

Prison suits combined, timetable set

By DONNY BROWN
SDN Managing Editor

Five lawsuits attempting to block construction of the Texas Department of Corrections prison in Scurry County were consolidated into a single action and a five-week time frame for further legal wrangling was set by visiting judge Joe Evins during a three-hour hearing in 132nd District Court Friday.

The afternoon produced also the first answer by defendants—which include the city, county, Board of County Development and Industrial Foundation—to allegations made by plaintiffs in the lawsuit.

In addition, it was revealed a settlement offer had been made

by plaintiffs Thursday, terms apparently readily rejected by the groups which helped secure the prison project here.

In response to the settlement offer, Lubbock attorney Brad Crawford, who represents the county in the lawsuit, commented to the judge, "If (the settlement offer) missed anything in their pleadings, I didn't see it," an indication that the terms specified in the settlement would see county officials in effect agreeing to allegations made against them.

The time frame set by Judge Evins directed plaintiffs attorney George Thompson of Lubbock to finalize his pleadings in the case—the specific legal reasons as to

why plaintiffs feel the local offer to TDC was illegal—by March 25.

At the end of this two-week period, Evins commented, "Then you'll see where the lawsuit is."

Thompson had argued that he needed more time to consolidate his legal allegations against the prison bid offers and, as a result, received at least a two-week reprieve from an earlier pre-trial date directed by Evins.

He had first instructed attorneys to be ready for a pre-trial hearing on April 4. To offer both sides more time, he amended this to an April 15 deadline to file all answers to motions made in the case through March 25.

Evins indicated he will then set a pre-trial date in Snyder "as

soon as my schedule will allow" after April 15.

Regarding these motions, Crawford filed Friday his answers to plaintiff's allegations against the prison bid. Included in this was a motion for a summary judgment in favor of the county, a legal option which directs that all allegations made by the plaintiffs can be answered by existing laws and do not require a jury decision.

A summary judgment, if agreed to for either side by the presiding judge, would effectively end the case.

Evins indicated he will rule on the summary judgment motion as well as other filings submitted through March 25 at the as-yet

unscheduled pre-trial hearing.

In his comments to Evins, Crawford addressed his basic reasons in seeking the summary judgment.

Included in these was a precedent in the law that the plaintiffs opposing the prison project have a "lack of standing."

This indicates that, as individuals, they have no right to bring suit against the project since in no way are they "uniquely affected" by its construction.

"They will not be affected any differently than any other county resident, and as a result have no right to bring suit against it," Crawford commented.

He also pointed to his contentions.

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Ask Us

Q. — Why wasn't the same special issue question on both the Republican and Democratic ballot last Tuesday?

A. — Special issue questions are proposed and voted on by each party's executive committee, a 62-member body comprised of two individuals from each senatorial district in Texas. The process is similar to the one used for individual party referendums—which become part of the party platform—proposed and voted on at county and state conventions.

Local

Finnell here

State Rep. Charles Finnell (D-Holliday) will be in Snyder Monday as part of his campaign for the state senate seat to be vacated by Ray Farabee.

Finnell will be at the Snyder Chamber of Commerce office at 2 p.m. Monday. He will be accompanied by his wife Kay.

All interested persons are invited.

Filing 'hold'

Candidate filing for both the Snyder school board and the Western Texas College board will be "on hold" next week as offices for both are closed with spring break.

The deadline to file for both boards is March 23 and potential candidates will have three business days to sign up once both reopen on Monday, March 21.

Filing for the Snyder city council will continue next week at city hall.

Fish fry set

Members of the Golden K Kiwanis Club will be serving golden fried fish from 11 a.m. to 1:30 p.m. Sunday in the Senior Center at 2603 Avenue M. Tickets are \$5 each and can be purchased in advance from club members or at the door. Proceeds go for club projects.

The Golden K is made up of persons 60 and older and meets at noon each Tuesday in the Senior Center.

Ira project

The Ira PTA is now selling candy as a fund raising project for the new marquee to be placed in front of the school.

Candy orders are now in. For more information, contact Gwen Cumbie at 573-3298 or Susan White at 573-3895.

The marquee will be purchased by the PTA and the Ira Booster Club.

Museum open

The Scurry County Museum on the campus of Western Texas College will be open Sunday from 1 until 4 p.m.

The museum will be closed Monday through Friday due to spring break. It will be open next Sunday, March 20, also.

Weather

Snyder Temperatures: High Friday, 71 degrees; low, 34 degrees; reading at 7 a.m. Saturday, 34 degrees; no precipitation; total precipitation for 1988 to date, 34 inches.

West Texas: Highs Sunday mid 40s Panhandle to mid 60s far West to mid 70s along the Rio Grande in the Big Bend.

The Snyder Daily News

Industry statistics indicate Cogdell's staffing 'too high'

The Cogdell Memorial Hospital board of managers Friday heard administrator Thomas Hochwalt report that, according to industry-wide patient-staff ratios, the hospital has too many full-time employees.

Nationally, hospitals have an average of 3.04 staff members for every occupied bed, although the

average for rural hospitals is closer to 4 to 1, Hochwalt said.

On the basis of the 3.04-to-1 ratio, the administrator said, Cogdell, averaging 29 patients per day, should have 88 full-time equivalent (FTE) employees. On a 4 to 1 ratio, the number would be 116. The hospital's current level is 157 full-time staffers.

In his conclusion on the "financial impact of excess staffing," Hochwalt said that "for every 10 FTE excess, we are depleting net income by \$147,470."

He noted the report was for the board's information, preparatory to the presentation of a staffing analysis at the

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DRIVER HURT — Emergency personnel work to extricate 70-year-old Verna Wilson from a car that collided with two parked autos Friday afternoon in the 3400 Block of Ave. C. She was listed in stable condition Saturday at Cogdell Memorial. (SDN Staff Photo by Bob Campbell)

Elderly driver hurt in three-auto wreck

A 70-year-old Snyder woman was listed in stable condition at Cogdell Memorial Hospital Saturday with injuries suffered in a three-car pile-up at 3:28 p.m. Friday in the 3400 Block of Ave. C.

Police said Verna McDougle Wilson of 205 33rd St. was driving a 1978 Mercury Cougar that hit two parked cars, a 1972 Volkswagen owned by Chas Harris of Rt. 1, Box 328, and a 1970 Volkswagen stationwagon owned by Lenneth Crowder of 300 34th

St. All three cars were towed from the scene after emergency personnel took about 20 minutes to pry open the doors of the Mercury and remove Mrs. Wilson from the car, which was piled up against the 1972 Volkswagen in the east ditch of the street.

A hospital spokesman said Saturday that she suffered serious contusions and bruises, including a possible lower back injury, but had no broken bones.



FRAN FARMER
...promoted...

Olney Savings staffer named vice president

Olney Savings Chairman and Chief Executive Officer Alan D. Myers Jr. has announced the promotion of Fran Farmer, manager of the Olney Savings branch office in Snyder, to vice president.

Farmer became an employee of Olney Savings in May of 1986 when the Snyder branch of First Federal Savings and Loan of Big Spring was acquired. She had begun work at First Federal as

assistant branch manager when it opened in January, 1977.

Farmer is a graduate of Snyder High School and attended Western Texas College. She is active in Scurry County United Way, Cystic Fibrosis Foundation, the Extension Home Economics Committee of Scurry County, American Cancer Society and is a member of the Snyder Gold Coats.

The SDN Column

By Roy McQueen

The feller on Deep Creek says, "Congress is back at work. So much for a good year."

Two months of 1988 are now history, and many devout makers of resolutions have already bitten the dust. For many, the holiday feasts of 1987 are literally "hanging around."

Two of the biggest sellers in most bookstores are cookbooks and diet guides.

Eddie Peterson of Eddie's Pharmacy has a new diet posted in his store. It is called, "Dieting Under Stress" and is designed to help you cope with the stress that builds during the day.

For breakfast one may enjoy half a grapefruit, one slice of whole wheat toast (dry, of course), and eight ounces of skim milk.

For lunch the diet calls for four ounces of lean broiled chicken breast, one cup of steamed spinach, one cup of herb tea and one Oreo cookie.

For a mid-afternoon snack, the diet suggests

the rest of the Oreos in the package, two pints of Rocky Road ice cream, one jar of hot fudge sauce topped with nuts, cherries and whipped cream.

For dinner the stressful dieter should have two loaves of garlic bread with cheese, one large pizza, a large pitcher of beer and three chocolate candy bars.

During the 10 o'clock news, consume an entire frozen cheesecake eaten directly from the freezer.

Now, that's dieting under stress.

A few weeks ago we reprinted a list of the best names which fit a person's occupation. You might remember Cardinal Sin.

Nick Williams, Snyder's assistant superintendent for business, says he has a friend who is superintendent of schools in Bledsoe—and his name is perfect for an educator charged with hiring an instructional staff.

The name: Hiram Sharp.

District now solicits ag use value forms

Taxpayers may realize some 75 percent savings by returning agricultural valuation applications recently mailed from the Scurry County Appraisal District office.

In addition, homeowners filing for homestead exemption may save some \$70 to \$150 in yearly taxes.

Applications for agricultural valuation have been mailed to land owners who do not have a current application on file in the appraisal office. The application is required if the ownership of the land has changed or if the land has changed in its use.

If the new applications are not

signed and returned to the district office, taxes must be based on the market value for 1988.

Taxpayers who have never received residence homestead exemption on the homes in which they are living on Jan. 1 and those who became 65 years of age or disabled during 1987 must apply this year to receive exemption for 1988.

Homeowners must file signed, completed applications at the appraisal district office by May 2.

For answers to questions or more information, call 573-8549 or go by 2612 College Ave. between 8:30 a.m. and 5 p.m.

Retail sales figures up

WASHINGTON (AP) — The government said Friday that retail sales edged up 0.6 percent in February, bolstered by strong demand for autos, but economists expressed worries that sales in January were much weaker than previously believed.

In good news on the inflation front, wholesale prices fell 0.2 percent in February, pushed down by drops in both food and energy costs.

For the first two months of the year, the Labor Department said prices have been rising at an annual rate of 1.1 percent, half the modest 2.2 percent increase in 1987. Analysts said inflation should remain moderate for the rest of the year.

The Commerce Department report on retail sales said that consumers purchased \$128 billion worth of goods last month, up \$714 million from January after adjusting for seasonal variations. While the February increase was in line with expectations, many economists focused on a sharp downward revision to the January data.

Instead of a 0.5 percent rise in sales, the government said sales actually fell 0.2 percent during January.



COLLECT MOST LABELS—West fourth grade students in Irene Masters class collected over 1,300 Campbell Soup labels to win the contest this school year. Students in the back row are, left to right, Beau McLeod, Chris Clifton, Preston Smith, Holli Burns, Sallie Hatter and Kelly Wilson; middle row: Kami Brown, Casey Horton, Samantha Graves, Kirsten Rinker, Sharon Gulseth, Stacie Grice and John Rambo; front row: Lochie Applin, Heath Gale, Scott Hall, David Cunningham, Waylon Wilcox, Quintin Kasperek and Jeremy Beard. (SDN Staff Photo)

Heart inflammation kills Gibb

LONDON (AP) — Andy Gibb, the British-born pop singer and former teen idol, died of heart inflammation and there was no evidence that drugs or alcohol were involved, doctors said Friday.

Constable Michael Harvey of the Oxford coroner's office said no inquest would be held because Gibb died of natural causes.

Gibb died Thursday at John Radcliffe Hospital, Oxford, after complaining of stomach pains. He was about to resume singing and start recording for Island Records after years of personal and drug problems.

Brothers Robin, Barry and Maurice of the Bee Gees singing group said the body "will be flown back to his home in Los Angeles as soon as possible and a memorial service will be held there."

"All friends and family mourn

the passing of this exceptionally talented and well-loved artist," they said in a statement issued through Robin Gibb's personal assistant, Ken Graydon.

A hospital statement Friday said: "Mr. Gibb died from inflammation of the heart of the sort commonly caused by a virus. There is no evidence that his death was related to drink or drugs."

The Bee Gees statement said: "The family and friends of the Gibbs are shocked by the untimely death of Andy Gibb. His passing was completely unexpected."

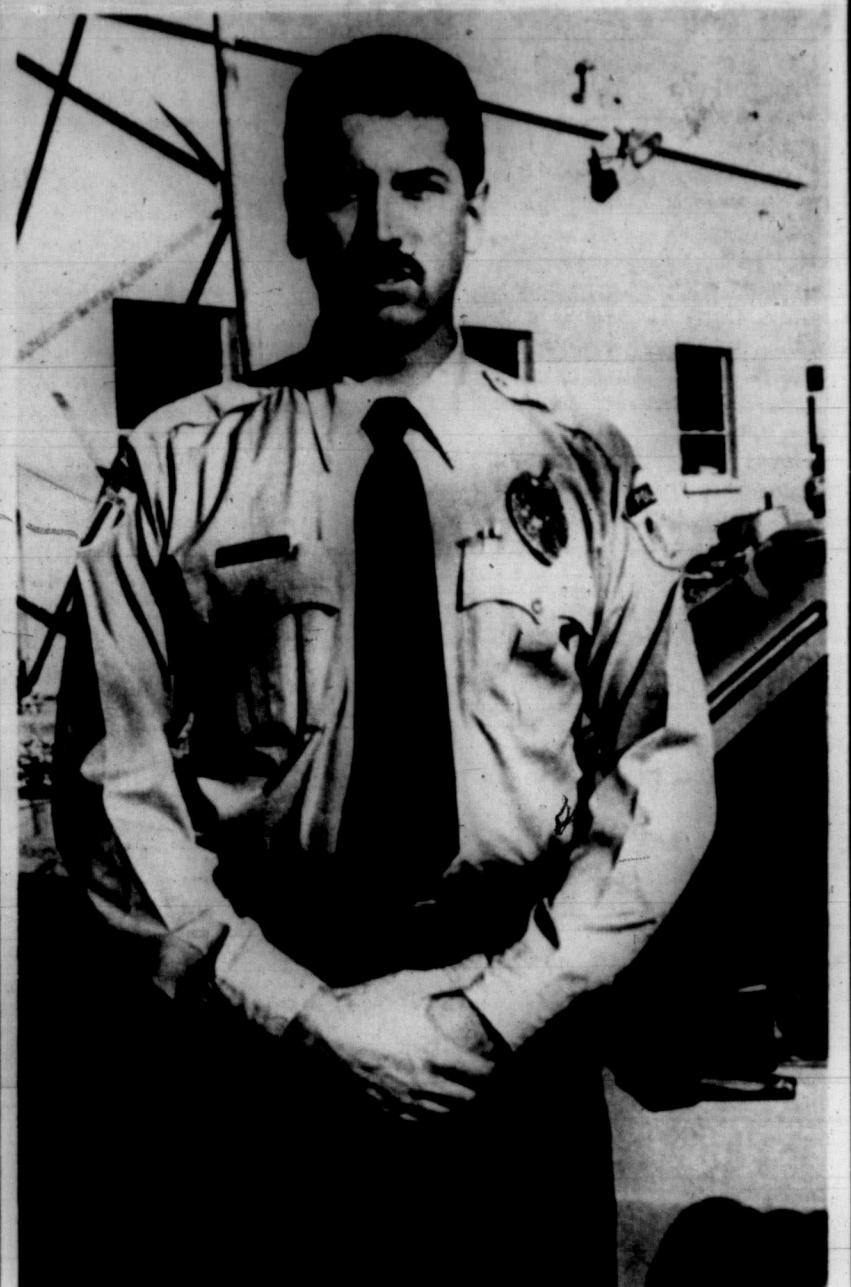
"He died of myocarditis, a rare viral infection of the heart muscle. This tends to occur without any warning and there is no effective treatment. The pathologist found no evidence that alcohol or other substances were implicated in any way."

Rob Partridge, publicist for Island Records Ltd., said Gibb became ill last weekend and was admitted to the hospital "essentially for observation."

"Prior to him falling ill, I'm unaware of any heart condition at all," Partridge said.

The abolition of slavery in Canada began in 1793 when Upper Canada officially prohibited the importation of slaves and ruled that children of slaves be free at age 25.

They Serve



CITY PATROLMAN — Trevlyn Pitner, 24, is a Snyder native who worked as an oilfield equipment salesman and co-manager of Snyder EMS Ambulance Service before joining the Snyder Police Department in August 1985. His favorite hobbies are hunting, fishing and snow skiing. He and his wife, Patti, are members of Colonial Hill Baptist Church. (SDN Staff Photo)

Gorbachev jokes about jet lag

MOSCOW (AP) — Mikhail S. Gorbachev met a delegation of U.S. senators at the Kremlin on Friday and warned them that President Reagan may have a problem with jet lag when he visits the Soviet Union later this year.

During a brief photo session at the start of the meeting with the delegation led by Sen. Alan Cranston, D-Calif., the Soviet leader said, "What time is it in Washington?"

Then, answering the question himself, he noted it was only 3 a.m., Moscow time being eight hours ahead of Washington.

"I fear this group may become a bit drowsy," the Soviet Communist Party general secretary said.

Having just visited the United States in December, Gorbachev observed that jet lag "is far more difficult when you come back."

"It will be a little difficult for the president when he comes here," Gorbachev said, referring to the next summit meeting, ex-

pected to take place in Moscow in May or June. But he added Reagan probably will spend some time in neighboring Finland before coming to Moscow to adapt to the time change.

On long trips in the past, the president usually has scheduled two or three days to relax and get over jet lag before the start of major talks.

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Snyder employs five Green Thumb staffers

Older Worker Week will be observed throughout the nation March 13-18.

Five Green Thumb workers are currently employed in Snyder. Dale Glover, Doris Bennett and Clara Lewis are employed by the Senior Citizens Center. Opal Terrell is a receptionist for the Department of Human Resources and Lula Magness works at the Snyder Day Care Center.

Glover helps transport senior citizens to and from the center to attend lunch and other social activities.

Bennett's duties include encouraging senior citizens to participate in all the center's social activities. She takes the information on all persons who need home delivered meals and she distributes the commodities to the homebound. She also keeps

up with all the paperwork pertaining to her outreach activities.

Lewis is a kitchen/dining room and senior center aide who helps keep the center neat and tidy. She also helps with general office work, performing a wide variety of jobs at the center. On the average the center serves 135 meals and 55 home delivered meals per day.

Magness helps prepare the lunches served at the Day Care Center and she helps clean up after the meals. The center provides care to about 50 children.

At the Department of Human Resources Terrell greets clients and assists them with filling out the necessary paperwork when they apply for welfare benefits.

Green Thumb is sponsored by the Texas Farmers Union. Green Thumb workers are 55 years old or older.



SENIOR CENTER WORKERS—These three Green Thumb workers are all employed by the Senior Citizens Center. They are from left, Doris Bennett, Dale Glover and Clara Lewis. (SDN Staff Photo)



RECEPTIONIST—Opal Terrell, a Green Thumb worker, is employed as a receptionist at the Department of Human Resources. (SDN Staff Photo)



DAY CARE WORKER—Lula Magness, a Green Thumb worker, works at the Day Care Center to help provide meals for the children. (SDN Staff Photo)

A Pan American World Airways jetliner crashed in flames in 1982 in a suburban residential area shortly after takeoff from New Orleans International Airport, killing 145 people on the plane and eight others on the ground.

Prime suspects released after lie detector testing

HOPE, Ark. (AP) — Two men considered the prime suspects in a two-state killing spree were released Friday night after they passed lie detector tests, authorities said.

A hearing had been scheduled for Friday night to determine if probable cause existed to continue holding the pair in connection with four brutal slayings on Monday in Gainesville, Texas; Farmersville, Texas; and Saratoga, Ark.

However, the hearing was canceled when results of the lie detector tests showed the men were not involved in the slayings, officials added.

The men were given tickets for a bus that left Hope at 11 p.m. for Terre Haute, Ind., hometown of one of the accused, officials said.

Gene Hale of Prescott, Ark., a court-appointed attorney for the men, said after looking at the lie detector tests that officials were convinced they had the wrong men in custody.

Further, prosecuting attorney Jim Hudson Jr. said a Missouri man who reported having a run-in with the apparent killers the night of the Arkansas murder

was unable Friday to identify the two men in custody as the men he clashed with earlier in the week.

The decision to release the two men was unanimous on the part of all law enforcement agencies involved, Hudson said.

Hudson would not comment on whether authorities have leads on other suspects, but said no other suspects were in custody.

The two men had been held in the Hempstead County Jail at Hope following their arrest Wednesday night while hitchhiking in Muskogee, Okla.

The men were transferred on Thursday to Hope, Hempstead County Sheriff Don Worthy said, because they matched the descriptions of a pair who hitched a ride Monday night with Kenneth Olden, 34, of Saratoga, whose body was found Tuesday, the sheriff said.

Real estate math course scheduled

Bob Pratt, supervising engineer for Mobil, will be the instructor for a real estate math course scheduled March 24-April 30 by the Western Texas College Continuing Education department.

Pratt is also a licensed realtor and displays his license at Jack & Jack Realty locally. A Snyder resident for four years, he holds the bachelor of science degree from the U. S. Military Academy at West Point and the master of science from the University of California at Berkeley. He has taught at West Point.

Real estate math offers a review and application of the basic elements of mathematics to real estate transactions. Commissions, area and volume, interest, taxes, insurance, depreciation and appreciation, discounts and closing statements are discussed.

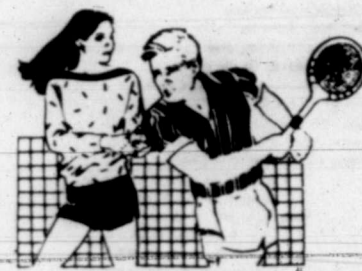
Classes will meet on five Thursday nights, all day on two Saturdays (April 9 and 23), and from 8 a.m. to noon on Saturday, April 30. Those meeting times could be changed if class members wish.

