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Wide Options In Warsaw

MOSCOW (AP) — Leaders of the Warsaw Pact, ending a surprise summit here, have underscored the growing seriousness of Poland's labor unrest but have left themselves a wide choice of options to meet it.

The secrecy-shrouded summit Friday made no public commitment to military or other action and expressed the confidence that Poland can overcome "its present difficulties."

Nonetheless, the Warsaw Pact communique distributed by the Soviet news agency Tass stressed that Poland can count on the "fraternal solidarity and support" of its socialist neighbors.

Eagleton's Niece Sentenced

ST. LOUIS (AP) — The niece of Sen. Thomas Eagleton, D-Mo., has been sentenced to up to 4½ years in prison for an extortion attempt against her uncle.

Elizabeth Eagleton Weigand, 24, was convicted of threatening to falsely accuse the senator of being bisexual unless she was paid \$220,000 for her share of the Missouri Pipe Fittings Co., a family business.

The actual length of the indeterminate sentence imposed Friday in U.S. District Court will be set by the U.S. Parole Commission under the Young Adult Offender Act.

No Sprinklers In Hotels

LAS VEGAS, Nev. (AP) — The Las Vegas, Flamingo Hilton, Desert Inn and Riviera hotels lack sprinkler systems in their casinos, according to a study begun after a fire in the MGM Grand hotel-casino killed 84 people.

County Manager Bruce Spaulding said Thursday the report was aimed at assessing the impact of a proposed county ordinance that would require installation of sprinklers. "There's no question they (the four resorts) have adequate fire protection, although more might be desirable," Spaulding said.

Patriarca Pleads Innocent

PROVIDENCE, R.I. (AP) — The reputed boss of the New England Mafia has pleaded innocent to charges that he ordered the slaying of a small-time criminal, reportedly in retaliation for a burglary at his brother's house.

Raymond L.S. Patriarca pleaded innocent Friday to a charge of being accessory before the fact in the 1965 shooting of Raymond "Baby" Curcio. The Providence Journal Bulletin said Curcio was believed to have burglarized the home of Patriarca's brother.

Patriarca was in satisfactory condition at Miriam Hospital, where he was taken Thursday complaining of chest pains after his arrest at his Johnston home.

Camp Planning To Close

HOUSTON (AP) — The operators of a remote camp, criticized for allowing the Ku Klux Klan and other groups to use it for paramilitary training, say they will close the facility because of adverse publicity.

Joe Bogart, a former Marine and a member of the KKK, has acknowledged that Explorers and Civil Air Patrol cadets were taught self-defense at the camp, but he denied they were told how to strangle or decapitate enemies.

Mrs. John Sisenite, wife of one of several owners of the land, said Friday "There's just so much publicity, we just don't like it."

The SDN Column

This is that season of the year when there seem to be more than enough activities to go around. Every where you turn, there are people talking about how busy they are—how they wish they could be several places at once. It is next to impossible at this time of year to schedule a meeting or social event without several people directly involved having conflicts.

We run into that situation here at the newspaper office every year when we have our annual Christmas dinner for the staff, possibly to a greater extent than some because our people usually have pictures to take, basketball games to cover, or other duties, in addition to their own social gatherings.

This year apparently was to be different, despite the fact that the Western Texas College Dusters and Westerners both were playing home games the same evening as our party was scheduled (Thursday). The staff dinner was set early enough in the evening for Sports Editor Bill McClellan to eat with his colleagues and still get to the coliseum in time to get a few pictures before the Dusters' game was over, and then be on hand for all of the Westerners' game. It also was early enough for others who might have engagements for the evening to make two events without much difficulty.

Then, as the date arrived, it was discovered that Publisher Roy McQueen, who made the ultimate decision on the date, forgot that his wife, Bettie, was teaching a class at WTC that evening.

It just goes to show that you can't win 'em all. All we can say is that we sympathize with Bettie McQueen and are just glad the event was not scheduled in conflict with a Baylor football game.



If you've been around Snyder, or any other town, the past few days, you may wonder how anyone has time to attend a social function. They all seem to be either in the stores, or in their cars going to the stores.

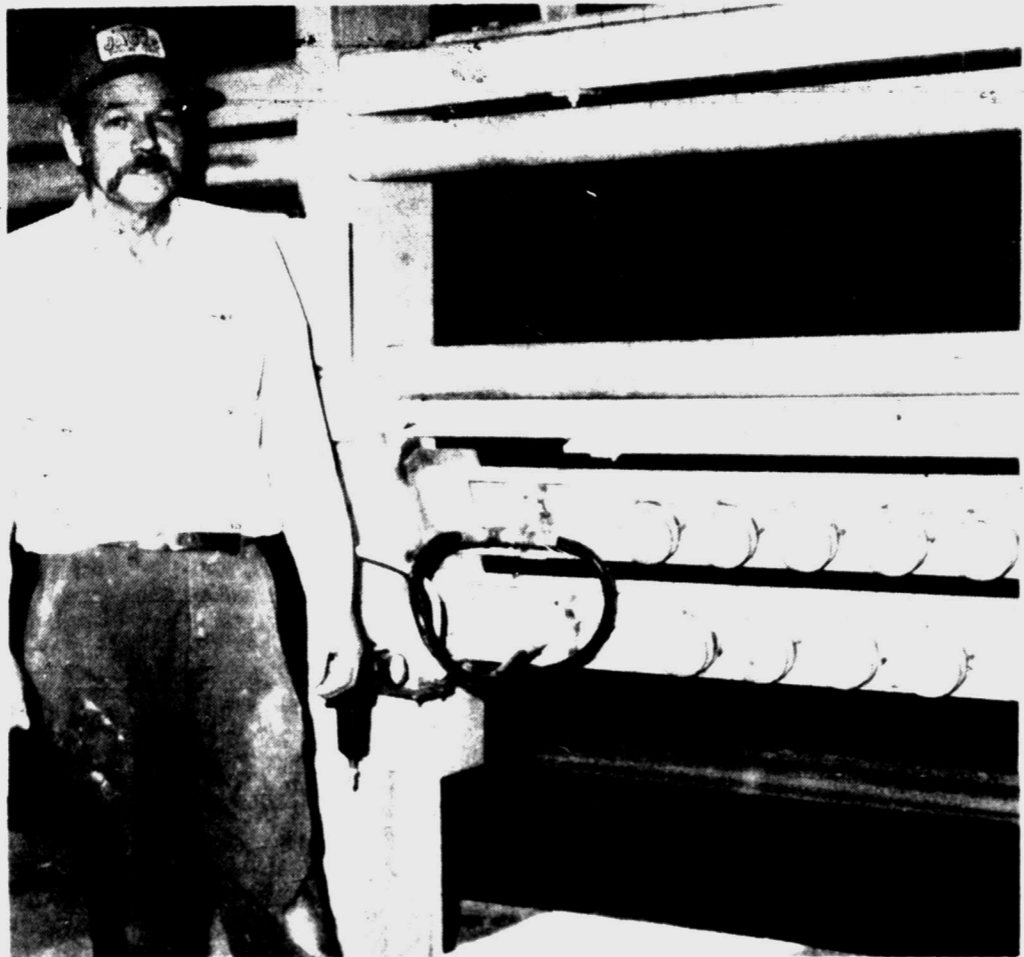
And it seems to us that there are more and more things available for gift-buying as the years go by. We also want to mention here that, while visiting around some over Thanksgiving, we had an opportunity to check out a few items in some of the larger cities, and we found that Snyder stores not only have the same things, but in many instances they have better prices.

We were particularly interested in the prices on one popular winter item at several stores (including some of the bigger chains) in a much larger city than Snyder and then returning home to find that it was priced some 15 percent to 20 percent lower in at least four Snyder stores.

It is not our purpose to provide any free advertising in this column, but we will tell you that this particular item is made close to home.



The cactus patch philosopher says that praise is something a person tells you about yourself that you suspected all the time.—WACIL McNAIR



NEW SYSTEM — With a patented system of automatic cutting wire machinery for brick manufacture, Ray Martin of Snyder plans to set up what amounts to a world-wide operation. Martin will be servicing North America, South America, Australia and England. (SDN Staff Photo)

World-Wide Firm Here Enhances Brick-Making

By JOHN LONG

A near world-wide operation in brick manufacturing will be headquartered in Snyder when R. Martin & Associates opens around the first of the year.

The new firm, located in the building formerly occupied by Thomas Stanfield Motors, will deal in specialized machinery for heavy clay products in dustries, specifically in the automatic cutting wire systems for brick setting.

Covered by the firm will be North and South America, England, and Australia. The automatic cutting wire systems involve six major patents developed by Ray Martin, president and co-owner of Southwestern Brick here in Snyder.

The ideas for certain

mechanical improvements were developed during his employment as a trouble shooter for Pearne & Lacy Machine Co. of Los Angeles.

One of the major problems faced by all brick manufacturers, said Martin, concerns cutting wires that are ground down, produce weaving cuts, and snap. Heretofore the cutting wires have had to be changed several times a day. His system all but eliminates that.

"What it will do is, instead of changing your wires seven or eight or 20 times a day, you'll change them every three months, on up to six months or eight months," Martin said.

One machine using his system has been able to

produce five million bricks without any broken wires, and is still producing without problem.

Martin's system cuts back on downtime from broken wires and accompanying overtime spent on employee wages. His system, he says, can pay for itself in a week to 10 days.

Martin, who has been in the brick business 30 years, holds about 12 patents. He has been possessed to tinker and make improvements through "fascination with the darn machinery."

Each brick manufacturing operation is unique, Martin said, and machinery must be made to order. His new firm, he said, will employ probably no more than 12 workers.

Senate Preparing For Housing Bill Showdown

WASHINGTON (AP) — The Senate, agreeing to a "high roll of the dice" next week on a fair housing bill, is gearing for a showdown on a measure that sponsors call the most important civil rights bill in a decade.

"We haven't gotten into a vote count for Tuesday," Sen. Edward M. Kennedy, D-Mass., the bill's floor manager said Friday night after a procedural agreement was reached that broke a five-day legislative logjam.

"It's a high roll of the dice," said conservative Sen. Jesse Helms, R-N.C., asserting that neither side is certain it has the needed votes.

There were these other actions, meanwhile, as the lame-duck Congress missed its adjournment target of Friday.

Congressional leaders tried to find a compromise to avoid a second presidential veto of a money bill that would also halt the government from seeking court-ordered busing in school desegregation cases.

President Carter promised to veto any measures with the

anti-busing amendment, and senators on both sides of the issues were doubtful about whether a compromise could be reached.

—On a vote of 73-1, senators completed congressional action on a compromise \$160 billion spending bill for the fiscal year for the nation's military, including \$300 million for a new bomber. Sen. Mark Hatfield, R-Ore., cast the lone "no" vote.

—The House defeated a move to weaken federal standards that would require air bags and automatic seat belts on cars starting in 1982. The bill won 205-126 approval, less than the two-thirds majority it needed. Backers of the measure said it could save money for the financially hard-pressed industry.

Crewmen On Sinking Ship Picked Up

HONOLULU (AP) — Twenty-eight crewmen aboard the sinking Peruvian freighter Capirona were picked up unharmed today by another vessel in the northwest Pacific Ocean, according to the Coast Guard.

Lifeboats were used to transfer the crew to the 544-foot cargo vessel New Sulu Sea, which was alerted to the plight of the Capirona by a Coast Guard C-130 rescue plane, the Coast Guard said.

American Mag Closing Down

Roger Wheeler of Tulsa, Okla., president of American Magnesium, Inc., has announced the company's chlorine and magnesium plant southwest of Snyder will temporarily cease production.

"This action has been taken due to unseasonably heavy rains which occurred for an extended period in September this year which caused severe damage to the brine storage facilities," said Wheeler.

"We have attempted to continue operations in spite of these difficulties, but such operations have not been successful," Wheeler concluded.

The September rains, which continued for most of that month, flooded AM's solar ponds, it was reported. These brine storage facilities are located in Borden County from which AM obtains brine from underground sources to provide the raw material for the plant located some 12 miles southwest of Snyder.

The plant began curtailing production Friday, and it was reported that production would be halted within two weeks. Thereafter, some preservation and clean-up work is expected to continue.

Indications were that some 120 employees would be laid

off during the next two weeks. Wheeler's announcement said the shut-down would be for an indefinite period.

Earlier, American Magnesium had been actively seeking financing for an expansion project at the Snyder plant. However, these efforts apparently had become a casualty of high interest rates and a tight money market. There were reports that the plant needed to expand its production to make the

operation economically attractive, and that more production could be attained with a relatively small additional expense by making a substantial addition of equipment to the plant.

Wheeler's announcement indicated that the problems arising from the September rains were an additional blow that made production under present conditions impractical.

Something For All At WTC Sunday

A visit with Santa Claus for the little ones and pointers on holiday preparations for adults will highlight a "Christmas Happening" this afternoon (Sunday) at Western Texas College.

The program will begin at 1 p. m. and continue until 5 p. m., with activities taking place at various locations on the WTC campus. The annual Christmas project of the community is being organized by the Scurry County Museum and the college, and schedules of the activities will be available.

The afternoon schedule: Santa Claus—At the museum all afternoon.

Photography—At the museum all afternoon.

Cowboy Coffee—On the concourse all afternoon.

Faculty Art Exhibit—In Fine Arts Gallery all afternoon.

Candy Making—Baptist Student Union all afternoon.

Planetarium Shows—In planetarium at 1 p. m., 3 p. m. and 4 p. m.

Story Telling—In Fine Arts

Theatre at 1:15 p. m. and 3:15 p. m.

Master Mixers Demonstration—In Christian Student Center at 1:15 p. m., 2:15 p. m. and 3:15 p. m.

Wreath Demonstration—In Christian Student Center at 1:15 p. m., 2:15 p. m. and 3:15 p. m.

Gift Wrapping Demonstration—In Christian Student Center at 1:45 p. m., 2:45 p. m. and 3:45 p. m.

Puppet Show—In Baptist Student Union at 1:45 p. m. and 3:45 p. m.

Floral Decoration Demonstration—In the museum at 2 p. m., 3 p. m. and 4 p. m.

Mexican Style Christmas—Pinata breaking in front of museum at 2:15 p. m.

"Nutcracker" Movie—In museum basement at 2 p. m. and 4 p. m.

Children's Christmas Card Making—In museum at 1 p. m., 1:45 p. m., 2:30 p. m., 3:15 p. m. and 4 p. m.

Christmas Needlepoint Demonstration—In museum all afternoon.

Building Figures Nearing \$5 Million

Snyder's 1980 building figures surged closer to the \$5 million mark in November.

With residential construction leading the way, the city issued permits for construction costing an estimated \$232,244 during the month. This pushed the total for the calendar year to \$4,804,760 and for the first two months of the city's current fiscal year to \$708,966.

At this time a year ago, the figures for the calendar year totaled \$2,892,238, and for the fiscal year at that time the total was \$424,052.

The city issued 13 permits in November, two for single-family dwellings and four for mobile homes. The others went for accessory buildings and for additions and alterations.

Meanwhile, work was launched the past week on a major project for which a permit was issued several weeks ago. It involves 32 additional units at Kingswood Estates, an apartment complex on 37th St. just south of East Elementary School. The complex already has 40 units occupied.

Argentians Say Hijackers Caught

CARACAS, Venezuela (AP) — The men who allegedly hijacked a Venezuelan jetliner at gunpoint and made off with \$1.6 million have been arrested and the money fully recovered, the head of the Venezuelan investigative police said Saturday.

No details of the arrest were immediately available.

In the Friday hijack, four masked men ordered the commercial airliner to land at a small and isolated airfield at Huiguerote, 70 miles northeast of Caracas, where \$1 million in cash and \$600,000 in negotiable securities were loaded onto a pickup truck, according to a report by an official with Aeropostal Airlines.

The cash and securities had been en route to Caracas

under private guard escort on the flight from Porlamar, Margarita, a Venezuelan island in the Caribbean, the airlines spokeswoman said. The hijackers commandeered the DC-9 with 104 passengers and a crew of six about 10 minutes out of Caracas. There were no reported injuries and the airliner left the airfield after passengers were put on buses for the capital.

Officials said the hijackers claimed they were members of the Revolutionary Movement for the Caribbean Area, a group not heard of here before. An undetermined number of accomplices were reported at the airfield.

Airline officials would not disclose details on the shipment of the money.

Ask Us

Q—Why is it that Goodfellows here in Snyder can't give toys but they can in Abilene.

A—They can and will. Local Goodfellows spokesmen said there had been some confusion earlier about repairing and distributing used toys, but this has been cleared up and toys are now being solicited. Anyone who wants to contribute used toys to the Goodfellows should take them to the Lone Star Gas Co. or to Randy Davis at his auto supply store in the old Safeway building.

Long John Silver To Open Here

Plans for opening a Long John Silver restaurant in Snyder, probably by early spring, were announced here at the end of the week.

Harry Chapman, who has been involved in development of several of the fast food fish houses in this region, was here conferring with city officials on building codes and other requirements.

He said that negotiations already had been completed for a site on the east side of College Ave. just north of the K mart store.

Plans are to construct a 2,000 square foot building on the property.

COOLER WEATHER

SNYDER TEMPERATURES: High Friday, 63 degrees; low, 48 degrees; reading at 7 a.m. Saturday, 62 degrees; precipitation, none; total precipitation for 1980 to date, 24.27.

WEST TEXAS: Continued cold north and turning colder south Monday and Tuesday. A chance of rain or rain mixed with snow north Monday and Tuesday. Much colder most sections Wednesday with a chance of snow north and rain or rain and snow mixed south. Highs Monday and Tuesday near 40 north to 60s extreme south. Highs Wednesday near 30 north to 50s extreme south. Lows Monday and Tuesday 20s north to 50s extreme south. Lows Wednesday teens north to 30s south.



18 SHOPPING DAYS TILL CHRISTMAS

Anxiety 4th Sale Scheduled Dec. 13

The National Anxiety 4th Hereford Breeders will hold their 32nd annual sale Saturday, Dec. 13, in the livestock annex at the Scurry County Coliseum.

Stanlet Stout will serve as auctioneer for the sale, which will offer 47 bulls and 32 females.

A banquet and membership meeting of the breeders association is set for the night of Dec. 12 at The Shack.

On the day of the sale, sifting and grading will begin at 9 a. m. and the auction will begin at 12:30 p. m. Lunch will be available at the site of the sale.

Consigning animals to the sale are Don L. Allred, Wildorado; Buchanan Herefords, Big Spring; Bunn Herefords, Vega; Layton Hatter Jr., Moody; J. O. Hood and Son, Lometa; Pied Piper Farms, Hamlin; Pronger Bros, Stratford; T. A. Rosson and Son, Sweetwater; Scull Bros., Martindale; Leland Wallace, Big Spring; W. F. Whittenburg, Graham; and Winston Hereford Ranch, Snyder.

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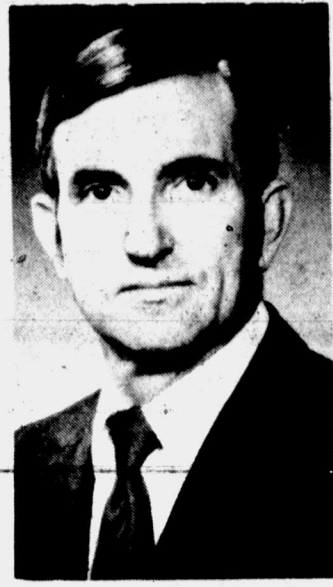
The Snyder Goodfellows would appreciate any donations given to the RSVP Volunteers stationed at West Texas and Snyder National Banks during this Christmas season collecting funds for the less fortunate of this area.

GOODFELLOWS APPLICATION

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Dr. H. R. O'Neal Appointed To New Position

HOUSTON—Dr. Hubert R. O'Neal, son of Mr. and Mrs. A. J. O'Neal, Route 2, Snyder, has been named technical director of KOCIDE Chemical Corp.

His appointment was announced by Ray Barrett, president of KOCIDE.

Dr. O'Neal holds a doctorate in physical organic chemistry from North Texas State University and currently serves as Director of the Southwest Science Forum. His extensive background in polymer research includes the development of polymers used in the first plastic printing plate to be commercialized in the United States and several grades of polychloroprene (neoprene rubber).

KOCIDE Chemical Corp. is a leading manufacturer of copper-based chemicals used in agriculture and industry throughout the world. It also makes such products as seed disinfectants, soil nutrients, paint anti-fouling pigments and industrial copper products. The headquarters and manufacturing facilities are in Houston.

Fund Drive

LOS ANGELES (AP)—The Los Angeles County Museum of Art says it is conducting a \$27.5 million, five-year campaign to raise funds.

