GOP defends Tower choice

WASHINGTON (AP) - Republicans rallied today to defend Defense Secretary-designate John Tower, whose confirmation vote has been delayed while the FBI investigates allegations about his drinking and his financial ties with military contrac-

"For those who have known him for a very long time, it's very significant that they have never seen him incapacitated, never seen him drunk," Sen. Pete Wilson, R-Calif., a member of the Senate Armed Services Committee that is considering the nomination, said on NBC's "Today" show.

See TOWER, page 8

Bush to unveil budget plan

WASHINGTON (AP) - Presi- more federal spending in fiscal deficit for later.

The president, in a 9 p.m. EST more compassionate at home.

dent Bush tonight unveils a 1990 for clean air and clean coal budget plan keyed to his cam- technology, for science and gentler" programs without new to the homeless, education and taxes, but it leaves difficult deci-child care, according to adsions on reducing the federal ministration and congressional

Bush claims that those costs speech before a joint meeting of will be offset by about \$4 billion in Congress, will call for a nation new revenue from a controvermore competitive abroad and sial cut in the capital gains tax another campaign promise -To those ends, he will propose and \$2 billion by holding the ex- month.

pansion of the military budget to the rate of inflation.

"You will have a very detailed paign promises of "kinder and space, for AIDS research and aid and precise descriptions of the priorities of the Bush administration," said Marlin Fitzwater, the

White House press secretary.

Left deliberately unclear, however, will be how much Bush he left unchanged from the firstdraft spending plan former

Bush will distance himself from any of the individual, unpopular cuts by inviting Congress to help set each program level in accordance with his "flexible freeze" plan to limit overall spending in general categories.

Reagan suggested terminating embraces the many budget cuts dozens of domestic programs and cutting back many others in order to reduce the deficit below President Reagan submitted last the \$100 billion maximum allowed by the Gramm-Rudman law.

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TDC line delivery 'in hand'

Contractors say material available

City officials were told Wednesday that equipment deliveries related to the extension of water and sewer lines to the Daniel Unit five miles east of Snyder should be "no problem."

Contractors on the project met at city hall Wednesday for a preconstruction conference related to the work.

About three dozen contractors, sub-contractors, suppliers of construction materials, representatives of utility companies, state, city and county officials and other interested persons attended the 45-minute meeting.

City Engineer Don Osborn said afterwards that the delivery of pumps and other needed equipment — originally projected as a possible problem because the pumps could be hard to obtain -

appears now to be well in hand. "There aren't supposed to be deliveries," he said, explaining that some of the key suppliers attended the meeting and assured him that all of the necessary materials are immediately



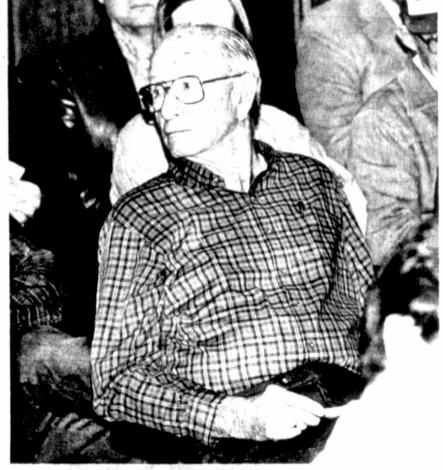
TANK BUILDER - Ben Johnston of Pittsburg Tank & Tower Co. of FOR THE LINES - A pre-construction conference Wednesday morpany's pending installation of an elevated storage tank at the TDC attended a pre-construction conference at city hall. (SDN Staff and low bidder for the utility line work. (SDN Staff Photo)

hired to supervise the project, told the assemblage at the end of

to proceed with all speed." The TDC unit is scheduled for Lone Star Gas, Midwest Electric, his company "expects the

Terry Bilderback of Parkhill, completion by June 27 and it is TU Electric, Panhandle Con-highest quality materials" to be before this.

the meeting, "We certainly want of the project with represen-volved tatives of Southwestern Bell,



Henderson, Ky., listened Wednesday to a discussion of his com- ning at city hall on the extension of water and sewer lines to the Texas Department of Corrections Daniel Unit had the interest of site five miles east of Snyder. He was among more than 30 men who Dave Hampton, owner of Panhandle Construction Co. in Lubbock

any hold-ups on equipment Smith & Cooper, the Lubbock now projected the utility lines struction Co. of Lubbock, Pittengineering firm that has been could be completed three weeks sburg Tank & Tower Co. of Henderson, Ky., and the several averaging 3½ ft. in depth, and Bilderback discussed aspects sub-contractors who will be in-

Bilderback told the group that

used in the job.

Along with the water line. the sewer line, which will range from 5 to 20 ft. in depth, the job entails the construction of a See TDC, page 8

Policy update set for career ladder

Thursday will consider final aptained at Level II of Level III. proval of a district career ladder selection and "maintenance."

The board will meet for its regular February session, set to ministration building.

sidered points in the proposed career ladder policy during a 31/2 hour workshop. A major change as proposed

it see teachers employed by the district beginning next fall granted the right to retain their career ladder designations from previous school districts.

The board discussed also ment. "maintenance" of career ladder standing, the appraisal rating

Snyder school trustees teachers must receive to be re-

Guidelines policy to include guidelines for maintenance are included in the policy to be considered Thursday.

The meeting will include also begin at 7 p.m. in the school ad- the consideration of contract extensions for school ad-Last Monday, trustees con- ministrators. This will include all principals, assistant principals and such posts as the district's testing coordinator, curriculum specialist and directors for

maintenance and transportation. Also due board approval is a request to advertise for a tractor and catcher to be used by the grounds maintenance depart-

Other agenda items listed for SeeSCHOOL, page 8



TEST TIME — Snyder Junior High School faculty member Betsy Griffin was explaining the importance of concentrating and doing one's best before

handing out TEAMS test booklets Wednesday, the first of three days of testing, with mathematics being the first order of business. (SDN Staff Photo)

Elementaries slate free dental checks

Elementary students in Snyder nurse to take home. These will infree dental checks next week as part of the local observance of National Dental Health Month.

The school district, in cooperation with local dentists, will be emphasizing dental health awareness as part of the observance.

Snyder dentists will donate their time to visit the elementaries to check each student. and the Texas Education Agency. Those participating will be Drs. John Best, Michael Dunham, Hargrove, David Hensley and Jay Kidd.

Following the dental survey in given a report from the school

public schools will be receiving dicate if additional dental services are needed.

Coordinating these activities are school nurses Angel Duncan and Reba Erwin.

All through the month, classroom instructors will present special units on dental health. Teachers in grades K-2 will teach the "Tattletooth" curriculum which is provided by the Texas Dental Health Services

In addition to instruction in dental awareness, proper Judith Dunham, Robert brushing techniques and eating habits, each student will be given a toothbrush.

In the third grade, the Crest each elementary, students will be Dental Health School Program is SeeDENTAL, page 8

The SDN Column

By Roy McQueen

The feller on Deep Creek says, "One reason why you can do something is worth a hundred reasons why you can't.'

You may be surprised to learn that the average man carries \$145 in his billfold, and that amount is said to be about twice as much as carried by the average female who has \$74 in her purse

Everyone knows that women don't carry money. If they need money, they simply slip some of the \$145 out of hubby's wallet while he's taking a shower. Kids are always needing cash for school, and mom never has cash.

What she has is a check book-usually with more checks than she has money. And when the checks run out, there is plastic money. We're surprised that dad ever has \$145 to stash away

The same study by the Federal Reserve reports that nearly half of all Americans use bank cash machines with men withdrawing an average of \$184 per visit and women withdrawing \$125. We suspect that is to replace what was taken from hubby's billfold earlier in the day.

The dollar bill lives about 18 months and changes hands about 400 times. The study says that a dollar bill stays in a person's pocket less than two days. Five and ten dollar bills hang around for about a week, while \$20, \$50 and \$100 bills can last a whole month-if your wife doesn't find the hidden compartment in your billfold.

We can attest that a \$20 bill will last sometimes for weeks. But if that \$20 is ever broken, it all will be gone before sundown.

Surprisingly, Americans make about half of all purchases by check and more than a third with cash. Credit cards are used for only one out of 12 purchases and the average credit card purchase is said to be \$62.

All this newly-found data results in some interesting assumptions. You could save money if you got paid only in \$100 bills, which we wouldn't

want to spend. The study didn't touch on the importance of cash. But one thing about it is documented: if you go to the coffee shop without it, you'll be expected to pay the tab.

Thursday Feb. 9,

1989 Ask Us

Q. — In reference to the visit last week by state school board chairman Monte Hasie, how many members comprise the state board and how many are holdover members from the appointed board?

