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County attorney post to again be vacant

Scurry County Attorney Gary Terrell informed county commissioners Monday morning he will be resigning his position effective April 1 as part of a planned move from Snyder.

Terrell, who joined the Lubbock-based law firm of McWhorter, Cobb and Johnson last October, will be closing the local branch office of that firm and relocating to Lubbock.

He said Monday morning the move was one "I really thought was beyond at least my first term in office.

"But an opening came vacant in the Lubbock office two weeks ago, and quite frankly it's a professional opportunity I can't turn down."

Although he did not officially begin his first term in office until this past Jan. 1, Terrell effectively won the county post last May as he won the Democratic Party's nomination. No Republicans announced for the office.

He moved into the post sooner than expected, however, after the death of incumbent County Attorney George Killam July 6. Terrell assumed the job's full responsibilities at the request of county commissioners August 1.

This past fall, he said he was first approached by the Lubbock firm to join them as an associate. At the time, he said, they asked him if he would be willing to move from Snyder.

"Since we'd already gone through the primary, I told them I just couldn't do it," Terrell said.

An agreement was then reached to open a Snyder branch office of the firm. At the time, Terrell dissolved his partnership with the local firm Rosser, Armstrong and Terrell.

"Once I made that decision, I figured a move to Lubbock was likely in the future, but I thought it was at least four years away," he said.

A new offer two weeks ago included an option to move into a more specialized branch of the law, however. Terrell said he will be working with the firm's litigation branch in Lubbock.

"After long talks with my fami-

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GARY TERRELL
...resigns post...

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Ask Us

Q. — Is there a chance that Snyder could be the site of the new GM plant and what would we have to do to attract it?

A. — The Snyder Chamber of Commerce Monday was in the process of writing GM officials indicating an interest in the new Saturn plant. Newspaper reports indicate similar actions by "scores" of cities and chambers throughout the U.S., however. The prime attraction is a proposed work force of 6,000.

OPEC group leaves

GENEVA, Switzerland (AP) — An emergency OPEC meeting appeared in danger of collapse today when a key Arab oil minister walked out of the conference and said he was leaving Geneva.

Mana Saeed Oteiba, the minister of the United Arab Emirates, told reporters his country's full delegation was leaving in protest of Nigeria's stance in the price deliberations.

"We have withdrawn" from the conference, Oteiba said. He left the meeting less than an hour after it began, while the other ministers stayed in session.

Oteiba indicated his country was angered by the support of Tam David-West, oil minister of Nigeria, for a substantial cut in the cartel's prices.

"He is stabbing OPEC in the back, and I am not going to stay with him in the conference," Oteiba said as he stormed out of the closed-door meeting.

Although David-West has refused to divulge his country's position on the price question, conference sources said he favored a cut of at least $2 a barrel from the current $29 level.

At the outset of the meeting, Ahmed Zaki Yamani, the oil minister of Saudi Arabia, said he expected agreement on a small reduction in oil prices.

Asked by reporters if oil consumers should expect a sharp drop in prices, Yamani said, "No, not really a sharp fall. If you take the weighted average (of prices), the adjustment will be just cents."

Yamani declined to be more specific, saying the 13-nation cartel was opening discussions on "two or three" different proposals for realigning the group's multi-layered pricing system.

On Sunday, conference sources said a majority of OPEC ministers had acknowledged the need to cut the price of Saudi Light oil, which serves as the benchmark around which prices for other OPEC oils are arranged.

The sources said some ministers favored a cut of $2.50 a barrel from the current price of $29.



NEW LOOK FOR CITY HALL — Crews from Wadleigh Construction in Snyder have been installing a new facade for the eaves on the Snyder City Hall. The work is part of more than $49,000 worth of renovation to city hall, the police station and downtown Snyder which is now nearing completion. (SDN Staff Photo)

Handicapped ramps in...

City's fixup plan near completion

More than $49,000 worth of renovation to city-maintained facilities — to include the Snyder police station and city hall — is now nearing completion.

The fixup has included the addition of handicapped ramps for better access to city hall as well as the downtown square area.

In downtown Snyder, concrete ramps were to be completed Friday, adding access for handicapped individuals to all four sides of the Snyder square.

The west end of city hall has also gained a concrete ramp. The only work still to be completed there involves the addition of hand rails.

The western entrance to the building was to have its doorway widened, but new regulations related to widths required to allow wheelchairs indicate the existing doors are wide enough.

The work now being finished at city hall involves adding a roof overhang around the facility. This is designed to enhance rain runoff from the building.

At the Snyder PD, five outside windows have been added and the area formerly used for prisoner holding cells has been changed into a dayroom for police officers.

The building retains one cell to be used when necessary. The city now contracts to have all its prisoners booked directly into the Scurry County Jail.

All of the work at the police station is said complete.

Low bid for the work was awarded Dec. 3 to Wadleigh Construction of Snyder.

The expenses broken down into the three specific areas were: city hall roof and trim facade, $32,534; police station, $10,628; and handicap access facilities, $6,548.

Tech quintet to play for SHS band classes

The Texas Tech University Faculty Brass Quintet will perform for students involved in the fine arts department at Snyder High School Feb. 5 — a Tuesday.

Due to new rules regarding taking students out of class, the group will not perform for an all-school assembly at SHS. They will perform in the band hall for first period band students and for other students in the fine arts department that can attend.

The concert is slated to begin at 8:35 a.m.

The local appearance is being coordinated by SHS Band Director Sam Robertson. He asked persons wishing further information to contact him.

The group is a chamber ensemble made up of the teachers of brass instruments in the Tech Department of Music. A total of more than 90 years of teaching for Texas Tech is represented by the five players in the quintet.

Individual members are Richard Tolley and Keith Bearden, trumpets; Anthony Brittin, horn; Robert Deahl, trombone; and David Payne, tuba.

Each of the performers is active as a soloist, clinician and adjudicator, in addition to their performances together. They also play in symphonies in Lubbock and Roswell, N.M.

Later that same week, the group is slated to play at the annual meeting of the Texas Music Educators Association in San Antonio. That performance will be Thursday, Feb. 7.

Saturday, Feb. 9, the group will be performing back in Lubbock at the Marriott Hotel Ballroom at 1 p.m.

They will join their faculty colleagues with the Tech woodwind group, the Mariah Winds, in the premiere of a work commissioned and written for the entire wind faculty of Tech.

Grocery again hit by thieves

Scurry County sheriff's officers are investigating the third burglary of the G & G Grocery Store — at the intersection of Huffman Ave. and the Clairemont Highway — since Jan. 9.

City police on routine patrol shortly after 2 a.m. Monday reported discovering a broken front window.

Investigators reported finding evidence to indicate that someone had entered the store through the broken window and then exited via the back door.

In both of the previous burglaries — Jan. 9 and Jan. 12 — the burglar or burglars also apparently gained entry by breaking out the front window and then exited through the back door.

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QUINTET TO PLAY — Members of the Texas Tech University Faculty Brass Quintet will perform for SHS band students Feb. 5 — a Tuesday. The group is a chamber ensemble made up of the teachers of brass instruments in the Tech Department of Music. Members of the group (from left) are Richard Tolley, trumpet; Robert Deahl, trombone; David Payne, tuba; Anthony Brittin, horn; and Keith Bearden, trumpet. (Texas Tech Photo)

In Brief

May resign

LONDON (AP) — Two British newspapers are reporting that Soviet President Konstantin U. Chernenko is so ill he may become the first Kremlin leader to voluntarily relinquish power.

In Moscow, however, there has been no indication of any impending change. Today's edition of the Communist Party daily newspaper Pravda carried on its front page the long text of Chernenko's foreward to a new French-language book of his speeches and writings. The foreword was written in November.

Release man

FORT WORTH, Texas (AP) — A free-lance photographer questioned in connection with a series of rapes, slayings and disappearances of nine young women has been released because his blood did not match the rapist's, a prosecutor said.

"Unless we have new evidence that develops, we have no interest in looking at him further," Tarrant County Assistant District Attorney Larry Moore said Sunday.

Remsen Newbold Wolff, 44, was freed about 6:30 p.m. Saturday from the city jail after authorities decided not to file charges.

Wolff, a 1964 Harvard graduate, had been arrested in connection with a 1984 sexual assault after the victim had picked him from two separate lineups, authorities said.

But blood tests conducted on Wolff and compared to laboratory results obtained after the rape of a 15-year-old girl showed that Wolff was not the man who raped her, authorities said.

"The tests went a long way in our decision to release him," said Moore, adding that Wolff was no longer a suspect.

Local

WTC signup

Tuesday is the final day to enroll for spring semester classes at Western Texas College.

Students may register from 8 a.m. until noon and from 1 until 5 p.m., then again from 6 until 8:30 p.m. either Monday or Tuesday.

Weather

Snyder Temperatures: High Saturday, 54 degrees; low, 44 degrees; .01 of an inch precipitation; high Sunday, 48 degrees; low, 30 degrees; reading at 7 a.m. Monday, 30 degrees; total precipitation for 1985 to date, .08 of an inch.

Snyder Area Forecast: Tonight...partly cloudy early. Increasing cloudiness late tonight. Lows mid 30s. Wind southeast 5 to 10 mph. Tuesday...mostly cloudy and mild. Highs near 60. Wind south 10 to 15 mph.

More shuttle missions are scheduled

CAPE CANAVERAL, Fla. (AP) — Four more shuttle flights can proceed as scheduled this year after the success of Discovery's secrecy-cloaked military mission in lifting a spy satellite into orbit with a once-troubled booster, space officials said.

The mysterious mission ended Sunday afternoon with a perfect landing just three miles from the launch pad where the flight began Thursday.

Left behind in orbit 22,300 miles above the equator, south of the Soviet Union, was a $300 million satellite sources say is capable of monitoring Soviet missile tests and eavesdropping on selected military and diplomatic communications in much of Europe, Asia and Africa.

The five astronauts, all military officers, flew back to their training base in Houston Sunday night for debriefing sessions today. In keeping with the secrecy imposed by the Air Force on much of the mission, they did not make the usual public departure statements.

The commander, Navy Capt. Thomas K. Mattingly, is hanging up his flight suit after three space missions to become space program director with the Naval Electronic Systems Command. The other crew members were Air Force Lt. Col. Loren Shriver, Marine Lt. Col. James Buchli and Air Force majors Ellison Onizuka and Gary Payton.

Throughout the flight, the astronauts' voices were not heard on the space-to-ground circuit normally opened for the news media. Their transmissions from space were encoded to prevent anyone from listening in.

Discovery was towed into a processing hangar to be prepared for its next mission in March — in which one satellite is to be deployed and a second recovered.

And because of the success of the just-completed flight, the National Aeronautics and Space Administration can proceed with launching Challenger on Feb. 20 with two communications satellites and a crew of seven that includes a French astronaut and U.S. Sen. Jake Garn of Utah.

One of Challenger's satellites is a NASA tracking and data-relay satellite to be boosted to high orbit by the same type of rocket stage that pushed Discovery's spy satellite to its lofty outpost.

A total of four space shuttle missions this year would have been jeopardized if the rocket, called an inertial upper stage or IUS, had failed like its predecessor.

In its only previous shuttle assignment in April 1983, an IUS propelled a communications payload into the wrong orbit. The trouble was traced to overheating in a second-stage motor that collapsed a flexible seal in the steering mechanism.

Major modifications were made and extensive testing was done before officials felt confident in flying an IUS on the secret mission. Because both NASA and the Air Force plan to use the stage many times, the Air Force removed its performance from the secrecy list and reported it "successfully met its mission objectives."

NASA now can return to its open information policy until the next military mission, scheduled in September. Full-scale briefings with flight directors, the astronaut crew and payload experts are scheduled this week for Challenger's February flight. That was not done before the Discovery launch.

Times says...

Many errors led to Bhopal gas leak

NEW YORK (AP) — Inoperable safety systems, undertrained workers and inadequate warning sirens were among violations that led to the deaths of more than 2,000 people from a gas leak at Union Carbide Corp.'s plant in Bhopal, India, The New York Times reported today.

The Times said a seven-week investigation of the deadly Dec. 3 leak of methyl isocyanate gas revealed at least 10 procedural violations by Union Carbide and its Indian-run subsidiary.

Among the irregularities reported by The Times were:

—Employees who discovered a methyl isocyanate leak reported it to a supervisor, who was quoted by one worker as saying he would deal with it after his tea break. The supervisor said he was informed only of a water leak.

—In violation of plant procedures, a refrigeration unit designed to keep the chemical cool and inhibit reactions was shut down by managers several months before the accident, employees said.

—There were no effective public warnings of the disaster. The alarm used the night of the accident was similar or identical to alarms sounded as many as 20 times a week for practice drills and other non-urgent activities.

—Training levels and experience requirements for plant workers were cut back, in part for budgetary reasons.

—One of the three safety systems at the plant had been inoperable for several days and a second was taken out of service for maintenance several weeks earlier.

Union Carbide told The Times it would be several weeks before its team of investigators finished their inquiry into the accident.

"Anyone who attempts to state what caused the accident would be only speculating unless he has more facts than we have and has done more analysis, tests and experiments than we have," the company said in a statement.

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Dr. Lamb

Lawrence E. Lamb, M.D.

