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New report helps out Snyder's sales tax slump

For the first time in more than a year, the cumulative state sales tax returns for Snyder have inched over into the plus column again.

The difference involved only some $1,000 for the year-to-date, but the latest monthly return was a whopping $27,000 over the same period last year.

The report reflects city sales during the month of January. For January, 1982, the 1 percent return to Snyder from gross sales was near $38,000. The recent report placed January's return in excess of $65,000.

Exact figures for both are $37,861 and $65,269 respectively.

This brought the year-to-date figure — with three monthly reports added together — to approximately $214,000. The total last year at the same time was approximately $213,000.

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The city ended the 1983 reporting period approximately 12 percent behind the previous year's state sales tax returns. The report released this week was the third for the new reporting period.

With the latest report, Comptroller Bob Bullock indicated that sales tax receipts statewide are up more than 12 percent.

Among the 20 biggests sales tax cities in Texas, only Midland and Odessa are still running behind last year, he noted.

The following is a sampling of the latest sales tax figures for area cities:

—Lubbock: a 10.5 percent increase with $3.2 million returned to date compared to $2.9 million last year.

—Abilene: a 10 percent increase with $2 million returned to date compared to $1.8 million last year.

—San Angelo: a 6 percent decrease with $1.2 million returned to date compared to $1.3 million last year.

—Big Spring: a 20 percent decrease with $363,641 returned to date compared to $459,700 last year.

—Snyder: a .44 percent increase with $213,922 returned to date compared to $212,979 last year.

—Sweetwater: a 2.4 percent increase with $164,829 returned to date compared to $160,887 last year.

—Colorado City: a 12.9 percent increase with $64,108 returned to date compared to $56,770 last year.

—Post: a 6.6 percent decrease with $37,277 returned to date compared to $39,949 last year.

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In 20 years...

Jobless at lowest level

WASHINGTON (AP) — Civilian unemployment fell to 7.8 percent in February, the lowest rate in 2½ years, as 700,000 Americans found work, the government reported today. It was the sixth straight month of falling joblessness.

The total number of people with jobs reached a record 103.9 million, but some 8.8 million remained officially categorized as unemployed, the Labor Department said.

The 7.8 percent overall civilian rate was down from 8 percent in January and was the lowest since joblessness stood at 7.6 percent in September 1981. The February rate was only 0.4 percentage point higher than the jobless rate when President Reagan took office in January 1981.

Since unemployment hit a post-Depression peak of 10.7 percent in November 1982, the ranks of the jobless have shrunk by 3.1 million, the Bureau of Labor Statistics said.

A separate unemployment rate, combining the 112.7 million-member civilian labor force with the 1.68 million members of the armed forces stationed in the United States, fell from to 7.7 percent from 7.9 percent in January, today's report said.

Martin Feldstein, chairman of President Reagan's Council of Economic Advisers, said Thursday the economy continues to grow at a "very strong" annual clip of more than 6 percent in the first quarter of this year.

At the same time, the Labor Department released figures showing that new claims for unemployment benefits by the jobless fell in the week ended Feb. 25, and were well below 400,000 for the sixth consecutive week.

"I think the economy has been strong enough to generate more jobs," said David Ernst of Evans Economics, a Washington forecasting firm. "But it is going to be a bit slower since most of the (worker) recalls have already taken place."

Allen Sinai, of Lehman Brothers Kuhn Loeb in New York, said "we are expecting a good increase in employment once again amid indications that the economy remains strong."

NJCAA tourney secured

Snyder Chamber of Commerce officials announced Friday morning that the 1985 National Junior College Athletic Association, Region 5 Men's and Women's Basketball Tournaments will be staged in Snyder next spring.

The event will be held here March 5-9 in the Scurry County Coliseum.

Some 16 winning teams from throughout the region will compete for the championship. Planning is already underway by coliseum staff members and local motel operators to accomodate the teams, officials and visitors expected to be in Snyder during the five-day competition.

The request that Snyder be selected as the tournament site was made to the NJCAA Board Thursday in Midland. Representing the city were Mayor Rod Waller, City Manager John Gayle and Chamber Manager Mort Ewing.

The group noted that Dr. Don Newbury, president at WTC, was of great assistance in securing the tournament for Snyder also.

WHILE IT LASTS — Stanfield fifth grader Jim Wright enjoyed school spring break while it lasted this week. With classes temporarily dismissed, the 10-year-old tried his luck at the Towle Park fishing pond. Snyder schools will reopen Monday after the one-week holiday. (SDN Staff Photo by Noble B. Young)

Cogdell board studies phones

Members of the Cogdell Memorial Hospital board agreed Thursday to further study plans for purchasing a telephone system at the facility.

Options discussed ranged from switching to a completely new system or negotiating to purchase the phones already in place.

At the direction of the board, Administrator Cy Miller had received bids for three new systems. These were submitted by Southwestern Bell, Advanced Telephone Systems of Snyder and Custom Telephone Service of Waco.

Bid amounts from these firms were in the $80,000 to $100,000 range.

Current charges to lease the phone system from Southwestern Bell equals some $1,800 per month, Miller noted. At this rate, a new system could be purchased with a five-year payout.

The board asked Miller to also determine what Southwestern Bell would require to purchase the phone system already in place.

Then board tabled any action on the matter pending further study.

At Thursday's meeting, new board member Dan Cotton was officially sworn-in. He was appointed to replace Roy Kidd, who resigned at the end of his term effective January 1.

Board members attending were Leon Autry, Rex Robinson, ex-officio member Preston Wilson, A.Z. Glover, Sam Cross and Cotton. John Jarrell was absent.

In other business, the board:

—Authorized Miller to lease a new chemistry analysis machine and its backup computer system at a monthly charge of $4,968.

—Reorganized officers for the hospital's non-profit Hospital Foundation Board — an entity created to accept charitable donations for the facility. Hospital board members named as officers were: Rex Robinson, chairman; Leon Autry, vice-chairman; Dan Cotton, secretary; and John Jarrell, treasurer.

Felony theft is probated

A Snyder woman was assessed a probated prison sentence after pleading guilty to charges of felony theft in connection with what was deemed to be a falsely reported armed robbery here last December.

Carol Renee Robbins had been indicted by the January session of the Scurry County grand jury for theft greater than $750 and less than $20,000.

The charge was in connection with the Dec. 31 report of an armed robbery attempt at the Town and Country convenience store at College Ave. and U.S. Highway 84. Robbins was placed on felony probation for three years after entering her plea in 132nd District Court Thursday.

In other criminal action, the court dismissed four indictments handed down by the February grand jury against John Curtis Franks.

Franks had been indicted on charges of forgery by passing in connection with the passing of four stolen checks at local businesses in late December.

In dismissing the indictments, the court noted that Franks had made full restitution for all of the merchandise purchased.

Panel hears suits for condemnation

A series of eight condemnation suits filed by Texas Electric Service Company to gain access to land were settled Thursday when the landowners agreed to accept damage awards handed down by a special court-appointed commission.

TESCO was seeking easements across the property for the construction of a power line in southwest Scurry County. The inability of the company to reach agreement with the landowners prompted the court action.

Suits settled included TESCO vs:

—Ray Haney et ux and Mike Stipe, tenant.

—Maynor B. Hanks, Jr. and The Veterans Land Board of Texas, lien holder.

—Harold Lee Holladay and Barbara Ann Holladay Hamer.

—Jerry Thomas, Anita Echols, Herby Thomas, Judy Lindsey and Tony Thomas.

—R. W. Eubank et ux and Donald Ray Crowder, tenant.

—Kenneth Wilson.

—Robert J. Rosson and Dorothy Mack Rosson.

—Thayne W. Mebane.

Members of the special commission who served Thursday were Seabourn Eicke, Mal Stevenson and J.B. Tate, Jr.

The SDN Column

by Roy McQueen

The feller on Deep Creek says, "Poise is the ability to talk fluently while the other fellow is paying the check."

Keeping tabs on our neighbors:

George Dolan, in the Fort Worth Star-Telegram, repeated a story that Delbert Downing had told at a recent chamber membership meeting in Snyder.

Delbert was recalling his early days in West Texas and early airline travel.

In those early days, he said, those waiting to catch a plane either stood outside watching, or had their noses pressed against an airport window. There was none of those "now boarding" announcements over a public address system.

Downing recalled a time when he and some other Midland men were waiting for a plane at the Austin airport. They watched it come in...

"When it hit," Downing said, "it bounced at least second-story high."

When he and his companions board the plane, he asked the stewardess, "What in the world happened on that landing?"

"We've been warned never to ask the pilots what happens when things aren't just right," she said. "They don't like it. But so many complained when they got off, I had to ask him."

His reply was revealing: "Tell'em my dad owns the airline."

Newspaper folks soon learn never to accept things at face value. Journalism students are told to "never assume."

Julian Saenz, in the Lamb County Leader, recalls working with one crusty editor who may have become downright skeptical.

The editor insisted that each and every obituary was absolutely error-free. One day the editor got a phone call from an irate reader who said his name had been printed in the obituary column.

"Really?" was the calm reply. "Where are you calling from?"

Centennial Year Footnotes: In 1935 United Food Store opened on the east side of the square. Owners were Henry Shulert, Ted Pitner and Lynn Putman.

Friday

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Ask Us

Q. — Is it legal to reduce a bond amount from the one set at the time of the arrest?

A. — Yes. The purpose of a bond is to both guarantee a suspect under arrest freedom from incarceration and to insure they will return for trial once set free. Bonds are set at the time of the arrest based upon the nature of the offense and circumstances under which it was committed. Any time the suspect is in jail, they have the right to appeal their bond. The law states such bonds may not "make it an instrument of oppression." Regarding this, the ability to make bond is to be considered. A bail bonding service normally charges the defendant 15 percent of what the actual bond is set at.

In Brief

Prisoner wounds deputy

LUBBOCK, Texas (AP) — A prisoner in leg chains and handcuffs took two guns planted in the bathroom of a dentist's office this morning and shot a sheriff's deputy three times before fleeing, authorities said.

Ken Douthit, 42, who was convicted of aggravated robbery earlier this week, allegedly shot Lubbock County Sheriff's Deputy Billy Daniels in the hand, arm and chest at about 9 a.m. today, said Sheriff's spokesman Don Stapleton.

Daniels is in very critical condition at Lubbock General Hospital, he said.

"At this time it looks like someone planted the guns for him," Stapleton said. "He went into the restroom and came out with a gun of unknown caliber in each hand," Stapleton said.

"Our deputy did return fire and from indications from the crime scene it appears that Douthit was hit. There was blood spattered on the back wall and a trail of blood leading out of the dentist's office," he said.

Douthit has relatives in the Abilene area and Lubbock officials are alerting authorities there, Stapleton said. A search is also under way for a maroon General Motors vehicle seen at the dentist's office.

"We're not sure, we're just jumping at straws right now," Stapleton said.

Fighting has intensified

BEIRUT, Lebanon (AP) — Christian and Moslem militiamen battled with heavy machine guns and rocket-propelled grenades in central Beirut today, and a sniper shot and killed a local journalist.

Fighting intensified shortly before daybreak and frequent blasts of grenades echoed through Beirut as the rival militias clashed in the battered downtown commercial district. Police said two people were killed and 27 wounded in the morning fighting.

There was sporadic shelling in the afternoon, and two shells landed about two blocks from the U.S. Marines standing guard outside U.S. Embassy offices in west Beirut. Witnesses said one of the shells hit an upper floor of a nearby apartment building.

State jobless rate drops

DALLAS (AP) — Unemployment in Texas last month plummeted to its lowest level in two years — a reflection of the state's continuing economic improvement, the Bureau of Labor Statistics said today.

The seasonally adjusted joblessness rate dropped to 5.7 percent in February from 6.9 percent the previous month. More than 97,000 people unemployed in January found work in February, said the bureau's chief economic analyst in Dallas, Nic Santangelo.

Of the 10 largest industrial states, Texas tied with Massachusetts for the lowest unemployment rate, Santangelo said.

"It's just the general improvement in economic activity in the state. The February employment situation really reflects the favorable trends that we've seen since last year," Santangelo said.

Local

SCOOP meeting Sunday

The Scurry County Options and Opportunities for People organization (SCOOP) will meet Sunday to further discuss plans to establish a home here for youth identified as abused.

Plans call for the establishment of a facility to house teenage girls.

A spokesman for SCOOP said any community groups or individuals interested in assisting with the project are invited to attend.

The meeting will begin at 2 p.m. at Trinity Methodist Church. For more information, contact Peggy Kennedy at 573-2973 or Karan Wilkins at 573-5928.

Weather

SNYDER-TEMPERATURES: High Thursday 52 degrees; low, 21 degrees; reading at 7 a.m. Friday, 24 degrees; precipitation none; total precipitation for 1984 to date, .54 of an inch.

WEST TEXAS: Fair through Saturday. Lows 28 Panhandle and mountains to 38 south. Highs 55 Panhandle to 82 Big Bend.

Polls: Hart, Mondale running even

WASHINGTON (AP) — Gary Hart and Walter Mondale, both eschewing the front-runner title, are locked in a virtual dead heat in two new polls as the two Democratic presidential rivals head into their first confrontation in the West and even bigger stakes on "Super Tuesday."

Hart said Thursday he was "sprinting" to "catch up [illegible] campaigns that have had five or six times as much money."

And Mondale, asking voters in Florida to "please help me," said his ailing campaign was coming back from 1-2-3 losses in New Hampshire, Vermont and Maine.

His first chance to prove that is Saturday, where the outcome of Wyoming caucuses will be the first test of either candidate's strength in the West. Then comes Tuesday, and with it primaries and caucuses in nine states.

As those contests draw near, polls from the newspaper USA TODAY and the Gallup organization put the former vice president and the Colorado senator in a virtual tie as the choice of Democratic voters.

The USA TODAY poll gave Hart a lead of 34 percent to 32 percent over Mondale among 331 Democrats surveyed March 2-5, but the figures translate into a dead heat when the 3 percent margin of error is taken into account.

In the Gallup poll, Mondale held a slender 33-30 percentage lead over Hart with a 4 percent margin of error. Those results came from interviews with 719 registered voters March 2-6.

When compared with earlier surveys, both polls underscore Hart's dramatic rise from virtual unknown to contender in just a few weeks. In a Feb. 6 survey, Mondale was favored by 54 percent of the Democrats compared to just 2 percent for Hart. Similarly, the USA TODAY poll one month ago found Mondale the choice of 47 percent to Hart's 2 percent.

If the November election was held today, the Gallup poll said Hart would defeat President Reagan, 52 percent to 43 percent. The USA TODAY poll said Reagan would win, 46 percent to 40 percent, over Hart as the Democratic nominee. Both polls said Reagan would be reelected if Mondale was the challenger.