Fees for the 45-hour course are \$56.25 and students will need to provide a textbook.

To pre-register call 573-8511, ext. 240. The office will be closed this week for spring break and will re-open at 8 a.m. March 21.

Senior center menu

- MONDAY**
- Chicken Rice Vegetable Soup
- Grilled Cheese Sandwich
- Jellied Citrus Salad
- Peanut Butter/Raisin Cookies
- TUESDAY**
- Hamburger Steak w/Onions
- Scalloped Potatoes
- English Peas
- Snowball Salad
- Banana Pudding
- WEDNESDAY**
- Chili Con Carne With Beans
- Whole Kernel Corn
- Potato Salad
- Lettuce Wedge
- Cornbread
- Jello w/Topping
- THURSDAY**
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Hearing includes defendant answer

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tion that the county, as an entity, has the same rights of "sovereignty" as the State of Texas, that is its rights take precedent over individual rights when the interest of the general public is involved.

In outlining the plaintiffs' case, Thompson argued that local governmental entities "acted improperly" by offering incentives to TDC in exchange for the prison project.

This included a charge that offering the TDC the "Wickes Building," also known as the industrial foundation building, was an "inappropriate transaction."

Also, that offering a wing at Cogdell Memorial Hospital as well as discounts for prison-related medical fees was improper; and that furnishing utility services at a "permanent discount" to TDC was improper also.

Thompson also said his clients object to dedicating "public funds" for paying at the prison site and further contended that water to be offered TDC by the city is "sub-standard."

Regarding charges leveled against the county, Crawford answered that all decisions were legally proper. "It is the right of these boards to decide, not the plaintiffs," he said.

The hearing was delayed some 40 minutes Friday after an amended motion was filed by Thompson in another attempt to have Judge Evins removed as the presiding judge.

A motion for Evins' "recusal" was heard Monday by District Judge Curt Steib of San Angelo, an action denied by the court. At the time, it was noted the plaintiffs had waived their right to ask for a new judge since they had already gone through a hearing related to the case, a docket control conference held in Kerrville Feb. 29.

In his motion, Thompson contended that Evins' appointment to hear the TDC lawsuits was for 132nd District court in Scurry County and, since the earlier hearing was in Kerr County, it was technically not a proper hearing in the case.

To rule regarding this motion, Judge Steib was contacted by telephone and he denied plaintiffs' contention.

Roundup slated by Snyder ISD

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have been scheduled: Northeast and Central Elementaries on April 12; East and North Elementaries on April 13; and West and Stanfield Elementaries on April 14.

Minorities are calling Perot racist

DALLAS (AP) — Minorities say billionaire H. Ross Perot and the Dallas police group he supports are racist because they are trying to do away with a citizens review board formed to examine complaints of police misconduct. Minority leaders say the efforts of the Dallas Police Association to abolish the Citizen Police Review Board are further polarizing the city already divided along racial lines on police issues.

"In my mind this has nothing to do with race," Perot said. "This has everything to do with constitutional rights."

In a copyright story Saturday, The Dallas Morning News reported that a survey showed most blacks and Hispanics in the city oppose the effort to abolish the board, while whites slightly favor it.

The poll conducted by the News showed 42 percent of those surveyed oppose the board, 41 support it, and 17 percent were undecided.

But 70 percent of 659 randomly selected Dallas residents said in the telephone survey they are willing to pay higher property taxes for more officers.

The Dallas Police Association gathered signatures on petitions at polling places on Super Tuesday, March 8. The predominantly white group began calling for the termination of the board after the death of Officer Gary McCarthy, who was fatally shot while trying to stop an attempted robbery last month. He was the third officer killed in a six-week period.

The 13-member review board was appointed by the City Council and later given expanded power to issue subpoenas in response to criticism of the department's use of deadly force.

"It is perceived and the perception is real, that it's a black, brown and white issue," said state Rep. Fred Blair, head of a coalition of 30 black business, community, church and elected officials. "I don't see how you could see it as anything else."

According to the News' poll 64 percent of blacks and 55 percent of Hispanics favor the review panel. About 30 percent of whites favor the board and 54 oppose it. The rest were undecided.

Hospital staff numbers studied

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March 24 board meeting. Board members took no action and expressed no opinions about the report.

Hochwalt said afterward that he will discuss the issue in greater detail when the staffing analysis is completed.

The board and administrator at length discussed the problem of collecting for debts, with Hochwalt recommending the employment of a new collection agency outside Snyder and the possible use of letters from an attorney prior to the use of a collection agency.

Some difference of opinion was aired about the sequence in which an attorney and collection agency should be used, and the administrator and board members indicated the subject will be discussed again in future meetings.

Hochwalt noted the hospital had to write-off an average of 32 cents on every dollar owed it last year, indicating this necessitates a change in policy.

He said an outside consultant had recommended the purchase of some new equipment to upgrade standards, and the board approved the purchase of a number of items.

A \$1,721 smoke-resistive door barrier for the long-term care unit, 10 metal window frames costing \$918, a \$1,325 electrosurgery analyzer to gauge the output on the operating room's cauterizing unit and kitchen countertops costing \$760 were all approved for purchase from medical supply companies.

The board okayed Hochwalt's proposal to spend \$7,000 to rebuild with all new parts the mechanical ventilator that is used to deal with respiratory failure and cardiac arrest in the hospital's critical care unit.

Board members okayed the expenditure of \$800 for a hospital auxiliary banquet in May at Snyder Country Club.

Hochwalt noted that a planter and new carpet have been installed in the front entry area of the hospital and that the basement has been cleaned out for possible use as a tornado shelter.

Howard Hughes completed a flight around the world in 1938 in four days.

The Liberty Bell in Philadelphia cracked in 1835 as it was being rung during the funeral of Chief Justice John Marshall.

PI arrests noted

A man and woman were arrested for public intoxication early Saturday after police answered a report of a couple fighting in a front yard in the 300 Block of 28th St.

The 21-year-old woman and 24-year-old man were taken into custody at 1:15 a.m. Saturday.

Three men, 25, 26 and 27 years of age, were arrested for public intoxication at 12:22 a.m. Saturday in the 2500 Block of Ave. I.

Two accidents minus injuries

Two non-injury accidents were investigated by police Friday, including one involving a 1983 Buick four-door driven by Ruby Anderson of 2305 42nd St. that was in collision with a 1983 Chevrolet two-door driven by Frank Cantu, Constancio of 1600 27th St. at 12:11 p.m. in the 3600 Block of College Ave.

A 1985 Chevrolet four-door driven by Dorothy Jeanette Rumpff of 2310 41st St. was in collision with a 1985 Plymouth two-door driven by Valentine Martinez of 1205 29th St. at 12:31 p.m. in the 2100 Block of 40th St.

Obituaries

Bened Gleastine

Services for Bened Gleastine, 79, of 2807 Avenue Q are set for 2 p.m. Monday at Bell-Cypert-Seale Chapel with the Rev. Jeff Culp, a Baptist minister from Waco, officiating. Burial will follow at Hermleigh Cemetery.

He died at 7:15 p.m. Friday at Snyder Oaks. He was born on July 9, 1908 in O'Donnell. He was a longtime Hermleigh resident and moved to Snyder in 1963. He was a farmer and worked for Snyder Glass and Mirror for several years. He was a longtime member of Central Baptist Church and served as deacon, Sunday School superintendent and training union director. He also served on the building committee for the present church building.

He married Naomi Culp on Dec. 11, 1937 in Hermleigh. She survives.

He is survived by one son and daughter-in-law, Billy and Margaret Gleastine of Snyder and three grandchildren, Patty and Noah Bilano and Christie Gleastine.

He was preceded in death by his parents, four sisters and one brother.

W. A. Sumruld

Services for W. A. Sumruld, 76, a longtime Snyder resident, will be at 10:30 a.m. Monday at Bell-Cypert-Seale Chapel.

He died at approximately 7 a.m. Saturday at the Veterans Administration Center in Big Spring. He was born on Sept. 7, 1911 in Scurry County.

He was a veteran of World War II and did body shop work.

He is survived by five brothers, Roy of Tulare, Calif., Alton of Big Spring, Charlie and Weldon, both of Snyder, and William L. of Farmers Branch; and one step-grandson, Ronnie Fields of Arkansas.

'Bud' Heath

WAKA—Services for J. R. "Bud" Heath, 60, of Waka were to be at 2 p.m. Saturday at the Waka Church of the Brethren. He died Thursday.

He was the son of Leo Heath and the brother of Margie Ryan, both of Snyder.

Other survivors include a son, James of Enid, Okla.; two daughters, Neva Hatfield of Odessa and Tracey Heath of Amarillo; another brother, Leonard of Winters; another sister, Betty Sue Heath of Winters; seven grandchildren; and one great-grandchild.

J. Frank Hogue

LAMESA—Services are set for 2:30 p.m. Sunday in the Second Baptist Church for J. Frank Hogue, 82, who died Friday in Lubbock's St. Mary of the Plains Hospital. Burial will follow in the Lamesa Memorial Park.

Born in Texas, he had been a resident of Dawson County for 49 years. He married Ida Mae Millsaps on June 15, 1973, and he was a member of the Second Baptist Church.

Survivors include his wife; a son, Jimmy Hogue of Houston; two daughters, Sallie Bailey of Snyder and Jane Brown of Big Spring; two brothers, June Hogue of Clyde and Andy Hogue of Abilene; 10 grandchildren;

and 15 great-grandchildren. Four of the grandchildren—Teresa Green, Trina Rodgers, Donnie Lawler and Sandra Hall—are Snyder residents.

Court slates coliseum bids

Scurry County commissioners Monday will consider bids for a large amount of new tables and chairs for the county coliseum.

Coliseum manager Wes Partain last month gained approval to advertise for bids for 600 heavy duty chairs, 20 six-foot tables and 50 eight-foot tables, and the bids are scheduled to be opened at the 10 a.m. meeting.

Other business will include a presentation by Paul Wafford on public transportation for the elderly and consideration of a request from the Snyder Amateur Radio Club to be given the used radio cable and antenna that are being replaced with the renovation of the sheriff's office's radio system.

Fireman answer four grass fires

Firemen were called to the scenes of four grass fires Friday, including one on the Shannon Ranch 16 miles northwest of Snyder that required the use of three roadgraders.

The 12:50 p.m. call took until 3:15 p.m. and involved two maintainers from commissioners Pct. 2 and a private roadgrader, a department spokesman said.

The cause was not immediately known.

A 1:15 p.m. call to the Hays Ranch nine miles northwest of town kept firefighters busy until 3:05 p.m. with a grass fire whose cause was also not immediately reported.

The spokesman said the fire had been essentially brought under control by bystanders by the time firemen arrived and that they stayed on the scene "to hit a few hot spots" before leaving.

A grass fire on railroad right-of-way at 14th St. and Ave. M was reported at 3:52 p.m. and took until 5:15 p.m. to be brought under control.

The spokesman said the fire was apparently ignited by a passing train.

A request for assistance from volunteers at Westbrook, between Colorado City and Big Spring, at 12:25 p.m. brought a Snyder firetruck and three firemen to fight a grass fire there until 6:30 p.m.

Petroleum prices

NEW YORK (AP) — Petroleum cash prices Friday as compared with Thursday's prices.

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Fuel oil No. 2 NY Mfr lg fl bbl	4675 4660
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Senior citizens to wear green on Thursday

Thursday will be St. Patrick's Day and senior citizens visiting the Senior Center on that day are asked to wear something green in honor of the occasion. There will be some surprises in the day's activities as well, according to Nancy LaRoux, activity director.

A 42 tournament will get underway in the center at 10:30 a.m. Monday.

Hoss Clayton's band will present a musical program Tuesday morning starting at 11. Senior citizens who are eligible to receive surplus commodities may pick these up between 9 a.m. and 11:30 a.m. Tuesday. Commodities will be distributed to other community residents Wednesday, with senior citizens working as volunteers in the distribution both days.

The sunshine choir, which now has more than 20 members, will be performing in the center at 11:15 a.m. Friday. Norma Laywell is now serving as choir director and Debbie Smith of Ira is the pianist. Senior citizens interested in joining either the choir or the Kitchen Band are invited to attend their rehearsals on Wednesday.

The Golden K Kiwanis Club will hold a fish fry in the center at noon on Sunday. Tickets are \$5 each and can be purchased from club members in advance or at the door. Senior citizens who need transportation to the meal can make arrangements by calling the office at 573-4035.



WINNERS — These Snyder High School Choir members all won awards for either ensemble or solo performances in an interscholastic league contest Thursday at SHS, 25 finishing as first division soloists and 19 as first division ensemble participants. (SDN Staff Photo)

Choir wins noted

Twenty-five Snyder High School Choir members finished as first division soloists and 19 as first division ensemble contestants in a Thursday UIL contest at the school.

Earning first division status in solo and ensemble competition were Barbara Chapman, Kelli McLarty, Edward Albarez, Charles Irwin, Malli Galloway, Kevin Tate, Robert Neblett, Kim Ratliff, Kevin Murdock, Lei Holcomb, Amy Miller, Rachel Wilson and Tracy Cotton.

The high-finishing soloists were Michael Hall, Ryan Byrd, Billy Johnson, T.C. Morrell, Jenny McIntire, Christy Christenson, Michael Cato, Rebecca Vestal, Shanna Byrd, Denise Blythe, Tara Green, Kristi Mize, Melissa Pherigo, Ken Gartman and Emily Irons.

Outstanding ensemble participants were Lori Lopez, Kim Terry, LaFon Williams, David Trevey, Julie Sosa, Dayla Church and Carl McLurg.

Seven held in store thefts cases

HOUSTON (AP) — Police have rounded up a group of Houston residents suspected of operating a multistate ring that stole thousands of dollars in merchandise by stuffing expensive goods in large boxes containing cheaper items, authorities said Friday.

Authorities allege the ring targeted Sam's Wholesale Club stores in Texas, Oklahoma, Florida and Louisiana, and would pay cashiers the price of the cheap merchandise.

Southwestern Bell won't oppose ban

AUSTIN (AP) — Southwestern Bell, stung by bad publicity about dial-a-porn services for which it does the billing, said Friday it would not oppose a ban on the controversial "Dial 976" program.

Dial-a-porn, as well as horoscope, soap opera and other types of information, are offered as part of the phone company's Dial 976 program. The provider of the service sets the price, but Southwestern Bell does the billing.

Opponents, including parent groups, have complained that dial-a-porn is too accessible to children. School districts have

said thousands of dollars of dial-a-porn calls have been made from their phones.

The Public Utility Commission is considering whether to ban all 976 service as a result of the dial-a-porn problem.

Bill Free, Southwestern Bell vice president, said his company would support the ban if ordered by the commission.

"While we have made numerous attempts to correct a variety of 976 abuses, it's clear that our efforts have fallen short of what customers expect from us. We simply cannot or will not permit further damage to our most valued asset — the confidence that our customers place in us," Free said.

The PUC has asked for public comment on two proposals: a ban on 976 service or a requirement that it be available only to customers who ask for it. Free said the second option is "unacceptable because it would still associate Southwestern Bell's name with materials harmful to its image and reputation."

Dave Lopez, a Southwestern Bell spokesman, said, "Our primary concern is to make sure the corporate image damage doesn't continue."

Responding to a PUC request for other alternatives, Free pro-

posed a system in which dial-a-porn would be separated from other types of 976 services by establishing a new three-number prefix for "any programs which have the potential to harm the company's image and with which the company does not wish to be associated."

Under the proposal, Southwestern Bell would no longer provide a billing service for dial-a-porn and would make the services available only to customers who ask for them.

Southwestern Bell and General Telephone are now offering, at no charge, blocking of calls to 976 numbers.



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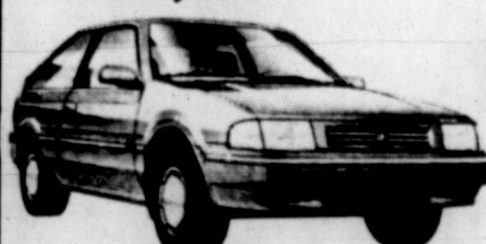
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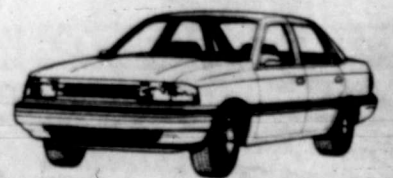
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Panama considers emergency action

PANAMA CITY, Panama (AP) — The government on Friday considered emergency measures to meet its public payroll and several businessmen said they were warned their stores could be expropriated if they refused to cash public employees' paychecks.

Riot police used tear gas to break up a small anti-government demonstration in the banking sector of the capital.

Treasury Minister Hector Alexander was quoted by a Panama City newspaper as saying upcoming paydays of public employees "are going to have to be deferred" because of a growing cash shortage.

A source close to the government said the country's civilian chief executive, Manuel Solis Palma, met his Cabinet Thursday night and Friday to try to find a way out of the crisis.

Among steps being contemplated, said the source, were delaying paychecks to the nation's 150,000 government workers, reducing their pay temporarily and giving them partial payment in food instead of cash.

The source spoke on condition that he not be identified and his report could not be confirmed through government officials, who have been operating in almost total secrecy for days.

The newspaper La Estrella said the treasury minister did not elaborate on his remark about delaying paychecks, which was carried in a brief, three-paragraph story Friday morning.

Directors of six supermarket and one pharmacy chains said Mario Rognoni, the trade and industries minister, told them the government could expropriate the chains if they did not cash public employees' paychecks.

They said in a statement they would consider a general strike if the government followed through on its "veiled threat."



OPEN — Chamber of Commerce Gold Coat members helped M-pact Realtors owner Linda Martin, front row in the dark dress, open for business in style Friday at Cogdell Center. Associate Mary Carlton is at her left and secretary Penny Salmon at her right. (SDN Staff Photo)

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Robert C. McFarlane pleads guilty

WASHINGTON (AP) — Former Reagan aide Robert C. McFarlane pleaded guilty Friday to misdemeanor charges that he misled Congress by assuring lawmakers the administration was not helping arm Nicaraguan rebels during a ban on U.S. military aid.

The president's former national security adviser pleaded guilty to four counts of withholding information from Congress when questioned about news reports that members of his staff, particularly Lt. Col. Oliver L. North, were helping to raise money and ship arms to the Contra rebels.

McFarlane, who agreed to cooperate fully with independent counsel Lawrence E. Walsh's investigation, could be sentenced to up to four years imprisonment and fined as much as \$400,000 for the guilty pleas he entered before U.S. District Judge Aubrey E. Robinson Jr.

Robinson released McFarlane on his own recognizance and did not schedule a sentencing date. McFarlane was subdued and spoke in a soft voice when responding to questions posed by the judge.

McFarlane played a major role in the Iran-Contra affair, even after he resigned as national

security adviser in December 1985. The following May, he led a secret mission to Tehran to open contact with so-called moderate Iranians who were thought to hold influence with kidnapers of American hostages. He brought with him a cake and a Bible signed by President Reagan.

McFarlane attempted suicide in February 1987 by taking an overdose of a tranquilizer the day before he was scheduled to testify before a presidential commission investigating the affair.

On Friday, after the hearing before Robinson, Walsh acknowledged that McFarlane could have been charged with perjury, a felony that carries a five-year sentence for each charge.

But Walsh said he agreed to the misdemeanor plea because of the former national security adviser's willingness to cooperate with Walsh's investigation and his "undisguised expressions of remorse after the false testimony."

"He tried to correct his testimony and actually imposed injury upon himself in a fit of depression," Walsh said of McFarlane's suicide attempt.

Walsh called McFarlane's guilty plea a "very important" development in his 14-month investigation. In the coming weeks, the investigation is expected to yield a round of indictments against North and others, including Rear Adm. John M. Poindexter, who was McFarlane's successor as national security adviser.

"It furthers the work of the Office of Independent Counsel because he has agreed to cooperate fully with our office in the pursuit of the remainder of our investigation," Walsh said.

McFarlane told reporters that "my actions were motivated by what I believed to be in the foreign policy interest of the United States."

College president will keep right on going

DALLAS (AP) — Bishop College may totter on the brink of financial ruin, but its interim president said Friday he has targeted new fund-raising sources that may help keep the troubled school alive.

"Right now I think that the picture is fairly bleak because of the financial situation, but I think there is an outside chance that the college will continue," said interim president Levi Watkins.

"We are talking to some persons who have 'big money,' so we are going to continue on that slim chance and keep working to keep things going," Watkins said.

But one church is withdrawing a \$100,000 donation and a second was considering taking back its \$50,000 contribution, Watkins

disclosed Thursday.

The financially troubled school failed to meet its payroll again Thursday and a federal bankruptcy official said he would urge a judge overseeing Bishop's case to dismiss the college's Chapter 11 reorganization petition.

The original hearing on the dismissal had been set for April 8, a date Watkins said he is using as a deadline to attract needed funds to the school.

"No matter how good the medicine is, it won't do any good if you wait until the patient dies," Watkins said.

Dismissal of the school's reorganization could open the college to lawsuits from 400 creditors owed \$12.5 million.

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"You have done a super job of using quotes to help tell the story. I really like the twins story on page 157. Your thematic approach to clubs coverage is interesting, different. You have some really good pictures."

In closing she said, "You are to be commended for such a wide range of coverage...you've done a super job of telling the story overall. Tons of names, quotes and specifics make reading the

book a real joy."