It says the money will be used to enlarge the museum, acquire additional works of art, and for endowment.

WTC Drama Students Are Accorded Honors

Mark White has been nominated for the coveted Irene Ryan Award for his performance as King Henry II in the Western Texas College production of "Becket" at the American College Theatre Festival competition held Nov. 21 at Midwestern State University in Wichita Falls.

LaQuita Reaves, also from WTC, was among the students receiving Amoco Certificates in recognition of their performances. The Amoco companies sponsor the Theatre Festival.

10 productions invited to Washington, D.C., to take part in a three-week, non-competitive festival, in the Kennedy Center. The Irene Ryan Foundation awards a \$750 scholarship to the outstanding student performer at each Regional Festival and cooperates with the ACTF to take the 12 Regional winners to Washington for an Evening of Scenes. Two of the students performers are awarded scholarships of \$2,500 each there.

To qualify for the Irene Ryan Award, an undergraduate student like White should carry a minimum of six semester hours. A graduate student should carry three semester hours, while a continuing part-time student must be enrolled in a regular degree program.

The competition at MSU was one of three held in Texas. Plays presented at MSU which were nominated for consideration for Regional honors were "The Miracle Worker" presented by Texas Woman's University and "Taming of the Shrew" by Tarrant County Junior College (Northwest). Texas is in a five-state region which also includes Arkansas, Louisiana, Oklahoma and New Mexico.

Vegetable Oil Envisioned As Substitute Fuel

CHICAGO (AP)—It may be a long time before trucks are computing their miles per bushel, but an Australian scientist says experiments in his country show vegetable oil from farm crops produces as much power in engines as diesel fuel.

The cost is slightly higher and there is one other major problem—the vegetable oil can go rancid. But Graeme Quick, a research scientist from Victoria, Australia, said Wednesday that experiments in his country show there's a future for vegetable oil as replacement for diesel fuel. Vegetable oil, he says, can also be blended with diesel.

Judge Ordered To Jail For Non-Support

BELTON, Texas (AP)—An East Texas county judge recently found himself on the other side of the bars in the Bell County Jail.

Harrison County Judge Richard Anderson, 31, was ordered Thursday to 10 days in jail for contempt and non-payment of child support payments.

However, 169th District Judge J.F. Clawson suspended all but four hours of the sentence after Anderson agreed to write checks for almost \$10,000 in back child support payments, attorneys' fees and court costs.

Anderson, a Marshall lawyer, was divorced in October 1974 from his wife, Dale Owens of the Bell County community of Harker Heights, but court records showed he had not paid \$175-a-month payments for the past four years. His daughter is now 12.

About 30 minutes his jail term began. Anderson agreed to make up the back payments and was released about 4 p.m. to go to Clawson's court, where he wrote checks for \$9,100 in back payments, \$500 in attorneys' fees and \$87 in court costs.

Anderson then returned to jail to serve the remaining hours of punishment imposed by Clawson.

Clawson said the sentence was suspended after 8 p.m. on condition the checks would be honored when presented for payment to the First National Bank in Marshall by Anderson's ex-wife.

Santa Coming To Hermleigh

HERMLEIGH—Santa Claus will be the special guest at the Hermleigh Community Association's annual Christmas Caroling Party, which is set for 3 p.m. Sunday, Dec. 14, at the Hermleigh Community Center.

Following the meeting, groups of carolers will carry bags of fruit to the community's elderly and shut-ins. Everyone is invited, and a photographer will be available for pictures with Santa Claus.

The chief religion of Burma is Buddhism, the faith of about 90 percent of the population.

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Congress Okays Oil Exemption

WASHINGTON (AP)—A tax credit amendment designed to give small oil royalty owners one year's reprieve from the burdens of the "windfall" profits tax has received final congressional approval.

The Senate approved the amendment Wednesday that was attached to the budget reconciliation bill. The House had passed the measure earlier.

The amendment, introduced by Sen. Lloyd Bentsen, D-Texas, would create a one-year \$1,000 tax credit for individuals paying the "windfall" tax designed to reclaim some of the oil company revenues resulting from the deregulation of domestic oil prices.

Bentsen has said that he plans to push for permanent relief for royalty owners during the next congressional session.

The measure still must be signed by the president to become law. However, President Carter endorsed the exemption after it became a campaign issue in oil-producing states.

The Senate Finance Committee said the 1980 tax credit amendment essentially provides total relief from the "windfall" tax for anyone receiving royalty checks that total less than \$400 a month.

"This relief is sorely needed since many royalty owners are retired couples living in rural areas who are farmers and ranchers who would be unable to stay on their farms and ranches without royalty income," Bentsen said earlier.

The senator said previously that more than 80 percent of the 650,000 royalty owners in Texas receive less than \$100 a month.

A House and Senate conference committee had agreed on the budget reconciliation bill, including the Bentsen amendment, late last month. Use Snyder Daily News Classified Ads 573-5486

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By Abigail Van Buren

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DEAR ABBY: Twenty years ago, at the age of 40, I became totally disabled due to a brain tumor. I wasn't able to get out of bed, but by the grace of God and a surgeon's skill, I made it. At times I was so despondent I prayed it would all end, then a friend gave me the enclosed inspirational piece, which I must have read 1,000 times. I had moments when my vision clouded, and I thought, "This is it; this is the end." Then I'd read that message again, and it pulled me through.

Abby, some of the greatest men and women of our times have been saddled with disabilities and adversities but have managed to overcome them.

Perhaps somewhere amongst your readers there is someone who is at the end of his or her rope and needs encouragement. Pass this along. It may save a life. It saved mine.

HERMAN ENDLER, ENCINO, CALIF.

WINNING AGAINST THE ODDS

"Cripple him, and you have a Sir Walter Scott.
"Lock him in a prison cell, and you have a John Bunyan.
"Bury him in the snows of Valley Forge, and you have a George Washington.

"Raise him in abject poverty, and you have an Abraham Lincoln.

"Subject him to bitter religious prejudice, and you have a Disraeli.

"Afflict him with asthma as a child, and you have a Theodore Roosevelt.

"Stab him with rheumatic pains until he can't sleep without an opiate, and you have a Steinmetz.

"Put him in a grease pit of a locomotive roundhouse, and you have a Walter P. Chrysler.

"Make him second fiddle in an obscure South American orchestra, and you have a Toscanini."

DEAR HERMAN: Thank you for the above. It is indeed inspirational, but I would like to add another winner to the list:

"At birth, deny a child the ability to see, hear and speak, and you have a Helen Keller."

Readers, if you know of other famous people to add to this list, please send their names to Abby, 132 Lasky Drive, Beverly Hills, Calif. 90212.

DEAR ABBY: My husband and I disagree. He has forbidden our 16-year-old daughter to associate with a longtime friend of hers because he says the girl has a bad reputation.

But he plays cards regularly with two men who have left their wives for younger women!

I ask, how can he justify the discipline of his daughter when he himself associates with people like that?

We need another opinion.

ALLENTOWN, PA.

DEAR ALLENTOWN: I would have to know how the longtime friend earned a "bad" reputation. (Is she promiscuous, on drugs, or could she be an innocent victim of gossip?) And I'd also have to know more about your husband's card-playing cronies — and the wives they left.

DEAR ABBY: My brother is getting married soon. As far as I know we have been on good terms, so I was hurt and disappointed when he didn't ask me to be his best man. When I found out he had asked his fiancée's brother (whom he hardly knows) to be his best man, I was furious!

I told my brother exactly how I felt, then he had the nerve to ask me to be an usher! I told him no thanks. I didn't plan on attending his wedding at all.

Now that I am not going, there will be no member of his family there. Do you think I made the right decision in refusing to go?

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DEAR DISGUSTED: Feeling as you do, you were wise to decline. A hurt, disappointed and disgusted brother would have made a very poor sole representative for the groom's family.

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Texas Harvest Work Resumed

COLLEGE STATION, Texas (AP) — Harvesting is resuming across the state now after the snow in the western areas and plains that kept the cotton harvest under wraps the last two weeks.

About 75 percent of the crop has been harvested in the South Plains, the state's major cotton-growing area.

Cotton farmers in the plains and western areas need a few weeks of open weather to complete harvest operations, said Dr. Daniel C. Pfannstiel, director of the Texas Agricultural Extension Service.

Rain and snow that halted harvesting the past two weeks gave a boost to wheat, oats and winter pastures, allowing them to provide some grazing for livestock, he said, and quality of the crop remains generally good.

Recent rains plus the snow in western areas and the plains have given a boost to wheat, oats, barley and ryegrass, which are now providing some grazing in most sections of Texas.

This green grazing has been a valuable asset to stockmen

who have had to feed their herds heavily during recent weeks because of wet, cold conditions, Pfannstiel said. Most livestock are holding up well despite recent adverse weather. Culling of herds has generally been completed. Wet conditions in some areas have limited marketings the past two weeks.

Aside from the cotton harvest, some sugar beets remain to be harvested in the High Plains, he said. About 75 percent of the crop is in. A few scattered fields of peanuts and soybeans still await harvesting in coastal areas, and the fall soybean crop is about ready to harvest in the Rio Grande Valley.

Sugarcane and citrus harvesting remains active in the Valley along with some harvesting of fall vegetables although wet fields have caused some delays. Harvesting of a light pecan crop continues over the state, Pfannstiel said.

Reports from district Extension directors showed the following conditions.

PANHANDLE: Cotton harvesting should resume with open weather. About 20 percent of the sugar beet crop remains to be harvested. Snow moisture has boosted wheat, but much of the area remains dry. Range cattle are in good shape, with feeding active.

SOUTH PLAINS: Cotton harvesting is starting again. About 75 percent of the crop is in, with much of it field-stored in modules. Sugar beet harvesting is about 75 percent complete. The area has good moisture due to the heavy snows. Wheat is doing well.

ROLLING PLAINS: Farmers need open weather to resume cotton harvesting. Some of the crop is stringing out of bolls and is losing quality due to recent wet weather. Most small grains have been planted, with early fields growing well due to improved moisture. Some stocker cattle are moving into wheat and oat fields.

NORTH CENTRAL: Dryness continues to hamper wheat and other small grains. Most farmers are shaping up cropland for spring. Cold weather and lack of grazing has increased cattle feeding. The pecan crop is poor.

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TUESDAY

- Steak Fingers
- Gravy
- Tater Tots
- Green Lima Beans
- Carrot-Raisin Salad
- Spice Cake

WEDNESDAY

- Smothered Liver w-Onions
- Second Entree - Doris's Choice
- Carrot Coins
- Whipped Potatoes
- Pineapple Ring Salad
- Pistachio Pudding

THURSDAY

- Chicken and Dumplings
- Blackeyed Peas
- Fried Okra
- Tossed Salad
- Orange Jello Salad

FRIDAY

- Catfish
- Second Entree - Doris's Choice
- Buttered Squash
- Hush Puppies
- Mixed Vegetables
- Coleslaw
- Strawberry Apple Sauce

Chili Supper At Hermleigh

HERMLEIGH—The Hermleigh Lions Club will sponsor a chili supper Tuesday night.

Serving will begin at 5:30 p. m. in the Hermleigh School Cafeteria. Tickets are priced at \$1.50 each for adults and \$1 each for children under 12 years old.

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New Meat Source Sought...

Javelina May Spice Up Meals

KINGSVILLE, Texas (AP) — Tired of the same old meat and potatoes menu? How about a javelina?

Scientists at Texas A&I University say javelina might be the perfect solution to spice up your next special dinner.

The ornery wild pigs native to South Texas are being studied for their value as future meat source.

Dr. Robert Brown, a wildlife nutritionist, says it will be a long time before consumers can buy javelina roast from

the butcher. But the critters could be an answer to future food shortages.

Javelinas, also called collared peccaries, live in herds from South Texas down through Central and South America.

The bristle-covered creatures with long snouts weigh up to 50 pounds. They sprout nasty tusks that can tear a man apart if an animal is cornered and charges. Little is known of their habits, but they apparently eat mostly

prickly pear cactus. They are a different species from the razorback hogs, which descend from European wild boars.

"The overall purpose of the project is to increase the production of South Texas' 19,000 acres of rangeland. Brown said of the semi-arid region that boasts the King Ranch and other large cattle spreads.

"If the land is more productive to javelina and deer than cattle, then perhaps maybe we ought to go in that direction," said Brown.

The Cesar Kleberg Wildlife Foundation, established by a member of the famous King Ranch family, is funding the \$300,000, two-year project. Brown said the entire research will take several more years and is optimistic the foundation will continue its support.

The main road through the university, whose mascot is a javelina, dead ends at the King Ranch.

Scientists will study what javelinas eat, how much they consume and how they interact behaviorally and biologically with other range animals.

The hunting of javelina (pronounced hav-a-leena)

seems more popular with out-of-state hunters than with Texas marksmen, the scientist said. Most Texas counties impose a limit of two animals per season. No one has estimated their population.

In some areas around Del Rio, herds almost have become overpopulated since few hunters have gone after them.

Brown said the research could lead to increasing the animal's game value and possibly specialty ranches for raising them domestically.

Despite the javelina's nasty reputation, individual animals have become pets.

Christy, a 4-year-old sow, was donated to the research project by a lady who raised her almost from birth. The animal became over-protective of its master and started charging anyone entering the front yard.

Christy became an instant hit with graduate students who say she drinks beer from long-neck bottles and will sit in certain people's laps.

Gary Carl, a graduate student from Hillersburg, Pa., is assisting Brown. He received a month-old javelina, since named Petunia, for the project.

"She was sick when I first got her. She had a cold. So I don't think she's grown as much as others do," he said of the strange-looking little animal that follows him around the laboratory like a dog.

Javelinas are one-person pets and Carl cautions visitors against trying to pet Petunia

as she already is growing tusks.

Petunia sleeps in the cut-off leg of a pair of jeans and has graduated from baby food to apples and puppy food. When she's happy, she grunts contentedly and enjoys being held in Carl's arms.

"I used to give lectures to my students about not making pets out of their experimental animals. I've given up on that," Brown said.

Henrietta, two weeks old, recently joined Petunia in the javelina nursery on campus. She was caught near Del Rio by other students in the project.

Both animals will be transferred eventually to a holding facility near campus. The project has four adult animals and three babies. Carl wants to have eight and probably 12 javelinas before starting intense study of their feeding habits.

Dr. Terry McLendon, a range management specialist, conducts another research project on javelinas at a different pasture near campus. McLendon's assistants take detailed notes on exactly what javelinas, deer, goats, cattle and antelope eat. The compiled information will be used to determine how efficiently each species uses its environment.

Pickup Converted To Battery Power
WINSTON-SALEM, N.C. (AP) — Two men here recently converted an American-manufactured pickup truck from gasoline power to battery power. The conversion cost \$8,500 and took eight days to complete.

Tests performed by the automotive crew at R.J. Reynolds Tobacco, where the developers work, have shown the cost of operating the electric truck is less than two cents a mile. That compares with 13 cents a mile to operate the same truck when gasoline-powered.

PUBLIC RECORDS

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Rodger Blackard, 1981 Chevrolet, from Mal Donelson Chev. Co.
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Blankenship Packer Service, Inc., 1981 Ford, from Wilson Mtrs.
Vicente Olivarez Construction Co., 1981 Ford, from Wilson Mtrs.
E.D. Walton, 1981 Cadillac, from Brown & Gray Mtrs.
Garcia, 1981 Jeep, from Dupree Mtrs.
David Waltz, 1981 Spirit, from Dupree Mtrs.
F. Kenneth Clark, 1980 Ford, from Wilson Mtrs.
Travis Stokes, 1981 Ford, from Wilson Mtrs.

MARRIAGE LICENSES
George Phillip Ator of Richardson and Pamela Gail Milner of Snyder.

Discussion Of Brucellosis Control Set

New regulations to bring about the effective control of brucellosis and lead to the eradication of brucellosis from cattle herds in the State of Texas will be the topic at a meeting Tuesday at 7:30 p. m. in Room A of the Scurry County Coliseum.

Texas has been divided into two control areas. Each area will be governed by dual test and permit requirements for movement.

The free vaccination program using a reduced dosage of Strain 19 is available to eligible animals and will be explained.

Dr. Charles Church and Dr. Robert Kidd will discuss the programs. Representatives from the Texas Animal Health Commission will also be present to answer questions.

Livestock producers should plan to attend this meeting, said Billy Roach, county extension agent.

Jimmy Don Spriggs of Snyder and Donna Christine Howell of Colorado City.
Benjamin Morales Martinez of Snyder and Maria Stella Reyna of Snyder.
Joe David Brower of Hobbs, N.M., and Ruth Ann Fagin of Snyder.

Michael Scott Clark of Snyder and Susan Lynn Minor of Snyder.
Raymond Dixon Phillips of Taylor and Laurie Lynn Allen of Snyder.

William Chester Horn Jr. of Lorgansport, La., and Evalyn Walker of Snyder.

FILED IN DISTRICT COURT
Uda Wasson Jolly vs. Bobby Ford, doing business as Snyder Fiberglass Co., suit for damages.

Snyder Independent School District vs. Bill R. Luna, delinquent tax suit.

Snyder Independent School District vs. Felix Martinez, delinquent tax suit.

Snyder Independent School District vs. J.B. Newton, delinquent tax suit.

Snyder Independent School District vs. Rudolph H. Norwood, delinquent tax suit.

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Snyder Independent School District vs. Martin Pena Jr., delinquent tax suit.

Snyder Independent School District vs. Felipe Pesina, delinquent tax suit.

Snyder Independent School District vs. Robert Ely Phillips, delinquent tax suit.

ACTION IN DISTRICT COURT

In the matter of the estate of Joseph E. Murphy and Lillie M. Murphy, judgment granted.

WARRANTY DEEDS

Kate Voss, et al, to Melva Jean Sturdivant, et vir, the west 50 feet of the east 75 feet of lot 2, all in blk. 48 of Hermling.

Roy Glenn Justice, et ux, to Maxsl Humble, et ux, a part of lot 1 in blk. 20 of the Blankenship Addition.

Maxsl E. Humble, et ux, to Gary Nicholson Hood, et ux, all of lots 49-52 in blk. 31 of the Belmont Park Heights Addition.

Eulalia Ramirez to Gregory Ramirez Jr., all of lot 22 in the McDowell Subdivision of the Cody Heights Addition.

William Ziske, et ux, to Hussein, Inc., a tract of land in section 98 in blk. 3.

Doyle Holdridge to Paul Thompson Jr., et ux, the north 50 acres of the east 100 acres of the south half of section 154 in blk. 97.

Sam H. Stephens to Loys von Roeder, all of lot 1 and the west six feet of lot 2 in blk. 2 of section 2 of the Martin Addition.



HEALTH

Lawrence E. Lamb, M.D.

Improper use of sun lamps

By Lawrence Lamb, M.D.

DEAR DR. LAMB — Could you give us some information about sun lamps? I've been told by several people that the rays that the lamps give off cause cancers. I know that the sun can cause cancer if you're exposed to it too much.

Is the risk the same with use of the lamps as with the sun? Also why do you have to wear goggles or glasses? I don't think these sun lamps would still be on the market if they harmed people.

DEAR READER — Unfortunately, there are all kinds of things on the market that will harm people, particularly if they're not used properly.

The kind of sun lamp you're talking about produces ultraviolet light. It usually does so in a concentrated amount and that's why the exposure has to be of such short duration as compared to sunlight. It doesn't take very long, particularly if you're close to the sun lamp, to cause skin damage.

Yes, the ultraviolet light from a sun lamp has the same effects as ultraviolet light from sunrays. Both sun lamps and sunlight in excessive amounts can increase your chances of having skin cancer.

Fortunately, many of these skin cancers are relatively mild and can be completely cured if corrected immediately. However, once a person starts having one he may have crops of them because of the multiple areas of damage to the skin.

The information on ultraviolet radiation from the sun is included in The Health Letter number 7-10, Your Skin: Sun, Aging, Spots and Cancer, that I am sending you. Others who want this issue can send 75

cents with a long, stamped, self-addressed envelope for it to me, in care of this newspaper, P.O. Box 1551, Radio City Station, New York, NY 10019.

The goggles on the eyes are to protect the eyes from ultraviolet radiation. Your eyes are particularly sensitive to this form of damage.

DEAR DR. LAMB — Two years ago my daughter had a glucose tolerance test and was told that she had an abundance of sugar in her urine but her blood was all right. She was described as a borderline diabetic.

Now she's 20 and living in another state. Another doctor said she has renal glycosuria. What is that? What happens when you have it? The doctor gave her no medicine. In fact, he told her nothing except that she had sugar in the urine but her blood was all right.

