

State revenue projections look hopeful

AUSTIN (AP) — Texas state government will take in \$45 billion in revenue during the 1990-91 budget years, a \$4.2 billion increase over the current levels, Comptroller Bob Bullock said today.

Thieves strike at TDC site

The Scurry County Sheriff's office is investigating the overnight theft of a dump truck and an as-yet undetermined amount of tools and equipment from the Texas Department of Corrections unit construction site five miles east of town.

A spokesman said the theft was discovered Tuesday morning. It is theorized that the incident occurred sometime after 1:30 a.m. since this is the time the last workmen left the site.

The truck is a 1988 Ford that had been leased from Hertz by Matthews Construction Co. of San Angelo, one of the subcontractors. It is yellow with a black dump bed.

An officer said the thief or thieves apparently loaded the truck. See **THIEVES**, page 8.

Scholarship, play will honor patron

The Western Texas College drama department will be performing Tuesday at 8 p.m. at the American Theatre Festival competition in El Paso and the performance has been dedicated to the memory of longtime Snyder patron of the arts Elaine Lambert.

She died Friday at the age of 80 with services held here Saturday.

She had lived in Snyder since 1912 and, for the past 65 years, had instructed dance at the Lambert Studio.

She had also been a longtime supporter of the WTC drama department.

To recognize this support, a memorial scholarship in her honor has also been implemented through the WTC Scholarship Foundation.

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SDN seeks Santa letters

The Snyder Daily News is once again accepting letters to Santa Claus from Scurry County youngsters.

All letters received will be printed in the Christmas Day edition of the SDN.

Also, the newspaper invites local businesses which are receiving letters to Santa to bring these to the newspaper office for inclusion in the Dec. 25

edition. On Christmas Day, the SDN will print its annual "Greetings" edition, which includes holiday messages from local businesses.

The newspaper will print its regular schedule the Christmas weekend and will be closed the Monday after Christmas. No edition will be printed on Dec. 26.



TREE HUNTERS — Mary Strelecki and her 10-year-old son Carl were Christmas tree shopping Monday afternoon at the Snyder Jaycees lot in the 3500 Block of College Ave. Showing them the selection is Jaycee Danny Engle. (SDN Staff Photo)

Quota-cheating fears...

OPEC accord under stress

VIENNA, Austria (AP) — Indications that quota-cheating would continue despite OPEC's new production-limiting agreement sparked a selloff that sharply reduced the gains posted in crude oil prices when the pact was reached.

The uncertainty was sparked when the oil minister of the United Arab Emirates, Mana Saed Otaiba, said the daily production ceiling set by the pact for his country "does not represent its official quota."

Otaiba's comments, reported

by the official emirates news agency WAM, were interpreted as a warning his country might pump more than its quota of 988,000 barrels a day. Violations of previous quotas have caused chaos on the oil market and a sharp decline in prices.

But on arrival today in Baghdad, Otaiba was quoted as saying his country was committed to the OPEC accord ratified Monday.

"We are committed to the text and spirit of the accord we signed," Otaiba was quoted as saying

by the official Iraqi News Agency. "The U.A.E. signed the accord, and it remains committed to what it stipulated regarding the production ceiling, the production quotas and pricing."

On the New York Mercantile Exchange, the January contract for West Texas Intermediate, the benchmark U.S. crude, traded as high as \$15.80 a barrel before settling at \$15.03 on Monday, up \$1.06 from Wednesday's close.

The market was closed Thursday and Friday for the Thanksgiving holiday.

Each \$1 rise in the price of crude oil theoretically means an increase of 2.5 cents a gallon in retail gasoline prices, although oil companies do not necessarily pass along the full increase.

The new agreement by the 13 members of the Organization of Petroleum Exporting Countries, effective Jan. 1, aims to curb the cartel's recent breakneck production, reduce the world oil glut and drive up crude prices.

The accord's success hinges on whether all member countries honor the quotas set out for them.

Analysts said they expected quota cheating by the United Arab Emirates, which is believed to be ignoring its current OPEC quota.

The country has a new quota of 988,000 barrels a day, a gain from 948,000 barrels.

Analysts estimate the United Arab Emirates already has been producing as much as 2 million barrels a day. They say it is unlikely it will reduce its output to less than 1.2 million barrels a day.

Paul Mlotok, an analyst for the investment firm Salomon Brothers Inc. in New York, said the new agreement was likely to hold.

County earns safety award

For reducing the number of on-the-job accidents during 1987, Scurry County was recently presented an Occupational Safety Award from the Texas Association of Counties.

"A reduction in employee injuries reduces the cost that a county must pay for workers' compensation insurance, thereby saving the county and its taxpayers money," said Swisher County Judge Jay Johnson of Tulia, chairman of the Association of Counties' Workers' Compensation Self-Insurance Fund Board.

Johnson said fewer than 50 percent of the counties that participate in the fund received the same recognition.

The SDN Column

By Roy McQueen

The feller on Deep Creek says, "The mind and the stomach are a lot alike. It's not how much you put into it, but how much you digest."

Chic Hale, director of the Prospectors Club, brought us an item from the rock hounds' publication.

"Some people are like wheel barrows—no good unless pushed.

"Some people are like trailers—they have to be pulled.

"Some people are like kites—if you don't keep a string on them, they fly away.

"Some people are like balloons—full of wind and ready to blow up.

"Some people are like footballs—you can't tell which way they may bounce.

"And then, some are like a gold watch—open face, pure gold, quietly busy, and full of good works."

A gal called out to the college to find out about signing up for an exercise class. The caller was

informed that she should wear loose-fitting clothing.

To which the woman replied, "If I had any loose clothing, I wouldn't need this class."

It's been said never to mess with someone else's kids or dog. You might add golf clubs to the list.

In a nearby town, it was the case of the missing putter and a few other items.

The man went to his cart shed to find someone else's lock on it. Not to be outdone, he got a pair of bolt cutters, only to find his golf gear and his prized cart missing.

He called in local deputies who quickly got to the bottom of the matter. A widow had decided to part with her late husband's golf equipment, and sold it all to a guy in Alpine.

The widow, however, had emptied the wrong shed. The problem was resolved, and there was no lasting harm—except for a few red faces.

Said one observer, "It was simply a case of grand larceny, er, grand mistake."

Tuesday

Nov. 29, 1988

Ask Us

Q — What's the status regarding the expansion of Golden Terrace Village here?

A — A spokesman said plans to add 16 units to the local senior citizen housing area are now awaiting final approval from state officials with the Farmers Home Administration. Word regarding this is expected soon, however.

In Brief

Shuttle count

CAPE CANAVERAL, Fla. (AP) — A hush-hush countdown continued today with the space shuttle Atlantis and its five-man crew facing an unfavorable weather forecast for Thursday's scheduled liftoff on a secret military mission.

Air Force weather officials said there was a 70 percent probability the weather Thursday would violate launch criteria. Heavy clouds, winds up to 28 mph and possible rain showers were predicted.

Collider head

HOUSTON (AP) — Harvard physicist Roy Schwitters is likely to be chosen as first director of the massive super collider project near Waxahachie, the Houston Post reported today.

Schwitters, who also is affiliated with the Fermi National Accelerator Laboratory in Illinois, would oversee the design and construction of the 53-mile atom smasher proposed by the federal government.

Local

Tree lighting

The Christmas tree which decorates the central courtyard area at Western Texas College will be lit for the holiday season in ceremonies planned Tuesday from 7:30 until 7:50 p.m.

