

# Nine local offices up for election

## Two say they will not run again

At least two county officials have indicated they will not be candidates for re-election as the filing date approaches for the March 13 primary election.

The first day to file as a candidate for office is Sunday, but two veteran officials — District Clerk Polly Underwood and Peace Justice Dan Callaway — announced this week that they would not run for new four-year terms.

Nine local offices will be up for election in 1990 as well as the 78th State Representative office currently held by Democrat David Counts of Knox City.

Counts has indicated he will run for the office again. He already faces opposition from Republican candidate John Pen-

nington of Sweetwater, who announced his intentions in late October.

Local offices up for election are county judge, county attorney, district clerk, county clerk, county treasurer, precinct 2 county commissioner, precinct 4 county commissioner, precinct 1 peace justice and precinct 2 peace justice.

The office of county attorney will be for the unexpired term of Michael S. Line, who resigned earlier this year. Leland "Pete" Greene was appointed to replace him.

Candidates may file with either the Democratic or Republican party chairs starting Sunday. Prior to filing, candidates should first designate a campaign

treasurer and file it with the county clerk's office.

Hsieh Sneed is the Democratic chairman and may be reached by calling 573-7334. Mary Strelecki is the Republican chairperson and may be contacted at 573-8183.

Underwood, who has served 15 years as district clerk, announced Tuesday that she would not seek a new term. "Serving the citizens of Scurry County the past 15 years has been a gratifying experience."

Underwood, whose present term expires at the end of 1990, said she "wholeheartedly endorses Elois Pruitt" who plans to file for the office. Pruitt has served as Underwood's chief deputy the past 12 years.

Underwood came to Scurry



DAN CALLAWAY



POLLY UNDERWOOD

County in 1950 with her parents. She married Ned Underwood in 1953 and he presently is assistant high school principal. Under-

wood, who will have completed four full terms at the end of 1990, was first appointed by District (see ELECTION, page 8)

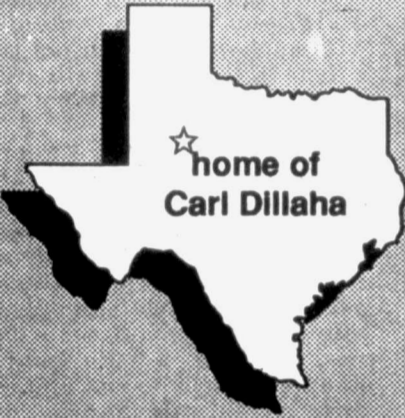
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Ask Us

Q—Do candidates for office in the upcoming primary election have to register with the party chairman before making their announcements public? Is there any charge for this?

A—Anyone running for office may announce at any time and need not wait until they file. Candidates do have to pay a fee when they file with a party chairman. The Snyder Daily News does not charge a fee to candidates who wish to announce their intentions in the paper, however.



# WEDNESDAY

# Snyder Daily News



SOUP KITCHEN TO OPEN — Gentle Dove Ministries director Sharon Applin, right, talks with chief cook Etta Chapman about the ministries' soup kitchen that will open Friday at the 1411 25th St. center. (SDN Staff Photo)

## Gentle Dove Ministries...

# 'Soup kitchen' opens Friday

Gentle Dove Ministries began as a Snyder woman's jail ministry, progressed into a program with a food bank and its own large building and now on Friday will inaugurate something Snyder may never have had — a soup kitchen for

people who are down on their luck and need a nutritious meal.

The kitchen will be open in the ministries' building in the former Bethel Assembly of God Church at 1411 25th St. from 11:30 a.m. to 1 p.m. Monday through Friday, and Gentle Dove director Sharon

D. Applin said today that in effect, anyone who wants to be served will be, although donations will be accepted.

"There will be no regulations and no questions," she said. "We're just letting the Lord bring the people, and we'll try to serve

## Review board decides not to hear complaints

Scurry County Appraisal District Board of Review voted Tuesday not to hear complaints from two citizens regarding their applications for agriculture valuation, and approved adjustments made since Oct. 1 on the county tax roll.

Agricultural valuation applications were mailed Jan. 13 to citizens in three categories: 1. Those who had recently purchased property, 2. Those whose interest in the property had changed, or 3. Those who did not have a signed application on file.

A letter, sent with the applications, explained that the forms

should have been filed in the office no later than May 1. Twenty-day notices were mailed June 1 informing the landowners that their taxes would be higher this year, but neither complainant contacted the office at that time.

The final paragraph of the letter accompanying the form stated that if the property owner had any questions, he or she should come by the appraisal district office or call.

In denying the requests, the board determined the complainants had ample opportunity to contact the office with their questions. (see REVIEW, page 8)

## Dyess base selected as MX rail garrison

By The Associated Press  
Congressman Charlie Stenholm announced today that Dyess Air Force Base in Abilene is one of six sites chosen as an MX rail garrison base.

Stenholm confirmed the choice of Dyess as home to America's newest nuclear missile system with the office of Secretary of Defense early today.

Stenholm noted, "The choice of

Dyess is further recognition of the historic role of Abilene and West Texas as a fortress of freedom."

The decision to locate several rail-based MX missiles at Dyess Air Force Base will create hundreds of jobs and guarantee a mission for the Abilene installation "well into the 21st century," echoed Sen. Phil Gramm.

Gramm said three to four trains would be deployed from Dyess, but it was not immediately known how many of the nuclear MX missiles would be involved.

A military spending bill signed by President Bush last week includes \$1.1 billion for the multiple-warhead, rail-based MX and the single-warhead, truck-based, Midgetman nuclear missiles. The bill imposes a 50-missile cap on the MX.

Gramm said construction costs for basing rail-garrison MX missiles at Dyess would total \$63.5 million, with work beginning in 1990 and completed by 1992. "We're talking about 325 construction jobs, we're talking about roughly 200 jobs at the base in 1990, peaking out at 533 in 1992, with 418 permanent jobs," Gramm said.

Dyess, home of the B-1B bomber, already has nuclear weapons and storage facilities for nuclear weapons that could be used for the MX missiles, Gramm has said.

## For food boxes...

# Goodfellows accept applications

The Goodfellows, which routinely feed about 300 Scurry County families around Christmas time, is accepting applications for food donations now.

Applications for the food boxes will appear in issues of The Snyder Daily News, beginning with today's paper.

Families requesting food donations or anyone who knows of a family who may need a food donation must apply by Dec. 6.

Applications should be mailed to Goodfellows, P.O. Box 147, Snyder, Tx., 79549.

Snyder Kiwanis Club oversees the Goodfellows food boxes project during the holiday season.

While the Kiwanis is largely in charge of the program, it is a total effort of the community, noted Larry McAden, Kiwanis vice president.

Local schools, senior citizens and merchants are some of the groups prominently involved.

The program accepts

monetary donations and canned goods. The funds are used to buy chickens, flour, cornmeal, eggs, bread, beans, potatoes and fresh fruits and vegetables to go with the canned goods.

A selection committee determines which applicants qualify for the food boxes. There is also a food committee, a funds committee and others.

The funds committee will be setting up collection points which are generally manned by senior citizens. Donations are accepted at the collection points or through Goodfellows' treasurer Joe Jackson at Snyder National Bank.

"Often in times past we've been a year ahead on donations but we're not in that position now," said McAden. "Donations have been off somewhat."

The distribution date for the food boxes will be Dec. 23 at Scurry County Coliseum Ag Complex. Families who qualify will

be mailed a card and must bring the card to the ag complex.

Jim Tully is chairman of the Goodfellows food boxes project for the Kiwanis.

## The SDN Column

By Roy McQueen

The feller on Deep Creek says, "Wisdom comes from a lifetime of listening when you'd rather have been talking."

The American Civil Liberties Union has struck again—this time in the name of religion.

The do-gooders at the ACLU helped get a tax ruling that a coven of witches is entitled to the same tax-exempt status as any established religion.

It caused the high priestess of the Rosegate coven to declare, "With this ruling, we witches will definitely be able to come out of the closet and take our place in society."

Some things ought to stay in the broom closet.

Some management expert has done another study and has again concluded what most already

know—getting angry is a poor solution.

The study concluded that "anger is in poor taste and gets bad results." In addition, things like slow, soft talking accomplishes more than raised voices and pounding of fists on desks.

The study further showed that increased worker productivity right after a supervisor's outburst will only be temporary. Sooner or later, the employees gather in the coffee room and discuss the boss' lack of self-control.

And all this time we figured it was okay to get mad as long as you got glad before sundown.

We suppose those management experts would frown on the oilfield contractor who told one of his truck drivers:

"If you were as tall as you are stupid, you'd have to sleep in a bowling alley."



## In Brief

### More fighting

SAN SALVADOR, El Salvador (AP) — Fighting broke out in the affluent western sectors of San Salvador again today, and leftist guerrillas burned a mansion just blocks away from the U.S. ambassador's official residence.

It was not immediately clear if the fighting signaled the resumption of a major guerrilla offensive on the capital that began Nov. 11 and appeared to have ended when the rebels withdrew Nov. 22.

### Court hears

WASHINGTON (AP) — States should be allowed to ban abortions for most young girls unless their parents are notified before such operations are performed, the Supreme Court was told today.

"States are entitled to enact laws to aid parents," Ohio Assistant Attorney General Rita Eppler argued.

Two cases argued before the court today dealt with the issue of parental notification. A third case that the court agreed to hear dealt with broader abortion issues.

### Fire injures 7

AMARILLO, Texas (AP) — A man was killed and at least eight people were injured this morning in a three-alarm fire that gutted a wood-frame, three-story apartment building in downtown Amarillo.

At least four people were injured after jumping from windows to escape the flames and smoke, and others were hanging from window ledges when firefighters arrived at 2:16 a.m. at the Santa Fe apartments, authorities said.

## Weather

Snyder Temperatures: High Tuesday, 40 degrees; low, 30 degrees; reading at 7 a.m. Wednesday, 35 degrees; no precipitation; total precipitation for 1989 to date, 11.48 inches.

Snyder Area Forecast: Tonight, mostly cloudy with isolated patches of light rain. The chance of measurable rain is less than 20 percent. Low in the mid 30s. East wind 5 to 10 mph. Thursday, mostly cloudy with a 20 percent chance of light rain. High in the mid 40s. East wind 5 to 15 mph.



