

Folklorist says redneck rock may soon disappear

Redneck rock, that music that seemed to bring cowboys and city kids together for a little mutual fun, is probably on the way out, largely a victim of its own acceptance, says a Tarleton State University folklorist.

Willie Nelson, Waylon Jennings and others are attempting a rebirth, said Dr. Sue McGinity of TSU, part of the Texas A&M University System. But their primary direction seems to be putting old wine in new bottles.

"The fresh, seemingly healthy defiance Nelson and family initially brought to country music has all but disappeared or been perverted," explained McGinity, who has traced the progress of country music and wants to document some of the redneck rock phenomenon before it fades.

Although Nelson, Jennings, Jerry Jeff Walker, Asleep at the Wheel and others are putting new twists to old standbys, only a

handful of extremist songsters such as the irreverent Kinky Friedman and the Texas Jewboys hold firm "radical innovation," she says.

When outlaw musicians declared Austin the new Nashville, the movement produced a spate of imitators. Soon, a movie on outlaw musicians was made and the term became a household word, McGinity said.

Zoning Board grants variances

By FLAVIA KRONE

The College Station Zoning Board of Adjustment granted two variances and denied a third at a meeting Tuesday night at City Hall.

The Zoning Board of Adjustment is a quasi-judicial body that rules on citizen appeals concerning zoning ordinances, "non-conforming building use permits and variances," says City Attorney Neeley Lewis.

A variance is any exception to the city ordinances which govern such things as lot size, building setbacks and building permits.

In granting a variance, the board considers whether or not it will

change the characteristics of an area and if the variance is in the public interest.

A person must also show that compliance with a city ordinance will cause him "undue hardship."

"By and large, undue hardship means what the board says it means," said Lewis.

The board denied a variance request for a patio covering from Abe Cyrus, 1303 Augustine, College Station.

Building Inspection Department official Bill Koehler said his office had received a complaint about the patio cover from Cyrus' neighbor,

Joe McNabb of 1302 Angelina Ct.

McNabb said Cyrus built the patio cover without a permit in violation of city ordinance. He also said he could see the cover over his backyard fence and considered it an eyesore.

"I don't think not filing a permit is an excuse to let a structure stand that reduces the value of my property," McNabb said. "I didn't pay the money I paid to move into this area to look at something that looks like an apartment complex."

Cyrus said he was not aware that he was in violation of any ordinance until a building inspector came to

his house to investigate McNabb's complaint.

"If I had been advised I had been in here much sooner, I would have gotten a variance," Cyrus said.

Cyrus added, "The patio reduced my utilities \$10 a month, the hottest months. I think it's a good investment."

During the patio cover meeting, building inspectors also covered that Cyrus house was 17 feet from the rear property line, also in violation of the city's requirement of 25 feet.

Cyrus said he was not aware of the violation when he bought the house. "It is obvious that it is a great hardship to do away with one third of my kitchen and my family room in order to comply with the ordinance," Cyrus said.

Board members agreed to grant him a variance for the house.

The board also granted a variance to Timothy Keneipp, 203 S. College Station for an additional carport.

Bryan man, 18, robbery suspect

BY ANDREA VALLI
Bryan police arrested Larry Hitesman, 18, of Bryan Tuesday night as the suspect in an attempted robbery of U-Tote-M, 4401 College Road.

Vera Infanti, a U-Tote-M employee, said she saw a man enter the store at approximately 8:40 p.m. Tuesday night and linger at the back counter as customers left. She added that she walked to the counter, pointed a revolver at her and said, "The holder-up. Put your money in the bag."

Infanti said she gave the man approximately \$30 from the register, and that he stuffed the money in a crumpled paper sack.

"My phone was out of order at the time, so a customer called the store after he left," she said.

Bryan police arrested Hitesman approximately 45 minutes after the robbery in the 4100 block, Texas Ave.

"He didn't have any license, lights and his license plate was out of state," said Detective Bill Riggs. He added that Lt. Orozco and Patrolman Bill Riegnitz recognized the car from descriptions of the automobiles used in two store robberies this month.

A Bryan woman found with suspect also was arrested, but released.

Police said Hitesman is held in Brazos County Jail on \$50,000 bond. He faces charges of three counts of aggravated robbery of three stores in Bryan last month, police said.

Doctor believes coca leaves are sound medicine

WASHINGTON — A Harvard doctor believes coca leaves are legal only for medical use in the United States and for the coca plant in Peru — could be a beneficial stimulant, anti-depressant and stomach remedy.

Andrew Weil, a physician at the Harvard Botanical Garden, hopes to win government approval to develop a prescription chewing gum as a safe and effective addition to the medical cabinet not addictive.

"The leaves of the South American shrub are illegal in the United States except for limited use in Peru, where it is 30 percent pure."

Coca leaves contain only one percent of cocaine. When leaves are chewed, the little bit of cocaine enters the bloodstream slowly through the stomach through membranes of the mouth and throat.

"That's very different from injecting cocaine or injecting cocaine when there's a sudden rise in blood level," Weil said.

Coca — which is different from cocoa powder made from the seeds — has been chewed for centuries by the people of Peru, Bolivia and Ecuador.

"Coca is one of the most important medicinal and stimulant plants in the world and is also one of the oldest crops cultivated by humans," Weil told an American Association for the Advancement of Science symposium last week.

But little basic research has been done on the plant's medicinal properties, he said.

Once cocaine was isolated from coca in the 1870s, work with itself stopped, Weil said. Scientists incorrectly assumed the people of coca would be the same as cocaine.

But cocaine is only one number of alkaloid compounds in coca, and Weil believes the coca can be modified and may act with it to give therapeutic results where whole leaf is used.

Weil has spent many months in South America studying coca. He said coca leaves taste good, kind tastes like green tea, and another resembles wintergreen taste.

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5.00	3,000	2,967 to 1	221 to 1	110 to 1
2.00	9,000	966 to 1	74 to 1	37 to 1
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