Ear infection causes dizziness

By Lawrence Lamb, M.D.

DEAR DR. LAMB — My father, who is 74, has frequent dizzy spells and has been diagnosed as having an inner-ear infection. He has been taking Antivert and recently was given a prescription for the small disks (Transderm Scop) that are placed behind the ear. Neither has been very helpful. How long does this condition usually last and what causes it?

DEAR READER — Dizzy spells attributed to an inner-ear infection suggest that the diagnosis is viral labyrinthitis, or inflammation of the vestibular nerve that connects the balance canals in the ear to the brain (vestibular neuronitis). As the term implies, this means that a virus is the cause. It may follow an acute illness, such as a respiratory infection. In that condition, the dizziness commonly lasts a few weeks, but some people may continue to have disturbance in balance for several months afterward.

Since there is no medicine to treat most viral infections, the treatment is symptomatic, such as taking medicines to control dizziness.

Balance is partially controlled by three small semicircular canals filled with fluid. As the fluid shifts, this sends signals to the brain to tell one the position of one's head. If they are inflamed, they may send erroneous messages and one feels dizzy.

The main hearing organ of the inner ear, the snail-shaped cochlea, is connected to these balance canals and may also be involved. When that happens, the hearing is affected as well. Herpes zoster (shingles) may be the culprit. In those cases, corticosteroid hormones may be prescribed. These don't help other viral infections of the balance canals or nerve.

I have discussed the various causes and treatment for motion sickness and dizziness in The Health Letter, Special Report 33, Understanding Dizziness from Vertigo and Imbalance, which I am sending you. Others who want this issue can send 75 cents with a long, stamped, self-addressed envelope for it to me in care of this newspaper, P.O. Box 1551, Radio City Station, New York NY 10019.

Your father may have some other cause for dizziness, including disorders in circulation or increased fluid retention in the balance canals, which I have also discussed. It is a very complex problem and sometimes very difficult to treat.

DEAR DR. LAMB — I am a 41-year-old female and suffer from recurring attacks of sciatica. What is this? Can it be treated? The attacks usually affect my left side and are extremely painful, lasting up to a week.

DEAR READER — The term is often used loosely but it refers to pain in the buttocks that extends down the back of the thigh, the side of the calf and to the foot. This is the distribution of the sciatic nerve. The nerve originates from the segments of the spinal cord at the level of the last lumbar vertebra and the upper sacrum.

The most common reason for sciatic pain is pressure on the spinal nerves as they emerge from the spine. The most common cause of this pressure is arthritic changes or degenerative changes. Degeneration of the intervertebral disks may be the cause.

Other than mechanical irritation from degenerative changes or an intervertebral disk, there can be disease affecting the sciatic nerve itself.

The treatment depends upon the cause, but if it is caused by compression from a disk, then correction of the disk problem will help correct the sciatica. If it is from arthritis, it cannot always be so easily treated.

(NEWSPAPER ENTERPRISE ASSN.)

Window broken

Vandalism to a local warehouse was reported to police Friday morning.

Employees of Canyon Sandblasting at 1603 29th St. reported the incident at 7:03 a.m. They noted one window at the building had been broken out.

The incident is thought to have occurred sometime between 5 p.m. Thursday and 7 a.m. Friday.

In other action, city officers jailed one local man for public intoxication at a private club Friday evening.

Astro-Graph

Bernice Bede Osol

Your Birthday

January 29, 1985

Several meaningful relationships will be established in the year ahead. These associations will not be of a fleeting nature. They'll enrich your life for many years to come.

AQUARIUS (Jan. 20-Feb. 19) The rewards may start coming your way today from something long overdue. Your past effort entitles you to what you'll receive. Major changes are in store for Aquarians in the coming year. Send for your Astro-Graph predictions today. Mail $1 to Astro-Graph, Box 489, Radio City Station, New York, NY 10019. Be sure to state your zodiac sign.

PISCES (Feb. 20-March 20) Your wisdom, as well as your dependability, will be apparent to friends who need your help today. Your gestures will put them firmly in your corner.

ARIES (March 21-April 19) Much can be accomplished in a joint venture today if you work from behind the scenes. The uninvolved do not have to know your business.

TAURUS (April 20-May 20) It will be to your advantage today to team up with a strong ally in a venture of mutual interest. Collective efforts produce the best results.

GEMINI (May 21-June 20) Personal ambitions can be furthered today if you work with familiar methods and procedures. Don't attempt any shortcuts.

CANCER (June 21-July 22) Business and pleasure blend well today. Mingle socially with people whose cooperation is essential to your present needs.

LEO (July 23-Aug. 22) Go ahead and make those long-considered changes you believe will benefit your family. The results should please all concerned.

VIRGO (Aug. 23-Sept. 22) A meeting of the minds is possible today with someone who, up until now, has been unreasonable. Take advantage of this opportunity to restate your case.

LIBRA (Sept. 23-Oct. 23) Your best chances for personal gains today will come from situations where you put your talents and abilities at the disposal of others.

SCORPIO (Oct. 24-Nov. 22) A wise and loving friend may be instrumental today in helping you resolve a social problem you haven't been able to rectify yourself.

SAGITTARIUS (Nov. 23-Dec. 21) You possess a profound sense of duty today with no thoughts of personal gratification. These qualities will be respected by people you deal with.

CAPRICORN (Dec. 22-Jan. 19) Take a break from your regular routines today and do something fun and different. However, be sure to include old friends.

(NEWSPAPER ENTERPRISE ASSN.)

U.S. children born in 1982 can expect to live longer on the average than any newborn American before them. Their life expectancy will be 74.5 years — 4.5 years longer than children born a generation earlier.

ORDER OF THE COMMISSIONERS COURT OF SCURRY COUNTY, TEXAS, APPROVING THE TREASURER'S REPORT FOR THE FOURTH CALENDAR QUARTER, OCTOBER 1 THROUGH DECEMBER 31, 1984

TO ALL TO WHOM THESE PRESENTS MAY COME, BE IT KNOWN THAT:

THE COMMISSIONERS COURT OF SCURRY COUNTY, TEXAS, did duly convene in Quarterly Session at its meeting place in the Courthouse in the City of Snyder at 10:00 A.M. on Monday, January 21, 1985, and, the entire membership of said Court, viz., Preston Wilson, County Judge, presiding, and Eldon Perry, Earl Sneed, C.D. Gray, Jr., and Ted Billingsley, Commissioners for Precincts, 1, 2, 3, and 4, respectively, being present, the matter of the comparison and examination of the Quarterly Report of BILLY W. THOMPSON, Treasurer for Scurry County, for the period October 1 through December, 31, 1984, came to the attention of said Court and the said Court compared and examined the same and inspected and counted all the actual cash, certificates of time and demand deposits, and other assets in the hands of the Treasurer belonging to the County at and as the time of such report: NOW, THEREFORE, the Commissioners Court finds that the Treasurer at and as of the time of his said report did not have actually in his hands any money or other assets of Scurry County but the same were all on deposit in the West Texas State Bank of Snyder, Texas, the official County depository, except the following, viz, $121,000.00 authorized negotiable securities of political subdivision; and that from the commencement of business at 8:00 o'clock A.M. on Oct. 1 until close of business at 5:00 P.M. on December 31st, 1984, the beginning and ending balances for each fund of the Treasurer of Scurry County, Texas, for such quarterly period are fully and accurately reflected by the following tabulation attached hereto, incorporated herein by reference, and made a part hereof for all purposes:

FUND	CASH BALANCE & CERTIFICATES OF DEPOSITS DATE: 10-1-84	RECEIPTS	TRANSFERS IN	DISBURSEMENTS	TRANSFERS OUT	CASH BALANCE & CERTIFICATES OF DEPOSITS DATE: 12-31-84
GENERAL:						
Departmental	$	$	$	$ 605,889.65	$	$
Jury				3,309.35		
Permanent School				4,478.68		
Airport				24,967.21		
Health Unit				15,381.84		
Park				72,540.67		
Library				46,218.05		
Coliseum				48,984.20		
TOTAL: GENERAL	$1,311,895.42	$ 1,944,702.48	$ 60,732.43	$ 865,487.75	$ 13,896.08	$ 2,437,946.48
ADULT PROBATION	38,364.48	26,328.05	2,131.62	29,600.10	1,251.96	36,152.09
ROAD & BRIDGE	333,536.88	368,241.39	- 0 -	204,147.60	13,795.07	483,594.60
SCURRY COUNTY MEDICAL PLAN	- 0 -	751.64	28,579.17	16,283.38	- 0 -	13,047.43
CJC, LEEA, CVCA	12,394.46	18,450.48	- 0 -	18,424.33	269.95	12,151.66
HOSPITAL OPERATING	(8,611.80)	1,222,049.61	539,217.05	1,146,672.62	539,130.04	66,852.20
HOSPITAL DEPRECIATION	712,801.74	19,842.45	155,059.36	83,845.15	304,217.05	499,646.35
HOSP. BOND I & S	7,938.87	524,714.27	6,424.30	14,728.01	- 0 -	524,349.43
HERKLEIGH WATER WORKS	19,174.84	5,852.02	- 0 -	4,644.21	135.30	20,247.35
PERMANENT SCHOOL	- 0 -	- 0 -	- 0 -	- 0 -	- 0 -	- 0 -
AVAILABLE SCHOOL	6.80	362.15	- 0 -	- 0 -	- 0 -	368.95
REVENUE SHARING	145,810.84	74,639.55	- 0 -	81,656.28	- 0 -	138,794.11
CO. BOARD OF DEV.	23,060.64	15,444.84	2,646.55	25,608.92	- 0 -	40,543.11
COGDELL CLINIC	44,818.41	23,116.13	- 0 -	11,615.15	- 0 -	56,319.45
JUVENILE PROBATION	1,844.26	1,800.64	- 0 -	131.20	6,958.56	2,555.14
COGDELL MONEY MKT.	130,367.93	70,528.27	368,332.21	- 0 -	235,000.00	334,228.41
TOTAL OF ALL FUNDS:	$2,773,403.77	$ 4,352,804.01	$ 1,163,122.69	$ 2,497,879.70	$ 1,124,644.01	$ 4,666,806.76
PERMANENT SCHOOL FUND SECURITIES	$ 121,000.00					$ 121,000.00
AIRPORT REVENUE 4th Qtr.	$ 17,033.78					
Interest earned on Investments for 4th Qtr.	$ 147,489.69					
Interest earned on Super NOW Accounts for 4th Qtr.	$ 32,741.41					

Signed: Billy W. Thompson
Billy W. Thompson, County Treasurer

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF we, the aforesaid and undersigned County Treasurer, County Judge, and each Commissioner, swear that the above and foregoing averments are complete and correct and that the requirements of Article 1636, Vernon's Annotated Civil Statutes of Texas 1925, as amended, have been in all things duly complied with by the County Judge and each Commissioner aforementioned in the Quarterly Session of said Court of January 21, 1985; HEREOF WITNESSETH OUR HANDS on the first above date.

(s) Billy W. Thompson
County Treasurer
(s) Eldon Perry
Commissioner for Precinct No. 1
(s) C.D. Gray, Jr.
Commissioner for Precinct No. 3

(s) Preston Wilson
County Judge
(s) Earl Sneed
Commissioner for Precinct No. 2
(s) Ted Billingsley
Commissioner Precinct No. 4

SUBSCRIBED AND SWORN to by the said Billy W. Thompson, Preston Wilson, Eldon Perry, Earl Sneed, C.D. Gray, Jr. and Ted Billingsley, before me, the undersigned, a Notary Public in and for Scurry County, Texas: WHEREOF WITNESSETH on January 21st, 1985, my hand and official seal.

ATTEST:

(s) Beverly Ainsworth
County Clerk of Scurry
County, Texas
(Seal)

(s) Billie Ruth Stone
Notary Public in and for
Scurry County, Texas
(Seal)

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HAPPY BIRTHDAY
Raymond House

Alcoholism is meeting topic

"Jean," a member of Alcoholics Anonymous for nearly three years, spoke about alcoholism to members of the Scurry Charter Chapter of the American Business Women's Association during their meeting last Thursday in the Martha Ann Woman's Club.

She told the women that alcoholism is a disease that affects everybody. She also added that one of every three persons will become an alcoholic.

Stating that group discussion, love, caring and understanding is the best cure, "Jean" informed the group that Alateen, for teenagers in an alcoholic's family, meets at Trinity Methodist Church on Tuesdays at 8 p.m.

Alcoholics Anonymous, the group in which "Jean" participates, meets in the Chapel of Roses on Fridays at 8 p.m.

In addition to the program, perfect attendance pins were distributed to members. Those receiving pins included: one year — Vera Beasley, Inez Teaff, Maxie McNew, Irene Brooks and Genetha Payne; two year — Grace Bryant and Chrystal Franklin; three year — Barbara Williamson; 4 year — Faye Layne; six year — Jeannie Rundell and Barbara Scrivner; seven year — Ruby Deavers; eight year — Pat Faver.

Barbara Williamson also received a past president's pin.

Scurry Charter Chapter officers for this year are Pam Murry, president; Chrystal Franklin, vice president; Judy Bynum, recording secretary; Sharon McCarty, treasurer; and Louise Rice, corresponding secretary.

