

Lunches are offered to K, pre-K students

Snyder public schools will be offering lunch to both morning and afternoon kindergarten and four-year-old students for the

first time beginning Sept. 5. Price of a school lunch, including milk, is 90 cents. Parents who have not applied for the free

and reduced lunch program may wish to pick up an application at their elementary school. Applications should be returned to Elida Garza at Central Elementary as soon as possible.

School officials stress "it is very important that parents bring students and pick them up at the appropriate times."

Morning kindergarten and pre-

kindergarten classes are from 8:25 a.m. to 11:25 a.m. Parents of students assigned to the morning classes who would like for their child to eat lunch should pick the child up promptly at 11:45 a.m. All other morning students should be picked up at 11:25 a.m.

Students assigned to the afternoon classes will attend from

12:40 p.m. until 3:40 p.m. Afternoon students who wish to eat lunch will need to arrive at 12:15 p.m. Other afternoon students should arrive at the regular 12:40 p.m. time.

School officials request that parents follow these times carefully so that students can be properly supervised as they leave and arrive on campus.

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HANG ON, COWBOY - The annual Western Texas College AJRA Rodeo began here Friday night and was to continue with performances at 7:30 p.m.

Saturday and 1:30 p.m. Sunday. Above, Troy Cattoor competes in the bareback event. (SDN Staff Photo)

'Back to School' block party slated

In an effort to encourage youngsters to stay in school, the Scurry County NAACP Chapter is sponsoring its Back to School, Stay In School Block Party from 6:30 until 9:30 p.m. Sunday in the 1000 block of 34th St.

Community members will be among the group of speakers at the event, which will also include volleyball, sack races, games and a dance.

Adults are encouraged to attend. The block party is open to the community.

"The purpose is to encourage kids to stay in school to continue their education," said a local spokesman. "We'd like to stress that everyone is welcome. We'd especially like to have teachers come out."

Refreshments will be served and prizes will be available to all school-age children.

Western Texas reports full-time enrollment up

Western Texas College reported a registration count of 975 students as of noon Friday, including 615 full-time students.

"We had a very good registration in terms of total involvement in the classes," said Dr. Duane Hood, dean of student services. "We've got a lot of full-time students which made our classes a real nice size."

The 615 full-time students marks an increase of 36 over the fall of 1988, when 576 enrolled.

The 360 part-time students

registered this fall is a decrease, but college officials are still hoping to enroll more students until the final registration date which is Sept. 8.

"Our part-time student enrollment is down but we will still continue to register all next week. Also, we have not done any registration yet at the Price Daniel Unit," said Hood, speaking of the TDC's Windham School System.

The fall 1988 total enrollment at WTC was 1,027.

WTC cowboy opens rodeo with top effort

Billy Brown, brother to and now teammate of Western Texas College standout Ray Brown, took an early lead in the steer wrestling event of the WTC-AJRA Rodeo, being held this weekend at the Scurry County Rodeo Association Arena west of town on 30th St.

Ray Brown, a member of the Western Texas rodeo team which qualified for last season's College National Finals Rodeo in Bozeman, Mont. and returns to the team again this year, is too old to compete in AJRA rodeos. The cutoff age is 20. The Browns hail from North Platte, Neb.

Billy Brown clocked a quick 5.71-second run to outlast two other WTC rodeo competitors, Scott Berger with a 6.06 and Russell Merchant with a 7.65.

The rodeo was to continue with performances at 7:30 p.m. Saturday and 1:30 p.m. Sunday. Tickets are \$4 for adults and \$3 for students.

Merchant and Berger combined to take the lead in the age 16-to-19 team roping event Friday with an 8.64-second clocking. Josh Crow and Adam Vouezaris timed an 8.52 to lead the age 13-to-15 division.

There were no successful rides in the 16-to-19 or 13-to-15 division bull riding events. Tucker Collier scored a 76 to pace the 12-and-under division steer riding.

(see AJRA RODEO, page 9A)

Emergency blood alert announced; local drive scheduled for Tuesday

United Blood Services of Lubbock has issued an Emergency Status Blood Alert effective Aug. 21 through Sept. 5.

According to Lisa Pearson, UBS director of community relations, this means that blood supplies are so low that immediate action is needed to avoid compromising medical care.

The Scurry County Advisory Council for UBS in Lubbock and the Cogdell Hospital Auxiliary work to plan and conduct

blood drives six times a year in Snyder so that alerts and emergencies are rare events, she noted.

In response to the alert, there will be a blood drive Tuesday, Sept. 5 from 11 a.m. until 8 p.m. at Towle Park Barn.

As a token of appreciation for voluntary blood donations, each participant will receive a number of items.

United Blood Services of Lubbock supplies blood or blood pro-

BLOOD DRIVE

Tuesday, Sept. 5

11 a.m. - 8 p.m.

Towle Park Barn

ducts for Cogdell Memorial Hospital as well as many other area hospitals.

"Volunteer blood donors are vital because they assure that blood will be available the next

time someone — like your friend or family member — needs it," Pearson stated. "Scurry County blood donors have continued to support the local drives and we are counting on them to respond to this unusual emergency."

Each participant will receive the following:

—A coupon for a DQ Sundae from Dairy Queen;

—A coupon for a malt or milk shake from Sonic Drive In and (see EMERGENCY, page 9A)

Football edition appears in Sunday's issue of SDN

High School football is just a weekend away and Snyder, Ira, Hermleigh and Borden County offer plenty of action for the fan.

An area football outlook, including schedules, rosters and photos of players as compiled by SDN Sports Editor Phil Riddle, appears in this issue.

The Snyder Daily News will begin its weekly Football Contest on Tuesday with bigger cash prizes. The first place winner each week will win \$50, the second place winner \$25 and the third place winner \$15. A perfect score wins \$250.

The SDN will also celebrate the grid season with its coffee shop picks, which will appear in Thursday's editions.

Topping off the coverage will be up-to-date pre-game reports and post-game



wrapups, photos and district standings from the area, and scores from across the state.

The SDN Column

By Roy McQueen

The feller on Deep Creek says, "The nation's number one problem may well be apathy—but few people care."

It's hard to believe that another summer has come and gone and that a new school year is about to start. Labor Day is the last official fling of summer, then it's back to the routine that surrounds kids and schools.

The latest information from the Bureau of Labor Statistics tells us just what a formal education is worth. Average annual income for a person with no high school diploma is \$14,610. With a high school diploma, the average income is \$18,370. For those with a college degree, the average income is significantly higher—\$28,519.

It makes both sense and cents to go and stay in school.

On both the state and national levels, Political Action Committees, better known as PACS, are common on the political scene.

A guy in Nebraska has suggested that PACS could be more accurately and imaginatively

named. Here are some of his suggestions:

The tobacco industry could be the Cigarette PAC and beer distributors would be Six PAC. Plaque PAC could represent dental hygienists while Back PAC would be a good name for orthopedic surgeons. Travel agencies could go by Travel PAC and public relations firms would be recognized as Flak PAC.

Gifted and talented is most often used to refer to young students who excel in their classroom endeavors.

We saw a takeoff on this recently in a newsletter geared for senior citizens. A travel agency promoting a special event for the seniors referred to them as "chronologically gifted."

We've often wondered just where the line should be drawn in declaring a student "gifted and talented." A study by a medical school in New Jersey says that parents are correct about two-thirds of the time in assessing whether their child is exceptionally gifted.

Parents may know best...

Sunday

Sept. 3,
1989

Ask Us

Q—Will the Borden County Field Crops Tour be held again this year? If so, when?

A—Yes. According to Dennis Poole, county extension agent, the tour will be held Thursday, Sept. 7. Cotton producers will meet at 8:30 a.m. at the Gail courthouse and travel by bus to the Plains Community Center where the tour will begin.

In Brief

Not sure yet

FORT WORTH, Texas (AP) — Tarrant County Commissioners have approved a \$1.50 increase for car registration, but it's not clear whether the money will go to buy land for superconducting super collider or for county road work.

The commissioners agreed Friday to raise the fee without committing the money to any specific projects. An earlier proposal to raise the fee to \$2 for Tarrant County's \$13.5 million share of the super collider cost failed.

State lawmakers gave counties the option of raising fees by \$1.50 to pay for collider land costs.

Local

Night court

Municipal Judge Tommie J. Mills will hold his monthly session of night court beginning at 6:30 p.m. Tuesday in city council chambers at City Hall.

The night court session is conducted on the first Tuesday of each month.

Closed Monday

Most government buildings and financial institutions in Snyder will be closed Monday in accordance with the Labor Day holiday.

The post office, Department of Highways and Public Transportation, DPS driver's license service, Texas Employment Commission and the five financial institutions will shut their doors.

Also closed will be the Scurry County Senior Center, Diamond M Museum, Scurry County Museum, Scurry County Library, City Hall and the county courthouse.

Western Texas College will hold classes Monday although area public schools in Hermleigh and Ira will be closed. Snyder public schools do not begin classes until Tuesday.

The Snyder Daily News will be open during the morning hours Monday but will close for the afternoon.

A number of other businesses will be closed although many department stores, restaurants and convenience stores will be open.

The weekly commissioner's court meeting scheduled for 10 a.m. Monday has been postponed until the same time Tuesday.

Weather

Snyder Temperatures: High Friday, 101 degrees; low, 72 degrees; reading at 7 a.m. Saturday, 72 degrees; no precipitation; total precipitation for 1989 to date, 9.45 inches.

Snyder Area Forecast: Sunday, partly cloudy and hot with isolated afternoon thunderstorms. Chance of rain less than 20 percent. High near 100. Wind southwest 10 to 20 mph. Labor Day, mostly fair. Low near 70. High in the mid-90s.

Capital murder charges filed

WACO, Texas (AP) — An authority said he upgraded charges against Billie Wayne Coble after talking with the man's estranged wife.

McLennan County District Attorney Paul Gartner filed capital murder and aggravated kidnapping charges Friday after a conversation Thursday night with Karen Coble, the suspect's wife and the daughter of Robert and Zelda Vicha.

Billie Coble, 40, had been charged with murder. Police said Robert and Zelda Vicha and their son, Waco police officer John Robert Vicha, were all shot to

death. "You've got a woman whose parents have been killed, whose brother has been killed," Gartner said. "Yes, she's understandably concerned about what's happening."

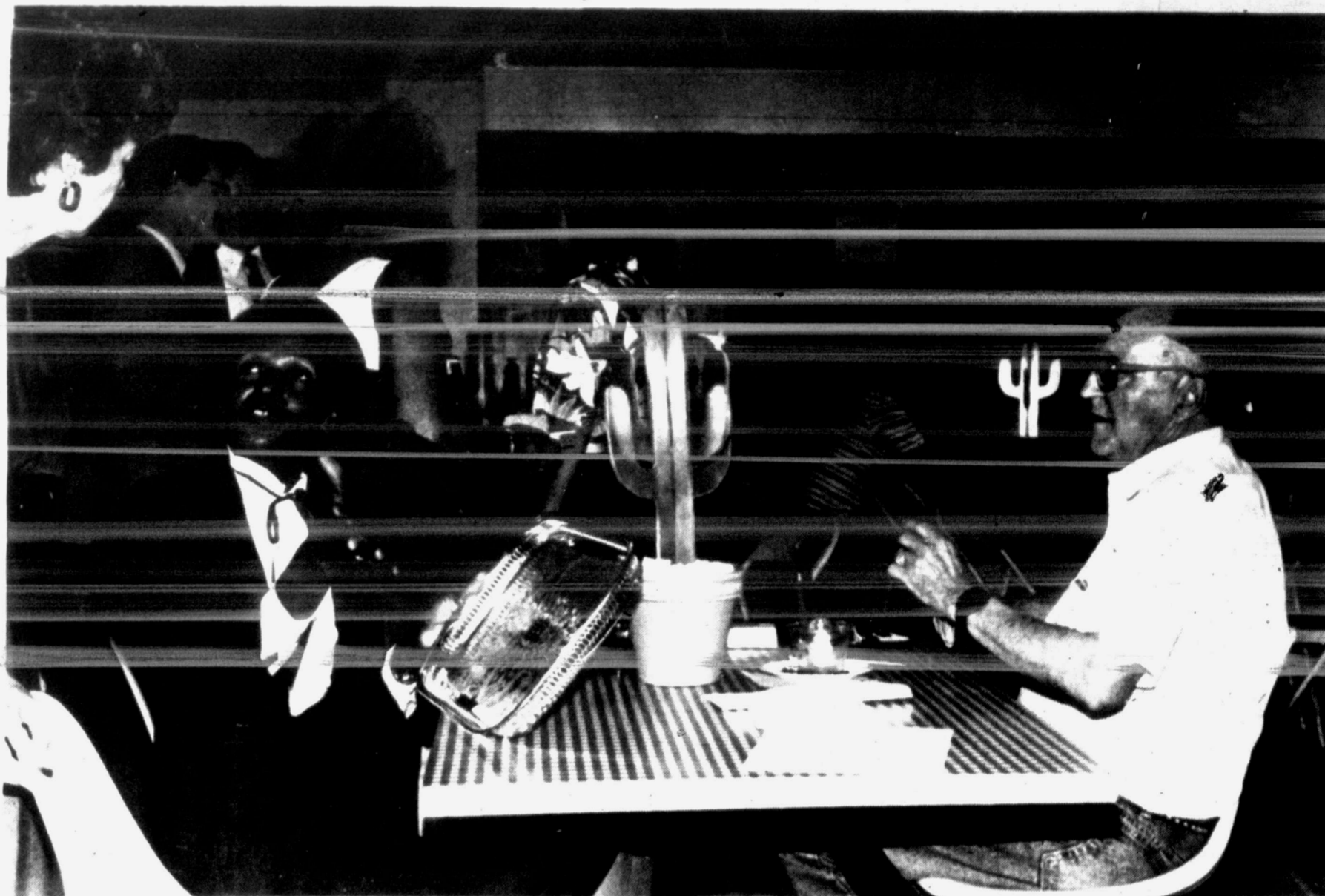
Justice of the Peace David Pareya denied Coble bond on a capital murder charge in the shooting death of Zelda Vicha. He set a \$1 million bond on the aggravated kidnapping charge in the abduction of Karen Coble.

First Assistant District Attorney Ralph Strother said there was little chance Coble would have made the \$500,000 bond on the murder charge.

"There was no possible way for him to get out," Strother told the Waco Tribune-Herald. "This is just to put everyone's mind to rest. We understand everyone's legitimate fear. That's why we raised the charge to capital murder."

Gartner said he expects to bring the capital murder case to a McLennan County grand jury this month. However, he said he did not know how many capital murder indictments the district attorney's office will seek.

Authorities said Robert Vicha, 64, was shot to death in the kitchen of his Axtell home Tuesday afternoon. They speculate that John Vicha, 39, who lived down the street, was killed next.



RETIREMENT RECEPTION — Rose Nell Walker and J.D. Vaughn, seated, were honored with a retirement reception Thursday in the snack bar at Snyder Junior High. (SDN Staff Photo)

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Zoo watches newborn Panda

WASHINGTON (AP) — National Zoo officials Friday said a female giant panda cub born Friday appears to be healthy, but a possible infection in both mother and cub may force officials to raise the cub in isolation.

One of the zoo's showcase pandas, Ling-Ling, gave birth to her fifth cub Friday morning. Zoo officials said the 4-ounce cub has been placed in an incubator in the panda house because it has too many white cells.

"We are concerned (that it) appears to be healthy, but there appears to be white cells in its gut," Lisa Stevens, head of the zoo's mammal collection, said. "And there are also white cells, a large number of them, in Ling-Ling. We'll have to do some thinking about ... returning the cub to Ling-Ling."

If the cub survives, it would be the first to do so in a U.S. zoo.

Several hours after the birth, the cub received a shot of immunoglobins extracted from the blood of the father, Hsing-Hsing. Previously, officials had been careful not to separate the mother from her offspring.

"This is a procedure that we've talked about over the last couple of years," said Ms. Stevens.

"Given the fact that Ling-Ling's past cubs have died from infection, this is a procedure that we feel will best give it an opportunity to survive."

The procedure to ensure a better immune system has been used on other animals but never on pandas.

After giving birth in the morning, Ling-Ling nurtured the cub by alternately fondling it with her mouth and cuddling it with her massive arms. The baby occasionally squealed, which is considered a good sign.