DEAR READER — Her doctor told her just about all there is to be said. Your kidney really acts as a blood filter. The sugar in the blood passes out into the tiny kidney tubules. Then it is normally reabsorbed back into the bloodstream.

In a normal person if the blood sugar level gets around 160 or above, sugar will spill into the urine. In a person with renal glycosuria, the threshold is lower and she may spill glucose into the urine even when the blood glucose level is within the normal range, let's say below 150.

These people do not have diabetes. They just have a reabsorption defect within the kidney tubule. It usually causes no harm and in most instances the greatest danger is that someone will confuse it with diabetes.

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NEW YORK (AP) — Some symbols of luxury are caught up in the inflation spiral.
Consider 1940 prices in relation to 1980 prices for the following: a 40-foot yacht, \$20,000 in 1940, compared with \$200,000 today; tuition at Princeton, \$450 and \$6,000; a flawless 3-carat diamond, \$3,000 and \$75,000; a townhouse on New York's Fifth Avenue, \$55,000 and \$2.5 million.
A painting by Jan Brueghel that cost \$2,000 in 1940 is appraised now at \$560,000, a trust company study showed. Brueghel is known as a painter of peasant life.

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Canadian Drilling Firms Expected To Head South

By MAX B. SKELTON
AP Oil Writer
HOUSTON (AP) — Ed McGhee says the warning cry of "The Canadians are coming!" is going up throughout the U.S. oil patch. The executive vice president of the International Association of Drilling Contractors says the modern-day invaders are fleeing from Canadian Prime Minister Pierre Trudeau and the new federal tax and national energy policies revealed in late October.

McGhee said the United States in 1981 will see a lot of wells financed by Canadian money and a lot drilled by Canadian rigs. "Coming they are — rigs, trucks, men, know-how, and money," McGhee said. How much money and how many men, he said, remain to be determined. "No one can say until the dust settles on the fight between Trudeau and the rebellious leaders in Canada's western provinces," he said. "In the meantime, many

investors and contractors say they don't wish to hang around to see the outcome. They remember the recession of the mid-1970s when Trudeau last decided to bring the petroleum industry to heel. This time, the premier aims straighter to the heart — he's talking nationalization. Reporting to the trade group membership in the December edition of "Drilling Contractor," McGhee said the bulk of 1980 Canadian petroleum budgets probably were irrevocably committed before Trudeau announced his

programs. "Most rigs have work that will carry them past Jan. 1," he said. "The crisis is building as 1981 budgets, already in shambles, must be drawn upon. The point-of-no-return coincides with the annual 'break-up' when thawing roads make rig moves not only impossible but also illegal. Many operators and contractors will elect to cut losses by suspending Canadian operations prior to that time. And, barring unforeseen political miracles,

the still frozen roads will be filled by equipment moving south." McGhee said most of the rigs will head first for the northern U.S. Rockies or the U.S. Williston Basin in the Montana-Dakotas area. "Once there, their owners hope for an operator farther south to finance the long haul into the heart of the U.S. oil patch," he said.

McGhee said the Canadian drilling fleet now includes about 600 rigs. "A month ago, almost all were fully employed," he said. "Now, owners of perhaps 200 of these units are talking of moving out soon." He said some of the rigs will go to South America, Southeast Asia or Africa but most will carry a U.S. destination. "The reasons are simple," he said. "Little time will be lost in shipment or in finding work. Operations can be conducted virtually year-round."

only four U.S. contractors have managed to clear the bureaucratic hurdles necessary to get permission to operate rigs above the 49th parallel. But, he added, part of the potential damage to U.S. contractors is offset by the influx of Canadian exploration funds even though the exact amount is difficult to assess. "Some say it exceeds an annual rate of \$1 billion," he said. "If so, Canadian money will be financing an equivalent of about 100 of the Canadian rigs which compete for U.S.

work." Meanwhile, he said, U.S. activity continues to employ domestic onshore rigs at an estimated 98 percent utilization rate. "This is about the maximum sustainable," McGhee said. But some utilization erosion is anticipated in January, he said, because winter weather will begin to interfere with some equipment moves. "Hopefully, the problem will not reach the proportions it has in some past years," he said.

In The Oil Patch...

Eight Locations Set In Diamond 'M' Field

Monsanto Co., Midland, has staked eight locations in the Diamond "M" (Clear Fork) field in Scurry County, 11 miles southwest of Snyder. All of the locations are to be drilled to 3,500 feet and all are in block 97, H&TC survey. No. 19 Jack is 330 feet from south and east lines of section 196. The No. 20 Jack is located 2,300 feet from south and 2,250 feet from east lines of section 196. Location for the No. 21 Jack is 2,300 feet from south and 2,050 feet from west lines of section 196. Drillsite for No. 65 McLaughlin A-C 1 is 330 feet from south and east lines of section 197.

No. 68 McLaughlin A-C 3 is located 330 feet from south and 1,500 feet from east lines of section 201. The No. 8 Thurston spots 2,280 feet from north and 330 feet from east lines of section 183. Location for the No. 9 Thurston is 1,645 feet from north and 900 feet from east lines of section 183. Monsanto's No. 10 Thurston spots 996 feet from north and 330 feet from east lines of section 183. Ellpen Inc., Colorado City, has made plans to drill four projects in the Sharon Ridge (1700) field in Scurry County. They are all slated to 1,950 feet. They are also in section 103, block 97, H&TC survey, three miles southwest of Ira. No. 10 Thomas is 2,310 feet from south and 990 feet from east lines of the section. No. 12 Thomas spots 1,650 feet from south and 990 feet from east lines of the section. No. 14 Thomas is 890 feet from south and 990 feet from east lines of the section. The No. 16 Thomas spots 330 feet from south and 990 feet from east lines of the section. The Tri-Rue (Reef) field of Scurry County gained a new location with the staking of JEM Petroleum Corp., Englewood, Colo., No. 1 Blues Brothers. It is slated to 7,100 feet and spots 3,330 feet from south and 2,378 feet from east lines of section 173, block 97, H&TC survey, five miles southeast of Snyder. Mayco Exploration Co., Dallas, has plugged and abandoned its No. 1 H.H. Eiland, a scheduled wildcat in Scurry County, at a depth of 8,239 feet.

The following tops were picked on ground elevation of 2,454 feet: San Andres, 2,502 feet; Glorieta, 3,266 feet; Clear Fork, 3,496 feet; Wichita-Albany, 5,175 feet; Wolfcamp lime, 5,461 feet; Pennsylvanian shale, 6,426 feet; Cisco sand, 6,504 feet; Canyon sand, 6,750 feet; Pennsylvanian lime, 7,254 feet; Strawn lime, 7,570 feet; Mississippian, 8,101 feet; and Ellenburger, 8,217 feet. Texan Resources Corp. of Dallas No. 1 Vittrup has been completed as a Spraberry oil discovery in Borden County, eight miles northwest of Gail. The operator reported a daily pumping potential of 62 barrels of 38-gravity oil and 117 barrels of water, with a gas-oil ratio of 225-1. Completion was through perforations from 7,333 to 7,350 feet. Total depth is 9,922 feet, and 41-2 inch casing is cemented at 7,533 feet. The strike is 11-4 miles northeast of Spraberry production in the Borden multipay field and 1,980 feet from south and east lines of section 35, block 32, T-6-N, T&P survey. Kenai Oil & Gas, Inc., of Midland No. 1 Beal is a new 8,000-foot wildcat in Borden County, 10 miles northeast of Vealmoor. Location is 660 feet from south and east lines of section 4, block 27, H&TC survey. It is a southeast offset to a former well in the depleted Pancho-Mag field which produced at 7,652 feet. South Plains Petroleum of Brownfield announced location for a 5,912-foot project in the Canning Wolfcamp) field of Borden County, 18

miles southeast of Gail. Scheduled as No. 1 Canning Unit, the project is 1,980 feet from south and 2,080 feet from west lines of section 142, block 25, H&TC survey. Tesora Petroleum Corp. of San Antonio announced location for an 8,000-foot wildcat in Kent County, 26 miles east of Post. Scheduled as No. 1 Garrett-Stewart, it is 1,980 feet from south and east lines of section 87, block G, W&NW survey, Ground elevation is 2,221 feet. Fairchild Oil & Gas of Midland, No. 1-B.B.L. Coffman is a re-entry wildcat in Fisher County, three miles northeast of Rotan. Originally abandoned at 3,840 feet in 1967, the project will be deepened to 3,900 feet. Location is 467 feet from north and 2,199 feet from east lines of section 173, block 2, H&TC survey.

WTC Paper Rated High In Judging

The Western Texan, the student newspaper at Western Texas College, has received a second place rating for 1979-80 from the Columbia Scholastic Press Association at Columbia University in New York City. The publication earned a total of 805 points of a possible 1,000, only 45 points shy of first place in the junior-community college division. Judged in four categories, the paper received 184 of a possible 225 in content-coverage, 320 of a possible 425 in writing-editing, 266 of a possible 300 in design-display, and 35 of a possible 50 in special credit.

Critic Judge James Paschal of the University of Oklahoma School of Journalism wrote, "A very newsy campus newspaper—one that's even interesting in its array of offerings. This underscores concern of the paper's staff." Editors of the Western Texan in the fall of 1979 were Sheila Sandbothe and Monette Sentell, and the editor for the spring of 1980 was Lois Gleason. Adviser is Dr. Michael McBride, associate professor of journalism.

Museum Shows Jewish Works

NEW YORK (AP) — A series of silkscreens and paintings by Andy Warhol are being shown at the Jewish Museum through Jan. 4, 1981. The works depict 10 Jewish personalities of this century. Also on view at the museum — through Jan. 11 — is an exhibition of paintings by the Israeli artist, Dan Reisinger. Classified Ads 573-5486

HEALTH TIP from DEAN

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Stenosis is a condition in which fatty deposits narrow the arteries, reducing blood flow. In the neck arteries it may lead to stroke. A new technique, phonoangiography, developed by M.I.T. enables the doctor to estimate the diameter of the neck arteries. There is evidence that grapefruit juice, taken daily, helps to dissolve and remove fatty deposits in blood vessels—similar to purging the corrosion in plumbing pipes. Grapefruit and other citrus juices likewise serve to prevent the formation of excess fatty deposits in blood vessels.

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Faculty Art Aims To 'Capture' West Texas

Preparing this year's Faculty Art Exhibit has been a new experience for the artists, Mike Thornton and John Gibson.

This is their first joint show in the sense that they combined their expertise in the 2-D and 3-D areas to produce the works to be displayed in the show opening Sunday.

"We were attempting to capture the essence of West Texas in these paintings and ceramics," Thornton and

Gibson said. The paintings are representational landscapes, and the same feeling is prevalent in the designs of the ceramic pieces.

"We feel that this show will be fun for those who see it, just as it has been pleasurable for us in creating it," Thornton mused. "It's lighthearted, and our previewers seem to catch that mood when they look at the exhibit coming together."

A reception is planned for the show's opening on Sunday afternoon, with the hours from

2-4 p.m. in the Fine Arts Gallery. The public is invited to attend and there will be no admission charge.

An eye-catching "West Texas Dinner Party" will highlight an original design stoneware service for eight, plus accessory pieces including casseroles, platters, a pitcher, butter or cheese dish, and knife rests.

"These knife rests have been real conversation pieces already," the artists said. "They are very useful, really, providing a place for the knife to rest during a meal, but they are not in general use and not many of our early lookers have seen them before."

The oven-proof stoneware will be for sale, as are all the works in the show.

The Faculty Art Exhibit is to remain in place through Dec. 19 and may be seen on week days from 9 a.m. to 4 p.m. with no admission charge. The Fine Arts Gallery features a variety of exhibits throughout the school year and persons interested in information about the exhibits are invited to call the Fine Arts Division office at 573-8511, extension 234.

Banquet Set For Members Of RSVP

Retired Senior Volunteer Program members will be honored for their service to the community at the annual Christmas recognition banquet Tuesday night in the Senior Center.

RSVP is an organization for retired persons 60 years of age and older who enjoy giving their time as volunteers in community service, Marsha Hrenek, RSVP director, said. The organization does not hold meetings and members do not pay dues. They get together in small groups as they work at their volunteer work stations and for special social occasions, with the Christmas banquet a highlight of the year.

The agencies which cooperate with the organization by utilizing the volunteers are also honored by RSVP.

Volunteers who will be honored for more than 1,000 hours of service at Tuesday's banquet are Rita Dowdy with 1,683 hours, Estelle Gary with 1,509 hours, Beulah Hooper with 1,469 hours, Rosa Kennedy with 1,231 hours, and Blanche Arnold with 1,080 hours. Many other volunteers are also to be cited.

Musical entertainment for the evening will be furnished by Darrell Collins, vocalist, and Jane Womack, pianist.

Oil Spills Spawn New Industry

By R.D. GERSH
Associated Press Writer
NORFOLK, Va. (AP) — Trust American ingenuity to turn cleaning up oil spills into an industry. There's even a national organization.

Although the Spill Control Association of America is about six years old, oil spill cleanups started turning into a business after a 1970 federal law mandated the recovery of spilled oil.

And "when an industry gets started, you have to invent things," says James Parker, president of Industrial Marine Service, who has.

IMS, which started out 22 years ago in the petroleum tank cleaning business, now finds about half its work in fixing up the mess of dripping tankers, burst pipelines and leaking oil rigs, Parker says.

IMS now has 60 employees; 18 work full time in the oil spill business. Parker figures he's worked on some 1,000 oil spills since he got into the business — about 50 so far this year — mostly in the North Carolina-Virginia-Maryland area, although he's dispatched his caravan of trucks and equipment as far as Galveston, Texas, and the St. Lawrence River.

Lt. Bob Strong, executive officer of the Coast Guard's Atlantic Strike Team, which

answers calls on major oil spills, says some '95 percent of all the jobs we would respond to involve some commercial effort."

Involvement in the business of mopping up oil spills — and what's turning into a corollary industry of cleaning up hazardous wastes — has Parker complaining he can't find enough time to go to all the conferences.

Parker says IMS has worked on cleanups involving, among other things, asbestos, potassium hydroxide and PCB.

After watching a seagull struggle in the water and get coated with oil, Parker theorized that the greater the area the greater amount of oil picked up.

Out came a small and inexpensive pom-pom device made out of strips of plastic that resembles a hula skirt for midgets. Swirl it around and it picks up oil out of the water.

Then there's the huge vacuum tank Parker designed so it can be lifted off its trailer and onto a barge or landing craft. And the three-wheeled motorcycles he bought so crew foremen wouldn't have to spend time walking up and down miles of beach supervising crews.

All so simple, except that "by the time you get a machine designed to do what

you've just finished doing the hard way, the job is done and the next job is completely different," Parker says.

"You have to find a way to get your two-for-ones and three-for-ones and four-for-ones, so you don't get stuck with one-purpose equipment."

New contraptions notwithstanding, both Parker and Strong say that sometimes the best thing you can do is get a good many pitchforks and rake up all the gunk.

Strong puts it this way:

"There's no really easy way to deal with mucky, gucky water. And with a massive inundation of water, there's no technique man can devise that's really effective. We're just lucky that oil floats."

Since it's an industry that works on crises, "there's very little you can do to increase your business," Parker says. "You get treated like an undertaker. They tell you, 'We're sure glad you came, but I hope I never see you again.'"

Meter To Help Curb Energy Costs

MINNEAPOLIS (AP) — Americans may soon be using a meter to cut down on their home energy costs.

The U.S. Department of Energy and the Department of Consumer and Corporate Affairs in Canada, in conjunction with Honeywell, are testing 100 homes in six cities

where each family involved can actually see energy costs change minute-by-minute. The key to the experiment is a prototype home energy cost indicator.

The instrument records how much gas and electricity is being used in the house in up to the minute dollars and cents.

ASTRO-GRAPH



Your Birthday

Bernice Bede Osol

December 8, 1980

New horizons offer adventure and excitement for you in the coming year. You'll cast aside old, fruitless ties for the thrill of fresh exploration.

SAGITTARIUS (Nov. 23-Dec. 21) Don't be afraid to be a bit of a dreamer today because your wishes have ways of becoming realities. Be imaginative as well as expectant and hopeful. Find out more of what lies ahead for you in the year following your birthday by sending for your copy of Astro-Graph. Mail \$1 for each to Astro-Graph, Box 489, Radio City Station, N.Y. 10019. Be sure to specify birth date.

CAPRICORN (Dec. 22-Jan. 19) Because of unusual circumstances which may not be totally visible to you today, a secret ambition may be fulfilled.

AQUARIUS (Jan. 20-Feb. 19) Take advantage of any opportunities today to mingle with groups where you can meet new people. Someone important to your future plans may cross your path.

PISCES (Feb. 20-March 20) You are entering a new achievement cycle, so it behooves you to give vent to your ambitions for worthwhile objectives. You can do what needs doing.

ARIES (March 21-April 19) You could discover an entirely new way of doing something today regarding an important matter. Proceed with your fresh thoughts, even if they're incomplete.

TAURUS (April 20-May 20) This is a good day to launch commercial ventures, especially if they are with someone you've done well with previously. A replay is likely.

GEMINI (May 21-June 20) Take any agreements you enter into today seriously. They are apt to have far-reaching effects. If you feel uncertain, postpone your commitment.

CANCER (June 21-July 22) If you've been planning to start a diet or a new health program, this is a good day to get it off the pad. Instead of delaying it, begin now.

LEO (July 23-Aug. 22) Things will be picking up for you where your social life is concerned. New contacts will stimulate new interests for activities which should turn out to be fun.

VIRGO (Aug. 23-Sept. 22) Conditions affecting the security and well-being of you and your family are about to improve. You could experience some early indications today.

LIBRA (Sept. 23-Oct. 23) A new understanding can be reached today with one whose views aren't always in harmony with yours. Operating on the same wavelength will make a dynamite team.

SCORPIO (Oct. 24-Nov. 22) Your financial and material prospects should begin to improve as of today. Be on the alert for ways to add to your resources.

A new and more positive you will emerge this coming year. Situations where you once were content to remain in the background or on the sidelines will no longer have an appeal.

SAGITTARIUS (Nov. 23-Dec. 21) There is something commanding about your demeanor today that will cause others to want to fall in line behind your banner. You lead by example. Romance, travel, luck, resources, possible pitfalls and career for the coming months are all discussed in your Astro-Graph which begins with your birthday. Mail \$1 for each to Astro-Graph, Box 489, Radio City Station, N.Y. 10019. Be sure to specify birth date.

CAPRICORN (Dec. 22-Jan. 19) Persons working for you behind the scenes are aware of what you want done and, if left to their own devices, they will perform as expected.

AQUARIUS (Jan. 20-Feb. 19) Projects or ventures in which you recently became interested are apt to be those with which you'll have most success today. Give them the time they deserve.

PISCES (Feb. 20-March 20) Establish lofty goals today, because you'll perform better when you feel your target is worthy of maximum effort. Pull out all the stops.

ARIES (March 21-April 19) You'll not suffer from a lack of ideas today; your problem will be having too many! A desire for doing more than you can handle might cause frustration.

TAURUS (April 20-May 20) Normally you're a trifle reluctant to make changes, but today you may be anxious to alter situations merely because you're bored with the way they're going.

GEMINI (May 21-June 20) Because you're able to see alternatives available today, your judgment in important matters is keener than usual. Utilize this asset.

CANCER (June 21-July 22) Unless you find ways to use your time productively today, you could become a bit moody and restless. Seek worthy outlets to prevent this.

LEO (July 23-Aug. 22) You'll be lucky in most areas today, but your good fortune could desert you in financial gambles. Don't let anyone tout you on to betting on long shots.

VIRGO (Aug. 23-Sept. 22) Continue to be alert for developments that might enhance your domestic and material security. Things are stirring which could prove advantageous.

LIBRA (Sept. 23-Oct. 23) One of the reasons you'll make such a favorable impression today is your enthusiastic attitude. It's contagious.

SCORPIO (Oct. 24-Nov. 22) Your material prospects are very encouraging today, especially regarding old projects or enterprises. Something on which you've worked hard should pay off.

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Program Schedule At Senior Center

Choirs from Stanfield Elementary and Central Elementary will be entertaining visitors to the Senior Center this week.

The students from Stanfield's sixth grade choir will sing on Monday, with the Central Elementary Singers performing on Tuesday. Both programs will begin at 11:30 a.m. in the dining room.

