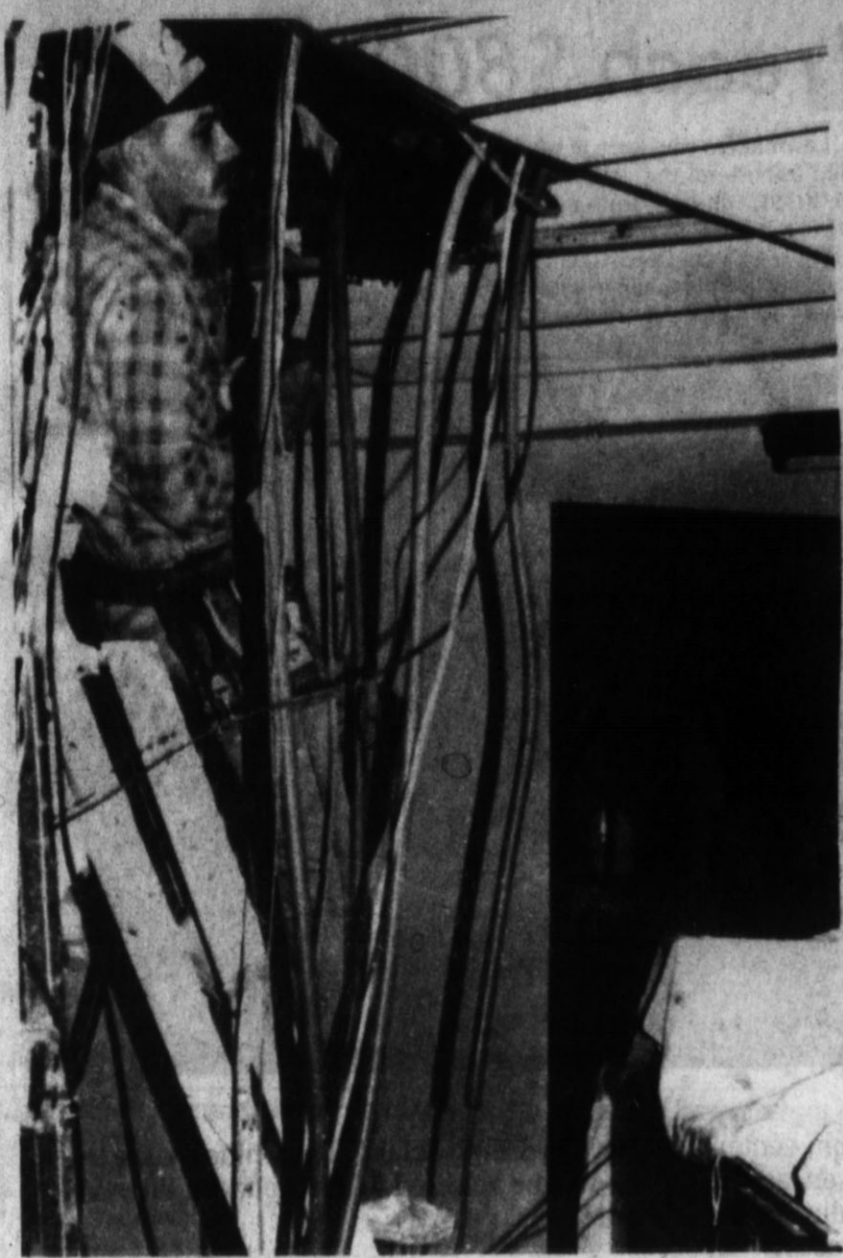


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### Renovations Underway

The intensive care unit will be among the first areas of Deaf Smith General Hospital to get a new look. The hospital's \$140,000 construction project includes increasing the size of ICU by about one-third. The ICU will also get part of the \$207,000 worth of equipment ordered for the hospital.

## Accounts receivable total hurting hospital's cash flow

An increasing accounts receivable figure is hurting Deaf Smith General Hospital's cash flow, a local accountant told hospital district board members Tuesday.

Julian Berry of Berry, Ham and Company provided the board with comparative financial statements for the years ended Sept. 30, 1983 and 1984. Accounts receivable from patients were listed as \$805,063 for the fiscal year 1983, while last year the total rose to \$1,159,728.

While the hospital does treat indigent care patients—six to ten per month, according to Business Manager Ina Walk—the substantial accounts receivable column reflects patients who are not classified as indigent but will not or cannot pay their bills. Board members were told Tuesday that drop-in obstetrical patients contribute substantially to the total.

While maternity patients are often required to pay the physician's bill prior to giving birth, DSGH does not

precollect for its delivery services. Board President Frank Zinser said Tuesday that perhaps the hospital should implement a similar policy.

Hospital Administrator Jim Bullard said many babies are born each year at DSGH to mothers who have had no pre-natal care in order to avoid paying obstetrical bills. "Unpaid O.B. bills take up a lot of the money we have allocated for indigent care," he explained.

"If you provide a service that does

not pay its way, you must look long and hard at that service," Bullard noted. "We're going to have to get a lot tougher on obstetrics."

Board member Ed Reinauer said he feels there needs to be clarification between hospital losses from indigent care patients and those from uncollectible bills. He pointed out that although the hospital does not have an especially large number of

(See HOSPITAL, Page 2)

## Texhoma Livestock to re-open

The Texhoma Livestock Commission is expected to re-open early next month, under the management of a former owner.

Lloyd Goodner, who ran the auction for five years before selling it in 1981, hopes to have a sale the first Thursday in March.

Amarillo attorney Robin Green,

who was appointed trustee of the auction through the U.S. Bankruptcy Court in Lubbock, said today Goodner will operate the auction but he is not the owner.

As trustee, Green intends to sell the auction and is currently taking bids. Goodner is one of the persons bidding on the property.

Before the bankruptcy action, which began when the auction closed

Nov. 6, the company was owned by four men from Hereford and one from Amarillo. The five also own the Hereford Cattle Commission, which closed the same day after money was discovered missing from custodial accounts maintained for customers of the two companies.

The Packers and Stockyards Ad-  
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## Local Roundup

### DOE hearing set next week

The U.S. Department of Energy has scheduled another public hearing to receive oral comments on the draft environmental assessments for the potentially acceptable Deaf Smith nuclear waste repository site.

The hearing will be from 4 until 9 p.m. at the Hereford High School auditorium. The deadline for written requests to speak at the hearing has passed, but telephone requests to speak may be made by calling (614)424-4135, collect.

### Police file six reports

No arrests were made by Hereford police Tuesday, but six reports were filed.

Juveniles are suspected in two dumpster fires found around 8:30 p.m. in the alley of the 600 block of Avenue I and J.

A bike was reported stolen from a convenience store at Fifteenth and Avenue H, and some checks were stolen from a vehicle which was parked at a restaurant.

Vandalism was reported done to vehicle rear view mirrors and storm windows in a building were broken by a thrown object.

Police also took one report of harassment.

### Walcott construction to start

Construction was expected to begin today on two tennis courts to be located at Walcott School.

The community project was made possible by a fundraising effort and a grant from the Texas Department of Parks and Wildlife, which paid half the cost. Deaf Smith County Commissioners helped Walcott obtain the grant, and provided the dirt work necessary to prepare the site for construction.

Walcott School Superintendent Eddie Derr said he expects the tennis courts, which will cost about \$70,000 to be finished by the end of March.

### Weather

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# Chamber directors unhappy with school district, too

By O.G. NIEMAN  
Editor-Publisher

Deaf Smith County Chamber of Commerce directors are unhappy with the Hereford Independent School District for keeping an "industry" out of town, and the board voted Tuesday to draft a resolution to be presented to the school board and to all tax-supported entities.

Rex Easterwood, president of the chamber, said directors would ask the school district to change its policy on employment of teachers so that they would be required to reside in the district.

He said the board had learned that more than 30 teachers now live outside the district. Director Jim Arney, a former school board member, said the district made an exception to the rule nine years ago and hired one teacher who lived outside the county.

Joe Reinauer Jr., director, noted that the chamber would be working hard "if we had a chance to get an industry here that employed 30 people, so we should also be concerned about

## C of C board wants teachers to reside here

this situation," he added that the community is losing a half-million dollar payroll and other benefits as a result of the teachers living outside the district.

In a visit with Supt. Harrell Holder last year, directors inquired about the policy. Holder said a number of

teachers came from Canyon, where there was an excess of qualified teachers. He noted the local district

was sometimes unable to find qualified teachers for certain subjects without hiring the out-of-town teachers.

## Special school board meeting draws crowd

The Hereford High School cafeteria was nearly full Tuesday night for a special school board meeting to review curriculum and standards pertaining to state school laws.

Mark Williamson, curriculum administrator for Hereford schools, presented the school board, parents, and teachers with the state mandates and reviewed options local districts have in implementing those mandates.

The school board called the special meeting for Williamson's presentation and noted that no action would be taken.

Several more meetings for parental input are planned, according to Williamson. Another meeting is tentatively planned for next week. Specifics will be announced later. Discussion Tuesday night also indicated that campus meetings would be scheduled to clarify the programs at each school's level. Williamson also said that there will probably be

meetings conducted by the directors of each special program for the parents of children in those programs.

"I feel like it was real positive," Williamson said of the meeting, noting that he meant positive as "congenial" and not necessarily "in agreement."

Williamson told the crowd that there are viable alternatives to the current plan at Hereford and that anytime a new program is instituted a school district will need time to adjust the program to the district.

Williamson said he thought the meeting was a first step as far as communications were concerned for the board, administration and parents and teachers.

"I think we can work through this," he said.

Dr. Harrell Holder, administrator, invited parents who had specific questions concerning their child and the current system to call his office for an appointment.

"The chamber board feels strongly about the situation," said Easterwood, "and they think it is their obligation to pursue the matter in the interests of local businesses."

In other business Tuesday evening, the C of C board discussed industrial prospects for the community, announced an industrial seminar to be presented by the Southwestern Public Service team, heard a report on the annual banquet, set the next Fun Breakfast for Feb. 28, and instructed the executive committee to monitor the investigation of the local Texas Rural Legal Aid office and to remain in contact with elected officials on seeking a solution to the problems.

Easterwood said the chamber would ask to appear before the school board at the first meeting in March to discuss the policy of hiring teachers who live out of the district.

Mike Carr, executive vice president, announced that the Southwestern Public Service industrial development team would present a program here Feb. 28 at the Community Center. Chamber members are invited to attend and all members of the local industrial development committee are urged to be present.

Carr told directors that a number of industrial prospects are interested in Hereford at the present time. He noted that there is "considerable interest in new retail business along North Hwy. 385.

The chamber manager said several prospects are looking at the building on Pine Street, either as a sewing factory or as use for some other kind of facility. The building was recently vacated by Haxel Manufacturing Co.

Directors present at the meeting included Easterwood, Reinauer, Arney, Mike Bowles, Rosie Griffin, Bill Harris, John Hays, Terry Bromlow and Betty Drake.

## New editor assumes duties at The Brand

Jeri Curtis, 27, a former staff reporter for The Hereford Brand, returned to the newspaper this week to assume the position of managing editor, it was announced by Publisher O.G. Nieman.

Miss Curtis had worked as a news reporter for The Brand almost two years in 1981-83 before moving to Bethany, Ok., to take a public relations position with Bethany Nazarene College. She moved here from Perryton where she had been a staff member of The Perryton Herald.

The new editor graduated from high school in Little Rock, Ark., and earned a BA degree in English and minor in journalism from Bethany Nazarene College. She has served as news editor of the Vinita Daily Journal in Vinita, Ok., was a feature editor for the Duncan Morning Eagle, Duncan, Ok., and worked as a counselor for pre-school teacher for the YMCA in Oklahoma City.



JERI CURTIS

## All units rented in complex

All 28 units in a new senior citizen apartment complex have been rented, the management agent announced Tuesday.

Construction is nearly completed at the site on Ranger Drive and Sycamore Lane in Hereford, just across the street from the new Hereford Senior Citizens Center. The apartments are being built by La Plata Group, Ltd. of Hereford and financed by the Farmers Home Administration.

Marie Griffin of Griffin Real Estate, which is in charge of renting

the apartments, said Monday she expects tenants to be able to move in this weekend. A final inspection and closing are scheduled Friday.

The living units consist of 24 one-bedroom and four 2-bedroom units, with a community room and office space also located on the landscaped site. Nina Kimball has been hired as resident manager and social director.

The project, according to the FmHA office in Amarillo, is designed to provide equal housing opportunity at reasonable cost for low income senior citizens.



