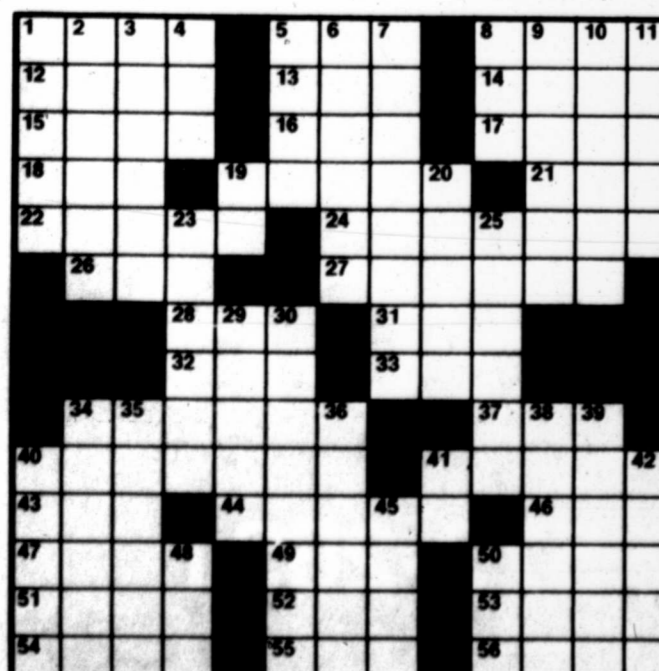
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Freebies, discounts showered on gulf vets

By The Associated Press
Now comes the balm after the storm for Persian Gulf War veterans.

They're being showered with freebies and discounts such as tickets to baseball games, free admission to amusement parks, deals on new cars, cut rates on airline flights, complimentary hotel rooms, free lunches and free cab rides.

"There's things happening all over," said Capt. Scott Meske, a spokesman for the Wisconsin Department of Military Affairs. "It is more than a loyal trooper would expect."

The idea is to salute the 541,000 men and women who endured the heat, sand and desolation of desert duty to liberate Kuwait from Iraq, although no one is denying the promotional value of giveaways in a recessed economy.

Saturday is Armed Forces Day, and the start of "A Yellow Ribbon Summer" at theme parks owned by Anheuser-Busch Companies, Inc.

Active-duty military and their families may visit the parks for free through Labor Day. The company owns four Sea World

parks, Busch Gardens in Virginia and Florida, and Cypress Gardens in Florida.

Anheuser-Busch also has set up a \$1.2 million college scholarship fund for the children and spouses of Americans killed in the war.

A scholarship for veterans and their families was established at the University of Oklahoma with a \$100,000 grant from the Mobil Corp.

The auto industry, enduring one of its worst slumps in recent times, is offering special Desert Storm discounts.

General Motors is taking up to \$800 off the price of any new GM vehicle bought by veterans and their spouses. Veterans and their spouses can buy new Ford, Mercury or Lincoln models for 4 percent above dealer cost.

Tom Barton, a car dealer in Virginia Beach, Va., is giving away a Ford Escort to a veteran in a July 2 drawing. "Everybody likes a winner but I think it's our opportunity to just be thankful that we're Americans," Barton said.

At Sears, veterans can get a free oil change, a safety inspection for the family car, a

family portrait plus five wallet-size pictures and a 10 percent discount on purchases.

The 26 baseball teams in the American and National leagues are giving unused tickets to veterans.

"They went out and put their lives on the line. The least we can do is give them some enjoyment in life," said Steve Greenberg, vice president of marketing for the Pittsburgh Pirates.

Offers to men and women in uniform include one to step out of uniform. Pine Tree Associates Inc., a sunbathing camp for nudists in Crownsville, Md., has invited active troops, reservists and their families to spend Memorial Day weekend there for free.

New York City has Operation Desert Oasis: free weekend hotel stays plus a meal for Big Apple residents who served in the gulf. The rooms will be awarded at a drawing on Flag Day, June 14.

In San Diego, Calif., veterans are entitled to hotel discounts, free restaurant meals, plus free admission to the San Diego Zoo and Wild Animal Park.

In Fayetteville, N.C., home of the Army's 82nd Airborne Divi-

sion and Pope Air Force Base, the Chamber of Commerce has organized Operation Celebration, a Red, White and Blue sale from June 30 to July 4. Those with military ID cards get special discounts.

Actress sues

MORRISTOWN, N.J. (AP) — French actress Vera Feyder is suing the producers and distributors of the film "sex, lies and videotape," saying she was humiliated by the use of her photograph in the movie.

Feyder, who filed the lawsuit Wednesday, is seeking unspecified damages for alleged invasion of privacy. The actress, in her 50s, lives in Paris, but her attorney, Albert Besser, lives in New Jersey.

The living room is where the movie's protagonist, played by James Spader, videotapes interviews with co-star Andie MacDowell and other women about their sexual thoughts and fantasies.



WELCOME HOME — During a past Operation Storm meeting, Kay Abrahams, left, and Rachael James, center, presented a flag and yellow rose to LCPL Antonio Zapata, who had served in the gulf war. (Operation Storm Photo)

Abrahams just wanted to help

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basis. Abrahams said it was difficult for people who worked and also had other commitments to fit Operation Storm into their schedule.

Reservists and their families also stopped going, in part, Abrahams said, because they did not feel that they belonged because they had not been deployed.

Abrahams said they learned only after they organized that the government was not only encouraging all communities who did not have a base or were not near a base to form a support group. The government also said it would provide funds.

A Mr. Diaz in Austin, the Support Group liaison coordinator, was most helpful in later weeks, Abrahams said, but as yet Operation Storm has yet to receive any funds from the government.

Through Diaz, they learned that some 39 support groups exist in Texas. In fact, Diaz has encouraged Operation Storm not to disband. Abrahams isn't sure what will happen after the parade. Since the situation in the gulf is not entirely settled yet, and American forces may be there for some time, she said the group may decide to keep going. Abrahams, who still feels as

strongly as she ever did in providing support for the family of American service people, says she is still willing to continue with the organization if that is what the group wants.

Projects Operation Storm have undertaken includes Saturday's parade, the main focus of the group within recent weeks. Welcome home and name banners for all service people have been made by group members and families of military personnel.

Decorations are being placed around the city and everyone is invited to participate in Saturday's events.

Recent workdays have concentrated on preparing for the parade. Other projects have ranged from providing refreshments for each meeting — on Thursdays at the armory — to trying to gather pictures of all service people, and pairing up each family with its service person.

Abrahams said the group has spent many hours contacting people in Snyder as they try to locate the families of each service person.

Volunteers have also been the mainstay of Operation Storm. A few include Rachel James, who has been called Abrahams' "right arm;" refreshments chairman

Bonnie McDorman, whose son, Casey Hall, was in Saudi Arabia; and Bill Forbes, who has been heading up the parade committee.

Abrahams said that many of the returning servicemen have expressed their appreciation to Operation Storm for helping to support their families.


One of Operation Storm's goals was to help family members get information about their loved ones in the gulf. Abrahams said they discovered that the government did make an effort to keep husbands and wives informed, but parents were often left "in the dark."

Abrahams moved to Snyder from Lamesa in 1971. She has a son, Chris McGhee, who is a farmer in Lamesa. Her husband, Gary, works for Fluid Transport. He has a son, Ryan Abrahams, who lives in Georgia.

Abrahams, who had worked most of her life in the restaurant business, has been a homemaker since July of 1983. She and her husband had operated the Smorgasboard Restaurant in Snyder for five years before it closed.

Prior to becoming involved with Operation Storm, Abrahams was a "coupon refunder" who spent hours clipping coupons on a daily basis.