Community Calendar

MONDAY

La Leche League of Snyder; 4310 Lubbock; 9:30 a.m.

Hope for Tomorrow weight control class; Pat Dennis Studio on West 30th; morning, 10 a.m.; evening, 6 p.m. New members welcome and should enroll 30 minutes before class.

Alateen; for the children of alcoholics; east wing of Trinity United Methodist Church; 7 p.m. For more information call 573-2101.

Rebekah Lodge 294; lodge hall; 7:30 p.m.

Al-Anon; for the family and friends of the alcoholic; 3011 Avenue T; 8 p.m. For more information call 573-8626 or 573-9625. Nursery available.

Scurry County Alcoholics Anonymous; behind Humble Smith School at 3601 37th St.; 8 p.m. For more information call 573-0476 or 573-5337.

TUESDAY

If you are interested in losing weight, meet with TOPS 56; Texas Electric Reddy Room, 2301 Avenue R; weigh at 6:30 p.m., meeting at 7 p.m.

New Horizon Alcoholics Anonymous; Chapel of Roses, Avenue K and 13th St.; 8 p.m. For more information call 573-2101.

Al-Anon; Chapel of Roses, Avenue K and 13th St.; 8 p.m. For more information call 573-8325 or 573-2101.

THURSDAY

Movie Time; Scurry County Library; 9:30 a.m.

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

Scurry County Alcoholics Anonymous; behind Humble Smith School, 3106 37th St.; 8 p.m. For more information call 573-0476 or 573-5337.

FRIDAY

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

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

Alcoholics Anonymous; Avenue K and 13th St., Chapel of Roses; 8 p.m. For more information call 573-2101.

Al-Anon; Chapel of Roses, Avenue K and 13th St.; 8 p.m. For more information call 573-8325 or 573-2101.

Narcotics Anonymous; Humble Smith School; 8 p.m. For more information call 573-5271.

SATURDAY

Diamond M Museum, open from 1-4 p.m.

People Without Partners, 42 at Inadale Community Center, 6:30 p.m.

SUNDAY

Scurry County Museum, open from 1-4 p.m., WTC campus.

Diamond M Museum, open from 1-4 p.m.

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

Mushrooms and different spices add variety to Swiss steak recipe

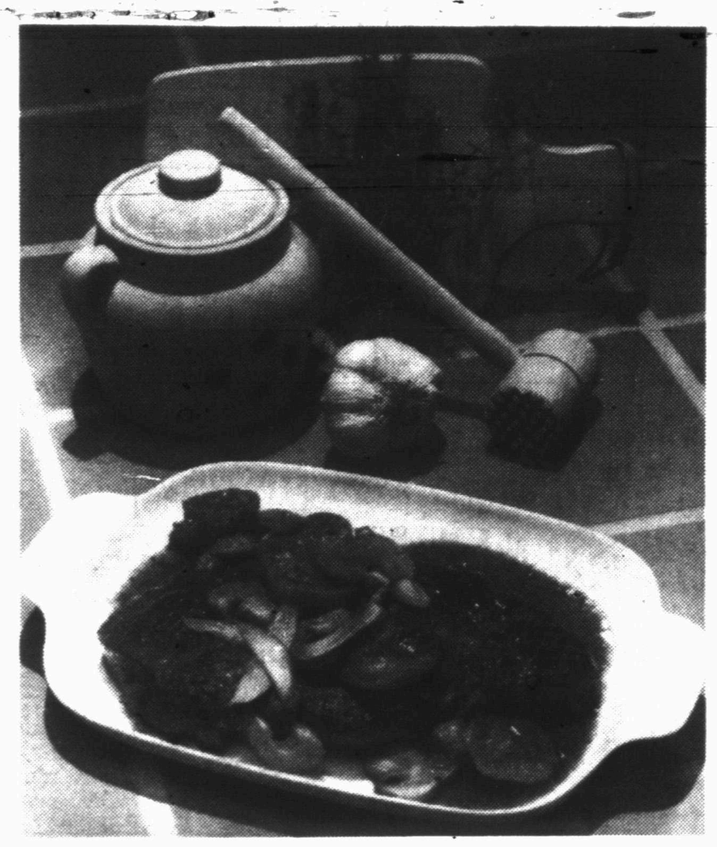
By CECILY BROWNSTONE
AP Food Editor

According to Webster, Swiss Steak is "a slice of round steak into which flour is pounded on both sides and which is then browned in fat and smothered in tomatoes and other vegetables and seasonings." The other vegetables are, as a rule, onion and celery.

Why Swiss Steak is called "Swiss" is anyone's guess. Culinary history buffs have not yet, to my knowledge, tracked down the origin of its name.

Recipes for Swiss Steak started cropping up in the last half of the 1920s. It was considered economical because the round steak called for offered little waste and it became a favorite family dish. In one well-circulated cookbook of that period, bacon drippings were used for browning the steak and green peas were added. Nowadays cooks are still devising variations. In the following recipe, recently developed by a California cook, mushrooms are used.

Seasonings, too, have changed. In early recipes only salt, pepper and garlic might have been added. In the following recipe basil, oregano and thyme are called for.



SWISS STEAK — This has been a favorite family dish since the 1920s. (AP Photo)

SWISS STEAK

1½ pounds round steak, about 1 inch thick
¼ cup all-purpose flour
Salt and pepper to taste
3 tablespoons (about) vegetable oil
1 large (6 ounces) onion, sliced
1 large rib celery, sliced
¼ pound (generous) mushrooms, sliced
1 clove garlic, finely chopped
8-ounce can stewed tomatoes
¼ teaspoon dried crushed basil
¼ teaspoon dried crushed oregano
¼ teaspoon dried crushed thyme

Trim excess fat from around steak. With the edge of a heavy saucer or a meat mallet pound flour into both sides of steak. Sprinkle with salt and pepper.

In a large skillet heat oil; add steak and over medium high heat brown well on both sides. Place steak in a baking dish (about 12 by 8 by 2 inches).

In the drippings in the skillet lightly cook onion, celery, mushrooms and garlic. Stir in tomatoes, basil, oregano and thyme. Pour over steak. Cover tightly with foil.

Bake in a 300-degree oven (no need to preheat) until steak is tender — 1¼ to 1½ hours. Place steak on a hot platter, keeping vegetables on meat; if necessary, skim excess fat from juices and pour around steak. Serve at once.

Makes 4 servings.

BEAUTY BRIEFS

Women have four times as many foot problems as men. Generally, they are caused by wearing fashionable shoes and hosiery. Discard novelty socks or hosiery that irritate skin. Irritation signals the possibility of blisters, and blisters are a first step to calluses or corns.

Heels that are too high, shoes that pinch the toes or that fit badly and rub the foot can cause corns on toes and even soles. Persistent abuse of the feet (and that includes not keeping toenails trimmed properly) can cause serious problems such as bunions and ingrown toenails.

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BRIDGE

James Jacoby

NORTH 1-28-85
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♥ 7 5 2
♦ J 8 6
♣ A 10 8 4 3

WEST
♠ Q J 9 7 6
♥ K
♦ K Q 2
♣ K J 7 6

EAST
♠ K 5 3
♥ 9 8 6
♦ 9 7 4 3
♣ Q 5 2

SOUTH
♠ A 10 2
♥ A Q J 10 4 3
♦ A 10 5
♣ 9

Vulnerable: East-West
Dealer: West

West	North	East	South
1♠	Pass	Pass	Dbl
Pass	2♣	2♠	3♥
Pass	4♥	Pass	Pass
Pass			

Opening lead ♠Q

The bidding draws a map

By James Jacoby

South's first call was a takeout double. Then he freely bid three hearts on his own over the belated spade raise by East. North, relying on his partner to have a very good hand, made a close decision to carry on to four with the club ace and three-card heart support. The play for game was marginal, but declarer did mentally review the bidding before playing the hand, and that procedure served him well.

The opening lead of the spade queen was ducked all around. Declarer won the continuation with the ace and ruffed his third spade. Since East had failed to keep the bidding open after his partner's one-spade bid, it was right to place the heart king in the West hand. Accordingly South played the heart ace, dropping the singleton king. He now proceeded to run all the remaining hearts but one. West threw his spades and clubs, keeping his K-Q-2 of diamonds. Declarer, reading the position correctly, played to dummy's club ace, ruffed a club back and then played a low diamond. West could win the queen of diamonds but had to lead back into the declarer's A-10.

There was no remedy for the defenders' plight. With 15 high-card points (even though the singleton heart king is a bit of a liability), West had to open the bidding. With a flat hand and five high-card points, East is right to pass. After that, the defenders are at the mercy of South, if he has enough wits about him to remember the bidding.

(NEWSPAPER ENTERPRISE ASSN)

Snyder Duplicate Bridge Scoreboard

FRIDAY
Five Tables
Howell Movement
Mrs. M.W. Palmer, Dir.

1. Mrs. Leroy Brown and Mrs. J.A. Hood.
2. Mrs. Scott Casey and Virdie Kimbro.
3. Glen Coon and Mrs. Russell Haney.
4. Polly Ballard and Mrs. Billy Null.

SUNDAY
Four Tables
Howell Movement
Mrs. A.G. Furlow, Dir.

1. Sue Mize and Mrs. Billy Null.
2. Mrs. A.G. Furlow and Mrs. M.W. Palmer.
3. Mrs. N.R. Clements and Virdie Kimbro.

Computers used to track absent students

WASHINGTON (AP) — Suburban high schools in Arlington County, Va., are using computers to record and try to remedy the problem of truancy.

Unexplained absences are recorded in the machine, and each night the computer telephones the student's home and, using a human voice, demands a written excuse for the absence.

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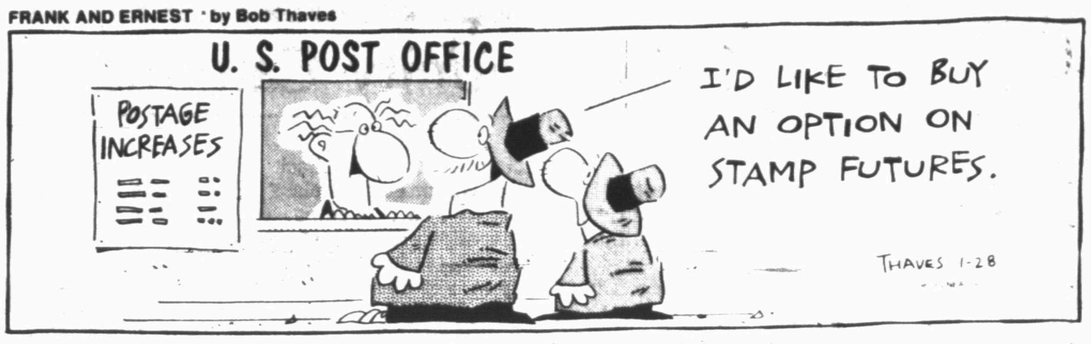
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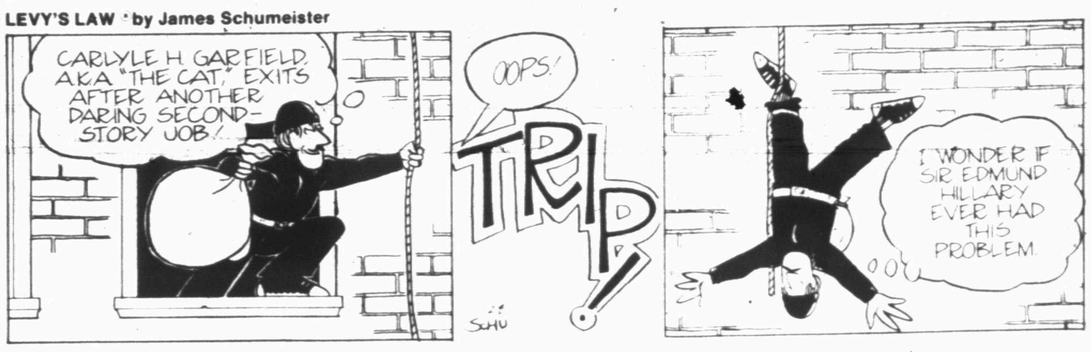
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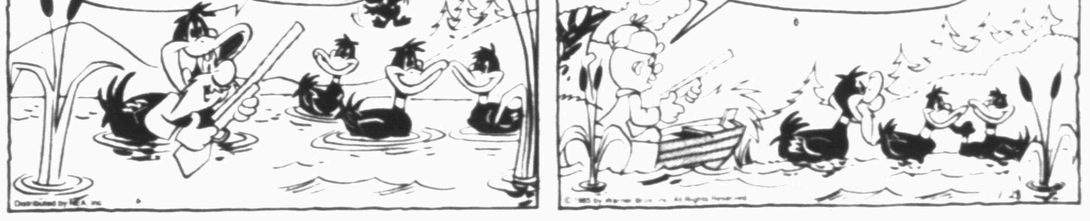
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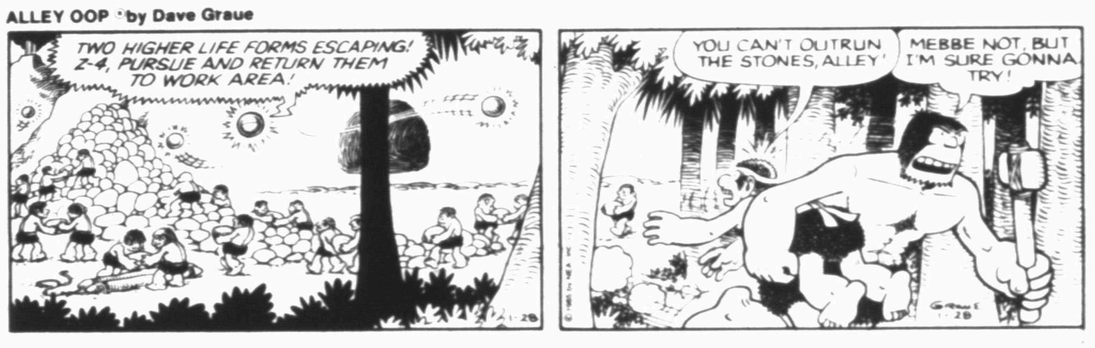
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9 Health resort
12 Needle case
13 American Indian
14 Tax agency (abbr.)
15 Catches
16 Put out
17 Of God (Lat.)
18 Greek hero
20 Lock of hair
22 Dine
23 Crafty
24 Native of India
27 Mrs. Roosevelt
31 Chemical suffix
32 Strange (comb. form)
34 Tennis term
35 Rabbit tail
37 Negatives
39 Hebrew holy day (abbr.)
40 Expeditions
42 Compiler of game rules
44 Greensward
45 Weep aloud
46 Strides
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61 Summers (Fr.)
62 Ogles

