

# Lightning, heavy rain at Ira causes county power outage

A heavy thunderstorm at Ira around 1 a.m. Monday dumped up to 1.7 inches of rain and pease-sized hail while simultaneously causing an electrical outage which affected TU Electric customers in Ira, Snyder and Hermleigh.

The Ira area was singled out for the rainfall as rain amounts elsewhere in Scurry County were minimal.

Ira was also without power the longest with crews working until 7:45 a.m. before electricity was restored.

The outage occurred as lightning apparently struck a conductor above the Ira substation, causing it to fall into the station and to black out 11 other TU Electric substations.

Two areas in both Snyder and Hermleigh were without electricity with power restored after approximately one hour. Company officials estimate 3,450 customers were affected in all.

In Snyder, about 3,100 customers, most of these asleep and unaware of the outage, were affected. The power was off from around 12:53 until 2:15 a.m. in areas west of College Ave. and south of 37th St. and east of Ave. E.

The power at Hermleigh was off for approximately this length of time also.

All other substations had power restored at 3:20 a.m. These included units serving Cogdell Memorial Hospital, Lake J.B. Thomas and two Midwest Elec-

tric substations.

Regarding the rainfall, the Dunn area received .50 of an inch and Snyder received .21 of an inch. These were the only other measurable precipitation reported Monday morning.

Traces of rain were noted at Fluvanna, Hermleigh and Lake J.B. Thomas.

Across the state, much of Texas was beset with a gloomy Monday as low clouds, fog and scattered drizzle were dominant across Texas, the National Weather Service reported.

The persistent clouds and drizzle were the result of warm moist Gulf air flowing over the cooler air at the surface.

Thunderstorms were over Cent-



DOCTOR'S RECEPTION — Dr. Thomas Aycock (left), who recently joined the medical staff at Cogdell Memorial as a general surgeon, was honored with a reception Sunday at the hospital. He is shown with administrator Tom Hochwalt at the event. (SDN Staff Photo)

Monday  
Oct. 31,  
1988  
Ask Us

Q. — Is Wal-Mart still planning to open by Christmas?

A. — Actually, store officials said this was only a possibility, and the current end of construction time frame is in mid-January.

### In Brief

### Early releases

DALLAS (AP) — Violent criminals are leaving prison early because of a law designed to control the prison population and a court ruling that has made the statute retroactive, a newspaper reports.

The Prison Management Act was enacted in 1987 amid legislators' promises that only non-violent inmates would get out when the law was invoked by Gov. Bill Clements.

But The Dallas Morning News reported Sunday that 86 inmates, including 31 who had committed violent crimes, were released up to seven months early when Clements signed an executive order July 21 triggering their release.

### Mom killed

JERICHO, Occupied West Bank (AP) — Palestinians hiding in a banana plantation hurled firebombs at a passenger bus just outside this West Bank town, killing a mother and her three children aged 9 months to 3 1/2 years.

The bus was set ablaze just 35 hours before Israel's parliamentary elections, which are expected to be extremely close, and could drive undecided voters to the Likud Bloc of Prime Minister Yitzhak Shamir, who has advocated a hard line in dealing with violence.

Israeli news reports identified the dead woman in Sunday's attack as Rachel Weiss, 27. She and her boys, Rafael, Netanel and Efraim, lived in Jerusalem.

### Local

### For Halloween

The Hermleigh Halloween Carnival is planned Monday from 6 until 8:30 p.m. at the high school building and gymnasium.

In addition, the American Legion Ladies Auxiliary in Snyder will offer a "safe Halloween" party at 1800 Ave. R. from 6:30 until 8:30 p.m.

### Choir tonight

The Snyder Junior High School Fall Festival of Song choir program scheduled for Monday will begin at 7 p.m., 30 minutes earlier than originally planned.

### Booster meet

The Snyder All Sports Booster Club will meet at 7:30 p.m. Monday at the Snyder Student Center.

### Weather

Snyder Temperatures: High Saturday, 80 degrees, low, 52 degrees; reading at 7 a.m. Sunday, 60 degrees; high Sunday, 62 degrees; low, 49 degrees; reading at 7 a.m. Monday, 50 degrees; .21 of an inch precipitation; total precipitation for 1988 to date, 20.51 inches.

Snyder Area Forecast: Tonight, mostly fair. Low in the upper 40s. Light and variable. Wind Tuesday, brief early morning low clouds, otherwise mostly sunny and a little warmer. High in the upper 70s. South wind 5 to 15 mph.

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## Delta pilot says he hesitated too long

WASHINGTON (AP) — The pilot of Delta Flight 1141 told investigators he wishes he had applied full power immediately after the first sign of trouble and not 23 seconds later as his Boeing 727 was about to crash, documents revealed today.

The crash Aug. 31 at the Dallas-Fort Worth International Airport claimed 14 lives. There were 108 people aboard the jet, bound for Salt Lake City.

A transcript of the cockpit voice recorder tape, among the eight sets of documents released

by the National Transportation Safety Board, showed a routine takeoff down the runway with the plane gaining proper speed and climbing power.

Seconds after liftoff, however, there was the sound of a "snap" and then the jet's control column began to shake, an advance warning that the aircraft was about to stall.

"Something's wrong," Capt. Larry Davis, who was at the controls, was believed to have said. His exact words were not clear.

Then followed the sounds of

what is believed to be five compressor stalls in the engines and the co-pilot announcing an "engine failure." Investigators have said they have found no evidence of a mechanical malfunction in any of the three engines.

"We're not gonna make it," Davis said nearly 15 seconds after the first "snap" was heard.

But it was eight seconds more before he called for "full power," according to the transcript. Less than a second later came the sound of the first impact.

Davis said in interviews with NTSB investigators that "in retrospect I should have pushed up full power immediately," according to a separate document made public today by the NTSB.

During the interview, Davis also said that he was aware his aircraft had an unusually high nose-up position as it struggled to gain lift, but that he was afraid to lower the nose, the normal maneuver in an attempt to fly out of a stall, because he thought impact with the ground was imminent.

Davis said that in the seconds after liftoff the Boeing 727 began to "roll violently." He told investigators, "It was all I could do to control the airplane."

He said at one point he thought "we were going to make it, but then we got more bangs."

Investigators have closely examined the three engines of the jetliner and concluded that there was no mechanical failure. The bangs have been widely interpreted as the compressor stalls caused by an interruption of air flow.

## Firing range fixup is new side benefit of TDC guard class

The firing range used by the Canyon Gun Club here has recently been renovated to make it comply with Texas Department of Corrections standards—improvements prompted by the TDC guard training course now underway at Western Texas College.

WTC officials, approached club members last summer about using the range for firearms training associated with the class. The club was willing to allow the facility's use, but at the time the range did not meet TDC requirements.

These include at least 25 shooting stations and a firing lane distance of 50 yards.

An agreement was reached to

renovate the range with the assistance of both city and county crews, staffers with Midwest Electric as well as students and staffers with the college's golf course and landscape technology department.

The result, according to Mike Thornton, liaison staffer for the college with TDC, was "equal to or better than any range TDC has anywhere."

The guard class used the facility Saturday to qualify with weapons, and Thornton said TDC instructors offered that comment.

Heading up the firearms instruction Saturday was Maj. Paul Bruno, firearms training specialist with TDC.

Dirt work was the major component of the range's renovation, to include building up to a 16 ft. berm of dirt behind the range's targets.

In a related result, the range's new specifications will allow its use by both police and county deputies required to qualify with weapons.

"It started out as a project to help out our class, but I think it will wind up benefitting a lot of people," Thornton said.

He noted WTC has contracted to use the facility approximately three times a year.

The range itself is a private facility open to Canyon Gun Club members only. Membership to join the club is \$20 per year.



TRAINING — Texas Department of Corrections firearms instructor Jemel Prestage of Huntsville, right, discusses a target with TDC guard trainee James Homer Jones of Hermleigh during firearms training at the newly renovated Canyon Gun Club

range northeast of Snyder Saturday morning. Twenty-four trainees took instruction in the use of shotguns, pistols and AR-15 .223-caliber rifles during the class. (SDN Staff Photo)

## Airport board has member replaced

Scurry County commissioners Monday appointed Dr. James R. Burleson to serve on the county airport board and approved a low bid for the purchase of a used dump truck to be used in Commissioner C.D. Gray Jr.'s Pct. 3.

Burleson succeeds Lynn McLarty, who recently resigned as airport board chairman, to serve out the remainder of McLarty's term, which ends in January.

The court approved a low bid of \$13,000 from Randall Adams of Hermleigh for a 1976 Mack dump truck with a 12-yard capacity for Gray's precinct.

Commissioner Duane Davis won approval to advertise for bids for two new dump trucks to be used in his Pct. 1.

Sheriff Keith Collier had been scheduled to discuss advertising for bids for smoke alarms for the jail, but he asked for the item to

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## Jobless figure at 5.8 percent

The unemployment estimate for Scurry County during September was listed at 5.8 percent, approximately the same level reported all through the summer here.

The number of persons said employed took a drop from the previous month, however, as summer jobs came to an end. The number of individuals actively seeking employment remained approximately the same, however, and the percentage increase in unemployment estimates was slight.

During September, 8,776 individuals were said employed

here, compared to 8,952 in August, a drop of 176 jobs. The number seeking jobs through the Texas Employment Commission was listed at 537 in September compared to 519 in August, an increase of only 18, when local unemployment was figured at 5.5 percent.

The largest numbers of persons employed in the county during 1988 to date was during July when 8,988 were working. At the start of the year in January, an estimated 8,414 individuals were employed here.

By combining the number of persons employed and those

seeking employment through TEC, the civilian labor force is derived. Scurry County's now stands at 9,313.

Figures were reported also for the five surrounding counties served through the Sweetwater-based regional TEC office. These include:

—Nolan County: 7.5 percent unemployment with a civilian labor force of 7,573 comprised of 7,007 persons employed and 566 actively seeking employment.

—Mitchell County: 10.1 percent unemployment with a civilian labor force of 4,093 comprised of

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Dear Abby



## Rank and Its Privilege Carry No Clout With Non-Smokers

By Abigail Van Buren

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DEAR ABBY: You are going to get clobbered for telling that military wife who wouldn't allow guests to smoke in her home: "Rank has its privileges. I'd say that the commanding officer and such luminaries as JFK and FDR (if they were still living) would be welcome to light up wherever they please."

For as long as you have been writing your column, you should be aware by now how militant non-smokers are. Some of them would kick their own mother out in 10 feet of snow if she dared to light up in their house.

I haven't bet on anything for many years, but I'd bet your mail will run heavily against you on that statement.