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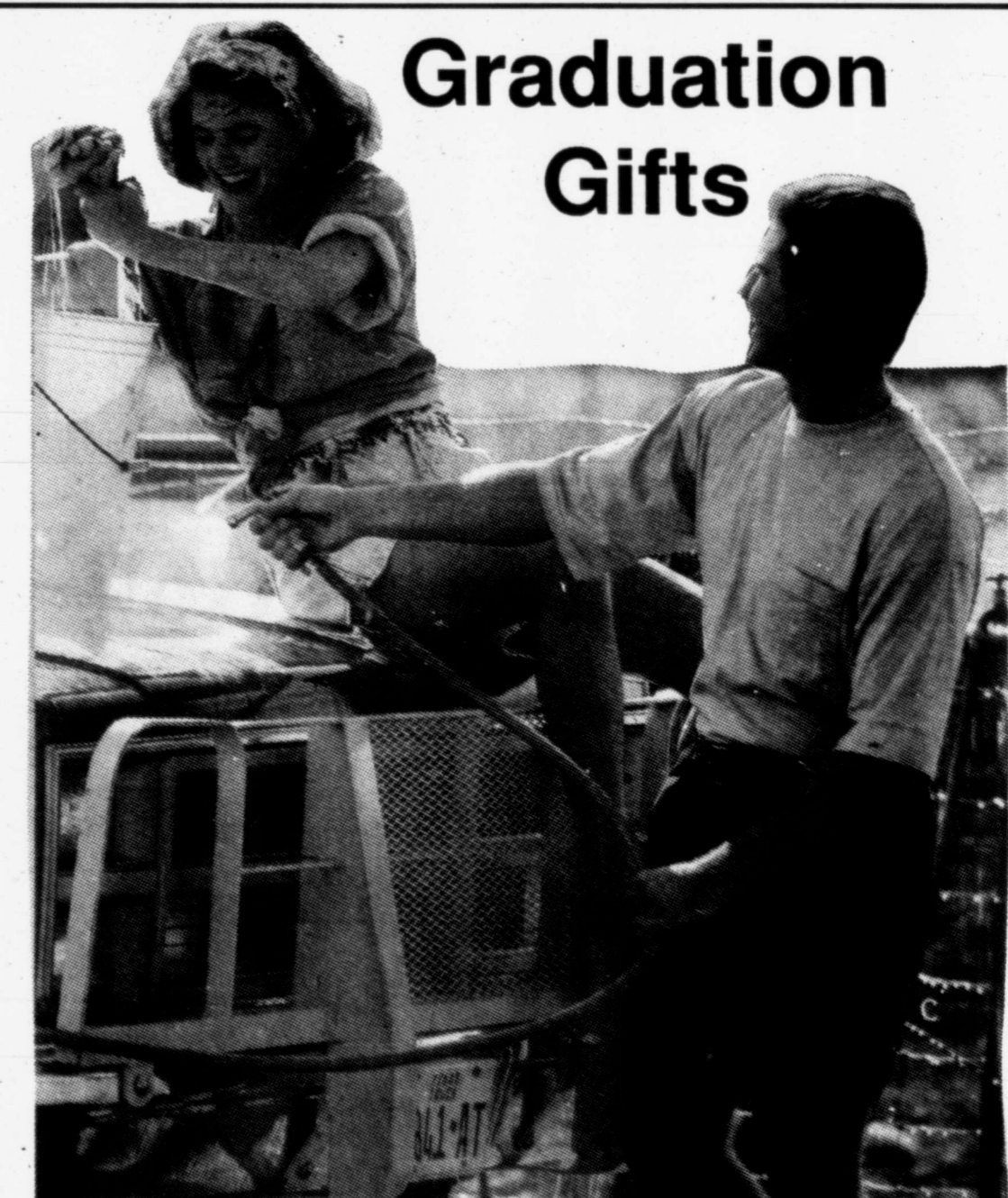
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SWC tournament...

Belk leads Longhorns past TCU Frogs

COLLEGE STATION, Texas (AP) — Tim Belk got what he had been begging for and the Texas Longhorns got the power they needed to advance in 15th annual Southwest Conference baseball tournament.

Belk had two hits, including a grand slam homer, in one inning Thursday to lead the Longhorns to a 13-5 come-from-behind victory over the Texas Christian Horned Frogs.

The Longhorns, 44-16, will play the Texas A&M Aggies, 9-3 winners over Baylor, in the tournament's second round tonight.

Jeff Granger, 8-2, struck out 11 batters, one shy of a tournament record, to give the Aggies the victory over Baylor, a team that had given them problems during the regular season.

TCU was to play Baylor at 1 p.m. today in an elimination game. The Texas-Texas A&M game will be played at 7 p.m.

Belk, a little-used junior transfer outfielder, surpassed his

entire season RBI total of three when his grand slam homer gave Texas a 12-5 lead in the sixth inning.

"I've been seeing the ball real well the past couple of weeks," he said. "I've been begging for a big hit."

"Tim had been trying too hard and pressing," said Texas coach Cliff Gustafson. "We needed a right-handed power threat and he had been settling down at the plate."

The Longhorns, regular season champions, sent 11 batters to the plate in the eight-run sixth after TCU took a 5-4 advantage in the fifth.

Belk, who had not started a game since March 30, ignited the onslaught with an infield single and a stolen base. The eight-run outburst represents the biggest inning for the Longhorns all season.

The losing pitcher was David Betancourt, 4-5, who surrendered 10 hits and five walks in his 5 2-3

innings, which included a lengthy rain delay.

Jay Vaught (4-0) was the winner in relief of starter Brooks Kieschnick, who left the game in the fourth inning after he was hit in the shoulder with a batted ball and gave up four straight hits and three runs. He stayed in the game and finished with three hits.

Freshman Granger scattered six hits and set a new school record for strikeouts in the victory over Baylor.

Granger shattered Clint Thomas' 1976 season record of 109 when he fanned Mike Robison in the third.

The Aggies took a 2-0 lead in the third when Mike Hickey and Conrad Colby had back-to-back run-scoring singles in front of 4,241 fans.

Hickey was 4-for-4 with an RBI to pace the Aggies.

The Bears touched Granger for their first run in the fifth when Jon Finke was hit by a pitch, Michael Briley walked and Mike Bohny doubled them both home. Baylor was awarded only one run on the play however, as Bohny missed third base and was called out on an appeal play.

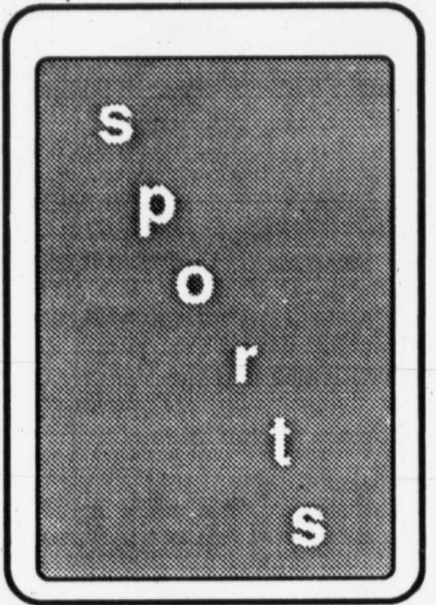
The Bears fell apart in the fifth when A&M crossed the plate

three times with only one hit. The Aggies used an error, a stolen base, a wild pitch and four walks to score.

Baylor set a tournament record with two balks, committed four errors and walked eight batters on the evening.

Brian Carpenter, 6-2, was the loser for the Bears, exiting in the fifth after allowing five hits, striking out five and walking five.

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French to play for WTC Lady Dusters

Stephenville guard Cynthia French has been added to the lengthening list of outstanding signees by Western Texas College women's basketball coach Kelly Chadwick.

French, a 5-8 off-guard, was a member of the Honey Bee squad that advanced to Area in her sophomore season and was a regional finalist in 1990-91.

"One of the things I really like about her," Chadwick said, "is that she knows how to win. She's been on playoff teams and she's been in playoff games. She was also coached by C.E. Carmichael at Stephenville, who in my opinion, is one of the top 10 coaches in the state."

"Cynthia is the best defensive player I saw this entire year in high school," said Chadwick.

"She's the best defensive player I've recruited in 14 years."

"We will want her a little more offensively involved here. She's a good shooter and we'll encourage her to shoot more."

The Stephenville standout averaged 17 points and added five rebounds, four assists and 5 steals an outing as a senior.

French shot 49 percent from the floor her senior campaign and added 71 percent shooting from the free-throw stripe.

She was named All District 6-4A as a junior and a senior, was selected all-region and all-area in '91 in the Abilene and the Ft. Worth area polls and was chosen to play in the Texas Association of Basketball Coaches all-star game.

Chadwick plans to use French at the No. 2 guard spot, but feels like she could be a point guard, as well.

"She has a point-guard mentality," he reported.

"She's a great leader on the floor and she makes good decisions."

French will enter Western Texas with a grade-point average of 90.



CYNTHIA FRENCH

Pistons, Celtics resume semifinal series

AUBURN HILLS, Mich. (AP) — This series between Detroit and Boston is basketball the way it used to be. Enjoy it, because there may never be anything like it again.

When the Pistons play host to the Celtics tonight in Game 6 of the Eastern Conference semifinals, it will be the NBA's only show. And there's a good reason for that.

The other three semifinal matches were settled quickly and quietly by the league's showcase teams: the Chicago Bulls, Los Angeles Lakers and Portland Trail Blazers.