# Will low scores mean more drop outs?

AUSTIN (AP) — The Mexican American Legal Defense and Educational Fund says it is considering a lawsuit to halt a basic skills test for college students, in part because of the potential for more minority dropouts.

There are no limits on how many times a student may take the reading, writing and math exam, but MALDEF attorney Al Kauffman predicted that students would drop out rather than take the test again and again. Students must pass it before enrolling in upper-level college courses.

The test "measures different things for different cultures," Kauffman said, "but this test does not show how well a black or a Mexican American can do in college, which is the whole theory behind administering this exam."

He said his group is considering a number of options, including filing a federal lawsuit to prevent the state from administering the test.

The figures from the latest test in September show that Anglo college students have a significantly higher pass rate than minorities on the Texas Academic Skills Program exam.

Eighty percent of the teacher education students and 74 percent of the high school students who took the test in September passed it.

Of the 4,002 teacher education candidates, 95.4 percent passed reading, 80.4 percent passed math and 86.8 percent writing. Among Anglo teacher education candidates, 98.3 percent passed reading,

87.2 percent passed math and 92.2 percent passed writing.

The figure dropped significantly for black teacher education students: 84.5 percent passed reading, 48.5 percent passed math and 69.4 percent passed writing.

Hispanics fared better: 89 percent passed reading, 67.8 percent passed math and 76.5 percent passed writing.

The figures were better for the 6,321 college-bound high school students who took the test in September, although passing rates for blacks and Hispanics also were not as high as Anglos.

The Anglo high school students had a 94.2 percent pass rate in reading, 90.2 percent in mathematics and 85.1 percent in writing. Of the black students, 78.5 percent passed reading, 70 percent mathematics and 58.9 percent writing. Among

Hispanics, 84.5 percent passed reading, 80.1 percent mathematics and 70.9 percent writing.

"Ultimately (the test) will stop the careers of many college kids, and remedial courses are not effective in raising test scores," Kauffman said.

Texas Higher Education Commissioner Kenneth Ashworth noted that a pre-exam analysis predicted minorities would fail the test at higher rates than Anglos.

Educators "anticipated the examination would show the relative inadequacy of blacks and Mexican Americans because they are not prepared academically in high school to continue their education," he said.

Ashworth denied assertions that the exam is racially or

culturally biased, and said that colleges must do everything possible to help students improve their reading, writing and math skills.

"We need to help students get the necessary skills to pass the exam," Ashworth said. "I fully expect that remedial courses will make a difference in future tests."

Robert Jones, a black educator who helped draw up the test, said blacks and Mexican Americans scored lower than Anglos on the September exam because minority students had less exposure to the material covered in the test, not because the exam is biased.

Jones, chairman of the math advisory committee of the Texas Academic Skills Council, said, "The exam could be biased against you if you did not take enough algebra in high school."

## Dr. Gott

Peter Gott, M.D.



By Peter H. Gott, M.D.

DEAR DR. GOTT: We recently lost a child (manic-depressive) to suicide. We would like to send donations each year on her birthday and Christmas to a group or institute doing the most promising and important research on mental illness. Could you direct us to the proper source?

DEAR READER: I applaud your desire to reach out and assist other families that have experienced this tragic event. There are many worthy organizations that would welcome your support, you can obtain their names and addresses by writing the National Institute of Mental Health, Department of Health and Human Services, Parklawn Building, Room 15C-05, 5600 Fisher's Lane, Rockville, MD 20857.

To give you more information, I am sending you a free copy of my Health Report "Mental and Emotional Illness." Other readers who would like a copy should send \$1.25 with their name and address to P.O. Box 91369, Cleveland, OH 44101-3369. Be sure to mention the title.

DEAR DR. GOTT: My wife would like to know the facts on toxic-shock syndrome. She's up and down all night changing during menstruation. Does she have to worry?

DEAR READER: Toxic-shock syn-

drome, first described in 1978, refers to a serious infection marked by high fever, rash, low blood pressure, shock and death. Other features include sore throat, conjunctivitis, vomiting and diarrhea.

The syndrome is now known to be caused by a type of staphylococcus that releases a unique protein called toxic-shock syndrome toxin-1. The bacterial production of TSST-1 is enhanced in an environment low in oxygen, glucose and magnesium.

Toxic-shock syndrome was, in the past, associated with the use of super-absorbent tampons. The elimination of these tampons and the more judicious use of regular tampons significantly decreased the number of cases. Toxic-shock syndrome has also been associated with the use of contrac-

tive sponges and with many types of staph infection, including burns, abscesses and pneumonia. Many experts believe that toxic-shock syndrome was the cause of a disastrous plague that swept Athens in 430 B.C.

Women can avoid toxic shock by using tampons strictly according to the manufacturer's directions. Tampons should be changed frequently and used for only part of the day or part of the menstrual cycle. I suggest your wife use pads, instead of tampons, during the night.

Treatment of toxic shock consists of intravenous fluid replacement and antibiotics. However, despite aggressive therapy, mortality remains about 5 percent.

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## Lemmon receives highest honor

LOS ANGELES (AP) — Actor Jack Lemmon, the winner of two Academy Awards, was named the recipient of the Screen Actors Guild's highest honor, its Annual Achievement Award.

Lemmon, 64, will receive the award at the guild's yearly membership meeting Dec. 10, the guild said Tuesday.



## Well-Chosen Gifts Signify You Took the Time to Care

By Abigail Van Buren

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DEAR READERS: Well, it seems as though we just finished polishing off the Thanksgiving leftovers, and it's time to start shopping for Hanukkah and Christmas gifts again.

Because it's been such a tragic year for those who lost their homes in Hurricane Hugo or the San Francisco quake, you may want to spend less on gifts in favor of sending money to the American Red Cross. And now we have another concern — the poor and homeless.

However, if you plan on sending holiday gifts, let me tell you what not to give Aunt Bessie or Grandpa who doesn't get around much anymore.

Forget the cologne, aftershave and dusting powder. Chances are, they have several unopened boxes gathering dust on their closet shelves.

Grandpa doesn't need another paisley necktie, and Grandma doesn't want any more bracelets, brooches or earrings. With the price of groceries going through the roof, older people who live alone on fixed incomes would appreciate a basket of practical goodies. How about small tins of tuna, chicken and ham? Also, crackers, instant coffee, tea, soup mixes and cookies.

People who live in confined quarters do not need more "things," so don't send music boxes or bric-a-brac. And don't send articles of clothing unless you're sure the size is right. Leisure (or "warm-up") suits are comfy and easy to launder. Older folks love them.

Some truly useful gifts: an assortment of postcards, some lined stationery with envelopes and a generous supply of postage stamps. And enclose some felt-tip pens.

Another suggestion: a variety of greeting cards for all occasions. They might want to send someone a nice birthday, anniversary or graduation card. Don't forget get-well cards, condolence cards and "congratulations on the new baby" cards.

Should you be tempted to

recycle a lovely, but useless, gift still in its original box, make sure the card to you is not still in the box.

Never give a pet to anyone unless you are absolutely certain that person wants a pet and is able to care for it properly. And if you want to make a hit with someone who has a pet, send a little holiday gift (a tin of dog or cat food) along with a gift for its master.

Don't give wine or liquor to people unless you are sure they imbibe. A thoughtful idea: a gift subscription for a magazine or newspaper you know they will enjoy. Candy, nuts and fruitcake make beautiful gifts for people who aren't counting their calories, but have a little compassion for those who are, and lead them not into temptation. Also bear in mind that some older folks have difficulty chewing nuts and caramels.

Another good idea for those living alone on a fixed income: a gift certificate for some kind of service such as window washing, carpet cleaning, taxi rides, barber shop, beauty parlor or dinner or lunch at their favorite place. And (don't laugh) a gift certificate entitling them to a trip to the podiatrist. Because medication is no small item these days, a gift certificate from the neighborhood pharmacy would be very much appreciated. Trust me.

Holidays can be depressing for people who are alone — loneliness is the ultimate poverty. So if you know someone who could use an outing, give him or her the best gift of all: an invitation to have a meal with you and your family.

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## Tragedy turns strangers to 'family' at boy's funeral

\* AUSTIN (AP) — A woman who watched as her 5-year-old boy was killed last week has received offers of help from hundreds of people touched by her tragedy and her poverty.

Juanita Carillo was surrounded Monday by a newfound "fam-

ly" of 100 Austin residents who gathered to help her bury her son, 5-year-old Ismael Carillo Jr.

Ismael was killed Friday, when a van jumped a curb at a grocery store and crushed him between a soft-drink machine and a wall.

Ms. Carillo, who has two other sons and has made a living cleaning houses for \$50 a week, had thought Ismael would have to be buried at county expense.

Instead, she has received offers of assistance including money for funeral expenses, groceries, the possibility of an apartment and help finding a better-paying job.

A burial plot was donated at a Catholic cemetery, and funeral services were conducted at St. Ignatius Martyr Catholic Church.

Ismael, who liked to play GI Joe with his brothers, was buried in a white coffin adorned with a wreath of red roses. Said the Rev. Harold Zink at the Mass: "He was a good little boy. This is why we believe he is with the angels in heaven."

"Your grief," Zink said to the family, "is our grief."

Manuel Arispe, a taxi driver, organized the funeral services. He told the Austin American-Statesman that \$600 was raised from many contributors who visited the family's one-bedroom apartment.

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## Community Calendar

### WEDNESDAY

MAWC Salad Luncheon and Game Day; 11:30 a.m.; \$5 per person; reservations to be made by 5 p.m. Monday; Call 573-3427.  
Al-Anon; Charter Centre, 4200 College Ave.; noon.  
Free blood pressure clinic; Hermleigh Community Center; 1-2 p.m.  
Tiger Shark Swim Club; WTC; 6-18 years of age; 4-5:30 p.m. For information, call Mike Harrison at 573-8511 ext. 283.  
Sparkle City Square Dancers; clogging; old Athletic Center building; 7-8 p.m.  
Sparkle City Square Dancers; workshop; old Athletic Center building; 8-10 p.m.  
Narcotics Anonymous; Park Club in Winston Park; 8 p.m. For more information, call 573-8015 or 573-3956.