"PINK" PINKERTON, PICO RIVERA, CALIF.

DEAR PINK: Give the man from Pico Rivera a cigar! I am catching it from all directions. I did not say those luminaries would presume to light up without permission; I said I thought they would be welcome to. Big mistake. I blew it! My readers told me that I was wrong, and they were right.

DEAR ABBY: A reader asked, "Why don't people who are sick stay home, instead of going to work and giving everybody else their cold, flu, or whatever they have that seems to be going around?"

I can answer that in four words: They need the money. Many jobs don't include "sick days" — it's no work, no pay.

Many days I've dragged myself to work feeling lousy, but I can't afford the luxury of staying home.

My last job allowed six days off a year. But nobody would dare to take them because it would reflect on their job performance record. If you were out sick more than six days, you were called in and "counseled" — and when it came time to be promoted, your work record was marked "not dependable."

Now, about keeping kids home from school because of sickness: In my son's school, they actually lowered his grade by a whole letter because he was out more than eight days in one semester!

My sister is a 27-year-old widow with two children, 5 and 7. She saves her days off without pay for their illnesses. Her take-home pay is \$210 a week, so two days off brings her paycheck down to \$126.

Now you know why people don't stay home when they're sick.

RHODE ISLAND MOTHER

DEAR MOTHER: I do. And it's time employers showed a little more heart.

DEAR ABBY: Five million Americans have diabetes and don't know it! These people are at risk of serious complications if diagnosis and treatment are not sought in time. November is National Diabetes Month, so you can help by alerting the public to the symptoms of diabetes so it can be detected early: increased thirst, urination and hunger; blurred vision, itchy skin, slowly healing wounds or extreme fatigue (especially after a meal), or a tingling sensation in toes or fingers. You are also more likely to have diabetes if you are overweight, are over 40, have given birth to a baby who weighed more than 9 pounds or have a relative with diabetes. Those at risk should be tested yearly for diabetes.

MARY GROSSI, R.N., C.D.E., LONG ISLAND CHAPTER, AMERICAN DIABETES ASSOCIATION

DEAR MS. GROSSI: I am glad to be able to pass on this valuable information. Readers: For more facts about diabetes, education and support, call your local chapter, or the national toll-free number: (800) ADA-DISC.

"How to Write Letters for All Occasions" provides sample letters of congratulations, thank-yous, condolences, resumes and business letters — even how to write a love letter! It also includes how to properly address clergymen, government officials, dignitaries, widows and others. To order, send your name and address, plus check or money order for \$2.89 (\$3.39 in Canada) to: Abby's Letter Booklet, P.O. Box 447, Mount Morris, Ill. 61054. (Postage is included.)

## Bumper crops foreseen

WASHINGTON (AP) — This year's drought is not likely to be repeated in 1989, and U.S. farmers probably will harvest bumper crops of wheat, corn and soybeans, according to an Agriculture Department economist.

Corn production, for example, could nearly double from this year's drought-riddled yield.

But James Cole of the department's Economic Research Service warned that a backlog of demand will siphon off most of the 1989 crop increases without allowing the United States to rebuild its stockpiles significantly.

"Production of all commodities almost certainly will be much greater next year, but consumption of wheat, corn and soybeans also will remain high, resulting in only limited increases in stocks during 1989-90," Cole said.

The odds are good for such a harvest improvement in 1989, he said. Since 1970, drought has shriveled U.S. crops five times — 1970, 1974, 1980, 1983 and 1988 — and in each case harvest yields were up significantly the following year.

According to Cole's analysis, which was prepared for the November issue of Agricultural Outlook magazine, 1989 wheat production may rebound to about 2.5 billion bushels from 1.8 billion bushels this year; corn to 7.5 billion to 8 billion bushels from 4.4 billion in 1988; and soybeans to almost 2 billion bushels from this year's harvest of 1.5 billion.

Cole said the larger crops of 1989 "will be used to sustain growing consumption" by domestic and foreign users. Therefore, he added, inventories "may rise only slightly" by the end of the 1989-90 crop year.

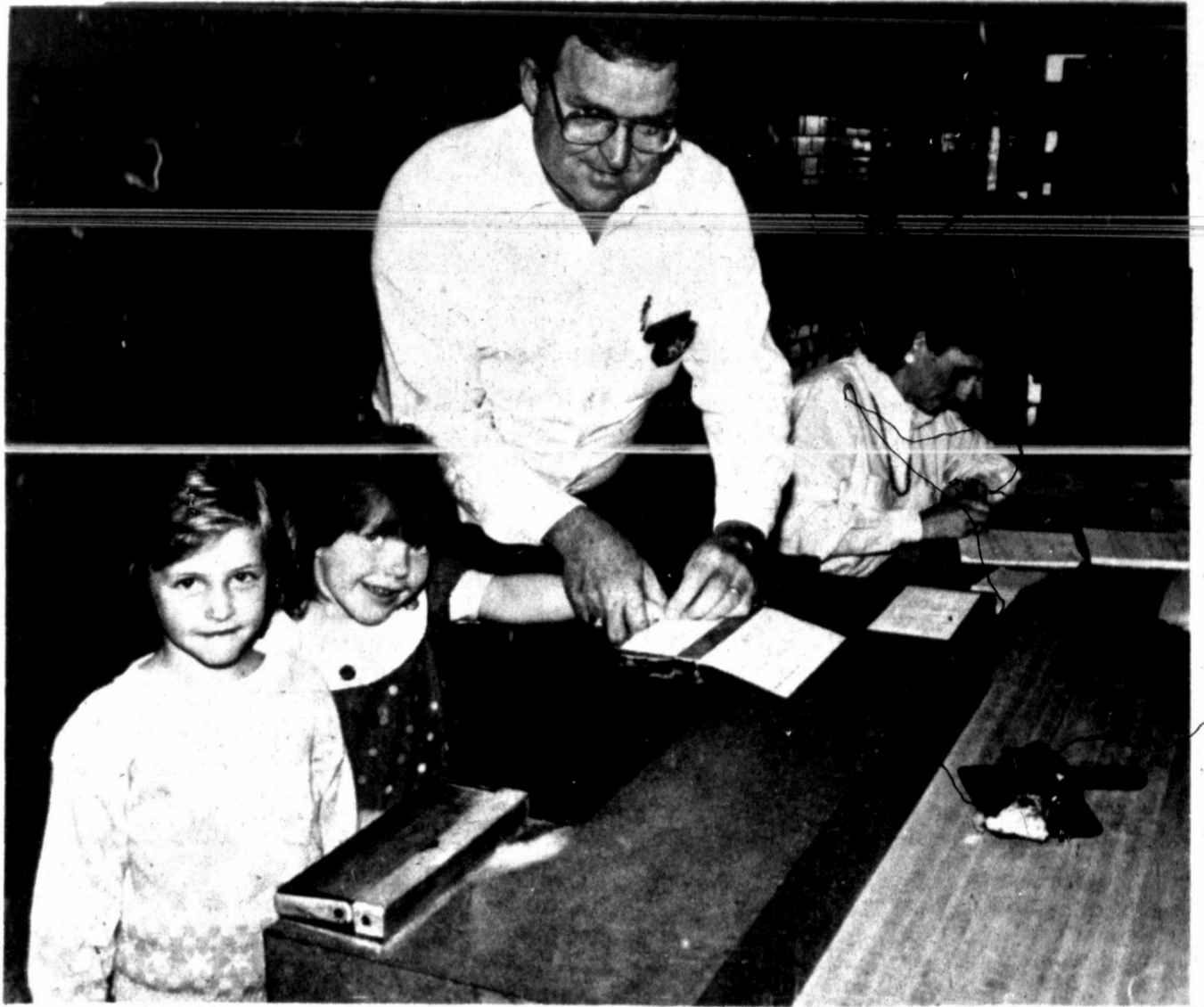
"The real impact of the drought — markedly reduced stocks — will remain for some time to come," Cole said. "Some rebuilding of inventories that had been severely depleted in 1988-89 is expected, but gains will be small. Larger increases, if desired, will take more time."

Despite the odds that the 1988 drought will not be repeated next year, the possibility still exists, no matter how unsavory the subject is for USDA officials.

Lester Brown, president of Worldwatch Institute, a non-profit research organization based in Washington, recently said that another U.S. drought in 1989 would trigger a "desperate scramble" by needy countries for dwindling grain supplies.

Cole explained further about drought's track record in the United States and how it backs up his contention that 1989 may be a bumper crop year.

"Unlike other countries, the United States has not had back-to-back droughts in at least 75 years," he said. "The Soviet Union recently endured as many as four successive years of drought. U.S. weather history and prospects give little reason to believe that crop yields will not rebound next year."



FINGERPRINTING—Deputy Charlie Reynolds of the Scurry County Sheriff's Department fingerprinted students at Northeast Thursday. Kindergarten students pictured are T'Leah Eicke and Amy Reynolds. Fairy Eicke, seated, assisted Reynolds. (SDN Staff Photo)

## 'Dallas' star endorses Dukakis

DALLAS (AP) — Television's wealthy Dallas oilman has an off-camera message to Texans: Vote for Michael Dukakis.

Patrick Duffy, who plays Bobby Ewing on "Dallas," said Sunday he decided to use his celebrity status to encourage support of the Democratic presidential

ticket after he became angered over Republican campaigning.

"The Bush campaign has declined to seriously address the real issues which have been headlines in the news for the last eight years," Duffy said. "The lies and distortions in this campaign have created the necessity for concerned citizens to focus clearly on those matters which most directly affect us."

Duffy said he realized celebrity endorsements are more influential than that of other voters. He told about 75 people at Dukakis' Dallas campaign headquarters he felt obliged to tell hunters and gun owners that Dukakis doesn't oppose responsible gun ownership.

"I am a gun owner," said Duffy, 39. "I enjoy using a shotgun four or five times a year to bird hunt. Mike Dukakis has no intention of trying to take our guns away."

Duffy also said despite the fact that Dukakis is opposed to the

death penalty, the Massachusetts governor is not soft on crime, as Republican advertisements portray him to be.

"I can safely say that I know as well as anyone the great pain and terrible loss from brutal, violent crime," he said.

Duffy's parents were killed in 1986 in the Boulder, Mont., bar they owned. As the couple shut down the tavern for the night, they were fatally wounded by two teen-agers wielding a shotgun.

Duffy, 39, was in Dallas filming the TV show when he decided to make his support of Dukakis public.

