MANAGUA, Nicaragua (AP) negotiators are heading back to the areas where rebel fighters will gather during the cease-fire rebels. called for in the accord signed last week.

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The talks, scheduled for today in the southern outpost of Sapoa, also may consider the issue of lay down their arms.

On Sunday, the leftist San-

dinista government fulfilled the Mass, Roman Catholic Cardinal repeating the last sentence three Sandinista and Contra first part of the cease-fire accord by freeing 100 political prisoners the bargaining table to determine under an amnesty program. Most positive. of them are accused Contra

Afterward, Interior Minister Tomas Borge called the amnesty "possibly the beginning of the end of the (6-year-old) war," and he called for the Contras to he told his parishioners. "Let us when the U.S.-supported Contras release Nicaraguan peasants its troops had kidnapped.

Miguel Obando y Bravo called times. the prisoner release "very

However, during his Homily the Managua archbishop warned the cease-fire agreement did not mean that "we have already reached peace.

Let us not make a mistake. not confuse ourselves. They have only signed a cease-fire," he After celebrating Palm Sunday said, emphasizing the point by and Contra forces has been

It was in Sapoa where leaders

75381-6423 ers freed before talks

of the Contra umbrella organization, the Nicaraguan Resistance, met with the Sandinistas last week and agreed on a 60-day cease-fire beginning April 1. Further high-level negotiations are tentatively scheduled for April 6

in Managua to reach a more permanent truce. No fighting between Sandinista

reported since both sides signed the accord in Sapoa on the night of March 23.

Maj. Gen. Joaquin Cuadra, deputy defense minister and chief of staff of the Sandinista army, was to head the government delegation at today's talks. Deputy Foreign Minister Victor Hugo Tinoco and military intelligence chief Maj. Ricardo Wheelock Roman were to accompany Cuadra



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Outcome pending...

Sixteen from SHS win district points at literary contest

Snyder, Texas (79549)

Snyder High School qualified 16 from the District 2-AAAA drews, Lamesa and Monahans. Literary Meet Saturday in Big Spring.

SHS is the defending champion at the meet, having won it the past two years. The final point count for this year's contests won't be known until after the one-act play competition which was to begin at 2 p.m. Monday at Big Spring High School.

Schools qualifying for one-act the right to compete at regional

place honors at district, Ashley nate will be chosen. Miller in prose interpretation and Holly Joplin in typewriting.

In addition, Snyder students gained six second place finishes. students who qualified as alternates

The top three contestants earn

students as eligible to advance at district include Snyder, An- contests due the weekend of April 23 in Brownwood. If one of these SHS had two students win first are unable to advance, the alter-

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Local students winning a second place prize at district were Darrell Dolliver, science; Sylvia Alaniz, shorthand; Anne Osborn, six third place awards and two typewriting; Corey McDaniel, poetry interpretation; Judson Morrison, persuasive speaking;

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Texaco is ready to close door on past troubles

a year ago, the oil giant's president says.

James W. Kinnear said he is ready to close the door on the reduced by \$2 billion. past - one filled with a landmark

HOUSTON (AP) - Texaco Co. for \$10.1 billion in January Inc., which is preparing to 1984. Houston's Pennzoil Co. sued emerge from bankruptcy, will be Texaco for interfering in a proa dramatically different com- posed merger between Getty and pany from the one that sought Pennzoil and obtained an \$11.1 protection from creditors almost billion judgment against Texaco in a 1985 state district court trial.

The verdict was upheld on appeal, but the damage award was

Claiming an inability to post a lawsuit and bankruptcy pro- \$12 billion bond necessary to conceedings - and focus his atten- tinue its appeal and fearing that

Monday Mar. 28, 1988 Ask Us

Q. - Can I still register to vote for the May elections here?

A. - Yes. The deadline to register is April 7 in order to vote for the city council, school board and college board races as well as the city bond election related to TDC utility lines.

Local

Infant hurt

At noon Monday, Snyder police were investigating a motor vehicle accident at 28th St. and Ave. Q which caused injuries to a twoyear-old girl passenger.

The youngster reportedly sustained a cut over one of her eyes. The wreck was reported around 11:43 a.m.

She was transported to Cogdell Memorial Hospital by Snyder EMS ambulance.

Rites continue

Holy Week services, slated at noon each day through Thursday, will feature an address Tuesday by Terry Lyles of Avenue D Baptist Church.

The service will be at the First Presbyterian Church with all denominations invited. Following the brief message, a lunch will be served in the fellowship hall. It will be free of charge and offerings will be accepted with proceeds to go toward the Ministerial Alliance's food bank and its good samaritan fund.

For 8th grade

All parents or guardians hgrad invited to a meeting Monday at 7:30 p.m. at the high school auditorium for a program related to requirements faced by the students as they enter high school. Counselors from Snyder High School will be present to explain the curriculum and graduation requirements. Parents are asked to bring the registration material their child received at junior high.



ON THE BLOCK - Frances Billingsley of the county clerk's office is "auctioned" by County Judge Bobby Goodwin in a "slave sale" Saturday at Snyder Nursing Center as administrator Juanita Land, right, and activities director Audine

McCann look on. Proceeds from the auction will benefit the Arthritis Foundation. Some 17 local residents volunteered to be "sold" at the event. (SDN Staff Photo)

Tax penalty fees returned by court

Scurry County commissioners ed Monday morning granted a refund for penalties and interest mistakenly not billed for properbecause of a clerical error in the tax billing phase.

Trans Tex Tool appeared to seek the refund of \$110.70, because,

Wilson said his company was charged to a Snyder company ty taxes on two parcels of its land Houston firm with a similar Bill Wilson and Alice Gray of name, Trans Tex Realtors, which also owns property here.

He said his firm paid its taxes they said, of the principle involv- as usual last fall and knew

nothing about the mix-up until receiving a notice of the penalties occurred with a computer prinand interest earlier this month. tout error.

"I don't like to get a dun when a bill that was sent instead to a I've always paid my bills," he said.

Commissioners noted that the tax assessor-collector is not allowed by law to grant such a refund.

tion on running Texaco.

He and other management officials have an opportunity almost unparalleled in U.S. corporate history: a mandate to completely restructure an organization rich in assets but burdened with enormous debt, the Houston Chronicle reported Sunday.

'What's done is done, and now I am going to do my job, which is to run an oil company," he said in a Chronicle story reported from White Plains, N.Y., where Tex-. aco is based.

The new Texaco will be more aggressive, more competitive, more efficient and more profitable, Kinnear said.

Texaco also will be putting much more emphasis on oil and gas exploration and production. In the past, the company's strengths were in refining and marketing.

"We are going to change the image of this company from what it perhaps was to what it is," he said.

Texaco's decision to seek bankruptcy protection stems from its acquisition of Getty Oil

The billing miscue apparently

In other business, the court

heard a report from Vestal & Co.

on its recent outside audit of

A similar report was offered to

the hospital board last Thursday.

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Cogdell Memorial Hospital.

Pennzoil would try to impose liens on its properties, Texaco last April filed for reorganization under Chapter 11 of federal bankruptcy laws.

Texaco finally agreed late last year to pay Pennzoil \$3 billion in cash. And last week, U.S. Bankruptcy Judge Howard Schwartzberg signed an order confirming the Pennzoil settlement and Texaco's reorganization plan, paving the way for Texaco to regain its independence and restructure.

The new Texaco will not come cheap. The reorganization plan called for payment of \$5.6 billion - \$3 billion going to Pennzoil and the rest going to creditors.

Local critical after mishap

A 25-year-old Snyder man remained in critical condition in the intensive care unit of St. Mary of the Plains Hospital in Lubbock Monday morning after suffering head injuries in a one-vehicle accident reported early Saturday in Hale County.

Hospitalized was Carlos Julian Garcia. He reportedly was thrown from the vehicle he was driving as it rolled over twice after striking a guardrail adjacent to Interstate 27 north of Lubbock

The accident occurred just outside Hale Center around 3:15 a.m. Saturday.

According to reports, Garcia was thrown some 20 ft. He was driving a 1981 Pontiac.

Hermleigh advances to 3rd one-act event

Hermleigh's one-act play, The Small World of Millie "The Small World of McGiver," advanced from district competition last Friday and will go on to the area contest. at Hardin-Simmons University in Abilene on April 9-a Saturday.

Also advancing was the Rotan High School production of "The Wizard of Oz." The district contest was held at Rotan.

In addition, Hermleigh student Felix Martinez was named best actor at the competition. Both Hermleigh and Ira also placed

members on the all-star cast and honorable mention all-star cast.

On the all-star cast, Lori Tate and Barbara Brown from Hermleigh and Kristi Carter and Cinimin Carney from Ira were named.

For honorable mention, Rex-Anne Reynolds from Hermleigh and Lloyd Bennett and Rodney White from Ira were chosen.

Hermleigh had earlier advanced from zone competition along with Ira's play, "The Importance of Being Earnest"

West parents

The West Parent Council will meet Tuesday in the school cafeteria at 8:30 a.m. All parents with children at West Elementary are invited.

Due at city

The Snyder city council has three sessions planned Monday, two related to the cable television franchise agreement now under consideration.

At noon and at 5 p.m., the council has work sessions related to the franchise scheduled. At 7 p.m., a called meeting is due at city hall to consider authorizing an engineering study of the city sewage treatment plant in preparation for an application through the State Revolving Funds department.

Weather

Snyder Temperatures: High Saturday, 79 degrees; low, 53 degrees; high Sunday, 85 degrees; low, 55 degrees; reading at 7 a.m. Monday, 62 degrees; trace precipitation; total precipitation for 1988 to date, 1.57 inches.

West Texas: Scattered thunderstorms all areas except west, a few possibly severe this evening mainly eastern parts of the area. Cooler north tonight and across South Plains and Far West Tuesday. Windy through Tuesday most sec

Scurry speller ends in bee's fifth place

Twelve-year-old Kim Mitchell, ding champ stumbled on the Scurry County's entry in the 36th annual Regional Spelling Bee in Lubbock, finished fifth overall out of 12 contestants at the meet Saturday.

Kim was eliminated after she failed to spell "cyclonic."

By the time the contest reached the 20th round, the event was down to two spellers, ultimate winner Tuan Nguyen of Hobbs, N.M. and last year's champion, Carvell Nguyen of Big Spring. In the 137th round, the defen-

word "civitas," which is pronounced "kiwi-tass To win, Tuan Nguyen then

spelled it correctly and finished with a correct spelling of "pleiad." The contest lasted some 21/2 hours.