There will be a musical program also and the public is invited to attend.

Report cards

Report cards for Snyder public school students will be sent home Wednesday to be signed by parents.

The grades will reflect the second six weeks here, which ended Nov. 23.

Fitness club

An organizational meeting for a proposed "Snyder Fitness Walkers" club is slated Tuesday at 7:30 p.m. in the Texas Electric Reddy Room.

The idea for the group has originated with the Western Texas College PE Department. The group would be open to all persons interested in fitness to include runners and walkers. It would meet monthly for information sessions. Other activities might include organized fitness events.

For more information, contact Lorraine Hall at 573-1184.

Weather

Snyder Temperatures: High Monday, 62 degrees, low, 21 degrees, reading at 7 a.m. Tuesday, 37 degrees, no precipitation, total precipitation for 1988 to date, 20.52 inches.

Snyder Area Forecast: Tonight, clear and cold. Low in the mid 20s. North wind 5 to 15 mph. Wednesday, sunny but cool. High around 50. North wind 5 to 15 mph.



Plagiarism allegations forces Harvard professor to resign

BOSTON (AP) — One of the nation's top psychiatrists resigned from Harvard Medical School's faculty after a student at another school recognized plagiarized passages in the professor's writings dating back 22 years.

Dr. Shervert Frazier, 67, former director of the National Institute of Mental Health, resigned last week as a Harvard professor and head of McLean Hospital, a psychiatric hospital affiliated with the university.

Frazier did not dispute the findings of a faculty committee that investigated the allegations, but said the plagiarism was inadvertent, according to Dr. S. James Adelstein, dean of academic programs at the medical school.

"He has accepted the evidence of the committee," Adelstein said. "But he has ascribed the events to his method of note-taking and composing papers."

Harvard officials said Monday the plagiarism was spotted by Paul Scatena, a graduate student in cognitive sciences at the University of Rochester.

Scatena said in a telephone interview he read several of Frazier's papers while researching phantom pain, a burning sensation that patients sometimes feel from a limb that has been amputated.

Scatena said he found many incorrect citations in the papers and recognized paragraphs that had been lifted from articles by other researchers. He said he

sent the passages to Dr. Daniel C. Tosteson, dean of the Harvard Medical School, in August.

Tosteson announced Frazier's resignation in a Nov. 23 letter to the faculty. The letter, made public by the university Monday, says a faculty committee investigated the allegations and concluded that plagiarism occurred in four papers written by Frazier between 1966 and 1975.

Frazier could not be reached for comment Monday.

New solons face day of orientation

WASHINGTON (AP) — Some of the 10 men who will take their places as freshman U.S. senators next year felt awed by a sense of history, but others simply wanted to find their way from here to there.

Monday was orientation day for the Senate class of 1988. And while the five Democrats and five Republicans all talked of tackling the federal government's massive deficit, their immediate concerns were more mundane: staff and office space, telephones, security and legislative procedure.

Committee assignments were a pressing matter.

There was much talk of exactly how low their place will be in the pecking order of the Senate's seniority system.

"Everybody's worrying about numbers — whether they'll be number 95, 96, 97, 98 or whatever," said Sen.-elect Conrad Burns, R-Mont. "I said,

Spokesmen at Harvard and McLean Hospital said he was out of town and unreachable. He did not return messages left at the hospital, and the phone at his home went unanswered.

Three of the discredited papers are about phantom pain. The fourth is on "psychiatric emergency management."

The papers, which were published in medical journals and textbooks, were intended as "teaching instruments" and did

not purport to present new research data, Adelstein said. One of Frazier's colleagues said he thought the forced resignation was an overreaction.

"It's not as if he stole a great idea from someone or published someone else's research as if it was his own," said Dr. Seymour Kety, professor emeritus of psychiatry and senior scientist at the National Institute of Health.

But Dr. Miles Shore, director of the Massachusetts Mental Health Center, said: "Academic institutions have a very important obligation to guarantee the scientific integrity of what goes on within their walls and I think Harvard took the appropriate action."

And Harvard spokesman Peter Costa said: "The university takes very seriously any charges of plagiarism because that's what we're about — the search for truth and knowledge."

"Boys, you can't get any lower than 100!"

That's Burns' number. One hundred — and dead last in seniority.

Rep. Connie Mack, R-Fla., figured he would be about 94th in seniority when all was said and done.

"What does that get you?" he was asked.

"Not very much, to tell you the truth," he replied.

There are other numbers involved.

Sen. Robert Byrd, D-W. Va., an ardent amateur historian who keeps track of such things, says that since the first Senate convened in 1789 there have been precisely 1,782 United States senators.

When the 10 newcomers are sworn in with the convening of the 101st Congress in January, they will be numbered 1,783 to 1,792, depending on how the final determination of their seniority is made under the Senate's complicated rules and procedures for such things.

But for now, some of the members of the class of '88 were fairly glowing, even as they paid attention to what several called the "nuts and bolts" details of Senate life.

"It's a special day, a red letter day, a very personal day that you'll never forget," said Sen.-elect Herb Kohl, D-Wis. "But it's also like going to college as a freshman."

"Think of it. Father and mother immigrants — 65 years ago — had nothing. And now their son is a United States senator."

Dear Abby



Clenched Fists Might Be Response to Open Mouths

By Abigail Van Buren

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DEAR ABBY: If someone could compile an accurate statistic of all reported and unreported incidents of men beating up women — say, "Last year, 3,450,785 females were physically abused by their husbands, lovers or boyfriends" — another statistic would say, "In 1987, 3,450,785 males were verbally abused by their wives, lovers or girlfriends!"

While men pound with violent fists, women slash with vicious tongues!

I work in a casino where thousands of people pass by every day. To hear women insult, humiliate and denigrate their men in public is commonplace. (Imagine what they say at home?)

All in nature must balance, so for every man who takes it in the ear, another gives it on the chin. For every woman who whips out her tongue, her sister somewhere gets it in the mouth.

Solution: There are national drives against drugs, alcohol and smoking, one is needed against "anger." How about "No Anger Group" — we could call it NAG.

MR SORE EARS

DEAR MR. SORE EARS: Anger is a human emotion, and there is nothing wrong with appropriate anger. (To become angry about injustice, prejudice and inequality is appropriate, and, therefore, good.) But if one acts out his anger with violence — that's bad.

Unfortunately, there can be no official statistics of unreported incidents of physical and/or verbal abuse perpetrated by men or women. While neither is desirable, verbal abuse is the lesser of the evils. Ask any victim of physical abuse — male or female.

DEAR ABBY: Our problem is a pair of amorous but obnoxious neighbors.

The Mr. leaves the house about 6:30 a.m. for work. The Mrs. kisses him goodbye at the door. Then he gets into his car, and as he drives off, he yells to his wife, "I love you!" Then she answers him with, "I love youuuuuu!" This can be heard in our house even with all the doors and windows closed.

They both holler "I love you" until he is out of sight. Abby, we believe in love, too, but this is really annoying for neighbors who are retired and don't have to get up at 6:30 every morning.

Maybe if you print this, it would calm down those lovebirds. Abby, this is no put-on. It's an earnest problem.

K IN SPRINGFIELD, OHIO

DEAR K.: I suppose it's better than being awakened at 2 a.m. by a couple of battling neighbors. But no matter how you are being disturbed, these neighbors are disturbing your peace.