Both surveys also placed Sen. John Glenn of Ohio a distant third, followed by the Rev. Jesse Jackson and former Sen. George McGovern.

Mondale, Hart, Glenn and Jackson all stumped the South Thursday in search of votes in the upcoming Alabama, Florida and Georgia primaries.

In Miami, Hart called 1984 "a watershed year" and said the Democratic Party has the "awesome responsibility" of replacing the Reagan administration. Earlier, before the Alabama Legislature, Hart said the issue in 1984 is "are we going to move to this nation's future or are we going to slip into its past."

Mondale told senior citizens in Florida that they would be the "most powerful citizens on Earth" on Tuesday.

"The world will tremble waiting for your judgment. Please help me," he said.

Glenn, still billing himself as the only moderate Democrat, predicted Thursday he would emerge from "Super Tuesday" in a position of strength.

"I haven't overpromised. Before they rush to judge the candidates, I hope people think about what each proposed in regard to economics, defense and what we've promised," Glenn said. "If they do, I think we'll win."

His comments came during a visit to the Marine Corps Logistics Base in Albany, Ga., in the first of a string of appearances backdropped by patriotic themes designed to emphasize Glenn's Marine and astronaut experience.

Glenn's campaign was stunned Thursday when his Michigan campaign manager, state Rep. Richard Fitzpatrick, defected to the Hart ranks.

Jackson, meantime, told voters that his civil rights record stacks up best when compared to the other Democrats.

"I have been a participant in the transformation of the South," he told a crowd at Jacksonville, Ala. "I've been here when you needed me, not just when I needed you."

Steelmakers launch drive for new quotas

HOUSTON (AP) — The U.S. steel industry, reeling from the effects of inexpensive foreign steel, wants Congress to limit imported steel to 15 percent of the American market by establishing quotas.

And to dramatize the push for legislation to slap quotas on foreign steel, a tractor-trailer rig carrying two symbolic pieces of steel is heading from Texas to other major steel manufacturing centers to collect signatures for delivery two months from now in Washington.

"We hope that tens of thousands of our fellow citizens will see it on its long journey to Washington," Ed Bell, United Steelworkers District 37 Director, said at a news conference Thursday at an abandoned Houston steel plant. "We can only hope that they translate their concern to their representatives in Congress.

"What we send them is cold steel — symbolic of the dashed hopes and aspirations of thousands of working people and other thousands who depended upon the prosperity of steel in America."

Steelmaking in this country is down 25 million tons from a peak of 160 million tons in 1977 "while steelmakers abroad have expanded far beyond the world's ability to consume," U.S. Steel Corp. Chairman David M. Roderick said in a statement released Thursday.

Employment is down more than 40 percent and imported steel use in the country for 1983 topped 22 percent of the market, costing 75,000 steelworkers their jobs, he said.

Berry's World

"He's probably ranting and raving about the liberal press right now, wherever he is!"

Paul Harvey

Oklahoma's legislature debated equal rights for women and voted no.

A bill specified that women should be "equal partners" in a marriage. It was defeated by a substantial margin when opponents demonstrated that it would make wives responsible for providing family income.

With today's discriminatory pay scales, it was unlikely many wives could provide "equal income."

Incidentally, during the debate some lawmakers protested that it would contradict Scripture.

To which a proponent replied that those lawmakers demonstrated a lot of nerve quoting Scripture when everybody sees them out nights "floozy-izing."

That is a quote.

The law is specific, men and women shall be paid equally for performing equal work.

But they're not.

Further, of 400 occupational categories, women are employed, with rare exceptions, in only 20.

Women, in effect, are "segregated" into a limited number of occupations which are low in status and low in pay.

It is argued that "given time" the laws of supply and demand will balance things out. Not necessarily.

In recent years, depsite severe shortages of nurses, pay increases for nurses have been minimal.

At the same time, despite an oversupply of doctors, in some metropolitan areas, their pay has continued to increase.

Our present prevalent practice — dating back to categorization of womens' professions a hundred years out of date — pays librarians and nurses with years of education and experience far less than the man who paints the house or fixes the faucet.

However gradually, women are beginning to bypass the entrenched male-oriented establishment.

Women are now sole owners of 2.8 million small business, quadruple the number five years ago.

In the sciences and engineering, overall employment of women is increasing more than twice as fast as for men.

One woman went to work in an underground coal mine ten years ago. Of all coal miners hired last year 8.6 percent were women.

Yet, "a woman's place" is still in the back of the bus when it comes to pensions, tax policy, insurance, child support and alimony enforcement, dependent care services, government regulaions — and average wages.

The president and the Congress promise "legislation to eliminate discrimination."

Yet, equal pay for equal work was legislated 20 years ago and the average man still takes home $388 a week, the average woman $251.

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Your Birthday

March 10, 1984

If you have been contemplating a change of residence, it's likely you'll find the type of quarters you desire this coming year. Your new surroundings will make you proud and happy.

PISCES (Feb. 20-March 20) Those who are sincerely fond of you might find you a trifle too difficult to please today. Show proper appreciation to those who try to be helpful. Want to find out to whom you're best suited romantically? Send for the Matchmaker set, which reveals compatibilities for all signs. Mail $2 to Astro-Graph, Box 489, Radio City Station, New York, NY 10019. Send an additional $1 plus your zodiac sign for your year-ahead predictions.

ARIES (March 21-April 19) You could be hesitant to praise the deserving today, owing to a twinge of jealousy. You might feel because you, yourself, didn't think to what they did.

TAURUS (April 20-May 20) Stick to your budget pertaining to funds earmarked for the weekend's activities. If you go overboard you'll have trouble replacing them.

GEMINI (May 21-June 20) Repress urges to sound off at the boss today. It's best to keep in mind that he may not always be right, but he's always the boss.

CANCER (June 21-July 22) It behooves you to give others the benefit of the doubt today, or else you might prejudge someone who has only your best interests at heart.

LEO (July 23-Aug. 22) Try not to offer friends unsolicited advice today regarding their personal affairs. Even if you are asked, weigh every word you say.

VIRGO (Aug. 23-Sept. 22) This can be a productive day, provided you are left to your own devices. Associates could get you off course by suggesting different objectives.

LIBRA (Sept. 23-Oct. 23) Unless you're dedicated to the tasks you attempt today, the results will be faulty. Don't work on something if your heart and mind are elsewhere.

SCORPIO (Oct. 24-Nov. 22) Basically you're a generous person and this is good, provided what you offer is yours. Don't loan to another today something you borrowed.

SAGITTARIUS (Nov. 23-Dec. 21) You and your mate may take opposite positions on an important matter today. A willingness to compromise will help smooth things over.

CAPRICORN (Dec. 22-Jan. 19) Several tasks you don't enjoy doing could stare you in the face today. The little ones you may do begrudgingly, the big ones you might not even attempt.

AQUARIUS (Jan. 20-Feb. 19) Every now and again it buoys our spirits to pamper ourselves. However, you must be careful today not to go overboard and spend excessively.

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Nurse was fired twice during previous year

DALLAS (AP) — A nurse who refused to immediately dispatch an ambulance for a woman who later died was discharged from two jobs she held in 1982, a television station has reported.

Nurse Billye Joyce Myrick was fired from jobs at two hospitals in the year before she was hired to screen emergency calls to the Dallas Fire Department, KDFW-TV reported Thursday.

The station said that among the nurse's previous jobs, she worked as nursing supervisor for the operating room at South Oak Cliff Hospital in Dallas, but was fired in April 1982, the TV station said. Her personnel file reads, "No rehire," according to the station.

KDFW reported that Ms. Myrick was a freelance nurse at Oak Cliff Medical and Surgical Hospital in Dallas from July to November 1982. Officials said she was terminated for being unreliable, and there were complaints that she was argumentative with her supervisors, the station reported.

The station said Ms. Myrick granted one of its reporters an interview but declined to go on camera. Throughout the interview, she cried and sobbed and repeated, "I'm so sorry. I didn't mean it," the station said.

The Texas Board of Nurse Examiners gave Ms. Myrick official notification Thursday that she is being investigated on allegations of unprofessional conduct.

A complaint was filed Wednesday by Clair Jordan, executive director of the Texas Nurses Association, said Margaret Rowland, executive secretary of the nurse examiners board.

Ms. Jordan said in Austin she filed the complaint as an individual, not on behalf of the association.

"I did it because I was concerned over the vast amount of press (attention) the incident was receiving. I think it is causing the public great concern over what kind of care they could expect," Ms. Jordan said Thursday.

The Dallas Fire Department, which received a second complaint about a slow response during a call for help this week, is considering whether to drop the nurse screening procedure.

During a Jan. 5 phone call, Ms. Myrick argued with Larry Boff, who was trying to get help for his dying stepmother. The nurse insisted on speaking with the woman, even though Boff repeatedly told her his 60-year-old stepmother, Lillian Boff, was incoherent and was having trouble breathing.

The nurse and her supervisor scolded Boff for screaming and cursing and insisted on talking with the woman. Boff hung up and a few minutes later his roommate called and pleaded for an ambulance.

Twelve minutes elapsed between the calls and the arrival of the ambulance. By the time paramedics arrived at Boff's home, his stepmother was dead.

Boff has filed a $315,000 claim against the city, seeking $15,000 in compensatory damages and $300,000 in punitive damages.

On Monday, while the Boff incident was being made public on KDFW, another family was having trouble getting an ambulance to help Beatrice Flores, who was suffering a heart attack.

Raynaldo Cardenas said he grew tired of listening to his sister argue with the nurse who took the call, so he put his mother in his car and raced to a hospital.

Mrs. Flores, 51, died shortly after arriving at Stevens Park Osteopathic Hospital Monday night, KDFW reported Wednesday. The fire department said the incident is under investigation. The nurse who took the call has not been identified.

Both incidents have sparked complaints and city officials are considering dropping the screening procedure, which was adopted in 1980 to reduce the number of non-emergency calls.

Sewer mishap kills 2 people

PHOENIX, Ariz. (AP) — Officials kept a carbon monoxide-filled sewer pipe sealed today while they pondered how to safely investigate the site where a construction worker and a would-be rescuer were killed and 29 others were felled trying to save them.

The carbon monoxide apparently was created by a malfunctioning gasoline-powered water pump in the half-mile-long pipe, Gordon Routley, a fire protection engineer with the Phoenix Fire Department, said Thursday.

The construction worker who died had gone inside Thursday afternoon to check the pump, and when he didn't emerge, others went in to try to save him. In all, 31 workers and firefighters were overcome by fumes and heat exhaustion, officials said.

The federal Occupational Safety and Health Administration sealed the entrance at a Papago Freeway construction site after the accident, Routley said.

"We really can't tell at this point what happened," he said.

Routley said the pumps are usually left unattended for several days, and two workers had initially entered the pipe to service the devices. Neither was wearing a gas mask.

"Somebody made a mistake," he said. "They should have never gone in there without breathing apparatus. It was like committing suicide."

Other workers at the site identified the two workers as Danny Van Zandt, 20, of Phoenix, and his father, Emmett, also of Phoenix.

When his son was stricken, Emmett Van Zandt was able to get out of the pipe and summon other workers, who called the Fire Department, said John Surrett, a backhoe operator.

J.C. Hines said he was one of four workers who traveled the length of the pipe in an attempt to save Danny Van Zandt.

In 1860, the Canadian steamship Lady Elgin and the schooner Augusta collided in Lake Michigan with a loss of 330 lives.

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Grow own shamrock for gift

By EARL ARONSON
AP Newsfeatures

The legends of St. Patrick's Day are widespread and firm, but there's considerable disagreement even among the Irish when it comes to the shamrock plant.

Historically, St. Patrick chose the shamrock as a symbol of the Trinity. The plant has become a symbol for good luck and as St. Patrick's Day approaches, shamrocks are given as gifts, and the distinctive clover-shaped leaves are worn to recognize the day.

But which plant is the authentic shamrock? That's where disagreement begins, even among horticulture folk. The clover-shape leaf is common to trifolium and exalis plant families, both of which grow in Ireland.

To add to the confusion, three different plants are often tagged as true Irish shamrocks: yellow flower clover (Trifolium dubium); little white clover (Trifolium repens minus); and wood sorrel (Oxalis acetosella).

"Whichever one you select, growing conditions are similar for all of them," says David Baggett, Montgomery, Ala., staff horticulturist for Tupperware. "They grow well in a cool and humid environment and all enjoy a lot of sunlight."

If your shamrock is a clover (Trifolium), it is grown from seed. The wood sorrel (Oxalis) is grown from small bulbs of the mature plant. Wood sorrel makes a better house plant than clover, which may become lanky if grown in the home environment.

Keep the plant in a bright, sunny window for good results. During dark days and at night, the leaflets will often fold along the center vein.

Irish shamrocks are available at nurseries, garden shops and florists, often in self-watering, constant feed, plastic growing systems.

An array of volunteers is helping fight the nation's battle against soil erosion and other natural resource problems. Included are a Brownie troop, senior citizens and many others who have offered full- or parttime services to the new U.S. Department of Agriculture programs.

"We look forward to placing more volunteers during 1983 in areas of need to assist local soil and water conservation districts," said Peter C. Meyers, chief of USDA's Soil Conservation Service.

Volunteer areas include clerical, information, conservation planning, surveying, conservation education, drafting, mapping, roadside seeding and revegetation, and contracting assistance.

Interested in helping — without pay? Contact your county USDA Soil Conservation Service district office.

Don't plow your land just for the sake of appearance, advises a soil management agronomist. It is costly, can be wasteful and bad for the soil.

Ed Colburn of Texas A & M University, says, "Be sure any tillage operation affords some crop benefits that will contribute to higher yields rather than just appearance. Combine operations where possible so that more is accomplished with each field pass.

"Excessive plowing also can lead to soil compaction which in turn can reduce crop yields due to poor water infiltration, poor root penetration and other problems that rob crops of their productivity."

(Any queries about gardening problems must be accompanied by a stamped, self-addressed envelope.)

(For Earl Aronson's "Associated Press Guide to House Plants," send $1 to House Plants, AP Newsfeatures, 50 Rockefeller Plaza, New York, NY 10020.)

CENSUS AVAILABLE—Jo Thrower holds a roll of 1910 Texas microfilm census. The Scurry County Library now has 1900 and 1910 Texas microfilm census complete for patron use.

COMMUNITY CALENDAR

FRIDAY

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

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

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

Narcotics Anonymous, Humble Smith School, 8-9 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 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.

BOOK REVIEW

SAVING FACE. By Norah Lofts. Doubleday. 229 Pages. $14.95.

A writer with more than 40 books to her credit is expected to write well — and Norah Lofts does.

She demonstrates her obvious talent once again in "Saving Face," a collection of nine long stories that detail life as it was and as it is.

