

Q.—Has the Attorney General's opinion been received concerning the writ of mandamus hearing relating to the prison project?

A.—As of Tuesday morning, the opinion had not been received.

In Brief

Credit scam

DALLAS (AP) — Secret Service agents said they arrested a man wanted on fraud and counterfeiting charges after he purchased 500,000 credit card numbers from undercover officers in a sting operation.

James Albert Lawhorne Jr., 25, was arrested Friday after he gave Secret Service agents a \$25,000 check to buy 180 computer discs containing information on the credit card accounts, authorities said.

Lawhorne went before U.S. Magistrate William Sanderson on Tuesday on fraud and counterfeiting charges and was being held without bond in the Dallas County jail.

Lawhorne was arrested after the transaction at a restaurant near downtown, officials said. The cashier's check he gave agents later was determined to be counterfeit.

Local

Appraisal meet

Scurry County Appraisal District board members will meet at 7 p.m. Tuesday at 2612 College Ave.

Agenda items include oath of office for three new board members and consideration of bids for a new roof.

New business includes contracts with the appraisal firm, Thomas Y. Pickett, and collection contracts with Ira and Hermleigh school districts. Depository bids, an audit proposal and amended 1987 and 1988 budgets are also to be considered.

Stenholm due

Congressman Charles Stenholm will address the Snyder Kiwanis Club at noon Wednesday at Golden Corral Steak House.

North meeting

The North Elementary Parent Council will meet at 9 a.m. Wednesday to discuss the T-Shirt sale and other upcoming events.

Fund set up

A fund to help defray medical expenses has been established for Julie Reese of Hermleigh at the three local banks. Mrs. Reese has been hospitalized since December and is currently at St. Luke's Hospital in Houston (Room 1435) where she is learning how to use a dialysis machine.

Weather

Snyder Temperatures: High Monday, 58 degrees; low, 28 degrees; reading at 7 a.m. Tuesday, 35 degrees; no precipitation; total precipitation for 1988 to date, .25 of an inch.

Snyder Area Forecast: Tonight, partly cloudy and colder with a low in the middle 20s. Windy this evening, with a north wind 15 to 25 mph and gusty, decreasing to 10 to 20 mph late evening. Lake wind advisories will be in effect this evening. Wednesday, partly cloudy and colder with a high in the middle 40s. North wind 10 to 20 mph.

Energy management...

WTC to replace system

Citing utility of repeated repairs, Western Texas College trustees Monday night decided to replace the WTC physical plant energy management system with a new Andover Controls system.

The new system is expected to cost about \$145,000 over the next five years.

Maintenance director Leon Pettitt reported that the 17-year-old Honeywell Delta 200 system had an internal short just after the college recessed for the Christmas holidays and "blew up," filling the building full of smoke.

Repairs estimated to cost about \$10,000 might be only a temporary solution, trustees were told. The board then voted to contract with Jack Roberts of

the Enter-tel Co. of San Angelo to install a new system.

Business manager Gay Hickman said the school has been contracting with Roberts at \$16,500 per year to maintain the old system, which has been monitoring all of the campus air handlers, pumps, water flow and temperatures, along with turning on different equipment at programmed times.

The maintenance contract will be reduced to \$12,500 annually with the installation of the new system, Hickman said.

Other business in the 5:45 p.m. meeting included setting Saturday, May 7, for an election to fill three

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NEW AT WTC — Dennis Carlton, 35, is the new director of financial aid at Western Texas College, succeeding the retiring Jim Tully. Carlton is a Snyder native and a petroleum management graduate of the University of Alabama who worked in various phases of the oil industry before joining the WTC staff. He and his wife, Mary, have two daughters, 13-year-old twins Lisa and Shara. (SDN Staff Photo)

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Reagan says...

Trade deficit is good sign

WASHINGTON (AP) — President Reagan is turning criticism of his economic policy topsy-turvy, contending that the trade deficit may be "a sign of strength" and that his tax cuts didn't leave the budget awash in red ink.

Reagan used an appearance before the Cleveland City Club on Monday to brush aside concerns about a possible recession and to voice unabashed confidence in America's economic future.

"We're going to continue to expand," Reagan predicted, pointing to 62 months of uninterrupted growth. "I don't think the

signs of recession are there." On other subjects, Reagan said:

—He has seen no evidence of criminal wrongdoing in the Iran-Contra affair by anyone who was in his administration. He said it would be too early to say whether he would grant a pardon to anyone, because an independent counsel is still investigating the affair.

—He could not analyze the intentions of Soviet leader Mikhail S. Gorbachev in seeking a summit with the leaders of China.

—On the value of the dollar, "what we want is stability."

—Sandinista government leaders in Nicaragua are proving "that they have no intention of completely accepting the proposed peace agreement" for Central America. "We have and we think that could be a solution."

The president's speech came in the midst of continued volatility on Wall Street, where worries about the nation's budget and trade deficits, as well as the falling dollar and interest rates, have been cited as partial causes for recent market declines.

Last Friday, the Dow Jones industrial average dropped 140 points, bringing back memories of the Oct. 19 crash of 508 points.

Reagan said he was concerned that pessimistic stories in the media possibly were affecting the economy, and argued that such reports could prompt consumers to halt spending.

Welfare board expanded to 5

Scurry County commissioners Monday heeded a request from the County Welfare Board and expanded its membership to five persons.

Commissioners appointed Albert Lewis to replace Velma Clay, who is moving away from Snyder, and re-appointed Nelda Huddleston to the panel. Henry Ramos was added as the new fifth member.

In other action, the commissioners at mid-day drew names from the list of 1987 Scurry County grand jurors and selected Weldon Perry, Annie Daves and Bertha Anderson to serve on the county grievance committee.

College testing on staff agenda

In-service for the spring semester begins Wednesday at Western Texas College. Dr. Harry Krenke, WTC, president will address faculty members in the opening session at 10 a.m.

At 1:15 p.m., Mike Kerker, associate director in testing for the Texas Coordinating Board, will address the faculty. He will discuss new testing programs mandated for college students.

Dormitories at the college will open at 10 a.m. next Monday. Registration for sophomore students will begin at 1 p.m. that day.

Freshman registration is slated from 9 a.m. until noon on Tuesday, Jan. 19.

Also next Monday, a special registration period for evening students is scheduled from 6:30 until 9 p.m.



A TOUCH OF HUMOR — When a Lubbock attorney referred to "these poor, ignorant folks" in a recent court hearing seeking details about a Texas Department of Corrections unit, he probably never

thought the phrase would lend itself to a campaign-style button being worn around Snyder by supporters of the prison project. (SDN Staff Photo)

GOP planning to leave all candidates names on ballot

AUSTIN (AP) — The names of all six GOP presidential candidates will remain on the March 8 primary ballot, but votes received won't count if a candidate lacks the 5,000 petition signatures needed to qualify, party officials said.

John Weaver, executive director of the Texas GOP, said the decision was made after questions were raised about possible forgeries on petitions submitted by three candidates.

"We're just trying to handle this as fairly and openly as possible," Weaver said after GOP Chairman George Strake made the decision Monday.

Last week, FBI agents seized the petitions submitted by two candidates — Sen. Robert Dole and Alexander Haig — after news reporters found signatures of Democrats, supporters of other candidates and dead people on their petitions.

Questions also were raised over the weekend about some signatures on petitions of former Delaware Gov. Pete du Pont. And The Dallas Morning News reported in today's editions that a random check of signatures on

petitions for New York Rep. Jack Kemp may be forgeries.

Weaver said he would notify the FBI about the questionable Kemp signatures.

A Kemp campaign consultant, Richard McBride, said the faulty signatures may have been the work of one "overzealous" petition collector. Of the 11 questionable signatures, seven were obtained by the same person, The News reported.

Weaver said GOP officials want to verify — through spot checks and phone calls — the names on the Republican candidates' petitions.

There have been no allegations about petitions for Vice President George Bush and former television evangelist Pat Robertson, Weaver said.

To qualify for the GOP ballot, candidates had to submit petitions with the signatures of 5,000 eligible voters by Jan. 4.

Because some deadlines have

City council to interview engineer firms

The Snyder City Council Tuesday night will interview representatives of five engineering companies toward choosing one to be involved in future city contracts and will have an executive session to discuss pending litigation related to the Texas Department of Corrections unit that is scheduled to be constructed northeast of town this spring.

Interviews in the 6:30 p.m. meeting will include companies from Lubbock, Fort Worth, Abilene and San Antonio, a spokesman for City Engineer Don Osborn said.

Presentations from the engineering firms and the executive session to discuss the suits that name the city in opposition to the construction of a TDC unit here are the only two items on the agenda.

passed and others, such as those for preparing the actual ballots, are approaching, Weaver said party officials had decided to leave all six names on the ballot.

Also on the ballot, as previously planned, will be an "uncommitted" choice, he said.

Under the new plan, if a candidate failed to submit 5,000 valid signatures, his name won't be taken off the ballot. However, any votes he receives will be given to the uncommitted ranks, Weaver said.

"Certain deadlines have already come and gone as far as certifying and having names put on or taken off the ballot," Weaver said. "Our choices (on how to proceed) are very limited."

He said details of the latest plan were still being worked out. Bush filed 35,000 names, the most submitted by any Republican candidate. Weaver said the totals of the others were Robertson, 9,000; Dole, 8,100; Kemp, 6,500; du Pont, 6,000; and Haig, 5,900.

Weaver said Republican officials plan to select at random and check between 5 percent and 10 percent of the signatures filed by each candidate. Phone numbers were being obtained Monday and calling was scheduled to begin today, he said.

Weaver said party officials expected the verification to take from 10 days to two weeks to complete.

In other political news Monday — Chief Justice Tom Phillips of the Texas Supreme Court announced he was placing limits on what he would accept in the way of campaign contributions and loans. Phillips said he would limit contributions and loans from political action committees and individuals — other than his immediate family — to \$5,000 for the 1988 campaign.

