

Second annual event...

## Trades Day 'sales' throughout Snyder expected Saturday

Snyder's downtown square will be the focal point for "home-made and home-grown" offerings Saturday, but merchants throughout the city will also have special sales as the second annual Trades Day and Farmers Market is observed here.

The event is sponsored by the Business Development Committee of the Snyder Chamber of Commerce, chaired by Donna Gray.

Approximately 50 booths are expected on the south and east sides of the square, which will be blocked off for vendors beginning at 8 a.m.

Chamber officials note rental space will be offered through Saturday morning. Those interested may appear beginning at 8 Saturday morning.

The space rental fee is \$5 for a "card table-size" area. Vendors

must provide their own tables for display.

In particular, the chamber is seeking individuals who will sell "homemade, homegrown and home-canned goods." Items such as used clothing articles will not be permitted.

Music is planned throughout the day with local bands to be playing at the courthouse bandstand.

Groups already scheduled include the Senior Citizen Kitchen Band, Bob Campbell and band, Jimmy Hoss Clayton and Western Wranglers, Robert Allen and The Country Boys and Kristi Masters.

The day-long event will be capped Saturday night with a street dance starting at 8 p.m. Robert Allen and The Country Boys will play.

Participation is urged from local civic clubs, churches, businesses and individuals.

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## Cogdell heralds income 'turnaround'

Calling it "a significant event for our community," Cogdell Memorial Hospital officials announced Thursday a "turning of the corner" related to net operating losses at the facility linked to government-cutbacks in Medicare payments.

During his monthly financial report, administrator Tom Hochwalt profiled the facility's first income versus expenses "gain" since January of 1986. For the month of June, he said, the

facility experienced an operating gain of near \$9,000.

The exact amount of \$8,984 does not reflect additional hospital income derived from an ad valorem tax supplement and interest from cash reserves.

With these two income items figured in, the total net income for Cogdell during June rose to \$46,000.

"This financial turnaround is a significant event for our community and I hope an encourage-

ment to other rural communities in Texas whose hospitals struggle for survival," Hochwalt commented.

The primary factor attributed to the gain was the cutback in hospital staff implemented March 25. Because of this, Hochwalt noted, the turnaround at Cogdell "has not been accomplished without pain and sacrifice."

The staff reductions "downsized" the number of personnel by

approximately 20 percent.

With his presentation, Hochwalt cautioned that the monthly income gain likely cannot be maintained on a consistent basis without an increase in patients admitted at the facility.

"To do it on a consistent basis, we still need an average of 40 patients a day," he said.

During June, he reported, the average daily census for patients was 29. This was comprised of 17 "acute" patients admitted for an

average stay of 4.4 days and of 12 "long term" patients.

Other key incoming-producing services at Cogdell were also "up" this year compared to last. The report indicated 50 surgeries performed during the month compared to 38 last year; 23 births compared to 14; 539 visits to the emergency room compared to 500; and 54 patients admitted for less than 24 hours compared to 34.

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## Senate aspirant Helen Farabee dies

From Local Wire Reports

Helen Farabee, who campaigned to represent Scurry and the 29 other counties of the 30th Senatorial District which her husband, Ray, served since 1975, died Thursday.

A key figure in mental health reforms, the wife of the former state senator died of respiratory failure at Seton Medical Center in Austin.

She had been in Snyder as recently as April 18, when she attended the groundbreaking ceremonies for the Texas Department of Corrections prison site.

Last Feb. 4, on a campaign stopover here, she announced her

candidacy as a Democrat for the senate seat to be vacated by her husband. That nomination eventually went to Steve Carraker (D-Roby).

In late June, she was admitted to the Austin hospital after she became ill on a trip to Wisconsin. She was later diagnosed as having lung cancer.

She was released on July 9 after receiving chemotherapy treatment, but was readmitted Sunday for treatment of respiratory distress.

Mrs. Farabee, 53, is credited with helping found the state's Department of Mental Health and Mental Retardation and was

director of public policy for the Benedictine Health Resource Center in Austin at the time of her death.

"Helen Farabee's contributions to the poor, the sick and the needy of our state were beyond description," said Lt. Gov. Bill Hobby. "They will live long after her, because she was the defender of those who had few others to speak for them."

"Everything that she attempted was always for someone else," said State Rep. John Gavin, D-Wichita Falls.

Born in Green Bay, Wis., she graduated from the University of Wisconsin in Madison. She mar-

ried Ray Farabee in 1958 and they moved to Wichita Falls in 1961.

Farabee resigned his senate seat in February to become a vice chancellor for the University of Texas in Austin.

Besides her husband, she is survived by two sons, Steven Ross and David Lee, her parents and a brother.

Services will be Saturday afternoon at First Presbyterian Church in Wichita Falls. There also will be a memorial service 12:30 p.m. Monday in Austin. Funeral arrangements are being handled by Hampton-Vaughan Funeral Home of Wichita Falls.



HELEN FARABEE  
...at Feb. 4 appearance...

## Drought bill still pending

WASHINGTON (AP) — Lawmakers are promising to iron out House and Senate differences over a \$6 billion drought-relief package in a quick flurry of action next week and speed the measure on to President Reagan's desk.

"My opinion is that the president would accept this bill as it is passed today, although there have been some things he objects to," Sen. Richard G. Lugar, R-Ind., said Thursday after 94-0 Senate passage of the bill.

The House had approved its version 368-29 a few hours earlier after scaling back a plan to increase milk price supports, a proposal widely criticized as excessively favoring the dairy industry.

The revised version would impose a temporary increase for three months next year. Milk price supports previously had been scheduled to decrease on Jan. 1.

Senators tightened up a

similarly controversial benefit in their bill that would allow companies that make ethanol for fuel to buy corn from government surplus bins at what could shape up as a substantial discount.

However, there were still warnings that Congress was flirting with budget trouble by inserting special benefits for constituents back home into the measure.

The House, urged by Agriculture Committee Chairman E. "Kika" de la Garza, D-Texas, acted to cap the price tag of its bill at \$5.8 billion.

The Senate had no comparably firm figure. Sen. Phil Gramm, R-Texas, said latest estimates put the cost of the Senate measure at between \$5.85 billion and \$6.55 billion.

Gramm warned that running over a \$5.8 billion ceiling calculated under the Gramm-Rudman budget law would set off nasty fiscal and political repercussions.



THE FIRST STEP — Ricky Kinsey, left, Sam Johnson, Paul B. Kinsey and, in the background, Paul Kinsey, are shown unloading cinder blocks to set two double-wide mobile homes at the Texas Department of Corrections prison site. The

trailers will serve as offices for Argee Construction Co. of Denver during the construction phase of the 1,000-man unit northeast of Snyder. (SDN Staff Photo)

## Oil field injury has \$900,000 settlement

A \$900,000 settlement has been reached in 132nd District Court in a lawsuit filed by a Snyder man who lost a leg in an oil field accident three years ago.

In an agreed judgment, 35-year-old Johnny Vasquez was awarded \$150,000 for future medical expenses and \$552,158 for his injuries and mental anguish from the Oct. 2, 1985, accident near the Scurry-Borden County line.

His wife, Hope, was awarded \$50,000 to satisfy all claims for loss of consortium, and Texas Employers Insurance Association got \$98,274 for its involvement in the workman's compensation subrogation claim.

David Cobb of Abilene and Ken D. Cowling Jr. of Lubbock, attorneys for Texas Employers In-

surance and the plaintiffs, were awarded \$24,568 each.

Richard L. Palmer of Big Spring represented the defendants and the liability insurer, James P. Dunigan Inc. and Dunigan Management of Abilene and RLI Insurance Co.

Vasquez was injured while replacing a well head on a pumping unit on a Dunigan lease, court records show.

He claimed the accident occurred after the crew noticed a part of the pumping unit did not have enough bolts to insure safety.

An explosion ensued after the crew was directed to proceed with the job, Vasquez said, causing severe injuries to his head, back, internal body parts and right leg, which had to be amputated.

## The SDN Column

By Roy McQueen

The feller on Deep Creek says, "Spend each day as if it were your last, and you'll be broke by sunset."

Keeping tabs on our neighbors:

Andrews editor James Roberts took an informal poll—and it had nothing to do with politics, Bush or Dukakis, conservatives or moderates, taxes or AIDS.

"Our poll involved a serious matter—which hurts the most: headache, earache, toothache or heelache.

"Pain is pain and whether you're hurting in the head, in the ear, in a tooth, or in the feet—the pain affects the entire body.

"But in our poll, the earache was the least wanted of the four and the headache was the one most people could live with for a short period of time.

"Our poll was scientific to the point of discriminating the different preference of blondes and brunettes.

"The pain of dark complexioned brunettes is

supposedly higher than that of light complexioned blondes. The darker you are, the more pain you can stand. It's probably the reason that blondes are supposed to have more fun.

"But blondes and brunettes agreed that the earache is the worst ache to have and both agreed that when your feet hurt you truly hurt all over.

"Our poll was prompted by a report by some doc in Harvard Medical School that stated that a little pain is actually good for a person.

"It was the doctor's contention that Americans are taking too many pills to kill pain—even minor ones—and that persistent pain is the body's early warning device.

"He may be right as far as minor aches and pains are concerned, but we subscribe to the old infantryman's adage: If it's moving, salute it; if it hurts, doctor it; and if it bites, shoot it."

O. G. Nieman, in the Hereford Brand, says his father was way ahead of his time. "He was into 'just say no' long before it became popular.

Friday

July 29,  
1988

Ask Us

Q — Since I have limited parking spaces, what can be done about someone parking their car in front of my store and leaving it all day?

A — If this is street parking, which is guaranteed public access, there is no city ordinance limiting the amount of time one vehicle may use the space. If the parking is on a private lot, the owner has complete control of who parks there and for how long.

### In Brief

#### POWs, MIAs

WASHINGTON (AP) — President Reagan today assured the families of servicemen still missing from the Vietnam War that the government must persevere in its attempt to give "the fullest possible accounting" for their whereabouts.

Addressing the National League of POW-MIA Families, Reagan hailed an agreement in which Vietnam will allow a joint U.S.-Vietnamese search for some 1,760 U.S. service personnel officially listed as unaccounted for.

#### Returns home

DUBLIN, Ireland (AP) — An Irish teen-ager who was a stowaway on a U.S. Navy destroyer returned home today and was immediately placed under the care of government health officials.

Hours before 16-year-old Suzanne Twomey arrived at Shannon Airport in western Ireland, a district court in Cork ordered her placed under the care of the Southern Health Board, officials said.

#### Makes 1st trip

MOSCOW (AP) — Six Israelis on the first diplomatic mission to Moscow since the Kremlin broke diplomatic relations with the Jewish state in 1967 say they want to review procedures for Soviet Jews who want to leave.

#### Local

#### Realtor moves

Cornett Realtors has moved to 3509 College Ave. The telephone number will remain the same, 573-1818, and office hours will continue to be 9 a.m. until 6 p.m.

#### Weather

Snyder Temperatures: High Thursday, 95 degrees; low, 67 degrees; reading at 7 a.m. Friday, 68 degrees; no precipitation; total precipitation for 1988 to date 13.76 inches.

Snyder Area Forecast: Tonight, partly cloudy with a 20 percent chance of thunderstorms. Low in the lower 70s. Southeast wind 5 to 10 mph. Saturday, partly cloudy with a 20 percent chance of mainly after-noon thunderstorms. High in the mid 90s. Southeast wind 5 to 15 mph.

# Probe leads to Merrill Lynch

NEW YORK (AP) — An investigation of suspicious stock trades that may have drawn on advance knowledge of Business Week magazine articles has spread to Merrill Lynch & Co., which has fired one employee and is questioning another.

The nation's biggest brokerage house said Thursday it had fired a stockbroker following an internal investigation that began last

week after Business Week disclosed it was probing unusual pre-publication movements of stocks mentioned in its "Inside Wall Street" column.

William Dillon, 33, a financial consultant in Merrill Lynch's New London, Conn., office, was fired after company lawyers found records suggesting stocks might have been bought and sold on tips from articles due to be

published in the magazine, said Merrill Lynch spokesman William Clark.

A source close to the Merrill Lynch inquiry said the firm also was examining the actions of a Merrill Lynch vice president, James Smith, in the New London office.

Smith was under scrutiny because he had approved some of the questioned trades under a company policy requiring junior employees trading for their own account to get prior approval from senior executives, the source said.

No disciplinary action has been taken against Smith, said the source, who spoke on condition of anonymity.

Fred Yager, a Merrill Lynch spokesman, said he could neither confirm nor deny any aspect of the report on Smith.

In its Aug. 8 issue, copies of which were released to the press late Thursday, Business Week officially acknowledges to its readers that it discovered unusual trading in shares mentioned in the Wall Street column and has begun an investigation.

"The relationship between Business Week and its readers is our most valuable asset, and we intend to protect it," says the three-paragraph note to readers carried on the page featuring letters to the editor.

The note also says the magazine is cooperating with authorities in the probe and has tightened its "already stringent" internal security.

Merrill Lynch spokesman William Clark said Dillon had worked at the New London office since Oct. 20, 1986, but little other information was available on the former employee. He said that to his knowledge no charges had been filed against Dillon.

The magazine, which has a circulation of 960,000, is printed weekly at four plants, including one in Old Saybrook, Conn., near Merrill Lynch's New London office.

A man who identified himself as Dillon's father in telephone calls to Dillon's home in Old Lyme, Conn., said his son was unavailable for comment. He declined to discuss the matter or answer any questions.

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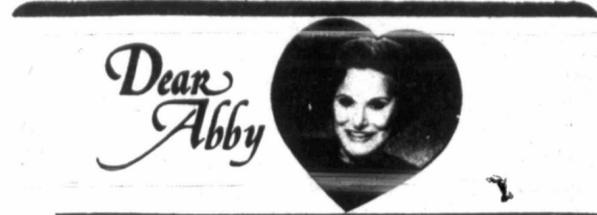
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## Taxpayer Thinks It's a Crime To Fund Inmates' Education

By Abigail Van Buren  
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DEAR ABBY: The feature story of today's newspaper was the coverage of a college graduation ceremony.

All of the graduates were incarcerated at one of our state's prisons. We helped them obtain full college degrees. Abby, I take as many college courses as my available time allows, and it costs me a bundle to pay all my regular living and eating expenses.

I've looked for help. You have to be poverty-stricken before you can qualify for government help. It hurts me more to strive for my education than if I was in prison. Doesn't it seem that something is turned around?

DARRELL BROWN,  
ALBUQUERQUE, N.M.

DEAR DARRELL: I applaud a system that enables prison inmates to become college graduates at the government's expense. Too bad every law-abiding person in the USA who wants a college education isn't given the same break.

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DEAR ABBY: For five years I was with a wonderful man I'll call "G." We got along very well and, despite several setbacks, we seemed perfect for each other. We even talked of marriage and spending the rest of our lives together.

During the last three years of our relationship, G. lived in a distant state, and we saw each other only twice in all that time. Each visit was wonderful. We kept in touch, though it was very hard to be so far apart.

Over Christmas this past year, G. came to visit me. It was great seeing him again, but we had grown apart, and the whole visit was rather strained. To save myself the pain of having him break it off, I did it first.

Since then, I've tried to forget him and see other people, but it hasn't worked. I miss him terribly. So, I called him last week and we talked for a long time. I told him I wanted

to come to see him, but he said he'd been living the bachelor's life for the last couple of months and that several people wouldn't like me to be there! He meant "women," and I could die from jealousy. I wrote to him, just to keep in touch. He didn't answer my letter. What do I do now? I just don't think I can live without him, but I don't know how to get him back. Help!

LOST IN CALIFORNIA

DEAR LOST: Face it. He likes his life the way it is. He could even be otherwise involved and probably is. A good artist knows when a painting is finished. Save yourself further humiliation and back off.