In "Now you have me," the opening story, Miss Lofts tells of a lonely woman in her 80s who lives by herself with only her dog for company because "live to her age, and you'd outlived everybody. Marooned on the island of longevity."

Distressed because she is no longer physically able to exercise the dog, the woman advertises in the local newspaper for someone to do so. A nice young man shows up and soon he and the woman are getting along beautifully. A friendship develops, but even the best of friends can betray one. And when this happens to the woman she finds herself caught in a trap of her own making.

Another person finding himself trapped is the middle-aged man who marries a much younger woman in "The horseleech hath two daughters." After three years of marriage the man is sick of his emptyheaded wife and seeks a divorce. The wife goes to a lawyer for help and the lawyer can't help feeling the husband is right. He thinks, "she was as pretty as a picture, but as near a moron as made no matter. He'd had 10 minutes of her company, and he could imagine how long three years must have seemed to that unfortunate man."

Entrapment again is the theme in "A late flowering" in which a man and a woman try to go their separate ways after having a love affair but instead find themselves tied to each other for many years.

These three are the best of the nine tales in this book, but they are all worth the reading. Phil Thomas AP Books Editor

Most read book list

FICTION

1. "Pet Sematary," Stephen King
2. "Poland," James Michener
3. "Who Killed The Robins Family?" Adler & Chastain
4. "Smart Women," Judy Blume
5. "Almost Paradise," Susan Isaacs
6. "The Story of Henri Tod," William Buckley Jr.
7. "Changes," Danielle Steel
8. "Berlin Game," Len Deighton
9. "Hollywood Wives," Jackie Collins
10. "The Name Of the Rose," Umberto Eco

NON-FICTION

1. "Motherhood," Erma Bombeck
2. "Tough Times Never Last, But Tough People Do," Robert Schuller
3. "Nothing Down," Robert Allen
4. "Mayor," Edward I. Koch
5. "The James Coco Diet"
6. "Tn Search of Excellence," Peters and Waterman
7. "On Wings of Eagles," Ken Follett
8. "Weight Watchers Fast and Fabulous Cookbook
9. "Lines and Shadows," Joseph Wambaugh
10. "Seeds Of Greatness," Denis Waitley

(Courtesy of Time, the weekly news magazine)

King Richard III was born in 1452.

Hermleigh News

By ADALA DRENNAN

Mrs. Carl Ray Lloyd of Wendell, Idaho and daughter, Mrs. Paul Crawford of Stanton, visited Mrs. Raymond Lloyd last Thursday afternoon.

Mrs. Vena Lucas of Altus, Okla. and Mrs. Estelle Thompson spent the weekend as guests of Mrs. Eva Mae Brackeen and Mr. and Mrs. Alton Barfoot.

Rev. and Mrs. Charles (LaVon) Bridges and Amy of Booker spent last Thursday night with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. O.W. Richburg.

Marty Lloyd of Twin Falls, Idaho visited his grandmother, Mrs. Raymond Lloyd Monday and also visited the Monday quilting club.

The Hermleigh Canasta Club met last Thursday with Mrs. Elsie Stahl as hostess. High scores were won by Frances Thomason and Norma Hess.

Mrs. Verda Johnson accompanied her sister, Mr. and Mrs. Edd Ely, and brother, Mr. and Mrs. Ferrell Coston, to Cleburne last Wednesday where they attended the funeral service of an uncle, John Burt.

Mrs. Jimmy Cornett of Snyder and Amanda and Tamara Liner of El Paso visited their mother and great-grandmother, Mrs. Raymond Lloyd recently.

The children of Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd (Ruby) Reeves met last weekend at the community center in celebration of their parent's birthdays. Mr. Reeves' birthday was March 1 and Mrs. Reeves' birthday will be March 16.

Over one hundred guests attended the affair. Serving as hostesses were the couple's children and other family members. They included Sandra, Dee and Meredith Simmmons of Midland; Leona Smith of Wichita Falls, Delmer and Lois Reeves of Moriarty, N.M.; Hazel Lee of Albuquerque, N.M.; Fred and Sherry Jenkins, Donald and Shirley Fritz, Jimmy and Pat Fritz of Andrews; Mariann and Robert Neblett, all of Snyder; and Elroy and Alma Reeves of Howe.

Also Kenneth and Mary Reeves of Abilene; Kathryn Boothe and Donald and Mae Vaughan, all of Carthage; Pat Fritz of Andrews; and Stanley and Bobby Hilchey of Exiter, N.H.

Other out-of-town guests or family were from Dallas, San Antonio, San Angelo, Odessa, Sonora, Longview, Killeen, Houston and China Grove.

Guests of Mrs. Eva Mae Brackeen last week were her son, Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth (Leona) Brackeen of Midland and grandson, Mr. and Mrs. Ken (Patti) Brackeen of Pecos.

Cecily's recipe box

By Cecily Brownstone
AP Food Editor

BRUNCH FARE

Tomato Juice & Crackers
Bran Scrapple & Apple Rings
Coffee

BRAN SCRAPPLE

Adding fiber this way works well.

½ pound bulk pork sausage
1 cup water
1-3rd cup yellow cornmeal
1-3rd cup whole bran cereal
2 tablespoons butter

In a 10-inch non-stick skillet over moderate heat, fry the sausage, crumbling with a fork, until it is cooked through; drain and reserve. In a 1-quart saucepan bring the water to a boil; gradually stir in the cornmeal; continue stirring over low heat until it bubbles and is very thick. Off heat, thoroughly stir in the sausage and bran. Turn into a small loaf pan (5¾ by 3¼ by 2¼ inches) that has been rinsed with cold water. Cool. Cover and chill. At serving time, loosen edges and unmold. Cut into 8 crosswise slices. In the 10-inch non-stick skillet heat 1 tablespoon of the butter and brown 4 slices of the scrapple on both sides in it; remove and keep warm. Brown the remaining scrapple in the remaining butter. Serve hot with apple rings. Makes 2 large or 4 small servings.

The luxury liner Morro Castle burned off the New Jersey coast in 1934, claiming 134 lives.

BRIDGE

Oswald Jacoby and James Jacoby

Playing for a bottom

NORTH 3-30-84
♠ K 3 2
♥ A K 7 6
♦ 10 9 5
♣ A 5 2

WEST
♠ 8 6
♥ Q 8
♦ Q J 7 4
♣ K Q 10 9 4

EAST
♠ J 7 4
♥ 10 5 3 2
♦ K 8 3 2
♣ 7 6

SOUTH
♠ A Q 10 9 5
♥ J 9 4
♦ A 6
♣ J 8 3

Vulnerable Neither
Dealer North

West	North	East	South
	1♠	Pass	1♠
Pass	2♠	Pass	4♠
Pass	Pass	Pass	

Opening lead ♣K

By Oswald Jacoby and James Jacoby

You don't like to hold bad hands in a match point game, since with such hands you are at the mercy of your opponents. All you can hope for is that your opponents will misbid or misplay their good hands and give you an undeserved top.

North and South did not misbid their hands. Four spades is the right contract and there are any number of ways to make it. South found just about the only way to go down. He won dummy's ace of clubs at trick one and came to his hand with ace of trumps. He made the good lead of the heart jack. West covered with the queen, and South took dummy's king. Then he drew trumps with two more leads and led his heart nine. Now all he had to do was to play the seven or six, and he would be sure of his contract. That play never occurred to South, or else he thought of it and dismissed it for some reason known only to bad players.

In any event, he played the heart ace and now had no way to avoid the loss of one heart, one diamond and two clubs. It was balm in Gilead for East and West, who scored 50 points and a top.

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4 Bathroom fixture
7 Day of week (abbr.)
10 Kind of test
12 Source of metals
14 Arrival-time guess (abbr.)
15 Seasoning
16 Actress Magnani
17 Rested in chair
18 Seas
20 Songstress Piaf
22 Changed
24 Rafted
26 "Auld Lang ___"
30 Wine barrel
31 Railway (abbr.)
32 Moray
33 And so on (abbr.)
34 Jovian satellite
36 Air Force for women (abbr.)
37 Befuddled
39 Take into custody
42 Sinned against
45 Russian land owner
47 Woodchopper
51 Child
52 Morning's light
54 Muck
55 Augment
56 W.W. I plane
57 District
58 Negatives
59 Very cold
60 Cause of Cleopatra's death

DOWN

1 Commotion (comp. wd.)
2 Of liquid waste
3 Fabliau
4 Kitchen appliance
5 Flower holder
6 American poet
7 Ordeal
8 Beehive State
9 Take a meal
11 Animal of South America
13 Writer Marquis de ___
19 Hard-shelled fruit
21 Identifications (sl.)
23 Man's name
24 No ifs ands or ___
25 Sometime
27 Evergreens
28 Trim
29 Mischievous sprite
30 Light meal
35 Fine muslin
38 Cobbler's tool
40 Oedipus
41 Swelling
43 Measures of radiation
44 Giraffe-like animal
45 Executioner in "Mikado"
46 Shoshoneans
48 Variable star in Cetus
49 Hera's son
50 Low tide
51 Half a score
53 Female soldier (abbr.)

Answer to Previous Puzzle

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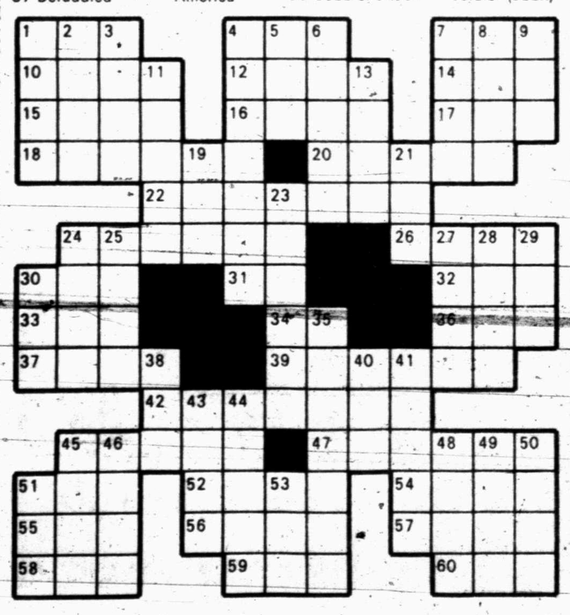

KIT 'N' CARLYLE — by Larry Wright

SNAKE TALES

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DENNIS THE MENACE

"ALL I DID WAS TELL HIM HE'S EATING A GROUND-UP COW."

Longer school days unlikely for state pupils

COLLEGE STATION, Texas (AP) — Gov. Mark White says he advocates what he calls a very simple principle — a variation of the work ethic — to improve the quality of education in Texas schools.

"We need to get our work done before we go play," White said Thursday in an address to more than 500 county and district clerks attending a seminar at Texas A&M.

A longer school day — as some have recommended — probably won't be necessary if schools will persist in getting the basics across to students, White said.

"I've been lobbied strongest by my 9-year-old daughter not to lengthen the school day," White joked.

"Starting in the first grade, we have to teach kids how to read, and they can't move on to the second grade until they do," White said.

White said the Legislature will deal with education issues in a special session once the Governor's Select Committee on Education finishes its report.

But the governor indicated that strong emphasis will continue to be placed on sports and other extracurricular activities, despite the criticism aimed their way in recent weeks by Ross Perot, who heads the committee.

"It's important that we have strong football players," White said, "so they can go on and be good players and graduate from college and then be good pro players. The Cowboys and the Oilers need the help."

White also said:

— Television, which is teaching children "more about cereal than you'll ever know," can become an effective teaching aid, especially in upgrading the level of science teaching in small rural towns that can't afford or attract highly educated teachers.

— Summer school courses could be extended to include English language courses for Spanish-speaking children and advanced courses for bright students who want to keep learning all year long.

— Teacher salaries should be raised and upgraded, and teachers should be required to pass a stronger admission test before being certification.

The governor said he hopes the Legislature will address the question of discipline in schools. He suggested a uniform code of conduct for Texas students so teachers would know what they can do to maintain discipline wherever they work.

Parents also should shoulder their share of the responsibility for disciplining children, White added.

"This is not a day care center we're operating, but a center for higher learning," White said. "When I was a kid, the most certain thing I knew was that when you got a spanking at school, I got another spanking at home."

LAFF-A-DAY

"You'll be happy to know the cause of the celebration — we're moving out."

Convicted man violates parole to prove point

VACAVILLE, Calif. (AP) — Theodore Streleski, who beat his Stanford professor to death with a hammer only 5½ years ago, was back in prison today after only three hours on parole because he didn't want to say he was sorry.

The bearded, long-haired Streleski, 47, told reporters in a confused statement Thursday he felt no remorse about the killing but that he was breaking parole "as a statement against the power and arrogance of Stanford."

The unexpected move meant authorities could keep Streleski prisoner up to 18 more months and that students and faculty at Stanford — terrified at his refusal to say he would not kill again — could rest easier.

Minutes after emerging from the California Medical Facility at Vacaville, Streleski said he had decided to violate parole with a "non-violent act ... like missing an appointment" with a parole officer.

Streleski said he wanted to serve out his eight-year sentence so that when he finally is freed he'll not be bound by any parole restrictions. Parole officials had ordered the former graduate student to stay away from Stanford.

"I don't want to do anything that says I didn't mean it," Streleski said of his 1978 beating of math professor Karel deLeeuw with a two-pound hammer. "I meant it."

"I don't want to say, 'Gee, I'm contrite,' or 'Gee, I'm sorry.'"

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Dear Abby

'Marriage, Cousins and The Law'—Chapter 4

By Abigail Van Buren

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DEAR ABBY: After all those "culpas," you asked, "How does one go about rescinding not only a 'mea culpa,' but a 'maxima culpa'?"

I have the answer: "Ego te absolvo." Go your way, and sin no more.

FATHER ANDREW L.J. JAMES, ATHENS, OHIO

DEAR FATHER: Thank you. I need all the absolution I can get. Read on:

DEAR ABBY: You have published a number of letters about the first cousins from Massachusetts who got married in a state where first cousins could legally marry, and then returned to Massachusetts, which forbids such marriages.

Your first response: "A valid marriage is valid in every state."

Then Elaine Trudeau, a registrar from Boston, challenged you with a Massachusetts law that stated otherwise, and you promptly withdrew your comment with a "Mea culpa. Mea maxima culpa."

Next, one Robert Turner of Hopewell, Va., wrote to say that the U.S. Constitution upheld your original position—you were right in the first place!

Abby, Mr. Turner is mistaken.

JAMES A. MARTIN, PROFESSOR OF LAW, UNIVERSITY OF MICHIGAN

DEAR PROFESSOR: Let's review this: First I said, "A valid marriage is valid in every state." Then Elaine Trudeau; a Boston registrar, wrote to say that I was wrong, so I apologized.