### THURSDAY

Decorating and Brown Bag Luncheon for Docents at Cornelius-Dodson House; 10 a.m.  
Al-Anon; Charter Centre, 4200 College Ave.; noon.  
Free blood pressure clinic; Dunn Community Center; 1-2 p.m.  
Advanced Duplicate Bridge; Colorado City bridge room; 1:30 p.m.  
Duplicate Bridge; Snyder Country Club; 1:30 p.m.  
Tiger Shark Swim Club; WTC; 6-18 years of age; 4-5:30 p.m. For information, call Mike Harrison at 573-8511 ext. 283.  
Weight Watchers of West Texas; MAWC; 6 p.m. New members welcome and should register at 5:30 p.m.  
Alateen; for children of alcoholics; 8 p.m. For more information, call 573-2101 or 573-8626.  
Scurry County Alcoholics Anonymous; Park Club in Winston Park; 8 p.m. For information, call 863-2348, 573-8110 or 573-6820.

### FRIDAY

Storytime for four and five year old children; Scurry County Library; 10 a.m.  
Snyder Jaycees; noon luncheon; Golden Corral.  
Free blood pressure clinic; Cogdell Memorial Hospital emergency waiting room; 1-2:30 p.m.  
ACBL Open Pairs Duplicate Bridge; Snyder Country Club; 1:30 p.m.  
Cornelius-Dodson House; open by appointment; 573-9742 or 573-2763.  
Tiger Shark Swim Club; WTC; 6-18 years of age; 4-5:30 p.m. For information, call Mike Harrison at 573-8511 ext. 283.  
Al-Anon; Charter Centre, 4200 College; 8 p.m. For more information call 573-2101 or 573-8626. (Until further notice, the meetings will be held at this location, instead of at the Park Club, Winston Park.)  
New Horizon Alcoholics Anonymous; Park Club in Winston Park; 8 p.m. For more information, call 573-8110, 863-2348 or 573-6820.

### SATURDAY

Diamond M Museum; open from 1-4 p.m.  
People Without Partners; Inadale Community Center; games of 42 and dominos; 6:30 p.m.

### SUNDAY

Scurry County Alcoholics Anonymous; Park Club in Winston Park; 10 a.m. For more information, call 863-2348, 573-8110 or 573-6820.  
Scurry County Museum; Western Texas College; open from 1-4 p.m.  
Diamond M Museum; open from 1-4 p.m.  
ACBL Open Pairs Duplicate Bridge; Snyder Country Club; 1:30 p.m.  
Cornelius-Dodson House open to public from 2:30-4:30 p.m. in conjunction with "Christmas Happening" at the Scurry County Museum.

## South Plains cotton crop is among worst in decade

LUBBOCK, Texas (AP) — This year's production in the nation's heaviest cotton-growing region is expected to be among the lowest of the decade because of poor weather, officials say.  
Rain, hail and cool snaps during the summer and an early fall freeze cut production an estimated 60 percent in the High Plains in the 25 counties surrounding Lubbock, Don Johnson of Plains Cotton Growers said Tuesday.

The High Plains usually produce about 20 percent of the nation's cotton crop, but this year's yield is expected to be only 10 percent, or 1.2 million bales. The High Plains produced 3.2 million bales last year, the best since 1981. The 1988 crop allowed many farmers to get out of debt and buy machinery.

"This is going to end up being if not the lowest, then one of the worst" yields in the last decade, Johnson said.

Texas production is expected to drop 45 percent, from 5.2 million bales to 2.9 million bales, according to the Texas Agriculture Department.

U.S. production is expected to drop to 12 million bales from 15.1 million bales last year, said Charles Bragg, vice president of the National Cotton Council in Memphis. That estimate is up from the U.S. Agriculture Department's forecast a month

ago of 11.3 million bales.

Final prices won't be set for several months, but futures prices on the New York Cotton Exchange appear to be holding relatively steady at about 76 cents a pound, Bragg said. Cotton sold for about 59 cents a pound last year.

Cotton growth on the High Plains was slowed by rainy, cool weather in August and September. A freeze Oct. 10 — two weeks earlier than normal — killed the plants.

Johnson said farmers now are worried about what seems to be the beginning of a drought.

"We're going to have to have some moisture before long," he said.

## Bridge

James Jacoby

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♣ A 7 6			
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Opening lead: ♦ 5			

## Strip-and-pray endplay

By James Jacoby

Declarer was lucky to get a spade lead rather than a diamond, but he failed to take proper advantage. Now play fair — cover the East and West hands with your thumbs and plan your own play in four hearts with a spade lead. Of course you will get rid of a diamond on the second high spade, and then you will have 10 tricks, provided the club king happens to be in the West hand. That's easy enough, but a resourceful declarer should look a little further.

Today's declarer went wrong after winning A-K of spades. He cashed his heart ace and led a heart. East won the second heart, cashed the king of diamonds, and then led his last spade. Declarer had to ruff and eventually lead up to the club queen. Because East held the king of clubs, South could take only nine tricks.

After declarer wins the A-K of spades and throws a diamond, it costs him nothing to ruff the third spade. On this particular deal, that play is crucial. Now the heart ace followed by a heart puts East on lead as before. East can play the king of diamonds, but what next? He has no more spades, and so must either play his other high diamond or lead away from the king of clubs. Either way, declarer is presented with the 10th trick.

Lesson: Even when it seems unlikely that an endplay will occur, it costs nothing to shorten a side-suit in the defenders' hands before throwing a defender on play with a trump trick. You may earn a dividend when the defender is exhausted of cards in that side-suit.

James Jacoby's books "Jacoby on Bridge" and "Jacoby on Card Games" (written with his father, the late Oswald Jacoby) are now available at bookstores. Both are published by Pharos Books. © 1989, NEWSPAPER ENTERPRISE ASSN.

The foraging ways of the Efe, a short-statured African people widely known as Pygmies, may be similar to human existence prior to the introduction of agriculture some 10,000 years ago.

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# Officials trying to determine if couple killed themselves

DALLAS (AP) — A spiritual guru says she was friends with a former Southern Methodist University professor and his wife who were found dead in their home, but says she played no role or gained any benefits from their deaths.

A Dallas newspaper said in a copyright story Tuesday that the couple was introduced and married by a guru who has been accused in lawsuits of profiting from the suspicious deaths of two of her husbands and five followers.

The spiritual guru, Terri Lee Hoffman of the Immigrant American Church, told The Dallas Morning News she was close friends with the couple, but she denied any role in, or benefit from, their deaths.

Authorities said Monday they still have not determined if the pair committed suicide.

Their bodies were discovered an estimated four to five weeks after they were fatally shot in their Dallas home. Police are investigating the case as an apparent double suicide.

Autopsies are being conducted on Dr. David Goodman and his wife, Glenda. Both were 48.

Mrs. Hoffman, 51, had been a business partner with Mrs. Goodman in a perfume mixing company, but the company has been defunct for several months.

Two lawsuits pending against Mrs. Hoffman were filed by the children of one of her former husbands, Richard Hoffman. Authorities say he committed suicide by taking a lethal dose of pills in September 1988 after willing all his property to Mrs. Hoffman and her teaching organization, called Conscious Development of Body, Mind and Soul Inc.

According to The Morning News, the lawsuits filed in state

district court in Dallas and a probate court portray Mrs. Hoffman as a tyrannical leader of a religion based on magic, who induced followers to will property

to her; then used hypnosis, mind control, behavioral modification and emotional manipulation to contribute to the deaths of two husbands and five followers.

## Astrograph by Bernice Bede Osol



Your Birthday

Nov. 30, 1989

Your financial projections look rather sturdy for the year ahead, but there could be periods when your extravagance may gain the upper hand and cause you to spend more than you take in.

**SAGITTARIUS (Nov. 23-Dec. 21)** Budget your expenditures with extreme care today and try to make it a policy not to assume any new obligations until you have first taken care of the old ones. Trying to patch up a broken romance? The Astro-Graph Matchmaker can help you to understand what to do to make the relationship work. Mail \$2 to Matchmaker, P.O. Box 91428, Cleveland, OH 44101-3428.

**CAPRICORN (Dec. 22-Jan. 19)** Today you could be a little too assertive for your own good and this could prove to be counterproductive, especially if you have to deal with someone who will make your abrasiveness.

**AQUARIUS (Jan. 20-Feb. 19)** Today you might have to contend with conditions that will restrict you from doing things of your own choosing. Drift with the tide, because bucking it will merely make matters worse.

**PISCES (Feb. 20-March 20)** Business proposals brought to you today by people with whom you are not familiar should not be taken at face value. Investigate everything in depth before committing yourself.

**ARIES (March 21-April 19)** Today you might be sitting on a rather shaky limb

where your image is concerned. Be mindful of your behavior, because thoughtless actions could saw off your fragile support.

**TAURUS (April 20-May 20)** Be sure to give proper acknowledgment to the ideas and deeds of others today so that they, in turn, will do the same for you. If you fail to do so, however, it's every man for himself.

**GEMINI (May 21-June 20)** Commercial dealings could be a trifle more complicated than usual today, especially if it involves a situation where there is a large sum of money at stake. Be cautious.

**CANCER (June 21-July 22)** Companions might make rather heavy demands on your time and talents today, yet there is a possibility they may not be equally as cooperative with you in return.

**LEO (July 23-Aug. 22)** Authority figures are apt to have their eyes on you today, so don't try to slip anything past them. Do what is expected of you and do it the best you can.

**VIRGO (Aug. 23-Sept. 22)** It could prove to be a wise policy today to steer clear of involvements that are comprised of too many chancy elements. Don't let your impulsiveness urge you to take risks.

**LIBRA (Sept. 23-Oct. 23)** It might seem like everyone at your house has chips on their shoulders today and this could definitely include you. Try to be a peacemaker and not one who provokes.

**SCORPIO (Oct. 24-Nov. 22)** Today if you have to do some critical work of a mental nature, don't let your attention wander. A lack of concentration could pave the way for serious mistakes.