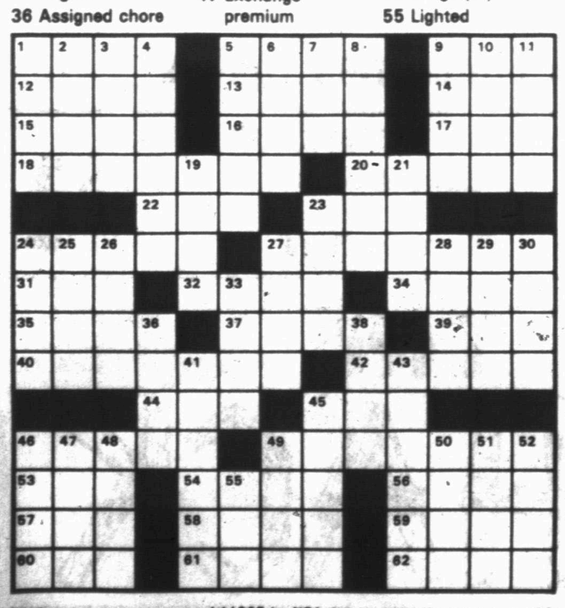
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9 Lateral
10 Club leader (abbr.)
11 In present condition (2 wds.)
19 Waters (Fr.)
21 Old coin
23 Wild plum
24 Rudolf —
25 Indian of Peru
26 Nine (Fr.)
27 Adam's grandson
28 Inquisitive (sl.)
29 Shaped like an egg
30 Network
33 Novelist Bagnold
36 Assigned chore
38 Go away
41 Man's name
43 One devoted to religious work
45 Angle ratios
46 Sagacious
47 Exchange premium
48 Actress Redgrave
49 Ignoble
50 Mind
51 Merriment
52 Longs (sl.)
55 Lighted

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2 Mormon State
3 Piece of ice
4 Showed dislike
5 Reconnoiter

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Chaps host Western in conference outing

MIDLAND – For Western Texas College, the challenge is a tough one. The Westerners need to stop a two-game losing streak and Midland College is tonight's opponent.

"We're going to have to play tough. Midland is one of the top teams in the conference," said Coach Phil Spradling, whose Westerners dropped games to Amarillo and Frank Phillips last week. Both games could have gone in WTC's directon had the Westerners hit their freethrows.

WJCAC MEN'S STANDINGS

Team	Conferne W	L	Season W	L
Odessa College	7	1	19	2
Midland College	7	1	16	3
Amarillo College	6	2	18	2
New Mexico Military	5	3	13	6
Western Texas	4	4	14	7
Frank Phillips	4	4	12	9
New Mexico JC	3	5	12	9
Howard College	3	5	11	9
Clardendon College	1	7	6	14
South Plains	0	8	9	12

MONDAY'S RESULTS: Amarillo 70, Western Texas 68; Howard 90, Odessa 89 (ot); Midland 98, Frank Phillips 69; NMJC 91, South Plains 83; NMMI 52, Clarendon 49

THURSDAY'S RESULTS: Frank Phillips 96, Western Texas 84; Howard 63, Clarendon 61; Odessa 61, Midland 56; NMJC 91, NMMI 69; Amarillo 91, South Plains 53

MONDAY'S GAMES (Jan. 28): Western Texas at Midland; NMJC at Howard; Frank Phillips at South Plains; Clarendon at Odessa; Amarillo at NMMI

WJCAC WOMEN'S STANDINGS

Team	Conferne W	L	Season W	L
Odessa College	6	0	24	0
Western Texas	6	1	23	4
Amarillo College	5	2	17	7
New Mexico JC	3	3	14	6
Clardendon College	3	3	12	4
Howard College	2	4	15	7
South Plains	0	6	13	12
Frank Phillips	0	6	5	17

MONDAY'S RESULTS: Western Texas 78, Amarillo 57; Odessa 53, Howard 47; NMJC 64, South Plains 62.

THURSDAY'S RESULTS: Western Texas 88, Frank Phillips 58; Clarendon 58, Howard 46; Amarillo 61, South Plains 59; Odessa 88, Lubbock Christian 33 (non-conference)

MONDAY'S GAMES (Jan. 28): Clarendon at Odessa; Frank Phillips at South Plains

"We missed the front end of 12 one-in-ones at Borger (Frank Phillips)," moaned Spradling. "Every time we would start a rally, they would foul us and we'd miss our freethrows. It was like a nightmare. Nobody could hit."

The Westerners, 14-7 for the season and 4-4 in conference play, will have to improve on Thursday's 24 for 47 performance from the line.

Ironically, had the Westerners won both of their games last week, they would own third place outright and be only one game out of first, behind Midland and Odessa.

Odessa knocked off Midland on Thursday, 61-56, leaving no team unbeaten in the WJCAC.

Tonight's 8 o'clock game will be held at Chaparral Center.

In other games scheduled tonight, New Mexico Junior College is at Howard, Amarillo is at New Mexico Military Institute, Clarendon travels to Odessa and Frank Phillips will visit South Plains.

In women's games, Clarendon is at Odessa and Frank Phillips is at South Plains.

Western Texas' women, the Dusters, are idle tonight. They will host South Plains College in a double header at Scurry County Coliseum this Thursday.

Midland goes into tonight's game with impressive records of 16-3 for the season and 7-1 in conference.

The Chaps are led by Teviin Binns, who averages 23.9 points and 8.6 rebounds. He has recorded 69 blocked shots and 21 dunks this season.

Other key players are Vernon Coleman, who averages 10.1 points and 5.3 boards, and guard Zeak Williams, who averages 6.1 points and has 82 assists on the season.

Midland is averaging 79.1 points and giving up 65.9 while shooting .648 from the freethrow line and .538 from the field.

Western averages four players in double figures, led by James Dawn's 17.1 points. Alvin Hicks averages 13.4, Floyd Singleton 12.8 and Victor Spencer 12.8.

The Westerners are putting up 90.8 points and giving away 81.2. They are shooting .545 from the floor and .649 from the stripe.

SPORTS

Tech upsets SMU; tied for 2nd place

By The Associated Press

The No. 2 ranked Southern Methodist Mustangs ran into "Buzzsaw Bubba" in Lubbock to suffer their first Southwest Conference basketball loss but the Texas Aggies presented them with a big present just hours later.

SMU retained the SWC leadership by a game with a 6-1 ledger but the Aggies, Houston and Texas Tech are all tied for second just a game out.

SMU lost 64-63 to Texas Tech Saturday night as Bubba Jennings hit 13 of 18 shots and scored 26 points.

But on a regionally televised Sunday game from College Station, Texas A&M tripped the defending champion Cougars 71-69 behind Don Marbury's 20 points. The red-hot Aggies have now won their last four SWC games.

Alvin Franklin had 31 points for Houston.

Houston and SMU collide on Wednesday night in Dallas in the biggest game of the upcoming week.

In non-conference game Sunday, Arkansas fell 54-52 to Virginia.

Arkansas is 4-3 in conference play followed by Texas 3-5, TCU 2-5, and Rice and Baylor 1-6.

TCU whipped Texas 53-45 and Baylor won its first league game with a 65-56 victory over Rice in Houston.

SMU blew a chance to move higher in The Associated Press poll because No. 1 ranked Georgetown was bumped off by St. John's, also by a point.

It was SMU's first loss on the mainland after having fallen to Chaminade in Hawaii on Christmas Day.

"This is probably the biggest win we've had," said Tech Coach Gerald Myers. "On the other hand it's too bad SMU wasn't playing someone else so I could pull for them.

"With Georgetown getting beat they might have had a chance to be No. 1. They've done a lot for our conference and have been great representatives for the SWC. I'm sure they'll still be a force to reckon with this season."

Texas Tech's Tony Benford 10-foot baseline jumper with three seconds left was the Pony killer.

The Mustangs had to play the final 6:48 without starting center Jon Koncak who fouled out with only six points.

It was only SMU's second loss of the season with 16 victories.

The TCU-Tech game has been moved to Tuesday night this week for television purposes.

In other Wednesday night action, Texas A&M is at Rice and Arkansas is at Baylor.

On Friday, Texas A&M is at Arkansas and TCU is at Houston.

Tech is at Texas on Saturday.

On Sunday, Rice is at SMU, Houston hosts Illinois and Arkansas is at Georgetown.

SWC standings

	Conference W	L	Pct.	All Games W	L	Pct.
Southern Meth	6	1	.857	16	2	.889
Texas A&M	5	2	.714	13	5	.722
Houston	5	2	.714	13	5	.722
Texas Tech	5	2	.714	12	5	.706
Arkansas	4	3	.571	13	7	.650
Texas	3	5	.375	10	8	.556
Texas Christian	2	5	.286	10	8	.556
Rice	1	6	.143	8	9	.471
Baylor	1	6	.143	8	10	.444

LAST WEEK'S GAMES

SUNDAY: Texas A&M 66, Texas 61

WEDNESDAY: Arkansas 67, Rice 56; Texas A&M 50, Texas Tech 47; Southern Meth 54, Texas 46

THURSDAY: Houston 81, Baylor 71

SATURDAY: Baylor 65, Rice 56; Texas Tech 64, Southern Meth 63; TCU 53, Texas 45

THIS WEEK'S GAMES

SUNDAY: Texas A&M 71, Houston 69; Virginia 54, Arkansas 52

TUESDAY: TCU at Texas Tech

WEDNESDAY: Houston at SMU; Texas A&M at Rice; Arkansas at Baylor

FRIDAY: Texas A&M at Arkansas; TCU at Houston

SATURDAY: Texas Tech at Texas

NBA glance

Sunday's Games

Boston 128, Portland 127
Detroit 115, Washington 105
Milwaukee 106, San Antonio 93

Monday's Games

L.A. Clippers at New York
Philadelphia at Dallas
New Jersey at Houston
Denver at Utah

NFL Pro Bowl...

Defense puts AFC in winner's circle

HONOLULU (AP) - Mark Gastineau's "Sack Dance" was outlawed by National Football League rulesmakers this season. His ability to get to quarterbacks continues undiminished.

The New York Jets' defensive end, who led the NFL with 22 sacks in the regular season, added four more Sunday as the American Conference beat the National Conference 22-14 in the annual Pro Bowl game.

He also dumped the Los Angeles Rams' Eric Dickerson in the end zone for a safety that produced the first score of the game with 4:10 left in a first half that was so dominated by defense it appeared it might end in a scoreless tie.

"In a game like this, with only one week's preparation, the defense will have that advantage," Gastineau said after the game. "That was obvious with the number of sacks today."

The number of sacks, in fact, was 17, a Pro Bowl record for the two teams. Nine were by the AFC, eight by the NFC, for which Chicago's Richard Dent played Gastineau by dumping AFC quarterbacks three times.

Overall, 19 of the AFC's 22 points were set up the defense or special teams, including the play that turned the game around, an 83-yard run with a Neil Lomax fumble by Kansas City defensive end Art Still that turned a 14-12 AFC deficit into a 19-14 lead with 5:24 left in the game.

The fumble resulted from the kind of play common to all-star contests.

On a third down and three from the AFC 15, Lomax tried to hand off to Dickerson. But the two collided, the ball came loose and Still fell on it. He was pushed to his feet by Seattle's Joe Nash and the Los Angeles Raiders' Rod Martin and continued untouched on a run the 6-foot-7, 257-pound end said "seemed like it took a couple of days."

Norm Johnson added a 22-yard field goal set up by another defensive play - New England's Andre Tippett's recovery of another Lomax fumble.

The NFC, which won last year's contest 45-3 and holds a 9-6 edge since the merger of the NFL and the American Football League, had a huge statistical edge - 426 yards total to 204 for the AFC.