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DEAR ABBY: I have a problem I've never seen in your column. At the dinner table, my husband gobbles down his food, then starts eating off my plate!

I am a slow eater, preferring to take my time and enjoy my meal. Am I wrong to say that he is rude? Or should I put up with it and get used to the idea of eating half a meal?

SPEEDY'S WIFE

DEAR WIFE: Your husband is rude, and you may say it. But what makes you think you have to put up with it? Simply tell "Speedy" to slow up, and if he's still hungry after eating his meal, suggest that he take a second helping and kindly keep his marauding fork off your plate.

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

# Deficit will be higher

WASHINGTON (AP) — The Reagan administration says the federal deficit will be \$5.6 billion higher than it predicted back in February, with the government's red ink now estimated to total \$152.3 billion this fiscal year.

While the new administration estimate is higher, it is still below the more gloomy projections earlier this year by many private economists, who were forecasting a deficit of \$160 billion or worse.

Those economists have been busy revising their own figures, and some now say the administration's new deficit forecast for the fiscal year ending Sept. 30 may actually be too pessimistic.

As the year began, the administration predicted the overall economy as measured by the gross national product would expand at a sluggish 2.4 percent rate. The new budget has boosted that GNP estimate to 3 percent.

The higher growth this year has helped push the unemployment rate down to a 14-year-low of 5.3 percent. More people working means more tax revenues for Uncle Sam.

Tax revenues are expected to be \$4.2 billion higher than the administration's February projection, according to the new report.

Michael Evans, head of a Washington forecasting firm, said he is now predicting the 1988 deficit will total \$145 billion based on the gains in tax revenues which have already occurred.

David Wyss, an economist with Data Resources Inc., said he is forecasting a deficit this year of \$151 billion, slightly lower than the administration's estimate.

The administration is calling for the deficit in the next fiscal year to decline to \$140.1 billion, an estimate that private economists say is generally in line with their own forecasts.

That deficit estimate is \$9 billion below the \$146 billion level which would trigger automatic spending cuts as required by the Gramm-Rudman deficit reduction law.

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SAVINGS

It's time to do some trading and buy Sis and Jr. some school clothes!

## Andy Mill will marry C. Evert

BOCA RATON, Fla. (AP) — Andy Mill says he used to enjoy watching television broadcasts of Chris Evert's tennis matches and wanted to meet her even though "celebrities and athletes are a dime a dozen."

On Saturday, the former Olympic skier plans to marry the tennis star at a ceremony attended by about 100 family members and friends, including tennis stars Martina Navratilova and Pam Shriver and actress Lynda Carter.

When Mill first saw Evert in person on New Year's Eve in Aspen, Colo., nearly 19 months ago, he said he fell in love.

"I was really curious about

who this person was because, well, celebrities and athletes are a dime a dozen," said Mill.

Both Evert and Mill were ending eight-year marriages when they met.

Evert, 33, who was married to British tennis star John Lloyd, has won three Wimbledon championships, six U.S. Opens and seven French Opens. Mill, 35, placed sixth in the 1976 Olympic downhill competition and 18th in the 1980 games.

After Augusto Pinochet Ugarte took power in Chile, following a violent coup in 1973, his troops swept up as many as one in every 125 Chilean adults, purged many from job or classroom, tortured others, sent thousands into exile or concentration camps, and killed or perhaps 5,000 people while nearly 700 vanished without a trace, says National Geographic.

Ted Bigham

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# Settlement for \$7.5 million set

AUSTIN (AP) — The parents of an Austin boy who was hit by a car while riding a dark-colored tricycle have agreed to a settlement with the manufacturer which will pay \$7.5 million.

Hedstrom Industries of Bedford, Pa., agreed to the settlement with James and Joyce Smith, whose son George suffered brain damage in the 1983 accident. The boy, now 9, is partially paralyzed.

The Smiths alleged in a 1984 lawsuit that the company was at fault because the tricycle their son rode into the street wasn't easily visible.

The child was struck about 4 p.m. outside his home while crossing the street on the trike from a shaded area. The driver of the car wasn't charged.

"I feel like we got a real fair settlement out of it," the boy's father said. "What I was concerned about was his future. He's still got some brain damage, and I wanted to make sure he's pro-

vided for in case I'm not around," Smith said.

The boy has needed about \$80,000 in medical care since the accident, his father said.

The settlement, entered Wednesday in state district court in Travis County, means the child will receive escalating monthly payments from the company until he is 72, said the Smiths' lawyer, David Nagle.

Jack Latson, an Austin attorney representing Hedstrom, said the settlement didn't mean the company accepted responsibility for the accident.

"I think this is a statement by Hedstrom that they were simply afraid to try a case in Texas, even when they believed they didn't owe" damages, Latson said.

"Part of the settlement is (that) Hedstrom admits no responsibility. But a decision was made, as a practical matter, to settle the case rather than risk a Travis County jury rendering an award out of sympathy," he said.

## Community Calendar

### FRIDAY

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 or 573-8626.

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

### SATURDAY

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

People Without Partners; Inadale Community Center; games of 42 and dominoes; 6:30 p.m.

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

### SUNDAY

Scurry County Alcoholics Anonymous; Park Club in Winston Park; 10 a.m. For more information, call 573-4870.

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

### Bridge James Jacoby

NORTH 7-29-88			
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♥ Q 7 3			
♦ 9 5 2			
♠ K 8 3 2			
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♠ 10 7 6 5 4			
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♥ A K J 2			
♦ 6 3			
♠ A Q			
Vulnerable: Both			
Dealer: South			
West	North	East	South
Pass	2 ♦	Pass	1 ♠
Pass	3 ♠	Pass	3 ♥
Pass	Pass	Pass	4 ♦
Opening lead: ♦ Q			

Poor Willy Nilly, our fictional hap-hazard declarer, is often at the helm of our bridge ship, usually steering it aground. In fairness, Willy is probably a better player by now, particularly if

### Orlando, Dawn are reunited

ATLANTIC CITY, N.J. (AP) — Eleven years ago this month, singer Tony Orlando stunned his audience and his two partners when he walked out in the middle

he has been reading about his own exploits. Nevertheless, here he is again, pushing cards around without too much thought.

How did he do it this time? He got to four spades, and the opponents led three rounds of diamonds. Willy ruffed the third diamond, and played to the jack of spades. Then he played the queen of spades. When East showed out, there was nothing for Willy to do but play a third spade and hope that West had no more diamonds to force him in the trump suit. No such luck. West won the spade ace and played another diamond to beat the contract.

The correct play is easy. After dummy's spade jack holds the trick, declarer should play the two of spades back to his 10. If West holds up, then declarer must cash two clubs and three hearts. Since West must follow, at the finish South can lead the fourth heart from his hand while a high spade is still in dummy to prevent West from making a trick with a little spade.

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.

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of a performance. On Tuesday night, Orlando and Dawn reunited on stage at Trump Plaza Hotel and Casino.

# Newspaper, town share centennial

CHILDRESS, Texas (AP) — No one seemed to mind that the president didn't stop by this time. The town and its newspaper jubilantly marked their joint 100th anniversary Thursday with an open house.

It was one of the most important days in the Panhandle town's history since President Roosevelt made an appearance in the town's 50th anniversary year on a whistlestop tour.

Morris Higley, the paper's owner and its publisher since 1935, said President Roosevelt's visit and the arrival of Red River drinking water in 1964 were the highlights of his 53 years at the Panhandle paper.

In 1964, residents voted 1,379 to 13 in favor of a bond issue that paid to pipe water from the south fork of the Red River, said the 78-year-old Higley.

Higley said it probably kept the town's fortunes from drying up

like so many other Panhandle communities that are now gone.

"We've got what's probably the best water supply in the Panhandle," Higley said.

In 100 years of publication, the Index has evolved from a \$1.50 per year weekly to a thrice-weekly, 30 cent-per issue newspaper with a circulation of 3,000, said Higley, who is 78.

The town has grown, too, from about 500 in 1888, when the merger of Henry and Childress City created Childress, to more than 6,000 people today.

State Rep. Foster Whaley, D-Pampa, and Childress Mayor Pat Steed were among those attending he open house.

Steed praised Higley's stewardship of the paper.

"He's certainly an advocate of the people," Steed said. "He has always encouraged people to take part in the community."

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# Probe leads to Merrill Lynch

NEW YORK (AP) — An investigation of suspicious stock trades that may have drawn on advance knowledge of Business Week magazine articles has spread to Merrill Lynch & Co., which has fired one employee and is questioning another.

The nation's biggest brokerage house said Thursday it had fired a stockbroker following an internal investigation that began last

week after Business Week disclosed it was probing unusual pre-publication movements of stocks mentioned in its "Inside Wall Street" column.

William Dillon, 33, a financial consultant in Merrill Lynch's New London, Conn., office, was fired after company lawyers found records suggesting stocks might have been bought and sold on tips from articles due to be

published in the magazine, said Merrill Lynch spokesman William Clark.

A source close to the Merrill Lynch inquiry said the firm also was examining the actions of a Merrill Lynch vice president, James Smith, in the New London office.

Smith was under scrutiny because he had approved some of the questioned trades under a company policy requiring junior employees trading for their own account to get prior approval from senior executives, the source said.

No disciplinary action has been taken against Smith, said the source, who spoke on condition of anonymity.

Fred Yager, a Merrill Lynch spokesman, said he could neither confirm nor deny any aspect of the report on Smith.

In its Aug. 8 issue, copies of which were released to the press late Thursday, Business Week officially acknowledges to its readers that it discovered unusual trading in shares mentioned in the Wall Street column and has begun an investigation.

"The relationship between Business Week and its readers is our most valuable asset, and we intend to protect it," says the three-paragraph note to readers carried on the page featuring letters to the editor.

The note also says the magazine is cooperating with authorities in the probe and has tightened its "already stringent" internal security.

Merrill Lynch spokesman William Clark said Dillon had worked at the New London office since Oct. 20, 1986, but little other information was available on the former employee. He said that to his knowledge no charges had been filed against Dillon.

The magazine, which has a circulation of 960,000, is printed weekly at four plants, including one in Old Saybrook, Conn., near Merrill Lynch's New London office.

A man who identified himself as Dillon's father in telephone calls to Dillon's home in Old Lyme, Conn., said his son was unavailable for comment. He declined to discuss the matter or answer any questions.

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Dear Abby

## Taxpayer Thinks It's a Crime To Fund Inmates' Education

By Abigail Van Buren  
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DEAR ABBY: The feature story of today's newspaper was the coverage of a college graduation ceremony.

All of the graduates were incarcerated at one of our state's prisons. We helped them obtain full college degrees. Abby, I take as many college courses as my available time allows, and it costs me a bundle to pay all my regular living and eating expenses.

I've looked for help. You have to be poverty-stricken before you can qualify for government help. It hurts me more to strive for my education than if I was in prison. Doesn't it seem that something is turned around?

DARRELL BROWN,  
ALBUQUERQUE, N.M.

DEAR DARRELL: I applaud a system that enables prison inmates to become college graduates at the government's expense. Too bad every law-abiding person in the USA who wants a college education isn't given the same break.

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DEAR ABBY: For five years I was with a wonderful man I'll call "G." We got along very well and, despite several setbacks, we seemed perfect for each other. We even talked of marriage and spending the rest of our lives together.

During the last three years of our relationship, G. lived in a distant state, and we saw each other only twice in all that time. Each visit was wonderful. We kept in touch, though it was very hard to be so far apart.

Over Christmas this past year, G. came to visit me. It was great seeing him again, but we had grown apart, and the whole visit was rather strained. To save myself the pain of having him break it off, I did it first.

Since then, I've tried to forget him and see other people, but it hasn't worked. I miss him terribly. So, I called him last week and we talked for a long time. I told him I wanted

to come to see him, but he said he'd been living the bachelor's life for the last couple of months and that several people wouldn't like me to be there! He meant "women," and I could die from jealousy. I wrote to him, just to keep in touch. He didn't answer my letter. What do I do now? I just don't think I can live without him, but I don't know how to get him back. Help!

LOST IN CALIFORNIA

DEAR LOST: Face it. He likes his life the way it is. He could even be otherwise involved and probably is. A good artist knows when a painting is finished. Save yourself further humiliation and back off.

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DEAR ABBY: I have a problem I've never seen in your column. At the dinner table, my husband gobbles down his food, then starts eating off my plate!

I am a slow eater, preferring to take my time and enjoy my meal. Am I wrong to say that he is rude? Or should I put up with it and get used to the idea of eating half a meal?

SPEEDY'S WIFE

DEAR WIFE: Your husband is rude, and you may say it. But what makes you think you have to put up with it? Simply tell "Speedy" to slow up, and if he's still hungry after eating his meal, suggest that he take a second helping and kindly keep his marauding fork off your plate.

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# Deficit will be higher

WASHINGTON (AP) — The Reagan administration says the federal deficit will be \$5.6 billion higher than it predicted back in February, with the government's red ink now estimated to total \$152.3 billion this fiscal year.

While the new administration estimate is higher, it is still below the more gloomy projections earlier this year by many private economists, who were forecasting a deficit of \$160 billion or worse.

Those economists have been busy revising their own figures, and some now say the administration's new deficit forecast for the fiscal year ending Sept. 30 may actually be too pessimistic.

As the year began, the administration predicted the overall economy as measured by the gross national product would expand at a sluggish 2.4 percent rate. The new budget has boosted that GNP estimate to 3 percent.

The higher growth this year has helped push the unemployment rate down to a 14-year-low of 5.3 percent. More people working means more tax revenues for Uncle Sam.

Tax revenues are expected to be \$4.2 billion higher than the administration's February projection, according to the new report. Michael Evans, head of a Washington forecasting firm, said he is now predicting the 1988 deficit will total \$145 billion based on the gains in tax revenues which have already occurred.

David Wyss, an economist with Data Resources Inc., said he is forecasting a deficit this year of \$151 billion, slightly lower than the administration's estimate.

The administration is calling for the deficit in the next fiscal year to decline to \$140.1 billion, an estimate that private economists say is generally in line with their own forecasts.

That deficit estimate is \$5.9 billion below the \$146 billion level which would trigger automatic spending cuts as required by the Gramm-Rudman deficit reduction law.

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### Andy Mill will marry C. Evert

BOCA RATON, Fla. (AP) — Andy Mill says he used to enjoy watching television broadcasts of Chris Evert's tennis matches and wanted to meet her even though "celebrities and athletes are a dime a dozen."

On Saturday, the former Olympic skier plans to marry the tennis star at a ceremony attended by about 100 family members and friends, including tennis stars Martina Navratilova and Pam Shriver and actress Lynda Carter.

When Mill first saw Evert in person on New Year's Eve in Aspen, Colo., nearly 19 months ago, he said he fell in love.

"I was really curious about who this person was because, well, celebrities and athletes are a dime a dozen," said Mill.

Both Evert and Mill were ending eight-year marriages when they met.

Evert, 33, who was married to British tennis star John Lloyd, has won three Wimbledon championships, six U.S. Opens and seven French Opens. Mill, 35, placed sixth in the 1976 Olympic downhill competition and 18th in the 1980 games.

After Augusto Pinochet Ugarte took power in Chile, following a violent coup in 1973, his troops swept up as many as one in every 125 Chilean adults, purged many from job or classroom, tortured others, sent thousands into exile or concentration camps, and killed perhaps 5,000 people while nearly 700 vanished without a trace, says National Geographic.

Ted Bigham

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## Settlement for \$7.5 million set

AUSTIN (AP) — The parents of an Austin boy who was hit by a car while riding a dark-colored tricycle have agreed to a settlement with the manufacturer which will pay \$7.5 million.

Hedstrom Industries of Bedford, Pa., agreed to the settlement with James and Joyce Smith, whose son George suffered brain damage in the 1983 accident. The boy, now 9, is partially paralyzed.

The Smiths alleged in a 1984 lawsuit that the company was at fault because the tricycle their son rode into the street wasn't easily visible.