— Jerry Langdon, a Democrat campaigning against incumbent Jim Nugent in the primary for Railroad Commission, charged that Nugent was responsible for dilution of the authority of the commission chairman.

The SDN Column

By Roy McQueen

The feller on Deep Creek says, "Many folks plan for today--tomorrow."

We noticed where NASA has an opening. It will pay \$188 a week for a man to stay off his feet for an experiment on weightlessness. The successful applicant will get to watch TV and snack a lot.

Need to contact ole what's-her-name's brother. It may be the only job for which he's fully qualified.

Did you hear about the farmer who told WTSB President Bill Parker that he had some "good news and some bad news."

The banker asked for the bad news first. "You know that crop loan? Well, I can't pay it back, and you know the mortgage on my land?"

The banker nodded. "Well, I can't pay it back either. And also that balance I owe on my tractor and equipment, there's no money for that either."

As the grim banker listened, the farmer continued, "I guess it's all yours."

Following a moment of silence, the banker asked, "Well, tell me the good news."

"I just want you to know that I'm still going to bank with you."

Last month's visit between Reagan and the Soviet leader brought to mind the difficulty of speaking with the help of an interpreter.

Retired Gen. William Westmoreland once addressed a group in Tokyo with the aid of an interpreter. Westmoreland opened with a two-minute joke which was greeted with silence.

Then the Japanese interpreter took the microphone to explain the general's joke. He spoke less than 15 seconds and evoked a hearty laugh. The puzzled Westmoreland asked for an explanation. "Oh," said the Japanese, "I tell audience. The general told joke—everybody laugh."

# Private prison sites selected

AUSTIN (AP) — Residents of Bridgeport, population 3,700, cheered when their community was picked along with the small cities of Venus and Cleveland as the homes of the state's first private prisons.

The decision was made Monday by the State Board of Corrections, which delayed selection of a fourth site because of local disagreement in Hays County.

"It's going to add a sense of progress. We have been cut off at the knees by the slowdown in the construction industry," said Randy McComis, a member of Bridgeport's economic development board.

He said Bridgeport's limestone quarry, which provides stone for construction, is the area's major industry. Bridgeport is in Wise County, northwest of Fort Worth.

Bridgeport beat out Springtown for the Becon-Wackenhut center. Springtown, which is about 20 miles from Bridgeport, was divided on whether it wanted the prison. A Springtown delegation opposed to the prison, and a delegation in favor of it, attended Monday's meeting.

State lawmakers last year approved the use of privately run prisons to help relieve overcrowding in the Texas Department of Corrections. The first four private prisons will be minimum to medium security "pre-release centers," where inmates will be taken for counseling and other services before being released.

The prison board last year selected Becon-Wackenhut and Corrections Corporation of

America as the companies that will build and run the centers. After the companies were selected, several sites were considered.

Board members voted unanimously Monday to put the CCA centers in Venus, which is in Johnson County, south of the Dallas-Fort Worth Metroplex, and Cleveland, in Liberty County, which is north of Houston.

David Dean, attorney for CCA, said the 500-bed centers would cost \$13 million each and could be ready in September. He said a Seagoville site also was considered for the center that will be built at Venus. A Northeast Harris County site was reviewed for the center awarded to Cleveland, he said.

Becon-Wackenhut was authorized to build a 500-bed

center in Bridgeport, and an undetermined site between Austin and San Antonio. Further hearings will be held to discuss the latter site.

The board heard from several lawmakers before making the decision.

Rep. Bruce Gibson, D-Cleburne, spoke on behalf of Venus. "They need the jobs. They need the tax base," he told the board.

Rep. Anne Cooper, R-San Marcos, and Sen. Gonzalo Barrientos, D-Austin, spoke about the San Marcos site controversy. Ms. Cooper said she "could find no reason to oppose the selection of our community."

But Barrientos said local officials had sent "a bunch of mixed signals." He urged the board to look for another site in Hays County.

# Amoco ordered to pay \$85.2 million

CHICAGO (AP) — A judge's order that Amoco Corp. pay up to \$85.2 million for the Amoco Cadiz oil spill that blackened French beaches nearly 10 years ago has left plaintiffs and the oil company unhappy.

Minutes after U.S. District Judge Frank McGarr announced the award Monday, attorneys for Amoco and all 90 plaintiffs except the government of France said they would appeal.

The judgment "does not correspond to our hopes after this battle we've waged for 10 years," Yves Bertrand, mayor of the Brittany town of Landunvezm, said at a news conference in France.

The French government had sought \$466 million and the other plaintiffs \$695 million.

A decision by France on an appeal was expected after consultation with its lead attorney, Benjamin Haller, who flew to Paris after the decision was announced.

In Paris, Environment Minister Alain Carignon said in a statement that he "could not fail to regret that the plaintiffs other than the government have not received indemnities corresponding to their demands."

However, he said the ruling placing responsibility on Amoco, rather than on the super tanker's operator "permitted a great advance in jurisprudence."

"The townspeople will be very disappointed," said Adrien Kervella, mayor of Saint-Pol-de-Leon, a Brittany village of 8,000 near where the Amoco Cadiz ran aground on March 16, 1978.

The accident sent wave after wave of thick, black tar onto 100 miles of beaches in western France.

"The activities on the beaches are normal again. But I will have

a hard time going to the town meeting and explaining to them the sense of this judgment," Kervella, one of 10 officials from French villages who attended Monday's court session, said through an interpreter.

Monday's decision completed the second phase of the litigation, which began months after the accident. In 1984, McGarr found Amoco and the Spanish shipbuilding firm Astilleros Espanoles S.A. liable for damages. He made Amoco responsible for seeing that the damages were paid.

Amoco will appeal both rulings, said Frank Cicero, lead counsel in the case for America's fifth largest oil company.

"We think the objective (of the suit) may have been to make Amoco foot the bill for every public works project (in the Brittany villages) for the last 10 years," Cicero said. "And maybe even future ones."

About four-fifths of the judgment will go to the French

government because it already paid most of the cleanup bills, McGarr said.

About \$39.7 million of the judgment was interest payments. The award does not include court costs, which also will be borne by Amoco, the judge said.

The case was heard in Chicago because Amoco is headquartered here, but McGarr was required to

apply French law in determining the award because the accident occurred there.

"Our objective was to make the person who caused the damage pay, and I think they must pay—even though they said they didn't do anything," said Kervella.

Amoco and Astilleros are disputing how much liability each should bear.

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# Good manners to be taught to Britons

LONDON (AP) — The government has hired an American to teach civility to 1,100 of its civil servants, an unusual act in a nation famed for good manners.

Rest assured, however, because Karen Dunn won't be teaching government employees to say, "Have a nice day."

"It's one of those phrases the British find extremely American — and annoying," Ms. Dunn said Monday, explaining how she weeded out Americanisms to tailor her customer-relations

course for British consumption. Her firm, Sterling Consulting Group of Sausalito, Calif., has been hired to bring the government's Export Credit Guarantee Department up to speed on the latest techniques in customer relations. The department is a branch of the Treasury which underwrites overseas business transactions. It's funded by premiums from private companies in the export business.

A few eyebrows were raised over morning tea Monday when a Daily Telegraph headline reported that Mrs. Dunn and her

business partner, Keith Bailey, had been hired "to make Britons more civil."

The Telegraph expressed no opinions on the topic, but the Daily Mail did.

In an editorial today, the newspaper opined: "Surely, it is the depth of bureaucratic rudeness to imply that there is not a single native of these shores capable of inculcating patience and good manners."

"No discourtesy intended, but Americans, especially Californians, are not widely regarded as the epitome of politeness and



Peter Gott, M.D.

# Teacher needs counselor's help

By Peter H. Gott, M.D.

DEAR DR. GOTT: I am a teacher suffering from depression and humiliation due to verbal abuse from students. Are there any professional people trained to counsel teachers in my position?

DEAR READER: Counselors who are specially trained in helping teachers may be available through your school system. Ask your principal or administrative head.

However, I've found that the causes of depression and perceived humiliation often cross occupational boundaries. That is, doctors, engineers and bricklayers, for example, have the same reasons for depression as do teachers. Therefore, psychological counseling — in the broadest sense — may be appropriate for you; it may not be necessary to find a counselor who "specializes" in your profession.

Remember that depression may have a physical cause, such as hypothyroidism, and that feelings of humiliation are almost always self-induced. You do not have to be humiliated unless you allow yourself to be. A counselor will be able to help you examine options and, perhaps, learn how to cope better with your work problems.

In my opinion, there is no justifiable reason for teachers to have to

put up with physical or verbal abuse from students. This is simply unacceptable behavior. Teachers have rights, among them the right to a decent and civilized workplace. I know that some schools can be rough, but you do have legal recourse — if not through the school administration, perhaps through the teachers' union.

While you are looking for some counseling, investigate the legal possibilities open to you to insulate yourself from being intimidated.

To give you more information about counseling, I am sending you a free copy of my Health Report on MENTAL AND EMOTIONAL HEALTH, which tells how to find help and describes the different types of mental-health practitioners. Other readers who would like a copy should send \$1 and their name and address to P.O. Box 91369, Cleveland, OH 44101-3369. Be sure to mention the title.

DEAR DR. GOTT: I am a monk. I have seminal emissions, normally during sleep. Recently, this stopped. I am awakened, and the muscle actually is felt for a long period of time as I turn and twist uncomfortably. I do not want to masturbate. Is this normal in older men or is medical intervention necessary?

DEAR READER: In sexually inactive men, nocturnal emissions are normal. However, the tendency tends to diminish with age. If you are troubled by uncomfortable sensations, check with a doctor to make sure that an abnormal condition is not present.

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# Two die in pond in Bowie

BOWIE, Texas (AP) — Doctors worked more than two hours in a futile effort to save two North Texas youngsters who fell through thin ice into a farm pond. The children, Timothy Williams, 9, and Amanda Bell, 8, were underwater as long as 35 minutes, authorities said.