From the regional meet, the top speller will go to Washington, D.C. to compete in the Scripps-Howard National Spelling Bee to be held May 30-June 4. The regional meet is sponsored by the Lubbock Avalanche-Journal.

sentencing At noon Monday, aggravated kidnapping defendant Grady

Davis was awaiting sentencing in the punishment phase of his trial that began in 132nd District Court last Monday morning.

District Attorney Ernie Armstrong was presenting evidence near mid-day about what he said are Davis' two prior felony con-victions, which would effect a double enhancement of the charge on which he was convicted late Friday afternoon.

Trial near



Detached retina wasn't diagnosed

By Peter H. Gott, M.D.

DEAR DR. GOTT: Our son is autistic. He was kicked in the face and was examined by an emergency-room doctor, who found no problem. Now, three weeks later, we find that he is blind in one eye because of a detached retina. Is this something that should have been visible in the emergency room?

DEAR READER: Although a detached retina is usually difficult to see using standard equipment in an emergency room, it can be diagnosed by an ophthalmologist, using special devices. Ordinarily, patients with detached retinas complain of visual difficulties; they speedily obtain satisfactory consultation from an eye specialist.

In your son's case, his autism apparently made him unable to explain his vision difficulty; therefore, the ER doctor missed the retinal problem. This is unfortunate but understandable. It's impossible for me to say whether the three-week wait made any appreciable difference in the final outcome

DEAR DR. GOTT: I'm 22, female and consider myself healthy and pretty well-adjusted, although I am a bit shy. I've developed what I call a bashful kidney at work. Try as I might, I can't urinate if someone else is in an



adjoining stall. I guess the idea of having my co-workers hear embarrasses me. What would help me overcome this problem?

cle spasm, a consequence of nerve messages stemming from embarrassment, can be difficult to overcome. It usually disappears with time - and with age - as we become less shy about body functioning.

I suggest that you visit a public res-troom only when your bladder is full and you have a definite urge to void. In this circumstance, the natural tendency to eliminate will overcome your "bashful kidney." Other tricks include running water in the sink, concentrating on the job at hand, eliminating extraneous sounds next to you, and trying to relax. Admittedly, some of these tactics may be difficult to use in a public restroom. Above all, don't talk yourself into being unable to urinate; this will simply add to a cycle of stress and nervous spasm.

Because this is a problem common to young women and men, I'd welcome comments from readers who may have discovered their own solutions to this inconvenience

Dr. Gott's new Health Report on ALZHEIMER'S DISEASE discusses symptoms, management and new studies of this tragic and irreversible disease. For your copy, send \$1 and your name and address to P.O. Box 91369, Cleveland, OH 44101-3369. Be sure to mention the title.

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Wright promises to work with GOP

WASHINGTON (AP) - House Speaker Jim Wright is pledging to work with the Republican leadership to produce a humanitarian aid package for the Contra rebels, saying the amount of money involved isn't "a serious stumbling block."

"Together, we'll work it out," the speaker said of his planned negotiations with House GOP leader Bob Michel, R-III.

Today's talks come in the wake of the preliminary cease-fire agreement last week between the Contras and the Sandinista government of Nicaragua, which allows the rebels to remain armed and in the field while entering political talks with the government.

the U.S. Border Patrol's El Paso sector helped in the seizure of more than \$1 million in drugs, chemicals and drug-business look at it. cash during January and February, authorities said. DEAR READER: This type of mus-"It's definitely added to our workload," said Freddie Ortega, agent in charge of the Las Cruces

Drug dogs raise

some questions

Drug Enforcement Administration office. "We're probably 100 to 150 percent over our caseload at this time last year, although dogs.

But the recent assignment of the dogs to the sector that includes all of New Mexico and three west Texas counties has raised questions about the Border Patrol's power to search vehicles at its checkpoints.

The dogs, two Belgian country are you a citizen?" Malanois and a Dutch shepherd, District Attorney Do are based in Las Cruces and Alamogordo and in Sierra Blanca, Texas, although they may appear anywhere in the sector's 85,000 square miles.

Permanent checkpoints divert traffic from highways west of Las Cruces, south and west of Alamogordo and north of Truth or Consequences.

Congress gave the Border Patrol new authority to enforce support of their efforts," Drigdrug laws as part of Operation gers said. "I'm real pleased with Alliance, the federal effort to the guidelines and am confident coordinate anti-drug forces.

But some criminal lawyers constitutional." contend the Border Patrol is ignoring constitutional protections against improper search and Academy of San Antonio, Texas, seizure.

tie with local license plates, you in the field. Every six months a stand a good chance of being dog must be recertified and show stopped, even momentarily, and it can maintain a level of 80 perbeing questioned," Las Cruces lawyer Michael Lilley said. "Many of us are having to justify Terry Collins have questioned the our travels when we have a con- ability of dogs to find drugs.

LAS CRUCES (AP) - Three stitutional right to travel in this drug-sniffing dogs assigned to country "The drug-sniffing dogs are

> just the latest tool in the war on drugs or an assault on individual liberties, depending on how you

Officers are empowered under current law to conduct a thorough search of a vehicle if they have a warrant issued by a judge, an'owner's consent to the search or probable cause to believe a crime is being committed in the officer's presence. A you can't credit it all to the reasonable suspicion that a crime might be occurring is sufficient for a limited search.

Courts have ruled that the government's power to question people entering the country extends to highway checkpoints away from the border. The initial question normally is, "Of what

District Attorney Douglas. Driggers in Las Cruces said the federal checkpoints are like state drunken-driver roadblocks, which he said are legal if consistent procedures are followed.

He said drug-sniffing dogs are an important element in the process that makes a search legal.

"As long as those agents are following guidelines set up by Operation Alliance, I am in full the Supreme Court will find them

The dogs are trained by a government contractor, Global to respond to certain scents. "If you're not a white guy in a Agents continue to train the dogs cent accuracy.

Lilley and Houston attorney

feet, and location is in Section 51,

Mobil Producing will drill the

No. 574-C Salt Creek unit in the

Salt Creek field, nine miles nor-

thwest of Clairemont, Planned

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is in Section 145, Block G, W&NW

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in Section 144, Block G, W&NW

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of Clairemont. Planned for a

depth of 6,370 feet, location is in

Section 145, Block G, W&NW

Howard County

No. 1 Newton in the BC field, four

miles north of Big Spring. Plann-

ed for a depth of 9,300 feet, loca-

tion is in Section 10, Block 33,

Union Oil of California has

the BC field, four miles north of

Big Spring. The well produced

259 barrels of 46.5 gravity oil and

Gas-oil ratio was 1.880-1 with

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24 barrels of water.

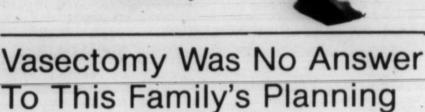
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Abby

By Abigail Van Buren

DEAR ABBY: I have a message for "Angry," who feels that her husband is selfish for refusing to have a vasectomy. I was in the same situation after our second child was born. We had a boy and a girl and agreed that our family was complete, so I asked my husband to have a vasectomy.

Dear

He agreed, but his heart wasn't in it. The arrangements were made, and I prepped him for the operation the night before. When we arrived at the hospital, the nurse gave us reading material and consent forms

to sign. We read about the surgery procedure, discomforts to be expected, the possible complications, follow-up visits, etc.

Ten minutes later, the nurse came in and said, "Mr. Smith, are you ready?" When my husband replied 'Yes," I noticed that his voice was pitched about two octaves higher than normal. At this point I realized that he was doing this just for me. so I said, "What do you say we go get some breakfast and forget this whole thing?"

That did it! He bolted for the door, and with a look of undying gratitude in his eyes, kept saying,

Thank you, thank you" over and over. He didn't even care when he was itching to death while his hair grew back in!

Shortly after, I had a tubal ligation. There was no pain, no swelling, no loss of work, and best yet, no weekly sperm checks.

I would have advised "Angry" to have a tubal ligation, and leave the family jewels alone. A vasectomy is not for every man. Trust me.

BEEN THERE IN MICHIGAN

DEAR BEEN THERE: 1 think you are a living doll for standing by your man as you have, but I fear that your testimonial may have done for women's lib what Jimmy Bakker and Jimmy Swaggart have done for television ministries.

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DEAR ABBY: My daughter, 21, is for five years (He's al

My parents came over last night and went into a two-hour harangue, telling me I should force my daughter to get married right away! They said they were embarrassed about what their friends and neighbors would say. They told me that I was a lousy mother and had no morals. They also said if the boy's parents were decent people, they would force their son to marry the girl.

What do you think?

MOTHER IN THE MIDDLE

DEAR MOTHER: You don't say whether your daughter and the baby's father plan to marry eventually, but it's apparent that your daughter is in no rush to get married. Your parents have no right to call you a lousy mother and denigrate your morals. While I agree, it would make a prettier picture for friends and neighbors if your expectant daughter were married, you cannot "force" a 21year-old to do anything.

DEAR ABBY: Our teen age daughter has been corresponding with a pen pal her age in England. We would like to invite the pen pal to come and visit us this summer. My question; Would it be considered improper for us not to offer to pay her plane fare?

. . .

PENNSYLVANIA PARENTS

DEAR PARENTS: No. An invitation to visit does not imply 'paid transportation." Since these pen pals are teen-agers, I suggest that you either telephone or write to the girl's parents and make the invitation official.

"How to Write Letters for All Occasions" provides sample letters of congratulations, invitations, "thank yous," condolences, regrets, acceptaneven how to write a love letter! It shows the proper way to address pregnant by a boy she's been going clergymen, government officials, dignitaries, wid ws and others. To

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Fisher County American Cascade Energy will drill the No. 1 Lila Touchstone, a 6,000-foot wildcat five miles east of Eskota. Location is in Section survey. 1, Block 19, T&P survey.

Nolan County

Sun Exploration and Production will drill the No. 3,821 Southwest Nena Lucia unit in the Nena Lucia field, 13 miles southwest of Maryneal. Planned for a depth of 7,600 feet, location is in Section 88, Block 1-A, H&TC survey

Sun Exploration and Production will drill the No. 3,821

Nena Lucia field, 13 miles southwest of Maryneal. Planned for a depth of 7,600 feet, location is in Section 88, Block 1-A, H&TC

Borden County

V-F Petroleum Inc. has completed the No. 1 Shafer in the Wolf field, 20 miles southeast of Gail. The well produced 50 barrels of 43.7 gravity oil and 35 barrels of water.

Gas-oil ratio was 740-1 with perforations from 7,293-314 feet. Location is in Section 32, Block 25, H&TC survey.

Cobra Oil and Gas Corp. will Southwest Nena Lucia unit in the drill the No. 1-8 Burl, a 6,500-foot

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wildcat 16 miles northeast of The project is planned for 7,620 Gail. Location is in Section 480, Block 97, H&TC survey.

