

## Court comments to auditor change

District Judge Gene Dulaney appeared before commissioners Monday morning to hear their concerns about possible changes of personnel in the county auditor's office and to explain his position on the possible changes.

Each one of the four commissioners and County Judge Bobby Goodwin told Dulaney that it would be a mistake to change all three people in the office, especially in early 1989 since it is perhaps the most demanding time of the year for that office.

Dulaney replied that he had wanted to change only one person in the office, because that person has acted "against the policies of the courthouse and caused disruptions," and that Auditor Bernhard Bartels indicated he would resign rather than make that replacement.

Dulaney said Bartels has been "an excellent county auditor" and that he did not want Bartels to leave. The judge said he still hopes that one of the three office employees will stay, facilitating the apparently probable transition.

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From \$3 to \$5...

## Longevity pay ok'd at half proposal

By BOB CAMPBELL  
SDN Staff Writer

Scurry County commissioners Monday heard dissenting opinions from several citizens about a possible longevity pay increase for county employees and then enacted half of the increase that had been proposed.

Weldon Beck, Agnes Sorrells and Mickey Sterling appeared to say that the economic recession and declining tax base should make a raise as impractical for county workers as it has been for most other working people.

"I don't want the county government to get in the same shape the federal government is in," Sterling said.

County Judge Bobby Goodwin

had explained at the outset of the 10 a.m. public hearing that the county's personnel policy committee had recommended a longevity pay increase from \$3 to \$5 per month for each year that an employee has been on the county payroll and that the commissioners decided to seek an increase to \$10.

Commissioner Tommy Pate said during the discussion that he could support an increase to \$5 but not to \$10. Pate's proposal would have had a cap of an extra \$1,000 per year.

After discussion, commissioner Duaine Davis moved to enact the \$10 increase, a motion seconded by commissioner Ted Billingsley.

The resulting vote was 2-2 with Pate and commissioner C.D. Gray Jr. voting "no."

Goodwin told Davis that unless he would revise his motion to enact only a \$5 increase, he would have to vote "no" and kill the \$10-per-month proposal. Davis revised the motion, which then passed unanimously.

County Auditor Bernhard Bartels had said during the discussion that longevity pay currently costs the county \$28,000 annually. The switch from \$3 to \$5 will increase this to \$45,000 annually. The payroll aspect of the county budget totals some \$2 million.

Other business included an ap-

pearance by Cogdell Memorial Hospital administrator Thomas Hochwalt, who said the county-owned hospital's discount for county employees in the 10 months through Oct. 31 amounted to 52 percent of the total \$54,600 in bills.

Hochwalt proposed a 20-percent discount, starting in January, and asked the court to pay \$17,513 more of the billings to county employees for fiscal 1987-88, writing off excessive discounts for November and December.

The court approved the change in discount rates and approved the extra payment, to be processed through the county health insurance fund.

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SPREE — Santa Claus and Snyder Jaycee Rudy Garza, left, were at Kmart Saturday to direct the Jaycees' annual Christmas shopping spree for local youngsters. The Snyder civic club and the discount chain store were co-sponsors of the event. (SDN Staff Photo)

## Court to name attorney

The county commissioners court Monday decided to consider for a week the four applications that have been received from local attorneys for appointment as county attorney and to make the appointment at their meeting next Monday.

County Judge Bobby Goodwin closed applications at the start of the 10 a.m. meeting and announced that applications have been received from attorneys Jody Hall, Marvin Sentell, Tommie Mills and Lealand "Pete" Greene.

Noting that County Attorney Mike Line's recent resignation becomes effective on Jan. 2, Goodwin said the court needs to move as quickly as possible, suggesting that the appointment be See ATTORNEY, page 9

## Death toll mounts from Soviet quake

YEREVAN, U.S.S.R. (AP) — Rescue workers said today there was little hope of finding more survivors in the wreckage of the mammoth Armenian earthquake, and officials estimated the death toll at more than 50,000.

President Mikhail S. Gorbachev, after touring the disaster area, accused "provocateurs" of

exploiting the disorder produced by the quake to create instability in the ethnically troubled republic and said, "They must be stopped."

Armenian activists reported clashes with troops Sunday over the arrest of several nationalist leaders and said several people were wounded. They said the

violence occurred in Yerevan, the Armenian capital.

Gorbachev promised residents of the disaster zone that the government would begin an investigation of why newly constructed apartment buildings crumbled so easily while older buildings remained standing during Wednesday's quake.

Tragedy struck again Sunday when a Soviet military transport plane carrying soldiers to help rescue earthquake victims crashed as it approached the airport of Leninakan, a city hit hard by the quake. Seventy-eight people died.

The earthquake rescue effort, drawing workers and supplies from about 40 nations, was fur-

ther hampered by shortages of equipment and haphazard organization, some officials said.

Rubble was still piled high in several cities, including Leninakan, a city of 250,000 people near the quake's epicenter in northwest Armenia, and Spitak, which was virtually wiped out.

Some aid that was given proved useless. A crane sat idle besides the ruins in Leninakan, Armenia's second-largest city. Workers said it was too small.

Stacks of red, black or unfinished wood coffins were piled on street corners.

George Reed, a spokesman for the Geneva-based Red Cross, said the only people still alive in the wreckage would be those fortunate enough to have found some water and a supply of fresh air.

He quoted reports that just 150 people survived in the town of Spitak, where about 25,000 had lived. Other reports said only 10 percent of the city's residents survived.

Still below past years...

## Sales tax betters '87 by 10 percent

Snyder will end 1988 with a sales tax return equaling a 10.6 percent increase over last year.

While 1988 will be an improvement over 1987, the sales tax return will still likely be the third lowest reported for the decade to date, however.

The latest report from the state comptroller's office has Snyder's 1 percent sales tax total at \$753,322. This is more than \$72,000 above last year's figure, which to date stands as the second lowest figure of the 1980s.

In 1987, sales here returned \$680,899 to the city.

Figures maintained by the city indicate the high mark for sales tax income was in 1982, when the city received more than \$944,000.

The low mark was in 1980, when the total was approximately \$608,600.

The state's figures and the total maintained by the city vary somewhat since the city calculates its fiscal year which ends Sept. 30 and the state report, just completed, ends with returns

from this past October.

The state's total for 1987 here was \$680,899 while the city's figure is \$676,836.

The following lists the city's sales tax income since 1980:

—1980	\$608,647
—1981	\$788,689
—1982	\$944,095
—1983	\$802,692
—1984	\$874,325
—1985	\$840,904
—1986	\$848,786
—1987	\$676,836

The most recent report from the state indicates Texas sales tax payments are running 12.3 percent ahead of last year. State Comptroller Bob Bullock predicts this is a trend which will last for several years.

"We're projecting that local sales tax allocations will steadily rise through 1991," he said.

Checks totaling \$64.1 million were sent by the comptroller's office to 885 cities that collect the sales tax. Checks totaling \$6.4 million were sent to 15 cities.

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## Holiday music is plentiful all week

Holiday music will be offered in four programs scheduled in Snyder this week, each to be held in Worsham Auditorium.

The concerts of both musical and singing groups begins Monday with the Yuletide performance of the Snyder High School band. The show will begin at 7 p.m. and will be free to the public.

On Tuesday, the junior high band will play a holiday concert beginning at 7 p.m. It will be followed at 8 p.m. by the Snyder High School Choir's annual Christmas concert, an event rescheduled from last Thursday.

Both the performance by the junior high band and the high

school choir will be free to the public.

The week's final holiday show will be Thursday as the annual Christmas program sponsored through the cultural affairs committee of the Snyder Chamber of Commerce will be held.

Featured will be a performance of the Midland-Odesa Symphony, accompanied by a community choir of some 80 local singers.

The program will begin at 8 p.m. Tickets are priced at \$8 for general admission and \$4 for students and senior citizens. There will also be reserved seating for \$12 and a "patron" ticket for \$16.



