

High school incident...

# Student expulsion detailed for court

By DONNY BROWN  
SDN Managing Editor

Witness testimony detailing the events of Dec. 7 which led to the expulsion of a 19-year-old Snyder High School senior were

and Wednesday in a hearing to determine if the school district should be legally required to readmit the student.

At noon Wednesday, attorneys for both sides had rested and closing arguments were to begin at 3:30 p.m.

Legal counsel for Abel Lee Escobedo, Marvin Sentell, says he seeks to have a permanent injunction granted because "this student's education cannot be restored," a reference to the classroom time lost each day he is out of school.

The school district is being represented by attorney Pete Greene.

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## In school shooting spree...

# No motive surfaces

STOCKTON, Calif. (AP) — Police today were unraveling the steps that turned a young drifter with a long criminal record into a silent killer who opened fire on a schoolyard jammed with laughing children, killing five and wounding 30 before committing suicide.

Patrick Edward Purdy, wearing a military flak jacket, a shirt bearing the word "Satan," and earplugs, killed himself with a bullet to the head after firing about 60 rounds from a Soviet AK-47 assault rifle at hundreds of youngsters enjoying recess on Tuesday at Cleveland Elementary School. The five slain were

children of refugees from Southeast Asia.

There was no apparent motive. "I'm shocked. It's just horrible," said Purdy's grandmother, 63-year-old Julia Chumbley of nearby Lodi. "I don't understand why and I probably won't ever know why."

Purdy, 26, who most recently listed his grandmother's address as home, began his assault shortly before noon when he parked his station wagon behind the school. The car burst into flames in a fire possibly set as a diversion, said Deputy Police Chief Lucian Neely.

Then the 5-foot-11, 140-pound

killer entered the campus through a hole in a fence with the bayonet-equipped semi-automatic and two handguns and walked to several portable classrooms about 250 yards from the main, L-shaped building. He opened fire from the west side of the portable buildings, then moved to the east side and continued spraying the screaming children before turning the rifle on himself.

Mary Gonzales, superintendent of the Stockton Unified School District, said psychiatrists, counselors and bilingual volunteers would be on hand when classes began this morning.

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Ask Us

Q. — My class is interested in writing to John Erickson (Hank the Cowdog) before his appearance here. What is his address?

A. — He may be reached at Maverick Books Inc., P.O. Box 549, Perryton, Tx., 79070.

### In Brief

#### Trade deficit

WASHINGTON (AP) — The U.S. trade deficit widened dramatically to \$12.5 billion in November, the largest imbalance in five months, the government reported today.

The Commerce Department said the gap between what the United States imports and what it sells overseas was 21.9 percent higher than the October deficit of \$10.3 billion.

The sharply higher deficit was blamed on a big jump in imports, which shot up to \$39.7 billion, \$1.6 billion above the October level. Exports, which have been booming this year, declined by \$639 million to \$27.2 billion.

#### Rules upheld

WASHINGTON (AP) — A new sentencing system that took effect last Nov. 1 for people convicted of federal crimes is constitutional, the Supreme Court ruled today in a decision that will affect thousands.

By an 8-1 vote, the justices upheld the U.S. Sentencing Commission's rules. The decision also upheld the validity of the commission itself.

Scores of federal trial judges have refused to use the new sentencing rules.

#### Super collider

WASHINGTON (AP) — At least one senator from a state that lost its bid for the billion-dollar super collider still hopes Congress will send the Energy Department's decision to build the atom smasher in Texas "back to the drawing board."

Despite the some of the losers' bitter complaints and calls for an investigation, however, Energy Secretary John Herrington was prepared to make the Texas site final today, officials said.

#### Local

##### NAACP meet

The Scurry County NAACP is to meet with Snyder Cablevision officials Thursday at 7 p.m. at Mount Olive Baptist Church.

A NAACP spokesman said they would discuss the possibility of adding the black entertainment television network to local channels.

##### SWCD to meet

The Upper Colorado Soil and Water Conservation District board will meet at 7 p.m. Thursday in the SCS office located in the Ag Service Center.

##### Weather

Snyder Temperatures: High Tuesday, 70 degrees; low, 17 degrees; reading at 7 a.m. Wednesday, 29 degrees; no precipitation; total precipitation for 1989 to date, .07 of an inch.

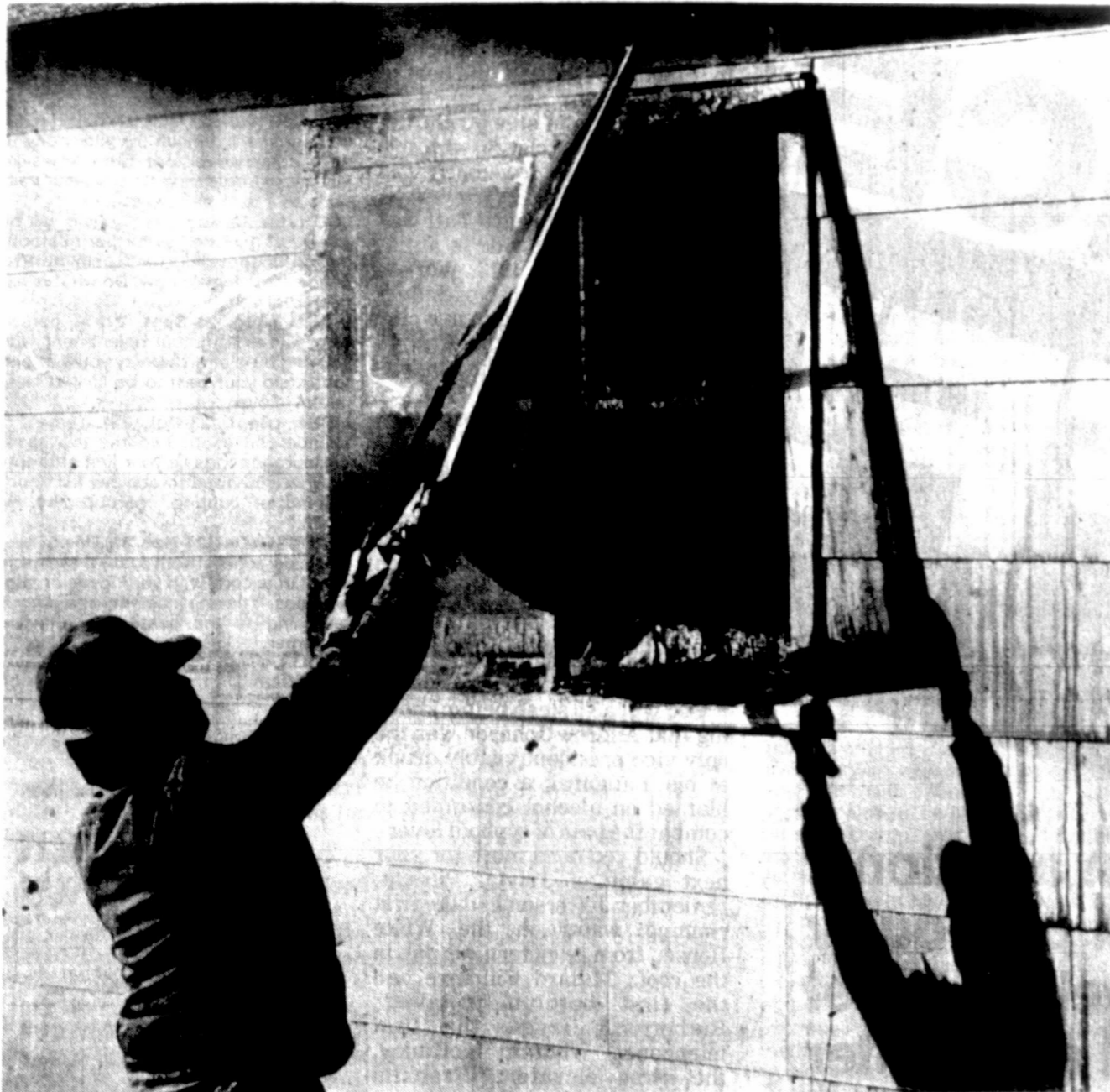
Snyder Area Forecast: Tonight, mostly cloudy with a 30 percent chance of showers. Low in the lower 40s. Wind northeast to east 5 to 10 mph. Thursday, cloudy with a 40 percent chance of showers. A little cooler. High near 60. Wind east 5 to 10 mph.

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A CLOSE CALL — A passing motorist notified firemen of a 9:08 a.m. Wednesday blaze inside Overta Fryar's home at 2316 42nd St. The quick report prevented the fire from getting out of control, firemen say. Volunteer fireman Ronnie Hines

was among those helping to confine flame damage to the bathroom, where the fire appeared to have started, and a hallway. Firemen returned to the station at 10:38 a.m. The fire cause had not been determined. (SDN Staff Photo)

## San Antonio mayor to be event speaker

Henry Cisneros, mayor of San Antonio, was announced Tuesday as the speaker for the 1989 Snyder Chamber of Commerce banquet.

The event will be held in Scurry County Coliseum March 25-26 Saturday.

The announcement came during the regular January meeting of the board of directors, the first for four new directors and under the presidency of Herbie Figueredo.

Chamber directors heard committee reports during the session. Figueredo told directors that efforts are being made to secure an air show for Snyder possibly in April or October.

He noted also that he and Rick Hester, who has chaired the cultural affairs committee, will travel to Dallas next month to meet with officials of both the Dallas Ballet and Symphony with the intention of securing a local appearance of one or the other.

David Kattes announced that the Scurry County Junior Livestock Show would be held Jan. 24-30.

Chamber Director Bill Moss updated directors on the meeting of the Texas Chamber of Commerce which he attended recently. He said efforts are being made to keep up with all bills being considered by the state legislature.

Directors attending were Kattes, Joe Sentell, Joe Coronado,

Figueredo, Fran Farmer, Eddie Williams, Dr. Harry Krenek, Billy Huddleston and Gary Landes.

Those not present were Cindy Banta, Bill Davies and M.L. Duke.

## Retirement viewed as new industry

An organizational meeting of a committee to promote Snyder as a retirement center was held Tuesday in the chamber of commerce board room.

The group is a sub-committee of the chamber's Economic Development Committee. The chairman is Jack Denman and others attending the initial session were chamber president Herbie Figueredo, chamber manager Bill Moss, Bob Dupree, John Gayle, Troy Williamson, Elizabeth Potts and Roy McQueen.

The group has begun collection of information from other cities which have had successful programs to attract the relocation of retirees.

In addition, the group will be gathering local data to be included in a facts sheet as well as looking at methods of getting the Snyder message in front of receptive audiences.

## Count may top 1,100...

# Spring term starts with 960 enrolled

As classes began Wednesday morning, some 960 students were enrolled at Western Texas College and college officials were predicting a final count in excess of 1,100.

Around 600 students enrolled during the first day of registration Monday.

When the first two days of registration closed last spring, WTC had counted some 900 students, so Wednesday's figure is above that.

The official count for the spring term on the last day to enroll last year was 1,230 with 527 full-time students noted and 590 part-time.

The 1989 spring term is now expected to exceed the fall's

enrollment—a fact which traditionally occurs at WTC.

The all-time record enrollment for the college occurred during a spring term, when 1,414 students enrolled in 1984.

During the fall of 1988, the last day to enroll saw 1,026 signed up at the college to include 578 full-time and 448 part-time.

Wednesday, college officials had no figures as yet regarding student categories.

The last day to enroll for the spring semester is next Tuesday, Jan. 24.

Individuals still interested in enrolling should now go to the registrar's office located in the WTC administration building.

## Optometrist now full time locally

Optometrist Bryan Cave, who previously limited his local practice to two days each week, has now relocated to Snyder from Lubbock and expanded his office operation to full time.

A native of Rotan, Cave notes the relocation to Snyder is "really something I'd always planned to do. It just took me two years longer than expected."

In June of 1984, he moved to Lubbock and opened an office both there and in Snyder. He was here each Monday and Tuesday.

This followed his graduation in May of 1984 from the College of Optometry at the University of Houston and receiving his undergraduate degree from West Texas State University in Canyon.

During Christmas, he and his family moved to Snyder. He and his wife, Vanessa, have two children, Rachel, age 4, and Jason, age 1.