The child was struck about 4 p.m. outside his home while crossing the street on the trike from a shaded area. The driver of the car wasn't charged.

"I feel like we got a real fair settlement out of it," the boy's father said. "What I was concerned about was his future. He's still got some brain damage, and I wanted to make sure he's pro-

vided for in case I'm not around," Smith said.

The boy has needed about \$80,000 in medical care since the accident, his father said.

The settlement, entered Wednesday in state district court in Travis County, means the child will receive escalating monthly payments from the company until he is 72, said the Smiths' lawyer, David Nagle.

Jack Latson, an Austin attorney representing Hedstrom, said the settlement didn't mean the company accepted responsibility for the accident.

"I think this is a statement by Hedstrom that they were simply afraid to try a case in Texas, even when they believed they didn't owe" damages, Latson said.

"Part of the settlement is (that) Hedstrom admits no responsibility. But a decision was made, as a practical matter, to settle the case rather than risk a Travis County jury rendering an award out of sympathy," he said.

## Community Calendar

### FRIDAY

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 or 573-8626.

New Horizon Alcoholics Anonymous; Park Club in Winston Park; 8 p.m. For more information, call 573-3956 or 573-8626.

### SATURDAY

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

People Without Partners; Inadale Community Center; games of 42 and dominoes; 6:30 p.m.

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

### SUNDAY

Scurry County Alcoholics Anonymous; Park Club in Winston Park; 10 a.m. For more information, call 573-4870.

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

## Bridge

James Jacoby

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SOUTH			
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♥ A K J 2			
♦ 6 3			
♦ A Q			
Vulnerable: Both			
Dealer: South			
West	North	East	South
Pass	2 ♦	Pass	1 ♠
Pass	3 ♦	Pass	3 ♠
Pass	Pass	Pass	4 ♦
Opening lead: ♠ Q			

Poor Willy Nilly, our fictional hap-hazard declarer, is often at the helm of our bridge ship, usually steering it aground. In fairness, Willy is probably a better player by now, particularly if

### Orlando, Dawn are reunited

ATLANTIC CITY, N.J. (AP) — Eleven years ago this month, singer Tony Orlando stunned his audience and his two partners when he walked out in the middle

he has been reading about his own exploits. Nevertheless, here he is again, pushing cards around without too much thought.

How did he do it this time? He got to four spades, and the opponents led three rounds of diamonds. Willy ruffed the third diamond, and played to the jack of spades. Then he played the queen of spades. When East showed out, there was nothing for Willy to do but play a third spade and hope that West had no more diamonds to force him in the trump suit. No such luck. West won the spade ace and played another diamond to beat the contract.

The correct play is easy. After dummy's spade jack holds the trick, declarer should play the two of spades back to his 10. If West holds up, then declarer must cash two clubs and three hearts. Since West must follow, at the finish South can lead the fourth heart from his hand while a high spade is still in dummy to prevent West from making a trick with a little spade.

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.

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of a performance. On Tuesday night, Orlando and Dawn reunited on stage at Trump Plaza Hotel and Casino.

## Newspaper, town share centennial

CHILDRESS, Texas (AP) — No one seemed to mind that the president didn't stop by this time. The town and its newspaper jubilantly marked their joint 100th anniversary Thursday with an open house.

It was one of the most important days in the Panhandle town's history since President Roosevelt made an appearance in the town's 50th anniversary year on a whistlestop tour.

Morris Higley, the paper's owner and its publisher since 1935, said President Roosevelt's visit and the arrival of Red River drinking water in 1964 were the highlights of his 53 years at the Panhandle paper.

In 1964, residents voted 1,379 to 13 in favor of a bond issue that paid to pipe water from the south fork of the Red River, said the 78-year-old Higley.

Higley said it probably kept the town's fortunes from drying up

like so many other Panhandle communities that are now gone.

"We've got what's probably the best water supply in the Panhandle," Higley said.

In 100 years of publication, the Index has evolved from a \$1.50 per year weekly to a thrice-weekly, 30 cent-per issue newspaper with a circulation of 3,000, said Higley, who is 78.

The town has grown, too, from about 500 in 1888, when the merger of Henry and Childress City created Childress, to more than 6,000 people today.

State Rep. Foster Whaley, D-Pampa, and Childress Mayor Pat Steed were among those attending the open house.

Steed praised Higley's stewardship of the paper.

"He's certainly an advocate of the people," Steed said. "He has always encouraged people to take part in the community."

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PUZZLES

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- 9 Guided
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- 16 On grand scale
- 17 Play on words
- 18 Chemical measure
- 20 Lang. suffix
- 21 Before (pref.)
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- 24 Loom bar
- 26 Hawaiian garland
- 28 Frontage
- 31 Mentally sound
- 33 Bernstein, for short
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- 38 Yanks
- 39 Last mo.
- 40 ... and void
- 41 Sensed with tongue
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- 48 Unexpected difficulty
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- 54 Firebug's crime
- 57 Bench
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- 7 River nymph
- 8 Hosted
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- 10 Habituate
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- 26 Landing boat
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- 55 Highly seasoned dish
- 56 Tide type
- 59 Paddle

Answer to Previous Puzzle

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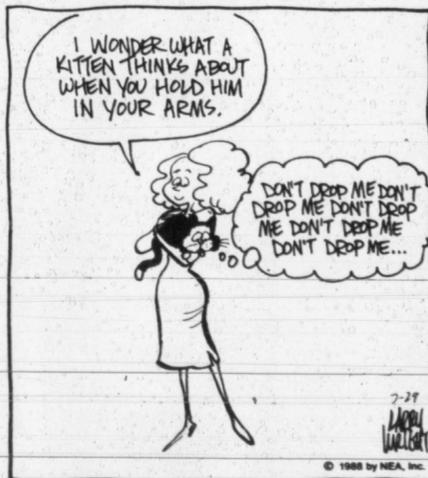
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In the year ahead situations that appear to offer a quick fix might not turn out too well in the long run. However, in matters where you build a strong foundation, the end results will be to your liking.

**LEO (July 23-Aug. 22)** If you lack follow through today it will severely affect your chances for success. A victory isn't a victory until you are awarded the trophy. Know where to look for romance and you'll find it. The Astro-Graph Matchmaker 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.

**VIRGO (Aug. 23-Sept. 22)** Be careful regarding the types of favors you request from companions today. What is nice for you could be an imposition on them.

**LIBRA (Sept. 23-Oct. 23)** Performance time must be taken into consideration today or else you might begin a project that you'll be unable to complete and just abandon to collect dust.

**SCORPIO (Oct. 24-Nov. 22)** There is a chance your generosity might be abused today, but it will be partially your own fault because you'll innately know you're being too liberal with one who is undeserving.

**SAGITTARIUS (Nov. 23-Dec. 21)** Complacency could dilute any advantages you gain today in your dealings with others. You must pin things down in order to succeed.

**CAPRICORN (Dec. 22-Jan. 19)** Today, guard against tendencies to be nice only to people you think can do something for you. Your motives will be obvious to keen observers.

**AQUARIUS (Jan. 20-Feb. 19)** Today there may be a tug-of-war between your abilities to acquire and your inclinations to be wasteful. It looks like the latter might have a slight edge.

**PISCES (Feb. 20-March 20)** This should be a rather pleasant day for you, provided you take care of things you should be managing instead of letting them fend for themselves. Direct your destiny.

**ARIES (March 21-April 19)** Things that you have been sweeping under the rug lately might pop up today and compete for your immediate attention. Don't postpone any longer that which needs doing now.

**TAURUS (April 20-May 20)** If you fail to keep your priorities in order today, you may put more emphasis on frivolous activities than you do on practical matters. Produce instead of playing.

**GEMINI (May 21-June 20)** Instead of worrying about what others think of you today, it's far more important what you think of yourself. If you know in your heart you're doing your best, that's all that counts.

**CANCER (June 21-July 22)** There is a possibility that you may confuse wishful thinking with optimism today and make judgments which do not serve your best interests. Be realistic.

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# Witness testifies about Oliver North

WASHINGTON (AP) — A U.S. drug enforcement official says former White House staffer Oliver L. North suggested in 1984 that \$1.5 million designated for a drug sting operation be diverted to the Nicaraguan Contras instead.

Ron Caffrey, now in charge of the Atlanta office of the Drug Enforcement Administration, told a House panel Thursday the DEA rejected the idea. Caffrey said he told North the suggestion would have compromised the chief operative in one of the agency's most significant undercover operations.

As it turned out, according to Caffrey and other DEA witnesses, the investigation was compromised anyway — and closed prematurely — several weeks later when details were leaked to the Washington Times.

The hearing was the first in a series by the Judiciary subcommittee on crime, which is trying to learn whether Reagan administration officials condoned drug smuggling and other criminal activities to further its Central American policy — especially winning aid for the Contra rebels.

Chairman William J. Hughes, D-N.J., said the panel has "discovered many, many instances of persons in or associated with ... elements of our government attempting to convert, to divert, and to subvert the criminal justice process."

North, who has been indicted in the separate diversion of millions of dollars from the administration's Iran arms sales to the Contras, figured prominently in Thursday's testimony.

The testimony focused on a 1984 sting operation, in which

DEA used convicted drug pilot Barry Seal to make contact with the Colombian cocaine cartel — then operating in Nicaragua — and a purported Nicaraguan government official, Federico Vaughn.

Hughes later said the committee has doubts about whether Vaughn was in fact part of the government.

Nonetheless, four DEA witnesses said North was interested in exposing an alleged involvement of the marxist Nicaraguan government in drug smuggling, so the Reagan administration could win an upcoming congressional vote on Contra aid.

Caffrey, who was in charge of the DEA cocaine desk in 1984, said he briefed North on the undercover operation in late June or early July 1984, after Barry Seal had brought cocaine

back from Nicaragua to the United States.

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## Ag officials say wheat plan will remain same as before

WASHINGTON (AP) — No major adjustments because of this year's drought are in the works for the Agriculture Department's 1989 wheat acreage program.

Winter wheat producers soon will be planting next year's crop, and the no-change announcement Thursday by Agriculture Secretary Richard E. Lyng helps clear the way. All they need now is rain.

As it stands now, wheat farmers will have to idle 10 percent of their base acreage in 1989 to qualify for federal price supports, the same as announced last spring.

The 10 percent acreage reduction for next year was announced on May 25, under 1985 farm law which requires a determination for the following year's crop prior to June 1. That was before the drought became so widespread and severe.

"Even though the severe drought has reduced wheat production, especially that of spring wheat, the prospective supply-demand balance (for the coming year) does not call for a change

in the previously announced wheat acreage reduction program in 1989," Lyng, who was out of town, said in a statement.

A crop projection issued on July 12 put the 1988 wheat crop at 1.84 billion bushels, down from 2.12 billion bushels forecast in June. The 1987 harvest was about 2.1 billion bushels.

But U.S. wheat inventories have been large, despite a heavy export drain, and totaled around 1.27 billion bushels on June 1, the beginning of the 1988-89 wheat marketing year. The smaller harvest will result in a further reduction in the stockpile to around 666 million bushels by June 1, 1989, according to the projections.

Earlier, the June 1, 1989, wheat carryover was forecast at 781 million bushels.

Winter wheat, which comprises about three-fourths of the U.S. total, will be planted this fall for harvest next year. Spring wheat, including durum used for pasta, is produced farther north and bore the brunt of this summer's drought damage to the wheat crop.

In a related development, officials served notice that wheat export subsidies are continuing, despite the drought and reduction in wheat supplies.

Melvin E. Sims, general manager for the department's Foreign Agricultural Service, said China has bought an additional 400,000 metric tons of U.S. wheat at subsidized prices.

The sales, equal to about 14.7 million bushels, were handled by two companies: Cargill Inc.,

200,000 tons, and Ferruzzi USA Inc., 200,000 tons.

Sims said the sales were part of an authorized 2 million tons of wheat announced April 5 under the Export Enhancement Program, or EEP, and some left over from an earlier authorization.

Although no selling prices or other details were announced, recent wheat prices at farm points have averaged around \$3.46 per bushel, indicating a U.S. farm value of about \$50 million.

A metric ton is about 2,205 pounds and is equal to 36.7 bushels of wheat.

Prior to the new authorization on April 5, China had bought 4.9 million tons of wheat under EEP subsidy arrangements. Sims said China has 610,000 tons still available for use.

Under the program, exporters can sell U.S. commodities at reduced prices in order to meet foreign competition and then collect free government surpluses of grain or other commodities as bonuses, or subsidies.

Sims said the bonuses due the four companies averaged \$9.84 per ton of wheat, or about 27 cents a bushel. The bonuses will be paid in the form of surplus commodities owned by the department's Commodity Credit Corp.

## Home in West Texas is sought for Finnish girl

The Youth for Understanding Program is seeking a home in West Texas for Satu Irheli Pitkaaho, 17, of Finland who wants to live with a West Texas family for the upcoming school year.

Pitkaaho would like to stay with a family with children and she is interested in learning about the American culture and language. She has been studying English for seven years and Swedish for three years.

Pitkaaho is an honor student. Her father is a welder and her mother is a sales woman. She has two brothers and her mother is

expecting another child. Pitkaaho is a Girl Scout and likes athletics. Her stay is planned from the end of August to next July.

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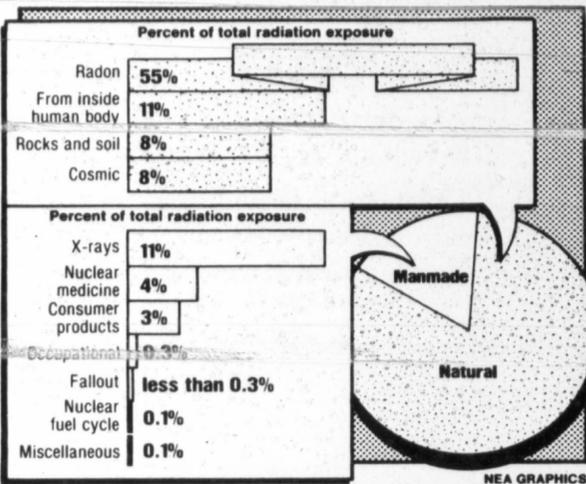
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FORT WORTH, Texas (AP) — Relatives of one the victims of the so-called "Man in Black" killings say they will use the 12th anniversary of the shootings to make a new plea for once-wealthy Cullen Davis to be tried in the death of former Texas Christian University basketball player Stan Farr.

Relatives of Farr say they will hold a news conference Tuesday on the steps of the Tarrant County Courthouse to demand that District Attorney Tim Curry reopen the case.

Farr and 12-year-old Andrea Wilborn, Priscilla Davis' daughter, were shot to death in the August 2, 1976, shootings at the Davis mansion. Priscilla Davis, who was engaged in bitter divorce proceedings with Davis at the time, and Gus "Bubba" Gavrel, were wounded by the so-called "Man in Black."

"I don't want a penny of his money," Karen Farr, Farr's ex-wife, told the Fort Worth Star-Telegram Thursday. "I want a guilty verdict."

Several witnesses identified Cullen Davis as the killer, but jurors found him innocent in the death of Andrea Wilborn in a celebrated 1977 trial at Amarillo.

Other charges, including a murder count in the Farr death, were later dropped by Curry.

Steve Sumner, a lawyer who represents Davis, said the family's actions were "offensive to me and they'll probably be offensive to a lot of people."

"I find it incredulous that they would be utilizing the criminal justice system to gain leverage in their civil suit and to gain money from Cullen Davis," he said. Karen Farr had brought a wrongful-death lawsuit against Davis on behalf of her two children.

The wrongful death case, pending for 12 years, was moved to the back burner last year when Davis, once considered one of the world's wealthiest men, filed for bankruptcy.

"We were awfully traumatized by the whole episode and continue to be every year," Ivonne Farr of Corpus Christi, Farr's sister, said. "We want something to be finished in this thing. This man (Davis) did something

against God's law and against man's law. And he's walking around scot-free."

