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Ask Us

For area cotton crop...

Rain 'just what the doctor ordered'

from local, wire reports
Scurry County received rainfall ranging from about one to two and a half inches early this morning, giving the area "just what the doctor ordered," according to Marvin Ensor, county agricultural extension agent.
"The cotton crop was blooming in some cases, or fixing to start, and that is a critical stage as far as the plant being able to set a fruit load. From what I've heard, the area has received from one to

three inches and that's going to give us a really great chance for an above average cotton crop," said Ensor. "We still have some insects that need to be watched and treated for in some cases. I think the cotton held on through a hot June better than some expected and we were still in good shape. This came at a critical time and hopefully we'll go on to have a better than average cotton crop."
Snyder received 1.58 inches of

precipitation as of 7 a.m. and had received 1.90 by noon, when the skies appeared to be clearing somewhat. Tonight's forecast calls for a 40 percent chance of rain. A front, which is also producing cooler temperatures, is expected to move out of the area Friday.
Area rainfall reports included 2.5 inches seven miles northwest of Snyder and east a few miles out the Roby Highway. The area north of Snyder received 1.5 in-

ches while Fluvanna reported 1.4, Hermleigh and Dunn 1.25, Ira 1.1 and Lake Thomas .75. Lloyd Mountain received 2.25 inches.
According to the weather bureau, light rain fell early today across the South Plains from near Guthrie westward to the Lubbock area. Scattered showers and thunderstorms, including some with heavy rainfall, were reported across North Central Texas and the low rolling plains. Some of the heaviest rain was

reported near Abilene, Mineral Wells and Denton. Other rain was reported from east of Snyder to north of Midland.
Forecasts called for a chance of showers and thunderstorms across most of the state. The rain will be ending over Northwest Texas tonight and ending over western and central portions of North Texas. The showers will continue into early Friday in East Texas, South Texas and
(see RAINFALL, page 8)



TREACHEROUS UNDERPASS — The near two-inch rainfall in Snyder this morning caused some minor traffic problems. This low underpass near Wilson Motors filled quickly. Most drivers came through slowly, but some turned around after deciding not to chance it. (SDN Staff Photo)

3-part school board meeting to address personnel, budget

Snyder public schools board of trustees have scheduled a three-part meeting this evening, to open with a general session at 6 o'clock and end with a workshop session on the 1990-91 budget.
Among the agenda items in the first of two open sessions will be the approval of five resignations — including one elementary principal — a recommendation to hire four new teachers, and the re-assignment of five others.
The board will break for an executive session to discuss funding of supplemental teachers and a proposed pay increase for paraprofessionals, principals and central office staff.
Following the executive session, the board will begin its budget workshop. The workshop is expected to include the subject of a proposed pay increase as well as "the overall budget picture" for 1990-91, according to Supt. Dalton Moseley.
Among the other regular agenda items to be discussed and approved by the board are the high school student handbook, out-of-district transfers, a free and reduced-price lunch eligibility scale, and bills and previous

minutes. Also discussed will be summer purchase orders.
Geraldine Parker has submitted her resignation as principal at West Elementary school. Moseley said he will begin interviewing applicants Monday for the vacated position.
Also submitting resignations for approval of the board are one high school instructor, two junior high school teachers and one elementary teacher.
SISD administrators will also be seeking to hire a high school journalism teacher, a high school coach/social studies teacher, a junior high coach/history teacher, and a junior high coach/English teacher. The personnel reassignments involve elementary school teachers going to different campuses.
The district's report on out-of-district transfers indicates that 80 students transferred into the district for the 1989-90 school year but only 60 are expected to transfer in for the 1990-91 year. It also shows that there will be more students transferring out of the district in 1990-91 — 68 — as compared to 60 last year.
Summer purchases to be paid

from the 1990-91 budget total \$20,641.51. Of that, a little over \$13,000 is from the high school, including \$5,300 for shop lathes and sander repair, \$5,000 for instructional and administrative supplies and \$1,900 for
(see SCHOOL, page 8)

Local banks to be 'robbed' by Dirty Dan Gang Friday

Snyder citizens who see the three local banks being robbed Friday morning by a gang of dastardly crooks shouldn't get too upset — it's all in good fun.
Dirty Dan and his gang plan to rob the American State Bank, West Texas State Bank and Snyder National Bank beginning at 9:30 a.m. Friday, only to be chased around the square by Pecos Bill and brought to trial.
Characters in the holdup and chase are promoting Saturday evening's melodrama, an annual

fundraiser to benefit the Noah Project.
The villain and leader of the Dirty Dan Gang is Tom Holcomb, who will be pursued around the courthouse Friday morning by Joe Gainer as Pecos Bill. After Bill catches the Dirty Dan Gang, a trial — presided over by District Judge Gene Dulaney and District Attorney Ernie Armstrong — will be held at the gazebo. The entire affair is expected to be over about 10:30 a.m.

Saturday's melodrama is scheduled for 6 p.m. at Scurry County Coliseum. The meal will feature smoked sausage on a bun, potato salad, root beer and cookies. The melodrama is to begin about 7 p.m.
Tickets for the evening are \$6 for adults and \$3.50 for children age 10 and under. Advance tickets are encouraged and may be purchased at Bar-H-Bar Western Wear, The Shack, Blanche's Bernina and Ezell-Key
(see ROBBER, page 8)

The SDN Column By Roy McQueen

The feller on Deep Creek says, "I wish they'd stop talking about a recession 'cause I still owe from the boom."

Snyder physician Paul Thompson last week went out to Big Country Chevrolet and took out a Suburban for a test spin. The dealership also had a newer model they wanted the doc to try out.
Dr. Thompson drove the vehicle overnight and parked it behind his clinic. On the telephone, Bill Wilson suggested that he bring the second Suburban out and pick up the older one.
Bill said he would send his wife, Nancy, out to make the trade. Nancy made the switch, and just as she made the turn on Round Top Road, she noticed the doc sure had made a mess of the car in a short time.
Then it dawned on her. She had picked up the wrong vehicle. She hurried back to the clinic, parked the vehicle and hurried away, hoping nobody had noticed—but they had!

Dr. Thompson's home across from the WTC golf course has twice been the target of toilet paper. Friends of the doctor's young daughters caught the family away from home and "toilet-papered the yard."
When it happened the second time, the doctor was not as amused as he was having to clean up the yard in 100-degree heat. He was grumbling to himself when a golfer on the No. 7 tee hollered:
"Sure wish I had a tree like that. I have to buy that stuff."
The vice president is always a good target for a joke. In Washington circles, the story goes like this:
"What's that on your forehead?" the vice president asked.
"It's a birthmark," Gorbachev answered.
"Oh yeah? How long have you had it?"

Train, van collide, killing 3, injuring 8

SHREVEPORT, La. (AP) — A van loaded with children on their way to a family outing at an amusement park was hit by a train just south of Shreveport, killing three people and seriously injuring eight.
The victims were mostly from towns across the state line in Arkansas, and all were related, investigators said.
The accident happened about 6 p.m. Wednesday at a controversial crossing on Stagecoach Road where the lack of signal lights has been a matter of concern

since a fatal accident five years ago.
The dead were identified as Sandra Stultz, 25, of Texarkana, Ark.; her 18-month-old daughter Hannah, and Amy Gray, 8, of Taylor, Ark.
Five children and three adults were hospitalized, most in serious condition. Their home towns were given as Hope, Texarkana and Taylor, Ark., and Keithville, La.
Caddo Parish Sheriff's deputies said they had determined
(see WRECK, page 8)

Q—Does Texas lead the nation in agricultural exports?
A—No, according to the Texas Department of Agriculture, Texas ranks fifth among the states with \$2.64 billion or seven percent of the total U.S. agricultural exports of \$39.65 billion. California leads all states with \$3.56 billion in agricultural exports.

In Brief

Baby quakes

SAN FRANCISCO (AP) — Tiny aftershocks of the Bay Area earthquake are being delivered this month, nine months after the earth moved, says a hospital projecting up to a two-thirds increase in births.
But other hospitals are not sure the fault for any baby boom lies with the Oct. 17 quake that caused blackouts and trapped people at home for days.
Seton Medical Center in Daly City just south of San Francisco projects the higher-birth-rate for July. "We're calling them quake babies," Kathy Kohrman, Seton's director of marketing, said Wednesday.

Water rations

SAN ANTONIO (AP) — The Edwards Underground Water District has adopted an emergency water rationing plan for Bexar, Comal and Hays counties that takes effect immediately.
The plan restricts lawn watering and car washing to designated days and prohibits filling hot tubs and swimming pools.
District directors unanimously adopted the emergency measures Wednesday. A 1987 Texas law gives the district power to implement and enforce a regional drought plan in its three-county area.
The emergency plan, which expires Dec. 31, was drawn up by the Texas Water Commission under Commissioner John Birdwell's direction.

Local

Cogdell board

Cogdell Memorial Hospital board of managers will meet at noon Friday for a bill-paying session.
Also on the brief agenda will be the review and approval of the Home Health Agency annual evaluation.
The board will then adjourn to an executive session regarding a personnel matter.

Test sirens

Fire Chief Terry Don McDowell said emergency warning sirens in Snyder will be tested at 7 p.m. today.

Shriners

Snyder Shrine Club will meet at 7 p.m. today at Snyder Country Club.