Editor was Kim Blumenstock. Tammy Ritchey served as associate editor; sports editor, Shondra Robinson and Jimmie Sturdivant; academics editor, Minnie Fuentes; people section, Regina Garza; clubs editor, Shelly Harris; and index managers, Rose Ann Herrera and Melissa Hodge. Advisor was Diane Arnold.

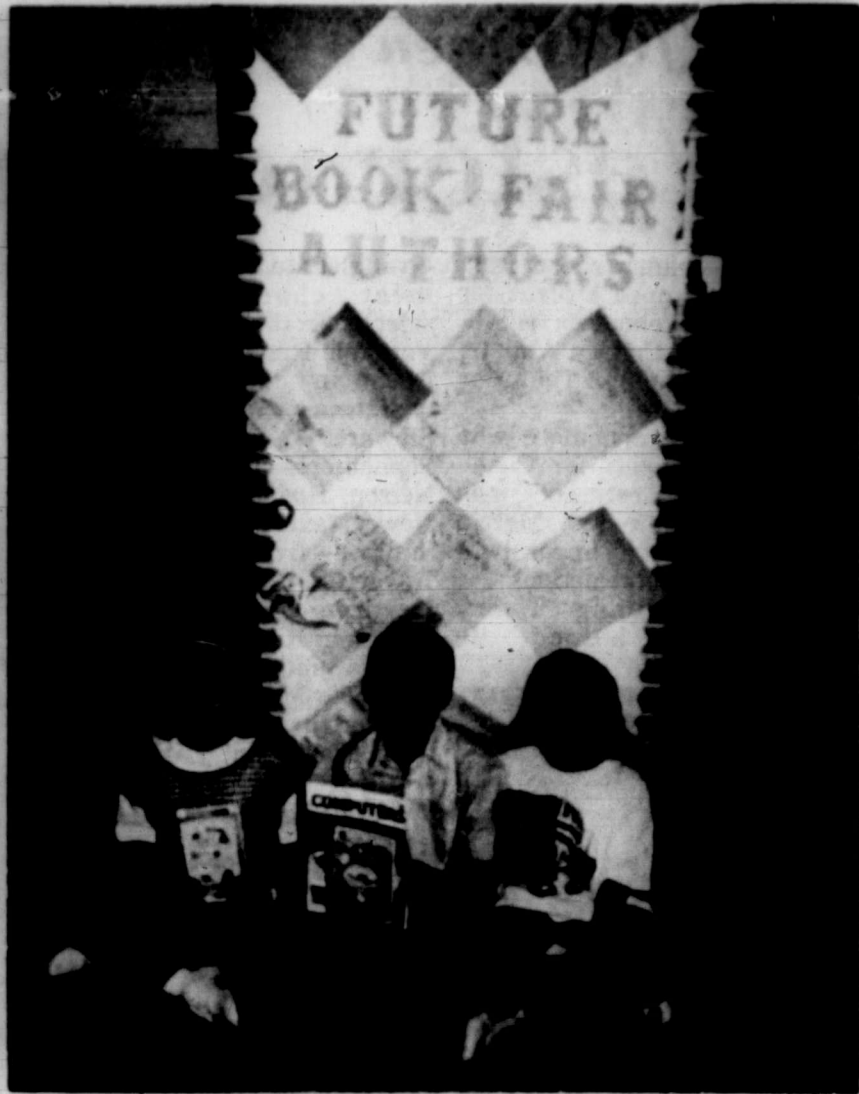
A fierce forest fire in 1911 near Timmins, Ontario, claimed 73 lives and inflicted \$3 million in property damage.

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An Ecuadorean jetliner crashed in 1983 while attempting to land at the Andes city of Cuenca, killing all 119 on board.



FIRST PLACE—Debra McNair's pre-kindergarten class won first place in the door decoration contest held at North in conjunction with open house. Afternoon session students pictured with Mrs. McNair are Bianca Barboza, Amanda Fisk, Ruby Guerrero, Ricardo Hernandez, Ricky Halford, Charles Holloway, Jesse Leyva, Shawn Pesina, and Kimberly Vath. Not pictured are Amanda Bernal, Jamal McDonald and J. J. Fernandez. (SDN Staff Photo)



SECOND PLACE—Mrs. Billie Adams's fourth grade class at North won second place in the best decorated door contest. Students pictured are Melissa Martinez, Jason Highfield and Jessica Gomez. (SDN Staff Photo)

Cocaine traces found in pilot's body

WASHINGTON (AP) — The pilot of the Continental Express commuter plane that crashed near Durango, Colo., in January had traces of cocaine in his urine and evidence of the drug's by-products in his blood, the National Transportation Safety Board said Friday.

Several aviation authorities said they were not aware of any previous accidents involving U.S. commercial airlines in which evidence of drug use by the pilots had been found.

U.S. forces landed in Iceland in 1941 to prevent a Nazi invasion.

Phillip Castillo graduates DeVry

Phillip Castillo, a 1983 graduate of Snyder High School, recently graduated from DeVry Institute of Technology at Arlington. He received his digital electronics technician diploma on Feb. 26 at graduation ceremonies at the Hyatt Regency Ballroom at D.F.W.

While stationed at Carswell Air Force Base in Fort Worth, Castillo completed requirements and is airframe and powerplant licensed by the FAA. He is currently employed by Lane Aerotex Inc. of Saginaw, Tex.

He is the son of Fred F. and Mary Castillo of Snyder.



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Cougs whip Longhorns

DALLAS (AP) - Rolando Ferreira led four Houston starters in double figures with 17 points Friday night in the Cougars' 72-57 victory over Texas in the Southwest Conference Post-Season Basketball Classic.

The fifth-seeded Cougars, 11-6 in the SWC and 17-11 overall, advanced to Saturday's semifinals to face top-seeded Southern Methodist, an 86-74 victor over Texas Christian in an earlier first-round game. Texas ended its season at 10-7 and 16-13.

Up by 10 at the end of the first half, Houston never relinquished its lead, which increased to 15 in the final minutes. The Longhorns opened the second half with an 8-2 run to close Houston's lead to 38-

34, but that was as close as they got. Horace Chaney had 15, Richard Hollis 14 and Randy Brown 11 for the Cougars.

Travis Mays scored a game-high 21 points to lead Texas. Jose Nassar added 13 and Alvin Heggs 12.

Both teams shot poorly in the first half, with the Cougars hitting only 12 of 33 shots from the floor. Texas made just 9 of its 24 field-goal attempts and committed 12 turnovers to the Cougars' three.

Houston built its lead late in the first half to 36-26 on a pair of free throws from Richard Hollis.

With the Cougars up 17-16 with 7:59 left in the half, Brown tipped in a missed shot by Ferreira to put the Cougars back up by three.

Chaney then followed two Houston misses with a 3-pointer to build the lead to 23-16.

Tech topples for first time

DALLAS (AP) - Michael Hobbs tipped in a missed shot with four seconds left to give No. 2 seed Baylor a 54-53 comeback victory over seventh-seeded Texas Tech Friday in the quarterfinals of the Southwest Conference Post-Season Basketball Classic.

Baylor, 22-9, was to face Arkansas, 21-7, at 8 p.m. CST Saturday in the semifinals.

Texas Tech, 9-19, lost its first opening-round game in tournament history after leading by as many as 13 points. The Bears rallied behind Darryl Middleton, who had 16 points before he fouled out.

The Red Raiders' Sean Gay hit two free throws with 59 seconds left to give Tech a 53-52 lead.

With 32 seconds left, he missed the front end of a one-on-one and the Bears worked the ball to Michael Williams, who missed a shot from the corner. Hobbs tipped the ball into the hoop.

A mid-court shot by Jerry Mason fell short and the Red

Raiders fell to 9-1 in first-round tournament games. Baylor had beaten Tech by 18 and 42 points during the regular season, but fell behind from the start.

Gay, who had 22 points, scored 14 points in the first half as the Red Raiders jumped to a shocking 25-17 lead. The Bears' 17 points tied a season low for a half.

Hobbs scored 15 points for the Bears, who have never won an SWC Tournament.

SMU cracks TCU's Frogs

DALLAS (AP) - Carlton McKinney hit 11 of 13 shots and scored 26 points Friday night to carry top-seeded Southern Methodist University to an 86-74 victory over eighth-seeded Texas Christian in the quarterfinals of the Southwest Conference Post-Season Basketball Classic.

The Mustangs, 25-6, were to play Houston in Saturday's 6 p.m. semifinals in Reunion Arena.

The Horned Frogs, who had lost to SMU twice in the regular

All-WJCAC men's team...

Westerner trio earn honors

Conference leading scorer Darrell Nelson stamped a place for Western Texas College on the All-Western Junior College Athletic Conference Basketball Team for the 1987-88 season.

Nelson, a 6-4 sophomore who averaged 28.2 points for Coach Tony Mauldin's Westerners, was joined by teammates Melvin Thompson and Bobby Spear, both honorable mention selections.

Odessa freshman Larry Johnson, who helped the

Wranglers to a Region V Tournament championship, was selected as the conference's Most Valuable Player. The only other freshman chosen to the all-conference team was Keith Stewart, 6-7 from South Plains.

Sophomores on the squad include Nelson, Rodney Jones, 6-8 from New Mexico JC; Billy Ray Smith, 6-6 from Midland; Donnell Hayden, 6-1 from South Plains; Herman Henry, 6-7 from Midland; Riley Smith, 6-7 from Odessa; and Marshall Taylor, 6-0 from New Mexico JC.

Others are Tommy French, 6-5 from Clarendon; Carlos Harris,

5-10 from Frank Phillips and Willie Hartsfield, 6-6 from New Mexico JC.

Nelson, a native of Richmond, Va., scored 734 points in 26 games and pulled down 214 rebounds for an 8.2 average. His 89 steals ranked fourth in the conference during the regular season.

Nelson scored a season high 39 points and recorded 14 rebounds in two games with McLennan Community College and New Mexico Junior College - both Region V Tournament teams. He had a season-high of 15 rebounds against Ranger JC.

Thompson, a sophomore from Hobbs, N.M., was ineligible for the first half of the season but came on strong to average 14.5 points in the final 15 games. He posted a single-game high of 28 points against Clarendon College, and twice accounted for a dozen rebounds. The 6-1 guard-forward hit 46 percent of his field goal attempts and was one of the WJCAC's hottest 3-point artists. He was among the league's leading 3-point shooters throughout most of the second semester, though a 2-of-15 slump in the final two games closed out his percentage at 38.9.

Spear will bring back experience to next season's Westerner ballclub. A 6-5 freshman from New Mexico, he averaged 15.6 points and 7.4 rebounds in 30 games. He scored a season high of 35 points against Frank Phillips and pulled down

13 rebounds on five occasions. He is a 70 percent free throw shooter.

Western Junior College Athletic Conference Men's 1987-88 All-Conference Basketball Team MVP: Larry Johnson, 6-7 freshman, Odessa. **Coach of Year:** Ron Mayberry, South Plains. **1987-88 All-WJCAC Team:** Larry Johnson, 6-7 freshman, Odessa; Rodney Jones *, 6-8 sophomore, New Mexico JC; Billy Ray Smith *, 6-6 sophomore, Midland; Donnell Hayden, 6-1 sophomore, South Plains; Herman Henry, 6-7 sophomore, Midland; Riley Smith *, 6-7 sophomore, Odessa; Marshall Taylor, 6-0 sophomore, New Mexico JC; Tommy French *, 6-5 sophomore, Clarendon; Carlos Harris *, 5-10 sophomore, Frank Phillips; Darrell Nelson, 6-4 sophomore, Western Texas; Keith Stewart, 6-9 freshman, South Plains; Willie Hartsfield, 6-6 sophomore, New Mexico JC.

Honorable Mention: Larry Pettigrew, 6-1 fresh, Howard; Rodney Samuel, 6-5 soph., Odessa; Bobby Spear, 6-5 fresh, Western Texas; Troy Bell *, 6-5 soph., Odessa; Mahmud Mud, 6-8 fresh, New Mexico Military; Charles McCoverly, 6-2 fresh, Midland; Melvin Thompson, 6-1 soph., Western Texas; Karl Dopwell, 6-3 fresh, New Mexico Military; Dennis Green, 6-3 soph., South Plains; Cleveland Phelps, 6-2 fresh, Clarendon.

* all-conference 1986-87
* honorable mention 1986-87

Transactions

FOOTBALL
National Football League
DENVER BRONCOS - Named George Hershaw offensive line coach.
HOCKEY
National Hockey League
NHL - Suspended Bernie Nicholls, Los Angeles Kings center, for five games because of a match penalty received in a March 9 game against the Hartford Whalers.
NEW YORK ISLANDERS - Assigned Chris Pryor, defenseman, to Kalamazoo of the International Hockey League.
PHILADELPHIA FLYERS - Named Tom Watt assistant coach for the remainder of the season.



DARRELL NELSON



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MELVIN THOMPSON

season, ended their year at 9-19 under new Coach Moe Iba.

SMU shot a sensational 75 percent from the field in the first half, the best-shooting 20 minutes by the Mustangs this year.

McKinney couldn't miss in the first half, scoring 18 points and hitting two 3-point baskets as the Mustangs built a 44-32 intermission lead. He was 8-of-8 from the field.

Todd Alexander hit four 3-point baskets for SMU and scored 22 points.

Guard Danny Hughes of TCU set a tournament record with seven 3-pointers. Arkansas' Ron Huery held the old record of six.

Hughes and Rod Jacques each had 24 points for the Horned Frogs, who trailed throughout

the game.

Hogs defeat A&M Aggies

DALLAS (AP) - Defensive specialist Keith Wilson scored a career-high 18 points Friday as third-seeded Arkansas rolled into the semifinals of the Southwest Conference Post-Season Basketball Classic with a 76-64 victory over sixth-seeded Texas A&M.

Arkansas, 21-7, was to meet Baylor, 22-9, at 8 p.m. CST Saturday in a semifinal game. Baylor advanced with a 54-53 victory

over Texas Tech in another first-round game. The Aggies ended their season at 16-15.

Arkansas and Baylor split their regular season series.

Arkansas could be deadly if Wilson continues his 'hot shooting. Wilson's previous career high was 17 against Rice last year. His highest point total this year was 13 against Alabama.

"We've been trying to get him to square up and take his shots," Richardson said. "This could really help our offense if we get Keith going."

Southeast Missouri ends Angelo State's campaign

CAPE GIRARDEAU, Mo. (AP) - Cleo Conley scored 19 points and Michael Morris added 18 to lead Southeast Missouri to a 111-75 victory over Angelo State in the first round of the NCAA Division II South-Central Regional Tournament on Friday.

Southeast Missouri, 27-3, which tied its school record for season victories, led throughout the contest. The Indians will play Missouri-St. Louis, which beat South Dakota State 68-63 earlier Friday night, at 8 p.m. Saturday.

For Southeast Missouri, Lawrence Wilson scored 16 and Ray Pugh added 12. Malcom

Henry had 12 rebounds.


Leading the scoring for the Rams was Robert Barley with 16 and Tim Howard and Chris Mason, who each added 13. Mason also led rebounding for Angelo State with 9.

NBA glance

By The Associated Press

Friday's Games
Boston 122, Indiana 112
Philadelphia 124, Sacramento 118
Atlanta 122, New York 115
Cleveland 117, San Antonio 107
Detroit 116, Phoenix 88
Utah 109, Washington 107
Milwaukee 132, Denver 93
Golden State 101, Los Angeles Clippers 96

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Dribblers get set for tourney play

J&J Machine's Hawks and the Mesquite Oil Tool Suns battle in the tipoff game of the Little Dribbler's Junior League Tournament at Travis Gym Monday.

Little Dribbler Major League tournament play also begins Monday.

Junior Tournament
The nine-team, single-elimination tournament begins with the Hawks taking on the Suns at 6 p.m. Monday and ends with the championship game, slated for 6 p.m. Saturday, March 19.

In Monday's other game, the Source Service Bullets take on the Snyder National Nuggets at 7 p.m.

Tuesday's games pit the State Farm Joe LaRoux Rockets against the Submersible Oil Service Bulls at 6 p.m. and the Southern Electric Sonics against the Chevron U.S.A. Lakers at 7 p.m.

The Patterson Drilling Clippers, seeded No. 1 by virtue of a 9-0 season record, play their first game at 6 p.m. Thursday, taking on the winner of Monday's Hawks-Suns game.

A bracket for the tournament follows:

Major League Tournament
The West Texas State Celtics square off against the second-seeded Snyder Athletic Tigers in the first Major League Tournament game, set for 8 p.m. Monday.

Tuesday's contest matches up the City Savings Mavericks against the Snyder Savings Raiders and Thursday's game pits the Rathole, Inc. Spurs against the Johnson Insurance Knicks. Both games are set for 8

Dribbler results

March 11
Tigers 43, Raiders 33; Tigers-Roagan Key 22, Tyson Cronse 12, Brett Kennedy 6, Brad Hart 2, Jeff Armstrong 1, Raederyn Adrian Seond 21, Shea Sano 5, Jared Graves 4, Steve Owens 3, Colton 28, Spurs 28, Celtics-Lee Ikon 11, Jason Pierce 10, Timmy Clark 4, Jake Hooker 3, Spurs-David Krenik 13, Jeremy Wells 5, Jimmy Hall 4, Bryan Ward 2, Weldon Kiker 2.
Jazz 41, Knicks 34; Jazz-Jon Patrick 17, Marc Spear 12, Chris Cunningham 7, Rocky Post 4, Knicks-Craig Ling 12, John Clark 10, Michael Hoss 8, Brantlin Roggerge 4, Matt Pherige 2.

Season Standings Jazz 10-2, Tigers 9-3, Raiders 9-3, Knicks 7-5, Spurs 3-6, Mavericks 3-8, Celtics 1-11.

p.m.
Friday at 7 p.m., winners of the Celtics-Tigers and Raiders-Mavericks meet, and at 8 p.m., the top-seeded Jazz makes its appearance, taking on the Spurs-Knicks winner. Championship action is slated for 7 p.m. Saturday.

Junior League Tournament
March 14-19
Monday: Game 1: Hawks vs. Suns, 6 p.m.; Game 2: Bullets vs. Nuggets, 7 p.m.
Tuesday: Game 3: Rockets vs. Bulls, 6 p.m.; Game 4: Sonics vs. Lakers, 7 p.m.
Thursday: Game 5: Clippers vs. winner of Game 1, 6 p.m.; Game 6: Winner of Game 2 (Bullets-Nuggets) vs. winner of Game 3 (Rockets-Bulls), 7 p.m.
Friday's Game: Game 7: Winner of Game 5 vs. winner of Game 6, 6 p.m.
Saturday's Game: Game 8: Championship, winner of Game 6 vs. winner of Game 7, 6 p.m.

Major League Tournament
March 14-19
Monday: Game 1: Celtics vs. Tigers, 8 p.m.
Tuesday: Game 2: Mavericks vs. Raiders, 8 p.m.
Thursday: Game 3: Spurs vs. Knicks, 8 p.m.
Friday: Game 4: Winner of Game 1 (Celtics-Tigers) vs. winner of Game 2 (Mavericks-Raiders), 7 p.m.; Game 5: Jazz vs. winner of Game 3 (Spurs vs. Knicks), 8 p.m.
Saturday: Game 6: Championship, winner of Game 4 vs. winner of Game 5, 7 p.m.

Central upset in 2ot; state's finalists battle

AUSTIN (AP) - Kethus Hanks scored 39 points and 6-foot-11 Gerry Holmes added 20 Friday night as Houston Sam Houston upset San Antonio East Central, 91-86, in a double-overtime Class 5A semifinal game at the state schoolboy basketball tournament.

Sam Houston was to play Fort Worth Dunbar, a last-second 58-55 victor over Dallas South Oak Cliff, for the 5A championship Saturday night.

Sam Houston's victory eliminated East Central, which had not been beaten in 34 previous games this season and was making its first state tournament appearance.

Regulation play ended with the score tied 76-all when Tony Terrell, Class 5A's second-leading scorer this season, missed a jump shot and Sam Houston grabbed the rebound.

Terrell's desperation shot at the end of the first three-minute overtime also was off target, and Hanks and Holmes controlled the second extra period.

S P O R T S

SHS Cats go 3-0; dump Big Spring

BIG SPRING - Snyder junior varsity baseball team improved its winning string to three here Friday by whipping the Big Spring Steers 6-4 in six innings.

The game was called due to darkness.

Lee Hamilton took winning pitcher honors for Snyder's young Tigers. He allowed four runs on nine hits, struck out eight and walked three. He was backed by one error.

Snyder came up with three runs in the first inning, aided by Todd Perry's two-RBI effort. Perry got aboard again in the third, and was punched in by Shane McCarter, who went two-for-four for the game. Snyder's other runs came in the fifth when Carl McClurg and Jamie Morton drove in runs.

Willie Garcia was two-for-three with a double while McCarter was two-for-four. Garcia, McClurg and Steve Ybarra all punched a double in the abbreviated contest.

The win puts Snyder at 3-0 on the season as the Cats prepare to entertain San Angelo Central in double header Monday, beginning at 3 p.m.

Exhibition baseball
Friday's Games
Cincinnati 11, Kansas City 2
New York Mets (as) 8, Montreal 2
St. Louis 7, Philadelphia 4
New York Mets (as) 2, Atlanta 1
Boston 6, Detroit 1
Toronto 9, Minnesota 1
Pittsburgh (as) 2, Houston 1
Texas 4, Pittsburgh (as) 3
Chicago White Sox 6, New York Yankees 2
California 14, Milwaukee 3
Oakland 10, Chicago Cubs 5
San Francisco 5, Seattle 3
Cleveland 4, San Diego 3
Los Angeles 10, Baltimore 8
Kansas City (as) 7, Boston 3

Transactions
BASEBALL
American League
CALIFORNIA ANGELS - Announced that Gene Mauch, manager, has left the team for health reasons. Named Cookie Rojas interim manager.
CHICAGO WHITE SOX - Agreed to terms with Bobby Thigpen, pitcher, on a one-year contract.
TEXAS RANGERS - Signed Cesar Cedeno, outfielder, to a minor league contract.