YEARS SERVICE — Police Chief Bill Stone (left) and Bruce Beal with the fire department were the senior members Saturday of seven City of Snyder staffers presented service pins at the annual city awards banquet. Stone and Beal were both recognized for 15 years service. (SDN Staff Photo by Howard Bigham)

## Service to city honored

Seven City of Snyder staffers were honored for years service Saturday at the annual city awards banquet.

Mel Gilbert served as master of ceremonies for the event. For entertainment, council member Jack Greene offered a reading of "A Cowboy's Reincarnation."

Police Chief Bill Stone and Bruce Beal with the fire department were both presented 15-year service pins.

Next in longevity with 10 years was city police officer Robert Harbin.

Receiving five-year pins each were Bennie Anderson, with the See SERVICE, page 9

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In Brief

Train accident

LONDON (AP) — Three trains collided in south London at the height of this morning's rush hour, and at least 29 people were killed and 140 were injured, officials said. At least five people were trapped in the wreckage.

London Ambulance Service spokesman Chris Webb said 30 of the injured were in serious condition.

He said five people were still in the wreckage three hours after the crash occurred and added, "There could be many more trapped in other cars. We don't know. We can't get to them yet."

Local

East honored

The East Elementary campus here is to receive a certificate from the Texas Education Agency in recognition of what TEA calls "exceptional scores or high gains on the TEAMS test."

East is among 629 Texas schools receiving this honor. These schools either recorded 90 percent or more of its students as mastering all sections of the TEAMS test or recorded gains of 30 percent or more from the previous year.

East is being recognized for its high score.

Medical fund

A medical expense fund has been established at Olney Savings to defray hospital bills incurred by Keith Blagg of Ira.

He is in St. Mary of the Plains Hospital in Lubbock. For more information, contact Ann Richards at 573-2220.

Weather

Snyder Temperatures: High Saturday, 40 degrees; low, 25 degrees; 25 of an inch precipitation; high Sunday, 45 degrees; low, 22 degrees; reading at 7 a.m. Monday, 26 degrees; no precipitation; total precipitation for 1988 to date, 21.24 inches.

Snyder Area Forecast: Tonight, clear. Low near 30. Wind light and variable. Tuesday, sunny and warmer. High in the mid 60s. Wind south 5 to 15 mph.

# Stringer arrested at protest

AUSTIN (AP) — A photographer who was among 116 people arrested at a clinic where abortions are performed says he was only trying to do his job when he was taken in custody as he tried to take pictures of protesters.

Gary Kanadjian, 19, a freelance photographer on assignment for The Associated Press, was charged Saturday night with criminal trespass and released

on a personal recognizance bond. Members of the group "Austin Rescue" blocked the entrances to the clinic. Police said they probably would charge most of the protesters with criminal trespass.

Kanadjian said that when he arrived at the clinic he took photos of a protester being carried into a police van.

Immediately after he snapped the photos, he said, an officer in-

structed him to stand 12 to 15 yards from the van with other supporters of the group who did not want to be arrested.

"I told him 'I'm not with these people, I'm with the AP and I'm just trying to do my job,'" Kanadjian said.

Sgt. Eddie Byford, the officer who arrested Kanadjian, said he told the photographer that the media were told to stand in the same area, away from the van.

Byford said Kanadjian refused to move and was arrested after being warned to move to the media's designated area.

"After I gave him a warning, he was told he was to move back immediately and he refused," Byford said.

The photographer said he agreed to move, but added that he was going to call the spokesman for the Austin Police Department, C.F. Adams. Kanadjian said he was arrested after making that statement.

James Albright, a cameraman for KTBC-TV, said he heard Kanadjian say he was going to call Adams just before he was arrested.

# Bush transition called less sweeping than Reagan's

WASHINGTON (AP) — Setting up the George Bush administration — the task of some 300 people who toil in offices above a drugstore — is being underwritten by the taxpayers to the tune of about \$3.5 million.

Bush's paid transition staff has grown to 149 at last count, with about the same number of volunteers, officials say.

The highest paid are top advisers James Baker III and Fred Zeder, both of whom are being paid at an annual rate of \$71,377. After the transition, Baker will become secretary of state.

To meet the payroll as well as pay for copying, research, telephones, rent, supplies and the like, Bush receives a total of \$3.5 million in public money.

The money is allocated under the Presidential Transition Act of 1964. The amount was increased this year from the \$2 million that was allowed when President Reagan took office eight years ago.

The Bush operation, housed in three floors of an office building across the street from the hotel where Reagan was shot and wounded in 1981, is far more spare than the mini-bureaucracy of more than 1,000 people who worked for Reagan's transition in 1980.

And unlike Reagan, Bush is not supplementing his transition allowance with private donations.

"We just wanted to work within the money appropriated by the Congress and not make this become a big, fat, bloated operation," said transition spokesman David Prosperi. "This is not going to be a fast-growing bureaucracy. At this point close to \$800,000 has not been allocated by us to our budget, which does indicate that we could return a sizeable chunk of money to the federal Treasury."

Volunteers are being used in clerical positions and the work days for transition officials stretch into late-night hours that

have provoked some grumbling about the need for more staff.

Ray Fontaine, comptroller of

the General Services Administration, which is responsible for overseeing transition spending, called it a "very lean" operation.

# Singer's memorial to move to Los Angeles

GALLATIN, Tenn. (AP) — Memorial services for rock 'n' roll pioneer Roy Orbison move now to Los Angeles where mourners will celebrate his life rather than his death.

The first such service was Sunday, when 75 of his friends and music industry associates attended a 30-minute memorial where he was eulogized as a legendary performer with a world-wide following.

The second memorial, called by his family a "celebration of life," is scheduled for Tuesday night at a nightclub in Los Angeles near where Orbison lived for the past four years.

The name of the night spot is being kept private so the memorial will be open only for family and friends.

Orbison, whose recording career spanned 30 years, died of a heart attack Tuesday night at 52. He died in the Nashville suburb of Hendersonville while visiting friends and relatives.

He was best known for his 1960-era hits "Oh, Pretty Woman," "Only the Lonely" and "Crying." But he cultivated a new generation of fans in recent months as a member of the Traveling Wilburys with ex-Beatle George Harrison, Bob Dylan and Tom Petty.

Orbison got his musical start in the West Texas town of Wink, a Permian Basin oil field community to which his family moved during the oil boom of the 1940s. Orbison's father, Orvie Lee, worked in the fields, but found time to teach his son to play the guitar at the age of 6.

In high school, Orbison and a group of friends formed the Wink Westerners, which played country and western music at school dances and later had a radio and television show sponsored by a furniture store in nearby Odessa.

Orbison made his last trip back to the area last year for an oil aid concert to benefit the economically stricken oil field workers he grew up with.

Sunday's memorial was at the College Heights Baptist Church, about 30 miles northeast of Nashville, where Orbison worshipped when in Tennessee.

"He became a legend in his own time," the Rev. Larry Gilmore said in his eulogy. "He touched the lives of millions throughout the world."

"His ability in music is unquestioned. A world has benefited from what he shared in the music industry."

Among those attending the memorial were Orbison's brother, Sam, and one of his three sons, Wesley.

The memorial was open to the public, but most of those attending were associates of the late singer. Mourners sat quietly during the service, showing little emotion.

"I know that he would want us to have a time of thanksgiving," Gilmore told them.

"Roy didn't like funerals," Gilmore added. "He detested them."

Orbison's body was flown Saturday to Los Angeles. Barbara, his widow, flew to Los Angeles Wednesday from her native Germany, where she was visiting friends when the singer died.

The Nashville memorial was arranged by Grand Ole Opry singer Jean Shepard, whose husband Benny Birchfield was Orbison's road manager and guitarist in his band. Orbison had spent time with Birchfield the night the singer died.

Orbison was known for his ever-present sunglasses, dark attire and ebony pompadour. Many of his songs were about lost love and loneliness.