The 250-pound Ling-Ling and her newborn were monitored through closed-circuit television. Because Ling-Ling was keeping the tiny cub pressed close to her

body, it was almost impossible to see.

"We keep looking for even the tiniest of glimpses," Ms. Stevens said.

The cub was born about 90 minutes after volunteers monitoring Ling-Ling noticed she was having contractions, zoo spokesman Mike Morgan said. Earlier in the day she was seen gathering more bamboo in her nest.

Pandas bear twins about 60 percent of the time, but Ms. Stevens said there were no immediate indications she was pregnant with another fetus. Officials said Ling-Ling spontaneously aborted a fetus in early August.

The birth was the latest chapter in Ling-Ling's efforts to bear offspring. In the 17 years that Ling-Ling and Hsing-Hsing have lived at the zoo, the pair have had a variety of troubles mating and delivering cubs.

The first was born sickly and died three hours after birth. In 1984, a second cub was stillborn, and in 1987 she had twins. The smaller, weaker one died almost immediately. The other lived about four days before dying of a generalized staph infection.

Pandas are endangered species. Fewer than 1,000 have been counted worldwide.

Ling-Ling and Hsing-Hsing were given to the United States by the Chinese government during President Nixon's visit to China in 1972.

Class in real estate planned

A 45-hour course in real estate contracts has been scheduled by Western Texas College starting Sept. 11 and ending Oct. 21.

Classes will meet from 6:30-9:30 p.m. on Mondays and Thursdays, with the final meeting on Saturday, Oct. 21. Fees are \$75 including the textbook.

Contracts covered will include VA, FHA, conventional and owner-financed. Also to be covered are the basic principles involved in promulgating contracts in the field.

Pat Cornett will be the instructor for the class. Call her at 573-9488 or 573-1818.

To reserve space in the class call 573-8511, ext. 240.

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Cucumber-Onion Salad
Watermelon

THURSDAY
Pinto Beans and Ham
Whole New Potatoes
Fried Okra
Green Onions & Tomato Slices
Chocolate Cake

FRIDAY
Fried Fish
Broccoli w/Cheese Sauce
Hominy
Creamy Cabbage-Apple Slaw
Cantaloupe
Apricot Cobbler

Sweetwater cattle auction market reported

The market was steady to weaker on a good run of cattle for our Aug. 30th sale. Most classes of feeder cattle, steady to strong, some of the lighter weight feeder and stocker, lower with the heavier weight steady on the better kind. Good cow and calf pairs and breed cows. Strong to higher packer cows and bulls, come lower.

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- Good bred cows, \$550 to \$885 per head.
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- Better kind packer cows, \$.40 to \$.55 per pound.
- Lower yielding packer cows, \$.40 to \$.46 per pound.
- Few old hully cows, \$.35 to \$.40 per pound.
- Better kind packer bulls, \$.60 to \$.72 per pound.
- Lower yielding packer bulls, \$.55 to \$.60 per pound.

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Lomas can't pay

DALLAS (AP) — Lomas Financial Corp. missed a \$145 million principal payment Friday, putting the company in technical default on \$1.45 billion in debt.

The failure comes one month after the Dallas-based financial services company suspended stock dividend payments in an effort to conserve cash. The company's troubles, tied to the Texas real estate collapse, have sent the stock price falling from a high of \$39 a share in 1987 to a low earlier this week of \$2.87½. The stock rose 25 cents Friday to \$3.75 on the New York Stock Exchange.

Lomas Chairman Jess Hay said the company is involved in "complex and time-consuming" negotiations with the 34 banks and four insurance companies that hold most of the debt and indicated an agreement might be reached that would allow the company to avoid bankruptcy.

"Obviously, our preference is not to have to seek the protection of the court," Hay said. "If the restructure can be completed on terms proposed by the company, it would avoid the need to consider other alternatives."

"As I have stated before, however, we are committed to protecting and preserving the assets of Lomas, and to that end, we will take whatever actions may be necessary."



10 YEARS LATER — Honored for 10 years' service to local schools last week at Snyder High School were, from left, Malcolm Crawford from Central Elementary School, Darlene Robbins from Snyder Junior High-School, Patsy Taylor of the administration building staff, Elizabeth Conger from Northeast Elementary, Theresa Vest from the junior high, Donna Bailey from Stanfield Elementary, Gail Koenig and Betty Richardson from West Elementary, Carolyn Derouen from the high school, Margaret Presswood from the junior high and Lee Presswood and Thomas Strayhorn from the high school. (SDN Staff Photo)

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East Germans still waiting in Hungary

BUDAPEST, Hungary (AP) — Thousands of East Germans, hoping to seize a chance to flee to freedom, waited nervously in Hungary on Friday for promised transit to West Germany. Dozens fled illegally from neighboring Czechoslovakia to join the caravan west.

Hungary's Red Cross, accommodating an estimated 3,000 East Germans in Budapest, opened a new "tent city" for 3,000 more at Zanka near Lake Balaton, a popular spot for many of the estimated 200,000 East Germans vacationing in Hungary.

The main Budapest camp, Csilleberc, was so overcrowded that new arrivals were being bused to Zanka, said Arpad Alfoeldi, deputy head of Hungary's Red Cross.

However, he denied a report on the German-language radio station Danubius that the move was tantamount to evacuation prior to shipping the East Germans to the West.

On Thursday, West German government sources disclosed that Hungarian and West German officials have devised a plan to allow up to 20,000 East Germans to flee to the West in the next few days.

East Germans, some on their way home from Black Sea vacation spots in Bulgaria and Romania, flocked to the three Red Cross camps in Budapest after first word of a mass escape leaked.

Karsten Voigt, foreign affairs expert for West Germany's opposition Social Democrats, said Hungarian Communist Party president Rezzo Nyers assured him that all East Germans who want to leave Hungary for West Germany will be able to do so.

Hungary's prime minister, Miklos Nemeth, and West German officials have estimated that up to 20,000 East Germans in Hungary want to go to West Germany, where they receive automatic citizenship and assistance in starting a new life.

More than 5,000 East Germans already have used Hungary to escape to Austria and then to West Germany since Budapest started dismantling fortifications along its western border in May. Between 30 and 40 East Germans each day go illegally from Czechoslovakia — the only country East Germans can visit without permission from their government — to Hungary, the Hungarian daily Mai Nap said.

Tired East Germans waited nervously in Budapest camps Friday.

"We'll believe it all only when we're over there," an East Berliner said, using the typical East German shorthand for West Germany.

"They don't tell us anything," said a 24-year-old shop assistant from the Baltic port of Rostock. "Only one thing is clear: nobody can make us go back."

Coffee mugs mark museum's 15th year in permanent home

Recent new arrivals in the Scurry County Museum's gift shop include coffee mugs with a special design calling attention to the museum's 15th year in its permanent home.

Exhibits planned for the 15-year observation are scheduled to open on Oct. 15 and will include panels telling the museum's history as well as paintings and sculpture.

Souvenir Texas spoons have been received and collectors can choose from two designs.

Also new is Mike McFarland's book "Never Walk When You Can Ride," illustrated by western artist Joe Beeler. McFarland was a working cowboy until an accident grounded him. He began working with clay as therapy and has become a successful sculptor.

The stories in "Never Walk" are true, McFarland says, written as if the reader is secretly listening to the conversations of cowboys. He began writing his stories in a diary in order to have a permanent record of some of the things he saw and heard as a cowboy.

The paperback edition in the museum gift shop is \$11.95.

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Trull picked new president of Kappa Chi

Michael Trull of Snyder has been elected president of Kappa Chi at Western Texas College.

Other new officers are Mike Ezzell of Snyder, vice president; Robin George of Maryneal; secretary-treasurer, and Vicky Chavez of Hermleigh, treasurer.

Kappa Chi offers Christian fellowship and membership is open to all WTC students. Meetings are held at 7:30 p.m. on Tuesdays in the Christian Student Center.

Activities planned by Kappa Chi for the fall semester include a noon meal on Thursdays for dormitory and apartment students, a camping retreat to Leakey Sept. 29-Oct. 1, study groups, and various other activities.

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High-level aerobics classes set at WTC

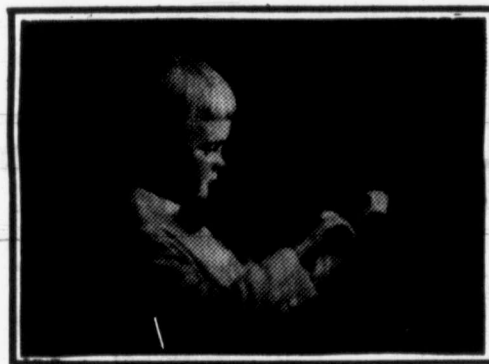
High-level aerobics classes for men and women are being offered through the Continuing Education department of Western Texas College in the fall semester.

Classes will meet from 6-7:45 p.m. Monday, Wednesday and Friday through Dec. 15. Debbie Landa is the instructor.

Fees are \$49 per person. To pre-register call 573, 8511, ext. 240.

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1985 Delta crash...

Government is not to blame

FORT WORTH, Texas (AP)—Officials for Delta Air Lines, citing a recent jury verdict that cleared the airline of liability, say they will appeal a federal court ruling that faults the crew for a 1985 crash at Dallas-Fort Worth International Airport that killed 137 people.

U.S. District Judge David O. Belew on Friday blamed the crew of Delta Flight 191 for the crash, although he acknowledged that air traffic controllers failed to warn the crew of the severity of weather conditions at the airport.

The Atlanta-based airline said the ruling is "in direct conflict with the recent jury verdict ... in Fort Lauderdale holding Delta blameless in all respects for the accident."

In the only case that considered

liability, a U.S. District Court jury in Fort Lauderdale, Fla., held Delta blameless.

Delta "continues to believe that the facts surrounding this case clearly establish total government responsibility for the tragic accident," the airline added in a statement.

In a 72-page opinion, Belew said Delta failed to prove that the two federal agencies were negligent in the Aug. 2, 1985 crash that ranks as the worst in the state's history. All of the crew members died in the crash of the Lockheed L-1011.

"The crew of Delta Flight 191 ... needed no more clues or information to execute a missed approach," he said.

Roy Krieger, a former government lawyer involved in the case who is now in private practice, said the ruling should be taken as a warning by all airlines.

"This sends a message to Delta Air Lines that the people who control the operation of aircraft must be held to the highest standards of care," said Krieger, who is now representing clients suing Delta over the 1988 Flight 1141 crash of a Boeing 727, also at DFW.

Posthumous award given to late Dr. Frank B. Polk

John Hopkins Hospital paid tribute recently to the late Dr. B. Frank Polk, an AIDS research pioneer and key figure in the establishment of the Hopkins AIDS Unit, the third in the country to treat people who have the incurable disease.

Polk's grandparents were the late Mr. and Mrs. R.E. Joyce of Hermleigh.

Polk's colleagues in the battle against AIDS unveiled a bronze plaque in his memory that was hung in the hallway of the 21-bed unit, which has been expanded and renovated. It has been named the B. Frank Polk Unit.

The plaque acknowledges Polk's contributions to medicine and the AIDS research field. He died of a brain cancer at the age of 46.

Polk was recognized as one of the nation's first epidemiologists to warn, in 1983, of the danger of the spread of AIDS which destroys a body's immune system and paves the way for fatal infections and cancer. Polk also gained international acclaim for his work in tracking the spread of the disease in the United States and Africa.

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Center will close for Labor Day

The Senior Citizens Center will be closed on Monday for the Labor Day holiday.

Senior citizens who celebrate birthdays in September are invited to attend a party at 2:30 p.m. Tuesday in the center. Refreshments and games are provided by McDonald's each month.

Hoss Clayton's band will present a musical program at 11:30 a.m. Tuesday in the dining room. The Hadley Lewis band will play for a country-western dance starting at 7 p.m.

The center's Sunshine Choir will resume rehearsals Tuesday at 1 p.m. The Kitchen Band, will go to Snyder Nursing Center at 10 a.m. Wednesday to entertain residents there.

A new activity being planned in the center is a card club which will meet this week at 1 p.m.

Thursday. Tables will be set up for bridge, canasta, Skip-Bo and other games in which there is interest.

The Scurry County Senior Citizens Travel Club will meet at 6:30 p.m. Thursday night in the center and new members are welcome to attend. The group is planning a trip to Tyler for the Rose Festival, Oct. 13-17 and reservations will be accepted through Sept. 10.

Swimnastics for senior citizens will be resumed at the Western Texas College swimming pool. The meeting times will be announced at the center. For senior citizens who enjoy other types of exercise as well, there is a modified exercise class at 11:15 a.m. each weekday, bowling on Wednesday afternoons and miniature golf at 8:30 a.m. on Thursday.

Rita Eicke Goad...

Former Snyder High grad directs, sings in choir

Dr. Rita Eicke Goad, daughter of Lavelle and the late Seabourn Eicke, is now the director of the Daughters of the King in Oklahoma City, Okla.

The seven-member acapella group has been singing together since January. In the spring, Daughters of the King began traveling in Oklahoma to sing at various functions. At the end of May the group recorded and released its first cassette entitled "From The First Hallelujah."

In addition to directing, Mrs. Goad sings second alto and lead in the group. She is a 1978 graduate of Snyder High School and a three time member of the Texas All-State Choir.



DAUGHTERS OF THE KING—Rita Eicke Goad, far left, is both the director of Daughters of the King and second alto and lead singer for the group. Others pictured are Jolynn Parnell Herndon, Lynda Hayes Sheehan, Phyllis Boyce Allan, Rhonda Estes Roach, Nancy Earp Stansberry, and Nancy Jones Thompson. (Private Photo)

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IN MEMORY OF PETE GLASS — Relatives of the late E.B. "Pete" Glass, who died in 1986 at age 75, were recognized last week at the Senior Citizens Center as Otis Crumly of Hermleigh, right, president of the Circle K Club, presented a plaque that will memorialize Glass on a table at the center, where Glass is remembered as an excep-

tionally active volunteer worker. From left also are Glass' sister, Merle, of Pyron; his grandson, Rodney; his widow, Dixie; his niece, Amy Bollinger, of Roscoe; his sister, Mable, of Pyron; his sister-in-law, Quinta Haymond; and his sister, Jane Bollinger, of Roscoe. (SDN Staff Photo)

Fugitive gives up

TUXTLA GUTIERREZ, Mexico (AP) — A prominent rancher in the southern state of Chiapas who has been a fugitive since killing a peasant leader eight months ago has surrendered to authorities.

Roberto Zenteno Rojas, who authorities say fired 13 bullets into Sebastian Perez Nunez on Dec. 8 in their hometown of Bochil, turned himself in to state Gov. Patrocinio Gonzalez Garrido on Thursday, the governor said.

Gonzalez, who knew both men, said earlier this year the case was an example of the violence that erupts from tension between landowners and landless peasants and frustration over the bureaucratically entangled agrarian reform program and frequent failure of the justice system.

He had pledged to find and prosecute Zenteno even though crimes have often gone unpunished in the state.

Zenteno, who is about 50, told reporters in the governor's office he had not surrendered earlier because "I have been very ill, and until I could, and had the opportunity to be in good health did I take this position of presenting myself to authorities."

He said he shot Perez Nunez in self-defense.

"I have proof. I feel fully capable of proving that I was the one who was attacked," Zenteno said.

His lawyer, former state attorney general Gustavo Cervantes Rosales, said the law provides for a reduced sentence when a person surrenders to authorities.

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An Open Letter To The Citizens of Scurry County

Scurry County is thought to be a rich county. We have had a large part of our bills paid with tax money from oil revenues over the last few years. The services that are offered to the taxpayer have increased. We have enjoyed relatively low tax rates over the years because of a high value.

In 1985, the taxable value was \$2.4 billion with a rate of .1965 cents per \$100 valuation. In 1986, the taxable value in Scurry County was \$2.2 billion with a tax rate of .1765 cents per \$100 valuation. In 1987, the value dropped to \$1.4 billion with a tax rate of .2287 cents per \$100 valuation. In 1988, the value dropped to \$1 billion with a tax rate of .2966 cents per \$100 valuation. In 1989, the value dropped to \$946 million with a tax rate of .2966 cents per \$100 valuation.

This spells a reduction of \$1.4 billion in taxable value since 1985.