They were pronounced dead after 9 p.m. at Bowie Memorial Hospital.

About 100 people lined the banks of the frozen-over pond as the limp bodies of the children were pulled through a hole. Bystanders picked up the ambulance when it became stuck in the mud.

Police officer Patrick Walters found the children in the icy water after wrapping a rope around his waist and dropping through one of the holes in the ice, about 25 feet from one bank.

"The water was cold and deep," he said.

Walters said as he lowered himself through the hole he "felt something on my lower leg."

"I pulled it and it was one of the kids," he said.

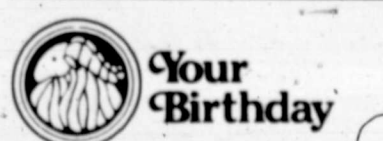
Walters said he called for help and was turning the child over in his arms when something else brushed against his leg. It was the other child.

"I started hollerin', 'Pull us in. Pull us in,'" he said.

Officer Gary Whitaker took the children from Walters. Whitaker had been the first law enforcement officer at the pond after the police dispatcher received a call about 6:10 p.m.

# Astro-Graph

Bernice Bede Osol



Jan. 13, 1988

Valuable contacts will be developed in the year ahead through your social involvements. You'll do especially well with people who operate their own business.

**CAPRICORN (Dec. 22-Jan. 19)** An organization with which you're affiliated might ask you to take on added responsibilities at this time. It could lead to an opportunity that isn't evident. Get a jump on life by understanding the influences which are governing you in the year ahead. Send for your Astro-Graph predictions today. Mail \$1 to Astro-Graph, c/o this newspaper, P.O. Box 91428, Cleveland, OH 44101-3428. Be sure to state your zodiac sign.

**AQUARIUS (Jan. 20-Feb. 19)** Challenges tend to stimulate you today. It's possible you might even volunteer to take on an assignment that others have been ducking.

**PISCES (Feb. 20-March 20)** If you feel a need for constructive criticism today, go to a friend who always tells it like it is. What he/she has to say will prove helpful.

**ARIES (March 21-April 19)** Today you may extend your best efforts to help someone you like sort out his/her problems. You may discover when it's over that you also served your best interests in the process.

**TAURUS (April 20-May 20)** If you find yourself in a situation today where you have to render a judgment about another, you won't go wrong if you give this person the benefit of the doubt.

**GEMINI (May 21-June 20)** Today, you may be fortunate enough to find a willing assistant who is prepared to help you with an old task that you have long neglected.

**CANCER (June 21-July 22)** Although you'll be in a sociable and fun-loving mood today, you'll also appreciate being around profound thinkers so that worthwhile ideas can be exchanged.

**LEO (July 23-Aug. 22)** Pay heed to your instincts today, especially the hunches you get as to how you should handle a temperamental co-worker. Your insights are excellent.

**VIRGO (Aug. 23-Sept. 22)** Your organizational and managerial qualities are likely to be your most outstanding attributes today. You can straighten out the messes associates have created.

**LIBRA (Sept. 23-Oct. 23)** Your possibilities for financial or material acquisition are promising today. However, what you receive may come to you in a very strange manner.

**SCORPIO (Oct. 24-Nov. 22)** Your first impressions should be remarkably accurate today, so don't treat them lightly. Pay attention especially to those impressions that tell you another is not all he/she pretends to be.

**SAGITTARIUS (Nov. 23-Dec. 21)** In your commercial dealings today, don't be too obvious about your desires or intentions. If someone discovers how much you want something, the price could go up.

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# Sheriff to decide on salaries

HEMPHILL, Texas (AP) — The sheriff will decide whether to continue paying two deputies charged with violating the civil rights of a black prisoner who died in jail, county officials decided.

On Jan. 4, a Sabine County grand jury indicted two county deputy sheriffs and Hemphill's police chief in connection with the death of Loyal Garner Jr., 34.

Garner, a truck driver from Florien, La., died Dec. 27 of injuries allegedly received while at the county jail after being arrested with two other men on a traffic violation.

The death sparked protest among the town's black community, which has raised allegations of racism and brutality. On Jan. 10, about 200 people attended a rally to protest the death.

Following Monday's unanimous ruling by the Commissioner's Court, Sabine County Sheriff Blain Greer said he planned to discuss the matter with the county attorney, but that he was inclined not to pay the deputies.

The commissioner's regular monthly meeting drew about 25 spectators, many of whom said they were concerned tax dollars might pay salaries of officers indicted in connection with a death.

At one point, a spokesman for Concerned Citizens of Sabine County urged officials not to allow Garner's death to cause racial division in the county.

Vollie Grace, a black concrete contractor from Hemphill who said he speaks for a majority of the black community, said most feel that the Garner incident was not racially motivated.

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# Community Calendar

## TUESDAY

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.  
 Atheneum Study Club; MAWC; 4:15 p.m.; "Travels to the Orient" by Max von Roeder.  
 Kiwanianes; Golden Corral; 7 p.m.  
 TOPS TX56; weigh-in and meeting 7-8 p.m.; 2501 35th St.; for more information, call Peggy at 573-9000.  
 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.

## WEDNESDAY

Altrurian Daughters; MAWC; 2:30 p.m.; "Texas Tales" by Dr. Franklin Pruitt.  
 Tiger Shark Swim Club; WTC; 6-18 years of age; 4-5:30 p.m.; for more information, call Mike Harrison at 573-8511 ext 283.  
 Narcotics Anonymous; Park Club in Winston Park; 8 p.m. For more information, call 573-3956 or 573-0414.

## THURSDAY

Snyder Palette Club; W. 37th St.; 9 a.m. to 4 p.m.  
 If you are a pregnant teenager in need of help, meet with Maria Montes of Catholic Family Services of Lubbock from 10 a.m. to 3 p.m. in the Scurry County Welfare Offices in the Senior Center on Ave. M. For more information, call 573-9967.  
 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.  
 Amite Study Club; 2803 El Paso; 7 p.m.; Robert Patterson will speak on drugs.  
 Alateen; for the children of alcoholics; 7 p.m. For more information, call 573-2101 or 573-8626.  
 Musical Coterie; MAWC; 7:30 p.m.  
 Scurry County Sheriff's Posse; Posse Clubhouse; 7:30 p.m.  
 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.  
 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.  
 Christian Women's Club; 7-8:30 p.m.; Snyder Country Club. Reservations must be made by noon Thursday; call Doris, 573-6602 or Melissa, 573-0745. Meal is \$7.50 or beverage only, \$1. Free nursery is available by reservation.  
 Al-Anon; Park Club in Winston Park; 8 p.m. For more information call 573-2101.  
 New Horizon Alcoholics Anonymous; Park Club in Winston Park; 8 p.m. For more information, call 573-2101 or 573-8626.

## SATURDAY

Diamond M Museum, open from 1-4 p.m.  
 People Without Partners; Inadale Community Center; games of 42 and dominoes; 6:30 p.m.  
 Narcotics Anonymous; Park Club in Winston Park; 8 p.m. For more information, call 573-3956 or 573-0414.

## SUNDAY

Scurry County Alcoholics Anonymous; Park Club in Winston Park; 10 a.m. For more information, call 573-4870 or 573-1357.  
 Scurry County Museum, Western Texas College, open from 1-4 p.m.  
 Diamond M Museum, open from 1-4 p.m.  
 Duplicate Bridge Club; Snyder Country Club; 1:30 p.m.

# Recipe Box

By NANCY BYAL  
 Better Homes and Gardens  
 Food Editor

This is one of my favorite cold weather desserts. With the warm, melty brown sugar and butter topping baked on, it needs no other topping or sauce.

### APRICOT UPSIDE-DOWN CAKE

One 8 3/4-ounce can unpeeled apricot halves  
 Milk  
 1/2 cup packed brown sugar  
 3 tablespoons margarine or butter, melted  
 1 tablespoon water  
 1/2 cup flaked coconut  
 1/2 cup shortening  
 3/4 cup sugar  
 1 egg  
 1 1/2 teaspoons vanilla  
 1 1/2 cups all-purpose flour  
 2 1/2 teaspoons baking powder  
 1/4 teaspoon salt

Drain apricots, reserving syrup. Add milk to reserved syrup to make 3/4 cup; set aside.

Combine brown sugar, margarine and water; spread in 9- by 9- by 2-inch baking pan. Sprinkle with coconut. Arrange apricots, cut side up, over coconut. In a small mixer bowl cream shortening and sugar until light. Add egg and vanilla; beat until fluffy. Stir together flour, baking powder and salt. Add flour mixture and milk mixture alternately to creamed mixture, beating well after each addition. Spread over apricot layer. Bake in a 350-degree oven 35 to 40 minutes. Cool in pan 5 minutes; invert onto plate. Serve warm. Makes 9 servings.

Nutrition information per serving: 320 cal., 4 g. pro., 46 g. carbo., 14 g. fat, 32 mg. chol., 220 mg. sodium. U.S. RDA: 15 percent vit. A, 10 percent thiamine.

No scorching, no sticking and less stirring plus terrific taste equals four great reasons to make homemade pudding in your microwave oven.

### CINNAMON MOCHA PUDDING

3/4 cup sugar  
 4 teaspoons cornstarch  
 1 1/2 teaspoons instant coffee crystals  
 1/2 teaspoon ground cinnamon  
 2 1/4 cups milk  
 1 beaten egg yolk  
 2 squares (2 ounces) unsweetened chocolate, chopped  
 2 tablespoons butter, cut up  
 1 teaspoon vanilla  
 Whipped cream

In a large microwave-safe mixing bowl combine sugar, cornstarch, coffee crystals and cinnamon. Gradually stir in milk until smooth. Cook, uncovered, on 100 percent power (high) 7 to 9 minutes or until mixture is thickened and bubbly; stir after every minute.