"When I watched the debates — I have never felt so uneasy watching a debate in my life," Duffy said. "Every time (Republican Vice Presidential nominee) Dan Quayle spoke, I got up and I was walking around and I could not sit still. It made me quite nervous, it made me ill at ease to think that this was the selection of someone who wanted to be president."

## Mattox calls for probe of illegal bingo games

HOUSTON (AP) — A newspaper investigation into the billion-dollar bingo business has uncovered dozens of violations and prompted Attorney General Jim Mattox to call for a state investigation into illegally run games that allegedly are stealing money from legitimate charities.

In a copyright story Sunday, the Houston Chronicle described bingo games rigged by a network of insiders who walk away with the big prizes, alleged cash skimming, and commercial bingo operators illegally offering to pay charities a cut of the profits for lending their name to the operations.

Mattox said his and state Comptroller Bob Bullock's offices should jointly investigate the billion-dollar bingo business to clean up the apparent widespread violations of state law.

"Based on the information that you've uncovered in this matter, I think it would be proper for both the comptroller's office and my office to review the information you've developed," Mattox told the Chronicle Saturday.

"We've gotten independent complaints, but nothing specific. I'm sure the comptroller will want to investigate. We will handle the litigation for the comptroller if he needs it."

Mattox's office oversees charities and charitable trusts, while Bullock's office is responsible for direct enforcement of the state's bingo law and routinely investigates complaints. Bingo games have generated

nearly \$1.4 billion since the 1981 Legislature legalized them, producing nearly \$7 million in state taxes and \$25 million in taxes for cities throughout the state.

Allegations in the Chronicle report include:

— Reports that a network of insiders circulates throughout the state, setting up phony winners for prizes as large as \$500 per game.

— Illegally run games. Some commercial bingo operators reportedly have approached charities throughout Houston with offers to pay them 10-15 percent of the proceeds in exchange for using the charities name to run a game.

— Cash skimming. Under the law, all funds collected must at some point be spent on charitable purposes, except for permissible expenses. Some commercial operators, however, reportedly are skimming off profits before the funds are ever turned over to the charities.

Mattox said the allegations match complaints received by his office.

## S&L execs to skip confab in Hawaii

DALLAS (AP) — Although the Texas thrift industry is one of the sickest in the nation, state thrift executives won't be at a Honolulu convention beginning today where savings and loan officials will discuss how to restore the industry's health.

An estimated 4,050 delegates and spouses to the U.S. League of Savings Institutions 96th annual convention were expected to attend. However the Federal Home Loan Bank Board has told operators of insolvent thrifts they

may not use company money to pay for their executives to attend industry gatherings.

The nation's 3,048 savings institutions lost \$7.5 billion in the first six months of this year and losses almost surely will top last year's post-Depression record of \$7.8 billion.

At the center of the thrift industry's problems are savings and loans in Texas, where 46 percent of 269 institutions open at the end of June were insolvent.



**Scurry County**  
Leeco Energy and Investments Inc. will drill the No. 1-A Merritt, a 7,500-foot re-entry wildcat six miles southwest of Snyder. Location is in Section 189, Block 97, H&TC survey.

**Borden County**  
Kerr-McGee Corp. has plugged and abandoned the No. 1 Muleshoe Ranch, an 8,900-foot wildcat eight miles southeast of Gail. Location is in Section 36, Block 30, T4N, T&P survey.

**Statex Petroleum Inc.** will drill the No. 1 Miller Ranch, an 8,400-foot wildcat 7.5 miles north of Gail. Drill site is in Section 523, Block 97, H&TC survey.

**East County**  
Mobil Producing has completed the No. 570-C, Salt Creek unit in the Salt Creek field, nine miles northwest of Clairemont. The well produced 278 barrels of 38.6 gravity oil and 646 barrels of water.

Gas-oil ratio was 658-1 with perforations from 6,186-398 feet. Location is in Section 145, Block G, W&NW survey.

Mobil Producing has completed the No. 323-A Salt Creek unit in the Salt Creek field, nine miles northwest of Clairemont. The well produced 63 barrels of 38.6 gravity oil and 302 barrels of water.

Gas-oil ratio was 870-1 with perforations from 6,446-6,519 feet. Location is in Section 3, D. R. Stout survey.

**Fisher County**  
American Cascade Energy has completed the No. 2 Lita Touchstone in the Raven Creek field, eight miles northeast of Eskota. The well produced 130 barrels of 41 gravity oil and 70 barrels of water.

Gas-oil ratio was 1,923-1 with perforations from 4,974-981 feet.

Location is in Section 1, Block 19, T&P survey.

James D. Erwin will drill the No. 1 Eugene Terry, a 6,600-foot wildcat four miles south of Roby. Location is in Subdivision 27, El Paso CSL survey.

**Nolan County**  
American Cascade Energy has completed the No. 2 Jamie in the White Flat field, 13 miles east of Sweetwater. The venture was finaled to produce 45 barrels of 41 gravity oil and 70 barrels of water.

Gas-oil ratio was 1,111-1 with perforations from 5,622-633 feet. Location is in Section 44, Block 16, T&P survey.

On Sept. 10, 1919, New York City welcomed home Gen. John J. Pershing and 25,000 soldiers who served in the U.S. First Division during World War I.

## Astro-Graph

Bernice Bede Osol



Nov. 1, 1988

A number of restrictions that have hampered you will be alleviated in the year ahead. You'll have greater freedom to operate, enhancing your possibilities for success.

**SCORPIO (Oct. 24-Nov. 22)** You could be extremely lucky at this time where joint ventures are concerned, especially in arrangements that involve a member of the opposite gender. 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.

**SAGITTARIUS (Nov. 23-Dec. 21)** This is a good day to negotiate important agreements that have far-reaching effects. All of the parties involved should be pleased with the results.

**CAPRICORN (Dec. 22-Jan. 19)** Your talents for resolving the dilemmas of others could earn large rewards today. Offer your assistance willingly when needed.

**AQUARIUS (Jan. 20-Feb. 19)** Functioning as a middleman is a role you're particularly well-suited to perform today. Under your capable guidance, all involved will get a fair shake.

**PISCES (Feb. 20-March 20)** Conditions continue to look promising where your material interests are concerned. In fact, you may even benefit from something which you did not initiate.

**ARIES (March 21-April 19)** Think big today, because you'll be in your element when large objectives are at stake. Size will be instrumental in awakening your full potential.

**TAURUS (April 20-May 20)** Stay on top of matters today that can contribute to your security. You're on a lucky roll in this area, so make hay while the sun shines.

**GEMINI (May 21-June 21)** Your popularity is at a high point and friends are likely to do things for you that they'll not do for others. Be sure to properly acknowledge their efforts.

**CANCER (June 21-July 22)** A matter about which you have been anxious looks like it may be resolved to your satisfaction today. Luck will only do so much, you'll have to do the rest.

**LEO (July 23-Aug. 22)** Be hopeful today regarding the outcome of events, regardless of what occurs in the early stages. You should begin to shine when the finish line is in sight.

**VIRGO (Aug. 23-Sept. 22)** Objectives can be achieved today either financially or career-wise if you give them top priority. Success is likely wherever you concentrate your efforts.

**LIBRA (Sept. 23-Oct. 23)** Your leadership qualities, as well as other enviable attributes, will be very evident to others today. When you say or do something, all will sit up and take notice.

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## Community Calendar

### MONDAY

Free blood pressure clinic; Fluvanna Community Center; 1-2 p.m.  
 Noah Project support group for victims of family violence; 3:45 p.m. For more information, call 573-1822.  
 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.  
 Boy Scouts District meeting; West Texas State Bank; 5:15 p.m.  
 "Safe Halloween" Party; American Legion Hall; 1800 Ave. R; 6:30-8:30 p.m.; games and refreshments; no charge. All children welcome.  
 Open duplicate bridge; Colorado City bridge room; 7 p.m.  
 Overeaters Anonymous; Morning Side Baptist Church fellowship hall; 7:30 p.m. Call JoAnn at 573-9839 for information.  
 New Choices Support Group; Park Club in Winston Park; 7 p.m. For co-dependency or adult children of alcoholics. Call 573-4837 or 863-2427 for information.  
 Scurry County Alcoholics Anonymous; Park Club in Winston Park; 8 p.m. For more information, call 573-4870 or 573-1357.

### TUESDAY

Ladies Golf Association; tee time at players convenience.  
 Sparklers - Chamber Volunteers; The Shack; noon.  
 Free blood pressure clinic; Ira Community Center; 1-2 p.m.  
 Twentieth Century Study Club; 3 p.m.  
 Alpha Study Club; MAWC; 3:30 p.m.  
 Tiger Shark Swim Club; WTC; 6-18 years of age; 4-5:30 p.m. For more information, call Mike Harrison at 573-8511 ext. 283.  
 University Women; MAWC; 6 p.m.  
 ACBL Open Pairs Duplicate Bridge; Snyder Country Club; 7 p.m.  
 TOPS TX56; weigh-in and meeting 7-8 p.m.; 2501 35th St.; for more information, call Jean Yearwood at 573-9444.  
 Beta Sigma Phi; Snyder Country Club; 7:30 p.m.  
 Snyder Police Auxiliary; SNB community room; 7:30 p.m.  
 Scurry Lodge 706; AF and AM degree classes; 7:30 p.m.  
 New Horizon Alcoholics Anonymous; Park Club in Winston Park; 8 p.m. For more information, call 573-2101 or 573-8626.  
 Al-Anon; Park Club in Winston Park; 8 p.m. For more information, call 573-2101 or 573-8626.

### WEDNESDAY

Christian Women's Club prayer coffee; 3717 Dalton; 573-0478; 10 a.m.  
 Free blood pressure clinic; Hermleigh Community Center; 1-2 p.m.  
 Tiger Shark Swim Club; WTC; 6-18 years of age; 4-5:30 p.m. For more information, call Mike Harrison at 573-8511 ext. 283.  
 Iota Psi Sorority; home of Lenora Boydston; 7 p.m.  
 Narcotics Anonymous; Park Club in Winston Park; 8 p.m. For more information, call 573-3956 or 573-0414.

### THURSDAY

Snyder Garden Club; MAWC; 9:30 a.m.  
 Knapp Extension Homemakers Club; 1:30 p.m.  
 Free blood pressure clinic; Dunn Community Center; 1-2 p.m.  
 Advanced Duplicate Bridge; Colorado City bridge room; 1:30 p.m.  
 Duplicate Bridge; Snyder Country Club; 1:30 p.m.  
 Tiger Shark Swim Club; WTC; 6-18 years of age; 4-5:30 p.m. For more information, call Mike Harrison at 573-8511 ext. 283.  
 Weight Watchers of West Texas; basement of First Presbyterian Church; 6 p.m. New members welcome and should register at 5:30 p.m.  
 Boy Scout Roundtable; Boys' Club; 7 p.m.  
 Snyder Fire Dept. Auxiliary; West Fire Station; 7 p.m.  
 Alateen; for the children of alcoholics; 7 p.m. For more information, call 573-2101 or 573-8626.  
 Scurry County Alcoholics Anonymous; Park Club in Winston Park; 8 p.m. For more information, call 573-2101 or 573-8626.

