

That feller on Tierra Blanca Creek says if you have talent and ambition and work long and hard, anything can be obtained... if you have enough money.

HATS OFF to Claud Huard and co-workers James Harris and Dwayne Knabe for their work in staging the Service Club Olympics. The project seemed to be a real success and drew great participation from local and area service clubs.

ALSO, A SALUTE goes to Charlie Bell on being named "Hereford Hustler of the Month." The Hustlers do a great job as goodwill ambassadors for the Deaf Smith County Chamber of Commerce.

JOANN DWYER had this item in her recent Big Brother-Big Sister bulletin: "We should be careful to get out of an experience only the wisdom that is in it, and stop there. Otherwise, we will be like the cat who sits down on a hot stove lid. She will never sit down on a hot stove lid again. But, she will never sit down on a cold one, either!"

A legislative bill is pending before the Texas House of Representatives to create a new district court for Deaf Smith and Oldham Counties. The Senate passed it last week.

If approved, Governor Dolph Briscoe will appoint the new district judge. We have learned that several men from the two county-area are interested in the post.

The appointment will be reported following actions of the Texas Legislature and the Governor.

MORE THAN a year ago, someone brought us a copy of a suggested letter to the Federal Communications Commission opposing Madelyn O'Hair's petition to stop religious broadcasting programs. We ran the story, and a few months later someone else came in with the same suggested letter.

This week, we had another concerned visitor who had read one of the suggested letters in another newspaper. It appears some churches will again be asking their members to write letters.

We had a feeling that the FCC had issued a denial on the matter, and this week we ran across a story in the "National Courier", a twice-a-month paper which reports national news from a Christian perspective. The article seems to clarify the whole matter, and it is reprinted elsewhere in this issue under the heading "Fuss Over Religious Programs Is Clarified".

The article reports there was never a petition entered on the matter and the FCC never even considered the issue on religious broadcasting. A small tv station in St. Louis asked the FCC about two years ago to consider a rule preventing the issuance of any more non-commercial licenses to churches or religious groups. The FCC, recognizing the suggestion was unconstitutional, turned it down. This was in August 1975.

However, the FCC has been flooded with letters for almost two years, and the reprinted article says they urgently request that people stop sending the protest letters. They apparently are unnecessary and the FCC has rooms full of them.

AS MOST OF US suffer under the burden of inflation, some of the guys who cause it all are in line for a juicy pay raise. The Commission on Executive, Legislative and Judicial Salaries has recommended raises for the vice president all the way down to top career federal employees. The hikes range from 7 per cent for Cabinet members to 48 per cent for U.S. district judges. Members of Congress would get raises of 29 per cent.

While it is fair to report that they would be the first significant salary increases in eight years, we should also note that the increases, alone, for Congressmen is more than the average American family earns in a year. The proposal for Congressmen is for a raise from \$44,600 to \$57,500 and this doesn't count expenses of the offices.

The goal of the Commission is to "tie salary increases with a new Code of Public Conduct." The Commission chairman says the salaries will help attract and retain first-rate people who will devote full time to their government jobs. A news media report says the salaries will make the officials "less tempted to take money from outside sources." Ain't that great? We are trying to find a price at which they can't be bought!

Under the law, the commission's proposal, with approval of former President Ford, becomes law within 30 days if not vetoed by the House or Senate. We understand the deadline for veto is Feb. 16. A few Congressmen oppose the raises, but if no action is taken before the deadline passes, there will be no record of votes and Congress can blame the raise on the procedure.

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Fathers Hosted At Camp Fire Girls Annual Meet

By **KERRIE STEIERT**
Women's Editor

Four adult leaders and eleven Horizon Club members were under the spotlight Friday evening during the Camp Fire Girls Father-Daughter Banquet in the Bull Barn.

Approximately 1,200 Camp Fire Council members, leaders, Camp Fire Girls and their fathers were present for the box supper, awards ceremony and musical program. The banquet is an annual event staged to honor the achievements of individuals in the local CFG Council.