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# Oil Patch News

**Scurry County**  
McCann Corp. will drill the No. 1 Exxon-Dunn in the Lake Thomas field, 25 miles southwest of Snyder. Planned for a depth of 7,400 feet, location is in Section 72, Block 20 Lavaca Navigation Co. survey.

**Cockrell Production Co.** has completed the No. 2-A James McMillan in the Hermleigh field, 11 miles east of Snyder. The well produced 96 barrels of 431.8 gravity oil and 48 barrels of gas.

Gas-oil ratio was 1,052-1 with perforations from 7,060-096 feet. Location is in Section 100, Block 3, H&TC survey.

**Nolan County**  
Cockrell Production has completed the No. 2-164 Davis in the Doris field, eight miles north of Blackwell. The well produced 54 barrels of 46 gravity oil.

Gas-oil ratio was 407-1 with perforations from 3,967-972 feet. Location is in Section 164, Block 1-A, H&TC survey.

**American Cascade Energy** will drill the No. 1 Erik in the White Flat field, two miles east of Haddon. Planned for a depth of 6,000 feet, location is in Section 37, Block 20, T&P survey.

**Garza County**  
Campbell Oil Ltd. has completed the No. 1-42 PLK in the Teas field, 13 miles south of Post. The well produced 75 barrels of 35.2 gravity oil and 63 barrels of water.

Gas-oil ratio was 333-1 with perforations from 8,120-130 feet. Location is in Section 42, Block 2, T&NO survey.

**Union Oil of California** will drill the No. 20-C Stoker in the Rocker A field, 10 miles southeast of Post. Planned for a depth of 5,400 feet, location is in Section 938, Block 97, H&TC survey.

**Kent County**  
Mobil Producing has completed the No. 319-A Salt Creek unit in the Salt Creek field, nine miles northwest of Clairemont. The well produced 434 barrels of

39.2 gravity oil and 1,343 barrels of water.

Gas-oil ratio was 362-1 with perforations from 6,175-518 feet. Location is in Section 3, D. R. Stout survey.

**Howard County**  
Marathon Oil has completed the No. 28 Kloh in the Howard-Glasscock field, four miles southwest of Forsan. The venture was financed to produce 32 barrels of 30 gravity oil and 313 barrels of water.

Gas-oil ratio was 156-1 with perforations from 2,472-504 feet. Location is in Section 5, Block 32, T2S, T&P survey.

**Tanos Petroleum** has completed the No. 8 Barnett in the Moore field, 4 miles southwest of Big Spring. The well produced 25 barrels of 29 gravity oil and three barrels of water. Perforations were from 3,076-094 feet, and location is in Section 21, Block 33, T1S, T&P survey.

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Dear Abby



# Public Library's Free Access Stops Short at County Line

By Abigail Van Buren  
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DEAR ABBY: You encouraged your readers to use and support their public libraries, saying, "Our libraries are filled with knowledge and joy, and it's all there — free for the taking."

Abby, it's not all there "free for the taking." Near my home is a small branch library that my children and I visit frequently. Recently, I needed more in-depth information than was available in our small library, so I went to the main library downtown to research further. There I was told that before I could check out materials from the library, I must pay \$15 for a library card that was valid for one year!

As a teacher, I have often assigned projects requiring students to use the public library, thinking I was doing them a favor, not only in requiring them to learn to use the library, but hoping to introduce them to the wealth of materials available there. I never dreamed of the financial burden I might be putting on them! Fifteen dollars may not seem like much, but to single parents or poor people, \$15 could be one week's grocery money. I was appalled to learn that not all tax-supported, public libraries were free to everyone.

I am going to write to Gov. Campbell about this.

A SOUTH CAROLINA TAXPAYER, TEACHER AND SINGLE PARENT

DEAR TAXPAYER, TEACHER, ETC.: Please don't bother Gov. Campbell. I checked with the main library in Columbia, S.C., and was told that residents of the county pay nothing for a library card, but non-residents are charged \$15 a year. The cost varies; in Beverly Hills, Calif., the charge is \$50 a year for non-residents who are not members of certain reciprocal libraries.

DEAR ABBY: Let your readers know that in some states a divorce can be annulled, thus reinstating the original marriage. There are some advantages to having a divorce annulled, especially where children are involved.

Couples wanting to annul a divorce should consult with an attorney in the state where the divorce was granted to find out if

this procedure is available to them as it is in Kentucky.

RUSSELL L. CROLEY, KENTUCKY LAWYER

DEAR LAWYER: Annuling a divorce? That was news to me. Thanks for some valuable information.

DEAR ABBY: This letter concerns "Angry Parents," who were upset because the welfare department named their son as the father of a young girl's child.

1. You were correct to say that the welfare department did not name the boy as the father — the girl did. 2. In many states, a welfare agency is entitled to reimbursement for monies paid on behalf of the child, and whoever the woman names can and should be subject to legal proceedings and blood testings.

Those parents should be grateful that the blood test showed that their son was not the father, and he will not be liable for 18 years of child support.

Abby, please inform your readers that if they have a child born out of wedlock and wish to have paternity established in order to obtain a child support order, they should call their local child support enforcement agency. It is usually located in the county attorney's office. This legal service is provided free.

Abby, if your readers would like more information, tell them to contact their local child support agency. We also provide free services for women/men who are divorced and have been unable to obtain court-ordered support monies from their ex-spouse.

ALAN K. POLLEY, COCHISE COUNTY ATTORNEY, JAN WOODFILL, CHILD SUPPORT COORDINATOR, BISBEE, ARIZ.

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# Astro-Graph

By Bernice Bede Osol



Your Birthday

Dec. 13, 1988

Considerable travel for commercial purposes is a strong likelihood in the year ahead. What you'll want might not be on your doorstep and you'll have to move around a bit to get it.

**SAGITTARIUS (Nov. 23-Dec. 21)** You'll be able to sell another of your ideas easily today. This person will be enthusiastic and waiting for something to develop, so be sure you follow through. 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.

**AQUARIUS (Jan. 20-Feb. 19)** Take pains to give credit where credit is due today, especially if it was an associate's cooperation that made your achievement possible. Good manners assure you of this person's continued help.

**PISCES (Feb. 20-March 20)** More opportunities than usual are still hovering about you. Do not take these conditions for granted, because they could be subject to change.

**ARIES (March 21-April 19)** Do not act against your own best interests today in order to placate a selfish associate who never thinks of anyone else. Be fair, but not foolish.

**TAURUS (April 20-May 20)** It may not be wise today to accept compensation or praise for an achievement that is not yet complete. Delays could occur that might embarrass you.

**GEMINI (May 21-June 20)** If you have arrived at a decision that is predicated

upon careful study, don't deviate from it today. You should get the results you anticipate if you follow through on plans you've outlined.

**CANCER (June 21-July 22)** Resources you have earmarked for essentials should not be diverted to frivolous channels today so that later you won't come up short when bills are due.

**LEO (July 23-Aug. 22)** Today you may be tempted to renege on a promise you've made to another. It's best that you don't, since this person will be counting on you.

**VIRGO (Aug. 23-Sept. 22)** Pressing assignments or tasks should be attended to as early in the day as possible. Your determination could wane considerably if they are left to the last minute.

**LIBRA (Sept. 23-Oct. 23)** Your chances for success will be substantially enhanced today if you don't make what's in it for you your primary consideration. Selfish thoughts will restrict your thinking.

**SCORPIO (Oct. 24-Nov. 22)** Be sincerely appreciative of one who will treat you generously today, even though you might not get all that you hoped for. This person will be doing the best that can be done for you.