But there is no Michael Jordan, Magic Johnson or Clyde Drexler in this series. No glide-flying guys who soar and glide and play the new game, above the rim.

In this series, you get the

Celtics with what Detroit coach Chuck Daly calls a "Hall of Fame" front line of Larry Bird, Robert Parish and Kevin McHale. Parish is 37 years old, Bird 34 and McHale 33.

And you get the Pistons, trying to become only the third team ever to win three consecutive NBA titles. Only three of their 12 players are under 30.

The Celtics have some young guards in Reggie Lewis, Brian Shaw and Dee Brown. They're all quick, especially the rookie Brown. But how fast can they go with that aging front line?

So mostly these two teams lumber up and down the floor. They play from memory as much as from muscle. But when they get it going, as they did Wednesday night in Game 5 at Boston Garden, it is a sight to behold.

"I can't explain it, but every time you get these two teams together in the playoffs, and it gets down to Game 5, it's always critical and it's always thrilling, and everyone seems to come up big," Detroit's 34-year-old Vinnie Johnson said.

This time, it was Bill Laimbeer's turn. Laimbeer, who turns 34 on Sunday, hit a 20-foot jumper over Bird that broke a 106-106 tie. Joe Dumars hit six free throws down the stretch as the Pistons won 116-111.

Detroit leads the best-of-7 series 3-2 and can clinch its fifth straight trip to the conference finals with a victory tonight. Absolutely nobody thinks it's a done deal.

"This is going to be a war," said Detroit's James Edwards, 35. "We have to take care of business. We don't want to go back to Boston."

If a seventh and deciding game is needed, it will be at 3:30 p.m. Sunday in Boston. Over the years, the Celtics are 17-3 in the seventh game of these playoff showdowns, 14-2 at home. The Pistons are 1-3, 0-3.

"The Celtics are going to play

very hard," Laimbeer said. "This series is far from over. They are a quality team."

A key factor will be healthy bodies. Both teams have several players trying to play over hurts.

Bird is playing with a sore back that caused him to miss Game 1, an 86-75 Pistons victory in Boston. He'll require surgery when the season is over.

"If we play great basketball, we can win," Bird said. "We've won in every arena we've been in, but we have to play better defense."

Parish's ankles gave out before halftime in Game 5. He played only 12 minutes for Boston and is questionable for tonight. If Parish cannot play, Joe Kleine will get extra minutes.

"We're not intimidated by them," Kleine said. "We could have easily swept this series. If we play our game, I think we can go back (to Boston) Sunday."

MIRACLE MILES?

Evolution of a human speed record (since 1975)

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3:49.00	Sebastian Coe (1979)
3:48.80	Steve Ovett (1980)
3:48.53	Sebastian Coe (1981)
3:48.40	Steve Ovett (1981)
3:47.33	Sebastian Coe (1981)
3:46.32*	Steve Cram (1985)

*current mark
Source: The World Almanac, NEA Graphics



STAT SHEET

By John Grabowski

Back in 1954, England's Roger Bannister became the first man to break the 4-minute barrier for the mile run. Since then, the record has been lowered 16 times — half of them since 1975.

NBA playoffs

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CONFERENCE SEMIFINALS (Best-of-7)
Wednesday, May 15
Detroit 116, Boston 111, Detroit leads series 3-2
Friday, May 17
Boston at Detroit, 8 p.m.
Sunday, May 19
Detroit at Boston, TBA, if necessary

CONFERENCE FINALS (Best-of-7)
Saturday, May 18
LA Lakers at Portland, 3:30 p.m.

Banquet set at Ira High

IRA — The 1991 Ira Sports Banquet will be held tonight at the IHS cafeteria.

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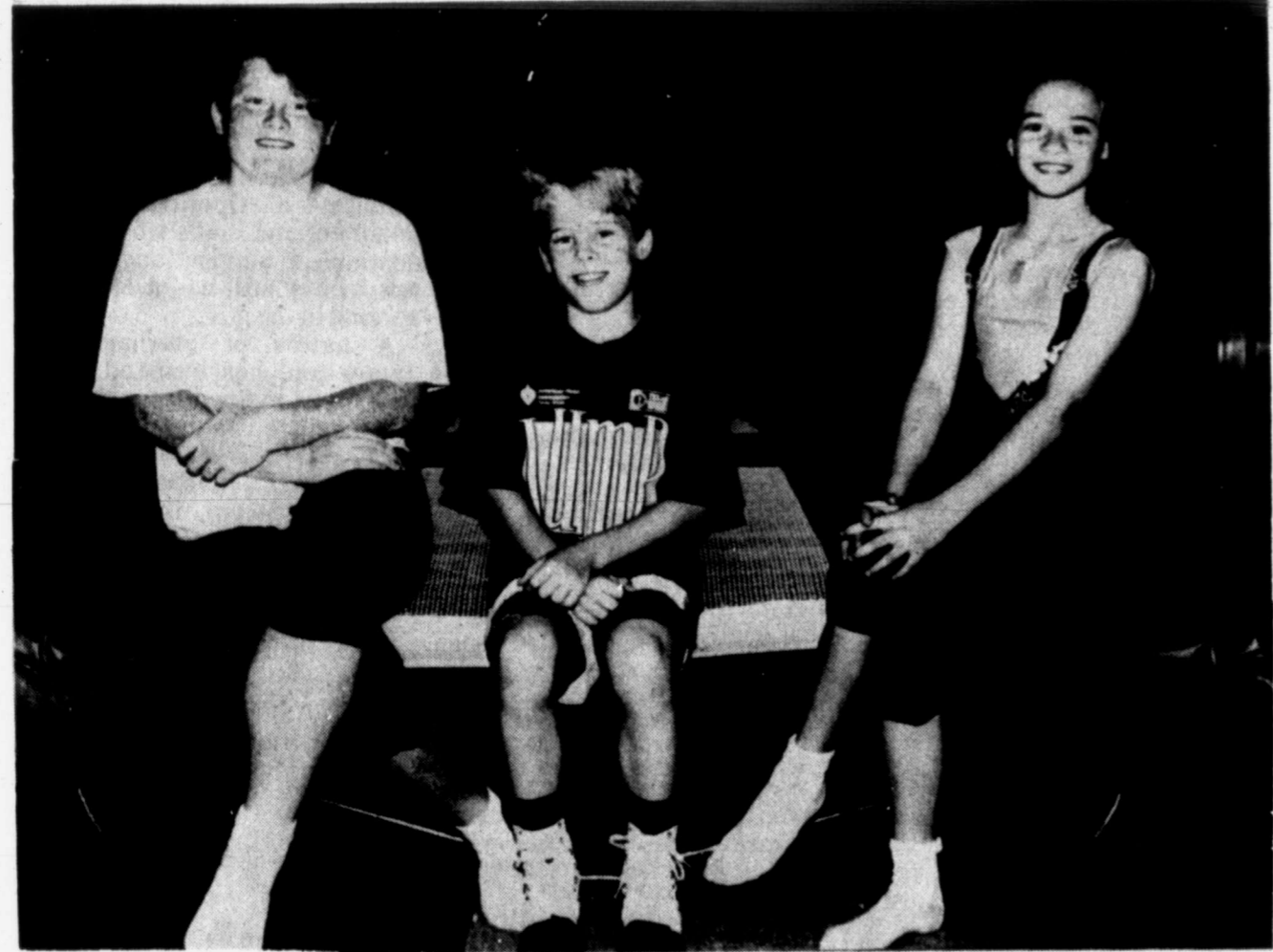
Springers qualify four to national meet

DENTON — Four members of the Snyder Springers tumbling team qualified for the Division II national tournament with their performances here recently. Michelle Roemisch, Mikella Tidwell, Corey Cox and Kristi McClure are all eligible to compete at nationals, to be held on the campus of Jimmy Swaggart Bible College in Baton Rouge, La., July 11-17. McClure qualified by turning in

a first-place effort on both the double mini-trampoline and the trampoline and getting fourth in tumbling. Cox' thirds in tumbling and trampoline and a double-mini first sent him to nationals along with Tidwell, who finished in second in tumbling and fourth in trampoline, and Roemisch, who took sixth and seventh in tumbling and trampoline, respectively. The group sent 17 Division I

tumblers to the state meet, May 11, with Lynn Boyd coming away with first-place honors in both trampoline and tumbling and Vanessa Freeman nabbing second in both events. Jackie Guerra also took second in tumbling and first on the trampoline and Haley Putnam and T'Leah Eicke nabbed trampoline firsts, as well. Freeman, Jessica Guerra, Adam Loy and Boyd were named

Division I district champions in tumbling at the Andrews District Championship recently. Freeman, Boyd, Putnam, and Eicke received the honor in the district trampoline event, as well.