THE WAKAN AWARD, designated for outstanding service as a Camp Fire

Girls leader, was bestowed upon four local women by Shelly Scott, who praised the quartette's devotion to local youth. Receiving the honor were Ellen Collins, Mrs. David Brumley, Paula Eubanks and Phillis Dawson.

A Camp Fire leader for 10 years, Mrs. Collins was recognized for past service on numerous CFG committees and for a term as vice-chairman of the CFG Leaders Association. She has been a cabin counselor for three years at Camp Fire resident camp and is a member of Wesley Methodist Church. The mother of six children, Mrs. Collins is active in the scouting program and is a full-time homemaker.

Mrs. Brumley has also spent the past

decade in Camp Fire and served as a Camp Fire resident camp counselor, as well as leader. She is a water safety instructor, 4-H leader and past member of the Camp Fire Board of Directors. Mrs. Brumley is a member of First United Methodist Church, where she assists the bell choir and children's choir. She has four daughters.

A leader for six years, Mrs. Eubanks has served as secretary of the CFG Leaders Association, Indian Lore Counselor at resident camp, day camp director, a member of the Board of Directors and trainer for Adventure and Discoveries groups. She has two daughters and attends Temple Baptist Church.

Cited for strengthening the CFG Council, Phillis Dawson has assisted local leaders for the past five years. She has served as CFG Leaders Association chairman for two years, cabin counselor, outdoor counselor, day camp co-director, volunteer trainer and member of the Board of Directors. The honoree is a member of Zone 12 nominating committee and has helped develop the Council Newsletter.

JUDGED BY RECORD BOOKS of Camp Fire involvement for the past four years, 11 Horizon Club girls were awarded the WofHo Medallion, highest honor to be presented in Camp Fire. Recipients of the medallion included Stacy Shannon Lea, Rebecca Marie Enciel, Sandra Dee Finley, Jennifer Lee Stewart, Melinda Gonzalez, Sarah Michelle Merritt, Jonnie Lee Walker, Alma DePa Gomez, Susan Leigh Hamby, Pamela Jo Mazurak and Laura Leigh Clark.

The prized medallions were presented by Buddy Peeler, president of the Hereford CFG Council.

[See inside pages for complete list of awards presented Friday night.]



Top Hustler

Irene McKinster, chairman of the Hereford Hustlers of the Deaf Smith Chamber of Commerce, presents Charlie Bell with a certificate of recognition as the Hereford Hustler of the Month during a luncheon Friday at the Hereford Country Club. (Photo By Lynn Brisendine)

Cattlemen To Decide On Formation Of New Group

ATLANTA (AP)—The National Livestock Feeders Association (NLFA) will be asked this month to vote from a group representing about 275,000 cattlemen in all segments of the beef industry.

The stage was set for the decision when the 260,000-member American National Cattlemen's Association (ANCA) voted Friday to merge with the NLFA.

The proposal, approved by 98 per cent of the members at the final session of ANCA's week-long convention, goes before the feeders group when it meets in St. Louis Feb. 17-18.

If NLFA members approve the plan, the new group, to be called the National Cattlemen's Association, would go into operation Sept. 1.

A new unified organization is in the best interests of all segments and areas of

the beef cattle industry," said Wray of Ft. Cobb, Okla., who was elected president of ANCA for 1977.

Wray's term would expire on Sept. 1 if the NLFA approves the merger. "If the NLFA approves the merger, sometime the leaders of both organizations have felt the need to unite all available resources so as to eliminate unnecessary duplication of efforts and speak with a strong, unified national voice," he said.

A study committee representing both organizations recommended that headquarters be located in Denver, with offices in Omaha, Nev., and a Huntington. The president and the first vice president of the new group would continue to be working cattlemen. The proposal also calls for continuation of the present executive vice president, two each from ANCA and NLFA.