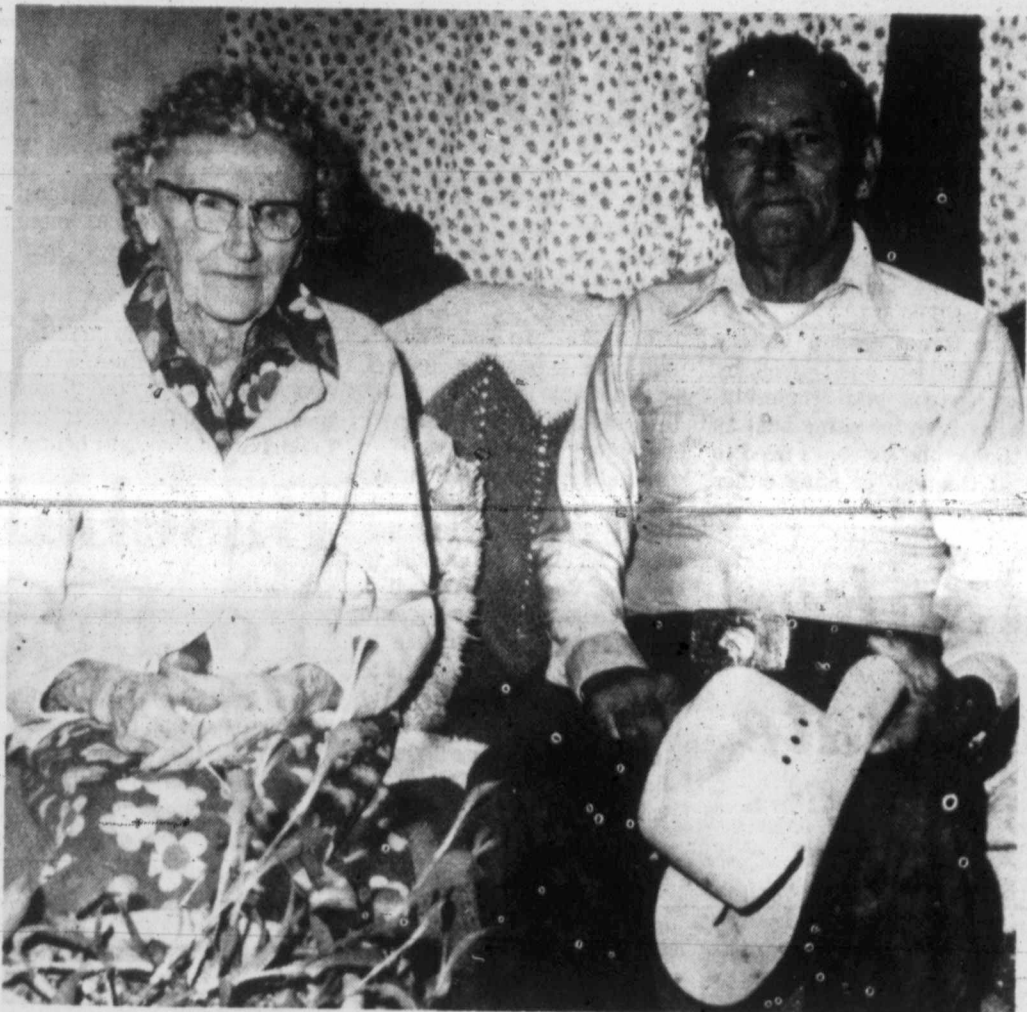
Senior Citizens who have been working with Paula Fox on liquid embroidery are reminded that they need to finish the decorations being made so they can be put in place for the holiday season. Monday afternoon's session will feature color blending and shading.

The Senior Center's Sunshine Choir will be entertaining for

the Retired Teachers Association Christmas party at 5 p.m. on Thursday. Choir members meet for practice at 1 p.m. each Friday.

Swimming in the indoor pool at Western Texas College is still regular activity for Senior Citizens on Tuesday afternoons. There will be no swimming on Dec. 16 because of the Christmas dinner or on Dec. 23 and 30 because of the holidays at the college.

The Senior Center, located at 2603 Ave. M, is open each weekday and offers a varied program of activities for county residents 60 years of age and older. Information about the Center may be obtained by visiting on weekdays or by calling the office at 573-0104.



MUTUAL BIRTHDAY - Pearl Smith and E.L. Hill have in common a birthday. Both were born on Dec. 4, she in 1887 and he in 1914. Friends for 28 years, they have begun a custom of eating together on their birthday.

For the past four years they have alternated in either fixing lunch for the other or else buying lunch for the other. This year they ate out, with Hill picking up the tab. (SDN Staff Photo)

Senegal Art Is On Exhibit

NEW ORLEANS (AP) — The New Orleans Museum of "Contemporary Art of Senegal" is being exhibited at

temporary art from the West African nation of Senegal, and it surveys the works of more than 50 Senegalese artists.

AFS Seeking Family For Foreign Student

The American Field Service International-Intercultural Programs offer Snyder area families the opportunity to meet the world face to face.

Families are being sought by the Snyder AFS Chapter to host foreign students for the coming school year. Each visiting student is between the ages of 16 and 19 and lives as a member of a family while attending classes at Snyder High School. The Snyder AFS Chapter hopes to host one student for the 1981-82 school year.

"The AFS program is extremely rewarding to the host family as well as beneficial to the student," said Roy Carter, local AFS spokesman. "Families learn and grow together by acquiring new perspectives about another culture."

A major quality desired in a host family is an openness to new ideas. Although many host families have children of their own of high school age, families with young children or no children are eligible to host AFS students and are encouraged to apply. Host families are not asked to make special expenditures for their

AFS student, but they do pay food costs and incidental expenses which they would for any child. Host families may take a monthly tax deduction of \$50 in accordance with provisions made by the Internal Revenue Service. AFS extends medical coverage to its students and a monthly allowance.

"More important than the financial contribution a family makes is the interest and attention they provide the AFS student, which is usually more than compensated by the rewards they gain in return," Carter stressed.

The candidates who apply for a year's stay in the U.S. are carefully screened through their own national offices and the international

headquarters of AFS, located in New York City. There are currently 3,241 students from 55 nations living and studying in American communities across the country.

Said one host mother, "AFS proves that it is easy to forget national barriers and find a base for growth and understanding; we discovered much about human nature in general and our children were awakened to an interest for the world and the people living in it."

Families interested in participating in the AFS experience may contact Barbara McCormick at 573-9962, or Carter at Snyder High School, 573-6301, or at his home, 573-2818.

Postmaster Has Tips On Mailing

With the Christmas mailing season underway, Snyder Postmaster Jack Tilson has offered some tips for customers to make sure their cards and packages arrive on time and in good shape.

In addition to shopping early, Tilson urges customers to properly address cards and packages with the name, street number and name or post office box number, the city, state and ZIP code reserved for the last line. It's also a good idea to put a slip of paper with the recipient's name and address and your return address inside parcels. Be sure to include your return address including your ZIP Code on all envelopes and packages.

Tilson also reminds customers to check the size of their envelopes before mailing Christmas cards. Letter size standards which went into effect last year require envelopes to be at least three-and-a-half inches high and five inches long to be accepted for mailing.

The Postal Service is also asking its customers to put an ounce of care into preparing packages for mailing. Parcels will arrive at their destination in good shape if mailers follow a few simple instructions:

1. Make sure the contents

are well cushioned and there is no empty space in the box. Use crumpled newspaper around the item, on the bottom, the sides and on top of your gift. Foamed plastic shells and air pocket padding also are good cushions.

2. Brown wrapping paper and twine are not necessary. Wrapping paper can rip off, and twine can get caught in processing machinery.

3. Use sealing tape to close off and seal the box. Three types are recommended—pressure-sensitive tape, kraft paper reinforced with nylon or glass and filament-reinforced pressure-sensitive tape. Don't use masking tape or cellophane tape. They're no longer recommended due to past poor performance.

4. Use smudge-proof ink for the address which should appear in the lower right corner of the box. Write your return address in the upper left corner. Be sure to include ZIP Code for both the addressee's address and your address.

5. Remove any other labels or addresses from the carton.

6. Mail early in the month and mail early in the day to avoid the rush.

7. Send irreplaceable articles, cash and all valuable items by registered mail.

Sr. Center Sets Christmas Dinner

Senior Citizens who would like to attend the Christmas dinner planned on Dec. 16 in the Senior Center are reminded that reservations must be made by Friday, Dec. 12.

The dinner is scheduled for 6 p.m., and because of that meal there will be no noon luncheon on that day. Senior Citizens who don't drive after night can make arrangements for transportation to and from the Center for the Christmas dinner.

"We have planned a special holiday menu for this candlelight dinner," Gloria Shaw, Senior Center director, said. "There will be baked ham or roast baron of beef for the entree. We are also planning special entertainment, and it promises to be an enjoyable evening."

Because seating space in the dining room is limited, the dinner will be open only to those 60 years of age and older, Mrs. Shaw added. Reservations will be accepted

on a first come, first served basis. Those attending will be asked to remember the donation box because of the limited funding for meals.

The Senior Center will be closed on Dec. 25 and 26. On Dec. 24, there will be a light noon meal following a Christmas sing-along. Senior Citizens who would like to bring their families to see the holiday decorations in the Center may bring them on that morning and join in the games and singing.

Gallery Gains 2 Major Works

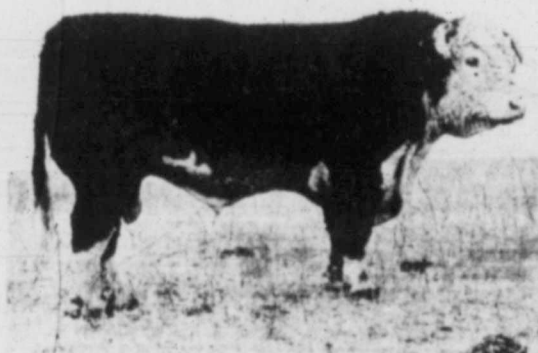
TORONTO (AP) — The Art Gallery of Ontario says it has acquired two major works of art for its permanent collection.

The works are Paul Gauguin's wood carving "Hina and Te Fatou" and the oil painting "They Will Take My Island" by Arshile Gorky.

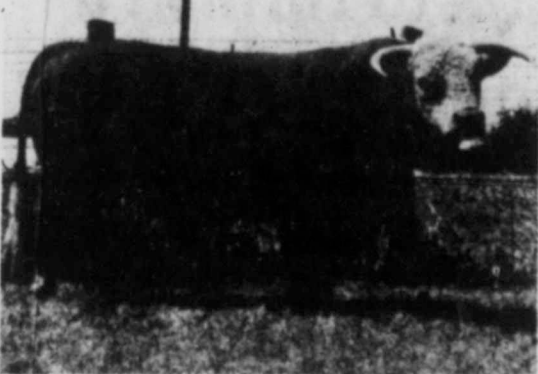
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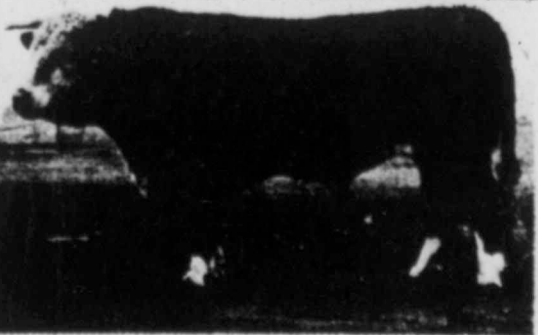
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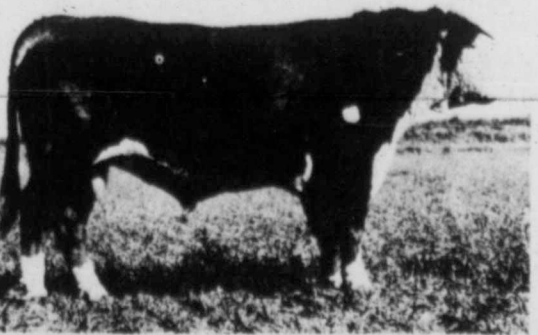
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Pro Playoff Spots Could Be Clinched Sunday

by The Associated Press
The Philadelphia Eagles, Buffalo Bills and Oakland Raiders stand atop their respective divisions in the National Football League races while the Detroit Lions and Minnesota Vikings are

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Netters Ranked No. 7 In State

Snyder High School tennis team is ranked No. 7 in the state, according to the final fall Texas Tennis Coaches Association poll.

The spring poll will begin in February.

Other area teams ranked include, from Class 5A, No. 4 Abilene Cooper, No. 7 Lubbock Monterey, No. 11 Odessa Permian, No. 17 Abilene High and No. 23 Lubbock High; from Class 4A, No. 3 Brownwood, No. 5 Brownfield, No. 8 Fort-Stockton, No. 11 Andrews, No. 18 Sweetwater and No. 19 Monahans.

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1. Georgetown, 3-0
2. Austin Westlake, 2-0

- 3. Brownwood, 1-2
- 4. Paris, 3-0-1
- 5. Brownfield, 11-0-1
- 6. Wharton, 5-2
- 7. Snyder, 3-1-1
- 8. Fort Stockton, 3-2
- 9. Kilgore, 9-3-1
- 10. Kerrville Tivy, 2-0
- Others: 11. Andrews, 12. Waco Midway, 13. Wichita Falls Hirschi, 14. Weatherford, 15. Corsicana, 16. Houston C.E. King, 17. Falluris, 18. Sweetwater, 19. Monahans, 20. Terrell

pro football summary

By The Associated Press American Conference					
East					
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Buffalo	9	4	0	692	290
New England	8	5	0	615	366
Baltimore	7	6	0	538	280
Miami	6	7	0	462	209
N.Y. Jets	3	10	0	231	344
Central					
Cleveland	9	4	0	692	290
Houston	9	5	0	643	253
Pittsburgh	8	6	0	571	314
Cincinnati	4	9	0	308	169
West					
San Diego	9	4	0	692	354
Oakland	9	4	0	692	294
Denver	7	6	0	538	250
Kansas City	6	7	0	462	234
Seattle	4	9	0	308	239
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Philadelphia	11	2	0	846	323
Dallas	10	3	0	769	386
St. Louis	4	9	0	308	265
N.Y. Giants	3	10	0	231	192
Washington	3	10	0	231	174
Central					
Detroit	7	6	0	538	260
Minnesota	7	6	0	538	252
Chicago	5	8	0	385	215
Green Bay	5	7	1	423	218
Tampa Bay	5	7	1	423	234
West					
Atlanta	10	3	0	769	333
Los Angeles	9	4	0	692	259
San Francisco	8	0	0	385	259
New Orleans	0	13	0	000	208

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Monday's Game
New England at Miami, (n)
Saturday, Dec. 13
New York Giants at Washington
Seattle at San Diego
Sunday, Dec. 14
Buffalo at New England
Cleveland at Minnesota
Houston at Green Bay
Kansas City at Pittsburgh
New Orleans at New York Jets
St. Louis at Philadelphia
San Francisco at Atlanta
Cincinnati at Chicago
Miami at Baltimore
Oakland at Denver
Tampa Bay at Detroit
Monday, Dec. 15
Dallas vs Los Angeles, (n)
Houston (AP) — A ruptured Achilles tendon has sidelined Leon Gray, Houston Oilers all-pro offensive tackle, for the remainder of the season.
Gray was injured in the second quarter of Thursday night's 6-0 Astrodom stadium victory over the Pittsburgh Steelers.

Baseball Meetings Set To Begin In Dallas

DALLAS (AP) — Baseball's winter meetings, traditionally the site of player trades and sales, begin Sunday with some of the wheeler dealers predicting plenty of action as teams try to improve their 1981 prospects.
The free agent re-entry draft offering veteran players - for a price - and complicated multi-year contracts, some of them containing no-trade clauses or requiring player approval, have reduced the number of trades made at these meetings recently. But the feeling is that some clubs have tired of the free agent auction and will return to the trading marketplace, the traditional route to roster re-shuffling.
"There will be plenty of deals," said one National League front office man. "The teams are ready to do business."
Much of the groundwork for deals at these meetings was laid at the October general managers' meetings in Miami where the most prominent names being kicked around were reliever Rollie Fingers of the San Diego Padres and center fielder Fred Lynn of the Boston Red Sox.

Fingers was rumored moving to St. Louis in a multi-player swap which also involved Padre catcher-first baseman Gene Tenace and Cardinal catcher Terry Kennedy. Last spring, the Cards and Chicago Cubs were talking about a Kennedy-for-reliever Bruce Sutter trade which never materialized.
The Cards, with one of baseball's highest payrolls, were disappointed by last season's fourth place finish in the National League East and Whitey Herzog, who doubles as manager and general manager for St. Louis, is determined to shake up his team. Herzog has said the Cards' only untouchable is shortstop Garry Templeton. That could mean new ad-

being in the playoffs for the third straight season, is trying to nail down its first division title since 1960, when the Eagles went on to win the NFL championship.
Los Angeles is seeking its eighth straight NFC West title but trails Atlanta by one game.
Philadelphia, assured of dresses for first baseman Keith Hernandez, the 1979 batting champion or catcher Ted Simmons. The New York Mets earlier rejected an offer of Hernandez for three players including reliever Neil Allen.
"We're going to make a trade," said Herzog, "and I'd give up either Simmons or Hernandez to get pitching. That's what we have to have to be a contender."
Lynn had been rumored headed for Los Angeles in exchange for four young Dodgers including Rookie of the Year reliever Steve Howe. But the Red Sox and Dodgers were bickering over the fourth player heading for Boston and the deal cooled, especially after Los Angeles re-signed Dusty Baker.

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Snyder Felines Set To Begin District Cage Play

COACH KEN Housden's varsity Felines open the 1980-81 District 2-AAAA season here Tuesday night, hosting the Mustangs of Andrews at 8 o'clock in SHS Gym.

Snyder started off the season with a shaky 3-5 record, but Housden says his team will be a factor in the district race.

"I imagine the district favorite would be Monahans, Lake View, us and Ector. Sweetwater should be real close, too," he said positively.

"OUR NEXT four games will tell a lot," Housden noted, prior to the Felines' victory at Jayton early last week. Since then, the team has been competing in the Reagan County tournament.

"We've looked real good at times, but there have been times when we've struggled. We've come a long way, though," he

added.

Snyder returns three starters from last year's District 3-3A championship team. Back are juniors Tracy O'Day and Brenda Anderson and senior Pam Gray. Theresa Browning, junior, is the only other letterman to return.

MAKING UP the rest of the squad are Vickie Gregory, Michelle Townsel, Cynthia Taylor, Shana Koonsman, LaDonna Halford and sophomore Tonya Mitchell.

"Lake View is in about the same shape," allowed the coach. "Lamesa has everthing back, but they didn't have a real good year. Monahans and Ector are always strong and should be this time, too," he added.

Snyder attributes include frontline experience, a good

defense and a competitive scoring game. Quickness?

"I THOUGHT at the first of the season quickness would be an asset to us but after seven games I'm wondering," Housden laughed. "Really, I think we can be. Yes, I think you could say that would be an asset for us. We're going to have to be quick," he added.

"We have pretty good defense and we've done a good job from the freethrow line," continued the coach. "And, I think our inside scoring game is pretty consistent and that's good. We don't have to rely on our outside shooting as much."

ONE AREA Housden will have to count on to improve is the guard spots where Snyder lost all-district material Sandy Sewell and Jamie Hataway, among others.

"We've got some good players, but of course we don't have the experience we had there," acknowledged Housden. "Right now, our ball handling and outside shooting are probably our two weakest points. It will eventually come...but it would help if it comes quickly," he smiled. "We've got the potential to be strong."

TOMORROW'S GAME with Andrews will be preceded by a 6:30 junior varsity contest.

The Mustangs overcame an 18-point, third-quarter lead to defeat the Felines 58-53 in first-round action of the Reagan County Tournament which began Thursday. Andrews comes into the game already 1-0 in district play, as the rest of the conference began play late last week.

Rankin Defense Tough As...

Red Devils Master Valley

Rankin	0	7	0	12	-19
Valley	0	0	0	8	8

Valley	Rankin	
10	First Downs	12
210	Rushing	225
53	Passing	26
4 of 12	Completions	2 of 4
7	Interceptions	0
2 for 20	Penalties-Yds	3 for 25
2	Fumbles-Lost	3
3-24.4	Punts-Avg	4-35.0

Rankin's Red Devils utilized a stingy defense and the racehorse running of sophomore Dennis Black to slip past Valley here last night and gain a berth to the Class A state football finals, 19-8.

Black rambled for 187 yards on 32 carries, including a 30-yard touchdown jaunt which decided the game's outcome in the fourth quarter.

The game between the No. 2 ranked Valley Patriots (of Turkey) and the No. 3 Red Devils was as hotly contested as one would expect of two teams of equal strength.