NATIONAL QUALIFIERS — Four members of the Snyder Springers tumbling team competed in a Division II qualifying meet in Denton recently and earned a spot on the roster for the national gathering set for Baton Rouge, La., July 11-17 on the campus of Jimmy Swaggart Bible College. Pictured above are, from left, Kristi McClure, Corey Cox and Mikella Tidwell. Not pictured is Michelle Roemisch. (Howard Bigham Photo)

- Denton Meet**
Division II
Tumbling: Mikella Tidwell, 2nd; Corey Cox, 3rd; Kristi McClure 4th; Michelle Roemisch 6th.
Trampoline: Kristi McClure, 1st; Corey Cox, 3rd; Mikella Tidwell, 4th; Michelle Roemisch, 7th.
Double-mini: Kristi McClure, 1st; Corey Cox, 1st.
- Division I State Meet**
Tumbling: 1st — Jessica Guerra, Lynn Boyd, 2nd — Jackie Guerra, Vanessa Freeman, 3rd — Jackie Guerra, Anna Williams, 5th — Amber Loy, 6th — Aissa Longori, Erica Hill, Laurie Kerley, 8th — Niki Hill, 9th — Adam Loy.
Trampoline: 1st — Lynn Boyd, Haley Putnam, T'Leah Eicke, 2nd — Vanessa Freeman, Stephanie Boyd, 3rd — Erica Hill, 5th — Amber Loy, Laura Green, 6th — Niki Hill, 9th — Adam Loy.
- Division I Meet**
Brownfield, March 9
Tumbling: 1st — Adam Loy, Lynn Boyd, Laurie Kerley, Niki Hill, Erica Hill, Racheal Feist, 2nd — Tara Trammell, 3rd — T'Leah Eicke, Crystal Conway, Vanessa Freeman, Haley Putnam, 4th — Logan Boyd, Jacinda Judah, Andra Dunham, Stephanie Boyd, 5th — Delinda Tidwell, Amber Loy, Katie Kerley, Erin Dunham, 6th — Rebecca Fuqua, Magen Riley, 7th — Tiffany Kubena, 8th — Mandy Wood.
Trampoline: 1st — Stephanie Boyd, Andra Dunham, Amber Loy, Vanessa Freeman, Laurie Kerley, Crystal Conway; T'Leah Eicke, Lynn Boyd, Adam Loy, 2nd — Racheal Feist, Tara Trammell, 3rd — Tiffany Kubena, 4th — Erin Dunham, 5th — Katie Kerley, Delinda Tidwell, 6th — Haley Putnam, Magen Riley, 8th — Mandy Wood, 10th — Rebecca Fuqua.
- District Qualifying Meet**
in Andrews
Division I
Tumbling: 1st — Aissa Longoria, Tiffany Kubena, Anna Williams, Jessica Guerra, Adam Loy, Lynn Boyd, Vanessa Freeman, 2nd — Laurie Kerley, Jackie Guerra, 3rd — Amber Loy, Erica Hill, Crystal Conway, 5th — Stephanie Boyd, Tara Trammell, 6th — T'Leah Eicke, Niki Hill, Haley Putnam, Katie Kerley, 7th — Logan Boyd, 9th — Magen Riley, 10th — Jacinda Judah.
Trampoline: 1st — Niki Hill, Lynn Boyd, T'Leah Eicke, Haley Putnam, 2nd — Stephanie Boyd, Amber Loy, Adam Loy, Crystal Conway, Laurie Kerley, Laura Green, 3rd — Katie Kerley, Erica Hill, 4th — Tara Trammell, Anna Williams, Delinda Tidwell, 5th — Jacinda Judah, 8th — Tiffany Kubena, 9th — Magen Riley.

The Cleveland Browns, although a big underdog, defeated the Philadelphia Eagles in their first NFL game in 1950, 35-10.

Girls' softball results

Division I
Wild Peaches 19, Double Trouble 11
Tosha Costello blasted a home run and a single to aid winning pitcher April Digby's cause Thursday as the Wild Peaches knocked off Double Trouble in a Division I contest. Kari Hernandez added a double and a single, Trisha Block punched a two-base hit and Taylor Daniell and Wendy Lopez smacked a single each for the winners. Double Trouble's four hits came as singles from Priscilla Rodriguez, Leslie Garcia, Jessica Blevins and Crissida Tyler.

Pink Panthers 10, Blue Thunder 9
The Pink Panthers scored five runs in the first inning, added five more in the second, then held off a late rally by Blue Thunder for the Thursday night win. Rena Geiger lashed a double and Robin Proctor bumped a base rap for the winning squad. Stephanie Price, Jennifer Wilson and Kami Bates each knocked a single to account for Blue Thunder's three hits.

Division II
Red Hots 19, Colorado City Stingers 9
The Red Hots remained undefeated, 3-0, Thursday by stringing together 25 hits, including two homers. Shanna Fisk ripped a round-tripper, a double and a single in the win and winning pitcher Erica Garvin banged a homer and two singles. Velda Simmons added a three-base effort and two singles, Erica Cox had three hits, including one for an extra base, Sara Knowles drilled a double and a single and Amber Lyle nailed three singles. Magen Lee and Michelle Rollins each contributed two hits and Vanessa Britton, P.J. Heffernan, Starla Davis and Veronica Block lifted a single apiece. Jennifer Mendoza plastered a homer for the Stingers, followed by a triple and two singles from Sarah Silva, Randi Redwine's two hits, including a triple, a double and a single from both April Gutierrez and Jill Willingham and a base hit each by Victoria Rivera and Connie Gutierrez.

Division III
Full Effect 15, Unknowns 10
Winning pitcher Mandy Baker drilled a pair of hits, one a double, and Haley Ingram slapped two extra-base hits as Full Effect won over the Unknowns Thursday in Division III action. Stephanie Hernandez and Genifer Vantine each laced a two-sacker for the winners, Jamie Franks added two singles and Heather Ward, Christina Phippen and Cindy Potts popped a single each. Mandy Winter's double and two singles paced the offensive attack of the Unknowns. Lauri Allen punched a double and a single, Billy (no last name listed) was credited with a two-sacker and Adrienne Bailey knocked two base hits.

Youth Baseball Results



Junior Teenage League
Oilers 17, Dodgers 12
The Oilers, behind winning pitcher Valerio Torres, notched their first win of the season at the expense of the Dodgers Tuesday night in Junior Teenage League action. Torres also drilled three hits in the win, two doubles and a single, and was aided by Greg Jones' triple and base hit, two doubles by Reagan Key, three two-baggers and a single from Oliver Vasquez and an extra-base hit by Tye Parks. Jeremy Price added two hits and Jimmy Henry and Juan Dominguez contributed one each. The Dodgers were led by Craig Lang's three-base hit and two singles, a double from Dennis Creager and singles by Jimmy Digby, Reese Grimmitt, Alonza Deere and Michael Breitweiser.

8-9 Year Old League
Indians 16, Braves 15
Matt Tucker scored twice and ripped three extra-base hits, a triple and two doubles, to lead the Indians to a 16-15 win over the Braves Thursday. Paul Camp and Justin Guy each added a triple, Brian Fitzhugh hammered a pair of two-sackers and a single, Scott Reston and Matt Boyd belted a single and a double each and Joe Dan Davenport and Casey Chaney slapped two hits apiece. Contributing a single each for the winners were Camp, Jared Boyd, Rocky Gill, Chris Hill, Bryson Jenkins, David Riley and Levi Mandrell. Trey Roemisch and Adam Beck paced the Braves' attack with two doubles and a single apiece. David Sutton accounted for three hits, one a double, and Layne Scott and Britt Taylor managed a two-base hit and a single each. David Digby, Greg McAnaw and Jason Billingsley each banged two hits while Sterling Doty, Cole Jackson, Michael Gibson and Wes Gilbert lashed one apiece.

Cubs 24, Yankees 10
Allen Smith led his Cubs to victory Thursday evening with a four-hit effort, including a triple and two doubles. Isaac Aguilar drilled a triple and three singles on the night followed by Bebos Martinez with two singles and two doubles, Eric Perez' three two-baggers, a double and three base raps off the bat of John Martinez, Justin Humphries' single and extra-base hit and a double by Robert Stanley. Mike Martinez slammed a double and Heath Pinkerton, Matthew Billings, Ryan Grady, Moses Williams and Robert McDaniel each popped a single. The Yanks managed four triples in the game including one each from Martin Villareal, Seth Rosson, Joshua Wood, who also ripped a

double, and R.J. Hernandez, to go with his single. Paddy Vantine punched a single and a double, John Rasmus rapped a two-sacker and Shade Everton hammered three singles. Arthur Garza managed a base hit against the Cubs as did Jarrod Womack and David Beard.