A. - The board now consists of 15 elected members from specific districts. Four of these are holdover members from the appointed board.

In Brief

S&L rescues

WASHINGTON (AP) -The Federal Deposit Insurance Corp. says it is temporarily halting savings and loan rescues once it's finished taking control of 224 insolvent institutions under orders from President Bush.

S&L regulators rescued or propped up 223 institutions last year.

Local

Museum help

Scurry County Museum volunteers and any local men or women interested in becoming museum volunteers are invited to a Volunteer Appreciation Luncheon in the museum next Tuesday.

Those planning to attend are asked to call the museum before Monday to allow for food arrangements. There is no charge for the luncheon.

Cogdell bills

The monthly noon bill paying session for Cogdell Memorial Hospital board members will be Friday.

The only item slated other than consideration of bills will be the swearing-in for board member Roy Mc-Queen, recently named to his second two-year appointment.

Bass Club

The Snyder Bass Club will have its first meeting of the year at 7:30 p.m. Thursday at Snyder National Bank

Bowhunters

A Bowhunters Association is organizing in Snyder and a meeting is slated next Monday at 7:30 p.m. It will be at the Snyder Savings and Loan community room. For more information,

Weather

call 573-2010 or 573-1288.

Snyder Temperatures: High Wednesday, 43 degrees; low, 20 degrees; reading at 7 a.m. Thursday, 21 degrees; no precipitation; total precipitation for 1989 to date, .76 of an inch.

Snyder Area Ferecast: Tonight and Friday, partly cloudy. Low in the mid 20s. Warmer Friday with a high around 60. Southwest wind 5 to 15 mph tonight and Fri-

Workers' compensation reform bill filed

AUSTIN (AP) — The workers' cluding an increase in benefits the agency action. compensation issue is "moving forward very well," said Gov. Bill Clements, who predicted ing body — under a bill introducpassage of legislation concerning ed Wednesday in the House. the system of paying employees

Texas, and I expect us to pass a significant workmen's compensation bill. It would be much, much better to pass it in the spring instead of the summer," Clements said Wednesday.

The workers' compensation system would be reformed - in-

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for injured workers and an overhaul of the system's govern-

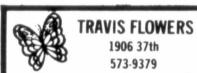
"If Texas is to keep its injured in work-related ac- economic momentum, significant revisions to our current "It's an important part of our workers" compensation process economic development today in are essential," House Speaker Gib Lewis told a news conference on the bill. "Without such changes, our economic competitiveness will be impaired and our ability to create jobs for Texans will be endangered."

House Bill 1 — whose primary sponsors are Reps. Richard Smith, R-Bryan, and Rick Perry, D-Haskell — was referred to the House Business and Commerce Committee, which promptly scheduled a Monday hearing.

It comes after a 11/2 year study of the workers' compensation system. Premiums for workers' compensation - paid to employees injured on the job have increased more than 100 percent since 1985, and another 19 percent increase took effect

The bill, Smith said, addresses increasing safety in the workplace; reorganizing and strengthening the Industrial Accident Board, which would be renamed the Texas Workers' Compensation Board; changing the benefit structure; and changing the adjudication process for disputed cases.

Instead of a workers' compensation case getting a completely new trial at the district court level, the district court action would be treated as an appeal of



for an injured worker would be system.' raised from the current \$238 to the statewide average weekly wage, currently \$416.

what we're doing are the rank related intoxication. and file workers of this state, Perry said.

The system would remain a voluntary one.

"They're trying to clean up Boston Harbor, but I wouldn't they get through with the job," Smith said. "The system we've got today is such a mess that I just simply in good conscience hearings and appeals.

couldn't ask anybody to force The maximum weekly benefit them to participate in this

Among other provisions in House Bill 1:

The prohibition of recovery "Today, the people that should by an intoxicated worker would be most happy in Texas with be expanded to include drug-

The governing board would be increased from three to nine members, and a business-labor committee would advise it.

 The new Texas Workers' Compensation Board would inask anybody to swim in it until clude divisions on compliance and practices; medical review and compliance; industrial safety; education and training; and

Dear Abby



Bride Finds Common Courtesy Was Rare Among Her Guests

By Abigail Van Buren 1989 by Universal Press Syndicate

from grandparents, parents, etc., their gifts have not been acknowl- not." edged. Most of these letters were directed to teen-agers or young adults, but, Abby, the younger people are not the worst offenders when it comes to common courtesies

and social amenities. My husband and I were married last June in a semi-formal outdoor wedding. Several months prior to the wedding date, we placed an order for printed wedding invitations, reception cards and response cards. The response-card envelopes had my return address printed on them and a postage stamp, too. We mailed our invitations four weeks before our wedding. Out of the 100 mailed to "adults," exactly three

Most of those invited showed up - for the reception, but not the wedding.

were returned!

When I asked a few of them why they didn't mail the response card back to me, they each said, "Oh, you knew we'd be there." Abby, there is absolutely no excuse for this kind of behavior. I am still fuming and hope that you will print this so that all of them will recognize themselves for the selfish, ill-bred clods they are. Don't use my name or it will start another war with my mother. She thinks I should not have been angry — just forgiving. DISGUSTED

DEAR DISGUSTED: You are not alone. Every bride and hostess report the same frustration when their R.S.V.P.s are ignored. The only solution is to Abby's booklet, "How to Be Popular" telephone those who have failed to respond and ask, "Are you planning to attend?"

Perhaps instead of "R.S.V.P," which is French for "Respond, 61054. Postage is included gent"

hold a special meeting to discuss

sioner's post with an appointed

official, Wednesday said bureau

the session for March 20 in Waco.

"They're going to hold this

board or commissioner.

secretary.

Farm bureau meeting

downplayed by aide

DEAR ABBY: There have been if you please," one should use numerous letters in your column plain, direct English: "Please let us know if you are able to who are angry and hurt because attend - and also if you are

> DEAR ABBY: My mother started shoving your column under my nose when I was about 12. I'm 43 now and have been an avid reader over the years.

> I've often thought about responding to some of the letters in your column, but procrastination always won out. The letters you received in response to "Bereaving, Too" resolved a huge personal problem for me - and that is why I am writing.

My mother died three years ago. Since that time, on her birthday and wedding anniversary, I never knew whether to call my dad, send a card, or what. I would think about him days before and days after those special dates, but I always ended up doing nothing for fear of upsetting him - or "reminding"

I know now that I would not be 'reminding" him of anything -Dad is the type who even remembered the anniversary date of when he and Mom met. (They were married just short of 40 years.) I've felt so guilty and uneasy about ignoring those dates, but no more!

Love to you, Abby, and to your readers who helped me change my

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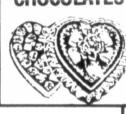
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position" about an elected commissioner. Welch called the meeting

malcontents who disagree 180

degrees with Hightower and have

for the last six years and will for

Glasson said the meeting was

the next six," Welch said.

AUSTIN (AP) — An aide to another shot in the bureau Agriculture Commissioner Jim leadership's long-running Hightower is downplaying the political feud with Hightower, a Texas Farm Bureau's plan to two-term Democrat.

"This is the same old stuff. urging replacement of the They (Farm Bureau leaders) elected agriculture commis- can't beat Hightower at the polls, so they're going to try again through the legislative process,' Vernie Glasson, a farm bureau he said.

Leaders of the Farm Bureau, President S.M. True had called the state's largest farm organization, have been highly critical of Hightower. That criticism has inspecial meeting in planting creased in recent weeks, after season when a lot of real farmers the European Economic Comare going to find it hard to get off munity banned imports of their tractors and out of their American beef treated with fields and go to Waco," said Andy Welch, Hightower's press growth hormones. Hightower has been pushing the U.S. Department of Agriculture to allow ex-"What they're going to end up ports of hormone-free Texas with is a pretty select group of

> Farm Bureau President S.M. True issued a statement calling that effort wrongheaded.

"Hightower is either perpetrating the biggest fraud in being called "to re-evaluate our Texas political history, or he has become the comic sidekick for the European Economic Community in the growth promotant dispute," True said.

The Texas Department of Agriculture is subject to the state's "sunset" review process during this legislative session. The agency is scheduled to go out of existence Sept. 1 unless the Legislature passes and the governor signs a bill authorizing it to continue.

Glasson said changing the agriculture commissioner's job from an elected position has been discussed by Farm Bureau members for several years.