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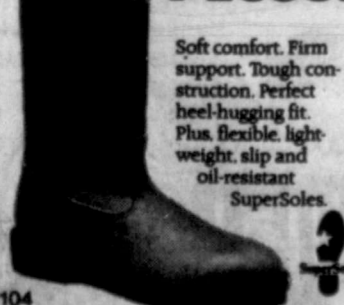
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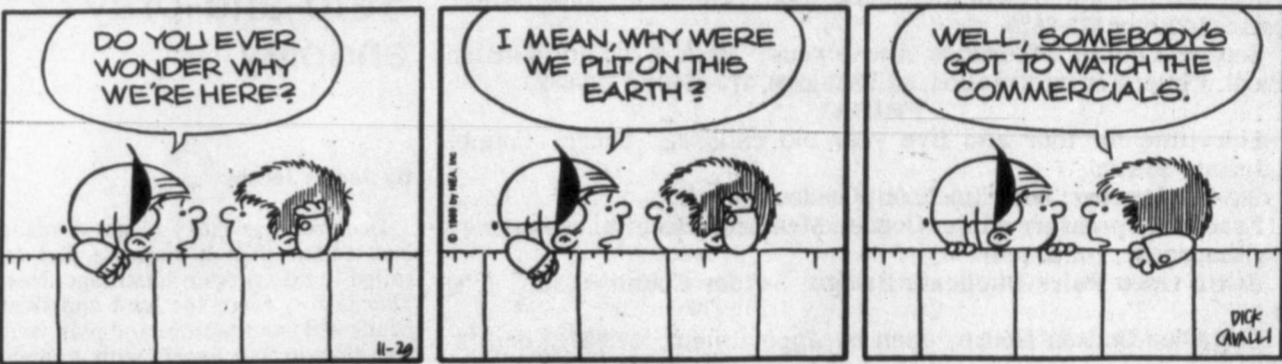
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# Brownwood wins 70-52... Snyder falls to Lions

Snyder's Tigers fell behind early to Brownwood and lost, 70-52, in a non-district basketball game Tuesday played at McMurry College.

Tracey Braziel led the SHS boys with 16 points on five buckets from the floor and six of seven from the charity stripe.

Hayward Clay added 10 points on four field goals and a pair of free throws.

Snyder put just seven points on the board in the first period while the Lions poured in 18.

The score was 37-21 at the half as Brownwood kept the pressure on the Black and Gold.

Snyder outscored Brownwood, 19-17, in the third stanza but it was a case of too little, too late.

The Snyder junior varsity fell to Brownwood, also. The JV score was 72-55 in favor of the Lions.

Barron Wesley and Jerry Don Tippens each had 10 points to pace the Snyder attack.

The BHS JV overcame a 14-9 first quarter deficit, pounding out 24 second period points to take the lead and go on to win.

The Snyder varsity boys will be in Lamesa to tangle with the Golden Tornados Friday at 7

## Lady Tigers lose at Wall

The Lady Tigers of Snyder High School lost to Wall in basketball action Tuesday, 53-36.

The SHS girls were trailing 31-23 at the half, but a 16-4 third quarter, in Wall's favor, put the game on ice for the Lady Hawks.

Ann Osborn was the only Snyder player in double figures as she put in 12 points on five field goals and two of four free throws.

She also added nine rebounds. Evette Housden had eight points and six boards and Liz Greathouse tacked on seven rebounds for the Lady Tigers.

The Snyder girls will see action Thursday as they tangle with Abilene Wylie at 3:30 p.m. as part of the Coahoma Tournament.

SNYDER- Greathouse 10-0-2, T. Braziel 10-0-2, R. Braziel 2-0-4, Osborn 5-2-12, Housden 3-2-8, Ware 2-0-4, Henry 0-0-10, Clay 1-2-4, TOTALS 15-6-36.

WALL- Smith 10-0-2, Wiggins 0-0-1-0, Lyle 1-0-2, Ulrich 7-0-14, M. Beasley 1-0-2, Jansz 2-3-9, Johnson 3-1-7, Muller 7-4-18, TOTALS 23-8-20-53.

Total fouls: Snyder 24, Wall 8. Fouled out: Snyder-T. Braziel, Housden; Wall-none.

## Girls' basketball

Date	Opp.	Site	Time
D 1	Coahoma Tournament		
D 2	Coahoma Tournament		
D 5	Tahoka	T	7:30
D 7	Monahans Tournament		
D 8	Monahans Tournament		
D 9	Monahans Tournament		
D 12	Sweetwater*	H	7:30
D 15	Pecos*	H	7:30
D 19	Andrews*	T	7:30
D 28	Tournament		
D 30	Tournament		
J 2	Big Spring*	T	7:30
J 5	Ft. Stockton*	T	7:30
J 9	Lake View*	H	7:30
J 12	Monahans*	T	7:30
J 19	Andrews*	H	7:30
J 23	Sweetwater*	T	7:30
J 25	Pecos*	T	7:30
J 30	Big Spring*	H	7:30
F 2	Ft. Stockton*	H	7:30
F 6	Lake View*	T	7:30
F 9	Monahans*	H	7:30

## Mavs seeking new intensity

DALLAS (AP) — Fans of the Dallas Mavericks don't like what they're seeing, and coach John MacLeod says a change is in order.

MacLeod said the Mavs will switch to a pressing defense to boost their intensity level.

"We're not a bad pressing team," the Mavericks coach told the Dallas Times Herald. "We just have had very few opportunities to use it."

The Mavs are 5-6, and team owner Donald Carter said he is concerned about the club's seeming lack of effort at times. Carter has instructed Rick Sund, the team's vice president of basketball operations, to investigate the matter and report back to him.

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p.m. The junior varsity Tigers will be participating in the Coahoma Tournament Thursday, Friday and Saturday.

SNYDER- Rios 32-3-8, West 15-6-7, Braziel 5-6-7, Hamilton 2-5-9, Clay 2-2-10, Wortham 0-0-2, Gray 0-2-3, TOTALS 15-29-52.

BROWNWOOD- J. Thomas 3-0-6, C. Thomas 2-6-7, Duffie 7-4-21, Griffin 1-0-2, Higgins 2-0-4, Denning 6-2-14, Benard 2-0-4, Riddall 2-2-6, Nickleberry 1-0-12, TOTALS 26-14-70.

3-point goals: SHS-none; BHS 4 (Duffie 3, Higgins 1). Total fouls: SHS 15, BHS 22. Fouled out:

## Blackmon and Ware tabbed grid honorees of the week

AUSTIN (AP) — Baylor linebacker James Francis gave himself a "B" in the Bears' 50-7 rout of Texas, so teammate Robert Blackmon must have made an "A" in a performance that earned Blackmon recognition as the Southwest Conference defensive player of the week.

"This was a defensive win," Blackmon said of Baylor's first victory over Texas at Austin since 1951.

Blackmon, a safety, was selected over Francis by The Associated Press for defensive honors after he intercepted three Texas passes, including two for touchdowns of 20 and 35 yards.

"I wanted the third, but I'll take what I can get," said Blackmon, a Van Vleck senior. He carried his third interception 26 yards to the Texas 5-yard line, setting up another touchdown.

"We're just very aggressive, and we have a fast defense. That's what wins games," Blackmon said.

"On film, we just weren't impressed with their offense," said Blackmon, who finished his football career at Baylor with 14 interceptions, eight this season. "Their backs didn't look like they

wanted to block anybody; their receivers weren't blocking anybody down field. A good, aggressive defense is not going to play that way."

"He's a great defensive back," Texas coach David McWilliams said.

On the 35-yard interception run, McWilliams said, Blackmon made an outstanding play. "He went up real high, caught the ball and kept his balance."

Also, McWilliams said, the 195-pounder "really comes up and tackles well."

It is the second time this season for Blackmon was named SWC defensive player of the week.

For the third time this season, Houston quarterback Andre Ware was chosen as the outstanding offensive player of the week after completing 37 of 63 passes for 475 yards and four touchdowns and running 11 yards for a fifth score in Houston's 40-24 victory over Texas Tech on Saturday.

"The pass was working," said Ware, a top contender for the Heisman Trophy, an award symbolic of the best player in college football.

"Andre's clearly the top per-

none. Records: Snyder 1-3. Snyder 7 14 19 12 -52. Brownwood 18 19 17 16 -70.

JUNIOR VARSITY  
SNYDER- Leggett 0 1-2 1, West 2 1-2 5, Rodriguez 0-3-4, Martinez 1-4-7, Wesley 5-0-10, Long 1 3-4 5, Tippens 4 2-2 10, Clay 0 1-1 1, Clinkebeard 1-4-5-6, King 2-4-8-8, TOTALS 16 23-33 55.

BROWNWOOD- Huntsinger 9-9-26, Smith 5-3-6, Sudderth 3-1-7, Denning 3-0-2-6, Gilger 5-3-4, Windham 3-1-3-7, Evans 0-0-1-0, TOTALS 28-16-27-72.

Total fouls: SHS 19, BHS 21. Fouled out: none. Technical fouls: BHS 1 (Smith). Records: SHS 0-3.

Snyder 14 11 16 14 -55. Brownwood 9 24 21 18 -72.

former, maybe of all time in the history of college football, not just this year," Houston offensive coordinator John Jenkins said of the Dickinson junior.

## Baseball free-agents cashing in on loosened purse strings

NEW YORK (AP) — Fiscal restraint is out, wild spending is in. It's back to the old days for baseball salaries and the prices are even higher.

Rickey Henderson broke the three-year contract barrier that had been in place since 1985 when he agreed Tuesday to re-sign with the Oakland Athletics for \$12 million over four years.

Bryn Smith, a 34-year-old right-hander with an 81-71 career record, left the Montreal Expos and signed a \$6 million, three-year contract with the St. Louis Cardinals.

Candy Maldonado, a 29-year-old outfielder who batted .217 last season with the San Francisco Giants, signed a one-year, \$825,000 contract with the Cleveland Indians. The Giants signed infielder Dave Anderson away from the Los Angeles Dodgers with a two-year deal.

"What we have right now," Expos president Claude Brochu said, "is a market that's out of control."

The market got an additional player Tuesday, when California Angels catcher Lance Parrish was declared a "new look" free agent by George Nicolau, baseball's impartial arbitrator.

Parrish, part of the second collusion case, has until Jan. 8 to sign with a new team or return to the Angels.

Henderson got the big deal of

the day, perhaps the most significant in four years. No club had given a guaranteed contract for more than three years since Oct. 11, 1985, when Ken Oberkfell and the Atlanta Braves reached a \$3 million, four-year agreement.

"It's welcome news, and one of the things we've been looking for: returning to contracting patterns of past years," Donald Fehr, executive director of the Major League Baseball Players Association, said.