In 1986, Scurry County government collected \$3.8 million for operations. In 1987, \$3.3 million was collected and in 1988 \$3 million was collected. The amount collected in 1989 was \$2.7 million. In 1988, the 1/2 percent sales tax reduced the tax rate by .03 cents per \$100 valuation. This spells a \$1.1 million reduction of ad valorem taxes since 1986. This reduction in operating expenses is a combined effort of all elected and appointed officials of Scurry County.

It is the job of the commissioners court to do the will of the people. We will not try to give you services that you do not want. We are of the opinion that you want to keep the current level of law enforcement. The sheriff has consistently cooperated with the commissioners in cutting the budget while maintaining good law enforcement in Scurry County. The parks superintendent has, as well, reduced his work force while keeping an excellent place for you to relax and enjoy your leisure time. The hospital has undergone some devastating times. Mr. Miller and the board saw what was happening and were able, early on, to put back some money for these times. Just this last month has the hospital had to start operating on these reserves. And all other county department heads have cooperated in reducing costs and maintaining services efficiently.

Scurry County cooperates with the city of Snyder in fire protection for residents outside the city, and provides ambulance service to all Scurry County residents. Scurry County also cooperates with Western Texas College to provide a fine Scurry County Museum, provide a Veterans Service Officer for veterans of Scurry County, and to provide the necessary people to maintain the services offered to Scurry County Senior Citizens Center.

Many services that are paid for from your tax dollars are options you have. You voted to establish a Board of County Development, a Scurry County Coliseum, and a new jail. All these things are nice to have. After you have considered the requested budget, maybe you would like to reduce these services more.

In our homes, when things get tight, we tighten our belt, or do without. We have tightened Scurry County's belt. Do you want to do without some of these services?

The right of the citizens to petition their government is a sacred right and will be defended by this court. You need to know what is involved so you can make a wise decision in this matter.

The reason for this Open Letter is not to discourage or to encourage you to ask for a rollback election, but to give you more information about where your money is spent. If you know the facts and want to have lower taxes and fewer services, that is what the court will do and every department will be affected.

An alternative to cutting services could be a user fee. If you want these services, maybe it would be wise to let those who use them pay for them such as the coliseum, the parks department, street lights and trash service in Ira, Dunn, Hermleigh and Fluvanna, a health center, library, museum, community centers, airport, metal culverts for land owners — we could go on but you need to tell the court what you want. Would you volunteer to help?

We are required to perform certain services and have no options such as indigent health care, law enforcement, document handlings, budget management, child and adult protective services, a legal department, a probation department, and three court systems.

Above all, ask questions of your elected officials and make recommendations to them as to how you would like to see your tax dollars spent. Truth is much better and can be understood easier than gossip.

Scurry County conducted three public hearings on the 1990 proposed budget and at one of these hearings seven concerned people voiced their opinions. The Commissioners Court needs more than seven opinions to conduct the business of 21,000 residents of Scurry County.

Someone once said, "Tell me and I will forget, show me and I will remember, involve me and I will understand."

Take the time to get involved and have a better understanding of your county government.

The following table of a random home and farm value list has been prepared for you to see how much would be saved with a rollback:

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SPORTS

Chris Evert wins 100th match vs. Yugoslavian

NEW YORK (AP) — Chris Evert's steady strokes slashed through swirling winds Friday as she became the first 100-match winner in 100 years of U.S. tennis championships.

She quipped, though, that it wasn't nearly as easy as her first — and said it may not be as tough as her next match against 15-year-old Monica Seles.

Evert, playing her 19th and last U.S. Open and a longshot to win her seventh title, had less trouble reaching the round of 16 than three-time Wimbledon champion Boris Becker, who is seeking his first Open title.

Evert, 34, beat 21-year-old Patricia Tarabini 6-2, 6-4. Becker then stepped onto the same breezy stadium court and fought off Olympic gold medalist Miloslav Mecir, 6-4, 3-6, 6-4, 6-3.

"It was probably the worst conditions at Flushing Meadow I've ever had," Becker said. "It was almost impossible to play normal tennis, for him and for me. That's why there were many breaks and many strange shots."

Becker, the second seed behind Ivan Lendl, said he felt lucky to be in the tournament after surviving a five-setter in the second round against Derrick Rostagno and another tough match against Mecir.

"I think that anything that comes now will be easier," Becker said. "It can't be any more difficult."

"They haven't seen the best Boris Becker here, that's for sure."

Martina Navratilova, the women's second seed, had no trouble as she followed Becker in the stadium — and dispatched Sabrina Golea 6-4, 6-0.

Evert said she didn't realize the victory was her 100th until she heard it announced on the court. She couldn't remember the name of her first victim, Edda Buding, in 1971.

But Evert, the fourth seed, knew she worked harder against Tarabini, and will face a stiffer challenge in her next match against Seles, the 12th seed, who reached the semifinals at the French Open.

Seles beat Shaun Stafford, 7-6, 6-2, but said she wasn't looking forward to playing Evert despite beating her in Houston earlier this year.

Evert, though, felt the pressure would be on her against the Yugoslav teen-ager and compared their match to ones she had against the established stars of the women's circuit when she broke in.

"The shoe is on the other foot because I was once in her position, playing Billie Jean King and Margaret Court," Evert said. "The roles are reversed now. She doesn't have the pressure on her."

But Evert said it also will be easier for her to get psyched up for Seles than it was against unseeded early-round players.

"From now on, all these girls will be tough players," Evert said. "A lot of them have already beaten me, so I have respect for their games."

If Evert gets past Seles, she would face fifth-seeded Zina Garrison, who beat Patty Fendick 6-3, 7-5, or unseeded Donna Faber, who upset 16th-seeded Hana Mandlikova 6-2, 3-6, 6-1.

Jay Berger, the men's 11th seed, came back from two sets down to beat Ken Flach 6-7, 4-6, 6-2, 6-3, 6-4.

Throughout the match, Berger kept picking up leaves and other debris blown onto the court.

At 30-love with Berger serving in the last game of the match, Flach looked across the net and said, "Do you want a street cleaner to come on the court? What are you doing?"

Then Flach got down on his hands and knees to mock Berger. A few moments later, the court scoured, Berger finished off the match.



Mark Lye's 66 grabs share of Milwaukee tourney lead

FRANKLIN, Wis. (AP) — Mark Lye birdied the first three holes Friday en route to a 6-under-par 66 and gained a share of the second-round lead with

Australians Greg Norman and Wayne Grady in the \$800,000 Greater Milwaukee Open.

Norman, the first-round leader with a 64, shot a 69, while Grady

Rangers fall to Royals 5-3

ARLINGTON, Texas (AP) — Willie Wilson broke a 1-for-12 slump with a two-out, two-run double in the 12th inning to give the Kansas City Royals a 5-3 victory Friday night over the Texas Rangers.

with his 10th of the season. It was the 29th of his career against Texas. Only Reggie Jackson, with 45, and Don Baylor, with 30, have hit more against the Rangers.

The victory moved the Royals within 1 1/2 games of Oakland in the American League West. Oakland lost as did California, allowing the Royals to move past the Angels into second place in the division.

With two outs, Hough allowed Stillwell's solo homer, his seventh.

Jeff Kunkel brought Texas within a run, leading off the fifth with his seventh homer.

The Royals loaded the bases off reliever Kenny Rogers, 2-3. Kurt Stillwell walked and moved to second on Pat Tabler's single. After Bob Boone's sacrifice bunt, Kevin Seitzer was intentionally walked to load the bases. Wilson followed with a bloop double to right.

Astros win over Cards

ST. LOUIS (AP) — Craig Reynolds' pinch-hit home run in the seventh inning broke a tie and the Houston Astros went on to a 6-3 victory over the St. Louis Cardinals Friday night.

Rookie reliever Rick Luecken pitched one inning to win his first career decision. Jeff Montgomery pitched the 12th for his 16th save.

Houston scored in the fourth on third baseman Terry Pendleton's error and in the sixth when reliever John Costello, 3-3, beamed Craig Biggio with the bases loaded. Reynolds' second home run, leading off the seventh, was the Astros' first pinch-hit home run this season.

Bo Jackson tied the game in the eighth with his 27th homer, a two-out solo shot off Charlie Hough. It was the 26th homer of the season off Hough, breaking a tie with Detroit's Doyle Alexander for the most in the American League.

The Astros added a run in the inning when Kevin Bass tripled and scored on Glenn Davis' single.

Ruben Sierra had given the Rangers a 3-2 lead with a two-run homer in the sixth off Tom Gordon. Sierra's homer, his 23rd, scored Harold Baines, who had reached on a fielder's choice.

Jim Deshaies, 12-7, gave up six hits and two runs in six innings, walking three and striking out one. Reliever Danny Darwin gave up a run in the seventh when Ozzie Smith tripled with one out and scored on Pedro Guerrero's single.

Kansas City took a 2-0 lead in the fourth when George Brett led off by snapping a homerless streak of 42 innings by the Royals

A. Bartlett Giamatti... Baseball commissioner dies

EDGARTOWN, Mass. (AP) — Baseball commissioner A. Bartlett Giamatti died Friday after suffering a heart attack at his weekend home on Martha's Vineyard.

were with him when he was rushed to the hospital at 3:15 p.m. She said the entire emergency room staff of about 12 people labored over him.

The 51-year-old Giamatti died at 4:40 p.m. EDT at Martha's Vineyard Hospital, according to deputy police chief Stephen MacKinnon.

Mackinnon said doctors tried more than an hour to revive Giamatti before giving up.

Linda Brantly, spokeswoman for Martha's Vineyard Hospital, said Giamatti's wife and son

Edgartown police responded to a reported heart attack at his residence at Oakdale Drive in Edgartown. State Policeman Byron Rizos said. "He was found unconscious and in full cardiac arrest. CPR was initiated and he was transported to the Martha's Vineyard Hospital in Oak Bluffs."

Giamatti left New York Thursday morning to spend the weekend at the popular New England retreat island.

Just eight days before, he was in the national spotlight when he barred Pete Rose from baseball for life on charges that the Cincinnati Reds manager had bet on his own team.

A chain-smoker who once said cigarettes were his "primary vice," Giamatti had been immersed in the Rose investigation for six months.

"I'm stunned. I just dropped

Odessa group hosts tourney

The Girls' Club of Odessa, the Odessa Boys Club and the Odessa Saints are sponsoring the Odessa Invitational Co-rec volleyball tournament Sept. 23.

The event will take place at the Girls' Club at 900 S. Grant in Odessa.

The fee for entry is \$60 and the deadline to register is Thursday, Sept. 21.

USVBA rules will apply in the round robin tournament. Teams will consist of three men and three women and the top three teams from two pools will advance to the championship round.

First through fourth place teams will receive a trophy and first through third place units will get T-shirts for the team.

To enter the tournament, mail the fee to Felix M. Robles, 8823 Holiday, Odessa, Tx., 79765.

For more information call Robles at (915) 334-2151 or 362-9800.

Meeting set for bowlers

The Commercial Bowling League will be holding an organizational meeting Tuesday, Sept. 5 at Snyder Lanes. The meeting is set to begin at 6:30 p.m.

League officials are hoping to have at least one member of each team in attendance.

A starting date for the new season will be set and officers will be elected at the gathering.

All interested bowlers are invited and encouraged to come.

him off at noon. We came up together," deputy commissioner Francis T. Vincent Jr. said when he learned that Giamatti had been taken to the hospital. Vincent has a home on Cape Cod.

Giamatti, president of Yale University from 1978 to 1985, became commissioner on April 1, succeeding Peter Ueberroth. He had been National League president since December 1986.

Born in Boston on April 4, 1938, Angelo Bartlett Giamatti got an early start as a baseball administrator — as manager of the South Hadley, Mass., high school team in 1951.

During a 90-minute interview with The Associated Press two weeks ago, Giamatti said being baseball commissioner was a lot like being a university president.

"I tell you the truth, this job reminds me much more of the one I had at Yale. The National League one was much more concerned with what went on out on the field."

Gymnastics class registration noted

Steve's Snyder Sports, a gymnastics school for boys and girls from age three up, will host their grand opening and registration session Monday from 5-8 p.m.

The instructor, Stephen Parker, is a member of the American Gymnastics Association, has eight years experience coaching children's gymnastics and is a former captain of the Abilene Christian University Flying Cats gymnastics team.

Classes are set to begin Sept. 5.

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Tammy Faye says...

Bakker humiliated by stay in prison

BUTNER, N.C. (AP) — Tammy Faye Bakker says she can't understand why the government imprisoned and humiliated her TV evangelist husband, whose psychiatric episode she blames on an allergic reaction to medicine.

"They strip-searched him in front of a room full of men and threw him in a jail cell," Mrs. Bakker said after a six-hour meeting with her husband, PTL founder Jim Bakker, Friday night. "Jim said it was the most humiliating thing he had ever been through."

U.S. District Judge Robert Potter ordered Bakker to the Federal Correctional Institution at Butner for psychiatric evaluation after the evangelist broke down Thursday in the fourth day of his fraud and conspiracy trial in Charlotte.

The judge heard Bakker's psychiatrist, Dr. Basil Jackson, testify that Bakker hallucinated when he left the courthouse Wednesday after a witness fainted.

Jackson said he prescribed the anti-depressant sedative Xanax for Bakker but his condition worsened until Thursday morning he curled up in a fetal position in his attorney's office with his head under a couch.

"There is no reason at all for Jim to be in prison," Mrs. Bakker said. Speaking of the medication she said: "He just literally had more than he could handle. I think Judge Potter is being very unfair."

However, The Charlotte Observer today quoted Jackson as saying the amount of medication Bakker had been given "was infinitesimal because I recogniz-

ed his concern about overreaction."

According to the Physicians' Desk Reference, rare side effects of Xanax, which is similar to Valium, include hallucinations, agitation and other behavioral effects.

Mrs. Bakker said her husband is "very allergic to all medication." She said, "He doesn't even take aspirin."

She said her husband looked much more composed than he had Thursday when he sobbed on his way to prison.

Mrs. Bakker, a gospel singer who has co-starred with Bakker on their talk-show style religious

TV programs, said Bakker did not fake his attack as skeptics have suggested.

"If you had seen Mr. Bakker, you would know he doesn't perform. He's just Jim, not a performer," she said.

Mrs. Bakker traveled from her home in Orlando, Fla., to visit her husband. She said she would be visiting him daily and hoped he would be able to resume his trial next week.

When Potter dismissed jurors Thursday — without telling them why — the judge said they would not be needed for a week.

Government psychiatrists began evaluating Bakker on Friday, said prison spokeswoman Sharon Orr. She would not characterize his mental state or actions.

Former PTL workers say Bakker was given to frequent attacks of anger or depression.

Methodists in Hermleigh plan special services

Sunday, Sept. 3, will be special day for the Hermleigh United Methodist Church. Services will begin at 11 a.m. with the ringing of the old church bell.

Rev. Carol Crumpton, pastor, will be in charge of the morning worship service which will include confirmation, baptism and reception service.

Confirmation classes have been meeting since May with four youth taking religious instructions.

Following a church tradition, the confirmation class will present to the church during morning services, a banner and a gift. The service will close with Holy Communion.

Rev. Bobby McMillan, Big Spring District superintendent, will also attend services Sunday.

The service will be conducted using songs, liturgy and rituals from the New United Methodist Hymnal.

A covered dish luncheon will follow the service. The public is invited to all morning activities.

Aikido, judo courses slated

Instruction in aikido and judo will be offered through the Continuing Education Department of Western Texas College in classes starting this week.

Aikido classes will start Wednesday and will meet from 7-9 p.m. on Mondays and Wednesdays with Stephen Kennedy as instructor. These classes are for students 14 years of age and older. Fees are \$25 per month.

Judo classes will start Saturday and are to meet from 1-4 p.m. on Saturdays with Doyle Sanders as instructor. The judo classes are open to students of all ages. Fees are \$25 per month.

Both the judo and aikido classes will meet at 1722 26th St.

To pre-register in either course call 573-8511, ext. 240.

First shipment of U.S. military aid set for Colombia

WASHINGTON (AP) — The United States will ship two C-130 B cargo planes to Colombia on Sunday as the beginning of a \$65 million aid package to assist the South American nation's fight against drug traffickers.

"The equipment will be shipped in a sequence designed to allow the Colombian military to begin to use what we send them immediately," Pentagon spokesman Pete Williams said Friday at a news briefing.

Williams said the medium-range C-130s would be flown from National Guard bases in Louisville, Ky., and Martinsburg, W. Va. Both will carry spare parts.