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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.  
 Scurry Charter Chapter American Business Women's Association; MAWC; Christmas party and gift exchange; 7 p.m.  
 Delta Kappa Gamma; The Shack; dinner, new member initiation; 7 p.m.  
 Open duplicate bridge, Colorado City bridge room; 7 p.m.  
 La Leche League; First United Methodist Church; "Nutrition and Weaning"; 7 p.m. For information call 573-7844.  
 Rebekah Lodge 294; lodge hall, 7:30 p.m.  
 White Buffalo Stamp Club; TU Reddy Room; 7:30 p.m.  
 American Legion Layne Kite Post 181 and auxiliary; 7:30 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.  
 Patchwork Squares Extension Homemakers Club; 9:30 a.m.  
 Free blood pressure clinic; Ira Community Center; 1-2 p.m.  
 Atheneum Study Club; MAWC; 4 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.  
 Amitee Study Club; Christmas party and gift exchange; home of Pete Haley; 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.  
 Canyon Gun Club; 3201 Ave. M; 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

Snyder Christian Women's Club; Snyder Country Club; 11:15 a.m.-1:15 p.m.; \$6 luncheon, \$1 beverage only; reservations must be made by noon Tuesday by calling 573-9969 or 573-8942.  
 Altruistic Daughters; MAWC; noon; Christmas luncheon and gift exchange.  
 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

Honey Do's Extension Homemaker Club; 9:30 a.m.  
 Cogdell Memorial Hospital Auxiliary; board room; all members urged to attend; 10 a.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.  
 Deep Creek Chapter of American Business Women's Association; The Texan; white elephant gift exchange; 6:30 p.m.  
 Business and Professional Women's Club; MAWC; Christmas dinner and gift exchange; 6:30 p.m.  
 Snyder Chapter 450 Order of the Eastern Star; Masonic Lodge; 7:30 p.m.  
 Alateen; for the children of alcoholics; 8 p.m. For more information, call 573-2101 or 573-8626.  
 Scurry County Alcoholics Anonymous; Park Club in Winston Park; 8 p.m. For 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.  
 Iota Psi Sorority; Snyder Country Club; 7 p.m.  
 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.  
 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.

## SUNDAY

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

### Police officer seriously wounded

HOUSTON (AP) — A Houston police officer was seriously wounded after reportedly being shot by a teen-ager who police say was involved in a purse-snatching incident at a local shopping mall.  
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# Foreigners tell about panicked flight

BEIJING (AP) — Foreigners caught in a clash between Chinese police and nationalists in Tibet's capital told of diving behind vendors' tables and running down narrow alleys as troops open fire without warning.

"People were falling and screaming. I saw people carrying wounded Tibetans on their backs, running into their houses and trying to find some place to hide," said Ron Schwartz, a sociology professor at the University of Newfoundland in St. Johns, Canada.

He said he dashed up a street to dodge police bullets and tear gas. "It seemed like an eternity I was running up that street," he said in a telephone interview Sunday with The Associated Press.

The clash broke out Saturday in Lhasa when 30 Tibetans, identified by the official Xinhua News Agency as Buddhist monks and nuns, marched into a market

with the banned Tibetan flag to commemorate the 40th anniversary of the U.N. Declaration on Human Rights. The protesters, dressed in street clothes and face masks, demanded an end to 38 years of Chinese communist rule over the Himalayan Mountain region.

China said Sunday that a Buddhist monk was killed and 13 people were wounded when police fired at demonstrators. Schwartz said the monk had been carrying Tibet's banned flag.

Police "appeared, marching in

a tight formation. They fanned out in an arc, some very close to the monks," said Schwartz. He and the other foreign witnesses said the police then opened fire without warning.

The nationally televised evening news said police "were forced to fire" when "some troublemakers refused to heed a warning and threw stones and bottles at police."

"The soldiers were running after us. They came so close," said Christa Meindersma of Amsterdam, the Netherlands,

who was shot in the left arm. "They started shooting, and we started running. I ran for my life," said another witness, an English woman who spoke on condition of anonymity.

One traveler, speaking on condition of anonymity, said a Tibetan who went to a hospital to give blood for the wounded saw four bodies.

The foreigners, who spoke by telephone from their hotels, said authorities imposed tight security in Lhasa and searched foreigners' hotel rooms on Sunday.

Ms. Meindersma said after she was wounded, she tried to hide "but they came after me so I ran again."

"There was no looking back, it was just running, running. I heard the bullets skimming past my head: shoo, shoo. My only thought was, 'I have to hide.' I ran into a Tibetan courtyard. There were many people there in panic. I said, 'I'm wounded,' and I fainted."

A British man who spoke on condition of anonymity said he ran in a different direction and found himself in a narrow alley with about 50 Tibetans.

"The police fired tear gas at both ends of the alley," he said.

# Vietnam souvenirs preserve memories

DALLAS (AP) — Many have tried to put the memories of Vietnam behind them.

D.J. Goodwin thought he had left the Vietnam War behind, but now he is contemplating starting a museum with the many pieces of military memorabilia he has collected.

"I left it alone for 15 years," Goodwin said. "I did what I was supposed to do, came back and that was it... I even sold my own medals."

But now Goodwin's booth at a Dallas flea market is stocked with such hard-to-find Vietnam mementos as South Vietnamese medals and North Vietnamese uniforms. Among his most prized items is a South Vietnam flag autographed by Bob Hope, Raquel Welch and other stars who entertained troops in Vietnam.

Goodwin, who believes he has the largest collection of Vietnam souvenirs in the Southwest, served six months at sea in 1966 aboard the USS Kearsarge and the USS Coral Sea before being discharged the next year.

He takes his displays to veterans reunions and other events, and is usually accompanied by Al Kermendy, another Vietnam veteran.

"Anything from Vietnam, I'll take," Goodwin said.

Goodwin said many Vietnam veterans, like himself, simply tossed away items related to the

war because the conflict had been so unpopular. But those who have such souvenirs are now beginning to drag them out of closets and a market is growing for those goods.

Goodwin said he recently took a course on operating a museum and will begin soliciting donors to bring his dream of a Vietnam museum to reality.

"It's a way for us to preserve the history of what's behind it," Goodwin told the Fort Worth Star-Telegram. "It's the only war we lost. If we don't give a damn about Vietnam, who does?"

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## Bridge

James Jacoby

NORTH 12-12-88			
♦ A K 8 4	♠ A K 4	♥ A K 7 4	♣ A
WEST			
♦ 10 5 3	♠ 7 6 2	♥ 8 5	♣ K 10 9 5 2
EAST			
♦ - - -	♠ Q J 10 8 5	♥ A 9 6 3 2	♣ Q 6 3
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Vulnerable: East-West Dealer: West			
West	North	East	South
Pass	1♦	1♥	1♠
Pass	4♦	Pass	4♠
Pass	4NT	Pass	5♠
Pass	6♠	Pass	Pass
*splinter bid			
Opening lead: ♥ 7			

### Sharing the benefits


By James Jacoby

Avid tournament players are quick to try out new ideas in bidding, but what about social and rubber bridge players? One reader writes that in his game, any suggestions for new uses for bids are branded as "highfaluting nonsense suitable only for duplicate nuts." Of course bridge is a fascinating game even at the basic level. But suppose I can show the players in your regular game a useful bid they can understand and remember? Cut this article out and show it to your friends.

The recommendation is called a splinter bid, and here's how it works. After you have opened the bidding and your partner has responded, a double jump in a new suit by you (the opener) shows a singleton or a void in that suit. It also shows four-card support for responder's suit and a hand strong enough to insist upon playing game. Obviously responder must bid at least game in the agreed suit.

In today's deal the jump to four clubs was a splinter bid. Although responder's hand was not powerful, he knew that opener's hand was very strong, so along the way to four spades it cost him nothing to show that he had a useful card in the opener's diamond suit. That was all that was needed for North to ask for aces and bid the cold small slam.

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. © 1988, NEWSPAPER ENTERPRISE ASSN.



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  - Equipment
  - Author Gardner
  - Ibsen character
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  - Layer of tissue
  - Cloistered woman
  - Actor Bruce
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  - Artist's cap
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  - New Zealand parrot
  - Traffic route
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  - Charitable
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  - loss
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  - Unfreeze
  - Swift aircraft (abbr.)