Since Oberkfell's deal, two arbitrators have found clubs guilty of conspiring against free agents. A third collusion grievance was filed and is pending. The union claims salaries were suppressed by millions.

Henderson's deal came less than 24 hours after Barry Rona, accused by the union of being one of the architects of collusion along with former Commissioner Peter Ueberroth, resigned as head of the owners' Player Relations Committee.

"Who knows, if there wasn't collusion, how high the salaries would be now," said Arn Tellum, the agent for free-agent pitcher Mark Langston.

Henderson got the big deal of

## Cardinals slip past Hornets

Hermleigh's Cardinals raised their season mark to 3-1 with a 65-61 defeat of Blackwell Tuesday.

Felix Martinez paced the Cards with a 24-point performance against the Hornets.

Robert Romero put 17 points through the hoop followed by Bill Britwieser's 16.

Blackwell put the HHS crew in an early hole with a 12-4 first quarter spurt.

Hermleigh came back to outscore their opponents in the last three quarters for the win. Blackwell is 2-2 on the season.

The Hermleigh girls didn't do as well as their male counterparts as they lost to Blackwell 60-37.

Tisha Crumley accounted for 15 of the Lady Cardinals' points.

HERMLEIGH- Martinez 24, Romero 17, Britwieser 16.

BLACKWELL- Smith 16, Scott 15, Jones 13. Records: Hermleigh 3-1; Blackwell 2-2.

Hermleigh 4 22 21 18 -65. Blackwell 12 19 13 17 -41.

GIRLS  
HERMLEIGH- Crumley 15. BLACKWELL- Williams 21, Self 15. Records: Hermleigh 1-3, Blackwell 4-0.

Hermleigh 12 8 9 8 -37. Blackwell 18 21 10 11 -60.

## Coyotes take two wins as both units trip Loop

The Coyotes of Borden County travelled to Loop for a basketball game Tuesday and came away with wins for the boys' and girls' teams.

The Coyote boys took a 65-49 decision and the girls won, 54-43.

The boys were in a 17-point hole late in the third quarter, but saved the win with a 27 point fourth period.

Borden County, 2-1, was led by Brian Bond's 28 points on the evening.

Cole Vestal tacked on 16 more and Jimmy Rios added 13.

For the Lady Coyotes, Amanda Anderson poured in 18 points followed by Kristi Adcock's 13 and 12 from Lisha Sternadel.

The win keeps the Borden County girls undefeated in three starts this season.

BOYS  
BORDEN COUNTY- Bond 13-1-28, Stone 2-0-4, Harris 0-3-3, Rios 5-3-13, Kemper 1-0-3, Vestal 7-0-14, TOTALS 28-7-45.

LOOP- Hunt 2-0-4, Crow 8-7-23, Garcia 4-0-8, Turner 3-0-6, Medlin 3-0-6, Walters 1-0-2, TOTALS 21-7-49.

3-point goals: Borden County 2 (Bond 1, Kemper 1). Total fouls: Borden County 16, Loop 19. Fouled out: Borden County-none, Loop-Crow.

Records: Borden County 2-1; Loop 0-4. Borden County 14 8 16 27 -45. Loop 14 20 10 4 -49.

GIRLS  
BORDEN COUNTY- Ogden 0-2-2, Anderson 7-4-18, Woodward 0-1-1, Adcock 5-3-13, Sternadel 4-4-12, Lewis 4-0-8, TOTALS 20-14-54.

LOOP- J. Jones 4-3-11, Halbrooks 5-2-15, C. Jones 1-0-2, Cornett 1-0-2, Harris 4-3-13, TOTALS

## NBA glance

By The Associated Press  
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Miami	4	11	.267	5½
New Jersey	3	10	.231	5½

Central Division  
Indiana 7 4 .636 —  
Detroit 8 5 .615 —  
Chicago 8 6 .571 ½  
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Denver	9	4	.692	—
San Antonio	7	5	.583	1½
Houston	8	6	.571	1½
Dallas	5	6	.455	3
Charlotte	3	9	.250	5½
Minnesota	2	11	.154	7

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Phoenix 5 5 .500 4  
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Sacramento 4 8 .333 6  
Golden State 3 9 .250 7

Tuesday's Games  
Cleveland 92, Washington 91  
Orlando 104, Miami 99  
Chicago 113, Atlanta 98  
Houston 110, Los Angeles Lakers 104  
San Antonio 117, Seattle 104  
Denver 141, Golden State 120  
Detroit 93, Sacramento 81  
Portland 116, Los Angeles Clippers 94

Wednesday's Games  
Boston at New Jersey, 7:30 p.m.  
Cleveland at Philadelphia, 7:30 p.m.  
Atlanta at Washington, 7:30 p.m.  
Minnesota at Miami, 7:30 p.m.  
Utah at Indiana, 7:30 p.m.  
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Thursday, Nov. 30

**Basketball**  
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Borden County boys and girls at Garden City tournament. Times and brackets TBA.

Friday, Dec. 1

**Basketball**  
Snyder varsity at Lamesa. Tip-off at 7 p.m.  
Snyder JV and girls at Coahoma tournament. Times and brackets TBA.  
Borden County boys and girls at Garden City tournament. Times and brackets TBA.  
Snyder JV girls host Snyder JV tournament. Times and brackets TBA.  
Snyder freshmen girls at Colorado City. Tip-off at 5:30 p.m.

Saturday, Dec. 2

**Basketball**  
Snyder JV boys and varsity girls at Coahoma tournament. Times and brackets TBA.  
Snyder JV girls host Snyder JV tournament. Times and brackets TBA.  
Snyder freshman boys host Abilene High. "B" team tips-off at 10 a.m. "A" team will tip-off at 11:30 a.m.  
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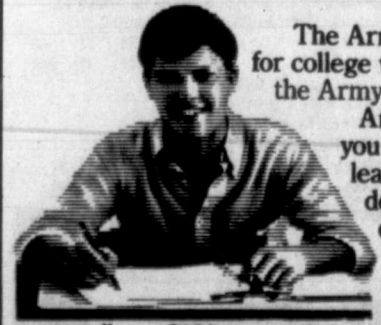
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2303 43RD- 3-2-2, low 50's.  
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3106 37TH PL- brick, 30's.  
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# Snyder cheerleaders to compete Saturday in San Marcos meet

Eight Snyder High School cheerleaders and one alternate will compete in the National High School Cheerleading Championship slated Saturday at Southwest Texas State University in San Marcos.

All competing cheerleaders will perform cheerleading routines, chants and yells. Each group will be allowed 2½ minutes of performance time. The local girls will devote one minute and 15 seconds to a dance routine and the remaining time will be used for cheers and chants, said Beth Bowen, sponsor.

In order to prepare for this event, Bowen said the cheerleaders have been practicing about two hours daily. Doug Morrell who once served as a cheerleader at Texas Tech has been working with the girls she added.

Local girls who will compete Saturday include Louise Cates, head cheerleader; Christy Holmes, Krystle McCarter, and Shelley LaRoux, all seniors; and Tonya Mauldin, Theresa Martin,

Kristi Prather, Shelby Hildebrand, and Angie Burleson, all juniors.

Bowen said their trip to San Marcos is being made possible by financial support from the Snyder All Sports Booster Club.

Registration Saturday will be from 8:30 a.m. to 9:30 a.m. and competition will be held from 9:30 a.m. to 3 p.m.

This tournament's winners will qualify to participate in the 1990 National High School Cheerleading Championship to be held at Sea World in Orlando, Fla., for the 11th consecutive year and will once again be nationally televised on ESPN.

Not only will the regional winners advance to the nationally televised finals at Sea World, but they will also be awarded trophies and Varsity Spirit Fashions gift certificates.

Over 8,000 cheerleaders will participate in one of the 15 regionals conducted across the United States. Over \$23,000 in



**TO COMPETE**—These Snyder cheerleaders and one alternate will compete Saturday in the National High School Cheerleading Championship in San Marcos. Local cheerleaders who will compete Saturday include Louise Cates, head cheerleader;

Christy Holmes, Krystle McCarter, and Shelley LaRoux, all seniors; and Tonya Mauldin, Theresa Martin, Kristi Prather, Shelby Hildebrand, and Angie Burleson, all juniors. (SDN Staff Photo)

scholarships will be awarded to winning squads.

The competition is divided into varsity all girl, varsity co-ed, junior varsity, and junior high.

# Crane plunges sixteen floors killing five on busy street

SAN FRANCISCO (AP) — Criminal negligence charges were filed twice previously against the general contractor on the construction site where a crane plunged 16 floors, killing five people, authorities said.

One of those instances involving Swinerton & Walberg Co. stemmed from another fatal crane collapse, according to Los Angeles Deputy City Attorney Michael Guarino.

A subcontractor in Tuesday morning's accident also has been cited for at least four safety code violations since 1937, including one for a fatal accident, authorities said.

The crane fell from a 21-story building under construction in the busy financial district, smashing into office buildings and flattening cars before ending as a mass of twisted steel.

"The wreckage looks absolutely incredible — steel beams look like pickup sticks," said City Supervisor Angela Alioto.

Twenty-one people were injured, five seriously.

Four of those killed were jacking the crane from the 16th to the 20th floor of the high-rise being built by Swinerton & Walberg for the Federal Home Loan Bank of San Francisco. The other victim was a woman bus driver taking disabled children to school.

Federal, state and city in-

spectors are investigating the accident. Possible causes include operator error and mechanical failure of the crane, said Police Chief Frank Jordan.

Swinerton officials also are investigating.

"No one in our firm has even seen or heard of an incident where a crane collapsed while being raised from one position to another," said Ned Gates, chairman of the San Francisco-based company.

Charges were filed against the company after a crane collapsed in Los Angeles in 1981, killing two people, said Guarino. The case was dropped because prosecutors wanted to prove only culpable negligence, but state labor code requires proof of wanton and willful disregard for human safety, Guarino said.

## Obituaries

### Bessie Hardesty

LAMESA — Graveside services for Bessie May Hardesty, 92, of Lubbock, were to be held at 2 p.m. Wednesday at Lamesa Memorial Park with Rev. Clifton Igo officiating.

Mrs. Hardesty died at 4:38 p.m. Monday at Cogdell Memorial Hospital.