In a small mixing bowl gradually stir about 1 cup of hot mixture into egg yolk. Stir yolk mixture into remaining hot mixture. Stir in chocolate. Cook, uncovered, on high 1 to 2 minutes more or just until mixture bubbles. Cook on high 2 minutes more, stirring after every 30 seconds. Stir in butter and vanilla.

Pour into 6 individual dessert dishes. Cover surface of each with clear plastic wrap; chill several hours or until set. To serve, top with whipped cream. Makes 6 servings.

Nutrition information per serving: 252 cal., 4 g. pro., 35 g. carbo., 12 g. fat, 69 mg. chol., 96 mg. sodium. U.S. RDA: 10 percent riboflavin, 12 percent calcium, 13 percent phosphorus.

## Stew, but only for fifteen minutes

NEW YORK (AP) — Stewing over problems takes up time and energy that can be put to better use.

According to Family Circle magazine, setting aside a specific, but limited, amount of time (15 minutes for instance) to worry about a problem can keep it from overwhelming you.

The magazine recommends

setting a kitchen timer. When it goes off, stop brooding and go on to something else. This approach will give you some perspective on what's bothering you and a feeling of self-control.

**Tom Stephan**  
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BOOKS GALORE — Nancy Radcliff Edwards poses in her Hopkins, Minn., home with a sampling of works published by members of the Minnesota Independent Publishers Association, of which she is president. Edwards holds a copy of her own book, "With Love from My Kitchen." (AP Photo)

## Independent publishers boon to unknown writers

HOPKINS, Minn. (AP) — Can't interest a publisher in your new book? Self-publishing may be the answer, say members of the Minnesota Independent Publishers Association.

"I think most everybody has thought they'd like to write a book," says Nancy Radcliff Edwards, the association's president.

But what the unknown writer thinks is a great idea may not fire the imagination of an established publisher, she says, even though the book might have sales potential.

"The Minnesota Publishers and Producers Directory" estimates there are between 1,200 and 1,400 publishers in the state producing books, magazines and newspapers, but Edwards said there was no breakdown for book publishers.

Outside New York, however, California, Texas and Minnesota are among the top states for the number of books being produced, said Marlin Bree, a former president of the state association.

In Minnesota, there are self-published books on subjects as varied as cooking, fishing, art, hunting, Minnesota data, humor, medicine, morel mushrooms, self-help, travel, poetry, law, children's activities and photography.

Self-published books in Minnesota range in price from \$2.25 for a small, self-help paperback to \$1,500 for a limited edition artist's book. Some are of purely regional interest, while others are of national interest.

Called "vanity publishing" by detractors, success in self-publishing requires considerable business acumen. The self-publisher is responsible for making all decisions regarding publication, from selecting typeface and paper to choosing a printer, and then marketing and distributing the book.

Edwards, an artist and former elementary school teacher, got into the publishing business about three years ago when she began work on "With Love From My Kitchen," a blank recipe book intended for people who want to share their special recipes with friends and relatives.

She did sketches for each of the 264 pages of the recipe book, a ring-binder edition with tab sections to separate categories, and had 1,000 copies printed.

"We put the book together page by page from tables all over the house," she said of the meager beginnings of Paint Box Studios at her home in this Minneapolis suburb.

The book sold and she ordered a second printing of 5,000 copies, then a third of 10,000. She now orders two printings a year of 15,000 copies each and pays to have the books assembled.

"We just sold our 50,000th copy. My printing bills are over \$100,000 a year now. I never dreamed my book would sell this much," said Edwards, whose book is sold for \$16.95 in gift stores.

"You can do this on your own. You don't have to go through a

big publisher...Of course, you have to do a lot more work," Edwards said.

After the book is written, there's the marketing. "I first thought if you had something good, people would just track you down. No way!" she said.

The marketing is where many self-publishers fail, she said.

Large bookstore chains virtually always turn down independent publishers because the sales potential of the books is so uncertain with unknown writers, she said.

What self-publishers do, she said, is peddle their books individually to bookstores, which usually stipulate that they be allowed to return unsold copies.

Bree recalled marketing the first of his company's seven books in 1982.

"On our first book, the truck pulled up with our books and we thought, 'What do we do with it?'" He put it in the middle of the living room so every day we had to stumble over that pile of books until we got rid of them. It took at least two or three months."

## Bridge

James Jacoby

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

contract.  
 Declarer can guarantee his contract with a simple expedient — instead of playing the heart queen, he should lead the nine and play low all around. Whether or not East wins his jack, declarer is assured of getting two heart tricks. If East does take his jack, declarer will next overtake the queen with dummy's king, and that will make the remaining 10-8 in dummy winners. Should East duck South's heart nine, the play of the queen will give declarer his two needed tricks in the suit.

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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## Snyder Duplicate Bridge Scoreboard

### FRIDAY

- Jane Hinton, Director  
 1. Marjorie Brown, LaVerne Hood.  
 2. Nona Morrison, Bessie Collins.  
 3. Helen Clark, Ena Carroll.  
 4. Polly Ballard, Verdi Kimbro.

### SUNDAY

- Jane Hinton, Director  
 1. Polly Ballard, Verdi Kimbro.  
 2. Rube McKinley, Barbara Yorgeson.  
 3. Jane Hinton, Durelle Gorman.  
 4. Frances Stevenson, Helen Clark.

In all ant societies, males exist only to fertilize the queen and then die, says National Geographic.

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**PUZZLE**

**ACROSS**

- 1 Vicious old woman
- 4 Western marsh plant
- 8 No ifs, ands or
- 12 Football coach
- 13 Small brown bird
- 14 Futile attorneys' exam
- 15 Sandwich filling
- 16 Lack of knowledge
- 18 Capable of cultivation
- 20 Total
- 21 Opera by Verdi
- 23 Equine sound
- 27 Actor
- 30 Refreshing beverage (2 wds.)
- 32 Lang Syne
- 33 Baseball's Speaker
- 34 Food additive (abbr.)
- 35 Sis's sibling
- 36 Opera role
- 37 Goodbye (comp. wd.)
- 38 One who razes
- 40 French actor
- 41 Paradise
- 42 Thy
- 44 Senorita's aunt
- 46 Foamy
- 50 Draw parallels
- 54 "Ball"
- 55 Scottish hillside
- 56 Parasitic insect
- 57 Contemporary painter
- 58 Any
- 59 Japanese aborigine
- 60 Railroad part

**DOWN**

- 1 Sunk fence (comp. wd.)
- 2 Resin-producing tree
- 3 Explorer Vasco da
- 4 Dimly lit
- 5 Egged on
- 6 Bernstein, for short
- 7 Adam's grandson
- 8 Field responsible
- 9 Naval abbr.
- 10 Tic-toe
- 11 Sault-Marie
- 17 Mysterious marks
- 19 Dance orchestra
- 22 Remove moisture from (comp. wd.)
- 24 To whom concern
- 25 Beau
- 26 Ishmael's mother
- 27 Wire rope
- 28 Enticed
- 29 Lucy
- 31 Spy group (abbr.)
- 33 Three (pref.)
- 36 Dinsmore
- 37 Bull (Sp.)
- 39 Dinner course
- 40 Bedroom furniture
- 43 Many times
- 45 Communicator's "A"
- 47 Which
- 48 Mata
- 49 Cr of pain
- 50 TV network
- 51 Gold (Sp.)
- 52 Crash against
- 53 Actress

**Answer to Previous Puzzle**

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**BLONDE**

by Dean Young and Stan Drake



**LAFF-A-DAY**



**DENNIS THE MENACE**



In district showdown...

# Tigers, Tors clash tonight

LAMESA - There are some big games waiting to tipoff tonight, but none is more important than the one being played here between the seventh-ranked Lamesa Golden Tornados and the upstart Snyder Tigers.

A near capacity crowd is expected at Lamesa Middle School Gym when the Tigers and Tors

## 2-4A cage glance

BOYS				
2-4A BASKETBALL STANDINGS				
Team	District	W	L	Season
Lamesa	5	0	16	5
Snyder	5	0	14	5
Andrews	5	1	16	5
Big Spring	3	2	13	8
Ft. Stockton	3	3	12	7
Monahans	2	3	11	9
Pecos	1	4	7	10
Lake View	0	5	6	13
Sweetwater	0	6	0	6

Friday's Results: Snyder 77, Andrews 70, Lamesa 78, Big Spring 75, Fort Stockton 91, Lake View 77, Monahans 79, Sweetwater 62, Artesia, N.M. 62, Pecos 53 (non-district).

Tuesday's Games: Snyder at Lamesa, Monahans at Big Spring, Pecos at Fort Stockton, Sweetwater at Lake View, Andrews open.

square off in a showdown which will determine the top team in the district - at least temporarily. Both squads boast 5-0 district records for the 7:30 p.m. tipoff. Snyder is 14-5 for the season; Lamesa is 16-5.

Meanwhile, Coach Ken Housden's Lady Tigers entertain Lamesa in a game important to the girls' 2-4A standings. Housden's ladies are one of four teams tied for second place in the district with 4-3 marks. Lamesa is 2-5.

The girl's game is also slated for a 7:30 p.m. start. Both varsity contests will be preceded by

junior varsity games at 6 p.m. At home, Snyder's freshmen girls also host Lamesa at 4:30 p.m.

Snyder varsity girls are 10-7 for the 1987-88 season. The Lady Tors are 3-16.

Most of tonight's other key 2-4A ballgames are in the girls' division, where Fort Stockton and Pecos, two teams with 4-3 records, clash in Pecos, while 3-4 San Angelo Lake View is at Sweetwater - another team with a 4-3 loop mark. In the other girls' game, No. 9 ranked Big Spring, 6-0, is at 0-7 Monahans. Andrews, 4-4, is idle.