Answer to Previous Puzzle

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Hold on to beat Washington...

# Cowboys snap losing string

WASHINGTON (AP) - After enduring 10 weeks of frustration, the Dallas Cowboys didn't treat their victory over the defending world champion Washington Redskins as just another win.

"Our guys were so excited you would think we won the Super Bowl," Dallas Coach Tom Landry said Sunday after the Cowboys' 24-17 victory over the Redskins. "Everyone was looking for champagne."

Steve Pelluer threw three touchdown passes to rookie Michael Irvin, the last one with 4:50 left, to enable the Cowboys to end a 10-game losing streak and eliminate Washington from playoff contention.

"It's a great win for us, but to do it in RFK Stadium against the Redskins makes it all the sweeter," said Dallas defensive end Randy White, a 14-year veteran who remembers the days when the Cowboy-Redskin rivalry usually decided a playoff

birth. Washington, 7-8, committed five turnovers and gained only 24 yards on the ground in losing for the fourth time in five games.

Injuries have played a big part in the Redskins' slide, and Sunday's game was no exception. After three-time Pro Bowl cornerback Darrell Green broke his left hand in the second quarter, Irvin feasted on his replacement, Dennis Woodberry.

Irvin, the Cowboys' top draft

pick, had scored only two touchdowns in his previous 14 games. But he burned Woodberry for all three scores.

"I told the coaches I could beat him deep," Irvin said. "The name of the business is that everybody is trying to put everybody else out of a job."

Irvin's final TD of the game came four plays after Dallas' Robert Williams intercepted Mark Rypien's pass and returned it 12 yards to the Redskin 24.

On third-and-nine from the Washington 12, Irvin slipped behind Woodberry and gathered in Pelluer's pass in the right side of the end zone.

The Cowboys, 3-12, last won a game on Sept. 25, and the 10-game skid equaled a team-mark set in 1960, their first year in the NFL.

Pelluer, enjoying a third straight impressive outing after a two-game hiatus on the bench, completed 21 of 35 passes for 333 yards. Irvin had six catches for 149 yards.

The Redskins, who earlier fought back from a 14-point deficit, almost pulled even again after quarterback Doug Williams moved them from their own 15 to the Cowboy 13. But four straight incompletions killed the drive with 1:59 left.

Williams had one final chance to force an overtime. But his fourth-down pass in the end zone to Don Warren was tipped away by Michael Downs with 22 seconds remaining.

## NFL glance

By The Associated Press

AMERICAN CONFERENCE		NATIONAL CONFERENCE		
W	L	T	Pct.	
x-Buffalo	12	3	0	.800
New England	9	6	0	.600
Indianapolis	8	7	0	.533
N.Y. Jets	7	7	1	.500
Miami	5	9	0	.357
Central				
y-Cincinnati	11	4	0	.733
Houston	10	5	0	.667
Cleveland	9	5	0	.643
Pittsburgh	4	11	0	.267

West		East		
W	L	T	Pct.	
Seattle	8	7	0	.533
L.A. Raiders	7	8	0	.467
Denver	7	8	0	.467
San Diego	5	10	0	.333
Kansas City	4	10	1	.300
NATIONAL CONFERENCE				
W	L	T	Pct.	
N.Y. Giants	10	5	0	.667
Philadelphia	9	6	0	.600
Washington	7	8	0	.467
Phoenix	7	8	0	.467
Dallas	3	12	0	.200
Central				
x-Chicago	12	3	0	.800
Minnesota	10	5	0	.667
Tampa Bay	4	11	0	.267
Detroit	4	11	0	.267
Green Bay	3	12	0	.200
West				
y-San Francisco	10	5	0	.667
L.A. Rams	9	6	0	.600
New Orleans	9	6	0	.600
Atlanta	5	10	0	.333

## High school grid pairings

Here are the pairings for next weekend's high school state championship games:

**Class 5A Championship**  
Dallas Carter (14-0-1) vs. Converse Judson (14-1), noon Saturday, Texas Stadium, Irving.

**Class 4A Championship**  
Paris (12-3) vs. West Orange-Stark (12-2), 2 p.m. Saturday, Kyle Field, College Station.

**Class 3A Championship**  
Southlake Carroll (15-0) vs. Navasota (12-3), 8 p.m. Saturday, Floyd Casey Stadium, Waco.

**Class 2A Championship**  
Quannah (14-1) vs. Corrigan-Camden (14-0-1), 7:30 p.m. Saturday, Pennington Field, Bedford.

**Class A Championship**  
White Deer (14-0) vs. Flatonia (14-1), 7:30 p.m. Saturday, Sweetwater.

**Saturday's Games**  
New York Jets 34, Indianapolis 16  
Philadelphia 23, Phoenix 17

**Sunday's Games**  
Houston 41, Cincinnati 6  
Dallas 24, Washington 17  
Chicago 13, Detroit 12  
New York Giants 28, Kansas City 12  
New England 10, Tampa Bay 7, OT  
Buffalo 37, Los Angeles Raiders 21  
Green Bay 18, Minnesota 6  
San Francisco 30, New Orleans 17  
San Diego 20, Pittsburgh 14  
Los Angeles Rams 22, Atlanta 7  
Seattle 42, Denver 14

**Monday's Game**  
Cleveland at Miami

## Appleton captures all-around

**EDITOR'S NOTE:** Dave Appleton was a standout rodeo performer at Western Texas College under Coach Bob Doty when he came to the United States from Australia in 1980.

LAS VEGAS (AP) - America's top cowboy is an Australian.

Dave Appleton, a small-town Australian who came to the United States eight years ago with a dream of making it big in rodeo, did just that Sunday when he captured the bareback riding final to edge three-time defending champion Lewis Feilds and win the coveted all-around cowboy award.

"I'm living proof that dreams come true," Appleton said. "I'm an Australian until the day I die, but you'll never find me bad-mouth this country. It's answered every dream I've ever had."

Appleton, 28, who now lives in Arlington, Texas, came from behind on the final day of the world's richest rodeo to capture the bareback riding event and take the all-around title that Feilds has owned the last three years.

"I did it the Australian way," Appleton said. "I didn't bang down the door, I snuck through the peephole."

Feilds, of Elk Ridge, Utah, failed to place in the bareback final and finished in a tie for third in the saddle bronc riding. He won \$12,081 on the day to finish second in the year-ending overall money race for cowboys who compete in at least two rodeo events.

Appleton ended the season with \$121,546 in winnings, with \$44,064 of that coming in the nine-day National Finals Rodeo at the Thomas and Mack Center on the University of Nevada-Las Vegas campus. Feilds finished just behind Appleton with \$120,902, including \$47,508 in NFR earnings.

CONFERENCE ACTION - Odessa's Angelia Meadowh tries to control a loose ball as Western Texas sophomore Stacy Smith moves during Saturday's WJCAC ballgame at Scurry County Coliseum. The WTC Lady Dusters won, 69-51. (SDN Staff Photo)

# Dusters whip Odessa, 69-51

Western Texas College's Lady Dusters put on a second-half surge to run past rival Odessa in conference basketball action here Saturday afternoon, 69-51.

The game was the Lady Dusters' final of the first semester and gives Coach Kelly Chadwick's bunch a 13-4 record as they depart for a holiday break.

"I thought the kids played great defense and did the things we needed to do to win," said Coach Chadwick, whose Dusters broke open a five-point ballgame by outscoring the Lady Wranglers 16-3 in a six-minute span of the second half.

Western led just 36-33 before Nickey Allen nailed back-to-back baskets to ignite the Dusters. Lawanda Bonner answered with two points for Odessa, but Tami

Wilson countered for Western to begin a 10-point string by the hosts. Haskell sophomore Julie Roewe dumped in six points and Elayne Maddox came off the bench for two more. Odessa's Rhonda Hendersn added a free throw with 6:56 to play but it became a 52-36 ballgame when Stephanie McKnight followed with a field goal for the home team.