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SCEPTER PASSES — Gay Idom, 1988 Valentine Queen of Beta Sigma Phi Sorority, prepares to pass her reign on at the annual Valentine Ball to be held Saturday night at 9 p.m. at The Snyder Country Club. Tickets are \$15 per couple and may be purchased from any sorority sister or by calling 573-0633 after 5 p.m. The new queen will be crowned at the event and the Tiny Lynn Band of Lubbock will play. (SDN Staff Photo)

Community Calendar

THURSDAY

Tiger Shark Swim Club; WTC; 6-18 years of age; 4-5:30 p.m. For more information, call Mike Harrison at 573-8511 ext. 283.

Weight Watchers of West Texas; basement of First Presbyterian Church; 6 p.m. New members welcome and should register at 5:30

Musical Coterie; MAWC; 7:30 p.m.

Scurry County Sheriff's Posse; posse clubhouse; 7:30 p.m. Alateen; for the 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 more information, call 573-2101 or 573-8626.

FRIDAY
Story Time for Preschoolers; Scurry County Library; 10 a.m.

Snyder Jaycees; noon luncheon; The Shack.
Free blood pressure clinic; Cogdell Memorial Hospital emergency

waiting room; 1-2:30 p.m.

ACBL Open Pairs Duplicate Bridge; Snyder Country Club; 1:30

p.m. Cornelius Dodson House; open by appointment; 573-9742 or 573-

Tiger Shark Swim Club; WTC; 6-18 years of age; 4-5:30 p.m. For

more information, call Mike Harrison at 573-8511 ext. 283.
Christian Women's Club guest dinner; Snyder Country Club; 7-

dinner; Snyder Country Club; 7-8:30 p.m.; \$7.75 dinner; \$1 beverage alone; reservations by noon Thursday, 573-9969 or 573-8942.

Al-Anon; Park Club in Winston Park; 8 p.m. For more information, call 573-2101 or 573-8626.

New Horizon Alcoholics Anonymous; Park Club in Winston Park; 8 p.m. For more information, call 573-2101 or 573-8626.

SATURDAY

Defensive Driving; 8:30 a.m.-4 p.m.; \$25; Snyder Savings & Loan community room; 27th and College

Bake Sale; Furr's Supermarket; 9 a.m.; sponsored by Deep Creek Chapter ABWA.
Diamond M Museum; open

from 1-4 p.m.
DAR; George Washington Tea;

MAWC; 2:30 p.m.

People Without Partners; In-

adale Community Center; games of 42 and dominos; 6:30 p.m. Valentine Ball; Snyder Country Club; 9 p.m.; sponsored by

Beta Sigma Phi Sorority; \$15 per couple; 573-0633 for reservations.

SUNDAY

Scurry County Alcoholics Anonymous; Park Club in

Winston Park; 10 a.m. For more information, call 573-4870.
Scurry County Museum; Western Texas College; open

from 1-4 p.m.

Diamond M Museum; open

from 1-4 p.m.

ACBL Open Pairs Duplicate
Bridge Club; Snyder Country
Club; 1:30 p.m.

Valentine candy

NEW YORK (AP) — Nearly two out of three Americans give candy as gifts on Valentine's Day.

Industry sources estimate candy sales for this Valentine's Day will be approximately \$600 million, which would represent an all-time high for the day, says Chocolatier magazine.

Chocolatier magazine.

It says most of the purchases are made on the actual date of the holiday, which makes Feb. 14 the biggest candy-selling day of each year.

Bridge

James Jacoby

No one doubts that defense is the hardest part of the game, a point well proven with today's deal. Place yourself in the East position, defending against four spades. Try not to peek at declarer's hand or the West cards, and just assume that your partner has led the ace of diamonds and now continues with the 10. You win the king of diamonds. What next?

Even with full consideration of the possibility of artifice on the part of the declarer, it's not too likely that partner was leading from A-10 doubleton of diamonds. (If declarer held J-9-x-xx, he would probably hold back the play of the nine to leave you with the suggestion that West was leading from an A-10-9 combination.) Therefore, if West is leading from length, it would be with the thought that you might be able to ruff the second round. And so it makes sense that the 10 of diamonds suggests the lead back of the higher of dummy's side-suits, in this case hearts. Thus, in this deal, if West held the same distribution with the queen of clubs and no king of hearts, the play at the second trick would be the three of diamonds rather than the 10. So, following the useful rule of suit-preference and the more important rule of compliance with partner's wishes, you return a low heart and set the contract.

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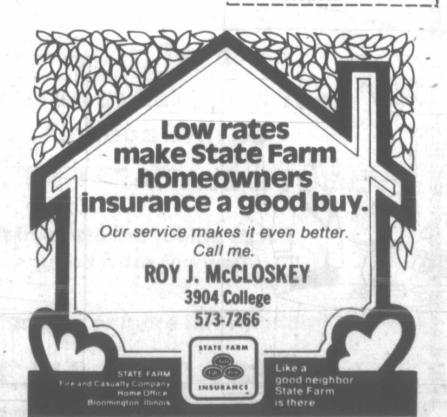
Bake sale set for Saturday

A bake sale will be held at Furr's Supermarket Saturday beginning at 9 a.m. sponsored by the Deep Creek Chapter of American Business Women's Association.



VISIT TO FIRE STATION — Members of Daisy Girl Scout Troop #350 recently made a tour of a local fire station. Pictured from left,
front are JennyLynn Chandler, Leslie Hancock, Kimberly Key, Kara
Babcock, and Alicia Bowlin. Back row: Destini Crawford, Fireman
Odell Cox, Tricia Brzozowski, Jennifer Beights, Charli Boone, and
Melissa Hicks. (Scout Photo)

In 1853, Cincinnati, Ohio, became the first American city to pay its firefighters a regular PHOTOGRAPHY . 573-3622





AWARDS PRESENTED - The West Texas Girl Scout Council's annual awards luncheon was held at West Elementary Saturday. Local residents receiving recognition pictured from left, front are Peggy Vernon, 10-year pin and Intro to Cadettes director and Holiday in the Park Event director; Sandra Crawford and Katrina Fink, 5-year pins. Back row: Brenda Clem, 10-year pin; Zola Schlegal, retiring board member; JoAnn Cearley, Day Camp director; and Dawn Clem, 5-year pin. Not pictured are Alvin Wimmer, retiring board member, and with 5-year pins, Betty Bredemeyer, Joni Huffman, and Amy Patterson. Holly Barkowsky, local Wider Opportunity participant, was also recognized during the ceremony. (SDN Staff Photo)

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your community, your state — and your telephone company.

* * *

Texas has a lot going for it. Good roads, good people, plenty of space,

So let's talk about "Texas First" and how it impacts you, your friends,

and a quality of life that is the envy of most other states.

These are the assets that also attract new industry and create new jobs. But there is another ingredient — a new "must" for economic development — and it's state-of-the-art telecommunications. It's the ribcage in our infrastructure that often separates the "have-note"

In years past, the difference between old and new telecommunications technology weren't all that significant. Calls went through either way. Expectations were a lot simpler.

Today's needs are more high tech. We depend much more on getting and sending information, at faster and faster speeds. In fact, almost half of all the "traffic" that flows over our telephone network is data and computer talk. And it's not just happening in our metro cities. It's going on everywhere — well, almost everywhere.

Southwestern Bell Telephone in Texas has plowed millions of investment dollars into new telecommunications technology over the last decade. The new technology is focused in our major metropolitan areas — and for Texas, that's not good enough. We won't be satisfied — and our customers and regulators won't be satisfied — until all Texas communities, large and small, metro or remote, have access to advanced telecommunications technology. Other states are moving full steam ahead to modernize their networks, like California and Florida — Texas' two toughest rivals for economic growth.

Thus, "Texas First" was born.

From the start, we knew we had to come up with a proposal that made sense for the communities we serve in competing for new jobs, made sense for our customers, and made sense — economically — for us.

Under our "Tevas Birst" proposal, Southwestern Bell has proposed.

sense for our customers, and made sense — economically — for us.

Under our "Texas First" proposal, Southwestern Bell has proposed
the following five elements:

Replace over a five-year period older switching facilities in some 190
Texas communities with the most modern digital technology available.
Phase out four-party service over the same five-year period, and

eliminate mileage charges outside base rate areas.

• Provide some 21 "fringe" communities adjacent to the state's four largest metro cities with an optional "expanded metro service" that

would eliminate toll charges to their neighboring metro city.

• Reduce charges paid by long distance companies to access our local networks, so that they can, in turn, reduce long distance rates to

 Freeze for five years all business and residence basic local rates rates that haven't changed in five years, rates that are well below the national average.

So, what's the catch?

Why is Southwestern Bell willing to do all this modernization and rural service upgrade, reduce rates to the long distance carriers, and still freeze local rates for five years? What's in it for the telephone company?