Don't rely on their seeing this in the newspaper. Ask them (nicely, of course) to please tone down their loving farewells in the morning.

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Banks have raised prime lending rate

NEW YORK (AP) — Consumers may cut back on big-tag Christmas presents now that the nation's biggest banks boosted their prime lending rates to 10.5 percent, the highest level in 3 1/2 years, some analysts said.

The increases in the key lending rate by a half percentage point were announced Monday and were the fourth this year.

Many economists have been predicting a prime rate hike in recent weeks because interest rates in the bond markets have been rising due to inflation speculation and the dollar's weakness in foreign exchange.

"It comes as no surprise. In fact, they (banks) seem to have held back longer than I expected," said Edward Yardeni, chief economist for Prudential-Bache Securities Inc.

The prime rate reflects a bank's costs of borrowing money, including interest it pays on savings accounts or certificates of deposit, and trails more subtle increases in other interest rates.

The rate is watched closely because bankers use it as a basis for calculating interest on corporate loans and for determining many types of fixed and adjustable-rate consumer loans, such as home equity loans.

"It's clear that consumers will be absorbing higher borrowing costs in December or early next year," said William V. Sullivan, an economist for the investment firm Dean Witter Reynolds Inc.

But some economists said it was unclear whether the rate-hike would adversely affect the economy, specifically consumer buying habits during the holiday season.

"I think the direct effect is pretty small because generally consumers aren't affected by modest increases in interest rates," said James L. Kochan, chief fixed-income strategist for Merrill Lynch Capital Markets Inc.

But Yardeni said some consumers might cut back on spending and "buy only things that they can afford."

"There's an underlying sense of uneasiness because so many people have been through rough times even when the economy was strong."

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James Jacoby



Your
Birthday

Nov 30, 1988

Powerful, new ambitions will be aroused in you in the year ahead. It is very likely that you will set goals for yourself which you would never have dared to attempt previously.

SAGITTARIUS (Nov. 23-Dec. 21) Underestimating your competition today could prove to be an exercise in folly. Give them credit for being at least as strong as you are or perhaps even more so. Sagittarius, treat yourself to a birthday gift. Send for your Astro-Graph predictions for the year ahead by mailing \$1 to Astro-Graph, c/o this newspaper, P.O. Box 91428, Cleveland, OH 44101-3428. Be sure to state your zodiac sign.

CAPRICORN (Dec. 22-Jan. 19) It may be wiser today to temporarily shelve distasteful tasks rather than doing them reluctantly. Poor work will only have to be repeated later.

AQUARIUS (Jan. 20-Feb. 19) Hard feelings could result if you expect too much from another in a joint venture today. Conversely, if expectations from you are too much, this person will also feel let down.

PISCES (Feb. 20-March 20) Trivial domestic issues could be blown completely out of proportion today. Keep this in mind so that you don't start finding fault with your mate.

ARIES (March 21-April 19) There may be more career opportunity than usual around you today, but if you treat developments indifferently, the results will be nil.

TAURUS (April 20-May 20) Your extravagant inclinations could be rather strong today and they might induce you to do something foolish financially. Strive to be self-disciplined.

GEMINI (May 21-June 20) The consequences of your actions could affect others adversely today, so examine your motives to be sure they are pure and noble. Let the better you prevail.

CANCER (June 21-July 22) Usually you're a person who tries to let bygones be bygones and feels uncomfortable holding grudges, yet today unresolved resentments may govern your behavior.

LEO (July 23-Aug. 22) It's imperative that you manage your resources prudently at this time. Don't spend unwisely or make loans that have pronounced elements of risk.

VIRGO (Aug. 23-Sept. 22) Establish realistic objectives for yourself today, or else you might be tempted to strive for something that is beyond your capabilities, causing severe frustrations.

LIBRA (Sept. 23-Oct. 23) Avoid doing things today that you know from your own experiences could cause problems. If you ignore your better judgment, regrets are likely.

SCORPIO (Oct. 24-Nov. 22) A dominating friend might try to involve you in something today that you won't want to be part of. Be your own person and do not yield to peer pressure.

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SATURDAY, DECEMBER 3... PANCAKE BREAKFAST
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Community Calendar

TUESDAY

Ladies Golf Association; tee time 9 a.m.
 Free blood pressure clinic; Ira 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.
 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.
 Scurry County Genealogical Society; Chamber of Commerce; 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

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.
 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.
 Free Day Jaycees; noon luncheon; The Shack.
 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.
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SATURDAY

Diamond M Museum; open from 1-4 p.m.
 Bethel students in recital; Willow Park Inn; 7 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.



MEMBERS WELCOMED — Gertrude League (front left), membership chairman for the Snyder Garden Club, is shown with new members to the group, Sally Jordan and D'Ann Grimmitt (standing), and Christi Thompson, front right. The club is a member of District 8 Texas State Garden Clubs. (SDN Staff Photo)

Bridge James Jacoby

NORTH 11-29-88			
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♦ Q J 8			
♦ 7 5 4			
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Vulnerable East-West Dealer North			
West	North	East	South
Pass	1 ♦	Pass	1 ♦
Pass	2 ♦	Pass	2 ♦
Pass	3 ♥	Pass	3 ♣
Pass	5 ♦	Pass	Pass
Opening lead ♦ K			

clubs. If this particular declarer falls prey to carelessness, he too may be set. Wouldn't it be unfortunate if East ruffed when declarer tried to cash that second high club?

Although a wise declarer cannot provide against all contingencies, he should certainly do what he can. And there is a way out of this particular trap. The correct sequence of plays is to ruff the second spade, play a diamond to dummy and lead a club to the ace. Then return to dummy with a high heart to play a second club toward the king. If East ruffs in, declarer will naturally play low. If East discards, declarer will win his king, give up a club and still be able to ruff another club with a high trump in dummy to make his contract. It's much better for a defender's trump to "beat the air" than to take declarer's ace or king of clubs.

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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A lot to think about

By James Jacoby

The simple, straightforward play in today's five-diamond contract just won't cut the mustard. Suppose declarer ruffs the second spade and draws trumps in three rounds. He can then hope for a favorable division in his second suit, clubs. But because West has four to the Q-J, the contract goes down.

The more sophisticated declarer sees the possibility that clubs may split badly, and he realizes that by postponing the play of the trump suit he may be able to do something about a bad split. So he would ruff the second spade, play only one round of diamonds and then cash the A-K of clubs, intending to give up a club and, if need be, he would ruff a fourth round of

Honey Do's hold craft workshop

Honey Do's Extension Homemakers Club met Nov. 15 to make gift items for the Scurry County Museum's Country Store.

Members also decorated a tree to enter in the "Christmas Trees on Parade" contest at the museum. Wooden bee hives with bees and a wooden shape of Texas with extension homemakers on it were used in the decorations along with blue bows.

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FALL EVENT — All area extension clubs met at the Union Community Center Nov. 10 for the annual pot luck Thanksgiving luncheon and craft day. Each club demonstrated a craft idea and members were given kits to create their own holiday items. Some members are pictured wearing handcrafted holiday sweatshirts while making Christmas decorations. (SDN Staff Photo)

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SWEATSHIRTS — Gingham Williamson, featured speaker, is shown with Barbara Scrivner (right), program chairman for the Scurry Charter Chapter of American Business Women's Association. Williamson gave a brief personal history at the club's November dinner meeting and showed members how to decorate sweatshirts using silk flowers. (SDN Staff Photo)

Decorated sweatshirts are featured at ABWA

Members of the Scurry Charter Chapter of American Business Women's Association met at Martha Ann Woman's Club in November with 20 members present for the dinner and featured speakers.