Weather

Snyder Temperatures: High Wednesday, 98 degrees; low, 68 degrees; 1.58 inches precipitation; total precipitation for 1990 to date, 12.33 inches.
Snyder Area Forecast: Tonight, partly cloudy with a 40 percent chance of mainly evening showers or thunderstorms. Low in the mid 60s. Wind northeast 10 to 20 mph. Friday, partly cloudy. High in the mid 80s. Wind northeast 10 to 20 mph.

Boys with 'right stuff' will be boisterous

WASHINGTON (AP) — For nearly 30 years of space flight, NASA looked the other way when its high-spirited astronauts tested the rules of behavior that governed their lives. After all, boys with the right stuff will be boisterous. This week, the space agency departed from tradition and suspended two veteran and highly regarded shuttle commanders for stepping over the line. For Navy Cmdr. Robert L. Gibson and Navy Capt. David M. Walker, both in their mid-40s, the suspensions might be the end of their NASA careers.

"There was a violation of policy," Donald R. Puddy, the astronauts' boss as director of flight operations, said in an interview. "I think it's clear across the board that we had established a policy, written it down and communicated it to all parties involved. I think they were all aware of what we were trying to do."

Gibson's transgression was flying a stunt plane in a race at an air show last Saturday in New Braunfels, Texas. His plane and another collided, killing the second pilot.

Walker was grounded for unspecified violation of flying rules. The National Aeronautics and Space Administration sought to make clear that his near-

Both sides say they are winners

HOUSTON (AP) — Protesters on both sides of the abortion issue claimed victory in what was to be a "No Abortion Day."

About 200 abortion opponents, some accompanied by their children, gathered Wednesday on the street across from Houston's Planned Parenthood office and clinic and set up a picket line.

About 100 others, wearing blue and white vests emblazoned with the words "Planned Parenthood," set up a perimeter around the offices and filled the building entrance, occasionally escorting a client into the clinic.

At least one man was arrested for trespassing when he grabbed the leg of a woman to try to stop her from entering the building.

Dozens of uniformed Houston police and several plainclothes officers kept order as two large buses stood ready to handle any people arrested.

"We have provided abortion services this morning and they said there wouldn't be any in Houston today," Susan Nenny, spokesman for Planned Parenthood of Houston and Southeast Texas, Inc. said. "We will not allow local and national people to terrorize Houston women."

Don Treshman, director of an anti-abortion group called Rescue America, said he was convinced that his group met its goal of bringing abortions to a halt in Houston, at least for the day.

"We have determined you could not kill a child in Houston today through normal channels," Treshman said. "We'd like to be here every day, but the reality of it is our people work and can't be out here day in and day out."

Comedian Harold Lloyd was born in Burchard, Neb., in 1893.

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collision with an airliner last year was only one factor that led to the suspension.

"It was an incident that was considered, you might say it was one of the more severe incidents," Puddy said. He declined to elaborate, saying only that the space agency had become concerned about "some things in the manner which he was flying."

Walker, a Navy captain who had flown in space twice, was replaced on a Defense Department mission set for March 1991 and suspended for 60 days from flying NASA's T-38 jet trainers.

At the same time, NASA announced a one-year suspension for Gibson. Neither astronaut had any public comment.

Before the written guidelines, NASA tolerated some dangerous outside activities.

Gordon Cooper, one of the Mercury Seven astronauts, was fond of fast cars and was about to do.

Hondo residents' reaction mixed to prison site choice

HONDO, Texas (AP) — Residents of this South Central Texas town remain sharply divided over what effect construction of a medium-security state prison will have on their lives.

The prison will boost a dwindling economy by generating as many as 300 jobs and increasing tax revenues, Mayor Tony Hardt said Wednesday.

Diane De Leon, a Chamber of Commerce spokeswoman, said the prison will supply the 60,000 members of the farming and ranching community with an occupational alternative because of a drought that has devastated crops and scorched pasture land.

Frame shop owner Judy Byrne said job incentive will help keep local children in school.

But others disagree. Some agree the prison will provide an economical windfall, but fear the addition of the 1,000-bed

Crop certification deadline nears

The final day to certify 1990 spring seeded crops is Monday, July 16, according to Scurry County ASCS director Joe Hefner.

Hefner also noted that, as in the past, certification will be done by appointment, so participants are urged to call before coming in to avoid a long wait.

In order to be certified, acreage reports should account for every acre of cropland and use on every farm. CRP acres must be certified again this year. If unsure of exact acreage, the ASCS offers a measurement service.

Lupe Merritt's work recognized

Lupe Merritt, wife of local doctor, Sherman Merritt, was recently named Outstanding Woman of the Year at the annual state meeting of the Texas GI Forum Convention in San Antonio.

Merritt, who was presented a plaque signifying her honor, was recognized for her work and involvement with the Latin American Service Organization.

Thank You

The committee that planned the July 4th Prayer Breakfast extends sincere thanks and appreciation to the following businessmen, organizations, and individuals whose cooperation made it a success.

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make his professional driving debut when NASA stopped him. Four-time space flyer James Lovell fractured his arm and shoulder while skiing. Apollo 7 astronaut Walter Cunningham fractured a vertebra on a trampoline.

It has been just over a year since astronaut S. David Griggs was killed while performing aerial stunts in his World War II vintage airplane, practicing for a weekend air show.

When it came to space flying, however, NASA had a no-nonsense way of exerting discipline.

Scott Carpenter, the fourth American in space, overshot his landing mark by 250 miles and never got another flight. He started a new career as an underwater researcher.

The crew of Apollo 7 — Wally Schirra, Donn Eisele and Walt Cunningham — were cranky with mission control throughout their

Hondo residents' reaction mixed to prison site choice

prison will stigmatize Hondo as a "prison town."

"I have never debated the jobs and money that will come in, but I think you give up something for it," said John Jennings, an optometrist and an outspoken opponent of locating any type of detention facility here. "I'm afraid it's going to change our town. I hope I'm wrong."

"It just makes me feel unsafe raising my kids here in town," said a hardware store clerk who declined to give her name.

The Texas Board of Criminal Justice on Tuesday chose Hondo as the site for one of four new prisons authorized by lawmakers earlier this month to help ease overcrowding in county jails in the state.

The Texas Department of Corrections recorded 45,415 inmates as of July 1, and an estimated 5,800 convicted felons still are in county jails waiting for space to open up.

The town will make 350 acres of land available for the prison, and another 1,150 acres available for agricultural use "or whatever they want to use it for," Hardt said.

Astrograph by Bernice Bede Osol

Your Birthday
July 13, 1990

A slow, but steady growth pattern is likely in the year ahead where your material interests are concerned. If you try to hurry up the process, you may stall it instead.

CANCER (June 21-July 22) Your judgment is reasonably good today, but you might lack faith in your decisions and let others do your thinking for you who can't think for themselves. Get a jump on life by understanding the influences which are governing you in the year ahead. Send for your Astro-Graph predictions today by mailing \$1.25 to Astro-Graph, c/o this newspaper, P.O. Box 91428, Cleveland, OH 44101-3428. Be sure to state your zodiac sign.

LEO (July 23-Aug. 22) Today if you blurt out something that would be better left unsaid, don't call attention to your blunder. Trying to clarify your comments could make things worse.

VIRGO (Aug. 23-Sept. 22) Someone who likes you will be a bit put out today if you ignore this person and fawn over a new acquaintance who has yet to prove loyalty.

LIBRA (Sept. 23-Oct. 23) Motivation and initiative could break down rather early for you today. This is why you might not achieve an objective that actually was within your reach.

SCORPIO (Oct. 24-Nov. 22) Someone might ask you for an explanation today pertaining to something you pretend to comprehend but really don't. The probe could be embarrassing.

SAGITTARIUS (Nov. 23-Dec. 21) Try not to be the underwriter of unworthy causes today. There is a possibility you might make a loan to a person who is an extremely poor credit risk.

CAPRICORN (Dec. 22-Jan. 19) Just because someone talks louder or longer than you do, it doesn't mean this person's judgment is better than yours. Stand your ground if you think you're right.

AQUARIUS (Jan. 20-Feb. 19) If you do little and expect a lot, disappointment is likely today. Rewards you receive will be commensurate to the services you render or the work you perform.

PISCES (Feb. 20-March 20) Today you might innately sense you'll fit more comfortably in a small group than you will in a large one. There is a chance you may be right, so avoid crowded gatherings if possible.

ARIES (March 21-April 19) If you're entertaining at your place today be meticulous regarding the guest list. Matching up the wrong dinner partners or inviting one who doesn't fit could make for an uncomfortable event.

TAURUS (April 20-May 20) You might not be too well attuned to your listeners today. Be careful you don't gore a sacred cow or dominate conversations with topics only of interest to you.

GEMINI (May 21-June 20) Do not snatch defeat from the hands of success today in your commercial involvements. Guard against inclinations to oversell or change a good deal into a bumner.

11-day flight. All three resigned soon afterward.

Astronauts David Scott, Al Worden and Jim Irwin smuggled some stamps aboard their Apollo 15, planning to sell them later. NASA found out, reprimanded them and they left quickly.

Puddy's order bars astronauts in training for flight from taking part in "risky recreational activities ... where there exists exposure of major, or even fatal, injury." That includes: "Auto, boat, airplane or motorcycle racing; parachute jumping; and snow skiing."