If either had an edge, it was in the defensive group of the Devils, whose stunting attacks kept the Pats off balance most of the night.

Rankin scored the first three touchdowns of the game, with the first occurring in the second quarter as safety Terry Turner intercepted a Pat pass to give the Devils possession at the Valley 19.

Valley lost yardage on first down and two passes fell incomplete, but on fourth and 18, quarterback Bo Rose sailed a toss to teammate Naldo Esparza over the middle for the TD. Robert Jeannotte kicked the extra point.

Rankin led in penetrations, 3-2 at the first-half buzzer, but the scoreboard showed only 7-0 as neither team was having much success pushing the ball into the end zone.

Esparza was to be a primary factor for the Red Devils later in the contest also. He picked off two interceptions defensively, including one which set up Rankin's second touchdown.

Esparza picked it off and raced to the Valley 38 before being hauled down. Just two plays later, Black did his thing for 30 yards and the touchdown that all but put the game in Rankin's pocket. The PAT failed, giving Rankin a 13-0 lead. Though 9:30 was still remaining, the Red Devils had already proven its defense

was up to the task of holding the smaller Valley line.

Turner was the key man in Rankin's final touchdown, when, following another Esparza interception, he took the handoff on a double reverse and rambled 20 yards to score. Again, the Devils were unable to convert the point-after, but led 19-0 with 5:30 to play.

Valley's touchdown came after Kirby Chandler recovered a fumble at the Rankin 43. The Patriots began to move, and bought the score when Ray Williams broke for a 28-yard scamper. Quarterback Richie Fuston made the score 19-8 when he ran over the two-point conversion.

Williams, touted as perhaps the state's best back in Class A this year, had broken a number of tackles throughout the game, but was never able to swing free long enough to turn on the jets. The Red Devils' swarming defense seemed to always have another man to help come in and finish him off at the right

time.

Still, Williams ended the night with 114 yards.

Valley followed the TD with a successful on-sides kick, but ran out of downs against the tough Red Devil defenders. A later threat ended in another interception.

Western Texas Tries Hawks-Queens Monday

BIG SPRING--Western Texas College brings its Duster and Westerner basketball teams here Monday evening for a pair of Western Athletic Conference contests with Howard County College.

The show opens at 6 with the women's teams taking the floor, followed at 8 by the men. The games will be held at Dorothy Garrett Coliseum.

Both games are expected to be "down-to-the-wire" affairs. The Dusters and Queens were both picked to finish in a tie for second place among WJAC members, according to a coaches poll released two weeks ago.

The Dusters, 12-2, are 1-0 in conference play.

WTC's Westerners, 9-2, are 1-1.

WESTERNERS SCHEDULE

Nov. 1	WTC 106, McMurry 94
Nov. 3	WTC 100, Cisco 95
Nov. 6	WTC 111, Juarez 74
Nov. 7	WTC 83, Juarez 75
Nov. 15	WTC 115, Angelo JV 79
Nov. 18	w-Tyler, cancelled
Nov. 20	WTC 84, El Reno 56 (CCC)
Nov. 21	WTC 99, C. Albert 87 (s-CCC)
Nov. 21	WTC 100, Ok. SW 90 (c-CCC)
Nov. 26	Angelo JV 104, WTC 87
Dec. 2	*South Plains 84, WTC 73
Dec. 8	*Howard Co. Big Spring 8:00
Dec. 11	*Odessa, *NMMI 86

Break For Holidays

* Conference Games

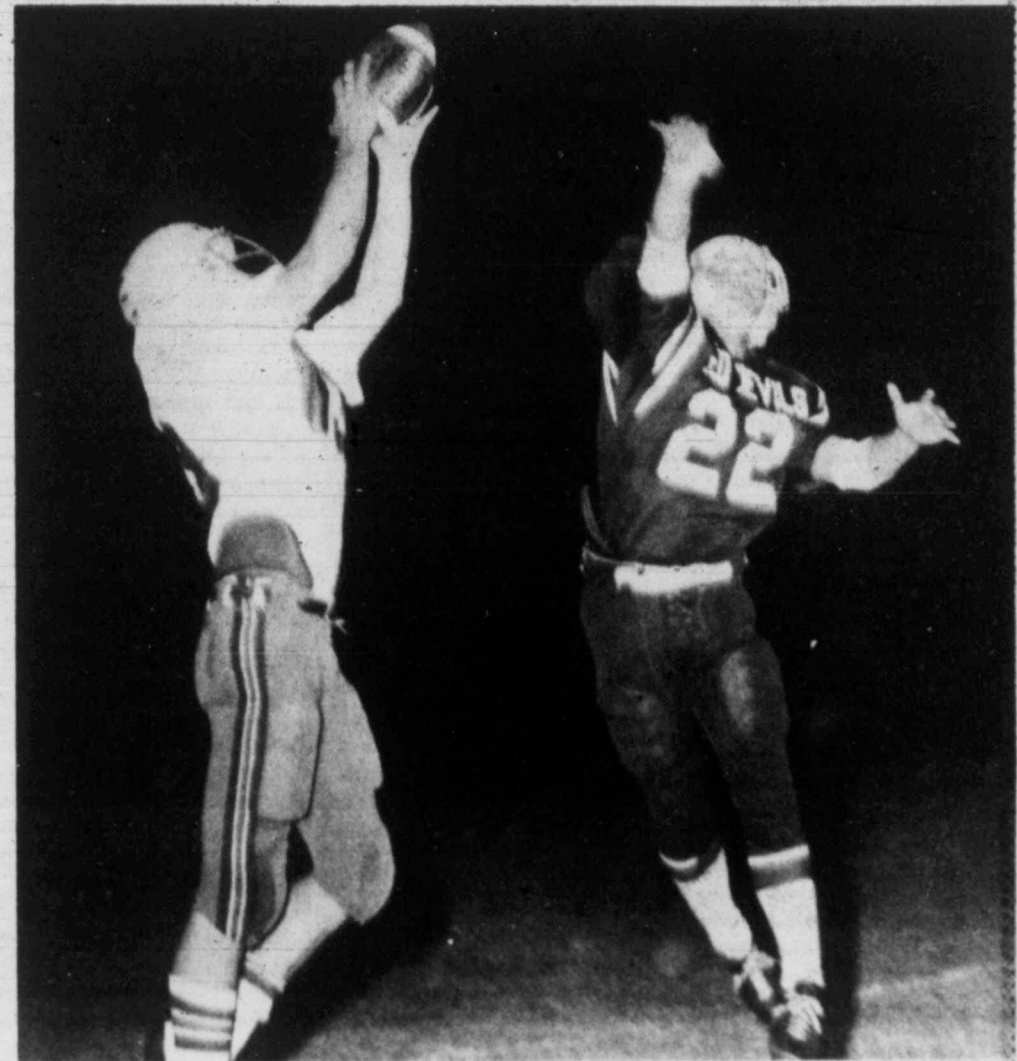
Highland Falls

COMANCHE (AP) — Tracy Hightower threw for two touchdowns and ran for another Friday night as Milford claimed the state six-man football championship for the second straight year with a 38-16 win over Highland.

Lawrence Matthews caught both touchdown passes from Hightower. Stanley Cook jaunted for two other Milford tallies.

John Paul Jones scored twice for Highland on a 60-yard kickoff return and a 48-yard run.

Milford extended its winning streak to 25 games. The loss was the first for Highland this year.



GRABS PASS—Valley appeared to be headed for a touchdown when this catch was made here Friday night, but Rankin built a defensive wall that closed down the threat, and another in the first half. Valley finally scored 8 points in the fourth quarter, but not before Rankin had amassed 19 to win a berth to the Class A state finals. Rankin's Red Devils will face Valley View for the crown. (SDN STAFF PHOTO)

schoolboy playoffs

By The Associated Press

Class 5A Quarterfinals

San Antonio Holmes 23, Alice 14

Class 4A Semifinals

Huntsville 13, Bay City 10

Class 3A Quarterfinals

Stamford 28, Littlefield 18

Pittsburg 28, Decatur 0

West 7, Waller 6

Van Vleet 0, Port Isabel 0 (Van Vleet advances on penetrations)

Class 2A Quarterfinals

Pilot Point 40, Moody 19

Forney 28, Garrison 7

Tidehaven 14, Woodsboro 0

Class A Semifinals

Valley View 7, Falls City 7 (Valley View advances on first downs)

Rankin 19, Valley 8

Six-Man Championship

Milford 38, Highland 16

Saturday's Games

Class 5A Quarterfinals

Odessa Permian vs. Amarillo, 2 p.m., at Jones Stadium, Lubbock

Highland Park vs. Plano, 2 p.m., at Texas Stadium, Irving

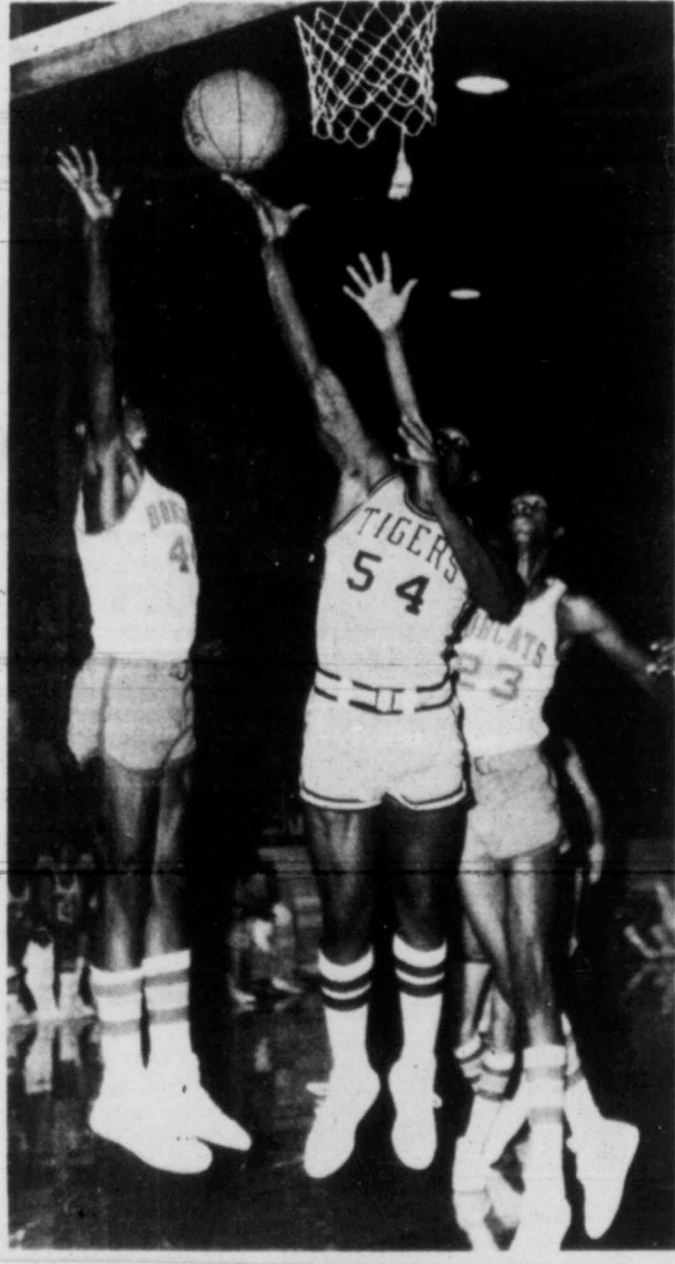
Houston Stratford vs. Port Arthur Jefferson, 6 p.m., at Astrodome, Houston

Class 4A Semifinals

Lubbock Estacado vs. Paris, 3 p.m., at Wichita Falls

Class 2A Quarterfinals

Panhandle vs. Totan, 1:30 p.m., at Vernon



JV TOURNAMENT—Snyder's Matt Davis tries to get two points inside against San Angelo Central during first-round play of the Snyder JV Tournament which started here Friday. Snyder lost, 51-42, then defeated Midland Lee Saturday morning to give the underclassmen a shot at the consolation championship. (SDN Staff Photo)

DUSTERS SCHEDULE

Oct. 27	WTC 74, McMurry 53
Nov. 3	WTC 71, Cisco 53

Cats Split

In Tourney

Editor's Note: Snyder defeated Midland Lee 54-48 in action of the Snyder Junior Varsity Tournament Saturday morning to advance to the consolation finals at 4:30. No details were available.

Snyder junior varsity fell to San Angelo Central in the opening round of a boys junior varsity tournament which began here Friday.

The Tigers lost 51-42 and were to play Midland Lee, a 76-42 victim of Lubbock Coronado, Saturday morning at 9.

Other first-round results were: Midland High 98, Abilene High 21, and Lubbock Monterey 59, Big Spring 50.

Tommy Gressett led Snyder in scoring Friday with 10 points. David Rios added 7 points and Robbie Davenport had 6. Mark Shaw and Brent Roemisch notched 4 apiece.

The tournament was to continue all day Saturday, with consolation finals at 4:30, third place at 6 and the championship match at 7:30.

The tournament was being played in the high school gym.

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drove to the victor's 21-yard line. But Stamford batted away a pass by Eddie Gregory as time ran out.

Littlefield dominated the first half, scoring on a 3-yard touchdown run by Michael Williams, an 8-yard touchdown pass from Eddie Gregory to Marty Drake and a 23-yard field goal by Jim Burks.

Stamford's initial points came on a 19-yard field goal by Bart Rosenquist in the first quarter and a 16-yard pass from Mike Cox to Kyle Whittemore with 3:05 left in the half.

But Woodard and Gardner ran for 6-yard touchdowns while Littlefield's potent offense was limited to 13 plays during the first 20 minutes of the second half.

Stamford, 13-0, meets Pittsburg, a 28-0 quarterfinal winner over Decatur, in the 3A semifinals next week.

Littlefield closed the year at 11-2.

Tim Foley, defensive back for the Miami Dolphins, is the composer of the song, "The House That Love Built."

Waco Holds Off Tigers In Tournament Play

WACO--Snyder's Tigers were to make a bid for consolation in the Waco Tournament here over the weekend, after falling to Waco High in their opener, 51-48.

The Tigers, 1-6, were to play Austin Crockett at 9 Saturday morning.

Keith Wallace led Tiger scorers with 12 points while Kris Seale added 10 and Eric Arnold and Barry Blackmon pitched in 8 apiece. John Wilson scored 7 and James

Caldwell added 3.

Snyder locked claws with the hosts in the first quarter, 13-13, but trailed at halftime, 29-18 as Waco exploded for 16 points while the Tigers managed only 5.

Snyder trimmed the advantage to eight points, 41-33, going into the final period, but was never able to catch up.

Rodney Belcher paced the Wacoans with 15 points. Henry Johnson had 12 and Billy Estell and Fritz Mems added 8

each.

Snyder returns home Tuesday to take on San Angelo Central in Scurry County Coliseum at 8, then prepares to host the annual Canyon Reef Tournament Dec. 11-13.

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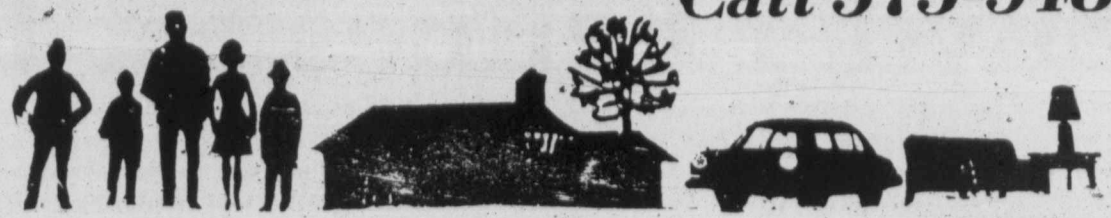
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MOTORCYCLES 110

FOR SALE 1980 XR250 Honda Dirt Bike. 573-7673.

FOR SALE: 1977 Honda XR75. \$195. Call 573-6248.

FOR SALE: 1972 Harley Sprint. Call 573-3041.

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Management Trainee	D.O.E.
Clerk-General	D.O.E.
Motel Manager	\$1,000-mo.
Auto Mechanic [Front End]	4.75-hr.
Welder-Combination	4.00-hr.
Housekeeper-Cleaner	3.10-hr.
Sewing Machine Operators	3.10-hr.
Inspectors	3.35-hr.
Grain Machine Operator	4.00-hr.

Persons interested in applying for these or other jobs should contact the office at 1910 37th. A job book is kept in the reception area and may be checked as often as desired. Texas Employment Commission is an Agency of the State of Texas and there is never any charge to applicants or employers for any of our services. Thomasine Daniels, Rae Adams and Dan Easterling, local staff, thank you for your cooperation.

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WATERWELL SERVICE Windmills & domestic pumps. Move, repair, replace. Tommy Marricle, 573-2493 before 8 a.m. & after 6 p.m.

EMPLOYMENT 160

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FOR SALE: Blonde single neck 10 string Shobud steel guitar, 3 peddles, 1 knee lever. Call 573-3748.

FOUR SHINY mag wheels. Like new. Suitable for van. Call 573-8341.

FOR SALE: Antique trunks. Also restored, refinished old trunks. Call 573-7164 after 5.

FIREWOOD FOR SALE, \$90.00 per cord. Delivered. Call 915-854-1569.

FOR SALE: New rocket satin lined draw drapes for glass sliding door. Size 92"x84". Light beige. 573-5392 after 5:30.

FOR SALE: Mesquite firewood. \$70 a cord. Call 573-3926.

FOR SALE: Raggedy Ann & Andy handmade dolls. 1907 31st St., 573-6778.

GOOD SELECTION of used color TV's. Portables & consoles. Snyder Electronics, 411 E. Hwy., 573-6421.

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80 GALLON 5 hp. Raimar compressor, new. Walker 1 1/2 ton air jack, new. Two engine stands, new. Chain hoist. 728-2426, Colorado City.

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JUST ARRIVED Men's coats 29.95 Boots, all different kinds 40.00 Steel toe boots from 24.95 to 40.00 Butchers aprons Drill press vice 14.95 to 39.95 12 speed heavy duty drill press 285.00 Heavy Duty grinder From 79.00 up to 225.00 Heavy duty extension cords - 12.95 Industrial 1/2" full size Drill reversible 85.00 Vices from 14.95 up to 179.95 Oil cans 17.95 Any kind of new or used furniture for you home, cheap prices Lots of men's work clothes Traps for catching animals Lots of dollar items AC welding kit 195.00 ACME FURNITURE CO. UNION DIAL 573-6219

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WATKINS PRODUCTS are back in town. Weldon & Bennie Sumruld. Call 573-6549.

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WANT RELIABLE party to assume payment on Singer Touch & Sew console model sewing machine. Original price \$649.95, balance \$148.50 or \$22 a month. 573-4760.

WANT TO BUY-RENT 350 NEED TO purchase home or duplex, well located, from owner. Buy equity or owner finance. Can make substantial payment. Reply to P.O. Box 949-G, Snyder, Texas 79549.

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QUILT TOPS for sale. \$15 each. Snyder Oaks, Room 210.

AUCTION December 10 10:00 A.M. Colorado Machine & Tool includes all machine tools & equipment, supplies & office furniture & real estate. Call or write for descriptive brochure: NELSON-LOVE L.H. Nelson (TXGS-079-0089) #10 Wellington Park Amarillo, Tx. 79102 806-358-4821

DOGS-PETS, ETC. 290 FOR SALE: White toy male poodle. Full grown. AKC registered. Call 863-2314, Hermleigh. COCKER SPANIEL puppies for sale. \$60. Call 573-7957. POODLE SHOP. Poodle grooming. 4 blocks east of Clairemont Hwy on Hargrove. 573-3921 or 573-4497. REGISTERED RAT Terrier at stud for sale. 18 months old, all shots. \$125. Stud service, \$50. C.T. Merritt, 573-7726.

GARAGE SALES 310 Flea Market Across from Coliseum Sat. & Sun. (Dec. 6-7) Bring your flea market & garage sale items Rental space available Everyone welcome Garage Sale 3105 39th St. Sat. & Sun. 9 a.m. clothes & coats, TV, bed covers, apple-head dolls by Estelle Wiley, china dishes, records, Prevention magazines, heat massager, quilt scraps, kitchenware, advertising caps, clock radio & STUFF

RENTALS 330 Large hall for rent - to private parties, conventions, company parties, etc. 300 CAPACITY 573-9335, 573-9415, 573-5102 or 573-7208

MOBILE HOME lots for rent. 100 block of 30th St. Call 573-3355. QUIET COUNTRY living. Large trailer spaces for rent. Clairemont Hwy. 573-0459, 573-6507.