## DOE Information

All the technical and reference material that went into the environmental assessment for the Deaf Smith County site's study as a possible nuclear waste repository is available at the Department of Energy Information Office at U.S. 60 and Main Street. Martha Shire, information specialist, said the office can supply most of the information in Spanish and if the written material is not available a phone is provided to call for the information. The office includes a microfiche library of the technical studies of each other site being considered. Nearly 100 reference books are at the office and close to 70 free handouts available. The phone number is 364-0101.

# News Roundup

## State

### Cowling announces candidacy

AUSTIN (AP) — Noel Cowling, a farmer from Dublin, said Tuesday he will be a Democratic candidate for state agriculture commissioner in 1986.

Cowling said he was a former organizer for the National Farm Organization.

"I feel it is important for me to announce now, at this early date, to give the desperate farmers of Texas — being driven off their land by policies which (Agriculture Commissioner Jim) Hightower supports — some hope of a viable political recourse for turning the situation around."

Cowling, who made an unsuccessful race for Congress in 1984, said he was a supporter of former presidential candidate Lyndon LaRouche.

### Hazardous chemicals found

DALLAS (AP) — A fire official says traces of a hazardous chemical known to cause cancer have been found in fuel that erupted in flames in the basement of a vacant 19-story downtown building, but there was no immediate danger.

Traces of polychlorinated biphenyls, or PCBs, were discovered Tuesday near an abandoned, underground storage tank containing several thousand gallons of heating oil below the Metropolitan Federal Savings Building, the official said.

"But they were not of any hazardous levels," the fire dispatcher, who declined to be identified, told The Associated Press. "There is no danger from touching them, or breathing the particles that became airborne, and no danger of water contamination."

City Manager Charles Anderson told radio station KRLD that evidence of PCBs was found in the structure, but that additional tests have been ordered on the chemicals.

"I imagine that they did some testing on it but it was not of any great quantity," the fire department dispatcher said.

### Bill could raise \$123 million

AUSTIN (AP) — About \$123 million in new revenues could be raised if a bill to raise tuition in the state's colleges and universities is made into law, the bill's sponsor said.

The bill calls for a tuition hike for resident students from \$4 to \$9 per semester credit hour during the 1985-86 school year and to \$25 a hour in 1986-87, said Gary Thompson, D-Abilene.

"Per resident student, we're only talking about an increase of \$75 per semester the first year and \$165 per semester the second year. But in total revenue collected, scholarship money available, and equity to the taxpayer, we make great strides with this bill," Thompson said in a statement Tuesday.

After 1987, tuition would increase by 5 percent of the total education cost, Thompson said. The Texas College Coordinating Board would determine the cost of education and assess students 15 percent as tuition, he said.

## National

### Quit smoking at age 96

TAMPA (AP) — A 104-year-old woman has advice for people wanting to live longer — quit smoking by the time you are 96.

Eulalia Gonzalez said she received that advice from her doctors eight years ago, and it worked.

More seriously, Mrs. Gonzalez attributed her longevity to coming from a long-lived family.

"My father's mother lived to be 115, and my aunt lived to be 109," she said at their birthday party this week as she celebrated with family and friends.

Born in 1881 in the small town of Utuado, Puerto Rico, Mrs. Gonzalez came to Tampa in 1974 after living in New York City.

She and her husband, who died in 1952, had eight children, and Mrs. Gonzalez now boasts 16 grandchildren, 34 great grandchildren and one great-great-grandson.

### Is 'lust' illegal?

WASHINGTON (AP) — The Supreme Court is studying whether states may seek to ban pornography by defining obscenity as anything that "incites lasciviousness or lust."

The court was scheduled to hear arguments today about a Washington state law declared unconstitutional by a federal appeals court.

In 1982, the Washington Legislature passed a "moral nuisance" law aimed at cracking down on the sale and display of obscene material.

The law defined obscenity in a broader fashion than the standard adopted by the Supreme Court in 1973.

The court ruled then that for material to be obscene it must when taken as a whole appeal to "prurient interest," which the court defined as a morbid or depraved interest in sex, nudity or excretion.

Otherwise, the court said, the material is protected by the Constitution's First Amendment guarantee of free expression.

The 1982 Washington law defined prurient as anything that "incites lasciviousness or lust."

Pornographers, legitimate publishers, librarian groups and the American Civil Liberties Union challenged the law's constitutionality.

A federal judge ruled against them. But the 9th U.S. Circuit Court of Appeals struck down the statute, ruling it was too broad and could be used to suppress non-obscene material.

The appeals court said the term lust describes "a healthy, wholesome, human reaction common to millions of well-adjusted persons in our society."

## International

### Israelis storm village

BEIRUT, Lebanon (AP) — Israeli forces stormed a south Lebanese village near the port city of Tyre today, conducted a house-to-house search and rounded up about 200 men for interrogation, security sources said.

The sources, who spoke on condition they not be identified, said an Israeli unit of 20 armored personnel carriers and other vehicles entered the village of Bazouriyeh at 7 a.m. to conduct the search for suspected guerrillas. They said 200 men were rounded up.

Timur Goksel, spokesman for the U.N. Interim Force in Lebanon, confirmed the Israeli operation in Bazouriyeh and said one dead male, shot in the head, was found outside the village.

Bazouriyeh is part of a cluster of villages that form the so-called "arc of resistance" east of Tyre where guerrilla attacks have been mounted almost daily against the Israeli occupation army.

In Beirut, the command of a French truce observer team said today that gunmen shot and killed a French observer southeast of the city Tuesday night.

A communique identified the victim as Commandant Paul Rhodes and said he was the commander of an observation post in the Druse town of Shweifat, seven miles from the capital.

The communique said Rhodes was shot dead by "unidentified elements" as he was entering the Shweifat post Tuesday night.

## According to report

# Prison reforms could reach \$800 million

AUSTIN (AP) — As much as \$800 million in construction and additional alternatives to imprisonment are needed for Texas to have enough prison cells over the next 10 years, a consultants' report says.

The lengthy \$200,000 report was to be released by the State Board of Corrections on Tuesday, but Chairman Robert Gunn said Gov. Mark White and legislative leaders instructed him to keep the report confidential until Friday.

It was a matter of "protocol," Gunn said.

The report was presented to White, Lt. Gov. Bill Hobby and House Speaker Gib Lewis during a two-hour, closed-door briefing in White's office.

Gunn said it was not just White who wanted the report kept secret.

"Everyone that has looked at this thing decided it was just so complex," he said.

But Dick Merkel, spokesman for Lewis, said the speaker "certainly" didn't ask that the report not be released Tuesday.

Steve Dial, spokesman for Hobby, said the lieutenant governor did not object to the release of the report. In fact, Hobby released a written statement in anticipation that the report would be distributed.

Hershel Meriwether, an aide to White, said the report was still preliminary.

"He (White) wanted to look at it and to give some input before it was released. The information is going to

be made public. That's not a problem," Meriwether said.

The proposed 10-year prison plan was prepared by the consulting firm of Henningson, Durham and Richardson at the prison board's request.

Lawmakers who were briefed on it told reporters the study offers a detailed, unit-by-unit review of what's needed to meet growth and bring the Texas Department of Corrections into compliance with orders from U.S. District Judge William

Wayne Justice.

"My impression is to bring the present prison system into compliance, you're probably talking about \$350 million" worth of construction and renovation work, said Sen. Ray Farabee, D-Wichita Falls.



### Most Beautiful

Sandra Saldana, left, Amy Mason, center, and Stacey Sanders were chosen as the candidates for Most Beautiful during the Koobraey assembly held recently at

Hereford High School. The winner of the title will be selected and announced later in the school year.

## Deaf Smith County Crimestoppers, Inc.

# Crime of the Week

Sometime on Tuesday, February 12, 1985 before 11:30 p.m. person(s) burglarized Brandon & Clark located at 515 East 1st Street. Stolen in the burglary was a money box containing approximately \$200 and the following merchandise:

- (1) Makita circular saw model 4200N
- (1) Makita 5" Disc Sander Model GV5000
- (1) Makita finish sander model 9035 serial No. 035528E
- (1) Makita % cordless drill with flash light and case Model 6010DL, Serial No 2130180E
- (1) Makita sander grinder Model 9501B
- (4) aw's ohm ammeter Model SPR-300 with leather case

Anyone giving information leading to the arrest and indictment of the person responsible for the Crime-of-the-Week will receive a \$500 reward. Anyone having information may contact the Crime Stoppers Clue Line at 364-2583 (364-CLUE).

Any information regarding a felony may be given to the Clue Line. Anyone giving information leading to the arrest and indictment in a felony case may be eligible for a reward. The caller may remain anonymous.

## Labor Department program

Legislation affecting growers and farm labor leaders is to be explained Thursday, Feb. 28 at a meeting sponsored by the U.S. Department of Labor.

The new Migrant and Seasonal Agricultural Workers Protection Act will be explained, and changes in unemployment insurance and

workmen's compensation will also be discussed.

Crew leaders, shed operators, growers and labor contractors are invited to the meeting, which is to begin at 2 p.m. at the Hereford Community Center.

For more information call Lester Rape at the local Texas Employment Commission office.

## Tax shelters under attack

WASHINGTON (AP) — America's "gentleman farmer" — the wealthy investor who uses farm losses to shield other earnings from taxes — could become an endangered species.

President Reagan's economic advisers estimate that tax shelters involving outside investors who put their money into farming have become so widespread that if they were eliminated, the government could exempt all farm profits from tax and still come out ahead.

A farm-state senator, James Abdnor, R-S.D., has another idea: limit to \$23,600 — the median household income — the amount of non-farm income that may be sheltered by farm losses. In the process, the federal treasury would save about \$900 million a year.

Abdnor, calling such shelters a crime and an embarrassment, says these investors make things more difficult for full-time farmers by driving up land prices, increasing over-production and aggravating soil

## RE-OPEN

ministrion's regional office in Ft. Worth is currently investigating the cause of the missing money and had the responsibility of distributing bond money to those claiming they did not get paid for cattle they sold to the two auctions.

"My main ambition is getting money back for the creditors who have been hurt by this," Green said this morning.

When asked if the sale of the property would be enough to satisfy those creditors, Green said "that and money from other sources." Asked if he intended to sue the owners for that money, Green said "possibly."

Because of the bankruptcy laws,

the property can be sold "free and clear of all liens," Green added. He said he expects to close the sale "sometime after March 20."

A spokesman for the Packers and Stockyards administration said today their financial probe is "nowhere near finished." Besides the P&SA audit, negotiations in bankruptcy court include the filing of three lawsuits against the owners by cattle companies in Arkansas and Tennessee.

A total of nearly \$3 million is sought by the cattle companies in actual and punitive damages for cattle they say they were never paid for or paid for with bad checks.

## HOSPITAL

patients who actually qualify as indigents, those who do not pay their bills for whatever reason have the same effect on the hospital's budget as those who can't.

The January operating report showed 257 patients admitted last month, with an average daily census

of 31.8. There were 87 surgical procedures at DSGH and 48 ambulance runs. The average percentage of occupancy was 41.2 for the month of January.

Other board members present for the Tuesday noon meeting were Margie Ford, Dr. Gerald Payne and John Gilliland.

# Nelson, Sarpalius to be guest speakers

Deaf Smith County Judge Glen Nelson will join State Sen. Bill Sarpalius as guest speaker for the annual appreciation dinner of the Amarillo Council on Alcoholism.

The banquet is set for Friday, at 7 p.m. at Northwest Texas Hospital.

Sarpalius will update Panhandle residents on the latest legislative developments in Austin, primarily those affecting alcohol and drug abuse services.

Nelson, who is chairman of the Panhandle County Judges' Chemical Abuse Services, will speak on the substance abuse issues facing residents of the 25 counties of the Panhandle.

The dinner will honor local volunteers for their contributions to the substance abuse education and service in the area. Special honorees will include Amarillo businessman Jim Shelton and the Panhandle Area

Broadcasters Association (PABA).

Shelton, who served on the board of directors of the Amarillo Council on Alcoholism from 1978 to 1984, has been instrumental in shaping the educational and client services available in Amarillo and the surrounding area for chemically-dependent citizens and their families.

The PABA will be honored for its continuing support of public awareness programs such as the 1984 Holiday Taxi Service which provided 176 free cab rides on New Year's Eve for persons unable to drive home safely.

Reservations for the appreciation dinner must be made by Monday. Tickets are \$8 per person, and can be reserved by calling the Amarillo Council on Alcoholism at (806)374-6688.