NASA's astronaut corps has 85 members, 63 of whom are in training for 12 future shuttle flights.

"The rationale for our rules is to preserve the assigned crews," said Puddy. "We do not have enough people in the astronaut office to provide backups for every single crew member for all aspects of training."

The mayor described the plot as a small price to pay for relief from the town's sharp economic downturn.

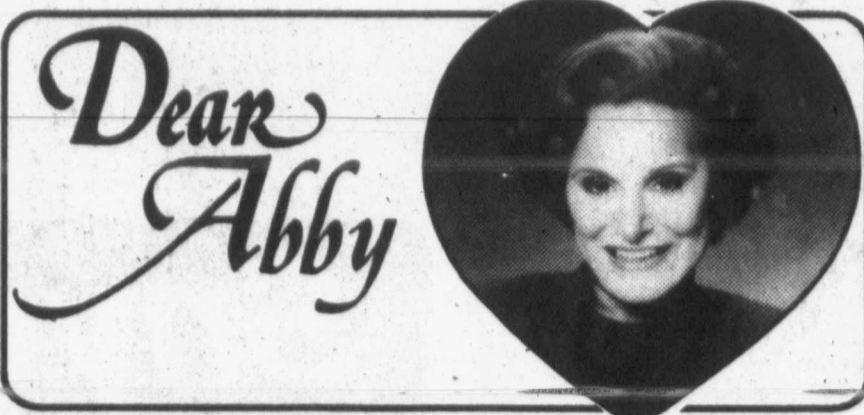
"At least a dozen businesses have gone out of business in four years," he said. "It's hitting home here. It was hard to watch, so we decided to stop watching and do something about it."

Some prison proponents claim the Medina County Jail, located in downtown Hondo, is more of a security risk than the prison will be.

"The county jail downtown houses rapists and murderers and convicts, and there's no place to send them," Hardt said. "The state does not have enough room. If they (convicts) really wanted to escape, they'd escape from the Medina County Jail."

Jeff Berger, assistant publisher of the weekly Hondo Anvil Herald, said he believes opposition to the prison will end by the time the prison is completed.

"It's a depression-proof industry. As long as there are criminals, you need jails," Berger said.



Dear Abby

Father's Distance From Son Is More Than a Matter of Miles

By Abigail Van Buren

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DEAR ABBY: I am a divorced father of one son, age 7. His mother and I separated when he was only 2 months old. I am allowed "reasonable visitation," but I see my son only three or four times a year, even though we live in the same city. I see him more out of a sense of duty than a desire to see him, although he is an exceptionally sweet, well-behaved kid who tells me that he wishes he could see me more often.

I'm not particularly fond of children, and when I do see him, I actually get bored with him after a few hours.

I've considered just going my own way and not seeing him anymore, but I love him enough to worry about the adverse effect it could have on him. I suffer a lot of guilt over my lack of feeling for him, and yet I don't know how to remedy the situation. My heart is just not in being a father.

I can't discuss this with my ex-wife. She would never understand. After seven years of this, I am tired of fighting with myself, and I want some answers. What should I do?
UNINTERESTED FATHER

DEAR UNINTERESTED: You are to be commended for (a) your honesty in admitting that you are an uninterested father, and (b) for caring enough to ask how to remedy the situation. Seek counseling from a family counselor. Parenting skills can be learned. It's not unusual for an adult to feel awkward and bored with a child he hardly knows. Start now to build a good father-son relationship. The rewards are priceless, and this letter is a giant step in the right direction.

DEAR ABBY: I've never written to you before, but I don't know who else to turn to. My problem is my fiancée. He's hardworking and generous, and I love him, but he has one bad fault. He has a terrible temper. If I do something he doesn't like—or if I'm around him when something goes wrong—he takes it out on me. He swears and hollers at me something terrible. I'm overweight and not a very secure person. He used to hit me, but he hasn't hit me in a long

time. He just says, "If you were a man, I'd punch you out!"

I've asked him many times not to threaten me or cuss me out, but he still does it. We're getting married in three weeks, and I'm hoping he will change after we're married, but how can a person be sure? Have you any last-minute advice?
"COLD FEET" IN TEXAS

DEAR COLD FEET: Yes. Postpone your wedding until both you and your fiancée have had marriage counseling—and your feet warm up. He needs to learn how to deal with his anger without verbally abusing you. And you need to understand why you tolerate it.

No one should go into a marriage "hoping" his or her prospective mate will change. (They rarely do without counseling.)

Postponing a marriage may be inconvenient, painful, embarrassing and expensive, but it's preferable to a divorce anytime.

DEAR ABBY: My husband and I will be celebrating our 50th wedding anniversary this year. We are going to have a family dinner to include sisters, brothers, nieces and nephews.

One of my nephews has been living with a woman for seven years. (They are not married.) Should we invite this woman to the dinner? If you think we should, how should we address the invitation? She goes by her own name.
NEEDS TO KNOW

DEAR NEEDS: Address the envelope to: Mr. John Smith and Ms. Mary Brown. The invitation should read: Dear Mary and John.

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Taxicab drivers riding with terror these days

DALLAS (AP) — Taxicab drivers in Dallas say their days and nights have become uneasy following the third slaying of a driver in three weeks.

"They're killing us like flies," said Earl Gould, a Yellow Cab driver who is collecting money to give to the family of the latest victim.

At least a half-dozen cab drivers also have been slain in Houston this year.

Police still are looking for the person who killed the latest Dallas victim, Sammie Woodard. The 45-year-old driver was found fatally shot early Tuesday, slumped over the wheel of his Terminal Taxi.

Ironically, Woodard had gone to the recent funeral of another slain cabdriver and had briefly discussed with his wife quitting his job.

"We talked about the dangers," Ernestine Woodard told the Dallas Times Herald, "but he said to quit worrying about it because the chances were slim anything would happen to him. So we stopped worrying."

Many of the 1,850 taxicab drivers in Dallas say they are worrying.

"It's pretty nerve-wracking," said Brad Taylor, who owns Ter-

minal Taxi and has offered a \$1,000 reward for the conviction of Woodard's killer.

A driver voted Dallas' favorite last year, John Wicker, said he has to put the danger out of mind.

"You can't stop because of a few wackos," he said. "But I don't think about it every time I go out that door. Am I going to come home? Sometimes we just don't."

That almost happened to Wicker's younger brother, Jerry Wicker. At age 27, and after being stabbed in the head by a woman with a butcher knife, he decided he had had enough. He now drives a wrecker.

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Art club elects new officers

Meeting for last time of the club year, Snyder Palette Club recognized the new officers to take office in September. Serving as president will be Karen Rinker. Other officers will be Myrtle Joiner, vice president; Evelyn Mebane, secretary; and Lila Guinn, treasurer. Jerry Baird of the Senior Citizens Center asked the group to donate pictures for the new part of the center. Members voted to do this. Members also discussed their Annual Fiesta Sale in which nothing will be priced over \$50. Items will not be limited to paintings — pottery and weavings will also be available. The club will again sponsor an art show at Scurry County Coliseum during the Scurry County Fair. Guinn and Lois Burney were hostesses for the meeting. Membership in Snyder Palette Club is open to anyone wishing to promote art in the community.



LUNCHEON ENTERTAINERS — Snyder's Christian Women's Club held their monthly luncheon at Snyder Country Club Wednesday. Pictured from the left are Sharon Streetman, musical entertainment; Nancy Gressett, speaker, of Clovis, N.M.; and Joni Gainer, program presentation. (SDN Staff Photo)

Bridge

by James Jacoby

NORTH 7-12-99			
♦ J 5			
♥ K Q 5 4			
♦ K Q 3			
♠ A Q 10 5			
WEST EAST			
♦ K 7 3	♥ 8 4		
♥ J 9 3 2	♠ A 10 6		
♦ J 7 4 2	♠ A 10 5		
♦ J 9	♠ 8 7 6 3 2		
SOUTH			
♦ A Q 10 9 6 2			
♥ 8 7			
♦ 9 8 6			
♠ K 4			
Vulnerable: Both			
Dealer: North			
South	West	North	East
4♦	All pass	1NT	Pass
Opening lead: ♥ 2			

What does partner need?

Place yourself in the East position, defending against four spades. If you like a problem, don't look at the declarer's cards or your partner's. The deuce of hearts is led, and you win the ace when declarer plays the king from dummy. What now?

One easy way to set the contract would be to find West void in clubs. A club back would be ruffed, West would return a diamond to your ace, and another club ruff would set the contract. Is that realistic? If West were void in clubs, the opening lead would probably be from West's long diamond suit. It's better to picture a combination of high cards in West's hand that will lead to declarer's defeat. How about a trump trick plus the jack of diamonds? You can lead a low diamond back at trick two; when West wins the king of spades, another diamond gives you two diamond tricks and sets the contract. This play is the winner.

Note that playing a diamond into the K-Q-3 in dummy would also be right if East held A-J-5 of diamonds. Then East would need to find West with the 10-spot plus the needed trump entry. In fact, if declarer South held 10-8-x of diamonds, a low diamond back from A-J-5 might still win, since declarer would possibly put in the eight-spot. West's nine then would force an honor from dummy. When West got back on lead, he would play a diamond through the honor-small left in the North hand.

Family reunion slated in Dunn

There will be a Dunn-Richardson-Billingsley family reunion July 21 at Dunn Community Center. All family and friends are invited. A catered lunch will begin around 11 a.m. Reservations must be made by July 16 by calling Janiece Blasingame at 728-2723.