Cave is operating out of his same offices in Cogdell Center. His office hours are 9 a.m. until 5 p.m. Monday, Wednesday and

Friday and until 6 p.m. on Tuesday and Thursday.

A graduate of Rotan High School, Cave is the son of Haldean and Norma Cave, who live north of that Fisher County community.



BRYAN CAVE  
...local optometrist...

## Blood donors are honored

A SACROC-sponsored blood drive Tuesday brought in 150 pints for United Blood Services of Lubbock.

Jim Robbins, chairman of the Scurry County Blood Services Council, said 157 people registered in the drive at Towle Park Barn, 28 of them for the first time.

In a friendly competition between the north and south SACROC offices, the north unit won for recruiting the most

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## The SDN Column

By Roy McQueen

The feller on Deep Creek says, "A committee is one that carefully keeps minutes but squanders hours."

Every year about this time, the newspaper receives an advanced copy of "The Old Farmers Almanac." Publishers are quick to point out that this is the real one.

The new edition has its usual lengthy look at astrology for those who live and breathe and plant by it. It's got the usual time and tide correction tables, which are of little value to city boys.

Contained therein is a lot of "almost useless" information, but buried among the pages are smatterings of other interesting tidbits.

Under the heading of "Consumers Guide to 1989," there is a variety of information about what we can expect in the coming year. Among developments that consumers can look forward to include:

-Resealable aluminum soft drink cans.

-Flavored milk, such as boysenberry, peach and strawberry.

-Scented newspaper ink.

-Romance will replace sex as the advertising sales gimmick.

-Three-dimensional home videos.

-Full service gas station will make a comeback.

-Airline frequent flyer promotions will be on the way out because too many people are taking advantage of them.

-Texas, with the exception of its major cities can expect a worse-than-average growth period during the year.

-A new holographic contact lens will allow focusing without eye movement.

-Legal euthanasia.

-Eggs that have lower cholesterol.

-Baby watermelons about the size of cantaloupes, but ready to eat.

And the list goes on...

# A&M joins Houston medical center

HOUSTON (AP) — A \$21.5 million Texas A&M University biotechnology center expected to open in 1991 will provide a link between the traditional animal and plant research at A&M and the human health research at the world's largest medical center, officials say.

The university broke ground Tuesday for the Institute of Biosciences and Technology, an 11-story, 210,000-square-foot research center on the edge of the Texas Medical Center.

The Texas A&M facility, touted as a project that will make Texas a national leader in biotechnology research, will be the 39th in the medical center, which employs 58,000 people.

"It's research that will provide a better quality of life for all of us," said David Eller, chairman of the A&M Board of Regents.

"Bioscience research is not a shade-tree enterprise. Significant advances will not be made by lucky amateurs. Rather it will require both carefully planned facilities and highly trained, creative minds," he said.

The research facility will be the base for 150 researchers and

their staffs. Officials estimated it would pump at least \$10 million annually into the local economy.

"Working together we can make Texas the world's biotechnology center," Eller said. "It is clear biotechnology is an emerging research area and emerging industry."

At ceremonies in the one-time parking lot of the famed old Shamrock Hilton, nearly three dozen school, state and local officials turned a pile of dirt with silver shovels adorned with the Texas A&M logo and decorated with large maroon ribbons. The hotel was razed last year.

The goal of the center is to emphasize gene mapping and sequencing, gene therapy and investigate animal models of human diseases like muscular dystrophy, Alzheimer's disease and Down's syndrome.

Other work is to deal with molecular and cell biology, including embryo transfer and fertility research, and protein engineering, which involves development of improved diagnostics, therapeutics and vaccines for illnesses such as AIDS and hepatitis.

"This is the celebration of a dream come true," A&M Chancellor Perry Adkisson said. "It is a dream of expanding our own growing efforts in biotechnology. It is a dream of expanding our firm commitment to the citizens of Texas — a commitment to the economic growth of this state."

U.S. Rep. Bill Archer compared the start of the center to that of the Johnson Space Center, which came to Houston 25 years ago.

"Biotechnology could be the shot in the arm needed for Texas," Archer said.

"Texas not only has a tradition of rallying support for technology causes but the resources to get it done," he said. "It's enormously important, not only to Texas and A&M, but to the world."

School officials estimated the fledgling biotech industry will grow to a \$200 billion enterprise nationwide by the end of the century. They noted the federal government already is making research grants totaling \$3 billion annually.

"Frankly, I do not see the institute as a Texas A&M project, a

Texas project or a Houston project. It can be far bigger," Eller said. "The payoffs will be enormous in economic growth and human benefits."

## Flag-waving to give Bush a good workout

WASHINGTON (AP) — Should he be hoisted by his own petard, George Herbert Walker Bush will begin his presidency with one of the sorest arms in history.

About 35,000 little American flags will be distributed to spectators at his inaugural Friday. At least 700 larger flags will be carried before him in the hours-long parade to follow.

Can the man who espoused the pledge of allegiance to the flag with religious fervor in the last campaign get by with just an occasional salute? With all those flags, just a token movement of the arm toward the heart could leave Bush with the sorest arm since Sandy Koufax quit baseball.

The marching band from the University of Texas alone could wear out the new president. Its

320 marchers will carry 30 flags along with 60 trumpets, 40 trombones, 20 baritones, 24 tubas, 26 percussion, 36 clarinet, 30 french horns, 25 saxophones and 24 piccolos. Can a man from Texas stand motionless before all that?

The statistics come courtesy of the inaugural committee, which produced a handbook of breathtaking scope. It tells far more than you could possibly want to know about inaugurations in compelling detail. For example:

Bush and the six presidents before him were all born between 1908 and 1924, a fact the need of which is not yet clear.

Bush will rank with the four tallest presidents in history, behind Abe Lincoln, Lyndon Johnson and Thomas Jefferson. He also will enter history books as one of four left-handed presidents, the others being James Garfield, Harry Truman and Gerald Ford.

The dome of the Capitol expands and contracts as much as four inches because of the heat of the sun by day and cooling by night, which is in sharp contrast to most of its tenants who are known to expand frequently and contract seldom.

Mrs. William Howard Taft was the first woman to ride in an inaugural parade in 1913. Warren Harding was the first president to ride to his swearing-in in a car. Richard Nixon was the first to review his parade behind bullet-proof glass.

Bush is 31st among college graduates who made it to the White House, 12th among Phi Beta Kappa boys, second among Yale men.

Married 44 years, George and Barbara Bush bring the ninth longest marriage to the White House. John and Abigail Adams were married the longest, 54 years and three days. But Bush is the only president born in June.

You will also sleep better knowing that Andrew Johnson was the only vice president visibly drunk at his inaugural, a condition he blamed on alcohol consumed to combat the pain of typhoid fever.

Should you need more for your next game of Trivial Pursuit, remember Jefferson had the first running water in the White House, from a cistern he put in the roof; Millard Fillmore had the first bathtub installed; Rutherford Hayes, the first telephone; William McKinley, the first elevator; Franklin Roosevelt, the first dishwasher.

But George Herbert Walker Bush will be the first captain of a Yale baseball team to become president. Indisputably.

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You could be extremely fortunate in the year ahead by putting new twists on flagging enterprises. This could turn ventures you were thinking of writing off into something profitable.

**CAPRICORN (Dec. 22-Jan. 19)** Try to do all within your power today to assure that harmony prevails in situations directly affecting you and your mate. Be cooperative, not demanding. Trying to patch up a broken romance? The Astro-Graph Matchmaker can help you to understand what to do to make the relationship work. Mail \$2 to Matchmaker, P.O. Box 91428, Cleveland, OH 44101-3428.

**AQUARIUS (Jan. 20-Feb. 19)** You may be tempted today to shift certain responsibilities to ineffective subordinates because they'll interfere with other plans you're considering. This could make a bigger mess.

**PISCES (Feb. 20-March 20)** If you're planning something social today, be sure that the people on your guest list are compatible with one another. A disgruntled participant could spoil everyone's fun.

**ARIES (March 21-April 19)** Even people who are extremely fond of you won't be too tolerant today if you feel you're asking more of them than you should. Keep your requests reasonable.

**TAURUS (April 20-May 20)** Avoid the company of an acquaintance today who has a talent for putting a damper on your hot ideas. Seek out friends who are boosters and who can help build on your thoughts.

**GEMINI (May 21-June 20)** An individual who knows it's difficult for you to refuse might try to impose upon you again today in some material manner. This may give you an opening to remind this person of past obligations.

**CANCER (June 21-July 22)** Self-doubts could make it difficult for you today to make speedy decisions. Sometimes it's just as self-defeating to be overly cautious as it is to be too rash.

**LEO (July 23-Aug. 22)** Nothing will be gained at this time by further postponing an unappealing responsibility that needs attending to now. Do what is expected of you.

**VIRGO (Aug. 23-Sept. 22)** A person who shares a mutual resentment with you might be at an activity you'll attend today. Do your best to be civil at least until it is over.

**LIBRA (Sept. 23-Oct. 23)** There's a chance you might become too easily discouraged today if your first attempts at what you hope to achieve fall short. Instead of quitting, regroup and try again.

**SCORPIO (Oct. 24-Nov. 22)** Do not take it as a personal affront today if everyone is not in accord with your ideas or suggestions. You may be the one who is marching to the beat of a different drummer.

**SAGITTARIUS (Nov. 23-Dec. 21)** There are indications that you might be a bit more extravagant than usual today, especially when shopping in stores that have expensive merchandise. Be careful.

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## Community Calendar

**WEDNESDAY**  
Tiger Shark Swim Club; WTC; 6-18 years of age; 4-5:30 p.m. For more information, call Mike Harrison at 573-8511 ext. 283.  
Narcotics Anonymous; Park Club in Winston Park; 8 p.m. For more information, call 573-3956 or 573-0414.

**THURSDAY**  
Honey Do's Extension Homemakers; "Comforts of Home"; 9:30 a.m.

Cogdell Memorial Hospital Auxiliary; board room; 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.

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 American Business Women's Association; Jaramillo's Restaurant; 6:30 p.m.

Cosmorama; Snyder Country Club; Mexican dinner; 6:30 p.m.  
Snyder Chapter 450 Order of the Eastern Star; Masonic Hall; 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**  
Arbor Day; Snyder Garden Club will plant tree at Martha Ann Woman's Club.

Story Time for Preschoolers; Scurry County Library; 10 a.m.  
Snyder Jaycees; noon luncheon; Snyder Country Club.

Free blood pressure clinic; Cogdell Memorial Hospital emergency waiting room; 1-2:30 p.m.

ACBL Open Pairs Duplicate Bridge; Snyder Country Club; 1:30 p.m.

Cornelius Dodson House; open by appointment; 573-9742 or 573-2763.

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

Al-Anon; Park Club in Winston Park; 8 p.m. For more information, call 573-2101 or 573-8626.

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

**SATURDAY**  
Diamond M Museum; open from 1-4 p.m.

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

Fiesta Dinner; MAWC; 6:30 p.m.; \$6.50 adults, \$3.50 children; reservations by noon Wednesday, 573-3427.

**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.

Beta Sigma Phi Super Bowl Party; Dena Ellis home; 5 p.m.

## Demos hope Van Buren precedent will remain

WASHINGTON (AP) — Once again Democrats are out in the cold on Inauguration Day, spectators as a Republican takes office as president. But like George Bush, the Democrats are developing a special fondness for Martin Van Buren.

In his first news conference as president-elect, Bush expressed his gratitude to President Reagan and then said, "I also want to thank Martin Van Buren for paving the way. It's been a long time, Marty."

Not since Van Buren's election in 1836 had an incumbent vice president succeeded in winning the White House.

But the Democrats like the second half of the Van Buren story: he was a one-term president, defeated when he ran for reelection in 1840.

As usual, there is a bumper crop of politicians hoping to be the star at a Democratic celebration next Inauguration Day.

Start with familiar names from the 1988 campaign — Michael Dukakis, Jesse Jackson, Lloyd Bentsen, Albert Gore Jr.,

Richard Gephardt. All are regarded as likely contenders when the 1992 campaign gets rolling.

Sens. Bill Bradley of New Jersey and Sam Nunn of Georgia refused to run in 1988, but may not be so reticent the next time around. The same goes for Gov. Bill Clinton of Arkansas.