Barbara Scrivner, program chairman, introduced Gingham Williamson as the featured guest. Williamson has lived in Snyder for over four years. She and her husband, Ralph, who is employed by Southwestern Bell Telephone, have a son and a daughter.

Williamson is a member of Colonial Hill Baptist Church, Christian Women's Associates, and several local clubs. Creative crafts are a specialty for Williamson, and she demonstrated techniques for creating decorated sweatshirts using silk flowers, glitter paint, and pearls or rhinestones for flower centers.

Janet Brown of Snyder Travel gave a poem of Thanksgiving. She stated we need to be in a thankful frame of mind and heart throughout the year, not just dur-

ing Thanksgiving.

Irene Brooks, Martha Ann Woman's Club representative, reminded members of upcoming clubhouse fundraisers including the Tour of Homes, Dec. 4; and Dec. 10, game day and luncheon with bake sale.

ABWA members will have their Christmas dinner party and gift exchange Dec. 12.

Club president Faye Layne offered the invocation and benediction.

Scientists believe that at one time Mars had a warmer climate and much denser atmosphere, that running surface water carved out networks of channels, and that the planet could easily have harbored life.

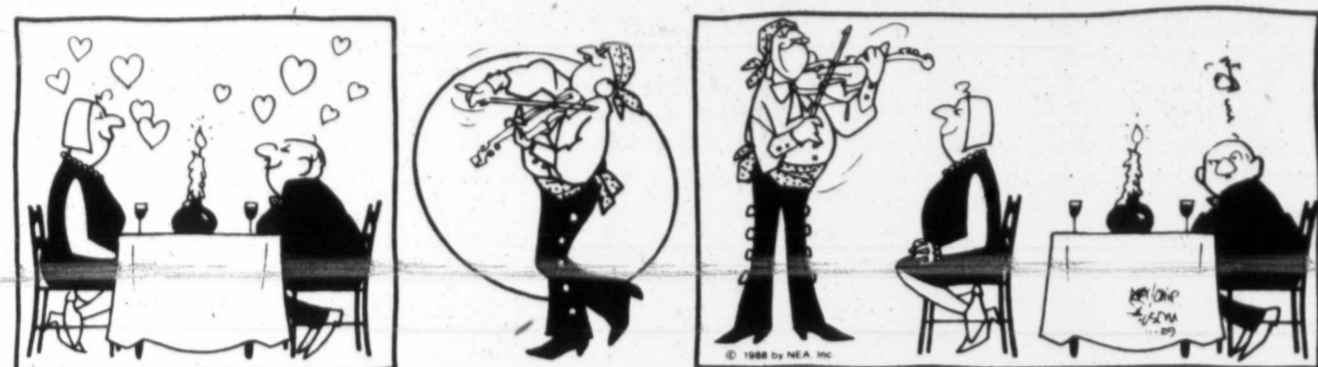
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- Carnival performer
 - Horse directives
 - Commit a faux pas
 - Composer Stravinsky
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 - Writer Vidal
 - Doctrine
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 - 28 Catches
 - 30 In the same place (abbr.)
 - 33 Of medicine
 - 35 Grilled _____
 - 37 Hit out at
 - 38 Eviction
 - 39 Vegetable
 - 40 Burden
 - 42 Female bird
 - 43 Confederate soldier
 - 45 Approximately (2 wds.)
 - 47 Title
 - 50 Desert plant
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 - 55 1958 Oscar movie
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 - 58 After Nov. _____
 - 59 Step _____
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 - 63 One of Hamlet's alternatives (2 wds.)
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Answer to Previous Puzzle

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KIT N' CARLYLE by Larry Wright



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After falling behind early...

WTC can't catch Chaparrals

Western Texas College's youth showed all too clearly here Monday night. Missed layups, forgetting to defense the fast break and too many turnovers caught up with the Westerners, who made a stirring comeback before dropping their conference opener to Midland, 110-100.

"We were so hyper. We did things we haven't done in two months. We panicked," said Coach Tony Mauldin, after his Westerners fell short on a futile bid to erase a 22-point second-half deficit. "We took bad shots, we didn't block out, we didn't get back on defense. It was just one of those deals you have sometimes. It was like first game jitters except it happened to us in the first conference game.

"You can't expect to get in that kind of shape (behind by that many points) and come back against a team like Midland," he added. "The positive thing was the kids did a good job of trying to come back. There was no quit in them."

Midland jumped out to an 18-4 advantage early and led by 19 points, 39-20, with 5:18 still to play in the first half. A couple of baskets from 6-8 freshman Ken Critton trimmed the Chaparral lead and back-to-back 3-pointers from Vladimir McCrory and Cedric Mason put WTC within 10 by halftime, 51-41.

McCrory, who had 31 points for the night, opened the second half with a bucket, putting WTC within eight, 51-43. But the problems that had plagued the Westerners early in the first half continued. Western missed a number of layups, were beaten on the boards, and committed some costly turnovers. The result was a 14-2 run by the Chaparrals and a 65-45 lead with 15:28 still to play in the game.

Western made a strong effort at overcoming the deficit, which grew to 22 points midway through the half. A scrappy defense forced some turnovers, and with 1:33 to play, Western pulled within seven, 103-98.

Western had a couple of chances to cut the lead further but fumbled the opportunities. On one, Midland's Kethus Hanks ran down an errant Westerner pass and scored a layup. On the other, WTC's Mario Williams was called for charging and Midland took possession.

Some good free throw shooting by Midland through the final minutes sealed the effort. The

Chaps were six-of-seven when it counted in the final two minutes, despite making only 29 of 40 for the game.

Charles McCovery led Midland, now 7-3, with 21 points. Tim Owens scored 18, Hanks and Darryl King 16 each and Eric Golightly 11.

McCrory's 31 led Western. Bernard Williams scored 11 and Ken

Critton had 10. Jerry Joyce tallied 7 and David Smith, Terry Witcher and Bobby Spear chipped in 6 points apiece.

McCrory also pulled down 11 rebounds, but Midland clearly stood out on the boards, outbounding Western 48 to 31. Midland was led by King's 11 rebounds. Campbell had 10.

Next action for Western, also 7-

3, will be Thursday in Clarendon. The Westerners will team up with WTC's Dusters for a doubleheader at 6 p.m. and 8 p.m. It will be the Dusters' conference opener.

Clarendon also opened WJCCAC play Monday, against South Plains. Clarendon lost both games, falling 74-65 in the men's contest and 84-39 in the women's.



TWO OF 31 - Western's Vladimir McCrory scored 31 points in a losing cause to Midland College here Monday. Western fell behind by more than 20 points in the second half. A comeback bid fell short, 110-100. Also pictured for WTC above is Bobby Spear. Shown for Midland are Fred Campbell (34) and Tim Owens. (SDN Staff Photo)

Aggies trounce SFA; Rice loses close one

by The Associated Press
Rice Coach Scott Thompson says the Owls did a good job of fighting back after they fell behind Mississippi State, but Rice fell short of completing the

comeback. In the other non-conference game involving a Southwest conference team Monday night, Texas A&M rolled to an easy 117-88 victory over Stephen F. Austin at Nacogdoches.

