

TDC also named...

Prison opponents expand suit filing, target city utilities

Opponents of a prison to be located in Scurry County have amended one of five original petitions to name the State of Texas and the Texas Department of Corrections as defendants.

Filed last week in 132nd District Court, plaintiffs in the suit also amended the petition to attack the city's plans to provide water and sewer to the prison site.

The suit, filed by Jeanne Bullard, Gloria Griffin, Jonisue Stiff, Ava Lopour, Joe Lopour and Louise Thompson, was originally filed against the City of Snyder and the Scurry County Industrial Foundation. In addition to the state and TDC, the amended petition names the Scurry County Area Foundation.

The suit asks the court to set aside conveyance of 20 acres and the

"Wickes Building" from the city and industrial foundation to the TDC.

The suit also seeks to set aside the agreement between the city of Snyder and the TDC to build a water storage tank at the prison site.

It also asks the court to void the agreement by the city to furnish water to the TDC "at an unconscionably low rate." It also seeks to have the agreement by the city to treat water for the TDC at a 10 percent discount be set aside.

Plaintiffs also seek to have the city expend funds necessary to "correct deficiencies" for the water and sewer system prior to building water and sewer lines to the prison.

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Ask Us

Candidates slated for political rally

A political forum for local candidates in the upcoming "Super Tuesday" Democratic and Republican primary ballots will begin at 7:30 p.m. Monday in the Fine Arts Theatre on the campus of Western Texas College.

In addition to candidates for posts at the county level and the 132nd Judicial District, state office seekers are expected as well. This will include candidates for the 78th District state representative seat, to include incumbent Steve Carriker (D-Roby) and Republican challenger Rod Waller; and the unexpired seat of associate justice on the Eastland-based 11th Court of Appeals, which involves appointee Bud Arnot of Abilene and challenger George Hansard of Lamesa. Both men seek the Democratic nomination.

The political rally is sponsored by the governmental affairs committee of the Snyder Chamber of Commerce.

The format will allow each candidate to offer a five-minute profile of themselves and their candidacy.

Following this, the rally is to be opened for questions and answers from the audience.

Snyder-based boards receive four candidates on first day

Monday, the first day to officially file as a candidate, saw incumbents come forward for the Snyder school board, Western Texas College board of trustees and the Snyder city council.

A new candidate also added his name for a council post, Jack Greene Jr., 39, who announced for place 4 on the council, the post now held by Joe Fowler.

Fowler indicated Monday he would not be a candidate for his single member district council seat.

Incumbents announcing for reelection to their board seats include:

—John Gayle, who holds place 7 on the WTC board of trustees.

—Mike Jordan, who holds

single member district place 2 on the Snyder school board.

—Ralph Williamson, who holds single member district place 2 on the Snyder city council.

For the place 4 seat on the council, Greene is making his first bid for an elected position.

He is a native of Scurry County and, with the exception of college and a three-year stint as a secondary level school teacher in Nederland, has lived here all his life.

He is the co-owner locally of Jack's Roadboring.

He graduated from Southwest Texas State in San Marcos following graduation from Snyder High School in 1968.

He is a member of First Baptist Church and a graduate of the Century II, Leadership Scurry County class. He is also a member of the chamber-sponsored Singing Cowboys.

He and his wife Charlotte have three school-age daughters.

The area of town he seeks to represent is in general the western residential areas of Snyder. These are bordered in part by 37th St. on the south all the way to the northern city limits and west of College Ave.

The filing dates for three seats on the WTC board, two places on the Snyder school board and four seats on the city council will run through March 23.

Visitors evaluate college

Through Thursday of this week, a 10-member committee representing officials from community colleges in six states will be visiting Western Texas College as part of a reaccreditation process required every 10 years.

The group will be interviewing both faculty and students and will review a campus self-study document which has involved WTC faculty members for almost two years.

The committee is representing the Southern Association of Colleges and Schools (SACS), an organization which accredits colleges, universities and public schools nationwide.

The process attempts to maintain high standards of education on the nation's campuses. Schools accredited through SACS may also transfer college work to other accredited schools.

The culmination of the week will come Thursday, when an oral report of the committee's findings will be offered.

The WTC self-study was headed by Richard Lancaster, associate professor of English.

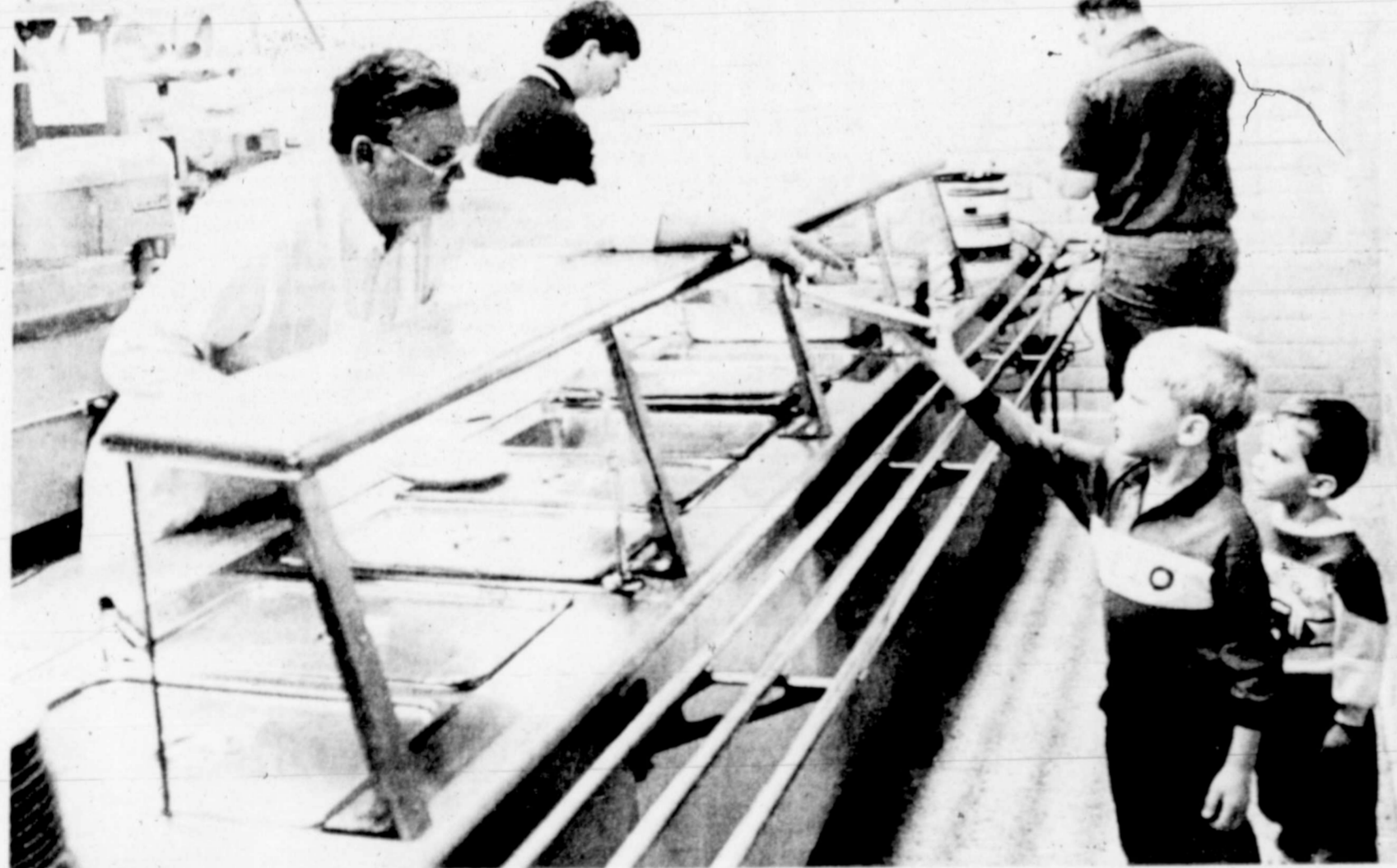
Members of the Southern Association's reaffirmation committee visiting the local campus are:

—Dr. Jean Netherton, serving as chairman. She is the provost for the Alexandria campus of Northern Virginia Community College in Alexandria, Va.