On Monday, eight A-37 jet planes will be flown to Colombia from Air National Guard bases in Illinois and Michigan. The following day, five UH-1H transport helicopters would be ferried down in a C-5 cargo plane from a still undetermined base.

"The first equipment to arrive will be that with which the Colombians are most familiar."

Financial Focus

We've all heard stories of unscrupulous security salespeople who cheat small investors, but have you heard about banks, credit unions and entire cities that are financially wiped out by bond salespeople who do their fast talking over the telephone?

The story made front-page headlines in the WALL STREET JOURNAL in April 1988. The scam is simple and certainly nothing unique in the annals of financial chicanery.

A group of men and women gathered in a room full of telephones and started dialing for dollars. Nothing new there, except the numbers were taken from big-money sources such as municipal treasuries, pension funds, credit unions and banks.

It's hard to believe that someone would invest millions of dollars of trust money with a broker they'd never met, but maybe people were fooled by a down-home Arkansas drawl. The Journal reported these "bond daddies," as they are often referred to, wiped out two Kansas banks as well as the entire retirement fund and most of the investment account of Camarillo, Cal. More than a dozen other towns are also filing suit.

The story seems unbelievable, but sadly, it's true. Worse, it's happened before. In the 1960's, this same breed of crooks set up in Memphis, Tenn. That group sold tax-free municipal bonds to senior citizens from coast to coast.

You may ask, "Why doesn't someone stop it?" It's difficult because these "bond daddies" sell legitimate securities. In this case, they sold U.S. government zero-coupon bonds that had been purchased at deep discounts. The bonds paid no interest but eventually would mature at full face value.

While zeros are excellent investments for people who know what they're buying and plan to keep them until maturity, many people don't understand them. The value of zero-coupon bonds can fluctuate greatly with interest rates. Attempting to trade zeros in the sophisticated government market is risky business for even an honest professional. Saddle zeros with outrageous commissions up to 10 times the normal charge and turn a "bond daddy" loose, and you've got big-money trouble. Add the gullibility of the buyer and you have the scenario for an ideal sting. Some banks even signed authorization papers that allowed their "Bond Daddy" to trade the account on his or her own.

The security industry as a whole does an outstanding job of policing itself. Legitimate brokerage firms, members of the New York Stock Exchange, members of the National Association of Securities Dealers and their representatives are closely supervised by both the industry and the Securities and Exchange Commission. Every safeguard is exercised to ensure the public receives fair and equitable treatment.

However, regardless of how many laws are passed, securities fraud continues. The sad thing is that without the public's help, it couldn't. No one forces victims to listen to a mysterious voice over the telephone, give public and private funds to someone they've never met or buy an investment they don't understand.

The public must join in the battle against fraud in the investment industry. One of the first steps in doing this is to remember, "When the telephone promises a deal you can't refuse, hang up!"

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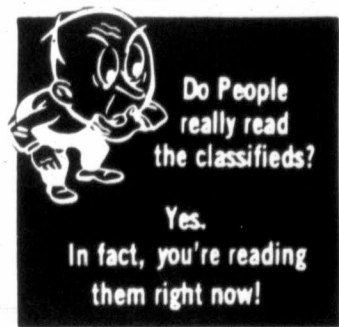
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Daughter of two locals promoted

Gannett Newspapers of Rochester N. Y. has named Kay Ellington of Waco promotion manager, effective Sept. 11. The daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Bennie Ellington of Snyder will be responsible for marketing and media for the morning newspaper, the Chronicle-Democrat and the afternoon newspaper, the Times-Union. Each newspaper has a circulation of approximately 225,000. The Chronicle-Democrat and the Times-Union are each properties of Gannett Newspapers, Inc. GNT is the largest media company in the country, and its holdings include more than 100 local newspapers, television stations, radio stations and outdoor companies—plus the national daily newspaper, USA Today. Prior to going to Gannett Newspapers of Rochester, Ellington was with the Waco-Tribune-Herald in Waco since 1980. At the Tribune-Herald, Ellington began as a classified ad representative; then was promoted to retail ad representative; then was promoted to circulation sales and service director; then was promoted to production manager—a capacity that she had served in since 1987. Ellington is a 1977 graduate of Snyder High School and a 1979 graduate of the University of Texas of the Permian Basin.

USSR residents, too, often have roots in republic

KISHINEV, U.S.S.R. (AP) — Behind the slogans and political maneuvers highlighting ethnic tension in Soviet republics is the hurt and confusion of transplanted Russians who fear being uprooted from their homes. As colonizers, exiles, scientific and economic specialists, Russians have been settling in Moldavia, the Baltics, and other non-Russian areas for more than 100 years — both before and after the Bolshevik Revolution.

Spencer enlists

ARLINGTON—Brian Wade Spencer of Snyder, son of Michael Spencer of Marshall and Nita Chaney of Snyder, has enlisted in the Air Force's Delayed Enlistment Program. Spencer, a 1988 graduate of Snyder High School, is scheduled to enlist in the Regular Air Force on May 11, 1990. After a six week basic training course, he is scheduled to receive technical training in the electronics career field.

In a period of heightened ethnic feelings as the Soviet Union's minorities review what decades of Soviet rule have brought, much of the anger and frustration is directed at the Russians next door.

Many of them never learned the local language because it never has been much of an issue in a land dominated by Moscow. But in a society that is becoming rapidly polarized by demands for greater local sovereignty, language has become the first and greatest indicator of who is who.

"Today it's a law on language, tomorrow on citizenship and the day after on residency," Russian-language teacher Raisa Kochetova complained to the Moldavian Supreme Soviet, or parliament, as it began its debate Tuesday on a law making Moldavian the official language of the republic.

Moldavia on Thursday joined other republics that have passed language laws. The Baltics have followed with legislation restoring

national flags, economic and political sovereignty, and immigration restrictions. Estonia went the furthest by setting strict residency requirements for voting and running for office.

No nationalist group has called for Russians and others to be

thrown out of their republics. In Latvia, the independence movement is taking applications from ethnic Latvians, Russians, and everyone else for citizenship in an independent republic.

But the immigrants are worried that some slogans of ethnic

protesters demanding they leave will become the policy of powerful new political movements.

"We read stories about apartheid in South Africa, where people are barred from any work except manual labor if their skin is the wrong color."

Tutu arrested in South Africa

CAPE TOWN, South Africa (AP) — Police arrested Anglican Archbishop Desmond Tutu and hundreds of fellow activists across the country Friday as clerics, students and workers demonstrated in support of an escalating defiance campaign.

Tutu, winner of the 1984 Nobel Peace Prize, was arrested along with his wife and 34 other protesters when they marched outside St. George's Cathedral, 200 yards from Parliament, to protest the alleged beating of clergy and church workers by security forces earlier in the day. They were released several hours later.

Police spokesman Brig. Leon Mellet said all 36 could face prosecution under a law that prohibits demonstrations near Parliament.

Police also threatened Friday to take "decisive action" against members of the media who defy state-of-emergency regulations that prohibit reporting on unrest.

About 20 protesters from the Western Province Council of Churches said police used batons and whips Friday to chase them from a security police office in Cape Town, where they had gone to condemn recent detentions of activists.

Later, when Tutu and the other

activists left St. George's, which Tutu heads, they encountered police who formed a human barricade. Police told the demonstrators to disperse, then led them into vans when they refused.

Closings noted

Western Texas College, the Scurry County Museum and the Diamond M Museum of Fine Art will be closed on Labor Day.

Both museums will also be closed Saturday and Sunday.

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The City of Snyder, Texas will accept bids for the lease purchase of one scraper for use at the landfill. Bids will be opened in the office of the Purchasing Agent at City Hall at 1925 24th, P.O. Drawer GG, Snyder, TX 79549, on Tues., September 26, 1989 at 11:00 a.m. Further information may be obtained through the Purchasing Department at the City Hall. The City of Snyder reserves the right to reject any and all bids.
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The City of Snyder, Texas will accept bids for the purchase of two trucks to be used as dump trucks. Bids will be opened in the office of the Purchasing Agent at the City Hall on Tuesday, September 26, 1989 at 10:30 a.m. at 1925 24th St., P.O. Drawer GG, Snyder, TX 79549. The City of Snyder reserves the right to reject any and all bids.
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NOTICE OF TAX FORECLOSURE SALES
The following properties have previously been deeded to the County of Scurry, West Texas Community College, City of Snyder and the Snyder Independent School District under judicially ordered Sheriff's sale and will be offered to the highest bidder for cash on the steps of the Scurry County Courthouse at 2:00 P.M., Tuesday, September 5, 1989.
Item 1: Lot 5, Block 4, Chambers Addition.
Item 2: Lot 2, Block 27, Chambers Addition.
Item 3: Lots 2 and 3, Block 28, Chambers Addition.
Item 4: Lot 3, Block 27, Chambers Addition.
Item 5: 100'x120' in the H&TC Survey, Block 3, Section 154, 28 acres (Ko-Ko Club).
Item 6: West 1/2 of Lot 4, Block 18, Nunn Addition.
There are no minimum bids on any of these items, but all bids are subject to approval by the Commissioners Court of Scurry County.

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All workers of PEARSON-SIBERT OIL COMPANY OF TEXAS in IRA, Texas who became totally or partially separated from employment due to a lack of work on or after MAY 3, 1988 are eligible under Petition Number 22,975 to apply for trade adjustment assistance. The petition was certified JULY 21, 1989 and will expire JULY 21, 1991. Workers should contact the nearest Texas Employment Commission office for assistance in filing for the following services: weekly trade readjustment allowance, job placement, employment counseling, vocational training and financial assistance for job search and job relocation.

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Water hookups still take time

EL PASO, Texas (AP) — Local officials are hesitant to say the connection of water lines to El Paso County "colonias" will accelerate now that the water authority created to make the connections legally owns distribution lines.

Only about a dozen homes in the rural housing along the border have received water and sewer connections, far short of the 150 homes a week promised when the first home was hooked up in June.

At a meeting Thursday, the El

Paso Water Utilities Public Service Board and the Lower Valley Water Authority finalized a contract that transfers 54 miles of water lines to the authority.

The authority purchased the water lines from the PSB in June for \$2.7 million, a price that will be paid over 20 years.

But Dale Jones, spokeswoman for the authority, said hookups would only continue as fast as paperwork for the connections could be processed.

"Our rate of hookup is dependent on individual property

owners," she said.

At a meeting of several regional water agencies last week, Luis Chavez, president of the authority, said water connections had stalled because of a dispute over who would own first lien rights to future extensions of the water lines.

The PSB turned over those rights to the authority in a Friday meeting, but general manager Edmund Archuleta said the PSB would not be obligated to service the future extensions.

Old enemies share memories

FRANKFURT, West Germany (AP) — Belgian radio listeners awoke to the chilling sound of Hitler declaring war on Poland, and Germans mourned their grim legacy to the world as Europeans on Friday marked the 50th anniversary of the start of World War II.

Jews, Poles, Soviets, Germans and others gathered for memorials across the continent to remember the great conflict that began with the Nazi invasion of Poland. The events conjured somber memories of bomb shelters and concentration camps, of scrambled boundaries

and splintered families.

West German Chancellor Helmut Kohl, in a speech to Parliament, expressed sorrow and regret for the "unspeakable suffering" wrought by the Nazis. He also tried to assuage lingering German guilt.

"It is true that too many people in Germany and some abroad were blinded and deceived by that tyrant," Kohl said of Adolf Hitler.

"Who among us can say with a good conscience that, confronted with such evil, they would have summoned the strength to be martyrs? And who among us can judge what it meant at that time to risk not only one's own life but the lives of one's family as well?" he asked.

In Communist East Berlin, ailing leader Erich Honecker missed the memorial ceremony in the 500-member People's Chamber, where Foreign Minister Oskar Fischer delivered the main address.

Fischer called for a day of "recollection and sorrow" and said the East German leaders pledge "to do everything in our power to ensure that war and fascism never again threaten our lives and the lives of our children."

Poland's leaders marked the occasion with a symbolic show of unity by the Communists and the Solidarity labor movement they once crushed.

World War II killed more than 50 million people, including 6 million Jews exterminated by the Nazis.

WTC gears up for 4th women's class

"Image," Western Texas College's program for women, is offering its fourth annual home and family living class for women on Tuesday, Sept. 12. Classes will be conducted on Tuesdays and Thursdays from 9:30-11 a.m.

Since its inception, this program has attracted some 170 participants, many of whom have continued their academic studies. One has become a guard for the Texas Department of Corrections and is employed elsewhere in the state and last spring an "Image" woman became the first person from that first class held four years ago to graduate from WTC.

Registration will begin at 7 p.m. Thursday, Sept. 7, at Snyder Savings and Loan. Women do not have to have a high school diploma or GED to register but advice will be available for those wishing to do earn a GED.

The tuition is free and child care will be available. Vocational career testing and counseling will also be available. In addition, students will be allowed to audit some classes and hear guest speakers from the WTC faculty. Besides discussing home and family living topics, other areas to be explored will include stress, depression among women; nutrition and budget management.

Students will also get to tour other college campuses in the area and a banquet is held in their honor at the end of the semester.

Dan Osborn, counselor and psychology instructor at WTC, will again serve as instructor.

Any woman interested in taking the class is asked to call Pat Blakely, program director, at 573-0907.

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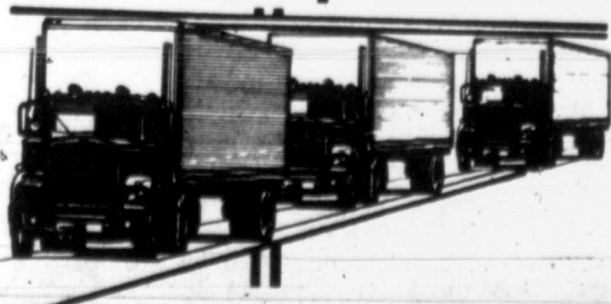
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Scurry County Folks...

By Shirley A. Gorman

Let's pretend for just a moment that fairy godmothers exist. If that were true then it might be said that Stephanie Weaver, a 21-year-old senior at Texas Tech, has received two wishes this summer.

The first wish granted might be the two-week sojourn in Italy last May which included stops in Venice and Rome. It was all part of an independent study for which she earned college credit. The trip was arranged by an Italian professor.

The second wish granted was even better than the first because it gave the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Roger Weaver the opportunity of a lifetime — to work as an intern for U. S. Rep. Charles Stenholm of the 17th District, or "Charlie" as he is referred to by his office staff and colleagues on Capitol Hill.

Stephanie actually worked in Stenholm's office from July 3 to July 31, but she arrived in Washington, D.C. on the first day of July.

Once Stephanie got over the "culture shock" she received from stepping into a world far different than her life in Texas, she quickly slipped into a "routine" which was anything but routine as she did a lot of walking, talking and sorting mail and answering the telephone — and just about anything else that needed doing.

Each day was new and exciting and it wasn't long before Stephanie was "just another office hand."

"From the very beginning I was accepted by the staff," she explained. "I helped open the mail. We got four deliveries a day

and in a year's time some one million pieces of mail will have been received and sorted through."

All mail is sorted according to areas and then taken to Stenholm who reads all pieces, she explained. She characterized "Charlie" as being very "accessible" to his constituents. That informality helped keep the office on a congenial basis, but Stephanie explained that when away from the office they referred to their boss by his title.

Stenholm is a very personable man and he even signs his letters as "Charlie," she said.

Stephanie also spent a lot of time answering the telephone, something she said she liked to do. At times she would be the only person in the office.

Stenholm's staff consists of 11 people and a total of four interns, two in June and two in July. Ernest Young of Abilene also served as an intern with Stephanie.

"Charlie likes to have as many interns as is possible," she explained. "This fall he would like to have an exchange student who would be able to earn college credit and next summer he would like to add more summer interns to his office."

Office staffers provided research information for constituents, and letters were routed to someone who is well versed in that area and they in turn helped draft a reply. Stephanie said Stenholm liked to have legislative aides on his staff who are knowledgeable of every subject that might confront one of his constituents.

The congressman's staff held daily meetings at which everyone was given the opportunity to tell what project they were working on and what they were doing. Stephanie said that she just attended that very first meeting and had nothing to say, but from then on she had to list her projects and/or progress.