Farm League
Cubs 6, Yankees 3
Drew Wall, winning pitcher against the Yankees on Thursday, contributed two hits to his cause and was aided by Caleb Callaway's twin singles and a double each by Mark Rodriguez and Raymond Floyd. The Yankees' three hits in the game were singles from Garrett Griswold, Mark Cave and Clay Preston. The Cubs move to 3-2 on the season while the Yanks slide to 2-3.

Braves 14, Indians 13
The Braves, behind winning pitcher Eric Rodriguez, who also smashed two doubles, scored six runs in the second inning Thursday to take the lead for good. Gabriel Hinojos and Ryan Raborn each laced doubles, Josh Harbin nailed three singles, Jeff Cervantes added two hits and Dwayne Robertson, Stanley Robbins and Stevie Gordon tapped a single apiece. Eldon Scott's two triples led the Tribe. Chris Fuentez managed a three-base hit and a pair of doubles, Ben Boyd and Clark Church laced a double each and Ryan Neves bopped a single. The Braves are now 3-2 while the Indians hold a 2-3 mark for the season.

Little League
Cubs 11, Yankees 4
David Smith kept the Cubs undefeated at 5-0 Thursday by pitching them past the Yankees and adding four hits, including a triple. Patrick Jordan slapped a double, Luke Green rapped two singles and Kelly Gentry and Corey Mandrell had a base hit each. The Yankees, now 2-3, were led by a triple and double by Tino Vasquez. Clay Berryman contributed a two-bagger and two singles and John Border lifted a base hit.

Indians 14, Braves 2
Patrick Cumbie powered two home runs and was Thursday's winning pitcher, tossing a one-hitter, as the Indians moved to 4-1 on the season against the Braves. Toby Delce blasted a dinger, also, to go with a single for the winners. Sonny Cumbie and Johnny Pena belted doubles and Tommy Fields knocked a base hit. Matthew Fambro got the only hit, a single, for the 2-3 Braves against the Tribe.

Transactions

By The Associated Press
BASEBALL
American League
CLEVELAND INDIANS—Activated Brook Jacoby, first baseman, from the 15-day disabled list. Assigned Mike York, pitcher, to Colorado Springs of the Pacific Coast League. Sent Alex Cole, outfielder, to Colorado Springs for a 20-day rehabilitation assignment.
SEATTLE MARINERS—Recalled Dave Burba, pitcher, from Calgary of the Pacific Coast League.
FOOTBALL
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ATLANTA FALCONS—Named Dick Carrick scout.
DALLAS COWBOYS—Fired Joe Wooten, director of player personnel.

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Rachel James is active in Operation Storm

By Shirley A. Gorman
SDN News Editor
From the first meeting in January, Rachael James has been a staunch supporter of Operation Storm and a dedicated volunteer who has helped the four-month-old organization with a little of everything.

Though James has no one in the service, she said she attended that first meeting simply because she wanted to let those who did know that she cared.

In the beginning, she said she just "hung around" because she wanted to help. Later, she provided a friendly ear to those with sons, daughters, or husbands in

Desert Shield and/or Desert Storm who just needed "someone to talk to."

During the height of the now-ended conflict in the gulf, James said a major concern was the mail service, both to and from the gulf. She said what was hard for family members to understand was why their loved ones serving as support troops were having as hard a time getting mail as those serving on the front line.

There were also so many restrictions, such as weight and first class only, it made it hard for people here to mail things to their loved ones in the gulf.

James tells of one enterprising mother who squeezed tubes of toothpaste into baggies and flattened them out so as to meet weight requirements. Others purchased small hotel-size bars of soap so as not to exceed the minute weight limitations.

As Desert Storm soldiers returned from Saudi Arabia, James said many of them who spoke at Operation Storm meetings on Thursday nights told of having to burn their correspondence for fear that they would fall into Iraqi hands. She said they all expressed regret, but that it was necessary to protect the civilians.

Being in Operation Storm also helped James cope with problems created by the crisis in the gulf including a seven-year-old, Chance, who feared for his own safety as a result of seeing war coverage footage on television, which at the very beginning of the war broadcast news around the clock.

The war reports had triggered the boy's memory of a previous viewing of a teleplay of Nostradamus' predictions as interpreted by scholars.

He remembered the dire predictions about the Middle East and the man in the blue turban who was to emerge as the leader. To a young boy, pictures of Saddam Hussein along with war news were frightening.

But time, patience and caring parents helped Chance to come to grips with his fears. James also credits the responsible attitude of local school administrators and teachers who took the time to help students understand what was happening.

A daughter, Lacey, who turned three in November, was too

young to be adversely affected by television's pre-occupation with the war in the gulf.

As Operation Storm continued, James said the group began to think of things they could do to show their support for the men and women serving in the gulf and their parents, spouses, and families.

A parade planned for Saturday is a major project for the organization and is designed to not only to show their visible support, but to give the community a chance to participate as well. Though many families have already been reunited with their loved ones who have returned from Saudi Arabia, some are still there, and the need for community support is still evident, James said.

Operation Storm has also been working on banners to be displayed during the parade, which will bear the names of area servicemen and women.

The name banners and "welcome home" banners, have required many workdays in

order to get them finished in time for the parade.

The group has also been working on decorations for the gazebo at the courthouse which will be a focal point for the special day to honor Scurry County's service people.

James said she was "just a kid" when the Vietnam Conflict raged and doesn't remember much about it. But the combination of greater maturity and television coverage, which seemed to bring the war into the living room, has made the Persian Gulf War something she will never forget.

That's one of the reasons she remains a Operation Storm volunteer and that's why she will continue to support anyone who has had or still has a loved one serving in the gulf.

A native of Sterling City, James and her husband, Jace, have lived in Snyder for the past 11 years. He is employed by National Oil.

Favorite activities, besides Operation Storm, include spending time with her children, sewing and crafts.

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GETTING READY — Rachael James, one of Operation Storm's volunteers, is pictured with a couple of banners she has made which will be displayed in the organization's parade planned for Saturday. (SDN Staff Photo)

Evangelist seeks money for crosses

CRAIGSVILLE, W.Va. (AP) — A businessman turned evangelist who has spent a fortune building crosses along roadsides in 28

states says he's down to his last \$34.22. He's looking for a miracle to allow him to continue the project.

The Rev. Bernard Coffindaffer, 66, says a holy spirit appeared to him after his open-heart surgery in 1982 and told him to begin erecting what he calls "crosses of mercy."

"The crosses are to remind people to remember that Jesus was crucified on a cross at Calvary for our sins and he will soon return. That's the only reason we put them up," he said.

Coffindaffer says he has spent about \$2.4 million since 1984, when his Cast Thy Bread Inc. erected its first three-cross cluster about 65 miles north of Charleston.

The clusters now number 1,780. Standing 25 feet high and painted light blue and "Jerusalem gold," they dot interstate highways in places including Nazareth, Pa.; Zebulon, N.C.; Bethlehem, Ga.; Antioch, Ohio; and Philippi, W.Va. They also can be found as far west as Zolo, Kan., and in Zambia and the Philippines.

Despite his financial problems

Coffindaffer says he doesn't think he'll have to stop his work. "I didn't start this mission to quit," he says.

He recently mailed appeals for money to more than 1,800 newspapers. He's hoping a Good Samaritan will step forward with some cash.

"Right now, I've got \$34.22 in the bank. I have no income, no job, no insurance policies, no nothing. It's do or die for me," he said.

It's not the first time. In 1988 Coffindaffer, who once owned a company that sold a chemical used in cleaning coal, said he was out of money for crosses.

"I've been broke for two years. When I didn't have the faintest idea of where money would come from, a lawyer sent me a check for \$5,000. The other day, I opened an envelope and five crisp \$100 bills fell out. That was it, no name, nothing," he said.

At its peak, Cast Thy Bread employed five two-person crews who spotted highly visible roadside sites and asked property owners for permission to erect the crosses.



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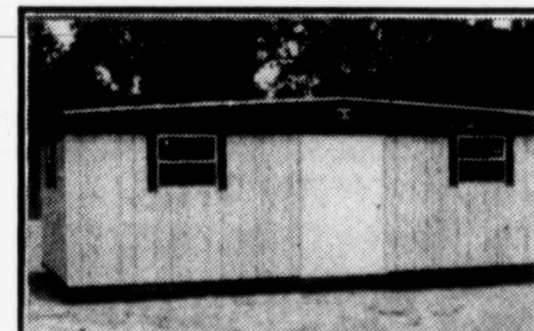
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Jacarezinho slum: breeding ground for cholera

RIO DE JANEIRO, Brazil (AP) — Scrawny, half-naked boys playfully jump from shanty roofs into sewage-choked floodwaters that run like rapids through the hillside slum of Jacarezinho.