The Rice comeback bid ended when Robert Woodard hit a 10-foot jumper with 20 seconds left to give Mississippi State a 63-61 victory.

Cameron Burns scored 13 for the Bulldogs and Woodard finished with 11.

David Willie scored 12 points, 11 of them in the first half, to lead Rice.

"I felt we did a good job fighting back," Thompson said. "The guys got themselves down and we fought back."

MSU shot 45.5 percent from the field in the game to 50.9 for Rice, but MSU outrebounded Rice, 35-27, and got 10 more free throw attempts, 15-5.

The Bulldogs are 1-0, while Rice falls to 0-2 with a second straight road loss.

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Midland 110, Western Texas 100
MIDLAND (110): - Clay 0 3-3 2, Golightly 3 4-4 11, Williams 3 2-8, Hanks 6 3-7 16, Harris 2 0-0-4, McCovery 6 9-14 21, King 7 2-4 16, Campbell 2 2-4 8, Owens 2 2-3 18, Overstreet 2 2-2 6. TOTALS 39 29-43 110
WESTERN TEXAS (100): - Mario Williams 3 3-2 8, Keith Hawkins 2 0-4, Cheron Cummings 1 0-0 2, Cedric Mason 2 0-0 5, Bernard Williams 3 3-3 11, Bobby Spear 2 3-3 6, Terry Witcher 2 1-2 6, Vladimir McCrory 14 1-31, Lester White 2 0-0 4, Jerry Joyce 2 3-4 7, David Smith 3 0-4 6, Ken Critton 4 2-4 10, Maurice Harris 0 0-0 0. TOTALS 60 14 77 100
Halftime: Midland 51, Western 41. 3-Point Goals: Midland 3 (Golightly 1, Hanks 1, Campbell 1), Western 5 (Mason 1, B. Williams 2, Witcher 1, McCrory 2). Fouls: Midland 24, Western 31. Fouled Out: M. Williams, Hawkins, WTC. Technical: McCrory, WTC. Rebounds: Midland 48 (King 10), Western 31 (McCrory 11). Records: Midland 7-3, 1-0; Western 7-3, 0-1.

NCAA watching A&M; reports of Sherrill's resignation are denied

COLLEGE STATION, Texas (AP) - The NCAA says it will watch closely what Texas A&M, preparing for Thursday's game against Alabama, uncovers in an investigation into allegations about possible rules violations.

But the National Collegiate Athletic Association is not yet conducting an investigation of its own, instead reserving the right to do so in the future, David Berst, NCAA enforcement director, told The Associated Press Monday night.

Meanwhile, a Lubbock television station reported Monday night that Sherrill plans to resign after the Alabama game. KAMC-TV cited an anonymous source in the Texas A&M athletic department who said Sherrill told his assistant coaches of his decision in a meeting this week.

But a Texas A&M spokesman denied the station's report.

"We heard about this report," said spokesman Lane Stephenson. "I talked to President (William) Mobley and told him of (it). He has no knowledge of that."

Coach Sherrill has not submitted his resignation to him."
Texas A&M is already on probation following an NCAA investigation that resulted in the Aggies being declared ineligible for the 1988 Southwest Conference football championship and any post-season bowl. A&M also lost five scholarships for the upcoming recruiting year.
"At this point, we will monitor the information as it develops with the institution and communicate directly with them," Berst said from his home in Mission, Kan.
"We have confidence that they (Texas A&M) will vigorously investigate the matter. We retain the authority to conduct our own investigation."

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Ladies host Wall tonight

Coach Ken Housden's Lady Tigers entertain Wall in a non-district basketball game at the high school gym tonight.
Tipoff is set for 7:30 p.m., following a 6 p.m. junior varsity contest. Tickets are \$2 for adults and \$1 for students.
Snyder's Tigers are 1-3 for the 1988-89 season.
Following tonight's action, the Lady Tigers go back on the road to compete Friday and Saturday in the Coahoma Tournament.

Boys playing in Abilene

ABILENE - Snyder High School boys will take on Brownwood at Hunt P.E. Center on the McMurry College campus here today at approximately 7:30 p.m.
Tonight's action here will open with a junior varsity basketball game at 4 p.m. and will follow with a women's college game featuring McMurry. The Tigers and Brownwood varsities tip off afterward.
Snyder goes into the game with a 2-2 season record. The Tigers will continue on the road this weekend, playing in the Levelland Classic beginning Thursday.

Mac-D, WTC event soon

Western Texas and McDonalds have teamed up to host junior college basketball action in Scurry County Coliseum this Friday and Saturday.
Tickets are \$3 for adults and \$1 for students each day of the tournament.
Friday, Texas State Technical Institute of Waco plays Ranger at 6 p.m. and Western Texas takes on Southwestern Christian at 8 p.m.
Saturday's action calls for Friday's losers to play at 6 p.m. and winners to play at 8 p.m.

NBA glance

By The Associated Press					WESTERN CONFERENCE				
EASTERN CONFERENCE					Midwest Division				
Atlantic Division					Pacific Division				
Team	W	L	Pct.	GB	Team	W	L	Pct.	GB
New York	8	4	.667	-	Dallas	9	3	.750	-
Philadelphia	9	5	.643	-	Utah	8	3	.727	1/2
New Jersey	7	7	.500	2	Denver	8	4	.667	1
Boston	6	7	.462	2 1/2	Houston	8	5	.615	1 1/2
Washington	4	7	.364	3 1/2	San Antonio	4	7	.364	4 1/2
Charlotte	2	10	.167	6	Miami	0	10	.000	8
Central Division					Monday's Game				
Detroit	10	2	.833	-	L.A. Lakers	108	Philadelphia	104	
Cleveland	8	3	.727	1 1/2					
Atlanta	7	6	.538	3 1/2					
Chicago	6	6	.500	4					
Milwaukee	5	5	.500	4					

NFL glance

By The Associated Press													
AMERICAN CONFERENCE					NATIONAL CONFERENCE								
East					East			West					
Team	W	L	T	Pct.	PF	PA	Team	W	L	T	Pct.	PF	PA
x-Buffalo	11	2	0	.846	273	189	Philadelphia	8	5	0	.615	314	275
New England	7	6	0	.538	217	249	N.Y. Giants	8	5	0	.615	296	258
Indianapolis	7	6	0	.538	290	239	Phoenix	7	6	0	.538	303	305
N.Y. Jets	6	6	1	.500	277	279	Washington	6	7	0	.462	291	324
Miami	5	8	0	.385	229	278	Dallas	2	11	0	.154	213	317
Central					Central			West					
Cincinnati	10	3	0	.769	395	261	Chicago	11	2	0	.846	269	152
Houston	9	4	0	.692	326	294	Minnesota	9	4	0	.692	327	185
Cleveland	8	5	0	.615	221	206	Tampa Bay	3	10	0	.231	223	325
Pittsburgh	3	10	0	.231	245	343	Detroit	3	10	0	.231	168	265
West					Green Bay			Green Bay					
Seattle	7	6	0	.538	247	265	Detroit	2	11	0	.154	182	262
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					San Francisco			San Francisco					
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Arab states agreeing on resolution

UNITED NATIONS (AP)— Unless the United States reverses its decision to deny Yasser Arafat an entry visa, the U.N. debate on Palestine will shift to Geneva so the PLO chairman can address the General Assembly, diplomats said.