J. McShane Inc. will drill the No. 1-49 Ranch, a 9,800-foot wildcat, 10 miles northwest of Gail. Location is in Section 43, Block 31, T6N, T&P survey.

Tamarack Petroleum Co. Inc. will drill the No. 1 Gray, a 4,800foot wildcat 12 miles east of Gail: Planned for a depth of 4,800 feet, location is in Section 267, Block 97, H&TC survey.

Terra Resources Inc. will drill the No. 1 Clayton in the Clayton Ranch north field, 10 miles northwest of Gail. Planned depth is 5,950 feet, and location is in Section 23, Block 31, T&P survey.

Garza County U.S. Exploration Co. will drill the No. 1 Riley C. Miller, a 9,000foot wildcat four miles southwest of Justiceburg. Location is in Section 41, Block 6, H&GN survey.

Starkey Oilfield Services Inc. has completed the No. 3 Connell in the Post field, 10 miles east of Post. The well produced 20 barrels of 38.2 gravity oil and 30 barrels of water. Perforations were from 2,891-916 feet, and location is in Section 78, Block 5, GH&H survey.

Kent County

Roy E. Kimsey Jr. will drill the perforations from 9,063-150 feet. No. 1 Johnson in the Ida Sue field, 20 miles southwest of Clairemont. 33, T1N, T&P survey.

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send your name and address, clearly printed, plus check or money order for \$2.89 (\$3.39 in Canada) to: Abby's Letter Booklet, P.O. Box 447, Mount Morris, Ill. 61054. Postage and handling are included.

Astro-Graph

By Bernice Bede Osol

Your 0 Birthday

March 29, 1988

There is a possibility that you will become involved in an advantageous arrangement in the year ahead that will strengthen your financial position. It will

have several side benefits as well. ARIES (March 21-April 19) Objectives you've been unable to achieve lately can be attained today if you're willing to give them a second shot. Play to win and mean it. Know where to look for romance and you'll find it. The Matchmaker set instantly reveals which signs are romantically perfect for you. Mail \$2 to Matchmaker; c/o this newspaper, P.O. Box 91428, Cleveland, OH 44101-3428. TAURUS (April 20-May 20) When mixing socially with influential people today, make your presence felt. The impressions you make now will be of value later

GEMINI (May 21-June 20) Some interesting changes are now stirring that will prove to be to your ultimate benefit. They'll be brought about by others, not from your efforts. CANCER (June 21-July 22) It may be

easier for you to get your mate to agree

Officials probe completed the No. 1 Goodman in autopsy fees

HOUSTON (AP) - Authorities are investigating a Harris County medical examiner who charges \$1,000 per autospy on prospective organ donors, a Location is in Section 11, Block newspaper reported today.

State laws say medical examiners or their authorized deputies are required to examine the organs of prospective transplant donors who die in a hospital as the result of traumatic accident or injury. For the past two weeks Dr. Joseph Jachimczyk has been under investigation by County Attorney Mike Driscoll and **District Attorney John B. Holmes**

who say the forensic pathologist should not be charging the fees for the donor autopsies, the Houston Chronicle reports.

with your ideas today than it will be tomorrow. Corner him/her and make your presentation

LEO (July 23-Aug. 22) You should do rather well today in your commercial dealings if you negotiate from your strengths. Visualize yourself in the driver's seat and maintain that image.

VIRGO (Aug. 23-Sept. 22) Someone may try to discourage you today from attempting something that fizzled for him/her. This doesn't mean that it won't work out well for you

LIBRA (Sept. 23-Oct. 23) Follow your own hunches today regarding the way you feel an important matter should be handled. Your insights appear to be on target.

SCORPIO (Oct. 24-Nov. 22) Things should work out to your satisfaction today in your dealing with people who possess a practical outlook. Don't waste time with flighty individuals.

SAGITTARIUS (Nov. 23-Dec. 21) Your financial aspects look encouraging today. If you're presently involved in an arrangement that could make or save you money, give it top priority.

CAPRICORN (Dec. 22-Jan. 19) Usually it's unwise to attempt to handle several matters simultaneously, but today could be an exception. The more you have to do, the better you're likely to perform

AQUARIUS (Jan. 20-Feb. 19) There is a possibility that someone who owes you a debt that you have written off might now want to make amends. This person might rectify the matter today.

PISCES (Feb. 20-March 20) Two heads are often better than one. If you are presently mulling over an important decision, talk it over in detail today with your mate.

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Tiger Shark Swim Club; WTC; 6-18 years of age; 4-5:30 p.m.; for more information, call Mike Harrison at 573-8511 ext 283.

Delta Kappa Gamma; MAWC; 7 p.m.

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Open duplicate bridge; Colorado City bridge room; 7 p.m.

Snyder Singles; 7:30 p.m.; Towle Park Barn. Rebekah Lodge 294, lodge hall; 7:30 p.m.

Scurry County Alcoholics Anonymous; Park Club in Winston Park; 8 p.m. For more information, call 573-4870 or 573-1357

TUESDAY

Bake Sale; 8:30 a.m.; Everybody's Thriftway; sponsored by Scurry Charter Chapter ABWA.

Ladies Golf Association; tee time at players convenience. Tiger Shark Swim Club; WTC; 6-18 years of age; 4-5:30 p.m.; for

more information, call Mike Harrison at 573-8511 ext 283.

Image; 7 p.m.; Senior Citizens Center; childcare provided at Kids Kampus Drop-In; speaker from American Cancer Society

TOPS TX56; weigh-in and meeting 7-8 p.m.; 2501 35th St.; for more information, call Peggy at 573-9000.

Scurry Lodge 706; AF and AM degree classes; 7:30 p.m.

New Horizon Alcoholics Anonymous; Park Club in Winston Park 8 p.m. For more information, call 573-2101 or 573-8626.

Al-Anon; Park Club in Winston Park; 8 p.m. For more information call 573-2101

WEDNESDAY

Tiger Shark Swim Club; WTC; 6-18 years of age; 4-5:30 p.m.; for more information, call Mike Harrison at 573-8511 ext 283.

Narcotics Anonymous; Park Club in Winston Park; 8 p.m. For

more information, call 573-3956 or 573-0414.

THURSDAY

Bake Sale; 10 a.m.; Cogdell Hospital by Auxiliary.

New Friends; 11:30 a.m.; newcomers to Snyder call 573-4335 or

573-6262 for information and meeting place. Advanced duplicate bridge; Colorado City bridge room; 1:30 p.m.

- Duplicate Bridge; Snyder Country Club; 1:30 p.m.
- Tiger Shark Swim Club; WTC; 6-18 years of age; 4-5:30 p.m.; for

more information, call Mike Harrison at 573,8511 ext 283 Weight Watchers of West Texas; basement of First Presbyterian Church; 6 p.m. New members welcome and should register at 5:30

p.m. Alateen; for the children of alcoholics; 7 p.m. For more informa-

tion, call 573-2101 or 573-8626.

Sping Concert by WTC music department; 8 p.m.; Fine Arts Theatre: admission free. Scurry County Alcoholics Anonymous; Park Club in Winston Park: 8 p.m. For more information, call 573-2101 or 573-8626.

FRIDAY

Story Time for Preschoolers; Scurry County Library; 10 a.m. Duplicate bridge; Snyder Country Club; 1:30 p.m. Cornelius Dodson House; open by appointment; 573-9742 or 573-2763 Tiger Shark Swim Club; WTC; 6-18 years of age; 4-5:30 p.m.; for more information, call Mike Harrison at 573-8511 ext 283.

Al-Anon; Park Club in Winston Park; 8 p.m. For more information call 573-2101

New Horizon Alcoholics Anonymous; Park Club in Winston Park; 8 p.m. For more information, call 573-2101 or 573-8626. SATURDAY

Defensive Driving; The Shack; 8:30 a.m. 4 p.m.; \$25 Diamond M Museum, open from 1-4 p.m.

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

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

Community Calendar Confessed killer is given custody of his daughters

outrage against the judge.

"I guess the bottom line is whether or not it's OK to kill your wife in front of your children," says Gene Tranel of Eldridge, Iowa, brother of the 26-year-old victim, Carol Lutgen.

Tranel, who took in his nieces, Tracy, 11, and Dana, 10, while James Lutgen served a 20-month prison term, is fighting to get. them back.

But Lutgen's lawyer, William Schirger, says the case has been blown out of proportion in this small Mississippi River town.

"The kids are not in any danger. Jim loves the girls and they love him. They asked the judge to let them live with him," Schirger said.

Lutgen, 33, pleaded guilty to voluntary manslaughter for the Dec. 21, 1984, death of his wife at the family home in tiny Menominee, in the northwest corner of Illinois.

Two original murder counts against Lutgen were reduced after the court ruled his daughters were too young to newspaper articles and testify as witnesses to their editorials. mother's death.

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James Jacoby

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EAST DUBUQUE, Ill. (AP) — The Lutgens were on the verge A judge's decision to reunite two of a breakup as the 1984 holiday girls with their father three years season approached. "She didn't after they watched him strangle love Jim no more," recalled their mother has touched off a Lutgen's mother, Grace. "They new custody fight and public were separating the day after Christmas. He was broken up about it.

The couple's fatal battle was fueled by Lutgen's belief that his wife was seeing another man, his mother said, although the fight was sparked by a disagreement over whether to take the girls shopping and skating.

As the girls looked on, verbal attack became physical confrontation.

"I picked the girls up afterward and they told me ... they had seen part of the fight," Mrs. Lutgen said. "They said they were pushing and grabbing each other around the neck.

Lutgen was released from prison in October 1986 and regained custody of his daughters last Dec. 29

The Jo Daviess County judge who made the custody decision, Eric DeMar of Galena, has borne the brunt of the public outcry since Lutgen regained his daughters.

DeMar has been attacked by mail, over the telephone and in

"A judge can't always make a popular decision and that certainly is the truth in this case," he said.

"The law and the facts in the case left me no choice," he add-

she believes there is no risk to the girls.

"I check on them several times a week. I'd never let anything happen to them. They love their Dad," she said.

Lutgen has continued to have family troubles. His mother said he and the girls moved out of her fleeced fabrics, that provides unhouse to one of his two brothers' matched quietness in the field. homes after an argument with Geared for the outdoorsman, the her last month. Meanwhile, Tranel has fought Lutgen's request for custody of the girls. He filed a wrongful death lawsuit against his former brother-in-law and is appealing DeMar's custody decision. "It seems to me to be so basically, morally wrong for the children to go back to their parent in a case like this," said Tranel, who has visitation rights. "Is that person a fit and proper parent?" Tranel asked. "How can you get your children back and go on like nothing happened?