Golfers are 15th; open 2-4A action

SAN ANGELO - Snyder boys hoped to find better success in Andrews this morning than they did in the San Angelo Classic the two previous days.

The Tigers, unable to sneak under 80, finished 15th overall in a tough field of 23 at San Angelo. Snyder's troops shot back-to-back 35s at Bentwood and San Angelo Country Club for a 702.

San Angelo Central won the

two-day, 36-hole tournament with a 624 total, easily outdistancing runnerup Abilene Cooper, which turned in a 635.

Defending District 2-4A champion Andrews, which was to host Saturday's district opener, finished sixth here with a 654. San Angelo Lake View, another 2-4A member, was 13th with a 694.

Andrews' finish was the best among 4A schools entered in the Classic.

Individually for Snyder, Marc McQueen and Wade Hatter shot 81s while Michael Trull turned in a 94, Ken Meckley a 96 and Ron Baker a 95.

Two-day scores for the Tigers were 84-81-165 from McQueen, 86-81-167 from Hatter, 89-94-183 from Trull, 92-96-188 from Meckley, and 98-95-193 from Baker.

Odessa Permian's Ben Bangert was the tournament medalist with double 73s for a 146 total.

WTC golfers play Monday

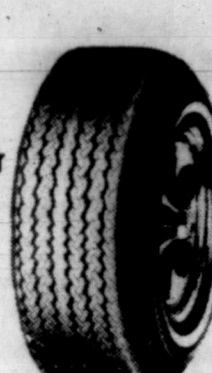
SAN ANTONIO - Western Texas College will play in the UT-SA Dominion Classic at Dominion Golf Course here Monday and Tuesday.

Playing for WTC will be Todd Neal, Jeff Beal, Gary Schoen, Mark Burgen and Lance Jones.

Laszlo Papp of Hungary was the first man to win boxing gold medals in three straight Olympics. He won in the middleweight division in 1948 and the light-middleweight in 1952 and 1956.

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Bowling

Standings Through March 10

ROLL 'N' HOPE LEAGUE

Team Name	W	L
Bianche's	40	31
Walton Coast	33 1/2	42 1/2
Edie Beauty Shop	49 1/2	46 1/2
Looney's Coffee Shop	40	48
Lorraine IGA	47	49
Messing Oil	47	49
Rick's Welding Machine	38	57
Snyder Lanes	35	61

Hi-Scratch Series Vicky Remshaw, 503; Hi-Handicap Series: Gayla Coy, 620; Hi-Scratch Game: Gayla Coy and Corky Collier, 109; Hi-Handicap Game: Judy Fennell, 244; Converted Split: Neil Sears, 4-5; Vi Coe, 3-10; Marsha Crills, 4-1; Icy Farris, 5-10; Lynda Anderson, 2-7; Teresa Lopez, 3-10.

HIS & HERS LEAGUE

Team Name	W	L
Martha's Hair Connection	32	8
Homco	25	15
Tri-State Construction	22	18
Frito Lay	21	19
Energy Electric	19	21
Milpark	16	24
J.T. Electric	14	26
Reef Chemical	11	29

Hi-Scratch Series: Helen McLeod, 508; Henry Dever, 584; Hi-Handicap Series: Helen McLeod, 678; Johnny Irons, 624; Hi-Scratch Game: Helen McLeod, 191; Charlie Collins, 210; Hi-Handicap Game: Dot Beety, 241; Charlie Collins, 238.

KOFFER LEAGUE

Team Name	W	L
Everybody's	60 1/2	34 1/2
Oui Ame	58 1/2	41 1/2
Yale E Key	55	45
E.L. Farmer	45 1/2	45 1/2
C&F Ceramics	51	49
R.D.'s Welding	48	52
Smith Hot Oil	46 1/2	53 1/2
Hop, Skip & Jump	46 1/2	53 1/2
Arrow Construction	42 1/2	57 1/2
Gifts by Jane	32	68

Hi-Scratch Series: Billie Pippin, 527; Hi-Handicap Series: Billie Pippin, 638; Hi-Scratch Game: Chris Bond, 192; Hi-Handicap Game: Chris Bond, 254.

COMMERCIAL LEAGUE

Team Name	W	L
West Texas Petroleum	120	80

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Wayne Moore Exxon	92 1/2	107 1/2
Mobil Production	91 1/2	108 1/2
Chapman Chevron	90	100
Easy Rollers	78	122

GUYS AND DOLLS LEAGUE

Team Name	W	L
Aliens	22	10
Snyder Lanes	21	11
B.J. Titan	18	14
Production Pump Systems	17	15
Ezell Key Feed & Co.	14	18
Neeley's Exxon	12	20
Screwballs	12	20
Mom & The Brats	12	20

Hi-Scratch Series: Monte West, 621; Hi-Handicap Series: Henry Dever, 640; Hi-Scratch Game: Monte West, 244; Hi-Handicap Game: Jim Richardson, 243.

MAJOR LEAGUE

Team Name	W	L
Source Service	62	44
Dunn Gin	73	52 1/2
Russell's Team	70 1/2	55 1/2
Olney Savings	67 1/2	58 1/2
S.S.I.	60 1/2	65 1/2
West Texas Petroleum	58	67
M.A.O.	56	70
Barrod	54	72
W.S.I. Jet Shots	52	74
Yum-Yums	51	75

Hi-Scratch Series: Barney Tate, 506; Hi-Handicap Series: Monte West, 607; Hi-Scratch Game: Ewell Mackey, 218; Hi-Handicap Game: Monte West, 234.

JACK AND JILL LEAGUE

Team Name	W	L
Grimmett Brothers	56	34
Arrow Construction	56	38
Jack's Used Cars	54	38
Golden Corral	52 1/2	39 1/2
Bar-H-Bar	52	40
Lloyd's Locksmith	44	48

Hi-Scratch Series: David Lyle 590, Angela Ball 569; Hi-Handicap Series: Joe Roemisch 661, Angela Ball 704; Hi-Scratch Game: Joe Roemisch 231, Angela Ball 203; Hi-Handicap Game: Joe Roemisch 258, Angela Ball 246.

Note: The Was Angela Ball's first 200 game and 300 series.

WISHBALL LEAGUE

Team Name	W	L
Rangers	18	10
Bollinger's	16	12
Bethel	15	13
Duffers	14	14

Hi-Scratch Series: Ron Pyburn, 544; Hi-Handicap Series: Russell Loyd, 620; Hi-Scratch Game: Russell Loyd, 206; Hi-Handicap Game: Don Bonley, 228.

NEXT WEEK'S SCHEDULE
MONDAY: 7 p.m., Roll 'N' Hope, His & Her.
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WEDNESDAY: 6:30 p.m., Jack & Jill; 9 p.m., Guys & Dolls.
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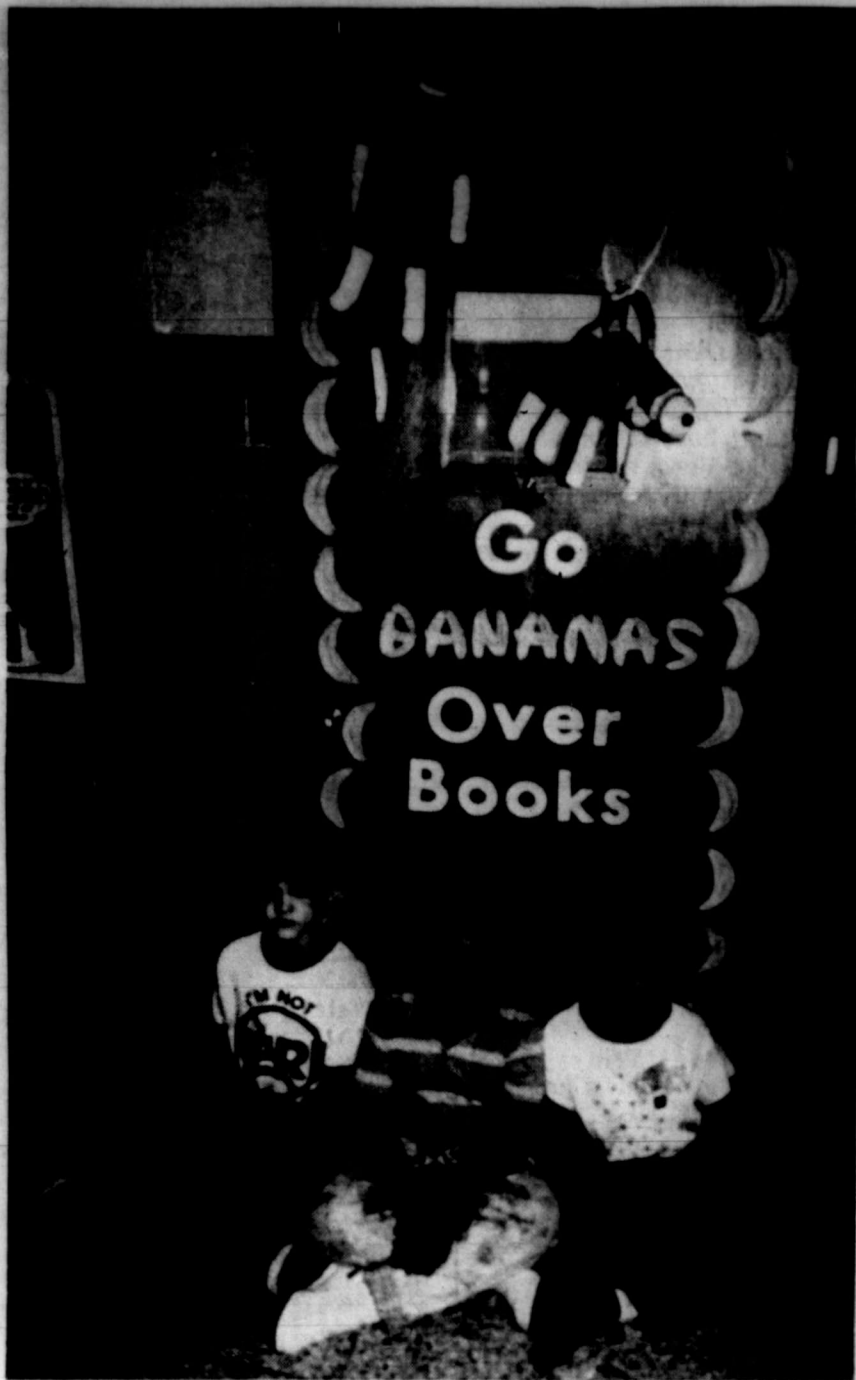
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THIRD PLACE—Mrs. Mary Ann Reeves' second grade class at North won third place in the best decorated door contest. Students pictured are Misty Badgwell, Richard Rodriguez and Tarah Tamplen. (SDN Staff Photo)

JUDGES—Lee Ann Rollins and Ben Miller judged the decorated doors at North Elementary last week. The contest was held in conjunction with Open House and Public School Week. (SDN Staff Photo)

FOURTH PLACE—Mrs. Judy Barkowsky's third grade class at North won fourth place in the door decoration contest. Students pictured are Shannon Clem, George Aguilar and Jenny Arispe. (SDN Staff Photo)

Fire may take several days to put out

Cold front moves across E. Texas

By The Associated Press

A cold front was moving southeast across East Texas and the coastal plains Saturday morning as scattered showers and thunderstorms dampened the eastern portion of the state.

The cold front, stretching from Shreveport, La. to near Houston, was the same one that moved through north Central Texas Friday producing several severe thunderstorms. Dallas was pelted by golf ball size hail during the storms.

But on Saturday, cloudy but sunny skies prevailed.

Northwest of the cold front, cool, dry air moved into the Lone Star State. Relative humidities were mostly in the 15 percent to 25 percent range.

A north wind with speeds near 10 mph was common to the west of the cold front. To the east of the front the wind was from the south at 15 mph to 20 mph.

ALBANY, Texas (AP) — A wildfire raging through prairie in three West Texas counties burned 200,000 acres of land, killed livestock, threatened homes and closed roads and officials believe it could take several days to extinguish.

No deaths or serious injuries were reported in the blaze that was fought by an army of hundreds.

A U.S. Forest Service aircraft tanker, a DC-4 that arrived Friday night from Fort Smith, Ark., and was scheduled to leave at 6 a.m. Saturday for a flight over the area. The tanker will dump up to 2,000 gallons of fire-extinguishing chemicals.

Winds had diminished from 30 mph to about 10 mph and were helping firefighters bring parts of the blaze under control in parts of the county, said Terry Harlow, a member of the Shackelford County emergency management team.

One mobile home and several hunting sheds in the sparsely populated region about 150 miles west of Dallas were destroyed. The fire also damaged oil fields and ranch fences.

"There's going to be extensive damage," said Lawrence Winkler, a spokesman for the Shackelford County emergency division.

But assessing the damage was a secondary concern to firefighters battling the blaze

and tricky winds Friday evening.

The fire covered an area about 60 miles long and 25 miles wide in portions of Callahan, Shackelford and Throckmorton counties, officials said, and a 20-mile wide swath of the blaze burned out of control.

A few families were evacuated from ranches, but no major evacuation was implemented, officials said. However, the Department of Public Safety and local sheriff's departments were on alert.

Joe Fox, the Texas Forest Service official overseeing the firefighting effort, predicted it could take another four days to finally bring the fire to an end.

Albany, a town of about 2,500 people and the county seat of Shackelford was under siege most of the day as the flames flirted close to town.

A change in wind direction brought the fire within 100 yards of the town about 40 miles northeast of Abilene, Winkler said, but later the wind died down.

"It's not as savage as it was," said Ed Compton, the chief of the Shackelford rural fire department. "We still have a lot of guys in the field. I haven't seen anything this bad."

Gov. Bill Clements dispatched 100 National Guard troops and another 20 volunteer fire departments sent men and equipment to the area after the fire broke out.

The group joined West Texas fire departments and Texas Forest Service firefighters that also responded to the blaze.

More reinforcements, including 75 state highway department employees, units from Abilene's Dyess Air Force Base and the Fort Worth Fire Department, also boosted the ranks. Winkler said volunteer oilfield workers also were fighting the fire.

Some firefighters suffered minor burns and were temporarily overcome by smoke, officials said.

"It's just an inferno in the pastures," said Albany resident Liston F. Todd, 62, who was helping build firebreaks to detour the blaze.

Smoke and haze from the fire reached the Fort Worth-Dallas area during late Friday afternoon, causing a light fog-like pall. Some Fort Worth residents said they smelled the smoke.

"It looked like we were in Hell — fire all around. Pretty spooky," said Jimmy T. Brooks, a 40-year-old cowboy, before going back to the struggle in Albany after working through the night.

The fire traveling southeast through Shackelford County was also about a mile from Moran, a town of about 350 people.

Shifting winds made it difficult to determine where the fire would spread, and in some cases firefighters were nearly surrounded by the swiftly moving flames. At least one firefighting bulldozer was caught and destroyed by the fire. A news team from WFAA-TV in Dallas was momentarily threatened by a blazing line of flames that suddenly altered its course and headed straight for the crew.




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The series of 1983 FBI teletypes provide the first evidence to support claims by one-time FBI informant Frank Varelli that two agents broke into the CISPES offices in Dallas, said the New York-based Center for Constitutional Rights.

But two government sources, who asked to remain unidentified, told The Dallas Morning News that the documents released through a Freedom of Information Act request are probably related to legal inspections of the group's account at a Dallas bank and telephone records of some of its long-distance calls.

FBI officials have repeatedly denied that there were authorized break-ins during what was termed a "counter-terrorism" investigation of CISPES.

In late January, the Center for Constitutional Rights released documents from FBI headquarters that showed that the CISPES investigation was more extensive than was previously known. The center also said some legitimate groups were targets of political surveillance, charges the FBI inspection division is now reviewing for possible misconduct.

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OUTSTANDING BUY- 3001 Beaumont, 3-2-2, 1900+ft, 60's

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FINANCING AVAILABLE- 3 bd, 2 bth, 409 32nd, low 30's.

UNDER \$20,000- 1710 Scott, 203 35th, 310 35th, 206 35th, 2703 F, 2807 C, 124 20th Pl.

WEST OF HI SCHOOL- 3006 39th, 3-2-1cp, 30's.

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4518 FREDONIA- 3-2-3cp, 1 garage, extras, \$65.9.

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NORTH- 90ac. \$500 ac. min.

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3405 College (south door)
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2-1 LG LIVING- kit, util, fenced, \$18,000.
2-1-1 L TYPE- liv & din, lg yard, pecan trees, \$35,000.
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ROUTE 1 BOX 84	494-127649-203	"LBP"	3/2/2	\$36,100
312 35TH	494-114063-203		2/1/0	\$10,850
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1046 1048 E. 12TH	494-130090-203		4/2/0	\$23,500

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1434 CHESTNUT	494-115579-203	"LBP"	2/1/0	\$12,650

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CENTRAL PROGRAM—These Central third graders entertained parents and visitors Monday night during Open House. Students in Sharon Fitts' class are Uber Estrada, Annie Martinez, Vincent Montoya, Robert Munoz, Nuvia Rivera and Johnny Sosa. Students in Mary Jimm Floyd's class are Dorothy Campos, Alma Carrizales, Detria Jackson, Jeremiah Johnson, Maritza Lopez, Carolina Marquez, Tony Robles, Adela Ruiz, Michelle Silva, Jennifer Terrazes, Eric

Tovar, James Turnbo, Johnny Villaneuva, Dianna Villareal, Lisa Gonzales, Miguel Gallegos and J. C. Guzman. Students in Molly Kattes's class are Kristin Bailey, Linda Garza, Tiffany Garza, Michelle Gonzales, Gabriel Gutierrez, Jessie Guzman, Joe Luna, Susie Marquez, Maxine Martinez, Olivia Martinez, Rachel Orozco, Dwayne Robertson, Amadeo Rodriguez, Christopher Rodriguez and David Wagner. (SDN Staff Photo)

President orders sanctions to end rule by M. Noriega

WASHINGTON (AP) — President Reagan imposed new sanctions Friday against Panama, trying to weaken military strongman Manuel Antonio Noriega's grip on power and end his "illegitimate" regime.

In a written statement, Reagan said, "I believe that General Noriega would best serve his country by complying with the instruction of President (Eric Arturo) Delvalle to relinquish his post."

Delvalle, the civilian figurehead president regarded as the legitimate constitutional authority by the UNITED STATES, has been in hiding since Feb. 26, when he tried unsuccessfully to fire Noriega as commander of the Panama Defense Forces.

Noriega is under indictment in the United States on drug-smuggling and racketeering charges.

Reagan ordered that U.S. government payments due Panama be put in escrow until constitutional rule is restored in Panama. A \$6.6 million payment is due next Tuesday for operations relating to the Panama Canal.

He also suspended trade preferences Panama receives under a special system for Third World countries and the Caribbean Basin Initiative. Secretary of State George P. Shultz said \$96 million worth of goods would be affected annually.

In addition, Reagan ordered stepped up scrutiny of Panama

by U.S. Immigration and Customs Service officials "to apprehend drug traffickers and money launderers."

The administration is trying to force Noriega's ouster and weaken the military-dominated government by increasing the cash-squeeze in Panama. Measures already taken with U.S. support have caused a severe cash shortage, prompting the government to suspend many banking operations, crippling Panama's economy.

U.S. military and economic aid to Panama was cut off last year following the initial popular uprisings against Noriega in June. Last week, the United States ruled that Panama was not cooperating in efforts to control drug trafficking.

Under the finding, the United States was required to stop military and economic assistance — which already had been done — and to oppose Panamanian requests for assistance in international lending institutions.

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010 LEGAL NOTICES

The Snyder Independent School District will be accepting sealed bids until 2:00 p.m., Monday, March 28, 1988 at the School Administration Building, 2901 37th Street, Snyder, Texas 79549 for Gymnasium Roofing Repair at the Junior High School. Bid specifications may be obtained by calling Bill Sealy at (915)573-2993 or by written request to the address listed above. The Snyder Independent School District reserves the right to reject all bids, waive any and all technicalities, and accept the proposal which will best meet the needs of the district.

NOTICE TO ALL PERSONS HAVING CLAIMS AGAINST THE ESTATE OF THE DECEASED, BOBBY LOUIS BAGWELL

Notice is hereby given that Original Letters Testamentary for the estate of Bobby Louis Bagwell were issued on March 7th, 1988, in Cause No. 4621, pending in the County Court of Scurry County, Texas, to wit: Vera Bagwell. The residence of such Executrix is in Snyder, Scurry County, Texas. The address of Affiant is 2103 Avenue "N", Snyder, Texas 79549.

All persons having claims against this estate which is currently being administered are required to present them within the time and in the manner prescribed by law.

DATED this 7th day of March, A.D. 1988.

Vera Bagwell

NOTICE OF EXECUTION SALE OF INTEREST IN AN OIL, GAS AND MINERAL LEASE, TOGETHER WITH PERSONAL PROPERTY USED IN CONNECTION THEREWITH

1. By virtue of an execution issued out of the District Court of Mitchell County, Texas, on a judgment rendered in that Court on November 13, 1987, in favor of Fang Operators, Inc., and against Joel Marcus, in Cause No. 11,229, styled Fang Operators, Inc., vs. Joel Marcus, on the docket of the Court, on March 10, 1988 I levied upon the following described real and personal property of Joel Marcus situated in Scurry County, Texas, to-wit:

10.0% of .75 (or .7500000) working interest in and to the following described oil, gas and mineral lease, to-wit:

Holladay Heirs "C" Lease:

TRACT ONE: NW/4 of NE/4 of SW/4, Section 120, Block 97, H&TC Ry. Co. Surveys, Scurry County, Texas, containing 10.0 acres.