Arab representatives agreed today to introduce a resolution in the United Nations that deprecates the U.S. action, postpones the debate on Palestine scheduled for Thursday and urges Washington to grant the visa, said M. Nasser Kidwa, second in charge at the PLO's observer mission.

The resolution will be introduced today before a U.N. committee and may go to the General Assembly later today or Wednesday, he said.

Saturday's decision by Secretary of State George P. Shultz to bar Arafat from the country on grounds he was an "accessory" to acts of terrorism against Americans has been widely criticized by dozens of countries, including the Arab world and such staunch U.S. allies as Britain, Canada and Australia.

Only Israel backed the U.S. decision.

In Washington, the State Department said Monday the U.S. decision to deny the visa was "firm and final."

A senior U.N. official said on condition of anonymity that if the United States still refuses to grant Arafat a visa, another resolution probably will be called this week for moving the assembly to Geneva.

Arab diplomats say they have enough votes, a simple majority in the 159-member body, to shift the assembly to where Arafat would be able to speak.

U.N. legal counsel Carl-August

Fleischhauer told a U.N. committee the U.S. decision violates the 1947 U.S.-U.N. Headquarters Agreement that requires the host country to grant visas to people invited by the United Nations.

"The agreement does not contain a reservation of the right to bar the entry of those who represent, in the view of the host country, a threat to its sovereignty and security," Fleischhauer said.

Patricia Byrne, alternate U.S. representative, said the U.S. government disagreed with Fleischhauer's interpretation,

but she did not elaborate.

Many nations in the world body said the U.S. action countered what they described as the Palestine Liberation Organization's move toward modernization with its declaration of Palestinian independence Nov. 15 that also implicitly recognized Israel.

The PLO's U.N. observer, Zuhdi Labib Terzi, said, "We have a message of peace that we want to bring to the General Assembly through Chairman Arafat. The United States is imposing some obstacles that would impede easy access, so we have to do it somewhere else."

The U.N. Committee on Relations with the Host Country heard numerous speakers assail the U.S. decision to bar Arafat.

Markets

Midday Stocks

NEW YORK (AP)		High	Low	Last	K Mart	34%	34 1/2	34 1/2
AMR Corp	51%	50%	51	Kroger	17 1/2	17 1/2	17%	
Ameritech	91%	91%	91	WalMart	9	9	9	
AMI Inc	15%	15%	15	vjLV Cp	2%	2%	2%	
Amer T&T	29%	28%	29	Litton Ind	72%	71%	71%	
Amoco	74%	73 1/2	73	LoneSta Ind	29 1/2	29 1/2	29 1/2	
Arka	18%	18%	18	Lowe's	21	20 1/2	20 1/2	
ArcoInc	9 1/2	9%	9 1/2	Lubys	23 1/2	23 1/2	23 1/2	
ATIRichld	80%	79 1/2	79	MCorp	7	7	7	
BakerHugh	13%	13	13	Maxus	7	6 1/2	6 1/2	
BancTexas	11-16	11	11-16	MayDSI	34%	34%	34%	
BellAtlan	70	69 1/2	69	Medtronic	75%	75 1/2	75 1/2	
BellSouth	39%	39%	39 1/2	Mobil	44%	44 1/2	44 1/2	
Beth Steel	20%	20 1/2	20 1/2	Monsanto	80	79 1/4	79 1/4	
Borden	55%	55 1/2	55 1/2	Motorola	37%	36 1/2	37	
CamronIrkWk	13%	13 1/2	13 1/2	NCNB Cp	26 1/2	26 1/4	26 1/4	
Caterpillar	64 1/2	64 1/2	64 1/2	Navistar	5	4 1/2	4 1/2	
Centel	43 1/2	43 1/2	43 1/2	Nyces	65 1/2	65 1/2	65 1/2	
CentSo West	24	23 1/2	23 1/2	PubS NwMx	30%	30%	30%	
Chevron	45%	45 1/2	45 1/2	PenneyJC	51%	51 1/2	51 1/2	
Chrysler	25 1/2	25 1/2	25	Phelps Dod	48 1/2	47 1/2	48 1/2	
Coastal	32%	31 1/2	32	PhillipPet	20	19 1/2	19 1/2	
CocaCola	42 1/2	42	42 1/2	Polaroid S	36 1/2	35	36	
Coleman	37%	37 1/2	37 1/2	Primerica	28	27 1/2	27 1/2	
Coig Palm	43 1/2	43	43 1/2	ProctGamb	80%	80	80 1/2	
ComIntl	44%	43 1/2	44%	PubS NwMx	11%	11 1/2	11 1/2	
DeLairl	47 1/2	47	47 1/2	SFEsouP S	16 1/2	15 1/2	15 1/2	
DigitalEq	91%	90%	91 1/2	SearsRoeb	39%	39	39 1/2	
DowChem	83 1/2	83 1/2	83 1/2	SherwinWm	26 1/2	26	26 1/4	
DressInd	27%	27 1/2	27 1/2	Southern Co	21 1/2	21	21 1/2	
duPont	81	80 1/2	80 1/2	SwstAirl	19%	18 1/2	19	
EastKodak	44 1/2	44 1/2	44 1/2	SwstBell	40	39 1/4	40	
Escherch	18 1/2	17 1/2	18 1/2	SterlingChm n	40	39 1/2	40	
Exxon	42 1/2	42 1/2	42 1/2	SunCo n	31 1/2	31 1/2	31 1/2	
FiCityBep n	24 1/2	24 1/2	24 1/2	TNP Ent	18 1/2	18 1/2	18 1/2	
FlowerInd	18 1/2	18 1/2	18 1/2	Tandy	41%	40 1/2	41 1/4	
FordMotr S	50%	50	50 1/4	TemplInd	46 1/2	46 1/4	46 1/2	
GAF Cp	45 1/2	45 1/2	45 1/2	Tenneco	49 1/2	49 1/2	49 1/2	
GTE Corp	44 1/2	44	44	Texas	47	46 1/2	46 1/2	
GmDynam	50%	49 1/2	49 1/2	TexAmBnch	17 1/2	17 1/2	17 1/2	
GenElct	44%	44%	44%	TexCstns	27 1/2	27 1/2	27 1/2	
GenMills	50%	50 1/2	50 1/2	TexasInd	30	29 1/2	30	
Gen Motors	83	82 1/2	83	TexasInst	35 1/2	35	35 1/2	
GmMotr E	40%	40 1/2	40 1/2	Tex Util	28 1/2	28	28 1/2	
vjGloMar	15-32	7-16	7-16	Textron	23%	23 1/2	23 1/2	
Goodrich	49 1/2	49 1/2	49 1/2	Tyler	3%	5%	5 1/2	
Goodyear	47 1/2	47 1/2	47 1/2	USX Corp	27 1/2	27 1/2	27 1/2	
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IBM	119 1/2	117 1/2	118 1/2	WestgHtl	51	50 1/2	50 1/2	
Int'lPaper	43 1/2	43 1/2	43 1/2	Xerox Cp	55 1/2	55	55 1/2	
JohnsP	84%	83 1/2	84%	ZenithE	18	17 1/2	18	

Indian rock etchings may end project

EL PASO, Texas (AP)— Opponents of putting a nuclear waste dump in Hudspeith County might or might not know much about art, but they know what they like—and they like ancient Indian rock etchings that could spell doom for the disposal site.