### FRIDAY

Story Time for Preschoolers; Scurry County Library; 10 a.m.  
 Snyder Jaycees; noon luncheon; Snyder Country Club.  
 Free blood pressure clinic; Cogdell Memorial Hospital emergency waiting room; 1-2:30 p.m.  
 ACBL Open Pairs Duplicate Bridge; Snyder Country Club; 1:30 p.m.  
 Cornelius Dodson House; open by appointment; 573-9742 or 573-2763.  
 Tiger Shark Swim Club; WTC; 6-18 years of age; 4-5:30 p.m. For 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 dominos; 6:30 p.m.  
 New Horizon Alcoholics Anonymous; Park Club in Winston Park; 7 p.m. For more information, call 573-2101 or 573-8626.

### 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.

## Fourists gather in Mexico

MORELIA, Mexico (AP) — Anticipating the traditional Day of the Dead celebration, tourists are streaming into the island village of Patzcuaro in the central state of Michoacan.  
 More than 250,000 Mexican and foreign tourists are expected in the region for the Nov. 1 and 2 holiday. Federal Tourism Delegate Armando Arriaga Navarte told the Mexican daily Excelsior. Hotels already are at 90 percent occupancy and "no vacancy" signs will be out before the holiday is over, he said.  
 Patzcuaro, about 180 miles northwest of Mexico City, is a bastion of the traditional Mexican custom of honoring deceased loved ones by making special offerings on their graves and at home altars. The returning spirits are welcomed with marigolds, special foods and other items that a deceased person liked in life.



TI-IN PROJECT—Kristi Carter, left, and Kerri Carter recently made masks as their art project for the art history and appreciation class which they are taking via the school's new satellite TI-IN service. Kristi's mask is representative of the African culture and Kerri's represents the Aztec civilization. (SDN Staff Photo)

## Bridge

James Jacoby

NORTH 10-31-88			
♦ A 9 7 5			
♥ K 3 2			
♠ J 7 5 3 2			
♣ 10			
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♠ A Q 10		♠ K 9 4	
♣ K Q 5 4 2		♣ J 9 8 7	
SOUTH			
♦ K Q 8 6 3			
♥ 8 7 4			
♠ 8 6			
♣ A 6 3			
Vulnerable: East-West			
Dealer: North			
West	North	East	South
Pass	3 ♦	Pass	1 ♦
Pass		Pass	Pass
Opening lead: ♦ 2			

## A play to remember

By James Jacoby  
 The National Team-of-Four championship for the Spingold trophy was won in Salt Lake City last July by the team of Jim Mahaffey, Ron Andersen, Paul Soloway, Bob Goldman, Eric Rodwell and Jeff Meckstroth. Although this was Mahaffey's first major North American championship, the others on the team are previous world champions. One unusual aspect of this year's win is that Mahaffey's father won the same event two years earlier. Also interesting is that their victory this year was by one of the closest margins ever — a mere three international matchpoints (IMPs).  
 There might have been a different winner if Eric Rodwell, West in today's deal, had not come up with the right defensive play. Against the three-spade contract, Rodwell led a trump. Declarer won in hand and played a diamond to the 10, jack and king. Back came the jack of clubs from East, won by South's ace. Now another diamond was taken by Rodwell with the queen. He knew that it was crucial to now attack the heart suit, but what card to lead? In fact he led the queen of hearts. That particular play caters to his partner holding A-J-10 or even just the A-J, since with the latter holding, declarer would likely duck with 10-x-x in his own hand.  
 The score for defeating the contract combined with the plus score in the other room netted the team four IMPs. Since the winning margin was only three, it doesn't take an Albert Einstein to figure out that Rodwell's careful shift to the heart queen was a play he and his teammates will long remember.

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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## Mexican Navy apprehends boat

TAMPICO, Mexico (AP) — The Mexican Navy apprehended a U.S. shrimpboat in the Gulf of Mexico for allegedly operating illegally in Mexican waters, Excelsior news service said Sunday.  
 The "Ciclon Negro," registered in Brownsville, Texas, was stopped this weekend near the gulf port of Tampico, about 270 miles south of the U.S.-Mexican border, Excelsior said.  
 Two U.S. citizens from the boat, Allan Epiette and Domingo Ramirez, are being held by immigration authorities, Excelsior said. Also taken into custody was Martin Torres, a Mexican national working without papers, according to the news service.

Mexican fishing authorities said the boat's owners could be fined up to \$11,000. In addition, the three tons of shrimp on board, nets and other fishing equipment were confiscated.

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## Minimum wage at lowest point

MEXICO CITY (AP) — The minimum wage in Mexico is at its lowest point in history, according to a Mexican Workers Congress study.  
 Economists for the workers union said it would take six times the 8,000 peso minimum daily wage, roughly equivalent to about \$3.50, for a worker to feed,

clothe and house a family, the Mexican daily La Jornada said.  
 Mexican wages, along with prices for basic necessities, have been kept down since the beginning of the year as part of the government's anti-inflation program. However, workers demands for wage increases are growing.

## Flu forces singer to cancel concerts

TACOMA, Wash. (AP) — The flu forced pop star Michael Jackson to cancel three concerts here this week, his publicist says.  
 The decision to cancel the shows scheduled for today, Tuesday and Wednesday at the Tacoma Dome was made on the

advice of Jackson's physician and after consultation with the singer's manager, Frank DiLeo, publicist Michael Mitchell said Sunday.

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# Westerners debut here Tuesday

Entertain Southwest Christian at 7:30 p.m.

Western Texas College's Westerners make their home debut here Tuesday night, taking on Southwest Christian at 7:30 p.m. in Scurry County Coliseum.

The Westerners are 1-0 following an 80-78 victory over Hill Country.

WTC Coach Tony Mauldin said he isn't sure what to expect from Southwest Christian, but believes the game will be entertaining.

"They get a lot of points off their defense and others off their opponent's turnovers. We've got to cut down on turnovers," said Mauldin. "They like to put the ball up quick and they play good,

tough defense. We've got to to the boards well. We can't give up those second and third shots."

Tickets to Tuesday's ballgame are \$2 per person at the gate. Season tickets are on sale. They are \$20 for an individual or \$30 for a couple. Pre-schoolers are admitted free and any other family members may get in for \$5, after the \$30 fee.

Doubleheader games will be \$3 at the gate. Season tickets are good for both single games and doubleheaders.

Season tickets are available at the WTC Athletic Department.

## Southwest Conference roundup...

# Razorbacks are Cotton Bowl bound

by The Associated Press  
It took a trifecta to pull it off but 11th ranked Arkansas took care of business and holds its first winning ticket to the Cotton Bowl since 1976.

All three games on Saturday's Southwest Conference card had to fall into place for the Razorbacks capture the title on the earliest date in league history.

- Texas Tech had to beat Texas. The Red Raiders, trailing 32-15 in the fourth quarter, rallied to a heart-stopping 33-32 victory.

- Houston had to beat Texas Christian. After falling behind 9-0 in the first quarter, sophomore quarterback Andre Ware came on to throw three touchdown passes, leading the Cougars to a 40-12 victory.

- Finally, after the day games had been decided, the Razor-

backs had to beat winless Rice. They completed the final move by breaking a 14-14 tie on John Bland's 5-yard touchdown run with 14:07 to play for a 21-14 victory.

"This team isn't always pretty but we stay in the fight," Arkansas Coach Ken Hatfield said. "A lot of times a team that is favored tightens up at home and tries too hard."

## 'Pokes blow 10-0 advantage; falter in final minute again

IRVING, Texas (AP) - Phoenix brought the NFL's top-rated offense to Texas Stadium, but its

The Razorbacks tried just hard enough and came away with their eighth straight victory this season and a 5-0 SWC record.

Texas and TCU each suffered their second league losses, meaning the Hogs could lose their final two SWC games against Baylor and Texas A&M and still advance to the Cotton Bowl.

The Razorbacks have beaten

every team that could tie them for the title. In the event of a tie, head-to-head results would be the tie-breaker.

Texas A&M is 4-3 for the season and 4-0 in SWC games but they are on NCAA probation and ineligible for the SWC crown.

The Razorbacks have three games remaining, including a season-ending match at Miami

but they're assured of hosting the Cotton Bowl for the first time since they beat Georgia 31-10 in the 1976 Cotton Bowl.

Tech's Billy Joe Tolliver completed the Raiders' 18-point fourth quarter with a 46-yard touchdown pass to Eddy Anderson with 2:36 left to play and a two-point conversion pass to Travis Price for the winning points.

"I can remember a time when we would have lost this game," Tolliver said. "This was such a big game for us. It is every time we play Texas."

Texas Eric Metcalf gained 156 yards on 29 carries in the losing cause.

"When you have a 17-point lead you have to be able to hold it," Texas Coach David McWilliams said. "I never felt we had the game won. As long as Billy Joe Tolliver was in there throwing the ball, we couldn't relax."

McWilliams was coaching his first game in Lubbock since he was head coach of the Raiders in 1986.

Houston put itself back in the bowl picture with its comeback victory over the Horned Frogs, who lost their sixth consecutive road game dating back to last season.

Ware came on in the second quarter and threw touchdowns of 33 yards to James Dixon and 18 and 33 yards to Jason Phillips, the nation's leading receiver.

Phillips caught 11 passes for 84 yards and moved into second place on the all-time SWC receiving list with 161. He trails Southern Methodist's Emanuel Tolbert, whose record is 171 career catches.

The Cougars, 5-2 for the season, are shooting for a 9-2 finish and a bowl game. The Aloha Bowl in Hawaii has expressed interest in the Cougars.

In games this week: Rice, 0-7 for the season and 0-5 in the SWC, is at Notre Dame, 8-0; Houston is at Texas, 3-4, 1-2; Arkansas is at Baylor, 4-4, 0-4 and Texas Tech, 3-4, 3-2 is at Texas Christian, 4-4, 2-2.