TRACT TWO: SW/4 of NE/4 of SW/4, Section 120, Block 97 H&TC Ry. Co. Surveys, Scurry County, Texas, containing 10.0 acres.

TRACT THREE: SE/4 of NE/4 of SW/4, Section 120, Block 97, H&TC Ry. Co. Surveys, Scurry County, Texas, containing 10.0 acres.

Only as to depths from 2,500 feet below the surface down to and including 3,500 feet; and together with a like interest in all personal property located upon the above described real property and used in connection therewith.

2. On April 5, 1988, which is the first Tuesday of the month, between the hours of 10:00 o'clock a.m. and 4:00 o'clock p.m., at the Courthouse door of Scurry County, Texas, I will offer for sale and sell at public auction, for cash (with the judgment creditors being authorized to bid the amount of its judgment, together with costs and attorney's fees thereon), all right, title and interest of Joel Marcus in and to the following described property, to-wit:

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DATED This 10th day of March, 1988

(s) Keith Collier
**KEITH COLLIER, SHERIFF
SCURRY COUNTY, TEXAS**

The Snyder Independent School District will accept sealed proposals until 2:00 p.m., Tuesday, March 29, 1988 at the School Administration Building, 2901 37th Street, Snyder, Texas for an Asbestos Compliance package. Specifications may be obtained by calling Lavada Cates at (915)573-5401 or by written request to the address listed above. The Snyder Independent School District reserves the right to reject all proposals, waive any and all technicalities and accept the proposal which will best meet the needs of the district.

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NOTICE TO BIDDERS

Brown & Root, U.S.A., Inc., acting as Program Development Consultants to the Texas Department of Corrections, invites interested contractors to submit sealed bids for the site work of the 1000 Man Prison Unit at Snyder, Texas.

Sealed bids will be received at the Snyder City Hall, 1925 24th Street, Drawer GG, Snyder, Texas 79549 until 2:00 P.M. local time April 5, 1988 clearly marked "Bid Proposal for Site Work of 1000 Man Prison Unit, Snyder, Texas". Bids shall be addressed to Mr. Don Osborn, c/o Snyder City Hall, 1925 24th Street, Drawer GG, Snyder, Texas 79549 and will be publicly opened and read at the time and date above mentioned. No bid may be changed, amended or modified by telegram or otherwise after the same has been submitted or filed in response to this notice. A bid may be withdrawn, however, and resubmitted any time prior to the time set for receipt of bids. Bids may be mailed if desired. If mailed or expressed, address the outside of the envelope to: Mr. Don Osborn, c/o Snyder City Hall, 1925 24th Street, Drawer GG, Snyder, Texas 79549. Clearly mark "Bid Documents: Do Not Open Until 2:00 P.M. April 5, 1988 Site Work of 1000 Prison Unit, Snyder, Texas". Mailed bids must be received by Mr. Don Osborn's office prior to 2:00 P.M. on the bid date.

Contract Documents will be available for viewing at the following plan locations:

- Office of the Architect: Houston, Texas
- AGC Plan Rooms: Abilene
- F.W. Dodge Plan Rooms: Amarillo, Lubbock, Abilene

This project consists of site work improvements at the new 1000 man prison unit at Snyder, Texas. Work will include the construction of a perimeter road approximately 4200' and a 150 car parking lot. This project will be located in Snyder, Texas.

A pre-bid conference will be held on Friday, April 15, 1988 at 1:00 P.M. at the Snyder City Hall, 1925 24th Street, in the Council Chambers located in Snyder, Texas.

Bidder may contact the office of the Architect:

Lockwood, Andrews & Newman, Inc.
1500 City West Boulevard
Houston, Texas 77042
Phone No. (713) 266-6900

For information in regard to obtaining bid documents.

Amnesty extension sought

AUSTIN (AP) — State lawmakers, church leaders and immigration lawyers urged Congress Friday to extend the amnesty deadline by one year.

Under the Immigration Reform and Control Act of 1986, most undocumented aliens have through May 4 to apply for amnesty to remain in the United States legally. Agricultural workers have through November.

The National Immigration, Refugee and Citizenship Forum said Friday that is not enough time because of changes in Immigration and Naturalization Service amnesty rules and the economic hardships faced by many aliens who want to apply.

"If we really want to solve the problems of this underground population, if we want to bring these people out from the shadows and eliminate the exploitation ... then let's give it a chance," said Linda Wong, a Los Angeles lawyer representing the Mexican American Legal Defense and Education Fund.

She spoke at a Capitol news conference that included church leaders and others working on behalf of aliens seeking amnesty. The group also called on the INS to abandon its plan to reduce staff at the legalization offices where aliens make their amnesty applications.

INS plans to close its Austin and Corpus Christi offices after the May 4 deadline also drew criticism from the group. Spokesmen said those offices should remain open through the November deadline for agricultural workers.

Hightower's endorsement analyzed

AUSTIN (AP) — In the clear light of hindsight, Jim Hightower could bask in the glow.

The week before Super Tuesday, the Texas agriculture commissioner endorsed Democratic presidential candidate Jesse Jackson. He urged others to do the same, calling it a matter of conscience.

"As hard as I have tried to remain neutral, I was unable to escape the inner voice of integrity saying that Rev. Jesse Jackson is forcefully, proudly and successfully carrying the very populist program that I espouse," Hightower said. "And, if he is standing for my principles, why am I not standing for him?"

So he stood up for Jackson. Immediately, there were questions of whether the move was political genius or political suicide.

But following Jackson's second-place finish in the Super Tuesday Texas primary, where he earned almost as many national convention delegates as winner Michael Dukakis, Hightower's move was called a key event.

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NOTICE OF APPLICATION FOR HAZARDOUS SOLID WASTE STORAGE, TREATMENT, AND DISPOSAL FACILITY PERMIT AND COMPLIANCE PLAN

FINE OIL AND CHEMICAL COMPANY, P. O. Box 1311, Big Spring, Texas 79720-1311, has applied to the Texas Water Commission for a permit (Program Permit No. 188-02182-000) to continue operating a storage, processing, and disposal facility for Class I hazardous industrial solid waste. The permit will authorize a two-phase land treatment demonstration for Fine's Class I land treatment unit and will also cover three container storage areas. The land treatment unit has a maximum surface area of 8.09 acres and the three container storage areas have a combined total capacity of 22,000 gallons. Fine has also applied for a compliance plan under which it would conduct a corrective action program to remove hazardous waste constituents in the ground water at the facility. Fine would also conduct a remedial investigation under the compliance plan to detect and correct any other releases which may have occurred from other solid waste management units. Wastes managed at this facility are classified as ignitable, toxic, flammable and reactive and are limited to wastes generated from Fine Oil and Chemical Company in Big Spring.

The facility is located five miles east of the Howard County Courthouse on the north side of the intersection of Highway 20 and Highway Road in Big Spring, Howard County, Texas (North Latitude 32°17'04", West Longitude 101°24'53"). The site is in the drainage area of Segment No. 1412 of the Colorado River Basin.

The Executive Director of the Texas Water Commission has prepared a draft permit and compliance plan which, if approved by the Commission, will authorize the continued operation of this facility under the terms described above. The Executive Director has also prepared a summary of the applicant's compliance history at the facility, copies of which are available upon request.

Legal Authority: Section 26-02(b) of the Texas Water Code, as amended; Section 4(e) of the Solid Waste Disposal Act (Article 4477, Texas Revised Civil Statutes); 31 TMC Chapters 305 and 325 of the Rules of the Texas Water Commission.

This notice satisfies the requirements of the Resource Conservation and Recovery Act (RCRA), as amended, 42 U.S.C. §9601 et seq. and 40 CFR §124.10. The draft permit and compliance plan, if issued by the U.S. Environmental Protection Agency (EPA), will implement the requirements of the Hazardous and Solid Waste Amendments of 1984, amending the federal Solid Waste Disposal Act, as amended. The Texas Water Commission and the EPA have entered into a joint permitting agreement whereby permits may be issued and compliance plans, such as the TWC and EPA permit, issued the permit and compliance plan. All permit and compliance plan provisions are fully enforceable under Texas law after issuance by the Texas Water Commission. The permit and compliance plan terms are also enforceable by EPA. EPA may participate in the formal public hearing process.

The Commission will provide an informal public hearing session if a written notice of objection and request for hearing is received within 30 days of the date of publication of the notice of application. The written notice of objection and request for such hearing must be accompanied by a statement that an aesthetic, recreational, recreational or economic interest of the requestor is or may be adversely affected by the granting of the application. It is presumed that residents, property owners or individuals doing business in the local area meet this test. Any person will be allowed to make oral or written statements at the informal public hearing session. The Executive Director of the Texas Water Commission will consider any information submitted in making a final recommendation and will respond in the recommendation to the Texas Water Commission and subsequently in writing at the time the final decision is made, to any significant comments made at or in connection with the informal public hearing session.

No evidentiary public hearing will be held on this application unless an affected person who has received notice of the application has requested an evidentiary public hearing. Any such request for an evidentiary public hearing shall be in writing and contain (1) the name, mailing address and phone number of the person making the request and (2) a brief description of how the requester, or persons represented by the requester, would be adversely affected by the granting of the application. If the Commission determines that the request sets out an issue which is relevant to the permit decision, or that an evidentiary public hearing would serve the public interest, the Commission shall conduct an evidentiary public hearing, after issuance of proper and timely notice of the hearing. If no sufficient request for hearing is received within 45 days of the date of publication of the notice concerning the application, the permit will be submitted to the Commission for final decision on the application.

The Texas Air Control Board (TACB) may appear at a public hearing and participate as a party to address air quality aspects of the application, pursuant to the Texas Solid Waste Disposal Act, Article 4477, Texas Revised Civil Statutes. The TACB will regulate air emissions from the facility through special provisions in any permit which is issued.

Requests for an evidentiary public hearing, and/or an informal public hearing session, and/or requests for further information concerning any aspect of the application should be submitted in writing to Duncan Norton, Assistant Chief Hearing Examiner, Texas Water Commission, P. O. Box 13087, Capital Station, Austin, Texas 78711, Telephone 512/463-7875. Written comments on the application should be submitted to the same address within 45 days of the date of publication of the notice of application.

Issued this 3rd day of March, 1988.

Karen A. Phillips
Karen A. Phillips, Chief Clerk
Texas Water Commission

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"SUPER TUESDAY"—Sixth grade students at East held their own mock election Tuesday in conjunction with "Super Tuesday." Todd Goodlett and Melinda Estrada (seated) served as election clerks. Other students pictured are Stephen Campbell, Jimmy Henry

Robert McDorman, Clinton Garcia, Kelly Kirkpatrick, Jennifer King, Jason Pierce, Christy Torres, Brigette Braziel, Timmy Davis and Jamey Frazier. (SDN Staff Photo)

East sixth grades hold mock election

The sixth grade students in Mrs. Beverly Robertson's and Mrs. Dora Blakey's rooms at East Elementary took part in the historical first "Super Tuesday" by holding their own mock election.

Students were required to pick up, fill out, and return voter registration forms before the end of school on Friday, March 4, to be eligible to vote on Tuesday, March 8.

Materials were furnished for individual study of the candidates and students were invited to give campaign speeches for their favorite candidate.

A separate polling place was set up for precinct E6 of the Snyder ISD and students Todd Goodlett and Melinda Estrada served as election clerks. Emphasis was placed on the responsibility as well as the privilege of voting.

Eighty-three percent of the students voted a Republican ballot and 17 percent voted Democratic. Vice president George Bush received 47 percent of the total vote and Pat Robertson received 17 percent of the

total vote. All other candidates on the Republican ballot received .04 percent of the votes.

Jesse Jackson received nine percent of the total vote and all other candidates on the Democratic ballot received .04 percent of the vote.

Commodities to be distributed

Commodities of cheese, butter and honey and will be distributed to senior citizens and handicapped persons on Tuesday from 9-11:30 a.m. and to other eligible residents of Scurry County on Wednesday from 9-11:30 a.m. and 1-4 p.m. Items will be distributed at the Senior Center, 2603 Ave. M.

Eligibility guidelines for citizens of Scurry County are posted at the Senior Center.

There will be no make-up day and all individuals are asked to enter through the north door of the building and to bring paper sacks or boxes to transport commodities.

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Defensive driving class scheduled

An eight-hour defensive driving course will be offered by the Western Texas College Continuing Education department on March 19.

The class will meet from 8 a.m. to noon and from 1-5 p.m. in the Senior Center at 2603 Avenue M. Fees are \$25 per person or \$7 for persons 62 and older.

Because the Continuing Education office at WTC will be closed this week due to spring break, persons wishing to enroll may

pre-register by calling Debra Cheyne at 573-4035. Fees will be paid at 7:45 a.m. Saturday just prior to the start of the first class session.

A Pan American World Airways jetliner crashed in flames in 1982 in a suburban residential area shortly after takeoff from New Orleans International Airport, killing 145 people on the plane and eight others on the ground.



THE WATER SHOP manager Ronnie Passmore, left, and employee Karae Wright, center, are shown filling a five-gallon water container for Bridget Turner. The Water Shop is located at 4000 College Avenue. (SDN Staff Photo)

The Water Shop is now open for business locally

The Water Shop is now open at 4000 College Avenue. The Water Shop sells high quality drinking water by the gallon as well as sells and rents dispensing equipment. They also have home filtering units and reverse osmosis units for sale or rent.

Culligan has been serving the West Texas area since 1945. The Big Spring franchise owner, Rickard (Dickie) Wright, obtained the Snyder territory in 1982. At that time it was not feasible to open a separate office in Snyder. Now, however business in Snyder has grown to the extent that a full-time office is needed here to keep up with sales and service.

Store manager Ronnie Passmore extends an invitation to come by The Water Shop at 4000 College or give him a call at 573-6642 and get acquainted.

U.S. Gen. William Hull invaded Canada from Detroit at the beginning of the War of 1812. C.S. Rolls of the Rolls-Royce automobile firm was killed in 1910 a plane crash.

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Scurry County Folks...

By Shirley A. Gorman

Betsy Griffin of Snyder is outnumbered five to one by the males in her family, but she says she isn't bothered by the ratio.

She and her husband, Merle, have three sons and for the past several months, Ramon Yanez of Vigo, Spain has been living with them.

The Griffins' three sons are John, a sophomore, Jim, a sixth grader, and Jay, a third grader.

Ramon's visit has been arranged through the International Youth Exchange program which is supported by local clubs and organizations. He will return home this summer. He is presently a sophomore at Snyder High School.

To Mrs. Griffin, who teaches at the junior high school, Ramon is just another "son." "It has really been neat for us to have him here with us," she said. "He is flexible and rolls with the punches. He is like a brother to my youngest son."

Christmas was a special time for the family as they made a videotape of their celebration and sent a copy to Ramon's family in Spain.

In Spain, Ramon said that the whole city celebrates the holiday in a big way with three city-wide parties similar to a Mardi Gras. The first is held on Dec. 1. Then another one on Jan. 1 and a third on Jan. 6.

Mrs. Griffin said her brother has three sons also and for Thanksgiving they all got together. Communicating with Ramon was a problem at first because he spoke little English, but according to Mrs. Griffin he has "come a long way."

Her husband spent two years in

Nicaragua and speaks Spanish so he was able to talk to Ramon. Son John said that learning how to communicate with his newest "brother" was an exciting challenge.

Ramon has adapted to American and family customs very well and even ate blackeyed peas for the first time on New Year's Day. However, Mrs. Griffin said that even though Ramon has adapted well to American foods, he has not as yet acquired a taste for cornbread.

He does like hamburgers, however.

"Ramon is very practical," Mrs. Griffin said. "Material things don't mean a lot to him."

She admits to "staying busy most of the time keeping up with all of the activities of the boys in her family."

"Having Ramon with us has made us appreciate our family more," she said. "It is hard for Ramon to get up in the morning, but when he does, he gets ready very fast."

While Ramon is living in Snyder this school year, a girl from Amarillo is living with his family in Spain and attending school there. When Ramon talks on the phone with his family, John talks to the girl.

John said that school in Spain is much harder than in the U.S. Even though the Amarillo girl is only in high school, she is already taking calculus.

Classes also begin around 9:15 a.m. and break for lunch at 1:30 p.m. Students come back from 4:15 to 6:15 p.m. Students take 11 classes but they are arranged on alternate days just like college. Students always stay in the same room and teachers change classes.

According to Mrs. Griffin, teenagers are raised differently in Spain. "They are more relaxed and dates are usually more like groups of young people getting together and doing things. They don't pair off into dates until they

are 18 or so."

She said that Ramon loves to

attend parties. She also added, anything we have asked him to "He has never failed to do."



HOST FAMILY—Merle and Betsy Griffin and their children have been enjoying having a foreign exchange student—Ramon Yanez of Spain (back row, middle) live with them this school year. The Grif-

fin boys are Jay, 9 (seated, center); Jim, 12 (standing, right); and John, a sophomore, (standing, left).

Ramon will spend spring break in Ruidoso going skiing. After school is out, he will also take part in a tour arranged by Mrs. Griffin which visits Washington and New York.

John said he intends to apply for the foreign exchange program so that he can visit Ramon in Spain the summer after his junior year.

John was also responsible for his family taking Ramon in. Originally the foreign exchange student had been living with another family, but when that didn't work out he needed to find another home. John came home one day and asked his family if it would be all right for Ramon to live with them. They thought it over and agreed. And Ramon has been with them ever since.

At the high school, Ramon is involved with tennis and drama. This school year will count towards his graduation requirements and when he returns to Spain he will be classified as a junior. After graduating from high school, he plans to attend a university.

When Ramon first arrived in Snyder, he had to get used to living in a much smaller city because his hometown has a population of 300,000 people. He also had to make some adjustments regarding the weather here, which is colder in the winter than he was used to. He is also accustomed to more rain.

Since living in Snyder, Ramon has been to a Cowboys game, a Texas Rangers game and the AJRA rodeo.

Ramon's father is an engineer for a car company. He has two sisters and one brother, all older than he is. He is the only one in his family who speaks English and that is the main reason his family wanted him to come to America—to learn English.

His parents speak French, Spanish and a little Portugese.

Ramon said he misses his See LOCAL, Page 2B

The SDN Sec. B

Sun., March 13, 1988

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ENGAGEMENT ANNOUNCED — Nixie Brewster, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Aubrey Brewster, will marry Tommy Guin, son of Mr. and Mrs. H.F. (Son) Guin of Tahoka June 21 at 7 p.m. in Trinity United Methodist Church. (Private Photo)

New combination drugs aid high blood pressure
WEST POINT, Pa. (AP) — blacks, as compared with whites, High blood pressure, a serious health threat to almost a quarter of all Americans, is a far greater menace to blacks, who are twice as likely to suffer from the disease, says Merck Sharp & Dohme Research Laboratories. The firm, developer of a new once-a-day drug to treat high blood pressure, says the disease contributes significantly to the disproportionately high annual death rate from all causes among



APPROACHING MARRIAGE — Mr. and Mrs. Delmon Hodges of Fort Stockton announce the engagement and approaching marriage of their daughter, Gina Paige Hodges, to Alan Cotton. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Dan Cotton. The ceremony is planned for June 11 at 2 p.m. in the Fort Stockton Church of Christ. (Private Photo)



UPCOMING WEDDING — Mr. and Mrs. Charlie J. Kulhanek of Megargel announce the engagement and approaching marriage of their daughter, Veronica Ann, to Dr. Michael Ernest Wimmer, son of Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Wimmer. He is the grandson of Mr. and Mrs. Luther Azbill. The wedding will be June 11 in Sacred Heart Catholic Church of Seymour. (Private Photo)

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hand. South was naturally delighted to accept the invitation, but he failed in his contract when he forgot to apply "what if" philosophy in the play. Declarer covered the jack of spades with dummy's queen. East won the ace and returned a heart. West took the A-Q and played a third heart. Try as he might, from that point on South could take no more than nine tricks. South should succeed by asking himself how he can go set and then by taking steps to avoid that predicament. Since the only apparent way to lose the contract is for the defenders to be able to lead three rounds of trumps, declarer should neutralize this possibility by allowing West to hold the opening trick with the jack of spades. Barring the unusual possibility that the defenders' diamonds divide 6-1, declarer will then cash the A-K of diamonds and be able to ruff one or even both of his small diamonds to assure making the contract. If the first small diamond were to be overruffed by East with the queen of trumps, and trumps were then played by the defense, declarer would still be able to get rid of his losing diamond on either the king or the queen of spades in dummy. (A ruffing finesse against the ace of spades could be taken, if necessary.)