But the AFC led 9-0 at the half on Gastineau's safety - which was preceded by sacks of Lomax by the Jets' Joe Klecko and Martin - and Miami's Dan Marino's 6-yard touchdown pass to the Raiders' Marcus Allen. The second score came three plays after Seattle's Fred Young, in the game with Dallas' Bill Bates as the Pro Bowl's first designated special teams players, tipped a punt by New Orleans' Brian Hansen to give the AFC the ball at the NFC 15.

Meanwhile, Minnesota's Jan Stenerud was missing 35-and 39-yard field goal attempts for the NFC and Lomax had a pass intercepted in the end zone by Kansas City's Deron Cherry that stymied an NFC scoring threat in the dying seconds of the first half.

But the NFC came back from to take a 14-9 lead on a 13-yard TD pass from Montana to Green Bay's James Lofton and a one-yard run by Chicago's Walter Payton 35 seconds into the fourth quarter.

Montana, the MVP in last Sunday's Super Bowl, completed 10 of 14 passes for 112 yards.

Wadkins wins Los Angeles tourney in runaway fashion

LOS ANGELES (AP) - Lanny Wadkins has a reputation as a streak player.

Recent success notwithstanding, he denies it.

"I've won 14 tournaments and more than $2 million. If that's a streak, it's a pretty good one," he said Sunday after a run-away, record-setting triumph in the Los Angeles Open golf tournament, his second victory in a three-week-old PGA Tour season.

"I don't think I'm a streak player at all. I know I have that reputation. But last year was the only time I've been completely healthy for a full season and gone through the year without winning or without being in the top 10 (money-winners)."

Wadkins, who said he was playing about as well as he ever has, fired an aggressive, 7-under-par 64 in the final round and won the Los Angeles title by 7 strokes, the largest winning margin on the Tour in more than two years.

More significantly, it gave Wadkins a 264 total, 20 under par, six shots better than anyone ever before had played the tough Riviera Country Club layout, long considered one of this country's premier tests of tournament golf.

The victory was worth $72,000 from the total purse of $400,000 and lifted his earnings for the young season to $172,350.

Wadkins started the final round two shots in front, and was never even tied.

Hal Sutton gained the No. 2 spot with an 18-hole birdie that lifted him one shot in front of Corey Pavin. Sutton, who hasn't won since taking the 1983 PGA national championship at Riviera, had a closing 69 and a 271 total. Pavin was 70-272.

Stadler came on with a 66 and was tied at 273 with Chip Beck and Gary Koch. Beck played the last 18 in 70, Koch in par 71.

Calvin Peete, winner of the Phoenix Open, was well back at 70-278. Jack Nicklaus was 71-279 and Tom Watson 72-281.

McEnroe cops 4th Pro Indoor crown

PHILADELPHIA (AP) - Top-seeded John McEnroe, nearly forced into a fourth set by newcomer Miloslav Mecir, says a change in his style of play helped him pull off his fourth straight U.S. Pro Indoor tennis title.

"If something isn't working, you don't have to bang your head against the wall," McEnroe said Sunday after earning the $54,000 first prize with a 6-3, 7-6, 6-1 victory over the 20-year-old Czechoslovakian.

McEnroe, 25, the U.S. Open and Wimbledon champion, had trouble with the unseeded Mecir only in the second set of the $300,000 tournament when he fell behind 5-1 after twice having his service broken.

McEnroe said he he decided to stay back and rally and instead of rushing the net on Mecir, a pro for three years.

"I think it threw him off. And I think he got demoralized after I won the tie-breaker," McEnroe said.

McEnroe, ranked No. 1 in the world, broke Mecir's service twice to get to 5-5, held service and then came back from 0-3 in the tie-breaker to win the set.

Mecir, who advanced to the finals after an upset over Jimmy Connors, ranked No. 2 in the world, said he wasn't bothered by McEnroe's change of style.

"I was bothered by him protesting calls. I lost concentration," said the Czech, whose $27,000 second prize was more than half of what he earned last year.

McEnroe did not formally protest during the match, although several times he pointed to spots where he felt a ball had landed out when called good.

Mecir, ranked No. 60 in the world, said, "I had a chance to win the second set and didn't. That makes me a little bit sad."

Tigers test San Angelo Lake View Tuesday at 8

Snyder High School cagers open up this week of basketball action by taking on Lake View Tuesday.

The boys will play in Scurry County Coliseum here while the girls vie in San Angelo's Lake View Gym. Both games have 8 o'clock starts and both will be preceded by 6:30 junior varsity tilts.

Tickets are $2 for adults and $1 for students.

Snyder boys go into the game with a 4-4 district record and will be trying to halt a two-game losing slide. Lake View is winless, at 8-0.

Snyder's girls are 7-3 and in third place in District 2-4A. Lake View's Maidens are 3-7.

Chris rips Navratilova to win Virginia Slims

KEY BISCAYNE, Fla. (AP) - Even with a 6-2, 5-4 lead in her title match against Martina Navratilova in the Virginia Slims of Florida, Chris Evert Lloyd didn't think she had it won.

Even though she was serving for the match, Lloyd said she was thinking about the possibility of losing. She was still wary of the woman who had beaten her 13 straight times and in 16 of their past 17 meetings.

"I think I was kind of in a daze," she said Sunday after finally breaking through against her nemesis. "I was a bit tentative on my first two match points, and I started thinking how I didn't want to blow it.

"I've had so many chances to beat her during the streak and haven't been able to. I didn't want that to happen again."

It didn't. Lloyd held on to win 6-2, 6-4, handing Navratilova only her seventh loss since the beginning of the 1982 season.

Lloyd broke Navratilova's serve in the first and third games and never trailed on her own serve in the first set at the Sheraton Royal Biscayne Racquet Club.

In the second set, Lloyd scored three service breaks, including love games in the seventh and ninth

College top twenty results

How the Associated Press Top 20 college basketball teams fared last week:

No. 1, Georgetown (18-1) beat Connecticut 79-66; lost to St. John's 66-65.

No. 2, Southern Methodist (16-2) beat Texas 54-46; lost to Texas Tech 64-63.

No. 3, St. John's (15-1) beat Syracuse 82-80, OT; beat Georgetown 66-65.

No. 4, Memphis State (15-1) beat Florida State 74-69; beat Virginia Tech 89-79.

No. 5, Duke (14-3) lost to North Carolina State 89-71; beat Clemson 100-83.

No. 6, Illinois (17-4) beat Ohio State 84-66; beat Indiana 52-41.

No. 7, DePaul (13-4) lost to Dayton 65-64.

No. 8, North Carolina (14-4) lost to Georgia Tech 66-62.

No. 9, Oklahoma (15-4) beat Iowa State 81-74; beat Kansas State 94-75.

No. 10, Oregon State (14-2) beat Arizona, 59-55; lost to Arizona State 83-82, 2OT.

No. 11, Syracuse (12-3) lost to St. John's 82-80, OT; beat Pittsburgh 80-75.

No. 12, Louisiana Tech (16-2) beat McNeese State 88-69; lost to Lamar 72-64.

No. 13, Indiana (11-6) lost to Purdue 62-52, lost to Illinois 52-41.

No. 14, Villanova (13-4) beat Providence 65-57; lost to Maryland 77-74.

No. 15, Kansas (15-4) beat Missouri 70-68; beat Colorado 70-68; lost to Michigan 96-77.

No. 16, Georgia Tech (15-3) beat Clemson 64-59; beat North Carolina 66-62.

No. 17, Tulsa (16-2) beat West Texas State 110-90; beat Southern Illinois 66-60.

No. 18, Michigan (14-3) beat Michigan State 86-75; beat Kansas 96-77.

No. 19, Virginia Commonwealth (14-3) beat West Virginia 72-60; beat South Alabama 71-70; lost to Alabama-Birmingham 66-62.

No. 20, Nevada-Las Vegas (15-2) beat New Mexico State 92-70; beat Long Beach State 75-61.

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President, Goldwater join forces on defense cutbacks

WASHINGTON (AP) — Sen. Barry Goldwater, an old ally of President Reagan in the battle to reduce federal deficits, is joining forces with the president to stave off major cuts in military spending.

In broadcast interviews over the weekend, both the president and the Arizona Republican, who is chairman of the Senate Armed Services Committee, drew the line at substantial Pentagon reductions.

Secretary of Defense Caspar Weinberger has agreed to trim $8.7 billion as the military share of the $50 billion in spending cuts the president says he will propose to Congress a week from today.

This would leave a Pentagon budget of $277.3 billion, an increase of 5.7 percent over current military spending. It would also leave an overall federal deficit of about $180 billion.

Senate Republicans, including Majority Leader Robert J. Dole of Kansas, have suggested that more than this will be needed if Congress is to curtail politically popular domestic programs.

Interviewed on NBC-TV's "Meet the Press" Sunday, Goldwater said, "I can live with, and the military can live with, a 5½ percent increase." However, he said, "if we attempt to cut any more than that then we're going to have to get into systems that we can't get into."

Reagan, interviewed by seven radio reporters on Saturday, said the Pentagon had already volunteered to cut its budget by more than the White House's Office of Management and Budget proposed.

Reagan said he believed Dole was "calling attention to what could be a fact within the Congress — that consistently, over the years, the Congress have, when they've needed money for some other program, they have thought, well, defense is the place we can get it."

But, Reagan added, "when they see, and when we have a chance to explain, how much the Department of Defense has come down from its original projections ... I think they're going to see that there isn't much more to get there. We've squeezed that apple pretty good."

Reagan and Goldwater have been partners in the cause of deficit reduction since 1964, when Reagan made his political debut with a speech supporting his fellow Westerner's unsuccessful bid for the presidency. Like Reagan, Goldwater campaigned on a platform of seeking a balanced federal budget. Like the president also, he is a strong supporter of spending for national security.

Goldwater said Sunday that a budget freeze proposed by Senate Republicans would require cutting military spending by about 38 percent in the fiscal year that begins next Oct. 1, 51 percent in the next year and nearly 80 percent in the year after.

"Now, the military budget just can't take that kind of a cut," he said, without elaborating on how he reached those seemingly high figures. "I think we can make adjustments here and there."

Testimony set to begin in bank robbery case

LAWTON, Okla. (AP) — Dick Tannery says he is calling some 50 witnesses to the stand during a preliminary hearing for two Lawton men charged with a brutal bank robbery because if he doesn't, the defense will.

"We might as well make them our witnesses. We want to present as strong a case as we can at this time," the Comanche County district attorney said.

Two Lawton men face murder and attempted murder charges in Comanche County District Court in connection with the Dec. 14 bank robbery of the Geronimo branch of the First Bank of Chattanooga. Four people died and three others were injured in the bloody robbery at the small bank, about 10 miles south of Lawton in southwestern Oklahoma.

Testimony began today amid tight security for Jay Wesley Neill, 19, and Robert Grady Johnson, 22. The small courtroom was crowded and more than 90 people were on a waiting list for the 31 available seats in the room. Ten seats were reserved for family members.

Tannery said he believes the hearing before Special District Judge Allen McCall could span five days.

Tannery said he will call between 45 and 50 witness during the proceedings, which are expected to draw reporters from across Oklahoma and surrounding states.

"We'll cover all the bases, all the possibilities. We don't want to leave anything to chance," he said. "Putting on all the witnesses, I feel, can help us at this time."

Video seen of man abducted year ago

LONDON (AP) — A television news agency today showed a videotape of U.S. Embassy official William Buckley, who was kidnapped almost a year ago in Beirut, Lebanon. Buckley said he and two fellow Americans were well.

The 56-second videotape, shown to reporters at the Visnews agency's London headquarters, gave no indication what group was holding Buckley and Jeremy Levin, the Beirut bureau chief of Cable News Network, and the Rev. Benjamin Weir, a Presbyterian minister.

"Today, the 22nd of January 1985, I am well and my friends Benjamin Weir and Jeremy Levin are also well. We ask that our government take action for our release quickly," Buckley said in the tape.

He was holding a copy of the Beirut French-language daily newspaper l'Orient-le Jour dated Jan. 22.

Visnews' managing editor, Kevin Hamilton, said: "This is the first public indication certainly that Buckley is alive." He refused to say how Visnews obtained the tape, which he said was taken by an amateur, not by a Visnews camera crew.

Witnesses in Beirut saw Buckley and Weir kidnapped last year on, respectively, March 16 and May 8. Levin has been missing since March 7 last year and had been assumed abducted.

Buckley was the political officer for the U.S. Embassy in Beirut. On the videotape he is wearing a brown jacket and standing before a blank wall. He appeared pale but healthy, and his fingernails were well-kept and his mustache trimmed.

His brief statement indicated his captors had made some demand on the U.S. government in exchange for the freedom of the three Americans, but there was no elaboration.

Hamilton said Visnews had not received any demands with the videotape.

The video made no mention of two other Americans who have been kidnapped or reported missing in West Beirut since February 1983, when Druse and Shiite Moslem militias took over from the Lebanese army in Beirut's Moslem sector.

The other two are Peter Kilburn, a librarian at the American University of Beirut who failed to report to his work last Dec. 3, and the Rev. Lawrence Jenco, a priest who heads the Catholic Relief Services office in Beirut. He was kidnapped on Jan. 8 this year.