Curry was out of town Thursday and could not be reached for comment, a secretary in the district attorney's office said. "We want this thing ended, even for Mr. Curry's sake, because we don't know what his thinking was in dropping the case," said Ivonne Farr. "We feel like public pressure is the only thing that is going to get him to talk to us."

Sumner said there is little chance that Curry will retry

Davis because of the legal prohibition against trying a defendant twice on the same charges.

"The issue of whether Cullen pulled the trigger has already been litigated," he said.

Kurt Wolfgang, a Maryland attorney representing the Farris, says he has a theory about why Curry doesn't want to try Davis in the Farr shooting.

"He had a rough case and he got his nose bloodied," Wolfgang said. "But all he's lacking is a conviction and he'll never get a conviction by letting this case slide."

**Dukakis courts blue-collar vote**

by The Associated Press  
Michael Dukakis courted blue-collar voters and Jesse Jackson supporters in a state that Jackson won during the primary season, and Vice President George Bush made another push for his child care plan while completing round one in his search for a running mate.

Dukakis' running mate Lloyd Bentsen continued his solo voyage for the Democratic ticket and wooed independent-minded Westerners whose suspicion of big government previously drew them to President Reagan.

Bentsen, like Bush, was also appearing at a day care center as both sides tried to win votes on one of the campaign's major issues.

Dukakis planned to tour a General Motors plant this morning before meeting with its union workers. On Thursday, his activities included meetings with prominent Jackson supporters in Ohio and New Jersey.

"I don't care who you were with in the primary, you're all Democrats," Dukakis told a crowd of about 500 people when he arrived at the Flint, Mich., airport Thursday night. Dukakis lost Michigan to Jackson but went on to secure the nomination with a string of primary victories.

Bush, who has been busy on the phone all week with prospective running mates, scheduled a visit to a corporate child-care center today in the Washington suburb of Tysons Corner, Va.

"He wanted to follow up on his child-care initiative," said Bush spokeswoman Sheila Tate. Bush on Sunday proposed a \$1,000 tax credit for child care primarily aimed at low-income working mothers.

Bush said he hoped to have a tentative list completed by week's end, but planned to delay his final selection until the Republican National Convention on Aug. 15-18. "The process is going along in an orderly fashion," he said.

Those reached include former rivals Sen. Bob Dole of Kansas and Rep. Jack Kemp of New York, Dole's wife, former Transportation Secretary Elizabeth Dole, and several whose names did not figure in earlier speculation. Among those are Sen. Dan Quayle, R-Ind.

Campaign sources said Bush's list to date also includes Sens. Pete V. Domenici, R-N.M., Alan K. Simpson, R-Wyo., William L. Armstrong, R-Colo.; John Danforth, R-Mo. and Nancy L. Kassebaum, R-Kan.; Govs.

**37th church to begin VBS Monday**

Champions for Jesus is the theme of a week-long Vacation Bible School starting Monday at the 37th Street Church of Christ.

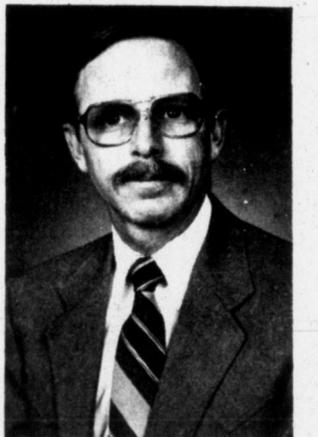
Classes each day begin at 9:30 a.m. and the daily session will conclude at 11:30 a.m. Classes are available for age four and older.

Roy Rosson, director of the Christian Student Center on the WTC campus, will teach a teen class starting at 10:30 a.m. Bill Looney, associate minister, will teach an adult class the same hour.

**Baptists slate revival service in Justiceburg**

First Baptist Church of Justiceburg is having a revival July 31-Aug. 1. Rev. Don Blacklock, pastor of First Baptist Church in Fluvanna, is the evangelist and Ray Herring of Fluvanna is the singer. Abe Hester Jr. is the pastor.

Sunday school begins at 10 a.m. and morning worship follows at 11 a.m. All evening services begin at 7:30 p.m. Everyone is invited.



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## Search narrowing in state

AUSTIN (AP) — The chairman of the Texas Racing Commission says he hopes an executive director can be hired at the panel's next meeting, probably in September, and a newspaper reports that the field of candidates is being narrowed.

The Austin American-Statesman said Thursday that the candidates include an Oregon race track director, an Alabama racing official, a New Mexico homebuilder, a retired Army officer and the head of the state's disaster response agency.

Commission Chairman Hilary Doran, while declining to comment on finalists for the \$60,000-a-year post, said a search committee plans to interview at least three more prospects before hiring anyone.

"We'll make the decision that day. All the background checks will be in, all the board members will have all the resumes on the finalists, and we'll strike while the iron is hot," Doran said.

The search committee includes Doran and Commissioners James Clement, Hugh Fitzsimons and Demarious Frey.

The racing commission was formed in January, following last year's vote to legalize pari-mutuel wagering on horse and dog racing in Texas for the first time in 50 years.

Doran has said he hopes that an executive director can be hired and racing rules be adopted by this autumn, with pari-mutuel racing beginning next year.

The American-Statesman, quoting unidentified sources, listed the candidates so far as:

— Guillermo Acevedo, a former Woodlands resident who moved this year to Santa Fe, N.M., where he is a custom homebuilder.

Acevedo, 47, was a field technician for 15 years with American Totalisator, a company that leases and services pari-mutuel equipment to tracks around the world. He also assisted business operations at tracks in New Mexico, Colorado, California and Mexico.

— Stanley Blank, of Tigard, Ore., who has been director of racing at Portland Meadows since 1983. Blank, who has owned and trained thoroughbreds, was a member of a committee that

examined and rewrote Oregon's horse racing rules in 1986.

— Richard Callaway, 42, a Hoover, Ala., resident who is executive administrator of the Birmingham Racing Commission.

He was general manager of Evangeline Downs in Lafayette, La., for four years and his family has raised thoroughbreds and Arabian horses at its Texas farm.

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# Leonard planning next fight

NEW YORK (AP) - Three-time champion Sugar Ray Leonard plans to fight again before the end of the year, according to a published report.

The New York Times, in today's editions, quoted Leonard, who hasn't fought since winning the middleweight title from Marvelous Marvin Hagler in April 1987, as saying he would likely fight Don Lalonde, the World Boxing Council light-heavyweight champion.

"Lalonde is being seriously considered," Leonard told the newspaper. "I haven't seen a contract and I don't know what the procrastination is about. But I've told Mike Trainer I want to fight this year."

Trainer, Leonard's attorney, told the newspaper that a match between Leonard and Lalonde taking place was "a reasonable assumption."

"But first we have to have a contract that will be acceptable to Ray Leonard," Trainer said.

The fight would reportedly be staged for Lalonde's light-heavyweight title and a newly created WBC super middleweight crown. If Leonard

were to win the fight, he'd be the first person in boxing history to win five titles.

Trainer said if a fight were to be scheduled this year, he expected it to be announced by next week. He and Leonard also said other opponents besides Lalonde had been approached.

"Opponents ranging from welterweight to light-heavyweight," Leonard said in the report, but did not name the boxers.

This would be Leonard's third return to boxing: He initially left in 1982 after surgery for a detached retina. He then retired in 1984 following a victory over Kevin Howard. In May 1987 he quit again, less than two months after beating Hagler.

"I want to do it because I can do it," Leonard said when asked why he wanted to come back. "If I wasn't physically or mentally able to, I wouldn't."

## Tate looks for win but finds Nunn

LAS VEGAS, Nev. (AP) - Michael Nunn bewildered Frank Tate for seven rounds, dominating the middleweight champion with speed and movement. Then he decided to get mean.

Nunn unleashed a savage left to the body late in the eighth round Thursday night to knock Tate down, then finished him with a flurry of head shots early in the ninth to take Tate's International Boxing Federation middleweight title.

Nunn looked much like his idol, Sugar Ray Leonard, as he mugged and moved against Tate in the

early rounds, taunting him at times with gestures and talking to him at other times.

### Former Tech center dies in auto crash

DALLAS (AP) - Last year's starting center for the Texas Tech University football team was killed along with a woman when he lost control of the car he was driving early Thursday morning, police said.

Bryan Lee, 23, who started all 11 games last year for the Red Raiders as a senior, was driving about 90 miles per hour on North Central Expressway when his car hit a curb, went airborne, then struck a concrete bridge pillar, officials said.

Kathleen Ramey, 22, of Dallas, also died in the crash that occurred about 1:45 a.m.

The car's other passenger, Larry Wright, 21, of Waco, underwent surgery for multiple injuries at Presbyterian Hospital and was in stable condition Thursday night, said hospital spokeswoman Lou McAdoo.

Tate, a 1984 Olympic gold medalist, suffered his first loss as a pro. It was his second defense of the title he won from Michael Olajide last October.

"It was Michael Nunn's night tonight," Tate said. "My mind was there but my body mechanics weren't there."

Tate, who said he had to shed 20 pounds in training to make the 160-pound limit, said he will move up to 168 pounds for his next fight.

The victory earned Nunn \$100,000 and moved him into position for some big money bouts as he attempts to unify the middleweight crown.

Nunn, 160, moved his record to 31-0 with 21 knockouts, while Tate, 160, fell to 23-1. Tate earned \$400,000 for the fight.



NICE CATCH - Nicholas Martin, 10, grandson of Mr. and Mrs. Merrill Martin of Snyder, caught this 4 3/4-pound bass at Towle Park Lake earlier in the month. Nicholas is the son of Barry Martin of Abilene and Marcie St. Germain of Lafayette, La.

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This notice concerns 19 88 property tax rates for THE CITY OF SNYDER. It presents information about three tax rates. Last year's tax rate is the actual rate the taxing unit used to determine property taxes last year. This year's effective tax rate would impose the same total taxes as last year if you compare properties taxed in both years. Compare it to the tax rate the taxing unit proposes for this year. This year's rollback tax rate is the highest tax rate the taxing unit can set before taxpayers can start tax rollback procedures. In each case these rates are found by dividing the total amount of taxes by the tax base (the total value of taxable property) with adjustments as required by state law. The rates are given per \$100 of property value.

<b>Last year's tax rate:</b>	776,552
Last year's operating taxes	\$ - 0 -
+ Last year's debt taxes	\$ 776,552
= Last year's total taxes	\$ 265,760,455
÷ Last year's tax base	\$ .2922 /\$100
= Last year's total tax rate	

<b>This year's effective tax rate:</b>	775,584
Last year's adjusted taxes	\$ 775,584
(after subtracting taxes on lost property and taxes to correct appraisal roll errors)	
÷ This year's adjusted tax base	\$ 255,071,436
(after subtracting taxes on new property)	
= This year's effective tax rate	\$ .3040 /\$100
× 1.03	
= Maximum rate unless unit publishes notices and holds hearings	\$ .3131 /\$100

<b>This year's rollback tax rate:</b>	775,584
Last year's adjusted operating taxes	\$ 775,584
(after subtracting taxes on lost property and taxes to correct appraisal roll errors and adding taxes lost in court suits)	
÷ This year's adjusted tax base	\$ 255,071,436
(after subtracting taxes on new property)	
= This year's effective operating rate	\$ .3040 /\$100
× 1.08	
= This year's maximum operating rate	\$ .3283 /\$100
+ This year's debt rate	\$ - 0 - /\$100
= This year's rollback rate	\$ .3283 /\$100

### SCHEDULE A: Unencumbered Fund Balances

The following balances will probably be left in the unit's property tax accounts at the end of the fiscal year. These balances are not encumbered by a corresponding debt obligation.

Type of Property Tax Fund	Balance
GENERAL	\$933,974.00

THERE ARE NO DEBTS OR OTHER ENCUMBERED FUNDS.

This notice contains a summary of actual effective and rollback tax rate calculations. You can inspect a copy of the full calculations at SCURRY COUNTY TAX OFFICE - COURTHOUSE

Name of person preparing this notice RONA SIKES  
Title SCURRY COUNTY TAX ASSESSOR COLLECTOR  
Date prepared JULY 1988

### 19 88 Property Tax Rates in SCURRY County

This notice concerns 19 88 property tax rates for SCURRY County. It presents information about three tax rates. Last year's tax rate is the actual rate the county used to determine property taxes last year. This year's effective tax rate would impose the same total taxes as last year if you compare properties taxed in both years. Compare it to the tax rate the county proposes for this year. This year's rollback tax rate is the highest tax rate the county can set before taxpayers can start tax rollback procedures. In each case these rates are found by dividing the total amount of taxes by the tax base (the total value of taxable property) with adjustments as required by state law. The rates are given per \$100 of property value.

	General Fund	Farm-to-Market/ Flood Control Fund	Special Road/Bridge Fund
<b>Last year's tax rate:</b>			
Last year's operating taxes	\$ 3,111,013	\$ - 0 -	\$ - 0 -
+ Last year's debt taxes	\$ - 0 -	\$ - 0 -	\$ - 0 -
= Last year's total taxes	\$ 3,111,013	\$ - 0 -	\$ - 0 -
÷ Last year's tax base	\$ 1,048,891,679	\$ - 0 -	\$ - 0 -
= Last year's tax rate for each fund	\$ .2966/\$100	\$ - 0 /\$100	\$ - 0 - /\$100
Last year's total tax rate		\$ .2966 /\$100	
<b>This year's effective tax rate:</b>			
Last year's adjusted taxes	\$ 3,102,084	\$ - 0 -	\$ - 0 -
(after subtracting taxes on lost property and taxes to correct appraisal roll errors)			
÷ This year's adjusted tax base	\$ 946,524,306	\$ - 0 -	\$ - 0 -
(after subtracting taxes on new property)			
= This year's effective tax rate for each fund	\$ .3277 /\$100	\$ - 0 /\$100	\$ - 0 - /\$100
This year's total effective tax rate		\$ .3277 /\$100	
- Sales tax adjustment rate		\$ .0377 /\$100	
= This year's adjusted effective tax rate		\$ .2899 /\$100	
× 1.03			
= Maximum rate unless unit publishes notices and holds hearings		\$ .2986 /\$100	
<b>This year's rollback tax rate:</b>			
Last year's adjusted operating taxes	\$ 3,102,084	\$ - 0 -	\$ - 0 -
(after subtracting taxes on lost property and taxes to correct appraisal roll errors and adding taxes lost in court suits)			
÷ This year's adjusted tax base	\$ 946,524,306	\$ - 0 -	\$ - 0 -
(after subtracting taxes on new property)			
= This year's effective operating rate	\$ .3277 /\$100	\$ - 0 /\$100	\$ - 0 - /\$100
× 1.08			
= This year's maximum operating rate	\$ .3539 /\$100	\$ - 0 /\$100	\$ - 0 - /\$100
+ This year's debt rate	\$ - 0 /\$100	\$ - 0 /\$100	\$ - 0 - /\$100
= This year's rollback rate for each fund	\$ .3539 /\$100	\$ - 0 - /\$100	\$ - 0 - /\$100
This year's total rollback rate		\$ .3539 /\$100	
- Sales tax adjustment rate		\$ .0377 /\$100	
= Maximum rate before taxpayers can start rollback election process		\$ .3161 /\$100	

### SCHEDULE A: Unencumbered Fund Balances

The following balances will probably be left in the unit's property tax accounts at the end of the fiscal year. These balances are not encumbered by a corresponding debt obligation.

Type of Property Tax Fund	Balance
GENERAL	\$420,000.00

THERE ARE NO DEBTS OR OTHER ENCUMBERED FUNDS.

### SCHEDULE C: Expected Revenue from Additional Sales Tax

(For counties and cities with additional 1/2 cent sales tax)

In calculating its effective and rollback tax rates, the unit estimated that it will receive \$376,428.00 in additional sales and use tax revenues.