—Dr. Berman Johnson, associate dean of Dekalb Technical Institute in Decatur, Ga.

—Dr. Robert Drennen, dean of finance and development at Jefferson State Junior College, Birmingham, Ala.

—Dr. Jack R. Garber, dean of student affairs, Rockingham. See VISITORS, page 9



A SECOND HELPING — 5-year-old Tyson Dever gets a re-fill at noon Saturday at the Snyder Kiwanis Club's annual pancake supper while his 3-year-old brother, Dustin, watches Kiwanian W.C. Graves

pass the pancakes. The annual event was conducted all day Saturday at West Elementary School. (SDN Staff Photo)

On new superpower treaty...

Negotiators given one month

MOSCOW (AP) — The United States and Soviet Union today gave their arms control negotiators one month to complete the key provisions of a new treaty to sharply reduce their strategic nuclear weapons.

The decision was taken as U.S. Secretary of State George P. Shultz wound up two days of talks in Moscow. He said negotiators in Geneva who have so far failed to make significant progress

toward a 50 percent cut in long-range nuclear weapons were directed to report to him and Soviet Foreign Minister Eduard A. Shevardnadze in Washington March 22-23.

Shultz also told a news conference the Soviets indicated they would be more flexible in handling emigration applications, except for those from people who have had access to state secrets.

Shevardnadze confirmed "categorically" that only those with information the government considers important to national security would be barred from emigrating, according to Shultz.

Earlier today, as he opened talks with Shultz, Mikhail Gorbachev pledged to achieve peace in Afghanistan and to try to reach a new nuclear arms agreement by spring.

Shultz and the Soviet Communist Party general secretary smiled broadly as they shook hands and sat down with their aides in opulent Catherine's Hall in the Kremlin.

At a picture-taking session, Gorbachev said the Soviets would "do our best to achieve peace in Afghanistan and to have a non-aligned, neutral Afghanistan which would have good relations with its neighbors, with the United States and with the Soviet Union."

At the news conference, Shultz said he did not have the "slightest doubt" that the Soviet Union would leave Afghanistan. But Shultz, who came here saying he would seek a specific timetable, gave no evidence he had received one.

An estimated 115,000 Soviet

troops have been in Afghanistan since December 1979, backing a pro-Moscow government at war with U.S.-armed Moslem guerrillas.

Gorbachev has promised to begin a withdrawal on May 15 if the Kabul government and Pakistan can agree on terms of a settlement by March 15.

Shultz, who arrived in Moscow on Sunday, met until 1:30 a.m. today with Shevardnadze.

Library use policy adjusted by court

A change in policy for out-of-county library users was approved Monday by Scurry County commissioners.

County librarian Janice Mitchell said the library board recommended doing away with the library's policy of taking \$5 deposits from out-of-county customers in favor of implementing a charge of \$10 as a three-year fee to out-of-county users.

The commissioners said they do not want a fee to be charged to people from neighboring counties because they typically do other

business while in Snyder, but they gave their approval to the library's charging such a fee to people from more distant counties.

In addition Monday, the court heard an NTS Communications executive from Levelland say his company would save the county at least 20 percent on its monthly long-distance telephone bill.

After hearing Bill Johnson promise a reduction of at least that amount, the commissioners took the matter under advisement and

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Grass fires continue to plague firefighters

After a weekend of fighting grass fires, firemen were called to the scene of a travel trailer fire at 8:14 a.m. Monday 11 miles south of Snyder on FM 1606.

A department spokesman said a metal shed and a John Deere tractor also had some damage in the blaze on property owned by Jerry Smith.

The morning fire followed a weekend that was packed with grass fires for the firemen, including one at 2:48 p.m. Saturday on property owned by Alvin Cox at 1611 Ave. E that kept them oc-

cupied until 3:05 p.m. and also did some damage to a building on the property.

A 12:47 p.m. Saturday grass fire off a county road 10 miles southwest of town took until 2:15 p.m. to extinguish, having started from an unknown cause, and a 2:48 p.m. fire 12 miles east of the city on property owned by Jimmy Barnes kept fire fighters at the scene until 3:45 p.m.

A 4:05 p.m. Saturday grass fire call to 10 miles north of town on property owned by Fred Over-

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Q — Is it too late to apply for the Christmas in April house fixup program?

A — No, although sponsors note the amount of work they will be able to do will be based on the amount of donations received. Applications have already been reviewed and more will still be accepted by contacting Sam Robertson, 573-4053, or by writing to P.O. Box 1072, Snyder, Tx., 79549. The work is now planned April 30.

In Brief

Memoirs

NEW YORK (AP) — Soviet President Andrei Gromyko says he rebuffed Mao Tse-tung's proposal that the Soviet Union help lure U.S. troops into China where they would be attacked by nuclear weapons, a newspaper reported today. Gromyko's two-volume memoir covers nearly 50 years of Soviet diplomacy, including dealings with nine American presidents, according to The New York Times, which said an advance copy was made available to its Moscow bureau.

Mafia link

NEW YORK (AP) — A woman who 12 years ago described having an affair with President Kennedy in the White House says her terminal cancer led her to admit another secret, that she was a conduit between him and the Mafia. "Now that I know I'm dying and nothing more can happen to me, I want to be completely honest," said Judith Campbell Exner, 54, in an interview published in the Feb. 29 issue of People magazine.

Local

North meeting

The North Elementary Parent Association will meet at 7 p.m. Monday, a meeting which will include a panel discussion on how influences in the home affect drug use in children.

Also, the program will feature patriotic songs by the third grade classes in honor of George Washington's birthday.

2 more shows

The second performance of "Hello Broadway" at Worsham Auditorium is due Monday with the final show Tuesday. Both performances will be at 8 p.m.

Tickets are priced at \$5 for reserve seating and \$3 for general admission.

Weather

Snyder Temperatures: High Saturday, 63 degrees; low, 28 degrees; high Sunday, 72 degrees; low, 30 degree; reading at 7 a.m. Monday, 40 degrees; no precipitation; total precipitation for 1988 to date, .80 of an inch.

Snyder Area Forecast: Tonight, fair, low mid 40s and wind northwest to north 15 to 25 mph and gusty. Lake wind advisories will be required. Tuesday, clear, colder, high upper 60s with wind northeast to east 10 to 15 mph.

Tigers face Steers in race for playoffs

ABILENE - It's round three, or maybe five, here Tuesday as the Tigers of Coach Larry Scott square off against the Big Spring Steers in a boy's basketball game

one more time. This one is for all the marbles, though. Snyder and Big Spring clash at 7 p.m. here Tuesday in Hardin-

Simmons University's Mabee Complex to determine the second place team in District 2-4A. More importantly, the winner heads for the Class 4A state playoffs.

Tickets are \$4 for adults and \$2 for students. Snyder will be the home team and its fans will sit on the east side of the gymnasium.