Bailey recovering

PHILADELPHIA (AP) — Pearl Bailey is feeling well after surgery for replacement of an arthritic left knee, her surgeon says.

The 72-year-old singer and actress received a metal and plastic joint Wednesday at Pennsylvania Hospital in her native Philadelphia.

Miss Bailey will remain in the hospital about two weeks and undergo therapy and exercises for up to two months at home in Arizona, said Dr. Richard Rothman.

Rothman said Miss Bailey was awake for most of the 55-minute operation, which he said was "a great success. She is feeling well."

Miss Bailey played the lead in "Hello Dolly" on Broadway and starred in such movies as "Carmen Jones" and "Porgy and Bess." She is also known for such classic songs as "Bill Bailey, Won't You Come Home" and "St. Louis Blues."



PIANO CAMP — These students of Lynn Bethel of Bethel Studio of Music attended Cubby Bear Piano Camp at the Bethel Studio June 25-30. Pictured bottom row are Clell Knight, Colby Stoker, Nickolas Means, Ryan Gibson and Layne Scott. Top row are Jason Warren, Brooke Kubena and Ellen Strayhorn, all counselors, and Meredith Stinson of Colorado City. (Bethel Studio of Music Photo)

Community Calendar

- THURSDAY**
- Al-Anon; Park Club at Winston Park; noon.
 - Free blood pressure clinic; Dunn Community Center; 1-2 p.m.
 - Advanced Duplicate Bridge; Colorado City bridge room; 1:30 p.m.
 - Duplicate Bridge; Snyder Country Club; 1:30 p.m.
 - Tiger Shark Swim Club; WTC; 6-18 years of age; 4-5:30 p.m. For information, call Mike Harrison at 573-8511 ext. 283.
 - Scurry County Sheriff's Posse; Posse Clubhouse; 7:30 p.m.
 - Scurry County Alcoholics Anonymous; Park Club in Winston Park; 8 p.m. For information, call 863-2348, 573-8110 or 573-9410.
- FRIDAY**
- Storytime; Scurry County Library; 10 a.m.; 4 and 5-year olds.
 - Snyder Jaycees; noon luncheon; Golden Corral.
 - Free blood pressure clinic; Cogdell Memorial Hospital emergency waiting room; 1-2:30 p.m.
 - ACBL Open Pairs Duplicate Bridge; Snyder Country Club; 1:30 p.m.
 - Oasis Overeaters Anonymous; 2-3 p.m.; Park Club at Winston Field; Newcomers Welcome! 573-8322 or 573-7705.
 - Cornelius-Dodson House; open by appointment; 573-9742 or 573-2763.
 - Tiger Shark Swim Club; WTC; 6-18 years of age; 4-5:30 p.m. For information, call Mike Harrison at 573-8511 ext. 283.
 - Al-Anon; Park Club at Winston Park; 8 p.m. For more information call 573-2101 or 573-8626.)
 - New Horizon Alcoholics Anonymous; Park Club in Winston Park; 8 p.m. For more information, call 573-8110, 863-2348 or 573-6820.
- SATURDAY**
- Defensive Driving; \$25; Snyder Savings and Loan Community Room; 27th and College; 8:30 a.m.-4 p.m.
 - People Without Partners; Inadale Community Center; games of 42 and dominos; 6:30 p.m.
- SUNDAY**
- Scurry County Alcoholics Anonymous; Park Club in Winston Park; 10 a.m. For more information, call 863-2348, 573-8110 or 573-6820.
 - Scurry County Museum; Western Texas College; open from 1-4 p.m.
 - ACBL Open Pairs Duplicate Bridge; Snyder Country Club; 1:30 p.m.

Baby feeding myths debunked by magazine

NEW YORK (AP) — When it comes to baby food, everyone seems to be an expert on when and how baby should be fed. Unfortunately, such conflicting advice provides little comfort for parents who want to make the best choices for their child.

CHILD Magazine debunks the many myths surrounding infant feeding. Here are some examples:

- Fat babies become fat adults: Children rarely overeat when allowed to regulate their own food intake. When given that opportunity, even chunky babies generally grow into their weight.
- Breast fed babies never get

sick: Babies that are breast-fed get sick just as often as bottle-fed babies.

— Soy-based formula is closer to breast-milk: Not true, especially if the mother is drinking cow's milk.

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ACROSS

- 1 Sharp projection
- 4 "Auld Lang"
- 8 Unison
- 12 Over (poet.)
- 13 Resort of New Mexico
- 14 Sesame
- 15 Woman's garment
- 16 Uses frugally
- 17 — mater
- 18 Up to this point (2 wds.)
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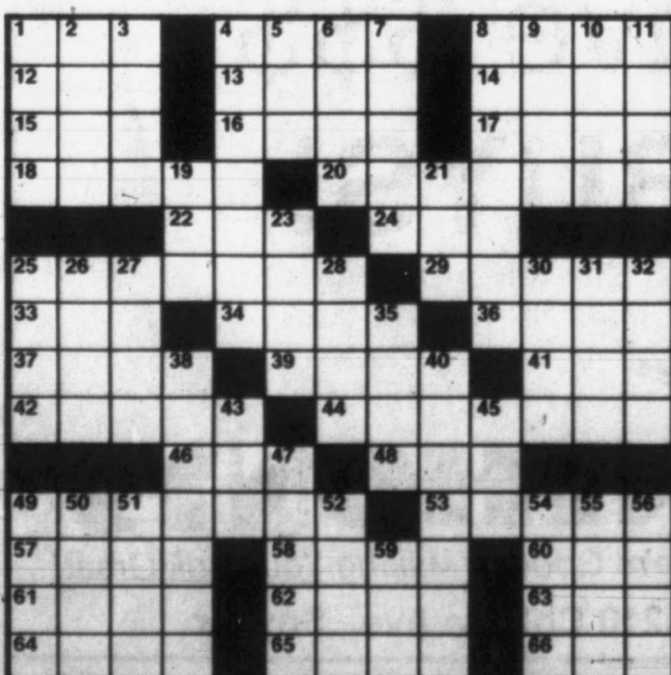
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- 41 Measure of land
- 42 In a pile
- 44 Goblet
- 46 Cover with turf
- 48 Foxy
- 49 Of marriage
- 53 Claims on property
- 57 Phrase of comprehension
- 58 Film director
- 60 Hobo
- 61 Actress Deborah
- 62 English school
- 63 Heat unit (abbr.)
- 64 Emerald Isle
- 65 Coarse tobacco
- 66 Fast aircraft (abbr.)

Answer to Previous Puzzle



- 1 Work units
- 2 Of aircraft
- 3 Tennis player
- 4 Steffi
- 5 More severe
- 6 Words of
- 7 denial
- 8 Ancient chariot
- 9 Haystack base
- 10 Sound from a kennel
- 11 Verne hero
- 12 Attired
- 13 Be sick
- 14 Dawn goddess
- 15 Gallop, e.g.
- 16 — bene
- 17 No
- 18 Old King
- 19 Lines
- 20 Coup d'
- 21 Unmixed
- 22 Row
- 23 Cans
- 24 Oriental
- 25 Cultivating
- 26 Taro paste
- 27 Memo abbr.
- 28 Calendar numbers
- 29 Victory goddess
- 30 Customer
- 31 Persian elf
- 32 Narrow board
- 33 Reccede
- 34 Almonds and pecans
- 35 Soot
- 36 — fault (overmuch)



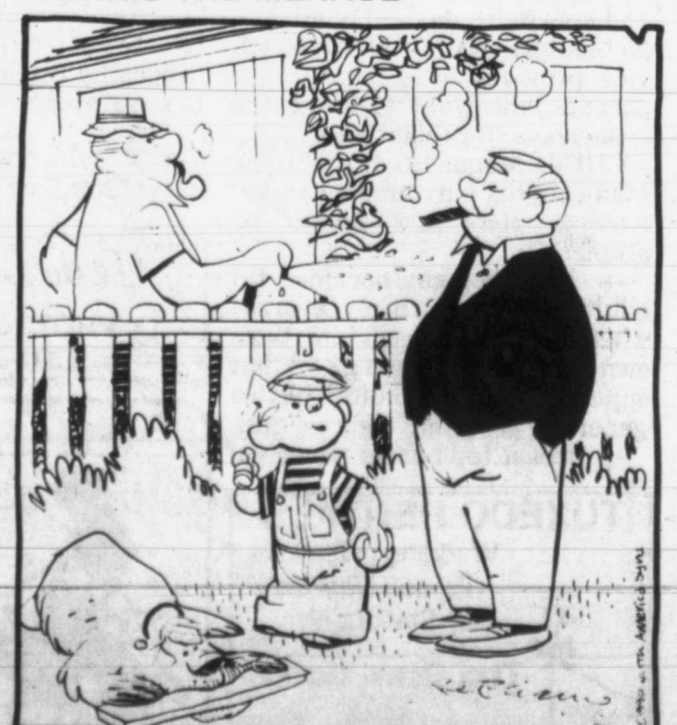
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SWC officials meeting

Conference sets secret meeting for planning

DALLAS (AP) — The Southwest Conference scheduled an "important" meeting at an undisclosed location today to discuss how to respond to a move by the Southeastern Conference to entice the University of Arkansas and perhaps Texas and Texas A&M to change leagues.