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WANTED TO LEASE Ranchland to run 100 head cows. Would buy cattle. Pay lease 2 years in advance. C.R. Crowley, 576-3779, Hamlin.

REAL ESTATE 360

JACK & JACK Realtors 573-8571 573-3452 611 East Highway

VERY UNIQUE...2 bedr. home in Old West Snyder, new carpet, fireplace, cathedral ceiling. LOTS OF ROOM...3 bedr. 2 bath with living room and LARGE den, double garage. Mid \$30's. PRICE REDUCED! Very neat 3 bedr. frame home. 3309 Ave. A. FHA or VA loan available. 5 ACRE tract of land with barn, water well and fence on Colorado City Hwy. LARGE OLDER home in old West Snyder, 3 bedr. 2 bath brick, double garage. \$52,000. SELLING FOR APPRAISED Value of \$49,000...3 bedr. 2 bath brick with large workshop PLUS 5 acres of land. West of town. CLOSE TO EAST Elementary...3 bedr. brick with living room and separate cozy den. Only \$39,500. These are only a few of our listings, please call us for information on others. Joyce Reaves...573-8619 Joan Tate...573-8253 Kathy McFaul...573-8319 Howard Jones...573-3452 Dolores Jones...573-3452

OWNER SAYS GET OFFER on 4 bdrm. 2 bath. Near all schools. CALL MARGARET BIRDWELL 573-8505 or 573-6674 Elizabeth Potts Realtors

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OWNER WILL FINANCE on 10 percent interest. 3 bedroom-2 bath on approx. 2 acres-edge of town. Lots of extras. This is a good buy. **LUXURY HOME** On Towle Park Road. Over 2000 sq. ft. on 1/2 acre. 2 living areas, 3 bedrooms-2 baths with all the extras you could dream of. Let us show you thru this beautiful home. **BUDGET PRICED** 3 bedroom-1 1/2 bath-living room and den-Equity and assume loan. Total-\$2,500.00. **-WATCH THIS AD-** for 3 bedroom-1 bath, garage & shop. Being re-modeled-new carpet, new paint, Central heat & air. WEST-On the market soon! **COMMERCIAL** Nice, brick commercial building in high traffic location. Ideal for restaurant, office or retail. Unlimited potential - Good Investment.

Annette Waller-573-9467 Mike Graves-573-2939 Lois Graves - 573-2540

Richardson REALTY 1908 26th Street 573-6306

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NORTH OF SNYDER...lovely home with approx. 200'0". all built ins..fireplaces..fine carpet, drapes, decorated..on approx 3 1/2 acres with another small house, barn, pens, corral..good water. PERMANENT MOBILE HOME...extra nice with good carpet, built ins, fireplace, carport..large lot..owner transferred..selling at appraised price..equity...302 24th. CLOSE TO WEST ELEMENTARY...on Irving St. 3 bedroom, 2 bath, den, fireplace, brick, storage houses.. only \$49,500.00. COLONIAL HILLS...approx 2300'.can be used as four bedroom..storm cellar..triple carport..priced to sell..3004 Denison. COMMERCIAL...brick building..approx 2000'.good location..priced to sell. A REAL VALUE...on 21st St.. 3 bedroom for only \$21,500.00.. paneled and carpeted..also stove and refrigerator. EAST SNYDER...on 36th Street...3 bedroom..good location..only \$25,000.00. THINKING OF SELLING? we will give you our opinion of current market value at no charge or obligation..call us! Days - 573-5612 NIGHTS AND WEEKENDS PAM HESTER - 573-0466

JOYCE BARNES REALTY 573-3534 1822 1/2 26th

NEW LISTING...East, 3 bdrm., 2 bath, brick, C.P. fireplace, 52T. 2300 AVE. M...3-1-garage on corner lot. 1301 23rd. St. 2-1-1 on corner lot. TOWLE PARK Rd...very nice new house, 3-2-2-den, owner financed. 309 34th. St. 2 bdrm. large den, 1 bath, 22T. 507-34th..brick, 2 bdrm., den, cellar, nice. \$27,500.00. APARTMENTS...6 units, good income. COMMERCIAL BUILDINGS...on the square. KWIK CARWASH LOTS...for mobile homes, or building. Terry Webb...573-6496 Joyce Barnes...573-6970

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120 ACRES ALL FARM, for lease. 7 1/2 miles S.E Snyder. Pleasant Hill community, \$30.00 acre or best. 214-253-0160.

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Joe Box Realty 4006 College 573-5908 MEMBER TEXAS LAND MULTIPLE LISTING SERVICE, INC.

FARM...Exclusive listing, near Polar, approx. 171 acrs. FARM...Approx. 160 acres south of Snyder, check it out before it is leased for 1981. EAST. 3 Bdrm older home under \$27,000. SEE TODAY...Attractive 3 Bdrm home on extra large lot..low 30's. COMMERCIAL...Established restaurant business..good location. LARGE COMMERCIAL BLDG...Good location on East HWY. MOBILE HOME LOTS...Four to choose from. Howard Sawyer...573-3464 Joe Box...573-5908

JOYCE BARNES REALTY 573-3534 1822 1/2 26th

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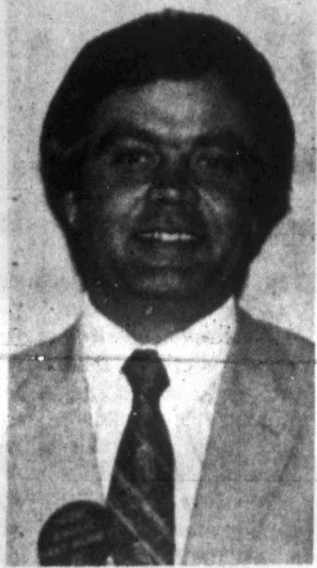
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PHIL GUERRY



RUSSELL SHANNON

First National Fills 2 Posts

Lewis Nance, president of First National Bank (In Organization) has announced the appointment of two bank officers.

Named as vice president is Phil Guerry, and chosen as cashier is Russell Shannon. Both officers have moved their families to Snyder in anticipation of the bank's opening next month.

Guerry comes to Snyder from Seminole where he was senior vice president. Guerry joined the Seminole bank in 1973 as a field officer and was shortly promoted to assistant cashier that same year.

He served in that capacity until 1975 when he was named assistant vice president. Guerry was elevated to vice president a year later in 1976 then to the position of senior vice president in 1978.

A graduate of South Plains College in Levelland in 1971, he attended the University of Colorado School of Banking from 1977 to 1979. In Seminole he was active in the Lions Club, chamber of commerce, and booster club.

He and his wife, Linda, have

two children, ages 11 and 3.

Shannon, a native of Levelland, moved to Snyder from Seminole where he was cashier of Seminole State Bank.

A graduate of Levelland High School and South Plains College, he received his B. A. degree from Sam Houston State University in Huntsville. He also has attended the Texas Tech University Intermediate School of Banking.

From 1975-1977, Shannon was head football coach and athletic director at Anton High School. From 1977 to 1978, he was head football coach and track coach at Meadow High School.

He joined Brownfield State Bank and Trust Company in July, 1978 as a management trainee, and in May of the following year he was named operations officer of the Brownfield bank.

In September, 1979 he moved to Seminole State Bank as cashier and was responsible for bank operations and personnel.

He and his wife, Virginia, have two children, ages 4 months and 2 years.

Soap Opera In Britain Draws Elite Audience

LONDON (AP) — Queen Elizabeth II likes to tune in when she can, along with 20 million of her subjects, and Sir John Betjeman, Britain's poet laureate, calls it "the Pickwick Papers of television."

The program, "Coronation Street," is the world's longest running TV serial, a twice-weekly slice-of-life soap opera about a working class backstreet in one of northern England's drab Victorian industrial cities.

Twenty years old this month after some 2,100 episodes, "The Street" has become a British institution, so deeply embedded in the national psyche that the demise of one of its fictional characters rates as many headlines as the real-life death of one of its stars.

"Coronation Street" was originally scheduled to run for six weeks. Critics gave it little chance of success when the first segment was screened in black-and-white on the Independent Television (ITV) network Dec. 9, 1960.

But it shot to the top of the ratings almost immediately and has stayed there ever since. Two recent episodes were No. 1 and 2 in the British top 10 with a combined viewing total of nearly 40 million.

"Coronation Street" has made folk heroes of its stars. Five of them have been on "The Street" since it started and the queen has made two of them members of the Order of the British Empire (OBE) for "services to television." It's one of the monarch's favorite programs, according to Buckingham Palace.

"I never expected it to last, never in a thousand years," says Doris Speed, former stock actress who plays snobby Annie Walker, manageress of the "Coronation Street" pub, Rover's Return, probably the best known tavern in Britain.

When the producers decided to write two of the most popular characters out a few months ago, it was front page news, and when diffident Ernie Bishop, the show's resident dogooder, was blown away by payroll bandits in

Actress To Wed Jenner

LOS ANGELES (AP) — One month after his first marriage was dissolved by a divorce decree, athlete and actor Bruce Jenner has announced plans to marry actress Linda Thompson.

Jenner's publicist, Paul Bloch, said Wednesday the wedding will be early in 1981, but released no details. The 31-year-old Jenner's decathlon-winning performance at the 1976 Olympic Games at Montreal set a record that still stands. Lately he's been acting in television and films and has appeared in commercials.

His fiancée is a 30-year-old regular on the syndicated television show, "Hee-Haw," who has never married.

Jenner's divorce from his first wife, Chrystie, became final last month. He has two children from that marriage.

1978, housewives wept as they watched the slaying.

The show has gone through 3,500 characters, 17 producers and more than 70 writers. Many actors and writers got their big break on "The Street."

The working class saga is sold worldwide, usually with dubbed translations for the dialogue spoken in rich North country accents that are virtually incomprehensible to foreigners.

Some scoff at "Coronation Street" as the opiate of the masses, but top people tune in just the same to see how the other half lives.

The mass-circulation Daily Mirror compared it to Samuel Pepys' diaries as a chronicle of an age.

The show may not really mirror the harshness of life in the crucible of the Industrial Revolution. Racial tensions, housing shortages, unemployment, vandalism, and the sheer drudgery of day-to-day life in an urban wasteland are mostly left out.

Former director Derek Granger believes "The Street's" appeal lies in its characters. "They're funny, sad, candid, sardonic, touching — fit to rank with the great characters of literature, ranging all the way from Shakespeare to Dickens."

Romantic fiction writer Barbara Cartland, an avid "Street"-watcher, says: "It doesn't matter if you're a roadsweeper or the Duchess of Snooks, people simply love other people's problems."

Eric Rosser, a 56-year-old former tax official, became so obsessed with the show that Granada hired him as "The Street's" historian and script consultant, keeping track of the story line in voluminous files known as "the bible."

Burglary Is Under Probe

Coins, arrowheads, and jewelry worth approximately \$1,500 were taken in a break-in at Roy Lashaway's coin shop on the East Highway, police reports show.

The incident, reported Friday, is being investigated by Kerry Fritz.

Also under investigation is a reported theft at Snyder High School. Ricky Grisham said an undetermined amount of money was taken from his wallet while he was in a physical education class. Working that is Richard McCulley.

Johns Acquired By Whitney Museum

NEW YORK (AP) — The Jasper Johns painting, "Three Flags," has been acquired by the Whitney Museum of American Art.

Tom Armstrong, museum director, says the painting, done in 1958, is "... a monument of 20th century art ... a unique statement emerging out of the dominance of abstract expressionism. Through it and subsequent work, the artist has had an international influence on the course of art history."



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When deciding how to fertilize for maximum profit consider the following ideas:

1. Collect and record soil samples from field or farm at two-to-four-year intervals, or collect from certain fields each year on a rotating basis. Charting levels of available soil nutrients is a major factor in determining a profitable approach to fertilizing.

2. Code each field on a farm map and use this map each time samples are taken. Keep records on each field, noting changes in soil nutrient levels resulting from previous crops and fertilization. Adjust fertilizer rates where needed to meet crop requirements.

3. Develop a long-range fertilization program for each field or farm according to nutrient levels and crop requirements. Plan to apply

fertilizer at the optimum time for greatest benefit.

4. Observe growth patterns of crops in each field. Look for any difference in size, color or yield from one area of the field or farm to another. Record these variations on your farm map and not any large, low-producing areas. Use soil and plant tests to determine reasons for any low productivity and fertilize accordingly. Separate and special treatment of low-producing areas may bemore economical than treating whole fields at rates sufficient to correct spot deficiencies. With the high cost of production inputs, improving low production areas can be profitable.

When deciding how to fertilize for maximum profit, make sure the additional nutrients are needed, and that the rate, time and method of application will contribute to increased production.

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Julia McNew, Richard Westhoefer Repeat Vows



MRS. RICHARD WESTHOEFER JR.

SAN ANTONIO—Julia Kaye McNew and Richard Edward Westhoefer Jr. were united in marriage at 4 p.m. Nov. 15 at Old Ursuline Chapel. The Rev. Albert E. Loudon officiated.

The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Don McNew of McAllen. The bridegroom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Richard Edward Westhoefer Sr. of San Antonio.

The bride is the granddaughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. O. McNew of Snyder, and Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Krause of Fort Worth.

Two seven-branch candelabras and two formal floral arrangements of roses, daisies and gladiolas decorated the altar.

The bride was attired in an ivory silk organza gown. The bodice of English net was appliqued with imported Alencon lace and adorned with seed pearls, accented with a high neckline and tapered fitted sleeves. The gently flared skirt was bordered with a band of Alencon lace, accented with seed pearls down to a chapel-length train. A Juliet cap adorned with lace and pearls held a chapel length veil of silk illusion appliqued with lace and

pearls. She carried a cascade of roses, daisies and baby's breath. The bride also wore her great great grandmother's gold wedding band, a family heirloom.

Melanie Pickett of San Antonio was maid of honor, while bridesmaids included Carol Neely of Kerrville and Lisa McNew, the bride's sister, of McAllen.

The attendants wore slim floor-length burgandy satin gowns with a draped bodice and brief jacket.

Randall Reed of San Antonio served as best man, while Sam Domingues and Thomas Westhoefer, the bridegroom's brother, both of San Antonio, were groomsmen.

Ushers included Eric Voigt, Andre Anderson and Mike Leadford, all of San Antonio.

Music was provided by George Gregory.

The bride's mother wore a floor-length crepe gown in winter pink with a deep ruffle at the neckline. The bridegroom's mother was attired in a floor-length pink knit gown with a pleated skirt and brief jacket. Both mothers wore corsages of roses and baby's breath.

A reception followed the

ceremony in the Old Ursuline Academy.

Table decorations included twin floral arrangements of gladiola, daisies and carnations in shades ranging from pink to burgandy. The three-tiered wedding cake was highlighted with fresh floral accents and burgandy bows. The bridegroom's cake was German chocolate.

Kay Krause, Lisa Nelson and Linda Smith, all of San Antonio, presided at the reception.

The bride is an honor graduate of Tivy High School in Kerrville and is now attending the University of Texas at San Antonio. She is employed by Alamo Heights National Bank.

Her husband attended Roosevelt High School in San Antonio and is employed by Rolling Ridge Properties.

Following a wedding trip to Cozmel, Mexico, the couple are residing in San Antonio.

THE SNYDER DAILY NEWS

SECTION B

SUN., DEC. 7, 1980

Three New Board Members Elected To Snyder Country Club Thursday

Three new board members were elected to the Snyder Country Club Board of Directors Thursday night during the annual mem-

bership meeting and social hour.

New board members selected to serve a two-year term include Marit McPaul, John Lacik and Finnie Seale. The board is made up of seven members and Larry Anderson, who serves as

secretary-treasurer.

In business, the Snyder Country Club reviewed the year's financial statement.

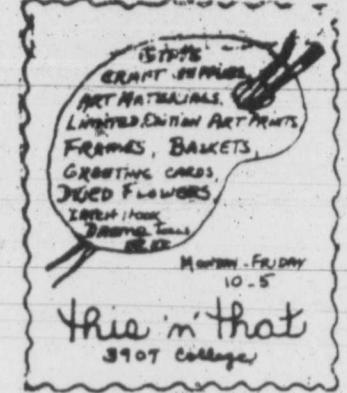
Rhyden Stoker, president, presided.

Following the business session, members enjoyed a social.

Engagement Announced

Carol Ann Brazier and Bobby Randal Dean have announced their engagement and forthcoming marriage.

The wedding has been set for 8 p.m. Dec. 10 at the Nazarene Church in Post.



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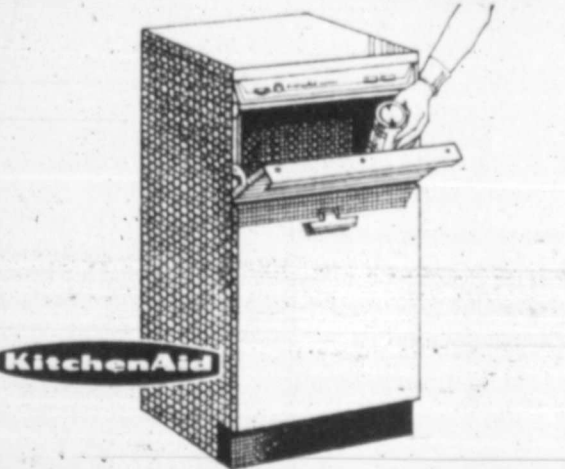
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Ms. Alarcon AFTER losing 64 1/4 pounds, 9 1/4 inches

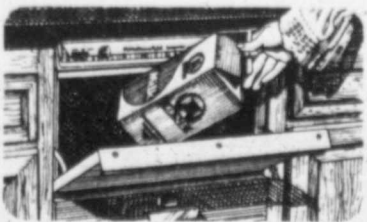


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Special Moments

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MRS. DANNY OLIN McNEESE
(Photo by Harley Bynum)

Midland Ceremony Unites Couple

MIDLAND—Terri Lane McGrew and Danny Olin McNeese, both of Midland, exchanged wedding vows at 6:30 p.m. Nov. 1 at Wilshire Park Baptist Church. The Rev. John D. Riggs officiated.

The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Mickey McGrew of Spring. The bridegroom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Charles McNeese of Midland. The bride is the granddaughter of Mr. and Mrs. L. H. Hardy, 3009 Denison, and Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth H. McGrew of Saudi Arabia.

The bride was attired in a lace covered wedding gown, accented with an empire waistline and lace ruffled V-neckline. The full skirt was accented with lace ruffles into a full train. Sheer full sleeves highlighted with lace completed the look. Her finger-tip veil fell from a Juliet cap and was accented with lace.

She carried a cascade bouquet of white, pink and burgandy roses accented with

greenery. White satin ribbon with love knots completed the bouquet.

Amy Allison of Spring was maid of honor. Pam McGrew, the bride's sister of Spring, was bridesmaid, while Tracey McNeese, the bridegroom's sister of Midland, was bridesmatron.

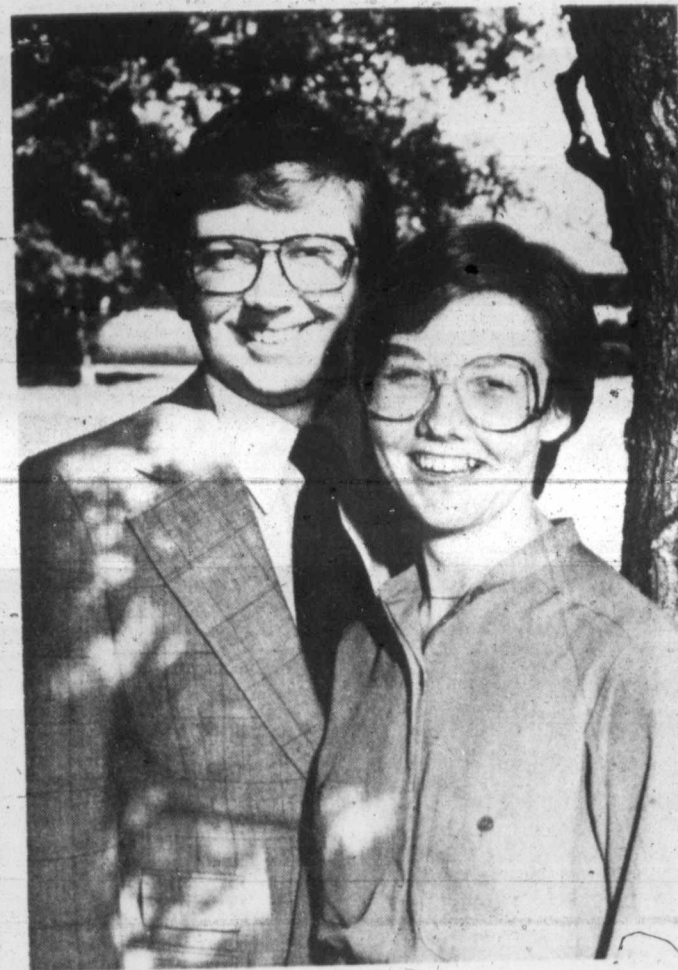
Kari McGrew, sister of the bride of Spring, and Julie McNeese, niece of the bridegroom of Midland, were flower girls.