## NFL glance

By The Associated Press

AMERICAN CONFERENCE										
East										
W	L	T	Pct	PF	PA					
Buffalo	8	1	0	889	199	139				
N.Y. Jets	5	3	1	611	206	184				
Miami	5	4	0	556	176	182				
New England	4	5	0	444	155	199				
Indianapolis	3	5	0	375	150	156				

Central										
Cincinnati	7	2	0	778	252	178				
Cleveland	6	3	0	667	153	132				
Houston	6	3	0	667	215	213				
Pittsburgh	2	7	0	222	189	241				

West										
Seattle	5	4	0	556	158	174				
Denver	4	4	0	500	167	140				
L.A. Raiders	4	5	0	444	191	216				
San Diego	2	7	0	222	116	186				
Kansas City	1	7	1	167	112	149				

NATIONAL CONFERENCE

East										
N.Y. Giants	6	3	0	667	190	178				
Washington	5	4	0	556	216	212				
Phoenix	5	4	0	556	214	196				
Philadelphia	4	5	0	444	203	187				

Sunday's Games									
Atlanta 27	Philadelphia 24								
New England 30	Chicago 7								
Cleveland 23	Cincinnati 16								
Buffalo 28	Green Bay 0								
Los Angeles Rams 12	New Orleans 10								
Miami 17	Tampa Bay 14								
Phoenix 16	Dallas 10								
New York Jets 24	Pittsburgh 20								
New York Giants 13	Detroit 10								
Seattle 17	San Diego 14								
San Francisco 24	Minnesota 21								
Los Angeles Raiders 17	Kansas City 10								
Houston 41	Washington 17								
Monday's Game									
Denver at Indianapolis									

# Oilers stun Redskins, 41-17

HOUSTON (AP) - Washington wide receiver Ricky Sanders knows a thing or two about the Houston Oilers' "red gun" offense.

"That's the one with four wide outs, similar to the run-and-shoot Sanders learned with the USFL Houston Gamblers.

"I tried to tell our defense what

they might do but I guess they didn't listen," Sanders lamented Sunday night.

Oilers wide receiver Drew Hill caught touchdown passes of 22, 33 and 11 yards from Warren Moon and the Oilers' defense forced six turnovers, four resulting in touchdowns, en route to a 41-17

NFL victory over the Redskins.

"Even though we knew Warren was going to throw, we still couldn't stop him," Washington quarterback Doug Williams said. "This was a dark day for us."

The Oilers defense pounced on Williams from the opening drive and Moon and Hill put on a scoring act that gave the Oilers a 24-3 halftime lead against the startled Redskins, the defending Super Bowl champs.

Hill's 22 and 33 yard catches, a 3-yard run by Moon and Tony Zendejas' 41-yard field goal put the Oilers in command at the half.

Washington could only provide a 46-yard field goal by Chip Lohmiller in the second quarter.

The Oilers recovered five fumbles, three by defensive end Ray Childress, and 285-pound nose guard Doug Smith returned an interception 20 yards in the fourth quarter to set up a score.

The victory improved the Oilers' record to 6-3 and set up an AFC Central Division showdown next Monday night against the Cleveland Browns in the Astrodome.

The Redskins fell to 5-4, ending their three-game winning streak, and they fell off pace with the NFC Eastern Division leading New York Giants.

## Lohr wins dramatic Disney

LAKE BUENA VISTA, Fla. (AP) - The Walt Disney World Classic was dominated by birdies but won with a par after the sun had set.

Bob Lohr made a five-foot par putt on the fifth playoff hole to beat Chip Beck in the longest sudden death extension of the year. The last two holes on Saturday were played with sunlight at a minimum and pressure at a premium.

"I was able to deal with the pressure pretty well," said Lohr, a four-year tour veteran who became the 11th first-time winner on the PGA Tour this season. "It's hard even to remember all the putts I made to stay alive."

He had to remember one. Beck bogeyed the 72nd hole of the \$700,000 tournament to give a Lohr a chance and he took it by making a three-foot birdie putt to force the playoff.

Both golfers birdied the first and fourth playoff holes.

Lohr was over the green of the par-4 17th hole and Beck was on the putting surface about 45 feet from the cup. Lohr chipped within five feet and Beck missed his first putt by about eight feet and his second by about a foot. Lohr then drilled his putt for the victory.

Lohr and Beck, who agreed to continue the playoff in the dwindling daylight, both finished regulation play at 25-under-par 263, breaking Larry Nelson's tournament record of 266 set in 1984. Lohr, who led after every round, also set scoring records

for 18, 36 and 54 holes and finished with 30 birdies.

"If anybody in my position says that they're not nervous, they're lying," Lohr said. "Everybody that's ever had a chance to win a tournament gets nervous. I'm just fortunate that I was able to deal with it."

Lohr earned \$126,000, nearly doubling his winnings this year to \$286,536. He soared from 69th to 34th on the money list, and with a good showing this week at the Tucson Open, could qualify for the following week's \$2 million Nabisco Championships of Golf. The top 30 money winners compete in the Nabisco event to be held at Pebble Beach, Calif.

Beck's runner-up check of \$75,600 boosted him from second to first on this year's money-winning list and brought him closer to becoming the first golfer to win \$1 million in one year. He has won \$770,258 and will play at Tucson.

Joey Sindelar dropped behind Beck on the earnings list with \$708,532 after finishing tied for 44th and collecting \$1,896.

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# Lady Tigers tumble to Andrews in finale

Snyder's Lady Tigers ended their 1988 volleyball season with a heart-breaking loss to Andrews here Saturday afternoon.

In a battle to force a District 4-4A playoff, Andrews defeated the Lady Tigers 17-15, 15-17, 15-11.

"We played all three games point-for-point and fought point-for-point. We never gave up,"

said Snyder Coach Patty Grimmett. "The third game, at the end, we just couldn't seem to give them enough offense. It was hard to lose such a tough, long, intense game, especially when you know everybody gave their all."

The loss left Snyder at 18-12 for the season and 8-6 in district play.

With the win, Andrews fell in a three-way tie for second place with Sweetwater and Fort Stockton, who meet at 7:30 p.m. today in the Midland Lee High School Gym. Andrews, which won a coin flip and received a bye, will take on tonight's winner at 7:30 p.m. Tuesday for second place in the district. That match will also be at Midland.

The eventual 4-4A runner-up will play Dumas in the first round of state playoff action later in the week.

Pecos, which finished the district season 14-0 and wrapped up the 4-4A crown over a week ago, begins postseason play by taking on Hereford at 5 p.m. Saturday in Seminole.

"Overall, I thought we had a great season. Our district was so up and down with all teams. It was very competitive," noted the coach. "I want to thank the girls for all their hard work and dedication. They were a great bunch to work with. They made my job enjoyable. I was very proud of each and every one of them. The seniors will be missed."

Scoring on serves for Snyder were Melody Pickering 11, Sandra Morin 9, Rhonda Echols 8, Holly Fuller 6, Angie Brewster 4, Teena Braziel 3 and Cindy Srna 2. Others contributing to the effort this season have been Anne Osborn, Amber Adams, Jennifer Pate and Kathy Armstrong.

Snyder junior varsity defeated Andrews here Saturday, 15-3, 15-5.

## 4-4A v-ball at a glance

Team	District		Season
	W	L	
Pecos	14	0	28 2
Sweetwater	9	5	17 10
Fort Stockton	9	5	13 11
Andrews	9	5	13 14
Snyder	8	6	18 12
Big Spring	4	10	8 20
Monahans	2	12	7 18
Lake View	1	13	3 19

Saturday's Results: Andrews def. Snyder, Pecos def. Sweetwater, Fort Stockton def. Big Spring, Monahans def. Lake View, vsa. END REGULAR SEASON

Offensive lineman Jim Sweeney of the New York Jets majored in criminology at the University of Pittsburgh.



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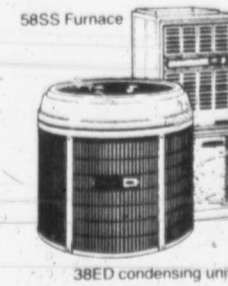
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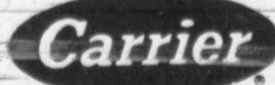


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# Bush moves uneasily toward triumph

WASHINGTON (AP) — George Bush is the overwhelming yet uneasy leader in the race for the White House as the presidential campaign enters its final week, with Michael Dukakis making late gains that have Democrats dreaming of a comeback, according to an Associated Press survey of the 50 states.

The survey shows Bush leading in states with 359 electoral votes, even though he has not yet locked up the 270 that would assure him of victory. Dukakis' total is far smaller — 78 votes. Nine states with 101 electoral votes are tossups, Illinois, Pennsylvania and Wisconsin among them.

The AP survey indicates Bush has maintained Republican strength in the South and Rocky Mountain West, while Dukakis has failed to accomplish the same in the industrial states. The survey was based on polls as well as interviews with politicians and political analysts around the country.

"We're spending all our time in states that should be his (Dukakis') base ... and he's spending none of his time in states that should be our base," says top Bush strategist Lee Atwater. "That's a campaign manager's dream."

Yet Democrats said a late-campaign surge has brought Dukakis to within striking distance in states such as California, Ohio and Texas, and said he has gained elsewhere, as well.

"Dukakis is clearly behind. But I think he's closing the gap," said Michigan Sen. Don Riegle. "There's still a lot of people who haven't made up their minds." Riegle is expected to win an easy re-election himself, and says, "I think the Democrats can still win nationally."

The candidates will spend much of the final nine days in states such as California, Ohio, Michigan, Illinois, Pennsylvania and Ohio, and Atwater claimed, "If we win any one of them George Bush will be elected."

That assumes Bush holds Texas, where Democratic vice presidential nominee Lloyd Bentsen is campaigning out in hopes of a home-state upset.

Democrats in several key states say Dukakis' more aggressive late-campaign style presents opportunities for a turnaround, and has given lifelong Democrats a reason to take a second look at the race. "There's a lot of movement out there," said Francis O'Brien, an adviser to the Massachusetts governor.

Republicans and Democrats alike say Bush forged his lead on his ability to depict Dukakis as an unreconstructed liberal. Dukakis' recent improvement is attested to by private polling in

both parties, and laid in part to Dukakis' recent populist campaigning and perhaps a process of loyal Democrats "coming home" as the Nov. 8 election approaches.

In television interviews last week, Dukakis attempted to portray his views and his values while lambasting Bush and the Republicans for distorting his record as governor of Massachusetts. Bush confidently turned down network interview requests before agreeing to appear on morning talk shows this week.

"What Michael Dukakis failed to do after the (Democratic) convention was define who he is and what he was going to do," said Pat Shea, co-chairman of the Democratic campaign in Utah.