Western, which put four players in double figures, went on to lead by 20 points, 68-48, with 1:02 to play.

Odessa, paced by Angela Meadowh's 14 points, never led in the game. Wilson bagged two baskets and Stacy Smith scored one as WTC jumped out to a 6-0 lead to start the game. The Lady Dusters led 13-4 early and 19-10 with 5:54 to go in the first half before Odessa rallied behind Meadowh, a 5-11 freshman. The Lady Wranglers trailed 26-21 at intermission.

Smith, a 5-10 sophomore from Amarillo, had eight of WTC's first-half points.

"Stacy kept us in the game ear-

ly with good shooting," said Chadwick, who praised each of the Dusters, including Maddox and Tabitha Walton, who came off the bench in the second half when regulars Smith and Allen got in foul trouble.

"It was a team victory all the way. It was good to see Julie (Roewe) loosen up and really start to play. Stephanie directed us real well out there. It was just a total team effort," the coach said.

Wilson, a 6-0 freshman from Seagraves, led Western with 16 points. Allen and Smith scored 14 each, McKnight 13 and Roewe eight.

Meadowh was the only Odessa player in double figures. Point-guard Janice Holliday, who came into the game averaging over 13 points, managed just nine, and had only two points at halftime.

The Dusters will take a 2-0 conference record into the holiday break. They return to action Jan. 5 to begin play in the Odessa Classic.

Western Texas 69, Odessa 51  
 ODESSA (51)- Patricia Rivers 0-4-0; Lisa Dumas 2-0-2; Angela Meadowh 3-8-11; Lawanda Bonner 2-3-4; Stephanie Sanford 2-0-4; Janice Holliday 3-2-2; Rhonda Hendersn 13-4-5; Cynthia Hernandez 3-0-0-6; Kim Foster 1-0-2-2; TOTALS 17-16-27-51.

WESTERN TEXAS (69)- Tami Wilson 7-23-16; Stacy Smith 7-0-0-14; Stephanie McKnight 4-5-13; Nickey Allen 6-2-2-14; Tabitha Walton 0-0-2-0; Elayne Maddox 2-0-1-4; Julie Roewe 4-0-0-8; TOTALS 30-9-15-69.

Halftime: WTC 26, OC 21; 3-Point Goals: OC 1 (Holiday 1); Fouls: OC 20, WTC 21; Fouled Out: None; Records: WTC 13-4, 2-0; OC 9-6, 0-1.

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**Cat squads battle tonight**

Snyder underclassmen will host several basketball games this evening, beginning at 5 p.m.

The boy's seventh grade will host Colorado City at 5 p.m. in Travis Gym. Also at 5 p.m., the eighth grade will play at the junior high gym. They will be followed by the freshmen boys, who will also play in the junior high gym.

The local freshmen girls will host Abilene in the high school gym at 6 p.m.

**Varsities play Tuesday**

Snyder varsity and junior varsity basketball teams gear up for more action - including the District 4-4A opener for Coach Ken Housden's girls - this Tuesday.

The Lady Tigers clash with the Lady Mustangs in Sweetwater at 7:30 p.m. Tuesday. A junior varsity contest is set for 6 p.m.

Also Tuesday, Coach Larry Scott's boys play in Seminole at 7:30 p.m. A JV game is also set for 6 p.m.

Scott's boys are open this weekend but are reportedly looking for a ballgame since weather forced them to drop out of the Denver City Tournament last week.

The varsity girls stay on the road to play Pecos in their second 4-4A contest Friday.

# WTC men scare No. 1 Odessa

Coach Tony Mauldin's Westerners threw a scare into the nation's No. 1 ranked team here Saturday, but fell in a thriller at Scurry County Coliseum, 84-81.

Odessa came into the game with a 13-0 record, the top ranking in the NJCAA, and the leading scorer in the country in Larry Johnson.

The Wranglers left with a 14-0 mark, but knew they had been pushed to the wall.

"The guys fought hard," said a disappointed Coach Mauldin. "We made a few mistakes there at the end. A couple of throw-aways that gave them layups. When it got to crunch time they had some players come through for them."

With 4:50 to play, point-guard Keith Hawkins scored a layup off a steal to give Western a 73-72 lead. Johnson, an All-American and last season's juco player of the year, put the Wranglers back on top moments later, then added another goal for insurance. Odessa's lead grew to 78-73 before Vladimir McCrary hit a 3-pointer for the hosts.

Trailing just 78-76, Western had a chance to pull closer but Hawkins missed a shot and Ricky O'Neal countered for the Wranglers. Moments later, Johnson blocked a McCrary field goal attempt, kept control of the ball, and flung it downcourt to a racing Lynn Collins for two more points and an 82-76 lead with 1:40 to play.

McCrary, a 6-7 standout from San Antonio, kept Western close in the final minutes by hitting four 3-point baskets. His final effort came inside 30 seconds and put Western within three points, 84-81. O'Neal had a chance to sew up the game for Odessa, but he missed the front end of a bonus free throw situation with 17 seconds left. Western's Bernard Williams got off a shot but missed. The rebound was knocked out of bounds by Odessa with two seconds left. A last-second shot attempt by Tony Joyce was blocked.

Western was led by McCrary's

26 points. Bobby Spear had 23, including 19 in the first half, but was in constant foul trouble. The 6-5 sophomore sat out about eight minutes of the second half and fouled out with 52 seconds to play.

Tony Joyce and Ken Critton scored eight points each for Western. Jerry Joyce and Bernard Williams added seven each.

Odessa was led by Johnson, the 6-6 league MVP from Dallas, who scored 30. O'Neal scored 13 and Sammie Freeman added 12.

Now 9-6 overall and 0-3 in conference play, Western will take a near month-long holiday break before resuming action Jan. 5 in the Trinity Valley Tournament in Athens.

Odessa 84, Western Texas 81  
 ODESSA (84)- Tony Jackson 3-0-6; Larry Johnson 13-4-30; Ricky O'Neal 4-0-8; Lynn Collins 5-2-13; Sammie Freeman 4-0-0-12; Anthony Sullen 2-0-4; Derrick Grace 4-0-8; Pat Nash 1-0-3; TOTALS 38-6-10-84.

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Halftime: OC 48, WTC 44; 3-Point Goals: OC 2 (Collins 1, Nash 1), WTC 6 (B. Williams 1, McCrary 4, J. Joyce 1); Fouls: OC 14, WTC 15; Fouled Out: Jackson, Spear, Records: OC 14-0, 2-0; WTC 9-6, 0-3.

## NBA glance

By The Associated Press

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Monday's Game  
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 Texas A&M 68, Southwest Texas State 65  
 Rice 92, Nevada-Reno 80  
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**3 BEDROOM,** 2 Bath, Brick Home. Plantroom, L.R., Den, Lots of Closets, Store House. H2O Softner. For Sale Via Owner. 3402 Kerrville. 915-573-2874.

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# Poll: Americans to spend at least \$200 for gifts

NEW YORK (AP) — Most Americans intend to spend at least \$200 on Christmas gifts this season, and one in four will spend at least \$500, a Media General survey shows.

Given those expenses, it's not surprising that a vast majority of Americans — 85 percent — say they believe Christmas is too commercialized.

Still, a plurality celebrate the holiday as a religious, not just a social, occasion.

The survey of 1,084 adults in the continental United States was conducted by telephone Nov. 10-20.

The poll suggested that Americans remain strongly

religious and have a deep fondness for the Christmas season. But it also showed significant differences in viewpoints among regions and age groups.

Eighty-nine percent of those answering the poll identified themselves as Catholic or Protestant; the rest were Jewish, "other," or had no religion.

Ninety-six percent of respondents said they celebrate Christmas and 87 percent said they look forward to the Christmas holidays.