Snyder ISD menu

BREAKFAST MONDAY	Fruitcicle Milk	TUESDAY	Steak Fingers Potato Sticks Chilled Pears Gravy Hot Rolls Milk
Cold Cereal Grape Juice Milk		WEDNESDAY	Beef & Bean Burrito Spanish Rice Apple Wedges Birthday Cake Ice Cream Milk
TUESDAY	French Toast w/Buttered Honey Apple Juice Milk	THURSDAY	Fish Wedges Carrot Slaw Blackeyed Peas Cherry Cobbler Milk
WEDNESDAY	Nut Roll Orange Juice Milk	FRIDAY	Chili Cheese Dog French Fries Fruit Compote Peanut Butter Bar
THURSDAY	Oatmeal w/Butter and Sugar Toast Pineapple Juice Milk	LUNCH MONDAY	Corndogs Baked Beans Blushing Applesauce
FRIDAY	Breakfast Taco Grape Juice Milk		

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A quick word about the bidding North's jump to three hearts was not forcing, only invitational. A simple bid of two hearts by North over two diamonds would be only a preference which could be made with a very poor

Hermleigh ISD Menu

BREAKFAST MONDAY	Fruit Buttered Toast Milk	TUESDAY	Juice Buttered Rice Milk	WEDNESDAY	Sausage & Gravy Mashed Potatoes Buttered Spinach Hot Biscuits Fruit Jello Milk
TUESDAY	Fruit Dry Cereal Milk	WEDNESDAY	Fruit Gravy & Hot Biscuits Milk	THURSDAY	Irish Stew Fried Okra Corn Bread Shamrock Cookies Milk
THURSDAY	Juice Gravy & Hot Biscuits Milk	FRIDAY	Holiday	FRIDAY	Holiday
FRIDAY	Holiday	LUNCH MONDAY	Hamburger Steak/Brown Gravy Tater Tots Tossed Salad Hot Rolls Bread Pudding/Lemon Sauce Milk		
SUNDAY	Lasagna Buttered Mixed Vegetables Soft Bread Sticks Chocolate Pudding Milk				

Snyder Duplicate Bridge Scoreboard

- THURSDAY**
- Helen Wadleigh, Bonita Moore.
 - Lou Meadows, Donna Early.
 - Libby Brinner, Jay Guthrie.
- FRIDAY**
 Director Dot Casey
- EAST-WEST**
- Rube McKinley, Barbara Yorgesen.
 - Maribeth Vestal, Sue Carter.
 - George and Shirley Stewart.
- NORTH-SOUTH**
- Ann Davis, Joyce Bass.
 - Jane Hinton, Marjorie Brown.
 - Polly Ballard, Verde Kimbro.
- SUNDAY**
 Director Dot Casey
- Polly Ballard, Verdi Kimbro.
 - Ann Davis, Dorothy Hudson.
 - Dot Casey, Jane Hinton.
 - Maribeth Vestal, Sue Carter.

Local family enjoys visitor

Continued from Page 1B motorcycle, which he is licensed to ride in Spain. He said the greatest part of living in Snyder is learning the language, the customs and the way of life of the American people. Floyd Patterson, who twice won the heavyweight championship, was an Olympic gold medalist as a middleweight in 1952 in Helsinki.

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Community Calendar

MONDAY
 MAWC Board of Directors; all members urged to attend; 10 a.m.
 Noah Project support group for victims of family violence; 3:45 p.m.; for more information, call 573-1822.
 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.
 La Leche League; First United Methodist Church; "The Art of Breastfeeding"; 7 p.m.; children welcome; for information call 573-7844.
 Snyder Police Auxiliary; SNB community room; 7 p.m.
 Open duplicate bridge; Colorado City bridge room; 7 p.m.
 Rebekah Lodge 294; lodge hall; 7:30 p.m.
 American Legion Layne Kite Post 181 and auxiliary; 7:30 p.m.
 Scurry County Alcoholics Anonymous; Park Club in Winston Park; 8 p.m. For more information, call 573-4870 or 573-1357.

TUESDAY
 Ladies Golf Association; tee time at players convenience.
 AARP; Senior Center; 1 p.m.
 Plainview Extension Homemakers Club; Northeast Community Center; 2 p.m.
 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.
 Art Guild Study Club; MAWC; 6:30 p.m.
 TOPS TX56; weigh-in and meeting 7-8 p.m.; 2501 35th St.; for more information, call Peggy at 573-9000.
 Hermleigh Order of the Eastern Star; Masonic Lodge; 7:30 p.m.
 Scurry Lodge 706; AF and AM degree classes; 7:30 p.m.
 New Horizon Alcoholics Anonymous; Park Club in Winston Park; 8 p.m. For more information, call 573-2101 or 573-8626.
 Al-Anon; Park Club in Winston Park; 8 p.m. For more information call 573-2101.

WEDNESDAY
 Cosmorama Study Club; MAWC; 4 p.m.
 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.
 Narcotics Anonymous; Park Club in Winston Park; 8 p.m. For more information, call 573-3956 or 573-0414.

THURSDAY
 Honey Do's Extension Homemakers Club; 9:30 a.m.
 Cogdell Memorial Hospital Auxiliary; board room; all members are urged to attend; 10 a.m.
 Advanced duplicate bridge; Colorado City bridge room; 1:30 p.m.
 Duplicate Bridge; Snyder Country Club; 1:30 p.m.
 Tiger Shark Swim Club; WTC; 6-18 years of age; 4-5:30 p.m.; for 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 p.m.
 Deep Creek Chapter American Business Women; The Texan; 6:30 p.m.
 Alateen; for the children of alcoholics; 7 p.m. For more information, call 573-2101 or 573-8626.
 Snyder Coin Club; West Texas State Bank community room; 7:30 p.m.
 Snyder Chapter 450 Order of the Eastern Star; Masonic Lodge; 7:30 p.m.
 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.
 Duplicate bridge; Snyder Country Club; 1:30 p.m.
 Cornelius Dodson House; open by appointment; 573-9742 or 573-2763.
 Tiger Shark Swim Club; WTC; 6-18 years of age; 4-5:30 p.m.; for more information, call Mike Harrison at 573-8511 ext 283.
 Al-Anon; Park Club in Winston Park; 8 p.m. For more information call 573-2101.
 New Horizon Alcoholics Anonymous; Park Club in Winston Park; 8 p.m. For more information, call 573-2101 or 573-8626.

SATURDAY
 Diamond M Museum; open from 1-4 p.m.
 People Without Partners; Inadale Community Center; games of 42 and dominoes; 6:30 p.m.
 Narcotics Anonymous; Park Club in Winston Park; 8 p.m. For more information, call 573-3956 or 573-0414.

SUNDAY
 Scurry County Alcoholics Anonymous; Park Club in Winston Park; 10 a.m. For more information, call 573-4870 or 573-1357.
 Scurry County Museum, Western Texas College; open from 1-4 p.m.
 Diamond M Museum; open from 1-4 p.m.
 Duplicate Bridge Club; Snyder Country Club; 1:30 p.m.

New paint can transform house

CHARLOTTE, Vt. (AP) — Painting is an inexpensive and versatile home improvement that can brighten a dark hallway, lower a ceiling, make a plain room interesting or divide a house with an open floor plan into visually separate areas, notes Harrowsmith magazine.

To "drop" a ceiling, paint it a darker hue; to "lift" it, paint it white — or at least a lighter color than the walls. If a room or hallway is narrow, paint the long walls white and the ends a darker, warmer color. Warm, dark hues help make an overly large room look snug, the magazine points out.



MR. AND MRS. DANNY COURTNEY

Vows join couple

Cynthia Neves and Danny Courtney exchanged vows March 6 in the First Baptist Church Chapel. Robbie Boyd, youth minister of the church, officiated the double-ring ceremony.

Parents of the couple are Mr. and Mrs. Norman Neves and Mr. and Mrs. James Courtney Sr.

Given in marriage by her parents, the bride wore a long, formal gown of white with lavender print adorned with lace around the shoulders and hem. Her veil was mid-length with flowers at the crown to match her bouquet.

Diana Ballard was maid of honor. She was attired in a full-length dress with a pink skirt and white lace bodice.

Melissa Elam, bridesmaid, wore a long gown of lavender embellished with white lace at the shoulders and hem.

The groom was attired in a blue, three-piece suit and wore a boutonniere of lavender, pink and white coordinated with the bridal bouquet.

Best man was Donny Loveall with James Courtney Jr. serving as groomsman. Eric Neves, brother of the bride, ushered the guests.

Following the ceremony, a reception was held in the church Garden Room.

The bride's table was covered with lavender overlaid in white lace. The bridal bouquet of pink roses and lavender and white orchids served as the centerpiece for a three-tiered, heart-shaped wedding cake. A cascade of flowers to match the bouquet was featured with a traditional bride and groom figurine topping the cake.

An ice cream and soda punch complemented the table. Glenda Freeman and Mari Reed served.

The groom's table was covered in white and held a double heart-shaped German chocolate cake and silver coffee service. Sabra Brazil served.

The bride and groom are at home in Snyder but plan a move to Hobbs, N.M.

Scurry Library News and Views

FEATURED THIS WEEK

CHAOS, By James Gleick.

Over the last decade, physicists, biologists, astronomers and economists have created a new way of understanding the growth of complexity in nature. This new science, called chaos, offers a way of seeing order and pattern where formerly only the random, the erratic and the unpredictable had been observed.

"Chaos" is a history of scientific discovery. It chronicles, in the participants' own words, their conflicts and frustrations, their emotions and moments of revelation. It is a record of a revolution, the birth of a new science. After reading "Chaos," you will never look at the world in

quite the same way again.

NON-FICTION

"Pat Robertson: a personal, political and religious portrait" by David Edwin Harrell, Jr.

"The Doles Unlimited Partners" by Rob and Elizabeth Dole.
 "Detour: a Hollywood Story" by Cheryl Crane.

FICTION

"Double Whammy" by Carl Hiassen.

"The Hyte Maneuver" by David Melton.

"Summit" by D.M. Thomas.

LIBRARY HOURS

10 a.m. to 6 p.m. Monday, Wednesday, Friday and Saturday.

10 a.m. to 9 p.m. Tuesday and Thursday.

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MONDAY
 Peanut Butter Sandwiches
 Cheese Wedge
 Crackers
 Fruit
 Milk

TUESDAY
 Barbecue on a Bun
 Green Peas
 Baked Potatoes
 Plain Cake w/Icing
 Milk

WEDNESDAY
 Corndogs
 French Fries
 Pork and Beans
 Brownies


Garlic Bread
 Milk

THURSDAY

Green Enchiladas
 Mexican Style Beans
 Celery & Carrots
 Crackers
 Peaches
 Milk

FRIDAY

Sandwiches
 Tuna and Bologna
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ALZHEIMERS

Cigarette smokers who exceed a pack a day are four times as likely to get Alzheimers disease as nonsmokers, suggests a study of U.S. Veterans by Harvard epidemiologist Stuart L. Shalat. Less than a pack a day increases the risk 1-1/2 times. There is no reason the sensitive brain should be spared smoking's side effects, he notes.



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Reflections



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BRIDAL HONORS — Terese Beuerlein, bride-elect of Pvt. Kelly Todd Milton, was given an afternoon bridal shower March 6. Pictured from left are Audra Clanton, her niece; Anne Clanton, her sister; Paula Beuerlein, her sister; Lucille Beuerlein, her mother;

the honoree; Sharon Robbins, mother of the prospective groom; Tamara Milton, his sister; Priscilla and Jennifer Robbins, his sisters. The couple is exchanging vows March 12 at 3 p.m. at St. Elizabeth Catholic Church. (SDN Staff Photo)



SUMMER WEDDING PLANNED — Mr. and Mrs. James Breeden of Fluvanna announce the engagement and approaching marriage of their daughter, Jana Kaye, to Drew Price, son of Mr. and Mrs. Jack Willis and Bill Price. The couple plans a July 2 wedding at 6 p.m. in the First Christian Church. (Harley Bynum Photography)

Mirror, mirror on the wall

By BARBARA MAYER
AP Newsfeatures
Most people interested in decorating know mirrored walls can visually expand the apparent size of a room that is too small or the depth of a room that is too narrow.

But did you know mirrors also can compensate for lack of available natural light and impart a contemporary feeling to

any size room? These are a few of the tricks designers played with mirrors in a competition sponsored by the National Association of Mirror Manufacturers and the American Society of Interior Designers. Four winners in the residential category and four winners for commercial entries were announced at the annual meeting of ASID in Toronto.

Arthur Mullen, of Pensacola, Fla., received first prize in the residential category for a bedroom with mirrored walls that reflect etched glass panels mounted in the ceiling and bed headboard. The acrylic bedroom ceiling has thousands of tiny lights embedded which creates a starlike effect. The lights are guaranteed for life, according to the designer.

Mullen also took a fourth place award for a trompe l'oeil installation in which vertical

acrylic rods are mounted in front of mirrored walls and doors in a bedroom hallway.

He said he discovered by accident that acrylic actually carries light, so it was possible to light the entire surface of the wall by mounting a fluorescent tube in the ceiling.

This light is transported by the rods and these are in turn reflected by the mirrored walls. "The whole room in effect becomes a light fixture. It was a dinky little hall and now when you walk in there it is like a little trip into fantasy. It gives a sensational feeling," he said.

Both installations are part of the same condominium, which cost about \$2.5 million to decorate and took two years to complete.

The designer noted that extensive wall mirroring is both a costly and a difficult installation. "If you are going to try this stunt you really have to do it well. You can't cut a single corner," he added.

You could, however, get some of the drama of the mirrored hallway without the difficulties by restricting the installation to a single wall in a windowless foyer. If a wall is already mirrored, so much the better.

Hang plexiglass or acrylic rods from the ceiling in front of it. Hide the light source (a soft white fluorescent tube will do) behind a soffit. This trick works best in a windowless room since daylight will minimize the effect.

The usual task of mirrored walls is to enlarge and enliven space. That's the job Alan G. Lucas and Jeffrey R. Werner of Mountain View, Calif., did in a 400-square-foot condominium that won the second prize in the residential design competition.

The mirror heightens the unit's greatest asset — its spectacular view of the ocean. A mirrored wall extends diagonally across a

media cabinet and a piano-hinged door that for effect is mirrored on both sides. Opposite the media cabinet, a mirrored corner reflects the outdoors, providing a virtually endless vista of beach and ocean.

The two designers also employed a mirrored backsplash in the small kitchen that creates the illusion of more depth than is actually there, and a mirrored wall adjacent to the kitchen creates the illusion of a corridor in a one-room apartment.

Mirrored surfaces and exercise areas have a natural affinity. Charles D. Hartman of Cleveland created an exercise area and dressing room in a home by covering all surfaces with clear mirrors and then overlaying it with French-style plaster architectural elements.

"A totally mirrored room has a funhouse effect. You don't know where anything is," according to Hartman. The moldings and appliques which he had attached to the mirrored walls and the patterned soft textured carpet minimize the effect by providing reference points to visually identify the walls and floor.

With all that mirror and numerous custom designs, it is not surprising to learn the installation cost the equivalent of "several Ferraris." The designer added that elaborate mirror work is always quite expensive.

However, if you already had a mirrored wall in a bathroom, you could reproduce the room's character for much less by painting the classical decorations directly on the mirror and by hanging a round framed mirror on top of a single mirrored wall. Place a dressing table against the wall and cover the floor in inexpensive fluffy polyester carpet in a color such as soft pink or cream.

One way to get the benefit of the mirror's sparkle and light reflectivity without necessarily mirroring everything that goes on in a room is to use mirror strips. The same treatment could work well in a basement family room.

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GOLDEN YEAR — In honor of the 50th anniversary of Mr. and Mrs. Pat W. Bills, their children and grandchildren are hosting a reception March 19 at 7:30 p.m. in the First Baptist Church Garden Room. The couple was married March 18, 1938 in Loving. (Private Photo)

Town and Country
By Kathryn Roberts
Extension Agent

'HEALTHY SNACKS' MAY NOT BE SO HEALTHY

Some of the snack foods found in the health or natural foods sections at the supermarkets may be giving you more sugar, sodium or fat than you bargained for.

Granola bars, dehydrated fruit bars, trail mix and other health snacks can be convenient and nutritious food choices, but also have their drawbacks.

Granola bars are a good example. Plain granola bars contain grains, such as oats, that add protein and fiber to the diet. With added fillings, chocolate pieces or coating and syrup added to enhance flavor and chewiness, however, some snacks are more like candy than granola.

Dehydrated fruit snacks which come in bars, bits and rolls are convenient lunch-box treats, but don't compare to fresh fruit for nutritional value. The fruit snacks also have added sugars

and sweeteners. Microwavable popcorn, like regular popcorn, will vary in fat and sodium according to how much butter and salt is added.

While consumers control how much salt and butter they add to the popcorn made the conventional way, the microwave product may contain more than they would normally use.

Many of the trail mixes and bulk fruit and nut mixes have high nutrient values. But some, such as the bulk party mixes, are high in fat, calories and sodium.

Moderate amounts of almost any snack can fit into a balanced diet, but consumers shouldn't assume all foods are healthy because they're advertised that way.

If you're really concerned about nutrition, carefully read the ingredients list and nutrition information on snack food labels to find out just what you're getting.

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 Henry F. and Opal Wenetschlaeger, 1988 Ford pickup from Wilson Motors.
 Fred L. Williams, 1988 GMC pickup from Howard Gray Motors.
 Rudy Martinez, 1988 Ford Aerostar from Wilson Motors.
 Glen L. Mosley, 1988 Ford pickup from Wilson Motors.
 E.D. Walton Construction Co., 1988 Chevrolet pickup from Mal. Donelson Chevrolet.
 Kerry Fritz, 1988 Buick from Howard Gray Motors.

Marriage Licenses
 Milburn Ray Matthews and Michelle LeAnn Locknane, both of Snyder.
 Robert Willis Nichols and Janet Marie Boren, both Midland.
 Randy Joe Williams and Terry LeNora McDorman, home towns not yet in files.

Filed in District Court
 Montgomery Ward & Co. vs. Lillian Durst, suit on sworn account.
 Snyder Savings & Loan Association vs. I. David Porras and William H. Edmiston, individually and doing business as Pyramid Land & Cattle Co., suit on note.

Warranty Deeds
 Claude E. Allen et ux to Vera McClanahan, Lot 12, the north 13 feet and south 49 feet of Lot 13, the north 26 feet of Lot 14, the south 23 feet of Lot 15 and the

north 52 feet of Lot 16 in Block 5 of Section 2 of the Parkway Addition to the City of Snyder.
 Francisca Benitez to Jose Alfredo Benitez, the west two-thirds of Lot 4 in Block 43 of the Original Town of Snyder.
 Cecil A. Hall et ux to Neva Joyce Fuqua et al, the southwest quarter of Section 91, Block 3, H&TC Survey; and the northeast part of Section 54, Block 3, H&GN Survey, Scurry County, Tex. (gift deed).
 Charles B. McDorman et ux to Jim Walter Homes of Tampa, Fla., Lot 4 in Block 21 of the Boothland West Addition to the City of Snyder.
 Dan M. Lindsey et ux to William J. LaRoux, Lot 10 in Block 4 of the Park Place Addition to the City of Snyder.

First Western Savings & Loan Association of Colorado City to Wade Armstrong, Lot 5 in Block 5 of Section 1 of the Cedar Creek Addition to the City of Snyder.
 Tim Brown et ux to Jackie Wright Womack Jr. et ux, 5.2834 acres in the southeast quarter of Section 207, Block 97, H&TC Survey, Scurry County, Tex.

Karla Denise Beck, independent executrix of the estate of Carl Voss Jr., et al, to Western Texas College, the south one-half of Section 171, Block 97, H&TC Survey, Scurry County, Tex., save and except 10 acres in the northeast part of the southeast quarter of Section 171 and the south 40 acres of the southeast quarter of Section 171.

M.E. Hanson Jr. et ux to Irene Hudgins, part of Block 93 in the Town of Hermleigh.

Austria celebrates date of annexation

VIENNA, Austria (AP) — Austria Friday marked the 50th anniversary of its annexation by Nazi Germany, capping a bitter two-year debate about its World War II past that has polarized politics at home and tarnished its image abroad.

At separate ceremonies, President Kurt Waldheim and government leaders laid wreaths this morning at a monument to the victims of Fascism and at Vienna's tomb of the unknown soldier.

A special Cabinet session followed by a memorial session of parliament and a nationwide moment of silence were scheduled.

Waldheim, originally designated a keynote speaker at a ceremony in the Hofburg palace, was to remain out of the limelight because of the controversy over his wartime past.

Instead, Waldheim commemorated the annexation with a nationally televised speech Thursday in which for the first time he apologized for crimes committed by Austrian Nazis during the war, but ignored the debate surrounding him.

"We must not forget that many of the worst Nazi hangmen were Austrians," Waldheim said in the 12-minute speech. "There were Austrians who were victims and others who were perpetrators."

"Obviously, there is no collective guilt" for war crimes, the president added. "Nevertheless, as head of state of the Republic of Austria, I wish to apologize for Nazi crimes committed by Austrians."

Until two years ago, Waldheim had not admitted that he served

as a lieutenant in a German army unit that was implicated in wartime atrocities. Since then, he has resisted mounting pressure to resign.

Scores of anti-Waldheim protesters called anew for the president's resignation at a rally Thursday evening that kicked off the events commemorating Austria's March 11, 1938 annexation by Adolf Hitler's Nazis.

Protesters showed banners bearing slogans such as "Say Goodbye Kurt," and "Our Duty is to Fight Fascism — Down With Waldheim."

City officials handed out black ribbons with the words, "50 Years, March 1938, Never Again."

Police said about 15,000 people turned out at the rally, held on a spotlight square in front of Vienna's towering City Hall.

Former Nazi concentration camp prisoners, city politicians and the head of Vienna's 6,000-member Jewish community urged the crowd to remember the past.

"We should never let the stain of shame on the history of this city be forgotten," said Jewish leader Paul Grosz.

Dear Abby

By Abigail Van Buren
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Daylight Intruder Wakes Up Family to Reality of Crime

DEAR ABBY: For the last two years my husband and I have felt comfortable leaving our sons, 9 and 12, home alone while we go to the store, or run other errands during the daytime. Of course, we have taught them not to open the door and to stay inside with the door locked.