# Obituaries

## LUCY C. LEE

Lucy C. Lee, 90, died Tuesday in Lompoc, Calif.

Graveside services will be at 3 p.m. Friday in West Park Cemetery in Hereford with the Rev. Max Briggs, pastor of Fairview Assembly of God Church in Amarillo, officiating. Arrangements are by Gilliland-Watson Funeral Home.

Born in Monroe, La., Mrs. Lee moved from Hereford to Lompoc in 1955. She married Henry W. Lee in 1913 in Dallas. He preceded her in death in 1954.

Survivors include two sons, Chester of Lone Oak and Melvin of Clovis, N.M.; three daughters, Ola Mae King of Amarillo, Willie Rowan of Lompoc and Jewell Pellam of Aubrey; 31 grandchildren; 55 great-grandchildren; and six great-great-grandchildren.

## HERMAN HUFFAKER

Herman E. Huffaker, 88, of the Grassland Community died at 2 a.m. Monday in Westgate Nursing Home after a lengthy illness.

He is survived by a son, Bob of Hereford.

Services were today at 2:30 p.m. in Grassland Nazarene Church with the Rev. Bob Ferguson and the Rev. Joe Webb officiating. Burial was in Grassland Cemetery under the direction of White Funeral Home of Tahoka.

Born in Russellville, Ark., he attended schools in Cleburne. He moved to Lynn County in 1914 and was a longtime resident of the Grassland Community. He married Ollie Hicks Sept. 27, 1922, in Grassland. He was a veteran of World War I and a retired farmer.

Other survivors include his wife; four daughters, Lois Bernice Webb of Nathrop, Colo., Ruth Genele Keese and Verna Earlene Calvert, both of Colorado Springs, Colo., and Norma Lou Johnston of Fort Collins, Colo.; three sons, Roy of Lamesa, Glen of Denver City, and Kenneth of Grassland; a sister, Maggie Murray of Grassland; 27 grandchildren; and 23 great-grandchildren.

## WAYNE TRUITT NEEPER

Services for Wayne Truitt Neeper, 65, will be Thursday at 2 p.m. in the McCoy Chapel of Memories in Sweetwater, Texas.

Neeper was the father of Jaime Neeper of Hereford.

Father Charles Threewit of St. Thomas Episcopal in Hereford will preside. Burial will be in Palava Cemetery near Sweetwater.

Neeper was born Jan. 17, 1920, in Longworth Texas. He married Grace Yoakum in 1955 in Lovington, N.M.

He was a retired farmer, a member of the VFW, the American Legion and was a World War II veteran.

He is survived by his wife, of the home; Miss Neeper; two sons, Jarral of Petersburg, and W.T. Jr. of Charleston, S.C.; three sisters, Nancy McGinley and Monez Scoggins of Sweetwater, and Kathy Ferrell of Abilene; and three brothers, Laddie Neeper of Bellflower, Calif., Jackie Neeper of Los Angeles, Calif., and Jimmy Neeper of Grand Prairie, Texas.

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# Lifestyles

## Adult Sitter Clinic scheduled

Plan to attend an adult sitter clinic on Thursday, Feb. 28 and March 7 in the Heritage Room Library, Hereford.

The free clinic is sponsored by the Deaf Smith County Family Living Committee and County Extension Service. The clinic will provide training in the physical care of ill and disabled, according to Louise Walker, County Extension Agent. Registration will begin at 8:30 a.m. with the program beginning at 9 a.m. each day. The program will be over at 4 p.m. each day. Those attending the two-day program will receive 1.2 continuing education units from Amarillo College.

The Extension Homemakers Council will provide a salad luncheon each day for \$3. Enrollment to the clinic is limited. Call 364-3573, the county extension office, for your reservation.

Topics to be covered are:  
-Rule and responsibility of an adult sitter  
-Human relationship and practical psychology in working with older adults.

- The aging process
- Understanding grief and loss
- Coping with stress
- Diet and meal planning
- Using medication wisely
- Body mechanics
- Dealing with emergency situations
- Emergency Resonse System
- Ideas for activity
- Elder Abuse

agent.  
Also, Charlotte Clark, Dietitian, Deaf Smith General Hospital, Doug Manning, In-Sight Books, John Thames, pharmacist, Don Chrysler, Amarillo, National Home Health Care, Betty Henson, The American Red Cross, Doris Morgan, Deaf Smith Home Care Services and Suzan Schriber, Department of Human Resources.

The U.S. Army awarded 8,612 medals as a result of the brief 1983 Grenada campaign, even though it never had more than 7,000 officers and enlisted men on the island. Army officials explained that many medals were given to staff and rear-area support troops at several bases in the United States.



### Discussing Medication

John Thames, local pharmacist, discusses taking medication with Louise Walker, county extension agent. Thames will be a part of an adult sitter clinic scheduled Feb. 28 and March 7 in the Deaf Smith County Library Heritage Room. He will

address the topic "Taking Medication Wisely" on Feb. 28. The clinic is free of charge and those attending will receive 1.2 continuing education units from Amarillo College.

## Senior Citizens Opportunities

Activities scheduled this week (Feb. 21 through Feb. 27) at the Hereford Senior Citizens Center include the following:

EVERY WEEKDAY - Quilting 8 a.m. to 5 p.m.

THURSDAY - Painting class 9-11 a.m. and 1-4 p.m., Noon meal 11:30 a.m., games 1-5 p.m.

FRIDAY - Noon meal 11:30 a.m., games 1-5 p.m., choir practice 2 p.m.

MONDAY - Noon meal 11:30 a.m., games 1-5 p.m., bell choir 1:30 p.m.

TUESDAY - Noon meal 11:30 a.m., games 1-5 p.m.

WEDNESDAY - Noon meal 11:30 a.m., games 1-5 p.m., Westgate 1 p.m.

The menu will be as follows:

THURSDAY - Roast beef with gravy, mashed potatoes, turnip

greens, waldorf salad, roll and oleo, tapioca pudding, orange juice.

FRIDAY - Ham or fish, macaroni and cheese, buttered peas and carrots, pickled beets and onions, pears, cookie, roll and oleo, orange juice.

MONDAY - Liver and onions, scalloped potatoes, buttered broccoli, roll and oleo, sliced peaches, oatmeal cookie.

TUESDAY - Chicken, fried steak, hash brown potatoes, Harvard beets, broccoli spears, pineapple and cheese salad, chocolate cake.

WEDNESDAY - Baked sliced turkey and dressing, giblet gravy, cauliflower au gratin, seasoned green peas, fresh sliced tomatoes, roll and oleo, cherry cobbler alamode.

### Poet to speak to Nazarene Church

Charles Hastings Smith, D.D., a poet and evangelist, will speak at the First Church of the Nazarene in Hereford at 7 p.m. each evening beginning today and continuing through Saturday. On Sunday, he will speak at 10:40 a.m. and 6 p.m.

Smith has been a commissioned evangelist in the Church of the Nazarene since 1940. He attended Bethany Nazarene College in Bethany, Okla., where he earned the A.B. and Th.B. degrees. The college conferred on him the D.D. degree.

Smith is a member of the Southwest Chaparral Poets Association for outstanding poets. He has appeared before numerous civic clubs, Chambers of Commerce, business dinners and banquets, high school and college assemblies to recite his original poems. Each evening, he features the reading of several of his poems preceding his message.

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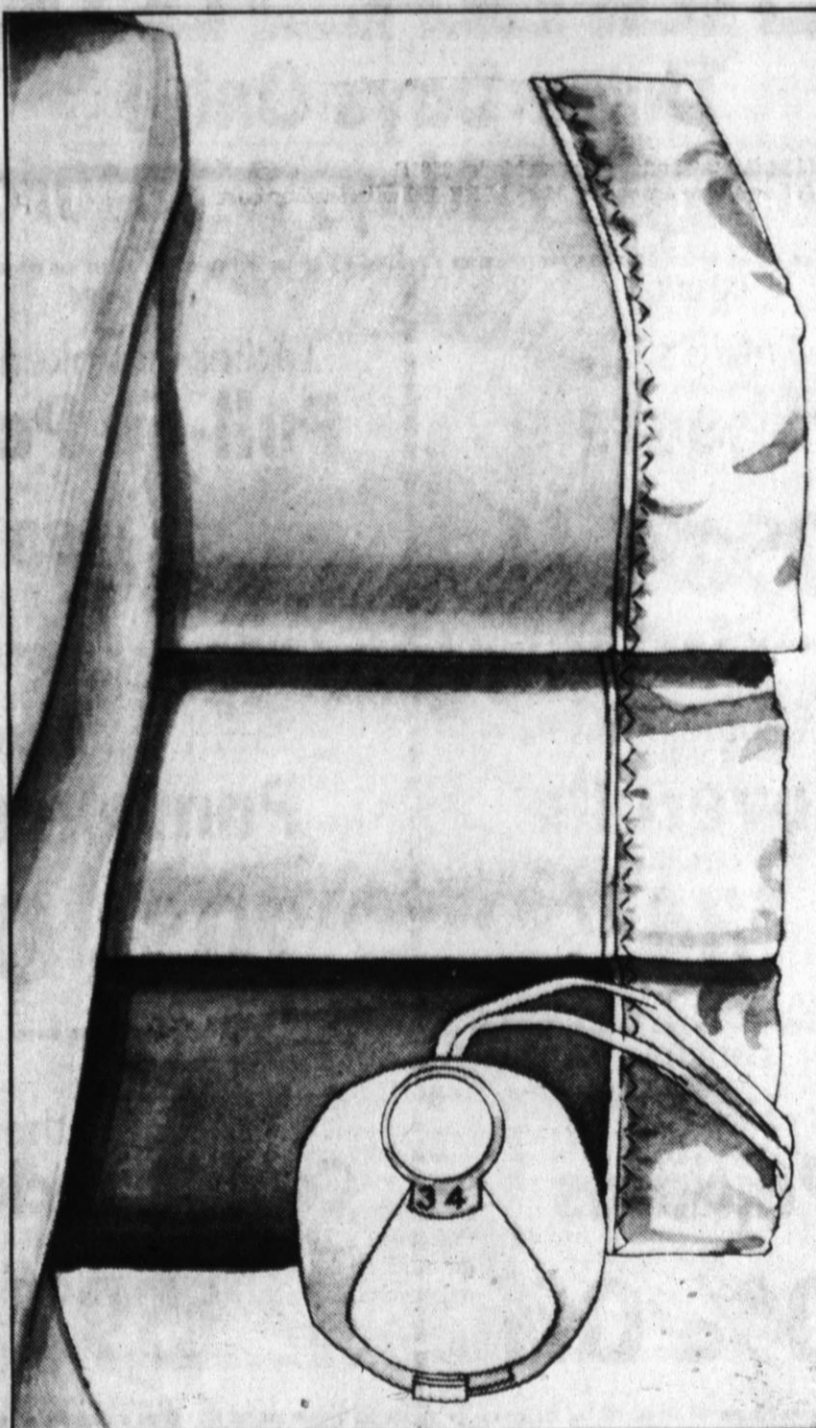


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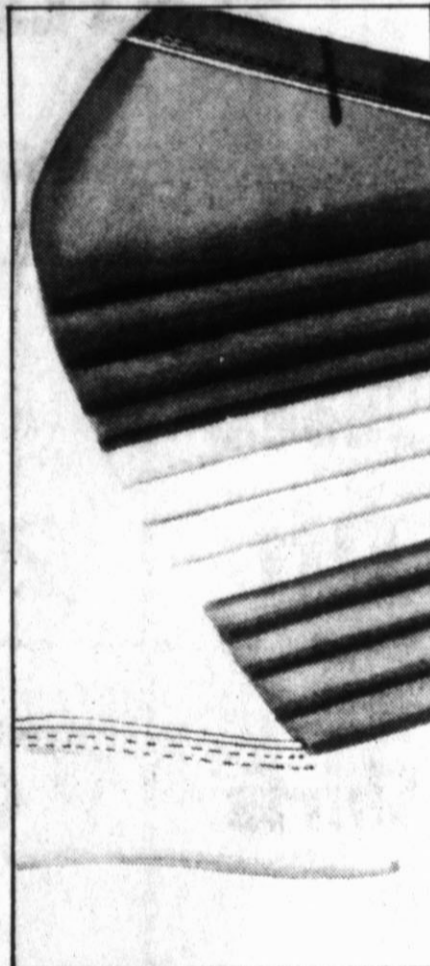
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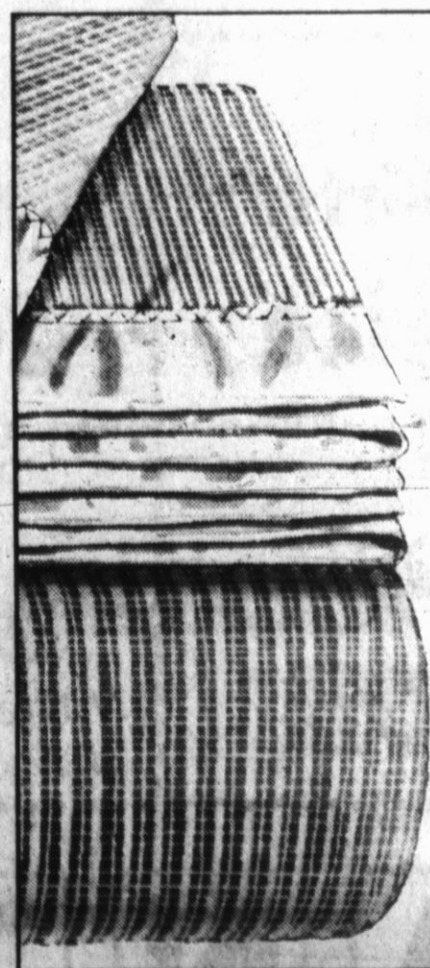


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**Preparing With Prayer**

Glenda Keenan, representing the First Christian Church for Church Women United, prayed in preparation for the World Day of Prayer March 1. The day of prayer will take place at the First Church

of the Nazarene beginning at 9:30 a.m. Sponsored by CWU, plans are now underway for the event. All church women are invited.