Nearby, a girl dumps food scraps from a precarious wooden footbridge while a hobo vomits into the gray water.

Several women stand knee-deep in the filthy stream washing clothes. Others fill kitchen pots and cleaning buckets from the water.

Jacarezinho, where 150,000 people live in a jumble of shanties perched on a hill three miles north of downtown Rio, is like thousands of Brazil's urban slums. It is a sanitation nightmare and an ideal breeding ground for the deadly cholera disease now spreading across South America.

The disease, which has killed more than 1,350 people in Peru,

Ecuador, Chile and Colombia since erupting in Peru in January, has largely spared Brazil. Six cases — and no deaths — have been detected, all in the Amazon border town of Tabatinga.

But government officials fear the intestinal disease, transmitted in food and water contaminated with the feces of victims, will spread across this nation of 150 million. Brazil's southeast coastal cities will be struck before September, experts predict.

"It's like waiting for a time bomb to go off," said Dr. Sonia Saldanha, head of Rio de Janeiro's state Commission for the Prevention of Cholera. "Cholera could appear at any

time, and we simply are not prepared for it."

Although cholera can kill a person in 10 hours through fluid loss caused by vomiting and diarrhea, the disease is easily treated with saline solutions, intravenous fluids and antibiotics.

Yet poor health education, a crumbling health care system and dilapidated sewage networks make prevention difficult, said Ms. Saldanha.

The Health Ministry says less than 1 percent of all garbage is collected and only 30 percent of

all water is purified in Brazil's slums. And many slum-dwellers cannot afford the cooking gas with which to boil their water.

Even Rio — which has South America's largest health care network with 16 hospitals and 72 clinics — is a prime target.

One water treatment plant serves this city of 10.5 million. The antiquated sewers don't reach the notorious hillside "favelas," or slums, where a quarter of the population lives.

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By Peter H. Gott, M.D.

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DEAR READER: Peripheral neuropathy means that the nerves in your feet are not working properly; this can lead to pain, numbness and weakness. Peripheral neuropathy has many causes, the two most common being diabetes and poor circulation. If you have either (or both) of these conditions, you could be helped by methods to improve circulation (such as an operation to unblock the clogged arteries in your legs) or by bringing your diabetes under control.

Health Maintenance Organizations almost always have specialists to help people with complex problems such as yours. I believe you first need an examination by a neurologist to determine which nerves are affected and to what degree. This may require nerve conduction studies and tests to assess nerve function. Also, if appropriate, the neurologist might refer you to a vascular specialist in your HMO.

In the event your HMO does not have the necessary specialists, your doctor can refer you to the appropriate resources outside the HMO. While HMOs don't like to do this (because it reduces profits), such referrals are sometimes necessary for proper patient care.

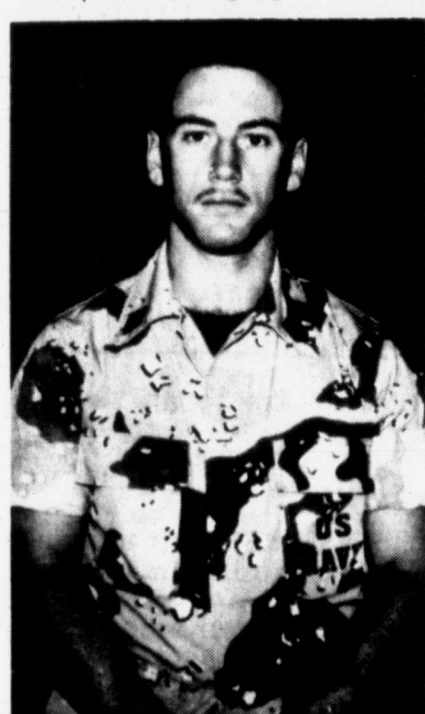
Once you have established the cause(s) of your neuropathy, you and your doctor can decide on which treatment would be most suitable for you. Although medicine may be your best option, your friends are correct that many forms of neuropathy are curable — once the cause of the nerve malfunction is identified.

DEAR DR. GOTT: As a teen-ager I had a rash on my body, in my mouth and above my lips. Now when I open my mouth the skin splits and becomes raw. Could this be lupus?

DEAR READER: Any rash, in theory, could be lupus, a common autoimmune (self-allergy) disease affecting the skin and, often, the joints, lungs, heart and kidneys; lupus is diagnosed by blood tests and biopsy. Simple chapped, cracked lips are probably not due to lupus. This symptom is more commonly a consequence of dry skin. Try using a lanolin-containing skin or lip cream. If your discomfort doesn't disappear, see a dermatologist.

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RANDALL TODD TOWNSEND

Local shares desert war experience

Randall Todd Townsend, a hospital corpsman in the U.S. Navy, visited students at Stanfield Thursday. He served in the gulf from Aug. 17 to March 18. He said he works with the Marines and will return to 29 Palms, Calif. by May 25.

He arrived in Snyder last Saturday and will remain in town until after the May 18th parade sponsored by Operation Storm, Snyder's local support group.

Townsend was stationed with a Marine unit in the desert. Food consisted entirely of MREs (Meals Ready To Eat) and water was so hot — 110 degrees — that he and his men added either cocoa or coffee to make it drinkable.

Temperatures in the desert reached as high as 130 degrees.

Townsend is the son of Jim and Virginia Townsend. He graduated from Snyder High School in 1987.

He and his wife, Michelle, have two children, Destiny, 3, a daughter, and Cassidy, 1, a son.

Before returning to California, Townsend will visit his wife's family in San Antonio.

He said he "loves the Navy" and plans to make a career of it. He has served a little more than three years to date.

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Saturday
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2510 28th
Saturday
9 a.m.-3 p.m.

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Kurds near agreement with Saddam

BAGHDAD, Iraq (AP) — Kurdish leader Massoud Barzani said today that he and President Saddam Hussein's government have agreed to key points in a peace proposal, but declined to disclose them.

Barzani, whose Kurdish Democratic Party is the largest guerrilla faction in the coalition against Saddam, has been discussing Kurdish autonomy and democratic reform with the government for two weeks.

The rebel leader told reporters he would provide details of the proposal at a news conference Saturday. However, he indicated

that the Kurds have dropped their demand for international guarantees to any accord with Saddam's government, and urged refugees to return to northern Iraq.

Tens of thousands of Kurds fled to the mountains to escape government retribution after their failed uprising in the wake of the Persian Gulf War.

Meanwhile, allied officials said today they intend to build several more camps near Zakho in northern Iraq to house up to 100,000 Kurdish refugees on their way home. They plan up to five new temporary tent villages, each

housing 20,000 refugees.

Coalition forces ran out of tents earlier this week, but have found 35,000 tents at various locations around the globe, the Operation Provide Comfort task force said in a statement. The tents will be sent to Zakho.

Barzani, who held an impromptu news conference at a Baghdad hotel, was asked if an agreement would be signed soon. "I'm optimistic," he replied.

Democratic reform, including wider participation of the Kurds in the legislative and executive decisions, has been one of the rebels' key demands.

They also want full autonomy in three northern provinces where most of the 3.5 million Iraqi Kurds live, and a share of the revenue from lucrative oil fields located in the Kurdish region.

"We didn't reach full agreement, but we passed a very important step," Barzani told reporters. "We agreed with the

government about the main points of the democracy."

Asked whether the Kurdish people could trust Saddam, who they claim abrogated an agreement on autonomy in the 1970, Barzani said, "Why not?"

He said he thought the promise of democratic reforms and "the trust between each other are the biggest guarantees."

His comments suggested that the Kurds had dropped their demand that the five permanent members of the U.N. Security Council — the United States, the Soviet Union, Britain, France and China — guarantee any accord with Baghdad.

Barzani said the two sides had not discussed the presence of Western troops in northern Iraq. But when asked whether he was ready to have these troops pulled out, Barzani said: "I think now at the moment we have to reach agreement."

The U.S.-led coalition forces have established what they call "safety havens" in northern Iraq for Kurdish refugees.

About 2 million Kurds have been displaced. More than 1 million went to Iran and the rest either stayed in the buffer created by the allies or went to camps in Turkey and along the Turkish-Iraqi border.