"The thing I fear most is complacency," said Keith McNamara, Bush's chairman in Ohio, a key state where Republicans have poured resources and staked Bush to a lead.

Several nationwide polls, including recent private soundings for both campaigns, give Bush a national advantage in the range of eight to 10 points. But when translated to the Electoral College, Bush's advantage grows.

The AP survey showed that Bush has built a solid core of support in the customarily Republican regions of the South and Rocky Mountain West. His lead in states such as Arizona, Florida and Nevada could be as high as 20 to 30 points.

Bush also leads in several key battleground states — including Ohio, Texas, California, New Jersey and Michigan — but party surveys over the past several days suggest nationwide gains for Dukakis.

Other key states are tossups, including Illinois, Wisconsin, Pennsylvania, Missouri, Vermont, Oregon, Washington and Montana.

Among more traditionally Democratic states, Maryland is

tilting in Bush's favor. Dukakis appears to have a solid lead in home-state Massachusetts, although his campaign has decided to air radio advertisements to firm up his support. He also is rated the narrow favorite in Democratic New York and in Republican Iowa.

Despite the improvement, the AP survey indicated that Dukakis has failed to establish anything resembling a solid Democratic core of support, and state after state that appeared strong for him during the summer and early fall has moved into or closer to Bush's column.

"I know Bush has got the inside track right now and I don't know if we can turn that around or not," said Kentucky House Speaker Don Blandford.

Bush is running extremely strong in the South. "It's well over," University of Virginia political analyst Larry Sabato said in words describing his own state but which also apply to the region.

# Intoxication may be cause of truck driver's rampage

FORT HANCOCK, Texas (AP) — Authorities say a truck driver accused of shooting an officer and forcing several motorists off Interstate 10 — including a woman who was killed when her vehicle flipped — may have been under the influence of drugs.

Texas Department of Public Safety spokesman David Wells said authorities arrested Denver Jerome Burrell, 30, of Anderson, S.C., after a 70-mile, hour-long traffic rampage through a remote area of West Texas Sunday morning.

Burrell, who was hauling a shipment of lightbulbs from South Carolina to Nevada, apparently went berserk at the wheel, speeding down the interstate and forcing vehicles off the roadway, officials said. He then led authorities on a chase through the desolate, mountainous area, allegedly shooting a constable and trying to run him down with the tractor trailer.

A 48-year-old El Paso woman was killed after the Ford Bronco she was driving apparently was run off the road and flipped over.

Burrell remains in Hudspeith County Jail in lieu of \$400,000 in bonds on charges of attempted capital murder, involuntary manslaughter and driving while under the influence of a controlled substance.

Wells said authorities are unsure what type of drug Burrell may have been using when the

accidents occurred. "The only thing we know is he was high — evidently on drugs," said DPS Trooper Bob Newman of El Paso. Arresting officers at the scene "said he was out of his mind." Other witnesses confirmed Burrell appeared disoriented.

The rampage began about 10:30 a.m. near Van Horn, about 100 miles southeast of El Paso, Newman said. As the tractor trailer continued west on I-10, it allegedly rammed the 1985 Bronco driven by Sharon Marie Agutter of El Paso, sending the vehicle careening off to the right and flipping off the road about 10 miles west of Sierra Blanca.

Justice of the Peace Arcadio Ramirez of Sierra Blanca pronounced Ms. Agutter dead at the scene. A poodle in the vehicle survived, Wells said.

# DWI charge called felony

A 24-year-old Snyder man was arrested on a felony DWI charge at 12:26 a.m. Monday at Huffman Ave. and the old Lubbock Hwy.

Police said Rudy Ornelas Martinez was taken into custody on the charge of a subsequent DWI offense.

In other weekend police action, a 17-year-old male was arrested for possession of less than two ounces of marijuana and possession of drug paraphernalia at 2:09 p.m. Sunday at a 25th St. motel.

A 34-year-old man was arrested for public intoxication at 11:52 p.m. Sunday in the 400 Block of 30th St.

# Two vandalism cases reported

Police are investigating two vandalism cases that were reported over the weekend.

Larry Birkelback told officers at 4:28 p.m. Sunday that someone had damaged an air-conditioning duct at a house he is building at 2604 47th St.

Thomas Pyburn of 1404 21st St. reported at 8:52 p.m. Saturday that a side door had been dented and a window broken out of his 1978 Chevrolet pickup truck.

# TEC estimates for area told

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3,678 persons employed and 415 actively seeking employment.

—Fisher County: 6.1 percent unemployment with a civilian labor force of 2,377 comprised of 2,233 persons employed and 144 actively seeking employment.

—Stonewall County: 1.5 percent unemployment with a civilian labor force of 1,143 comprised of 1,126 persons employed and 17 actively seeking employment.

—Kent County: 1.9 percent unemployment with a civilian labor force of 540 comprised of 530 persons employed and 10 actively seeking employment.

# County court meets Monday

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be postponed while he consults the Texas Jail Standards Commission about specifications.

Gray withdrew a request for the court to advertise for bids for a new Pct. 3 roadgrader.

# Obituaries

## Johnny Hoyle

Services for Johnny Hoyle, 82, of 2101 Avenue M are set for 3 p.m. Tuesday at Bell-Cypert-Seale Chapel with the Rev. Phil Shearer of the Church of God officiating. Burial will follow at Snyder Cemetery.

He died at 9:15 a.m. Sunday at St. Mary's Hospital in Lubbock. He was born Aug. 30, 1906 in Mt. Ida, Ark.

He had worked for Berkley Pump Co. and had lived in Snyder since 1924. He was married to Christine Rollins on July 17, 1945 in Robert Lee. She survives.

He was a member of the Church of God.

He is survived by a daughter, Mrs. Evelyn Gee of San Antonio; five sons, Kenneth and Lelton, both of Snyder; Edwin and Glenn, both of Albuquerque, N. M.; and Robert of Carlsbad, N. M.; 22 grandchildren; a number of great-grandchildren; a number of great-great-grandchildren; four sisters, Ethel Butts of San Angelo, Betty Newsome of Comanche, Mammie Patterson of Snyder and Nora Ford of Big Spring; two brothers, Robert and Henry, both of Colorado City.

## Gary Allen

Services for Gary Laverne Allen, 32, of 3401 Kerrville were to be held at 2 p.m. Monday at First Baptist Church Chapel with the Rev. Ken Branam, pastor, officiating. Burial was to follow at Snyder Cemetery under the direction of Bell-Cypert-Seale Funeral Home.

He died Saturday at his home. His death was ruled a suicide by Justice of the Peace Dan Callaway.

He was born on May 24, 1956 in Snyder and had lived most of his life here. He was an oilfield worker and member of the First Baptist Church.

He is survived by his mother, Helen Allen of Snyder; two sisters, Rebecca Boyd of Snyder and Kathy May of Lubbock; one brother, Lane Allen of Snyder and four nieces and one nephew.

He was preceded in death by his father, L. L. "Slick" Allen on Nov. 14, 1987.

## G. A. Milliken

Services for G. A. "Alton" Milliken of 2107 29th St. were to be held at 2 p.m. Monday at Bell-Cypert-Seale Chapel with Edwin Parks officiating. Burial was to follow at Gail Cemetery.

He died at approximately 3 p.m. Saturday. His death was ruled a suicide by Justice of the Peace Dan Callaway.

He was born Jan. 5, 1910 in Tahoka. He was a retired rancher and had lived in Snyder since 1978. He was a former Borden County resident.

He was married to Izora Patterson on April 16, 1941 in Sweetwater. She survives.

He is survived by a daughter, Marchita Milliken of Dallas and a son, Johnny Milliken of Snyder.

## Carolyn Brown

BIG SPRING—Funeral services for Carolyn Brown of Big Spring will be at 11 a.m. Tuesday at the Myers & Smith Funeral Home.

She is survived by her husband, Charlie of the home; two daughters, one son, and several grandchildren.

## Wanda Horn

Services for Wanda Horn were to be held at 3 p.m. Monday at Kiker-Seale Funeral Home in Colorado City with C. J. Smith officiating.

She died at 7 p.m. Saturday at Snyder Nursing Home.

She is survived by her husband, Olen; and two nieces, Mrs. J. W. Holinds of Abilene and Mrs. Bill Perkins of Lubbock.

## Dorothy Weaver

BRADY—Services are set for 10:30 a.m. Tuesday at the Colonial Funeral Home Chapel for Dorothy Weaver, 65, who died Saturday in the Heart of Texas Texas Memorial Hospital. Burial will follow in the Rest Haven Cemetery in Brady.

She was the mother of Mickey Baird of Snyder who is student activities director at Western Texas College.

was a homemaker and was a Baptist.

Survivors include one son, Jack E. Weaver of Brady; five other daughters, Debbie Lange of Mountain Home, Dottie Carlson of Camp San Saba, Mellissa Nurchison of Brady, Melanie Weaver of Brady and Tammy Weaver of Mountain Home; two sisters, Mary Francis Hendrickson of San Antonio and Elizabeth Lovings of Virginia Beach, Va.; and seven grandchildren.