Then a Robert Turner advised me that I was right in the first place and Ms. Trudeau was wrong.

Now you tell me I was wrong in the first place—that Ms. Trudeau was right, and Mr. Turner was wrong to say that I was right.

Should I rest my case? Or take it to a higher court?

* * *

DEAR ABBY: My nephew was married and I attended his wedding. I put $200 in cash in an envelope with a note saying it was from me. I gave it to the newlyweds at the reception and they put it in the wedding box with the rest of the envelopes.

I gave cash because I remember the trouble I had trying to cash a personal check on my honeymoon, and I didn't want that to happen to them. (Do you think I should have given them a check instead of cash?) It has been a year since this wedding took place and I still haven't had any kind of thank-you. I don't know if they got the money or not.

Don't you think it is up to the parents of the married couple to make sure the kids thank the people who gave them gifts?

UPSET UNCLE

DEAR UNCLE: "Kids" who are old enough to marry are responsible for acknowledging their own gifts.

Perhaps they didn't receive it, or possibly the note that accompanied it was misplaced. A year is long enough to wait. Write or call "the kids" (leave their parents out of it) and quit guessing. And yes, I think you should have given them a check instead of cash.

* * *

DEAR ABBY: After sharing that letter about the 6-year-old who walked over to his mother, unbuttoned her blouse and started to nurse, I suggest that you publish a warning to first-grade teachers in Hawaii:

"Wear blouses that button down the front at your own risk."

FIRST-GRADE TEACHER

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(Getting married? Whether you want a formal church wedding or a simple, "do-your-own thing" ceremony, get Abby's booklet. Send $1 plus a long, self-addressed, stamped (37 cents) envelope to: Abby's Wedding Booklet, P.O. Box 38923, Hollywood, Calif. 90038.)

Seal pup hunt now off

WILD COVE, Newfoundland (AP) — Frustrated by persistent protests, Canadian sealers are asking the government to declare a moratorium on the hunting of baby seals and tell the public that seal pups are no longer being clubbed to death.

International opposition to the clubbing of baby seals, considered inhumane by many, has sharply reduced the market for the once desirable pelts.

Mark Small of the Canadian Sealers Association said after a meeting of the organization Thursday that whitecoats — newborn harp seals — and bluebacks — infant hooded seals — were not hunted last year and would not be hunted this year either.

However, anti-sealing organizations persist in distributing pictures showing the wide-eyed harp seal pups being clubbed, Small said in a telephone interview.

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Former beauty queen joins Scurry crusade

Dr. Shirley Cothran Barret, a former Miss America, will be the featured speaker March 17 during the Scurry County Crusade to be held at the coliseum from March 11-18. Nightly performances begin at 7 p.m.

A native of Denton, Barret was crowned Miss America in 1975. She has earned her masters degree in guidance and counseling and a doctorate degree in early childhood education. Currently, she serves as a trustee for the Denton Independent School District.

She is also a featured writer in Christian magazines and she has worked with the Southern Baptist Radio and Television Commission, which includes co-hosting a Christian magazine pilot program.

DR. SHIRLEY COTHRAN BARRET

Crucifix revolt spreads

GARWOLIN, Poland (AP) — A "crucifix revolt" has spread in the Polish countryside as students challenged riot police and gained the support of Lech Walesa in their defiance of Communist officials who removed crosses from classrooms.

Hundreds of high school students clutched crosses in the Roman Catholic Church of the Transfiguration as Garwolin's parish priest, Stanislaw Binko, shouted from his pulpit during a Mass Thursday "There is no Poland without a cross!"

"They were not Poles who came against our innocents with gas and sticks and shields and guns. They were the enemy!" he said. "The cross will lead you to victory!"

The Mass, and the takeover of a nearby agricultural school by angry students Wednesday, marked the most significant student unrest since the Communist government declared martial law in 1981 and suspended Solidarity, the independent union founded by Walesa.

No one has been reported arrested or injured so far in the confrontation between youths and police in the farming region 40 miles south of Warsaw.

The crucifix controversy began three months ago when the director of the Stanislaw Stazik Agricultural School in Mietno, Ryszard Dominski, removed crosses from seven lecture halls.

Students and parents kept replacing the crosses, but Dominski kept removing them until Wednesday, when the protest began.

Authorities closed the school after more than 400 of the school's 600 students students occupied it in protest. The youths gave up their occupation of the school late Wednesday after the "Zomo" riot police were called in.

At one point in the drama, police cornered the Stazik students in a cemetery halfway between school and the Church of the Transfiguration. The students summoned priests by ringing a bell in the graveyard, and the clergymen negotiated their release.

Walesa said he was "watching the situation in Garwolin very closely" from his Gdansk, the Baltic port city which is his home. "They can expect help from me, and not only me, if they need it."

TO APPEAR HERE--Rick Stanley, Elvis Presley's step-brother, will appear here during the Scurry County Crusade to begin March 11 and continue through the 18th. Nightly services begin at 7 p.m. at the Scurry County Coliseum. As Elvis's stepbrother, Stanley led the "good life," but after Elvis's death he dedicated his life to Chirst in 1977. (Crusade Photo)

COWBOYS FOR CHIRST CRUSADE--Singer Barbara Fairchild and her husband, guitarist Milton Carroll, will participate in the Cowboys For Christ Crusade, March 17-18 at Post. Other guests will be evangelist Ted Pressley of Ft. Worth, a gospel group from Ft. Worth, Bobby Miller and the New Jerusalem Singers. (Publicity Photo)

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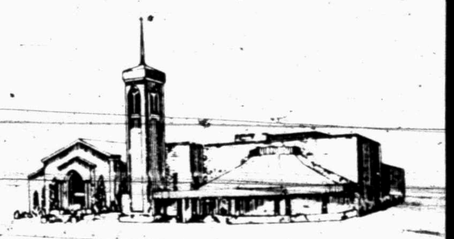

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Evening Worship ..... 7:00 p.m.
Wednesday Service ..... 7:30 p.m.

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Reg. Larry McAden, Pastor
Sunday School ..... 9:45 a.m.
Morning Worship ..... 10:50 a.m.
Evening Worship ..... 6:00 p.m.
Wednesday Service ..... 7:30 p.m.

COLONIAL HILL BAPTIST CHURCH
36th & El Paso Ave.
Rev. Miller F. Robinson, Pastor
Early Bible Class ..... 7:00 a.m.
Sunday School ..... 9:45 a.m.
Morning Worship ..... 11:00 a.m.
Training Service ..... 6:00 p.m.
Evening Service ..... 7:00 p.m.
Wednesday Service ..... 7:00 p.m.

GREEN HILL BAPTIST CHURCH
208 N. Clairemont Rd.
David Haladay, Pastor
Sunday School ..... 9:45 a.m.
Morning Worship ..... 11:00 a.m.
Training Union ..... 6:00 p.m.
Evening Worship ..... 7:00 p.m.
Tuesday Youth Program ..... 6:30 p.m.
Wednesday WMU ..... 6:30 p.m.
Wednesday Prayer Meeting ..... 7:30 p.m.

KNAPP BAPTIST CHURCH
Knapp Community
Rev. Terry White, Pastor
Sunday School ..... 10:00 a.m.
Morning Worship ..... 11:00 a.m.
Training Union ..... 5:30 p.m.
Evening Worship ..... 6:30 p.m.
Wednesday Service ..... 6:30 p.m.

MORNINGSIDE BAPTIST CHURCH
119 36th St.
Bill Strickland, Pastor
Sunday School ..... 10:00 a.m.
Morning Worship ..... 11:00 a.m.
Training Service ..... 6:00 p.m.
Evening Worship ..... 7:00 p.m.
Wednesday Services ..... 7:30 p.m.
Thursday Visitation ..... 6:45 p.m.

VICTORY BAPTIST CHURCH
3303 Apple St.
Don Gonce, Pastor
Sunday School ..... 9:45 a.m.
Morning Worship ..... 10:45 a.m.
Bible Study ..... 6:15 p.m.
Evening Worship ..... 7:00 p.m.
Wednesday Service ..... 7:00 p.m.

NEW HOPE BAPTIST CHURCH
Rev. Raymond Dunkins, Pastor
Sunday School ..... 9:45 a.m.
Morning Worship ..... 11:00 a.m.
Training Union ..... 5:15 p.m.
Evening Worship ..... 6:00 p.m.
Wednesday Service ..... 7:30 p.m.

GRACE BIBLE BAPTIST CHURCH
2707 Avenue R
Morning Worship ..... 10:45 a.m.

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Rex Reynolds, Pastor
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Sunday School ..... 10:15 a.m.
Morning Worship ..... 11:00 a.m.
Evening Worship ..... 6:30 p.m.
Wednesday Evening ..... 7:30 p.m.

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Fluvanna, Texas
Marvin Ward, Pastor
Sunday School ..... 10:00 a.m.
Morning Worship ..... 11:00 a.m.
Evening Worship ..... 6:00 p.m.
Wednesday Night Prayer ..... 7:00 p.m.

HERMLEIGH CENTRAL BAPTIST CHURCH
Rev. D.D. Smith, Pastor
Sunday School ..... 10:00 a.m.
Morning Worship ..... 11:00 a.m.
Sunday Evening Worship ..... 6:00 p.m.
Wednesday Service ..... 7:00 p.m.

IRA BAPTIST CHURCH
Ira, Texas
Mike Brown, Pastor
Sunday School ..... 10:00 a.m.
Morning Worship ..... 11:00 a.m.
Sunday Youth Choir ..... 6:00 p.m.
Sunday Evening Worship ..... 7:00 p.m.
Wednesday Children's Choir ..... 6:00 p.m.
Wednesday Service ..... 7:00 p.m.

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21st & Ave. R
Rev. G.G. Flores
Sunday School ..... 9:45 a.m.
Morning Worship ..... 11:00 a.m.
Training Union ..... 6:00 p.m.
Sunday Evening Worship ..... 7:00 p.m.
Wednesday Service ..... 7:30 p.m.

BETHEL BAPTIST CHURCH
1708 Avenue E
Jesse Faulkenbery, Pastor
Sunday School ..... 10:00 a.m.
Morning Worship ..... 11:00 a.m.
Evening Worship ..... 7:00 p.m.
Wednesday Worship ..... 7:00 p.m.

UNION BAPTIST CHURCH
Rev. Larry Rogers, Pastor
Sunday School ..... 9:45 a.m.
Morning Worship ..... 10:45 a.m.
Church Training ..... 6:00 p.m.
Evening Worship ..... 7:00 p.m.
Wednesday Youth Group ..... 7:00 p.m.
Prayer Meeting ..... 7:00 p.m.

PRIMITIVE BAPTIST CHURCH
21st & Ave. M
Elder Carl Watson, Pastor
1st, 2nd, 3rd Sundays ..... 10:30 a.m.
3rd Saturday Night ..... 7:30 p.m.

CHURCH OF GOD PROPHECY
2301 Ave. G
Robert Trujillo, Pastor
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Evening Worship ..... 6:30 p.m.
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Danny Williams, Pastor
Sunday Morning Service ..... 9:45 a.m.
Sunday Evening Service ..... 7:00 p.m.
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Wednesday Night Bible Study ..... 7:30 p.m.

BETHEL ASSEMBLY OF GOD
1411 25th St.
Rev. Richard W. Owen, Pastor
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Morning Worship ..... 11:00 a.m.
Sunday Evening Worship ..... 6:00 p.m.
Wednesday Evening Worship ..... 7:30 p.m.

FIRST ASSEMBLY OF GOD
1809 College Ave.
Rev. John Murdoch, Pastor
Sunday School ..... 9:45 a.m.
Morning Worship ..... 10:50 a.m.
Evening Worship ..... 7:00 p.m.
Wednesday Service ..... 7:30 p.m.

IRA CHURCH OF GOD
Ira, Texas
June Strickland, Pastor
Sunday School ..... 10:00 a.m.
Morning Worship ..... 11:00 a.m.
Evening Worship ..... 7:00 p.m.
Wednesday Service ..... 7:00 p.m.

CHURCH OF GOD
1406 21st St.
Rev. J. W. Davis, Pastor
Sunday School ..... 9:45 a.m.
Sunday Evening Evangelistic Service ..... 6:00 p.m.
Wednesday Evening ..... 7:30 p.m.

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Rosendo Mauricio, Pastor
Wednesday ..... 7:30 p.m.
Friday ..... 7:30 p.m.
Sunday School ..... 10:00 a.m.
Sunday Evening Service ..... 7:30 p.m.

APOSTOLIC FAITH
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Rev. S.V. Clanton, Pastor
Sunday School ..... 10:00 a.m.
Morning Worship ..... 11:00 a.m.
Evening Worship ..... 7:00 p.m.
Wednesday Service ..... 7:30 p.m.

FIRST UNITED METHODIST CHURCH
2700 College Avenue
Rev. Bob Ford, Pastor
Sunday School ..... 9:45 a.m.
Morning Worship ..... 10:55 a.m.
Youth Fellowship ..... 5:30 p.m.

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Rev. James Merrell, Pastor
Church School ..... 9:45 a.m.
Morning Worship ..... 11:00 a.m.
Youth Meeting ..... 6:00 p.m.
Evening Worship ..... 6:00 p.m.

IRA UNITED METHODIST CHURCH
Ira, Texas
Morning Worship ..... 9:30 a.m.
Sunday School ..... 10:45 a.m.

UNION UNITED METHODIST CHURCH
5 Miles West, U.S. 180
Rev. John Dorn, Pastor
Sunday School ..... 10:00 a.m.
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Youth Service ..... 6:00 p.m.
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Morning Worship ..... 11:00 a.m.
Evening Evangelistic Service ..... 7:00 p.m.
Wednesday Prayer Service ..... 7:00 p.m.

HERMLEIGH UNITED METHODIST CHURCH
Carl Nunn, Pastor
Sunday School ..... 10:00 a.m.
Morning Worship ..... 11:15 a.m.
Youth Meeting ..... 6:00 p.m.

FLUVANNA UNITED METHODIST CHURCH
Carl Nunn, Pastor
Morning Worship ..... 9:40 a.m.
Sunday School ..... 10:40 a.m.

GAIL UNITED METHODIST CHURCH
Carl Nunn, Pastor
Morning Worship ..... 8:30 a.m.

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Sunday ..... 10:30 a.m.
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Bible Study ..... 9:30 a.m.
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Wednesday Ladies' Class ..... 9:30 a.m.
Wednesday Service ..... 7:30 p.m.

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201 31st St.
Tom Holcomb, Minister
Bible Study ..... 9:30 a.m.
Morning Worship ..... 10:25 a.m.
Evening Worship ..... 6:30 p.m.
Wednesday Worship ..... 7:30 p.m.