Born Dec. 10, 1896, in Hill County, she moved to Dawson County in 1914. She was a member of First Baptist Church in Lubbock and a former member of the Order of the Eastern Star in Lamesa.

She married George C. Hardesty March 28, 1917, in Lamesa. He preceded her in death Jan. 1, 1969. She moved from Lamesa to Lubbock in 1975.

Survivors include a daughter, Bobbie Milburn of Lubbock; and three sisters, Mattie Compton of Richardson, Marie Foote of Garland, and Willie Lee Hensley of Pasadena.

The family suggests memorials to Lubbock Children's Home and the American Heart Association.

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tions. Had they filled out the application, their tax rate on land deemed for agricultural use would have been approximately 25 percent of what they are now subject to pay, according to Chief Appraiser Ray Peveler.

Peveler said that agricultural land receives the preferential valuation because it is used to produce food and fiber products.

In beginning the other item of business, Peveler stated that his authority over the tax roll is over. The adjustments made since Oct. 1 are primarily clerical errors, name and address changes and late homestead applications. Splits in property ownership also make up a percentage of the adjustments which may increase one person's taxes while lowering another's. Peveler stated that on a tax roll, any plus or minus has to be documented because the bottom line is dollars and cents.

The total net loss for all six taxing entities in Scurry County, after adjustments, is \$18,285.15. This reflects individual net losses of \$1,450.21 for the college district, \$816.92 for the Hermleigh Independent School District, \$4,469.12 for Scurry County, \$8,440.08 for the Snyder Independent School District, \$2,941.11 for the City of Snyder, and \$167.71 for the Ira Independent School District.

# Estes is indicted by jurors

BRADY, Texas (AP) — Billie Sol Estes, a convicted West Texas swindler who gained fame in a 1960's fertilizer scam, has been indicted with five other people and a defunct corporation on charges of stealing trade secrets.

Estes, 64, posted a \$10,000 bond with three other defendants late Tuesday and was released.

He and the other defendants are charged with engaging in organized criminal activity, a second degree felony, said David Wells, a Department of Public Safety spokesman. The charge carries a 2- to 20-year prison term and fines of up to \$10,000.

A McCulloch County Grand Jury issued the indictments Nov. 20, but they were not unsealed until Tuesday when four of the defendants posted bond.

The indictment followed an investigation by a Texas Ranger and a Department of Public Safety criminal intelligence investigator, Wells said.

The six indicted were David Jay Guzan, 41, of Corpus Christi, his wife, Molly Guzan, 41; John Andrew Smith, 33, of Brady; Boyd Harold Pool, 49, of Clarendon, and Cheryl Ann Vick, 27, of Yucaipa, California. Also named in the indictments is a defunct corporation, Load Star International, Inc., of Brady.

Wells said the investigation centered on an alleged plot to steal and duplicate trade secrets owned by Loadcraft, a container cargo trailer manufacturer.

McCulloch County District Attorney Ronald Sutton said Guzan had been plant manager at Loadcraft and allegedly stole trade secrets and manufacturing plans before he left there.

"They were going to go into business against Loadcraft," Sutton said. "They were basically ready to go when we stopped it in March 1988."

He said the group had set up manufacturing operations in Corpus Christi with financial backing from the Corpus Christi Economic Development Board when investigators stalled the business.

## Markets

### Midday Stocks

NEW YORK (AP)		High	Low	Last			
AMR Corp		65 1/4	64 1/4	64 1/4	Kroger	15 1/4	14 1/4
Ameritech s		60	59 1/2	59 1/2	vJLTV Cp	1	1 1/2
AMI Inc		6 1/4	6 1/4	6 3/8	Litton Ind	77	76 1/2
AMI Inc wd		6 1/4	6 1/4	6 1/4	LoneSta Ind	21 1/2	20 1/2
Amer T&T		42 1/2	42 1/2	42 1/2	Lowses	29 1/2	29 1/2
Amoco s		48 1/8	48 1/8	48 1/8	Lubys	26 1/2	26 1/2
Arka		24 1/2	23 3/4	24 1/2	vJMCorp	5-32	1/4-64
Armcolnc		10 1/8	10 1/8	10 1/8	Maxus	10 1/4	10 1/4
AllRichld		102 1/2	102 1/2	102 1/2	MayDST	45 1/2	45 1/2
BakerHugh		24 1/4	24	24 1/4	PacTelesis	66 1/2	66 1/2
BancTexas		5-16	9-32	5-16	Medtronic s	58 1/2	58 1/2
BellAtlan		102 1/2	102 1/4	102 1/4	Monsanto	118 1/2	118 1/2
BellSouth		52 1/2	52	52 1/2	Motorola	59 1/2	59 1/2
Beth Steel		17 1/2	16 1/2	17	NCNB Cp	48 1/4	47 1/2
Borden s		33 1/2	32 1/2	32 1/2	Navistar	4	3 1/4
CamronRk		24 1/2	24 1/2	24 1/2	Nymex	82 1/2	81 1/2
Caterpilr		59 1/2	58 1/2	58 1/2	OryxEngy	42 1/4	41 1/2
Centel s		61	61	61 1/2	PacTelesis	45 1/2	45 1/2
CentSo West		36 1/2	36 1/2	36 1/2	PanHECp	28 1/2	28 1/2
Chevron		67 1/2	67 1/2	67 1/2	PennyJC	66 1/2	66 1/2
Chrysler		20 1/2	20 1/2	20 1/2	Phelps Dod	60 1/2	60 1/2
Coastal		46 1/2	46 1/2	46 1/2	PhillpPet	23 1/2	23 1/2
CocaCola		77 1/2	76 1/2	76 1/2	Polaroid s	45 1/4	44 1/4
Colg Palm		62 1/2	62	62 1/2	Primerica	29 1/2	28 1/2
ComlMetl s		21 1/2	21 1/2	21 1/2	ProctGamb s	64 1/4	64
CyprusMin s		28 1/2	28	28	PubS NwMx	14	13 1/2
DeltaArl		68 1/2	68 1/2	68 1/2	SFEpacCp	18 1/2	18 1/2
DigitalEq		87 1/2	86 1/2	87	SaraLee - wi	39 1/2	39 1/2
Dillard		68 1/2	67 1/2	67 1/2	SearsRoeb	39	38 1/2
DowChem s		66 1/2	65 1/2	65 1/2	SherwinWm	33 1/2	33 1/2
DressInd		43 1/2	43 1/2	43 1/2	SmbBehm	44 1/4	44 1/4
duPont		116 1/2	115 1/2	116	SmbBeh eq n	39	38 1/2
EstKodak		41 1/2	41 1/2	41 1/2	Southern Co	28	27 1/2
Enserch		23 1/2	23 1/2	23 1/2	SwstAirl	22 1/2	22 1/2
Exxon		47 1/2	47 1/2	47 1/2	SwstBell	54 1/2	54 1/2
FLCtyBep		38 1/2	38 1/2	38 1/2	SterlingChm	7 1/2	7 1/2
FlowInd		18 1/2	18 1/2	18 1/2	SunCo	39 1/2	39 1/2
FordMotor		45 1/2	45 1/2	45 1/2	TNP Ent	22	21 1/2
GTE Corp		67 1/2	66 1/2	67	Tandy	42 1/2	42 1/2
GnDynam		44	43 1/2	43 1/2	TempInld	66 1/2	66 1/2
GenElec		61 1/2	61 1/2	61 1/2	Tenneco	59 1/2	58 1/2
GenMills		73 1/2	73	73 1/2	Texaco	54 1/2	54 1/2
GenMotors s		44 1/2	43 1/2	43 1/2	TexasInd	27 1/2	27 1/2
GnMotr E		55 1/2	55	55	TexasInst	38 1/2	35 1/2
GlobMar n		2 1/2	2 1/2	2 1/2	Tex Util	34 1/4	34 1/4
Goodrich		45 1/2	45 1/2	45 1/2	Textron	24 1/2	24 1/2
Goodyear		47 1/2	46 1/2	46 1/2	Tyler n	5	5
GIATPac		63 1/2	63 1/2	63 1/2	USX Corp	33 1/2	33 1/2
Gulf StatU		11 1/2	11 1/2	11 1/2	UnCarbde	24 1/2	24 1/2
Haliburtn		40 1/2	39 1/2	39 1/2	UnPacCp	73 1/2	72 1/2
Holiday		71 1/2	71 1/2	71 1/2	Un West	71 1/2	70 1/2
HumIntnd		34 1/2	34	34 1/2	Unitec	80 1/2	80
IBM		98 1/2	97 1/2	98	Unocal s	28 1/2	27 1/2
Int'lPaper		52 1/2	51 1/2	52 1/2	WalMart	43 1/2	42 1/2
JohnsJhn s		56 1/2	55 1/2	56	WesthEq	74 1/2	73 1/2
K Mart		35 1/2	34 1/2	35	Xerox Cp	57 1/2	57 1/2
					ZenithE	12 1/2	12 1/2

## Election

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Judge Wayland Holt in 1977 following the resignation of Bonnie Brooks. Underwood, a Democratic, won three uncontested races.

Callaway, who will have served three terms as justice of the peace, announced three years ago that he would not seek reelection at the end of his new term.

"I feel like I've given all the time to the public I need to. Now I want to enjoy a little time with my wife and do some things we planned," Callaway said Tuesday.

Callaway came to Snyder in 1957 as deputy sheriff of Scurry County. Thirteen months later, he moved over to the police department, where he served until 1960. The following year, he went to the county tax office where he served as deputy and later chief deputy until 1967.

Callaway was appointed sheriff and tax assessor-collector in Crowell, Ford County, until 1971. He returned to Snyder as deputy sheriff under Keith Collier until he became justice of the peace in 1978.

Other current officeholders are county judge, Bobby Goodwin; county clerk, Frances Billingsley; county treasurer, Rita Stator; Pct. 2 commissioner, Tommy Pate; Pct. 4 commissioner, Ted Billingsley; and Pct. 2 peace justice, R.C. Nixon.

The last day to file for a place on either party ballot is Jan. 2. Absentee voting will be held Feb. 21-March 9 and the general primary election day is March 13.

## Thefts reported

Police and sheriff's deputies are investigating two theft cases that were reported Tuesday.

Officers were told at 7 p.m. that someone had charged groceries at Everybody's Thriftway by representing themselves as having a charge account when they did not.