This notice contains a summary of actual effective and rollback tax rate calculations. You can inspect a copy of the full calculations at SCURRY COUNTY TAX OFFICE - COURTHOUSE

Name of person preparing this notice RONA SIKES  
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Date prepared JULY 1988

# Virginia QB turning heads at Cowboys' training camp

THOUSAND OAKS, Calif. (AP) - The Dallas Cowboys' secret is out.

Even George Allen, who doesn't coach football anymore, knows about Scott Secules.

"I saw this kid play at Virginia and I thought 'what a nice pro prospect he would make' and the next thing I know the Cowboys draft him (in the sixth round)," Allen said. "He has a good touch on the ball and seemed to find receivers under a heavy rush. He has a tremendous arm and seems to read defenses well."

Secules is one of the big surprises of the Cowboys' 1988 training camp.

Even Coach Tom Landry, who normally likes to downplay rookies, has been highly complimentary.

"He shows a lot more promise than we thought he would when we drafted him," Landry said. "He moves well and has a great delivery. As soon as he learns more of the offense he could be good."

Secules hit 9 of 12 passes in a recent scrimmage against the Los Angeles Raiders to open the coaches' eyes.

"I think that helped my cause a

lot," Secules said. "You have to show the coaches a few things to give them a good reason to keep you."

Secules could find himself on the so-called "taxi squad" this year. NFL teams can declare a 47-man roster then put two players on the inactive list each week.

"I wouldn't mind," Secules said. "I know I have a long career with the Cowboys."

The 6-foot-3, 218-pounder said "patience is definitely an asset to have. You don't see a rookie coming in and playing immediately. It's all about being patient, learning the defenses, studying the plays and knowing the system."

Secules set single season school records for passing 2,311 yards, completions, 174, and total offense 2,356 yards in his senior season. He completed 58 per cent of his passes and connected on 12 touchdown shots.

"The way I played my senior year leads me to think I've got my best football ahead of me," Secules said.

Secules became the only Cavalier quarterback in history to pass for over 200 yards in five consecutive games.

He was named the offensive

MVP of the All-American Bowl when he hit 10 of 19 passes for 162 yards and a touchdown against Brigham Young University.

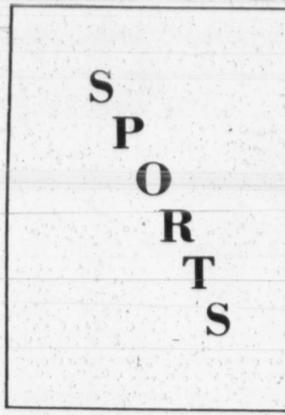
"I think the bowl game helped draw the attention of some scouts in my direction," Secules said. "There were only two other quarterbacks taken ahead of me in the draft so I feel good about that. I'd sure like to have a long career with the Cowboys."

## Pennsylvania area gridders to be inducted in pro 'hall'

CANTON, Ohio (AP) - Four players who grew up within a few hundred miles of each other will be coming home Saturday for induction in the Pro Football Hall of Fame.

Jack Ham of Johnstown, Pa., Alan Page of Canton, Mike Ditka of Carnegie, Pa., and Fred Biletnikoff of Erie, Pa., will join an exclusive club of 144 when they are inducted.

Following the induction ceremonies, the Cincinnati Bengals meet the Los Angeles



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### Baseball glance

AMERICAN LEAGUE					NATIONAL LEAGUE				
East Division					East Division				
W	L	Pct.	GB		W	L	Pct.	GB	
Detroit	58	40	.592	-	New York	60	40	.600	-
New York	58	41	.586	1/2	Pittsburgh	58	42	.580	2
Boston	56	43	.566	2 1/2	Montreal	53	47	.530	7
Milwaukee	51	50	.505	8 1/2	Chicago	49	51	.490	11
Cleveland	51	51	.500	9	St. Louis	44	57	.436	16 1/2
Toronto	50	52	.490	10	Philadelphia	43	58	.426	17 1/2
Baltimore	32	68	.320	27	West Division				
					W	L	Pct.	GB	
					Oakland	62	40	.608	-
					Minnesota	53	44	.546	5 1/2
					California	50	51	.495	11 1/2
					Kansas City	49	52	.485	12 1/2
					Chicago	46	55	.455	15 1/2
					Texas	45	54	.455	15 1/2
					Seattle	39	62	.386	22 1/2

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## Bears trade Gault to Raiders

OXNARD, Calif. (AP) - With the addition of former Chicago Bears wide receiver Willie Gault, the Los Angeles Raiders have shored up a section of their offense, but still haven't decided

who will call the plays. The Bears traded the 28-year-old holdout Thursday and in return got a No. 1 draft pick in 1989 and an undetermined choice in 1990.

Gault, an Olympic track team member on the 1980 U.S. boycott team and an alternate on the 1988 Olympic bobsled team, had been taking acting lessons in Southern California. He earned \$347,000 last year and wanted \$700,000 this season. Bears coach Mike Ditka had said earlier that Gault was "trying to combine two careers and it would be easier for him to do it on the West Coast."

On Thursday Ditka, at the Bears' camp in Platteville, Wis., said, "We're providing another opportunity for a person to do exactly what he wants to do in life."

"They (the Raiders) throw the ball a little differently than we do. They push it down the field more, which is much more into Willie's strength. It should make him a much more noticed receiver."

"I'm just happy to have the opportunity to come here and hopefully contribute to the greatness of the Raiders," Gault said. "I'm sure Mr. (managing general partner Al) Davis saw something in me."

Gault agreed to terms on a five-year contract with the Raiders at their training camp. After meeting with Raiders coach Mike Shanahan and the media, and taking a physical, he was on the field for afternoon practice.

The trade gave the Bears three picks in the first round of the 1989 draft.

Shanahan still has not decided on a starting quarterback, instead sticking with what he called a "fairly permanent" rotation of Steve Beuerlein, Vince Evans and 40-year-old Jim Plunkett.

## Estes 2-strokes off lead in first PGA Tour event

GRAND BLANC, Mich. (AP) - Former University of Texas All-American golfer Bob Estes, playing in his first PGA Tour event, already is displaying an eye-opening golf game.

Estes fired a 4-under-par 68 Thursday and was only two strokes off the lead after the first round of the \$700,000 Buick Open.

Estes was chasing another former college hot-shot, Scott Verplank, who was one of six

players tied for the lead at 6-under. Verplank, in his third year as a pro, won the Western Amateur while still a collegian at Oklahoma State.

Also at 66 were Scott Hoch, Fred Couples, George Archer, Tim Simpson and Greg Ladehoff.

Three players - Jim Hallett, Ray Barr Jr. and Mike Sullivan were at 2-under.

First prize in the Buick Open is worth \$126,000 plus use of a car for one year.

Estes, 22, was a two-time All-American at the University of Texas where he recently completed his senior year by earning the Jack Nicklaus Award for the outstanding collegiate golfer.

Estes says he plans to play in the PGA's three-stage qualifying tournament later in the year and try to earn a spot on the tour. He received a sponsor's exemption to play in the Buick Open and, so far, it's turned out to be all he expected and more.

"It's awesome," Estes said. "I get to be in the same locker room with all the big shots I used to watch on television. That's great. It gives me a shot of confidence knowing that I'm in the same tournament that they are."

### British Women's Open

LINDRICK, England (AP) - Laura Davies recovered from a slow start by playing the last 11 holes in 7-under-par and grabbed a share of the lead in the opening round of the British Women's Open golf tournament.

### Angels manager gets suspension

MIDLAND, Texas (AP) - Midland Angels manager Max Oliveras has been suspended for 15 days by Texas League President Carl Sawatski following a "bumping" incident with an umpire.

Sawatski announced the suspension before Thursday night's game between Midland and the Shreveport Captains and made it effective starting Thursday. It means that pitching coach Tim Kelly will serve as acting manager for about half of Midland's remaining games.

The "bumping" incident came during the eighth inning of Wednesday's 10-6 loss to Shreveport when Oliveras shouted his disagreement at a ball-strike call from the dugout.

### Kiwanis scramble Saturday at college

The Kiwanis 6th Annual 4-Man Golf Tournament will be held Saturday at Western Texas College.

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#### 150 BUSINESS SERVICES

**BURT'S WELDING:** Barns, Carports, Patios, Fences, Etc. By Bid or Hourly. Free Estimates, Low Rates. 573-1562.

**COMMERCIAL SAND-BLASTING - Farm Equipment, Lawn Furniture, Autos, Trailers, etc.** By hour or bid. 573-1649.

For all Your **ELECTRICAL WIRING** needs, call Ed Blocker, 573-7578.

**FREE ESTIMATES** on your wiring needs. Residential, Commercial, Industrial. Bonded, Licensed. Bill Green Electric, 573-2589.

**FOR CARPENTER WORK:** Acoustic Ceilings, Painting, Sheetrock, Cabinets, Roofing, Odd Jobs; call Johnny Blocker, 573-5100.

**NEW HOME Sewing Machines.** Electrolux Cleaners. Quality Service all machines. Stevens, Charlene's Draperies, 573-6601, 1-235-2889.

**REMODELING, ADD-ONS, ACOUSTIC, PAINTING, CUSTOM CABINETS. FREE ESTIMATES.** DON FOX, 573-3995.

**CLASSIFIEDS**  
EVERYBODY'S MARKETPLACE  
573-5486

#### 152 STUDENT WORK ADS

**LET ME do your yard work.** I'll mow, edge, trim, etc. Please call Johnny, 573-5218.

**LAWN MOWING Jobs** wanted. Have Lawn Mower, Edger and Weed Eater. Call 573-4402.

**14 & 15-year-old boys** want odd jobs, lawns. Reasonable prices. 573-8943 or 573-6958.

**17 YEAR OLD GIRL** will Babysit in your home. Also, Housecleaning. Reasonable. References. 573-8026.

**16 YEAR OLD GIRL** will Babysit in your home. Also, Housecleaning. Reasonable. References. 573-8057.

#### 160 EMPLOYMENT

**BOOKKEEPER NEEDED** For Local Firm. Must have broad Bookkeeping experience. Computer experience helpful. Send resume to: P.O. Box 949A.

**DIRECTOR OF NURSES:** Small Rural Hospital seeking a Director of Nurses. Hire in Bonus, Competitive Salary. For more information, call 378-3201 or 378-3211.

**DRIVER OPERATOR:** Must possess valid Commercial Driver's license. Knowledge of operating and servicing medium duty trucks. One year experience in operating medium duty trucks. Apply in person. Texas Employment Commission, 2501B College. Employer Paid Ad. EOE

**HERBALIFE INDEPENDENT DISTRIBUTOR.** Call me for business opportunity. Winnie Poyner, 573-3131.

**IMMEDIATE OPENING** for 3 LVN's. There are 3 positions open for well motivated Nurses in both our Hospital and Nursing Center. We have a full benefit package which includes Insurance, Vacation, Holidays and Sick Leave. Salary begins at \$750 with a review in 90 days. Call Mr. Crippin in the Hospital at 387-2521 or Mrs. Becknell in the Nursing Home at 387-3030.

**JOB OPENING:** Immediate opening for Educational Secretary in Business Office of Colorado ISD. Computer experience required. Salary based on experience. Apply School Business Office, 1132 Hickory, Colorado City, TX 79512 or call 915-728-5312 for application.

### VEHICLES FOR THE WEEK:

83 AUDI: Sunroof, loaded  
84 FORD ¾ TON  
SCOTTIE TRAVEL TRAILER  
DUTCRAFT TRAVEL TRAILER  
All Major and Minor Car Repair Offered  
**DAVENPORT AUTO CLINIC**  
405 26th - behind Skinnys on East Hwy  
573-0495



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# The Snyder Daily News Classifieds

## 220 FARMER'S COLUMN

**CUSTOM PLOWING:** Chisel, Tandem, or Big Ox. \$5.00 per acre. Also, Sowing. Call 573-6670.

**FOR SALE:** Fresh Okra, picked daily. 60¢ per pound. Call 573-0583 or go by 1208 19th.

**FOR LEASE:** 10 Acres of Hygaria and Coastal. Good fence. Farm and Corral. 2 miles East. 573-0548 after 1:00 p.m.

**HAY BALING:** Round or Square Bales. Ross Preston, 573-1217 or 573-7894.

**TOLBERT HAY BALING:** Round or Square Bales. Call 573-2026.

## On The Farm Tire Service Goodyear Tires available at:

*McWhorter's*  
1701 25th Street  
Snyder, Texas 79543  
Auto - Truck - Farm  
573-4031

## 240 SPORTING GOODS

**SONNY'S GUNS AND AMMO:** Need a new or used gun? Before you buy, give me a try! Call 573-0446.

## 250 RECREATIONAL VEHICLES

**EXTRA CLEAN Taurus Travel Trailer,** sleeps 6. Sell for best offer. 573-0548 after 1 p.m.

**20' RAWHIDE TRAVEL TRAILER,** excellent for Ranger, S-10 or 1/2 Ton Pickup. Completely self-contained. \$3,500. See at 409 33rd. 573-4773.

## 251 BOATS

**SEE THE New 10' Miniboats and Lowe Pontoons** at Tom's Marine. Also, Ski Rigs and Fishing Rigs. Some Mercury and Johnson Motors and 10's at 20% off. Limited 5.9% available. 573-6562.

## 260 MERCHANDISE

**FOR SALE:** Exercise Bike with gauges, \$50; Craftsman Cutting Torch with gauges, \$150; Victor Cutting Torch with gauges, \$150. Call 573-2517.

**MOVING:** Across the Street or across Town. 1 Item or a Houseful. Call Pioneer Furniture, 573-9834.

**PIANOS FOR SALE OR LEASE:** Piano Tuning and Repair. 573-2996.

**TROY BUILT tiller,** 8 hp, in great condition, \$500.00. Ice Merchandiser, \$200.00. See at Mitchell's Exxon, 1401 College.

**USED COLOR TV's.** Portables start at \$150. Consoles start at \$175. Snyder Electronics, 411 E. Hwy., 573-6421.

**USED CARPET** for sale. Come see, 3503 40th St.

**PAY CASH**  
For good clean used  
Home Appliances  
**WESTERN AUTO**  
573-4911

**Antiques, Quality Yesterday, Same Today and Lasting Quality for Your Heirs Tomorrow.** You owe it to yourself to acquire the very best here. All finished with Our No Water Spot Finish, All Guaranteed!!! July Clock Month, ALL Clocks 30% Off. Carved Hall-Dresser Mirror, Solid Oak, Save \$50.00, Only \$249.95!!! Spittoon, Solid Brass, From Old Gail, Texas Post Office, Only \$49.95!!! Secretary-Bookcase, Solid Oak, Glass Door, Plus 4 Drawers, Compare at \$1,500, Ready for your Home, \$799.95!!! Wall Telephone, Solid Oak Box, Brass, Ready to Use, Just \$199.95 Save \$100.00!!! Lingerie Chest, 5-Drawer, Solid Mahogany, Save \$100.00, just \$399.95!!! Oval Dining Table, Solid Mahogany, 1-Leaf, Plus 6-Matching Carved Chairs, Only \$1,799.95, Buy Table & Chairs & RECIEVE FREE, 1-3 Mirror Solid Mahogany Carved Buffet w/Solid Brass Pull!!!

**VERY SPECIAL 1-SOLID WALNUT VANITY, LARGE MIRROR, ONLY \$149.95!!!** Recently received, Original Coke Clocks, Texas Tech Clock and Double Dial Clock, You Can Tell The Time From 2-Directions. If Its a Clock, a Lamp, or Old Phonograph Player, We Repair & Refinish It. We Turn Your Old Wall Telephone Into a Visable Instrument. Many Different & Unique Items to See. Just Come In - It Changes Looks All The Time.

*House Of Anticks*  
4008 College 573-4422  
9:00 a.m.-6:30 p.m.