HERMLEIGH CHURCH OF CHRIST
Randy Gray, Minister
Sunday Bible Classes ..... 10:00 a.m.
Sunday Morning Sermon ..... 10:55 a.m.
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Tuesday Ladies' Bible ..... 9:30 a.m.
Wednesday Bible Classes ..... 7:00 p.m.

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Randy Couchman, Minister
Bible Study ..... 10:00 a.m.
Worship ..... 11:00 a.m.
Evening Service ..... 6:00 p.m.
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Bible Class ..... 9:45 a.m.
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Sunday School ..... 9:45 a.m.
Morning Worship ..... 10:50 a.m.
Sunday Evening Worship ..... 7:00 p.m.
Tuesday Morning Bible Study ..... 9:30 a.m.
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2706 Ave. R 573-6915
Rev. Stephen W. Smith, Pastor
Sunday School ..... 9:45 a.m.
Worship Service ..... 11:00 a.m.
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Wednesday Choir Rehearsal ..... 7:00 p.m.
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Sunday School ..... 9:15 a.m.
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Sunday School ..... 9:45 a.m.
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Sunday Mass ..... 8:30 a.m.
Tuesday Mass ..... 7:00 p.m.
Religious Instruction Sunday ..... 9:30 a.m.

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Fr. Sean Sheeran, Pastor
Saturday Mass ..... 6:00 p.m.
Sunday Mass ..... 10:30 a.m.
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Thursday Mass ..... 8:00 a.m.
Religious Instruction Sunday ..... 9:15 a.m.
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Wednesday Service ..... 7:00 p.m.

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Some cities say...

'Incident won't happen here'

By the Associated Press

The emergency *whatever* it is, finally happens.

You grab the phone and call for an ambulance.

Will you end up arguing with a voice on the other end of the line, as Larry Boff did in Dallas while his stepmother lay dying?

"What happened in Dallas shouldn't happen anywhere," said Chuck Johnson, public safety spokesman for DeKalb County, Ga., which includes part of Atlanta. "We don't screen calls, and we don't have a nurse trying to decide if it's an emergency and diagnose the case on the telephone."

An Associated Press spot check of ambulance-sending procedures shows that while dispatchers in many cities ask medical questions of 911 callers, efforts are made to screen calls in only a few cities.

In many other communities, ambulances are sent automatically when emergencies are reported.

But in some cases that means time and money are wasted on bogus or needless calls. Last month alone, 14,000 of New York City's 47,300 ambulance runs were false alarms.

Dallas is being sued for $315,000 by Boff, whose recorded pleas for help for his 60-year-old stepmother on Jan. 5 were broadcast by a Dallas television station this week.

He was heard telling the nurse who took the call that Lilliah Boff was having trouble breathing and was "incoherent." The nurse insisted on talking to the woman.

Boff's roommate made a second call to the emergency number, but the nurse again insisted on talking to Mrs. Boff.

Finally Boff came back on the line and said, "She's dead now. Thank you, ma'am!" His stepmother was dead when paramedics arrived.

That incident "must be balanced by people dying because of the turkey calls," Bobby Moore, head of emergency medical services for the Dallas fire department, told the Dallas Times Herald this week.

The 3-year-old Dallas program, using nurses to screen calls, is unique in Texas and is an attempt to reduce non-emergency runs taxing the city's ambulances. Fire Department officials say that the system works, and that the nurse handling Boff's call violated procedures.

Non-emergency calls plague many cities.

"Forty-five percent of the calls are ... non-medical emergency calls," said Daniel Bojalad, superintendent of emergency medical services in Detroit. In Baltimore, one-fifth of the ambulance calls in a recent seven-month period were unnecessary — people changed their minds or the calls were bogus, said fire Capt. Patrick Flynn.

In Philadelphia, about 3.5 percent of ambulance calls are "maliciously false," said Deputy Fire Commissioner Frank J. Scipione.

Detroit and Philadelphia dispatchers run through a series of questions to determine the seriousness of each situation, but officials in both cities say they try to err on the side of caution.

Baltimore does no screening at all.

"No doubt the system is abused," Flynn said. "At times you can pick up a hint of a crank call, but we still respond.... You always send an ambulance. The worst that can happen is we just return it."

In New York, if a caller cites a life-threatening symptom such as breathing trouble, an ambulance is immediately sent through a dispatcher in the appropriate borough, without further screening.

"The plus of all this is that what happened in Dallas won't happen here," said Jared Lebow of New York City Emergency Medical Services. "The minus is the 14,000 false alarms."

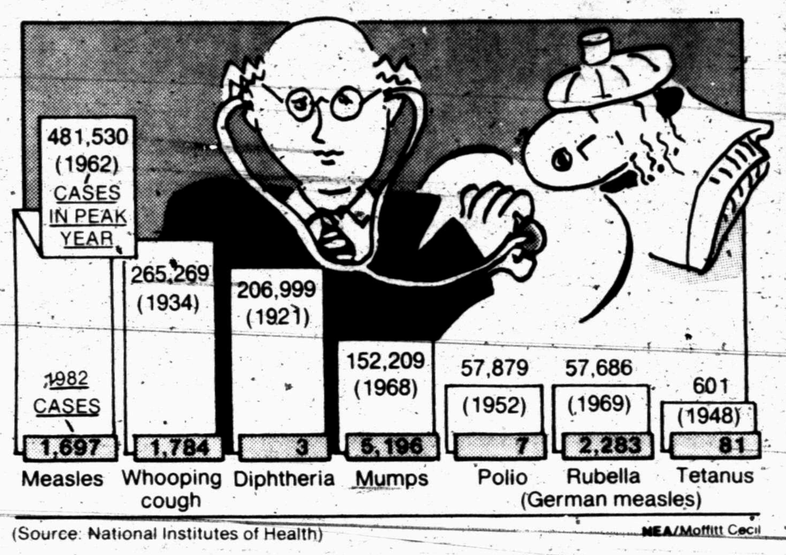
About 15,000 calls were referred to nurses for screening in Dallas in 1983, and about half were determined not to be true emergencies so no city ambulance was sent, officials said. Seventy-five to 80 percent of patients approved by the nurses were taken to emergency rooms. In non-emergency cases, callers are urged to seek private ambulance service.

Mike Jones, a fire department section chief, told the Dallas Times Herald the screening process has been "highly successful and beneficial" in screening out unnecessary calls.

San Francisco has paramedics handle calls, and although they ask questions, they are told "to send an ambulance when there is any doubt whatsoever," said Michel Cavallero, city paramedic communications supervisor.

THE POWER OF VACCINES

Diseases strike fewer Americans



(Source: National Institutes of Health)

NEA/Moffitt Cecil

Modern medicine continues to make great advances in wiping out once fatal disease and illness. The incidence of measles, mumps and whooping cough has decreased dramatically in the United States, and diphtheria and polio have virtually disappeared.

Houston center studies sleep disorders

HOUSTON (AP) — Nearly one third of all Americans suffer from chronic sleep disorders, and physicians at a new clinic hope to solve the problem.

"Everyone has an occasional experience with insomnia or daytime sleepiness, but when the pattern becomes repetitive over six to eight weeks, then there's cause for concern," said Dr. Todd Swick, a neurologist at the Sleep Disorders Center.

Sleep disorders have puzzled both patients and physicians for many years, Swick said.

Sleep studies show that at least 75 million of 232 million Americans suffer from some sleep disorder, The Houston Post reported.

"More people probably complain about the quality and quantity of their sleep than almost any problem," he said Wednesday, the day the clinic opened.

Swick said sleep problems can hit people of all ages and says that, while many of the causes are unknown, doctors have an increasing number of effective treatments available.

Patients being treated at the center are asked to chart their sleeping and wakefulness patterns for two weeks, then take tests at the center. Treatment also includes a complete psychiatric evaluation and psychological tests.

Patients at the center may stay in rooms where their sleep habits are monitored. Swick said some tests are covered by medical insurance.

Doctors at the center try to treat sleep disorders ranging from minor insomnia and daytime sleepiness to nocturnal kicking, sleepwalking, teeth grinding and sleep apnea, which occurs when airways collapse.

Another common problem treated at the center is snoring.

"Many snorers cause sleeping problems for spouses or others within hearing range, but these may be fairly mild cases," Swick said. "At the worst extreme, though, snoring may be a sign of obstructive sleep apnea which, if untreated, can lead to sudden death."

Sleep apnea sufferers stop breathing between snores because their airways have collapsed.

Swick said most sleeping problems fall into one of two categories: difficulties in going to and staying sleep and problems in staying awake.

The most severe daytime sleepiness problem is narcolepsy, which Swick said are "irresistable and sudden sleep attacks during the day."

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Older man is abused

NEW BEDFORD, Mass. (AP) — A frail elderly man is hospitalized today after enduring three days of torture from his 77-year-old wheelchair-bound wife, who beat him with a cane and abused him to keep him from falling asleep, authorities said.

"I've been on the police force for four years and I've never seen anything as bizarre as this," said investigating patrolman Michael J. O'Brien.

Eighty-year-old Carlos Mello was in serious condition at St. Luke's Hospital with what police described as swollen genitals and bruises covering his arms and legs.

O'Brien said Mary Ana Mello denied that she beat her husband.

"No, he must have fallen out of bed," O'Brien quoted her as saying.

An innocent plea to a charge of assault and battery with a dangerous weapon was entered at an arraignment Thursday for Mrs. Mello. At a psychiatrist's recommendation, Judge John A. Markey sent her to Taunton State Hospital for 20 days of evaluation, postponing her case to March 27.

Firefighters in a station next to the Mello home said the man was frail and less than 5 feet tall. They said his wife is larger.

O'Brien called Mello an "old man who has lost his strength" and said Mrs. Mello, although confined to a wheelchair, was a "healthy woman."

Mello accused his wife of constantly hitting him with a walking cane, glass vase and other objects over a three-day period that ended Tuesday, a police report said.

"Mr. Mello also said that his wife did not allow him to sleep during this same period, and when he tried, she grabbed his genitals (and) pulled, squeezed and twisted them until he could not stand the pain any longer and he would just stay awake," the report stated.

"Mr. Mello said this is not the first time that (his) wife had done this, but these three days have been the worst it has ever been."

O'Brien said in his report that Mello's left foot was swollen to almost double its normal size and that his genital area was "swollen to the size of a small balloon."

HEALTH

Lawrence E. Lamb, M.D.

Lung diseases vary

By Lawrence Lamb, M.D.

DEAR DR. LAMB — My dictionary describes emphysema as an abnormal distention of the lungs with air. What is abnormal?

I've heard of a collapsed lung from which people recover. Why couldn't emphysematous lungs be collapsed one at a time and then allowed to recover?

I've watched my cousin spend the last five years searching for relief from his emphysema — all the doctors offered him were drugs and tank after tank of oxygen.

What are its causes? How can you prevent it? How can you treat or cure it?

DEAR READER — Our definitions for emphysema have changed throughout the years. The term emphysema is now used to mean a loss of elasticity of the lungs. The elastic recoil of the lungs is important in exhaling air.

Chronic bronchitis used to be included as emphysema, but now refers to obstructions in the air passages caused by chronic irritation. Both conditions are called chronic obstructive lung disease, referred to by its acronym, COLD.

While I hope there will be a cure one day, it's important for people to realize that modern medicine can't always save them from the results of their bad habits. While some people develop emphysema because of inherited traits, most develop COLD because of air pollution and the main offender is tobacco smoke. A person can't continue to damage his lungs until they're nearly ruined and then expect to return to good health. People must accept some responsibility for their own health.

Collapsing a lung wouldn't help heal the scars and damage. Because of the loss of lung capacity, most people with severe damage wouldn't survive the collapse.

You'll want to read the Health Letter 17-8, Chronic Bronchitis and Emphysema, which I'm 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.

DEAR DR. LAMB — I never used to perspire until I began taking thyroid. Now I'm drenched all the time. I have to have a fan on me all day and night. I'm really miserable and never look cool and groomed because of a red, steaming face and body.

DEAR READER — See your doctor and ask him if you are getting too much thyroid. It can cause the same symptoms of an overactive thyroid gland. It speeds up your metabolism, which in turn generates an excessive amount of body heat. Sweating follows to try to cool the body.

I don't want you to stop taking your medication on the basis of these remarks, but I think it's prudent to check this out with your doctor. You need to be absolutely certain you're not taking more thyroid than you need. If that's the case, your resting heart rate also may be on the rapid side.

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Xerox opens Mexican plant

AGUASCALIENTES, Mexico (AP) — Xerox officially opened its new Latin American plant here Thursday and a company official said the investment shows confidence that Mexico will overcome its economic difficulties.

"This plant ... was built during the harshest moments of the crisis through which the country is now passing," said Sidney Stieglitz, president of the board of advisers of Industrias Xerograficas.

Xerox of Mexico last year changed is name to Industrias Xerograficas.

"We have (the economic crisis) under control now and there is no doubt that we will eventually overcome it," Stieglitz said.

Stieglitz addressed his remarks to President Miguel de la Madrid, who attended the innauration of the $24 million, 450-square-yard plant. The president did not make a speech.

Xerox said the plant — the production center for Latin America — will make modern photocopy equipment for markets throughout the region.

In building the new plant, the company received tax breaks from the Mexican government, which was eager to see industry locate in areas outside metropolitan Mexico City, Xerox said in a statement. Metropolitan Mexico City has more than 15 million people and is suffering severe congestion and pollution problems as a result.

Xerox has been doing business in Mexico for 20 years.

There are a total of 2,205 people working for Xerox throughout Mexico, according to Abel Nava, personnel supervisor at the Xerox office in the capital city.

The company has 405 employees working at the plant in Aguascalientes, which is located 291 miles northwest of the capital, Nava said.

The main Latin American plant previously was located at Tlalnepantla, which is in Mexico state, across the northern border of the capital city.

A bulletin from Xerox says the decision to move the plant was made in 1981, "with the objective of collaborating with the Mexican government in the solution of excessive centralization of activities of all kinds in the metropolitan area of the country."

Xerox proceeded with its plans even as Mexico in the middle of 1982 entered its worst recession in half a century. President de la Madrid has been saying the worst of the economic crisis is now over, although administration critics charge that the situation has not improved significantly.

Foreign Briefs

Regional court nixes charges

ZWELITSHA, Ciskei (AP) — A regional court has dismissed subversion charges against the top administrator of the Roman Catholic church in southern Africa after a key prosecution witness recanted an incriminating statement.

The witness said Thursday he signed a statement against the Rev. Smangaliso Mkhatshwa only after police forced him to stand naked for five hours.

Mkhatshwa, 48, pleaded innocent Wednesday in Zwelitsha regional court to subversion, inciting violence and addressing an illegal meeting.