Last week I left our 12-year-old home alone for about an hour in the morning. My car was gone so the house looked deserted. Shortly after I left, a man rang our doorbell. Our son kept quiet, as we had instructed, and waited for the caller to leave. He did not leave; he continued to ring the bell until he was satisfied that no one was home. Then he quickly picked the lock and entered the house.

Meanwhile our son stood petrified on the other side of the door! He did not call the police because he heard a police radio (the man was carrying a "scanner") and he thought the intruder was a policeman — although he couldn't figure out why a police officer would force an entry.

After the intruder entered the house, he probably sensed that someone was home, so he quickly fled. No harm was done, but it sickens me to think of what could have happened had the intruder been armed, or high on drugs.

We have lived in this peaceful neighborhood for 11 years, and always felt very safe and secure. That we cannot leave a 12-year-old at home for an hour in broad daylight with the door locked startles us back to reality!

We are changing our instructions to our children. We now say: If the doorbell rings, go to the door and, without opening it, tell the caller that you are unable to answer the door right now — that Dad is on the phone, and to come back later. If the stranger is persistent, dial 911 for help.

If you think this is useful, you may share it with your readers.
 JOYCE M. IN ANAHEIM

DEAR JOYCE: I do. And I shall.

DEAR ABBY: The letters you had about how crying babies disturb other people prompts me to write. All of us have been disturbed by other people's children.
 My complaint is the law that forces landlords to rent to families

with small children. It would be OK if these buildings had a play area for the children. Ours doesn't.

I am an older person living in a building with 56 units. There are families in this building — with children between the ages of 5 and 10, but there is nowhere for these kids to play without disturbing everybody. The manager is constantly after these kids to stay out of the mailboxes, to quit running up and down the halls, and trying to keep them from falling into the swimming pool with their clothes on.

These aren't bad kids — they are just bored. They have nowhere else to play, so you can't blame them. Meanwhile we older people can't enjoy our TV or a quiet dinner. So who did they do a favor by mixing up old folks with the children?
 GLADYS MORRISON

P.S. Of course my grandchildren are angels.

DEAR GLADYS: They did a favor to people who were tired of hearing, "Sorry, we don't rent to families with children."

What teen-agers need to know about sex, drugs, AIDS, getting along with their peers and parents is now in Abby's updated, expanded booklet, "What Every Teen Should Know." To order, send your name and address, clearly printed, plus check or money order for \$3.50 (\$4 in Canada) to: Dear Abby's Teen Booklet, P.O. Box 447, Mount Morris, Ill. 61054. Postage and handling are included.

DEAR ABBY: The letter from the lady who dislikes dirty jokes reminded me of something that has been bothering me for quite a while. Writing to you about it may not accomplish anything, but at least I'll get it off my chest.

I have been an avid movie fan for almost 50 years. For many years, my husband and I went to a movie once a week. During World War II, we went to two movies a week.

In recent years, we go to two — maybe three — movies a year. Why

don't we go more often? Because the language in most movies today is just plain vulgar! Abby, nudity I can take — but the foul language is disgusting.

I'm no prude. I sometimes resort to swearing myself, but to sit for two hours and listen to nothing but "s..." and "f..." in every other sentence is not my idea of entertainment.

I suppose because the young moviemakers use that kind of language in their everyday conversation, they think everybody else does. Well, everybody else doesn't. This is especially frustrating for us because we live within walking distance of a theater with 10 screens — and we can't find a clean, one to go to.

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DEAR FORMER FAN: Amen, sister!

DEAR ABBY: I have been dating a 67-year-old widower for more than five years. I am 65. He says he loves me and will marry me under his conditions — his conditions meaning that he is free to continue to date other ladies. (His term is to "service" them!)

What do you think of this? I don't care for those conditions at all. On the plus side, he is very good to me financially and otherwise.

He says he loves me and that I am No. 1. His theory is that when one is old, exclusivity isn't important. Help me decide, please.
 B.J. IN TEXAS

DEAR B.J.: Marry him? I wouldn't even date him. A woman, regardless of her age, who sleeps with a man who knowingly "services" other women should be examined after every contact with the "servicer" — and the examination should include her head.
 He may be clean as a whistle, but how about some of his lady

friends who may have slept with a man who slept with Lord knows who!

DEAR ABBY: I am a 63-year-old woman who hasn't had sex in 15 years. My husband was in the garage today, and I asked him how he would like to go to bed, but he decided that it was time to smash the beer cans.

What can I do at this age? Any suggestions?
 NEGLECTED IN SANTA ANA

DEAR NEGLECTED: Help him smash the beer cans, then tell him what "ales" you. If that doesn't work, take your problem out of the garage to a family counselor. You may be sadder — bud-weiser.

DEAR ABBY: What is wrong with a family where a mother decides she hates somebody, then the entire family has to hate that person — or else?

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Officials question U.S. data on undiscovered oil and gas

WASHINGTON (AP) — The U.S. Geological Survey has lowered its estimates of undiscovered onshore oil and gas in the United States by about 40 percent, but industry spokesmen question the data.

The American Gas Association says the government is not counting all the different potential reservoirs, and the American Petroleum Institute says the new numbers for oil are just another in a long line of underestimates.

Terry Uhl, the gas association's spokesman, calls it "misinformation and disinformation" to say onshore undiscovered reserves amount to 254 trillion cubic feet, down from 427 trillion cubic feet.

The association uses the estimate of 400 trillion cubic feet from the Potential Gas Committee, an industry panel operated by the Colorado School of Mines.

Ozzie Girard, the geological survey's deputy assistant direc-

tor for engineering geology, said Thursday he doubted there was much difference between the survey and the gas committee estimates once adjustments for comparability are made.

The survey has not counted gas in certain shales, tight sands or reservoirs of less than 5 billion cubic feet, all of which are counted by the committee. Hard-to-exploit tight sands formations probably hold 100 trillion cubic feet, Girard said.

No such adjustments can account for the change in estimates of undiscovered onshore oil.

The survey said undiscovered oil likely is between 19.6 billion barrels and 51.9 billion barrels, with the best estimate at 33.4 billion barrels. The range in 1981 was 41.7 billion barrels to 71 billion barrels, with the best estimate at 54.6 billion barrels.

In 1981, the survey relied heavily on the judgment of expert geologists. In the last two

reports, the survey has been able to use detailed drilling data from the entire country, Girard said.

Charles DiBona, president of the petroleum institute, said the nation has produced three times the oil estimated by a presidential commission in 1952 in the category of oil remaining to be discovered.

"You never know until you drill," DiBona said.

Most of the change, Girard said, resulted from drilling disappointments. In 1981, there had been major new finds in the over-thrust belt east of the Rockies, and government geologists thought "the sky was the limit." But drilling failures since then have reduced expectations.

Also, some pools of oil have moved from the "undiscovered" to the "discovered" category.

Also, the price has fallen sharply. The 1981 study used \$30 a barrel. The new study assumes a

price of \$18 a barrel. "Certainly there was some effect" from the lower price, said Girard, but he could not quantify it.

This could mean lower estimates for offshore oil, which the Minerals Management Service, sister agency in the Interior Department to the Geological Survey, estimated in 1985 at 12.2 billion barrels, down from 27 billion barrels in 1981.

Tom DeRocco, spokesman for the service, said new offshore estimates expected next month were made on the assumption that oil costs \$18 a barrel. The 1985 estimates assumed \$29 a barrel.

He declined to say what the new estimates would be, but did say, "There's no question economics has a lot to do with this."

A higher price for oil makes pools with more expensive production costs profitable to drill.

Astro-Graph

By Bernice Bede Osol



Your Birthday

March 13, 1988

Noticeable improvements are in store for you in the year ahead where your social life is concerned. There will be a big increase in casual relationships as well as more intimate ones.

PISCES (Feb. 20-March 20) It's a good idea to try to get in touch with a close friend of yours today whom you haven't seen too much of lately. The aspects indicate a fruitful get-together. Know where to look for romance and you'll find it. The Matchmaker set instantly reveals which signs are romantically perfect for you. Mail \$2 to Matchmaker, c/o this newspaper, P.O. Box 91428, Cleveland, OH 44101-3428.

ARIES (March 21-April 19) You may be instrumental in bringing something of importance off today, yet it might be wise to let an ally who had only a small hand in this endeavor share the bows. **TAURUS (April 20-May 20)** Something that you are unable to accomplish on your own at this time can be pulled off with the help of a person who has the right connections.

GEMINI (May 21-June 20) Concerted effort will be required today in order to achieve your objectives. Once things are underway, be persistent and tenacious and strive for excellence.

CANCER (June 21-July 22) Partnership arrangements should work out well for everyone concerned today, especially if there are several people in the act other than yourself.

LEO (July 23-Aug. 22) Don't waste your time on frivolous pursuits today. Instead, try to devote your hours to activities that are meaningful to you both careerwise and financially.

VIRGO (Aug. 23-Sept. 22) Your biggest asset today is your ability to get along with people from all walks of life. This is good, because opportunities could develop for you from various social classes.

LIBRA (Sept. 23-Oct. 23) Conditions continue to favor you in situations that require finalization. If you have something important left undone, this is the day to wrap it up.

SCORPIO (Oct. 24-Nov. 22) Try to avoid involvements today that are managed or directed by others. Seek situations where you are in the catbird seat.

SAGITTARIUS (Nov. 23-Dec. 21) If you have to deal with something of a financial nature today, follow your own insights. What you perceive is likely to be far better than suggestions you'll get from others.

CAPRICORN (Dec. 22-Jan. 19) Measures can be taken at this time to shore up an important friendship that has been a trifle shaky lately. However, you must not wait for the other party to come to you.

AQUARIUS (Jan. 20-Feb. 19) Even if you have to inconvenience yourself today, try to put the concerns of loved ones above your own. Your greatest joy will come from helping people you like.

March 14, 1988

Several acquaintances who had little constructive value to add to your life will fade from the scene in the year ahead. They'll be replaced by new friends who will be helpful and inspiring.

PISCES (Feb. 20-March 20) You'll be OK if you deal with life in a practical fashion today, but you're not likely to experience fulfillment if you're just a dreamer. Major changes are ahead for Pisces in the coming year. Send for your Astro-Graph predictions today. Mail \$1 to Astro-Graph, c/o this newspaper, P.O. Box 91428, Cleveland, OH 44101-3428. Be sure to state your zodiac sign.

ARIES (March 21-April 19) Beware of entanglements at this time with a friend whose life is presently rather complicated. You'll regret being drawn into something sticky.

TAURUS (April 20-May 20) The spotlight will be focused on you and your activities today, whether you desire it or not. Don't do anything foolish that could reflect poorly on your image.

GEMINI (May 21-June 20) Even though you'll feel strongly about your views, it's best to keep them under wraps today. You'll learn more by listening.

CANCER (June 21-July 22) Strive to be doubly prudent in the management of your financial affairs at this time. Don't juggle your funds around so that you end up robbing Peter to pay Paul.

LEO (July 23-Aug. 22) Major decisions should not be made under pressure today. If you guess wrong, you could have a tangled web to unwind later.

VIRGO (Aug. 23-Sept. 22) Much depends on the way you conduct yourself today when others make demands on you. A lack of cooperation will set the tone for future arrangements.

LIBRA (Sept. 23-Oct. 23) Don't bank too heavily today on luck in situations where your financial security is concerned. Your earning potential is good if you work instead of rolling dice.

SCORPIO (Oct. 24-Nov. 22) Be consistent regarding your assignments today so that you finish what you start. If you leave loose threads dangling, it may be a while before you're able to snip them off.

SAGITTARIUS (Nov. 23-Dec. 21) Today, don't try to sell associates on ideas that you're not completely sold on yourself. Your presentation will reflect your position, and the results won't be favorable.

CAPRICORN (Dec. 22-Jan. 19) New enterprises should be started very cautiously today. There is a possibility that you might impulsively jump into something before you understand its ramifications.

AQUARIUS (Jan. 20-Feb. 19) You'll have to walk a very thin line today between being effectively assertive or merely aggressive. If you emphasize the latter, things aren't likely to go as you want them to.

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Not enough fuel to do as hijackers asked the crew

MOSCOW (AP) — The crew of a Soviet airliner planned to comply with the demand of a family of jazz musicians to fly to London but didn't have enough fuel to get there, the captain was quoted Friday as saying.

The plane, hijacked Tuesday while on a flight from the Siberian city of Irkutsk, landed instead near Leningrad, where police stormed the plane. Nine people were killed, Soviet media said.

Two of the air pirates committed suicide and family members killed their mother, *Izvestia* said, according to Soviet reports.

Another hijacker was killed when the group set off a bomb in the tail section of the Tupolev-154, and a fifth apparently was shot and killed during the police assault, Soviet media said. The hijackers shot a stewardess, according to news reports, and three passengers died in the shootout.

The 11 family members, led by Mrs. Ovechkin, were from the

southern Siberian city of Irkutsk, where the flight originated. Their jazz ensemble was called the Seven Simeons and they had recently performed in Japan, said the government newspaper *Izvestia*.

The Tass news agency said the hijackers smuggled weapons and explosives aboard the jet in their instrument cases.

Izvestia said the Ovechkins sent a note to the cockpit saying: "Fly to a capitalist country (London). Don't fly any lower. Otherwise we'll explode a bomb."

In an interview published Friday in the daily *Sovietskaya Rossiya*, Pilot 1st Class Valentin Kupriyanov said the crew decided to accept the demand because the hijackers were becoming dangerous.

"To avoid placing the passengers at risk, we decided to fulfill the demands of the bandits and fly abroad," Kupriyanov recalled. "The ground (flight controllers) approved our action. But the closer we got to Leningrad, the clearer it became that we would not reach even nearby Finnish or Swedish airports."

As fuel ran low, the crew considered landing in Leningrad or Tallinn, the capital of Estonia, but figured the hijackers would recognize these as Soviet cities and carry out their threat to start shooting, Kupriyanov said.

Izvestia said the flight crew contacted the ground, and a plan was worked out to dupe the hijackers into thinking they were landing in Finland.

The assault team was waiting when the Tu-154 touched down at a field near Leningrad, Tass said.

Soviet media said the Ovechkins opened fire with 16-caliber guns and detonated a bomb inside the plane.

The surviving passengers were evacuated, Tass said, and 20 remain hospitalized.

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Expert: technology will improve recovery

MIDLAND, Texas (AP) — Computers will help increase America's energy supplies in the future, the head of a major oil company says.

"Current technology can recover only about 10 percent" of the 300 billion barrels of oil out of reach of today's recovery technology, said Richard M. Morrow, Amoco Corp.'s chairman and chief executive officer.

"If a higher percentage is to be recovered new and innovative technology will be needed in the industry," Morrow told the Permian Basin Oil & Gas Recovery Conference on Thursday.

Morrow called the Permian Basin's enhanced oil recovery projects prime examples of what technology can mean to a mature oil producing region. Of the 24 carbon dioxide and chemical floods in the Permian Basin, Amoco operates 12.

He also credited high tech computers and refined computer models as a key in stimulating performance in the reservoirs.

"Our engineers were able to

use the computer models to study a variety of injection rates and volumes and analyze the results for optimum recovery," Morrow said.

Morrow predicted that "formidable technical challenges" lie ahead for the petroleum industry, including production in water depths greater than 1,300 feet, development of alternate fuels, and economic development of lower permeability reservoirs.

"Even more ominous for the future," Morrow warned, "is the dropoff in enrollments in the fields of engineering and the earth sciences. We depend on new graduates to develop and implement future technical advances. They are essential to our industry's success."

He added that the nation could face a shortage of 250,000 engineers in only 25 years unless measures were taken to halt the shortfall of technical talent.

Expressing concern that schools are increasingly failing to provide "technically literate graduates," Morrow proposed several solutions.

They included increased scholarship funds for technical achievement, training and money to upgrade technical instruction, and encouraging more avenues for cooperation between schools and industry.

Morrow suggested that improvement in technical education is possible "through cooperation with other business people, as well as educators, parents, government officials, and students themselves."

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Nuclear pact with Japan criticized by some

WASHINGTON (AP) — Two former Pentagon officials and the General Accounting Office are sharply criticizing a pact with Japan for the retrieval of plutonium from U.S. nuclear wastes.

Critics of the nuclear cooperation agreement said Thursday they may move to kill the accord next week in Congress.

The former officials, Richard N. Perle and Frank J. Gaffney Jr., said the Defense Department was not given a significant role in negotiations and considers the agreement "seriously flawed."

"The strong position that the department has taken against nuclear proliferation would have

helped to shape the accord differently," they said in a letter written to Sen. John Glenn, D-Ohio, and obtained by The Associated Press.

Perle and Gaffney cited two provisions of the agreement as "especially troublesome." First, they said, the pact gives Japan advance U.S. consent to reprocess and use American plutonium in any Japanese facility without restriction on the amount or the purpose.

Second, they said, the pact "imposes extraordinary and unprecedented restrictions on the right of the United States to suspend that prior consent."

Perle and Gaffney said they

were the Pentagon officials responsible for nonproliferation issues while the agreement was negotiated.

A GAO report, meanwhile, says the agreement would leave the United States without "effective control" over reprocessing of the hazardous material.

The Feb. 29 report, obtained by The Associated Press, also found fault with the agreement's provisions to guard against proliferation and said it deprived Congress of its oversight function.

The agreement, signed last November, gives Japan advance permission for 30 years to recover plutonium, the principal ingredient of nuclear weapons,

from the fuel once it is used by nuclear plants in the United States. The U.S. government supplies the fuel in the first place.

Congressional opponents want the United States to have the right to review Japanese use of plutonium on a case-by-case basis, and to be able to suspend the agreement to counter terrorism threats or address other national security concerns.

The congressional foes also want the agreement to be reviewed every five years.

These changes would require renegotiating the terms with Japan, which the State Department declines to do, said a congressional source, speaking on condition of anonymity.

A leading opponent, Sen. Alan Cranston, D-Calif., said "it is ex-

remely unfortunate the State Department has rejected a compromise agreement. It is a bad agreement."

Cranston, chairman of the Senate Asia subcommittee, called on the Reagan administration to withdraw the accord.

The GAO report said the agree-

ment did not meet various requirements of the Atomic Energy Act. It said giving blanket approval to Japan for reprocessing plutonium "would leave the United States with no effective control over the life of the proposed agreement."

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Physical condition can trigger temper of mood disorder

DEAR DR. GOTT: My son, 20, cannot control his temper. He can't take any pressure without hitting someone. When he was 7 he took medicine for hyperactivity and was better for a while. It's bad now. The doctor says it sounds like a chemical imbalance. What do you suggest?

DEAR READER: An uncontrollable temper can be the result of a chemical imbalance in the brain — so-called bipolar mood disorder — that has a physical basis and is often successfully treated with medicine. Temper outbursts are also a sign of emotional disorders that seem not to have a physical basis.

Psychiatrists, M.D.s with speciality training in diseases of the brain and emotional states, can be helpful in delineating the causes of inappropriate behavior. I recommend that you encourage your son's doctor to refer him to a psychiatrist. If your son does not get help with his problem, I'm afraid that he may eventually end up getting hurt — or hurting someone else.

To give you more information, I'm sending you a free copy of my Health Report, MENTAL AND EMOTIONAL ILLNESS. Other readers who would like a copy should send \$1 and their name and address to P.O. Box 91369, Cleveland, OH 44101-3369. Be sure to mention the title.

DEAR DR. GOTT: I had rheumatic fever as a child. About three months ago, I had a sore throat, pain and redness in my foot and other joints, weakness and a thumping heart. A doctor told me I had arthritis (I'm 37) and prescribed Naprosyn. Then I noticed what looked like black splinters in my nails. On a whim, I looked up the symptoms in a medical dictionary. They all indicate rheumatic heart disease, but the doctor says that's impossible. Is it?

DEAR READER: After practically disappearing for many years, rheumatic fever is beginning to reappear. Several recent medical reports have documented outbreaks of rheumatic fever in various parts of the country. Experts are stumped about why this is happening.

Rheumatic fever follows a streptococcal infection, usually of the throat, and is characterized by arthritis, heart inflammation, fever, rash and tremors. Antibiotics and aspirin are useful in treatment. Rheumatic heart disease, consisting primarily of valve damage, can follow an attack of rheumatic fever. Occasionally, bacterial infection of heart valves occurs; this is a serious complication of rheumatic heart disease. When this happens, small hemorrhages, which look like splinters, can appear under the fingernails.

I disagree with your doctor. You could have rheumatic fever and/or rheumatic heart disease. You should be examined (and be tested) by an internist, a doctor trained in diagnosis.

Here is one situation in which a second opinion is mandatory

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The wolf suit: a legal fable

Most doctors attest to the fact that we live in a litigious society; Americans annually sue each other to the tune of billions of dollars. Being members of a service profession, M.D.s seem increasingly to be defendants in legal battles initiated by disgruntled patients. However, other people in service professions are also at risk of litigation.

Traditional children's stories have usually stressed a moral conclusion, such as don't "cry wolf" unless you are truly in need of help. These moral lessons need to be modernized so that such children's tales become more applicable to a modern society which emphasizes material gain, rather than service. I've expanded a classic story, and I'm sure you'll agree that it has gained new perspective and force in the retelling.

The Boy Who Cried Wolf

Once upon a time, there was a shepherd boy who was careless, wasteful and idle. His follies were not owing to a bad disposition, but to the fact that his father never checked on him. With nothing to do but watch sheep, the boy became bored, he longed for excitement. Early one morning he ran to the village, crying "Wolf! Wolf!" The village men promptly armed themselves with sharp implements and rushed to the meadow. They found no sign of a wolf. The boy explained that he wanted to test them and make sure they were ready should a wolf really appear. The men were angry and returned to the village. The boy's father spoke harshly to him.