In boy's play, fourth-place Big

Spring, 3-2, entertains 2-3 Monahans while 1-4 Pecos is at 3-3 Fort Stockton and 0-6 Sweetwater plays 0-5 Lake View in San Angelo. Andrews, 5-1 after falling to Snyder last Friday, has the night off.

Snyder's girls will be favored over the Tors tonight, but Coach Housden is wary of the team from Lamesa.

"They haven't won many games but they did beat Fort Stockton and Fort Stockton beat us, so you know they are capable," he said. "We need to play good basketball every time we play."

# Western falls to New Mexico despite 39 points from Nelson

HOBBS, N.M. - Western Texas got a 39-point effort from sophomore standout Darrell Nelson but it wasn't enough to push the Westerners past highly

touted New Mexico Junior College here Monday.

Led by Rodney Jones' 38-point effort and Isaac Wright's 24, the Thunderbirds defeated the

Westerners 115-96.

Western, still looking for its first conference win at 0-2, will take a 3-14 season record into Thursday's game with eighth-ranked Odessa. Tipoff is scheduled for 8 p.m. in Scurry County Coliseum.

The game will be only the fourth home contest of the season for Coach Tony Mauldin's Westerners, who will join WTC's Lady Dusters in a double header against Odessa.

New Mexico worked out to a 57-45 halftime advantage and held on to defeat the Westerners, who were making their first appearance on the court since Dec. 10. New Mexico, which vaults to 4-0 in conference play and 17-2 overall, had played two non-conference games after returning from the holiday break.

New Mexico missed landing in the nation's top 20 by a handful of votes, according to latest information from the NJCAA.

In addition to Nelson's 39 points, Albuquerque, N.M. freshman Bobby Spear bagged 20. Gerald Wells scored 12 and Derrick Greene added 11.

NMJC's Marshall Taylor scored 11 points and Matthew Yates added 10.

WESTERN TEXAS - Keith Hawkins 2 0-0 4, Shawn Cummings 1 0-0 2, Derrick Greene 6 0-0 11, Bobby Spear 8 2-2 20, Melvin Thompson 3 0-0 7, Darrell Nelson 16 5-6 39, Gerald Wells 16 6-12, TOTALS 39 13-16 96.

NEW MEXICO JC - Rodney Jones 19 0-2 38, Henry Jackson 2 2-4 5, White 3 0-0 6, I. White 10 0-2 24, M. Taylor 3 4-4 11, J. Gray 2 2-2 6, M. Yates 3 4-10 5, Wood 1 1-2 4, D. Woods 1 2-2 4, W. Hartfield 3 0-0 6, J. Williams 1 2-4 4, TOTALS 48 17-24 115.

Halftime: NMJC 57, WTC 45. Three-Point Goals: WTC 4 (Greene, Thompson, Nelson 2), NMJC 6 (I. White 4, S. Wood, Taylor). Total Fouls: WTC 23, NMJC 14. Fouled Out: None. Records: WTC 3-14, 0-2; NMJC 16-3, 4-0.

## GIRLS

2-4A BASKETBALL STANDINGS				
Team	District	W	L	Season
Big Spring	7	0	20	1
Ft. Stockton	4	3	11	7
Snyder	4	3	10	7
Pecos	4	3	8	6
Sweetwater	4	3	9	9
Andrews	4	4	10	8
Lake View	3	4	9	10
Lamesa	2	5	3	16
Monahans	0	7	4	13

Friday's Results: Snyder 47, Andrews 46, Sweetwater 43, Monahans 33, Fort Stockton 72, Lake View 43, Big Spring 58, Lamesa 19, Pecos idle.

Tuesday's Games: Lamesa at Snyder, Big Spring at Monahans, Fort Stockton at Pecos, Lake View at Sweetwater, Andrews open.

## Frosh boys win, 77-31

Snyder boys defeated Colorado City in freshmen hoops action here Monday, 77-31.

The young Tigers, now 1-2, will entertain Monahans at 6 p.m. Friday for their next outing.

Edward Rios tossed in 24 points, Shelby Bufkin 20 and Paul Anderson 14 for Snyder, which outscored the Wolves 37-5 in the second quarter.

Snyder 77, Colorado City 31. SNYDER - Fletcher Davis 10 2, Joe Martinez 1 2 4, Chris Randolph 3 2 8, Paul Anderson 7 0 14, Carlton Sanders 2 0 4, Edward Rios 4 2 24, Shelby Bufkin 9 2 20, Richard Hernandez 0 1 1, Saul Aviles 0 0 0.

COLORADO CITY - McIvey 10, Williamson 10.

Snyder 12 37 11 17 -77. Colorado City 10 5 4 12 -31.

## Kimbrough coach of year

HOUSTON (AP) - Plano's Tom Kimbrough, who led the Wildcats to two Class 5A state championships, has been selected the 1987 Texas Sports Writers Association High School Football Coach of the Year.

Kimbrough, whose selection was announced Monday, has had three teams in the state championship game. He received 22 first-place votes and 541 points to outdistance West Orange-Stark's Dan Hooks, who picked up 466 points and four first-place votes.

The West Orange-Stark Mustangs also are two-time state champions, winning the Class 4A honors in 1986 and 1987.

Finishing third was Lorena's LaJohn Crawford, who had 443 points. Lorena was the Class 2A champion.

Oscar Cripps, whose Stratford team lost in the 5A final to Plano, received 13 first-place votes, but he finished fourth in the balloting of TSWA members with 437 points.

Pat Blessing of Cuero with fifth with 436 points. Cuero was the 3A state champion.

## NBA glance

By The Associated Press				
EASTERN CONFERENCE				
Atlantic Division				
Team	W	L	Pct.	GB
Boston	21	10	.677	-
Philadelphia	16	15	.516	5
New York	11	21	.344	10 1/2
Washington	10	20	.333	10 1/2
New Jersey	8	25	.193	15

## Snyder girls pop Coahoma

Snyder junior high girls defeated Coahoma in hoops action here Monday night.

The local seventh grade Gold team beat Coahoma 23-11. Scoring for SJH were Melanie Duncan, 6; Jennifer Kime, Deena Ball and Trina Thompson, 4 apiece; Molly Mauldin, 3; and Sherry Srna, 2.

Duncan was listed as MVP by Snyder coaches.

The eighth grade Gold girls won 19-16. Scoring were Rhonda Gant 9, Daisy Braziel and Lisa Sandoval 4, and Julie Johnson 2. Gant shot 60 percent from the free throw line and had a 3-point shot. She was named MVP.

Next action for the girls will be Monday when they host Lamesa.

## WJCAC glance

WJCAC Men				
Team	Conference Standings	W	L	Points
Odessa		4	0	40
NMJC		4	0	40
Howard		3	2	32
Midland		2	2	22
South Plains		1	2	12
NMMI		1	3	13
Clarendon		1	3	13
Western Texas		0	2	0
Frank Phillips		0	2	0

Monday's Results - New Mexico JC 115, Western Texas 96, Odessa 66, South Plains 57, Clarendon 81, Frank Phillips 64, Howard 70, NMMI 62.

Thursday's Games - Odessa at Western Texas, Clarendon at South Plains, Midland at Howard, NMMI at Frank Phillips.

WJCAC Women				
Team	Conference Standings	W	L	Points
Western Texas		2	0	20
Odessa		2	0	20
Clarendon		2	0	20
South Plains		2	1	17
Howard		1	3	13
Frank Phillips		0	2	0
NMJC		0	3	0

Monday's Results - Western Texas 68, New Mexico JC 52, Clarendon 73, Frank Phillips 65, Odessa 64, South Plains 55.

Thursday's Games - Odessa at Western Texas, Clarendon at South Plains.

## Abernethy is indicted

MONTGOMERY, Ala. (AP) - Former Atlanta sports agent Jim Abernethy was indicted on three state misdemeanor charges involving his payment of money to Auburn football star Kevin Porter, sources close to the investigation said.

Alabama Attorney General Don Siegelman said he couldn't disclose the name of the person indicted Monday by a Lee County grand jury meeting at the county seat of Opelika. But Siegelman has said the grand jury was focusing on Abernethy's role in the case, and the sources said the grand jury did not consider an indictment against anyone other than Abernethy.

The indictment was believed to be the first involving a professional agent's dealings with a college athlete.

## Boosters plan banquet

Snyder High School Booster Club has scheduled its annual all-sports banquet - tentatively to be called the Sports Celebration - for May 6, boosters determined Monday.

The boosters heard from basketball coaches Larry Scott and Ken Housden at the meeting. Snyder High School Booster Club also urged fans to attend tonight's ballgames between the Tigers and Lamesa.

## Springers compete well

Snyder Springers placed well in American Trampoline and Tumbling Association competition in Brownfield recently.

Coach Kay Porter stated "Several of our students have an excellent chance of qualifying for the 'World Games' in Lubbock this May."

The following is a list of the results.

Tumbling Level 3B—1st, Tara Haynes; 2nd, Darcy McIntire, Stephen Payne, Mikella Tidwell; 3rd, Melanie Kidd, Erin Maytubby; 5th, Emily Ensor; 8th, Christi Whitney; 9th, Courtney Carpenter.

Tumbling Level 4A—1st, Kristi McClure, Neika Porter, Michelle Roemisch; 4th, Valari Wilcox.

Trampoline Level II—1st, Kristi McClure; 2nd, Darcy McIntire; 3rd, Mikella Tidwell, Neika Porter; 4th Valari Wilcox.

The next competition will be a Jan. 23 novice meet in Breckenridge and a Jan. 30 advanced meet in Hobbs, N.M. The Snyder Springers will host a District IV Qualifying meet on Feb. 13.

## Colleges reject playoffs

NASHVILLE, Tenn. (AP) - A proposed national championship football playoff was overwhelmingly rejected today by the nation's major football schools.