The charges stemmed from a students' meeting at Fort Hare University last fall in Ciskei, a black homeland declared independent by South Africa two years ago. The government charged that at the meeting, Mkhatshwa called for the overthrow of Ciskei's government.

Calvin Mosala, a student, earlier had signed a statement saying Mkhatshwa incited those at the meeting. He recanted Wednesday and said the priest had tried to calm the students.

The arrest of Mkhatshwa, secretary general of the Southern African Catholic Bishops Conference, had stirred protests by clerics in Britain, Holland and elsewhere.

Two chief editors resign posts

HAMBURG, West Germany (AP) — The two chief editors of Stern magazine have resigned, less than a year after they took control of the illustrated weekly that published the fake Hitler diaries.

Rolf Gillhausen, who left to pursue a career in film production, had been a chief editor since before Stern published the bogus diaries last April. The other chief editor, Peter Scholl-Latour, joined Stern last summer and will stay on as publisher, according to a statement Thursday by the magazine's owner, the Gruner and Jahr publishing company.

Gillhausen was a chief editor when the fake diaries were serialized, but he was not blamed for the decision to publish them.

Stern's circulation has dropped by about 100,000 copies a week, to 1.5 million, since it published the fake diaries after buying them for the equivalent of $3.6 million.

Konrad Kujau, a dealer of Nazi memorabilia, confessed to forging the journals. He and former Stern reporter Gerd Heidemann were arrested for suspected involvement in a scheme to bilk Gruner and Jahr.

Formal charges have not been filed, but Kujau and Heidemann are in investigative custody in Hamburg.

National Briefs

Safety devices called helpful

CHICAGO (AP) — Smoke detectors, seat-belt laws and child-proof lids for drugs helped reduce accidental deaths among children under 14 to a record low in 1983, the National Safety Council says.

The 8,600 deaths was the lowest total since the organization began compiling statistics in 1903, Sharon Gamache, the council's home-safety specialist, said Thursday. The previous low was in 1981, when 8,800 children died in accidents. There were 8,900 accidental deaths in 1982, she said.

However, she said, accidental deaths remain the No. 1 killer of children, as well as of all people between the ages of 1 and 38.

Five families refuse to move

MALIBU, Calif. (AP) — Despite warnings that their ocean-view homes could slide down a cliff at any moment, five families have refused to move from the posh Big Rock Mesa and county engineers say a court order may be needed to get them out.

Of the 13 houses on the cliff — which has been sliding an 1½ inch a week — four have been vacated and the families in four others say they'll leave this weekend. The other five families have defied geologists' warnings to get out before the seaside cliff collapses onto the Pacific Coast Highway below.

Deputy County Engineer Tom Schriber said Wednesday that authorities will seek a court order to get the families to leave the homes valued at $500,000 or more.

Washington Briefs

'Ticking time bombs' driven

WASHINGTON (AP) — Some motorists are driving autos that are "ticking time bombs," full of defects that aren't being caught by the government because of insufficient checks on safety complaints, says the Center for Auto Safety, a consumer group.

But the National Highway Traffic Safety Administration defends its practice of handling most of its complaints through informal, private inquiries as the best way to use its resources.

NHTSA spokesman Dick Burdette said it keeps the agency from running "up a blind alley" and often provides faster access to information from automakers. If inquiries show a problem, the agency investigates, he said.

Booklet is being distributed

WASHINGTON (AP) — A booklet discouraging instruction on creationism has been prepared by the National Academy of Sciences and is being mailed to all school superintendents, heads of high school science departments and members of the National Science Teachers Association.

The 28-page booklet argues that creationists' beliefs have been found wanting when tested by the scientific method.

Adherents of creationism believe literally in the Biblical descriptions of how God created man. Scientists generally ascribe to Darwin's theory of evolution that man evolved from the apes.

Workout is worthwhile

IRVINE, Calif. (AP) — Ballet star Alexander Godunov admits he wasn't able to provide much individual attention during his master class at the University of California-Irvine, but he and the students still felt the 1½-hour workout was worthwhile.

SCOUTS VISIT--These Cub Scouts visited the Snyder Daily News this week. They are Chris Cunnington, Den 2, Pack 61; James Matthew, Stephen Broker and Zach Golden, all from Den 1, Pack 61; Daniel Franklin and Lance Price, Den 2, Pack 61; and Harley Harper, Den 4, Pack 37. They attend either North or Northeast schools. Leaders are Pat Keahey, cub master; Elizabeth Keahey, Shelia Claxton, Dorothy Price and Pat Cunnington, all den leaders. (SDN Staff Photo)

Prison funds are used for housing for staffers

HUNTSVILLE, Texas (AP) — Texas prison records say that funds for prison inmate education and recreational programs have been used to buy housing and other amenities for prison staff members, The Dallas Morning News has reported.

The newspaper said in a copyright story in Friday's editions that the inmate education funds were also used to pay for employee parking lots and the property on which the prison administration building sits.

The money was used to pay for such things as four revolvers bought in 1968 and former TDC director W.J. Estelle Jr.'s travel expenses from Montana when he interviewed for a job, records obtained by the newspaper also show.

Officials said the money has been raised primarily through the inmates' annual prison rodeo and the sale of cigarettes and other items to inmates through the commissary.

"It has been used over the years as a slush fund," said Rep. Ray Keller, R-Duncanville, whose office is investigating the use of the fund. "It was an extra fund used to circumvent the Legislature."

The newspaper study of TDC files shows the educational and recreational account receives no rental payments for the vacant lots and employee parking areas it owns.

TDC officials told the newspaper that employees pay monthly rents of no more than $30 to live in houses the inmate funds have bought.

"I think there's clearly been an abuse of these funds," said Keller, who chairs the House committee that oversees the Texas prison system.

Committee chairman Robert Gunn of Wichita Falls said that members of the State Board of Corrections have asked for reports on the educational and recretational fund. The reports will be presented at the board's next meeting in Huntsville Monday.

Gunn denied that the fund had been abused.

"To my knowledge, at this stage, I don't think the fund has been abused," Gunn said. "I think the definition of legislative intent has been ambiguous. It has needed refining."

The inmates' educational and recreational fund, whose revenues totaled $4.3 million during the past fiscal year, is one of at least three TDC funds whose monies are raised within the system, officials said.

They said expenditures are made directly by TDC rather than through the state comptroller's office as state funds are. Keller said guidelines indicating how the funds can be spent have been broadly interpreted.

TDC records show that the fund pays the $23,000 annual salary of TDC staffer Jay Byrd, a position Keller said should be budgeted by the Legislature. Byrd is director of the prison rodeo, and also serves as public information officer for the prison system.

Byrd's full salary is paid through the inmate fund "because there's no way to do it any other way," said TDC bookkeeper Mike Turner, who has worked with the fund for about six years.

He said a trade-off is involved since other employees on the state payroll have some rodeo-related duties.

TDC officials said that the fund has paid for musical instruments, television sets for inmate day rooms and a pre-release building for prisoners.

"The money does provide benefits to inmates where it is not appropriate to spend tax dollars in those areas," said TDC spokesman Rick Hartley. "It is used in the areas of medicine, education, religion and recreation."

The educational and recreational fund was established in the 1930s to handle earnings from the prison's inmate rodeo, which is held each fall in Huntsville.

The fund also receives interest from the money prisoners have deposited in bank accounts administered by TDC officials.

The fund's fixed assets were valued at $8.7 million at the end of the fiscal year last August, including buildings, land and other property and $3.8 million invested in certificates of deposit, said TDC records.

TDC accountant Gary Baker, who works with the fund, identified the buildings and land it owns as including:

— A city block in Huntsville where TDC's administration building sits. Baker said the state uses the land, which was bought in 1940, free of charge.

— A lot and a three-bedroom house in Huntsville. Hartley said an employee of the TDC's records and classification division lives in the house.

Soliciting fine noted

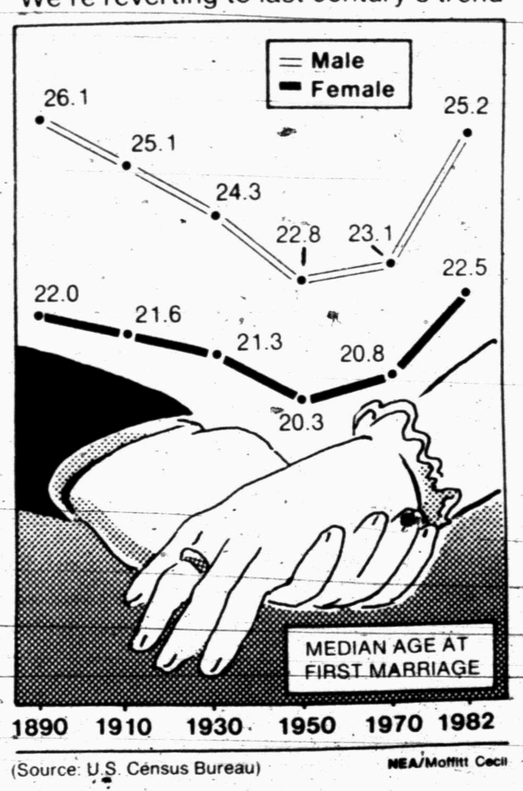
Snyder police reported detaining three men for soliciting without a permit on an otherwise quiet Thursday afternoon.

Police had received several calls from area residents inquiring about the trio, who were going door-to-door. They were released after paying a $25 fine for soliciting without a permit.

In other action, city officers jailed three subjects, one for DWI and two for public intoxication Thursday evening. One of the men charged with PI was also charged with disorderly conduct.

AMERICANS MARRY LATER

We're reverting to last century's trend



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During the first half of the 20th century, the median age of both men and woman at their first marriage decreased dramatically. Today, however, the children of the '60s and '70s are waiting until their mid-20s to tie the knot. Men, however, continue to wait almost three years longer than women.

Administration pushing for aid for C. America

WASHINGTON (AP) — Congressional supporters of President Reagan say they will continue to fight for more money to combat leftists in Central America despite a narrow defeat and bipartisan criticism of administration tactics.

By a vote of 15-14 Thursday, the Republican-controlled Senate Appropriations Committee rejected Reagan's emergency request for $21 million in aid between now and Sept. 30 for CIA-backed rebels fighting Nicaragua's leftist regime.

The committee then postponed until Tuesday any action on the president's companion proposal for $93 million in emergency military aid for El Salvador's beleaguered army, which is struggling against a left-wing revolution.

Sen. Robert Kasten, R-Wis., chairman of the subcommittee that screens requests for overseas spending, said he would move for approval of the Salvadoran aid on Tuesday as an amendment to a measure providing $150 million in emergency food relief for Africa.

Sen. Ted Stevens, R-Alaska, chairman of the subcommittee on military spending, moved to add funds for the Nicaraguan rebels to a bill containing $200 million to buy heating fuel for poor people. After his amendment failed, the committee approved the bill by a voice vote.

Stevens said he would confer with administration officials about his next move, which might be trying to attach the Nicaragua money to the African aid bill or attempting to put it on the energy bill when it reaches the Senate floor, probably next week.

Both the energy assistance bill and the food aid bill cleared the House Tuesday with strong Democratic support and administration strategists believed that by attaching the new military aid as riders, Reagan could overcome House opposition and dispatch the aid quickly.

White House spokesman Robert Sims said the administration was "disappointed" by the committee vote.

White House spokesman Larry Speakes said the administration settled on the maneuver because "we want the matter considered by Congress promptly." The administration contends the Salvadoran army may run out of supplies before elections scheduled for spring, leaving the guerrillas free to disrupt the balloting.

Administration tactics drew sharp criticism from Democrats and some Republicans, both on and off the Appropriations Committee, who said the procedure did not give Congress enough opportunity for deliberation on the issue.

"I really am sorry for the president of the United States, to tell the truth," said Sen. Pete V. Domenici, R-N.M.

"If the State Department is going to manage the remaining activities in the effort to establish policy in Central America the way they handled this episode, I guarantee them, and I guarantee the president for whom they work, that they are going to fail," he said.

Sen. Dale Bumpers, D-Ark., joined the criticism, saying, "I don't want to have to vote against aid to the starving people of Africa in order to have my vote against military aid to El Salvador recorded."

House Speaker Thomas P. O'Neill Jr., a leading critic of Reagan's Central American policy, said, "We don't want any backdoor approach. We want to face this issue."

William Schneider, undersecretary of state for security assistance, told a House panel the administration was "simply left with no alternative way of doing it" because Congress has opposed the use of presidential emergency powers to send military supplies to El Salvador without congressional action.

Markets

Midday Stocks

NEW YORK (AP)

	High	Low	Last
AMR Corp	30⅞	30¼	30¼
Amer Can	47⅝	47⅛	47⅛
Ameritech n	67⅝	67	67¼
Am Motors	5⅞	5¾	5⅞
Amer T&T n	17⅛	17	17
Armcolnc	18¾	18⅝	18⅝
AtlRichfld	45⅞	45½	45¾
BancTexas	5⅛	5⅛	5⅛
BellAtlan n	71¼	71	71
BellSouth n	94¼	94⅛	94⅛
Beth Steel	25¼	25⅛	25⅛
Borden	53¼	53	53
CaterpTr	45⅝	45½	45½
Centel	32¾	32¼	32¾
Chrysler	26⅝	26⅛	26⅛
CocaCola	52	51¾	52
Coleman	26⅞	26¾	26¾
DiamShrn	19¼	19	19⅛
DowChem	28⅞	28⅝	28⅞
DressrInd	19¼	19⅛	19⅛
East Kodak	66½	66⅛	66¼
EDS s	25⅛	25⅛	25⅛
Enserch s	20	19¾	19⅞
Entex	19⅞	19⅝	19¾
Exxon	38⅝	38⅛	38¼
Firestone	16⅞	16¾	16⅞
FtBcpTex	19¾	19½	19¾
FordMot s	37½	37¼	37¼
GAF Corp	15½	15½	15½
GTE Corp	37¼	37	37
GnDynam	43¾	43½	43½
GenElect s	49⅝	49¼	49⅝
Gen Food	47¾	47⅝	47¾
Gen Motors	66⅝	65⅞	66
Goodyear	26	25⅞	25⅞
GtAtlPac	12¼	12⅛	12⅛
GulfCorp	67⅛	64½	65⅝
Haliburtn	36⅛	35⅞	36⅛
HarteHnk s	21¼	21⅛	21⅛
Holiday Inn	44	43¾	44
HoustInd	18¼	18	18
HughesTl	18¼	18¼	18¼
Interfst	13⅞	13½	13¾
IBM	108¼	107¾	107¾
Intl Harv	10⅝	10½	10½
Int Paper	55⅛	54¾	54¾
Jeff Pilot	39	38¾	39
JohnsJn	35	34⅞	34⅞
K mart	30½	30	30
KrogerCo	32⅝	32½	32⅝
LTV Corp	16¾	16⅝	16⅝
Litton Ind	60⅝	60⅛	60⅛
LoneSta Ind	25⅝	25⅝	25⅝
May DStr	46⅞	46⅝	46⅝
Medtronic	33½	33	33¼
Mobil	30⅝	30⅛	30⅛
Monsanto	87⅞	87½	87¾
Motorola	106⅞	106½	106⅝
NabiscoBrd	41⅝	41	41
NYNEX n	62	61¾	61⅞
PacifTel n	54⅞	53⅞	54⅞
Penney JC	51¾	51⅛	51¼
Phelps Dod	27⅛	26⅞	27
PhillpsPet	39¼	39	39¼
Polaroid	27⅝	27¼	27⅜
ProctGamb	46½	46⅛	46⅜
RCA	29⅝	29⅜	29⅜
Republic Stl	23	22⅝	23
RepBankCp	30¼	30⅛	30⅛
Sabine	23½	22¾	22¾
Safeway	24⅞	24¾	24¾
SFeSoPac n	23⅝	23½	23⅝
SearsRoeb s	34	33⅝	33⅝
ShellOil	57¼	57⅛	57⅛
Singer Co	23¼	23	2N
Co	15⅛	15	15⅛
Southland	32	31⅞	31⅞
SwstBksh	26⅜	26⅜	26⅜
SwstBell n	59¾	59½	59⅝
StdOilInd	53½	53	53½
StdOilOh		46½	46¼
SunComp	48½	47⅞	48½
Tenneco	39⅞	39⅝	39⅝
Texaco Inc	38⅞	38⅝	38⅞
TexComBn	46	45⅝	46
TexEastn	62½	62½	62½
Texas Inst	125⅛	141	gaex-
asOGas s	25	24⅞	24⅝
Tex Util	23¼	23⅛	23¼
TylerCp	25	25	25
Un Carbide	54⅝	54⅜	54½
UnPacCp	45	44⅝	44⅝
US Steel	29⅜	29⅛	29¼
USWest n	59¼	59	59
UniTel	18⅞	18¾	18¾
Unocal	34	33	33⅛
WalMart s	34¼	34	34
Westgh El	44⅞	44½	44¾
Xerox Cp	39¾	39⅛	39⅛
Zenith R	26⅜	26¼	26¼