A few days later, the boy again ran into town, shouting "Wolf! Wolf!" Once more the men went to the meadow to save the sheep. When no wolf was to be seen, the boy admitted he had sounded the alarm only to test the men. They angrily retraced their steps to the village. The shepherd's father punished him for being so frivolous.

Some days passed and, indeed, a real wolf did attack the flock. In a panic, the boy ran to the village crying "Wolf! Wolf!" But the men refused to be tricked and did not go the meadow. As a result, the wolf killed many sheep. The boy's father beat him and emphasized that the shepherd must never again call for help unless help were needed.

Within a week, the sheep's owner — the boy's father — had filed suit against the village men, alleging breach of contract. In his deposition, the owner declared that, by unwritten contract, each villager had agreed to render aid for the common good of the community. When the men refused to check the flock and drive off the wolf, they *ipso facto* abrogated their contractual obligation. The owner claimed \$100,000 in damages and \$20,000 for "mental anguish." Prior to trial, the villagers agreed to settle for \$10,000. On advice of counsel, the sheep owner refused. A jury awarded \$50,000 real damages and \$1 punitive damages. The decision is being appealed to a higher court. The shepherd is presently enrolled in a prestigious New England boarding school.

Send your questions to Dr. Gott in care of this newspaper at P.O. Box 91369, Cleveland, OH 44101-3369. Due to volume of mail, individual questions cannot be answered. Questions of general interest will be answered in future columns.

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Above the Fold

By Donny Brown

Religious thinkers are now reshuffling the concepts of heaven and hell.

At least one fellow we read says it is to bring the two places—if "places" they prove to be—more in line with a modern-day outlook.

To illustrate that either one may be what you picture it to be, they speculate that hell was conceived as some place "hot" since modern Christianity sprung from a region known for its burning deserts and lack of water.

The reasoning being that those who continuously suffer from the heat would envision anyplace cooler—even a region where you are doomed to be rigid with cold—as closer to heaven than hell.

The question is as old as puberty, since most junior high kids have wrestled with it at one time or another. Most, no doubt, remember the conversation.

"Okay, if that's so, then what do you do in heaven all day?"

"You worship and sing songs."

"You mean like in church?"

"That's right."

"So heaven is going to be like sitting in church morning, noon and

night? All day every day?"

To which, the only honest answer would have to be, we certainly hope not.

While a beautiful notion, heaven has always seemed to us a fuzziest place than the afore-mentioned hell. At least in the small town church where we were raised up.

Without claiming any scholarship on the subject, we suspect an overview of sermons cranked out on any given Sunday would yield up a basketful of descriptions which preview what hell will be like.

It is the ultimate "worst case" scenario.

And we can see how a preacher might yield to grabbing his flock's attention with such images as swirling tongues of fire, gaseous belches of flame, and boiling geysers of water where the fallen must sit and suffer forever. That is, FOREVER!

Heaven, however, is a tougher nut to crack.

Each of us has a private vision of perfection. But who can think of anything they want to do "forever."

It is into this slippery area where the uninformed concepts of both intertwine.

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To spend eternity being poked in the behind by some demon is no rosy deal. Not to mention the weeping and wailing, the gnashing of teeth and the rending of hair as we suffer the torment of the furnace and the desolation of the damned.

But let's face it, drinking coffee with your buddies at the drug store may sound like an afternoon's diversion. But forever?

Admittedly, it's a pretty simple argument. But this is exactly the point.

In a scholarly manner, has the idea of either place been taken much beyond hymn singing on the one extreme and hell's fire on the other? Especially since the promise of one or the other is still perceived to be a pretty big stick in the "do I or don't I" choices of this life.

Like all serious subjects, it is about as easy to speculate on as it is to poke fun at.

Which brings us to Mark Twain, who can take this one home as far as we're concerned. Twain said, "Heaven goes by favor. If it went by merit, you would stay out and your dog would go in."

Country Life

By Deanie Francis Mills

My daughter and I discovered each other for the first time last night.

Mothers reading this will know what I mean when I say that, when your children are small, you feel as if you are wading in a surf with a powerful undertow. Sometimes it drags you right down. Their constant needs and demands can be so overwhelming that at times you feel as if you are drowning in them.

As they start school, you begin teaching your children things at home that will prepare them for independence: how to tie their shoes, how to select their own clothing, how to make up their beds and comb their hair. And then, almost overnight, the wave recedes and you are left standing on shore, alone.

Some mothers are frightened by this and cope by having another child. Others find it liberating. Either way, the controlled confusion that results from having children in school often distracts us from the fact that they are growing up right before our eyes.

When they are toddlers, it happens very slowly, because we live day by day. We watch each step and learn each new word. But after they start school, the lines become blurred and things hap-

pen so fast we hardly notice around all the after-school lessons and games and social events. Mothers who have been at home up to this point often use their newfound independence to become more involved in the community, work full-time, take classes, or all three.

For years small children, a traveling husband, not-so-great health and a home 20 miles from town prevented me from doing many things I enjoyed such as taking in the fine dramatic and musical productions put on by the high school and college. This year I decided to make it a priority: I wasn't going to miss any more.

When Snyder High School's "Hello Broadway" was announced, I made plans for my husband to keep the kids while I went with a friend. I began phoning. Karen was out of town; Phyllis was sick with a bad cold; Barbara had to work late at the accounting office figuring taxes, and I knew better than to call Rebekah, who would be exhausted from juggling fifth-graders all day long.

As I stood gloomily stirring supper, my daughter, Jessica, who is seven now, came into the kitchen and said, "I thought you were going to the play."

"I can't find anybody to go

with," I said, "and I don't feel like going alone."

"I'd love to go," she said shyly.

"But, it's a school night," I protested. "We'll get home two hours past your bedtime."

"What difference does that make?" she asked reasonably. "It's only one night."

I looked into her little face, knowing how she loved music, how she would listen with her whole body. Yes, she was right.

Calling it "Girl's Night Out," we dressed with growing excitement. On the way, we listened to two of our favorite composers: Vivaldi and Phil Collins.

The show was pure entertainment, the best of the best. We laughed at "Do You Love Me," from "Fiddler on the Roof" (sung by Joy McSpadden and Judson Morrison); wept at "I Dreamed a Dream" (sung by Barbara Chapman) from "Les Miserables"; caught our breaths at the show-stopping dance number from "A Chorus Line." My favorite was Shanna Byrd's lilting, heart-breaking rendition of "Memory" from "Cats."


Jessica loved the hilarious chorus and dance number, "America," from "West Side Story." On the way home, as we munched fries and Coke from the drive-through, we listened to

Shirley Bassey ("Goldfinger") sing "Send in the Clowns," and we were silent as we pictured the lovely ballet performed by Amy Polk and Corey McDaniel as Rebecca Vestal sang that song from "A Little Night Music." Jessi didn't know it, but I was driving very slowly. I wasn't ready to end the evening.

She told me, as she has many times, that she wants to be a teacher when she grows up, but she would also like to sing. I told her I'd see to it that she learn to play the guitar, take choir in junior high and up, and promised, not only to take her to each SHS musical, but to treat her and her brother to a Dallas Summer Musical. I realized, then, how your children can grow into your friends.

We stopped once, on the ranch road, and turned off the headlights so that we could pick out the Big Dipper. Soft moonlight washed her face, and I thought, as all mothers do, what a miracle she is. I remembered something she'd told her pesky brother who was taunting her as she put on her favorite dress for the play. "Stop it!" she said. "You need to learn how to treat a lady."

Yes, indeed.



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SDN Week in Review

MONDAY March 7

Some 500 persons attending the annual Chamber of Commerce Banquet offered a standing ovation following the presentation of the special "exemplary service" award to prison project coordinator Roy Baze, it was reported Monday.

Chamber manager Bill Moss announced the honor and presented Baze with a mounted bronze of a white buffalo. Others honored Saturday included presentations of the Educational Excellence Award to Snyder teacher Ollie Peek; the Vestal Award to the Rev. Miller Robinson; the Harston Award to area farmer Harold "Pete" Hester; the McLaughlin Award to M. Derald Lambert; and the Sizemore Award to Bill Davies.

Monday produced two new signups for separate Snyder-based boards with both Snyder and Western Texas College

gaining candidates.

Filing for the school board place 3 is Terry Martin, 43, a unit corrosion and chemical technologist with Chevron's SACRO unit; and for the college board place 5, Dennis Ball, 41, parts manager for Mal Donelson Chevrolet.

On a point by point basis, a visiting district judge Monday ruled against a motion by opponents of the Texas Department of Corrections prison which sought to have Judge Joe Evins of Edinburg removed from hearing the five TDC lawsuits filed on their behalf.

District Judge Curt Steib, a retired jurist from San Angelo, ruled he felt none of the matters brought before him "express any bias or prejudice" on the part of Judge Evins, as had been alleged in a motion by plaintiffs seeking his "recusal."

City councilmen Monday night

rejected a Rotan Municipal Water Authority proposal to connect with Rotan's 12-inch water line to supply the Texas Department of Corrections unit that is scheduled to be constructed northeast of the city this spring.

With one councilman calling the Rotan offer "blackmail," the governing body decided to proceed with studies for the city to build its own line to service the TDC unit.

TUESDAY March 8

A feature story related to one "absolutely guaranteed" vote for presidential candidate George Bush was noted Tuesday.

Verta Hardegree, a secretary-clerk at Western Texas College, has known the Bush family since the early 1950s, when her mother babysat for the family, then living in Midland.

Albert Gore and Michael Dukakis led Democratic presidential contenders in Scurry

County Tuesday while Republican Pat Robertson made a strong showing behind George Bush.

Gore, the Tennessee senator who had gained the lion's share of endorsements from leading Texas politicians, led other would-be presidential Democrats here with 1,075 votes to Dukakis' 760.

In the much lighter Republican turnout, Bush had 294 votes to 135 for Robertson.

Two incumbent county commissioners—C.D. Gray and Duaine Davis—were assured new terms Tuesday in the Democratic primary and the party's nominee for district judge—in voting that entailed both Scurry and Borden Counties—was finalized with former district attorney Pete Greene selected.

In Scurry County, the combined ballot for both primaries saw 46 percent of the registered voters turn out. There are cur-

rently 8,440 voters registered and 3,966 went to the polls Tuesday.

WEDNESDAY March 9

Wednesday afternoon, the first contested race surfaced for Snyder-based board elections slated in May, a seat involving the governing body at Western Texas College.

Bob O'Day, a former WTC staffer currently employed as a physical education instructor at Central Elementary, filed for place 5 on the board.

On Monday, Dennis Ball, 41, parts manager for a local automobile dealership, filed for the seat also.

THURSDAY March 10

The planning and on-site work for the annual Snyder High School Junior-Senior Prom was reported Thursday.

After school and nightly since Monday, from 50 to 70 SHS juniors have been at work at the Scurry County Coliseum in preparation for this year's event, slated Saturday, with the theme, "Around the World."

A Snyder school board candidate filed Thursday afternoon for the single member district seat vacated by the business transfer of Ben Wilcox, who represented place 5.

Filing for the post is Lesa Oudt, 41. The board seat she now seeks represents all of the Snyder school district located outside the city limits.

FRIDAY March 11

County commissioners, meeting in a called session Friday morning, ratified the court's earlier commitment to the Texas Department of Corrections regarding work to be performed by the county in connection with the prison site.

The ratification essentially re-emphasized a court agreement first passed Dec. 18. County Attorney Mike Line, prior to the county vote, said he recommended the ratification so that there could be no "misunderstanding" of the court's original intent.

Look Back

By Lilith Smith

FIVE YEARS AGO

Winners in the Texas State Judo Championships held in Houston were Margaret Anderson, Tania Mackey, Jean Anderson, Dean Mackey and Christian Morgan.

Pat Kohl, Bill Wilson, Tommy Parks and Adam Brewster were on the winning end of the FFA Senior Grass Judging with a first place for their team. The contest was held at the Houston Fat Stock Show.

Marvin Ensor was hired by the commissioners court to serve as the agricultural agent with the Scurry County Extension Office. He replaced Billy Roach who served the county some 24 years.

Roy Baze was sworn in as new WTC trustee taking the place of Wacil McNair.

Glen Parham, SHS senior, brought home four blue ribbons as he won the high jump, long jump, 110 high hurdles and 300 intermediate hurdles. He also won 45 points running anchor for the relay team at the Lamesa event. The Tigers took second place overall.

10 YEARS AGO

Todd Redeker won the championship with the fastest derby in the Boy Scout Exposition. Don Tucker won best design. Other winners were Ricky Romero, gold; Brian Gruben, bronze; Lee McCathern, gold and Perry Lee, silver.

Henry A. Nichols was honored for some 27 years of service with the R.E. Smith Sharon Ridge Canyon Unit. Harold Lacik, manager, presented the award.

15 YEARS AGO

Following what many old timers claimed was the hardest winter in this century, fruit trees were packed with blossoms apparently trying to set new records also.

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SEVENTH GRADE WINNERS—These Hermleigh seventh graders all placed in the Texas Mathematics League Contest. They are from left, Daniel Hermosillo, first place; Amy Anderson, second place; Mandy Olsen, third place; Billy Breitweiser, fourth place; and Lance Price, fifth place. Stephane Gannaway, also fifth place, is not pictured.



EIGHTH GRADE WINNERS—These Hermleigh eighth graders all placed in the Texas Mathematics League Contest. They are from left, Rebecca Ramey, first place; Renee Matthews, second place; Katrina Reynolds, third place; and Cris Jones and Simon Mireles, fourth place. (SDN Staff Photo)



FIFTH & SIXTH GRADE WINNERS—These Hermleigh fifth and sixth graders all placed in the Texas Mathematics League Contest. They are from left, standing: Chris Lambaren, first place; Eric Romero, second place; Stephanie Buchanan and Shannon Jones, third place; James Matthews and Freddie Martinez, fourth place; and seated: Brendon Blair, Rebel Rainwater, Waylon Presley and Calvin Hunter, all fifth place. (SDN Staff Photo)

Candidate will be in runoff

WAXAHACHIE, Texas (AP) — A man seldom seen or heard from now faces a runoff election for a congressional seat, but his two challengers in the primary are crying foul.

Johnny Welch, a 6th Congressional District candidate who called for a manned space flight to Saturn and a requirement that every American perform civil service, captured 34 percent of the vote.

Welch faces an April 12 runoff against N.P. "Pat" Kendrick of Joshua, and the winner of that race will take on incumbent U.S. Rep. Joe Barton, R-Ennis.

But Kendrick and ousted candidate W. Alton Parish think they've been the victims of some sort of Republican conspiracy.

"They did it intentionally," charged Parish, a Fort Worth economics professor.

"There's something very suspicious here," he said. "Mr. Kendrick and I worked very hard on this campaign. We never took him (Welch) seriously. Kendrick thought I was his opponent, and I

thought he was mine." Welch's Waxahachie address and home phone number are listed with the secretary of state's office, and a check with both the Waxahachie telephone book and directory assistance confirms that the number is correct.

But calls to the home address

have gone unanswered, there is no campaign office listed, and party activists in Waxahachie and throughout Ellis County say they have never heard of Welch.

Repeated attempts Thursday by The Associated Press to contact Welch were unsuccessful.

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DHS needs more child-abuse workers, money, report says

ABILENE, Texas (AP) — A spokeswoman for an embattled Department of Human Services office is welcoming a department study that says more workers are needed to staff a child-abuse hotline and wages need to be increased.

"We think that's a step in the right direction," DHS spokeswoman Pat Ayala said Thursday from her office in El Paso. "We've been saying we've been understaffed and not highly paid for a while."

The state Board of Human Services received the report Thursday at its meeting in Abilene. The department-conducted study was prompted by problems in the handling of child-abuse cases in El Paso and other cities.

The state attorney general's office is conducting its own investigation into the El Paso DHS office at the request of County Attorney Joe Lucas. The DHS also has commissioned an independent study due in August.

The report recommends adding eight more people to a 24-hour abuse hotline by June 1 and hiring additional staff for the department that receives child-abuse reports and decides whether to follow up on them. Employees of that department,

called the intake department, should receive higher pay and more training to cut down on turnover, the report said.

The study calls for intake personnel to receive specialized training in areas such as sexual abuse and other types of physical abuse.

"I think it's wonderful, the idea of giving specific training to people in intake," Ms. Ayala said.

The study also called for the creation of rural intake centers, each serving several local DHS offices. Trained workers at the intake centers would handle child-abuse complaints, instead of relatively little-trained workers at local offices.

The initial funding for the new hotline staff and additional training will be paid for with an already approved federal grant,

Ms. Ayala said. The state would have to pay in the next fiscal year, she said.

Lucas and District Judge Enrique Pena have criticized the El Paso DHS office for problems Ms. Ayala blamed on understaffing.

Lucas requested the attorney general's investigation in January after it was revealed that DHS workers knew, but did nothing about, a teen-age prostitute whose mother admitted supplying her heroin.

In another case cited by Lucas, an infant boy died of brain damage caused by alleged abuse, even though there had been a report of abuse two months earlier. The report was not followed up because of a staff shortage, Lucas said.

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Prosecutor: what Railey told police conflicts with facts

DALLAS (AP) — Former minister Walker Railey wrote a suicide note 10 days after his wife was choked nearly to death saying demons inside him had lured him into doing things he did not want to do.

The note, along with transcripts of two telephone calls Railey made to his home answering machine on the night of the attack were released Thursday by a Dallas prosecutor who said he wanted to fill in the blanks in the puzzling case.

Railey described himself as "the weakest of the weak ... the baddest of the bad ... and the lowest of the low," in the four-page letter. Portions of the note were published earlier, and Railey said in interviews after the failed suicide attempt that the note expressed his despondency at the time.

Railey told police he returned home April 21 and found his wife, Margaret "Peggy" Railey, lying unconscious on the floor of the garage. Mrs. Railey remains comatose in a Tyler nursing home.

Norman Kinne, assistant district attorney for Dallas County, said Thursday he doesn't have enough evidence to bring Railey to trial, but for the first time described Railey as the prime suspect.

"I feel like this may very well be the last anyone is hearing of this, and I want to fill in the blanks as much as I can.

"I think that if this case doesn't go any further than it is right now, at least everyone is entitled to know what has happened until right now, which includes the suicide note and telephone recordings."

Railey, then senior pastor at First United Methodist Church, said in the suicide note that he was taking his life because "a demon inside my soul ... has finally gotten the upper hand (and) lured me into doing things I do not want to do."

In one of the telephone calls to an answering machine at his Lake Highlands home the night his wife was attacked, Railey

said he was making the call around 10:30 p.m. and had a couple more hours of research to do at the library. He urged her to "go ahead and lock the ... door" of the garage.

But telephone records indicate that Railey actually made the call from his mobile phone just after midnight.

Employees at the library couldn't recall seeing Railey at the time he claimed to have been there, Kinne said.

"What appears to me," Kinne said, "is that Walker Railey hasn't told us where he was the night that all this happened and what he has told us doesn't fit with records of the phone company and witnesses at the library."

Railey spoke to Dallas police for nearly two hours just after the attack, but later refused to cooperate in the investigation and invoked his Fifth Amend-

ment right to remain silent 43 times when subpoenaed to appear before a Dallas County grand jury.

Kinne's said he discovered that Railey had spent more than an hour that night at the University Park residence of a woman who told the grand jury she and Railey had discussed marriage. Two other calls Railey made that night from his mobile phone were made to that woman, psychologist Lucy Papillon.

The 40-year-old Railey was a rising star in the United Methodist Church — a minister who many felt was only a few years away from being promoted to bishop.

Last year, Railey surrendered his minister's credentials and moved to San Francisco, where he has leased an apartment with Ms. Papillon.

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THE LATEST — Andrea Casas, left, and Christy Greene take a conversational break from working on preparations for the Snyder High School Junior-Senior Prom Saturday night in Scurry County Coliseum. (SDN Staff Photo)



WALKWAY — Kenny Miller, top, and Matt Haynes discuss their work on the tall walkway to be used in Saturday night's high school prom, where the music will be played by Austin radio disc jockey Brent Green. (SDN Staff Photo)

Vietnamese chief Pham Hung dies

BANGKOK, Thailand (AP) — Premier Pham Hung of Vietnam, an "old guard" revolutionary who ranked No. 2 in Vietnam's Communist party, died of a sudden heart attack, a Vietnamese official said Friday. He was 75.

Hung died Thursday afternoon, said a Vietnamese Embassy spokesman in Bangkok.

Hung was born in Vinh Long province in the Mekong River Delta of southern Vietnam, where he engaged in radical student activities from an early age.

He was admitted to the Indochinese Communist Party in 1930, the year it was founded by Ho Chi Minh.

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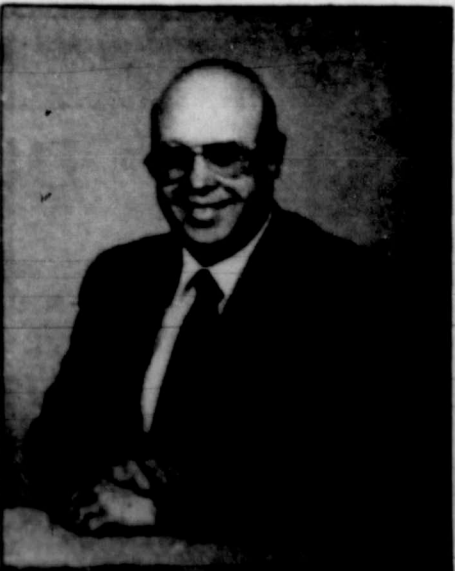
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