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NEW OUTFIT-This hunter is wearing the new fleece hooded jacket and pants manufactured by Walls Industries. (Walls Industry

Walls offers apparel for outsdoorsmen

the nation's leading manufac- two deep front pockets, an extra turer of hunting apparel, has hip pocket, and a handy bow rest joined with the leading hitech pocket. leece fabric producer, Malden Mills Industries, to offer the pants are available in a wide ultimate in warm, durable, and variety of sizes, all machine extremely quiet fleece apparel washable. for hunters.

Walls new fleece hooded jacket 4 die in raid and pants feature a special outerfabric of Polartuff, the newest addition to Malden's Polar systems collection of durable fabric also offers maximum warmth with minimum weight, resilience to water, and won't pill, stiffen. or crack in extreme cold weather. In addition to being super quiet, the fleece fabric offers excellent concealment thanks to Realtree camouflage, a new vertical camp pattern. Together, the fleece fabric and innovative camouflage make Walls' fleece apparel a superior choice for hunting, especially bowhunting. Like all Walls rugged hunting apparel, the new fleece hooded jacket and pants have many built in conveniences to enhance a hunter's comfort. For extra warmth, the jacket has a bulky knit waistband and cuffs on easy fitting raglan sleeves, a protective hood, plus a non-reflective zip front. Ample pocket space is found in two large patch pockets. Walls' fleece pants are full cut with a elastic back waistband and non-reflective front zip fly with a snap closure. For extra

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CLEBURNE-Walls Industries, convenience, the pants feature

Walls' fleece hooded jacket and

GABORONE, Botswana (AP) The South African army today raided a house on the outskirts of the capital, engaging in an hourlong gunbattle that left four people dead and the house

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Diamond M Museum, open from 1-4 p.m. Duplicate Bridge Club; Snyder Country Club; 1:30 p.m.

County 4-H'ers compete well in 1988 stock shows

was recently completed and local seventh place, heavy weight 4-H'ers competed well. The big Hereford. winners were Rana Eicke amd Lesa Ward. Eicke exhibited the reserve champion Hereford steer House, eighth place, light weight at the Southwestern Exposition medium wool; Lesa Ward, 29th and Fat Stock show in Fort Worth. Ward had the reserve champion Hereford steer at the Southwestern International Livestock Show in El Paso.

Several other 4-H'ers qualified for the premium sale at the major shows. Listed below are the animals that qualified for the premium sales.

-Sand Hills Hereford Show in Odessa. (Hereford steers) Mandy Breuer, third place, Class 1 and second place, Class 2; Elyse Merritt, sixth place, Class 2.

Southwestern International Livestock Show in El Paso. (lamb show) Debbie Schwarz, seventh place, light weight medium wool. (steer show) Brett Merritt, fifth place, Class 1 Crossbreds; Jeremy House, 10th place, Class 1 Crossbreds; Terry Stephens, fourth place, Class 2 Crossbreds; Elyse Merritt, 10th place, Class 2 Crossbreds

-San Antonio Livestock Exposition in San Antonio. (lamb show) Lesa Ward, fifth place, light weight crossbred and sixth place, heavy weight crossbred; Terry Stephens, 33rd place, medium weight medium wool. (steer show) Mandy Breuer, second place, light weight Hereford; Elyse Merritt, sixth place, light weight Hereford; Lesa Ward, sixth place, heavy

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The 1988 major show season weight Hereford; Jessica Eicke, -Houston Livestock Show in Houston. (lamb show) Raymond

place, light weight medium wool; Brett Merritt, 35th place, medium weight medium wool. (steer show) Lesa Ward, 11th place, light weight Hereford; Jessica Eicke, second place, medium weight Hereford; Rana Eicke, ninth place, heavy weight Hereford; Terry Stephens, seventh place, heavy weight Limousin.

Fumes ignite on airplane

DETROIT (AP) - A Northwest Airlines jet was evacuated when fuel vapors briefly ignited, sparking what passengers thought was a fire and closing the airport for 20 minutes, authorities said. Four people were slightly injured.

Flight 288, originating in San Diego with 144 passengers and seven crew members aboard, landed safely at 8:20 p.m. Sunday at Metropolitan Airport in Romulus, about 20 miles west of Detroit.

As the Boeing 727 waited for clearance to taxi to its gate, residual fuel in the exhaust system of the auxiliary power unit sparked a "flash" on the plane's right wing, Northwest spokesman William Wren said.

It was immediately extinguished without damage to the plane,





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North

By James Jacoby

Team-of-four bridge is scored very much like rubber bridge in that decent bonuses exist for bidding and making games and slams. Overtricks count very little, but making the contract is crucial. This is particularly true when you have bid to a "thin" game. Despite the six-card club suit, South

opened one no-trump. He had honors in all suits outside of clubs, and his primary club suit would likely be a good source of tricks in no-trump. North had invitational game values, particularly if opener held four in either major, so he bid two clubs (the Stayman convention) to ask for a major. It was a slight overbid for South to go on to three no-trump with only 15 high-card points, but justified at team-of-four play because of the six-card club suit.

Although the diamond suit was the weak point in the North-South armor, West made the logical lead of his long heart suit. Declarer won the king and returned the jack. When West played low, South overtook the jack with dummy's queen. Although West now had three good hearts (the A-10-5) to cash if South's finesse against the king of clubs failed, that would still not set the contract. And playing dummy's queen on the heart jack put the lead in dummy so that South could take the club finesse without having to release the spade ace. Of course, since the club king was onside, declarer took 10 tricks, with only 23 high-card points in the combined hands.

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Snyder students on 2 honor rolls

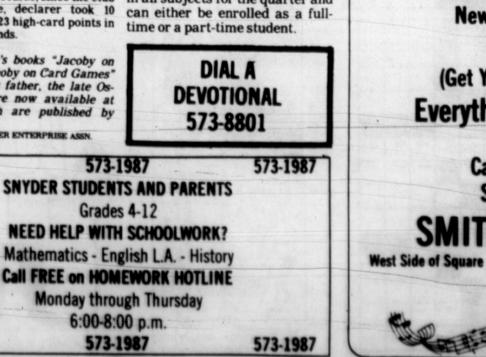
SWEETWATER -- Winter quarter rolls have been announced at Texas State Technical Institute.

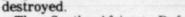
Among those listed on the President's Honor Roll were Len Holley who is studying automotive mechanics.

James Baldwin, emergency medical services, and Brenda Chambers, automated office technology, are among those listed on the Dean of Instruction's Honor Roll.

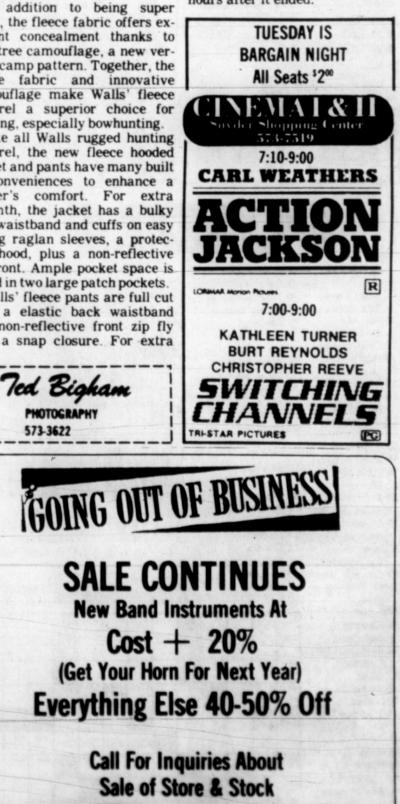
To be eligible for the President's Honor Roll a student must maintain a 4.0 grade point average in all subjects for the quarter and can be enrolled either as full-time or part-time student.

To be eligible for the Dean of Instruction Honor roll a student must maintain a 2.5 to 3.99 GPA in all subjects for the quarter and can either be enrolled as a fulltime or a part-time student.





The South African Defense Force claimed responsibility for the early morning attack 10 hours after it ended.



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Alley Entrance



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Snyder boys at San Angelo...

Points few but effort good

SAN ANGELO -- Charles handle what amounted to some of first appearance since recover-Guynes vaulted 12-feet to grab Snyder's only points in the San Saturday.

Guynes placed fifth to net 2 points for the young Tiger team. Coach Kevin Wiseman was not displeased with the Tigers, despite the low output.

"It looks like we didn't do anything, but really, we had a effort.' pretty good meet. Overall, I was pleased," he said. Snyder's young team couldn't

with the way her Lady Tigers

before we got ready to run

Michelle Pilgrim pulled up," said

Grimmett recruited Becky

Becerra, Robbie Braziel and

Kelli Rodgers to fill gaps left in

the relays. Snyder's times

weren't as competitive as in re-

cent weeks, but the effort was

the only one running where she

had been in the both the 400 and

800 relays," said Grimmett. "I

last minute rearranging,

thought the girls stepped in did a

Snyder was third in the 1600

relay with a 4:30 clocking. Its

1600 squad was sixth with a

2:00.10 and its 400 team was

The Lady Tigers managed 58

points to place fifth in the single-

day meet, which was won by

was real proud because we didn't

"Shannon (Warren) was really

strong, noted the coach.

performed.

good job.'s

fourth with a 55.65.

Hereford's 126.

Coach Grimmett.

Juggled relays give

effort but low score

for Grimmett's girls

the area's top competition, but the coach saw some marked im-Angelo Relays here Friday and provement. The Tiger 1600 relay team ran a 3:33 - some nine seconds better than it had up un-

til Saturday. "That would have won a medal in some of the meets we've been in," said Wiseman. "Everybody improved their individual split, heat," noted the coach. so I was real pleased with their

Running were Jason Presley, Craig Watkins, Paul Anderson and Shelby Bufkin, who made his

were entered

Mayfield won the high jump ing from an early-season injury. 'Our milers did a little better. with a 6-8 effort and also the 300 Luis Alaniz ran a 4:57 mile which intermediate hurdles with a 39.70 was faster than some they took clocking. (to the finals). They just took the Other highlights featuring area top six in each heat. Luis was teams included Charles Thompseventh in his heat but his time son's 21.80 time which won the 200 was better than some of the guys meters for Monahans, and the 100

who qualified from the other meters race. Thompson matched up with Lamesa's Gerry Big Spring won a shootout with Woodberry in the sprint, and the Monahans for the Division II title Golden Tor senior captured the

Snyder will gear up again this bury was third with 61, followed Saturday, April 2, to run in the The Snyder (Tex.) Daily News, Mon., Mar. 28, 1988 5

Lady linksters 4th at district tourney

block in District 2-4A competition Armstrong 113 and Stacy Cline here Saturday and placed fourth 125 at Snyder Country Club.