**La Madre Mia members meet with husbands**

Members of La Madre Mia Study Club met Thursday evening for their husbands' party at the fellowship hall of the First Baptist Church. Members and their spouses were served a barbecue dinner by the hostesses Gladys Merritt, Beverly

Bryant, Mary Beth White and Mysedia Smith. After supper, everyone participated in games and races in keeping with the Olympic theme. Those present were Messrs. and Mmes. Waldo Baxter, Terry

Bromlow, John David Bryant, John Faulkner, Truman Hazelrigg, Dean Herring, G.C. Merritt, Ken Rogers, Stanley Simmons, Craig Smith, Bub Sparks, Don Taylor, Jerry Walsh, Charles Watson, Butch White and Roger Williams.

**Welk concert set Thursday**

The Stars of Lawrence Welk Show sponsored by Hereford Community Concert will be Thursday at 8 p.m. in the high school auditorium.

The show will include dancers Bobby Burgess and Elaine Niverson, the vocal trio of Gail Farrell, Ron Anderson and Michael Redman, Farrell playing ragtime music on the piano, singer Ken Delo and clarinet virtuoso Henry Cuesta.

Performances are open to members only. For membership information, contact Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Langley at 364-3486, or Mr. and Mrs. Ted Panciera at 364-0311.

Thailand is the only country in Southeast Asia never taken over by a European power, thanks to King Mongkut and his son, King Chulalongkorn, who ruled from 1851 to 1910. They modernized the country and signed trade treaties with Britain and France. Most Thais migrated from southern China in the 11th century.

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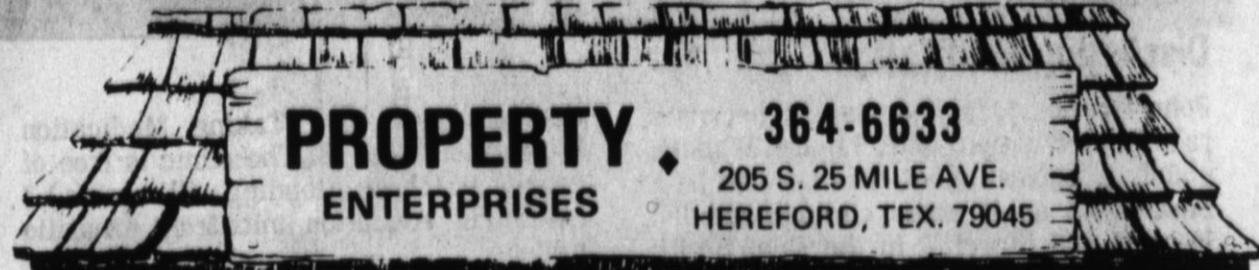
The featured speaker at the Los Ciboleros Chapter of the Daughters of the American Revolution meeting set for 3:30 p.m. Thursday at the Deaf Smith County Museum is Dr. Ron Cook, pastor of First Baptist Church.

Cook will speak on Thomas Jeffer-

son and Democracy. The DAR is recognizing February as American History month.



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evening at the annual Panhandle Square and Round Dance Association Sweetheart Jamboree.

John and Teddie Pointexter, members of the club, were presented with a past president plaque at the jamboree. The couple served the PSRDA as president for 1983-84.

## Crossword

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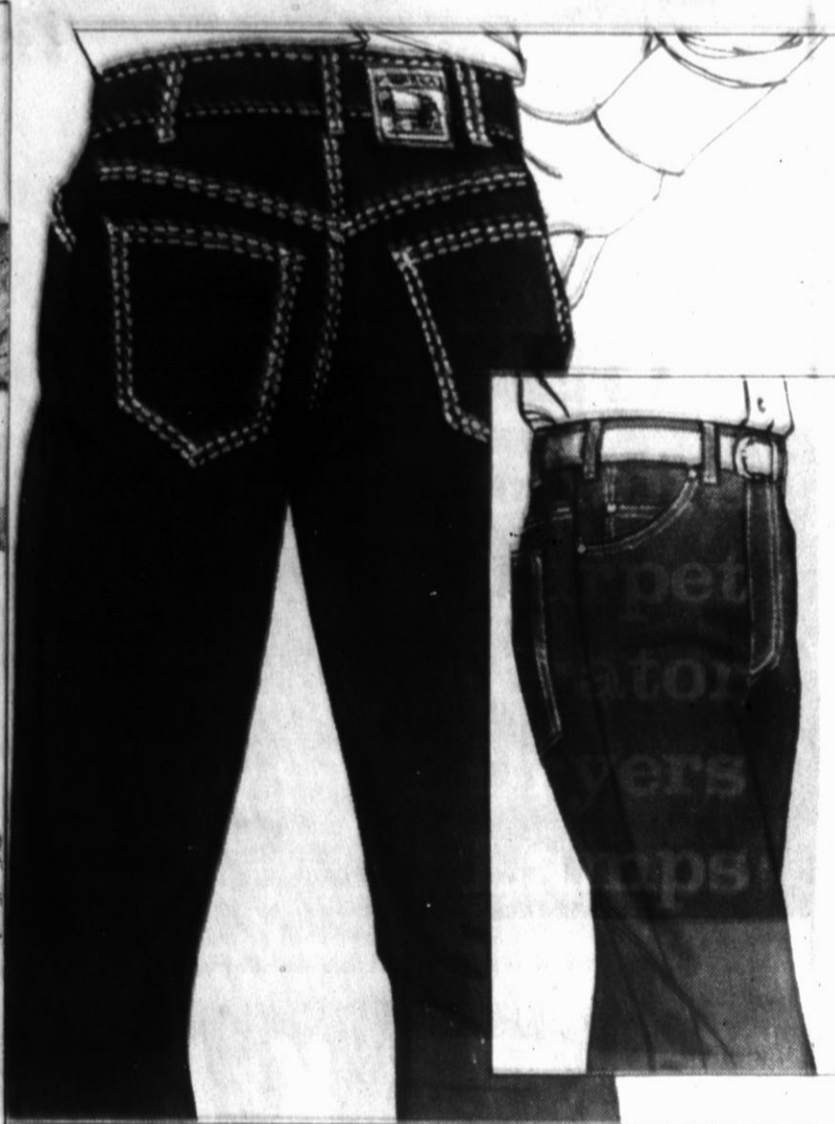
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# Sports

## Rangers' pitcher former alcoholic

# Noles tells his story to young



By TIM KURKJIAN The Dallas Morning News

DALLAS (AP) — There were 75, all between 9 and 12 years old, sitting on the gymnasium floor. It was a free period; time, they thought, for another boring speech. What it really meant was 30 minutes to goof off and act silly.

"I saw some of you rolling your eyes. You remind me of myself at your age. I didn't want to hear it," the speaker said sternly. "But my name is Dickie Noles. Let me tell you a little about me."

And with that, Dickie Noles, a 28-year-old pitcher for the Texas Rangers, told it like it is, or was.

Alcohol. Drugs. Fights. Blood. Jail. Lawsuits. Death.

If it sounds too much for young kids, it wasn't; it might have been just what they needed. The kids at the Whitney Young School in Oak Cliff were captivated by this man's story.

Noles, who is expected to be a long reliever or the Rangers' fifth starter this year, used to be an alcoholic. He hasn't had a drink since April 1983. His wife, Susan, is expecting their first child.

Dickie Noles has straightened out his life. Now he's trying to help area kids keep theirs straight.

Noles has told his story at schools across the area this winter. It's part of a series of drug/alcohol clinics run by the Rangers and the Dallas Independent School District. Bobby Bragan, the Rangers' director of public relations, heads the program. Rangers bullpen coach Glenn Ezell has been instrumental in the clinics, and a few players and coaches have spoken voluntarily.

Opening the clinic at Whitney Young were Mitch Williams, a 20-year-old rookie pitcher, and Rusty Gearhardt, pitching coach for the Rangers' Class AAA Oklahoma City team. Then came Noles, whose delivery was neither smooth nor prepared, which made it that much more effective. It came from the heart, and it was powerful, informative and impressive.

"I was in jail once for 15 days," Noles told the kids. "There were mice running all over me. The food was unbelievably awful. I didn't eat or sleep for 15 days. The guards there tell you what to do, and if you didn't do it, they'd beat you up. They'd break your arms. Then someone would ask, 'What happened?' and the guard would say, 'I don't know.' Jail is like that. That's what alcohol did to me."

A few children laughed at the mice part.

"You may think it's funny," Noles said. "It ain't."

The laughter stopped.

"Be like these guys (Williams, Gearhardt and Bragan). Don't do what I did," he said. "I didn't abuse drugs. I smoked marijuana a few times. I was around drugs, though. I knew guys who did all sorts of drugs. They would do anything with it, shoot it, snort it, eat it, anything. I never used cocaine. Alcohol was always my thing."

"In 1979, I went to winter ball (in Venezuela). I got kicked out of the country at gunpoint. They wanted to shoot and kill me. I got in a fight with a policeman. At that time, everyone was telling me I could be a good pitcher if I could control my emotions and control my drinking. By that time, baseball was No. 1 in my life, and getting high was No. 2. I loved to party."

"Because of it, I've been sued three times. I've been in jail 17 or 18 times. I've been in 30 or 40 fights, (though) I read somewhere that I've been in 50. I don't think it's been that many, but I'd be 0-49 if that was the case because you never win a fight." Story after story, each wilder than the one before.

"When I was 22, I had everything. Money, women, alcohol. But I was abusing it. One night I went into a bar and saw some bikers. I had four or five shots (of hard liquor). The alcohol changed me. That's when it becomes a problem, that's the sign of being an alcoholic."

"It made me feel mean."

"I put my quarter up on the pool table. There were already five quarters up there, but I told the guy that I didn't care how many quarters were up there, I was going to play the next game. I just thought, 'I'm going to drill this guy.' So we went in the bathroom, and I beat him up. Mission accomplished. I got in a fight. I ended up in jail."

"The next year (1981), I was back in the minor leagues. When I got sent down, I started hitting the alcohol hard. I was cruising for a bruising. I used my (1980) World Series ring (with the Phillies) as a weapon. One night I took a guy's eyebrow off. He sued me for \$5,000."

"After that I tried to get straight, but I became a closet drinker. I was traded to the Cubs (in December 1981), and (Phillies president) Bill Giles said after the trade that the Phillies had swept out the garbage. He said (former Phillies outfielder) Lonnie Smith was on drugs, and I was an alcoholic. We were both pretty mad about that."

"The next year (1983) with the Cubs I was supposed to win 15-20 games if I straightened out. On the first road trip of the year (to Cincinnati), I went into a bar. Some guy in there was cutting down the Cubs, and he kept doing it. So I beat him up. Then the bouncers attacked me. Then the cops hit me with their clubs. So I hit a cop. I got sued for \$800,000."

"I owed \$70,000 (to the policeman), and I owed \$21,000 lawyer fees. I can't buy a house now because of that. But that cop is out there sitting in his big old house laughing at me because of my alcohol problems. And there's a bouncer wearing a 3-piece suit because of me." Not an eye in the place was anywhere but on Noles.