We have presented our "Texas First" proposal to the Public Utility
Commission as something we can do for the economic good of Texas
and Texans. In return, we must have a more flexible "range" of permissible earnings — 11 to 13% on investment — that will allow us to take the
risks described above — and be rewarded for those risks if they pay off.
Currently, the PUC places a ceiling on earnings. This means if you're

getting close to that ceiling level, the incentive isn't there to further invest in technology that could trim costs or provide new revenue sources for the company for fear of bumping over the "allowed" level. In that scenario, there is little reason to take investment risks that could bring "information age" services to the "have-nots" of the world.

We have proposed a "share-the-success" formula that would return

We have proposed a "share-the-success" formula that would return half of our earnings above the 13% level directly to our customers in the form of credits, with the remaining earnings retained by Southwestern Bell that could be plowed back into the business to provide new products and new services. "Texas First" does not contain any "share of the loss" — the risk is ours.

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In future "Let's Talk" commentaries, we will further examine the need for regulatory change and its relationship on our ability to carry out our "Texas First" plan, and to provide high-quality, multi-optional telecommunications services you and all Texans want and deserve.

In short, with "Texas First," Southwestern Bell Telephone is willing to incur great financial risks, if given the chance to reap some rewards. We're betting that we can improve the Texas economy, improve the quality of telephone service statewide, freeze basic rates, lower toll rates, and still improve our earnings by marketing new products and services. We're betting that the economy in Texas will grow — thanks in some part to "Texas First" — and that we will grow with it.

We think "Texas First" is a good investment for us and for Texas. We'd be interested in knowing your thoughts. If you have any comments or questions, please drop me a line.



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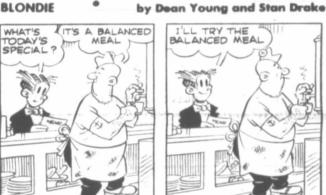
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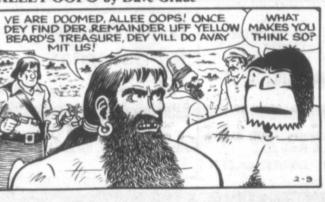
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"WELL, HERE COMES 6.8 ON THE RICHTER SCALE

Texas, Baylor join Arkansas to reap top grid prospects

An AP Sports Analysis By DENNE H. FREEMAN **AP Sports Writer**

The exam is over and the papers have been graded. Baylor, Texas, and Arbanaea-made-A's shahan football recruits on Wes despite out-of-state raids from the likes of UCLA and Miami.

Signing day is the adult world's version of no-recruit, no-play in the

Cotton Bowl on New Year's Day.

The Longhorns, Bears, and Razorbacks definitely recruited the kind of talent that can get you into post-season play.

Texas A&M and Houston fell into the middle ground high C area. The Aggies only had 16 scholarships to give because of NCAA probation and many recruits were scared off by the school's recent problems despite a new regime beginning under R.C. Slocum.

Houston faces the next several years without bowls and postseason play but coach Jack Pardee managed to land several talented

Texas Tech and Texas Christian were down in the low C area while

Rice and Southern Methodist took a lot of chances on kids that can best be labeled as "prospects and projects."

TEXAS: Grade A — The Longhorns loaded up on quality players like cornerback Grady Cavness, defensive end David Condon, defensive lineman Todd Yeaman, linebacker Kevin Watler and tight end Alan Webb. They missed out on all-world running back Robert Strait although Phil Brown of Commerce is a player. If Jimmy Saxon can play quarterback like his All-American dad did halfback, then the Horns could be OK at that position. It was very good recruiting day for coach David McWilliams, who has been feeling some alumni heat. He needed it.

BAYLOR: Grade A - Texas' loss in Cuero's Strait was coach Grant Teaff's gain. Teaff not only got Strait but he also hit the mother lode with offensive linemen like John Karkeska of Aldine, three - count 'em, three - quarterbacks, including J.J. Joe of Lamar, and a classy cornerback in Le'Shai Maston of Dallas Carter. Marcus Lowe, a former bluechip defensive lineman who once started at Oklahoma and ended up at Navarro JC, was a steal.

ARKANSAS: Grade A-Minus — Save for a game-breaking running back coach Ken Hatfield once again had a quality hall. Using a Cotton Bowl appearance as the foundation, Hatfield brought in some solid junior college players. He swept the state of Arkansas clean, getting eight players on The AP's Super Team. Hatfield didn't do that much damage in Texas although defensive lineman Tommy Jones of Dallas White ranks with the best in the nation.

TEXAS A&M: Grade C — Considering the circumstances, Slocum made some notable catches, including tight end Steve Seagraves of

North Mesquite, defensive back Kenneth Norman of Sweetwater, defensive end Tyler Harrison of Arlington, defensive lineman Brad Cooper of Arlington and placekicking sensation Terry Venetoulias of Deer Park. "We got hammered over the NCAA thing but we still got some good players who stuck by us," Slocum said.

HOUSTON: Grade C — The Cougars got wide receiver Marcus

Grant and defensive back Gary Edwards (he of algebra grade fame) from state champion Dallas Carter. They also signed wide receiver Zack Chatman of Beaumont Central and quarterback Darren Woods of Dallas Roosevelt who should help their run-and-shoot offense.

TEXAS CHRISTIAN: Grade D-Plus — Bluechip offensive lineman John English of Arlington was the most notable new Horned Frog. A mystery crop for a team that's going to a mystery offense, the Triple Shoot. There's some good speed among the recruits and that's

TEXAS TECH: Grade D-Minus — Coach Spike Dykes signed a lot of fringe prospects although defensive tackle Ron Seals, a first team Class 4A All-State lineman from Andrews, could play for anybody.

SOUTHERN METHODIST: Grade D — Coach Forrest Gregg's first fulltime recruiting class has a big question mark by it. The Mustangs cracked the state's top 100 prospects by signing running back Kevin Love of Cypress Creek. Tight end Greg Hill of Dallas

Carter is also a good player.

RICE: Grade D — If SMU's class is a question mark, then new coach Fred Goldsmith's recruits are a double question mark. Goldsmith is proud of quarterbacks Greg Willig of La Mirada, Calif., and Charles Gulbronson of Ridgely, W. Va. The Owls signed nine out

Beat UT to gain share of 1st place...

Hogs take slice of SWC pie

by The Associated Press Arkansas coach Nolan Richardson credited the defense in a key Southwest Conference basketball victory that moved Arkansas into a first-place tie in the conference title race with the Texas Longhorns.

Keith Wilson had 31 points and Mario Credit added 30 to lead the Razorbacks to a 105-82 victory over the Longhorns Wednesday

In other SWC games Wednesday night, Texas Christian whipped Baylor, 75-45, Texas A&M coasted to an 82-58 victory over Southern Methodist and Texas Tech had an easy 77-61 victory

over Rice. "We played a great cat-andmouse game with them," said Richardson. "We lulled them to sleep in our matchup and man defense, then sprung our justed to it real well."

pressure on them. "Our players responded. We felt the 10-minute mark would be the breaking point. That's when we turned it on defensively and broke them. Once our fans get into the game, we're tough to beat

Travis Mays scored 26 points

for the Longhorns. "Arkansas just played a great basketball game and we didn't play as well as we had been playing," Texas coach Tom Penders said. "When Arkansas plays like that, I knew we would have to play a perfect basketball game to

beat them." Sean Gay scored 16 points and was one of five Red Raiders in double figures as Texas Tech defeated Rice 77-61.

Texas Tech won its fifth straight game to improve to 11-10 overall and 6-5 in the SWC. Rice fell to 9-12 and 3-7 and dropped its

10th road game in 12 starts. The Red Raiders led throughout the second half with

the Owls never getting closer than seven points. Tracy White scored 14 and

Steve Miles had 12, while Todd Duncan and J.D. Sanders contributed 10 apiece.

Andy Gilchrist, David Willie and Dana Hardy all had 12 for Rice, while Kenneth Rourke add-

Rice's pressure defense caused 12 Tech turnovers in the first half, but the Red Raiders committed only six in the second

"Rice does a good job of changing up their defenses," Tech coach Gerald Myers said. "They play man for a while and then switch back to a zone and back to a man. I thought our guys ad-

Forward Craig Sibley shot 14 will withdraw.

help the Texas Christian Horned streak, beating the Baylor Bears,

The Horned Frogs, who improved to 7-3 in the conference

Golf debuts are cancelled

Snyder High School golf teams will not play in tournaments this weekend because of adverse weather, it has been noted.

The San Angelo Tournament, which included Snyder's girls among its competitors, was to tee off today but has been cancelled.

Snyder's boys were to have played in the Odessa Tournament beginning Friday. The boys, who have not been able to get in practice time because of the weather.

points and took eight rebounds to and 14-8 overall, handed Baylor its worse defeat since Arkansas Frogs snap a three-game losing beat the Bears 88-58 last month. Baylor stands at 1-9 in conference play and 5-16 overall.