Monahans, A shotgun start is set for 9:30 a.m.

have in the past but we're not so girl on the A-team. far out of second that we can't make it up," said Coach Hughes, whose ladies shot a 439.

Andrews swept the tournament 386, and its B-team which turned over nine holes," said the coach. in a 426. Big Spring was third with a 434, followed by Snyder A. Fort Stockton and Monahans shot 451s, Lamesa a 473 and Snyder B

Andrews was paced by medalist Jen Galloway, who carded a 91. Teammate Nikki Martin turned in a 94. Individually for Snyder A,

Michele Anderson led the pack 138, Wendy Miller 127, Tracy Cotton 110

Coach Penny Hughes' Lady with a 107. Jacy LaRoux shot 109, Tigers got out of the starting Jamie Leatherwood 110, Amy

Players and their scores for The next 18-hole district match Snyder B were Tracy Cotton, a is scheduled for Friday in 110. Denise Thompson 124, Wendy Miller 127 and Lesa Ward 138. Snyder played without Kim "We didn't play as well as we Duncan, who has been the No. 3

"Hopefully, we'll get her recovered (muscle pull) soon and she'll be able to help us. I thought Michele (Anderson) played real by winning first place with its A- well. Her scores were 58 and 49, team, which shot a runaway and 49 is the best she's played

Girl's 2-4A Golf Tournament

Snyder Country Club Team Scores: 1. Andrews A 386, 2. Andrews B 426, 3. Big Spring 434, 4. Snyder A 439, 5. (tie) Fort Stockton 451, Monahans 451, 7, Lamesa 473, 8 Snyder B 499

Medalist: Jen Galloway, Andrews A. 91; Nikki Martin, Andrews A, 94; Kim Locke, Big Spring,

Snyder A: Michele Anderson 107, Jacy LaRoux 109, Jamie Leatherwood 110, Amy Armstrong 113, Stacy Cline 125.

Snyder B: Denise Thompson 124, Lesa Ward

Boys slide to fifth in loop golf circuit

BIG SPRING - Snyder golf is second with a 155. team dropped a notch or two in its quest for a District 2-4A championship here Saturday, but the Tigers are still in the hunt.

Snyder shot a 355 to place fifth in the 18-hole tournament, and slipped from third to fifth overall in the season standings.

Monahans won the single-day event with a solid 328. Big Spring was second with a 336, followed by Sweetwater with a 343 and Andrews with a 349.

Seventeen teams were entered. the 2-4A leader board with a 641 over two tournaments. Andrews has a 658, Monahans a 661 and Sweetwater a 664. Snyder, at 666, is just eight strokes out of second place.

Snyder's Marc McQueen held on to third place in the season's medalist race with an 84 Saturday. Combined with a 73 the previous week, he has a 157 after two tournaments.

Medalist honors Saturday were picked up by Brad Wells, whose

78 was the only score under 80 at Comanché Trails. Players continually fought blustery winds.

In addition to McQueen's 84, Wade Hatter carded an 88, Ken Meckley an 89, Mike Trull a 94 and Ron Baker a 101.

Snyder junior varsity was 16th in the tournament with a 418. Playing for the young Tiger team were Jay Parker, a 100; Kevin Holt, a 103; Shane Wade, a 106; The shuffle left Big Spring atop and Terry Hildreth and Jason Polk, 109s.

District 2-4A Golf

At Big Spring Team Scores: I. Monahans A 328, 2. Big Sprin A 336, 3. Sweetwater A 343, 4. Andrews A 349, 5. Snyde A 355, 6. Pecos A 357, 7. Big Spring JV 360 8. (tie) Fort Stockton A. Lake View A. 363, 10. Andrews JV 366, 11. Monahans JV 372, 12. Lamesa A 384, 13. Fort Stockton JV 388, 14. Pecos JV 401, 15. Lake View JV 407, 16. Snyder JV 418, 17. Lagnesa JV 429

Medalist: 1. Brad Wells, Monahans, 78: 2. Tony Lara, Sweetwater, 80.

Snyder A: Marc McQueen 84, Wade Hatter 88, Ken Meckley 89, Mike Trull 94, Ron Baker 101 rker 100 Kevin Holt 10 Shane Wade 106, Terry Hildreth 109, Jason Polk

LEVELLAND -- Some nette Ramos and Rana Eicke makeshift relay teams made for were fifth in the 3200 and 800 a hectic day at the Levelland meters respectively, Susanne Girl's Invitational Track Meet Rodriguez was sixth in the 3200 here Saturday, but Snyder coach meters and Shelly LaRoux was Patty Grimmett was pleased sixth in the 1600.

Katina Brandon was sixth in the shot put and discus, and "We were without Melody Teena Braziel was sixth in the (Pickering) anyway and right long jump.

"I thought we did better in the field events this week. Our long jump and triple jump girls competed well, even though we didn't get many points, and we did better in the shot and discus," said Grimmett. "Most of these girls are freshmen, and what we want is to see improvement and that's what we're getting.

Snyder will compete in the Abilene Relays this Saturday at Elmer Gray Stadium. Field events begin at 10:30 a.m., running prelims at 1:10 p.m., and have time at all to prepare. For. finals at 4:30 p.m.

Tigers play Loboes next

Coach Albert Lewis' Tigers

resume their efforts to break into the District 2-4A baseball win column as they trek to Monahans for

a 7 p.m. ballgame Tuesday. The Tigers will play their next hosting Big Spring.

with 145.

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71 in the finals.

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but wanted more.

when it was all over, though.

by hometown cowboy Adam

Brewster, whose 100-point effort

put him second in the all-around

competition to Todd Watkins of

Sul Ross. Watkins scored 125

Teammate Michael Gaffney

picked up points in the bull riding

with his top score of 82 in the

long-go. Gaffney bucked off in the

Western also picked up 105

points in the saddle bronc with

Wesley Henderson, who won the

average with a 142. Henderson,

not eligible in the all-around

because he only competed in one

with Watkins and WTC's Jim

Blain Kenney. All three had 70s.

Western Texas College team, team roping, where Clyde Himes

which had struggled during the teamed with Barry Byrd for se-

with a whoop and a holler here with a 8.3 clocking. They timed a

at the relays. The Steers, led by prize with a 10.60. Thompson ran a 10.66

Brian Mayfield, grabbed 101 points to Monahans' 91. Gran-

by Canyon with 49. Sixteen teams Breckenridge Relays.

a 499.

Snyder's top point producers were Melissa Williams and Nichole Overman, Overman ran in the 400 and 1600 relays, and placed first in the 100 intermediate hurdles with a 16.5 clocking.

Williams ran on the 1600 relay, and was third in both the high jump and 300 meters. She cleared 4-10 in the jump, and ran a 2:42.73 in the distance race. She also placed sixth in the 400 meters.

Dana Fenton, another member of the relays; also helped the team with a fourth-place, 67.34 time in the 400 meters.

In other running events, An-

NCAA Tournament

By The Associated Press All Times EST EAST REGIONAL Championship At East Rutherford, N.J. Saturday, March 26 Duke 63, Temple 53

SOUTHEAST REGIONAL Championship At Birmingham, Ala. iaturday, March 26 Oklahoma 78, Villanova 59

MIDWEST REGIONAL Championship Al Pontiac, Mich. Sunday, March 27 Kansas 71, Kansas State Se

WEST REGIONAL Championship At Seattle Sunday, March 27 Arizona 70, North Carolina 52

THE FINAL FOUR At Kansas City, Mo. Semifinals Saturday, April 2 Kansas, 25-11, vs. Duke, 28-6, 5:30 p.m. Oklahoma, 34-3, vs. Arizona, 35-2, 8 p.m. Championship Monday, April 4 Kansas-Duke winner vs. Oklahoma-Arizona winner, 9:12 p.m. EDT

NIT glance

By The Associated Press All Times EST QUARTERFINALS Friday, March 25 Connecticut 72, Virginia Commonwealth 61 Ohio State 68, New Mexico 65 Colorado State 64, Arkansas State 49 Saturday, March 26 ston College 78, Middle Tenns ssee State 69

SEMIFINALS Tuesday, March 29

At New York Ohio State, 19-12, vs. Colorado State, 21-12, 7

ecticut, 18-14, vs. Boston College, 18-13, 9

THIRD PLACE Wednesday, March 3 At New York

HAMPION nday, March 34 At New York

For Results Use Snyder Daily News Classified Ads Call 573-5486

home game at 1 p.m. Saturday by HEADING HOME - Snyder's Teena Braziel sprints towards the tape

during recent weekend action at the track. (SDN Staff Photo)

Western wins WTSU Rodeo

Off to good start in spring ...

McQueen trails Jeff Rhodes of Big Spring, whose 67 and 82 tally 109. a 149. Mike Torres of Sweetwater

and finished out of the running.

Shane Goemmer won the long-

District 2-4A Standings

After Two Tournam Team Scores: 1. Big Spring a, 305-336-641; 2. Andrews A, 309-349-658; 3. Monahans A, 333-328-661; 4. Sweetwater A, 321-343-664; 5. Snyder A, 311-355-666; 6. Big spring JV, 318-360-678; 7. Fort Stockton A, 330-363-693; 8. (tie) Lake View A, 332-363-695, and Pecos A, 338-357-695; 10. Andrews JV, 340-366-706; seven others, including, 12. Lamesa A, 375-384--759; and 16. Snyder JV, 375-418-793.

Medalist: Jeff Rhodes, Big Spring, 67-82-149; Mike Torres, Sweetwater, 73-82-155; Marc Mc Queen, Snyder, 73-84-157.

McCumber cops **Players** crown

PONTE VERDA BEACH, Fla. (AP) - Mark McCumber took a four-shot victory Sunday in the Player's Championship.

He won it with a final total of 273, 15 under par and a record on the PGA Tour's home course, beating Calvin Peete's 1985 mark by one stroke.

Snyder's Garza on all-area team

Terry Garza, the 6-3 senior who has been named All-District 2-4A, All-South Plains and third-team TABC, received another honor Sunday

Area Team.

Mayfield of Big Spring, Cody Motley of Novice, Jeff Burton of · Garza averaged more than 20 points and 6 rebounds a game for

The Tiger standout was named to the Abilene Reporter News All-

Others on the squad are Brian Crouch of Jim Ned, Jeff Wood of Wylie, Lynn Hays of Merkel and Chris Piel of Ballinger. Others are Mark Young of Haskell, Ernest Stewart of Coleman, Carter Edmondson of Roby, Matt Eula and John Morrow of Bronte. the Tigers, who fashioned a 24-9

-Diana Espinosa placed 12th playing for the Snyder JV team. season record.