Tuesday's meeting will be the fifth of the season between the two teams. Big Spring won the

first two pre-district games 68-58 and 70-56, but Snyder shocked the Steers in Scurry County Coliseum when it counted - in district play, 66-67. The Steers came back to win the second loop confrontation in Big Spring, in overtime, 58-57.

The teams boast similar records. Snyder goes into Mabee Complex with a 22-8 mark while Big Spring is 23-9. Both teams compiled 13-3 district records.

Tough luck for some but Gafford qualifies

DALLAS - Snyder's delegation of martial arts competitors met up with some tough luck at the Texas State Tae Kwon Do Championships here last weekend but did qualify one individual to nationals.

Two competitors were forced to withdraw after an apparent illegal punch sent Rusty Radican to the hospital. Radican, who reached the third round undefeated, was struck in the throat with a blow. He won the fight, but had trouble breathing. West Texas TKD Academy instructor Greg Gafford won his first fight, but withdrew to assist Radican.

Also suffering injury was Donna Gafford. She is nursing a broken nose, but did finish third in the women's lightweight competition to qualify for nationals in Miami, Fla.

Snyder's other adult black belt entry, Roy Thompson, had the misfortune to be paired against defending champion Frank Santarosa in the first round and lost.

In junior competition involving Snyder students, Marco Hinojos won second in free sparring and Tammy Halkowitz took first place in free sparring and third in forms.

In the adult division, blue belt, Jim Robbins placed third in forms.

Westerners in Roswell

ROSWELL, N.M. - Western Texas College's Westerners play their final road game of the season here tonight, taking on the Broncos of New Mexico Military Institute.

Tipoff is 8 p.m., CST. Western is 7-21 overall and 4-9 in conference play. NMMI goes into the game with records of 10-19 for the season and 2-12 in the WJAC.

The Westerners close out the 1987-88 season with back-to-back home games, hosting Clarendon on Thursday, Feb. 25, and South Plains on Saturday, Feb. 27.

Ira boys clash Tuesday

Ira's Bulldogs, District 17-A champions this season, will take on Aspermont in the second game of a boy's Class A basketball double header here Tuesday, Feb. 23.

District 18-A champion Roby will battle Westbrook in the tipoff game at 6:30 p.m. Ira and Aspermont square off at 8 p.m. Both games will be held at Scurry County Coliseum.

Tickets are \$2.

Roby-Novice play here

Snyder High School Gym will be the site of a girl's basketball playoff game Tuesday at 8:30 p.m.

Roby girls (18A runnerup), 21-10, take on Novice (24A winner), 26-3, in the high school gym.

Tickets will be \$2 at the door.

As Baylor upends Arkansas...

Ponies take over SWC lead

by The Associated Press Southern Methodist has to play two basketball games this week before hostile audiences as it tries to hold onto first place in the Southwest Conference.

SMU grabbed sole ownership of first place for the second time this season with a clutch 87-84 overtime victory against the Houston Cougars while co-leader Arkansas suffered a 58-57 loss to Baylor in Heart O' Texas Coliseum Saturday.

SMU knows about the perils of playing in Waco, having lost by 22 points there after getting the league lead several weeks ago.

SMU Coach Dave Bliss said he

hopes the Mustangs learned their lesson the first time.

"We have a tough two weeks ahead and I just hope we can keep up with a bounty hunting type effort," Bliss said. "I know one thing. That victory over Houston is one we will treasure for a long time."

It will be a tough road for SMU.

The Mustangs, who are 10-3 in SWC play and 21-5 overall, travel to Texas Tech on Wednesday and Texas on Saturday night. The Mustangs don't play at home again until they entertain Texas Christian on March 2.

Arkansas, 9-4 and 18-6, will be resting on Wednesday and

hosting Rice on Saturday so the league chase is far from over.

In other league games on Wednesday, Baylor is at Rice, Houston is at A&M, and Texas is at TCU.

Baylor, Houston, and Texas are tied for third with 7-5 ledgers while A&M is 6-6, Texas Tech is 4-8 and TCU and Rice are tied for the all important eighth spot with 3-10 records. The last place team doesn't go to the league tournament.

In other games Saturday, A&M downed Rice 67-55 in Houston while Tech beat TCU 68-58 in overtime.

Tech Coach Gerald Myers

reached the 300-victory plateau with the Red Raiders' triumph over TCU.

The Raiders had lost five straight games trying to get it.

Razorbacks win SWC indoor meet

FORT WORTH, Texas (AP) - Arkansas Razorback track Coach John McDonnell says accepting the men's Southwest Conference Indoor Track and Field Championship trophy is never dull.

The Razorbacks collected their eighth consecutive trophy Saturday.

Arkansas piled up 143½ points to 89 for Houston 67 for Baylor, 62½ for Texas Tech, 59 for Texas, 46 for Texas A&M, 31 for TCU, 29 for SMU and 15½ for Rice.

Next for the Hogs is the NCAA Indoor championships March 11-12 in Oklahoma City where they've won four consecutive titles.

The Razorbacks were led by Joe Falcoz who won the 3,000 meter run and the mile run.

Arkansas scored 23 points in the mile run to put the meet away in Tarrant County Convention Center. The Hogs had scored 25 points in the 3000 meter run on Friday to intimidate the opposition.

Baseball team opens season with Lubbock Estacado here

Snyder opens its 1988 baseball season here Tuesday, still looking for some offense.

Coach Albert Lewis' bunch geared up for the opener with Estacado by scrimmaging Midland Lee here last Saturday. Midland edged the Tigers in runs, 4-3.

"It was a good one for both sides. We got five hits and they got five hits. We made an error in the first inning and they got two runs we never got back," said Coach Lewis. "Pitching and defensively we did okay. We've got to get some offense somewhere."

Lewis said pitchers Lee Fletcher and Bart Morton continued to look impressive early while Tracy Odom is a bright spot at

catcher.

Fletcher will get the nod for the season opener, 5 p.m. at Moffett Field. The junior right hander pitched five innings last season. Morton will likely relieve if necessary.

The lineup and batting order for the Tigers has Wayne Ware

leading off and playing right field followed by Odom, left fielder Scott Lanier, first baseman David Martinez, Morris at second base, short stop Brad Gartman, third-sacker Bert Otto, Fletcher, and center fielder Bert Merritt. Joey Felan will DH for Merritt.



CLOSE OUT - Snyder's Joey Felan is called out at third base during Saturday's scrimmage with Midland Lee here. It was the Tigers' final scrimmage before the season opener, scheduled for 5 p.m. here Tuesday with Lubbock Estacado. (SDN Staff Photo)

Girls play first tourney

BIG SPRING - Experience is what they needed and experience is what Snyder's young girl's golfers got here last weekend.

"This was the first time some of these girls had ever played 18 holes and I was real proud of them," said Coach Penny Hughes, who took a contingent of freshmen and sophomores to play in the Big Spring Invitational Tournament.

The girls gear up again this Thursday and Friday for the Odessa Tournament.

Snyder A-team shot a 904 to place 10th out of 20 teams in last weekend's competition. The B-squad was 19th with a 1,038.

Midland's 786 ran away with top honors. Andrews was second with a 799, followed by Plainview with an 805. Among the other 17 teams entered were Fort Stockton and Big Spring, which both turned in 851s, and Lamesa, which shot a 1,018.

Players and their scores from Snyder A-team were Jamie Leatherwood 107-114-221, Jacy LaRoux 122-123-245, Amy Armstrong 110-109-219 and Kim Duncan 112-104-216.