An area near a possible low-level nuclear waste dump site was named last month to the National Register of Historic Places because of the hundreds of petroglyphs and pictographs, environmental consultant David Batcho said.

The listing is going to make placing a nuclear dump in the area "extremely difficult," said Batcho, who submitted the application to be included in the national register at the request of dump opponents.

The listing means the Texas Low-Level Radioactive Waste Disposal Authority will have to contend with federal restrictions if it still wants to place the dump about 12 miles north of Fort Hancock, El Paso County Judge Luther Jones said Monday.

Hospital Notes

ADMISSIONS: Elida Garza, 241L 26th; Alice Barrera, Hermleigh; Jim Britt Brown, 3901 Ave. O Apt. 33.

DISMISSALS: Paul Gonzalez.

Grass fire noted

Firemen took about two hours Monday afternoon to extinguish a grass fire 12 miles southeast of Snyder on property owned by Lynn Fenton.

The call came in at 4:28 p.m., and firemen returned to the station at 7 p.m.

Tools said stolen

Police are investigating the reported theft of a tool box from Wesley Smith's driveway at 3610 40th St.

Smith told officers at 10:32 a.m. Monday that the box and assorted tools in it had been stolen.

Births

Alice Barrera is the mother of a baby boy weighing 8 pounds born at 1:55 p.m. Monday at Cogdell Memorial Hospital.

Wesley and Angela Ball are the parents of a baby girl, Natasha Nicole, born at 8:08 a.m. Sunday in Lubbock Methodist Hospital. She weighed 6 pounds, 2 ounces. Grandparents are Joe and Debra Cheyne and Nolan and Louise Ball. Great-grandparents are Lillie Phillips, Wilma Smith, and Vivian Fikes.

Max and Debbie Underwood of Bedford are the parents of a baby girl, Emily Kay, born Friday at Baylor Hospital of Dallas. She weighed 5 pounds, 14 ounces. Grandparents are Minette Drumwright of Richmond, Va., and the late Dr. Huber Drumwright; and Polly and Ned Underwood of Snyder.

Petroleum prices

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

Refined Products	Mon	Fri
Fuel Oil No. 2 NY hbr bg fl fob	4675	n.q.
Gasoline reg. NY hbr bg fl fob	5185	n.q.
Gasoline unleaded NY hbr bg fl fob	4985	n.q.
Prices provided by Oil Buyer's Guide.		
Petroleum - Crude Grades		
Saudi Arabian light	12.45	12.40
North Sea Brent S per bbl fob	14.60	14.70
West Texas Intermed S per bbl fob	15.05	n.q.
Alaska No. Slope del. US Gulf Cst	12.90	n.q.

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Thomas Tilley

BIG SPRING--Services were set for 2 p.m. Tuesday at the Midway Baptist Church for Thomas A. Tilley, 56, who died Sunday in a Midland hospital. Burial was to follow in the Trinity Memorial Park.

He was the father of Judy Irwin of Snyder. A long-time resident of Big Spring, he was born in San Saba and attended school in Big Spring. He worked as a welder and was a member of the Midway Baptist Church.

Survivors include his wife, Laverne Tilley of Big Spring; two sons, Darrell Tilley and Tommy Tilley, both of Big Spring; another daughter, Trudy Sherrill of Big Spring; his stepmother, Jackie Hornsby of Midland; four sisters, Geraldine Davis of Midland, Frances Holt of Stanton and Christine Sparks and Dolly Shober, both of Big Spring; five brothers, Frank Mayhew Jr. of San Angelo, Joe Ramirez of Vidor, Bobby Tilley of Mississippi, and Jimmy Tilley and Jerry Tilley, both of Midland; and eight grandchildren.

Thieves take truck at site

Continued From Page 1 truck with hand tools and power tools from the area where it was parked, near the central part of the construction site. However, other expensive tools and equipment nearby were left, possibly because of the culprits' haste, he said.

Deputies said workers at the prison site were conducting an inventory Tuesday morning to determine exactly what was missing.

A trailer parked on site was also said broken into.

Prison groundbreaking brings much fanfare

WOODVILLE, Texas (AP) — Prisons usually aren't a cause for a celebration, but in this East Texas community, groundbreaking ceremonies for a new prison brought out a band and an Air Force jet flyover.

The prison is good news for an area where unemployment is 10.4 percent. The prison will provide

265 full-time jobs and its \$500,000 monthly payroll will make it the largest in the county, Mayor Tom Knapp said.

"You can see the importance of it to a community of this size," he said during the Monday afternoon ceremonies.

Woodville, a community of about 2,800 some 100 miles nor-

theast of Houston, donated a 360-acre site for the prison just northeast of town. The city also passed a \$2 million bond issue that will provide the unit with water, sewer and gas lines.

"It's a great accomplishment and it's going to be a great economic asset," said Robert Mann, a member of the Texas

Board of Corrections.

The ceremonies for the new prison named after House Speaker Gib Lewis were held on a balcony of the Tyler County Courthouse in downtown Woodville, where police blocked off traffic so several scores of people could watch from the courthouse grounds and on sidewalks across

the street.

The new Lewis Unit will house 1,000 inmates and serve as pre-release center for inmates nearing the end of their sentences. It is the last of 10 facilities being built to ease continuous crowding problems at Texas prisons.

"It is kind of an honor," Lewis said of the prison to carry his

name. "I don't want to be a permanent resident but I do look forward to visiting time and time again."

Similar units, known as reintegration centers, also being built at Snyder, Marlin and Dayton and are part of a \$275 million prison expansion program.

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Church of God sets revival

The Church of God in Snyder will have a revival beginning Wednesday and continuing through Sunday. Evening services begin at 7:30 p.m. nightly and the Sunday services will be held at 10:45 a.m. and 6 p.m.

Evangelists will be James and Carol Hodgson.

The church is located at Avenue 0 and 21st Street.

Country Store now offers local handmade items

Several local craftsmen are displaying handmade items in the Scurry County Museum's Country Store and the museum welcomes Christmas visitors to browse each weekday from 10 a.m. to 4 p.m.

Locally produced items range from doll beds and "church dolls" to a nativity scene carved of wood and a cotton quilt.

Along with the handmade works are many new items including wrapping paper with bluebonnet and bandana designs, Christmas cards decorated with such Texas-flavored items as red pepper strings and bluebonnet wreaths, and red peppers made of paper mache, suitable for use in wreaths or tree decorations.

New books and old favorites are also in the Country Store. Children's activity books and paper doll books are sure to arouse nostalgia. For those looking ahead to summer travel, "Why Stop?" details historical markers along Texas routes.

Shoppers will enjoy looking at the museum's Christmas tree featuring Texas ornaments, some made by local elementary school students. Local businesses and groups are displaying small trees in the museum's "Parade of Trees."

The museum and Western Texas College will host the Christmas Happening on Sunday and the public is invited to attend.

Judge halts takeover bid

NEW ORLEANS (AP) — An attempt by Popeyes Famous Fried Chicken to take over Church's Fried Chicken has been temporarily blocked by a federal court.

U.S. District Judge Charles Schwartz ruled Monday that New Orleans-based Popeyes would have to turn over certain information regarding it's takeover attempt before the takeover could be allowed to continue.

"These are very minor items the court is asking for disclosure on. We hope to have answered every point within a day or two and proceed with the offer," said Popeyes' attorney Peter Butler after the ruling.

Popeyes has offered \$8 a share, or \$290 million, to Church's shareholders.