"We had a lot of good players in the tournament. We figured it would be a real good tournament with strong competition and it was," said Snyder Coach Charlie Chrane. "Our junior varsity got a lot of good playing experience Jennifer Harden and Cindy Srna were 14th in doubles; Racheal Wilson 15th, Tommy Reeves and Ramon Yanez 16th, and Tracey Clemmons and Darin Sparlin, and Gayle Henderson and Melissa Hodge, and David

TERRY GARZA

Sunday, winning the West Texas second-place 9.3 in the finals, and in the finals. took second in the average with a and was fourth in the average State University NIRA Rodeo. Next action for Western Texas A couple of no-scores in the 17.6. WTC received only half of with a 29.12. will be the Howard College finals kept the Westerners from the points awarded to the duo Graf was not a member of the Rodeo, which begins Thursday at winning big. As it was, Doty's because Byrd was not a three-woman WTC team, and her 7:30 p.m. in Big Spring's Rodeo troops nipped Sul Ross State designated team member. points could not be added to the Bowl. It will continue nightly Himes reached the finals of the University 290 points to 280. team total. through Saturday, with finals set Tarleton State took third with steer wrestling, but a no-time Graf was one of a number of for 2 p.m. Sunday.

155, followed by Howard College there left him out of the points. "We had some opportunities competition but were not Doty was pleased with the win, that I wish we could have taken designated team members. Bud-

advantage of," said Doty. "I didn't expect Michael to buck off cond in the long-go of the bull 'We did good but not good enough. Thursday, Friday and in the (finals of the) bull riding. riding with a 79. He bucked off in Saturday were chickens but Sun-He just got a real hard ride and he bucked off. It can happen third in the long-go of the calf day was feathers," he laughed. anytime. I was hoping Adam "No, really I was pleased our would do a little better in the men's team won. I was disapbareback, and it would have been and was third in the average with pointed we didn't have 400 points nice if Clyde (Himes) had gotten a combined 21.3. Tarleton won the women's divisome points in the steer wrestling. He got to his steer real quick sion with 150 points. West Texas State had 130. Western Texas but it got away from him."

failed to point after qualifying only one team member to Sunday's team member in the finals, average. Jessie Colburn. She entered the Western Texas men were led

CANYON - Coach Bob Doty's WTC's other points came in the clocked a 15.27 to finish out of the 61. He scored a 65 in the finals points in the finals. WTC student Melanie Graf also fall, started off the spring season cond place in the in the long-go reached the finals in the barrels

go of the steer wrestling with a with a fourth-place 14.55. She was quick, 5.9 clocking. He no-timed 14.57 in the finals, also fourth,

WTC students who entered the dy Reed, for instance, took sethe finals. Lance Luttrel was roping with a 9.8. He also placed third in the short-go with an 11.5

Shawn Goemmer was third in the long-go of the saddle bronc with a 67. He scored a 62 in the Western put only one women's finals and tied for third in the

Steve Roberts also reached the barrel race with a 14.63 time but finals of the saddle bronc with a

Tigers fifth in net tourney

Brewster won the long-go in the Rodriguez took third place in bareback with a 73, then scored a boys doubles at the final event of 64 in the finals to finish fourth the Snyder Team Tennis Tournaoverall with a 137. He was also ment here Saturday, helping the third in the average of the bull Tigers to a fifth place overall riding with a 144 after scoring a finish.

Brice and Rodriguez defeated Big Spring's Tuff Wennick and Binky Tubb 4-6, 7-5, 6-3 to capture third and add 18 points to Snyder's total. Lake View won with 114 points. Canyon was second with 113, Odessa High third with 107, Hereford fourth with 99 and Snyder fifth with 92.

Also competing were Big Spring with 83 points, Sweetwater with 71, Plainview with 60, Colevent, also won the long-go with a 72, and tied for first in the finals orado City with 31 and Snyder junior varsity with 26.

Rodriguez and Brice had earlier lost in the semifinals to

view, 6-2, 6-2. Lori McFarland and Deone Farmer placed fourth in girls doubles for Snyder, losing to Kim Kreidel and Sue Lynn Hughes of Sweetwater, 7-6, 7-6. They won their first two matches, but also lost in the semis to Lanell Morton and Diana Garcia of Lake View, 3-6, 6-4, 6-1.

Kevin Winter, Snyder's No. 1 singles player, and Andrea Veazey and Mary Ann Suarez, No. 2 doubles, both finished in

Top girls player Robbye Morales and John Griffin and Stetson Merritt, No. 2 boys Zalman, all placed 19th. doubles, placed 10th overall. Snyder will compete in the Monahans Tournament this

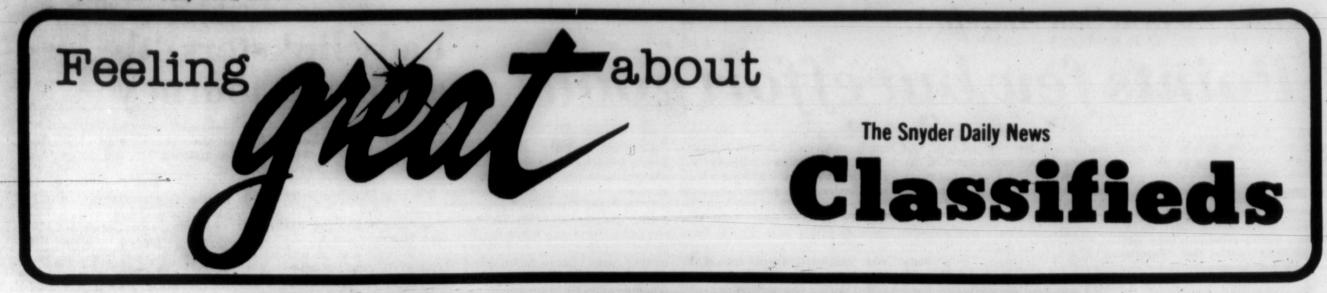
In other action: -Kim White, No. 2 singles, plac-

WESLEY HENDERSON Alfred Brice and Michael first place finishers James ed 11th and Brandon Martin, No. Young and Chen Nguyen of Lake 2 singles, placed 13th.

weekend.

and that was good, too."

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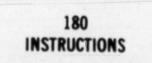
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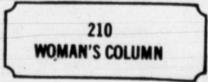
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Grass fires cause runs

Firemen answered four grass fire calls Saturday, the first at 8:08 a.m. to property five miles southeast of Snyder where a controlled burn of debris from the day before had flared back up again.

Firefighters were occupied at the property owned by David Sutton off Pleasant Hill Rd. for about 30 minutes, Fire Chief Terry Don McDowell said.

An 8:50 a.m. call was to the Diamond M Ranch 18 miles southwest of the city, where a Friday grass fire that charred an estimated section of land had reignited.

McDowell said, however, that the new blaze was in the middle of the burned area, took about an hour to quell and never presented a threat to burn new acreage.

The Friday estimate of the burned area by a fire department spokesman was 100 to 200 acres, Snyder and Mrs. Aileen Lenze of but a later appraisal by ranch ownership increased the estimate to about a section.

A 3:23 p.m. call was to a fire in Colorado City Livestock the ditch of state highway rightof-way eight miles west of Snyder off the Lamesa Hwy. The fire, which took about an hour to control had no known cause.

A 9:30 p.m. Saturday call to property owned by Rudy Minor 12 miles southwest of the city took firemen an hour and a half after they had some difficulty in finding the somewhat remote location, McDowell said, adding that the pasture blaze was apparently ignited by sparks from an overhead electrical power shot himself to death in 1961 at line.

Hospital Notes

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Frederick, Cheryl Hanson, John Forshee, Willie Wallace, John Clare.



Max and Linda Mearse of San Marcos are the parents of a baby girl, Melanie Elyse, born at 2:15 a.m. Friday in Hays Memorial Hospital. She weighed three pounds 15 ounces. Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Mearse of San Marcos.

The market at Colorado City Livestock Auction was reported by Bob Head on a run of 502 cattle at its sale on March 26, 1988. Head reported good buyer interest on all classes of cattle. Cows: fat, 48-53.50; cutters, 48-56; canners, 38-

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Author Ernest Hemingway his home in Ketchum, Idaho.

Shamir criticizes Shultz's meeting

JERUSALEM (AP) - Prime Minister Yitzhak Shamir today sharply criticized a meeting in Washington between Secretary of State George P. Shultz and two Arab-Americans linked to the PLO.

In another development, authorities reportedly arrested more Arabs overnight in the occupied territories to head off further violence.

Also today, PLO chief Yasser Arafat's chief spokesman was quoted as saying Shultz will have more meetings with PLOaffiliated officials, possibly when the secretary of state visits the Middle East beginning April 3.

On Sunday, soldiers shot and killed four more Palestinians in clashes in the West Bank, raising to 118 the number killed in 15 weeks of violent protests against Israel's occupation of the West Bank and Gaza Strip, according to U.N. figures. One Israeli soldier has been killed.

Shamir today today told the Knesset, Israel's 120-member parliament: "We see as very grave the attempts of the Americans to initiate contacts with PLO members."

Shultz met in Washington on Saturday with Edward Said and Ibrahim Abu Lughod, both American citizens and members of the Palestine National Council, the parliament-in-exile of the Palestine Liberation Organization.

"Members of the board of the Palestine National Council are PLO members in every aspect," Shamir said. "The council is the supreme body of terror organizations. It decides the policy of terror groups.'

after ministers of the center-left poses such a peace conference. Labor Party told a stormy Cabinet meeting on Shultz's upadopt a U.S. peace plan if it hopes to end violence in the occupied lands.

Shamir leads the right-wing Likud bloc.

Israel has always refused to negotiate with the PLO and Israeli officials contend the Shultz meeting violated a longstanding U.S. commitment not to deal with the PLO.

Henry Kissinger signed a pledge in 1975 that the United States would not talk to the PLO until the group recognized U.N. resolutions guaranteeing Israel's right to exist.

In comments published today in the Israeli Maariv newspaper, PLO spokesman Bassam Abu Sharif said the next meeting between Shultz and people linked to the PLO could take place in Jerusalem during Shultz's trip to the Middle East next week. Palestinians from the occupied territories refused to meet Shultz during his last trip in February under orders from Arafat.

But Abu Sharif said in a telephone interview to Israel that the PLO saw Shultz's meeting with Abu Lughod and Said as "an important step to the advancement of peace negotiations," Maariv reported.