Do Carter, the league's director of media relations, said the meeting was closed to outsiders at a location he termed "top secret."

"The meeting is important because it will give us a chance to exchange a fair amount of information about some of the options the conference office staff is exploring," SWC President James Vick said Wednesday.

"It will be an assessment of alternatives, scheduling changes, the effects of structural changes on TV," said Vick, the University of Texas faculty representative.

League officials confirmed the meeting was called to discuss options available if Arkansas chooses to leave for the SEC as

well as ways to make the league less likely to lose Arkansas or other members.

Among the topics to be discussed by league representatives was a proposal that the conference's round-robin schedule in football be scuttled to allow teams to play more non-conference foes.

That could present a more attractive TV schedule or increase fan appeal by allowing schools to add games against attractive independents or teams from other conferences, such as the Big Eight.

Vick said the enormous amount of money generated by appearances is a major concern.

"If you see certain super-conference emerging," he said, "they will have a dramatic effect on the TV market. And if you have a conference (like the SWC) that is not a part of those, how is it going to suffer? Does it need to be protecting itself in some way, whether by expansion or working with other conferences to build a new TV package."

No decisions will be made, but recommendations will be passed

on to SWC presidents who have a meeting scheduled Tuesday in Dallas, officials said.

Texas Tech faculty representative Robert Sweazy said the SWC must be prepared if Arkansas or another school leaves.

"What our contingency plan is, I don't know," he said. "It might be agreements with other universities, other schools, other conferences ... This is the position we need to be in, so the SWC is not without a fallback position."

Arkansas has confirmed it is considering a move to the SEC, and the president of the largest Razorbacks booster club in Arkansas is actively pushing support for the move.

George Billingsley of Bella Vista, Ark., former state chairman of the Razorback Foundation, is raising money to expand the football and basketball facilities at Fayetteville in preparation for a switch to the SEC.

Billingsley is calling for expansion of the 51,500-seat Razorback Stadium by 10,000 seats with addition of an upper deck on the east side and expansion of end-zone seating, and more than doubling the size of the 9,000-seat Barnhill Arena to 20,000 seats.

He also is soliciting support for construction of a new regional airport at Fayetteville to handle the large following of SEC teams.

"Altogether we need to make northwest Arkansas a much more attractive place to live, and enjoy the Razorbacks' proposed departure from the Southwest Conference," Billingsley said.

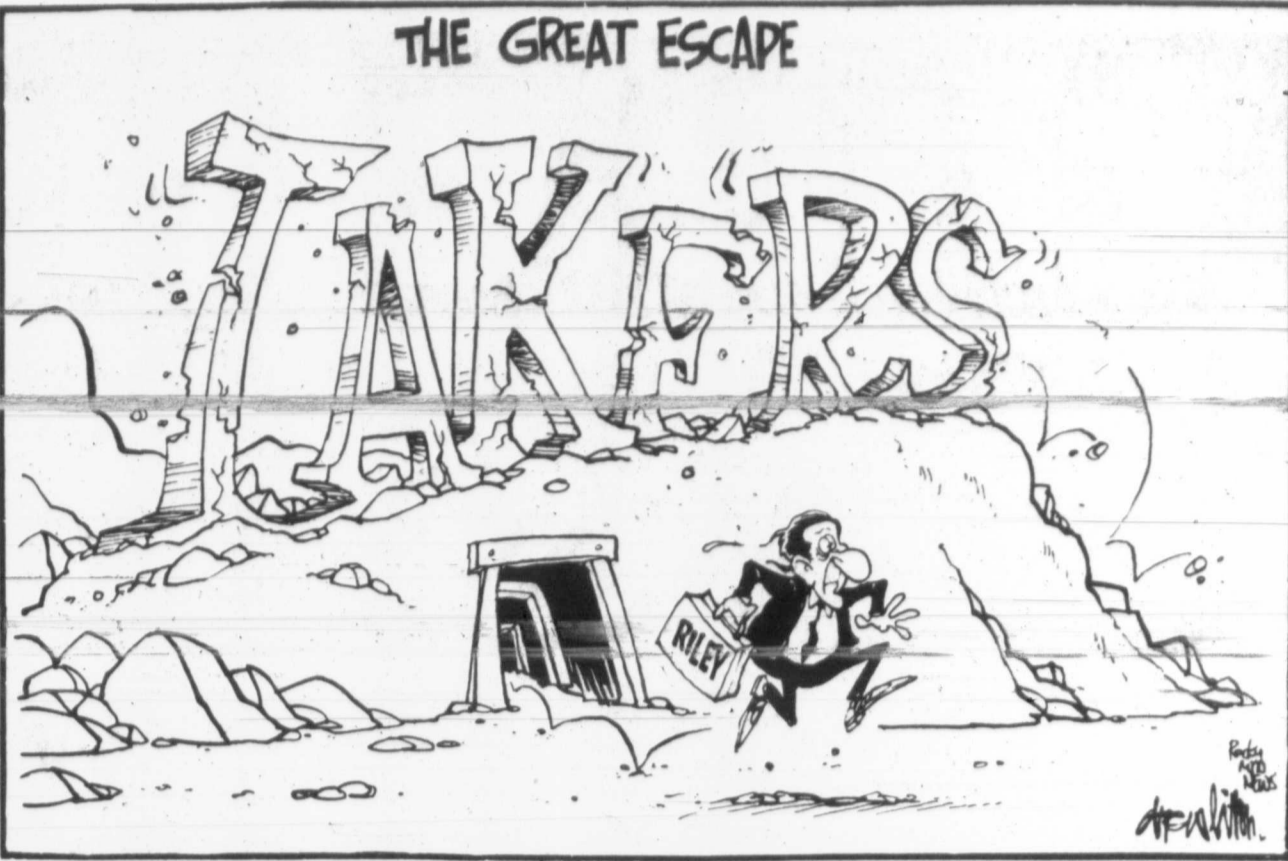
UA Athletic Director Frank Broyles said Wednesday that Billingsley's proposals "are nice objectives, but (the SEC) bid will not hinge on those at all."

According to Broyles, informal support for a move to the SEC has been impressive.

"The mail and calls we've got has been about 90 percent to leave the Southeastern Conference and 10 percent to stay and rebuild or reorganize the Southwest Conference," he said.

Broyles says talks about the possibility of moving to the SEC will continue, but called a move from the SWC far from a "done deal."

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Spurs' top choice gears up for upcoming rookie camp

SAN ANTONIO (AP) — Dwayne Schintzius says he hopes his performance with the San Antonio Spurs will erase doubts about him.

And the 7-2 center from Florida, drafted by the Spurs in the first round, said he'll start his NBA career by getting in shape and taking part in rookie camp.

"I'm just real excited — this is a dream come true," Schintzius said at a news conference Wednesday. "I just hope I don't let anybody down. I'll do the best I can."

Schintzius and his new wife, Lynn, arrived in San Antonio Wednesday to start looking for a place to live.

Schintzius, 21, played only 11 games for the University of Florida his senior year before giving up his basketball scholarship in January after disputes with his coach. In those 11 games he averaged 19 points, 9.5 rebounds and 2.5 blocked shots.

He said he believes his time away from basketball has helped

him mature, but that he was never as bad as some critics claimed.

"I've been calmed down for the past seven or eight months. I was never really that wild, anyway," he said.

Schintzius said it doesn't bother him that he was drafted 24th overall — lower than some had expected — or that Spurs fans booed the selection of Schintzius on NBA draft night.

"I'm used to that," Schintzius said. "That's what's followed me around all the time. My own home fans would boo me sometimes. It's just people expect more out of me than

sometimes I'm capable of giving. But I give 100 percent every time I step out onto the floor."

He said he's looking forward to playing on the same team as David Robinson.

"I think this is going to help me to become the best player I can," he said. "I don't think there's anybody that can help bring the best of my potential out other than Mr. Robinson."

Bob Bass, assistant to the Spurs chairman, said Schintzius could be a starter for the team, which won the Midwest Division title this past season while setting an NBA record for best turnaround.

"We could put our own twin towers out there in David Robinson and Dwayne Schintzius," Bass said.

Team officials said Schintzius' agent has OKed his taking part in an upcoming rookie camp even though no contract talks have begun.

Bass club sets July meeting

The regular monthly meeting of Snyder Bass Club will be tonight at 7:30 at Snyder National Bank.

Members in attendance may register for the club's July roadrunner tournament as well as for door prizes.

Seven women entered the annual ladies tournament at Lake Thomas June 16 with Elizabeth Scarberry claiming first place with her 2.85 pound bass and Jeanne Liner notched second with a 2-pound catch.

Tommy Hood won the men's division with a total 17.55 haul followed by Tommy Law's 16.20, a 15.05 from Johnny Spruell, Alan Callison's 8.45, 7.15 and 7.10 by Buddy Seale and Cloyce Scarberry, respectively.

Spruell hooked the event's big bass, a 6.95 pound specimen.

The bass club's roadrunner tournament for July allows fishermen to choose a lake within 150 miles of Snyder.

Weigh-in will be at 7 p.m. Saturday and 5 p.m. Sunday at Towle Park according to a release earlier in the week.

pre-registration at Thursday's meeting or with another member is required.