Exchanging Congratulations

(Photo By Jim Steiert)

Deaf Smith County Sheriff Travis McPherson presents 69th Judicial District Judge Mike Metcalf with a certificate naming him as the Hereford Peace Officers Association's Citizen of the Month. Judge Metcalf was recognized for his assistance to local law enforcement agencies. At the same time, the judge returns congratulations to McPherson, who was named to board of governors of the group

last week. McPherson will serve until June, completing the term of Al Stewart of Canyon, who recently resigned to accept a position in the Plainview Police Department. Members of the Metro Unit include the Amarillo Police Department, the Canyon Police Department, the Potter and Randall County Sheriff's Departments and the Deaf Smith County Sheriff's Department.

City Commission, School Board To Meet This Week

Two local governmental bodies have scheduled a meeting for the first of the coming week.

The Hereford City Commission meets at 7:30 p.m. Monday at City Hall to consider a rather routine agenda. The annual police report submitted by Police Chief Don Brush to City Manager Dudley Bayne will be presented and reviewed. The Hereford Brand will report details of it next week.

The Hereford School Board of Trustees will meet at 4 p.m. Tuesday at the central administration building. The school officials will consider a medium length agenda including the adoption of a policy on student suspension and discussion on the 1977-78 school holiday calendar.

Also the trustees will hear a curriculum

presentation on text books adoptions, discuss the Past School Board Member's Dinner, review tax sheltered annuities and act on leaves of absence, resignations and teacher employment.

Reports will be delivered on the following topics: enrollment, cafeteria, transportation, tax office, insurance, legislation, Texas State Teachers Association, Classroom Teachers Association and the Texas Association of School Boards.

School board members are President Jim Conkright, Lynton Alfred, Jim Arney, James Gentry, Mrs. Sallie Strain, and David Hutchins and Clark Andrews.

City Commissioners are Stan Fry, Paul Abalos, Mayor Jim Sears, Frank Barrett, and Emory Brownlow.

Increased Postal Rate Suspended For This Year

WASHINGTON (AP)—The Postal Service is going to cancel its plans to increase mail rates this year because of improvement in the agency's financial picture, postal sources say.

The sources said Thursday the Postal Service is preparing to announce within a few days that it operated in the black during the last three months of 1976. That will mark the second successive quarter with a surplus after a deficit for every quarter since 1972.

Before the improvement in the agency's finances, Postal Service officials had plans to raise rates by the fall of this year from 13 cents to 16 to 17 cents for a first-class letter.

But sources say the unexpected cash surpluses mean a rate increase will not be sought this year.

The size of the latest quarterly surplus could not be learned. But Postal Service financial data shows a surplus of \$36.5 million for the period from Oct. 9 to Dec. 3. This compares to a loss of \$289 million during the same period in 1975.

The sources said further deficits still

are expected in the future because of anticipated increases in the cost of providing mail service.

3 Hereford Residents Held On Drug Charge

Three Hereford residents were picked up by Panhandle Police Saturday for illegal possession of narcotics following a routine check of the vehicle in which the persons were riding.

According to Travis McPherson, Deaf Smith County sheriff, Allen Brooks, 23, of the Fullwood Apartments, Donald Charles Billington, 20, of 305 8th St., and Pearl Day of Hereford, were stopped on a minor violation when law enforcement officers found as yet unspecified narcotics in the automobile.

The three were taken to Perryton in Ochiltree County for booking and jailing. It was now known exactly why.

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Watergate Resurfaces

WASHINGTON (AP)—Attorneys for John N. Mitchell and H.R. Haldeman have asked the Supreme Court to overturn their convictions in the Watergate cover-up and to order new trials.

In an appeal Friday, they said the trial that ended in their convictions on Jan. 1, 1975 should have been postponed until the "massive and extraordinarily extensive" publicity about the scandal had died down.

The two did not contest their guilt, but claimed they were denied a fair trial.

Senate Reorganizes

WASHINGTON (AP)—In what one lawmaker calls "the most sweeping reorganization of either body of Congress since the early 19th century," the Senate is revamping its committee structure to increase efficiency.

The plan approved Friday reduced the number of Senate committees from 31 to 25 and is expected to trim the total of subcommittees from 174 to about 125. It also limited the numbers of committees and subcommittees a senator can serve on.

The committee system had not been overhauled for 30 years.