Gov. Mario Cuomo of New York is a name sure to come up in connection with 1992. And would the early stages of presidential speculation be complete without mention of Sen. Edward M. Kennedy?

What about a woman? Rep. Pat Schroeder of Colorado was tempted to join the 1988 field, but decided against it.

Long shots? The Senate is filled with them. Sen. George Mitchell of Maine was no sooner elected majority leader than whispers began suggesting he'd be an impressive presidential candidate. Newly elected Sen. Bob Kerrey of Nebraska also was being mentioned even before moving to Washington. The same was true of Sen. Charles Robb of Virginia.

## Judge dismisses tax rollback lawsuit

AUSTIN (AP) — A Fort Worth-area school district no longer faces possible bankruptcy since a state district court dismissed a case calling for the rollback and refund of \$1 million in taxes, the school board president says.

"We just could not have handled an enforced rollback," said

Dan Kille, president of the Lake Worth school board, which had filed the suit in Travis County district court to stop a rollback election.

"I don't believe we could have survived," Kille said Tuesday. He estimated the refunded taxes would have been about \$1 million.

The 1,400-student district raised its tax rate 32 percent in 1987. Some property values have jumped as much as 98 percent, one school board member said. Kille said the school district's tax rate was on par with the state average.

State District Judge Scott McCown threw out the case at the school district's request. An attorney for the district said the case became irrelevant because the district could not refund the

taxes anyway.

"We wanted to try this, and I was ready to try it, but the whole issue is moot," Randall "Buck" Wood said.

In dismissing the suit, McCown agreed.

"The Legislature did not authorize a tax reimbursement," although state law would have allowed a tax rollback election, the judge said. He said residents fighting the tax increase should have sought a temporary injunction before taxes were collected under the new rates.

The judge also said he was dismissing the case because delays in bringing it to court nullified the questions involved. He said even if the voters demanded return of those tax dollars, the school district could

not pay now without going bankrupt.

McCown said the parties could appeal.

The school district sued state education officials, the state attorney general, and the Committee for Responsible Leadership, which had led the rollback and refund initiative.

The school district argued that a tax rollback was unconstitutional because it gave voters legislative power, and because it would impair the school district's ability to provide an adequate education.

Kille said tax rates went up twice between 1985 and 1987 in large part because of changes mandated by the Legislature, such as teacher pay raises, special education programs and lower student-teacher ratios.

Eric Samuelson, attorney for the Committee for Responsible Leadership, said obtaining a temporary injunction against the increase would have required the petitioners to put up a bond equal to the tax revenues — \$1 million.

In a court brief, the committee had asked the court to order the district's 1988 maximum tax rate be no more than 8 percent over the 1986 rate.

## Bridge

James Jacoby

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## Opportunity for deception

By James Jacoby

Strange that East did not make a nuisance bid by boosting West's weak jump overall, but perhaps he knew his partner's penchant for interfering with a long suit and little else. South reopened with a double, and then, after North had bid three diamonds, he bid three spades. In this instance the cue-bid says: "I don't know what to play in, partner. Please help me decide." Since North had not supported hearts earlier, he felt safe in now suggesting game in hearts as a final contract.

After the friendly jack of clubs lead, declarer won the queen and played A-K of hearts. When the queen appeared from East, South continued with a third round, hoping that the suit would split. But West won the nine and now played queen of spades. East won the ace, dropping declarer's king, and kept on with the suit. Declarer ruffed and played the king of diamonds. When the jack appeared from West he overtook with dummy's ace and played a club to the 10. West was careful not to trump. Next came a low diamond, but West was up to this play. He ruffed in and continued spades. Eventually declarer had to lose a club for down one.

Declarer might have gotten away with a swindle earlier. If, after A-K of trumps, he plays the queen of diamonds from his hand, rising with the ace when West plays the jack, West might be fooled. Now a club to the 10 would tempt West to ruff. If not, a low diamond toward dummy's 10 might confuse the issue. If defender West lets declarer play clubs from dummy one more time, four hearts will come rolling in.

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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## Dog argument triggers shooting spree in Dallas

DALLAS (AP) — Two men were shot to death and a third was seriously injured as the result of a neighborhood feud between neighbors about dogs, police say.

Alonzo Sandoval, 27, was pronounced dead at the scene. Jose Sandoval, 26, died later Tuesday night at Baylor University Medical Center and a third brother, Alfredo Sandoval, 20, was listed in serious condition.

Officers said the shooting took place in the front yard of the Sandoval home after they argued with a neighbor, who was being sought early today.

"The suspect was walking a dog, and words were exchanged," said homicide detective R.D. Lewis. "He took out a handgun and started shooting the people."

Seven shots were fired, and each victim was hit once, Lewis said.

Lewis said that the 23-year-old man named in the arrest warrant and the Sandovals, who lived four houses apart, had argued continually over several matters. The latest dispute was about the assailant's dog.

"The people who lived in the (Sandoval) house wanted the

suspect to tie up his dog and not let it run loose," Lewis said.

Both families apparently owned several dogs, including Doberman pinschers and pit bulls, police said.

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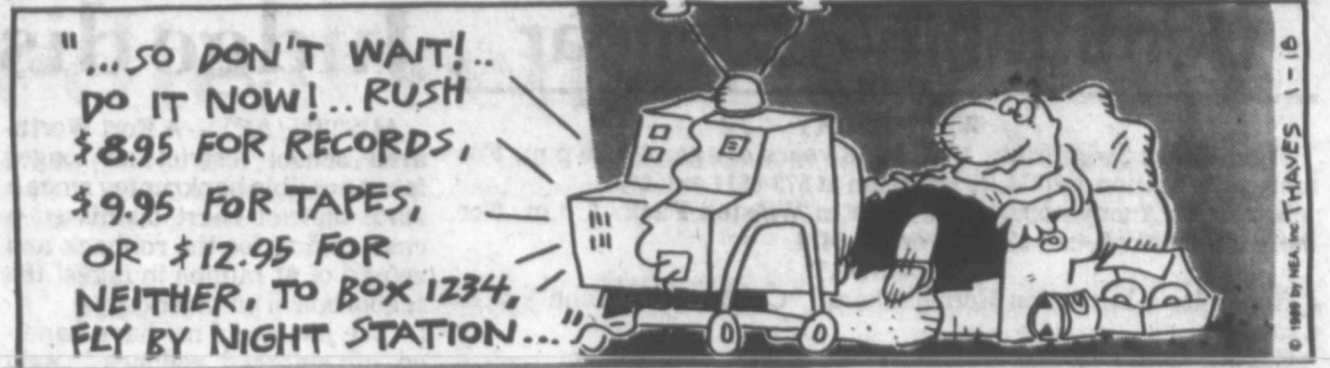
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- 5 Ran
- 11 Valley on moon
- 12 Last syllable of word
- 13 Central American oil tree
- 14 Granulated
- 15 Biblical place
- 17 Colo. time
- 18 Fencing sword
- 19 Actress Lanchester
- 21 de cologne
- 24 Superlative suffix
- 25 Carnival performer
- 26 Constellation
- 27 Join the race
- 28 The last frontier
- 30 Flowing
- 33 Bob and Carol and Alice
- 34 Electric fish
- 35 Singer Adams
- 37 Black bread
- 40 Time division
- 41 Happy expression
- 42 Gone to court
- 43 Compass point
- 45 Monsterlike
- 47 TV program
- 50 River in Ireland
- 51 Army command (2 wds.)
- 52 Mythical woodfolk
- 53 Stopped eating
- 54 Ojied

**DOWN**

- 1 Gravy tidbit
- 2 Lucy
- 3 Insect
- 4 Symbol for tellurium
- 5 Clothing substance

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- 7 Cornelia Skinner
- 8 Actress Shelley
- 9 Uncle
- 10 Mom's mate
- 11 Harvests
- 14 Fermenting agent
- 15 Fair grade
- 16 Come back in
- 20 Winter sport
- 22 Diving bird
- 23 Between Can. and Mex.
- 25 Musket
- 26 Mild oath, in Britain
- 27 Legal matter
- 29 Actor Majors
- 30 G-man (sl.)
- 31 Grassy area
- 32 S. Grant
- 36 Belmonts and the
- 37 Tore down
- 38 Positive words
- 39 Anglo-Saxon letter
- 41 Honking birds
- 42 Cater
- 44 Photocopy
- 46 Depend
- 47 Air Force for women (abbr.)
- 48 Airline info
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- 52 Engineering deg.

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# DR. GOTT PETER GOTT, M.D.

## Reasons for lack of smell and taste

**DEAR DR. GOTT:** Since having a bad cold two years ago, my mother has been unable to smell or taste anything. What can she do?

**DEAR READER:** Infections in the nose and sinuses usually affect the olfactory mucosa. If you are suffering from chronic sinusitis, inflammation of the air-containing cells in the cheekbones, in the forehead and around the nose. She should see an otolaryngologist — a nose-and-throat specialist — for a diagnosis.

If she has a sinus infection, antibiotics may be necessary.

Also, she may need to have her sinuses washed out to get rid of blockage caused by thick, sticky mucus.

**DEAR DR. GOTT:** I haven't had an attack of diverticulitis in 8 months. Can I eat berries again?

**DEAR READER:** Diverticulosis is a common condition, marked by multiple small outpouchings in the wall of the large intestine. Ordinarily, these sacular herniations cause no particular symptoms, except occasional gas and diarrhea. At times, however, these sacs become blocked and inflamed, changing diverticulosis into diverticulitis. The infection can enlarge, producing abscesses, intestinal bleeding, fever and abdominal pain that can, in some cases, be excruciating. Acute diverticulitis is treated with antibiotics and, sometimes, with intravenous fluids. The real problem is how to prevent recurrences.

Many doctors believe that tiny portions of indigestible matter, such as seeds and nuts, can become wedged in diverticular sacs, producing blockage and inflammation. No one knows for sure if this is true. Not many years ago, physicians prohibited people with diverticulosis from eating bran and roughage of any sort. Now we

think this was an overreaction. Nonetheless, most physicians still discourage such patients from eating nuts and berries (or jam).

Your diverticulosis will not heal itself or go away; it is permanent. It is very possible that seeds and nuts could again turn your diverticulosis into diverticulitis. Therefore, I think that you should avoid berries — just to be on the safe side.

For more information, I am sending you a copy of my Health Report "Diverticular Disease." Other readers who would like a copy should send \$1 with their name and address to P.O. Box 91369, Cleveland, OH 44101-3699. Do not mention the title.

**DEAR DR. GOTT:** After a warm shower, or drinking any beverage, I get exceptionally cold. I'm 59, take Sorbitrate and Corgard.

**DEAR READER:** The sequence of events that you describe is unusual and suggests a circulatory disorder in which certain activities cause a shunting of blood to the body's inner organs, making the rest of your body seem chilly. Sorbitrate, a brand of nitroglycerine used for coronary heart disease, usually causes flushing of the skin and a feeling of heat, rather than cold.

On the other hand, Corgard (a beta-blocking drug used for heart disease and hypertension) has been reported to cause poor circulation to arms and legs. Although I have not seen patients who experience chilliness from Corgard, such a reaction is possible.

Ask your own doctor about this. Perhaps he or she might choose to change your medicine in an attempt to relieve your symptoms.

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# Elder Bentson built financial empire

**EDITOR'S NOTE —** The following is excerpted from a profile of Lloyd Bentson Sr. that was written in 1985. Bentson, the colorful father of Texas Sen. Lloyd Bentson, died Tuesday in a car wreck at the age of 95.

**MISSION, Texas (AP) —** He grew up thrashing wheat and busting wild horses in the South Dakota Badlands. He raced motorcycles and broke bones and yearned to become a World War I pilot.

He liked drinking and fighting and discovered early on that the two often traveled hand in hand along his turbulent walk on the wild side.

His was not a death wish, although it came camouflaged as such.

In business, he preferred oranges to oil and cotton to cattle. But in time, Lloyd Millard Bentson Sr. would build a financial dynasty that embraced them all.

His mustangs and motorcycles led him in and out of hospitals while his dream of becoming a pilot took him in 1917 on a wartime assignment to San Antonio and a weekend of revelry in Texas' Rio Grande Valley.