"I've never experienced cocaine, but some guys love it," he said. They said it was the greatest high. One guy I know loved it so much, he spent \$700 or \$800 a weekend on it. Then he spent more. They found him in his hotel room at 3 one morning jelling up and down like a madman yelping, 'Get these bugs away from me!' He really thought there were bugs all over him."

"That's embarrassing. I've been embarrassed that way, too. I was home one winter talking with a bunch of classy people and watching TV. On came '60 Minutes.' They showed me walking out of jail, carrying a tube of toothpaste. Man, I looked terrible. The way that show laid me out, I felt terrible."

"But I'm 28 now, and I've wasted four or five years of my career. I'm telling you to believe in God, do the right thing, and enjoy life."

End of speech. Applause.

Dickie Noles looked a little drained.

"This was hard the first time because I'm not good at talking in front of people," said Noles, who volunteered to do the program. "It's better with the older kids. Yesterday was the first time I spoke to high school kids. They were stunned to hear what I had been through."

"They could relate. You see, no one ever told me anything until I was in the deep stuff. No one thought it was alcohol; they thought it was my personality. I know I'm high-strung, and I'm a redneck."

"When we heard about the program, my wife and I wanted to do something for kids. Now I feel good. I think we're reaching some of them. Even if we reach even a few, then that will be at least something."

### Baseball Time

Baseball practice for the Hereford Whitefaces is in full force now, with the team practicing late afternoons. Here, Chet Bunch works on pitching at the practice field near the diamond. Coach Don Long said about 30 players were involved in workouts, which began Feb. 1. The Whitefaces' first game is March 2 when they travel to Dumas.

### NBA roundup

## Switch good for Perkins, Mavs

By WILLIAM R. BARNARD AP Sports Writer

Rookie Sam Perkins is finding life as a forward much more rewarding than life as a center.

"Just playing more and taking responsibility has gotten me more involved in the game," Perkins said after scoring a season-high 28 points to lead the Dallas Mavericks to a 124-115 National Basketball Association victory over the Houston Rockets Tuesday night. "I just try to get something started."

Ironically, if the 6-foot-9 Perkins had played center against the Rockets, he would have guarded 7-foot Akeem Olajuwon, while at forward his main assignment was 7-4 Ralph Sampson.

Sampson scored 20 points, but he was only 7-for-20 from the field and had only two points in the first half as Dallas raced to a 67-54 lead.

Elsewhere in the NBA, it was Milwaukee 129, New York 118; Atlanta 107, Golden State 104; Los Angeles Lakers 127, Chicago 117; and Kansas City 116, Portland 96.

Houston, which had a four-game winning streak snapped, played Tuesday night's game with assistant coach Carroll Dawson running the team. Head Coach Bill Fitch was sitting out the first game of a two-game

suspension he received for yanking a referee's whistle during last Saturday's game against Cleveland. Fitch also was fined \$3,000.

**Lakers 127, Bulls 117**  
Los Angeles hit 65 percent of its shots and extended its Pacific Division lead to 12 games as Kareem Abdul-Jabbar scored 27 points, Byron Scott 22 and Earvin "Magic" Johnson 20 at Chicago.

The Bulls, losers of seven games in their last eight outings, tied the score at 112-112 with 5:52 on a basket by Caldwell Jones. But Abdul-Jabbar hit seven points down the stretch as the Lakers tallied 15 of the game's final 20 points.

Orlando Woolridge led Chicago with 30 points, while Quintin Dailey added 26.

**Bucks 129, Knicks 118**  
Sidney Moncrief scored 30 points and Terry Cummings 25 as Milwaukee improved its Central Division lead to 5½ games by handing New York its fifth straight loss.

The Knicks led 93-92 in the opening minute of the fourth quarter. But a 25-11 run by the Bucks, with Alton Lister scoring seven points and Ricky Pierce six, gave Milwaukee a 117-104 lead with 4:44 left.

Darrell Walker led the Knicks with a career-high 31 points, while NBA scoring leader Bernard King added

30. **Kings 116, Trail Blazers 96**  
Kansas City, which lost 115-96 at Portland on Sunday night, turned that result around by 39 points with an easy home triumph.

Eddie Johnson hit 14 of 21 shots and scored 28 points for the Kings, who scored 14 consecutive points in the second quarter to turn a one-point deficit into a 53-40 lead. LaSalle Thompson, who had 17 points and 14 rebounds, scored six points to pace the decisive streak.

Clyde Drexler scored 20 points to top the Trail Blazers, while Mike Woodson had 21 for Kansas City.

**Hawks 107, Warriors 104**  
Randy Wittman scored a career-high 28 points and Dominique Wilkins hit one of two free throws with 15 seconds left to break a 104-104 tie with Golden State, which had rallied from an 18-point deficit midway through the third quarter.

The Warriors trailed 65-47 before coming back to tie the game with 30 seconds remaining on two free throws by Eric Floyd, who led Golden State with 28 points.

After putting the Hawks ahead, Wilkins blocked a potential game-winning shot by Purvis Short. Tree Rollins, who grabbed the rebound, hit two more free throws with no time on the clock.

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## On the Ball



By DENNIS BALL  
Sports Editor

With the weather getting warmer — at least temporarily — and the clouds abating from view, golfers are coming out of hibernation on weekends, beginning to sharpen their games.

At least they're trying, some claim. Some golfers have voiced complaints and raised questions indirectly related to the so-called overcrowding of John Pitman Municipal Golf Course in Hereford.

Course professional at the Hereford course is Mike Horton, who said as many as 100 golfers from out of town play here on any given weekend. Simple arithmetic shows you that the number can be broken down into 25 foursomes on an 18-hole course, or 20 foursomes and 10 twosomes. Sounds like the lines could be backed up on tee boxes for quite a distance, doesn't it?

However, Horton said the numbers never have caused a problem in the past.

"I don't know why anybody can't get a tee time," he said, "unless they wait until about an hour before they're ready to play before they call. Right now, it's first come, first serve on tee times. Beginning in April, though, we'll start taking weekend tee times at 8 a.m. on Thursday.

"This is a municipal golf course and its purpose is to serve the general public."

Which answers question No. 2 — why aren't non-Hereford residents charged more money to play 18 holes than local citizens are charged?

Many feel that if golfers from, say Amarillo, are charged an extra buck or two on green fees, the desire to play here will be less lucrative. It currently is argued that persons from Amarillo can make the one-hour drive to Hereford, play 18 holes and still make the trip back in less time than it would take them to play an Amarillo course and for less money.

(Green fees are \$4 on weekdays and \$5 on weekends at John Pitman Municipal. During the week, people aged 62 and over may play for \$1 as may high-school-and-under aged students.)

"The only way to have a say in who can play here is to make the course a restricted course," Horton said, meaning turn over John Pitman to a club or private firm.

But that's already been tried once. According to Horton, the Hereford Men's Golf Association at one time owned the front nine of the course. However, the organization couldn't afford the upkeep and turned it over to the city.

So why don't Hereford golfers go to Amarillo to play?

Same reason Amarillo golfers come here — the time it takes to play in Amarillo and the cost involved. If you think tees are backed up here, take a look at Amarillo, especially now that Amarillo Country Club still hasn't completely reopened (the club closed last July to rebuild).

Only about one-third the number of golfers at Amarillo CC still play the temporary courses there on weekends. The rest are flocking to the remaining golf layouts to get in some swings.

Can't go there to play. And it wouldn't be wise from a financial standpoint to make John Pitman a restricted course. Those out-of-town golfers are bound to spend some money here, whether it be 40 cents for a Coke or \$40 for a night's lodging.

Besides, the average Joe or Dennis couldn't afford to pay for a club membership.

Mike Sanders at Ross Rogers Municipal Golf Course in Amarillo said the 36-hole course there was receiving some of Amarillo CC's regulars before the latter set up the temporary courses. He also said Ross Rogers had no trouble booking enough golfers to keep the course busy all day on weekends.

Green fees on weekends at the Amarillo municipal course are \$8. So Amarillo golfers are going to come here. No problem. The economic advantages are on their side.

But some Hereford golfers still may complain unless the city can figure out a way to give locals an advantage.

Maybe it's just that time of the year. Golf, tennis, track, baseball, and others. Time for spring sports. And everybody — including the scratch golfers and those who have trouble breaking 150 — wants a part of it.

## Major tourney winners to begin golf seasons

By BOB GREEN AP Golf Writer  
MIAMI (AP) — The American and British Open golf champions, Fuzzy Zoeller and Seve Ballesteros, have different goals in mind this week as they begin their 1985 PGA Tour seasons in the Doral-Eastern Open.

The easy-going Zoeller is coming back from major back surgery that sidelined him much of last season and, at one time, raised questions as to whether he could return to competitive golf.

"I'm just glad to be walking and breathing and playing again. I don't expect anything this week, or for the next couple of weeks," Zoeller said after a practice round on the Blue Monster course, site of the \$400,000 tournament that begins Thursday.

While Zoeller is simply attempting to get his game back to a competitive level, Ballesteros is looking at an opportunity to establish himself as the outstanding player in the game.

"He's the man most likely to dominate the game in the next few

years," Jack Nicklaus said of the 27-year-old Spaniard who already owns four major titles (two British Opens and two Masters) and is just now entering his golfing maturity.

South African Denis Watson, who won three American titles last season and missed Player of the Year honors by a narrow margin, also will begin his U.S. campaign in the tournament that opens the Tour's Florida swing.

Also on hand in the 144-man field that is chasing a \$72,000 first prize are PGA king Lee Trevino and Doral defending champion Tom Kite, each of whom has a history of success in Florida events.

Other major figures include Nicklaus, Andy Bean and Ray Floyd, each a two-time winner of this event, Larry Nelson, Johnny Miller and Cal Peete, winner of the Phoenix Open earlier this season.

Portions of the final two rounds Saturday and Sunday will be televised nationally by CBS.

## Baseball talks continue

# Free agency issue not dead

By JOHN NELSON AP Sports Writer

NEW YORK (AP) — The Major League Players Association on Thursday will reopen the delicate issue of free agency, which caused the 1981 baseball strike, and respond to several management proposals as contract talks continue between players and owners.

On Tuesday, owners made several proposals, including a seven-game league playoff to replace the current five-game format, and outlined procedures it would like to follow for expansion from 26 to as many as 32 teams.

"Thursday, we're going to respond to these issues, if we're ready," said Mark Belanger, former Baltimore shortstop and now a special assistant to union head Don Fehr. "And we'll talk about expansion, minimum salary and free agency."

Players are concerned not only with classification of free agents but also with the re-entry draft, which the union says serves only to limit the movement of players. The union has said it would favor doing away with the draft entirely, allowing a free agent to sign with any team that shows interest.

The seven-week midseason players strike of 1981 resulted in the current system that ranks players to determine the type of compensation teams receive for losing free agents.

The current minimum yearly salary for a major league player is \$40,000. While declining to be specific, Belanger said the union wants this minimum raised.

In five-game playoffs, players receive a percentage of receipts from the first three games. Under the seven-game proposal, they would share in profits from the first four games. The percentage of the players' cut also would be increased.

"I've seen some figures," said Bob Fishel, executive vice president of the American League and acting as a spokesman for management during talks. "The players' share would be increased quite a bit."

Belanger, however, said it was "just purely conjecture" whether an agreement could be reached on this issue in time for a seven-game playoff in 1985.

While saying expansion is "probably in the best interests of all," Belanger said there were an "initial number of problems" in management's proposal. Among its concerns, the union would want to protect players' rights in any expansion draft.

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Expansion may not even take place during the life of this contract and is not expected to occur any sooner than 1987.

Among the cities which have

shown interest in obtaining expansion franchises are Denver; Washington; Indianapolis; Vancouver, British Columbia; Tampa, Fla.; St. Petersburg, Fla.; Miami, and Buffalo, N.Y.

## Sports Briefs

TORONTO (AP) — Five U.S. collegians, including offensive lineman Peter Emsky of Washington State and tight end Pat Langdon of Tennessee, were among the first seven selections in the Canadian Football League draft.