For the B-team it was Jerra Jackson 128-122-250, Denise Thompson 131-133-264, Lacia Ward 147-138-285 and Stacie Cline 122-117-239.

Hereford's Amy Conaway took medalist honors with an 85-81-166. Runnerup was Sally McMullan of Plainview with an 85-84-169.

Boys finish in fourth place at Big Spring golf tourney

BIG SPRING - Coach Mackey Greene's Tigers took fourth place in the two-day Big Spring Invitational Golf Tournament, held here over the weekend.

The Tigers, led by Wade Hatter's second-round 75, shot a 671

for the tournament, staged at both Comanche Trails and Big Spring Country Club.

Other second-round scores were an 83 from Marc McQueen, an 87 from Mike Trull, a 92 from Ken Meckley and a 98 from Ron

Baker.

First-round leader Borger held on to win the tournament with a 633. Big Spring took second with a 642, followed by Plainview with a 651. Sixteen teams entered.

Other scores included a 674 from Sweetwater, a 684 from San Angelo Lake View, a 693 from Fort Stockton, a 709 from Big Spring B-team; and a 714 from Lamesa.

Two-round scores for Snyder were: Hatter, 85-75-160; McQueen, 80-83-163; Trull, 79-87-166; Meckley, 92-90-182; and Baker, 97-98-195.

The Tigers will play again Friday and Saturday in the Fort Stockton Tournament. They are scheduled to tee off at 9:30 a.m. Friday.

Relief pitcher Hoyt Wilhelm worked in 1,070 big league games, a record.

NBA glance

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Atlantic Division				
W	L	Pct.	GB	
Boston	36	16	.692	
Philadelphia	22	28	.440	13
New York	19	30	.388	15½
Washington	19	30	.388	15½
New Jersey	12	39	.235	23½
Central Division				
Atlanta	33	19	.635	
Detroit	31	18	.633	½
Chicago	30	22	.577	3
Indiana	26	22	.540	4
Milwaukee	27	22	.551	4½
Cleveland	26	25	.528	5½
WESTERN CONFERENCE				
Midwest Division				
W	L	Pct.	GB	
Dallas	33	17	.660	
Houston	30	19	.612	2½

Denver	29	20	.592	3½
Utah	27	24	.529	6½
San Antonio	19	29	.396	13
Sacramento	16	35	.314	17½
Pacific Division				
L.A. Lakers	42	9	.824	
Portland	30	20	.600	11½
Seattle	27	26	.509	16
Phoenix	16	34	.320	25½
Golden State	13	35	.271	27½
L.A. Clippers	11	39	.220	30½
Sunday's Games				
Cleveland 113, Chicago 111				
Milwaukee 120, Philadelphia 115, OT				
Los Angeles Lakers 117, Detroit 110				
Indiana 130, Sacramento 112				
Atlanta 129, Seattle 113				
Portland 117, San Antonio 112				
Monday's Games				
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Texans assess Robertson's impact

AUSTIN (AP) — Presidential hopeful Pat Robertson has been spending money and building an organization to do battle in the March 8 primary, but even veteran political observers in Texas say they are uncertain how strong he will be.

From the campaign generals at headquarters to the troops in the precincts, political operatives are trying to gauge the impact of Robertson on the Super Tuesday vote in Texas.

But even George Strake, Texas GOP chairman, says it's difficult to predict just how well the political newcomer will do in Vice President George Bush's adopted home.

"I can't be as accurate on that as I could on some of the others, because Robertson is working in his own group of supporters. It's not necessarily within the established mechanism of the Republican Party," Strake said.

In the Iowa caucuses, Robertson surprised by finishing second, ahead of Vice President George Bush, but behind Senate Minority Leader Bob Dole.

Recent opinion polls have shown Robertson, who refers to himself as a religious broadcaster, running third in Texas.

The Dallas Morning News and Houston Chronicle published a poll Sunday that showed Bush in front with 66 percent support, Kansas Sen. Robert Dole second at 12 percent and Robertson third at 11 percent.

Richard Murray of the University of Houston, who directed that poll and an earlier Feb. 14 canvass that showed Robertson third with 10 percent, said Robertson appears to be trying to attract non-traditional Republican voters, particularly in small towns.

"His hopes lie in getting that

vote," Murray said. Since Texas voters don't register with a party affiliation, crossover voting is easy.

But opinions differ on whether Robertson will lure traditionally Democratic voters into the GOP primary this year.

The GOP's Strake said many of the voters Robertson appears likely to attract have voted Democratic in the past.

"The people that I think he's appealing to are people who, maybe, voted for (Jimmy) Carter in '76, then tried Reagan in '80 and '84, and are for the first time getting involved in the details of the Republican Party," Strake said.

"You see his people. They're all fresh new faces. Personally, I think that's good," he said. "I view it as another opportunity for us to become the majority party in Texas."

Texas Democratic Chairman Bob Slagle strongly disagrees.

"That won't be meaningful in Texas at all," Slagle said. "I don't expect crossover voting to amount to even 1 percent, so Robertson won't drain much of anything from any Democrat."

John Stevens, regional political director for Dole, predicted that Robertson would take votes from Bush.

"We see Robertson being a factor in taking votes away from the vice president, not Dole," Stevens said. "We're expecting to get evangelical support here; we got 25 percent of that in Iowa. We're expecting a great deal of crossover support."

According to some political observers, it may be more difficult for Robertson to attract voters in some heavily Democratic areas because many local races there still are one-

party affairs where Republicans often don't field candidates for many offices.

Robertson's second-place finish in Iowa buoyed his Texas supporters. It also encouraged the candidate, who told one interviewer during a Texas campaign swing that the ability of Democrats to vote in the GOP primary would be his "secret weapon."

"I've got a tremendous appeal among Democrats, and George Bush doesn't," Robertson told The News.

Bush backers see it differently. The vice president's son, George Walker Bush, said that after his father's New Hampshire victory, it has become a Bush-Robertson race in Texas and one that the vice president will win.

"Both campaigns have good Texas organizations. I feel confident we'll beat Pat Robertson," he said.

According to year-end spending reports filed by the candidates and released Feb. 11 by the Federal Election Commission in Washington, Robertson had

spent \$817,318 in Texas. That compared to \$169,797 for Bush and considerably less for the other GOP hopefuls.

The spending and organizational work is helping expand Robertson's appeal, his campaign says.

Roy Farrell, Robertson's Dallas County coordinator, said he believes more and more mainline conservatives are moving into his candidate's camp. "I've seen us breaking out of the base of our support ... into the real conservatives," he said.

Tower: professional politicians are better at picking nominees

SAN ANTONIO, Texas (AP) — Professional politicians do a better job of selecting qualified presidential nominees than the current year-long system of primary elections, former U.S. Sen. John Tower says.

Tower made the comment Sunday during a speech at the 23rd annual convention of the National Utility Contractors Association.

Televised presidential debates are no better than "hog-calling contests," the retired Republican senator said.

The current system is a "very, very imperfect way to select a national candidate," Tower said.

Noting that senior politicians were responsible for selecting Woodrow Wilson, Franklin Roosevelt, Dwight Eisenhower and John F. Kennedy as nominees for president, Tower said, "The smoke-filled room screened out the candidates who were least competent."

Tower, a Republican who won his Senate seat in 1961 and served as chairman of the Armed Services Committee for five years before he retired in 1985, said today's system can result in a nominee who has the best commercials and who articulates his ideas best, but who may not be the best president.