During his visit to the Middle East, Shultz is expected to bring the text of a letter of invitation to a proposed international peace told The Associated Press on con- day in the Cogdell Memorial

Shamir's speech came a day dition of anonymity. Shamir op- tion on that issue.

The official said Shultz pledged they emerged from Palm Sunday coming visit that Israel must to Shamir in the United States mass at the Church of the Nativithat he would not issue the letter ty, the traditional site of Jesus' of invitation without Israel's ap- birth, said Palestinian witnesses proval. But the official said and a detainee who was released Shultz could still change his posi- today.

Drinking-related incidents include Towle Park arrests

A 19-year-old man was ar- Hospital emergency room after Former Secretary of State rested for DWI and several other charges at 5:33 p.m. Saturday in Towle Park, and his 15-year-old St male companion was taken into custody for being a minor in possession of alcohol and having alcohol in his possession in the park.

The 19-year-old was also jailed on charges of not having liability insurance or a driver's license, possessing alcohol in the park and possession of drug paraphernalia

A 17-year-old female and 18year-old male were arrested at 5:33 p.m. Saturday in Towle Park for public intoxication, being minors in possession of alcohol and having alcohol in their possession in the park.

A 19-year-old man was taken into custody for being a minor in possession of alcohol at 1:08 a.m. Sunday in the 1900 Block of 37th St., and a 17-year-old male was taken into custody for DWI at 2:13 a.m. Sunday in the 500 Block

of 28th St. An 18-year-old male was arconference and ask Shamir for rested for public intoxication and approval, an Israeli official today evading arrest at 4:50 a.m. Sun-

police had answered a 3:34 a.m. fight call in the 2100 Block of 30th

Israeli soldiers detained seven

Arab youths in Bethlehem as

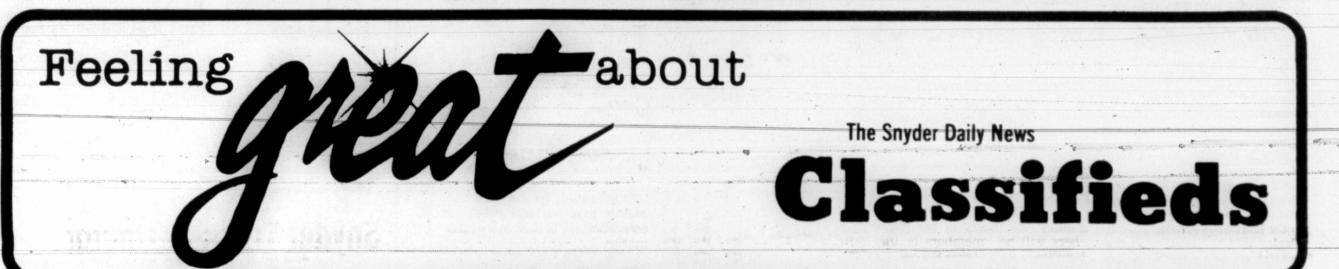
Officers said two men fled on foot from the fight scene as they arrived and that the arrested man was returned to Cogdell for additional treatment for his injuries after being taken to jail.

A 38-year-old man was arrested for public intoxication at 9:29 p.m. Sunday in the 2400 Block of College Ave., and a 19year-old male was arrested in the same incident on outstanding Department of Public Safety warrants from Sulphur Springs for not having liability insurance or a driver's license

The DPS arrested a 28-year-old man for DWI at 9:18 p.m. Saturday on U.S. 84 just east of Snyder. a trooper said.

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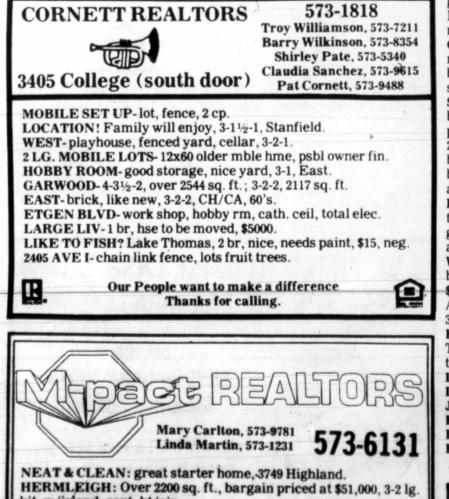
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Famed heart surgeon files for bankruptcy

HOUSTON (AP) - Filing for playing the game and losing. personal bankruptcy once seemed like a last-ditch alternative for famed heart surgeon Dr. Denton Cooley as he looked at solutions for his financial troubles

But the options dwindled, and Cooley finally decided to seek bankruptcy protection, a move he said has embarrassed him, the Houston Post reported in a copyright story Sunday.

The 67-year-old pioneer heart surgeon's career has been a success story. He was the first to implant an artificial heart and the first American to perform a heart transplant operation. He has performed close to 70,000 open heart surgeries, the Post said.

But defeat entered his life Jan. 4, when Cooley filed for personal bankruptcy.

"It was embarrassing," he told the Post. "There's sort of an indignity that goes with it. 'I think this is the first (profes-

sional) defeat that has come to me," he said.

"But I've always felt like I was a real competitor. I have participated in all sorts of sports and athletics in the past, and one of the things you learn on the playing field is how to take defeat as well as victory. Not that you enjoy defeat if you're a good competitor, but you learn to cope with

Cooley, founder of the Texas Heart Institute in Houston, said he's one of the few people to file a reorganization plan when he filed for federal bankruptcy protection. That unusual move will allow him to emerge from bankruptcy quickly, and he plans to come out of bankruptcy in April.

"I want to carry on with my life," he said.

Cooley, who is expected to take home between \$8 million and \$9 million this year from his medical practice alone, plans to pay off his debts within five years. He hopes to keep his River Oaks home, his ranch near Simonton, his two Galveston houses and his two Rolls-Royces.

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But for now, he said he has been forced to borrow money to pay the household expenses. Cooley said he wound up in the

financial situation he is in by

"It's like a game. It's no longer the dollars; it's the score," he said. "You could call it greed. But you can also call it ambition. But it was like a game.'

Except for projects in Chicago buildings in lieu of his debt. and San Francisco, the native Houstonian said all his business bankruptcy, I said there was no dealings have been in his way I would mention that to Dr. was something slightly dishonest hometown. And he once made Cooley," said Gerald Maley, millions from his investments.

But oil prices plunged and the

The oil, banking and real estate possibilities, and I sort of men- dividuals of my type who had the retirement the same day you downturns.

Cooley found himself paying said. some \$9 million a year in interest alone, and he said his creditors refused to take the land and

"The first time someone said Cooley's financial manager.

state and local economies soured. Cooley and threw out different be more or less suited to in-

industries all suffered tioned it as a last alternative. He said it would be a last resort," he

> Cooley said he has always "had a rather low opinion of people who finally had to admit failure and declare bankruptcy.

"I'd always thought that there about it. But (then) the circumstances of Chapter 11 were "So we all got together with Dr. explained to me, which seemed to

opportunity or who had the ability to recoup their losses and to get a fresh start. I thought that this was really a program that was designed for me," he said.

The business deals and subsequent losses are just a sideline because Cooley's medical practice is his life and he has no plans to give it up.

"I think you'll hear of my and regret," he said.

read my obituary." he added.

And there are worse things, he said. His daughter, Florence, one of his five girls, died of a selfinflicted gunshot wound in 1985 at the age of 28.

"These financial reverses can't compare with something like that. Now that's true defeat. That's a real moment for sadness

Forces call protest march

PANAMA CITY, Panama (AP) - Opposition leaders stepped up their campaign to oust strongman Gen. Manuel Antonio Noriega by calling on Panamanians to stage a protest march in the capital, despite a state of emergency.

The march, to be held this afternoon, comes at the start of the second week of a general strike that has shut down an estimated 90 percent of the nation's industry and commerce, further aggravating a critical cash shortage.

As the opposition planned the march Palm Sunday, Catholic church leaders said government authorities "fear this explosion of sentiments" and appealed to both sides to show restraint. The church leaders said in a statement they would send observers to today's march in Panama City to try to keep the peace.

Police and soldiers, under Noriega who heads the 15,000member Defense Forces, have suppressed recent demonstrations with tear gas and shotguns.

Also Sunday, the Social Security Institute said it will pay its 55,000 retirees up to \$150 of their semi-monthly pension benefits this week. They had threatened to join today's march if they didn't receive their payments.

In another development, Elliott Abrams, the assistant secretary of state for inter-American affairs, predicted in Washington on. Sunday that many of the marchers will be "members of the families of the Defense Forces."

The government on Sunday ex-BancTexas

issued by a Panamanian con- "We hope they realize they Delvalle.

Crusade, the main opposition sional, labor and student groups. mediate response.

liberties and gave the state powers to reopen banks and Court hears stores closed by the cash crisis.

The decree permits the govern- hospital audit ment to suspend a wide range of civil liberties, including freedom of speech and assembly and the Facts reported include that as of right to private property. The emergency does not automatically suspend civil rights, but gives \$6,023,091. the government the right to do so by decree.

Peaceful protest is a right written in the constitution," opposition leader Jose Faundes said Sunday. "It is above any decree, any law."

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sular official in Washington loyal cannot repress the will of the peoto deposed President Eric Arturo ple," said Aurelio Barria, a leader of the crusade, a coalition Leaders of the National Civic of more than 200 business, profes-

alliance, said they would defy Last week, the government any ban on the march that the was without money to pay the government might issue under an members of the Defense Forces 11-day-old state of emergency. and faces another \$33 million The government had no im- payroll for its 130,000 civilian employees this week, raising the The emergency suspended civil possibility of intensified protests.

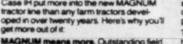
Continued From Page 1 Dec. 31, the county-owned hospital had a balance of

Hospital auxiliary president Wilma Dillard appeared with Jim Robbins and Osama Karaman of Chevron USA to urge county employees and city employees to participate in a contest to see which side can donate the most blood in an April 5 blood drive at Towle Park Barn.

The commissioners agreed to the challenge, as did City Manager John Gayle, who was also present.

Tony Wofford appeared to suggest a federal grant application through the Texas Department of Highways and Public Transportation for a public transportation system here - a matter that was tabled for the commissioner to seek more information.

The U.S. Army Air Corps was



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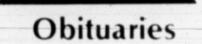
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Wilma Wilson

Services for Wilma Wilson, 78, of 210 37th are set for 2 p.m. Wednesday at Bell-Cypert-Seale Chapel with the Rev. Cary Moore, pastor of First Assembly of God, officiating. Burial will follow at Snyder Cemetery.

She died Monday at St. Mary's Hospital in Lubbock

She was a homemaker and a lifetime resident of Scurry County. She was a member of First Assembly of God Church. She married William Raymond Wilson on July 3, 1928 in Snyder. He died in April of 1981.