Victims begin putting lives, shattered homes in order

RALEIGH, N.C. (AP) — Tornado-shocked victims tried to put their shattered lives and homes back in order today from a series of twisters that killed four people, including a couple found with their arms wrapped around each other.

At least 17 tornado touch downs were reported early Monday, covering 200 miles of eastern North Carolina, injuring 151 people and causing more than \$50 million in damage.

One tornado sent one couple on a flying-mattress ride. Mark and Vera Cimmero landed on their mattress against a tree across the street.

"I held onto her as tight as I could, and the next thing I know, we are flying," said Cimmero. "It was like a ride at the fair."

Their home was destroyed but they were not seriously injured.

A neighbor, 8-year-old Janet Barnes, died when a chimney collapsed on her bed.

Further north in Raleigh, 12-year-old Edwin "Pete" Fulghum died of head and chest injuries.

In rural Nash County, Lee Roy Alston died with his arms wrapped around his fatally injured wife, Mary, apparently in an effort to shield her from the tornado that destroyed their mobile home, authorities said. They had been thrown from the mobile home. Their two children, ages 14 and 8, survived.

Authorities had put the death toll at six, but later corrected it to four.

The tornadoes struck in nine counties, from Wake in the center

of the state. To Dare on the Atlantic Coast, authorities said. Most of the damage was in Raleigh, where tornadoes cut a 10-mile swath.

City Manager Dempsey Benton said the storm caused about \$50 million in damage in Raleigh, the

Farm trade black ink more than doubles

WASHINGTON (AP) — Farm exports soared to a six-year peak of 147.5 million metric tons in the year that ended Sept. 30, and black ink in U.S. agricultural trade doubled to more than \$14 billion, the Agriculture Department says.

Japan was again the top customer of the American farmer, as it has been for more than two decades, according to figures released Monday.

American farm exports climbed from \$27.87 billion in fiscal 1987 to \$35.2 billion this past fiscal year, a gain of 26 percent, while imports of farm products were up 2 percent to a record \$21 billion, USDA said.

The United States was thus left with a net agricultural trade surplus of \$14.2 billion for fiscal 1988, compared with \$7.22 billion a year earlier.

Volume of exports climbed 14 percent from the 129.2 million metric tons posted in fiscal 1987, with wheat accounting for two-thirds of the increase, USDA

said. A metric ton is equivalent to about 2,205 pounds. Exports of wheat increased from 28.2 million metric tons in 1987 to 40.5 million tons in the last fiscal year. The Soviet Union and China together purchased a total of 14.6 million tons, or 36 percent of all U.S. wheat shipments in fiscal 1988.

Combined imports by the Soviet Union and China totaled 4.95 million metric tons of American wheat in 1987, or 18 percent of all shipments.

Japan imported 27.8 million metric tons of U.S. agricultural goods. Other leading purchasers were the European Community, 25.5 million metric tons; the Soviet Union, 15.9 million metric tons; South Korea, 8 million; and Taiwan, 7.3 million.

Besides wheat, substantial gains were posted by corn, grain sorghum, feeds and fodders and vegetable oils. Among products not measured on the basis of metric tons, the biggest gains were in baby chicks, live animals, fruit juices, wines and malt beverages.

Investigation planned into DEA use of news media

HOUSTON (AP) — The Drug Enforcement Administration's apparent use of the news media as an unwitting partner in undercover operations will be investigated by a U.S. House committee and the Justice Department, government officials say.

High-ranking DEA officials issued a statement Monday, saying it is not the policy of DEA "to lie or mislead the media," but stopped short of saying the agency has never staged drug seizures and issued false information about them.

The Houston Chronicle Sunday reported that two drug seizures in which the DEA "enlisted local police agencies to find" caches of drugs, then summon the media to announce the discoveries — without disclosing that the seizures were setups.

Last week, a DEA spokesman in Washington confirmed that the practice occurs nationwide, allowing agents to infiltrate higher levels of drug networks.

Sources said newspaper clippings generated by the tactic provide cover stories for agents who have posed as drug smugglers, then need a way to dispose of drugs before they reach the street.

The Texas Department of Public Safety said in a 1984 news conference that 952 pounds of cocaine were found abandoned at a "random" roadblock, which court records reveal was, in fact, a prearranged checkpoint requested by the DEA.

A Harris County sheriff's investigator announced Sept. 29 the "discovery" of 60 kilograms of cocaine in an abandoned car,

based on an "anonymous" tip. But the newspaper reported that the DEA arranged for the officers to find the drugs.

"The question is not whether there was a mistruth, the question is whether a mistruth was justified," Associate Attorney General Francis A. Keating II, who coordinates DEA activities and reports to Attorney General Dick Thornburgh, said. Thornburgh was out of the country.

Keating said he will call for an explanation of DEA policy regarding disclosure to the press. The study will include a catalog of the frequency of and justification for planting misleading reports, he said.

"We need the cooperation and the trust of the public and the media," Keating said. "If something like this jeopardizes that trust, it concerns us. There may be a situation where the creation of a fictionalized stop and arrest is essential for the safety of the informant."

Spokesman Bob Wiener said the House Special Committee on Narcotics is also examining the reports.

"We are concerned," he said, adding that committee Chairman Charles Rangel, D-N.Y., would probably issue a statement today.

DEA officials said in the prepared statement Monday that they sometimes withhold information to preserve investigations, but that lying is not the aim.

Houston DEA Agent-in-Charge Marion Hambrick declined comment on the cases.

Dr. Gott

Peter Gott, M.D.

By Peter H. Gott, M.D.

DEAR DR. GOTT: My wife has had several incidents — each one lasting longer — in which she loses part of her vision. She could only see half the object she was looking at. Doctors mutter "optic nerve" but that's as far as it has gotten. Can she be helped?

DEAR READER: The loss of half the visual field is usually due to a circulatory problem.

For example, a blood clot in a retinal artery will usually cause visual difficulties in half the retina. Arterial spasm acts the same way. Some patients with migraine will temporarily lose part of their vision because of spasm.

If your wife is having episodic blindness due to emboli (fragments of blood clots carried in the bloodstream) she should be examined to find the source of the clots. Sometimes surgery is necessary to remove roughened arterial linings on which blood can clot and, later, break off, possibly causing stroke or visual disturbances.

On the other hand, if she has arterial spasm (or migraine equivalents), the treatment would be non-surgical.

Your wife needs a diagnosis. This should be possible through the combined efforts of an eye specialist and an internist, a physician trained in diagnosis.

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

DEAR DR. GOTT: I've heard that exercise increases the amount of plaque on the artery walls. Is this true?

DEAR READER: I do not believe so. All the studies I have read tout the value of exercise in preventing arterial blockage from arteriosclerosis.

This makes sense because exercise has been shown to have beneficial cardiovascular effects, including the reduction of blood cholesterol, high blood pressure, psychic stress, elevated blood sugar and the risk of heart attack, breast cancer, colon cancer and calcium loss. It also lessens the consequences of aging.

In short, exercise is healthful.

DEAR DR. GOTT: Our grandson, 7, is hoarse most of the time. The doctor says there's nothing that can be done for the nodules in his throat, except keep the boy from talking too much. He's obviously never lived with a 7-year-old. Isn't there something we can do?

DEAR READER: If your grandson is hoarse because of nodules on his vocal cords, he should be examined by a qualified pediatric otolaryngologist, a children's ear, nose and throat specialist.

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