His first trip to Mission was with an Army buddy named Ray Landry, neither knowing they eventually would father sons famous on the football field, Dallas Cowboys coach Tom Landry, and in the U.S. Senate, Lloyd Bentson Jr.

There would be wealth, measured in the millions, for the elder Bentson. There would be a ranching, farming, oil and banking empire personifying the land he chose for home.

First, however, there would be in this drowsy Valley town in 1917 a shy, beautiful young woman with whom he fell instantly and irreversibly in love.

She ignored him, but not for long.

In 1920, Bentson returned from the war and persuaded Edna Ruth Colbath — his "Dolly" — to marry him. He had \$1.50 in his pocket.

Influenced by the missed opportunities of his Danish parents and with guts and grit and a novel financing scheme, he began acquiring land.

He wrenched prosperity from the raw terrain, faced death at the hands of his laborers and sired, besides his namesake U.S. senator, two other sons and a daughter.

He abandoned his rakish lifestyle.

But not before the night he quaffed a bunch of booze, slugged a politician and insisted that one of his drunken cronies shoot a whiskey bottle off his head, which his companion then did.

"I quit drinking the next day," he said.

A slow, steady drizzle and billowing fog caressed the big Buick one recent morning as Lloyd Bentson Sr. guided a visitor along the palm-studded highways and back roads of the semitropical Rio Grande Valley.

Tall and courtly, with snow-white hair and a small, matching mustache, Bentson, a widower since 1977, is up at dawn every day and on the road to his real

estate office or one of several farms and ranches in Hidalgo and Starr counties.

At 91, he shows no evidence of his mustang and motorcycle mishaps nor any physical reminders of two more recent episodes in which he was trampled by stampeding cattle.

"This kind of weather is the greatest thing in the world for a rancher or farmer," Bentson remarked as the car rolled through the misty haze and past lush orchards, farmlands, grazing cattle and pumping oil rigs.

The visitor had come to discuss the sweep of social, economic and political changes in this historic, once-secluded slice of South Texas. Instead, Bentson spoke of an abiding love for his Dolly.

"She was so beautiful, I suspect the Lord took her because he didn't want to see her grow old."

How old was she? "Seventy-eight," he replied. Bentson recalled the 1917 trip

to Mission with Ray Landry when he spotted Dolly for the first time. She wore the silver bars and uniform of a Red Cross volunteer.

"She was the prettiest woman I'd ever seen in my life," he said.

"I saluted her, but she blushed and ducked her head and went on by."

As he spoke, the car passed through a gate of the scenic family estate, Acres de la Primavera. It means Acres of Springtime.

The home is filled with photographs and paintings of the Bentson clan, a smiling Dolly and her four children — Lloyd Jr., the senator; Kenneth, a Houston architect; Don, a McAllen businessman; and Betty, the wife of Valley businessman Dan Winn.

"It's like something out of a movie," suggested Harlingen broadcast executive Mal Kasanoff, who compared the Bentsons of Texas to the Kennedys of Massachusetts.

## Senators introduce fellow Texan

**WASHINGTON (AP) —** Texan James A. Baker III will hold the country's foreign policy in firm hands and strongly guard its national interests, says Sen. Lloyd Bentson of his former political adversary.

Bentson, a Democrat, urged the Senate Foreign Relations Committee to give quick confirmation to Baker as secretary of state.

Baker was George Bush's 1988 presidential campaign manager while Bentson ran as the Democratic nominee for vice president.

As Tuesday's confirmation hearing opened, Bentson introduced Baker and said he had known him as a "political competitor, as a wise counselor ... and as a personal friend."

After testifying, Bentson learned that his 95-year-old father, Lloyd Bentson Sr., had been killed in a traffic accident near his ranch in South Texas.

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Real Estate Marketing	2/13	M	6:30 pm	\$56.25 + book

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## Merger creates video store chain

**DALLAS (AP) —** The merger of Blockbuster Entertainment Corp. and Major Video Corp. will create a chain of 593 video rental stores, company officials say.

The merger, approved Tuesday by shareholders of Major Video, had earlier sparked several lawsuits and had been the subject of months of negotiations.

Company officials say that the stores will operate under both Blockbuster and Major Video

Blockbuster, founded in Dallas and now based in Fort Lauderdale, Fla., has 240 company-owned stores and 178 franchised stores. Major Video has 39 company-owned stores and 139 franchised stores.

The combined companies operate in 91 markets in 40 states and have 19 stores in Canada.

"We are pleased that the merger has been consummated," H. Wayne Huizenga, chairman and chief executive officer of Blockbuster, said.

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# Ira, Hermleigh falter in district 25 openers

Ira and Hermleigh teams took it on the chin as District 25-A opened for business Tuesday night.

Rotan's Lady Yellowhammers jumped out to a 17-point first-quarter advantage enroute to a 61-28 victory over Hermleigh's girls. Hermleigh was led by Tish Crumly's 10 points.

Hermleigh's boys were forced to forfeit to Rotan but are expected to be on the court next Tuesday, Jan. 24, when the Cardinals host Roby.

Ira fared no better in its district openers. The Lady Bulldogs fell 76-41 to a highly-touted Roby squad, despite 24 points from Michelle Holmes and 10 from Alisha Garmer.

The Bulldog boys were stunned 79-45 by Roby's Lions in Tuesday's late game. Jason Withers led Ira with 10 points. Carter Edmondson bagged 23 for Roby.

Next action for Ira squads will be Jan. 24 in Rotan.

In other area action, Borden County's boys clipped Dawson 52-

48 as Cole Vestal scored 14 points, Jimmy Rios 13 and Brian Bond 11.

Borden County's Lady Coyotes got a night off when Dawson could not come up with enough players to field a team.

Borden teams will play again Friday, in Klondike.

## Area hoops

**GIRLS**  
District 25-A  
Rotan 61, Hermleigh 28

Hermleigh	3	13	8	4	-28
Rotan	20	17	13	11	-61

Leading Scorers: Hermleigh—Crumly 10, Rotan—Simon 17, Bennett 12; Records: Hermleigh 8-12, 0-1; Rotan 11-5, 1-0.

District 25-A  
Roby 76, Ira 41

Roby	25	21	20	10	-76
Ira	2	12	11	16	-41

Leading Scorers: Roby—Kirby 27, Feagan 15, L. Edmondson 12, Ira—Holmes 23, Garmer 10; Records: Roby 10-9, 1-0; Ira 0-17, 0-1.

**BOYS**  
District 25-A  
Roby 79, Ira 45

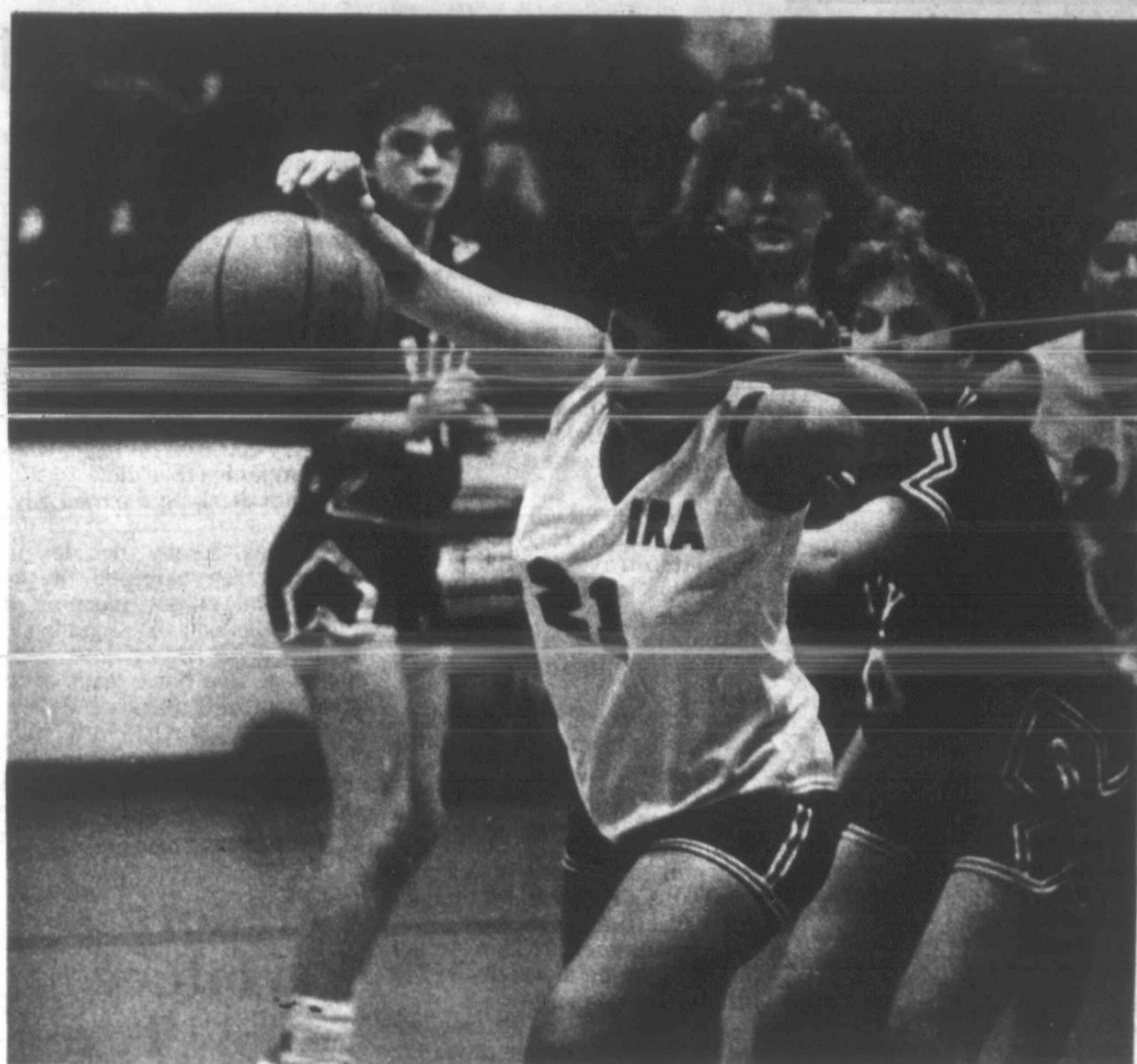
Roby	18	25	18	18	-79
Ira	12	5	14	14	-45

Leading Scorers: Roby—C. Edmondson 23, J. Carreon 15, M. Carreon 14; Ira—Withers 10; Records: Roby 16-3, 1-0; Ira 15-4, 0-1.

Borden County 52, Dawson 48

Dawson	13	7	12	16	-48
Borden Co.	17	15	6	14	-52

Leading Scorers: Dawson—DeLaRosa 15, Brown 10; Borden County—Vestal 14, Rios 13, Bond 11; Records: Dawson 1-16, 0-4; Borden County 6-13, 1-3.



LADY BULLDOGS — Alisha Garmer, a 5-8 young Lady Bulldogs gave a good effort, but couldn't hold on to a hot Roby squad and lost, 76-41. (SDN Staff Photo)

# Next two conference games key ones for Western Texas College ballclubs

Both Tony Mauldin and Kelly Chadwick are well aware of the importance of their next two conference ballgames, the first of which tip off here Thursday night in the coliseum.

"This is a real important week," said Mauldin, whose Western Texas College Westerners entertain Howard College in the late game of a

double-header here Thursday, then bus to Borger to take on Frank Phillips on Saturday.

"We wanted to beat New Mex-

ic and have a chance of coming out of the week 4-4 (in conference play)," said the coach, after WTC lost to the Thunderbirds 90-88 on Monday. "Now, these next two games are even more impor-

tant."

Chadwick, coach of WTC's women, the Lady Dusters, also stressed the importance of the next two games.

"I think if we can beat Howard here Thursday and Frank Phillips up there next Monday we'll be in good shape. That will mean we will have played Frank Phillips, South Plains and New Mexico all on the road and still have them here at home with just one (conference) loss," said Coach Chadwick, whose Western Texas College Lady Dusters are currently 3-1 in the WJCAC.

Fans may note that while WTC's men play Frank Phillips on Saturday, the Dusters do not play in Borger until Monday. Thursday's ballgames with Howard College makeup a double-header at Scurry County Coliseum, however. Game times are 6 p.m. and 8 p.m.