By a vote of 98-13, with one abstention, the NCAA's Division I-A football schools and conferences passed a resolution ordering the Postseason Football Subcommittee, which had proposed a one-game playoff on a trial basis, to "discontinue its consideration" of a possible playoff format.

"This means we will not discuss a I-A championship in the immediate future," said DeLoss Dodds, athletic director at the University of Texas and chairman of the subcommittee.

Ironically, Dodds also introduced the anti-playoff resolution during today's Division I-A business session.

Division I-A members also voted 66-42 to maintain the annual limit of 30 football scholarships for this year only, delaying until next year the annual reduction to 25 which was approved at last year's NCAA convention.

## Cage top 10

### GIRLS

- CLASS 1A  
1. Nazareth 18-2  
2. Moulton 20-1  
3. Larue La Poyner 18-1  
4. Sheldahl 20-1  
5. Sudan 16-4  
6. Dime Box 13-1  
7. North Zulch 18-4  
8. Ben Wheeler Martin's Mill 17-2  
9. Roscoe 15-3  
10. Happy 13-5

### CLASS 2A

1. Grapeland 19-3  
2. Morton 15-5  
3. Godley 20-2  
4. Poth 17-3  
5. Wall 16-2  
6. Haskell 15-3  
7. Spearman 16-1  
8. Hamilton 15-4  
9. Coleman 17-2  
10. Schulenburg 14-4

### CLASS 3A

1. Sour Lake Hardin-Jefferson 18-0  
2. Ingleside 21-0  
3. Hughes Springs 15-2  
4. Sweeny 14-7  
5. Decatur 16-2  
6. Springtown 13-1  
7. Madisonville 17-5  
8. Huntington 18-4  
9. Brownfield 16-5

### BOYS

- CLASS 1A  
1. Paducah 14-0  
2. Livingston Big Sandy 21-0  
3. Grafado 20-1  
4. Breckenridge 14-1  
5. Ladonia Fannindel 18-1  
6. Leakey 17-5  
7. Dime Box 13-4  
8. Neches 18-2  
9. Frost 14-4  
10. Sallisito 14-5

### CLASS 2A

1. Edgewood 20-0  
2. San Antonio Cole 17-0  
3. Liberty Hill 13-8  
4. Waskom 15-1  
5. Archer City 16-2  
6. Troup 16-2  
7. Krum 13-5  
8. Pettus 15-1  
9. Itasca 17-1  
10. Ingram Moore 13-5

### CLASS 3A

1. Lindale 17-1  
2. Sweeny 11-4  
3. Dimmitt 16-4  
4. Marlin 15-1  
5. Ferris 16-0  
6. Corpus Christi West Oso 19-2  
7. Hearne 19-1  
8. Decatur 17-2  
9. Ballinger 18-0  
10. Edna 17-2

### CLASS 4A

1. Port Arthur Lincoln 14-4  
2. Dallas Hillcrest 15-2  
3. Wilmer-Hutchins 16-5  
4. Lancaster 13-2  
5. Silsbee 15-4  
6. Waxahachie 15-3  
7. Lamesa 16-5  
8. Pflugerville 16-4  
9. Schertz Clemens 14-4  
10. Paris 12-7

### CLASS 5A

1. Houston Clear Lake 22-0  
2. San Antonio East Central 20-0  
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# Cowboys will try to trade Dorsett

IRVING, Texas (AP) - Dallas Cowboys coach Tom Landry says he'll try to trade Tony Dorsett at the 11-year veteran running back's request, and Dorsett says he'd like to play for San Francisco, Denver or the Los Angeles Rams.

Landry and Dorsett met Monday for the first time since Dorsett, unhappy with his diminished role on the Cowboys after being replaced by All-Pro selection Herschel Walker, said he wanted to be traded last month.

"Tony has let it known he that he wants to finish his career playing somewhere else," Landry told the Fort Worth Star-Telegram. "I left it open that we will make an attempt in the market."

"He recognizes we will do what is best for the team first," he said. "He knows we won't make a deal if it does not help the team."

Dorsett told the newspaper he has made a list of teams he would like the Cowboys to talk to about trading him. He didn't give Landry the list, although he mentioned the 49ers, Broncos and Rams to the coach.

Dorsett said there were "two or three other teams" on his list that he didn't want to discuss publicly, and he told Landry he didn't want to go someplace "where it snows every day."

"He wants to go to the contending teams that he could have an impact on," Landry said. "Tony could put somebody in the Super Bowl, somebody who is one back away. He is certainly worth the money and the trade if that is what a team lacks."

Dorsett, who turns 34 before the start of the 1988 season, will make \$500,000 per year in the final two years of his current five-year contract. He also stands to earn another \$2.4 million in annuities.

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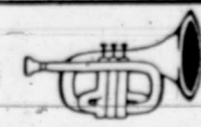
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Instead of another tumble to rival the historic Oct. 19 drop of 508 points, the Dow Jones industrial average saw-sawed within a relatively narrow range Monday and ended with a 33.32 gain, closing at 1,445.13.

Unlike the frenzied volume of more than 600 million shares on Black Monday, business on the New York Stock Exchange totaled a relatively moderate 158.98 million shares.

Many traders expressed relief, considering some parallel circumstances that preceded both Monday sessions. The most striking was the alarming drop in the Dow average in the last few minutes of trading during the preceding Friday.

"Over the weekend a few of us had butterflies in our stomachs, fearing we would come into a complete buzz saw," said Peter J. DaPuzzo, manager of retail equities at the investment firm of Shearson Lehman Brothers Inc.

In early trading today, the Dow Jones average lost about 22 points to the 1,923 level and

broader market indicators also fell, but the volume was light.

One signal of stability seen early in the session was the relative calm in overseas trading. Although foreign prices fell in anticipation of a possible selling frenzy on Wall Street, the declines were mild and in London most of the early losses were erased by the close. Stock prices gained slightly in foreign markets.

Also helping was a rally in the U.S. bond market, where prices rose sharply and interest rates fell in a reflection of eased concern over inflation, one of the main concerns of stock and bond holders. Bond prices continued rising today.

Perhaps more importantly, there was a broad absence of speculators who had heavy stock exposure with borrowed money prior to Black Monday. Consequently there was no mad rush to sell stocks this time.

What actually happened last Friday, in the view of many investment professionals, was a freak, 140-plus-point drop caused largely by a combination of computer-driven program selling in Chicago and an absence of buyers in New York, where a snowstorm had sent many investors home.

"In reality, Friday was a bit of

an aberration," said Gordon L. Smith, manager of block trading at Alex. Brown & Sons Inc. in Baltimore. "An awful lot of sell programs kicked in when a potential large amount of buyers were gone."

Nevertheless, concerns about another crash lurk in the background and were expressed bluntly by a presidential panel that investigated the causes of October's debacle, saying it imperiled the nation's financial health.

"There are flaws in the system. You have regulations and structure that were designed for a different age," John Bachmann, chairman of the Securities Industry Association, said Monday in reaction to the panel's report. "I would say it's like trying to drive a hot sports car down 1910 roads."

Bachmann termed the report useful in shaping debate about regulatory reforms, and added, "if we don't see significant changes, it's a certainty this will happen again."

Although traders were relieved that a second Black Monday didn't happen this time, many remained glum about the stock market's prospects because of widespread fear of volatility that has driven many investors elsewhere.

"I think that individuals have been pretty well disgusted with the marketplace and some of them have walked away and it'll take a while for them to come back," said John J. Muldowney, manager of equity and over-the-counter trading at Scott & Stringfellow Inc., a brokerage in Richmond, Va.

## Mexico's oil sales increase in 1987

MEXICO CITY (AP) — Mexico earned \$7.82 billion in sales of its crude to foreign buyers in 1987, a hefty 40 percent increase over the previous year, the government oil monopoly Pemex announced.

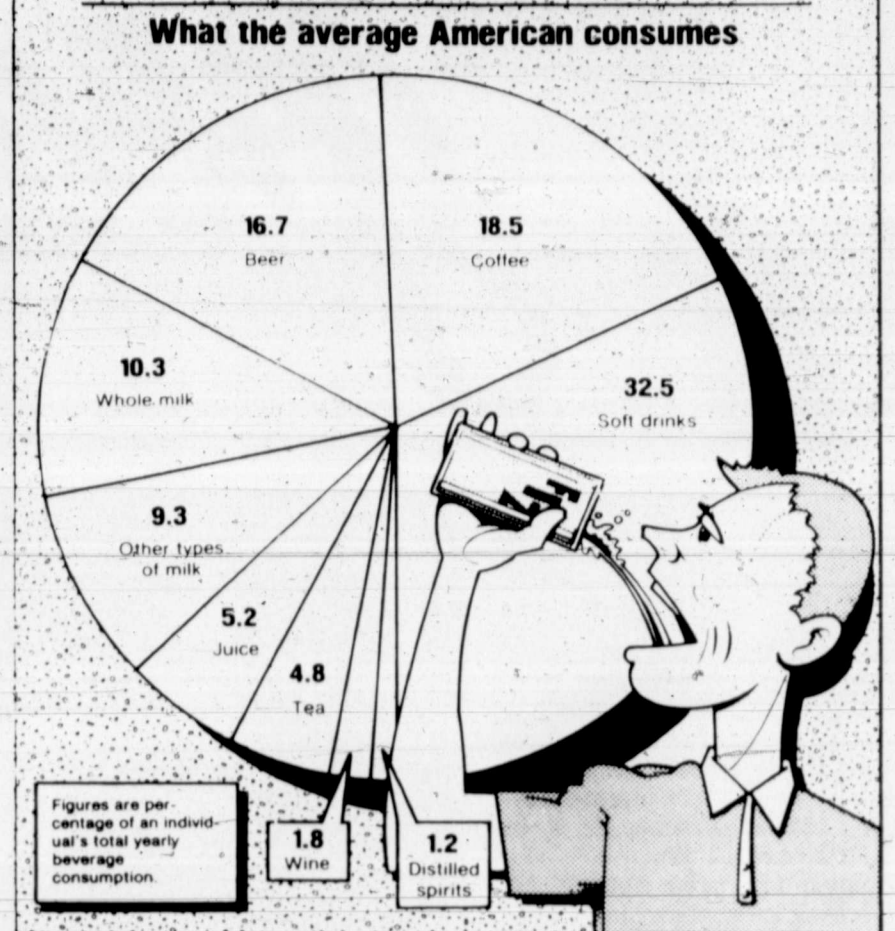
The company announced Monday in a statement that it sold an average of 1.35 million barrels of oil a day to foreign clients, compared with a level of 1.29 million

barrels a day in 1986.