According to Stephanie, Stenholm received a lot of mail concerning the Supreme Court's decision regarding the burning of the American flag, the abortion issue and the Davis-Bacon

Amendment. While Stenholm was arguing for the amendment, Stephanie said she sat in the gallery and was as disappointed as everyone else when it didn't pass. But Stephanie said a

legislative aide told her that he felt they had made progress because fewer people had voted no than the previous time.

Stephanie also drew another assignment when Denise

Crownwelder of Big Spring was hired as Stenholm's press secretary. She was asked to update the congressman's press files and as a result she had to call all the media in the 17th district, even the Snyder Daily News on "official business."

While in Washington, D.C., Stephanie appeared on a radio talk show where she and the other intern got to answer questions.

She even got to attend a Democratic delegation luncheon. Stephanie explained that Stenholm was very liberal with his interns and that if they wanted to do something, he always let them do it because he wanted their experience with his office to be memorable and educational.

With this in mind, she said she was given the opportunity to attend a lecture series during which senators spoke on their areas of interest.

"Working with Stenholm and his staff has been an incredible educational experience with endless opportunities.

"While working for Stenholm, I was involved intellectually and the experience was just great," Stephanie said. "Every day just going to work was a delight." She said that interns don't really make that much money and that they usually just "break even" by the time expenses are paid. But the experience is so worthwhile that these other things don't matter, she said.

Another highlight was attending the preview of a film about the landing on the moon some 20 years ago.

For identification purposes, Stephanie was given a badge and staff pin to wear while on the job.

Stephanie said she was very lucky to be in Washington on July 4. People sat on the steps of Capitol Hill or on the lawn and everyone sang patriotic songs. Guest conductors were also used.

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SUMMER INTERN—Stephanie Weaver, 21, the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Roger Weaver of Snyder, spent the month of July in Washington, D.C., where she served as a summer intern in the office of U.S. Congressman Charles Stenholm, who is also pictured. During her tenure as intern,

Stephanie participated in regular day-to-day office duties and she was able to observe congressional committee hearings, U.S. House and Senate proceedings and Supreme Court sessions. (Family Photo)

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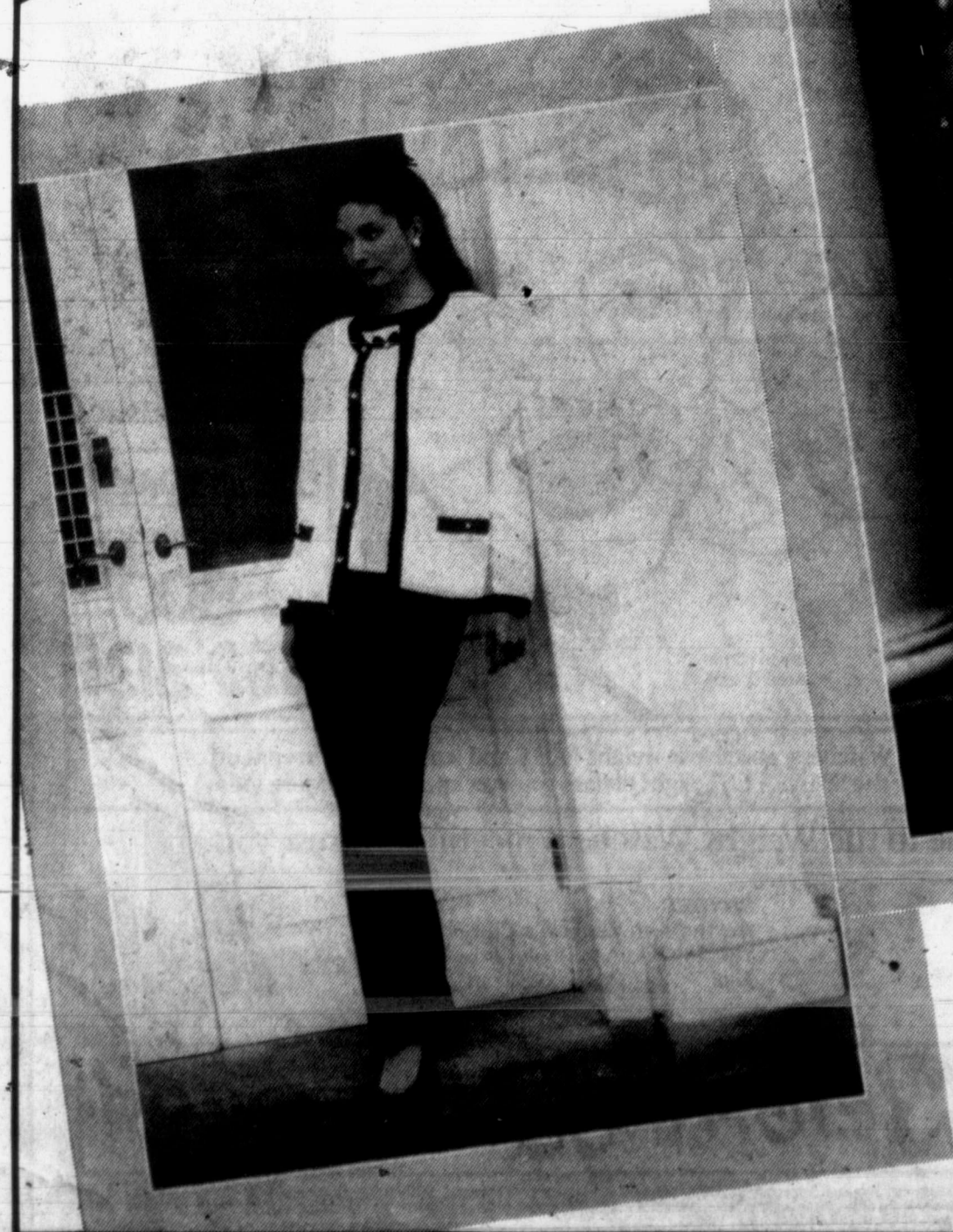
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Couple united in evening ceremony

Cecilia Mae Feinsod and Joseph James "Bo" Hearin were united in marriage June 17 at 6 p.m. at Trinity Methodist Church. Rev. Bob Rhodes of Northside Baptist Church officiated the double-ring ceremony.

The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Art Feinsod, and the groom is the son of Mrs. Mary Jane Babin of New Orleans, La., and Walter Hearin of Colorado City.

Two 15-branch candelabras, adorned in springerina and baby's breath decorated the church. The pews were marked with large bows of pink, blue and yellow satin ribbon.

Cheri Stewart accompanied herself singing "Surround Me With Love."

The bride, given in marriage by her father, wore a gown styled in white satin and lavishly trimmed in re-embroidered Alencon lace heavily encrusted with pearls and sequins. The Queene Anne neckline was edged in lace which had outlines of embroidered pearls on the designs. The fitted bodice was styled in a basque waistline, with appliques of the lace and pearl overlaying the satin.

The back of the bodice was also of satin, with the upper part being of sheer imported illusion. Further appliques of the lace were on the back of the bodice. A wide row of lace circled the waistline, and appliques of lace in large motifs were below the waistline in both front and back.

The Juliet sleeves were of sheer illusion and satin, heavily embroidered in lace and pearls. A semi-circle of lace and pearls came over her hands at the cuffs, and covered buttons were also featured on the wrists.

The full skirt had a wide row of embroidered lace around the bottom, and as the lace circled around the sides of the skirt, it swept up the back to a point about mid-way of the skirt, forming a V of lace. The full cathedral train was designed in three scallops, and a group of large appliques adorned the center scallop of the train.

The bride's veil was designed in a circlet of flowers accented by sprays of pearls. Each of the silk flowers was centered with a pearl, and a solid band of pearls came to a point on her forehead. The back of the circlet was designed in a pouf of illusion, with scattered pearls accenting the pouf. The two-tiered veil was pencil stitched at the edge, and there were pearls scattered across the veil.

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MR. AND MRS. JOSEPH JAMES HEARIN
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baby's breath, tied with satin streamers and love knots.

Deborah Zeck, daughter of Mark and Doris Zeck, was the flower girl.

Melissa Gann served as maid of honor. Melinda Tucker and Virginia Hearin of New Orleans, La., sister of the groom, were bridesmaids. All three attendants were attired in matching, drop-waisted dresses in spring colors, and carried sprays of spring flowers.

Boyd Lyle Peace of Many, La., was best man. Mike Mundy of Midland and Pat Mundy of Dallas, uncles of the groom, were groomsmen.

Virgil Feinsod, brother of the

bride; Michael Burton; and Sidney Self of Many, La., were ushers.

The groom wore a black tuxedo with a white tie and cummerbund. Male attendants wore black tuxedos with royal blue ties and cummerbunds.

Cara Belcher, daughter of Clay and Cathy Belcher of Hermleigh, registered guests at a table covered with a pale blue cloth. The bride's book, a white feather pen and a brass vase holding blue spring flowers complemented the table.

A reception, following the ceremony, was held at Trinity Methodist Church Fellowship Hall.

The bride's table was covered with a lace tablecloth belonging to Mrs. Max von Roeder. The tablecloth was decorated with large multicolor satin bows.

The three-tiered wedding recipe chiffon cake was especially designed for the bride and groom by Reta Graham of Reta's Cake Shop. It was frosted with pure white butter cream frosting in intricately detailed ruffled designs with scalloped lattice work. The layers were suspended from two floating arms, which held silk flowers in the bride's chosen colors.

Serving at the bride's table were Tonya Terry, daughter of Mike and Linda Terry, and Kim Burton, daughter of Tim and Mary Burton.

The groom's table featured a red velvet cake made by Ola Glasscock, and decorated to match the bride's cake. Linda and Kim Terry served at the groom's table.

The couple is making their new home in Hermleigh.

The bride is a Snyder High School graduate, currently attending Western Texas College. She is employed as a desk clerk at the Purple Sage Motel.

The groom is a graduate of Negreet High School in Louisiana. He also attended Western Texas College, and is employed by Snyder Farm and Ranch Supply.



Diversified

By Marvin Ensor Extension Agent

DISPOSAL OF

CANCELLED PESTICIDES

Producers should remember that usage deadlines are approaching for several crop protection chemicals. Chemicals that have been cancelled include: Azodrin, Galecron and Fundal. Other chemicals that have been suspended are: Dinoseb, Sancap and Diazinon. The usage deadline for Azodrin, Galecron and Fundal is Sept. 30. Cancelled pesticides become hazardous wastes and are regulated under the Federal Resource Conservation and Recovery Act. Use or improper storage, transport or disposal of a hazardous waste may bring criminal charges.

Producers with leftover supplies of these products should be fully aware of the problems and options they have regarding disposal of these hazardous wastes. Specific options may vary with different pesticide products and even with different labeled uses of the same products.

Producers may obtain a copy of the National Cotton Council report, "Problems and Options Cotton Producers May Have with Leftover Cancelled Pesticides," by contacting the Council's Technical Services Department, 1918 N. Parkway, Memphis, TN 38112. The phone number is (901) 274-9030.

Because the manufacturers of Azodrin, Galecron and Fundal voluntarily cancelled these products, the Environmental Protection Agency will not indemnify users or anyone else holding stocks after the Sept. 30 usage deadline, nor will EPA take possession of leftover stocks for disposal. It also is illegal for one

farmer to sell leftover stocks to another farmer, even though the buyer plans to use the pesticide by Sept. 30.

Producers should use these leftover stocks according to product label by Sept. 30, or check with the dealer to see if they will voluntarily take the product back. Otherwise, producers may be faced with difficult and expensive procedures for disposing of these wastes.

EPA reportedly is accepting indemnification claims/disposal requests from producers with leftover stocks of Dinoseb, which was cancelled in June, 1988. Producers should call EPA headquarters at 1-800-DIN-OSEB or their regional EPA office for claim forms and instructions. Earth Industrial Waste Management in Millington, Tenn., is an EPA approved collector for Dinoseb products.

The period for filing indemnification claims/disposal requests is long past for the other products such as DDT, toxaphene and endrin, which no longer can be used on cotton. Endrin, if available, can be used on cotton west of Interstate 35.

The National Cotton Councils report also discusses the status of Sancap, Diazinon, 2,4,5-T, Silvex and Milogard.

It is likely an increasing number of older pesticides will be removed from the market over the next several years. This is due to the stringent registration amendments to the Federal Insecticide, Fungicide and Rodenticide (FIFRA) in 1988 and the introduction of new pesticides which have caused drastic drops in market share of many of the older products.

Lady Falls Brown receives Ph.D. degree

Lady Falls Brown, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Pat Falls, received the Ph. D. degree in English from Texas Tech University in August. Her dissertation is entitled "Willa Cather and the Southern Genteel Tradition."

Since beginning her graduate work, Dr. Brown has chaired sessions and presented papers at state, regional and national conferences. She is currently co-director of The Santa Fe Conference on Willa Cather: A Critical Reappraisal, which was held in Santa Fe, N.M., Aug 9-12.

She has also served as a contributing bibliographer for "The Longman Bibliography of Composition and Rhetoric," (1984-85, 1986) and for "The CCCB Bibliography of Composition and Rhetoric," (1988).

In 1988, Dr. Brown was named an Associate of the International

Center for Arid and Semi-Arid Land Studies. During her tenure as a graduate student, she received the William Bryan Gates Graduate Award (1987). She was also elected to Phi Kappa Phi academic honorary (1986), and named an Outstanding Graduate Student Instructor (1983).

Her publications include "Stable Concept/Unstable Reality: Recreating the Writing Center Writing Lab Newsletter" (Accepted for publication in 1989) and "The Whit Hotel: D.M. Thomas' Considerable Debt to Anaoli Kuznetsov and 'Babi Yar,'" and "South Central Review," 2.2 (1985): 60-79.

Dr. Brown will assume a position as Director of the Writing Center, Department of English, Texas Tech University, in the fall of 1989.

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BRIDAL SHOWER — Nadene Handley, bride-elect of Jon Smith, was honored with a gift shower Aug. 27 in the First Baptist Church Garden Room. Pictured from left are Donna Smith, the prospective groom's mother; the honoree; and Diana Handley, her mother. (SDN Staff Photo)

Bridge

James Jacoby

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| NORTH ♠ 2-89 | | | |
| ♥ A 9 8 6 | ♣ K 8 3 | | |
| ♦ Q 10 9 7 2 | | | |
| WEST ♠ Q 10 9 2 | EAST ♠ A 8 5 3 | | |
| ♥ K 7 5 4 | ♥ 6 5 2 | | |
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| ♣ 5 4 3 | | | |
| SOUTH ♠ K J 4 | | | |
| ♥ K 7 5 4 | | | |
| ♦ A 7 4 | | | |
| ♣ A 8 6 | | | |
| Vulnerable: Both | | | |
| Dealer: South | | | |
| South | West | North | East |
| 1 NT | Pass | 2 ♣ | Pass |
| 2 ♣ | | 4 ♣ | All pass |
| Opening lead: ♠ Q | | | |

Counting defensive tricks

Successful defense requires fast thinking. In particular, a defender must use the bidding to picture the strength of declarer's hand. This information, plus that gained from partner's opening lead, should help a defender be ready with the right plays. Look at today's deal from the point of view of East.

After the no-trump opening and the two-club inquiry for a major suit, South became declarer at four hearts. The opening lead was the diamond queen. If South held only a 15-point no-trump opening, that would give West five high-card points, and East could see that three of those would be the Q-J of diamonds. At best West could hold another queen. East could see a heart trick, only one club trick, and the ace of spades coming to the defense, but that would not be enough to set the contract.

The defenders would also need to make a diamond trick. Knowing this, an astute defender will decide early in the hand not to rush to grab the ace of spades when declarer leads the lone spade from dummy. Declarer should win dummy's diamond king and play a spade at trick two. If East ducks without apparent thought, most likely declarer will misguess and put in the spade jack. Now a second diamond play will beat the contract. Obviously it does no good for East to be caught napping and to trace before following with a low spade.

It would also be a reprehensible violation of the proprieties of bridge for East, if he held Q-8-6-5-3 of spades, to hesitate even slightly on the play of the spade from dummy, as though he might be ducking with the ace.

James Jacoby's books "Jacoby on Bridge" and "Jacoby on Card Games" (written with his father, the late Oswald Jacoby) are now available at bookstores. Both are published by Pharos Books. © 1989, NEWSPAPER ENTERPRISE ASSN.