Baylor forward Julius Denton led the Bears with 16 points

"I thought we played a good game," said TCU head coach Moe Iba. "We played with some intensity and played smart. I think maybe they (Horned Frog players) were a little bit embarrassed after the way they played against (Texas) A&M.

Donald Thompson scored 21 points to lead Texas A&M to an 82-58 win over Southern Methodist.

The Aggies upped their record to 10-12 and 3-7, while SMU fell to

9-11 and 5-5. By halftime the Aggies led 48-

26. The Aggies' pressing defense caused SMU to turn the ball over

NBA glance

By The Associated Press EASTERN CONFERENCE

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	Detroit		31	13	.705	21/2
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Tech grid signees

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Myles, FB, 6-2, 236, Irving Nimitx; Mike Moore,
OL, 6-5, 280, Houston Stratford; Ron Seals, DL, 65, 240, Andrews; John Wood, DL, 6-7, 280, Taft JC;
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DB, 6-0, 180, Idalou; Johnny Pope, RB, 5-8, 185,
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L.A. Clippers at Phoenix Golden State at Sacramento Houston at Portland **Local Bass Club**

will meet at 7:30

Snyder Bass Club will meet at 7:30 this evening instead of the 6:30 p.m. time, listed in an earlier article.

The club will make plans for the 1989 year when members meet at Snyder National Bank. Anyone interested in bass

fishing is encouraged to attend. The February tournament will be a month-long, Roadrunner event which allows members to fish any lake within a 150-mile radius of Snyder. Entry fee is \$15 plus \$1 for the Big Bass entry and must be paid prior to fishing.

Western tries NMMI tonight; has doubleheaders next week

Coach Tony Mauldin's Thursday, Feb. 16. Westerners hope to return to Scurry County Coliseum with a win after battling the New Mexico Military Broncos here

Game time is 8:30 p.m., CST.

Western Texas completes back-to-back road trips with tonight's WJCAC contest. The Westerners return to their home court next Monday to face South Plains and will entertain New Mexico Junior College on conference play.

The Westerners come into

tonight's game with a season record of 12-14 and are 3-9 in the Western Junior College Athletic Conference. New Mexico Military is 7-17 and 3-8 in the WJCAC

are idle this evening but will join the Westerners for home double headers next week. The Dusters are 19-8 for the season and 6-3 in

Tonight's only women's conference game has Howard College at Clarendon. On Friday, Howard stays in the panhandle to play Frank Phillips College at

filitary is 7-17 and 3-8 in the Jacouple of key men's conference games this evening, Western Texas' Lady Dusters Howard College, currently fourth in the standings at 6-5 and 14-11 overall, visits Clarendon, 3-8, 10-13. And, Midland, in third place with a 7-4 record (16-8 season), entertains a 4-6, 12-13 New Mexico-Junior College team that is in fifth place.

Only the top four teams at the end of conference play will advance to the Region V Tourna-

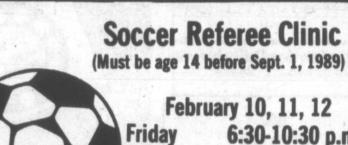
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Midland	7	4	16	8	
Howard	6	5	14	11	
New Mexico JC	4	6	12	13	
Frank Phillips	2	7	-11	10	
Clarendon	3	8	- 10	13	
Western Texas	3	9	12	14	
New Mexico Military	2	8	7	17	

Monday's Games: Odessa 115, Western Texas 89; Midland 99, New Mexico Military 88; South Plains 99, Frank Phillips 77; New Mexico JC 99, Howard 91.

Thursday's Games: Western Texas at New Mexico Military, Odessa at Frank Phillips, Howard at Clar endon, New Mexico JC at Friday's Game: Howard at Frank Phillips

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Odessa	6	2	17
New Mexico JC	6	3	22
Western Texas	6	3	19
South Plains	5	3	17
Frank Phillips	4	3	19
Howard	1		11 1

Monday's Games: Odessa 77, Western Texas 64; Frank Phillips 86, South Plains 63; New Mexico JC 102, Howard 61.

WICAC women

Team	Cor	Conf.		Season		
Odessa	6	2	17	7		
New Mexico JC	6	3	22	5		
Western Texas	6	3	19	8		
South Plains	5	3	17	8		
Frank Phillips	4	3	19	4		
Howard	1	6	11	14		
Clarendon	0	8	4	16		

Thursday's Games: Howard at Clarendon Friday's Game: Howard at Frank Phillips

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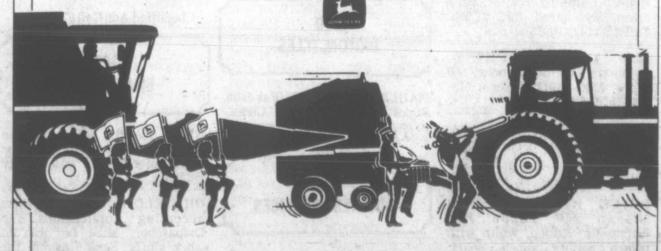
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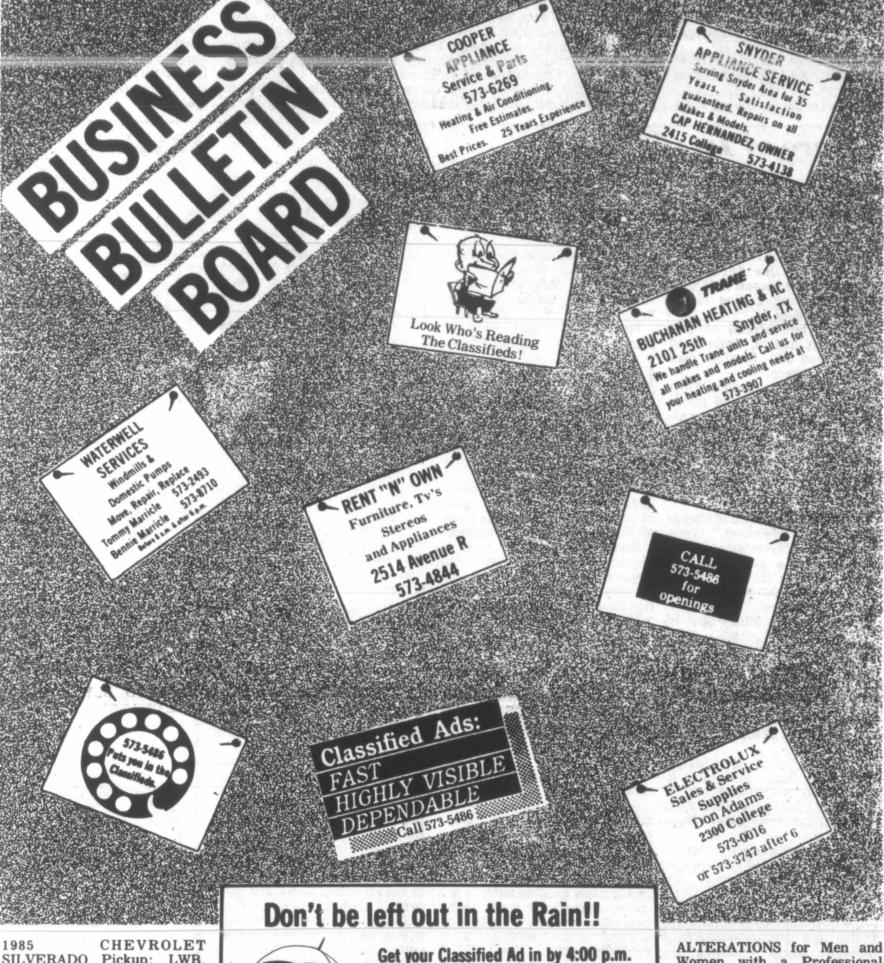
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Abortion sought for comatose wife

NEW YORK (AP) — The husband of a comatose woman begged an appeals court to let him end life, and said in an interview that anti-abortionists who oppose him are "ripping my guts out."

"I implore this court not to permit these two strangers to delay my decision," Martin Klein said in an affidavit submitted to a state appeals court Wednesday.

Klein, a 34-year-old accountant from the Long Island suburb of Upper Brookville, wants to be named guardian of his wife, Nancy, so he can authorize an abortion that several doctors said could aid in her recovery.

But anti-abortion activists John Short and John Broderick have sought to block him, saying that aborting the fetus will not improve Mrs. Klein's chances and will harm her psychologically. They have applied to become her guardian to prevent the abor-

Klein was awarded the guardianship Tuesday in a state trial court, but the decision was his wife's pregnancy to save her stayed pending an appeal by Short and Broderick.