Larry Benson of Midland was best man. Clay Burks of Colorado City and Rusty Gray of Odessa were groomsmen.

Ushers included Mark McGrew, the bride's brother of Spring, Cal Yonts and Ronnie McNeese, the bridegroom's brothers, both of Midland.

Other out-of-town guests were from Louisiana, Fort Worth, Houston, Bronte and Snyder.

The couple will reside in Midland.



FARREN-SPEEGLE ENGAGEMENT—Juanita Farren, 401 33rd, has announced the engagement and approaching marriage of her daughter, Jeri Lynn of Midland, to David Parker Speegle of Midland, son of Mr. and Mrs. Robert K. Speegle of Andrews. A Feb. 7 wedding is planned for 10 a.m. at the First Baptist Church of Hermligh.

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By Oswald Jacoby and Alan Sontag

Mike Lawrence in his book "All About Overcalls" believes you should get into the bidding when you have a good reason to bid, but he

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BRIDGE

Something about overcalls

gives one situation when the rule for overcalling is "Don't."

This occurs when you are in fourth seat and after an opening bid on your left, a pass by partner and a two-level response on your right.

Mike points out that opener has shown 13 points and responder 10 as their minimum. If your hand is balanced and it is a good hand your partner can't have much and you are merely putting your head on the chopping block to see if the axe will fall.

Here are some examples of hands that should not overcall:

1. S-K 3 2 H-Q 10 7 6 5 D-K 7 C-A 2. The bidding has gone 1S, Pass, 2C. Your partner can't have much. A two heart bid can only get you in trouble.

2. S-K J 8 H-A K Q 8 7 D-5 4 2 C-A 9. The bidding has gone 1S, Pass, 2D. You have a full 17-point opening notrump, but as Mike points out:

A. Your partner is probably broke.

B. Your spade honors are probably worthless.

C. Your diamond holding is atrocious.

Left to their own devices, your opponents may get to game and either make it or go down. If you bid and someone holds four hearts against you, you may get doubled and go down three tricks.

When should you get into the act?

Suppose you hold: S-3 H-K Q J 4 2 D-3 2 C-A Q 8 6 5. A spade is opened to your left. Your partner passes and two clubs is bid to your right. Bid two hearts. You may get in trouble, but this hand deserves a mention.

With the same hand, if response has been two diamonds you should not bid two hearts. You hold both unbid suits and should either double or bid an unusual two notrump if you and your partner employ that convention. (NEWSPAPER ENTERPRISE ASSN.)

BLANCHE'S BLABS
By BLANCHE CHISUM
Scurry County Extension Agent

IT'S A QUESTION OF HOUR

What time teenagers should return from a date is a "conflicting" issue in many families. Here's some insight into the problem.

The basic issue to consider is why teenagers want to stay out late in the first place.

People usually stay out late because they think that the longer the date goes on the more fun they'll have.

But what many young daters don't realize is that a prolonged date may dwindle in interest as time goes on—it's better to end a social activity at its peak rather than wait until it fizzles out.

Also, sometimes teenagers stay out later than is sensible not because they're really having fun, but in an effort to prove to themselves that they are. And usually this effort is unsuccessful. It would be better to end the date and plan another more enjoyable one.

How late is too late? There's no magic time when all dates should end. The Cinderella story with a midnight curfew

makes dramatic telling, but doesn't make much sense in real life. For some dates, midnight may be too late—and for others it would be too early.

Some guidelines for determining when a date should end:

—How old are the two people involved?

—How responsible are they?

—How do the parents feel about the hour question?

—Where will the date take place?

—Who else is going with the dating couple?

—What time will the planned activity end?

—How long will it take to be served some refreshment?

—How far does the couple have to travel to get home?

—What is considered a reasonable hour in the community?

Many communities—particularly small ones—determine the appropriate time for young people to return to their homes. Some communities almost "roll up the streets" by 9 or 10 p.m. So when activity ceases in the community, young people usually return home.

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Ruth Fagin, Joe Brower Wed In Double Ring Ceremony

The First United Methodist Church was the setting for the double ring ceremony uniting Ruth Ann Fagin and Joe David Brower in marriage at 4 p. m. Nov. 29. The Rev. David Robertson officiated.

The bride's parents are Mr. and Mrs. John Archer Fagin of Snyder. The bridegroom's parents are Mr. and Mrs. Joe Bailey Brower of Fort Worth.

The altar was centered by an arrangement of white gladioli, spider mums and carnations.

Given in marriage by her father, the bride chose a gown of ivory silk with imported appliqued English net and silk Venice lace. The bodice, veiled entirely with English net, was fashioned with a high Victorian collar and sheer yoke, dramatizing an off-the-shoulder look. Long fitted sleeves, accented with silk Venice lace, complimented the gown. The chapel train was edged with ivory satin and was enhanced with a scalloped lace border.

Her cathedral veil of matching Brussels lace fell in soft folds to the length of her train from a silk flower wreath and was outlined in scalloped lace. She carried a formal bouquet of phalaenopsis orchids, ivory carnations, burgundy and mauve silk rose buds, silk plox in Old World aqua rose, Ming fern and baby's breath. The bouquet was accented by an ivory fan which was carried at the marriage of her mother.

Streamers of ivory lace and satin peccot ribbon completed the bouquet.

Sarah Fagin, College Station, served her sister as maid of honor. Other attendants were Cynthia Holder, Dallas; Catherine Dominguez, Albuquerque, N. M.; Mrs. William T. Holt Jr., Lubertown; Susan Chambers, Oklahoma City, Okla., and Barbara Snyder, cousin of the bride, Hidden Hills, Calif. Junior bridesmaid was Allison Adams.

They wore identical gowns of burgundy textured satin. A wreath of baby's breath and burgundy silk petals garlanded their hair. They carried irregular bouquets similar to that of the bride's.

Amber Adams was flower girl, while Jason Baber, nephew of the bridegroom, was ring bearer.

Bill Baber of Petrolia served his brother as best man. Groomsman were William Shook, Houston; Robert Brower, Austin, and John Brower, Fort Worth, brothers of the bridegroom; Charles Simmons, Bryan, and Paul Fagin, brother of the bride.

Ushers included Neil Ware, College Station; Charles Albright, Houston; Ronald Durst and John Murray, Hobbs, N. M.

Mrs. Wayne Bethel was organist while Mrs. Bob Womack sang "Ave Maria" and "Whither Thou Goest."

A reception in Wesley Hall followed the ceremony.

The bride's table was covered with a cloth of white silk polyester, banded with silk rope and swags of burgundy and pink satin ribbon centered with bows of pink and burgundy. The four-tiered wedding cake was decorated with fresh flowers. A silver erpergne holding arrangements of flowers centered the table.

The bridegroom's table was covered in a burgundy silk taffeta cloth. A chocolate cake was served with spiced tea and coffee.

Assisting at the reception were Lauren Cody, Houston; Annasue McCleave, New York; Dawn Renzetti, Karen Fagin and Lauren Fagin, Dallas; Mrs. Bill Baber, Petrolia; Kay Crenshaw, Los Angeles, Calif.; Mrs. W. S. Bigham, Mrs. W. B. McSpadden, Mrs. Robert Adams and Mrs. Rex Nall.

The bride is a 1979 graduate of Southern Methodist University. She has been employed by the Western Co. of North America.

The groom is a 1979 graduate of Texas A&M University. He is a member of the Society of Petroleum Engineers and is employed by the Western Co. of North America.

The bridegroom's parents were hosts to a rehearsal dinner at the Snyder Country Club.

Out-of-town guests were from Dallas, Fort Worth, Sulphur Springs, Houston, Comfort, Artesia, N.M.;



MRS. JOE DAVID BROWER (Photo by Ted Bigham Photography)

Following a wedding trip to Carlsbad, N.M.; Hidden Hills, Calif.; Seal Beach, Calif., and Norman, Okla., the couple will reside in Hobbs, N.M.

Decorating Ideas Given To Atheneum

Christmas decorating ideas were given to Atheneum Study Club by Sue Travis of Travis Flowers at their meeting.

Door pieces, campanion pieces and various color combinations were discussed. Centerpieces for tables, mantels and ideas for children's room decorations were shown. The use of the hot glue gun in construction of decorations was discussed.

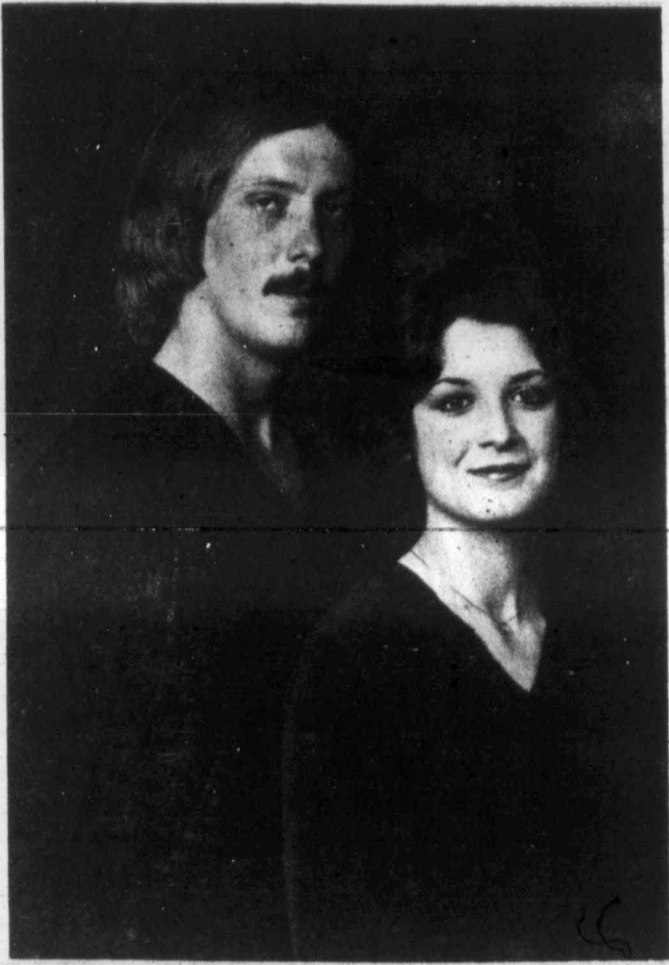
A short business meeting followed the program.

Thirteen members and a guest, Ouida Binner, were present.

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MULLINS-AUCUTT—Linda Walden of Snyder and Neel Mullins of Kansas City, Mo., have announced the engagement and forthcoming marriage of their daughter, Lezlie Rene, to Max Towner Aucutt, son of Mr. and Mrs. Swanson Aucutt of Snyder. The wedding has been scheduled for 7 p. m. Dec. 28 at the Aucutt's home, East Roby Highway.

COMMUNITY CALENDAR

MONDAY
Rebekah Lodge 294, Lodge Hall, 7:30 p. m.
Martha Ann Woman's Club board of directors, clubhouse, all members urged to attend, 10 a. m.
American Legion Layne Kit Post 181, regular meeting, 7:30 p. m.
Delta Kappa Gamma, "Christmas Party," hostesses: Marge Mathis, Mippie Brownlee, Phil Kelly, Mary Devenport, The Shack, 7 p. m.

TUESDAY
If you are interested in losing weight, meet with TOPS 56 Snyder, at Stanfield Elementary School, 6:30 p. m.
Scurry County Legal Secretaries Association, luncheon meeting, The Shack, noon.
Alpha Study Club, "Christmas Luncheon" and guest day, program chairman and hostess: Bertha Terry, MAWC, noon.
Scurry County Sheriff's Posse, election for new officers, all members urged to attend, 7 p. m.
All Scurry County Extension Homemakers Clubs, "Christmas Party" and pot luck luncheon, Room A of coliseum, 11:30 a. m.

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

Hermleigh School Menu

MONDAY Breakfast Juice Buttered Rice Milk Lunch Fried Fish Tater Tots Tossed Salad Hush Puppies Peanut Butter Bars Milk	THURSDAY Breakfast Fruit Cinnamon Rolls Milk Lunch B.B.Q. Wieners Potato Salad Ranch Style Beans Fruit Jello Hot Rolls Milk
TUESDAY Breakfast Juice Oatmeal Milk Lunch Chicken Casserole Tossed Salad Green Beans Choc. Brownies Hot Rolls Milk	FRIDAY Breakfast Juice Fried Pies Milk Lunch Sandwiches: Turkey Salad—Pimento Vegetable Soup Potato Chips Orange Cake Milk
WEDNESDAY Breakfast Juice Cheese Toast Milk Lunch Chili w-Crackers Cabbage Slaw Carrot Sticks Fruit Cobbler	FRIDAY Breakfast Pancakes and Syrup Sausage Pattie Orange Juice Milk Lunch Turkey-Rice Soup Grilled Cheese Sandwich

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Snyder School Menu

MONDAY Breakfast Cinnamon Toast Hot Oatmeal Chilled Pineapple Milk Lunch Sausage and Cheese Pizza Green Beans Tossed Salad Peach Slices Sliced Bread Milk	WEDNESDAY Breakfast Peanut Butter and Jelly Sandwich Peach Slices Milk Lunch Chili Frito Pie with Taco Sauce Lettuce, Tomato Cheese Garnish Buttered Corn Cabbage Slaw Fruit Cup Hot Rolls Milk	FRIDAY Breakfast Buttered Toast Cold Cereal Orange Juice Milk Lunch Macaroni Goulash Green Peas Carrot and Raisin Salad Pear Halves Buttered Garlic Bread Milk
TUESDAY Breakfast Carrot and Celery Sticks Orange Wedges Oatmeal Cookie Milk	THURSDAY Breakfast Cinnamon Roll Apple Juice Milk Lunch Submarine Sandwich Lettuce and Tomato Blackeyed Peas Jello w-fruit Milk	

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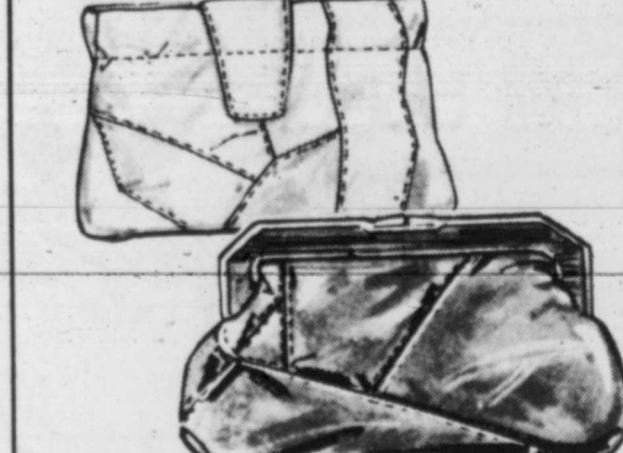
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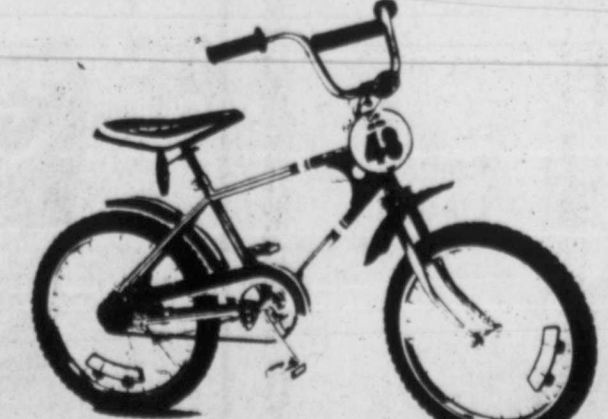
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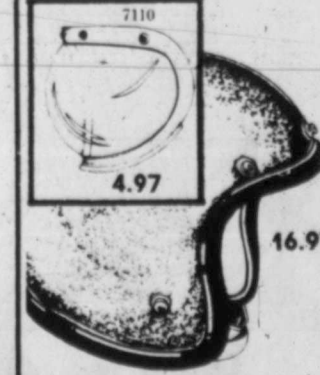
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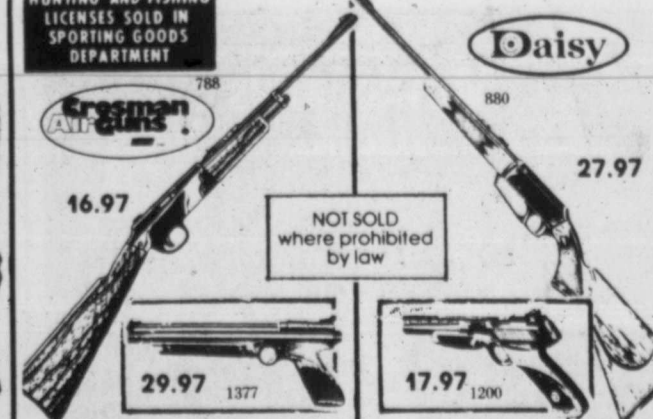
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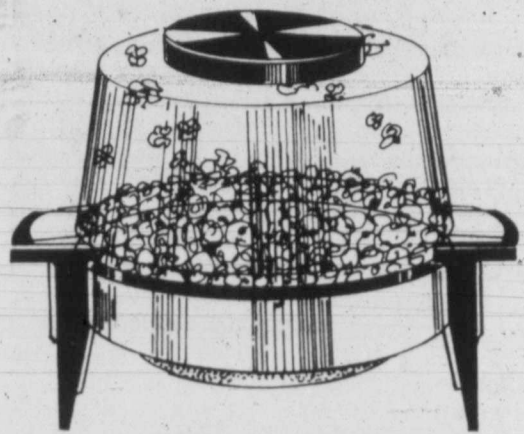
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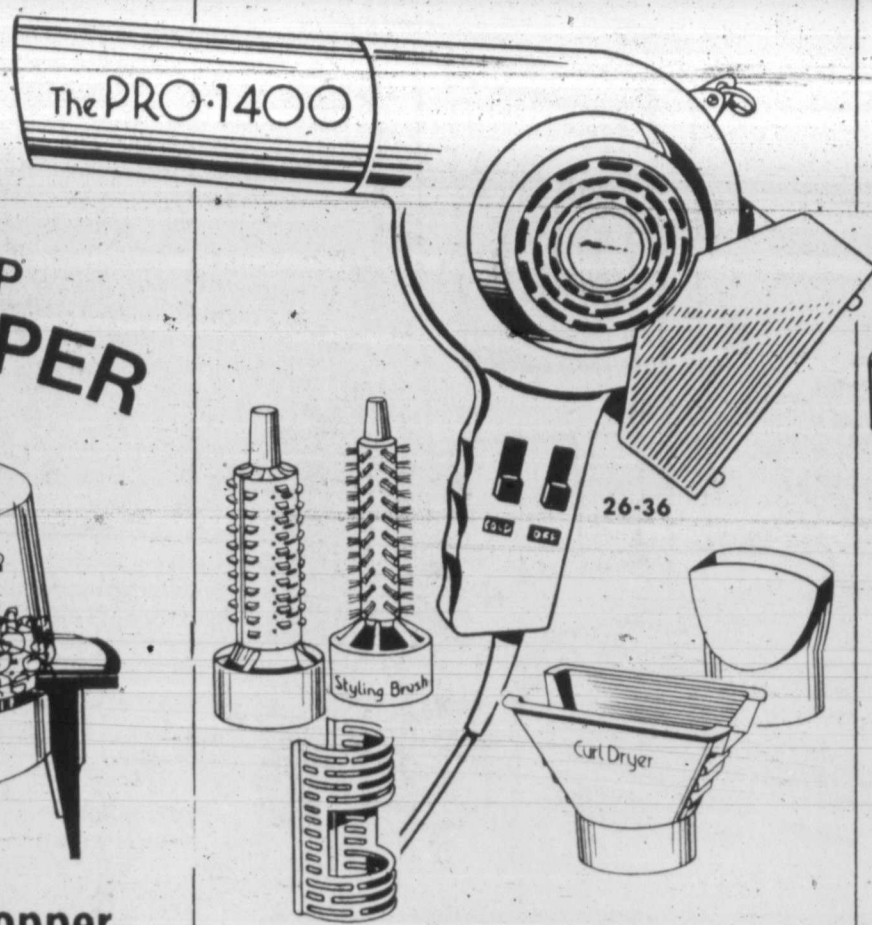
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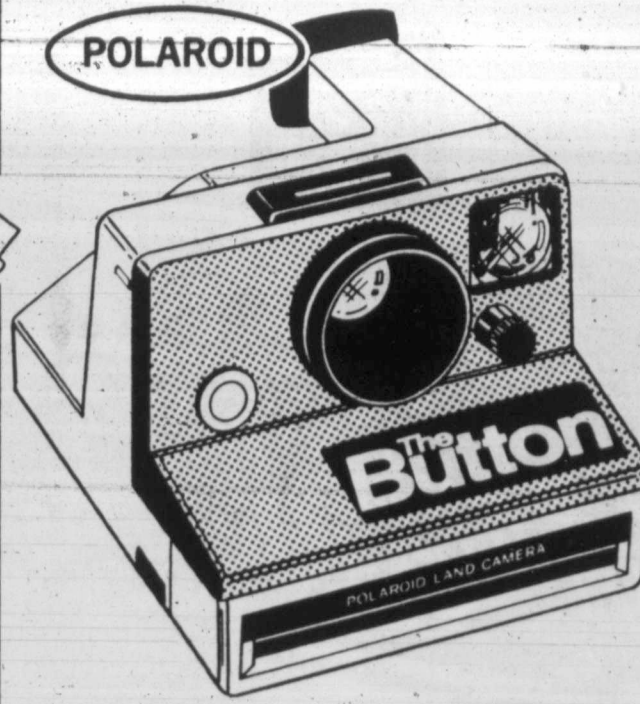
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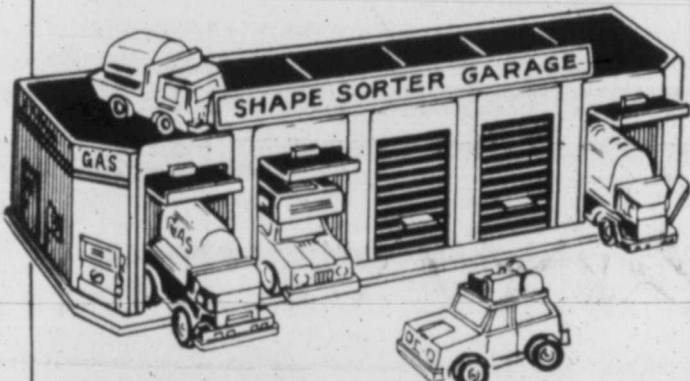