Closed bank reopens as depositors told money safe

CLARKSVILLE, Texas (AP) — At 8:50 a.m. Friday, H.B. Robertson leaned on two black canes at the head of a line of 25 people.

Clad in bibbed overalls, he peered at a notice from the Comptroller of the Currency, in Washington, D.C., that had Thursday closed the First National Bank of Clarksville, where he had banked for 44 years.

At 9 a.m., two Clarksville police officers unlocked the bank, and the crowd flowed forward.

Before they got to the tellers, Jim Cochran, president of the newly chartered Citizens Bank of Clarksville, stopped them.

"We got a brand new bank this morning," said Cochran. "All your deposits are safe, even those over $100,000. There is absolutely no reason to take your deposits out. I will appreciate it if you stay with us. I know you're concerned. I would be too."

After Cochran explained the transition, Robertson — clinching his canes where the black paint was worn off the handles — was one of the first to speak.

"I been doin' business here for 44 years and don't see any reason of quittin'," he said.

Another man, gaunt with age, addressed the bank president.

"That's on the square?"

"What's that?" Cochran said, seeming puzzled.

"Is that all on the square?"

"Yes," Cochran said.

"Well, that's good enough for me," the farmer said as he walked out of the bank.

The depositors were happy. The buyout had protected deposits of more than $100,000. Some worried people had gotten up at 5 a.m. to find out the state of their money.

And Cochran looked happy. There hadn't been a run by depositors — an unlikely event, but still a possibility.

"A bank run could hurt us," Cochran said at 10 a.m.

By 3 p.m., Cochran said there were more deposits in the bank than when the bank opened.

"It appears we're past the critical stage, but we'll still watch it for a few days."

Cochran, of Stephenville, Texas, said he and two other Texans formed an investment group that bought the bank. Cochran declined to name the other two investors, saying they wanted to keep a low profile. But he said the two have experience in the banking industry.

The group was one of several invited by the FDIC to bid on the bank Tuesday before it was closed Thursday.

For the past three years, Cochran has been executive vice president of the Farmers First National Bank of Stephenville. He also has been president of a bank in Comanche, Texas, and was a FDIC bank examiner for 10 years.

In addition to Cochran, the old bank's employees should be pleased, since all but the former bank president kept their jobs.

But the old bank going belly up was definitely bad news for its shareholders. They will most likely lose their entire investment.

A source with access to shareholder information said a single-family trust in Texas held 80 percent of the insolvent bank's stock. A lawyer for the trust, however, would not comment on the trust's holdings.

And several blocks down from the bank at his car dealership, J.P. Harvey, a former director and shareholder, looked tired.

"If everybody that owed the bank paid, we'd of had no problems," Harvey said.

"I have no hopes of getting my investment back," he said. A baseball cap, a western hat and a shiny black tophat hangs on his office wall. "The loss hit me harder than I wanted it to."

As Harvey talked, a steady stream of friends dropped by his office to offer support.

"Friends come up and call and make sure it doesn't get you down," Harvey said.

But for those whose loans were not bought by the new Citizens Bank — problem loans that the FDIC now owns — they don't know what the future holds.

The FDIC can call some loans due. Several customers at the bank expressed concern that farm loans will be called in.

H. Reid McWhirter, FDIC attorney at the bank Friday, said the old bank was closed because of loan losses.

"It was closed because of large and unusual loan losses — primarily agricultural and energy loans," he said.

McWhirter, one of 40 FDIC officials at the bank Friday, said the energy loans were not made to local interests, but agriculture loans were.

FDIC officials took everything with the old bank's name, even employees' business cards and baseball caps.

Clarksville will have to wait to see what effect the bank closing will have.

Markets
Midday Stocks

NEW YORK (AP)

	High	Low	Last
AMR Corp	39¼	38½	38⅝
Amer Can	54½	54	54½
Ameritech	77¾	77¼	77¾
AMI Inc	22½	22⅜	22½
Am Motors	4⅛	4	4⅛
AmStand	34⅛	34⅛	34⅛
Amer T&T	21⅜	21⅜	21⅜
Armcolnc	11	10⅞	10⅞
AtlRichfld	44¼	44	44
BancTexas	4⅝	4½	4⅝
BellAtlan	81	80	80¾
BellSouth s	33⅞	33⅝	33¾
Beth Steel	20	19⅞	19⅞
Borden	64⅝	64¼	64⅝
CaterpTr	33⅞	33⅝	33⅝
Centel	38⅛	38⅛	38⅛
Chevron	31⅜	31	31
Chrysler	34⅛	34½	34¾
CocaCola	62⅝	62⅜	62½
Coleman	29¾	29¾	29¾
ComlMetl	17⅜	17⅛	17¼
DiamShm	18⅞	18¾	18⅞
DowChem	29½	29⅜	29¾
DressrInd	19⅝	19½	19⅝
East Kodak	74⅛	73⅝	74
Enserch	25⅛	25	25
EntexInc	20⅛	20¼	20⅛
Exxon	45⅛	45	45⅛
Firestone	19⅛	18¾	18⅞
FtBcpTex	15⅛	15	15
FordMot	49¾	49¾	49¾
GAF Corp	27⅞	27⅞	27⅞
GTE Corp	43⅞	43⅜	43⅞
GnDynam	76	75⅝	75⅞
GenElec	64⅛	63⅝	64
Gen Food	54⅛	53⅞	54
Gen Motors	85	83¾	84
GnMotr E n	59	54¼	58½
Goodrich	28⅝	28½	28⅝
Goodyear	28	27⅞	28
GtAtlPac	15¼	15⅛	15¼
Haliburtn	28⅝	28¼	28½
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KrogerCo	38¼	38¼	38¼
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Monsanto s	45	44¾	45
Motorola s	38⅜	38¼	38⅜
NabiscoBrd	51¼	51	51¼
NYNEX	76⅞	76⅜	76⅜
PacifTel	69⅜	69	69¼
Penney JC	51¼	50⅝	51
Phelps Dod	17⅜	17⅜	17⅜
PhillpsPet	47⅝	47	47¼
Polaroid	27	26½	26⅞
ProctGamb	55⅛	54⅞	55
RCA	38⅞	38⅝	38⅝
RepBankCp	29½	29¼	29½
Sabine	16⅝	16⅜	16⅜
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SearsRoeb	35½	35⅛	35½
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Southland	29⅜	29½	29⅜
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StdOilInd	56½	56⅛	56⅛
StdOilOh	43½	43	43
SunComp	46⅞	46½	46⅜
TNP Ent	14	14	14
Tandy	28⅛	28½	28⅝
Tenneco	39⅝	39⅜	39⅝
Texaco Inc	34⅜	34⅛	34⅜
TexAmBnch	35⅞	35⅝	35⅝
TexComBn	39⅞	39¾	39⅞
TexEastn s	30¼	30¼	30¼
Texas Inst	130¼	128⅜	129
TexasOGas	19	18½	18⅝
Tex Util	26⅛	26⅜	26⅛
TylerCp	32⅜	32⅜	32⅜
Un Carbide	37⅜	37	37¼
UnPacCp	45⅞	45½	45⅝
US Steel	27⅛	27⅝	27⅞
USWest	70⅝	70	70⅝
UniTel	23¼	23	23⅛
Unocal	39⅝	39⅛	39⅝
WalMart	46⅜	46⅜	46⅜
WestghEl s	30⅝	30⅜	30⅝
Xerox Cp	43½	43⅛	43⅛
ZenithE	24¼	23⅝	24⅛

Henry VII began work in 1502 on his chapel in London's Westminster Abbey.

Terrell to leave post

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ly, we finally made the decision to move," he said Monday morning.

Commissioners were told of his intentions after he requested a closed session with them around 10:30 a.m.

Terrell noted he told the court he would stay until April 1 "to allow them at least two months to come up with a replacement."

Whoever is named to replace him will hold the office almost two years before an election can be held requiring a voter decision. Under the law, the county attorney's post can only be decided during a General Election, an event not again scheduled in the U.S. until November of 1986.

Terrell is a Snyder High School graduate. He earned his law degree from Texas Tech University in Lubbock.

He and his wife Empress have two children, a five-year-old daughter, Audrey; and a three-month-old son, Austin Paul.

Wreck injuries said minor

Two persons were taken to Cogdell Memorial Hospital for treatment of minor injuries following a two-vehicle accident at 9:41 p.m. Saturday.

One-year-old Tyler Stipe and his mother, 38-year-old Stephany Stipe, of the Arah Rt. were taken to the hospital. They were passengers in a 1980 Toyota pickup driven by Gary Scott Stipe of the same address. The vehicle was in collision with a 1979 Chevrolet driven by Stella Herrera of 602 28th St.

The mishap occurred in the 1100 Block of the East Highway and no injuries were reported to Herrera or a passenger in her vehicle.

DPS investigate two minor mishaps

Locally based highway patrolmen investigated two minor traffic mishaps Saturday and Sunday.

Involved in the weekend's first mishap at 11:05 p.m. Saturday was a 1980 Chevrolet pickup driven by Billy Jack Wilson of Rt. 1, Snyder.

According to reports, Wilson was driving west on Farm Road 1609 — about .4 mile west of Snyder — when he apparently lost control of the vehicle which ran off the roadway and collided with a steel fence post.

The Cooper Apartments in the Greenhill addition north of Snyder was the scene of the second mishap shortly after 11 p.m. Sunday.

Troopers reported that a fence at the apartment house was struck and damaged by a 1977 AMC driven by Camilo Martinez Franco of Snyder.

No injuries were reported in either accident.

Grocery again hit by thieves

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Sunday night's burglary is thought to have occurred between midnight and 2 a.m. and investigators reported that this time, nothing was found missing from the store.

In both of the previous incidents, money bags containing small amounts of cash and checks were reported taken.

Felony theft of VCR, tapes are reported

Snyder police are investigating a felony theft report filed Saturday afternoon.

Ray Treat of 2610 Ave. U called police at 1:15 p.m. and told detectives that a rental video cassette recorder and several rental tapes had apparently been stolen from his residence sometime last Thursday.

One of the video tapes reported missing was found by a neighbor and turned into police Sunday.

The missing VCR is owned by Video City while the missing tapes are the property of Video City and Showcase Video.

Detectives say they have no suspects and investigation of the incident is continuing.

In other action, local officers went to an east Snyder residence around 5:30 p.m. Saturday — in response to a call from a neighbor reporting runaway juveniles staying at the house — and arrested three adults for misdemeaor possession of marijuana.

One of the adults was charged with evading arrest and two juveniles — one 16 and the other 15 years of age — were taken into custody for return to their homes in Mauldin, S.C.

Ten other suspects were jailed on various misdemeanor charges over the weekend.

Six were charged with public intoxication, two with DWI and one each with driving on a suspended license and being an intoxicated agent (employee) on a premises licensed to sell alcohol.

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By Abigail Van Buren

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DEAR ABBY: I've been married for eight years and have two beautiful children. My husband is a very loving father, but he never expresses any affection for me. For instance, I always have to go to him for a hug or kiss. He never reaches out to touch me, or even take my hand. I am naturally very affectionate. He is not. He's always been that way, but I thought after we were married he would change. We've talked about it, and he says it's just not "in him" to be demonstrative.

Last night he said, "When you were in the kitchen washing dishes, I wanted to sneak up behind you and put my arms around you, but I just couldn't do it."

I thought, how sad! If only he had done it, he would have made me the happiest woman in the world.

Abby, is it because of the way he was brought up? Nobody in his family touches or kisses much. My family is just the opposite.

How can I make him change? I know he loves me, but it's really painful living with a man who never shows any affection.

HUNGRY FOR AFFECTION

DEAR HUNGRY: You can't make him change; only he can change himself. He's inhibited because (you guessed it) that's the way he was brought up.

You don't have to spend the rest of your life hungering for affection. Verbalize your need to be touched, hugged and kissed, and stress that he can learn to express his feelings without embarrassment. Then ask your family physician to recommend a therapist who specializes in behavior modification.

Other options: Call your local mental health facility and inquire about sex therapy. If you live near a university whose medical school has a human sexuality program, you're in luck.

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DEAR ABBY: After 40 years of a beautiful marriage, I lost my husband. We were a childless couple with no relatives living nearby; I had to take care of everything. When going through his chest of drawers, I found a large plastic bag of keys, a few with identifying labels, but most without.

Abby, I am going crazy trying to find out what these keys are for. I don't think I should just toss them out because I'm sure my husband wouldn't have kept them unless they were of some use.

Abby, you could save your readers a lot of unnecessary grief by advising them to label every key they have right now! And if a key is no longer useful, to throw it away.

KEY CRAZY IN SUN CITY

DEAR KEY CRAZY: I wouldn't recommend labeling keys. Should you be burgled, the labeled keys would save the thief a lot of time. More practical advice would be, label keys in a code known only to family members, and toss out keys that aren't currently useful.

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DEAR ABBY: "New Mom," whose baby had been born with a strawberry birthmark on her forehead, was tired of being asked, "What's wrong with your baby?"

"Mom" handled such rude and insensitive questions with, "Nothing. What's wrong with you?"

My grandmother was born with one arm—a condition that never seemed to be a handicap to her. Once when I was small and traveling with Granny, a lady came up to her and said, "Honey, did you lose an arm?"

Granny smiled and replied, "Why, honey, did you find one?"