John Ulmer, a North Dakota defensive end and son of former CFL star Ed Ulmer, was the top American collegian picked, going to the British Columbia Lions as the third choice in the draft. Ed Ulmer was a defensive standout with both Ottawa and Win-

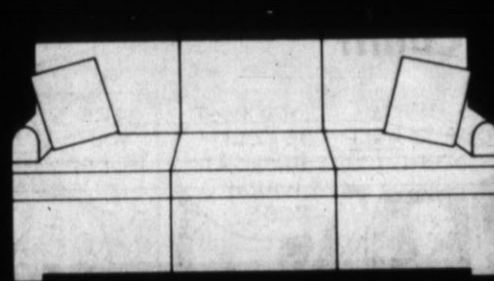
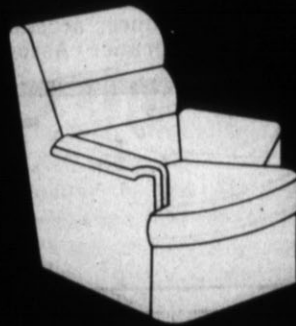
nipeg. The top two picks were offensive tackles who went to college in Canada — Nick Benjamin, who was taken by Ottawa, and Randy Ambrosie, who was drafted by Calgary.

LA QUINTA, Calif. (AP) — Tarik Benhabiles of France, overwhelmed fourth-seeded Johan Kriek of South Africa in a second-round match in the \$375,000 Pilot Pen Classic men's tennis tournament.

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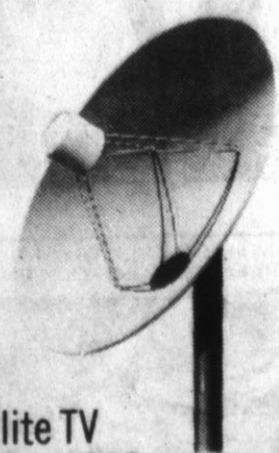
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# Calendar of Events

**THURSDAY**  
Free immunizations against childhood diseases, Deaf Smith County Public Health Clinic, 902 E. Fourth, and Texas Department of Health Office, 914 E. Park, 8 a.m. to 12 noon and 1-3:45 p.m.  
Ladies exercise class, Church of the Nazarene, 6:30 p.m.  
Hereford Toastmasters Club, 6:30 a.m.  
Kiwanis Club, Community Center, noon.  
TOPS Club No. 941, Community Center, 9 a.m.  
Amateur Radio Operators, north biology building of high school, 7:30 p.m.  
Story hour at the library, 10 a.m.  
San Jose prayer group, new fellowship hall, 735 Brevard, 8 p.m.  
Al-Anon, Odd Fellow Hall, 8 p.m.  
L'Allegra Study Club, 10 a.m.  
Alpha Iota Mu Chapter, Beta Sigma Phi Sorority, 8 p.m.  
North Hereford Extension

Homemakers Club, 2:30 p.m.  
Wyche Extension Homemakers Club, 2:30 p.m.  
Bay View Study Club, home of Mrs. Hollis Klett, 2 p.m.  
American Association of Retired Persons, Community Center, 6 p.m.  
St. Thomas Episcopal Church Bible Study, 506 sycamore, 7 p.m.  
Bud to Blossom Garden Club, home of Winnie Wiseman, 9:30 a.m.  
AARP, 6 p.m.  
Merry Mixers Square Dance Club, Community Center, 8 p.m.  
Red Cross uniformed volunteers, noon luncheon.  
Los Ciboleros Chapter, Daughters of the American Revolution, Deaf Smith County Historical Museum, 3:30 p.m.  
VFW, VFW Clubhouse in Veterans Park, 7:30 p.m.  
BPOE Lodge in Elks Hall, 8:30 p.m.  
Hereford Study Club, home of Gracie Shaw, 7 p.m.

**FRIDAY**  
Kiwanis Whiteface Breakfast Club, Savage's Hickory Pit, 6:30 p.m.  
Community Duplicate Bridge Club, Community Center, 7:30 p.m.  
Women's exercise class, First Presbyterian Church, 8:30-9:30 a.m.  
Cultural Extension Homemakers Club, 2 p.m.  
Singles Alert, Community center ballroom, 7 p.m.  
**SUNDAY**  
Friends of the Library annual meeting, Deaf Smith County Library Heritage Room, 2-4 p.m.  
**MONDAY**  
Odd fellows Lodge, IOOF Hall, 7:30 p.m.  
TOPS Chapter No. 1011, Community Center, 5:30 p.m.  
Rotary Club, Community Center, 12 noon.  
Planned Parenthood Clinic open Monday through Friday, 711 25 Mile Ave., 8:30 a.m. to 4:30 p.m.

Women's exercise class, First Presbyterian Church, 8:30-9:30 a.m.  
Young Mothers Study Club, 7:30 p.m.  
Veleda Study Club, Ruthie's at Friona, 8 p.m.  
Easter Lions Club, Easter Clubhouse, 8 p.m.  
Deaf Smith County Extension Homemakers Council, Library Heritage Room, 1:30 p.m.  
Deaf Smith County Lapidary Club, Energas Flame Room, 7:30 p.m.  
Band-Orchestra Booster Club, Hereford High band hall, 7 p.m.  
Friends of Deaf Smith County Library board meeting, Library Heritage Room, noon.  
**TUESDAY**  
Deaf Smith Historical Museum: Regular museum hours Tuesday through Saturday 10 a.m. to 5 p.m. and Sunday 2-5 p.m. Museum closed Monday.  
TOPS Chapter No. 576, Community Center, 9 a.m.  
Al-Anon, Community Center, 5 p.m. and 642 E. Second St., 8 p.m.

Ladies exercise class, church of the Nazarene, 6:30 p.m.  
Avenue Baptist church single-again share group, 7:30 p.m.  
Hereford Rebekah Lodge No. 228, IOOF Hall, 7:30 p.m.  
Free immunizations against childhood diseases, Deaf Smith County Public Health Clinic, 902 E. Fourth, and Texas Department of Health Office, 914 E. Park, 8 a.m. to 12 noon and 1-3:45 p.m.  
Kiwanis Club of Hereford-Golden K, Senior Citizens Center, 12 noon.  
Hereford Art Guild, 2 p.m.  
Pilot Club International, Caison House, 6:30 a.m.  
Aggie Mothers Club, 7:30 p.m.

**WEDNESDAY**  
Noon Lions Club, Community Center, noon.  
Women's exercise class, First Presbyterian Church, 8:30-9:30 a.m.  
Losers are Winners Weight Loss Club, Community Center, 6 p.m.  
Blood drive at Community Center, 4-6:30 p.m.

## Friends invited to observance

Mr. and Mrs. John Spinhirne, of 207 Douglas, will celebrate their 40th wedding anniversary on Sunday with a reception from 3 to 5 p.m. at the Immaculate Conception Parish Hall in Vega.

John and Mary Louise Clare, formerly of Grand Forks, N.D., were married Feb. 24, 1945 in Marfa, Texas where the groom was stationed.

Following his discharge from the military service in 1945, the couple moved to Vega where they lived and farmed until 1959, when John bought a farm in Deaf Smith County, six miles south of Vega on Highway 385.

The couple has two adopted sons Andrew of Amarillo, and Timothy of Vega.

In June, 1982, the Spinhires moved to Hereford. He continues to farm and she is involved in church and civic activities.

The anniversary reception is being hosted by Andrew and Beth Spinhirne of Amarillo. Tim and Lori Spinhirne, and Calvin and Jackie Groneman of Vega.

Friends and relatives are invited to join in the celebration.

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## COMICS

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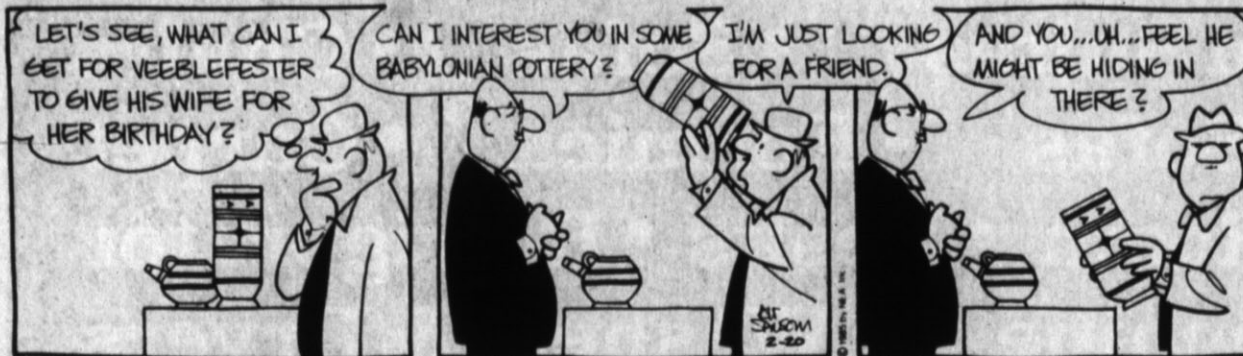
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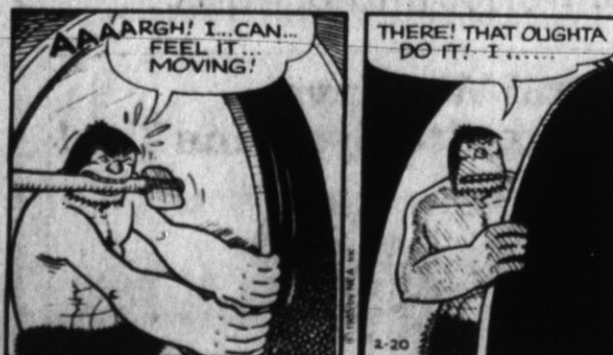
### THE BORN LOSER by Art Sansom



### EK & MEK by Howie Schneider



### ALLEY OOP by Dave Graue



### MARMADUKE by Brad Anderson



"This is hard to believe...he's conducting an obedience class."

## Workshop scheduled Feb. 25 at hospital

"Cardiovascular Update" will be the topic of the workshop to be held Monday, Feb. 25 at Deaf Smith General Hospital. It will be sponsored by West Texas State University in cooperation with the hospital. Flo Jemes, a critical care instructor at Northwest Texas Hospital School of Nursing in Amarillo, will present the workshop from 6-9 p.m. in

the DSGH classroom. The program is expected to focus on new strategies and procedures for diagnosing and treating cardiovascular disease. The session is open to registered nurses, licensed vocational nurses students and assistants, allied health personnel and all levels of emergency medical services workers.

The cost is \$20 for health care workers and \$10 for students. Registration will begin at 5:30 the evening of the workshop. For more information contact Rose Ann Smith at DSGH.

Patients are spending about the same amount of time in community hospitals today as they did 20 years ago, but the average costs have increased more than eight times, according to the Health Insurance Association of America.

## Television Schedule

### WEDNESDAY

TIME	PROGRAM
6:00	Here Come the Brides News Little House on the Prairie Mike Evans Presents Barney Miller SportsCenter Moneyline Marisela You Can't Do That On TV Radio 1990 Entertainment Tonight
6:30	M*A*S*H Wheel of Fortune Gary Mitrik Benson Three's Company Crossfire HBO Video Jukebox Dangermouse Dragnet Rituals
7:00	Flipper Highway to Heaven (CC) Jonathan sparks a romance between Mark's able-bodied cousin and a quadriplegic young lawyer. (60 min.) College Basketball: Kentucky at Florida Fall Guy (CC) Colt is sent to Palm Springs to pick up a bail jumper. (60 min.) Camp Meeting USA Charlie's Angels Charles in Charge College Basketball: Iowa at Wisconsin Prime News Muy Especial: Yuri HBO MOVIE: 'Metalstorm' A peacekeeping Ranger is dispatched to the barren desert of a distant planet where his mission is to strike down an evil warlord. Jeffrey Byron, Tim Thomerson, Kelly Preston. Rated PG. Now Get Out of That College Basketball: Boston College at St. John's Hawaii Five-O
7:30	E/R The staff of the E.R. is tied up and held hostage by drug thieves. Year of the French
8:00	700 Club Facts of Life (CC) Conclusion. Spring break in Florida is not what it's cracked up to be for the girls. Dynasty (CC) Ashley tells Blake of Krystle's strange visit to her studio. (60 min.) Jim Bakker College Basketball: Indiana State at DePaul MOVIE: 'Murder with Mirrors' Miss Marple comes to the aid of a dear old friend who's ancestral home is the scene of a murder. Bette Davis, Helen Hayes, Leo McKern. 1984. Freeman Reports El Maleficio Freud HBO MOVIE: 'Charley Varrick' A small-town crook accidentally steals Mafia funds during a bank robbery. Walter Matthau, Joe Don Baker, Felicia Farr. 1973.
8:30	Sara Sara and Roz take Helen out to a wine symposium in order to meet men. Trampa para un Sonador HBO Willie Nelson's Texas Party St. Elsewhere Rosenthal tells her lover that she's pregnant. (60 min.) MOVIE: 'High Noon' A small town marshal must face a killer he sent to prison five years earlier. Gary Cooper, Grace Kelly, Otto Kruger. 1952. Arthur Hailey's Hotel (CC) A couple's 25th anniversary is marred by some unpleasant realities and family deceptions. (60 min.) Willard Castleton Comments NFL Superstars Evening News College Basketball: Florida State at Louisville To Be Announced
9:00	Why Must the Children Die? John Ankerberg Tennis: Davis Cup Championship 1984 24 Horas HBO Not Necessarily the News At the Met
9:15	Bill Cosby Show
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10:00	Bill Cosby Show