Wheat Thieves Plead Guilty

WELLINGTON, Kan. (AP)—Four men who pleaded guilty to stealing meat from an elevator at Mayfield, Kan., were in custody here Friday under a federal grand jury indictment.

The FBI office at Wichita said the indictments were returned in Fort Worth Tex., Wednesday against Jeff Kinslow, 25; his father, Buddy Kinslow, 54; Randy Stephens, 30, and his cousin James L. Stephens, 23. The indictments charged the men with interstate transportation of stolen goods.

weather

West Texas: Monday through Wednesday. Continued dry Monday through Wednesday. Cool nights and mild afternoons continuing. Lows upper 20s to middle 40s. Highs 50s and 60s.

obituaries

Mrs. Lacy King
Isabel Ybarra

Couple Exchanges Vows In Twilight Service

Miss Terry Jane Jones of Vega and Jerry Lee Jones of Wilbourn were wed during a twilight mass at twilight service in the Antiochian Christian Church at Vega. The Rev. Fred Wilson, pastor, read the vows.

The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Jones of Vega and the groom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Jones of Wilbourn.

Mrs. Preston Lee Jones of Vega, sister of the bride, was mistress of honor at the professional. Other bridesmaids included Mrs. Linda West and Miss Lynn Robinson, both of Vega.

Best man, David Johnson and Usher Johnson, both of Wilbourn, were groomsmen.

Guests were escorted to their seats at the sanctuary by Bill Jones of Vega, the bride's brother, Ronald Gray of Wilbourn, brother-in-law of the groom, and A. Moore of Wilbourn.

Mrs. Donald Ewing of Vega, sister, performed the musical selections during the twilight service, including "Ave," "Wedding Song" and "For All We Know." Mrs. Gene Stephens of Vega supplied accompaniment at the organ.

Given in marriage by her father, the bride was clad in a formal-length wedding gown, heavily embroidered with lace sleeves and panels. The crown neckline was a high crest at both ends, her being seven of organza were skirted with tulle, of lace.

A host of matching lace bordered her full set of blouses. The wedding party greeted guests at the church porch and after the ceremony, Mrs. Larry Lee Kirkland of Vega registered guests while refreshments were served by Mrs. Susan Scott and Mrs. James Harwell, both of Vega, and Mrs. Marie Louise and Mrs. Mary Verba, both of Wilbourn.

The newlywed couple will make their home at Wilbourn.



Vows Repeated

In a January 29 ceremony at Hobbs, N.M., Miss Janet Lee Taylor became the bride of Austin Clifford Rose. She is the daughter of Mrs. Ellis M. Taylor of Luckney, and the late Mr. Taylor. The bride is a graduate of Plainview High School and attended Texas Tech, where she was a member of the Delta sorority. She also attended Texas A&M University. The son of Mr. and Mrs. Austin C. Rose Jr. of Hereford, the bridegroom was graduated from Hereford High School and attended Texas A&M University. He is presently a student at West Texas State University and the couple will reside in Canyon.



Engagement Announced

Mr. and Mrs. Gaylord William Newell, 123 Liveoak, announce the engagement of their daughter, Virginia Gayle, to Charles Lee Jones, son of Mr. and Mrs. John Wesley Jones of Albuquerque, N.M. The bride-elect is a graduate of Oklahoma State University. Her fiancé is Superintendent of J.W. Jones Construction Company. A home wedding will take place on March 11.

Society The Hereford Brand Hereford, Texas

Mrs. Kaul Praised For Club Service

Mrs. Nettie Kaul was presented a plaque of lifetime membership at Hereford Junior Club during a special ceremony Thursday evening at Club headquarters where she had held a lifetime party for members.

In making the presentation, Mrs. J. L. Gilbert, club president, expressed appreciation to Mrs. Kaul for her 27 years of dedicated service to the club.

Other couples present were Messrs. and Mrs. Larry Latta, Billart, P.J. Bartlett, Tommy Braden, Lavonia Bryan, Lou Robinson, Weldon Thompson and E. K. Carter.