Assistant store manager Ben Smith came to the police station to file the misdemeanor theft report.

Durwood Kruger of Hermleigh told deputies at 8:45 a.m. Tuesday that someone had entered his unlocked 1987 Dodge pickup and had stolen a stainless steel Ruger Mini-14 carbine rifle with a military-type leather sling and an "aim-point" telescopic sight.

The police department and sheriff's office were asked Tuesday by Terry Busby of Snyder to be aware of her mother's loss of five diamond rings during weekend shopping visits to several Snyder stores.

Busby said her mother was carrying the rings in a blue velvet Bacardi rum bottle bag and that she discovered them missing upon her return to her home in New Mexico.

## Confrontations quieted here

A 19-year-old man was arrested for public intoxication at 8:49 p.m. Tuesday at the Western Texas College Dormitory following a reported altercation between him and two other young men.

A city policeman interviewed two youths, who said another young man had assaulted them, and the suspect was subsequently taken into custody for PI.

At 10:25 p.m. in the WTC Student Center, where a dance was being held, three officers went to investigate a reported "confrontation" between two young men.

The youths asked that no report be taken on the incident, and a close patrol was established until the dance ended at 1 a.m. today.

## Injury treated

A 20-year-old Hermleigh man suffered a head injury in a Tuesday motor vehicle accident and was treated and released at Cogdell Memorial Hospital.

A hospital spokesman said Madaleno Castillo had a head laceration and was brought to the hospital at 2:10 p.m.

Details of the accident had not been reported by a law enforcement agency.

## Correction

It was incorrectly reported in a photo outline in Sunday's Snyder Daily News that an Oct. 21 benefit dance at the Polar Rd. home of Mr. and Mrs. Billy Ray Browning raised \$5,214 for the American Heart Association when, in fact, the dance was held to raise money for the American Cancer Society.

## Petroleum prices

NEW YORK (AP) — Petroleum cash prices Tuesday as compared with Monday's prices.

Refined Products		Tue. Mon.	
Fuel Oil No. 2 NY hbr bg gl fob	6000	6075	
Gasoline ni prmm NY hbr bg gl fob	5560	5710	
Gasoline unleaded NY hbr bg gl fob	4885	5025	
Prices provided by Oil Buyer's Guide.			
Petroleum - Crude Grades			
Saudi Arabian light \$ per bbl fob	16.90	17.05	
North Sea Brent \$ per bbl fob	18.40	18.50	
West Texas Intermed \$ per bbl fob	19.25	19.65	
Alaska No. Slope del. US Gulf Cost	17.41	17.85	

## Hospital Notes

ADMISSIONS: Carolyn Faulkenberry, 506 16th; Thelma Gressett, Snyder Oaks; Don Gardner, Ira.

## Births

Mark and Kathy Holdren are the parents of a six pound, five ounce baby girl, Kelly Jo. She was born at 11:14 a.m. Tuesday, Nov. 28, at Hendrick Memorial Center in Abilene.

Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Merritt and Mrs. Nell Holdren, all of Snyder.

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## Study sees few programs to help older workers

WASHINGTON (AP) — U.S. businesses like their older employees' strong work ethics but give them low grades on adapting to new technology and offer few programs to help them master it, a private study said today.

Many older workers, meanwhile, see themselves as an untapped resource and feel frustrated about the scarcity of programs to help them contribute more on the job, according to the study by the Daniel Yankelovich Group research company.

"When discussing their work situation ... older employees seem fearful," the study said. "They believe they are vulnerable, even disposable."

## 'Soup kitchen' opens

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cing the program, including payments on the building, she said.

Applin and her husband, Marvin, are both licensed ministers with Pentecostal backgrounds, but Gentle Dove Ministries is non-denominational.

The Rev. Marvin Applin preaches at the church in 10:30 a.m. and 5 p.m. Sunday and 7 p.m. Wednesday services, although neither he nor his wife receives a salary. He also works as safety director for B&F Well Servicing.

Although it is called a soup kitchen, the



## Former Snyder grad earns Who's Who in law honors



RUDY ALAN ENGLAND

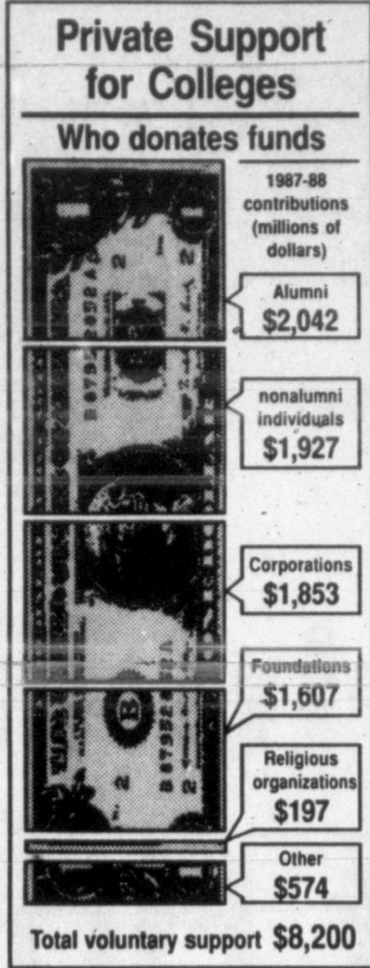
Rudy Alan England, son of Mr. and Mrs. Bud England of Snyder, has been recognized in the 1989 edition of "Who's Who Among American Law Students" for outstanding achievement in the study of law.

England attends the University of Houston Law Center where he was an associate editor on the Houston Law Review, authoring the Comment "Gas Balancing in Today's Natural Gas Market."

England also provided research assistance for the North Carolina Law Review Comment, "A Modest Proposal for the Abolition of Custodial Confessions," written by University of Houston Law Professors Yale and Irene Rosenberg.

He served three terms as the Evening Section Representative on the University of Houston's Student Bar Association and was a candidate for president of the university's Student Bar Association for the 1989-90 school year.

England is a 1978 graduate of Snyder High School and a 1980 graduate of Western Texas College. He also graduated from the University of Houston-Downtown in 1986, and currently resides in Houston where he serves as a law clerk in a major Houston law firm.



American colleges received a total of \$8.2 billion in private support during 1987-88. The major source of contributions was alumni, accounting for over \$2 billion.

## Grandfather, other relatives nervously awaiting results

SCHERTZ, Texas (AP) — In D.C. Morgan's living room, four television sets were turned on awaiting network newscasts. The phone rang constantly. And clock-watching was something everyone tried to avoid.

"It's a long way from here to Chicago," sighed Morgan, whose daughter Teri Smith and granddaughter Alyssa underwent the nation's first living-donor liver transplant at the University of Chicago Medical Center.

Morgan, who lives two doors away from his daughter's family in this San Antonio suburb, waited Tuesday for periodic calls from his wife Ada, who traveled to Chicago for the historic surgery.

"As you're waiting, thoughts can go through your mind," he said. "Some thoughts are good, some are bad."

That's why Morgan, a 59-year-old military retiree who now drives a school bus, said he didn't mind the non-stop interviews with news reporters or answering questions by telephone from concerned friends and relatives. It helped him pass the time.

In the Monday operation, part of Teri Smith's liver was removed and transplanted to 21-month-old Alyssa, who suffered from biliary atresia. The toddler was in critical but stable condition late Tuesday after a second round of surgery early Tuesday to stop internal bleeding.

While he said he felt slightly relieved upon hearing the bleeding was not an unusual complication, Morgan said he'll relax when both mother and daughter have recuperated.

With a proud, grandfatherly smile, Morgan described Alyssa as a talkative, outgoing child who didn't understand she was about to undergo surgery.

"She has some cute little quirks," he said of the blue-eyed girl with light brown hair. "She got to the point that instead of saying, 'No,' she'd say, 'No. No. No. No.'"

Usually displaying a smile,

Alyssa almost always tried to repeat words said to her.

"Any word that you'd try to get her to say, she'd roll out something," her grandfather said. She also enjoys playing with her brother, 4-year-old Ricky.

As for Alyssa's 29-year-old mother, a fourth-grade teacher, Morgan said the community's outpouring of support — both emotional and financial — has been generous.

Schertz Bank and Trust established a trust fund to help Teri and her husband, John, pay for the operation estimated to cost \$200,000 to \$300,000. Mrs. Smith's insurance would pay 70

percent, he said.

Lolly Borgfeld, a friend and fellow teacher at Wiederstein Elementary School, said Mrs. Smith's class adjusted to media attention well and is using the surgery as an opportunity to learn more biology.

"They show a true maturity that most 9- and 10-year-olds don't have," Mrs. Borgfeld said. "They've learned the body parts, and especially the liver."

Joined by his sister-in-law and mother-in-law, Morgan kept a watchful eye on news reports about the operation Tuesday and had a bank of television sets wired to record.

### Gov. Clements...

## Supreme Court said disappointed in stand on school finances

AUSTIN (AP) — The Texas Supreme Court justice who wrote the opinion declaring the state school finance system unconstitutional expressed disappointment that Gov. Bill Clements hasn't allowed lawmakers to address the issue.

In its unanimous decision last month, the court noted that the Legislature had been called into special session on Nov. 14 "and they could solve the problem then," said Justice Oscar Mauzy.

"I'm disappointed that the governor has not seen fit to allow the Legislature to do anything," he said Tuesday. "There are responsible people in that Legislature who have made very valuable suggestions as to how to correct the present inequities ... but they haven't been allowed to, and there's only one person that's accountable for that."

The court decision was a victory for property-poor school districts that sued the state, saying they could not provide students with the same quality of

education as wealthier districts. Public education in Texas is mainly financed by a combination of local property taxes and state aid.

The Texas Supreme Court gave lawmakers a May 1 deadline for overhauling the current public school finance system, and Clements said he plans to call a spring special session to deal with the issue.

In the meantime, a task force formed at Clements' behest is studying ways to reform the system and is to make recommendations by March 1.

Proposals for meeting the court's order range in cost from \$1 billion to more than \$10 billion over five years, but Clements has said there will be no new taxes for reform.

Clements "is looking forward to seeing what the task force recommends, and he has no plans to allow the issue to be brought up earlier," said the governor's press secretary, Rossanna Salazar.