At the appellate hearing, Klein's attorney, Sidney Schutz, called Short and Broderick "intruders, strangers" with no right to decide Mrs. Klein's fate.

But Mary Spaulding, Short's attorney, countered that it was a conflict of interest for Klein to be named guardian. She said the abortion would violate his wife's

In his affidavit, Klein said: "For nine years, my wife and I have lived a happy and devoted life together. I know her wishes and priorities, including her own survival and recovery in view of the welfare of our 3-year-old

Mrs. Klein "had planned this pregnancy, she was looking forward to this pregnancy and was happy about it," Ms. Short said.

Tower's supporters begin defense

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"And indeed neither have all the waiters who have been interviewed in response to all of the many flake allegations that have been thrown in over the transom," Wilson said.

He said he has reviewed "as much of the FBI files as are available to date and there is nothing in there that in any way shakes my complete confidence that John Tower is the smart, tough secretary of defense that we need."

Senate Minority Leader Bob Dole, R-Kan., said of the nomination on ABC's "Good Morning America" that "I don't think it's in a bit of trouble. I think that these rumors are going to be checked out, as they should be. They're going to be proved false and we'll confirm John Tower, hopefully in the next couple of weeks."

"The experience of people, including the chairman of that (Armed Services) committee, have been that they have never seen John Tower impaired because of drinking. ... They have never seen him drunk, they have never seen him unable to perform duty, never seen him fail to show up for an appointment," Sen. Malcolm Wallop, R-Wyo., said on "CBS This Morning."

The committee chairman, Sen. Sam Nunn, D-Ga., said Wednesday following a meeting with White House counsel C. Boyden Gray that he still had "serious concerns" that would prevent him at this point from voting in favor of Tower's nomina-

"Each of the charges that have been leveled against him and investigated subsequently have all proved groundless,

But Sen. Timothy Wirth, D-Colo., appearing with Wallop, noted that the White House asked that the vote be put off until the FBI completed its investigation.

Wirth said "to suggest that there are a whole lot of just silly ac cusations ... simply is not the information that we're getting from the White House. ... Clearly they must believe that there is something in these reports or they would not have asked us to put

Nunn and Sen. John Warner of Virginia, the ranking Republican on the Armed Services Committee met for two hours Wednesday afternoon with Gray to discuss the FBI investigations and then closeted themselves with Tower for 90 minutes.

The Washington Post today quoted an unnamed administration source as saying Tower presented the lawmakers with

statements from his doctors that he does not have a disabling alcohol problem. President Bush, meantime, stood by his nomination of the former Texas senator to head the Pentagon.

"If somebody has something other than rumor and frenzied speculation, please get it to the FBI or get it to the White House staff, or certainly get it to the committee in the Senate. But let us be fair enough that we do not deal in rumor after rumor," Bush said Wednesday.





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010 **LEGAL NOTICES**

NOTICE TO CREDITORS THE STATE OF TEXAS COUNTY OF SCURRY

To those indebted to, or holding claims against the estate of AMANDA LOJANE JONES, deceased, Probate Case Number 4721:

The undersigned having been duly appointed Independent Executor of the estate of Amanda Lojane Jones, deceased, late of Scurry County, Texas, by Bobby Goodwin, Judge of the County Court of said county on the 7th day of February, 1989, hereby notifies all persons indebted to said estate to come forward and make settlement, and those having claims against said estate to present them to Delbert Clyde Jones, 2207 28th Street, Snyder, Texas 79549, within the time

prescribed by law. Executed this 7th day of February, 1989.

(s) Delbert Clyde Jones, **Independent Executor** of the Estate of Amanda Lojane Jones, deceased



Obituaries

Graveside services for Eula Mae Camp, 82, of Snyder are set for 3 p.m. Thursday at Hillside Memorial Gardens with Tom Holcomb of the East Side Church of Christ officiating. Arrangements are being handled through Bell-Cypert-Seale Funeral Home.

She died at 12:05 a.m. Wednesday at Cogdell Memorial Hospital. She was born March 17, 1906 in Indian Territory.

She was a longtime resident of Snyder and a member of East Side Church of Christ. She was married to Stanley S. Camp on May 28, 1933. He died April 5,

She is survived by two daughters, Faye Guynes of Snyder and Viola Willey of Pasadena, Md.; eight grandchildren; 15 great-grand- await me." children; two sisters, Nora Lee Clark of Ira and Lillian Williams. James of Snyder.

She was preceded in death by two sons, Roy Lynn and Walter

Laura Collom

ASPERMONT--Services are set for 2 p.m. Friday at the Central Baptist Church for Laura Lorene Collom, 62, who died Wednesday in a Lubbock hospital. Burial will follow in the **Aspermont Cemetery.**

She was the mother of James Larry Collom of Ira.

Born in Stonewall County, she was a life-long resident of Aspermont. She was a member of the Central Baptist Church and was a Sunday school teacher and a member of the Women's Missionary Auxiliary

Survivors include her husband, Travis Collom of Aspermont; two daughters, Linda Messick of Aspermont and Letha Walters of Haskell; two sisters, Vera Allbright of Palaski, N.Y.; and Rosa Nell Lindsley of Swenson; and seven grandchildren.

Earnest Forest

Graveside services for Earnest at 10 a.m. Thursday at Snyder Cemetery with the Rev. E. D. Toines officiating.

He died at approximately 2:30 p.m. on Monday. He was born May 6, 1927 in Lubbock County. He had worked at Wilson Motors for many years and was a longtime Snyder resident.

He is survived by a daughter, Lillie Forest of Houston; and one brother, Isaiah Johnson of California.

Assault reported

A 29-year-old man was arrested on a misdemeanor assault charge at 10:34 p.m. Wednesday at a residence in the 2800 Block of Ave. J after police were told that he was beating his wife.

Grass runs noted

Firemen put out two grass fires Wednesday, the first at 12:05 p.m. at the old city dumpground south of town, where they worked until 1:30 p.m.

The second fire was from 6:13 p.m. to 6:45 p.m. north of Ave. P and Keller Ave.

Petroleum prices

NEW YORK (AP) - Petroleum cash prices Wednesday as compared with Tuesday's prices.

Refined Products Fuel oil No. 2 NY hbr bg gl fob .5150 Gasoline reg. NY hbr bg gl fob .4985 Gasoline unleaded NY hbr bg gl fb .4835 .4925 Prices provided by Oil Buyer's Guide Petroleum - Crude Grades

Saudi Arabian light 14.80 North Sea Brent \$ per bbl fob 16.70 16.50 West Texas Intermed \$ per bbl fob 17.50 17.70 Alaska No. Slope del. US Gulf Cost 16.18 16.55

Jury selection resumes and Eula Mae Camp stay denied in North trial

ury selection began today in the Iran-Contra trial of Oliver North. despite the threat of a halt in the proceedings by a government ap-

U.S. District Judge Gerhard Gesell denied a motion for a stay pending the outcome of the appeai, but he said he would delay swearing in the jury until he checks with the appeals court to see what that court plans to do.

"I'm going to go ahead and select a jury immediately, but I am not going to swear them in," Gesell told prosecution and defense lawyers. "When I have them all seated, I'm going to call the clerk of the Court of Appeals and ask whether any instructions

The jury panel of 45 — minus one woman who has the flu of Snyder; and one brother, Jake then was brought into Gesell's court for the final selection of 12 jurors and six alternates.

> The defense had the right to "strike" 10 of the panelists from the jury without giving a cause and the government could disqualify six. Each side then could eliminate three more people each to determine the six alternates.

The Justice Department step-ped into the case Wednesday by demanding censorship control over classified documents that the defense wants to enter as evidence. That position was also opposed by independent counsel Lawrence Walsh, who is prosecuting North, a former White House national security aide.

Ron Noble, a deputy to Justice Department criminal division chief Ed Dennis, informed Gesell in the courtroom that the department was seeking a stay.

The judge called the department's intervention in the case "one of the most frivolous motions I have ever seen."

Gesell said the only person who may make an appeal in the case is the independent counsel, but Noble responded that "the government's position is that the right to appeal is the attorney general's."

In a written order denying the orest. 61. of 1204 20th were held stay, Gesell wrote that the Ethics Commission regulations has been BancTexas in Government Act places all investigative and prosecutorial functions in the "exclusive control" of Walsh. "Independent counsel Walsh opposes the motion," he noted.

"The attorney general's belated general appearance is wholly misplaced," Gesell wrote today. He said the attorney general's only prerogative under the law governing classified documents is through the filing of an affidavit - something that has not been done.