Government will tighten controls

TORONTO (AP) — Facing a rise in violent crime and growing public support for action, Justice Minister Kim Campbell is preparing another attempt to strengthen the nation's already strict gun-control laws.

Ms. Campbell's first bid to change the 1978 gun codes was diverted to a House of Commons committee last year after hunters, marksmen and others mounted protests with Conservative parliament members, many from the rural west. The measure died with the end of the parliamentary session.

But a recent nationwide poll indicates 79 percent of Canadians think existing gun control laws should be made more restrictive.

The climate parallels that in the United States, where most Americans favor gun control but Congress has been heavily lobbied by the National Rifle Association to defeat restrictive legislation. That changed last week when Congress approved the so-called Brady Bill, which requires a seven-day waiting period to buy a firearm.

Wife awaits return

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proved helpful in allaying Scooter's fears.

Mrs. Brasher joined Operation Storm at its first meeting in January and has remained with the group. She has been involved with many activities such as making name banners bearing names of all local service people, welcome home banners and other decorations, many of which will be used in Saturday's Armed Forces Day parade.

She also helped keep an address file of all county service personnel up to date and made many much-needed telephone calls.

When she first learned the war had ended she said she "jumped up and down." That day, she was visiting her husband's grandmother, Lou Bales, at a local nursing home when a staff member came to tell Mrs. Bales the good news.

Mrs. Brasher immediately called her mother-in-law, Terri Herring, to share the good news with her. The initial excitement has since worn off, but Mrs. Brasher can't wait to be reunited with her husband. She is already getting ready to return to Florida in June. She said he called last week to tell her that he was in Egypt and was on his way home.

Brasher finished basic training in June of last year. When his enlistment ends on June 10, 1994, he plans to take the necessary training to become an on base policeman.

Mrs. Brasher's patriotism, galvanized by the quick and decisive war, consists of pictures of her husband throughout her parents' home, a U.S. flag displayed on the living room window, yellow bows, and wearing a small pin with Michael's picture in it, and a yellow bow.

Markets Midday Stocks

NEW YORK (AP)	High	Low	Last	Nynex	68 1/2	68 1/2	68 1/2
AMR Corp	61	60 1/4	60 3/4	OxyEngy	34	33 3/4	33 3/4
AlliedSignal	28	27 3/4	27 3/4	PacTelesis	40	39 3/4	39 3/4
ALLTEL Cp	40 1/4	39 3/4	39 3/4	PanHECp	11 1/2	11 1/8	11 1/8
AmStores	84 1/4	83 3/4	84	PenneyJC	55 1/4	53 1/4	54 1/4
Amer T&T	36 1/4	35 3/4	35 3/4	PeppBoys	12 1/2	12 1/4	12 1/4
Ameritech	58 1/4	57 1/4	57 1/4	Phelps Dod	59 1/4	58	58
BellSouth	52 1/4	51 3/4	52	PhilPet	25 1/4	25 1/4	25 1/4
AndarkPfr	26 1/4	26 1/4	26 1/4	Polaroid s	25 1/4	24 1/4	24 1/4
Arkla	18 1/4	18	18	Primerica	28 1/4	28 1/4	28 1/4
ArmcoInc	4 1/4	4 1/4	4 1/4	ProctGamb	82 1/4	81 1/4	81 1/4
ATIRichd	121 1/4	120 1/4	120 3/4	PubS NwMx	10 1/4	10 1/4	10 1/4
BakerHugh	28 1/4	28 1/4	28 1/4	SFEAcP n	8 1/4	8 1/4	8 1/4
Beal	46 1/4	46 1/4	46 1/4	Sara	38	37 1/4	37 1/4
BellSouth	48 1/4	48 1/4	48 1/4	SearsRoeb	37 1/4	37 1/4	37 1/4
Beth Steel	14 1/4	14 1/4	14 1/4	Shrwis s	22 1/4	22 1/4	22 1/4
Borden	37 1/4	36 1/4	37 1/4	SmthBchm	67 1/4	67 1/4	67 1/4
Caterpitr	49 1/4	49 1/4	49 1/4	SmthBeh eq n	57 1/4	57 1/4	57 1/4
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Burglary probed

Scurry County sheriff's office is investigating the burglary of a local business.

At 6:30 a.m. Thursday, Bill Early of Sparkle City Pawn Shop reported to a deputy that the glass on the front door of the business had been broken. Three shotguns were reported missing.

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Census: 41 (Med.-10, Long-Term Care-26, CCU-1, OB-2, Nursery-2).

Births

Luis Ortega of Rotan announces the birth of her baby boy born at 4:15 p.m. May 16 at Cogdell Memorial Hospital. He weighed seven pounds and 10 1/2 ounces.

Jessie and Christian Kruger announce the birth of a baby girl, Jessica Faye, born at 8:13 a.m. May 9 at Mitchell County Hospital. She weighed six pounds and two ounces.

Grandparents are Cyrus and Ronna Posey and Carl and Margaret Kruger. Great-grandparents are Strick and Alma Posey, all of Snyder.

Nolan and Audra von Roeder announce the birth of their baby boy, Weston Carl, born at 12:30 a.m. May 16 at Methodist Hospital. He weighed eight pounds and five ounces.

Grandparents are Max and Anne von Roeder and Rodger and Doris Blackard. Great-grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. O.T. Richardson, Mrs. Boley Blackard and Mrs. Allena Lewis, all of Snyder.

Obituaries

L.S. McCright

1912-1991

Services have been set at 3 p.m. Saturday for L.S. "John" McCright, 78, who died Thursday at his home. Stan Parezien, a Church of Christ minister, will officiate. Burial will be in the Snyder Cemetery.

Born Sept. 2, 1912, in Oklahoma, he was married to Rena Terral on May 1, 1932, in New Boston, Tex. He had been a farmer and a mechanic, having been an employee for Snyder ISD about 12 years in the school bus maintenance department.

Mr. McCright was preceded in death by three children, Sharon Finley, Marvin Loyd McCright and Hope McCright and five grandchildren.

Survivors include his wife and a granddaughter, Jamie Preston, of the home; three daughters, Janell Bearden of Snyder, Ladell Gannaway of Hermleigh and Johnnie Lou Dry of East Texas; two sons, Bill McCright of Snyder and Terry McCright of Ira; two sisters, Willie Hanna and Fannie Kennedy, both of New Boston; two brothers, Joe of New Boston and Jim of Snyder; nine grandchildren; and 10 great-grandchildren.



PAULINE SCRIVNER

Pauline Scrivner

1913-1991

Services were held at 1 p.m. today at the Bell-Cypert-Seale Funeral Home Chapel for Pauline Scrivner, 78, who died at 10:20 p.m. Wednesday at St. Mary of the Plains Hospital, Lubbock, following a brief illness. Burial was to follow in the Dermott Cemetery. Dr. Lynn Pryor, associate pastor of Colonial Hill Baptist Church, officiated.

Born Feb. 19, 1913, in Fluvanna, Mrs. Scrivner worked for Snyder Heating and Air Conditioning for many years and following her retirement, she was involved in home health care. She was a member of Colonial Hill Baptist Church.

Preceding her in death was an infant daughter, Jo Latrell Scrivner, and a brother, Bo Trussell.

Survivors include two daughters, Shirley Miller of Snyder and Kathy Hall of Stephenville; one son, Dr. Royce Scrivner of Dallas; one brother, J.H. Trussell of Slaton; four grandchildren; and four great-grandchildren.

Pallbearers were Tim McCright, Cliff Jay Hall, Craig Barker, Mitch Terral, Mark Terral and Lawrence Terral.

Former president and U.S. Chief Justice William Howard Taft was buried in 1930 in Arlington National Cemetery.

Berry's World

"Maybe if we became KURDS ... ?!"

Menges shares war experience with local students during leave

Lance Corporal Eric Menges, home on leave recently after returning from Saudi Arabia, said a reason for the quick end of the Persian Gulf War was because Iraqi ground forces had no will to fight.

"The Iraqi soldiers had been fighting with Iran for nine years and they did not want to fight anymore," Menges, a U.S. Marines helicopter crew chief, told students at Snyder Junior High School. "The only Iraqi troops fighting were Saddam Hussien's Elite Guard. The rest of the Iraqis wanted to quit fighting."

Menges said his outfit flew ground support and noted, "As we met the Iraqi troops and weaponry, initially we would shoot at them. When we noticed they were not fighting, we started just flying past them. We would fly over bunkers and trench lines and see white flags on top. Outside, the troops would be unarmed in the shade, drinking water."

Menges said his crew counted about 800 tanks and anti-aircraft guns and none fired at them.