About a third thinks of Christmas as mainly a social holiday, and about one-quarter regard it as primarily religious. The largest number — 38 percent

— consider it religious and social.

The poll also showed that nearly seven in 10 Americans are churchgoers, and four in 10 had been to church the week before the poll. Sixty-four percent said they generally go to church on Christmas.

The poll suggested that Americans are in a somewhat more generous mood this holiday season than they were seven years ago, when an AP-NBC News poll showed that 69 percent intended to cut back on gift spending.

In the new poll, nearly half said they'll spend the same as they have for the last few years; 27 percent will spend more. Only 23

percent said they intend to spend less.

Sixty-nine percent said they intend to give gifts to at least 10 other people, and only 3 percent will be giving to none. Twenty percent will be giving to 20 or more people.

Finally, seven in 10 people say they usually receive the gifts they really want; one in four don't.

The poll indicated that Americans who live in the South and Midwest have stronger religious traditions than those in the West and Northeast, and that black Americans are more religiously observant than whites, conservatives more than

liberals, Catholics more than Protestants.

For instance, 75 percent of those in the South and 71 percent of those in the north-central states said they attended church services during the year, compared with 69 percent in the Northeast and 57 percent in the West.

Eighty-three percent of blacks are churchgoers, compared with 69 percent of whites; 75 percent of conservatives compared with 56 percent of liberals; 76 percent of Catholics compared with 71 percent of Protestants.

The poll also showed that younger adults are more likely to look forward to Christmas than their elders, and that they also

are much more likely to view Christmas as a primarily social, not religious, holiday.

Overall the poll has a margin of error of plus or minus 3 percentage points, but a somewhat higher error rate for answers involving subgroups.

Media General Inc., a Richmond, Va.-based communications company, publishes the Richmond Times-Dispatch, The Richmond News Leader, the Tampa (Fla.) Tribune and the Winston-Salem (N.C.) Journal, and operates TV stations WXFL in Tampa, WCBD in Charleston, S.C., and WJKS in Jacksonville, Fla.

# Study: school discipline hits blacks hardest

NEW YORK (AP) — Black students especially in the South are far more likely than whites to be targets of corporal punishment or school suspension, according to a study.

"Teachers often overreact to blacks, especially black males. Interestingly, that's true even with black teachers," said Joan McCarty First, executive director of the Boston-based National Coalition of Advocates for Students, which Sunday released an analysis of federal school data.

The report found black youngsters are more than twice as likely to be hit or be labeled mentally retarded as whites. And while blacks make up 16 percent of the school population, they comprise only 8 percent of those

in gifted student programs.

The findings were based on an analysis of biennial data published by the U.S. Department of Education's Office of Civil Rights in 1986, the latest year available. The coalition study projected the rates at which students of different races suffered various school penalties.

The coalition found that the 10 states with the biggest black-white disparities in the rate of corporal punishment were nearly all southern: Arkansas, Tennessee, Texas, Florida, New Mexico, Ohio, Georgia, Indiana, Arizona and Oklahoma.

Nationwide, male students account for 80 percent of corporal punishment incidents and 70 percent of suspensions, the study found.

It shed little light, however, on why blacks seem to bear the brunt of school penalties.

Mary Hatwood Futrell, president of the National Education Association, called the analysis "disheartening" and said the study indicated that teachers and administrators sometimes respond in a racist manner to certain students.

"We have our own built-in prejudices about the way certain kids can learn, or how they talk, or how they walk or dress," she said. "I don't see a lot of efforts to counter that."

Jane Usdan, a spokeswoman for the American Federation of Teachers, said her union rejected racism as the explanation.

"It's clear that there are pro-

blems. Schools aren't reaching the majority of the students we need to reach. Teachers need the flexibility to meet the needs of individual students," she said.

First said the results don't mean blacks and other minority students are breaking school rules more often than whites.

Instead, she said, "teachers tend to react out of their frustration and irritation."

She said few school districts have systematic controls over discipline, such as requiring teachers to document in writing why a student was referred for discipline. It means students are often punished for trivial offenses, she said.

Among the report's findings:

— Nationwide, 5.22 percent of black students received corporal

punishment, compared with only 2.28 percent of whites and 2.05 percent of Hispanics.

Arkansas had the biggest statewide disparity in corporal punishment rates: 22.57 percent of blacks received such punishment, compared with 10.99 percent of whites, and 5.64 percent of Hispanics.

— Nationwide, 9.07 percent of blacks, 4.44 percent of Hispanics, and 4.05 percent of whites were suspended from school.

The racial imbalance in suspension rates was largest in Ohio: blacks were suspended at a projected 16 percent rate, Hispanics at 9.54 percent, whites at 4.8 percent.

— Blacks nationwide were placed in special classes for "educable mentally retarded" at

a 2.3 percent rate, while 0.87 percent of whites and 0.56 percent of Hispanics were similarly labeled.

Alabama exhibited the greatest differences: blacks were labeled "educable mentally retarded" at a 6.13 percent rate, compared with 1.99 percent of whites, and 0.79 percent of Hispanics.

— 5.35 percent of white pupils get placed in gifted programs nationwide, compared with 2.44 percent among blacks and 2.41 percent among Hispanics.

The differences were largest in South Carolina, where whites were placed in such programs at a 9.46 percent rate, compared with 5.62 percent of Hispanics and 2.03 percent of blacks.

# Nearly 10 million lost jobs due to shutdowns

WASHINGTON (AP) — Nearly 10 million Americans lost their jobs due to plant closings or layoffs from 1983 to 1988 despite the longest peacetime economic expansion in the nation's history, the government reports.

Of 9.7 million displaced workers during the period, 4.7 million were so-called "tenured" workers who had held their jobs for three years or more, the Bureau of Labor Statistics says in the latest of its biennial reports on worker displacement.

That was a slight decline from earlier BLS studies of overlapping five-year periods — 1979-84 and 1981-86 — which both had shown that 5.1 million tenured workers lost their jobs during the respective periods. But each of those periods also included the severe recession of 1981-82.

As a result, government and private economists say the new figures show a persisting displacement problem.

Larry Mishel, an economist for the Economic Policy Institute, a liberal Washington think tank, called the decline in job displacement after the recession years "surprisingly small."

The BLS began conducting the displacement surveys in 1984 at the request of the Labor Department's Employment and Training Administration. The latest report was released over the weekend.

While the 1984 and 1986 surveys showed 50 percent of the displaced workers coming out of factories, only 40 percent of the tenured workers losing their jobs in 1983-88 had been employed in manufacturing.

In conjunction, the distribution of the layoffs has shifted somewhat from blue-collar occupations such as machine operators, laborers and repairmen during the recession periods to white-collar management and sales occupations from 1983 to 1988.

"This was the lean-and-mean era, when companies went after middle-level managers and other white-collar workers," said Mishel. "But a lot of it, especially in retail trade, is also somewhat related to these leveraged buyouts. It's probably the better-paid retail workers who lost their jobs."

One thing that hasn't changed is the percentage of workers who were given some kind of advance notice before losing their jobs. In all three surveys, roughly six of

every 10 displaced workers had been told in advance to "expect a layoff."

But only two of every 10 in the latest survey said they had received a written notice of their impending dismissals — a trend bound to change in view of a new law requiring 60 days written notice of plant closings and large layoffs beginning in 1989.

Of the 4.7 million tenured workers who lost their jobs from 1983 to the end of 1987, 71 percent or approximately 3.2 million of them had new jobs as of January last year and 14 percent of them said they were looking for work.

That compares favorably with re-employment rates of 67 percent and 60 percent and unemployment rates of 18 percent and 25 percent in the respective 1986 and 1984 surveys.

Of those re-employed full-time, 56 percent reported making as much or more money in their new jobs while 44 percent reported making less — in current dollars unadjusted for inflation.