Cotton

NEW YORK (AP) — Cotton futures No. 2 were higher at midday dealings today.

The average price for strict low middling 1 & 1-16 inch spot cotton advanced 41 points to 73.91 cents a pound Thursday for the eight markets, according to the New York Cotton Exchange.

Midday prices were unchanged to $2.50 a bale higher than the previous close. May 79.82, Jul 80.35, Oct 76.45, Dec 74.70, Mar 75.60, May 76.10 and Jul 76.50.

Actor hurt during fall

TRUCKEE, Calif. (AP) — Actor Peter Graves, known to TV audiences for his six-year stint as the team leader on "Mission Impossible," has another not-too-easy task ahead. He has to spend a week in a hospital recovering from injuries he suffered in a fall, a spokesman says.

Graves, 58, broke both his upper and lower jaws when he slipped on an icy road and fell into some rocks while walking near his Lake Tahoe condominium, his spokesman, Rick Ingersoll, said Thursday.

The actor needed about 100 stitches around his lips, but is not expected to require plastic surgery, Ingersoll said in Los Angeles.

Graves fell Sunday and was listed in stable condition Thursday at Tahoe Forest Hospital.

The brother of actor James Arness, Graves also starred in "Airplane" and "Airplane II."

Red Walker retires from Texaco, Inc.

"Red" Walker, who has completed 39 years of service with Texaco, has elected early retirement from the Midland Operations Division, Producing Department of Texaco Inc. at Snyder, effective March 1, announced J. M. Weaver of Midland.

Walker, a native of Ft. Towson, Okla., joined Texaco at Brownfield in 1945 as an assistant recorder. Subsequently, he served as rodman at Geophysical Party No. 35 and as surveyor on Party No. 32; roustabout, mechanic, water flood plant operator, assistant production foreman and head roustabout in Snyder. He is chairman of Scurry County Library Board in Snyder.

The Walkers live at 3003 42nd Street in Snyder and have three children: James D. Walker of Vienna, Virginia; Molly Ann Walker Droge, M. D. of Dallas and Amber Dawn of Austin.

The African nations of Tanzania and Uganda announced in 1972 that they had settled a dispute that had arisen when Uganda accused Tanzania of launching an invasion.

The French defeated the Russians in the 1799 Battle of Zurich.

Obituaries

Doyle

HUNTSVILLE--Services for James A. Doyle, 55, of Huntsville, former Snyder resident, were held at 8 a.m. Thursday in Huntsville. He died around 5:30 p.m. Tuesday.

He is survived by a son, James Ray of Houston; two sisters, Dena Sharp of Camp Springs and Rena Sharp of Rotan; two brothers, Paul of Camp Springs and Cleve of Rotan.

Climer

LUBBOCK--Services for C. S. Climer, 64, of Lubbock are pending with Rix Funeral Directors.

He died at 11:55 a.m. Thursday at Veterans Administration Medical Center in Dallas.

He was the brother of Mildred Ashley of Snyder.

He was born in Clayton, N. M. He married Edna Glenn in 1963 in Lubbock. He was a retired painter and veteran of World War II.

He is also survived by his wife; three sons, A. G. and Jimmy D, both of Euless, and Gary L. of Lubbock; a brother, B. Climer of Amarillo; two other sisters, Nelda Cook of Tyler and Thelma Taylor of Slaton.

HOSPITAL NOTES

ADMISSIONS: Opal Williams, 2901 28th; Betty Spraggins, Snyder Oaks; Clinton Tucker, 2906 Ave. F; Sam Glover, Rt. 1; Eva Glover, Rt. 1.

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By BILL McCLELLAN
SDN Sports Editor

MIDLAND -- Coach Barry Davis may have been worried but Richie Fells said he wasn't as Western Texas combined solid defense with an iffy night at the freethrow line to defeat favored McLennan Community College in the first round of the men's Region V Tournament here Wednesday, 48-47.

"Whew. They like to make it interesting, don't they," said Davis, whose Westerners had a nine point lead with 1:07 to go but won the game by just single point when things went sour at the freethrow line.

The difference came during a five-minute span of the second quarter, as Western outscored the Highlanders 11-2 to rally from behind and take a 43-36 advantage.

McLennan, which had benefitted from 31 freethrows to beat the Westerners 81-79 earlier in the season, hit only one of five charity shots as the clock ticked from 8:30 to 2:54. But the Highlanders got back in the game when Western began to miss its freethrows, too. The Westerners were just 5 of 13 in the final three minutes, but it was enough.

According to Fells, there was no need to worry.

"We knew we had the game won," said the 6-3 sophomore from Brooklyn, who had 12 points. "We've played in a lot of close games this season. We've been in this situation before. We got more confident as the game went along."

The victory sends Western, now 22-10, to tonight's 7 o'clock semifinal game against Texas State Technical Institute, a surprising 74-65 winner over Odessa College. In tonight's other semifinal, Amarillo takes on tournament favorite Howard College. Amarillo edged Ranger 75-73 Wednesday while Howard ripped Grayson 93-49.

Coach Davis said, "I thought Odessa would win (and be WTC's opponent tonight) but it doesn't surprise me that TSTI beat them. They've got a fine basketball team."

Freethrows played a major role in the final minutes here Thursday, but it was Western's dominating defense which set up the victory over McLennan. The Westeners shot a paltry 26.6 percent from the field in the first half yet trailed only 21-20 at intermission.

"I thought we played excellent defense," agreed Davis. "When you shoot 26 percent against a team like McLennan, it was a miracle we were even in the ballgame. You know we had to be doing something at the other end."

What Western was doing was outrebounding the Highlanders 18 to 12 and canning four of five freethrows in the first half. Western took the lead for only the second time in the game as Fells scored the first bucket after intermission. The teams traded off until Fells targeted another shot to put Western up 38-36 with 6:48 to play. The Westerners added a field goal and two freethrows from Victor Spencer, two freeshots each from Fells, Larry Banks and Jeff Gibson and a single point from Eugene Lewis to push the advantage to 47-38 with 1:07 to play.

McLennan got back into it less than 10 seconds later when Ivan Young countered with a three-point play. The Highlanders then held Western in the backcourt for 10 seconds to regain possession, and Young scored another basket, 47-43 as the clock read 0:35.

Five seconds later, Gibson went to the line for WTC and hit the front end of a one-and-one situation, giving the Westerners the eventual winning point. Western made it close when Banks and Fells both went to the line but came up empty in the final seconds.

Banks' 16 points led all scorers in the game. Fells, who was four of five from the line, had 12. Eugene Lewis notched only 2 points but had 8 rebounds. Western got strong help from its bench as Spencer put in 6 points, Jeff Gibson 5 and Melroy Butler 4.

Young had 12 points and 8 rebounds to lead McLennan. Mike Martin scored 11 and had 9 boards.

WESTERN TX (48)-- Johnson 1 1-2 3; Fells 4 4-5 12; Gibson 1 3-4 5; Chambers 0 0-0 0; Spencer 2 2-4 6; Butler 1 2-2 4; Lewis 0 2-5 2; Banks 6 4-6 16; TOTALS 15-46, 18-29, 48.

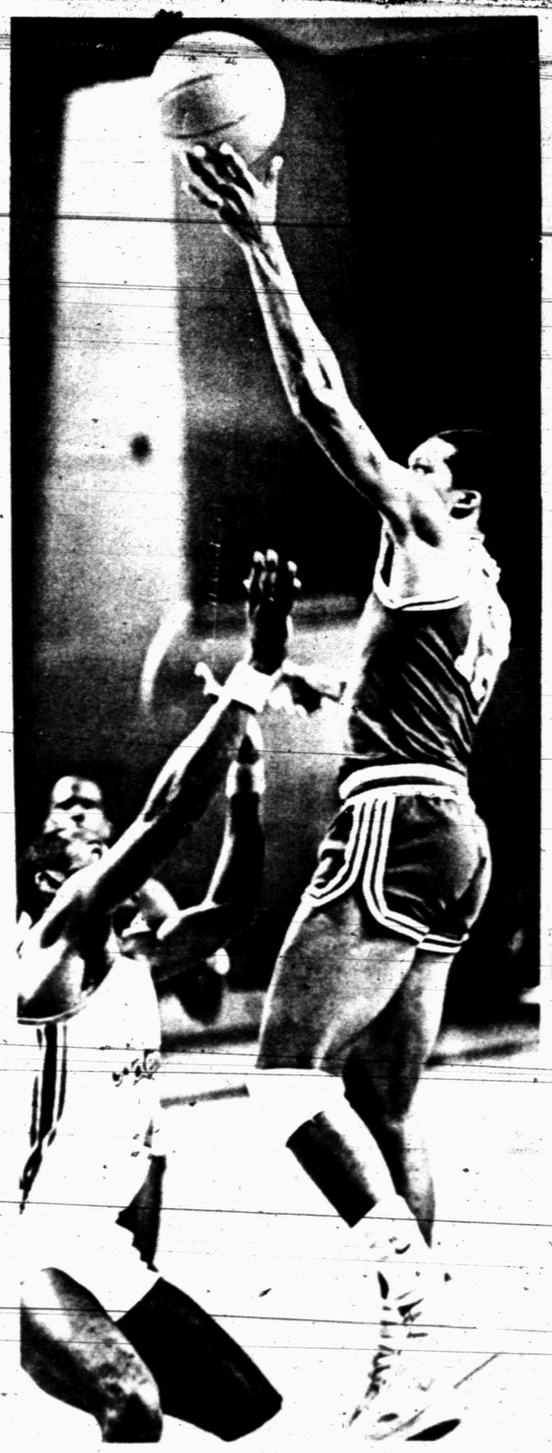
MCLENNAN CC (47)-- Williams 1 0-0 2; Harvey 0 0-0 0; Goudeau 2 0-1 4; Mattson 4 2-2 10; Woods 1-0-1 2; Carrier 2 0-0 6; Martin 5 1-4 11; Young 5 2-3 12; TOTALS 21-53, 5-11, 47

Total fouls: WTC 15, MCC 26.

Fouled out: Williams, Goudeau (MCC).

Rebounds: MCC 35, WTC 28.

Halftime: MCC 21, WTC 20



WTC WINS -- Western Texas College built a nine-point lead in the final minutes, then held on to defeat McLennan 48-47 in first-round action of the men's Region V Tournament in Midland Thursday. Western, now 22-10, will play Texas State Technical Institute tonight at 7. Above, sophomore Richie Fells goes high to score two points. (SDN Staff Photo by Bill McClellan)

Men's Region V Tournament Pairings
Thursday, March 8
Amarillo 75, Ranger 73.
Western Texas 48, McLennan 47.
TSTI 74, Odessa 65.
Howard 93, Grayson 49.
Friday's Games
7 p.m., Western Texas versus TSTI.
9 p.m., Amarillo versus Grayson.
Saturday's Game
7 p.m. championship game.

Snyder to host region tourneys

MIDLAND -- Snyder will host the 1984-85 Region V junior college basketball tournaments, it was determined here Thursday morning.

The tournaments will be held March 5-9 at Scurry County Coliseum.

It will be the first time for Snyder to host the tournaments, which are being held at Chaparral Center here this year and have been held in Big Spring in recent seasons.

'Lassies conquer Odessa to claim Region V crown

MIDLAND -- McLennan Community College's Highlassies staged a stunning comeback to rip Odessa 80-67 here Thursday and win the women's Region V Tournament championship.

McLennan, from Waco, had trailed the Wranglers by as many as 12 points in the first half.

The loss was a mild upset for Odessa, which had been ranked No. 1 in the nation earlier in the season and came into the regionals ranked No. 4. Odessa College also saw its Wranglers bow out of the men's Region V Tournament here Thursday in a 74-65 loss to Texas State Technical Institute.

McLennan placed three girls on the Region V All-Tournament Team, including Most Valuable Player Rita Martin. Also named were Debra DeGrate and Phyllis Cleary.

Others chosen included Mary Nell Clayton and Clara Campbell from Western Texas College and Tricia Clay, Sharon Cain and Sharon Blair from Odessa.

McLennan will represent Region V in the upcoming NJCAA National Tournament.

Clayton named All-Region V

MIDLAND -- Western Texas College standout Mary Nell Clayton was named to the All-Region V Team here Wednesday, adding yet another honor to a fine sophomore season.

Clayton, also named All-Western Junior College Athletic Conference and All-Region V Tournament, averaged 21.4 points for Coach Joe Cushing's Dusters.

The 5-9 Roby native was joined in post-season honors by 6-2 freshman Clara Campbell, who was chosen honorable mention all-region and second team all-WJCAC.