The club's Top Twenty is as follows:

- 1. Tommy Hood 895.28; 2. Alan Callison 799.44; 3. Rick Howard 717.76; 4. Johnny Spruell 675.00; 5. Buddy Seale 532.84; 6. Buck Rabin 432.80; 7. Cloyce Scarberry 428.88; 8. Larry House 400.52; 9. James Hoover 382.84; 10. Conrad Reed 354.40; 11. Paul Dickerhoff 349.00; 12. H.W. Cargile 344.40; 13. Tommy Law 324.20; 14. Billy Kirkpatrick 312.00; 15. Bobby Hoover 298.08; 16. Luke Proctor 284.32; 17. Jack Dorsett 264.80; 18. Jeff Minor 245.00; 19. Pops Heard 210.64; 20. David Stokes 204.92.

Gatlin signs with Western

Western Texas College golf coach Dave Foster announced recently the signing of Midland Lee standout John Gatlin.

Gatlin, who boasts a 3.86 grade point average, was an honorable mention in District 4-5A as a senior.

He also finished No. 12 within the loop and won the Midland Lee Invitational Golf Tournament in 1990.

"John has an outstanding golf swing," Foster said.

"He's a young player who needs just a little playing time and a little patience to be a really good golfer for us."

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Seattle nips Angels

by The Associated Press
The Seattle Mariners have found they don't have to hit Mark Langston to beat him.

Langston, who combined to throw a no-hitter against his former team earlier this season, pitched another good game against the Mariners on Wednesday night. Still, they managed to score a run off the left-hander without a hit and scrape out a 2-1 victory.

"There's no question about it, Mark pitched well enough to win," California manager Doug Rader said after watching

Langston pitch a five-hitter.

The Mariners broke a 1-1 tie in the seventh inning off the tough-luck Langston (4-10), who was a 2-1 loser for the third time this season.

"I can't ever remember losing this many 2-1 games," said Langston, who has been given a total of only eight runs in his 10 defeats. "But the sun will come up tomorrow. I've got to think positive. I've got to get up and get going tomorrow."

In other AL action, it was Milwaukee 12, Chicago 9 in 13 innings; Oakland 11, Minnesota 7 and Baltimore 7, Kansas City 5.

Henry Cotto drove in Pete O'Brien with the winning run for Seattle in the seventh on a fielder's-choice groundout. Langston loaded the bases on two walks and a hit batsman.

Erik Hanson (10-6) pitched a four-hitter for Seattle, striking out eight and walking three before being replaced by Keith Comstock with one out in the eighth. Mike Schooler pitched the ninth for his 23rd save.

Langston made his second career start against his former team and his first in the Kingdome.

Brewers 12, White Sox 9

Darryl Hamilton singled home the tie-breaking run and Jim Gantner singled home two more in the 13th as the Brewers ruined the White Sox' celebration of their last World Series championship team on "Turn Back The Clock Day."

The Brewers, who trailed 9-3 after seven innings, notched their first extra-inning victory in seven tries this season and ended a string of 22 scoreless extra innings.

The White Sox, known for their innovative promotions, honored their last World Series champions by recreating the way many things were at Comiskey Park in 1917. General admission tickets cost 50 cents and all other tickets were sold at half-price. The game drew 40,666.

The White Sox players wore replica uniforms of the time. Popcorn sold for a nickel, the electronic scoreboard was turned off and a special manual scoreboard was used.

A's 11, Twins 7

Jose Canseco collected three hits, three RBIs and his 23rd home run.

Canseco doubled to drive in a run in the first inning, singled in the third and hit a 435-foot, two-run homer to center in the A's five-run fourth.

Fishing report

FORT PHANTOM HILL: Water murky, 6 inches low; black bass are fairly good to 3 pounds on spinners; hybrid striper are fair to 4 pounds on plastic worms; crappie are fairly good to 10 inches on minnows; white bass are fairly good to just above keeper size on minnows and small jigs; catfish are good to 5 pounds on Ruby's dough bait, liver.

SPENCE: Water clear, 82 degrees, 35 feet low; black bass are slow; striper are fair to good to 18 pounds on live bait and topwaters; crappie are slow; white bass are slow; catfish are fair to 3 pounds on nightcrawlers and shrimp.

STAMFORD: Water clear, 84 degrees, normal level; black bass are slow; striper are slow; crappie are slow; catfish are slow.

McKeon resigns as San Diego manager

SAN DIEGO (AP) — New San Diego Padres manager Greg Riddoch says his plans for the struggling team will not include an immediate attempt to catch the division-leading Cincinnati Reds.

"If we're going to set a short-term goal, then we better look at the team that's right in front of us (in the standings) because that's the one we have a better chance of catching at the moment," Riddoch said. "Once we reach that point we can readjust our sights and shoot for the next team."

"It would be very unrealistic to think we can catch the Reds at this point in the year with the type of team that they have."

Riddoch, 44, a bench coach in his fourth season with San Diego, will manage in the major leagues for the first time. He succeeds Jack McKeon, who stepped down Wednesday as manager to work solely as the Padres' vice president of baseball operations.

"I just felt two jobs was too much. I was really getting burdened. I didn't have the time to devote to both jobs. I was cheating the organization and I was cheating myself," McKeon said.

The move comes at a time when San Diego is struggling. The Padres have a 37-43 record and lost 12 of their 15 games before the All-Star break. They start the second half of the season today at Pittsburgh in fourth place in the NL West, 13 1/2 games behind the Reds.

"I think my introduction to the players is to say, 'Let's look at each other and see what kinds of things each of us could do individually to help improve ourselves and our team concept ...' Riddoch said at a news conference. "I think if we pull together and play with that kind of attitude we have a chance to succeed in the future."

"I have signed a contract through the end of this year. I am the manager, I'm not the interim manager, and I'm going to make it as hard on these people as it can conceivably be to get rid of me," added Riddoch, who becomes the club's 13th manager and the fourth in five seasons.

McKeon, the fourth manager to leave in the NL this season, recommended Riddoch as his successor when he and new Padres owner Tom Werner spoke Tuesday. Riddoch was offered the job after meeting that night with Werner.

"I know the club has been an underachieving club," McKeon said. "We expected great things out of the players, but it hasn't happened. I haven't gotten the job done, maybe Greg can do it."

Riddoch's first move as manager was firing batting coach Amos Otis. He said two new coaches will be joining the Padres, but declined to name either because he hadn't yet spoken with them.

Most Padres players think Riddoch is qualified for the job, but were unsure what impact the change would have on the club.

"You never know how Greg will run things, but hopefully it will turn around for us," pitcher Ed Whitson said.

Riddoch managed in the Cincinnati organization from 1973 through 1981 with rookie league teams in Seattle, Billings, Mont. and Eugene, Ore. During the next five years, he served as a scouting supervisor, assistant director of player development and director of minor league clubs for the Reds.

Baseball glance

By The Associated Press
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AMERICAN LEAGUE			
East Division			
	W	L	Pct.
Boston	46	36	.561
Toronto	47	38	.553
Cleveland	40	42	.488
Detroit	41	44	.482
Baltimore	38	45	.458
Milwaukee	37	44	.457
New York	30	50	.375

West Division			
	W	L	Pct.
Oakland	52	31	.627
Chicago	48	31	.606
Seattle	44	41	.518
California	41	44	.482
Minnesota	40	44	.476
Texas	40	44	.476
Kansas City	36	46	.439

Wednesday's Games

Milwaukee 12, Chicago 9, 13 innings
Baltimore 7, Kansas City 5
Oakland 11, Minnesota 7
Seattle 2, California 1

Thursday's Games

Chicago (Perez 7-7) at New York (Hawkins 1-6), 7:30 p.m.
Minnesota (Tapani 9-5) at Baltimore (Harnisch 7-5), 7:35 p.m.
Kansas City (Gordon 5-6) at Boston (Boddicker 11-4), 7:35 p.m.
Texas (Brown 10-6) at Detroit (Morris 8-9), 7:35 p.m.

Milwaukee (Higuera 6-2) at Oakland (Moore 7-7), 10:05 p.m.
Cleveland (Swindell 4-5) at Seattle (Holman 8-7), 10:05 p.m.
Toronto (Wells 6-2) at California (McCaskill 6-5), 10:35 p.m.

Friday's Games

Chicago at New York, 7:30 p.m.
Minnesota at Baltimore, 7:35 p.m.
Kansas City at Boston, 7:35 p.m.
Texas at Detroit, 7:35 p.m.
Toronto at California, 10:35 p.m.
Milwaukee at Oakland, 10:35 p.m.
Cleveland at Seattle, 10:35 p.m.

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East Division			
	W	L	Pct.
Pittsburgh	49	32	.605
New York	47	31	.603
Montreal	47	37	.560
Philadelphia	39	41	.488
Chicago	36	49	.424
St. Louis	35	48	.422

West Division

	W	L	Pct.
Cincinnati	50	29	.633
San Francisco	44	39	.530
Los Angeles	39	43	.476
San Diego	37	43	.463
Atlanta	33	47	.413
Houston	33	50	.398

Wednesday's Games

No games scheduled

Thursday's Games

New York (Gooden 8-5 and Darling 2-4) at Cincinnati (Mahler 3-3 and Jackson 3-2), 2:35 p.m.
San Diego (Benes 6-6) at Pittsburgh (Smiley 4-3), 7:35 p.m.
Montreal (Gardner 5-4) at Atlanta (Glavin 5-5), 7:40 p.m.
Los Angeles (Valenzuela 6-7) at Chicago (Madux 4-8), 8:05 p.m.
Philadelphia (Ruffin 6-8) at Houston (Scott 6-8), 8:35 p.m.
San Francisco (Garretts 5-7) at St. Louis (B. Smith 6-4), 8:35 p.m.