"The attorney general's attempt to appeal is therefore frivolous and at odds with the purposes of the laws establishing the independent counsel," Gesell

His irritation with the Justice

Births

Donnie and Sara Jane Sims are the parents of a baby girl weighing 6 pounds 131/2 ounces born at 7:02 p.m. Wednesday at Cogdell Memorial Hospital.

Hospital **Notes**

ADMISSIONS: Stephanie Castaneda, 312 25th; Wilmer Richards, Rt. 1 Box 886; Sara Jane Sims, 2706 37th.

DISMISSALS: Mildred Streety, Mary House, Nancy Walker. Doris Underwood.

Faye Marie is 43

on Wednesday when he said constant interruptions by government intelligence agencies threaten to turn the proceedings into a "cuckoo clock trial."

The Justice Department, prodded by the National Security Agency and CIA, is seeking authority to screen and block disclosure of classified material.

"There is some information that cannot be put back in a bottle," said Deputy Assistant Attorney General Stephen Saltzburg.

But Gesell said prior rulings in the case already have addressed the issue and installed security safeguards — without damaging North's right to a fair trial.

"This is not a trial of national security; it's a trial of Oliver North," the judge said.

Gesell said he wasn't going to tolerate a "cuckoo clock trial" which would be constantly interrupted by reviews of classified material before it is introduced in the courtroom.

The Justice Department quickly entered an appeal notice with the circuit court, and spokesman David Runkel said the department's filing could be made there sometime today.

The department wants a court order saying that North cannot disclose any classified information unless it is explicitly approved by the court and if the government has no objection to the disclosre.

In arguments before Gesell on Wednesday, the Justice Department said North has failed to meet standards required by the Classified Information Procedures Act.

It said notices from North, which are supposed to spell out what classified material he plans

Mortician fined in Dallas

DALLAS (AP) - The largest fine ever assessed against a mor- Arkla tician for "continuous and ongoing" violations of Federal Trade levied against a Dallas funeral home director.

The \$80,000 fine was assessed against Dudley M. Hughes Jr. by U.S. District Judge A. Joe Fish.

FTC attorney Maridel Morgan said the case marks the first time since 1984 when the FTC established its funeral home regulations that a complaint has resulted in a fine assessed by a judge and not an out-of-court set-

TDC project near startup

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150,000-gallon elevated storage tank and a 15,000-gallon ground storage tank at the site, a lift station at 37th St. and the East Hwy. and a booster pump station just north of the Rip Griffin truck stop east of the city.

Osborn said the sewer line will reach its maximum depth under a hill alongside the county road just west of the site.

School agenda listed below

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action include approving a refund of taxes involving some \$1,022 due to a double assessment during last tax year. The firm involved is the C&S Company of Snyder.

A budget adjustment will be considered also involving some \$620 to be listed under a different budget category.

The board is scheduled to convene in executive session at 6 p.m. Thursday to discuss person-

Dental checks due next week

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used as supplemental instruction in addition to the health textbook. It is provided through the Proctor and Gamble Company.

Each student will receive a kit containing a toothbrush and a small tube of toothpaste.

For students in grades 4-6, a unit in their testbook will address dental health.

The month of February is set aside by the American Dental Association as National Dental Health Month.

WASHINGTON (AP) - Final Department's belated interven- to use at trial, have been "either tion in the case came to the fore totally useless or at best minimally informative."

Further, it said, "the court has not ruled on what particular classified information is relevant to the issues that will be tried, and whether it is admissible on some or all issues."

Gesell was angry over the delay as jury selection neared completion.

"You can't ride this horse in both directions," the judge said. "You can either move to protect national security or you can move to a fair trial. Congress says that if push comes to shove, a trial judge has one option, to move toward a fair trial.

Gesell ruled on Jan. 19 that North could introduce classified information if it tends to show that his purpose was not to break the law, or if it tends to show that statements made by government witnesses are false or misleading.

He also authorized North to divulge information about coverup attempts by other officials, and about the Reagan administration's attempts to have other countries provide military assistance to the Nicaraguan Contra rebels after Congress banned U.S. aid.

Independent counsel Lawrence Walsh, whose office is prosecuting North, opposed the Justice Department motion. Walsh said he does not believe that North attorney Brendan Sullivan intends to "trick or trap this court at the expense of national security."

Markets Midday Stocks

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THE NHS — These Snyder High School students were inducted Sunday into the National Honor Society. From left to right and right to left down the rows are Brandi Bell, Kathy Armstrong, Ron Baker, Jason Best, Denise Blythe, Rana Eicke, Dana Fenton, Abel Garza, Toby Goodwin, Jennifer Harden, Kristi Head, Mande Henry, Christy

Holmes, Jacy LaRoux, Gina McWhirter, Thad Myers, Anne O. Jorn, Jay Parker, Felicia Perry, Annette Ramos, Dora Jean Rumpff, Sam Shifflett, Ginger Smith, Jennifer Spence, Cindy Srna and Jason West. (SDN Staff Photo)



THE SENIORS - Senior members of the National Honor Society at new members. The afternoon ceremony and reception afterwards

Snyder High School were in a good humor Sunday after inducting 26 were attended by about 200 people. (SDN Staff Photo)

'Lonesome Dove' helps all 3 networks

"Lonesome Dove" has ridden to the same name.

the 80s in a season that has been

averaging percentages in the 60s. On his CBS talk show Tuesday, Pat Sajak told his audience they previously.

"With the success of "What it tells you is basically Lonesome Dove," he said, that quality will bring out au-"CBS has turned the heat back on in the studio."

were tuned to CBS for the series' first installment.

sions in use.

"It's performing significantly better than we anticipated,

The audience reception shows good programs and people will

"Lonesome Dove," Tom Shales ped, at least for this week. of The Washington Post enthused, "is enough to give one new respect for the miniseries, new respect for Texas, new respect never anything this good on network TV.

the small screen," wrote Art with televisions. Monday and Chapman of the Fort Worth (Tex- Tuesday's installments drew a 37 as) Star-Telegram. "It is the best share each. miniseries we have seen in 10

show of the last few seasons."

NEW YORK (AP) - It didn't on Larry McMurtry's 1985 look like happy trails for CBS, but Pulitzer Prize-winning novel of

The tale of life, death and love The success of CBS' four-night on a Texas-to-Montana cattle Western has not only boosted drive had an all-star cast, inmorale at the third-place net- cluding Oscar winners Robert work, but sent audience shares of Duvall ("Tender Mercies") and CBS, ABC and NBC soaring into Anjelica Huston ("Prizzi's Honor"); Emmy winner Tommy Lee Jones ("Executioner's Song"), Diane Lane, Robert Urich, Ricky Schroder, Danny might find it a little warmer than Glover, D.B. Sweeney, Chris Cooper and Glenne Headly.

diences," said Poltrack. "Now on the other hand, you don't run out than met CBS' guarantee to this, because you have to realize advertisers. Televisions in an you're dealing with Pulitzer estimated 25.7 million homes Prize-winning book, an extraordinary production, extraordinary rst installment. acting. "I think the Robert Instead of the less-than-30 Duvall performance will go down share the network expected, the in history as one of the great miniseries is headed for an television performances of all average share closer to 40. The time. When you have that kind of share is a percentage of televi- combination you're going to be successful."

Alan Wurtzel, ABC's vice president for research, said: "I would though obviously we had great say it's a little dangerous to draw hopes for it because of the quali- any conclusions about the future ty," said David Poltrack, CBS' of either Westerns on television to her old job. vice president for marketing or the future of the long "The recent patterns of televi- miniseries on television, based on sion viewing would create a one case. ... I think if there's healthy skepticism in terms of nothing else you learn in televiresponse, and we're very pleas- sion it's that there's always the exception to the rule."

The audience reception shows Last season, the networks that networks can still put on began fretting about the loss of viewers to cable options and videocassettes. The slide stop-

Sunday night's premiere of "Lonesome Dove" had a 28.5 rating and a 42 share and was the highest-rated show of the week, for CBS, and even new respect according to the A.C. Nielsen Co., for television. There is almost whose weekly ratings compilations run Mondays through Sunork TV." days. Each rating point "It is the best Western ever on represents 904,000 U.S. homes

ABC and NBC might be losing years. And it is the best overall the time period to "Lonesome Dove," but the competition is not The four-part series that condoing badly, and a hit for one is cluded Wednesday night is based ultimately good for all three net-

"It's always been my contention, as far as the network business is concerned, three healthy networks are really preferable. I would just like to be the healthiest of the three, but it's really to no one's advantage to have one or two networks not performing well," said Wurtzel.

Poor programming on any network chases viewers to cable and video alternatives, he said.