"Now we have TV debates," he said, that, instead of a one-on-one debate, feature a lineup of candidates "that remind me of an East Texas hog-calling contest."

Tower also said the media's role in selecting candidates is not good.

"I don't think the mass media are capable. You don't get a balanced assessment from sensational press stories," Tower added. "The mass media have become too strong. On the whole, the media are consumed with an arrogance of power."

The mass media should be

focusing their attention on a needed overhaul on the institution of Congress, rather than trying to tear down the president.

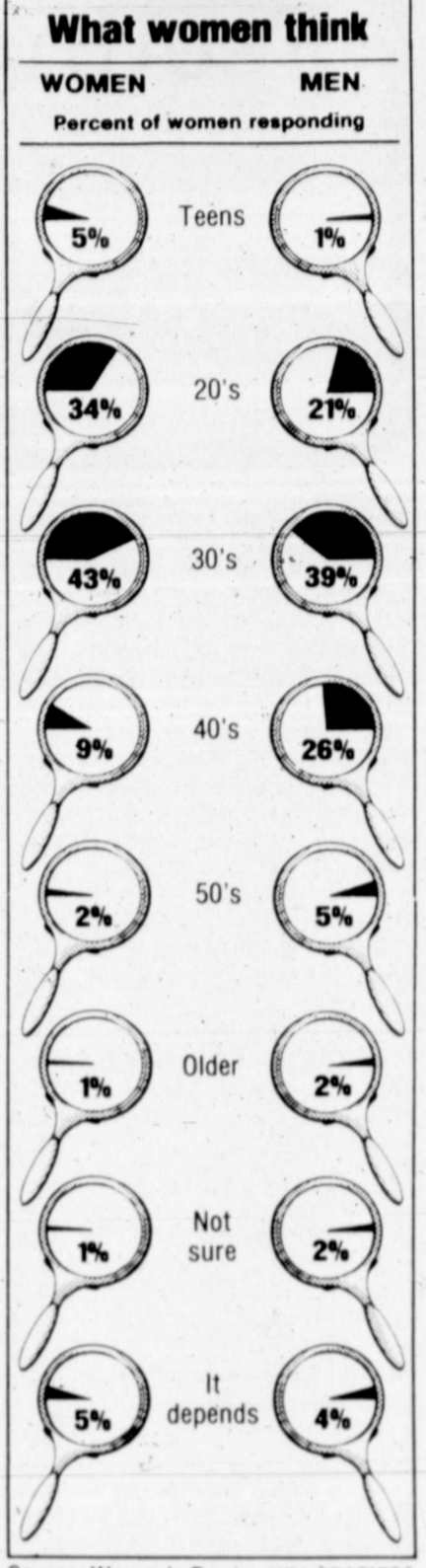
The people, he said, should select a president who can manage the government. He contended many of today's candidates are inexperienced and said the government should not be given over to management by an amateur.

Tower said he believes the American people, if well-informed in public affairs from a variety of information sources, will make the right decision.

"When you are electing the president of the United States, you are electing the leader of the free world," he said. "That is an awesome responsibility on your shoulders."

The U.S. Senate voted 76-15 on March 11, 1959, to make Hawaii the 50th state.

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Andy Warhol's legacy mirrors his life

NEW YORK (AP) — Pop artist Andy Warhol, who gained fame by calling fame fleeting, has proved otherwise by his death.

A year after his fatal heart attack in a New York hospital, Warhol's legacy is a mirror of his life: a melange of high art, low kitsch, dramatic tension and, as much as ever, the gaze of a fascinated public.

"It's going to take a while still for his legacy to be sorted out," said David Bourdon, an art critic and Warhol biographer. "But if anybody thought he was going to be a flash in the pan, they are quite mistaken."

Artistically, scrutiny of Warhol's work has risen to a level it probably never attained in his life. Major film and painting retrospectives are in the works, as are several biographies and the publication of his private journal.

Socially, the cultish lifestyle in which Warhol enveloped himself will be unwrapped this spring at a huge auction of the artist's possessions, from Old Master paintings to a Superman touch-tone phone.

Commercially, the managers of Warhol's estate have signed a licensing agreement that principals say could create a billion-dollar business in retail goods, from calendars to towels, bearing Warhol images.

And legally, in its least expected ramification, Warhol's death continues to reverberate in the medical world. The state has accused New York Hospital of rendering him deficient care, and his estate has sued over his death.

"What would he think of all this? As far as the brouhaha is concerned, it's consistent with the way he lived — action, tension, all those kinds of things," said Edward Hayes, lawyer for the estate. "But in terms of his

death? He'd probably just think his death was stupid."

Warhol, 58, died in his hospital bed early Feb. 22, 1987, the day after a surgeon removed his gall bladder. Pathologically fearful of hospitals and distrustful of doctors, he had put off the surgery for years.

His death remains an enigma. The city coroner was unable to say what caused Warhol's heart to stop, and the state Health Department, while citing deficient care, did not say the problems — such as inadequate supervision of nurses and incomplete record-keeping — harmed him.

"There are cases when cardiac arrest is unexplained. This will probably be one of those cases," said Diana Goldin, spokeswoman for the hospital, which maintains a complete record-keeping — harmed him.

Visitors here to study WTC

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Community College, Wentworth, N.C.

—Joseph Lindenfeld, of Shelby State Community College, Memphis.

—Dr. Karen A. Bowyer, president of Dyersburg State Community College in Dyersburg, Tenn.

—Dr. Gerald Mange, who headed a self-study at George C. Wallace Community College in Selma, Ala.

—Virginia Alvis, professor of business management administration at Virginia Highlands Community College, Abingdon, Va.

—John M. Schmiederer, of Palm Beach Junior College, Lake Worth, Fla.

—Dr. David A. Carter, associate executive director for the Commission on Colleges, who will be representing SACS.

that Warhol was well cared for.

In some ways, the inconclusiveness of Warhol's death is fitting. His life was equally enigmatic, a mix of nightclubbing and reticence, public persona and intense privacy, counter-culture innovation and determined marketing.

The everyday object was his icon, the provocative phrase his byword. "In the future," said Warhol's famous assertion in a 1968 exhibition catalog, "everyone will be world-famous for 15 minutes."

"He was an incredible character," said Bourdon. "There are just so many conflicting stories and irreconcilable anecdotes; I don't think it can ever be sorted out. I think he's just going to evaporate into legend. He wanted it that way. Facts were always a little unglamorous to him."

But in the absence of Warhol's own brand of glamor — his ethereal, black-draped, white-wigged presence — what remains is the reality of his art.

"You take a look at the work and the personality becomes less of an issue," said Barbara Haskell, curator of the Whitney Museum of American Art. "The social presence that he projected is no longer part of the evaluation, and one can look at the work more clearly."

That appraisal is going on intensively, as often happens after the death of an artist. The Whitney plans a spring retrospective of Warhol films. The Museum of Modern Art is preparing for a major show of

Warhol art next year; it will tour worldwide. At least four books on his life are due out soon.

"He tried to cultivate a two-dimensional persona. Now, when one begins to see the depth of who he was, it becomes more intriguing," said Haskell. "He is far more significant than he allowed his public to believe."

There are some signs already of the increased value of Warhol's work. At auction in October, a Warhol painting that was expected to sell for \$70,000 went for \$220,000; another with an estimate of \$50,000 sold for \$176,000.

Those sums pale in comparison to the potential value of an agreement between Warhol's estate and Schlaifer Nance & Co., the marketing firm behind the Cabbage Patch Kids dolls. Warhol, who often blurred the line between fine and commercial art, had started the discussions with Schlaifer two years ago.