Friday's Games

Los Angeles at Chicago, 3:20 p.m.
New York at Cincinnati, 7:35 p.m.
San Diego at Pittsburgh, 7:35 p.m.
Montreal at Atlanta, 7:40 p.m.
Philadelphia at Houston, 8:35 p.m.
San Francisco at St. Louis, 8:35 p.m.

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Obituaries



EULA MCINTIRE

Eula McIntire

Services for Eula Lavon McIntire, 71, of Snyder are set for 11 a.m. Friday at Faith Baptist Church with Rev. L. W. "Buck" Hatfield, pastor, officiating. Graveside services will follow at 3:30 p.m. in Runnels Cemetery in Ballinger under the direction of Bell-Cypert-Seale Funeral Home. Mrs. McIntire died Wednesday at 6:15 p.m. at Snyder Oaks Nursing Home.

Born May 1, 1919, in Manning, Kan., she married Kenneth M. McIntire March 31, 1935, in Manning. He preceded her in death. She was a housewife and a member of Faith Baptist Church.

In April, she moved to Snyder from McCamey. Prior to the death of her husband, they lived in Washington state.

She was also preceded in death by a brother, John Ludlow, and a sister, Rebba May Ludlow.

She is survived by two daughters, Hazel Lavon West of McCamey and Karleen McMahan of Snyder; a sister, Jerry Morales of Lead, S.D.; six grandchildren and seven great-grandchildren.

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cheerleading supplies. Almost \$3,500 is from the junior high library and \$2,200 from Central Elementary.

The eligibility income scale for lunches ranges on an annual income basis of \$0-\$8,164 based on a family of one to \$0-\$27,638 for a family of eight, for free meals. Those eligible for reduced-price

New seat belt rule drawing criticism

WASHINGTON (AP) — A new federal seat belt regulation for American workers that will cost employers about \$220 million a year in training costs could be "regulatory overkill," a spokesman for U.S. business says.

"It's perhaps a little more nit-picking than one would like to see," Fred Krebs of the U.S. Chamber of Commerce said Wednesday, reacting to a new

Ex-superintendent decries school funding plan

AUSTIN (AP) — Poor school districts are still at a disadvantage under the state's new school funding plan, a public education expert said at a court hearing to determine if the plan passes constitutional muster.

Jose Cardenas, former superintendent of San Antonio's Edgewood school district, testified Wednesday that the new plan is no different than the one scrapped by the Texas Supreme Court.

"I think it's the identical system," he said.

Cardenas is executive director of Intercultural Development Research Association, an educational think tank.

Edgewood, the lead school district in the winning lawsuit against the old school finance system, also heads the challenge to the new plan.

Rainfall

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Southwest Texas.

Lows tonight will be mostly in the 60s, ranging from the mid 50s in the Panhandle to the 70s and 80s in South Texas.

Highs Friday will be below normal across most of the state. Readings will be mostly in the 70s and 80s, ranging up to the 90s in South Texas.

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meals include those earning from \$8,164-\$11,618 based on a family of one to \$27,638-\$39,331 based on a family of eight.

There are provisions for families of more than eight members, as well as guidelines based on monthly and weekly incomes.

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rule that will require 35 million American workers to use seat belts on the job.

In theory, a business could be fined if one of its workers was caught not wearing a seat belt.

The regulation, announced by Labor Secretary Elizabeth Dole, is disturbing because it shows "a mindset that Washington knows best," Krebs said.

Under the new rule, workers who drive on the job — anyone from delivery people to traveling salesmen to cab drivers — will have to wear seat belts. Even business people riding in taxis

TU Electric seeks temporary rate hike

AUSTIN (AP) — TU Electric has asked the Public Utility Commission for a temporary rate increase, pending a final decision on the company's request for a \$442 million annual boost in rates.

TU officials asked the three-member regulatory panel Wednesday to approve the temporary increase.

The company would post a bond to guarantee customer refunds if the PUC ultimately decides on a lower rate increase for the Dallas-based electric company.

TU spokesman Dick Ramsey said the company has not decided when it would begin charging the temporary increase. It could do so as early as July 21.

Hermleigh water system

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for day-to-day operations.

Attending last week's meeting was Kay Howard of Lubbock who is with the consulting firm of Jerry R. Traylor and Associates. The firm will assist Scurry County in the application process. Also present was David Todd, a professional engineer from Abilene.

Todd told commissioners this week that a preliminary look at the system caused him to conclude that a closer survey is necessary in order to determine more precisely what needs to be done to bring the system up to standard.

Some Hermleigh residents expressed concern that water bills would be increased to pay for the project. Residents were told that the application is for a grant, not a loan.

However, the \$25,000 would still

would have to buckle up.

The rule, a proposed addition to standards that fall under the Occupational Safety and Health Administration, would exempt people who are self-employed or businesses with 10 or fewer workers.

Employers would also have to provide training courses for workers who drive on a routine basis. The rule will not take effect until after a 120-day waiting period and possibly a hearing next January.

Mrs. Dole estimated that the rule will cost the 5.4 million U.S.

businesses that will be affected by it about \$220 million a year, or about \$6 for each driver. Krebs predicted the rule would end up costing businesses more than that.

Businesses that violate OSHA regulations face fines of up to \$10,000, but Mrs. Dole said only employers guilty of "willful and egregious" violations of the seat belt regulation would be subject to the maximum.

Mrs. Dole said the new rule could save an estimated 685 lives a year.

But Krebs, manager of the Chamber of Commerce's business-government policy department, said "it could be regulatory overkill" and that "there might be more significant safety and health issues that OSHA should be addressing."

"Seat belts are a good thing and people should wear them. But whether or not this is a good regulation for OSHA is debatable," he said.

Man charged with DWI after mishap

A two-car accident shortly before 9 p.m. Wednesday in north Snyder resulted in the arrest of one person for driving while intoxicated.

Charged with DWI was Vincente Rodriguez, 33, of 3003 Ave. M. He was the driver of a 1982 Dodge pickup which was in collision with a 1968 Chevrolet driven by Billy Love of 117 Scurry.

The mishap occurred at 8:49 p.m. at the intersection of Birch and Scurry. Rodriguez was taken to the Scurry County Jail and Love refused medical treatment. Damage to the vehicles was moderate.

Arrested at 3:45 p.m. Wednesday at the police department were two males, ages 21 and 25, for the assault of Joe Chavez on June 17 at the Townhouse Apartments (now Field Crest Apartments). The assault charges are misdemeanors. Both subjects were taken to the Scurry County Jail.

Officers on Wednesday closed their investigation of the Central Elementary criminal mischief and theft last weekend. A 17-year-old has been identified along with 11 juveniles as suspects. The adult's case will be considered by a Scurry County Grand Jury.

At 10:25 p.m. Wednesday, Kelly Myers reported a Class C assault. The victim said she had been assaulted by another woman at the Smith Recreation Center.

At 2:27 a.m. Thursday, Daniel Garcia of 804 27th St. reported that a window of his home had been damaged. At 5:30 a.m., city officers were called to a fight in progress at the Eastridge Apartments, but police were unable to locate a disturbance.

Robbed

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Feed and Seed.

Saturday's cast is under the direction of Mike Dennis. Other characters in the melodrama are Emily Hataway as heronie Slue-Foot Sune, Kay Hopper as Granny, Franklin Pruitt as the Old Timer, Dahl Howard as Clever Coyote, Howard Limmer as Boots, Jeff Fowler as Fleas, Tiffany Fowler as the school marm, Terry Bowden as Blue Duck, Erin Rambo as Becky, Marcia Dennis as the widow Quackenbush, Paula Bowden as Conchita and Gail Northcott as Lily Grouch.

There will be drawings during the meal for over 50 door prizes which have been donated by local merchants. Between the meal and the melodrama, a musical interlude and sing-along is planned. Leading it will be Dr. Wylie "Buff" Hearn and Sam Robertson.

Noah Project provides assistance for victims of family violence in Scurry, Fisher, Kent, Mitchell, Nolan and Stonewall counties. All proceeds from the melodrama and dinner will go to the project.

Film to be shown

NEW YORK (AP) — Woody Allen has agreed to show "Crimes and Misdemeanors" at a film festival in South Africa sponsored by the African National Congress and other anti-apartheid groups.



JULIAN CARRILLO

Julian Carrillo joins Anthony's

Julian Carrillo is the new assistant manager at Anthony's. He moved to Snyder from Alpine where he had been employed by Anthony's for nine years.

He is single. Carrillo grew up in the Seminole area and his parents still live there.

Wreck

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ed that Barbara McGuffie, 38, of Keithville was the driver but they said they could not get a statement because of her injuries.

All 11 were in a van when it drove into the path of a 65-car Southern Pacific freight train. The crossing has the usual warning signs, including a stop sign, a cross-marker and a round warning, but no lights.

Bill Fullerton, parish public works director, said signal lights are planned but there is no schedule for their installation.

"According to the engineer, he was blowing his horn and ringing his bell when he saw the van approach...." said railroad spokesman Jim Johnson. "She never stopped."