### Joint U.S.-Soviet effort...

## Surgeons will give deformed Soviet kids a new start in life

DALLAS (AP) — Katerina Gamsakhourdia's experience proves that school playgrounds are sometimes no fun for children who look different.

Although her facial deformity is subtle, the teasing from other children in Moscow sometimes isn't.

Gamsakhourdia, 16, has traveled halfway around the world with hopes of finding a new start in a hospital operating room, at the hands of surgeons at Humana Hospital Medical City Dallas.

In the next few weeks, she and 10 other Soviet teen-agers and children with facial and skull deformities will undergo complex surgeries unavailable in their homeland. Watching each operation will be a team of Soviet physicians.

"We have not enough money or equipment to organize good medical help for all our citizens," said Dr. A.N. Kovalov, director of the Burdenko Institute of Neurosurgery in Moscow. "This project will help us very much to start this kind of medical service in our country."

The U.S. team is donating its skills. Financial donors, the Soviet government and American corporations are covering costs of travel for the children and their parents and other expenses in their month-long stay in Dallas.

The project is the idea of Dr. Kenneth Saylor, a craniofacial surgeon who more than a year ago began efforts to bring disfigured Soviet children to Medical City, where doctors have repaired deformities on children from 47 states and 16 countries.

Saylor estimates at least 150,000 children are born in the Soviet Union every year with facial or skull deformities; the number is about the same in the United States, he said.

With help from the Soviet physicians, Saylor selected 11 children, ages 2 to 18, to come to Dallas. Their selection was based primarily on the urgency of their need for surgery.

Among the Soviet patients is 18-year-old Natalia, who lives independently in a Moscow apartment but wears a veil to hide her deformities, which include eyes that are too far apart and a split nose, which makes breathing difficult. Inna Bendikova is 9, and her eyes also are too far apart. Doctors believe she may have encephalocele, which occurs when a part of the brain pushes through a hole in the nasal area.

The operations for the 11 will take the skills of a 20-member team that includes three craniofacial surgeons, neurosurgeons, anesthesiologists and an orthodontist. The team plans to perform about two operations a day, each lasting five to 12 hours. They will rearrange bones, in some cases removing a few of them, to give the children more normal features.

"We all understand the risks we're taking," Saylor said. "But it's overcome by the rewards we anticipate."

Despite the uncertainty, surgery doesn't frighten Gamsakhourdia.

"It will be a change in my feelings of myself," she said in English. "Now I have sort of like a complex because of my face. Others sometimes say bad things to me."

### Elephants located by FBI agents

MARSHALL, Texas (AP) — A posse of FBI agents located and rounded up two adult Asian elephants allegedly stolen in New Jersey on the Marion County farm of a man who trains elephants to perform in circuses, authorities say.

FBI spokesman Norm Middleton said Tuesday the agents descended on an 81.2-acre tract of land near Jefferson Monday morning to seize the elephants.

Civil action involving the elephants is pending in federal court here, Middleton said.

While calling the elephant roundup by FBI agents "very unusual," Middleton said it went off without a hitch.

Arlan Seidon, 60, has been arrested on a charge of stealing the elephants. He was arrested by Marion County deputies in October and is fighting extradition to New Jersey. He is free on \$20,000 bond on an indictment returned in 1984 in New Jersey for theft of movable property, a third degree felony.

Middleton declined to say where the elephants were taken after the roundup.

### Missing man is found alive

MINERAL WELLS, Texas (AP) — A man who vanished from Odessa more than seven years ago has been located after his former wife tried to have him declared legally dead.

Lynn Ray Dement was located Tuesday in Mineral Wells after the county judge's secretary heard a news report that Dement's ex-wife had petitioned a judge to declare him dead so she could collect his abandoned profit-sharing benefits.

Dement had not been seen in Odessa since the day his divorce from Janet Dement was settled in May 1981. Ms. Dement last heard from Dement when she received a child-support check the next February. Then the periodic checks abruptly stopped, said Ms. Dement's attorney, Howard Hunt of Odessa.

Ms. Dement had filed court documents this month asking District Judge Gene Ater of Odessa to declare Dement legally dead.

But Hunt was notified Tuesday that Dement was still alive, after Carolyn Teague, secretary to Palo Pinto County Judge Bill Denison, heard a news broadcast about the case.

"I was getting ready for work," she said. "When I heard the name, I just froze, because I knew I had heard that name before — that he had been on our docket."

When she got to work, she discovered Dement had spent five or six days in the Pinto Palo County Jail earlier this month in lieu of paying \$271 in fines and court costs on a March conviction.



## Goodfellows

Scurry County families may apply for Goodfellow food donations by filling out this form. The deadline to apply is Dec. 6. Applications should be mailed to: Goodfellows, P.O. Box 147, Snyder, TX., 79549.

Home's Weekly Income \$..... or Monthly \$.....

Father of Home ..... Age .....

Last or Present Employer ..... Work Phone .....

Mother of Home ..... Age .....

Last or Present Employer ..... Work Phone .....

Street Address ..... Home Phone .....

Mailing Address .....

Another telephone where you can be reached .....

Are you receiving Food Stamps Yes/ No Social Security or SSI Yes/ No

List ages of children at home .....

Total number of people at home .....

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### Appliances (New & Used)

Lang Tire & Appliance 1701 25th 573-4031  
Landes Home Furnishings 2112 25th 573-2141  
Roe's Furniture & Appliance 4001 Highland Ctr. 573-3402  
Western Auto 2510 Ave. R 573-4911  
Pioneer Furniture 2310 College 573-9834

### Arts & Crafts

Wal-Mart 4515 College 573-1967  
Hobby Hut 2517 College 573-0962  
Comforts of Home 2608 College 573-2787  
Blanche's Bernina 2503 College 573-0303

### Bedding

Landes Home Furnishings 2112 25th 573-2141  
Roe's Furniture & Appliance 4001 Highland Ctr. 573-3402

### Boots

Thompson's Shoes Southeast Corner Square 573-5501  
Bar H Bar College Heights Shopping Center 573-6763

### Bridal Selections

Cox Jewelers 1824 26th 573-1897

### Calculators

Bennett Office Supply 1819 25th St. 573-7202

### Cameras & Supplies

Wal-Mart 4515 College 573-1967  
Keaton Kolor 3805 College 573-8462

### Candy

Wal-Mart 4515 College 573-1967

### Cards, Greetings

The Pleasure's Mine 2502 Ave. R 573-6536

### Car Stereos

Lang Tire & Appliance 1701 25th 573-4031  
M&M Electronics 1910 27th St. 573-0508

### Carpet

Landes Home Furnishings 2112 25th 573-2141

### Chain Saws

Tom's Marine 315 E. Hwy 573-6562

### Children's Wear

Wal-Mart 4515 College 573-1967  
Li'L Rascals 1806 26th 573-1639

### Clocks

Haney's Jewelry College Heights 573-1508  
Landes Home Furnishings 2112 25th 573-2141

### Cosmetics

Wal-Mart 4515 College 573-1967

### Electronic Accessories

M&M Electronics 1910 27th St. 573-0508

### Fabrics

Wal-Mart 4515 College 573-1967  
Blanche's Bernina 2503 College 573-0303

### Film Processing

Keaton Kolor 3805 College 573-8462

### Furniture

Landes Home Furnishings 2112 25th 573-2141  
Roe's Furniture & Appliance 4001 Highland Ctr. 573-3402  
Western Auto 2510 Ave. R 573-4911  
Pioneer Furniture 2310 College 573-9834

### Gift Items

Haney's Jewelry College Heights 573-1508  
Landes Home Furnishings 2112 25th 573-2141  
Comforts of Home 2608 College 573-2787  
Cox Jewelers 1824 26th 573-1897  
Li'L Rascals 1806 26th 573-1639  
The Pleasure's Mine 2502 Ave. R 573-6536  
Express It 2505 College 573-3360  
Bennett Office Supply 1819 25th St. 573-7202

### Gloves (Work, Dress)

Clark Lumber Co. II 1706 25th 573-6347

### Handbags

Thompson's Shoes Southeast Corner Square 573-5501

### Hand Tools

Clark Lumber Co. II 1706 25th 573-6347

### Heaters

Tom's Marine 315 E. Hwy 573-6562  
Pioneer Furniture 2310 College 573-9834

### Jewelry

Haney's Jewelry College Heights 573-1508  
Cox Jewelers 1824 26th 573-1897

### Knives

Clark Lumber Co. II 1706 25th 573-6347

### Lawn Equipment

Tom's Marine 315 E. Hwy 573-6562

### Men's Wear

Bar H Bar College Heights Shopping Center 573-6763

### Monogramming

Blanche's Bernina 2503 College 573-0303

### Mugs

The Pleasure's Mine 2502 Ave. R 573-6536

### Nintendo

Wal-Mart 4515 College 573-1967  
M&M Electronics 1910 27th St. 573-0508

### Office Furniture & Accessories

Bennett Office Supply 1819 25th St. 573-7202

### Power Tools

Clark Lumber Co. II 1706 25th 573-6347

### Photo Supplies

Keaton Kolor 3805 College 573-8462

### Puzzles-Games

The Pleasure's Mine 2502 Ave. R 573-6536

### Sewing Machines

Wal-Mart 4515 College 573-1967  
Blanche's Bernina 2503 College 573-0303

### Shoes

Thompson's Shoes Southeast Corner Square 573-5501

### Stocking Stuffers

Comforts of Home 2608 College 573-2787  
The Pleasure's Mine 2502 Ave. R 573-6536

### T-Shirts, Sweat Shirts

The Pleasure's Mine 2502 Ave. R 573-6536

### TVs, VCRs

Wal-Mart 4515 College 573-1967  
Roe's Furniture & Appliance 4001 Highland Ctr. 573-3402  
Western Auto 2510 Ave. R 573-4911  
M&M Electronics 1910 27th St. 573-0508

### Tires

Lang Tire & Appliance 1701 25th 573-4031

### Toys

Wal-Mart 4515 College 573-1967

### Trampolines

Tom's Marine 315 E. Hwy 573-6562

### Typewriters

Bennett Office Supply 1819 25th St. 573-7202

### Vacuum Cleaners

Roe's Furniture & Appliance 4001 Highland Ctr. 573-3402

### Women's Wear

Comforts of Home 2608 College 573-2787  
Bar H Bar College Heights Shopping Center 573-6763