Campbell, from Dallas, was also an All-region V Tournament selection.

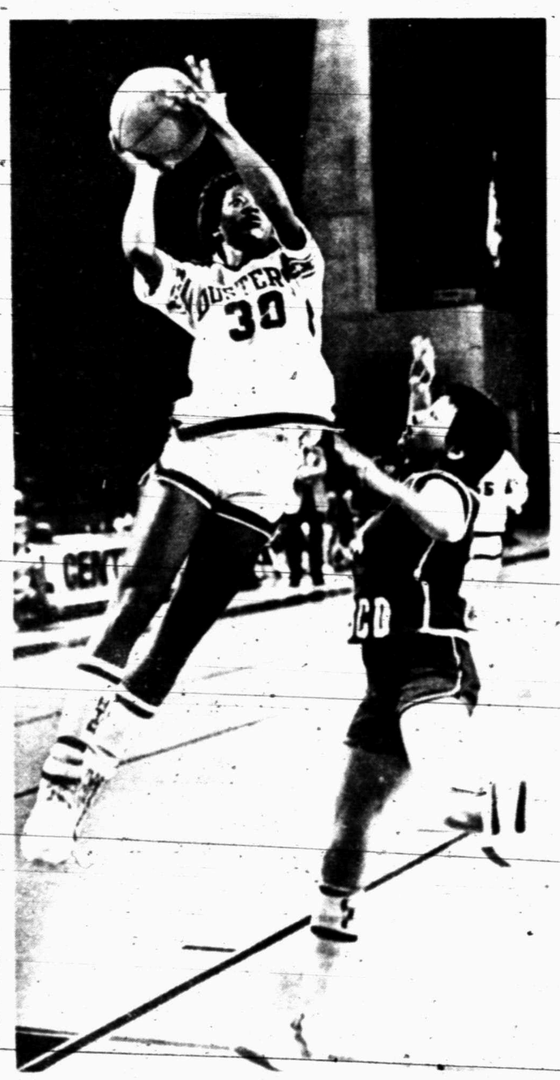
The two girls aided Western's Dusters to a school women's basketball record of 27 victories this season.

Amarillo's 6-2 Machelle Whitehead led the list of all-region players, followed by Odessa All-American Sharon Cain. Also on the team were Rita Martin and Debra DeGrate of McLennan, Terri Moore of Howard, Felicia Bluitt of Cooke County, Trisha Clay of Odessa, Sheila Stone of Grayson and Barbara Williams of Cisco.

Honorable mention choices were Campbell - who lacked one vote in receiving first team all-region honors - and Penny Lewis of Hill, Georgia Walton of Amarillo, Janene Berry of Howard and Sharon Blair of Odessa.

All-Region V Team
Machelle Whitehead, Amarillo; Sharon Cain, Odessa; Rita Martin, McLennan; Debra DeGrate, McLennan; Terri Moore, Howard; Felicia Bluitt, Cooke; Trisha Clay, Odessa; Mary Nell Clayton, Western Texas; Barbara Williams, Cisco

Honorable Mention
Clara Campbell, Western Texas; Penny Lewis, Hill; Georgia Walton, Amarillo; Janene Berry, Howard; Sharon Blair, Odessa



ALL-REGION -- WTC's Mary Nell Clayton, a 5-9 sophomore from Roby, has been selected All-Region. She was also all-conference and all-Region V Tournament along with teammate Clara Campbell. Campbell, a 6-2 freshman, was honorable mention all-region. (SDN Staff Photo by Bill McClellan)

Golfers 3rd at midpoint

SAN MARCOS -- Mike Stanley fired a 74 here Thursday, helping Western Texas College to third place at the midway point of the Southwest Texas State University Intercollegiate junior college division.

Western, which also got a 75 from Clark Dennis, shot a 315 over the first 18 holes to stand behind leader McLennan Community College and runnerup Temple. McLennan, from Waco, shot a 308 while Temple carded a 309. The final 18 holes were to be played today at Woodcreek Resort country club.

Stephen F. Austin is leading the university division with a 304, followed by Sam Houston State University at 306 and host Southwest Texas State University at 310.

Temple's Mike Heller leads the medalist race with a fine 72. WTC's Stanley and Eddie Holt of Abilene Christian are two strokes behind the pace.

While Stanley and Dennis led the way, Western's other scores were off the target. Mark Ingbrigtsen and Eric McGraw shot 83s while Jim Batjer turned in an 84.

Other junior college division scores have South Plains nine strokes behind Western Texas with a 326, followed by San Jacinto North at 328, Jacksonville at 334 and Wharton at 347.

SWTSU Intercollegiate
Thursday's Results
Judo Division
TEAM SCORES: 1. McLennan 308; 2. Temple 309, 3. Western Texas 315, 4. South Plains 326, 5. San Jacinto 328, 6. Jacksonville 334, 7. Wharton 347

NBA glance

By The Associated Press

EASTERN CONFERENCE	W	L	Pct.	GB
Atlantic Division				
Boston	47	15	758	—
Philadelphia	37	24	607	9½
New York	37	25	597	10
New Jersey	33	29	532	14
Washington	28	35	444	19½
Central Division				
Milwaukee	38	25	603	—
Detroit	36	26	581	1½
Atlanta	31	33	484	7½
Chicago	23	38	377	14
Cleveland	22	39	361	15
Indiana	18	44	290	19½
WESTERN CONFERENCE				
Midwest Division				
Utah	35	29	547	—
Dallas	34	29	540	½
Kansas City	29	33	468	5
Denver	28	35	444	6½
San Antonio	26	38	406	9
Houston	24	38	387	10
Pacific Division				
Los Angeles	40	21	656	—
Portland	38	25	603	3
Seattle	32	30	516	8½
Phoenix	30	33	476	11
Golden State	29	33	468	11½
San Diego	22	40	355	18½

Thursday's Games
Washington 106, Seattle 96
Kansas City 115, Chicago 110
Friday's Games
Seattle at Philadelphia
New Jersey at Detroit
Portland at Atlanta
Los Angeles at Dallas
Boston at Milwaukee
Indiana at Phoenix
Denver at San Diego

Exhibition baseball

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Thursday's Games
St. Louis 2, Cincinnati 1
Houston 5, Minnesota 4
Los Angeles 5, Texas 0
Philadelphia 6, Toronto 3
Pittsburgh 10, Rollins College 2
Chicago White Sox 4, N.Y. Mets 0
Boston 6, Detroit 2
Baltimore 3, Kansas City 2, 13 innings
Atlanta 5, Montreal (ss) 2
San Francisco 5, Seattle 3
Cleveland 4, Chicago Cubs 2
Oakland 17, San Diego 15, 10 innings
California 7, Milwaukee 2
Montreal (ss) 2, N.Y. Yankees 0

Tech, Rice battling in SWC tournament

HOUSTON (AP) - The Rice Owls have never advanced past the second round of the Southwest Conference Basketball Post-Season Classic, and the Southern Methodist Mustangs have not reached the NCAA playoffs in seven years.

They'll both be looking for a little respect tonight when the Owls play Texas Tech and SMU meets Texas A&M in quarterfinals games of the ninth annual SWC tournament in Hofheinz Pavilion.

Awaiting the outcome of tonight's matchups are fifth-ranked Houston and eighth-ranked Arkansas, who earned byes into the tournament's semifinals by finishing first and second in the SWC for the second consecutive year.

The Red Raiders finished fourth in the SWC, including a pair of tight victories over the Owls, but Coach Gerald Myers said he told his team not to feel disappointed.

"We had to play against three of the top four centers in the country," Myers said. "It's been three big ones (SMU, Houston and Arkansas) and six dwarfs this year. Really, the rest of us aren't that bad, we just don't have the big centers. We can compete with those teams that don't have the big centers."

Myers referred to Houston's Akeem Ojaluwon, the nation's leading rebounder; SMU's Jon Koncak; and Arkansas' Joe Kleine.

The Raiders bring a 16-11 overall record into the game against the Owls, who were 11-16 and won their first SWC tournament game Tuesday to reach the second round.

The SMU-A&M winner advances to Saturday's semifinals against Arkansas, 24-5.

Texas Tech ladies test top-rated UT Longhorns

HOUSTON (AP) - The other teams in the Southwest Conference Women's Basketball Tournament hoped the top-ranked Texas Longhorns would show some effects of losing All-American junior center Annette Smith last week.

The Longhorns dashed that idea by breezing past Houston 96-76 in a semifinal game at Hofheinz Pavilion Thursday night.

Texas Tech downed Arkansas 56-43 in the other semifinal game and will meet the Longhorns in Saturday's championship game at 2 p.m.

Smith was the fifth Texas player to suffer a knee injury this season.

The Smith family was represented by sophomore Audrey Smith, who hit a career high 23 points on eight for eight shooting from the field.

Leeta Whaley, sidelined since December with a knee injury, came off the bench in the first half to ignite a 27-8 spurt that buried the Cougars, now 16-12.

Fran Harris led the Longhorns with 27 points.

Texas Tech is faced with the task of trying to break Texas' 24-game winning streak and a string of 80 straight victories against SWC foes.

Texas will take a 29-2 record into the title game against the Raiders, 23-5.

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Perot, Butler continue feuding over education

AUSTIN (AP) — Reform committee chairman H. Ross Perot and State Board of Education Chairman Joe Kelly Butler are screaming "dictator" and pointing fingers at each other.

Perot, chairman of the Select Committee on Public Education, wants to abolish the 27-member, elected panel headed by Butler.

"We've got to replace a group that couldn't perform with a group that can," Perot said Thursday.

What he favors is a seven-member panel appointed by the governor. Butler and two other board members said Perot or an aide made overtures that sounded like offers of an appointed board post if they would support getting rid of the elected board.

"This little group of dictators they are get... to put in charge is going to have an easy time," said Butler, claiming the elected board has done all the difficult work.

Of Butler's "dictators" comment, Perot said, "I find it interesting and humorous that Joe Kelly Butler would refer to another group as dictators."

Perot also denied offering board posts to Butler and State Board of Education members Will Davis of Austin and Mary Ann Leveridge of East Bernard.

"It's a false trail," he said. "I'm not in a position to offer anybody a place."

The appointed board idea is a long way from being in place. A subcommittee of Perot's panel has recommended it. The full Select Committee on Public Education will look at it next week in Dallas.

Legislators will have the final say.

"If you look at the whole record of this elected board, it's a record of failure to perform," said Perot. "It's no wonder the system doesn't work. There's no point in spending more money unless we have the leadership in place to make it work."

The 27 state board members now are elected by congressional district.

Butler said Tom Luce, a lawyer for Perot, made the comments about a possible spot in the appointed board. But the chairman said he's not interested in anything other than an elected board.

"If we are going to get blown away, I'm going to go right with them," Butler said.

Davis and Mrs. Leveridge also said Perot had, at least by implication, said they would have shots at seats on an appointed board. The Perot comments came in conversations about support for an appointed board, according to Davis and Mrs. Leveridge.

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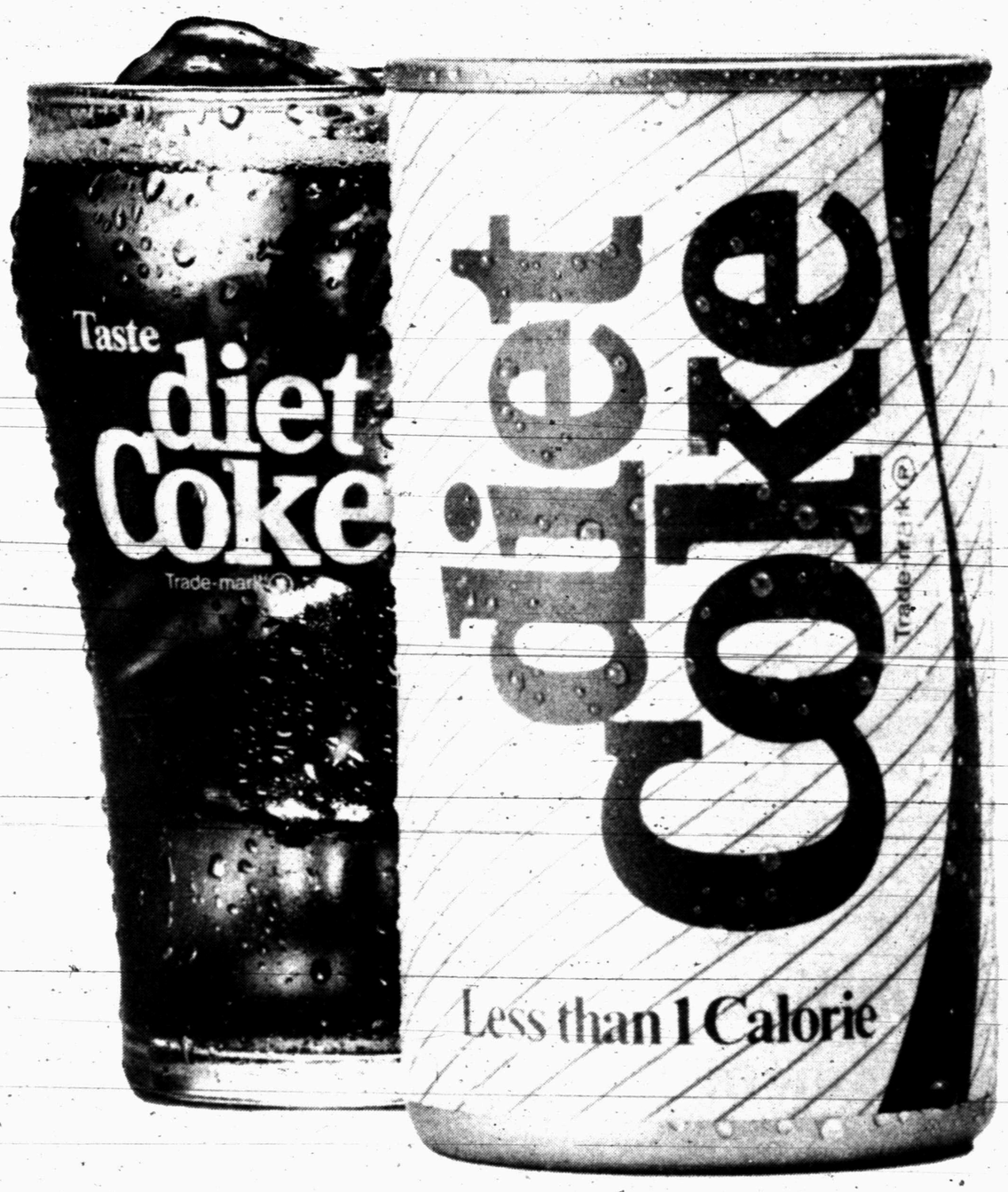

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