The engineer threw on his emergency brakes, but the train hit the van broadside, crushing it and flipping it, before the train stopped 31 car lengths beyond the point of impact, Johnson and rescue workers said.

Eight of the victims were thrown from the van, and three others were pinned in the wreckage, said Thurman Speaks, chief of Fire District 6, which responded to the accident.

The number of victims and the severity of their injuries strained the resources of the district, the chief said.

"We're not equipped under first response conditions to handle something like this," he said. "We have to call on our other units - we called in the station on Linwood. Then our volunteers came in."

Emergency workers also had to enlist the aid of bystanders, he said.

A man driving by in a wrecker stopped and used his truck to pull the van off a woman partially pinned under it, he said.

The victims were taken to four hospitals: Schumpert, Willis-Knighton, Willis-Knighton South and HCA Highland.

Rescue workers had few other details, saying they were overwhelmed by the extent of the tragedy. "We didn't have time to make reports. We just treat the patients and go," said Patrick Benfield, one of the volunteers.

Speaks said he was told the group was on its way to a baseball game, but later investigation showed they were headed for Hamel's Amusement Park, a popular attraction with amusement rides and side shows near Shreveport.

Johnson said none of the three crewmen on the train was injured and the train did not derail. It was returning to Shreveport from Lufkin, Texas, and had left Nacogdoches at 1 p.m., he said.

Hospital Notes

ADMISSIONS: Marcie Murray, Route 1.
DISMISSALS: Terri Glasscock and baby, Diaz baby, Albert Looney, Willie May, Evelyn Elliott.

Births

Mr. and Mrs. Dayton Robertson announce the birth of a baby boy, Craig Walker, born July 11 at Hendrick Medical Center in Abilene.

Grandparents are Sam and Beverly Robertson and Pat and Faye Patterson.

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Ameritech	59 1/2	58 1/2	59	LoneSta Ind	10 1/4	10 1/4	10 1/4
AmStores	67 1/2	66 1/2	67 1/2	Lubys	30 1/2	30 1/2	30 1/2
Amer T&T	37 1/2	37 1/2	37 1/2	Maxus	10 1/4	9 1/4	10 1/4
Amoco	52 1/2	52 1/2	52 1/2	MayDSt	56 1/2	55 1/2	56 1/2
Arka	23 1/2	23 1/2	23 1/2	Medtronic s	84	83 1/2	83 1/2
ArmcoInc	7 1/2	7 1/2	7 1/2	Mobil	63	60 1/2	62 1/2
AT&T	120 1/4	118 1/4	119 1/4	Monsanto s	50 1/4	49 1/2	50 1/4
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Centel s	40 1/2	40 1/2	40 1/2	PanHECp	19	18 1/2	18 1/2
CentSo West	72 1/2	71 1/2	72	PenneyJC	61 1/2	60 1/2	60 1/2
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Chrysler	35	34 1/2	34 1/2	PhilipPat	27 1/2	27 1/2	27 1/2
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duPont s	40 1/2	39 1/2	39 1/2	SwstAirl	27 1/2	26 1/2	26 1/2
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Summit agreements, like wine, await their time

HOUSTON (AP) — Leaders of the world's seven richest democracies struck agreements to help the Soviet Union, reduce farm supports, and stem the pollution which causes global warming. Or did they?

Wednesday's final declaration of the three-day economic summit contains all these promises, and more. But, as usual, the document was heavy on the manana tactic long invoked by allies who have sharp differences but want harmony in their parting anthems.

Consider this: With three of the seven nations — the United States, Britain and Japan — vehemently opposed to direct financial aid for the Soviets, the leaders decided to send a team of experts to study the Kremlin's economic needs and report by the end of the year.

And what then? Asked whether the United States would help President Mikhail S. Gorbachev if the study recommends giving him cash, Bush replied, "Not necessarily. But ... maybe this will lead to support."

In deference to Bush and British Prime Minister Margaret Thatcher, the summit set conditions for any coordinated direct aid program — reductions in military spending and support for client states like Cuba.

French President Francois Mitterrand, chafing along with Italy and West Germany about the refusal to provide direct aid, said with typical Gaelic fatalism that the six-month deadline was "the best we could hope for." He also dismissed the pre-conditions as "negligible."

Mitterrand also said the study was a good idea because it was better to fully understand Soviet needs before the West does extend cash assistance. That may be, but it hasn't stopped West Germany or Canada, which have already promised the Soviets loans and credits worth more than \$5 million.

Another agreement trumpeted by the leaders was compromise language designed to resolve a fight between the United States and the Europeans over farm subsidies.

Bush had sought their elimination. The Europeans balked, willing only to reduce some of the supports and warning that cutting off the supports could cost up to 3 million farmers their livelihood.

An AP news analysis

Each side got a little of what it wanted, but no one was fooled into thinking the problem was solved. And the real test will only begin when negotiators meet in Geneva at the end of the month to try to translate the communique language into action before the Dec. 31 deadline for completion of a global trade agreement.

"I'm not under any illusions that we'll be dealing with a new era by Christmas or even by next spring," was the assessment by Canadian Prime Minister Brian Mulroney.

The summit communique was particularly non-committal on the question of how to deal with global warming. The leaders agreed it was a pressing problem and that the emissions believed responsible for the problem should be limited.

But they declined to set limits — basically because the Bush administration opposed the Europeans' demand — and deferred all significant action until after a convention on climate change is

held in 1992. Reporters' suggestions of procrastination on Soviet aid, farm subsidies and the environment, drew irate reaction from the leaders at their windup news conferences.

"I made no effort to delay anything," said Bush in response to a question about the study of Soviet economic needs.

Margaret Thatcher suggested another interpretation. "The greatest achievement of the summit has been to make it easier for all of us to reject short-term soft options in favor of longer-term solutions," she said.

And what looks like procrastination to some, has some distinct advantages for Bush.

By leaving wiggle room on questions like aid to the Soviet Union and China, Bush has space to maneuver with Congress — and likely a better chance to fulfill his own foreign policy objectives.

Lawmakers have made clear they wouldn't support money for Gorbachev, both for ideological reasons and because of a gaping budget deficit. They have also lashed out at any hint that Bush is trying to ease sanctions against China, imposed last year as punishment for its repression of pro-democracy reforms.

But Bush has said he doesn't want China isolated, and is probably privately pleased with the policy evolving out of Japan where Prime Minister Toshiki Kaifu has decided to resume a \$5.2 billion lending program to Beijing. Bush and the others said they wouldn't stand in the way.

And West Germany, whose pockets are full and constituents are eager, is well positioned to help Gorbachev where Bush can't.

Fired TU official will get benefits restored

DALLAS (AP) — An official who was fired by TU Electric after his allegations of widespread mismanagement were made public has apologized and will receive more than \$180,000 in benefits, a newspaper reported.

In a severance agreement reached June 7, Jim Taylor, a former district manager for TU Electric in Plano, will receive disability pay and medical benefits totaling more than \$180,000 through 1996, The Dallas Morning News reported today.

The benefits could be reduced if he obtains another job, according to the agreement.

In a letter also dated June 7, Taylor apologized for his earlier allegations and blamed his "irrational action" on "tremendous personal stress."

His apology letter and his termination agreement are part of public records filed in the company's pending request for a rate increase with the Public Utilities Commission.

Taylor did not formally

withdraw the more than 70 allegations raised in documents that he mailed this spring to state and federal regulators. But in his letter of apology, he said much of his information "was based on hearsay and assumptions which were unsubstantiated."

He had alleged that TU Electric officials engaged in "clandestine" lobbying and improper use of the company's political action committee, interfered with the operations of rural electric cooperatives, and tried to undermine efforts by cities that oppose utility rate increases.

He also accused company officials of using corporate vehicles and company-owned facilities, such as lake houses, for personal benefit.

PUC officials said the regulatory agency is continuing to investigate the accusations.

In a termination agreement signed by E.L. Watson, senior vice president of TU Electric, the company denied any wrongdoing.

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Texas company being solicited to relocate

CLOVIS, N.M. (AP) — A Texas company that slaughters horses to sell as meat for human consumption overseas is being asked to move to eastern New Mexico.

The Clovis-Curry County Chamber of Commerce's Economic Development Council on Tuesday discussed what would be involved if Great Western Meat Co. of Morton, Texas, moved to the area.

Bruce Hinrichs, a chamber board member, said the company kills about 400 horses a day. The horses are primarily those that are weak, injured or have been fattened like cattle.

"We're probably one of their better suppliers in this area," Hinrichs said. "They'll be looking at having other facilities, too, like a feedlot and probably a hide-curing operation."

John Risher, the chamber's executive director, said the horse meat is sent "to places like the Orient and Europe."

"It's not legal to sell horses for human consumption in the United States, but it is in other

countries," he said. Hinrichs said Great Western wants to expand to a facility that would employ about 400 people and utilize about 320 acres.

"Basically, what they're after is the best deal they can get," he said. "Our early indications are that they're a sound industry. There are only 11 plants in the United States that do similar projects."

Mayor James B. Moss said some people probably would object to a hide-curing facility because of the offensive odor that can be emitted.

Hinrichs said the company is having problems qualifying to do business in Morton because of new regulations governing the industry.

"The town of Morton also voted recently not to help them at all, financially or otherwise," he said.

Council members discussed the potential problems the plant might create with water quality and the need for water treatment.

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