I was very proud of the way she handled those rude and insensitive people. I'm sending this in loving memory of "Granny Grump." If you use this, sign me ...

CATHY FROM KENTUCKY

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(Getting married? Send for Abby's new, updated, expanded booklet, "How to Have a Lovely Wedding." Send your name and address clearly printed with a check or money order for $2.50 (this includes postage) to: Dear Abby, Wedding Booklet, P.O. Box 38923, Hollywood, Calif. 90038.)

Science, fantasy ideas are sculpted

BEAUMONT, Texas (AP) — Oddly shaped creatures with cumbersome tails and unicorn-type horns exist deep in the recesses of Herring Coe's imagination. But sometimes one escapes in the form of a small figurine. Those that do depart Coe's subconscious now sit on a hallway shelf or hang on the walls of his home deep in the Old Town District.

Coe, 77, a nationally known sculptor, calls these peculiar animals "might have beens," or "may yet be's."

He explains his terminology, saying that evolution could have molded these strange characteristics or that maybe these forms still could appear. Coe's intellect is that of a scientist, but critics term his work as sensitive and delicate art.

"I've been said to have a scientific mind, instead of an artistic mind," Coe says, as he sits on his couch surrounded by past works. "They (the concepts) are terribly different, but they're both creative."

Indeed, his home portrays this dichotomy of stark science and creative clutter. No curtains hang at the windows, allowing the sunlight to dominate the rooms, giving Coe the light he requires for his intricate carvings. His work is everywhere, covering his walls and tables. One room, almost entirely surrounded by windows, contains just an easel and used pieces of clay. In another room, old art books and pamphlets surround a design table. Any disorder, though, seems to be planned, and neatly in place.

Coe, best known for his bronze statue of Dick Dowling situated in the Sabine Pass Battlegrounds and his monument to the children and teachers who died in the New London, Texas, fire, says he originally wanted to be an astronomer. By the time he was graduated from high school, Coe determined his career would be electrical engineering.

He attended South Park College, forerunner of Lamar University, for two years, studying engineering. But one day, watching his two younger sisters construct mud pies, he picked up a piece of clay and shaped a small Buddha. From there, Coe says he worked for a quarry, creating stone figures for architects.

Eventually, he earned the commission for the Dowling monument as part of the Texas Centennial celebration. His next major project consisted of memorializing the tragic deaths of 297 students and teachers who died when an explosion caused by a gas leak destroyed the school just 15 minutes before the final bell rang. "I showed the pupils going from one assignment to the other," Coe says. "One side showed them turning in their papers, symbolic of them leaving this world and going on to the next one. That's what most people want to think about death."

Coe transformed people's feelings about unidentified flying objects into a medallion, which the Society of Medalists chose to send to its members. A replica of the model sits on Coe's coffee table. On it, Coe carved mermaids and fishes. It reads "Beyond the sky, beneath the sea are known but to God and to fantasy," a saying Coe thought of to parallel flying saucers and mythical mermaids.

Coe also displays a small bust of what looks like a young woman, hands gripping her temples. But the other side depicts the face of an old wrinkled man. Coe calls this piece "Memories." "It's a man thinking of his sweetheart while he was young," Coe says. "It could be (a memory of his own), but doesn't everybody have memories?"

At an age when most people choose to retire, Coe is thinking of possible projects he could commission. Or, he works on his theory of cosmology, the creation of the universe. He digs out an old ledger book from one of his filing cabinets and reads from his own theory of the beginning of knowledge.

He begins with his concept of "being," then his idea of "being in time," followed by "being in a world outside myself." The papers of his composition book are old and worn, but Coe says he often thinks of more detail for his theory. "I've been working on the theory a long time, since before I was interested in sculpture," he says. "My intention was to have it as a rival theory to Einstein's theory of relativity. It can be, as far as I'm concerned."

Coe concentrates a lot on his scientific studies, maybe because he believes his art form is slowly ebbing because of the influx of modern architecture the type that emphasizes glass and chrome over chunks of stone. "There was more of it (sculpture) in those days than there is now," Coe says. "All these glass buildings, they just build glass boxes. Let's just say it (sculpture) is sick right now, I wouldn't say it was dying."

Hospital Notes

ADMISSIONS: William Boatman, 3011 38th; Jose Moreno, 2107 Avenue M; Kristi Sellars, 2411 30th; Juan Hermosillo, 2808 Avenue K; Sam Martin, 211 Elm St.; Michael Davis, Hawley; Willie Smith, 501 35th; M. Cannon Burditt, 3408 Avenue E; Mary Treadway, 308 34th; Effie Everts, Buffalo Gap; James Allen, Rt. 2, Box 30; and Pierre Selmon, 1101 29th.

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Federal agents arrest 5 in check ring

DALLAS (AP) — Five people have been arrested in connection with a scheme to pass counterfeit cashier's checks for expensive watches and diamond jewelry at area stores.

Secret Service agents confiscated about $300,000 in fake cashier's checks made out to area stores and arrested the two women and three male suspects, said David M. Humphrey, special agent in charge of the Dallas office.

Jim Rich, a Secret Service agent in Dallas, said that merchants had been alerted to the bogus check scheme by store managers in Houston, where an operation has continued since early January.

Rich said the women arrested Friday had been shopping at Dallas-area stores since Wednesday for diamond jewelry and expensive watches. The items were to be picked up Saturday, he said.

"They had a nice big Lincoln Town car they had rented and mink coats and lots of jewelry," Humphrey said of the suspects. "They dressed the part very well."

Astronomers share peak with skiers

HONOLULU (AP) — From a sometimes snow-capped, extinct volcano nearly 14,000 feet high on the Island of Hawaii, astronomers peer into the universe with a vision nearly unequalled anywhere on the globe.

However, sightseers, skiiers and others are also using the mountain in growing numbers, and their activities sometimes interfere with the scientists' work.

"The message I like to give is that there are conflicts, but we are working well to resolve them," said Harold Masumoto, spokesman for the University of Hawaii in Honolulu.

Six telescopes are now arrayed below the summit of Mauna Kea, a 13,796-foot-high extinct volcano. Earlier this month a record $70 million private grant was announced to build a seventh and what may be the world's largest optical telescope. Surveyors have identified six additional suitable sites for telescopes.

The 13,600-foot ridge is considered an ideal site for telescopes because it is unpolluted, unaffected by city lights, virtually free from cloud cover and high enough to minimize atmospheric turbulence and water vapor.

Mauna Kea's periodic snowcap attracts skiers and others seeking recreation, and their cars often fill the dirt access road.

Tom Krieger, head of the Mauna Kea support services office in Hilo, has estimated that as many as 300 vehicles travel to the summit on snow weekends. A recent consultant's study prepared for the state estimated that by the year 2000 as many as 500 vehicles could be making the trip.

Scientists have expressed their concern about the dust generated by vehicles, vehicular lights at night and other problems associated with visitors unprepared for the summit's high altitude and often-inclement weather.

Dust can clog the telescopes' delicate machinery and reduce the reflectivity of optical surfaces, scientists say. In addition, auto headlights can interfere with the near absolute blackness at the high peak at night, hazing the clarity of astronomical observations.

"With all the observatories, and the tremendous investment they have up there, naturally they want to protect it," said Dick Tillson, owner of Ski Shop Hawaii, which runs ski tours to the summit when conditions are suitable. "It's meant a lot of communication with a lot of people, but we are working it out."

To get to the summit, a paved road leads from either Hilo or Kona, the island's two major towns, to mid-level facilities on the mountain. The 8.3-mile road from there to the summit is unpaved.

There are plans to pave the road from the summit to the mid-level facilities as a means of alleviating the dust problem. Some scientists have proposed erecting a gate on the road to regulate access to the summit, if necessary.

Mauna Kea rises nearly 30,000 from the Pacific sea floor, and is one of the world's two most voluminous volcanoes. The other is active Mauna Loa Volcano, also located on the island of Hawaii. For most of the year, the temperature at the summit area of Mauna Kea stays only a little above freezing; along the shorelines of the island, balmy temperatures of 70 to 80 degrees prevail.

The University of Hawaii, which received a 65-year lease in November 1967 from the Department of Land and Natural Resources, administers all lands above the 12,000-foot-level as part of the Mauna Kea Science Reserve.

Bishop Karol Wojtyla, now Pope John Paul II, became Archbishop of Krakow, Poland, in 1964.

Obituaries

W. R. Horton

Services for W. R. Horton, 101, of Snyder Care Center were to be at 2:30 p.m. Monday at First Assembly of God with the Rev. Doyle Nelson Oliver officiating, assisted by the Rev. John Murdoch of First Assembly of God. Burial will be at Hillside Memorial Gardens under direction of Bell-Seale.

He died approximately 4 a.m. Saturday at Snyder Care Center. He was born Jan. 29, 1883 in Somerville County, Tex. He was a farmer.

He married Mary Eugenia Lewandowski Oct. 22, 1903 in Rainbow, Tex. She died Sept. 21, 1973.

He was a member of the First Assembly of God Church.

He is survived by six daughters, Lola Whitaker, Billie Oliver, Gipsie Clark, all of San Angelo, Nina Bison of Converse, La., Martha Davis of Lake Thomas and Faye Curtis of Snyder; a son, Jack Horton of Louisiana; 30 grandchildren; 79 great-grandchildren; 50 great-great-grandchildren; a sister, Letha Rives of Nimes, Tex.

Consumer economics registration underway

The Western Texas College Department of Home Economics is offering a three-hour credit course in Consumer Economics and Home Management this semester.

Classes will meet from 6:30-9:20 p.m. on Thursdays with Virginia Forshee as instructor. The course is listed as HE 231 on the schedule and is suitable for transfer or to help consumers improve their buying and money management skills.

Registration for spring classes at WTC will close on Tuesday. Students may register from 8 a.m. to noon and 1-5 p.m. and from 6-8:30 on Monday or Tuesday and are to go first to the administration building.

Social Security and alimony

Treatment of some income changes

By Robert Metz

(Fourth of 14 articles)

The tax treatment of income such as Social Security, state and local tax refunds and alimony has been changed.

In 1984 the government began taxing Social Security benefits for taxpayers whose total income exceeded certain levels.

CUT YOUR OWN TAXES AND SAVE

Those receiving Social Security must determine what part of those benefits — if any — must be added to taxable income. Social Security benefits will be shown on a form SSA-1099 you'll receive from the government. (Railroad workers will receive a RRB-1099 covering Railroad Retirement benefits.)

The maximum amount of Social Security that can be taxed is 50 percent of the benefits received. And no benefits are taxed unless adjusted gross income plus one-half of benefits and certain other items exceeds $25,000 for single people and $32,000 for married couples filing jointly.

Tax Trap: If you received benefits under either program you must file a 1040 tax form.

As of 1984, the states must report to the Interal Revenue Service your state or local tax refunds of $10 or more — even if you applied the refund toward your state or local estimated tax. If — and only if — you itemized for the year the tax was paid, you must report the refund as income in the year received.

When you itemized, you took a deduction for your state or local income tax payment. When a part of that payment was refunded, it was no longer a part of your tax, so you don't get the benefits of deducting it.

When a marriage ends in divorce or separation, tax problems are created for both parties. Are alimony payments deductible? Must the person receiving alimony include it as taxable income? How about child support?

To be deducted by the person who pays it — and to count as taxable income for the recipient — alimony payments must be: periodic; for the support of the former spouse; and required under either a court decree of divorce, a decree of separate maintenance, or a formal written agreement.

The IRS defines periodic as payments of a fixed amount — $500 a month — for an indefinite period, or payments of an indefinite amount — 10 percent of a salary — for either a fixed or indefinite period. The payments do not need to be made at regular intervals.

A lump sum paid all at once or in installments extending over 10 years or less does not generally qualify as alimony. If installment payments extend for more than 10 years, a certain amount may be deducted each year even though the payments are not subject to contingencies. The deductible amount is limited to 10 percent of total amount to be paid under the decree or agreement.

There are some cases in which payments might count as alimony even if they don't extend for 10 years. This may occur if the payments are subject to termination because:

— The court has the right to alter, modify or amend them.

— The payments are to cease or change if the recipient remarries.

— They are to cease or change upon the death or change in the economic status of either spouse.

Tax Tip: Beginning in 1985, new alimony rules will apply. Spouses now separating or getting a divorce, or those who are already paying or receiving alimony, should become acquainted with the new rules.

Alimony must be for the support of the former spouse; child support is never alimony. Child support payments are never deductible by the person who pays them, nor are they income to the person who receives them.

Tax Tip: Although child support payments are never deductible, they may enable you to claim an exemption for the children.

Tax Tip: If both alimony and support payments are arranged in the settlement and you receive less than the amount specified, the payments apply first to child support and then to alimony.

If the divorce decree or legal separation agreement provides that the husband pay the former wife's medical and dental expenses, those payments are alimony. The former wife must include the payments as income. But if she is itemizing deductions, she could include those payments in her medical deduction computation.

We have hinted at this, but let's spell it out: Any time one ex-spouse can deduct alimony payments, the recipient must report them as taxable income. Payments that do not qualify as a deduction need not be reported as income by the recipient.

(Next: Moving expenses)

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BITING INTO BENEFITS

Taxes and Social Security

Here's how to determine what part — if any — of your Social Security benefits are subject to federal income taxes.