**FOR SALE:** Coffee Table and Television Stand. Call 573-8881 after 5:00 p.m.

**FOR SALE:** good clean carpet on floor. Call before 8:30 a.m., 573-1628.

**FOR SALE:** G. E. Clothes Dryer, \$150.00. Call 573-5205.

**WINDOW UNIT Air Conditioner** for sale. 220 volts. \$100. Good condition. 573-9656.

**BABY and ... Before**  
1905 24th  
Maternity Wear \$2.00  
Infant Sleepers \$1.00  
Tues.-Fri. 1:00-5:00

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A Deal  
Waiting  
For You**  
IN THE CLASSIFIEDS

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## 290 DOGS, PETS, ETC.

**FREE:** Baby Hamsters. Call 573-8818.

**FOR SALE:** 1/2 Akita, 1/4 German Shepherd, 1/4 Leopard. Call 573-6139 after 7:00 p.m.

**FOR SALE:** AKC Lhasa Apso puppies, 3 females, 2 males. Call Partain's at 573-2924.

**FREE TO good home,** older white male toy Poodle. Good with children and house broken. Call 573-6611.

**POINTER BIRD DOG** for sale. 1 year old. Starter. Male. Gunsmoke & Elhew Blood lines. 573-9970.

**TO GIVE AWAY:** Male Full Blood German Shepherd and Female Full Blood Sheltie. Call 573-8922.

**TO GIVE AWAY:** 2 puppies. 1 black, 1 brown. Call 573-0793 after 6 p.m.

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**ALL BREEDS GROOMING.** Nylon Collars, Leashes and Harnesses. Small Dog Sweaters. Scurry County Vet Clinic, 573-1717.

**A. K. C. REGISTERED SHELTIES (Miniature Collies),** Tri-Color, \$50 each. 573-3697 after 2:00 p.m.

## 310 GARAGE SALES

**YARD SALE**  
406 31st  
Saturday  
8-1

**Back Porch Sale**  
3757 Dalton  
Saturday only  
Home Interior, baby bed and mattress, 2 exterior glass doors, more!

**4 FAMILY GARAGE SALE**  
305 36th Street  
Friday & Saturday, 8-4  
Lots of items.

**3 FAMILY GARAGE SALE**  
2705 25th  
Fri. & Sat. 8-5  
A little bit of everything

**50 FAMILY GARAGE SALE**  
4500 Fredonia  
Saturday 8:00-6:00  
Lots of Stuff!!

**5 FAMILY BACKYARD SALE**  
217 35th St.  
Sat. Only, 8:00-3:00  
Bookcase, occasional tables, lots of misc.

**4 Family Garage Sale**  
2342 Sunset  
Fri 6-9 pm, Sat 8-12  
Bedding, curtains, decorative & kitchen items, luggage, toys clothes, misc. Twin wicker headboard, baby clothes & items.

**3 Family Moving Sale**  
3908 Eastridge  
Fri 4-8, Sat 8:30-3:30  
Upright freezer, child's table & chair set, children's clothes, stereo, lots more.

**2 Family Garage Sale**  
601 25th St.  
Sat. 8:00-?

**GARAGE SALE**  
2315 42nd  
Friday Only, 9:00-3:00  
50¢ Sale - Most Items  
50¢ or less

**GARAGE SALE**  
4013 Eastridge  
Sat. 8-2  
Clothes, shoes, used softball equipment, trophies, toys, tapes.

**GARAGE SALE**  
2709 Ave G  
Fri. & Sat. 9-5  
Lots of Goodies!

**Garage Sale**  
3507 40th  
Fri 3-6, Sat 9-?

**Twin beds, double bed, linens,** school approved cornet, misc.

**EVERYTHING GOES FINAL DAY**  
Alba Tetteller Estate Sale  
Sat., July 30th, 7 a.m.-7 p.m.  
202 S. Lawrence St., Roby  
915-776-2177

**Garage Sale**  
1411 22nd St  
Saturday only  
8-5

**Garage Sale**  
Sat. 9-6  
4103 Eastridge  
Gasoline powered edger, lawn chairs, loads of baby clothes & accessories, sizes 0-2T, Christmas Decorations and lots of misc. items.

**Garage Sale**  
2701 46th  
Sat. 7:00 till ?  
Clothes (lots of Jeans), shoes, cosmetics, toys and lots more.

**Garage Sale**  
Sat. 9-12  
4008 Irving  
Desk, linens, dishes, toys.

**Garage Sale**  
312 36th St.  
Sat. 9-?

**Giant 4 Family Yard Sale**  
Sat. 8-4  
3112 38th Place  
Corner of 38th Place and Galveston

Books, lamps, children's & women's clothes, men's suits & jeans, twin sheets, Christmas tree, play pen, garage doors, electric motors, lawn mowers & parts, chairs and misc items.

**GARAGE SALE**  
Sat., 8-6 Sun., 8-4  
2366 Sunset

Summer clothes, all kinds, household items & kitchen things. Paperback books, hard cover books: needlecraft, quilting, woodworking, gardening, cooking, doll making & collecting; clay pots & other gardening items, tool box for small bed pickup, scraps for doll clothes & quilting & needlecraft material.

**GARAGE SALE**  
2609 36th St.  
Sat. 9-5 Only

Girl's bedroom suite, stereo, desk, metal screen door, awnings, drapes, bike, electric motorcycle.

**Garage Sale**  
300 20th St.  
Sat 8-5, Sun 9-5

5hp tiller, old 8 track tapes, lots of misc.

**INSIDE & YARD SALE**  
2900 Ave G  
Fri. & Sat. 8-5

New electric drop-in Stove, bed frame & mattress, clothes, books, etc. House also for sale.

**TOTAL ELECTRIC Trailer Lot** For Sale. Nothing Down. \$60 Month For 10 Years. 1205 22nd. 573-5627.

**Yard Sale**  
215 25th St.  
Sat & Sun  
Baby clothes, car seat and lots more things.

**Yard Sale**  
1908 Peyton  
(2 block N of Dickies)  
Sat 8:30-3:00  
Nice men, women & children clothes, Lots of odds & ends.

**Yard Sale**  
310 36th Place  
Sat 7 AM - 5 PM  
Men, Women's, & Children's clothes, purses & shoes, toys, picutres, furniture, exercise bike, B.B.Q. grill & patio furniture.

**Yard Sale**  
Saturday 9-5  
Go past airport on West 37th. Turn right on first paved road. First house on left. Good children's clothing, furniture, utility cart, mirror and lots of misc items.

**BACKYARD SALE**  
2900 Ave F  
Thurs. & Fri. 9-5  
Maternity, little girls & boys and womens clothes; toys; misc.

**GARAGE SALE**  
3726 Highland  
Sat. 7:30-11:30  
Baby waterbed, childrens clothes, air conditioner, kitchen items, misc.

**After Moving Sale**  
4208 Lubbock  
Saturday  
Stove, mirror, toaster oven, and lots of odds & ends.

## 320 FOR RENT-LEASE

**LOTS IN CITY,** \$50 month. Call 573-9001.

**LARGE SHOP OFFICE** Building. North College. \$450. Living Quarters Available in Building. 573-6381 or 573-0972.

**2 MONTHS FREE RENT!** Key Mobile Home Park. Near Jr. High, High School, & Shopping Centers. Large lots. Playground. R.V.'s welcome. 573-2149.

**PANELED OFFICES,** \$125 each, share utilities, private entrance. 5 blocks from square. 2310 25th, 573-8583, 573-0517.

**STORAGE UNITS,** 3 Sizes, Reasonably Priced. Call 573-8635.

**TWO LARGE Furnished Offices.** Private Entrance, Nice Building. Utilities Paid. \$300. North College. 573-6381, 573-5627.

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## 325 APARTMENTS FOR RENT

## WINDRIDGE VILLAGE APTS

- \*One Day Maintenance Service
- \*Professionally Landscaped
- \*Door to Door Trash Pickup
- \*Reasonable Rental Rates
- \*Clean Sparkling Swimming Pool
- \*Laundry Facilities
- \*One Story Apts.
- \*Large Spacious Rooms
- \*Huge Walk-In Closets

573-0879

5400 College Ave

**1 BEDROOM, Furnished Apartment.** No utilities paid. No children. No pets. Call 573-9047.

**1 & 2 BEDROOM Furnished Apartments.** Utility & SCAT paid. Also, Mobile Home Lots for sale. Finance like rent. 573-8963.

**FURNISHED 2 Bedroom** Coleman Street Apartment. \$250 all bills paid, \$165 tenant pays gas & electricity. 573-0094.

## WESTERN CREST APARTMENTS

3901 Avenue O  
573-1488 or 573-7435  
Don't Settle for less than the Best!!

- \*New Carpports
- \*2 bdrm, 1 or 2 bath
- \*Dishwasher
- \*Stove w/Self-Cleaning Oven
- \*Ref. w/Auto Ice-Maker & Frostfree Freezer
- \*Garbage Disposal
- \*Washer/Dryer Connections
- \*Continuous Circulating Hot Water
- \*Pool
- \*Playground
- \*Club House

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**TRAVEL INN Motel,** 573-2641. Weekly, Daily, Monthly, Kitchenettes, HBO, Direct Dial Phone, Local Calls Free.

## COLONIAL GARDENS

2604 25th 573-1526  
1 bdrm apt., carpeted, draped, water & cable furn. \$160 mo, \$50 dep.

**FOR RENT:** 2 bedroom, furnished Apartment with bath & half. All bills & cable paid. Small deposit required. 573-2844.

**FOR RENT:** 3 Room Furnished Apartment, clean, lots of closet space. Call 573-3974.

**NEAT AND CLEAN 2 bedroom** furnished apt. Carpet and drapes, all bills paid including TV cable. \$250 mo. Can pay bi-monthly. \$25 cleaning deposit. 573-4468 or go by 1918 Coleman, Apt. #1.

**PALOMAR MOTEL:** 573-2633. Weekly, Daily, Monthly. AARP. Kitchenette, Direct Dial Telephone, HBO, Local Calls Free.

## ENJOY MAINTENANCE FREE LIVING AT KINGSWOOD ESTATE

100 37th St.  
and  
EASTRIDGE APARTMENTS

4100 Brick Plant Rd.  
COME CHECK US OUT!

- \*Spacious Landscaped Grounds
- \*Safe Family Living
- \*Designer Decorated
- \*Energy Efficient
- \*Laundry Rooms
- \*Starting at \$151
- \*\$30 Off for Limited Time
- \*No Deposit with Valid Refs
- \*Rental Assistance Available

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## 330 HOUSES FOR RENT

**AVAILABLE AUGUST 1st:** 2 bedroom, A/C, Garage, Fenced Backyard. 3701 Highland. Call 573-8408 after 5:00 p.m.

**CLEAN UNFURNISHED 2** bedroom, 1 bath, refrigerated air, carpet. Near High School. \$300. References required. 573-9501.

**EXTRA NICE 3 bedroom,** carpet, Refrigerated air. Appliances. Fenced back yard. 123 Milburn. \$325 mo. 573-5029.

**FOR RENT:** 3 bedroom, 2 bath, covered patio, all electric, Super Nice. 3710 Sunset, 573-9773.

**FOR RENT:** 2 Bedroom, Unfurnished House. Call 573-5652.

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NICE 1 BEDROOM house for rent. Call 573-6803.

RENT-TO-OWN: 2 bedroom, 1 bath; 6 bedroom, 3 bath; Mobile Home Lots. 573-8963.

FOR RENT: 309 31st. 3 bdrm, 2 bth, cp, new paint. \$425/mo. ELIZABETH POTTS REALTORS 573-8505 or 573-4245

335 MOBILE HOMES FOR RENT

DUPRE RENTALS Mobile Homes for Rent 2009 Ave. N 2-1 unfurnished, \$150 mo. 2208 Ave O 2-2 large unfurn., \$200 mo. 2110 Ave N 3-1 unfurnished, \$175 mo. 2007 Ave N Lg. 2-1-furnished, \$175 mo. 2106 Ave N 3-1-unfurnished, \$150 mo. 573-9001 1212 25th

MUST SELL: Outside City Limits. 14x80, 3 bedroom, 2 bath. 573-3868 or 573-7606 after 1:00 p.m.

340 MOBILE HOMES FOR SALE

ATTENTION FIRST TIME HOME BUYERS: 2 & 3 bedroom Mobile Homes. No credit needed. We deliver. Call 806-894-8187.

1983 14x70 2 BEDROOM, 1 bath, small equity and \$206 mo. 573-0522.

COUNTRY LIVING, 14x80, 3-2, Custom Carpet, Lights, Drapes. Lot Rent: \$50 with use of horse pen. Make offer. 573-1550, 573-1428.

1981 DOUBLE WIDE Mobile Home, like new. 3 bedrooms, 2 bath, CH/A, \$14,000. 573-7105.

1984 MELODY MOBILE HOME: 14x60, 2 bedroom, 1 bath, includes Central Air & Appliances. For only \$826.00 down, \$203.13 monthly at 12.77 APR, for 84 months. Call Joe, collect, 806-763-5319.

1985 MELODY MOBILE HOME: 14x80, 3 bedroom, 2 bath, with Fireplace, Dishwasher & Appliances. \$18,200, 10% down, \$218.84 for 180 months, at 13.25 APR. Call Joe, collect, 806-763-5319.

MUST SELL: Price reduced, 1986 18x80, 3-2 lots of extras. Must see to appreciate. 573-0282 or 573-1470.

OWN YOUR OWN HOME. For free consultation about our non-qualifying homes, call Joe, collect, 806-763-5319.

1985 REFLECTION: 3 bedroom, 2 bath Mobile Home. New carpet throughout the house. Appliances included. \$99 down, 12% APR, 132 months for \$236.05. Call Joe, collect, 806-763-5319.

REPOS: 2 & 3 bedroom Mobile Homes. No credit needed. Low down payments. Low monthly payments. Call 806-894-7212.

1978 SOLITAIRE IMPERIAL Mobile Home, 14x80, 2 bedroom, 2 full baths, wood burning fireplace. Excellent condition. 573-3298.

TAKE UP Payments on 2 bedroom Mobile Home in Hermleigh on 9 lots. \$2700 for lots. 573-8605.

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BUYING? OR SELLING? Houses & Lots for rent or sale. Jean James, 573-2824. Forrest Beavers, 573-6467.

\$0.00 DOWN MOVE IN. Credit check. Assumable at current rate. Immaculate Home & Yard. 3-2-2, office, fireplace, over 1800 sq. ft. \$76,500 balance. West of ballpark. Call 573-4131.

EXCELLENT STARTER HOME. Cute 2-1-1, with extra lot, workshop, storage building, appliances, central heat/air, more. High 20's. 573-2159.

FOR SALE: One acre or more, on pavement. Good well. Barn or garage, fenced. Beautiful location for mobile home. 573-0548 after 1 p.m.

Without advertising a terrible thing happens... nothing

JUST LISTED Over 2600 sq. ft. Extra nice, 3 bdrm, 2 bath, bright kitchen. 3106 Ave T. Assumable Loan. Wenona Evans ELIZABETH POTTS REALTORS, 573-8505

MUST SELL REDUCED \$30,900.00, 3-1-2 excellent condition, Ira, 1 acre, fenced back yard, 573-5016.

Mipact REALTORS Cogdell Center 573-6131

TERRIFIC BUY! 3-2-2 Beautiful backyard with covered patio. 9 1/2% FHA ASSUMABLE: 3-2-2 on a large corner lot.

COUNTRY LIVING: 4-3-2 lovely patio with hot tub on 1 acre. MINT CONDITION: 3-2-1 Ash paneling & cabinets. 5314 Etgen. WEST 37TH: 2 story home, 3-2, water well, \$85,000. CHOICE BUY! Assumable 3-1-1, 2400 41st.