Special visitors were Mr. and Mrs. Bob Foster, Mrs. Kaul was assisted with the following: Mrs. Carolyn Weston and Wines, Mr. Don Garrison and Robert Winger.

Other couples present were Messrs. and Mrs. Larry Latta, Billart, P.J. Bartlett, Tommy Braden, Lavonia Bryan, Lou Robinson, Weldon Thompson and E. K. Carter.

Also attending the party were Mrs. Gayle Settle and Wines, E. J. Cain, Joe Stutz, Wainwright Lammell and Joe Robinson.

Frigid Weather Ups Food Costs

Additional \$1.00 per bushel frigid weather conditions have upped the price of feed grains, vegetable oil and vegetable oil production, with resulting higher prices in some items for grocery consumers.

In spite of that, economy is still possible if several retailers. Goodvalue Court, a consumer marketing information specialist says.

Items that grocery stores previously planned to 'special' will now be particularly good values and items harvested before the weather hit their supplies may still be good values.

Fresh citrus fruit from favorable weather areas is a good supply and includes oranges, grapefruit, tangerines and tangelos, but their prices may fluctuate due to diminishing supplies from Florida, the specialist reported.

Mr. Court is with the Texas Agricultural Extension Service, The Texas A&M University System.

For vegetable economy, choices of fruit items generally are limited to the onions, white and sweet potatoes, hard-shell squash and rutabagas. But consumers can look for frozen-vegetable features.

At meat counters, pork supplies continue to increase, lowering the price to consumers. Good values appear in Boston butt steaks and quarter cut sliced into chop-pling with ham, bacon, roll sausage and frankfurters.

At food counters, supplies are adequate and prices are the same as last week or slightly higher. However, greater economy is available on the less-demanded cuts.

Perfect Fit Possible

COLLEGE STATION—Clothing sewed at home can fit better than ready-to-wear, when the home sewer knows several techniques, Warren Lide, a clothing specialist, says.

"This is because ready-to-wear must be flexible enough to fit a many different sizes and shapes."

Miss Lide is with the Texas Agricultural Extension Service, The Texas A&M University System.

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"Purchase blouse, jacket and dress patterns according to the bust measurement. Use the hip measurement when buying pants or skirt patterns."

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Wedding Date Set

Mr. and Mrs. Robert H. Hauser of Amarillo have announced the engagement of their daughter, Anna Marie, to Roy Dale Messer of Hereford. The prospective bridegroom is the son of Mrs. J.F. Messer, Route 1. The couple plans to exchange nuptial vows in St. Anthony's Catholic Church on the afternoon of Feb. 26. A graduate of Tascosa High School, the bride-elect expects to receive an associate degree of science in diet technology this spring from Amarillo College. She is a member of Sigma Phi Chi Social Sorority and is employed by Sears. A 1973 graduate of Hereford High School, Messer is a senior student at West Texas State University, where he is majoring in finance. He is affiliated with Messer Construction Co., Inc. of Hereford and is a member of Lambda Chi Alpha Fraternity.

Obituaries

ISABEL YBARRA

Mrs. Isabel Ybarra, 67, died at Deaf Smith General Hospital Friday morning.

She was born in Austin and had lived in Hereford since 1950. She was a housewife and a member of the San Pablo United Methodist Church.

Services will be held at 2 p.m. Monday at the San Pablo United Methodist Church with Rev. Samuel Ceniceros, pastor, officiating. Burial will be at West Park Cemetery under the direction of Smith & Co. Funeral Home.

Survivors include her husband, Secundino, of Hereford, two daughters, Antonia Madrigal of Hereford and Ester Rodriguez of Amarillo; five sons, Julio Garcia of Lukeville, Arizona, Elisio Rodriguez of Amarillo, Angelino, Thomas and Lucadio Ybarra of the home; 27 grandchildren and 19 great grandchildren.

MRS. LUCY KING

Funeral services for Mrs. Lucy Mae King, 74, of Post will be held at 2:30 p.m. today in the Calvary Baptist Church of Post. She died Friday in the Central Plains General Hospital in Plainview after a brief illness there.