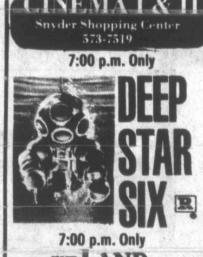
Cavazos gives deposition

DALLAS (AP) - Former "Lonesome Dove" has more and make 10 miniseries based on Texas Tech president Lauro Cavazos gave a deposition in a discrimination case filed by a fired employee of the school, which he left last year to head up the U.S. Department of Educa-

tion. Cavazos answered questions from lawyer James Barber in Dallas Wednesday for about three hours.

Mrs. LaFontaine, who now lives in Dallas, filed the lawsuit against Texas Tech in 1985 seeking unspecified damages, attorney's fees and reinstatement

But there's also a sense of tipping the hat when a competitor comes up with something really special. "Lonesome Dove," Wurtzel said, "is an excellent, very, very well-done show, and I think it deserves to get viewers."





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A method to dissolve kidney stones

by Peter H. Gott, M.D.

DEAR DR. GOTT: I have a uric acid stone ¼ inch in diameter. I'm taking Uriced and allopurinol and drinking large amounts of water. I'm in quite a bit of pain so I am wondering how long it will take to dissolve the stone. I'm also a non-insulin dependent diabetic. My doctor hasn't given me much information about

diet or prognosis. Can you?

DEAR READER: Kidney stones are composed of various materials; uric acid crystals are one of the most common. You appear to have gout, an elevation of uric acid in the blood, leading to joint inflammation and/or

kidney stones.

Your stone is quite large; so large, in fact, that I doubt it will ever disinegrate or shrink with the methods you describe. Such a stone may never give you serious symptoms because it is probably too big to be passed from the kidney to the bladder. However, it can form the focus for persisting urinary infection that can be very resistant to treatment. This may explain why you are experiencing pain.

You may need to have the stone removed surgically. In order to avoid an operation, you may want to consider the possibility of having the stone pulverized by sound waves. This new technique is called extracorporeal shock-wave lithotripsy. You would be immersed in a tub of warm water and sound waves would be focused through the water into the stone. The shear and tear forces of the soundshock would shatter the stone. After the procedure, the fragments could be removed by a device that is passed from the bladder up into the kidney. Lithotripsy is a new and safe therapy for the non-surgical treatment of many types of kidney stones. Ask your doctor to refer you to a urologist; this specialist can advise you about the best way to approach your problem.

Of course, you will also wish to avoid forming new kidney stones in the future. This you can do by taking allopurinol (an anti-uric acid medicine), drinking enough fluids and avoiding food rich in uric acid (organ meats, such as liver sweetbreads).

DEAR DR. GOTT: I'm 32, female and about four years ago started to get veins in the side of my nose. They are getting worse and very noticeable. What should I do?

DEAR READER: Unsightly veins in the skin can be treated by plastic surgeons in one of three ways: surgical removal, freezing (cryosurgery) or laser therapy.

Ask your doctor to refer you to a plastic surgeon for specific advice about which technique would be most

suitable in your case.

DEAR DR. GOTT: I've been told I can reduce my cholesterol by eating Certa, the material used for making jelly. Is this true?

DEAR READER: According to the manufacturer, Certa contains pectin, lactic acid, citric acid, potassium citrate and sodium benzoate. To my knowledge, none of these harmless compounds will lower cholesterol. If you are interested in natural compounds to achieve this purpose, I suggest you try oat bran, niacin or

For more information I am sending you a copy of my Health Report "Understanding Cholsterol." Other readers who would like a copy should send \$1 with their name and address to P.O. Box 91369, Cleveland, OH 44101-3369. Be sure to mention the title. © 1989 NEWSPAPER ENTERPRISE ASSN

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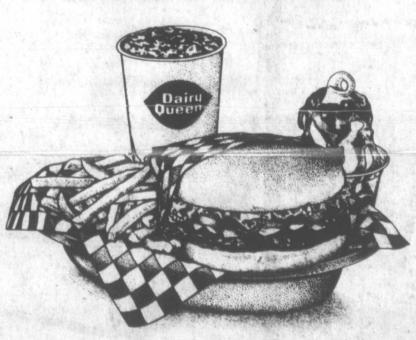
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AQUARIUS (Jan. 20-Feb. 19) If you're hoping to conduct business under a social cover today, don't press your interests too assertively. Lay the foundation now and go for the close next week. Get a jump on life by understanding the influences which are governing you in the year ahead. Send for your Astro-Graph predictions today by mailing \$1 to Astro-Graph, c/o this newspapers, P.O. Box 91428, Cleveland, OH 44101-3428. Be sure to state your zodiac sign.

PISCES (Feb. 20-March 20) You could be rather lucky today where your material interests are concerned. There is a strong possibility you might derive personal benefits from something you least expect.

expect.

ARIES (March 21-April 19) Don't be discouraged today if associates fail to see the merits of your position immediately. They'll eventually come around to your way of thinking.

TAURUS (April 20-May 20) Conditions look favorable for achieving career objectives today, provided you're consistent and stay on top of things, including minor details.

GEMINI (May 21-June 20) If something propitious develops for you today, try to include people in it who have been helpful to you recently. Your gesture will assure you of their continued support in the future.

CANCER (June 21-July 22) Don't be deterred from going after goals you establish for yourself today. You might have to deal with some small frustrations, but they will be manageable. LEO (July 23-Aug. 22) Solutions to resolve a complicated development can be found today if you solicit advice from a friend who experienced something

similar.

VIRGO (Aug. 23-Sept. 22) In a business arrangement your position may be stronger than you realize. Stop focusing on negative aspects and look for ways to utilize the conceptualities at head.

to utilize the opportunities at hand. LIBRA (Sept. 23-Oct. 23) In a situation that affects you and another, take some positive measures on your own today that you believe will be mutually beneficial instead of waiting for your partner to supply the initiative.

SCORPIO (Oct. 24-Nov. 22) This can be an extremely productive day for you if you are able to operate free from the interference of others. Don't make yourself available to people who merely waste your time.

waste your time. **8AGITTARIUS** (Nov. 23-Dec. 21)

Someone who is always hard to please might try to put a damper on one of your social involvements today. However, it's not likely to be enough to keep you from having a good time.

from having a good time.

CAPRICORN (Dec. 22-Jan. 19) Your potential for personal gains looks more promising today than it has all week. If you have something profitable on the stove, turn up the burners.

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Chairman favors bank takeovers

NEW YORK (AP) — The multibillion-dollar savings and loan crisis doesn't mean the death of the industry, but more banks may assume the role of thrifts, the chairman of the Federal Home Loan Bank Board says.

"You have to understand in this country we have had a very high commitment to home ownership," a goal aided by savings and loans, M. Danny Wall told a meeting of international bankers Wednesday.

Wall also said the government actively would seek restitution from fraudulent thrift executives, whose actions have contributed to the industry's losses, said to be accruing at the rate of \$500 million a month.

He said the \$90 billion bailout plan announced this week by President Bush does not signal the demise of a financial institution created in the 1930s to help Americans buy singlefamily homes.

Wall, who is from South Dakota, said there were thousands of banks" in that part of the country whose business was much the same as thrifts, which traditionally have catered to individual depositors or mortgage seekers.

"Over time, I'm convinced we should allow those kinds of institutions to borrow from federal home loan banks." he said.

home loan banks," he said.

Wall said the plan for dealing with the hundreds of troubled thrifts includes a reversal of a Federal Reserve ban on allowing bank holding companies to own thrifts.

Under the plan, which must be approved by Congress, banks would be allowed to absorb insolvent thrifts immediately and acquire healthy institutions beginn-

Comptroller says...

\$81 billion plan would shortchange the land

WASHINGTON (AP) — The Energy Department's \$81 billion plan to modernize and clean up nuclear weapons plants over 20 years would save the nation's production of war devices but fail to remove all environmental hazards, the head of General Accounting Office says.

"Modernization activities would essentially be completed by 2010, and the nation would have a revitalized weapons complex," Comptroller General Charles A. Bowsher told a congressional hearing Wednesday. "However, problems in the environmental area would still be with us."

Bowsher told the House Budget Committee it would take up to \$155 billion over 30 years to modernize the industry, clean up closed plants and protect the environment from radioactive contamination.

Material for nuclear weapons is produced at reactors and other facilities in a dozen states, but has effectively stopped because

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WASHINGTON (AP) — The of safety concerns at reactor Energy Department's \$81 billion sites in Washington state, plan to modernize and clean up Nevada and South Carolina.

Energy officials told another congressional committee last week they hope to get the tritium-producing reactor at the Savannah River site in South Carolina back in operation before the end of the year, but may not be able to do it that soon. The reactor has been out of operation since August when an unexplained power surge caused it to shut down.

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