IMMACULATE: 3-2-1, fenced yard, across from Stanfield. VA ASSUMABLE: low equity, 3-2, good location. EXCLUSIVE: 5 bedrooms and a beautiful den. HOME SWEET HOME! 3-2 on 1 acre, West 30th, \$42,500. ENTERTAINING? 4-3 Gameroom, Hot Tub, Bar.

WHY RENT-219 34, 2317 Sunset, 403 31, 3725 Ave V, 211 34, 2304 30, 3722 Austin, 4608 Irving, 3009 39, 3750 Avondale, 3100 Crockett, 3206 Hill, 2206 42. Mary Lynn Fowler 573-9006 Mary Carlton 573-9781 Linda Martin 573-1231

HOUSE FOR SALE. BY OWNER: 2-Story Home. 2400 sq. ft. Water Well. Pecan Orchard. East 23rd Street. 573-8989.

HOMES BUILT on your lot. No down payment, no closing costs, 10% annual percentage rate to qualified buyers. Phone collect for free booklet and info., Jim Walter Homes, Abilene, Texas, 915-672-4249.

NICE, ECONOMICAL, spacious 3-2-2, CH/A. Fenced backyard. Eight years old. East School District. FHA loan assumable. Take over payments, pay closing cost. \$39,000. 573-0791.

STEVENSON REAL ESTATE 4102 College 573-5612 573-1755

120 25TH-2-1-1, appliances, 25T. NORTH- total elec, 2-2-2 Mobile Home, 3 lots, storm cellar, owner financed, \$15T. Extras. 601 29TH- assume FHA, 3-2, corner, \$20's, equity. 2307 29TH- only \$25T. 4500 EL PASO- exclusive, 3-2-2, lovely inside, \$80's.

3907 COLLEGE- exclusive, formerly This N That. SOUTH SQUARE- exclusive, formerly Penney's, mid 60's. 2807 AVE U- brick, \$30T. 306 36TH- \$20's, make offer. 610 24TH- corner, \$15T. 126 MILBURN- lg. 3-2, den, FHA appraised, \$27,500.00. 2210 44TH- mid 50's, 4-2-2. 1803 39TH- equity, assume loan, very nice, mid 20's. 3011 AVE Y- \$50T, lg. lot. 202 ELM- nice, reduced \$20's. WEST- 6 ac., 4-3-1, brick, extras. DUNN- brick, 5 ac., \$60's. Sandra Graves 573-3911 Joyce Barnes 573-6970 Frances Stevenson 573-2528

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NEW LISTINGS 118 25TH ST- 2-1, \$11,500. 112 CANYON- 2-1, \$9,500. 2212 44TH ST- 3-2-1, \$55,000. 2703 36TH- 3-2-2, \$65,000. COLONIAL HILLS 3003 BEAUMONT- 3-2-2, \$80's. 2700 35TH- 3-2-2, \$80's. 2706 34TH- 3-2-2, \$70's. 2903 34TH- 3-2-2, \$60's. 3100 CROCKETT- 3-2-2cp, \$50's.

ASSUMABLE LOANS 5314 ETGEN- 3-2-1, lg. gar, \$70's. LAMESA HWY- 3-2-1, brick, \$40's. 2307 40TH- 3-1-1cp, \$30's. 2907 38TH- 3-1, \$20's. AFFORDABLE HOMES 2108 41ST- new roof, 3 bd, \$30's. 409 32ND- 3-2-1cp, \$20's. 3207 HILL AVE- 3-2, \$20's. 3003 41ST- 3-1-1, \$20's. 2103 43RD- 3-2-1, \$40's. LOVELY- 3-bd, 2-bth, 2-gar, many extras. REDUCED- Upstairs bd, 3-2, Edge city.

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# Bentsen sounds Reaganesque in stop in Nevada

LOS ANGELES (AP) — Texas Sen. Lloyd Bentsen is seasoning his Western campaign with a Democratic version of the Sagebrush Rebellion that helped sweep the Republicans into the White House eight years ago. Ronald Reagan capitalized on the independent spirit of the West by promising to get government off the backs of the people. Bentsen, campaigning for the vice presidency as Michael Dukakis' running mate, sounded a lot like Reagan in a speech in Reno, Nev., on Thursday.

"If there is one lesson we have learned in recent years, it is that the federal government can't solve all of the (nation's) problems," Bentsen said.

"But," he said, trying to make that compatible with Dukakis' promise of an activist government, "Washington can lead."

Bentsen promised the convention of the National Conference of State Legislators that a Dukakis-Bentsen administration would not be "imperial and overbearing." He said Dukakis, as a governor, understood that problem and he, as a Texan, understood the West.

"I think what you see in a candidate like myself, one from a state like Texas, which shares a lot of the Western concerns and objectives, is someone who can converse on the problems with an experience and background that has compatibility," he told reporters.

By putting him on the ticket, Bentsen said Dukakis was "saying to Democrats who went and voted for Reagan, come home, there's a place for you in this party."

Dukakis, he said, would "see

that Westerners were very much a part of the administration and in highly responsible positions, Bentsen said, adding that he would push for that also.

The Democratic ticket lost all but Minnesota and the District of Columbia four years ago. Although no schedule has yet been made, the Dukakis campaign plans to use Bentsen as a tool to lure back not only his native Texas but also the Southwest, South and California.

Bentsen began his first solo tour as the vice presidential nominee Wednesday in New Mexico and campaigned on Thursday in San Francisco prior to his Reno trip. He planned to visit a child care center in Los Angeles today before heading to a rally in Amarillo, Texas. Dukakis, meanwhile, was on a campaign swing through the Midwest.

The two men made a joint campaign trip immediately following last week's Democratic National Convention with stops in Texas, California, North Dakota, Missouri and Pennsylvania.

In San Francisco on Thursday, Bentsen asked for union support of the ticket at a convention of the United Food and Commercial Workers.

Bentsen got cheers from the crowd of 3,500 when he cited his Senate record including this year's big fight with the Reagan administration over the trade bill and the sixty-days notice for plant closings.

Bentsen said he expected Congress would be able to override the president if he vetoes those bills. Earlier this year, when the two measures were in a single package, Reagan's veto was sustained.

# Bush's campaign chief thinks he'll win Texas

AUSTIN (AP) — George Bush's national campaign manager says issues — not running mates — will make the difference in Texas.

Lee Atwater, in a telephone interview with The Associated Press, said he doesn't think a majority of Texas voters will be swayed by the choice of Sen. Lloyd Bentsen as vice presidential candidate with Gov. Michael Dukakis.

"We've got a lot of respect for Bentsen's potential in Texas. But ultimately in this campaign, it's Michael Dukakis vs. George Bush. When we start talking about those and other issues — and the stand the vice president is going to take of those issues — George Bush is going to win Texas going away," Atwater said Thursday.

Texas has the third-largest number of electoral votes up for grabs in the presidential election,

with 29. In addition, no Democrat has been elected to the White House without carrying the state.

Democratic nominee Dukakis underscored the state's importance when he chose Bentsen as his vice presidential running mate.

But Atwater, while not denying that Bentsen's selection was a good political move, insisted that Bush can carry the state he calls home.

"He (Dukakis) made a fine choice," Atwater said of the Bentsen selection. "It's going to be interesting to see how it all works out. He and Lloyd Bentsen have such opposite philosophies about the government and the world."

Bush will officially be declared the Republican nominee at next month's GOP National Convention in New Orleans.

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# Speculation on fate of 1st RepublicBank centers on North Carolina bank's bid

DALLAS (AP) — Speculation on the fate of crippled First RepublicBank Corp. centered on a North Carolina bank's bid as federal regulators reportedly neared an announcement to award the state's largest independent bank holding company to one of at least four competing bidders.

Charlotte, N.C., submitted the proposal least costly to federal regulators in the rescue of First RepublicBank, sources told several newspapers.

"I hear NCNB's the winner," Frank Anderson, banking analyst with D. Latin & Co. in Dallas, told The Charlotte Observer. "They (NCNB) are

more innovative than most banks and I get the feeling they really want the institution."

"It's NCNB and Wells Fargo (in competition) with Citicorp wanting far too much aid. It looks like Citicorp is out of it," said Peter Tuz of Howard, Weil Financial Corp. in New Orleans.

NCNB's bid would cost the FDIC the least, according to a banking executive quoted anonymously on Thursday by the Wall Street Journal.

## Warring foes each make accusations

UNITED NATIONS (AP) — Iran and Iraq accused each other of blocking U.N. efforts to end their 8-year-old war, and the U.N. chief sought a formula to break the deadlock.

"I reject the idea of any collapse absolutely. I reject it emphatically. I have to keep waiting," Secretary-General Javier Perez de Cuellar said Thursday.

soon after it was adopted in July last year but which Iran did not accept until this month.

It provides for a cease-fire followed by withdrawal to recognized borders, prisoner exchange, peace negotiations and an investigation of which side started the war.

"The policy of Iraq is to put obstacles in the way of the secretary-general's peace efforts," said Mohammad Javad Zarif, counselor at Iran's U.N. Mission. "This whole Iraqi exercise is planned to sabotage the efforts upon which the international community is looking with hope."

Several sources told newspapers that Wells Fargo was trying to modify its bid at the last minute.

NCNB is the 18th-largest U.S. bank with \$28.6 billion in assets. Wells Fargo & Co. of San Francisco is No. 11 and Citicorp of New York is ranked No. 1.

Another bid for First RepublicBank has been submitted by its own management backed by Drexel Burnham Inc. and Sears' financial subsidiaries.

The U.N. chief planned to resume separate talks today with the foreign ministers of both countries after a one-day break.

Iraq demands a face-to-face meeting with Iran before a cease-fire, and Iran insists on a truce before it will consider a direct meeting.

On Wednesday, Iran's Foreign Minister Ali Akbar Velayati accepted all of Perez de Cuellar's proposals on implementing the peace plan. Iraq has not yet responded, and details of the proposals have not been disclosed.

Iraq's U.N. mission accused Iran of "simply seeking a hasty truce without giving any commitments that it will comply honestly and sincerely to the full implementation of the resolution as a plan for comprehensive and durable peace."

If NCNB acquires the Dallas-based bank-holding company, it would nearly double NCNB's size and catapult it to the nation's 10th-largest banking firm. Just three weeks ago, the North Carolina bank's bid was considered a long-shot by analysts.

The FDIC, which rescued First RepublicBank with a \$1 billion loan in March, said it was considering all options to resolve the company's fiscal crisis.

Perez de Cuellar acknowledged an impasse and, when asked if he had a formula for breaking it, said: "I'm working on that." But he added, "At some stage, direct talks are indispensable."

Industry analysts and bank officials said it was also possible the FDIC would declare First RepublicBank insolvent and select a bidder at a later date in a

"We have a number of options in front of us and I can state categorically that no decision has been made," FDIC spokesman Alan J. Whitney in Washington said Thursday.

The secretary-general also planned to meet today with Robin Higgins, the wife of one of the nine U.S. hostages being held in Lebanon. U.S. Marine Lt. Col. William R. Higgins, a U.N. official, was kidnapped Feb. 17. He said the meeting at U.N. headquarters is at her request.

Both sides reported fighting Thursday at Esfahabad, 60 miles inside Iran. Iraq, which says it has withdrawn from Iranian territory, describes the invaders as Iranian rebels, but Iran says they are Iraqi troops.

In Baghdad, the Iraqi capital, Saadun Hamadi, the acting foreign minister, summoned the ambassadors of the five permanent Security Council members — United States, Soviet Union, China, Britain and France — and insisted on a peace treaty.

The nine Americans are among 18 Westerners believed held by pro-Iranian Shiite Moslems extremists in Lebanon. Officials have held out hope that an end to the Iran-Iraq war could help bring the hostages home.

"This is the only way to secure a peaceful settlement" of the war, Iraqi television quoted him as saying.

But he added that "Iraq is for an early, immediate cease-fire as a means to end the war within the framework of a comprehensive peace settlement."

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## Nugent accused

AUSTIN (AP) — Railroad Commission Chairman Jim Nugent's opponent in November — Republican Ed Emmett — says Nugent has violated the "letter and spirit" of the law by using corporate and state funds for his personal and political benefit.

## Hospital notes gain in income

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The one month gain is not sufficient to produce a "positive cash flow" for the year-to-date, Hochwalt noted. If the current trend continues, however, he said he hopes this might occur within three to four months.

"I attribute this turnaround to a renewed sense of confidence in our hospital by our community and medical staff," he said.

Nugent called Emmett's accusations a desperate attempt to gain name identification in the statewide race.

The administrator linked the financial difficulties at Cogdell and other rural hospitals to the cutbacks in Medicare reimbursements implemented nationwide in 1983, a change pointed to at the time by Cogdell officials as a threat to the survival of rural health care.

"Texas politics has a long, sordid history with regard to unethical conduct, scandals, and mysterious money," Emmett said Thursday. "I'm afraid that now Jim Nugent, my opponent, is adding a whole new chapter, a very brazen chapter, just in the past two years."

Cogdell's last annual operating gain was reported at the end of 1983. Since that time, operating losses have been noted to include \$1.4 million in 1984, \$735,000 in 1985; \$876,000 in 1986 and last year's operating loss of \$1.7 million.

Emmett, a former state House member, questioned whether Nugent had ever paid Valero Energy Co. for a 1986 Mexico dove hunting trip; asked what had been done with a Nugent speech reportedly printed at taxpayers' expense, and why Nugent had allowed a Dallas trucking firm to host a reception for him.

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He also questioned two Nugent commission staffers' role in the 1988 primary race and the reporting of a corporate honorarium, as well as certain campaign contributions.

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"It looks like he's hustling, trying to get name ID one way or the other," Nugent responded.

The commissioner in a telephone interview said he had paid Valero; had mailed on request copies of the speech; and had no knowledge of the trucking firm's role in the reception.

Nugent also said staffers can work for whom they want to on their own time, and added that any listing of corporate campaign contributions was a mistake.

Emmett said, "The others you can write off as mistakes," but not the way in which the \$1,000 honorarium from the National Association of Royalty Owners, Inc., was handled.

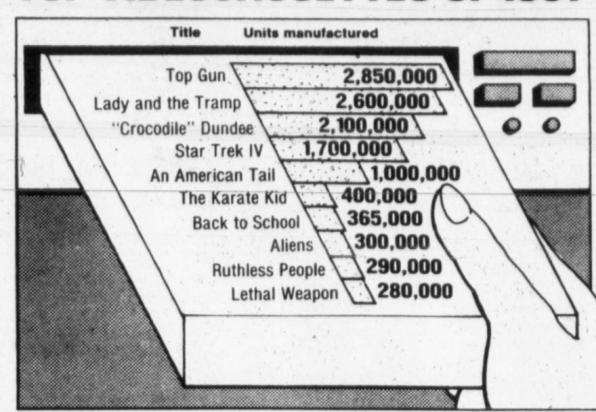
Emmett said two months after Nugent deposited the check in his personal account, he sent a \$1,000 check to NARO and requested that it pay him "after the first of the year."

Those attending included Dan Cotton, who presided as board president, Janet Hall, G.A. Parks, Roy McQueen and ex-officio member Bobby Goodwin. Jackie Smith and Jim Palmer were absent.