WTC's men are currently 10-10 for the season and 1-5 in the Western Junior College Athletic Conference (WJCAC). The one-win conference record has Western seventh in the standings. Those standings are somewhat deceiving however, because two teams who are in front of the Westerners, Frank Phillips (1-1) and Clarendon (2-3), have yet to play the top teams in the conference.

Howard College's Hawks have been impressive so far, boasting a 4-1 conference mark to go along with an overall record of 12-7. The Hawks are currently third in the conference and come off of a double-overtime, 103-95 win over

Clarendon on Tuesday.

Howard's Hawk Queens have been less successful at 1-2 in the WJCAC at 9-9 overall. The Queens were beaten by Odessa on Monday, 84-68 but dumped Clarendon on Tuesday, 81-63.

WTC's Lady Dusters lost to 16th-ranked New Mexico Junior College in Hobbs, N.M. Monday, but are still sitting second in the women's standings at 3-1. The Dusters are 16-6 for the season.

Other women's WJCAC contests Thursday include a key game at Levelland between New Mexico Junior College (20-2, 4-0) and South Plains (12-6, 2-2), and an outing between Frank Phillips (15-3, 0-2) and Clarendon (1-8, 0-3) in Clarendon.

In other men's conference action, top-ranked Odessa (20-0, 5-0) is at Roswell, N.M. to play struggling New Mexico Military Institute (5-14, 0-5), Frank Phillips (9-3, 1-1) is at Clarendon (9-6, 2-3) and New Mexico Junior College (9-10, 1-3) plays South Plains (19-2, 5-1) in Levelland.

## Notre Dame crushes struggling Mustangs

SOUTH BEND, Ind. (AP) - Southern Methodist Coach John Shumate knows about ups and downs.

"For every upside, there is a downside. Right now we're on the downside," said Shumate after his Mustangs lost to Notre Dame 67-45 Tuesday.

"I can live with it though, because I know the sun will shine tomorrow," he said. Southern Methodist is 6-7, and Notre Dame is 8-2.

For Shumate the trip to Notre Dame was a homecoming to the campus where he played college basketball and later coached two seasons under Digger Phelps.

"Shumate is very, very special to me," Phelps said. "When Shu almost died and when he came back, that's why he's one of my

## Ellis, Sonics clip Clippers, 130-107; Rockets defeated

by The Associated Press  
Dale Ellis believes in the old "if-at-first-you-don't-succeed" adage.

The Seattle SuperSonics guard is averaging 28.6 points per game, third highest in the NBA. But on Tuesday night, he scored only two points in the opening quarter.

"I had good shots in the first quarter, but they were rolling around and not going in," Ellis said. "I figured if I kept taking good shots they were going to start falling, and they did."

Ellis finished with 28 points - 15 coming in the second quarter - as the Sonics handed the crippled Los Angeles Clippers their 10th straight defeat, 130-107. It was Seattle's 13th consecutive victory at home.

With the scored tied at 38, the Sonics reeled off a 21-2 spurt midway through the second quarter, including nine points by Ellis. Alton Lister scored 10 of his 18 points in the third quarter as Seattle extended its lead to as many 29 points.

The Clippers played without top draft choice Danny Manning, lost for the season with torn knee ligaments, and guards Gary Grant and Tom Garrick. Grant has a bruised right thigh and Garrick a sprained left knee.

"We need players," Clippers coach Gene Shue said. "We did a good job until the second quarter, but they went on a big run. It's very simple. We were just overpowered."

Rioting in Miami caused postponement of the Phoenix Suns-Heat contest.

In other games, it was New Jersey 117, San Antonio 112; Atlanta 111, Milwaukee 98; Chicago 103, Indiana 96; Sacramento 123, Houston 109, and Utah 111, Portland 110.

Ken Norman and Quintin Dailey scored 20 points apiece for the Clippers.

Kings 123, Rockets 109  
Harold Pressley scored seven of his 24 points in the final five minutes to lead Sacramento. The Kings went ahead 115-92 with 3:12 remaining on Pressley's jumper. Sacramento led four times by 23 points, its biggest margin of the game.

Ed Pinckney added 20 points and LaSalle Thompson 18 for Sacramento. Eric Floyd topped Houston with 23 points, while Akeem Olajuwon added 17 points and 12 rebounds.

Jazz 111, Trail Blazers 110  
John Stockton sank four free throws in the final 14 seconds and Karl Malone scored 26 points for Utah. Stockton, who had 20 points and 18 assists, scored 11 points in the final period, including the

(see PRO, page 7)

### 25-A boys basketball

Team	Dist.	Season
Roby	1	0 16 3
Rotan	1	0 8 5
Ira	0	1 15 4
Hermleigh	0	1 5 15

Tuesday's Games: Roby 79, Ira 45, Rotan def. Hermleigh by forfeit.  
Friday's Games: No games scheduled.  
Next Tuesday's Games: Ira at Rotan, Roby at Hermleigh.

### 25-A girls basketball

Team	Dist.	Season
Rotan	1	0 11 5
Roby	1	0 10 9
Hermleigh	0	1 9 11
Ira	0	1 0 16

Tuesday's Games: Roby 76, Ira 41; Rotan 61, Hermleigh 28.  
Friday's Games: No games scheduled.  
Next Tuesday's Games: Ira at Rotan, Roby at Hermleigh.

## Tellier takes Columbia job

NEW YORK (AP) - Why would Ray Tellier leave a comfortable job as coach of Rochester and move to Columbia, the worst team in college football over the last 25 years.

"It's the biggest challenge in college football today," Tellier said Tuesday after being named as Columbia's fourth coach in six years.

Tellier spent five years at Rochester after a six-year stint as offensive coordinator at Brown.

Columbia athletic director Al Paul said a strong selling point for Tellier was the turnaround of

the Rochester program. The Yellowjackets were 21-26-1 in his five seasons, but were 9-2 in 1987 and 8-2 last season.

"You're looking at someone who went to a program as far down as Columbia's ever was," Paul said.

Larry McElreavy quit following last season after one of his assistants, Doug Jackson, accused him of drunkenness and professional misconduct, and the players said they had lost confidence in him.

McElreavy continues to deny any misconduct.

### WJCAC men

Team	Conf.	Season
Odessa	5	0 20 0
South Plains	5	1 19 2
Howard	4	1 12 7
Frank Phillips	1	1 8 3
Midland	3	3 12 7
Clarendon	2	3 9 6
New Mexico JC	1	3 9 10
Western Texas	1	5 10 10
New Mexico Military	0	5 5 14

Monday's Games: New Mexico JC 80, Western Texas 88; Frank Phillips 70, New Mexico Military 62; Odessa 81, South Plains 80; Midland 106, Clarendon 81.

Tuesday's Games: Clarendon 103, Howard 95 (2-ot).

Thursday's Games: Howard at Western Texas, Odessa at New Mexico Military, Frank Phillips at Clarendon, New Mexico JC at South Plains.

### WJCAC women

Team	Conf.	Season
New Mexico JC	4	0 20 2
Western Texas	3	1 16 6
Odessa	2	2 13 7
South Plains	2	2 12 6
Howard	1	2 9 9
Frank Phillips	0	2 15 3
Clarendon	0	3 1 8

Monday's Games: New Mexico JC 60, Western Texas 50; Odessa 84, South Plains 68.  
Tuesday's Games: Howard 81, Clarendon 63.  
Thursday's Games: Howard at Western Texas, New Mexico JC at South Plains, Frank Phillips at Clarendon.

Howard College's Hawks have been impressive so far, boasting a 4-1 conference mark to go along with an overall record of 12-7. The Hawks are currently third in the conference and come off of a double-overtime, 103-95 win over

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'Storm of protest will have impact...'

# Prop 42 under heavy fire

by The Associated Press  
If ever an NCAA rule seemed doomed, it is Proposition 42, the loophole-closing freshman eligibility measure whose supporters are dodging charges of racism.

to make," said Jim Epps, assistant athletic director at Kansas State, one of the schools that switched its vote the second time around and boosted Proposition 42 over the top. "We find it regrettable that some people have taken such an emotional stance and equated it with racism."

As presented at the NCAA convention last week in San Francisco, Proposition 42 eliminates the "partial qualifier" provision in the 3-year-old freshman eligibility rule known as Proposition 48. Previously, high school graduates who met part but not all of Proposition 48 requirements could still receive scholarships while sitting out their freshman year without playing or practicing.

Black coaches and administrators have been particularly opposed to Proposition 48 because they believe standardized entrance exams, which are part of the qualifying criteria, are racially and culturally biased.

About 600 partial qualifiers, most of them black, have taken advantage of the provision each of the three years that Proposition 48 has been in effect. Now partial qualifiers will have to pay their own way their freshman year if they cannot qualify for federal aid for needy students, and will still have only three years of eligibility. They can get scholarships as sophomores if they complete 24 credit hours toward a degree.

"This storm of protest will have an impact," said Jim Frank, former NCAA president who is now commissioner of the predominantly black Southwestern Athletic Conference. "There is no question in my mind that it will be reversed at the convention next January in Dallas."

Many Proposition 42 critics have called for a special meeting of NCAA schools to wipe out the new rule before it can do any harm. But it does not take effect until Aug. 1, 1990, and does not include the 1989 football and basketball classes who will sign letters of intent next month. If overturned at the January 1990 convention, Proposition 42 will die without ever having lived.

"It's not unheard of for the NCAA to pass legislation at one convention and then have it modified or repealed altogether before it goes into affect," said Al Witte of Arkansas, who was installed as NCAA head at last week's convention in San Francisco. "We saw that a couple of years ago when the convention voted to reduce basketball scholarships."

In the meantime, confusion and controversy over the new rule showed no sign of abating.

The NCAA announced on Tuesday that a discussion of the new rule has been added to the agenda of the upcoming meeting of the executive committee of the NCAA Presidents Commission and the NCAA Administrative Committee, which should please Georgetown basketball coach John Thompson.

Calling Proposition 42 a "tragic mistake," Thompson called attention to his opposition by walking off the court before his team's game against Boston College last Saturday and did not accompany the Hoyas to Providence for tonight's game.

## 'Super' defenses get little respect

MIAMI (AP) - The Super Bowl might be about a lot of things - fame, fortune, television ratings. Respect shouldn't be one of them.

By the time an NFL team has gone through six months of training, practicing and playing, winning enough to become conference champions, how can it not feel respected? Even revered?

Members of the defensive units of the Cincinnati Bengals and San Francisco 49ers can get, well, downright defensive about the issue. Respect? That's something the offenses get. Not us.

"There's no doubt the defense gets overlooked," Pro Bowl nose tackle Michael Carter said Tuesday as the full complement of 49ers met the mass of media for the first time. "In our conference, the Chicago Bears and Minnesota have the killer defenses. And our offense gets the publicity. People don't focus on us."

"We use it as a motivating factor. Nobody is talking about us shutting down other teams. All we hear is how our offense blows away people."

The 49ers' offense can do exactly that, scoring 196 points in the last seven games. The defense, which also sends safety Ronnie Lott and linebacker Charles Haley to the Pro Bowl, hasn't taken a subordinate role, however. It has allowed 101 points in that span, including just 14 in two playoff contests.

"We do mention it to each other. We talk about going out and shutting down the other team's offense and showing just what we can do."

What the 49ers could do was rank third in the league, behind those more acclaimed defenses in Chicago and Minnesota. In the playoffs, the Niners tore down those supposedly immovable barriers to the tune of 778 yards. Jerry Rice, who is questionable after re-injuring his right ankle in practice Monday, has been the main weapon with 10 receptions for 194 yards and five scores.

Meanwhile, the defense was yielding 529 yards, many after the games were decided, and constantly pressuring quarterbacks Wade Wilson of Minnesota and Jim McMahon of Chicago.

"Our offense has been scoring points just when our defense has been stopping people, and it happened together in the playoffs," said Haley, who led the 49ers with 11½ sacks. "Before the Washington game, when we were 6-5, we said we had to stop fooling ourselves and stop just showing up on Sundays and waiting for something good to happen. We were just hanging in and hanging in and hoping to get the break."

