

State

# Tests show that Daniel did not hold rifle prior to death

United Press International  
LIBERTY — Liberty County Sheriff Buck Eckols said Monday metal and fingerprint tests indicate former Texas House Speaker Price Daniel Jr. never held the .22-caliber rifle believed to have fired the bullet that killed him.

Eckols said there was "nothing whatsoever" to indicate Daniel, 39, handled the rifle during a suspected domestic dispute before he was shot to death in his home the night of Jan. 19.

Daniel's wife, Vickie, 33, who had filed for divorce, has been charged with murder and freed under \$50,000 bond. Eckols said trace metal tests and other evidence indicate she handled the gun.

Eckols said investigators planned a ballistics test to link scientifically the rifle and the bullet taken from Daniel's body. He said other undisclosed evidence already indicated it was the death weapon.

The case was scheduled to go to a grand jury Wednesday. Mrs. Daniel has been invited to testify. If the grand jury were to decline to indict, Eckols said the case probably will be dropped even though he has filed charges.

Eckols said he expected to release Daniel's house — sealed for investigation — to his family Tuesday, but he said he did not know whether Mrs. Daniel would move back in.

## Pre-Med/Dent Society

Tues. Jan. 27 Physics 321 7:30

Dr. Carlos Pestana, Associate Dean of Student Affairs and Professor of Surgery at U.T. Health Science Center at San Antonio will discuss the history of surgery. He is the author of many books, including —

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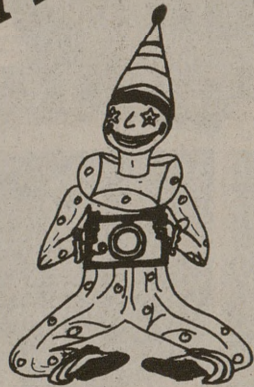
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- FOOD SCIENCE CLUB: Meets at 6:30 p.m. in 113 Kleberg.
- AGGIE PLAYERS: Meets at 5:30 p.m. in Rudder Forum.
- PRE-MED/DENT SOCIETY: Dr. Carlos Pestana, Professor of Surgery at University of Texas Health Center at San Antonio, will discuss the history of surgery beginning at 7:30 p.m. in 321 Physics.
- CLASS OF '82: Meets at 7:30 p.m. in 310 Keathley Hall to discuss the class ball.
- OFF-CAMPUS AGGIES: Meets at 6:30 p.m. in 137 MSC.
- AGRICULTURAL ECONOMICS CLUB: Meets to elect officers at 7:30 p.m. in 207 Harrington.
- MSC CAMERA COMMITTEE: Meets at 7:30 p.m. in 302 Rudder.
- MSC AGGIE CINEMA: Meets at 7:00 p.m. in 200 Heldenfels.
- TAMU COLLEGIATE HORSEMAN'S ASSOCIATION: Meets at 7:30 p.m. in 115 Kleberg Animal and Food Science Center.
- COLLEGIATE FFA: Red Cashion, NFL referee, will present a short program beginning at 7:30 p.m. in 105 Harrington.
- COLLEGIATE 4-H: Meets at 7:00 p.m. in 115 Kleberg.

### WEDNESDAY:

- MEXICAN STUDENT ASSOCIATION: Meets at 7:00 p.m. in 228 MSC.
- ASOCIACION DE ESTUDIANTES DE MEXICO: Tendra su

- primera reunion del semestre a las 7:00 p.m. en el salon 228 MSC.
- ANTHROPOLOGY CLUB: Dr. Shafer will speak on "Ancient Mayan Crafts: Tools and Agriculture."
- TAMU SPORTS CAR CLUB: Meets at 7:30 p.m. in 301 Rudder.
- CO-OP STUDENT ASSOCIATION: Meets at 8:00 p.m. in 301 Rudder.
- TAMU YOUNG DEMOCRATS: Meets to elect officers beginning at 7:30 p.m. in 127 Bolton.
- "THE TIN DRUM": Winner of the Academy Award for Best Foreign Film, this is the story of a young Polish boy who, terrorized by Hitler's rising power, refuses to grow past age three. 7:30 p.m. in Rudder Theatre.

### THURSDAY:

- TAMU SAILING CLUB: Meets at 7:00 p.m. in 321 Physics.
- OMEGA PHI ALPHA: Holds its spring blue jean rush beginning at 6:30 p.m. in 145 MSC.
- TAMU JUGGLER'S ASSOCIATION: Meets at 8:00 p.m. in 607 Rudder.
- CLASS OF '82: Meets at 7:30 p.m. in 203 MSC.
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## Growth and oil will affect colleges

United Press International  
AUSTIN — Gov. Bill Clements said Monday Texas' rapid growth and the decline in oil and gas taxes will be the two biggest factors influencing how the state fulfills the future needs of its colleges and universities.

Clements, during a luncheon speech to the Texas Public Community Junior College Association, said his proposed budget calls for an increase of 41 percent — \$202 million — during the next biennium to meet the growing needs of public community colleges in Texas. But he said better management was called for because of the state's growth and decline in oil and gas revenues.

He said the alternatives would be to reduce services provided by state government, increase taxes, or "improve our productivity and efficiency so that we don't have to resort to

either number one and number two."

"I think that the record shows that dollar for dollar, public community colleges are one of the best investments our state has made," he said. "However, I believe that there is always room to improve our efficiency. To think otherwise, is to assume that we are operating at peak productivity."

Clements said the Texas State Government Effectiveness Program he initiated two years ago for the state's largest 12 agencies would be broadened to include higher education. He said it would start with four-year institutions, and two-year colleges would be included later.

He said the effectiveness program has resulted in elimination of 532 full-time state jobs in the past two years, the first time since 1945 that

the growth of the state's bureaucracy had been halted.

"We have stopped one of the nation's fastest growing state bureaucracies dead in its tracks, and while our population will continue to grow, our state bureaucracy will not. I think this is an outstanding achievement," Clements said.

The governor, however, said employee reduction would not be enough to make state government more effective. He said he would continue to emphasize management by objective programs, management training programs, operational audits and reviews of employee performance.

"This goal is not to reduce our state spending, but to take the dollars gained through better productivity and put them where they are most needed," Clements said.

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