The company may put his name and images on bedding, cosmetics, paper goods, jewelry — a huge range of retail items whose sales it has said could reach the billion-dollar level.

Fires continue in grass areas

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man took until 5:45 p.m. to disperse with.

Sunday calls started with a 1:10 p.m. call to eight miles south of the city that was over by 1:50 p.m., and a one-hour call that came in at 2 p.m. to a grass fire three miles east of Ira off FM 1606.

A 3:50 p.m. Sunday grass fire call to 11 miles east of town off U.S. 180 lasted until 5:45 p.m. The last call of the weekend sequence was from 4 p.m. to 5 p.m. 12 miles northwest of the city — another grass fire.

Obituaries

Nelle Greene

Services for Mrs. Jack "Nelle" Greene, 72, longtime Snyder resident, will be at 2 p.m. Tuesday at Bell-Cypert-Seale Chapel with the Rev. Bob Metzger, pastor of First United Methodist Church, officiating. Burial will follow at Hillside Memorial Gardens.

She died at 3:30 a.m. Monday at Casa Maria Health Care Center in Roswell, N. M. She was born July 19, 1915 in Fort Worth.

She was a homemaker and was married to Jake W. Greene in 1936 in Dallas. He died Feb. 20, 1983.

She was a member of First United Methodist Church.

She is survived by a son and daughter-in-law, Bill and Strela Greene of Roswell; two granddaughters including Shannon Calhoun of Roswell; one great-granddaughter, Brittany Calhoun; and one brother, Walton Hukill of San Angelo.

Wiley Parham

MENARD—Services were set for 2 p.m. Monday at the Menard Church of Christ for Wiley Marshall Parham, 94, who died Saturday in a De Leon nursing home. Burial was to follow in the Resthaven Cemetery in Menard.

He was the father of Marshall Parham of Snyder.

Born in McLennan County, he moved from Menard to De Leon 18 months ago. He was a retired painter, and a member of the Menard Church of Christ. He was a veteran of World War I.

Survivors include his wife, Myrtle Martin Parham of De Leon; a daughter, Jeroline Newman of De Leon; six grandchildren; and nine great-grandchildren.

Erma Marricle

LORENZO—Graveside services were set for 2 p.m. Monday in the Lorenzo Cemetery for Erma G. Marricle, 98, who died Friday in Sherwood Health Care Center.

She was the mother of Tommy Marricle of Snyder.

Born in Falls County, she moved to Lubbock in 1918. She was a homemaker, and married C. O. Marricle on March 21, 1909. He died on Jan. 29, 1960.

Survivors include two other sons, John Marricle of Abilene and Dayton Marricle of Lubbock; a daughter, Melba Franklin of Banning, Calif.; 15 grandchildren; and several great-grandchildren.

Markets

Midday Stocks

NEW YORK (AP)	High	Low	Last
AMR Corp	39 1/2	38 1/2	38 1/2
Ameritech	93 1/2	92 1/2	93
AMI Inc	14	13 1/2	13 1/2
AmStand	68	67 1/2	67 1/2
Amer T&T	29 1/2	29 1/4	29 1/4
Amoco	76	75 1/2	75 1/2
Arka	19 1/2	18 1/2	19 1/2
Armco Inc	10 1/2	10 1/4	10 1/4
ATI Richfield	78 1/2	77 1/2	77 1/2
BakerHugh	16 1/2	16 1/4	16 1/4
BancTexas	1 1/2	1 1/4	1 1/4
BellAllan	70 1/2	70	70 1/2
BellSouth	40 1/2	39 1/2	40 1/2
Beth Steel	18 1/2	18 1/4	18 1/4
Borden	54 1/2	54	54 1/2
Caterpilr	62 1/2	62 1/4	62 1/4
Centel	40 1/2	40 1/4	40 1/4
CentSo West	32 1/2	32 1/4	32 1/4
Chevron	45 1/2	45 1/4	45 1/4
Chrysler	25 1/2	24 1/2	24 1/2
Coastal	30 1/2	30 1/4	30 1/4
CocaCola	37 1/2	37 1/4	37 1/4
Coleman	35 1/2	34 1/2	35 1/2
Colg Palm	43 1/2	43 1/4	43 1/4
ComMell	29 1/2	29 1/4	29 1/4
DebitAri	47 1/2	47 1/4	47 1/4
DigitalEq	122 1/2	121 1/2	122 1/2
DowChem	85 1/2	85 1/4	85 1/4
DressInd	27 1/2	27 1/4	27 1/4
duPont	85 1/2	84 1/2	84 1/2
EstKodak	41 1/2	40 1/2	40 1/2
Enserch	17 1/2	17 1/4	17 1/4
Exxon	43 1/2	42 1/2	42 1/2
Firestone	43 1/2	42 1/2	43
FBP Tex	7 1/2	5 1/2	7 1/2
FstRepubbk	2	1 1/2	2
FlowerInd	18 1/2	18 1/4	18 1/4
FordMotr	44 1/2	44 1/4	44 1/4
GAFCp	46 1/2	46 1/4	46 1/4
GTE Corp	38 1/2	37 1/2	38 1/2
GoDynam	52 1/2	52 1/4	52 1/4
GenElet	43 1/2	43 1/4	43 1/4
GenMills	50 1/2	49 1/2	49 1/2
Gen Motors	69 1/2	68 1/2	69
GoMotr E	38 1/2	37 1/2	38
Goodrich	44 1/2	44 1/4	44 1/4
Goodyear	58 1/2	57 1/2	58 1/2
GTATPac	37 1/2	36 1/2	37 1/2
Gulf StatUt	6 1/2	6 1/4	6 1/4
Haliburtn	31 1/2	31 1/4	31 1/4
Holiday Cp	25 1/2	25 1/4	25 1/4
HollyFarm	31 1/2	31 1/4	31 1/4
Houston	32 1/2	32 1/4	32 1/4
IBM	113 1/2	113 1/4	113 1/4
IntlPaper	42 1/2	41 1/2	41 1/2
JohnsJn	81	80 1/2	80 1/2
K mart	33 1/2	33 1/4	33 1/4
Kroger	28 1/2	28 1/4	28 1/4
vjLTV Cp	3 1/2	3 1/4	3 1/4
Litton Ind	7 1/2	7 1/4	7 1/4
LoneSta Ind	29 1/2	28 1/2	28 1/2
Lowes	19 1/2	19 1/4	19 1/4
Lubys	23 1/2	23 1/4	23 1/4
M Corp	3 1/2	3 1/4	3 1/4
Maxus n	7 1/2	6 1/2	6 1/2
MayDSI	35 1/2	34 1/2	34 1/2
Medtronic	91 1/2	91 1/4	91 1/4
Mobil	44 1/2	44 1/4	44 1/4
Monasanto	88 1/2	87 1/2	88
Motorola	45 1/2	44 1/2	45 1/2
Navistar	4 1/2	4 1/4	4 1/4
Nynex	68 1/2	68 1/4	68 1/4
PacTel	29 1/2	28 1/2	28 1/2
PennycJC	47 1/2	46 1/2	46 1/2
Phelps Dod	37 1/2	37 1/4	37 1/4
PhilipPet	15 1/2	15 1/4	15 1/4
Polaroid	29 1/2	28 1/2	29 1/2
Primerica	29 1/2	28 1/2	29 1/2
ProctGamb	82 1/2	81 1/2	82 1/2
PubS NwMx	19 1/2	19 1/4	19 1/4
Sabine	15 1/2	15 1/4	15 1/4
SFEouP	22 1/2	22 1/4	22 1/4
SearsRoeb	36 1/2	35 1/2	36 1/2
SherwinWm	29 1/2	28 1/2	29 1/2
Singer Co	49 1/2	49 1/4	49 1/4
Southern Co	23 1/2	23 1/4	23 1/4
SwatAir	16 1/2	16 1/4	16 1/4
SwatBell	37 1/2	37 1/4	37 1/4
SunComp	56 1/2	55 1/2	56 1/2
TNP Ent	18 1/2	18 1/4	18 1/4
Tandy	38 1/2	37 1/2	37 1/2
Tempilaid	48 1/2	47 1/2	47 1/2
Tenneco	41 1/2	40 1/2	41 1/2
vjTexaco	43 1/2	42 1/2	42 1/2
TexAmbch	3 1/2	3 1/4	3 1/4
TexEastn	28 1/2	27 1/2	28 1/2
TexasInd	32 1/2	32 1/4	32 1/4
TexasInt	50 1/2	49 1/2	50 1/2
Tex Util	29 1/2	29 1/4	29 1/4
Textron	24 1/2	23 1/2	24 1/2
Tyler	11 1/2	11 1/4	11 1/4
USX Corp	32 1/2	31 1/2	31 1/2
UnCarbde	22 1/2	22 1/4	22 1/4
UnPacCp	58 1/2	58 1/4	58 1/4
US West	54 1/2	54 1/4	54 1/4
UnTel	30 1/2	30 1/4	30 1/4
Unocal	33 1/2	32 1/2	33 1/2
WalMart	27 1/2	27 1/4	27 1/4
WestgEL	50 1/2	50 1/4	50 1/4
Xerox Cp	56 1/2	55 1/2	56 1/2
ZenithE	18 1/2	17 1/2	17 1/2