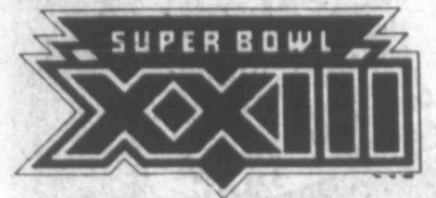
"We began making things happen."

Cincinnati's defense didn't make much happen before the postseason. The Bengals ranked 15th overall and just 18th against the run.

But in victories over Seattle and Buffalo to get here, the Bengals became man-eaters, holding Seattle to 18 yards rushing and Buffalo to 45. They allowed 23 points. They dominated both games.

"This year, there has not been a game where a team has come up with the big offensive play and beat us," said safety David Fulcher, who will join nose tackle Tim Krumrie as the only Cincinnati defenders in the Pro Bowl. "Our defense has come up with the big plays and we've won."

"Still, our defense does not get



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the respect it deserves."

In the mind of Cris Collinsworth, the Bengals are a football team that gets a total of zero respect because it comes from the AFC. The conference representative in the Super Bowl has been wiped out the last four years and has won just two of eight NFL championships this decade - both by the Los Angeles Raiders.

The losses include Cincinnati's 26-21 loss to San Francisco seven years ago.

"The last time the AFC team was treated this way was when Joe Willie was sitting out by the pool in a lounge chair and guaranteeing things," Collinsworth said. "You can tell by the point spread (7) that the AFC is not given much respect. It's on our shoulders to get it back."

"When we start the game, the scoreboard reads 0-0. We didn't get here by chance."



BLOCKED OUT - Lady Bulldog freshman Cindy Stewart tries to block out a Roby player in Tuesday night hoops action at Ira. Teammate Michelle Holmes, a senior, tries to cut to the basket behind the block. (SDN Staff Photo)

## Graf blasts Simpson

MELBOURNE, Australia (AP) - Defending champion Steffi Graf overwhelmed Canadian Rene Simpson 6-0, 6-0 in just 51 minutes today to storm into the third round of the \$2.4 million Australian Open tennis championships.

The West German teen-ager, chasing her fifth straight Grand Slam title, hit a succession of forehand winners to crush a player ranked 95th in the world.

Her great rival, Gabriela Sabatini of Argentina, struggled to defeat 16-year-old Spaniard Conchita Martinez in her second-round match.

Sabatini, seeded third, won 3-6,

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Remaining meeting dates include Feb. 6 and 20, March 6 and 20 and April 3 and 17.  
Anyone interested in WTC athletics is encouraged to attend.

## Tennis league will meet

Anyone interested in participating in a women's tennis league, the Snyder Women's Tennis Association, is invited to meet at 1 p.m. Sunday at Willow Park Inn.  
A Dutch treat luncheon will be available.  
Sunday's organizational meeting will include the discussion of possible playing dates and other details.  
The league is for all ages and skill levels.

## TKD tourney Jan. 28

West Texas Tae Kwon Do Academy will host the 3rd Annual West Texas Invitational Tae Kwon Do Championships at Scurry County Coliseum on Saturday, Jan. 28.

Tickets are \$3 for adults and \$2 for children age six through 12. Children age five and under will be admitted free.

Some 35 divisions are expected. Medals will be awarded to first through third places in all divisions.  
Competition will include forms competition beginning at 10:30 a.m. Gyorogi, or fighting, will begin at 12:30 p.m., with finals set for 5:30 p.m. A Black Belt demonstration is planned from 5 p.m. until 5:30 p.m.

Competitors are expected to enter from Lubbock, Pampa, Hereford, Sweetwater, Granbury, Fort Worth, Amarillo, Colorado City, Westbrook and Ira. Others will be from Clovis, N.M., Breckenridge, Clyde, Canadian, Aspermont, Plainview, Rotan, Perryton, Coppell and Snyder.

West Texas Tae Kwon Do Academy is under the direction of Greg Gafford. For more information concerning the academy or the upcoming tournament, call (915) 573-4136.

## PRO BASKETBALL ROUNDUP

(continued from page 6)  
crucial free throws after Portland's Jerome Kersey missed a layup with 22 seconds remaining and Utah leading 107-106.

Thurl Bailey came off the bench to score 23 points for the Jazz. He gave Utah a 97-96 lead it never relinquished.

Kersey led the Blazers with 23 points.

**Bulls 103, Pacers 96**  
Michael Jordan, held to just 11 points for three quarters, erupted for 11 fourth-period points and had 13 assists to help lead Chicago over Indiana.  
Bill Cartwright scored seven of

his 21 points during a 19-4 third-quarter burst and John Paxson shattered Indiana's defense with a season-high 24 points as Chicago handed the Pacers their 17th road loss against just one win.

Indiana's Chuck Person, who led the Pacers with 29 points, was ejected in the fourth quarter when he was given his second technical foul.

**Nets 117, Spurs 112**  
Dennis Hopson and Mike McGee scored 24 points each and Lester Conner had four points in a late 6-0 spurt as New Jersey handed San Antonio its sixth straight loss.

The Nets, who led by 19 points in the first half, saw the Spurs rally in the second half behind Willie Anderson, who had 19 of his 25 points after intermission.

Alvin Robertson led the Spurs with 23 points.

**Hawks 111, Bucks 98**  
Five points by Glenn "Doc" Rivers in the final 2:13, including a key 3-point basket, staved off a fourth-period Milwaukee surge and powered Atlanta to its second straight victory and only the Hawks' third in eight games.

Ricky Pierce, scoring 14 of his 22 points in the final period, led a Milwaukee run that got the Bucks within 96-92 with 2:39 left after the Hawks had led by as many as 19 points in the second period.

Cliff Levingston led Atlanta with a season-high 23 points. Terry Cummings also had 22 for the Bucks.

On the same day, April 9, 1978, George Gervin of the San Antonio Spurs scored 33 points in one period in an NBA game and David Thompson of Denver made 32 points in a single quarter.

## NBA glance

By The Associated Press  
EASTERN CONFERENCE

**Atlantic Division**

Team	W	L	Pct.	GB
New York	25	11	.694	-
Philadelphia	20	16	.556	5
Boston	16	19	.457	8½
New Jersey	15	21	.417	10
Washington	11	23	.324	13
Charlotte	10	26	.278	15

**Central Division**

Team	W	L	Pct.	GB
Cleveland	27	7	.794	-
Detroit	23	11	.676	4
Milwaukee	21	12	.636	5½
Atlanta	23	14	.622	5½
Chicago	21	14	.600	6½
Indiana	9	26	.257	18½

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**Midwest Division**

Team	W	L	Pct.	GB
Houston	22	14	.611	-
Utah	22	15	.595	½
Denver	20	16	.556	2
Dallas	18	16	.529	3
San Antonio	10	26	.278	12
Miami	4	31	.114	17½

**Pacific Division**

Team	W	L	Pct.	GB
L.A. Lakers	25	12	.676	-
Phoenix	21	14	.600	3
Seattle	21	14	.600	3
Portland	20	16	.556	4½
Golden State	17	16	.515	6
Sacramento	10	24	.294	13½
L.A. Clippers	10	27	.270	15

**Tuesday's Games**

Phoenix at Miami, ppd.  
New Jersey 117, San Antonio 112  
Atlanta 111, Milwaukee 98  
Chicago 103, Indiana 96  
Seattle 120, L.A. Clippers 107  
Sacramento 123, Houston 109  
Utah 111, Portland 110

**Wednesday's Games**

Boston at Philadelphia  
New Jersey at Detroit  
Charlotte at Milwaukee  
Denver at Dallas  
L.A. Clippers at L.A. Lakers  
New York at Golden State

**Thursday's Games**

San Antonio at Washington  
Phoenix at Charlotte  
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**JUSTIN** — Justin Donelson won a sparkling champagne buckle with the selection of his lightweight Duroc as the grand champion hog in the Ira FFA Stock Show. (SDN Staff Photo)

## Teens will not face capital murder charges, police say

DALLAS (AP) — Hundreds of police and family members paid tribute to two officers killed in a car chase, while authorities said two teen-agers arrested in their deaths would not face capital murder charges.

Capital murder charges were ruled out because "the description of capital murder doesn't fit this offense," police spokesman Ed Spencer said.

The investigation into the deaths of officers Lisa Sandel and Mark Fleming was continuing and other charges could be filed, said Spencer. Hundreds of family members and colleagues paid tribute to the officers in two separate services Tuesday.

Ray Earvin McLin Jr., 17, was charged before State District Judge Gerry Meier with

unauthorized use of a motor vehicle, but failed to appear Tuesday in 291st Judicial District court for a bond setting, a judge's spokeswoman said.

"Nothing has changed since yesterday," said police spokesman Bill Bateman. "A 16-year-old is still being held with the juvenile authorities."

Dallas County district attorney's officials said they would attempt to have the juvenile certified to stand trial as an adult.

"We will file a petition asking the juvenile court to waive jurisdiction and certify him to the adult criminal justice system," said Janice Warder, an assistant district attorney in charge of the juvenile section.

Ms. Warder said the petition would likely be filed later this

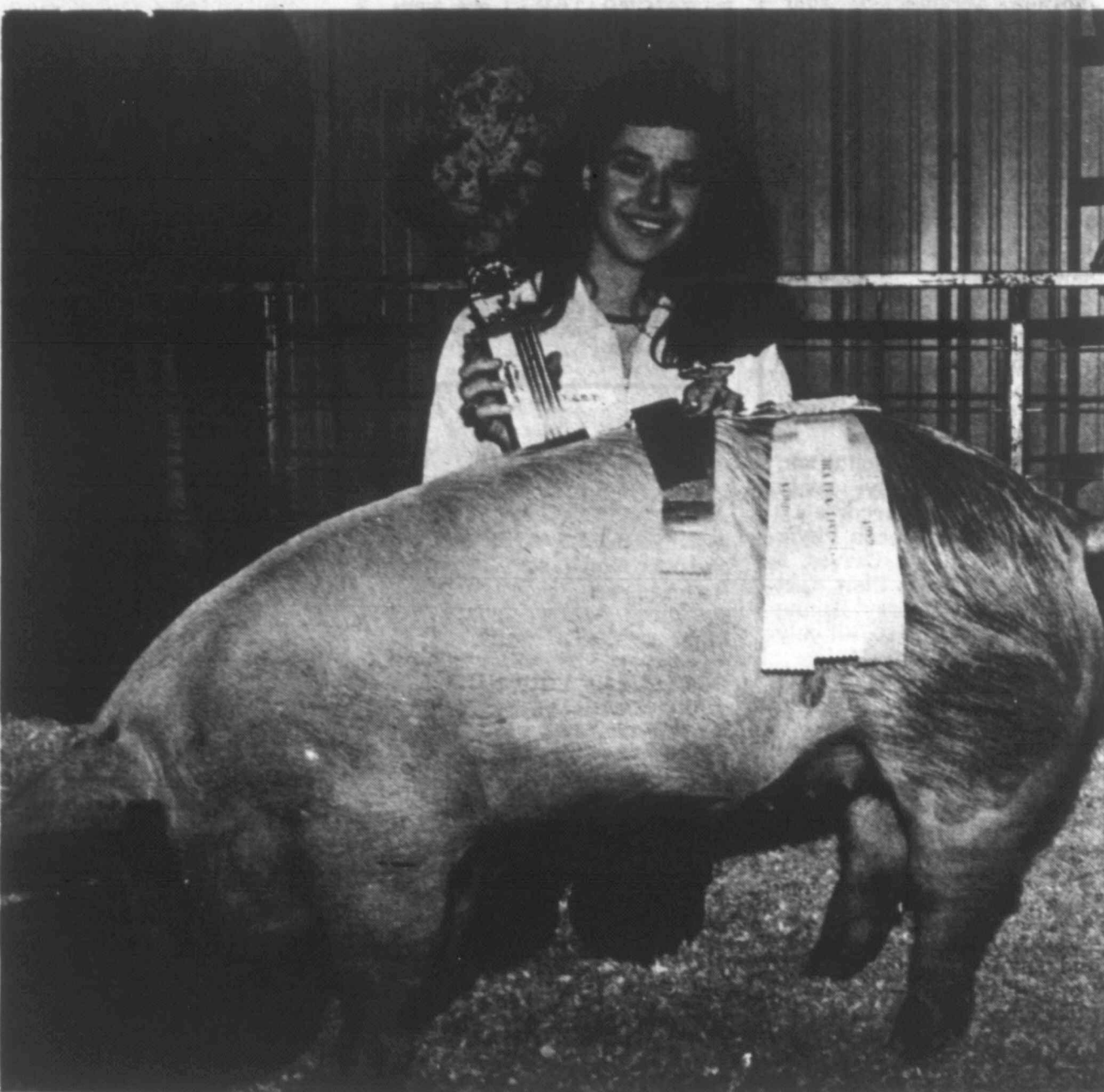
week. She said the juvenile also has two unrelated 1988 charges, evading arrest and delivery of cocaine, pending before juvenile court.