BABY SHOWER — Allie Lynn Brewster, newborn daughter of Jackson and Cindy Brewster, was honored with a gift shower in the home of Mrs. Ernie Armstrong Aug. 29. Pictured from left are Cathy Waffz, aunt of the honoree; Allie and Cindy Brewster; Jan Jinkins, her maternal grandmother; and Kendall Brewster, the honoree's sister. (Private Photo)

Snyder Duplicate Bridge Scoreboard

THURSDAY
Aug. 24

1. Dorothy and Buford Brown- ing.
2. Clara Tate, Verna Foree.
3. Mary Hopkins, Libby Brin- ner.
4. Hattie Phillips, Katherine Williamson.

THURSDAY
Aug. 31

1. Libby Brinner, Jay Guthrie.
2. Katherine Williamson, Hat- tie Phillips.
3. Clara Tate, Verna Foree.
4. Bonita Moore, Mary Carnes.

One key to elephants' survival in the parched desert of southwestern Africa is their apparent ability to communicate with each other over long distances about sources of water and food.

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Agent gives tractor-side view

Older fields are beginning to cut-out and as a result are less attractive to bollworms. Insecticide applications should now be directed to protect bolls which bloomed by Sept. 1 since blooms after that time have a slim chance of producing a harvestable boll with average fall temperatures and average frost. Boll weevil numbers have increased greatly in some fields. Large to medium bollworms are cycling through some fields. Bollworm and budworm moth trap catches have increased. So, be on the lookout for fresh bollworm infestations. Aphids continue to infest cotton.

BOLLWORMS

High numbers of large to medium worms from the mid-August egg-lay are cycling through some fields. Bollworm and budworm moth trap catches have increased. Budworm catches are running equal to bollworm trap catches. The budworm is more difficult to control than the bollworm.

Eggs have been found throughout plants so check on stems, bracts, bolls, squares, leaves, terminals and blooms. Small worms which hatch from these eggs will be spread across the plant also. High numbers of aphids increase the chance that eggs and small worms will be missed. So, check carefully.

Fields which are cut-out are usually not very attractive to

moths to lay eggs in. Worm numbers may crash in fields where square numbers are low. Late, actively fruiting cotton will still be attractive to moths to lay eggs in.

Based on previous worm peaks, we may see a mid-September bollworm peak in addition to a peak around the first of September. Bollworms can do damage to thirty-day old bolls and younger. So, bollworm scouting should continue in worm-attractive fields until the end of September.

BOLL WEEVILS

Boll weevil activity has increased greatly in some fields. Scouting for weevils should continue until mid-September. A 15-day old boll is relatively safe from boll weevil punctures. So, a white bloom on Sept. 1 should be weevil-safe by mid-September or a little after. Younger fields which have not had a problem previously should be watched for weevil migration. As older fields cut-out and mature, weevils will leave these fields searching for more actively fruiting cotton. In late September and into October, weevils will continue to feed on squares and bolls which have a slim chance of making with average weather conditions.

If cotton is cut-out and has mainly bolls, pick small bolls to determine percent boll weevil feeding and egg-laying punctures.

Pyrethroids do not provide

residual control of boll weevils.

APHIDS

Continue to check for aphids. Many fields are covered in honeydew. Dr. Jim Leser, Extension-Entomologist of Lubbock, recommends aphid control insecticides be applied in water instead of oil.

BOLL WEEVIL TRAPS

Julian Jones began baiting weevil traps to check summer weevil build-up on Aug. 28. Counts will be reported in Marvin Ensor, County Agent's, "Diversified" column in the Snyder Daily News. The first report should be Sept. 1.

This will be the last correspondence for 1989 due to postage considerations. Scouting should continue for the next few weeks in some fields. Holladay will be available at Turn-Row meetings, and is available over the telephone for information.

TURN-ROW MEETINGS


- Sept. 6; Dunn Community Center; 7:30 a.m.
- Sept. 7; Inadale Community Center; 7:30 a.m.
- Sept. 13; Dunn Community Center; 7:30 a.m.
- Sept. 14; Inadale Community Center; 7:30 a.m.

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O'Hare named for naval ace

CHICAGO (AP) — O'Hare International Airport is America's busiest, handling more than 54 million passengers each year.

It is named after Lt. Cmdr. Edward "Butch" O'Hare, a naval air ace in World War II. O'Hare won the Congressional Medal of Honor for shooting down five Japanese planes in five minutes at the Battle of the Coral Sea in 1942. He was killed the following year, at the age of 29, while trying to save his carrier from attack by 30 or more enemy planes.



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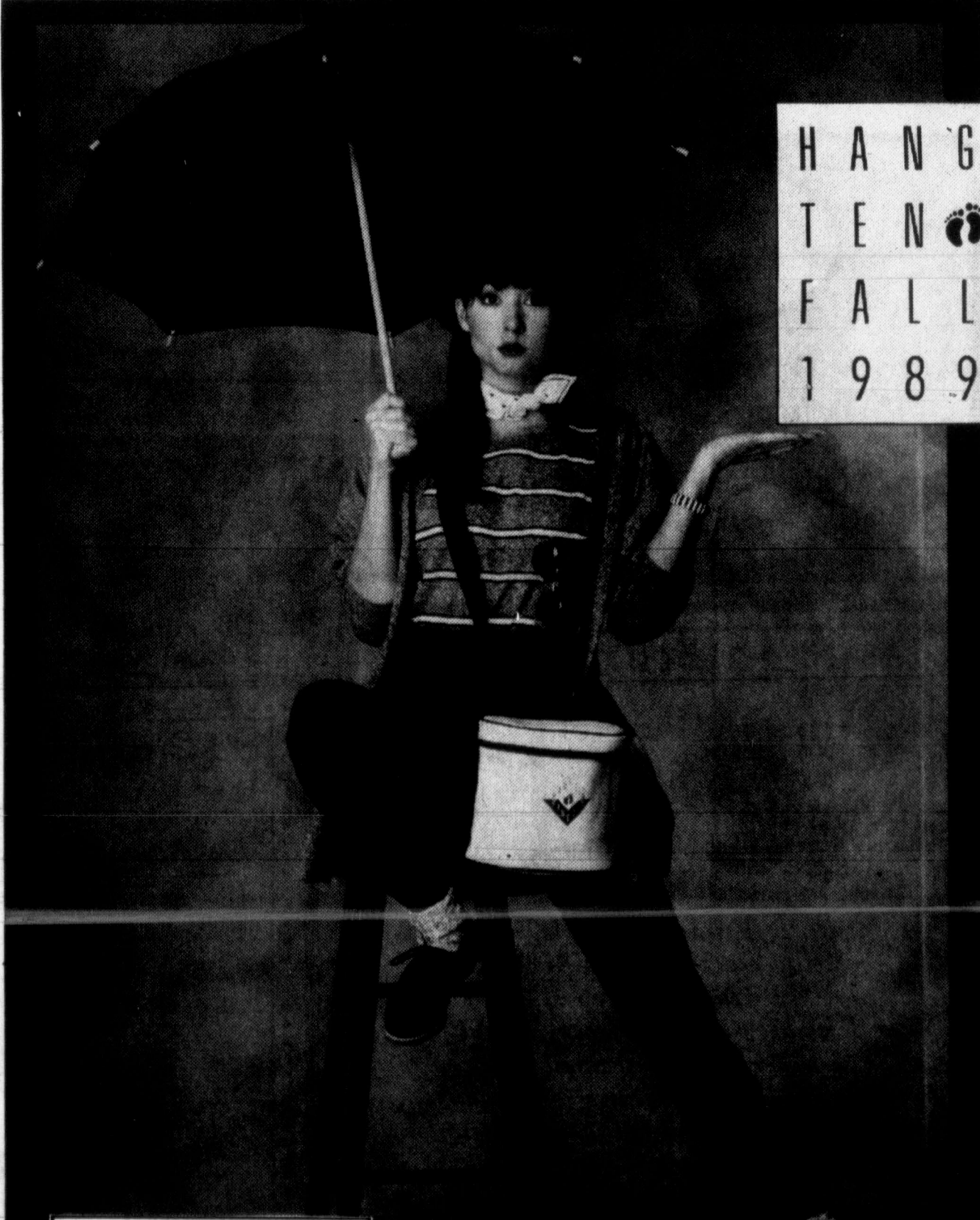
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FEATURE: HAUNTED HOUSES, by Nancy Roberts. "Haunted Houses" takes readers on a guided tour of 30 haunted houses all over America, from Springfield, Mass., to Galveston. Roberts spins tales that give you goosebumps and make you want to sleep with the lights on. Mixing the macabre with the romantic, the historical with the whimsical, she reveals an intriguing aspect of American folklore that will stir even the most hard-boiled cynics. The book also includes photographs and information on how to get to each haunted house.

NON-FICTION
 "On the Sidelines: Decisions, Skills, and Training in Youth Sports," by Jon Hellstedt.
 "Lose Weight Naturally," by Mark Bricklin.
 "1,001 Things Everyone Should Know about American History," by John Garraty.

FICTION
 "To Hear a Nightingale," by Charlotte Bingham.
 "The Education of Harriet Hotfield," by May Sarton.
 "Ghost," by Peter Barsocchini.

Library Hours: 10 a.m. to 6 p.m. Monday, Wednesday, Friday and Saturday; and 10 a.m. to 9 p.m. Tuesday and Thursday.

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| BREAKFAST TUESDAY | WEDNESDAY |
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| Cold Cereal Toast Grape Juice Milk | Salisbury Steak Brown Gravy English Peas Mashed Potatoes Happy Birthday Cake Ice Cream Milk |
| WEDNESDAY | THURSDAY |
| Hot Biscuits Cream Gravy Orange Juice Milk | Spaghetti & Meat Sauce Tossed Salad Diced Peas French Bread Milk |
| THURSDAY | FRIDAY |
| Cinnamon Toast Buttered Rice Pineapple Juice Milk | BBQ on a Bun Buttered Corn Chilled Peaches Brownie Milk |
| FRIDAY | SPECIAL EVENT |
| Peanut Coffee Cake Apricot Nectar Milk | Wednesday there will be a birthday party at each school to celebrate each student having a birthday this month. The menu features cake and ice cream for dessert. |
| LUNCH TUESDAY | |
| Pizza Green Beans Pineapple Chunks Milk | |

Ira School menu

| TUESDAY | THURSDAY |
|---|--|
| Steak Fingers Potatoes Gravy Green Beans Rolls Plums Milk | Ham & Macaroni w/Cheese Sauce Broccoli Orange Plain Cookies Biscuits Milk |
| WEDNESDAY | FRIDAY |
| Tacos Corn Salad Pinto Beans Crackers Brownies | Spaghetti & Meat Sauce Italian Green Beans Bell Pepper Ring & Carrot Sticks Sheath Cake Milk |

Hermleigh ISD Menu

| BREAKFAST TUESDAY | WEDNESDAY |
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| Juice Cinnamon Toast Milk | Peanut Butter Bars Milk |
| WEDNESDAY | THURSDAY |
| Fruit Breakfast Burritos Milk | Spaghetti/Meat Sauce Fried Okra Carrot Sticks Soft Bread Sticks Fruit Cup Milk |
| THURSDAY | FRIDAY |
| Buttered Rice Milk | Grilled Pork Rib Patties Candied Sweet Potatoes Pickled Beets Hot Rolls Lemon Pudding Milk |
| FRIDAY | LUNCH TUESDAY |
| Fruit Dry Cereal Milk | Steak Fingers and Gravy Mashed Potatoes Buttered Mixed Vegetables Hot Rolls |
| LUNCH TUESDAY | |
| Steak Fingers and Gravy Mashed Potatoes Buttered Mixed Vegetables Hot Rolls | Sausage Pizza Buttered Corn Tossed Salad Fruit Jello Milk |

Community Calendar

MONDAY
 Al-Anon; Charter Centre, 4200 College Ave.; noon.
 Multiple Sclerosis Support Group; Cogdell Memorial Hospital Doctor's Lounge; 1 p.m.
 Free blood pressure clinic; Fluvanna Community Center; 1-2 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.
 Distric Boy Scouts; Boys Club; 7 p.m.
 Open duplicate bridge; Colorado City bridge room; 7 p.m.
 Family Council; Snyder Nursing Center; Council Room; 7 p.m.
 For information call 573-6675.
 New Choices Support Group; Park Club in Winston Park; 7 p.m.; for co-dependency or adult children of alcoholics. Call 573-4837 or 863-2427 for information.
 Ladies Auxiliary to the VFW; VFW Hall; 7:30 p.m.
 Overeaters Anonymous; Morning Side Baptist Church fellowship hall; 7:30 p.m. Call JoAnn at 573-9839 for information.
 Scurry County Alcoholics Anonymous; Park Club in Winston Park; 8 p.m. For more information, call 863-2348, 573-8110 or 573-6820.

TUESDAY
 Ladies Golf Association; tee time 9 a.m.
 Sparklers; Chamber volunteers; The Shack; noon.
 Free blood pressure clinic; Ira Community Center; 1-2 p.m.
 Alpha Study Club; MAWC; 3:30 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.
 ACBL Open Pairs Duplicate Bridge; Snyder Country Club; 7 p.m.
 TOPS TX56; weigh-in and meeting 7-8 p.m.; 2501 35th. For information, call Jean Yearwood at 573-9444.
 Snyder Police Auxiliary; SNB Community Room; 7:30 p.m.
 Scurry Lodge 706; AF and AM degree classes; 7:30 p.m.
 New Horizon Alcoholics Anonymous; Park Club in Winston Park; 8 p.m. For more information, call 573-8110, 863-2348 or 573-6820.
 Al-Anon; Charter Centre, 4200 College Ave.; 8 p.m. For more information, call 573-2101 or 573-8626. (Until further notice, the meetings will be at this location, instead of at the Park Club, Winston Park.)

WEDNESDAY
 Snyder Christian Women's Club; Prayer Coffee; 10 a.m.; 3100 Beaumont.
 Al-Anon; Charter Centre, 4200 College Ave.; noon.
 Free blood pressure clinic; Hermleigh Community Center; 1-2 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.
 Sparkle City Square Dancers; clogging; old Athletic Center building; 7-8 p.m.
 Sparkle City Square Dancers; workshop; old Athletic Center building; 8-10 p.m.
 Narcotics Anonymous; Park Club in Winston Park; 8 p.m. For more information, call 573-8015 or 573-3956.

THURSDAY
 Al-Anon; Charter Centre, 4200 College Ave.; 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.
 Weight Watchers of West Texas; MAWC; 6 p.m. New members welcome and should register at 5:30 p.m.
 Boy Scout Roundtable; Boy's Club; 7 p.m.
 Snyder Fire Department Auxiliary; West Fire Station; 7 p.m.
 Alateen; for children of alcoholics; 8 p.m. For more information, call 573-2101 or 573-8626.
 Scurry County Alcoholics Anonymous; Park Club in Winston Park; 8 p.m. For information, call 863-2348, 573-8110 or 573-6820.

Snyder girl retells intern experience

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A stunning spectacular fireworks display brought the celebration to a close.
 "There were many highlights during my internship, but the two I will remember most are witnessing the Supreme Court's decision on abortion and attending the President's announcement for our space program," Stephanie said. "The knowledge and experience, as well as friends, I acquired during my internship were priceless," she added.

Other highlights included attending the Texas Breakfast Club where lawmakers meet once a month. She heard Lural Cavazos, former president of Texas Tech, when he spoke.

Democratic delegation luncheons were held once a week and once each month guests were welcomed. She said she considered meeting the top Democratic Party people "inspirational." She was also a "messenger" and sometimes delivered papers and/or other materials to Capitol Hill.

For Stephanie, who likes to be involved in politics, her month-long stay in Washington, D.C., has been a "dream come true." She graduates in December and she plans to attend law school next August. Her major is speech communication and her minor is English.

While in Washington, D.C., Stephanie stayed in a dorm of the Thompson-Markward Hall at the Young Women's Christian Center. She described it as an "older building" but "secure, and one in which strict rules are enforced. No males are allowed in either the rooms or the lobby after 11 p.m. on weeknights and midnight on weekends.

Boarders were fed twice a day and everyone had to bring their own towels and linens.

Since her living quarters were located on the Senate side of Capitol Hill, Stephanie was able to walk to work every day. She learned how to operate the Metro system and described it and the city both as being very clean and easy to use. She said that part of her reason for applying for the intern's job was so she could test herself so to speak, and see if she could fend for herself so far from home. She said she didn't have any real problems, adding that she was fortunate to have access to people who helped her to find her way around the nation's capital.