The rebound in oil prices on the world market last year helped boost Mexico's crude earnings and added badly needed revenue to the government's coffers.

Crude sales are Mexico's largest source of foreign earnings, making the nation heavily dependent on its oil for money to pay its enormous foreign debt.

## Drinking Habits



Source: U.S. Department of Agriculture  
The average American drinks more than 140 gallons of liquids a year — excluding water. Between 1970 and 1985, consumption of milk and coffee fell, while consumption of soft drinks increased markedly.

## Veterinarian gets under pets' skin

HOUSTON (AP) — Small microchips implanted beneath the skin of house pets will help keep track of the animal and its medical history, a veterinarian says.

The chips consist of a thin piece of coiled copper wire encased in a glass capsule about 1 centimeter by 2 millimeters. An identification number is imprinted on the copper wire of each chip.

Dr. Fred K. Soifer, a local veterinarian, has been inserting the small coded microchips beneath the skin of dogs, cats, birds and other pets.

The information on the chip is then stored in a computer, which records the name of each implanted pet, its sex, and the owner's name and address in electronic files. Some owners also have included a brief medical history to assist in emergency treatment should a lost animal be injured or sick.

## WTC announces system's change

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expiring trustees' terms. The six-year terms of R.C. Patton, Edwin Parks and John Gayle expire.

The board went into an executive session to discuss a property purchase at the opening of the meeting but announced upon reconvening that no official action needed to be taken.

WTC president Harry Krenek announced that the school had received two sizable contributions, one for \$10,000 to the Cunningham Scholarships and one for \$10,000 from the McKanna Estate.

Because use of the campus racquetball courts has declined, Krenek said, the administration proposed decreasing hourly fees for their use from \$5 per hour to \$2 for students and \$4 for non-students and monthly membership fees from \$25 to \$15 monthly — a measure that was approved by the board.

The trustees approved participating in the Internal Revenue Service's new Section 125 plan to allow WTC staff members who have health insurance deductions not to have a like portion of their salaries subject to federal income tax.

"In effect, it's giving them a little raise that we're not able to give through salaries," Patton said.

Hickman announced that bids for the proposed extensive campus re-roofing project will be opened on Jan. 25.

Krenek displayed some of the padded metal chairs that were donated to the school recently by Snyder National Bank and read an appreciation letter that he sent to SNB president Rex Robinson. He said the bank donated five three-chair sets and 10 individual chairs.

He said WTC was one of only six junior colleges in Texas to suffer no loss in funding from the recent annual state audit, noting that losses from several hundred thousand dollars to as much as \$1 million were not uncommon.

Trustees attending the meeting were Patton, Bill Wilson, Edwin Parks, Howard Sterling, Robert Hargrove and John Gayle. Absent was Roy Baze.

Soifer said he has implanted about 75 of the chips in the last three years and estimates that 1,000 pets have been implanted nationwide by other vets, the Houston Chronicle reported Monday.

The chips also have been implanted in prize thoroughbred horses and expensive livestock, and wildlife officials are using the chips to replace the bands and tattoos they have used to track the migration of fish and game animals.

"I was delighted with the idea," said Thomas Cooke, the owner of several valuable pets and president of Parrot People, an organization for local bird owners.

Cooke has had chips implanted in Aztec, his blue and gold macaw, Pickle, a yellow naped Amazon, and Malarky, a Moluccan cockatoo.

The chips are concealed so well that a thief would have a difficult, if not impossible, time finding them — let alone removing them. But a band attached to a bird's leg can be easily removed, leaving authorities with little record of its rightful owner, Cooke said.

Birds are notorious for pecking at themselves when their skin is irritated, Cooke said, but Aztec has sported his implant for more than two years without a problem.

"He just forgot about it," Cooke said. Soifer said he is among the first in his profession to advocate the implant chips. Several years ago, he volunteered to conduct research on the idea for a chip manufacturer because he was fascinated with the possibility of placing smaller chips in house pets.

"I am satisfied that, with the limited work I have done as well as work by others in various parts of the country, this procedure is safe, effective, and the most promising identification system available to the pet and animal owner," Soifer said.

## Global military spending is up

WASHINGTON (AP) — The nations of the world spent \$1.8 billion a minute last year on the military, or about \$930 billion overall, with the United States in first place, according to an annual study.

Global military spending increased \$50 billion over 1986.

## Disturbance leads to arrest of man

A disturbance call to a home in the 300 Block of 36th St. Wednesday night resulted in the arrest of a 31-year-old man for public intoxication.

Officers in two cars answered the 10:55 p.m. call and arrested the man after being unable to locate another suspect who had left the scene.

A 28-year-old man was arrested for DWI at 12:31 a.m. Tuesday in the 4100 Block of College Ave.

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'Supercollider' site selection...

Politics plays increasing role

DALLAS (AP) — Peter Flawn, chairman of the panel spearheading Texas' effort to land the "super collider," has left the project just as the state is readying to exercise its political clout in the national competition.

Geological Institute, a union of 19 earth-science societies — would prevent him from devoting enough time to Texas' super collider bid.

tional Academy of Engineering evaluated proposals from a number of states concentrating on the proposed site's geology, regional resources, environmental risks and possible problems.

become a leader in this process," said Edward Binger, executive director of the Texas National Research Laboratory Commission, which submitted the state's proposals.

Questions remain: how did Danny die?

HEBRON, Neb. (AP) — Eli Stutzman faces one and a half years in prison for leaving his son's body in a ditch, and although some of the mysteries in the case are solved authorities still don't know how Danny Stutzman died.

William Gallup, read from a letter from one pathologist who said Danny's death was apparently due to natural causes.

Danny was napping in the back of the car about midnight when Stutzman tried to wake him for a dose of medication, Stutzman said.

in any way, and Stutzman answered "no" to both questions.

Holocaust war memorial is being criticized by some

EULESS, Texas (AP) — A war memorial designed to educate Christians about the Holocaust in Nazi Germany has drawn criticism from some Jewish leaders who say the exhibit is insensitive and bent on converting Jews.

the end is sacrilegious." Visitors to Evans' 700-member church are invited to "become Jewish" and share the harrowing experiences of Corrie ten Boom, a Dutch woman who with her family helped Jews escape Nazi persecution in World War II.

Jewish?" Another woman says she is a Christian, her name is Corrie ten Boom and she has been arrested for hiding Jews. The boxcar empties its visitors at the Ravensbruck concentration camp in 1944.

Hermann officers installation slated

ABILENE—William G. Noble of San Antonio, member of the Grand Lodge Laws committee of the Order of the Sons of Hermann in Texas, will install officers of nine West Texas Hermann lodges in ceremonies to begin at 2 p.m. Sunday in the Knights of Columbus Hall in Abilene.

Top picante sauce makers have canned their dispute

SAN ANTONIO, Texas (AP) — The nation's top two picante sauce makers have canned their yearlong battle over designer bottles and labels, officials said.

Rod Sands, Pace vice president of sales and marketing.

Pace and Old El Paso share about 26 percent each of the \$200 million-a-year Mexican hot sauce market.

Obituaries

Frances Bernal

Graveside services for Frances Rodriguez Bernal, 70, of Hermleigh are set for 9 a.m. Wednesday at Hermleigh Cemetery with Fr. William Costigan, pastor of St. Elizabeth Catholic Church and St. John Catholic Church, officiating.

Lee Thompson

MINERAL WELLS—Services are set for 11 a.m. Wednesday at the Baum-Carloek-Baumgardner Funeral Home Chapel for Lee Thompson, 89, who died at 12:30 p.m. Monday in the Palo Pinto Nursing Center.

John Walker

RALLS—Services are set for 2 p.m. Wednesday in the Emma Church of Christ for John E. Walker, 88, of Hobbs, N.M.

Markets

Table with columns: NEW YORK (AP), High, Low, Last. Lists various stocks like AMR Corp, Ameritech, AMI Inc, etc.

Wanda Greer

LUBBOCK—Services for Wanda Squyres Greer, 59, of Lubbock will be at 2 p.m. Wednesday in Sanders Memorial Chapel with the Rev. James Nunn, assistant pastor at First United Methodist Church, officiating.

Earl Brown

SEAGRAVES—Services were set for 4 p.m. Tuesday at the Fourth Street Church of Christ for Earl Edgar Brown, 84, who died Monday in Brownfield Regional Medical Center after a long illness.

Hospital Notes

ADMISSIONS: Annie Rogers, 2006 37th; John Grinslade, 3201 Ave. V; Rachael Bass, 307 36th; Rudy Hernandez, 810 29th.

# U.S. weighing Soviet hint of May pullout from Afghanistan

## Dear Abby



### Man's Passion for Golf Puts Marriage Plans in the Rough

By Abigail Van Buren

DEAR ABBY: My fiance and I recently moved from New York to Florida. "Morey" and I are both divorced and look forward to having someone to share our lives with. He has friends and relatives here, whereas I have none. Part of the reason he moved to Florida is because he loves to play golf.

At first, he golfed either on Saturday or Sunday. However, lately he's been golfing on both days. He's gone from four to six hours at a crack, and when he gets home, he's usually too tired to do anything because he got up so early. We've had some serious talks about his golfing, and he made it clear that he "loves" the sport, and if I become too resentful of his golfing, we will have problems.