The 16-year-old was in Dallas County Juvenile Detention Center without bond, she said.

Ms. Sandel and Fleming died during a chase Friday night when their squad car went out of control, crashing into an oncoming pickup on a rain-slickened street.

A funeral Mass, with an honor guard, was held for Ms. Sandel, 26.

"She had that wisdom to see beyond," said the Rev. Robert Crisp, police chaplain, "and in that wisdom and in that vibrancy of life, to bring happiness and life and hopes to others."



**CARLA** — Carla Denson's sleek heavyweight crossbreed was the reserve champion hog in the Ira FFA Stock Show Saturday. (SDN Staff Photo)

## Bullock cautions against tax increase for state this year

AUSTIN (AP) — A major tax increase now could do serious damage to a rebounding Texas economy, Comptroller Bob Bullock says, adding that he is convinced that the Legislature can avoid one this year.

Although Bullock's official estimate of state government revenue for the 1990-91 budget period foresees an additional \$1.6 billion to spend, some lawmakers say that isn't enough to provide all needed state services.

Bullock on Tuesday defended his plan to raise an additional \$1.1 billion largely through book-keeping measures among some 200 special state funds and transferring that cash to the state's all-purpose General

Revenue Fund.

"Some say that such a funding mechanism would just prolong the problem, and that a tax bill is the proper vehicle to make up the shortage. But I say there is a darn good reason to balance the budget without new or higher taxes by using this transfer method," he said.

Bullock said such transfers are common in private business, and he said Texas and other states have done it before.

"To those who say we are borrowing from the next budget, then I say so be it, because I for one believe that we will be in better shape to cover it in 1992-93 than we are now," he said in a speech to the Texas Association

of Realtors.

"Our economy, the people in it, the businessmen and women in it, need some breathing room in light of the huge tax bills imposed on them the last few years. They need a breath of fresh air, free of higher taxes, while they put our economy back in order," Bullock said.

"I believe that new and higher taxes at this time would be ... roadblocks, that they would have a depressing effect both real and psychological on present Texas taxpayers and on those who are giving Texas careful study."

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# Student expulsion hearing held

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The majority of testimony Tuesday was taken up with the Dec. 7 incident which prompted the expulsion of Escobedo—a confrontation between he and two high school teachers which resulted in Escobedo offering to "put on the gloves" with one of the instructors to "whip his ass."

The reason cited for Escobedo being expelled is verbal assault of a teacher, a charge his defense attorney has claimed was not properly spelled out during an initial hearing Dec. 13 related to the expulsion.

During cross examination, Escobedo admitted he used the phrase quoted, but said he did not mean it as a threat but rather "with gloves in a sport."

The alleged threat was aimed at SHS instructor Troy Lilly,

testimony indicated.

SHS teacher-coach David Baugh testified Wednesday he had first approached Escobedo and his 18-year-old girlfriend after receiving a report from a student that Escobedo and the girl had been arguing.

Baugh said he received the indication that the youth had struck the girl, a claim denied by both Escobedo and his girlfriend, Patricia Flores, during testimony Tuesday.

Baugh stated that it was obvious that the girl had been crying, however, and that Escobedo was upset.

When he questioned the student, he said, Escobedo's mood changed to one of anger. Ultimately, Baugh said, the student became extremely agitated, calling it "more than angry-furious."

In his cross examination, Sentell asked Baugh if he felt he had encroached on the student's right to privacy. Baugh countered he felt the possibility existed that the girl might be struck, noting "If the girl had been hit, I felt like I'd be negligent as a teacher."

During his questioning of Escobedo, Baugh noted, Lilly approached, a fact which apparently further enraged the student.

To Lilly, Baugh testified, Escobedo commented that he would "like to whip his ass" and that he would like to "put the gloves on."

The incident ended with Escobedo leaving the school campus without permission.

He returned to classes the next day, and high school officials informed him at that time that he would be expelled.

SHS Principal Ray Courtney testified Wednesday morning that the Dec. 7 confrontation was one of seven incidents involving nine teachers this fall semester which have required disciplining Escobedo.

Other testimony elicited by Greene Tuesday included one incident where Escobedo was described as picking up a metal pipe in shop class and repeatedly striking the floor after a confrontation with another student.

It was claimed he also struck one of his fellow student's class projects with the pipe, and Escobedo said this occurred as the pipe slipped from his hand.

After each incident, Courtney said, the student was apologetic and indicated the behavior "would not happen again."

On Monday, Greene introduced into evidence the letter sent to Escobedo's grandfather, Bruno Perez, asking him to appear at a Dec. 13 hearing during which his grandson's possible expulsion from school would be discussed.

During his testimony, Escobedo said he did not take the letter "seriously" until after the Dec. 13 hearing. At that meeting with high school administrators and Superintendent Dalton Moseley, Moseley supported the decision to expell the 19-year-old.

Escobedo claimed also that he did not realize he had the right to be represented by an attorney at the Dec. 13 hearing, saying at one point he did not fully understand the term "legal counsel," or that he had the right to challenge witness testimony against him.

Working in the letter sent to his grandfather—a letter Escobedo admitted he read prior to the Dec. 13 hearing—states "you have the right to be represented by counsel...and to question all witnesses and examine all documents that pertain to

the...student's behavior."

Sentell claimed during testimony that the reason for the expulsion, "verbal assault," should have been stated in the notice for this Dec. 13 hearing.

The letter also states that if the decision was to expell Escobedo, an appeal to the school board could be sought.

The family ultimately sought this appeal and was granted a hearing Jan. 5. The board voted unanimously to support the action of administrators.

By the Jan. 5 hearing, the SHS senior had employed his attorney Sentell.

In legal documents filed with the request for injunction, Escobedo seeks to be sent back to the classroom and to be tested for the current six weeks based upon his classroom studies as of Dec. 8, the day he was removed from class.

During testimony, he noted he believes the district's In School Suspension (ISS) program is not an acceptable alternative.

ISS has the student essentially isolated from his fellow students, although they receive the same classroom assignments as the others are receiving in the open classroom.

Since the temporary restraining order was granted last Tuesday, school officials has planned to accept Escobedo back on campus but enrolled in ISS.

He noted Tuesday this was the reason he has not returned to school since the temporary legal order was granted.



REGISTRATION — Ann Galyean, seated, was registering students Monday afternoon at Western Texas College as Dr. Duane Hood, dean of student services, top left, Emmitt Hataway and a student watched. (SDN Staff Photo)

## Obituaries

### Vernon Simmons

SAUCIER, Miss.—Services for Vernon Simmons, 58, of Saucier, Miss. will be held at 3 p.m. Thursday. He will be buried in Gulf Port, Miss.

He was born in May, 1930 in Gulf Port. He was a shipbuilder and had worked in the Snyder oil fields. He was the brother-in-law of Mattie Morris and Robert Lane of Snyder.

He is survived by his wife, Maye; two sons, Glenn Simmons of Saucier and Robert Pinkston of Bakersfield, Calif.; two daughters, Glenda Elliot of Pansy, Ark. and Kathy Peterman of Saucier; seven grandchildren and five brothers and two sisters.

### J. W. Jackson

ROPEVILLE—Services for J. W. Jackson, 71, of Ropeville, will be at 10 a.m. Thursday in the First Baptist Church with the Rev. Gene Meacham, pastor, officiating. Burial will be in Anton Cemetery.

He died at 5:10 a.m. Tuesday at his residence.

Jackson was born in Hermleigh and moved from Anton to Ropeville in 1950. He married Inez Foreman on Feb. 28, 1940 in Levelland. He was a farmer, a U. S. Navy veteran of World War II and a member of First Baptist Church.

Survivors include his wife; a son, Larry of Lubbock; two daughters, Janette Simpson of Denison and Mary Johnson of Sargar Land; two brothers, Loyd of Manhattan Beach, Calif. and Osman of Hermleigh; and eight grandchildren.

The family suggests memorials to Hospice of Lubbock.

### David Miller Sr.

SKIATOOK, Okla.—Funeral services for David M. Miller, Sr., will be held Thursday at 2 p.m. in the Prue High School Gym at Prue, Okla.

Graveside services will follow at Osage Gardens at Skiatook.

Miller, 44, was killed in an auto accident Sunday, Jan. 15.

He was a teacher at Prue High School. He was born on Jan. 12, 1945.

Miller is survived by his wife, Donna, of the home, a brother, Ronnie Miller of Skiatook, his mother and father, also of Skiatook; three sons, David M. Miller, Jr. of Skiatook, Jon Corey Miller of Snyder and Tony Morrison of Skiatook; a daughter, Leigh Anne Greene of Skiatook; and two grandchildren.

### Uless Lovell

RISING STAR—Services are set for 2 p.m. Thursday at Higginbotham Funeral Home Chapel for Uless D. Lovell, 83, who died Tuesday in a local nursing home. Burial will follow in the Center Point Cemetery.

He was the father of Derl Lovell of Snyder.

A life-long resident of Eastland County, he was a member of the Baptist church.

Survivors include his wife, Anna Lovell of Rising Star; another son, Ray Lovell of Farmington, N.M.; two daughters, Treava Mitchell of Santa Fe, N.M., and Cleta Faye Bowers of Hereford; three brothers, E. W. Lovell of Brownwood, Willie Lovell of Ellinwood, Kan., and Omer Lovell of Marfa; three sisters, Erma Lawson of Fort Worth, Texas; a daughter of Bakersfield, Calif., and Lillie Mae Jackson of Monahans; nine grandchildren; 14 great-grandchildren; and one great-great-grandchild.

## Hospital Notes

ADMISSIONS: Marsha Carpenter, 3403 Jacksboro; Glenda Anderson, Hermleigh; S.W. Suther, 3204 Hill; Elma Jordan, 1712 College; Katherine Redwine, 4109 Denison; Jan Baker, Fluvanna.

DISMISSALS: Blandina Morales, Renona Robinson, Edna Clayton, Opal Rhodes, Mabel Adams, Wanda Griffin, Lula McDowell.

### Sexual assault is reported from summer

Police Tuesday investigated a reported sexual assault on a juvenile girl here last summer and said the information would be forwarded to the district attorney's office.

Cheryl Williams of Scurry County Child Protective Services told police at 11 a.m. Tuesday that the girl, whose age was not reported, was the victim of a sexual assault here in June 1988.

An officer said he had filed an offense report related to the incident.

### Police answer domestic call

Police were summoned at 12:49 a.m. Wednesday a mobil home on Brick Plant Rd. A Snyder couple reported a domestic quarrel.

The woman went to Cogdell Memorial Hospital and said she would come to the police station later Wednesday to file a misdemeanor assault complaint.

## Births

Alan and Julie Culp of Abilene are the parents of a baby girl, Alicia Kay, born at 12:30 p.m. Jan. 9 in Rolling Plains Hospital of Sweetwater. She weighed 7

pounds, 6 ounces. Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Joe Culp and Mr. and Mrs. Juluis Roemisch, all of

Hermleigh. Great-grandparents are Nova Dee Cresswell of Hermleigh and Mrs. Willy Bills of Snyder. Great-great-grandmother is Snow Kennedy of Lubbock.

### Firemen respond to two calls

Firemen answered two calls Tuesday, the first a grill fire at Snyder Country Club that occupied them from 1:34 p.m. to 2 p.m.

A fire in ground-up hay 24 miles southwest of town and a half-mile south of the Lake J.B. Thomas dam was reported at 3:54 p.m. and kept them at the scene until 5:30 p.m. on property owned by Consolidated Tool.

### Blood donors are honored

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The next drive is scheduled for March 14.