She is survived by two cousins, Mrs. Texa Ball of Snyder and Mrs. C. J. Lee of Pecos.

Clarence Birdwell

Services for Clarence Birdwell, 60, of 2900 Avenue X are pending at Bell-Cypert-Seale Funeral Home.

He died Saturday at Rockport, Tex. He was born on Aug. 4, 1927 in Wichita Falls.

He is survived by his wife, Jean; two daughters, Linda Cole of Snyder amd Brenda Hyatt of Comanche; one son, Ernie Simens of El Paso; four grandchildren; one sister, Olla Hedrick of Fontana, Calif., and one brother, Wilson Birdwell of Rockport.

Emma Nolan

Services for Emma Earnestine Nolan, 51, of 3200 Avenue H were held at 10 a.m. Monday at Bell-Cypert-Seale Chapel with the Rev. Danny Williams officiating, assisted by the Rev. Jesse Faulkenberry. Burial followed at Hillside Memorial Gardens.

She died at 2:03 p.m. Saturday at Cogdell Memorial Hospital. She was born on Feb. 12, 1937 in Smith County, Tex.

She was a homemaker and was married to Dale Nolan in 1960 in **Big Spring**. He survives.

She is survived by her mother, Leora Partain of Snyder; a sister, Leoma Hagin of Longview; and two brothers, John Partain of Snyder and Leonard Partain of Odessa

District event held Saturday

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and Mark Hargrove, informative speaking.

Third place honors were won Robert Neblett, ready by writing; Paula Caldwell, news writing; Kirsten Miller, poetry interpretation; Melissa Hodges, prose interpretation; Jay Burns, persuasive speaking; and Terry Davis, informative speaking.

Named as alternates were Holly Barkowsky in headline writing and Amy Polk in prose interpretation.

Snyder started the contest with some 53 entrants. The meet was staged on the campus of Howard College in Big Spring.

Parked auto hit in Sunday wreck

A 1973 Chevrolet four-door driven by Gilberto Gonzales of 2006 37th St. was in collision with a parked 1988 Pontiac four-door owned by Mauricio Rosas of 132 Milburn St. at 1:28 p.m. Sunday in the 300 Block of 32nd St.

A 1977 Chevrolet driven by Betty Jo Carrizales of 605 19th St. was in collision with a 1978 Ford pickup driven by Bernard B. Weems of 3200 42nd St. at 9:13 a.m. Saturday in the 4200 Block of College Ave.

A homemade utility trailer that was being pulled by the Weems vehicle was also damaged in the collision, police said.

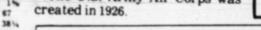
4-H horse club set to organize

The Scurry County 4-H Horse Club will meet Tuesday at 7 p.m. in the county extension office in the senior citizens building to begin preparations for the 1988 ason.

The program is open to all county youth under 19. It is designed for beginners as well as the skilled horesman. There is no membership fee.

Members will participate in clinics, workshops and practice Westghe playdays as well as competitions. Zenithe

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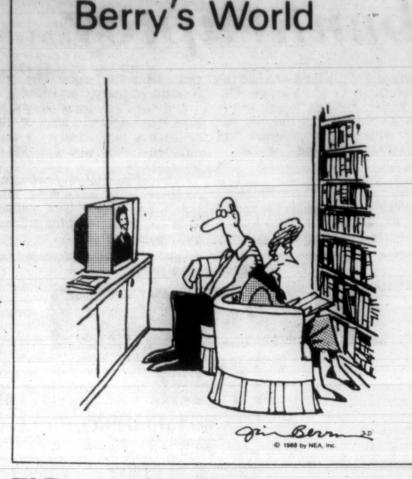
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CIUDAD JUAREZ, Mexico tion presidential candidate (AP) - An El Paso high school Manuel Clouthier from the air-

Clouthier, the candidate of the she was hit by a stone hurled at a National Action Party or PAN, motorcade of a Mexican was traversing a neighborhood controlled by the militant leftist Maria Teresa Ramirez Popular Defense committee, said Aguilar, 15, died Sunday after- Hector Ramirez, the girl's

Miss Ramirez had been living Miss Ramirez was hospitalized in El Paso with her brothers. Her is the state's third-largest sav-

Conditions deplorable despite subsidy

DALLAS (AP) - Government housing officials committed almost \$10 million in federal funds to reopen an abandoned apartment complex whose residents now face problems such as backed-up sewage and rats, The Dallas Morning News reported in a copyright story.

The contract was authorized by the Dallas Housing Authority, approved by the U.S. Department of Housing and Urban Development and endorsed by the city of Dallas, even though all three agencies had documentation in their files that would have disqualified the complex from participation in any federal housing program, the newspaper said in the report published Sunday. The complex's location in a

low-income, almost exclusively guaranteed rent payments over a conditions. black neighborhood violated 15-year period to cover the pur- Hughes said officials are daily Robin Square.

federal regulations. And the decision to subsidize. expenses and a \$1 million renova-Robin Square Apartments allow- tion ed Lomas & Nettleton Financial Corp. to turn a \$600,000 defaulted low-income black families apartment loan into a \$2.3 million profit, The News said.

in one of Dallas' worst neighborhoods.

benefits, for the apartments' eventual owner, Austin developer Alfred D. Hughes, who was appointed in 1985 to the Texas in Dallas, asking for permission. Board of Corrections.

Problems facing many of the assigned to the 156-unit complex, include faulty wiring, collapsing Previously, Lomas & Nettleton ceilings, poor heating and bad had received only a \$75,000 offer security, according to reports by for the complex near Fair Park, local and federal housing inspectors.

Former housing officials said The decision, reached during a the facility was so substandard series of private meetings in 1980 and the renovation proposal so inand 1981, resulted in a \$9.6 million adequate the complex should contract, with lucrative tax have been bulldozed rather than reopened.

Last July, more than two dozen tenants filed suit in federal court. to move from the project, claim-Officials said the contract ing unsafe and unsanitary living

chase of Robin Square, operating correcting problems to keep the complex within standards.

"I provide probably 6,000 to 8,000 people with a real happy, good place to live," he said, referring to his subsidized projects across Texas.

J. Marvin Sexton, the Lomas & Nettleton vice president who successfully lobbied for subsidies said his company was motivated by the best interest of the company and the community.

But Dallas Housing Authority Executive Director Jack Herrington, who has headed the agency for nine years and said he was responsible for reopening Robin Square, said he made a mistake.

"I'm not proud of it," he said. "I'm satisified that there probably wouldn't be anyone (today) that would agree to do

Texas recession shaking Bright empire

tunes of H.R. "Bum" Bright, to become another celebrity said whose collection of assets - from casualty of the Texas downturn. the Dallas Cowboys to Bright Banc - have hit on hard times.

A Dallas millionaire with a passion for football, fishing and dealmaking, the 67-year-old Bright's tance of never giving up, of battlassets include oil and gas properties and prime real estate - in- never accepting failure or excluding a 2,500-acre ranch in a Dallas suburb.

He is the largest single stockholder in First Republic-Bank Corp., and his Bright Banc

Throughout his life, he has em-

phasized to his children and employees - and anyone else that would listen - the imporing until a solution is reached, of cuse

"makes me want to fight," Bright said.

"We are coping with it. Every morning, you have to get up and last Sunday. She was riding in a father said the girl, one of nine ings and loan institution with \$4.8 figure out how to make a living that day. The only thing that will

DALLAS (AP) - As Texas' ready to throw in the towel and as the world exists that day, and quarter, figures reported to economy has soured over the points to lucrative ledger find a way to cope with it, and federal regulators indicated that past year or two, so have the for- balances as proof he isn't about deal with it and handle it," he Bright Banc's regulatory capital

> "And when you don't, that is when you start to die.

Last year, Forbes magazine estimated Bright's net worth at \$600 million.

A substantial shareholder in First RepublicBank Corp., Bright could lose more than \$20 million following the bank time, the S&L will be caught in a The setback to his companies, holding company's near collapse. First RepublicBank aftershock First RepublicBank this month because Bright's bank stock is was rescued by federal regulators.

Bright also has dipped into his pocket to support Bright Banc, disaster so far as real estate is which has had a losing season concerned." Bright told The

had dipped to about \$110 million, down from \$167 million a year earlier

That left the big S&L with a capital-to-assets ratio of 2.37 percent, below the 3 percent deemed safe by regulators

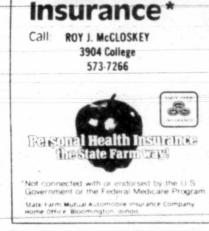
And now, Bright Banc is poised to take another capital hit. This part of the securities that are used as Bright Banc's capital.

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Despite the statewide real make you invincible is to get up with the Texas real estate reces- Dallas Morning News. "It is difmotorcade that followed opposi- School in El Paso last September. estate recession, Bright isn't each morning and face the world sion. At the end of the third' ficult







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Bureaucracy to be overhauled

operations, eliminate 10,000 jobs said. and reduce its role in the direct management of the economy.

Song Ping, State Councillor and head of the Communist Party Organization Department, outlined proposals under which 14 ministries under the State Council will be abolished, one redefined and 10 new ones set up.

It will mean a net reduction of five State Council organs from the current 45, Song told a session dress such problems as too rigid of the National People's Congress, China's parliament. The 10,000 staffers dropped from the payroll will be transferred to other jobs.

The new bodies should be set up within three months after being approved during the current con-

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BEIJING (AP) - The Chinese gressional session, but the progovernment today announced a cess of making the State Council major overhaul of its more efficient and reducing bureaucracy to streamline overlapping will take time, Song

> "The functions of government offices and work methods cannot be changed all at once and a new work order cannot be established at once either," he said.

Song said the reorganization was transitional and will lay the groundwork for further restructuring of the State Council, equivalent to China's Cabinet.

The reorganization will admicro-management and insufficient macro-control, overlapping functions, overstaffing, low working efficiency and lack of clarity about duties, the state councillor said.

The reforms will reduce the staff directly under the State Council from 50,000 to 40,000, he

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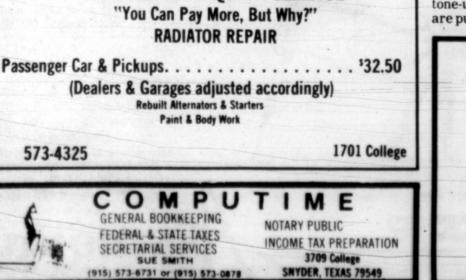
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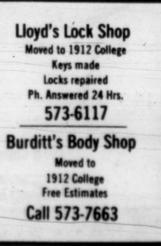
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