About 28 percent reported that their earnings had increased by 20 percent or more in their new jobs. Taking inflation into account, analysts said, that represents the workers who definitely are better off in their

new jobs than they were in their old ones.

But a slightly larger group, 30 percent, reported suffering an income loss of at least 20 percent from their old jobs.

"That's much deeper than in the previous surveys," said Mishel. "It confirms a continuing trend of high-paid workers having no alternative but to shift to the poorer-paying jobs being created by this recovery."

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GREETINGS: You are commanded to appear by filing a written answer to the plaintiff's petition at or before 10 o'clock A.M. of the first Monday after the expiration of 42 days from the date of issuance of this Citation, the same being Monday the

2nd day of January, 1989, at or before 10 o'clock A.M., before the Honorable 132nd District Court of Scurry County, at the Court House in Snyder, Texas. Said plaintiff's petition was filed on the 15th day of November, 1988. The file number of said suit being No. 16,714. The names of the parties in said suit are: TRICON, as Plaintiff, and MALCOLM ROBERTSON, as Defendant.

The nature of said suit being substantially as follows, to wit: Such suit is a Trespass to Try Title Suit by which Plaintiff seeks to establish record title and ownership to Defendants' 5% of 8/8ths overriding royalty interest in and to the South 280 acres of the North 600 acres of Section No. 140 in Block No. 97 of the H&TC Ry. Co. Survey, Scurry County, Texas, as to depths from the surface down to and including 3,500 feet.

If this Citation is not served within 90 days after the date of its issuance, it shall be returned unserved.

Issued this the 17th day of November, 1988.

Given under my hand and seal of said Court, at office in Texas, this the 17th day of November, 1988.

Polly Underwood, District Clerk

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## Berry's World



"It's called '\$38.46 Million' by Pablo Picasso."

## Second tragedy strikes

SAN ANTONIO (AP) — For the second time in four years, tragedy has ripped apart the holiday season for James Beeson Jr. and his family.

In 1984, Beeson's 20-year-old brother fell to his death from a building window on Christmas Day.

This season, Beeson is working at a San Antonio Christmas tree lot, selling evergreens to those celebrating the world's most famous birth while he tries to raise money to bury his own infant son.

"If I can earn more money, we are hoping to make it (the funeral) better," Beeson, 19, told The San Antonio Light.

Kenneth Edward Daniel Beeson, almost four months old, was found dead Saturday morning at an aunt's house where he spent the night. Autopsy results were scheduled to be released today by the Bexar County medical examiner's office.

Beeson said his infant son had been taking medication for a minor cold.

"We were staying in this little trailer here selling the trees," Beeson said. "It was cold and wet so we decided to leave him with his aunt and my cousins."

Beeson, 19, and his 20-year-old wife, Rosalie, returned to the lot Sunday where they make \$1.50 for every tree they sell.

Tony Castillo, owner of the Castillo Mission Funeral Home, said others have donated about \$300 of the \$500 it will cost for a simple burial.

## CARLYLE'S CHRISTMAS



## Proposed state regulations could end uranium mining

CORPUS CHRISTI (AP) — Mining officials say that high-cost environmental safeguards being proposed could end uranium mining and milling in Texas.

"They (the proposed regulations) would put everybody out of business," Frank Baltich, mill superintendent for the Chevron Panna Maria uranium mill in Karnes County, told the Corpus Christi Caller-Times.

The state Bureau of Radiation Control made the proposals in an effort to meet new federal standards.

Most of the proposed regulations would establish stricter controls on low-level radioactive waste ponds, which are used to dispose of tailings — materials left behind in the milling of uranium.

Under the proposed regulations, tailings-pond designs would aim to be impermeable for 1,000 years and in any case at least 200 years.

The ponds also would be limited to 40 acres and would need two synthetic liners, unless an alternative system could be proved to be as effective.

Between the two liners would be a monitor pump for alerting officials to any wastes that penetrated the first liner.

Currently there is no limit on the size of the tailings ponds — one South Texas pond is 150 acres — and the four ponds in South Texas depend on linings of natural clay.

The four major uranium milling ponds in South Texas include the Chevron Panna Maria pond, the Conoco Conquista pond near Falls City, the Exxon Ray Point pond near Three Rivers and a former Susquehanna Western pond, also near Falls City.

The Chevron site is the only active uranium mill-tailings pond in Texas. Chevron's operations produce daily about 3,000 pounds of yellowcake, uranium in its milled state, with a value of about \$36,000.

The proposed rules must clear two sets of public hearings before they could go into effect, one by the bureau's advisory board and the other by the state Board of Health, said Hal Nelson, general counsel for the Texas Department of Health.

The regulations also would have to be posted in the Texas Registry by the TDH before they could become binding, he said.

The entire approval process could take a year, said Ruth McBurney, acting director for the bureau's licensing, registration and standards division.

However, little in the regulations can be changed if the state plans to continue regulating the use of radioactive materials in Texas in place of the federal Nuclear Regulatory Commission, McBurney said.

Even if Texas lost its radiation-regulating powers, industries would still have to face similar new rules, but they would be imposed and enforced by the Nuclear Regulatory Commission, she said.

The proposed new rules would cost Chevron millions of dollars by requiring it to remove or decontaminate its 150-acre uranium mill tailings pond, Baltich said.

Chevron's tailings pond, which is about half full, contains 5.5 million tons of low-level radioactive wastes, said Kevin Raabe, environmental safety coordinator for Chevron.

A radioactive waste removal project, similar in size to the one Chevron could face, is expected to cost the U.S. Department of Energy \$21 million, said Tracy Loughead, spokeswoman for the DOE.

The DOE project is in the design phase for removing or stabilizing 5.5 million tons of radioactive waste from a tailings pond at the former Susquehanna Western uranium mine and mill, eight miles southwest of Falls City, Loughead said.

The pond did not have a liner, and radioactive wastes have been leaking into underground aquifers since the mine was opened in 1961, according to Thomas Cardwell, an inspector for the state radiation bureau.

## Fire chief told to report to council

HOUSTON (AP) — A report that the head of the Houston Fire Department's hazardous materials team has secretly sent firefighters to train derailments and rail car leaks prompted demand for an official explanation.

Council members Ben Reyes and Eleanor Tinsley said Saturday they were disturbed by the account and want Houston Fire Chief Robert Clayton to report to the council.

The Houston Post reported in a copyright story Saturday that District Chief Max McRae, who heads the hazardous materials team, had set up a project called "Code Yellow" in which the hazardous materials team secretly responds to railroad incidents in a "training" program.

Railroad officials directly call the fire station, bypassing dispatchers so news media monitoring fire department channels will not learn of a derailment or leak.

Two members of the team last

week said there is little "training" involved because railroad officials usually told the firefighters to stay on their trucks unless they were needed.

Clayton had not been told of Code Yellow, according to Assistant Chief Dennis Holder.

Reyes was upset that, despite McRae's earlier promise, hazardous chemicals picked up by the team were being stored at a warehouse near a fire station, which is in his district.

"I think it's ludicrous," Reyes said of Code Yellow. "I can't believe that something like that on a secret basis is being carried out."

## Dallas institution to close down

DALLAS (AP) — Officials of the Dean Learning Center, a nationally recognized school for the learning disabled, say the Dallas institution will close at the end of the current school year.

Board member Nathan Maier said fund-raising drives have been "totally unsuccessful" in solving the school's mounting financial problems.

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## City spending provides food for thought

HOUSTON (AP) — An audit into the city's food purchasing is planned after it was learned the city has been paying from 100 percent to nearly 400 percent more than Harris County for food served to jail inmates, The Houston Post reported.

Bids accepted April 26 by both the city and county for 27 similar identical food items, from fruit and vegetables to flour and cof-

fee, show a pattern: The city always agreed to pay more, The Post reported in a copyright story Sunday.

Senior Assistant County Attorney Terence O'Rourke, whose office began the inquiry and later turned over information to the city controller, was less than complimentary about the city's food purchases.

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