Two men, Paul Luna and Tommy Doyle, were honored for having donated six gallons of blood, and Bob Sealy was recognized as a five-gallon donor.

William C. West, Don Osborn, James Day and Jimmy Layne received pins for having contributed four gallons, Texa Ball won a three-gallon pin, and Troy Greenlee was given a two-gallon pin.

There were eight one-gallon donors—Mike Browning, Britt Canada, Donald Davis, Kenneth and Wanda Rinehart, Clinton Gregory, Elena Avalos and Bill Wood.

Cub Scout Pack 258 cleaned up following the drive, with sponsors Peggy Byrom and Glenda Treat directing pack members Brandon Benson, Cory Mandrell, Joshua Treat, Delbert Johnson Eugene Durst, Lupe Guerra, Eric Rodriguez and Michael Borrego.

### English course is added to spring schedule

A new class, English 131 (Freshman Composition I) has been added to the spring schedule of classes at Western Texas College.

The class will meet Monday nights from 6:30 to 9:20 p.m. The first class meeting and registration will be held at 6:30 p.m. on Monday, Jan. 23.

Cost of the class is \$60 for in-district students. To be eligible, SAT scores and be screened by a departmental exam. The class is fully transferable.

For more information, contact Dr. Ed Barkowsky or Bettie McQueen.

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## Light-Fingered Mom Presents Heavy Burden to Her Daughter

By Abigail Van Buren

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DEAR ABBY: What do you do when you go shopping with your 30-year-old mother, and you see her shoplift?

Abby, this is the mother who held down two jobs all the time her children were growing up in order to make ends meet. She taught us to be honest, respectful, upstanding citizens. We respected her so much — and now this! I can't believe it.

I let her know that I saw what she had done, but what do I do now? I dread the thought of taking her into another store for fear she will do it again. Can you imagine how embarrassing it would be if she were caught?

Abby, she never misses your column. Please print this. Maybe she will get the message. Sign me ...  
A LOVING DAUGHTER WHO'S WORRIED SICK

DEAR DAUGHTER: Please consider the possibility that something has happened to your mother's mind — her conscience, her sense of right and wrong.

Be patient with her, and explain — as though she were your child — that all stores have security officers and devices to catch shoplifters, and if she is caught, she will be severely dealt with by the police.

If you shop with her again, watch her closely. And should you see her take something, insist that she return it. Also, share this disturbing change of behavior with your mother's physician.

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DEAR ABBY: Could you please print the following letter to my father and thousands of others who are like him:

Dear Dad: Mom got custody of us in the divorce so she could raise me and little Tommy, but she is not doing a very good job. Tommy had to quit Little League because Mom didn't have time to take him to the games, and last week when I broke

up with my boyfriend, she wasn't even there to talk to.

Mom is never home in the evenings because she works, and Tommy and I both have trouble with our homework. (Tommy may flunk third grade.) Mom says she wants to be there for us, but because you don't pay the support money, she's forced to work two jobs.

Dad, could you please help support us so Mom will have time to raise us?

Love, YOUR DAUGHTER

DEAR DAUGHTER: I'm publishing your letter. I hope that your dad — and the "thousands like him" — will see it and heed your important message.

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DEAR ABBY: I would like to convey my heartfelt thanks for what Operation Dear Abby IV has done for the morale of the military here.

To be 10,000 miles from friends and family is part of our job and commitment, but that doesn't make it any easier to deal with during the holiday season.

The letters we received have brightened many soldiers' days and eased the pain of being away. For thousands of people in the States to care enough to write letters to individuals they have never met is simply amazing!

But that's America. And that's why we are here doing what we're doing. The only way we can express our warmest gratitude is through you, Abby, so please print this letter for all of us.

1ST LT. MICHAEL P. McCAULY, AVIATION, SEOUL, KOREA

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## Police officer suspended in connection with death

HALTOM CITY, Texas (AP) — When a homicide victim's body was found at a house days after an emergency call from the dwelling, a police officer was suspended and a probationary officer was fired for not dispatching a car there, authorities say.

Haltom City Police Chief Tom Cowan said Tuesday that dispatcher Sandra Snow, a four-year veteran of the police department, was placed on indefinite suspension Jan. 10.

The chief said Doris Burleson, a probationary dispatcher, was fired the same day.

Investigators discovered a 911 call had been placed Dec. 15 from the house. Three days later, a neighbor found the body of Floyd Elvin Stice, 44, at the home.

Cowan told the Fort Worth Star-Telegram that Ms. Snow violated personnel rules covering

"inexcusable neglect of duty" and breached the city's general code of conduct. Ms. Snow told Haltom City officials she plans to appeal her suspension, the chief said.

The probationary dispatcher was fired for not satisfying the requirements of the job, said Cowan.

He said that Ms. Snow and Ms. Burleson were placed on administrative leave with pay Dec. 30.

Ms. Burleson told the Star-Telegram her job on Dec. 15 was to write down calls and relay them to the dispatcher for cars to be sent out.

She said she attempted to call the number back after the first contact, which Burleson described as "real short."

Ms. Snow did not immediately return calls Tuesday from The Associated Press.

# Public faith sought by group

AUSTIN (AP) — The board of the State Bar of Texas is scheduled to consider this weekend an idea that the bar's president says would help counter lost public confidence in the way lawyers police themselves.

In his column in the latest issue of the Texas Bar Journal, president Jim Sales said public faith in the legal profession has eroded in large part because of the secrecy that hides the discipline system from public view.

Sales has endorsed a proposal to make the disciplinary pro-

ceedings public when a preliminary investigation of a complaint against a lawyer has found "probable cause" to believe it is true.

The proposal was made by the Grievance Oversight Committee, a panel appointed by the Texas Supreme Court.

The bar's board of directors is to consider the plan at its meeting in Galveston this weekend. Any changes are subject to approval by the Supreme Court and, in some cases, possibly by the Legislature.

Sales said confidentiality "unquestionably must be removed" to restore public trust in the system of disciplining lawyers accused of ethics violations.

He said that despite increased efforts by the bar, "public confidence in the ethical conduct of lawyers has continued to deteriorate and this erosion has impacted unfavorably upon the administration of justice."

Justice Raul Gonzalez, the Supreme Court liaison to the bar, agreed that the present grievance system is in trouble.

"The system is broken, and we don't have the confidence of the public. At the same time, we need to protect lawyers from frivolous charges," Gonzalez said.

Sales said that while the bar's board has given its "unqualified and enthusiastic commitment" to disciplining lawyers, the grievance process "continues to lag and has failed to inspire public confidence that the profession is effectively prosecuting lawyers engaged in unethical and inappropriate conduct."

# Clements replaces White allies

AUSTIN (AP) — In appointing three new members of the University of Texas Board of Regents, Republican Gov. Bill Clements replaced some political allies of former Democratic Gov. Mark White.

Clements on Tuesday named as regents former Republican congressman Tom Loeffler, former state GOP chairman Chester Upham Jr. of Mineral Wells and Robert Cruikshank of Houston. Subject to Senate confirmation, all will have six-year terms ending Feb. 1, 1995.

They replace Robert Baldwin III of Austin, Jess Hay of Dallas

and Mario Yzaguirre of Brownsville.

Baldwin was a close associate of White, who ousted Clements in 1982 and then lost to the Republican in 1986. Dallas financier Hay, chairman of Lomas & Nettleton, has been a major Democratic Party fund-raiser.

"The management and leadership skills of these outstanding appointees will move higher education in Texas into a new era of excellence and accountability," Clements said.

Loeffler, 42, of Mason, is a senior partner in the law firm of McCamish, Martin, Brown &

Loeffler. He served in the U.S. House from January 1979 through January 1987, and he was an unsuccessful GOP candidate for governor in 1986, losing the primary to Clements.

Loeffler also was chief legal counsel to former U.S. Sen. John Tower and special assistant for legislative affairs under President Ford. He received both bachelor's and law degrees from the University of Texas.

During the Reagan administration, Loeffler served as coordinator for Central American Affairs in the White House Office of Legislative Affairs.

Cruikshank, 58, is a senior partner of Deloitte Haskins & Sells, an international public accounting firm. He also is director of the Dean's Associates for Faculty Development in the College and Graduate School of Business at the University of Texas at Austin.

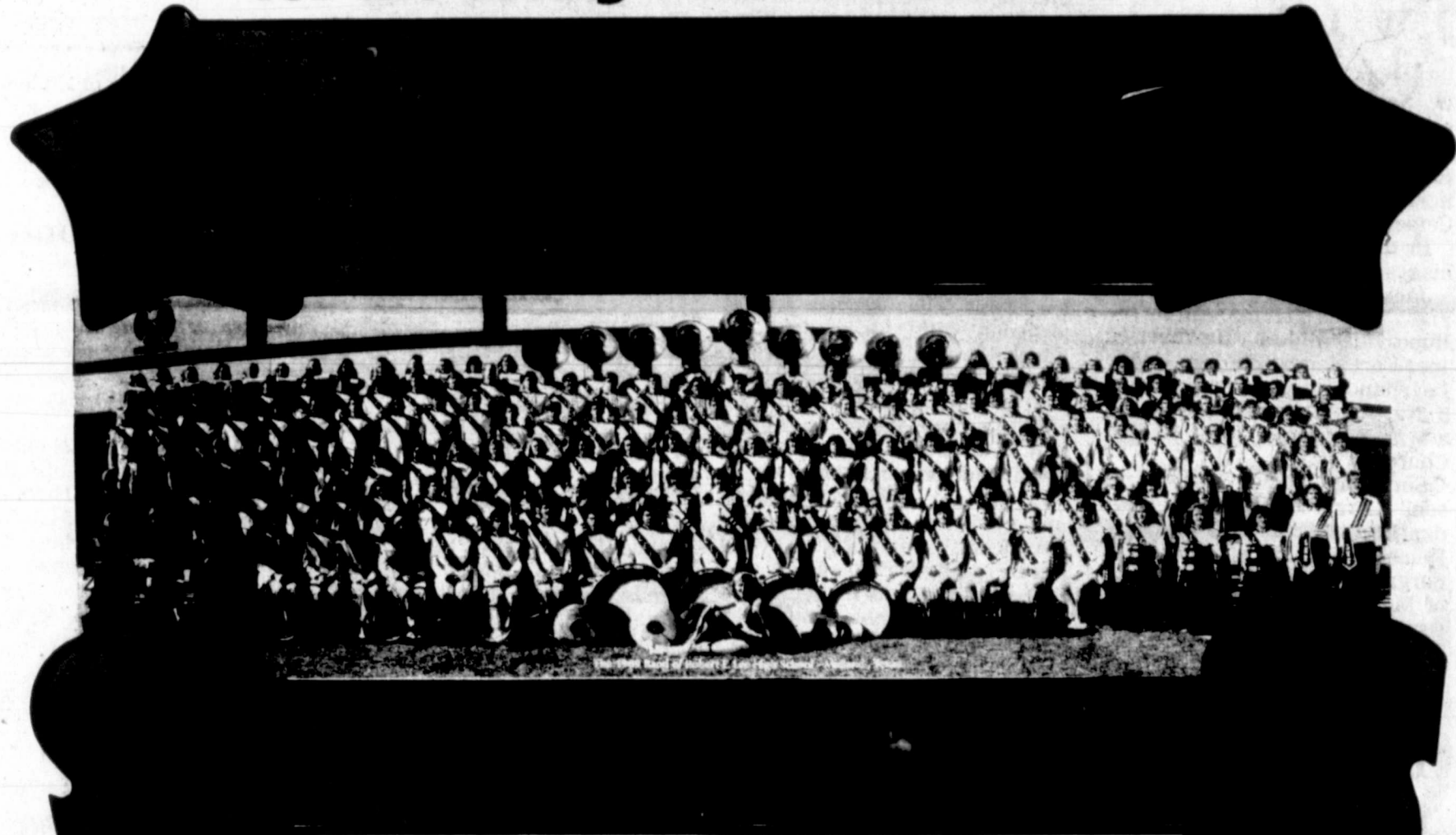
Cruikshank got his bachelor's degree from Rice University and completed the advanced management program at Harvard University in 1982.

Upham, 63, headed the Texas Republican Party from 1979 to 1983. He is the managing co-owner of Upham Oil and Gas Co.

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