### THURSDAY

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6:30	Wheel of Fortune Benson Three's Company ESPN's Speedweek Crossfire Dangermouse Dragnet Rituals
7:00	Circus Cosby Show Cliff is stuck with the kids when Clair takes on a time consuming case. NBA Basketball: Los Angeles at Kansas City MOVIE: 'Deadly Messages' (CC) A woman is on the run from a vicious killer after a Ouija board makes a deadly prediction. Kathleen Bellier, Michael Brandon. 1984. Camp Meeting USA MOVIE: 'National Lampoon's Animal House' A feud erupts between rival fraternities. John Belushi, Tim Matheson, Donald Sutherland. 1978. Magnum, P.I. Lucy Fletcher arrives in Hawaii in search of some missing love songs. (60 min.) Fishin' Hole Prime News Noche de Gala HBO MOVIE: 'Escape from New York' A fallen hero gets a second chance when he tries to rescue the President of the United States. Kurt Russell, Lee Van Cleef, Ernest Borgnine. 1981. Rated R. New World Ballet College Basketball: Georgia at Auburn
7:30	Hawaii Five-O Family Ties Steven and Elyse decide to escape the chaos of their everyday lives by spending a quiet evening together. Top Rank Boxing from Atlantic City - 10 Round Featherweight Bout (Keith Adams vs. Ray Gray) 700 Club Cheers Sam's reputation is at stake when he encounters an woman who is indifferent to his charms. Jim Bakker Simon & Simon Freeman Reports El Maleficio Authentic Messiah HBO MOVIE: 'Earthquake' A cataclysmic earthquake virtually destroys Los Angeles. Charlton Heston, Ava Gardner, George Kennedy. 1974. De Fiesta Hill Street Blues Lieutenant Callentino steps in when Frank attends a one-day encounter session for the police brass. (60 min.) 20/20 (CC) Way of the Winner News Knot's Landing (CC) Abby smells trouble as Joshua begins to feel his television power. (60 min.) Evening News HBO MOVIE: 'Brady's Escape' A U.S. World War II pilot is shot down over Nazi-occupied Hungary, but the friendly local people take him in. Kelly Reno, John Savage, Ildiko Sasagi. 1984. Rated PG. Sports Camera Int'l
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9:15	MOVIE: 'Von Ryan's Express' An American Air Force colonel leads a group of prisoners of war in taking control of a Nazi freight train. Frank Sinatra, Trevor Howard, Brad Dexter. 1965.
9:30	Sports Focus Eagles' Nest 24 Horas Seeing Stars Bill Cosby Show
10:00	Bill Cosby Show News Lester Sumrall Teaching WKRP in Cincinnati College Basketball: UCLA at California Moneyline Gong Show Best of Groucho SportsCenter Tonight Show Tonight's guests are Rosalind Rao and Dionne Warwick. (60 min.) Hart to Hart Contact Love Boat Barney Miller Sports Tonight Pellicula: 'Los Viernes de Eternidad' HBO MOVIE: 'Lasstiter' (CC) A rough jewel thief is pressed into doing spy work for the Allies in London during World War II. Tom Selleck, Jane Seymour, Lauren Hutton. 1983. Rated R. Make Me Laugh Anything for Money Burns & Allen Jim Bakker Night Heat Love Boat New World Ballet Radio 1990 Dr. Gene Scott Love That Bob Late Night with David Letterman Tonight's guests are TV and radio personality Joe Franklin and delicatessen school owner Ken Fambirni. (60 min.) ABC News Nightline MOVIE: 'The Barbarian and the Geisha' A historical drama of one man's successful fight to open Japan to the western world. John Wayne, Eiko Ando, Sam Jaffe. 1958. Newswright MOVIE: 'The Rose Tattoo' An earthy widow puts aside her husband's memory when a rambunctious truck driver romances her. Anna Magnani, Burt Lancaster, Marisa Pavan. 1956. Married Joan Charlie's Angels Ever Increasing Faith MOVIE: 'The Omega Man' The lone human survivor of an atomic war battles a group of robed zombies. Charlton Heston, Rosalind Cash, Tony Zerbo. 1971.

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## Hereford joins organizations nationwide to celebrate week

Members of the Hereford chapter of the Future Farmers of America are uniting with FFA'ers from across the United States to celebrate National FFA Week, Feb. 16-23.

Students of the local FFA chapter have written essays on "What the FFA Mean to Me", and following are two samples:

By DALE WEST

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By KRISTI POWELL

"FFA; Future Farmers of

America. What does the FFA mean?

"The FFA means an opportunity for me to prove myself to my peers. This is my first year at Hereford High School and my first year in Ag. I've already got a good start on my leadership abilities because I was president of our Greenhand Parliamentary Procedure Conducting team, and I want to do some extemporaneous speaking next year.

"The FFA is also a learning experience. We have learned about breeds of cattle, sheep and swine, and we are also learning about breeding and selecting these animals. During the spring, we have judging teams that teach us more about individual areas we are interested in. There are seven judging teams—Livestock, Dairy cattle, Dairy products, meats identification, poultry, house and land judging.

"The FFA is for individuals and their individual interests. Many members of the FFA participate in livestock shows. The Hereford Junior Livestock Show is the kick-off show for the Hereford area. Fort Worth and San Antonio come next, and to close down the show season, the grand-daddy show in Texas is the Houston Livestock Show and Rodeo.

"Each year several high school seniors from across the state receive scholarships from the Houston show. The FFA will give me a chance to be one of those seniors in 1987. All of these opportunities put together are preparing the members of the FFA for life."

### Study finds

## Corn plantings expected to rise

WASHINGTON (AP) — A mid-winter survey by the Agriculture Department shows that corn farmers intend to boost plantings this spring to 82 million acres, a 2 percent increase from a year ago.

But officials cautioned that the actual plantings could tilt some because some farmers may not have

made up their minds on whether to cut back under 1985 acreage programs.

The department's Crop Reporting Board said its mail survey of 45,000 farmers in late January and early February also showed that plantings of some other major crops — sorghum, barley, oats and spring wheat — will be increased from 1984.

Cutbacks from last year were indicated for soybeans, cotton, winter wheat, rice, peanuts and tobacco.

The 1984 corn crop was planted on 80.4 million acres and went on to produce bumper yields last fall.

Corn is the largest and most valuable farm crop grown in the United States and is the basic feed ingredient for the production of livestock products — the meat, milk and poultry that makes up about one-

half of the American food bill. "Actual acreage planted may vary from intentions because of the 1985 farm programs, the effect of weather, availability of production inputs and changes in market conditions prior to planting," the report said.

## Corn yield of 198.99 tops

WHARTON — James Ferguson of Wharton, Texas, is the state winner in the non-irrigated division of the 1984 Corn Yield Contest sponsored by the National Corn Growers Association. Ferguson won the state-wide competition with a yield of 198.99 bushels using Pioneer (R) hybrid 3165.

Ferguson utilized conventional tillage practices, tilling his field after combining and then piling the soil into beds. He planted March 18, at a rate of 25,000 kernels per acre in 40-inch rows. The field, which had been used to grow corn last year, was fertilized with 175 pounds of nitrogen and 32 pounds of sulphur prior to planting. Lasso was also applied at planting. Ferguson said the sulphur was beneficial to his crops because it lowered the pH level in the soil and increased crop efficiency.

Ferguson's crop received no rain until 10 days prior to tassel. The field was cultivated twice.

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## Major changes needed in farm economics

LUBBOCK — Five percent of U.S. farms could go out of business soon without major long-term economic changes, according to a Texas Tech University agricultural economist.

Dr. Dean W. Hughes, director of the Thornton Agricultural Finance Institute, said while the debt-to-asset ratio for farmers nationally average is about 20 percent, the numbers hide wide differences in financial conditions for different sizes and types of farms.

"The total farm debt is about \$215 billion against total assets of \$1 trillion. That doesn't sound too bad, especially when you consider that corporate business operates with about twice as much leverage," Hughes said.

But he said the problem is that the five percent of farmers likely to go out of business represents about 10 percent of all farm assets and about 30 percent of all farm debt.

In a study done last year, Hughes found the large government deficit and resulting higher interest rates to be the fundamental cause of farm fiscal problems.

"Farming, along with many other industries, is capital intensive which means there is a lot of cash tied up in machinery, equipment and buildings. With our huge deficit, more dollars are needed to finance government borrowing which raises the cost of borrowing to farmers and increases their interest," Hughes said.

Hughes said farmers are also export sensitive. When the U.S. dollar is strong in foreign markets it costs international buyers more to maintain their buying levels, Hughes said.

## Potato inventory shows 3 percent climb this year

WASHINGTON (AP) — The nation's potato inventory as of Feb. 1 was estimated at 143 million hundredweight, a 3 percent increase from a year ago, says the Agriculture Department.

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## According to new stats

# Spending remains slow

By DON KENDALL AP Farm Writer

WASHINGTON (AP) — Spending on tractors and other machinery, an indicator of the farm financial situation, continues to limp along at a relatively slow pace, according to a new Agriculture Department analysis.

In 1979, total spending for farm machinery was nearly \$11.8 billion. It dropped for five straight years to an estimated \$7.4 billion in 1984. Projections for 1985 show little change, with spending expected to be in the range of \$7.35 billion to \$7.65 billion.

According to the report by the department's Economic Research Service, purchases of two-wheel drive tractors of more than 40 horsepower in 1984 dropped 26 percent from the annual average in 1980-83. Sales of all four-wheel drive tractors dropped 51 percent.

For example, in the 1973-79 period when U.S. agriculture was expanding rapidly, farmers bought an annual average of 64,857 two-wheel-drive tractors in the 100-200-horsepower category. In 1980-83, the average dropped to 37,729 units per year. In 1984, sales totaled 24,505 units.

Purchases of the major grain and

forage harvesting equipment in 1984 also were down 21 percent to 46 percent of the 1980-83 annual average.

Self-propelled combines, which had an annual sales of 31,568 units in the 1970s, dropped to 20,386 a year in 1980-83 and to an estimated 11,441 in 1984.

"Overall, farm financial conditions in 1985 will remain relatively the same as last year," the report said. "The possibility of lower interest rates appears to be the most probably financial improvement for the agricultural sector during 1985."

But the report said some other factors are coming to bear in the farm machinery market:

—"The effect of the merger between Tenneco's J.I. Case and IH's (International Harvester) farm equipment division could influence the North American farm machinery market during early 1985. If Case-IH liquidates IH's inventory of high-powered tractors and combines, it could heighten price competition during 1985."

—"Also the eventual outcome of the 1985 farm bill will influence long-term demand for farm machinery."

Another sign of the times is the increasing age of farm machinery over

the last decade or two. The number of tractors on farms, for example, increased from about 3.74 million in 1969 to 4.52 million in 1982.

"During that time, however, the share of tractors more than five years old rose steadily from 68 percent to 84 percent," the report said. "Major harvesting machinery showed a similar pattern. Pickup balers over five years old rose from 61 percent of the on-farm inventory in 1969 to 77 percent in 1982; forage harvesters increased from 56 percent to 77 percent; and self-propelled combines advanced from 53 percent to 77 percent."

One reason is that "farm machinery generally is considered to have become more dependable and to have a longer working life," the report said. Therefore, farmers keep it longer than they did two decades ago.

But that has helped boost spending for repairs. Those averaged \$1.18 billion to \$1.37 billion annually between 1965 and 1972, rising to \$1.78 billion to \$2.38 billion between 1974 and 1980.

"The trend of farmers to hold machinery longer probably has been accentuated by depressed farm financial conditions since 1981," the report said.