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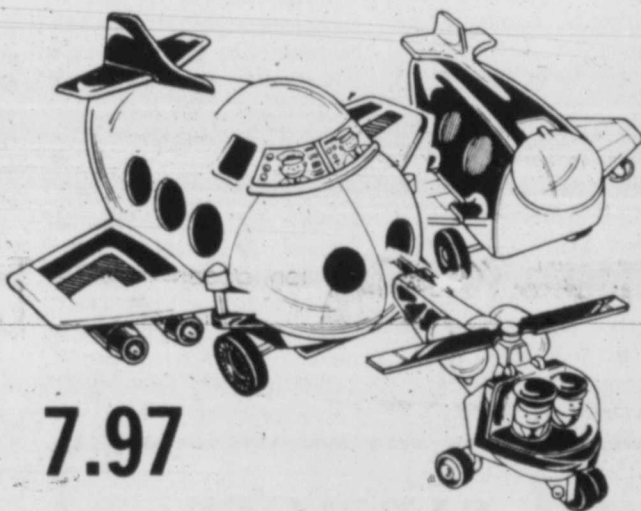
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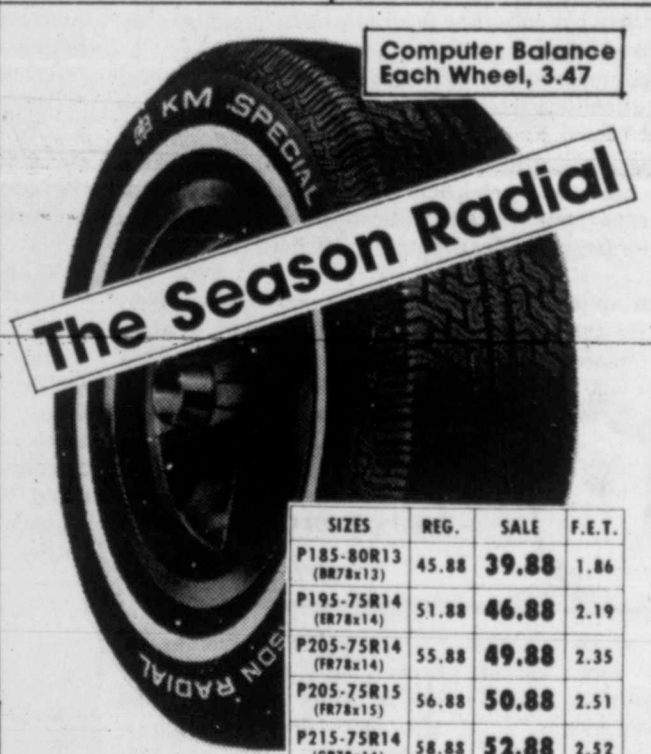


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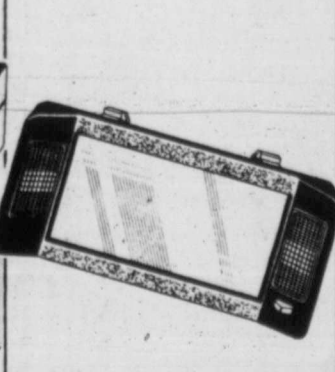
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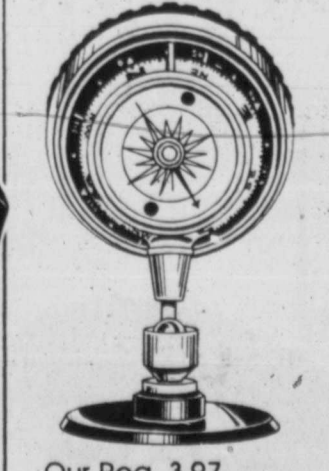
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commentary

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A light may be failing in Central America. The news out of Nicaragua

these days is not encouraging for those who have hoped that the overthrow of the Somoza dynasty a year and a half ago would bring liberation to that long oppressed and exploited country, a genuine new order in which a variety of political viewpoints would be permitted expression. Instead, revolutionary Nicaragua may be well on the way to repeating an all too familiar Latin story - the replacement of an old repression with a new one.

The split between the Sandinista guerrillas, who dominated the revolution, and their uneasy allies among private business interests and traditional political parties is rapidly deepening. Activities of the latter are being obstructed, leading to a protest walkout from the Council of State early in November. Some 50 business leaders are under arrest and one prominent figure, the head of the coffee growers association, died in an armed confrontation with security forces, a consequence, according to Sandinista spokesmen, of his involvement in "counter-revolutionary" activities.

Government-connected press and broadcasting facilities, which means just about all, are engaged in an all-out media campaign against the counter-revolutionary threat while the country's leading and fiercely independent newspaper, La Prensa of Managua, is finding it increasingly tough going to print all the news about Nicaragua it believes should be printed.

What it adds up to is a disturbing turn for the worse in the few short months since Nicaraguans celebrated the first anniversary of the overthrow of one of the most squally oppressive regimes the Hemisphere has had the misfortune to have experienced.

At that time, in mid-July, the country, although facing a massive reconstruction effort, was seen by many as the bright hope of the entire region's future. True, the Sandinistas by their own definition are Marxists. Cuban advisers are the most active evidence of foreign aid to date, and Fidel Castro in flamboyant person was the star of the anniversary celebrations.

But the revolution had been won by a united front and the immediate result was not a one-party state, but an effort at political pluralism. The new regime also had lines open to the United States. At considerable political cost to itself, the Carter administration, which had helped speed Somoza's departure, was prying an aid

package out of a reluctant Congress. Even the Cubans were reported advising the Nicaraguans against repeating Cuban mistakes. And the new government was politically backed and economically assisted by the Caribbean's two greatest regional powers, oil-rich Mexico and Venezuela.

That was July. Much has happened since, starting in August when the Sandinistas put off until 1985 elections for a constitutional government that political and business interests had been pressing for. Remnants of the Somoza national guard have continued to hamper the new government, which has responded with the stepped-up campaign against counter-revolutionaries. The assassination of Anastasio Somoza in his Paraguayan exile appears only to have fueled it further.

And if La Prensa, in seeking to go its independent way, is not being officially censored, the results are effectively the same. The instrument is a decree, increasingly invoked, strictly controlling dissemination of information impinging on the national security and economy.

It is ironic that La Prensa should now be a target. It was the murder of the paper's former editor, Joaquin Chamorro, by the Somoza regime that possibly more than any other single incident may have guaranteed the success of the revolution. It brought the Nicaraguan situation to world attention and subjected Somoza regime to continuing scrutiny it could not endure.

Nicaragua today is taking on the characteristic coloration of a revolution in decay, passing from the first euphoric stage of liberation of all from one oppression to the imposition of another repression by those newly dominant.

Still, advocates of political pluralism have not surrendered and the revolution may yet be saved from its own excesses. The light in Nicaragua is not out completely, but it is becoming increasingly difficult to read the good news by it.

the newest frontier

One casualty of the weakening dollar and strengthening economies in other industrial countries has been a shrinking job market abroad for American executives.

Even American firms operating in Europe, much of Latin America and the Far East are finding it economically practical to employ mostly nationals of the host countries. They can offer much the same skills as Americans but don't come with additional charges for overseas relocation, compensation for double taxation, cost-of-living differentials and other fringe disadvantages for the employer.

Except, that is, in the Third World. In these countries, there is still a scarcity of local executive talent and consequently, according to a current survey by Bayden Associates Inc., New York-based executive recruiting consultants, a strong market for American managerial talent.

It requires adjusting to often radically unfamiliar living conditions in such countries as Saudi Arabia, Bahrain, Oman, Abu Dhabi, Nigeria, Ghana, the Ivory Coast and New Guinea. But the rewards can be considerable. Americans can expect more rapid professional and financial advancement plus a string of perks such as free housing, schooling for children, cars with drivers medical and dental care, bonuses, relocation expenses, generous vacation and annual leaves, and complete tax equalization.

If he or she plays it right, the Third-World American can build up an estate that would be impossible at home or in any other industrial country. As a example, the survey estimates that an executive pulling down \$80,000 annually in the United States might be able to bank 5 percent after living expenses and taxes. In more expensive Belgium, the executive wouldn't have even that left over. But in Saudi Arabia, he or she could expect to hold onto 35 percent of total income.

Sounds great. Now if only they could do something about the water.

jobs go unclaimed

Recessions are not what they used to be. In the old days, an economic downturn would be accompanied by high unemployment and declining prices.

Indication that the old formula no longer holds true became apparent in the so-called recession of the mid-70's when joblessness jumped but inflation kept prices at a steep level.

The situation has become more perplexing during the current recession. Although eight million Americans are unemployed, many jobs are going begging.

A speaker on the National Newspaper Association convention program in St. Louis last week emphasized this by holding up a copy of that day's St. Louis Globe-Democrat, which had page after page of help wanted ads in the classified section.

He estimated that there were at least 10,000 jobs offered that day, plus another 2,600 listed by the Missouri Division of Employment Security.

About half were described as "hard to find" unskilled or low paying. Still these jobs wouldn't have stayed unfilled for long in the Great Depression.

Nowadays, too many persons without jobs assume that finding work in an economic slowdown is an impossibility.

And they turn up their noses at jobs that pay the minimum wage of \$3.10 an hour. They also toss out offers of jobs that have to do with work that is dirty, involves physical labor or is done at an inconvenient location.

The underlying problem with unemployment in a time when there are jobs to be done lies with our system of unemployment compensation. It is far too easy for a person to draw unemployment than to work at a job he might not like, and when it is easier to draw a check for not working than for working, it is easy to make that decision.

The present recession is exacting a heavy price as about 4 million Americans are collecting unemployment benefits to the tune of some \$14.2 billion for 1980.

Some states have borrowed heavily from the federal government to continue jobless payments. A number of states that have not repaid funds they borrowed then are seeking additional loans now.

Illinois, for example, owes Uncle Sam about \$1 billion with no funds for repayment. In this political year, Illinois has not been pressed for payment, but eventually will have to dig up the money.

This all adds up to high payroll taxes for employers who do provide jobs for the millions who are gainfully employed. It costs a lot to finance unemployed payments and it is especially galling to those who offer jobs they would prefer to be filled.



my turn

by roy mcqueen, publisher

The feller on Deep Creek says, "It's now costing Americans twice as much to live beyond their means."

Over the years, it has been generally agreed that New York City is going to the dogs.

The theory was proved recently when a news story from the Big Apple reported that the health department had acted upon a complaint about noise and stench coming from an apartment.

Over the protests of a 70-year-old woman, health officials removed one squirrel monkey, two cats and 107 dogs.

We don't have it as bad as one might think.

If you think you have it rough trying to diet to hold the weight down, or avoiding fatty steaks to lower the chances of heart disease, or having a tough time switching to low-tar cigarettes to keep from getting lung cancer, cheer up - it could be worse.

We ran across an item the other day listing the causes of death from 5,568 people to died in London during the week of August 15, 1680 - over 300 years ago.

Old age 45, bleeding 1, broken leg 1, broken skull by fall in street 1, consumption 126, convulsion 89, cough 1, dropsy 53, fever 348, livergrown 1, palsie 1, plague 1237, purples 2, puints 5 and rickets 23.

Eighteen died from the rising of the light, rupture 1, scurvy 3, shingles 1, spotted fever 166, flux and small pox 11, flux 1, frighted 2, gowt 2, grief 3, griping in the guts 79, head mould shot 1, jaundies 7, imposthume 8, Kingesvil 4, lethargy 1, stone 2, stopping of the stomach 17, stragury 3.

Two died of suddelies, surfeit 74, teeth 112, thrush 6, tissick 9, ulcer 1, vomiting 10, winde 4, and worms 20.

Some of the above are alias for diseases that continue today. "Tissick" is an old expression for asthma. Jaundies is an old spelling of jaundice or hepatitis. Stopping of the stomach was an old-fashioned case of constipation.

We figured out most of the fatal ailments, but "winde" was a tough one.

British coal mines were nationalized by the Labor government in 1947.

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at wits end

by erma bombeck

One night we were all sitting around and someone suggested we list the ten most significant contributions to the quality of our lives.

Most of them were quite predictable. Electricity, fire, the automobile, television and penicillin were mentioned. Some were quite personal and included the Pill, polyester, 10-foot phone cords and locks for bathroom doors.

I thought the whole conversation was quite superficial. What we were talking about was the one thing that made an impact on your life and indeed made it possible for you to survive on this planet. For me, there was no question. The No. 1 choice was the pacifier. How many women would not be with us today were it not for that little rubber-plastic nipple that you jammed in a baby's face to keep him from crying?

Today, it's as much a part of a baby's face as his nose or ears, but 30 years ago the pacifier was considered a maternal crutch: a visual that announced to the world, "I can't cope!"

I was a closet pacifier advocate. So were most of my friends. Unknown to our mothers, we owned 30 or 40 of those little suckers which were placed strategically around the house so that a cry could be silenced under 30 seconds. Despite the fact that bottles were boiled rooms

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Phil Pastoret

Shaving would be so much more pleasant if they could somehow get a better image in the mirror over the sink.

Somehow, updating "The Night Before Christmas" so that Santa arrives on a snowmobile does nothing but make us gag.



Show us a man who says it's easy and we'll lay odds he's a fellow who hasn't tried it.

The boss grumps that his secretary should join the symphony - she fiddles all day.

When the store offers a sale on Easter jelly beans during the yuletide rush, it does something we'd rather not have happen to our holiday spirit.

Never sweat over your work - the perspiration drops smear the ink and you'll have it to do all over again.

were disinfected, toys were hermetically sealed and germs were fought one-on-one, the pacifier was considered a temple that was somehow germ-proof an above sterilization.

Despite the fact that we found them under beds, buried in sofa cushions, thrown in ashtrays and buried in the garbage, no child ever got sick from "fooler around the mouth."

I shall never forget the day my mother dropped, by unexpectedly and found a pacifier in her grand-

daughter's mouth. "What is this?" she demanded, waving the flattened nipple on the plastic ring before my eyes.

"An ugly fever blister!" I offered. "It's a pacifier! Where did you get it?"

"Under the counter at Randall's drugstore." "Do you know if you keep using this pacifier, by the time this baby is four years old, her teeth will come in crooked and her mouth will have a permanent pout?"

"Do you know, Mother, if I do not use that pacifier, I may never permit her to be four?"

We pioneers of the pacifier have brought it to the respectability it deserves in this country. Some day it will be elevated to the position for which it was destined. After all, what other force in the world has the power to heal? To stop tears? End suffering? Sustain life? Restore world peace? And is the elixir that guarantees mothers everywhere the opportunity to sleep... perchance to dream?

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As you know, people often accuse me of coming up with strange notions. So please note that what I am about to bring up for discussion here today is not something I thought up.

Instead the subject came up in a letter to one of those syndicated columnists who give people advice. The reader wrote, "I am a widow who is living with a man to whom I am not married. In the town where I live, I pretend I am married but I try to avoid situations where the matter might come up."

"In a way I am doing this for money. You see, I get a pension from my deceased husband's employer which I will lose if I re-marry."

"On the other hand, I don't want to die a sinner and I feel I am living in sin. I feel guilty. I desperately want to be married. I love the man I am living with and he loves me."

The columnist advised the woman to see her minister. He, in turn, agreed to perform a marriage ceremony - a non-civil keep her pension because, in the eyes of the state, she would not be legally married.

I asked an Episcopal clergy friend of mine whether he had ever heard of such an arrangement.

"Heard of it?" she said. "I have conducted such a ceremony myself - under much the same conditions and for much the same reasons."

The number of "single couples" in the United States who are sharing living quarters has more than doubled since 1970, the number reaching 700,000 - or 1.4 million persons. Many of these are older people who, like the woman in our story, would stand to lose much-needed money - in pensions or reduced Social Security benefits - if they re-married.

But they don't want to live alone. They desire the love and companionship which they get by living with a person of the opposite sex.

Unlike younger "single couples" who do not feel guilty about living together, many older people in the same situation would feel better inside if they had the blessing of the church on their union.

The question is, can a clergyman join together two people in wedlock and "before God" without at the same time marrying them in the eyes of the state? After all, the ceremony satisfies both church and state.

Presumably he can, if the couple comes to him without a

marriage license for him to return to the probate court. Without a marriage license duly issued and duly signed, the two are not married in the eyes of the state. But they may have fulfilled all the requirements for marriage in the eyes of the church.

As to what constitutes a "lawful marriage," the Episcopal marriage ceremony says only that "if any persons are joined together otherwise than as God's word doth allow, their marriage is not lawful."

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saints and sinners

george plagenz

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letter to editor

To The Daily News:

On Nov. 21, the Snyder Go-Getters went to Irving for the North Zone Bowling Meet. There were 17 Go-Getters and 10 chaperones on this three-day trip.

The Go-Getters stayed at the Quality Inn and bowled at the Golden Triangle in Irving. There were 750 bowlers. The awards banquet was in the Dallas Convention Center.

Go-Getters medal winners were: Gold, Russell Loyd; silver, Helen Everts, Mark Becerra, Jan Simmons and Jodi Clauson; bronze, Sonny Andrade, Darlene Turner and Raydene Brown. Other bowlers receiving participant medals were Richard Gohlke, Randy Underwood, Rolin L. Higdon, Larry Hooper, Frankle Vansickle, Mae Farmer, Susan Banks, Alice Brigham and Laurel Davis.

Chaperones were Head Coach Elois Davis, Ruby Gregory, Norman Fulks, Wortham Loyd, Yvonne Everts, David Raschke, Joye Loyd, Lorena Cole, Eddie Brigham and Beulah Hooper.

Everyone enjoyed the trip. Go-Getters, the Snyder TSO Committee is very proud of you. The committee wishes to thank all of the chaperones. Ruby Gregory, Snyder TSO Committee Secretary

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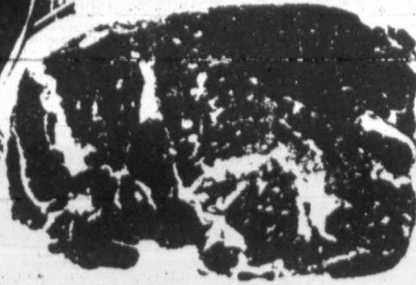


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