For instance, Denise Crenwelge, Stenholm's new press secretary, also stayed there while she was seeking a permanent residence. And she helped her learn her way around. Stephanie said women can stay there for up to two years.

Stephanie said her room was small and she did have to share a bathroom but the place was secure and near Stenholm's office and that was what had been most important to her.

Of her month-long internship, Stephanie said it was immensely valuable because it exposed her to an overview of Washington, D.C., its offices, politics, the government and the judiciary system. She also said that while internships can be very worthwhile, they can also involve hard work and the process of being selected is long and arduous

as well.
 Stephanie said that once she had decided to apply for an internship, she said she was fortunate to have Ned and Polly Underwood guiding her through the process. Underwood serves as a judge for the Capitol Hill page program.

In October of this year, Stephanie received her application as well as other papers which explained the internship program. Information included what if any pay is involved, age restrictions and other requirements such as having a strong interest in government or as a campaign worker. Members of other professions are also eligible such as school teachers.

Interns are eligible between the ages of 19-35 and can apply and/or serve as many times as they can pass the selection process, provided they live in the 17th Congressional District.

Selections are based on personality, qualifications and experience.

Stephanie's experience includes working for Mike Line, former Scurry County attorney who now lives in Ruidoso, N.M., and Travis Ware, who is the criminal district attorney for Lubbock County.

She said that her agriculture background was also helpful but a bit rusty since she had not been involved in FFA, 4-H or oil for the past three years. She said she had some brushing up to do.

Along with filling out the application form, Stephanie also had to write a 250-word essay stating why she wanted to be an intern. Four references are required. She said the selection process is unbiased in that the 12 or so judges who review the applications don't have any idea who they are.

All applicants are reviewed by judges who take each registration packet and grade it according to a scale of 1-10. All of this material is then mailed back to Abilene and scores are tallied to see who has made the final selection list. By Feb. 25, Stephanie was to have known whether she had made the Top 10 list or not. She was ecstatic when she learned that she had and while she would have considered that honor enough, there was more to come.


Stephanie and the other nine finalists traveled to Abilene where they each appeared before the judges who scored the finalists. Once that process had been completed, the next step for Stephanie was notification that she was one of the top two chosen for the July internship.

Stephanie, who continues to be enthusiastic about her experience, has nothing but praise for the program. "Interns make a lot of contacts," she said, "and the opportunities are endless."

While in Washington, D.C., Stephanie said she managed to see the sites in and around the nation's capital and her parents, visited with her and with Stenholm.

If fairy godmothers do exist then Stephanie's third wish might be to become a judge one day.

But even if fairy godmothers are just fiction, it won't matter because Stephanie is used to working hard in order to achieve the goals she has set for herself and that isn't likely to change now or in the future.



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Dear Abby



By Abigail Van Buren
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Bug Bombs Appear to Ignite Husband's Amorous Artillery

(EDITOR'S NOTE: Abby is off on a two-week vacation, but she left behind some of her favorite letters taken from her best-selling book, "The Best of Dear Abby.")

DEAR ABBY: Is there anything in insecticides that could excite a man?

Arthur is 55 — just the age most men start to slow down, but he's still going strong. He gets especially aroused right after he sprays our property for bugs.

I noticed it last year when we moved into this house. We had ants and roaches, and right after Arthur sprayed he started looking for me and would get so passionate that he didn't care if I did my housework or even cooked. On weekends he sprays sometimes two and three times a day. It's really getting me down.

We live in Florida. What brand of bug bomb will kill the bugs down here without bringing out my husband's manhood so strong?

He uses Raid, TNT and Rid-a-Bug, and they all have the same effect on him. The brands that don't affect him don't have any effect on the bugs either. Please help me.

TIED

DEAR TIED: My chemical experts know of nothing in any brand of insecticide that would rejuvenate the waning desire of a man. If there were, we'd have a lot more dead bugs, livelier husbands and tired wives.

DEAR ABBY: I am 77 and Nick is 80. We've been married for 60 years. Nick has always been a flashy dresser. I have a one-carat diamond ring I don't wear anymore because I am afraid of being robbed or killed. Nick said as long as I'm not wearing my diamond, he'd like to make it into a ring for himself.

Abby, it's not that I don't want him to have the diamond, it's just that I am afraid of what might happen to him.

Since I have refused him the ring, he is barely speaking to me. He also quit making love to me every Sunday afternoon, which he has done for 60 years. I suppose I could live without it, but I got so accustomed to it I

feel deprived.

Should I give him the ring so he will be his old sweet and loving self again?

NICK'S WIFE

DEAR WIFE: If Nick doesn't realize that you don't want him to have the ring because you are concerned about his welfare, shame on him. (P.S. Someone should tell him if he doesn't use it, he'll lose it, and I don't mean the ring.)

DEAR ABBY: I know boys will be boys, but my "boy" is 73 and he's still chasing women. Any suggestions?

ANNIE

DEAR ANNIE: Don't worry. My dog has been chasing cars for years, but if he ever caught one, he wouldn't know what to do with it.

DEAR ABBY: I am 11 years old but I know all the facts of life because we live in a dirty neighborhood. My problem is that in my family we get pregnant quick. What I mean is, my sister got pregnant when she was 15 just sitting next to a boy in church. That is what they say anyway. Can this be true?

DONNA LEE

DEAR DONNA LEE: No. Somebody must have moved.

DEAR ABBY: Between you and me, I think the people who write to you are either morons or they're just plain stupid.

HENRY

DEAR HENRY: Which are you?

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DEAR ABBY: I heard about teenage rebellion, but I never experienced it until suddenly Joe, 17, and Betsy, 15, let me know they were "old enough to do as they pleased." Life became one constant battle about hair, clothes, late hours and poor grades. Taking away privileges and cutting allowances didn't faze them. After I was told for the 50th time that they were old enough to do as they pleased, I saw the light.

I told them that by their reasoning I was also "old enough to do as I pleased." Then I sat down with a book, put my feet up and relaxed. When they asked when dinner would be ready, I told them that whenever it pleased them they could make their own dinner. I then made myself a salad and a hamburger and continued to read my book, ignoring them.

For five days I neither cooked, cleaned, washed nor ironed for them. Only for myself. When they asked me what was wrong with me, I told them I was "old enough to do as I pleased" too, and it pleased me to think of no one but myself.

They finally got the point. Life is now restored to normal, and now we all live by the rules in this house. This may not work for everyone, but it worked for me.

REBELLIOUS MOTHER

DEAR ABBY: I'm not saying this to boast, but I am 25, my figure is 37-25-36, and I have won several beauty contests. Two years ago, I married what everyone (including myself) thought was a prize. He was 30, handsome, college-educated, rosy future, etc.

Well, this "prize" has made love to me exactly five times in the last six months! I've tried every trick in the book. Once, I even gift-wrapped myself in Saran wrap and greeted him at the door with a martini. And he said, "Hi. What's for supper?"

I told him he should see a doctor to find out what's wrong with him, and he said I should see one to find out why I am never satisfied! Any suggestions?

PRACTICALLY UNTOUCHED
IN TULSA

DEAR UNTOUCHED: You're tetchy to put with it. And if your husband doesn't see a doctor, you should see a lawyer.

Officials: young child did not drown

AUSTIN (AP) — A 13-month-old boy found dead near a bucket of water did not drown as his mother told police, but died of asphyxiation, the Travis County medical examiner ruled.

No charges have been filed in the death of Demetrius Lane, whose body was discovered about 5:20 a.m. Thursday in his mother's upstairs apartment, said Sgt. Mike Huckabay, a police homicide detective.

DEAR ABBY: I am a male, age 32. My parents had me circumcised when I was an infant. We are Christians, so there was no religious reason for having maimed me in this manner.

I feel that subjecting a helpless child to such barbaric surgery is an assault on his person and a violation of his rights, and I am seriously considering suing my parents for \$100,000 for having permanently disfigured me.

Has a suit of this kind ever been filed?

SERIOUS IN N.Y.

DEAR SERIOUS: Go ahead and sue. If you win, you can call it "severance pay."

DEAR ABBY: I have been married for exactly one month. The other night I discovered that my wife uses mayonnaise on her hair before she goes to bed. She has the preposterous idea that it makes her hair grow faster. She claims that lots of women use it.

Abby, please help me, as I don't care to smell mayonnaise all night.

NEW HUSBAND

DEAR NEW: There are hair conditioners on the market that are more effective and smell better. Tell your wife that when you go to bed with a tomato, you prefer to do it without the mayonnaise.

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New Vehicles
Bill Wilson Leasing, 1990 Ford pickup from Wilson Motors.
J&J Machine, 1989 GMC pickup from Howard Gray Motors.
Joe K. and Ava Lopour, 1989 Cadillac from Howard Gray Motors.
Western Mowing Service, 1989 Ford pickup from Wilson Motors.
Joel Manley, 1989 Ford pickup from Wilson Motors.
John Beyer, 1989 Chevrolet from Mal Donelson Chevrolet.
W.F. West, 1989 Ford pickup from Wilson Motors.
Nina R. Nesbit, 1989 Cadillac from Howard Gray Motors.
W.A. Cooper Jr., 1989 Cadillac from Howard Gray Motors.

Marriage Licenses
Troy L. Ford and Sheila A. Rios, both of Snyder.
Stacy A. Browning and Joanna J. Proctor, both of Snyder.
George Alvarado of Snyder and Gina L. Stevens of Wichita Falls.

Warranty Deeds
Stephen A. Melton to Henry E. Fowler et ux, Lot 5 and the south five feet of Lot 6 in Block 1 of the Jordan Subdivision of part of the southeast quarter of Section 181, Block 3, H&GN Survey, Scurry County, Tex.
Essie B. Wood to Daryl Meador, Lot 6 in Block 6 of Section 1 of the C.M. Payne Subdivision in the City of Snyder.
Larry D. Boulware et al to

Johnny and Steve Stansell, Lots 1 through 6 in Block 76 and Lots 7 through 12 in Block 60 of the Townsite of Fluvanna.
Rovaird Supply Co. of Delaware to Fred J. Miller, a 300-by-150-foot tract in the southwest portion of Block 16 in the Cody Addition to the City of Snyder.
Ed C. Foree et ux to Lois C. Allen et vir, the north one-half of the northeast quarter of Section 159, Block 97, H&TC Survey, Scurry County, Tex.
Arne M. Jackson, executrix of the estate of Horace K. Jackson Jr. and Anne Jackson Family Trust of 1975, half of the southeast quarter of Section 155, Block 97, H&TC Survey, Scurry County, Tex. (correction of an Oct. 20, 1978, warranty deed).
Standard Federal Savings Bank of Montgomery County, Md., to the Secretary of Housing and Urban Development, the west 65 feet of the east 135 feet of the south 140 feet of Lot 4 in Block 9 of Grayum & Nelson's Second Addition to the City of Snyder.
Guy L. Sullivan et ux to David Mayes et ux, part of the southeast quarter of Section 181, Block 3, H&GN Survey, Scurry County, Tex.
Exa P. Grant to Doris M. Byars of Ira, part of the east one-half of Section 120, Block 97, H&TC Survey, Scurry County, Tex.

Seguin man hangs himself with flag

SEGUIN, Texas (AP) — A 30-year-old Seguin man used a United States flag to hang himself, police said.
"The flag was probably the nearest object he could find," detective Jimmy Limmer said. "It was looped over the beam and around his neck," in the garage of the man's family's home.
Relatives last saw Alex Flores, 30, alive about midnight Wednesday when he went in his mother's room and told her he loved her, the detective added. Family members discovered the body at about 7 a.m. Thursday.



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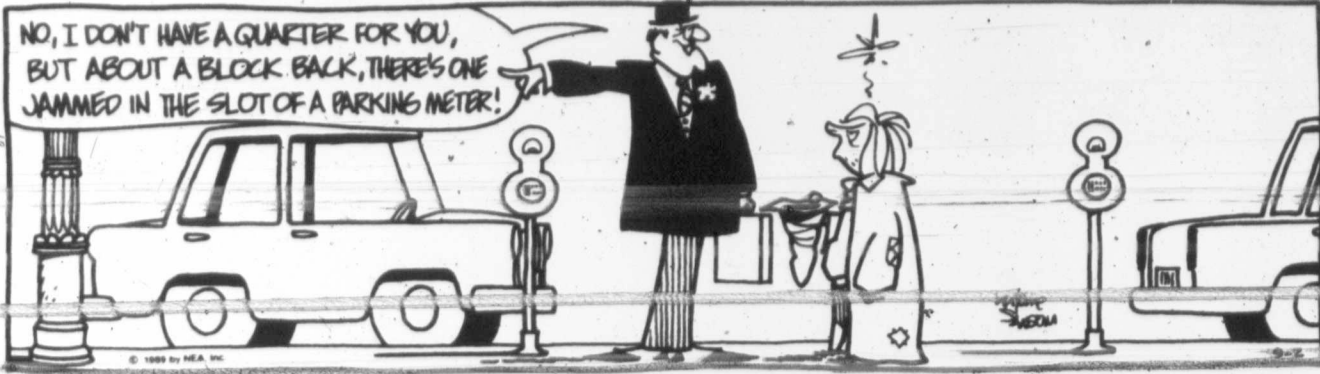
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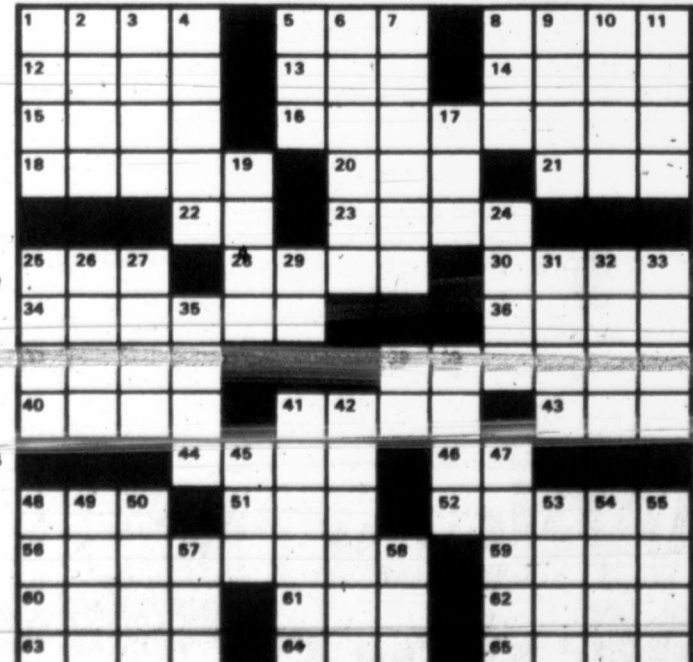
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Several things you've always wanted but couldn't afford could be within your reach in the year ahead. This will be due in great part to the efforts of a very loyal friend who will have your best interests at heart.

VIRGO (Aug. 23-Sept. 22) The ways and means to acquire something rather expensive you've been wanting may open for you within the next few days. This is not a time to lower your expectations. Virgo, treat yourself to a birthday gift. Send for your Astro-Graph predictions for the year ahead by mailing \$1 to Astro-Graph, c/o this newspaper, P.O. Box 91428, Cleveland, OH 44101-3428. Be sure to state your zodiac sign.

LIBRA (Sept. 23-Oct. 23) Your assertiveness will be turned to a rather high pitch today, but you'll mask your motives with charm and tact. Those you'll be inclined to boss around won't think of you as being pushy.

SCORPIO (Oct. 24-Nov. 22) Usually you're not the type of person who hides light under a bushel, but today you may be reticent about letting others know about something rather remarkable you recently accomplished.

SAGITTARIUS (Nov. 23-Dec. 21) Conditions in general look extremely encouraging for you today where your hopes and expectations are concerned. Be a wishful thinker, but proceed in a positive manner.

CAPRICORN (Dec. 22-Jan. 19) What appears to be the most difficult could turn out to be the easiest for you to achieve today. Don't be deceived by outward appearance, meet your challenges head on.

AQUARIUS (Jan. 20-Feb. 18) It pays to be a keen observer today, because you could personally profit from studying the examples set by another. The tactics this individual uses are applicable in your own life.

PISCES (Feb. 19-March 20) Your greatest benefits today could come from an arrangement that has been successfully initiated by another. Jump on the bandwagon quickly if an invitation is extended to you.