Warhol may have approved; "Being good in business," he wrote in 1975, "is the most fascinating kind of art."

But for all the marketing schemes and planned art shows, Warhol's legacy may make its brash statement in April and May, when Sotheby's auction house sells the entire, eclectic assortment of artworks and knickknacks that cluttered his Manhattan townhouse. Proceeds will fund a foundation for the visual arts.

The sale is classic Warhol: The six-volume catalog, selling for \$95, is Sotheby's costliest ever, and the first to be sold in advance in bookstores nationwide. The pieces include 134 pottery cookie jars, a Rolls Royce, a few important modern art works. Sotheby's forecasts a \$10 million to \$15 million sale; other estimates are more than twice that. The crowd of bidders is sure to glitter.

The artist, his friends say, would have loved the fuss — but in his own, unrevealing way.

"There's been a much heightened interest, naturally," said Fred Hughes, his longtime manager and now executor of his estate. "Warhol was a hard guy to figure out his reaction. But I think he would have taken it in his stride."

Court hears NTS program

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said they would make a decision within two weeks.

Johnson had analyzed a recent bill from the sheriff's office, and he said the \$290.57 bill from AT&T would have been \$225.72 from NTS.

Insuranceman Rick Hall appeared to say the one-year renewal due from his agency, Snyder Insurance, for 81 county vehicles will be \$15,000, a decrease from the \$16,000 that the policy cost for 1987-88.

However, he said state law requires such vehicles as road graders to be included in automobile insurance coverage this year at an as yet to be determined cost.

Weekend wrecks have hit-and-runs

A 1985 Pontiac driven by Kathy Suggs Parker of Rt. 1, Box 862, was in collision with a 1984 Chevrolet driven by Barbara Lee Hay of Cheyenne, Okla., at 2:50 p.m. Saturday in the parking lot of a College Ave. restaurant.

An unknown vehicle and driver hit a fence owned by Bobby Robinson in the 900 Block of 31st St. in an incident discovered at 10:01 a.m. Saturday. Damage to the fence was estimated at \$100.

An unknown vehicle and driver hit a 1985 Mercury Cougar owned by Robert Barbee of Rt. 1, Snyder, in an incident discovered at 10:24 p.m. Sunday in the Western Texas College dormitory parking lot.

On July 1, 1896, Theodore Roosevelt and his "Rough Riders" carried out a victorious assault on San Juan Hill in Cuba during the Spanish-American War.

Lawsuit amended with allegations

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Plaintiffs claim that representatives of the city and industrial foundations made "misrepresentations...for the purpose of deception."

Plaintiffs further claim that defendants made false and misleading representations to taxpayers...in an effort to deceive citizens as to the true nature of ownership of certain property in the Snyder area."

The suit claims the TDC violated its own rules by allowing Snyder representatives to supplement their proposals after the deadline for submission to the state, and further claims other cities were not afforded the same opportunity.

Plaintiffs further contend the state violated its own rules by failing to hold a public hearing in Scurry county, preventing affected people an opportunity to express their opinion regarding the prison site proposal.

Plaintiffs further claim the city, at the time the proposal was submitted, "well knew that its present public water system and sewage disposal system were both in a state of disrepair and inadequate to handle the demand of the city, much less the added demand...of the intended prison."

Plaintiffs further state the agreement to build a water storage tank at the approximate cost of \$225,000 is an illegal expenditure of city funds and a proper expense of TDC.

The suit contends that the Snyder applicants were given "favored treatment" and permitted to amend their bid "due to the influence of a lobbyist who had close connections with one or more members of the Texas Board of Corrections."

Plaintiffs further contend that public funds were used to pay the lobbyist and that the amount of such payments were concealed.

The amended suit further contends the TDC conspired with proponents to conceal from local residents the details of the proposal.

The amended suit was to be served to Secretary of State Jack Rains in Austin and TDC Board Chairman Charles Terrell in Dallas.



FILMETER

What's new in movies and video
Robert DiMatteo

By Robert DiMatteo

In Movie Theaters

SHOOT TO KILL (R) Touchstone Pictures has what amounts to a line of "products" — machine-tooled movies (including the witty "Outrageous Fortune," the romantic "Stakeout" and the cute "Three Men and a Cradle") that reactivate well-tested formulas.

The latest Touchstone release continues to play it safe: a slam-bang thriller that pivots on the racially mixed buddy formula familiar from movies like "The Defiant Ones" and the recent "Lethal Weapon." This time we get Sidney Poitier (in his first film role in a decade) as a street-smart FBI agent tracking a murderer in the Pacific Northwest. His helper is Tom Berenger, a woods-smart trail guide whose girlfriend (Kirstie Alley) is the murderer's latest hostage.

The movie smells like another hit for Touchstone, and it passes the time painlessly enough. But this goes-down-easy-with-popcorn sort of flick is not to be mistaken for a good movie. "Shoot to Kill" leaves no imprint whatsoever. You can barely remember what you just saw even as you're filing out of the theater.

The talents involved could have done a lot more. The movie's director, Roger Spottiswoode ("Under Fire"), is a man of skill and intelligence. And Sidney Poitier remains an authoritative actor — even in the kind of pat-

ented super-black role he did to death in the '60s.

So why couldn't the three writers who received screen credit have come up with a real script? They've settled for a schematic situation stretched as far as possible, with synthetic calamities befalling the protagonists on schedule.

Some of the outdoors adventure stuff is vivid (particularly a stomach-churning fall that Berenger — or his stunt man — takes from a mountain). And the wary relationship between black and white protagonists has its amusing elements. But that's it.