# Markets

## Midday Stocks

NEW YORK (AP)	High	Low	Last
AMR Corp	48 1/2	48 1/2	48 1/2
Ameritech	95 1/2	94 1/2	95 1/2
AMI Inc	17 1/2	17 1/2	17 1/2
Amer T&T	28 1/2	28	28 1/2
Amoco	74 1/2	74 1/2	74 1/2
Arka	19 1/2	19 1/2	19 1/2
ArmaInc	10 1/2	10	10 1/2
AllRichfd	79 1/2	78 1/2	79 1/2
BakerHugh	13	12 1/2	12 1/2
BancTexas	13-16	13-16	13-16
BellAtlan	72 1/2	72 1/2	72 1/2
BellSouth	42 1/2	41 1/2	42
Beth Steel	21 1/2	21 1/2	21 1/2
Borden	56 1/2	56 1/2	56 1/2
CamronRwK	13 1/2	13 1/2	13 1/2
Caterpilr	62 1/2	61 1/2	62 1/2
Centel	44 1/2	44 1/2	44 1/2
CentSo West	31 1/2	31 1/2	31 1/2
Chevron	47	46 1/2	47
Chrysler	26 1/2	26 1/2	26 1/2
Coastal	32 1/2	32 1/2	32 1/2
CocaCola	43 1/2	42 1/2	43 1/2
Coleman	40	39 1/2	40
Colg Palm	46 1/2	45 1/2	46 1/2
ComMetl	24 1/2	24	24 1/2
DeltaAirl	50 1/2	50 1/2	50 1/2
DigitalEq	94 1/2	94	94 1/2
DowChem	89 1/2	89 1/2	89 1/2
DressrInd	27 1/2	27 1/2	27 1/2
duPont	81 1/2	80 1/2	81 1/2
EstKodak	47 1/2	47 1/2	47 1/2
Emserch	18 1/2	18 1/2	18 1/2
Exxon	44 1/2	44 1/2	44 1/2
FICityBcp	26 1/2	26 1/2	26 1/2
FlowerInd	18	17 1/2	17 1/2
FordMotr	52 1/2	51 1/2	52 1/2
GAF Cp	48 1/2	48 1/2	48 1/2
GTE Corp	43 1/2	43 1/2	43 1/2
GenDynam	53	52 1/2	53
GenElec	44 1/2	43 1/2	44 1/2
GenMills	53 1/2	53 1/2	53 1/2
Gen Motors	83 1/2	83 1/2	83 1/2
GenMotr E	41 1/2	40 1/2	41 1/2
vJGlobMar	9-16		
Goodrich	53 1/2	53 1/2	53 1/2
Goodyear	52	51 1/2	52
GIAIPac	46 1/2	46 1/2	46 1/2
Gulf StatUt	8	7 1/2	7 1/2
Halburtn	25 1/2	25 1/2	25 1/2
HolidayCp	26 1/2	26 1/2	26 1/2
HollyFarm	52	51 1/2	52
HouInd	29 1/2	29	29 1/2
IBM	122 1/2	120 1/2	122 1/2
IntIPaper	45 1/2	45 1/2	45 1/2
JohnsJn	87 1/2	86 1/2	87 1/2
K Mart	37 1/2	37 1/2	37 1/2
Kroger wj	10 1/2	9 1/2	10 1/2
vJLTV Cp	2 1/2	2 1/2	2 1/2
Litton Ind	73 1/2	73	73 1/2
LoneSta Ind	31 1/2	31	31 1/2
Lowes	23 1/2	23 1/2	23 1/2
Lubys	24 1/2	24	24 1/2
MCorp	5-16	5-16	5-16
Masco	7 1/2	7 1/2	7 1/2
MayDST	36	35 1/2	36
Medtronic	83 1/2	82 1/2	83 1/2
Mobil	44 1/2	44 1/2	44 1/2
Monsanto	78	77 1/2	77 1/2
Motorola	38 1/2	38 1/2	38 1/2
NCNB Cp	28 1/2	28 1/2	28 1/2
Navistar	5 1/2	5 1/2	5 1/2
Nynex	66 1/2	66 1/2	66 1/2
USX Corp	30 1/2	30 1/2	30 1/2
PenneyJC	54 1/2	54	54 1/2
Phelps Dod	48	47 1/2	47 1/2
PhillipPet	20	19 1/2	20
Polaroid	37 1/2	36 1/2	37 1/2
Primerica	28 1/2	28 1/2	28 1/2
ProctGamb	82 1/2	82 1/2	82 1/2
PubS NwMx	14 1/2	14 1/2	14 1/2
SFSouP	18 1/2	18 1/2	18 1/2
SearsRoeb	43 1/2	42 1/2	43 1/2
SherwinWm	27 1/2	26 1/2	27 1/2
Southern Co	22 1/2	22 1/2	22 1/2
SwtAirl	19 1/2	19 1/2	19 1/2
SwtBell	41 1/2	41	41 1/2
SunComp	54 1/2	53 1/2	53 1/2
Tandy	42 1/2	42 1/2	42 1/2
TempInd	50 1/2	50 1/2	50 1/2
Tenneco	50 1/2	50 1/2	50 1/2
Texaco	45 1/2	44 1/2	45 1/2
TexAmBncH	5-16	5-16	5-16
TexEastn	29	28 1/2	28 1/2
TexInst	38 1/2	38	38 1/2
Tex Util	29 1/2	29 1/2	29 1/2
Textron	24 1/2	24 1/2	24 1/2
Tyler	6 1/2	6 1/2	6 1/2
USX Corp	27 1/2	27 1/2	27 1/2
UnCarbde	26	25 1/2	25 1/2
UnPacCp	63 1/2	62 1/2	63 1/2
US West	57 1/2	56 1/2	57 1/2
UniTel	42 1/2	41 1/2	42
Unocal	38 1/2	38 1/2	38 1/2
WallMart	31 1/2	31 1/2	31 1/2
WesthEtl	52 1/2	52 1/2	52 1/2
Xerox Cp	59 1/2	58 1/2	58 1/2
ZenithE	19 1/2	19 1/2	19 1/2

# Hospital Notes

ADMISSIONS—Shannon Hall, 4515 Fredonia; Aaron Kealey, 2105 Gilmore; Mary Agnes Craft, 3405 Houston.

# City reports three wrecks

A 1972 Oldsmobile two-door driven by L.E. Wade of 604 24th St. was in collision with a 1976 Pontiac four-door driven by Joe A. Alvarez of Rt. 2 at 6:26 p.m. Sunday in the parking lot of a College Ave. supermarket.

In a three-vehicle accident at 1:29 p.m. Saturday at 37th St. and College Ave., a 1985 Mercury Lynx driven by Shirley A. Smith of Colorado City was in collision with a 1985 GMC Sierra pickup driven by Christopher Armstrong of Tecumseh, Okla., and a 1985 Dodge Ram pickup driven by Bobby F. Head of Rt. 1.

An unknown vehicle and driver hit a parked 1979 Ford LTD owned by Sharon Bowlin of 4400 Ave. U in an incident discovered at 10:02 p.m. Saturday in the 4400 Block of U.

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**DECORATE PUMPKINS**—West fourth graders in Judy Brown's class decorated pumpkins last week just in time for Halloween. Students pictured in front are Kyle Mueller, Louis Mann and Judy Camp; second row: Wesley McCarty, Tabitha Dunham, Amadoc Rodriguez, Rebecca Stutts,

Juan Robledo and Kristi Sowell; third row: Laderick Richardson, Bethene Cantu, Kerri Kemp, Christy Morgan, Stanley Robbins and Mary Gulseth. Not pictured are Clark Church, Emily Rice, Melanie Gibson, Molly Wilson and Jessica Hodges. (SDN Staff Photo)



**PRETTY PUMPKINS**—Irene Masters fourth graders at West Elementary decorated pumpkins last week. Students standing are Laura Greene, Elyse Merritt, Benita Cantu, Christi Whitney, Cara Stansel, April Wallace, Tommy Morris, Geoffrey Loper, Jeremy Clifton, Michael Davis

and Benji Cross. Those seated are Monie Pena, Brandy Roberge, Marshall Early, Clay Tripplett and Gabriel Rios. Not pictured are Jay Holley, Meagan Hill, Emily Zeck, Luke Green and David Clarady. (SDN Staff Photo)

## In videotape, Anderson says U.S. impending his release

BEIRUT, Lebanon (AP) — Pro-Iranian Shiite Moslem kidnapers today released a videotape of American journalist Terry Anderson, who read a message blaming the U.S. government for preventing his release.

The tape was delivered to a Western news agency office in Beirut, along with a statement in Arabic, a few days after Anderson spent a fourth birthday, his 41st, in captivity.

"Once again I have been given the chance to speak to my government, my family and my people," said the chief Middle

East correspondent for The Associated Press.

"I love you, I miss you very much. I know of your continued strong efforts for me," he addressed friends and family in the English-language message.

"I have been very close to being released several times over the past three years, but each time it seems that the U.S. government uses its influence to stop any agreement and I don't understand this.

"I am not asking (President) Reagan to deal with terrorists, although Mr. (George) Bush did so in the Iran-Contra affair and

TWA hijacking." He did not elaborate.

"Our problem could have been solved a long time ago without such complications as arms deals," Anderson said.

He urged the U.S. administration to negotiate his release and appealed to the new U.S. president once elected to end the plight of the hostages. The Reagan administration has said it refuses to negotiate with terrorists.

Atlanta's toll-free dialing area is the world's largest, says National Geographic.

## Protesters arrested as they demand release of prisoners

MOSCOW (AP) — At least 50 people were arrested as hundreds of demonstrators marking an imprisoned poet's death protested in Moscow and Leningrad, demanding the release of hundreds they say are political prisoners, a dissident said.

The protests Sunday came just days after Soviet officials reportedly promised to release all political prisoners and after some members of parliament voted against tougher measures

curbing public demonstrations. Dissidents designated Sunday — the 16th anniversary of the death in prison of poet Yuri Galanskov — as the day on which they would commemorate Soviet political prisoners.

Galanskov was an editor of the dissident journal Phoenix 66. He was arrested in 1967 and in 1968 sentenced to seven years in a labor camp.

Leningrad police arrested 36 protesters who gathered near

Kazan Cathedral along Nevsky Prospekt, said Yuri Mityunov, a spokesman in Moscow for the Democratic Union, an independent organization that bills itself as an alternative to the ruling Communist Party.

"They were arrested without basis — for holding candles and reading poetry," Mityunov said in a telephone interview. He said 200-300 people were involved in the demonstration.

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**SCOUTS IN ACTION** — United Way helps support the Buffalo Trail Council of Boy Scouts, which involved some 196 youngsters this past year. This group is shown at a Scouting day camp held in early summer.



**DAY CARE NEEDS** — These youngsters are among those served through the Snyder Child Day Care Center, a facility which continues to have a waiting list as it maintains its

maximum capacity of 60. Parents, many of them single, are offered affordable day care through this United Way agency.



**GIRL SCOUTING** — This ring of Girl Scouts was part of the fun of day camp held this summer through the West Texas Girl Scout Council, another

United Way agency. This past year, there were 12 Scurry County Girl Scout troops.

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**AT THE BOYS CLUB** — Up to 80 boys per day use the facilities at the Snyder Boys Club each summer, a safe place to congregate since 1955. It annually receives United Way's largest single contribution.

# Dr. Gott



Peter Gott, M.D.

DEAR DR. GOTT: After reading a book which recommends against childhood immunizations, our daughter elected to home-school her older child to avoid immunization requirements. Her youngest has received no shots yet. What do you think of her decision?

DEAR READER: I believe that parents who refuse to allow their children to have immunizations are making a grave error. Unfortunately, the children may be victimized by this decision, because the parents themselves have usually been immunized during their own childhoods; hence, they are protected in ways their children are not. The entire issue of "baby shots" boils down to a simple concept: The risk/benefit ratio. The risks:

Tetanus (lockjaw) is often fatal. In the past, epidemics of diphtheria and pertussis (whooping cough) claimed millions of young lives and caused inestimable pain and suffering.