"Mostly, it looked like the whole war was a way for Saddam to show off his Elite Guard fighting a war, and it did not work well," Menges said.

The unit Menges was attached to was one of the last to be deployed in the Gulf region, sent three months after the invasion of Kuwait.

He said they spent the first three months cleaning equipment and playing ball at night, when it was cool.

"As preparations for the ground war began, my unit stayed until all the helicopter supplies were shipped ahead to Lonesome Dove from our loca-



ERIC MENGES

tion at Tent City," said Menges.

The Army had already issued out all the trucks, so his unit had no way to leave with the last of the equipment. It would have taken a month to wait for more trucks to arrive to make the 20 mile trip, so the group located and rented a large camel caravan.

"That was a funny sight," recalled Menges, "all those camels with helicopter parts strapped to them, heading off into the desert."

Menges wasn't too impressed with the camels, however.

"They are mean, they will bite anyone and they smell terrible, even 20 feet away," he said.

Menges was med-evacuated out of Kuwait after ingesting some chemical agent that injured his throat. He is scheduled to have surgery to correct the damage soon.

He is currently stationed in Los Angeles.

Lubbockites upset over cat ordinance

LUBBOCK, Texas (AP) — What started out as an attempt to keep streets clear of stray pets has turned into a full-blown cat fight.

Hundreds of Lubbock residents are outraged about a proposed ordinance that would fine pet owners up to \$2,000 if their animal is caught loose in the city. Cat owners have been the most vocal.

"I just don't think cats are a problem," said Gayle Bailey, whose feline Madison often roams the neighborhood. "Doesn't the city have something better to do than create laws to put a cat on a leash?"

Phones at city offices have been ringing off the hook ever since the Lubbock Board of Health proposed the animal control ordinance last week.

"I think it's terrible," said Lubbock resident Scott Fitzgerald, the owner of a white cat named Virgin. "Cats don't belong on a leash. My cat roams around a lot, but has never bothered anyone before. The whole thing is absurd."

Lubbock public health administrator Doug Goodman, whose office will be responsible for enforcing the ordinance, said stray pets have led to animal overpopulation in Lubbock among other problems.

"There are a lot of non-pet owners out there who have cats digging in their gardens or who

have been scratched," he said. "They have called to let us know they support the ordinance."

City officials say there have been more calls about the "leash law" than about a proposed city sales tax increase facing voters this summer.

The Lubbock Avalanche-Journal even entered the debate with an editorial Wednesday.

"Loose cats do not terrorize society. Cats don't rip into the postman's pants ... Cats are not that serious a problem. Anyone who lionizes this leash law deserves the lash," the newspaper said.

"Anytime you involve pet owners you get an emotional reaction," said Lubbock Mayor B.C. "Peck" McMinn. "Some pets are like family to people. But it's a health problem that the city has to deal with. We have to look out for the non-pet owners too."

The leash law will be the subject of a public hearing June 13.

Enforcing such a proposal would be tricky, Goodman said.

"You can't catch a cat," he said. "They'll run up a tree or dive into an alley. So we would have to set traps in areas where there is a problem cat. Then we would take the cat in and call the

owner." Goodman said there is a possibility the wrong culprit would be caught in the trap.

"It's not an exact science," he said.

The owner could be fined up to \$2,000 depending on the extent of the offense, which would be considered a Class C misdemeanor.

After the public hearing the Lubbock Board of Health may revise the ordinance before submitting it to the City Council, Goodman said.

"It would make my job a lot easier if the ordinance does not go through," Goodman said. "But we will just have to wait and see."

House approves ethics bill

AUSTIN (AP) — Speaker Gib Lewis praised an ethics reform bill passed by the House, but public watchdog groups said the measure doesn't go far enough to stop lobbyists' influence on lawmakers.

The House on Thursday tentatively approved the bill after rejecting several amendments to strengthen the measure, including a proposal to limit the amount of money lobbyists can spend on lawmakers.

The measure was adopted 136-6 after about six hours of deliberation.

Another vote is needed before the bill goes to the Senate, which has already passed ethics reform

legislation. That means lawmakers will be working on a final bill during the last days of the regular legislative session, which expires May 27.

"I think we will get out a bill this session," Gov. Ann Richards said, adding she likes some parts of both the House and Senate measures.

But government watchdog groups, Public Citizen and Common Cause, said that if the House-approved legislation makes it to Richards' desk they would recommend she veto it.

"It's a real weak attempt at ethics reform," Tom "Smitty" Smith, director of Public Citizen of Texas, said of the House proposal.

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Sunset bill ok'd by Senate

AUSTIN (AP) — A bill to make state agencies more responsive to audits of how well they are doing their jobs passed the Senate, after Lt. Gov. Bob Bullock made it known he had a special interest in the measure.

The bill would subject all state agencies that must undergo sunset review to being abolished on Dec. 31. The agencies are subject to review every 12 years by the Sunset Review Commission, which decides whether they serve a necessary role.

Church of the Nazarene sets revival

The Church of the Nazarene is planning a revival this Sunday through Wednesday. Rev. Bryon Brown of Hamlin will be the singer and evangelist.

Service times on Sunday will be 10:45 a.m. and 6 p.m. Services Monday through Wednesday are scheduled for 7 p.m.

The church is located at Highway 208 South Colorado City Highway. R. Rick Peak is the pastor.

Everyone is invited to attend.

Sen. Gonzalo Barrientos, D-Austin, said the measure should make agencies pay close attention to recommendations arising from state comptroller audits.

The audits were designed to increase efficiency and save money as the Legislature prepares to wrestle with budget and tax issues in a summer special session.

Bullock said he had received a 3½-hour briefing on the audits Wednesday night, and added, "I can assure you it's going to be a real shakeup in Texas government, from what I saw."

Senators first rejected Barrientos' motion to debate the bill but reversed themselves and approved it on voice vote Thursday. The measure now goes to the House.

Bullock was asked what changed the senators' minds.

"I tried to. Was there any question about that?" Bullock said.

The Legislature could continue the agencies subject to sunset review by adopting legislation prior to the abolition date.

The Senate also approved a bill that would extend to public junior college and community college faculty the same contract protections that public school teachers have had since 1969.

The protections include a full hearing for proposed firings and an appeals process.

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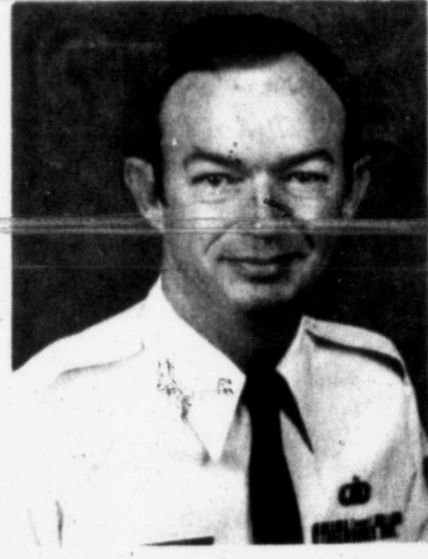
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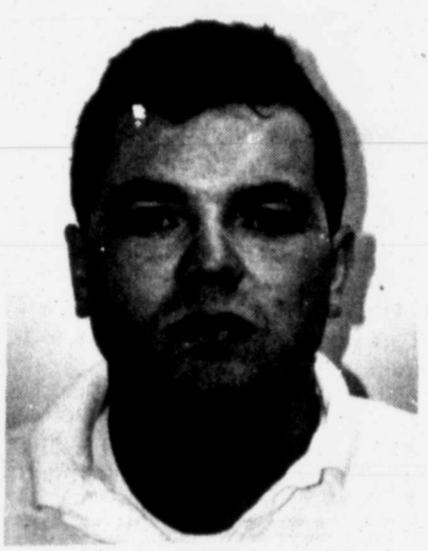
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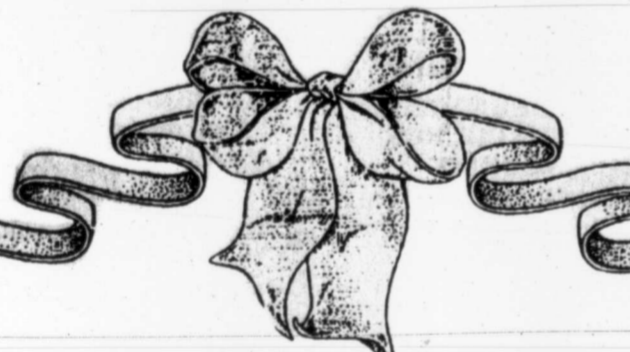
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**Steak Dinner
for 2**

15⁹⁵
Per Couple



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