Kirstie Alley is emblematic of the movie's waste: Alley's mountain-girl get-up amounts to virtually her whole character. **GRADE: ★★**

COP (R) This film noir-type thriller starring James Woods as an obsessive cop tracking a serial murderer ends up ludicrously sordid, but "COP" does follow through on its darker implications, evoking a strange kinship between its cop and killer.

Written for the screen and directed by James B. Harris, the movie takes place in a contemporary version of Raymond Chandler's L.A. — a glittering, seedy, semitropical realm. Woods' cop is a philanderer whose marriage is falling apart; his idea of a bedtime story for his daughter is a gory rundown of one of his cases. "Tell me how you got the scumbag, Daddy," his little blond darling

pleads.) Along the way to solving the seamy case, the cop

Berry's World



"Where were you when I was still smoking?"

Van Cliburn returns to playing

FORT WORTH, Texas (AP) — The American public next month will get its first chance in 10 years to see and hear pianist Van Cliburn, who says he stopped playing in 1978 because he needed a short rest.

Cliburn broke his long, self-imposed silence with a performance at the White House during a summit meeting in December, when Soviet leader Mikhail Gorbachev was visiting.

"I suppose I was waiting for the right moment to come along. The White House was it. This was something I couldn't have refused even if I had wanted to," Cliburn told the Dallas Morning News.

Since the performance, there has been a steady flow of offers for Cliburn, who said he would perform in Texas next season.

So far he has accepted only one offer — conductor Zubin Mehta's invitation to accompany the New York Philharmonic on its first tour of the Soviet Union in 15 years.

"I'm trying not to get too excited about it, but of course I am. I know I'm going to program the Tchaikovsky Concerto. I told Zubin I don't see how I could go back to Russia and not play it. What else I'll play, I haven't decided, because I'm not certain how many times I'll have to play on the tour."

Autopsy: crash victims died on impact

EL PASO, Texas (AP) — A preliminary autopsy indicates the three victims of an El Paso plane crash were killed on impact, but that news comes as little comfort to the man who tried to save an 11-year-old boy from the fiery wreckage.

"But I'm doing a lot better," Chuck Espersen told the El Paso Times Sunday night. "Somehow or another I'm finally coping. Yet, the effect on me has been profound."

Espersen, 45, a refrigeration contractor, rushed to the crash just before 9 a.m. Friday to try to pull Jesus Aaron Puentes from the burning twin-engine plane.

The plane had crashed onto an interstate access road as it was attempting to return to El Paso

International Airport.

The boy's mother, Rosa Linda Puentes, 31, and the plane's pilot, Donald McCoy, 57, also died in the crash.

"On reflection," Espersen said, "when I finally got him away from the wreck, and gasoline was on him and he was burning, and after I splashed water on him, I saw that the back of his head was so damaged that I knew, really, that he wasn't alive."

Dr. Jose Ruffier, El Paso County deputy medical examiner, said Sunday that his preliminary autopsy indicates the three died of multiple trauma from the crash rather than burns from the subsequent fire and explosions.

"I know the man tried to save

the child because the child was moving. But the child was dead. These people had trauma enough to stop their heart and brain functions, but still, some systems can keep your body moving," he said.

Espersen said that he has received numerous calls from throughout the country thanking him for trying to save the child, but one call from a Kentucky woman stands out.

"She told me that two of her daughters had been pulled from a flaming car crash by a man who didn't give his name. She said one of her daughters had survived but both would have died if he hadn't helped."

"She told me she couldn't thank him, so she wanted to thank me."

Espersen said, "You know, I'm not a hero, just another person trying to pay back a little of what the world has given me. I did what I did because I had to react."

"I think that when there are so many bad things in the world, it's nice to know there is love, too. I'm not part of an organized religion but I have a deep personal faith, based on the belief that survival of the human race depends on people being human to each other."

And Espersen said he is happy that what he tried to do may be making other people think more about love and caring.

"I'm a single parent and I know I've sure been hugging my son a lot since Friday."

Meaning, context of words key to suit

HOUSTON (AP) — The double entendre of words and their context in Soldier of Fortune magazine ads looms as a key question jurors must decide as testimony in a multimillion-dollar lawsuit against the publication enters its second week.

The family of Sandra Black alleges a classified ad in the Boulder, Colo.-based publication led to Mrs. Black's slaying at her home in Bryan in 1985. They're seeking \$22.5 million from Soldier of Fortune, the self-proclaimed "Journal for Professional Adventurers."

The ad brought Mrs. Black's husband, Robert, together with John Wayne Hearn, who placed the ad. Black is on Texas' death row for paying Hearn \$10,000 to carry out the killing. Hearn is

testified last week the reference to "high-risk" meant the person placing the ad was willing to commit a crime.

Also debated during two days of examination of Dietz was his study of similar kinds of words which appeared in the magazine's personal services classified ads from 1975 until September 1984, when Hearn's ad first ran.

Specifically, was the term "mechanic," which appeared frequently, referring to a hitman, or could it mean someone who repairs machinery, like a helicopter?

Or what did Hearn mean in his 1984 ad, which cited among his areas of expertise "pilot, M.E.," Dietz said his study showed it meant "management explosives." The magazine believ-

ed it meant "pilot, multi-engine," meaning he could fly a multi-engine plane.

Someone advertising expertise in "jungle fighting" could not be considered criminal because there is no jungle in the United States, magazine attorneys said. But Dietz said he interpreted that reference to providing transportation for illegal drugs through Florida swamps.

Dietz, however, who said he studied some 15,000 classified ads, said he could not scientifically verify the results of his keyword study, which attempted to prove which ads likely would result in criminal activity.

Galileo, the Italian astronomer and physicist, was summoned to Rome in 1632 by the Inquisition to answer charges of heresy.

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Farm mutuals developed in the late 1800s when Texas was experiencing tremendous population growth in rural areas. The big-city companies were not very interested in providing insurance protection for farmers, so the farmers got together and created their own way of helping families who suffered losses.

A farm mutual is really an association of individuals which operates through a system of lodges, locals, or branches. It has no stockholders and is non-profit. Each policy holder is actually an owner of the company and has a voice in the election of branch officers as well as the board of directors who govern the operation of the company. Thus, farm mutuals can provide protection for their members at prices they can afford.

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Quintuplets face 18th birthday

FAR HILLS, N.J. (AP) — Sara and Amy Kienast glare at each other over feet propped on the dining room table and argue the finer points of rock 'n' roll music. They both like it, but Amy wouldn't be caught listening to the rock group REM.

And so it goes with the Kienast quintuplets: They are so much alike yet so different.

Sara, Amy, Abby, Ted and Gordon turn 18 on Wednesday and hope the day marks the end of media-mobbed birthdays and the beginning of separate lives.

"We've been five all our lives. Now is our chance to be one," said Sara as her brothers and sisters nod in agreement. "We want to make a name for ourselves, by ourselves."

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Say charges 'double standard'

WASHINGTON (AP) — The sister of the longest-held American hostage in Lebanon says U.S. officials display a double standard by working hardest to free the most recent captives.

Peggy Say, who has unflinchingly worked for freedom for her brother Terry Anderson, said Reagan administration officials indicated recently that no progress has been made to win his release.

"I will not stand by and watch

somebody else come out while my brother stays behind," Mrs. Say said in an interview broadcast Sunday on CBS-TV's "Face the Nation."

Anderson, chief Middle East correspondent of The Associated Press, was abducted March 16, 1985. He is among nine Americans being held hostage in Lebanon, including recent abductee Marine Lt. Col. William R. Higgins, who was kidnapped Wednesday.

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