Polio was a devastation that produced generations of handicapped youngsters, many of whom required long-term respiratory assistance in iron lungs.

Measles can be complicated by infections of the ears, lungs and brain. Rubella (German measles) can cause birth defects in pregnant women.

Mumps can produce damage to testicles, ovaries, joints, heart and kidneys.

Thus, these previously common childhood illnesses were far from benign; they added appreciably to pediatric mortality.

Even more important: These diseases are much more serious in an older child or adult.

Widespread inoculation of children has been one of the greatest examples of preventative medicine in this century. In fact, some diseases — such as

smallpox — have been eradicated worldwide.

Unquestionably, the childhood vaccines carry a risk, albeit small. An occasional child may become sick or paralyzed from immunizations. Babies die very rarely.

The risks of the diseases themselves are several thousand times greater than the risks of the vaccines. Put another way, the benefits of baby shots far outweigh the risks.

I urge parents who have refused vaccines for their children to reconsider their decisions. Life itself is full of hazards — at home, on the playground, at school — and we cannot consistently protect our youngsters from harm. Since immunizations are available at little cost and risk, I think that it's irrational and potentially dangerous for parents to refuse medical protection for their children.

If preventative medicine is the goal of the profession — and I believe it is — childhood immunizations are certainly a foundation for that goal.

I should add that not every child is automatically a candidate for immunizations. Certain conditions — such as allergies — may require adjustments in dose and timing or avoidance of the vaccines altogether. A pediatrician is the best judge of these exceptions.

I suggest that parents check with pediatricians, rather than relying on the pronouncements of some self-styled anti-vaccine guru who writes a book to see his name in print.

Finally, some religious orders prohibit childhood vaccination. This is not a medical decision, and these people are willing to accept responsibility for their beliefs. I won't comment on their views except to say that immunizations are all but universally accepted for most children.

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# Jackson stumps for Demos

HOUSTON (AP) — The Rev. Jesse Jackson planned to continue his campaign sweep through Texas today, urging Democrats to give Michael Dukakis an early lead in a key state by taking advantage of new laws making it easier to vote absentee.

His campaign for Dukakis and vice presidential nominee Lloyd Bentsen planned stops in the Rio Grande Valley and Fort Worth today, after a day of stumping in a city where Jackson led in the Democratic presidential primary.

Drawing the image of Rosa Parks' 1955 bus ride that symbolized the civil rights movement, Jackson reminded a mostly black crowd at a Houston park Sunday of the struggles and bloodshed that led to their right to vote.

"This is a critical moment in the history of our country and our world, and you are the difference," Jackson told more than 600 supporters who cheered and chanted during the rally at Houston's Emancipation Park.

"I want the word to go forth tonight that we have a lead in Texas because you voted today."

## Mick Jagger thrills large gathering

JAKARTA, Indonesia (AP) — British rock star Mick Jagger thrilled an audience of more than 60,000 with a two-hour concert of songs from his days with the Rolling Stones and his solo career.

Jagger, appearing Sunday at the nation's biggest soccer stadium, sang at least 22 songs, including the Stones' "Honky Tonk Woman," and "I Can't Get No (Satisfaction)" and his own "Just Another Night."

After bidding his fans farewell in Indonesian and English, Jagger flew back to his hotel in a helicopter, passing over the stadium.

Jackson said. "And then I want you to go home tonight and say, 'Match me.'"

He then joined about 150 supporters on one of several buses bound for precinct voting places, while others followed in caravan of cars.

"She refused to surrender and she was jailed," Jackson said of Mrs. Parks' stand against discrimination, stirring the crowd to applause and shouts of support.

"To think that today we have the right to leave this park and get on these buses and ride down the street and vote for Michael Dukakis and Lloyd Bentsen," Jackson said. "We can do it right now — Texas can set the pace and lead the nation."

Absentee voting totals are expected to hit new highs across Texas this election because of a new state law allowing anyone to vote absentee for any reason. The

voting began Oct. 19 and continues through Friday.

Although Jackson's Texas tour was designed to prompt Democratic voters to take advantage of the law, he also used campaign stops Sunday in Houston to denounce the Republican ticket and promote the civil rights record of the Democrats.

He addressed members of the National Black MBA Association in Houston Sunday and later traveled for an evening campaign stop in Beaumont.

Jackson criticized Republican presidential candidate George Bush for using the image of black Massachusetts inmate Willie Horton in campaign advertisements against Dukakis, governor of the state that freed Horton under a prison furlough program.

Bush ads have used the ads describing Horton's crimes to suggest Dukakis is soft on

criminals, while Democrats also have charged that the campaign is meant to encourage racial fears.

"Just as Reagan projected the image of the welfare queen, Bush projects the image of Willie Horton, the criminal," Jackson said. "The fact is, my friends, that all of us are against crime everywhere, no matter who the criminal may be."

## Singer leads premier of new song

TEOTIHUACAN, Mexico (AP) — With the great pyramids of Teotihuacan as a backdrop, Spanish tenor Placido Domingo led the premier of "Aztec Songs," a choral symphony written in a 500-year-old Indian language.

"Aztec Songs" is based on the poetry of Nezahualcoyotl, a ruler of the Nahuatl tribe who died in 1472.

The songs were performed Saturday in Nahuatl, an ancient Mexican tongue that gave the world the word for chocolate. Thousands of people in Mexico still speak Nahuatl and there are Nahuatl poets still writing today.

Argentine composer Lalo Schifrin conducted the symphony with a baton of obsidian, the gleaming black volcanic rock fashioned into works of art by Mexico's pre-Colombian peoples, in an icy wind before an estimated 10,000 people at the foot of the Pyramid of the Moon.

The audience greeted Domingo, who performed with a cold, with an especially warm round of applause. The tenor has relatives in Mexico and his efforts to help it recover from the devastating 1985 earthquake has endeared him to Mexicans.

The performance was part of a campaign to raise \$300,000 to preserve Teotihuacan, 25 miles north of Mexico City.

## Berry's World



## Leonard Nimoy happy to be Spock

NEW YORK (AP) — Leonard Nimoy, who went from playing Mr. Spock on "Star Trek" to directing hit movies, says it's good to be just an actor again — and Mr. Spock at that.

when I was making "The Good Mother," Nimoy told The New York Times during filming of "Star Trek V." "The actor comes to work and says, 'Where's the coffee? What time is lunch? Why are you keeping me waiting?'"

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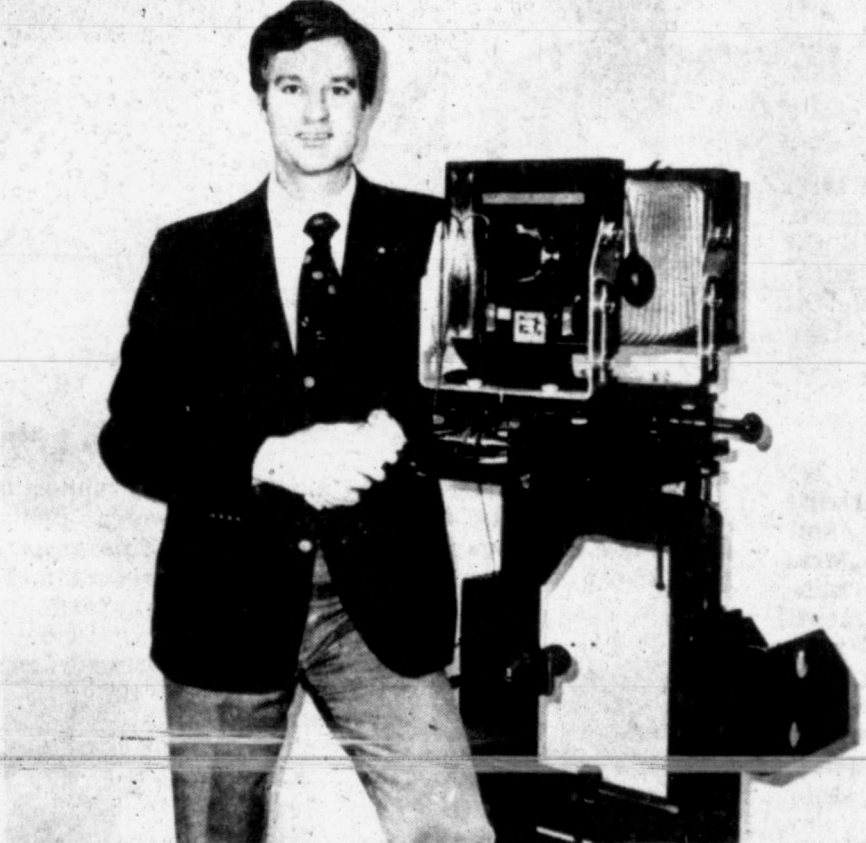
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## Devil's Night tradition appears to be fading

DETROIT (AP) — The tradition of arson in the days before Halloween appears to be fading, but Devil's Night will burn brightly for some time in the mind of Mamie Lee King, whose home was threatened by a burning house next door.

King watched as flames consumed a neighboring house and threatened her own home early today. She fought to hold back tears as firefighters doused her roof to keep the fire from spreading.

"It started in a garage and spread to the two houses next to mine," King said. "Somebody had to have set it. ... There's just no excuse for it."

Firefighters saved King's house but the two other dwellings were gutted, leaving at least three people homeless, including a 77-year-old invalid.

Devil's Night, traditionally a night of pranks in Detroit, grew into a night of arson, peaking in 1984 with 810 fires.

## Two dead, two critically hurt in fire at refinery

WHITING, Ind. (AP) — A refinery tank exploded, killing two workers and critically injuring two others after covering the four with molten asphalt that burned through layers of clothing and hardened on their bodies, officials said.

Sunday's fire and the resulting explosion in the tank, which was several stories high, were contained within 30 minutes by refinery firefighters, said Elise Sims, spokeswoman for Amoco Oil Co.

The explosion, the second this

month at the refinery off Lake Michigan, "sounded like a vacuum-packed puff," said Michael Kowal of Whiting, who was driving by the refinery just northwest of Gary. "Next thing I know there was black smoke 100 to 200 feet in the air. It just pushed it up like a mushroom cloud."

The cause of the fire was under investigation, said Amoco spokesman Charles R. Mason.

George Kusbel, Leo Gonzalez and Robert Zivich had hardened asphalt up to half an inch thick on parts of their bodies when they were brought to St. Catherine's Hospital in East Chicago, said emergency room Dr. Michael Pepper.

"We had to cut all their clothes off with a cast saw," Pepper said. "Most of them had two or three layers of clothes on because of the cold weather, so it burned right through their clothes."

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