ARIES (March 21-April 19) Finding cooperative and compatible companions to play around with today should be easy for you, because "like begets like." You'll attract what you are.

TAURUS (April 20-May 20) Tackle tasks that include beautification, because you have a knack for artistic accomplishments today. The unsightly will take on a new look in your competent hands.

GEMINI (May 21-June 20) Your attractiveness to members of the opposite gender could be stronger than usual today, so be very careful about flirting. Even an innocent smile could be taken seriously.

CANCER (June 21-July 22) Something you thought would be very difficult to finalize looks like it will be completed with relative ease today. You'll be very happy to finally get it out of the way.

LEO (July 23-Aug. 22) Do not be bashful about using terms of endearment today in a relationship that is of great importance to you. This person will be flattered to know how much you really care.

In the year ahead greater efforts will be expended to broaden your range of acquaintances as well as your interests. Your life could take a turn in an entirely new direction.

VIRGO (Aug. 23-Sept. 22) Your aptitude for thinking fast and coming up with the right answers is your greatest asset today. It looks like you might experience several occasions where it could be put to the test. Major changes are ahead for Virgo in the coming year. Send for your Astro-Graph predictions today. Mail \$1 to Astro-Graph, c/o this newspaper, P.O. Box 91428, Cleveland, OH 44101-3428. Be sure to state your zodiac sign.

LIBRA (Sept. 23-Oct. 23) Conditions that pertain to your personal economics are both unusual and beneficial today. If you make a score, chances are it will be of a significant size.

SCORPIO (Oct. 24-Nov. 22) Don't beat about the bush today if you're involved in an awkward arrangement that needs correction. Matters can be put on track if you're straight forward and forthright.

SAGITTARIUS (Nov. 23-Dec. 21) You'll function more effectively today where your career is concerned if you utilize tactics that are more compassionate than self-serving. Be aware of others as well as yourself.

CAPRICORN (Dec. 22-Jan. 19) One of the reasons you haven't seen too much of a valued friend recently is because you've been careless about keeping in touch. Everything can be rectified today.

AQUARIUS (Jan. 20-Feb. 19) In competitive developments today, you'll have more going for you than those who oppose you. If you are victorious, and you should be, it's important you be a gracious winner.

PISCES (Feb. 19-March 20) You might be in for a pleasant surprise today when you receive support from an individual you've never considered an ally. Things are changing and this person will figure more prominently in your affairs.

ARIES (March 21-April 19) Rather than let a frustrating arrangement remain as it is, take matters into your own hands today and change what has caused you a problem. It can be altered.

TAURUS (April 20-May 20) You are a marvelous catalyst today for bringing unrelated factions together for worthy purposes. Everyone should benefit, including yourself.

GEMINI (May 21-June 20) Difficult tasks or assignments will serve to awaken your ingenuity and resourcefulness today. The primary reason you are likely to succeed is because you won't be locked into unproductive procedures.

CANCER (June 21-July 22) This is a good day to get socially involved with a person you've been eager to know better. It's extremely possible you both have enough in common to build a foundation for a relationship.

LEO (July 23-Aug. 22) Don't leave any situations dangling today that are meaningful to you financially. Strive to wrap things up while conditions favor you.

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Owners find turtles take little care

ODESSA, Texas (AP) — Jesse Morris thought three dogs and two cats would be enough to keep him happy. That was until a box turtle arrived.

When Morris and his wife, Jo, moved into their home in east Odessa, they noticed they had also inherited a box turtle. Soon the one grew into seven and they made themselves at home.

"One of them will come in the doggy door. He has his favorite place behind a wicker chair in the corner, so he likes to hide there. And if we leave the patio door open, he'll come in the house. He thinks he owns the place," Morris said as he lifted his angry house guest up and set him down on the patio. But the turtle didn't hesitate to return to the comfort of home.

Morris is just one Odessan who keeps box turtles as pets. Michael Wempe, an east Odessa veterinarian, said he has several box turtles as patients and that they make good pets.

"They don't eat a whole lot,

they don't talk a whole lot and they don't tear a whole lot of things up," Wempe said. "Besides, they're neat looking and fun to watch."

Besides requiring minimal care, box turtles enjoy eating insects their owners consider nuisances, such as crickets, roaches and cicadas. They also eat dog and cat food and fruits and vegetables. Wempe said the turtles living in the yard of his clinic would "walk a mile for a bite of cantaloupe."

And they're fond of other table food.

Morris said, "If you step out on my porch with a wienie and yell for the turtles, they'll come from every direction."

There are hundreds of varieties of box turtles and their life span can be from 10 to 100 years, Wempe said. Although they are susceptible to bacterial and viral diseases and eye infections, box turtles are relatively healthy animals.

Martha James, manager at

Jerry's Perfect Pets, said customers like the turtles because they are usually healthy pets.

"They're sturdy," James said. "That's why people are interested in them. We've been carrying them off and on for 10 months that I know about, and we've sold out."

Although some people buy small aquariums and alter them for the turtle, many simply let them loose in the yard, she added. They can fend for themselves that way, but for those who keep

the turtle indoors, there is a special food available.

Because they require minimal care, box turtles could be an ideal pet for many families with little space or time to care for a dog or a cat. But whether or not they become as popular as their furry competitors, turtles have their own set of qualities that have earned them a loyal following.

"I wouldn't trade them," Morris said. "They're real characters, and I enjoy watching them."

Moldavians protest language compromise

MOSCOW (AP) — Thousands of ethnic Moldavians marched today to protest a law that satisfies their demand to make their native tongue the republic's official language but which still allows the use of Russian.

The law, passed by Moldavian legislators on Thursday, was a compromise measure meant to appease ethnic Russians and other minorities who opposed making Moldavian the official language.

In the three Baltic republics, meanwhile, nationalist group leaders sharply criticized the Kremlin for attacking their efforts to gain more autonomy. Latvia's activist organization demanded that the central government recognize the region's "special economic and political status."

Nelson and Kristofferson plan to make new film

AUSTIN (AP) — Willie Nelson and Kris Kristofferson are slated to team up in a made-for-television movie that's to begin filming in the Austin area next month.

Tentatively titled "Rip," the film was written and will be produced by another Texas team, Austinite Bud Shrake and his longtime friend, writer Gary Cartwright.

According to Shrake, "Rip" is about a modern Texas Ranger "who has a high moral code and is forced to solve a crime with a scoundrel. It's kind of like '48 Hours'."

CBS has scheduled the film for broadcast during the all-important February sweeps period.

Nelson and Kristofferson also appeared together in Shrake's 1984 film, "Songwriter," and were reunited a couple of years ago in CBS's television movie "Stagecoach."

Kristofferson will play the ranger, nicknamed Rip, while Nelson is to portray the scoundrel, a reformed safe burglar. One major cast member hasn't been signed yet, but Shrake said he hopes to be able to get Rip Torn to play a retired Texas Ranger.

The movie will be filmed entirely in the Austin area, at

Nelson's country club on Lake Travis, in the Lost Pines are near Bastrop and around Buda.

"One reason this is so important is we're going to hire everybody locally," Shrake said. "At least, that's what we're trying to do. We're trying not to bring in anybody from Los Angeles."

"Rip" is Shrake's first venture into television. Compared to the leisurely pace of feature films, which often take months, television movies are produced quickly. Shrake hopes to film "Rip" in 21 to 24 days.

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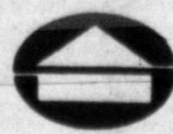
They have been hit in the heart. They will now rally around the flag and shout their constitutional rights. It was o.k. when their little, bad, adopted child was kidnapping and sending their neighbors out of town. Now the child has run off most of the business in town and needs a little financial help. It is time for the parents to give the child a little attitude adjustment. It looks like it's gonna' be one hell of a family feud. I love it. I love it.

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Kemp is criticized by audit

WASHINGTON (AP) — An internal audit criticizes HUD Secretary Jack Kemp for making "little visible improvement" in a scandal-plagued agency program.

Although the report praises Kemp's commitment to ridding the Department of Housing and Urban Development of mismanagement, it said some of the blame for the slow pace of improvements in the single-family home program rests at his feet.

"Problems still exist and will continue to exist unless there is a coordinated leadership drive by the various offices in headquarters who are responsible for property disposition activities," the auditors said in an Aug. 28 report obtained by The Associated Press.

"This leadership and coordination was not apparent during our review."

HUD spokesman Jack Flynn said further changes in the program would be part of a reform package Kemp will announce later this month.

"It wouldn't be fair to try and determine — after just six months — just how successful the secretary's reform actions have been," Flynn said.

"But we also know that many longstanding problems remain and HUD's inspector general is a key player on the secretary's team. We will review these findings closely."

The audit focused on eight HUD field offices and their handling of a program that has received considerable attention during the recent investigations of mismanagement, fraud and influence-peddling at HUD during the Reagan administration.

A 1987 nationwide review of HUD's sales and acquisitions of single-family properties found many private closing agents hired by HUD were late in paying the agency millions of dollars — and in some cases weren't paying at all.

Among the agents was a Maryland woman dubbed "Robin HUD" after she said she kept more than \$5 million that belonged to the agency and gave some of it to charity.

That audit blamed most of the problems on outdated accounting systems and lax monitoring of closing agents. A dozen agents are under investigation and several are being sued to recover money HUD says is owed.

"There is little visible improvement in the system," the auditors said in the new report, praising Kemp's initiatives but saying the agency, and particularly its field offices, have been slow to implement them.

The most serious transgression, the auditors said, was that some field offices still aren't requiring closing agents to submit proof that the money due HUD was wired to the agency.

"Delays in the submission of sales proceeds and sales packages still exist and, in some cases, available evidence indicates that large amounts of money have been misappropriated," the auditors said.

Thieves return iguana

COLUMBIA, Mo. (AP) — A popular iguana snatched by burglars is back in its classroom cage after the thieves turned out not to be cold-hearted.

"She's just hanging out in her cage, sitting on her tree limb," Becky Litherland, science coordinator for Columbia Public Schools, said Thursday of 3-year-old Spike.

Ms. Litherland had been concerned for Spike's safety after finding that someone had broken into Smith Hall early Tuesday and made off with the iguana, an air conditioner and a telephone. She said Spike needed special care and vitamins.

Columbia police found the 3-foot-long reptile Wednesday evening in a cardboard box in a field after receiving two calls from the burglars.

"They called and said they wanted to give her back," police Capt. Dennis Veach said. "They said they were sorry for stealing her, and they took good care of her."

AZT costs \$1.50-\$2.50 to make, but sells for \$9

BOSTON (AP) — Five capsules of the AIDS drug AZT, one day's supply for infected people, contain an estimated 15 cents worth of ingredients.

They probably cost between \$1.50 and \$2.50 to manufacture.

But they sell in the drugstore for \$9.

By any standard, a lifetime of treatment with AZT will add up to a lot of money. Is the price too high, as some critics say? Or is the medicine really a bargain, as

its maker maintains?

The disagreement highlights the arbitrary, often mysterious, fashion in which pharmaceutical companies decide how much to charge for the medicines they hold exclusive rights to sell.

"The only thing we know is there is no objective social way of determining what the price should be except what the market will bear," said Dr. Donald Rucker of the University of Illinois School of Pharmacy.

In this case, the market is likely to grow dramatically.

AZT, known generically as azidothymidine and sold as Retrovir, is the only approved AIDS drug. Until recently, it was recommended only for the 40,000 people with AIDS or severe AIDS-related illness. But new research suggests that the medicine can also forestall AIDS in people at earlier stages of infection with HIV, the acquired immune deficiency syndrome

virus.

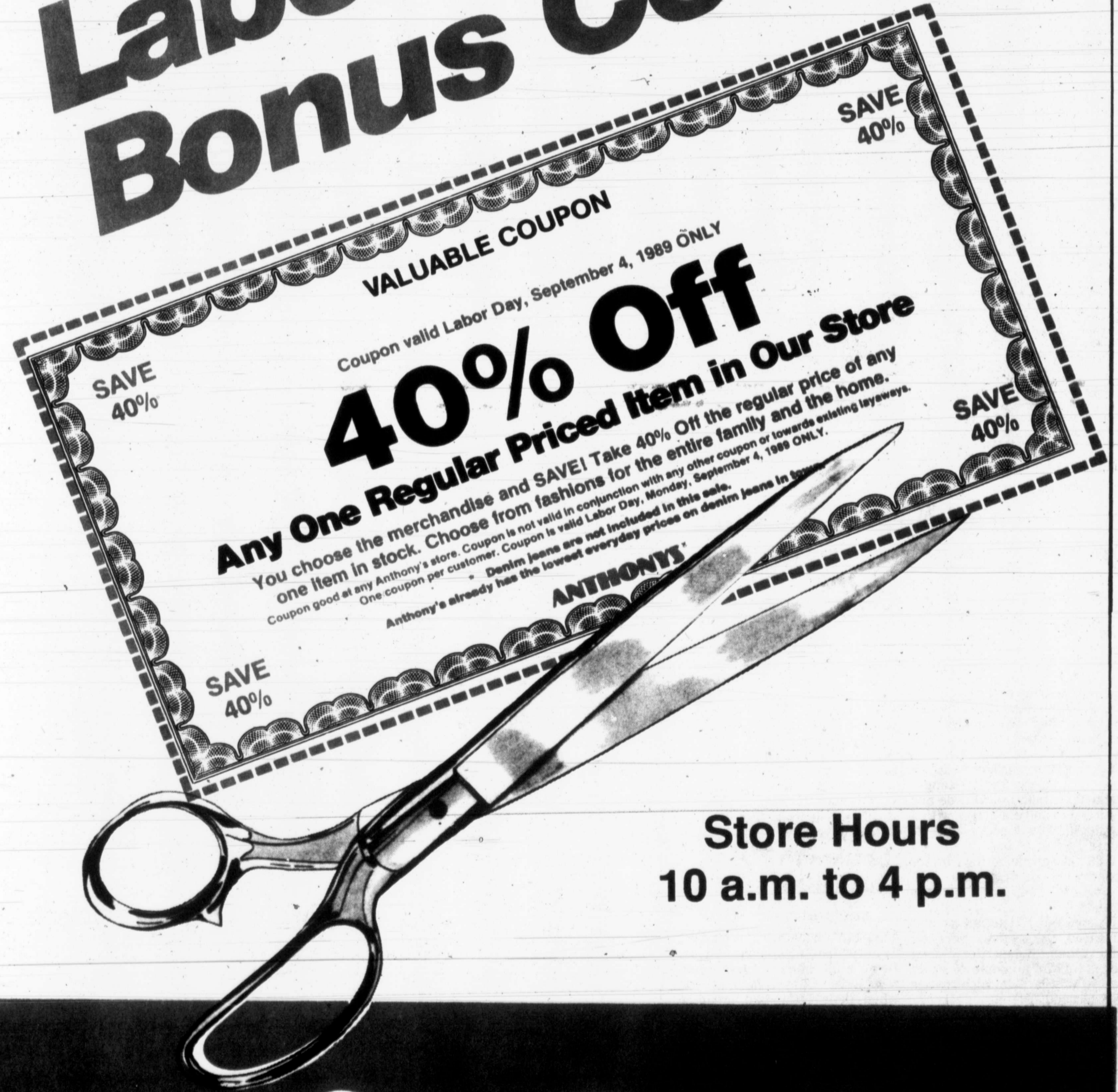
Federal officials estimate that the drug could become routine therapy for an additional 600,000 infected people — those who have very early symptoms or no signs of the disease at all except for abnormal blood counts.

Burroughs Wellcome Co., the only company that makes AZT, sells the drug for \$1.50 per capsule. By the time wholesalers and drugstores take their markups, the retail price is about \$1.80.

People with AIDS typically take about eight capsules a day, while five capsules daily are recommended for those with no outward symptoms. For them, the price is \$9 a day, or about \$3,300 a year. Some AIDS patients have spent about \$8,000 a year taking 12 capsules daily, a dosage no longer recommended.

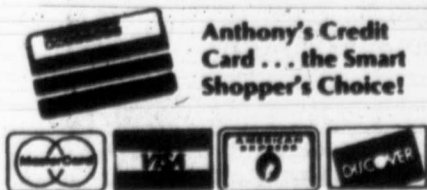
On Wednesday, 15 homosexual rights and AIDS activist organizations asked Burroughs Wellcome to lower the cost.

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