Step 1: Divide the amount in Box 5 of your SSA-1099 (or RRB-1099) forms in half.

Step 2: Determine your total income (form 1040, lines 7 through 20b, plus line 22), plus any tax-exempt interest you receive.

Step 3: Add the amounts in steps 1 and 2.

Step 4: Add all your adjustments to income (form 1040, lines 24 to 29 plus any write-in amounts included on line 31).

Step 5: Subtract the amount in step 4 from the amount in step 3.

Step 6: Reduce the total in step 5 by $32,000 if you're married filing jointly; nothing if you're married filing separately; and $25,000 in all other cases.

Step 7: Divide the amount in step 6 in half.

Your taxable benefits are the amount in step 1 or step 7, whichever is smaller.

NEA GRAPHIC

In 1984, the government began to tax Social Security. The most that can be taxed is 50 percent of the benefits received. And no benefits are taxed unless adjusted gross income plus one-half of benefits and certain other items exceeds $25,000 for singles and $32,000 for married couples filing jointly.

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Scurry County

S&J Operating has completed the No. 11 Thomas in the Sharon Ridge field, three miles southwest of Ira. The well produced two barrels of 28 gravity oil and 132 barrels of water. Perforations were from 1,730-785 feet, and location is in Section 103, Block 97, H&TC survey.

R. E. Smith has completed the No. 51-21 Sharon Ridge Canyon unit in the Diamond M field, 19 miles southwest of Snyder. The well produced 61 barrels of 43.3 gravity oil and 1,017 barrels of water.

Gas-oil ratio was 725-1 with perforations from 6,500-510 feet. Location is in Section 96, Block 25, H&TC survey.

H. P. Slagel Producing has completed the No. 7-C Sterling in the Sharon Ridge field, four miles west of Ira. The well produced 25 barrels of 27 gravity oil and 70 barrels of water.

Gas-oil ratio was 1-1 with perforations from 2,310-460 feet. Location is in Section 140, Block 97, H&TC survey.

Chevron has completed the No. 56-23 SACROC in the Kelly-Snyder field, six miles northwest of Snyder. The well produced 172 barrels of 41.9 gravity oil and 118 barrels of water.

Gas-oil ratio was 1,157-1 with perforations from 6,552-608 feet. Location is in Section 26, Block 1, J. P. Smith survey.

Borden County

Shell Western Exploration and Production has completed the No. 1 SWEPI-TXPO Gray, a wildcat located 11 miles southeast of Gail. The well produced 220 barrels of 37.8 gravity oil and 15 barrels of water.

Gas-oil ratio was 262-1 with perforations from 4,584-620 feet. Location is in Section 162, Block 25, H&TC survey.

Amoco Production Co. has completed the No. 1 Pearl Jones, a wildcat located 2.5 miles northeast of Gail. The well produced 180 barrels of 42 gravity oil . Gas-oil ratio was 750-1 with perforations from 8,426-552 feet. Location is in Section 18, Block 30, T5N, T&P survey.

Woodside Oil Co. has plugged and abandoned the No. 1 Montgomery, a 7,200-foot wildcat nine miles northwest of Vincent. The venture was located in Section 49, Block 25, H&TC survey.

Campana Petroleum Co. will drill the No. 1 Miller, an 8,500-foot wildcat six miles northeast of Gail. Drill site is in Section 3, Block 30, T5N, T&P survey.

Amoco Production will drill the No. 1-D Clayton-Johnson, a 9,200-foot wildcat 25 miles southwest of Post. Drill site is in Section 23, Block 31, T6N, T&P survey.

Arenas Petroleum Inc. will drill the No. 1 Canning-Lemley, a Canning field re-entry 13 miles southeast of Gail. Scheduled depth is 6,200 feet and location is in Section 142, Block 25, H&TC survey.

H. L. Brown Jr. will drill the No. 4-368 Miller a Lucy northeast field re-entry, six miles southeast of Fluvanna. The well will be drilled to 7,715 feet, and location is in Section 368, Block 97, H&TC survey.

Amoco Production Co. will drill the No. 24-A T. J. Good in the Jo Mill field, 12 miles northeast of Ackerly. The re-entry is planned for 7,150 feet, and location is in Section 37, Block 33, T4N, T&P survey.

Mitchell County

Willard Gladson has completed the No. 5-A Carrol C. Mills in the Sharon Ridge field, nine miles northwest of Colorado City. The well produced 24 barrels of 28.7 gravity oil and 19 barrels of water.

Gas-oil ratio was 1,000-1 with perforations from 1,620-675 feet. Location is in Section 30 J. P. Smith survey.

Texaco Inc. has completed the No. 12 Mitchell Fee in the Westbrook field, four miles west of Westbrook. The well produced 22 barrels of 25.4 gravity oil and 210 barrels of water. Perforations were from 2,579-3,076 feet. Location is in Section 37, Block 29, T1N, T&P survey.

J&R Producing will drill the No. 3 Hattie Goss in the Sharon Ridge field, seven miles northwest of Colorado City. Planned depth is 1,650 feet, and location is in Section 23, Block 27, T&P survey.

LEM Operating Co. Inc. will drill the No. 9 McMillan in the Sharon Ridge field, 10 miles northwest of Colorado City. Contracted for 1,800 feet, location is in Section 81, Block 97, H&TC survey.

LEM Operating Co. Inc. will drill the No. 10 McMillan in the Sharon Ridge field, 10 miles northwest of Colorado City. Planned for 1,800 feet, location is in Section 81, Block 97, H&TC survey.

LEM Operating Co. Inc. will drill the No. 13 McMillan in the Sharon Ridge field, 10 miles northwest of Colorado City. Planned for 1,800 feet, location is in Section 81, Block 97, H&TC survey.

LEM Operating Co. Inc. will drill the No. 4-A McMillan in the Sharon Ridge field, 10 miles northwest of Colorado City. Planned for a depth of 1,800 feet, location is in Section 81, Block 97, H&TC survey.

LEM Operating will drill the No. 8 McMillan in the Sharon Ridge field, 10 miles northwest of Colorado City. Scheduled depth is 1,800 feet, and location is in Section 81, Block 97, H&TC survey.

LEM Operating will drill the No. 2-A McMillan in the Sharon Ridge field, 10 miles northwest of Colorado City. Also planned for 1,800 feet, location is in Section 81, Block 97, H&TC survey.

Kent County

Amoco Production Co. has completed the No. 16 Walter G. McMeans Operating Area in the Spires northwest field, 12 miles southwest of Clairemont. The well produced 234 barrels of 37.8 gravity oil.

Gas-oil ratio was 1,160-1 with perforations from 7,134-152 feet. Location is in Section 7, Block 5, H&GN survey.

ConVest Energy Corp. has completed the No. 3-S Wayne Williams in the Pollen field, two miles southwest of Polar. The well produced 17 barrels of 37.8 gravity oil. Perforations were from 7,152-156 feet, and location is in Section 59, Block 5, H&GN survey.

TXO Production Corp. will drill the No. 1-C Sellars in the Polar field, 14 miles southwest of Clairemont. Contracted for 7,750 feet, location is in Section 36, Block 5, H&GN survey.

Sabine Corp. will drill the No. 1 Double Mountain, a 7,500-foot wildcat 11 miles southwest of Clairemont. Drill site is in Section 9, Block 5, H&GN survey.

Garza County

Hrubetz Oil Co. has completed the No. 13-G Spalding-Stoker in the Rocker A field, 6.5 miles northwest of Justiceburg. The well produced eight barrels of 34 gravity oil and 43 barrels of water. Perforations were from 3,002-083 feet, and location is in Section 879, Block 97, H&TC survey.

Hrubetz Oil Co. has completed the No. 18-G Stanolind-Stoker in the Rocker A field, 6.5 miles northwest of Justiceburg. The well produced 15 barrels of 34 gravity oil and 86 barrels of water. Perforations were from 2,992-3,074 feet, and location is in Section 938, Block 97, H&TC survey.

Breck Operating Corp. will drill the No. 2-69 Kirkpatrick, a wildcat re-entry, five miles east of Post. Scheduled for a depth of 7,650 feet, location is in Section 69, Block 5, GH&H survey.

Estoril Producing Corp. will drill the No. 1 Lott, an 8,600-foot wildcat eight miles south of Post. Drill site is in Section 8, Block 1, Jasper Hays survey.

Indian Wells Oil Co. will drill the No. 1-41 PLK in the Happy field, 12 miles south of Post. Planned for 8,300 feet, location is in Section 41, Block 2, T&NO survey.

Fisher County

Walsh and Watts will drill the No. 2-E Boyd in the Judy Gail field, five miles northwest of Hamlin. Planned for a depth of 4,700 feet, location is in Section 190, Block 1, BBB&C survey.

TXO Production will drill the No. 1-R Young in the Perry Ranch field, two miles south of Gannon. Planned for 5,900 feet, location is in Section 16, Block 22, T&P survey.

Nolan County

OGR Operating has completed the No. 2-82 Young in the TDY field, six miles south of Roscoe. The well produced 24 barrels of 48.1 gravity oil. Gas-oil ratio was 417-1 with perforations from 6,997-7,005 feet. Location is in Section 82, Block 23, T&P survey.

Roger D. David will drill the No. 33A Hawley in the Watts field, three miles northwest of Hylton. Planned for 5,500 feet, location is in Section 200, Block 64, H&TC survey.

Union Texas Petroleum will drill the No. 3-A Cochran in the Suggs field, five miles northwest of Blackwell. Contracted for 6,700 feet, location is in Section 71, Block 1-A, H&TC survey.

Howard County

Enduro Oil Co. will drill the No. 1 Ingram in the Moore field, four miles northwest of Big Spring. Set for 3,600 feet, location is in Section 23, Block 34, T1N, T&P survey.

Pulte and Printz will drill the No. 3 Bates in the Moore field, five miles west of Big Spring. Planned for a depth of 3,300 feet, location is in Section 6, Block 33, T1N, T&P survey.

Enduro Oil will drill the No. 2 Playa in the Moore field, eight miles northwest of Big Spring. Planned for 3,600 feet, location is in Section 14, Block 34, T1N, T&P survey.

Haber Oil Co. will drill the No. 1 R. C. Thomas, a 10,300-foot wildcat 18 miles north of Big Spring.

Ranger says cracking one case satisfying

GEORGETOWN, Texas (AP) — Henry Lee Lucas has been linked to about 100 slayings across the United States, but solving the murder of a West Virginia policeman that some thought had killed himself was most satisfying to a Texas Ranger charged with helping solve the crimes.

"Of all the cases so far, this one stands out. This one makes you feel good," said Sgt. Bob Prince, a member of the three-man task force that charts Lucas involvement in mayhem.

Clemmie Curtis, a Huntington, W.Va. patrolman, was found shot to death on Aug. 3, 1976 on a lover's lane off Interstate 64.

Curtis, a 30-year-old father of two, was handcuffed and had been shot once in the chest with his .38-caliber service revolver, which was found lying between his legs.

A note, scrawled at an angle across an accident investigation form and addressed to his wife, was on the ground nearby.

The Austin American-Statesman reported Sunday that the note was short and chilling.

"Paula ... buy the house, then sell it ... move away ... kiss the girls for me ... I think he's going to kill me..."

For eight years, though some officers doubted it, Curtis' death was considered a well-planned suicide. The theory was that Curtis wrote the note to make it appear he died in the line of duty so his wife could collect his life insurance. The couple had been in the process of buying a house.

A county coroner said there was an 80 percent chance the death had been self-inflicted — a 20 percent chance it was homicide. The case was reopened in 1982, but the conclusion was the same.

But Lucas, who claims to have killed at least 360 people across the United States over a 10-year period, began talking last August about police officers he had killed in West Virginia and Kentucky.

At first, Prince, Williamson County Sheriff Jim Boutwell, and Texas Ranger Clayton Smith — members of the task force coordinating a national investigation into slayings Lucas claimed involvement in — could find no record of an unsolved killing of a police officer in West Virginia.

But when they added that Lucas claimed to have handcuffed the officer and shot him with his own gun, Curtis' "suicide" came to mind, and two West Virginia officers quickly got on a plane for Texas.

They brought with them pictures of Curtis and seven other Huntington police officers. Lucas immediately identified Curtis as the officer he had killed, told what kind of weapon the officer had, and drew a map of where Curtis' body was found, Huntington police detective Tom Bevins said.

Last week, Lucas flew to West Virginia, where he pleaded guilty to Curtis' murder and was sentenced to life in prison without the possibility of parole. He has been convicted of several other murders and has been sentenced to die for a Texas killing.

West Virginia officers say they now are 100 percent satisfied that Lucas and Ottis Toole, his frequent traveling companion, killed Curtis.

As members of the Lucas task force, Prince, Smith and Boutwell — with the help of a secretary — act as a clearinghouse for information. Investigators from 27 states have confirmed 207 homicides and 10 other felonies committed by Lucas and Toole, and Prince said the number could reach 500.

Lucas began a string of confessions after he was arrested in Montague County in North Texas in 1983.

More than 3,000 murder cases have been discussed with Lucas. About 600 officers have already talked with Lucas, and officers of 89 agencies in 29 states plus Canada have appointments to see him, officials say.

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