## Markets Middy Stocks

NEW YORK (AP)	High	Low	Last
AMR Corp	45 1/4	44 1/4	45
Ameritech	91 1/2	90 1/4	91 1/2
AMT	17 1/2	17	17 1/2
Amer TAT	26 1/2	26	26 1/2
Amoco	77 1/2	77	77 1/2
Arka	19 1/2	19 1/4	19 1/2
Armcolnc	11 1/4	11	11 1/4
AtlRichfld	81 1/2	81 1/2	81 1/2
BakerHugh	15 1/4	14 1/4	14 1/4
BancTexas n	1 1/4	1 1/4	1 1/4
BellAtlan	69 1/2	61 1/2	69 1/2
BellSouth	41 1/2	41 1/2	41 1/2
Beth Steel	24 1/4	24 1/4	24 1/4
Borden	52 1/2	51 1/2	52
Caterpillr	62 1/2	61 1/2	61 1/2
Centel s	43 1/2	43 1/2	43 1/2
CentSo West	31 1/4	31 1/4	31 1/4
Chevron	46 1/2	46 1/2	46 1/2
Chrysler	23 1/2	22 1/2	22 1/2
Goatstaf	31 1/2	30 1/2	30 1/2
CocaCola	37 1/2	37 1/2	37 1/2
Coleman	39 1/2	39 1/2	39 1/2
Colg Palm	43 1/2	42 1/2	42 1/2
ComMetl s	27 1/2	27 1/2	27 1/2
DeltaAirl	50 1/2	50 1/2	50 1/2
DigitalEq	106 1/2	105 1/2	105 1/2
DowChem	85 1/2	84 1/2	85 1/2
DressInd	30 1/2	30 1/2	30 1/2
duPont	85 1/2	84 1/2	85 1/2
EstKodak s	45 1/4	44 1/2	44 1/2
Enserch	19 1/2	19	19 1/2
Exxon s	46 1/2	46 1/2	46 1/2
FstRepubbk	1	3/4	3/4
FlowerInd s	17 1/2	16 1/2	16 1/2
FordMotr s	52 1/2	52	52 1/2
GAF Cp	46 1/2	46 1/2	46 1/2
GTE Corp	39 1/2	39 1/2	39 1/2
GenElec	52 1/2	52 1/2	52 1/2
GenElet	42 1/2	41 1/2	42
GenMills	47 1/2	47 1/2	47 1/2
Gen Motors	80 7/8	79 1/2	79 1/2
GnMotr E	40 1/2	40 1/2	40 1/2
Goodrich	49 1/4	49	49 1/4
Goodyear	61 1/2	60 1/2	61 1/2
HALIFac	39 1/2	39	39 1/2
Galt Statut	7 1/2	6 1/2	6 1/2
HighPart	28 1/2	28 1/2	28 1/2
HollyFdm n	25 1/2	25 1/2	25 1/2
HollyPark s	39 1/2	39	39 1/2
HouIndst	31 1/2	31 1/2	31 1/2
IBM	124 1/2	124 1/2	124 1/2
IntlPaper	44 1/2	43 1/2	44 1/2
JohnsJn	78 1/2	77 1/2	77 1/2
K Mart	33 1/2	33 1/2	33 1/2
Kroger s	33 1/2	33 1/2	33 1/2
vilTV Cp	3 1/4	3 1/4	3 1/4
Litton Ind	74 1/2	74	74 1/2
LoneSta Ind	31 1/2	31 1/2	31 1/2
Lowes	21	20 1/2	21
Lubys	23 1/2	23 1/2	23 1/2
MCorp	2 1/2	2 1/2	2 1/2
Maxus	7 1/2	7 1/2	7 1/2
MaxDST	26	25 1/2	25 1/2
Medtronic	78 1/2	78 1/2	78 1/2
Mobil	44 1/2	44 1/2	44 1/2
Monsanto	87 1/2	86 1/2	86 1/2
Motorola	47 1/2	46 1/2	46 1/2
Navistar	6 1/2	6 1/2	6 1/2
Nynex	64 1/2	64	64 1/2
PacTelesis	29 1/2	28 1/2	28 1/2
PenneyJC	46 1/2	45 1/2	46 1/2
Phelps Dod	40 1/2	40	40 1/2
PhillipPet	17 1/2	17 1/2	17 1/2
Polaroid s	43 1/2	42 1/2	42 1/2
Primerica s	24 1/2	24 1/2	24 1/2
ProctGamb	73 1/2	73 1/2	73 1/2
PubS NwMx	15	14 1/2	15
SFEsoAP s	18 1/2	18 1/2	18 1/2
SearsRoeb	38	37 1/2	37 1/2
SherwinWm	27 1/2	26 1/2	26 1/2
Southern Co	22 1/2	22 1/2	22 1/2
SwtAirl	18 1/2	18 1/2	18 1/2
SwtBell	37 1/2	37 1/2	37 1/2
SunComp	57 1/2	57 1/2	57 1/2
TNP Ent	19 1/2	19 1/2	19 1/2
Tandy	43 1/2	42 1/2	42 1/2
TempInd s	50 1/2	50 1/2	50 1/2
Tenneco	48 1/2	47 1/2	47 1/2
Texas	47 1/2	46 1/2	46 1/2
TexAmBnch	1 1/2	1 1/2	1 1/2
TexEastn	25 1/2	25 1/2	25 1/2
TexasInst	43	42 1/2	43
Tex Util	28 1/2	28 1/2	28 1/2
Textron s	24 1/2	24 1/2	24 1/2
Tyler	16 1/2	16 1/2	16 1/2
USX Corp	39 1/2	39 1/2	39 1/2
UnCarbde	23 1/2	22 1/2	22 1/2
UnFacCp	59 1/2	58 1/2	58 1/2
US West	54 1/2	53 1/2	53 1/2
UniTel	32 1/2	32	32 1/2
Unocal	35 1/2	35 1/2	35 1/2
WalMart	32 1/2	31 1/2	31 1/2
Westlight	52 1/2	52 1/2	52 1/2
XeroxCP	53 1/2	52 1/2	52 1/2
ZenithE	23 1/2	22 1/2	22 1/2

## TOP VIDEOCASSETTES OF 1987



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While most of 1987's top videos were recent movies, the animated "Lady and the Tramp" was first released in 1955.

## Firefighters wish for needed rain

RAPID CITY, S.D. (AP) — Firefighters raced the wind as they tried to beat back a blaze that raged out of control after consuming 15 homes along the city's edge, while officials offered a \$10,000 reward in the suspected arson.

2.2 million acre park. The forecast for today called for ideal burning conditions — good for the wildfires and encouraging for the burnouts — with high temperatures of 75-85 degrees and relative humidities of 15 percent to 22 percent.

High winds that fanned the fire dropped to 5 mph early this morning, prompting a major assault to take advantage of the lull and cooler temperatures. The National Weather Service said winds were expected to pick up again, reaching 15 to 25 mph by afternoon.

A burnout is meant to destroy fallen trees, snags and brush in a controlled manner to rob a fire of fuel to advance.

In Wyoming, fire crews in Yellowstone National Park today were taking the calculated risk of lighting "burnouts" — igniting dead timber and brush in an attempt to keep isolated blazes from combining into fire complexes.

In the 10,100-acre Shoshone fire, fire crews carrying hand-held drip torches ignited brush and fallen trees Thursday, moving fast to avoid the flare-up as the tinder-dry wood was torched.

Fires fed by drought-desiccated fields and forests also blackened regions of Alaska, Montana, Idaho, California and Washington state.

Meanwhile, heli-torches — flame throwers on choppers — continued setting burnouts on the northeast flank of the 8,500-acre fire that is threatening Old Faithful and the huge complex that surrounds the famous geyser.

In separate incidents, two young men were arrested for shoplifting at the same College Ave. store Thursday night, a 17-year-old at 7:11 p.m. and an 18-year-old at 9:27 p.m.

About 50 people forced from their homes by the marauding 900-acre Madison Gulch timber fire in western Montana were expected to return to their homes today, the U.S. Forest Service said.

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In Alaska, firefighters were battling only 16 of 51 wind-whipped fires. Bureau of Land Management spokesman Bill Rockwell said summer fires have blackened 1.4 million acres in Alaska.

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Ten families remained evacuated from their homes near the 3,000-acre Willis Gulch fire northeast of Boise, Idaho, as the state imposed strict fire restrictions on government land throughout the dry southern part of the state.

Survivors include his wife, Virginia Ruth Baker of Albany; two sons, Kenneth Baker of Dallas and Scotty Baker of Salem, Ark.; seven other brothers, J. C. of Lovington, N.M., O.T. of Vernon, Robert of Bay City, Howard of Fort Stockton, Jerry of Odessa and James A. and Edwin, both of Brownwood; eight sisters, Essie Hunter of Anson, Ester Neff of Burket, Thelma Cox of Coleman, Theda Harris of Aransas Pass, Madie Burton of Lake Brownwood, Ovella Berry of Eureka, Calif., Ronnie Winslet of Arvada, Colo., and Mary Trammell of Lubbock; and four grandchildren.

Hundreds of firefighters in Washington state continued to battle a stubborn 3,600-acre forest fire that consumed old-growth timber and logging trees in the Cascade Mountains.

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In California, firefighters were working on scores of small fires throughout the Sierra Nevada range, most of them caused by lightning. But a fire that burned about 30 acres Wednesday near Coulterville, destroying four structures and forcing the evacuation of up to 70 homes, was blamed on a careless 13-year-old smoker.

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An update Thursday night by infrared mapping showed the number of acres on fire down from 95,000 to about 93,000 in the

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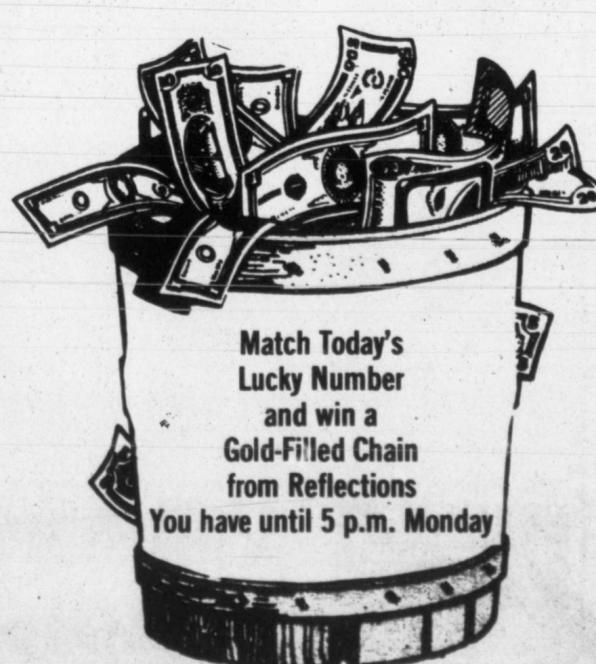
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## Births

Roger and Kellye Block are the parents of twin boys weighing 4 pounds, 15 1/2 ounces and 5 pounds, 10 ounces. They were born at 12:28 and 12:29 p.m. Thursday in Cogdell Memorial Hospital.



# Migrant workers relief sought

**Dr. Gott**



Peter Gott, M.D.

## Incision takes time to heal

By Peter H. Gott, M.D.

DEAR DR. GOTT: Six months ago I had a C-section. I've lost all my pregnancy weight and can do 100 to 200 sit-ups at a time. However, is it normal for the incision to itch all the time and hurt when it is scratched?

DEAR READER: During a Caesarian section, the surgeon has to use absorbable sutures to close the abdominal wound. These sutures can cause irritation and itching until they have been "digested" by the body. The process can take up to a year to complete. I think that you are OK to wait another six months before becoming concerned; however, you should check with your gynecologist just to be on the safe side.

DEAR DR. GOTT: I'm told that one can only get pregnant during a 12-hour time period during the month. Is this true? If so, when?

DEAR READER: A woman is fertile during the interval between ovulation and the time the egg passes down the Fallopian tube. Conception usually occurs as the ovum enters the tube. The period of fertility varies somewhat from woman to woman, usually 12 to 24 hours.

Sperm can live for at least three days in a woman's body; thus, the fertile period begins two days before ovulation and occurs about two weeks before a menstrual period. By taking a basal temperature, a woman can

determine the day of ovulation; her temperature will rise about 0.6 degrees F at that time. However, this method of contraception can be tricky; a woman should use it only after being adequately trained by a physician or family planning clinic.

To give you more information, I am sending you a free copy of my Health Report, "Contraception: An Update." Other readers who would like a copy should send \$1 and their name and address to P.O. Box 91369, Cleveland, OH 44101-3369. Be sure to mention the title.

DEAR DR. GOTT: I'm allergic to egg albumin and have positive TB tests, although my lungs are clear. Is this because the test is cultured with egg?

DEAR READER: Depending on the test, tuberculin antigen should be free of contamination. In particular, PPD (purified protein derivative) is isolated from human strains of tuberculosis and should cause no reaction unless the patient is responding specifically to the test substance.

In your case, I suspect that you are reacting to the tuberculin derivative. This means that you probably have had contact with tuberculosis bacteria but have not developed an infection. You must be closely monitored by your physician with respect to further testing, including chest X-rays.

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The first Pan-American Conference opened in Washington in 1889.

WASHINGTON (AP) — The U.S. Labor Department is putting the finishing touches on an emergency aid package for thousands of migrant workers stranded in the drought-parched Midwest, a spokesman said.

Rep. Albert Bustamante has been seeking humanitarian aid for migrant and seasonal workers who were unable to earn a living this summer because of the drought.

He says thousands are scattered across the Midwest without enough money to return home, creating a desperate situation "we can no longer continue to ignore."

Bustamante appealed to Labor Secretary Ann McLaughlin and other Reagan administration officials to draft a package of humanitarian aid for the migrant workers, many of whom are from Texas.

Labor Department spokesman Bob Zachariasiewicz said Thursday the agency "has a plan of action" but it won't be unveiled until Mrs. McLaughlin, who is overseas, gives it her final approval. An announcement will be

made next week. A source said the package would total \$4 million to \$5 million but "the final distribution is just not set on paper yet."

In his letter to Mrs. McLaughlin, Bustamante said: "Migrant workers pinned their hopes on a successful harvest and invested their personal savings to search for field work. Drought conditions have dashed their hopes for employment and for recouping their financial losses."

"Because the president's emergency relief program is directed solely at the farmer level, migrant workers and their families have no safety net to relieve their conditions. Measures taken to date have allowed migrant laborers to fall through cracks."

Bustamante, a migrant worker for 23 years and the son and grandson of Mexican-American migrant workers, said he still has relatives who travel from Texas to Minnesota to harvest sugar beets.

The San Antonio Democrat estimates the the stranded

migrant and seasonal worker population at about 10,000, but said it is difficult to get a true figure because "they don't have a high profile. ... They're not a voting bloc like some others that make a lot of noise."

"Exhausted of their personal financial resources, they have no money for temporary shelter and food," he wrote. "Many would like to return home, but they cannot. They are broke, indebted, stranded and dependent on the kindness and charity of local efforts."

Bustamante said local organizations do not have sufficient resources to help the

migrants, and although the state of Texas received \$3 million to \$5 million in dislocated worker assistance under the Jobs Training Partnership Act, it cannot spend the money beyond the state line.

He said he is seeking funds to provide shelter, food and job-search assistance to migrants who want to stay in the Midwest to help farmers salvage crops, and to give others who want to return home money for travel.

Bustamante also sent his appeal to President Reagan, Agriculture Secretary Richard Lyng, and Texas Gov. Bill Clements.

## Chancellor gives up his position

KILLEEN, Texas (AP) — The man chosen to succeed Phillip R. Swartz as chancellor of the American Educational Complex said he hopes to restore public confidence in a college scarred by controversy.

James R. Anderson, now deputy director for college programs, takes over Aug. 1 as acting chancellor of a college whose state funding has been cut because a 1987 audited financial statement is eight months overdue.

Anderson pledged during the Thursday meeting that the statement would be delivered to the state Higher Education Coordinating Board by Aug. 11.

Mistakes have been made in the college's 21-year history, Anderson said, "but not intentionally. And now we have a chance to go forward and fix

them." Swartz's resignation Thursday came as the school also faces an investigation by the Teacher Retirement System of Texas.

The agency's probe centers on \$800,000 in annual state retirement contributions to about 700 AEC employees who work under federal contracts in other states or countries. State law requires that the school must seek federal funds for those costs.

Swartz, an executive officer at the Killeen-area community college for 21 years and a chancellor for four months, said he plans to retire after leaving the college Aug. 31 and spend time with his family.

"Number one, I think it is in the best interests of the institution," Swartz said. "And, secondly, there are family considerations that really are paramount."

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