We both work full time during the week, and I think I'm entitled to have him all to myself one day a week. While he golfs, I stay home with my children (from a previous marriage) and do laundry and cleaning.

Am I being selfish and inconsiderate, or is he?

MOREY'S GOLF WIDOW

DEAR GOLF WIDOW: Labeling him — or you — "selfish and inconsiderate" won't solve anything. He warned you that if you became too resentful of his golf game, you'd have problems. Believe him.

If you want Morey in your life, cultivate a few friends and find something to do while he's playing golf. Don't nag and don't sulk. And never give a golfer an ultimatum unless you're prepared to lose.

DEAR ABBY: Three months ago, I married a very nice woman I'll call Mary. Everything seems to be going well except for one small item. Mary and her "ex" (I'll call him John) continue to stay in close touch with each other. They were married for five years, but had no children because John didn't want children. He divorced Mary two years ago, but continued seeing her for fun and frolicking (sex) until he met the

woman to whom he is now married. Now, the problem: John has been married for a year and he continues to phone my wife to keep her updated on what is going on in his life. I can't understand why Mary still bothers with him. John's wife is not aware of this keeping-in-touch business. I've told Mary that I don't approve of it and I've asked her to stop. She says she will, but so far she hasn't. Can you figure this out? And what should I do?

BOTHERED

DEAR BOTHERED: John and Mary are having a difficult time letting go of each other. It's obvious that there is a strong bond between them, and if you and your bride want your marriage to survive, you will immediately go for family counseling. Trust me.

DEAR ABBY: When I go to a baseball, football or basketball game and my team is losing, I just hate it when the fans start to walk out before the game is even over.

Why do people go to a game if they don't want to cheer their team on — win or lose? How do you think the players feel when they are losing and the bleachers start to empty out? Please print this. Some people don't realize how much it hurts the players when the fans walk out on them.

SEATTLEITE

DEAR SEATTLEITE: It's demoralizing, insensitive and unsportsmanlike. Maybe just one person will see this and take it to heart. Besides, it's not over until the fat lady sings.

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

WASHINGTON (AP) — The Reagan administration is intrigued by a hint from Moscow that the Red Army might begin withdrawing from Afghanistan in May, but U.S. officials are not certain the Soviets have decided when to begin and how long to take to get out.

These officials said Monday they are confident the Soviets want to end their involvement in the 8-year war between the Marxist government in Kabul and U.S.-backed Afghan guerrillas.

But the officials, who spoke only on condition of anonymity, said they did not know if the report in Pravda, the Communist Party daily, meant the Kremlin had decided on a "time certain" for the withdrawal as President Reagan had demanded.

"It's all part of a piece, in that Soviet officials have been dropping all kinds of hints," one U.S. official said. "It's obvious they want to get out."

But the official stressed that the "critical point" to the Reagan

administration is not when the pullout begins but how long it will take the Soviets to complete the withdrawal. Also, he said, the United States wants what Secretary of State George P. Shultz on Thursday called a "front-end-loaded" withdrawal.

That means pulling out so much personnel and equipment at the beginning that the withdrawal is not easily reversed and Soviet support for Najibullah, the head of the Afghan government, is severed.

That would give the U.S.-backed guerrillas and representatives of the more than 4 million Afghan refugees a greater chance of taking power.

For those reasons, a second U.S. official said, the Kabul government is trying to dissuade the Soviets from withdrawing. But the official said he was certain Moscow wanted to quit the war.

Last week, in a conciliatory gesture, Shultz offered to end U.S. military aid to the rebels

help the pro-Moscow government battle a guerrilla insurgency that the United States provides with arms, including sophisticated Stinger anti-aircraft missiles.

Reagan urged Soviet leader Mikhail S. Gorbachev at their summit meeting in Washington last month to agree to a rapid withdrawal. Gorbachev said the troops could be gone within a year, or maybe some months less.

Soviet Foreign Minister Eduard A. Shevardnadze, on a visit to Kabul last Wednesday, said the Soviets hoped to remove the troops by the end of the year. He also indicated the withdrawal would not depend on creation of a transitional government acceptable to Moscow.

On Friday, Anatoly F. Dobrynin, the Communist Party's foreign affairs secretary, told a U.S. delegation that the withdrawal would begin this year and be finished in 12 months or less.

Soviet troops intervened in Afghanistan in December 1979 to

help the pro-Moscow government battle a guerrilla insurgency that the United States provides with arms, including sophisticated Stinger anti-aircraft missiles.

State Department deputy spokeswoman Phyllis Oakley said Monday the administration had seen the Pravda account and had no comment beyond that the United States was interested in "actions rather than words."

"What we have said we need is a date certain for the Soviet withdrawal," Mrs. Oakley said. "We hope we will see that soon."

The Kabul government and Pakistan, which represents the Afghan rebels, are due to resume talks in Geneva next month under United Nations auspices.

According to the Soviets, documents prepared for the talks require the Soviet Union to begin its withdrawal 60 days after a settlement is achieved. The United States, in turn, would be bound to cut off military aid to the insurgents.

## Elusive gamma ray star photographed

AUSTIN (AP) — Two astronomers have photographed a blue star they believe to be a gamma ray source so elusive it has been called Geminga, which means "does not exist."

Jules P. Halpern, an assistant professor of physics at Columbia University, says in a paper for presentation today that the source is an extremely faint star optically located with the 200-inch Hale telescope on Mount Palomar in California.

The star, says Halpern, is one of the most powerful gamma ray sources in the universe, and astronomers had tried for years to locate it.

In 1981, an Italian scientist named the source of the rays Geminga, "does not exist" in Milanese dialect.

Halpern describes the object as a spinning neutron star, "among the least understood objects in the universe."

Neutron stars are the last stage of star evolution, formed when stars exhaust their nuclear fuel and collapse. Gravitational force causes the atomic electrons to

combine with protons to form neutrons. Such stars may be only six miles in diameter, but have 1 1/2 times the mass of the sun.

Halpern says Geminga has cooled to about a million degrees, only a fraction of the heat in an average star. He said the star shares the properties of a pulsar — a star that emits radio signals in pulsed bursts — but no radio signals have been detected from it.

The emissions could be very narrow, like the light of a searchlight, he explained, and in this case the "beam" may not cross the Earth at all.

The object was discovered in 1973 by a satellite instrument that detected gamma rays. Halpern said Giovanni Bignami of the Istituto di Fisica Cosmica in Milan detected X-rays from the region of outer space in 1981

and called the source Geminga.

Halpern and his colleague David Tytler used the directional data gathered by Bignami and the gamma ray findings to narrow their search to a precise area of space that is easily overpowered optically by an array of brighter stars.

He said his colleague concentrated their observations in a blue-green wavelength, using special filters to photograph it by time exposure through the telescope.

They also determined that Geminga was a blue star of the 25th magnitude, or about 40 million times fainter than the dimmest stars visible to the eye. Halpern said the precise distance to Geminga is not known, but he estimated it at 1,000 to 5,000 light years.

Thomas A. Prince, a California

Institute of Technology physicist who has done research into Geminga, said he is not familiar with the study, but noted, "if it really is Geminga, that would be a very interesting finding."

Noting the difficulty seeing small, spinning neutron stars, Halpern says there could be many more in the universe.

"There may be four to five times as many out there as we now see," he said. "But that's only a theory."

Halpern prepared the paper for presentation at a meeting of the American Astronomical Society.

The four-day meeting, attended by about 1,000 astronomers, ends Thursday.

For a time before World War I, umpires sometimes scouted players for big league teams. It was banned in 1912.

## Man who lived in shack gets another start in New Mexico

CHICAGO (AP) — A homeless man who has lived in a shack for nine months has been offered a job in New Mexico, a bus ticket to get him there and two nights of free lodging at a posh lakeview hotel.

Harold Thomas, 35, has endured plenty of misfortune. Now, he's basking in acts of compassion.

"If he would like to lead a decent life, we'll give him one," said Ethel Gilman, 68, of Portales, N.M. "We were feeling so sorry for him in that cold. We're just common old ranch people who need help."

Last spring, Thomas and Tommy Ray, 37, built a crude home along the Chicago River: a shack made with rotted wood, sheet metal and canvas, just west of the downtown Loop.

The men, wearing layers of ill-fitting clothes, huddled around a fire last week to survive the below-zero temperatures that had numbed the Midwest.

Mrs. Gilman and her husband, Roy, 75, read about the men in a story by The Associated Press published Jan. 5 in the Portales News-Tribune. They called the AP's Chicago bureau to offer Thomas a job and a warm place to live, a few miles from the New

Mexico-Texas border.

"We have a trailer house that he could stay in," Mrs. Gilman said. "We raise our own beef so we can keep his stomach full."

"If he wouldn't mind doing chores, I'm sure we can use him," she said. "My husband needs someone who doesn't mind doing things, like fixing a fence or branding a cow. He needs an all-around hand."

Radio station WGN is paying for Thomas' transportation. He'll leave Chicago on a bus Friday and arrive in New Mexico on Saturday. Before departing, he'll spend two nights free of charge at the Hyatt Regency Chicago.

"That's what we think WGN is all about — helping the people of Chicago," said the station's marketing manager, Betsy Riemenschneider. "We certainly can't help all of them, but we can

one-by-one."

Thomas, a carpenter who said he hasn't been able to find full-time work in more than a year, came to the AP bureau last Friday to talk to the Gilmans by phone.

"Not in a million years did I think I'd be going to New Mexico," the Louisiana native said. "I'm willing to give it a shot. I talked to my friends, and they said, 'If you got the opportunity, take it.' Opportunities don't knock but once."

"The way I'm living right now is rough," he said.

Publicity also has helped Ray. He was picked up by relatives after a picture of the men was displayed in a Chicago newspaper, Thomas said.

"They didn't know where he had been," Thomas said. "They wanted him to come home."

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