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The law is good, then, and the trouble is not there but with me, because I am sold into slavery with Sin as my owner. I don't understand myself at all, for I really want to do what is right, but I can't. I do what I don't want to--what I hate. I know perfectly well that what I am doing is wrong, and my bad conscience proves that I agree with these laws I am breaking. But I can't help myself, because I'm no longer do it. It is sin inside me that is stronger than I am that makes me do these evil things. I know I am rotten through and through so far as my old sinful nature is concerned. No matter which way I turn I can't make myself do right, I want to but I can't. When I want to do good, I don't; and when I try not to do wrong, I do it anyway. Now if I am doing what I don't want to, it is plain where the trouble is; sin still has me in its evil grasp. It seems to be a fact of life that when I want to do what is right, I inevitably do what is wrong.

I love to do God's will so far as my new nature is concerned; but there is something else deep within me, in my lower nature, that is at war with my mind and wins the fight and makes me a slave to the sin that is still within me. In my mind I want to be God's willing servant but instead I find myself still enslaved to sin.

So you see how it is: my new life tells me to do right, but the old nature that is still inside me loves to sin. Oh, what a terrible predicament I'm in! Who will free me from my slavery to this deadly lower nature? Thank God! It has been done by Jesus Christ our Lord. He has set me free.  
Romans 7:14-25

## Incentives package aimed at getting homeport

**AUSTIN (AP)** — Texas' top officials are meeting in Washington today to convince Navy Secretary John Lehman the Texas Gulf Coast is the best place for a new Navy homeport.

Gov. Mark White, Lt. Gov. Bill Hobby and House Speaker Gib Lewis are urging the Navy department to choose one of several Texas cities instead of competing Alabama, Florida, Mississippi and Louisiana for the battleship port that will bring millions of dollars in business and jobs.

Also meeting with Lehman will be the state's U.S. Sens. Phil Gramm and Lloyd Bentsen, House Majority Leader Jim Wright of Fort Worth and former U.S. Sen. John Tower of Texas.

Two Texas House members on Tuesday filed a bill they said would give the state leaders some "concrete proposals" to show Lehman.

The proposed National Defense Impacted Region Assistance Act lays out a program that could mean \$300 million over five years if a Texas city gets the port.

Rep. Ashley Smith, R-Houston, said the program would not require new revenues. The money would be put together from agencies' regular appropriations.

"It's called creative financing," said Rep. Hugo Berlanga, D-Corpus Christi and a co-sponsor. The bill includes:  
— Sales tax exemptions for materials used in constructing the homeport.  
— A minimum of \$154 million in road construction

**For plant site**

## GM denies narrowing its choices

**DETROIT (AP)** — General Motors Corp. has denied a report that the company has narrowed its site choices for a new Saturn plant to Texas and Michigan.

The denial came after the Fort Worth (Texas) Star-Telegram Tuesday quoted economic development officials as saying GM probably would place the coveted auto assembly plant in one of the two states.

"The story simply is not true," GM said in its statement. "We're still looking at a number of states and locations as possible sites for Saturn and no decision has been made."

Saturn spokesman Stan Hall said no narrowing of the list had been done. In fact, he said, the list was still expanding. "We're still seeing governors," he said.

The newspaper attributed its account to both Harden Wiedemann, director of the Texas Economic Development Commission, and an unnamed official in Michigan's state office of economic development.

"We've been hearing from the folks in Michigan that it's down to us and them," Wiedemann said.

Competition among states and cities has been intense since GM announced plans to build a state-of-the-art automated plant where 6,000

jobs for the spouses of auto workers.

He said GM may make a decision sooner than anticipated. "They may make their decision early, possibly April," he said.

The staff at the Texas Economic Development Commission will make a presentation to GM later this week. Wiedemann said the cities of Houston and Dallas may submit their proposals, which he described as "elaborate," to GM independently.

Wiedemann said GM will chose a state first, then a city. And he cautioned Texans against overconfidence.

"Our information out of Detroit is that we are still a dark-horse candidate," Wiedemann said.

GM has said it is looking for a host city with access to interstate highways and railroads, with ample water and power and with plenty of

## Arms maker founded more than 400 years ago

**GARDONE VAL TROMPIA, Italy (AP)** — James Bond, the British secret agent 007 of books and movies, preferred a Beretta pistol to any other weapon in his vast arsenal.

In choosing his favorite weapon, the elegant Bond showed his usual good taste. Beretta, a family-owned company founded in 1526, first gained international fame when its rifles were used by the Venetian fleet at the Battle of Lepanto in 1571, when the European powers defeated Turkey.

Last month the U.S. Army, which had been trying to find a replacement for the .45-caliber Colt, announced that Beretta had won a three-year contest to provide a new handgun for all branches of the U.S. military.

The Italian firm beat seven other bidders to become the first foreign firm selected to supply handguns to American forces.

Officials of Fabbria D'Armi Pietro Beretta, one of the world's oldest arms manufacturers, say their recent contract award by the Army to replace the venerable Colt .45 with the lighter, 9mm Beretta will boost the arms maker's fame and sales.

"No doubt our contract has stirred worldwide sensation and we expect a return, in terms of publicity and new contracts, in the short and longer term," Ugo Gussalli Beretta, managing director of the company, said recently in an interview at the company headquarters in this north Italian town at the foot of the Alps.

The contract calls for the company to supply 315,930 pistols for a price of \$70 million.

Beretta will begin production of the model for the U.S. military in its ancient factory in this northern region that has been the stronghold of Italy's arms industry since Roman slaves began working on metals and arms.

Some sections of the Beretta factory in Gardone Val Trompia, a highly industrialized area north of Brescia, date back to the 17th century. It employs 1,300 workers, all residents of this town of 9,000.

After two years, production will be taken over by Beretta U.S.A. Corp., a subsidiary of the Italian company based in Accokeek, Md., where the

work force will be boosted from 125 to 400 to produce 6,000 pistols a month.

"We will invest about 10 million dollars in high-technology machines for the U.S. factory," said Carlo Peroni, head of Beretta's marketing research division.

Two companies that lost the competition — the Smith & Wesson unit of the Bangor Punta Corp. and Heckler & Koch Inc. — have complained to the General Accounting Office about the Army's testing system. In addition, Smith & Wesson has also filed suit in a federal court in Massachusetts.

For Smith & Wesson, it was the second time Beretta outmaneuvered it in its own country. In 1982, the Connecticut State Police exchanged their Smith & Wesson revolvers for 9mm pistols provided by Beretta at no charge in exchange for advertising endorsements.

"We can say that our pistols went through extensive tests and that they proved the best. The fact that our 15-round weapon is widely used by other NATO member countries possibly played a role in the final choice," Peroni said.

The Beretta was cited by the Army for its greater reliability, better performance and lighter weight than the Colt. The 9mm model, whose high muzzle velocity makes it more accurate than the Colt, will cost the Pentagon about \$200

apiece, including some spare parts.

In addition, the American adoption of a 9mm handgun means the U.S. military will be using the same kind of handgun as its NATO allies, which should result in a savings on ammunition, the Army said.

The Colt, which weighs almost three pounds and has a strong recoil, was first used by the U.S. military in 1911 and is the oldest weapon in the U.S. arsenal. It holds eight rounds, is used by officers, tank and truck drivers and many military police.

Beretta has a wide market outside its military sales, which make up only 20 percent of its output.

Its reputation rests on its high-quality production of rifles and pistols.

Owners of Beretta rifles have included members of the British royal family, the late Soviet President Leonid Brezhnev and the late Yugoslav leader Marshal Tito.

The rifle barrels and high-precision parts are made by robot-run machines while artisans, who have been handing down the art of line-engraving from father to son for generations, make rifle stocks from Turkish walnut trees and engraved metal parts.

Each rifle costs at least \$300. Luxury models for collectors can cost as much as \$10,500.

## Delays hurting business

**BROWNSVILLE, Texas (AP)** — Merchants along the U.S.-Mexico border say business is down because of the crackdown on cars entering the United States in search of a missing federal narcotics agent.

"There's very few people coming over here. Yesterday and today were really slow," Rene Ramirez, manager of C.R. Anthony's department store in downtown Brownsville, said Tuesday.

U.S. Customs agents are inspecting every car entering the United States all the way from Brownsville to San Ysidro, Calif. They are searching for clues to the whereabouts of Enrique Camarena Salazar, 37, a U.S. Drug Enforcement Administration agent last seen Feb. 7 being forced into a car in Guadalajara, Mexico.

The fine-tooth-comb inspections began Friday and delayed traffic in some border crossings up to five hours.

"It has stopped some people from Mexico from coming over here," said David Tumlinson of the Brownsville Chamber of Commerce's tourist and convention bureau. "It definitely has hurt."

But merchants on the other side of the bridge in Matamoros also say they are

hurting because American shoppers don't want to bring their own cars, which limits what they can carry back with them.

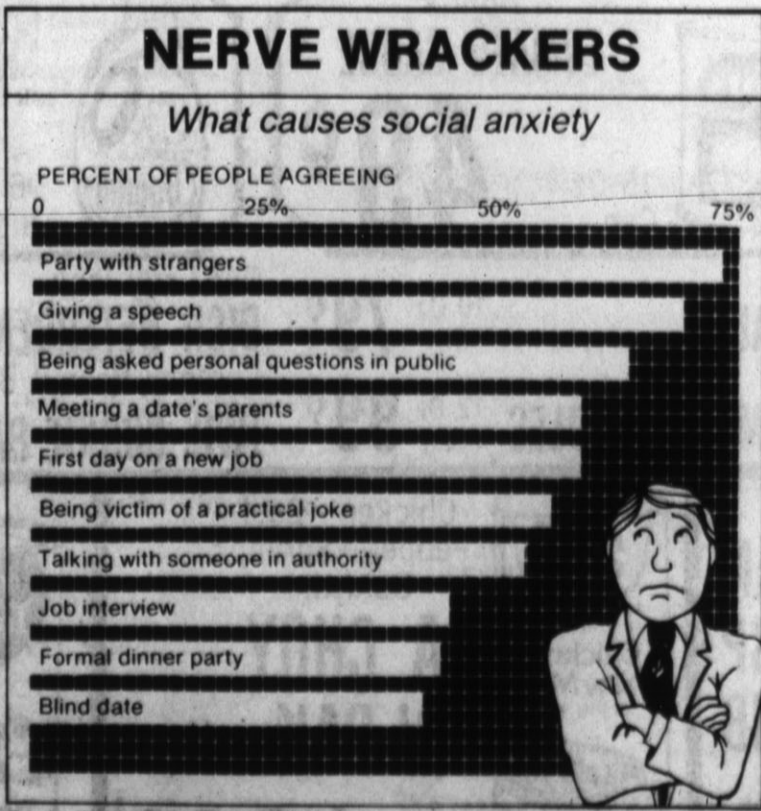
"It has affected us. As you can see, this business here is full of merchandise," said Alejandro Perez, the owner of a curio shop in the city's normally busy market.

Merchants also said they had about half the usual number of customers and many of them weren't buying much.

"They have the shopping bags, but they don't have anything in them," Perez said.

Jack Hughes of Mission said he and his wife, Carol, and two friends spent the day in Matamoros — but all they were taking back was a single pair of shoes.

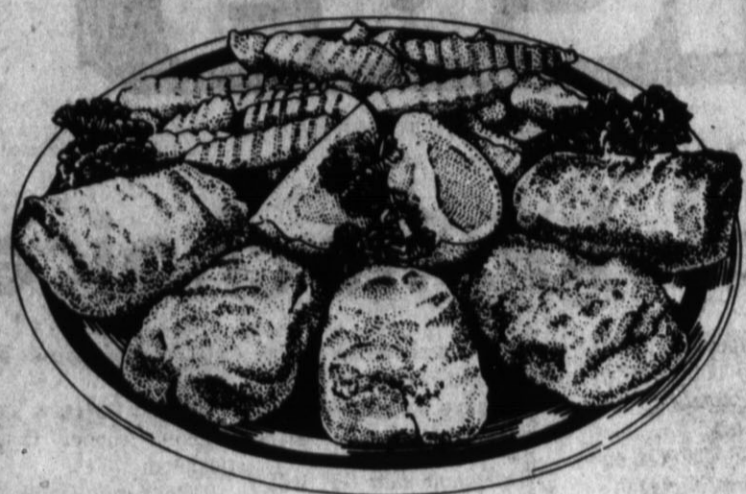
The crackdown on the bridge also forced St. Joseph's Academy of Brownsville to help some of its students from Matamoros. The children are taken by their parents as near to the checkpoint as possible. From there, they walk across the checkpoint and are picked up on the U.S. side by a school bus, saving the parents time.



Source: Warren Jones (University of Tulsa)/Dan Russell (University of Ohio College of Medicine).  
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