Burial will be held Terra Cemetery in Post. Officiating at the services will be Rev. Jene Prevo, pastor of the Trinity Baptist Church of Post and assisting will be Rev. Jim Kennedy, pastor of the Calvary

Baptist Church.

Mrs. King was born July 17, 1902 in Earth County, Texas. She was preceded in death by her husband J.D. King in 1954.

She lived in Post for the past 62 years.

Survivors include four sons, James King of Roswell, N.M., Gene King of Hereford, J.W. King of Wichita Falls, and David King of Los Angeles, Calif.; three daughters, Mrs. W.E. (Jessie) Nicholson of Plainview, Mrs. C.C. (Almeta) Reed of Kress, Tex., and Mrs. A.J. (Judy) McAllister of Post; one brother, Prentiss Hammett of Round Rock, Tex.; and one sister, Mrs. Susie Simon of Medicine Bow, Wyo.

Mrs. King had 20 grandchildren and three great-grandchildren.

In lieu of flowers, the family requests that memorials be made the Calvary Baptist Church in Post or to Buckner Baptist Children's Home in Lubbock.

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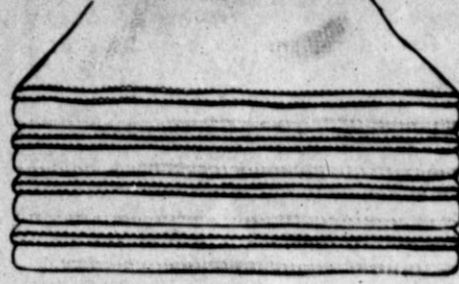
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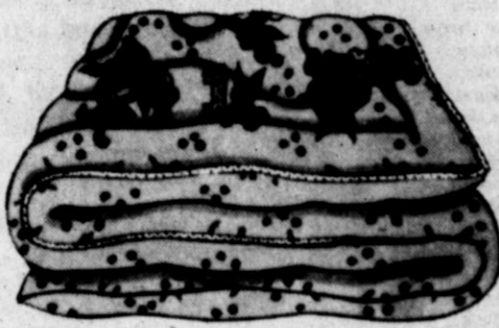
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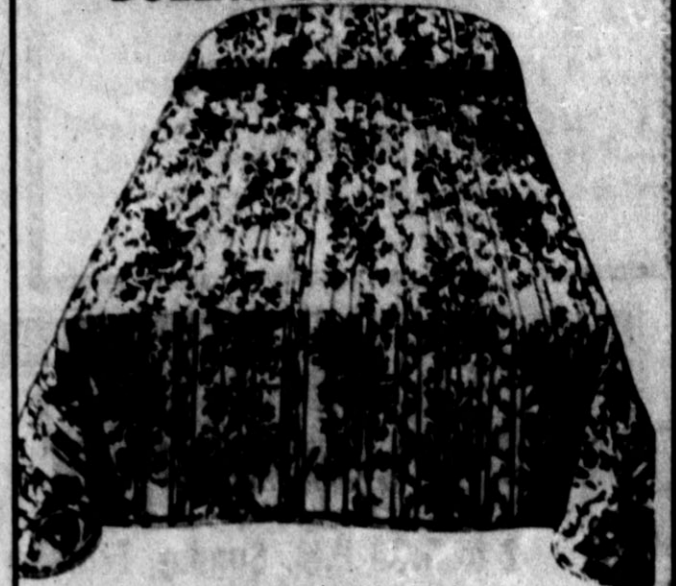
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Camp Fire Awards Announced

A year of individual courage, devotion and contributions to the community were cited by Hereford Council of Camp Fire Girls Friday evening during the organization's annual Father-Daughter Banquet. The banquet was held for an awards ceremony and supper at the Ball Room.

A list of the winners announced Friday is compiled below:

2016-1977 AWARDS

- Best Paper: Mary Ann
- Best Photo: Mary Ann
- Best Drawing: Mary Ann
- Best Essay: Mary Ann
- Best Poem: Mary Ann
- Best Story: Mary Ann
- Best Letter: Mary Ann
- Best Card: Mary Ann
- Best Scrapbook: Mary Ann
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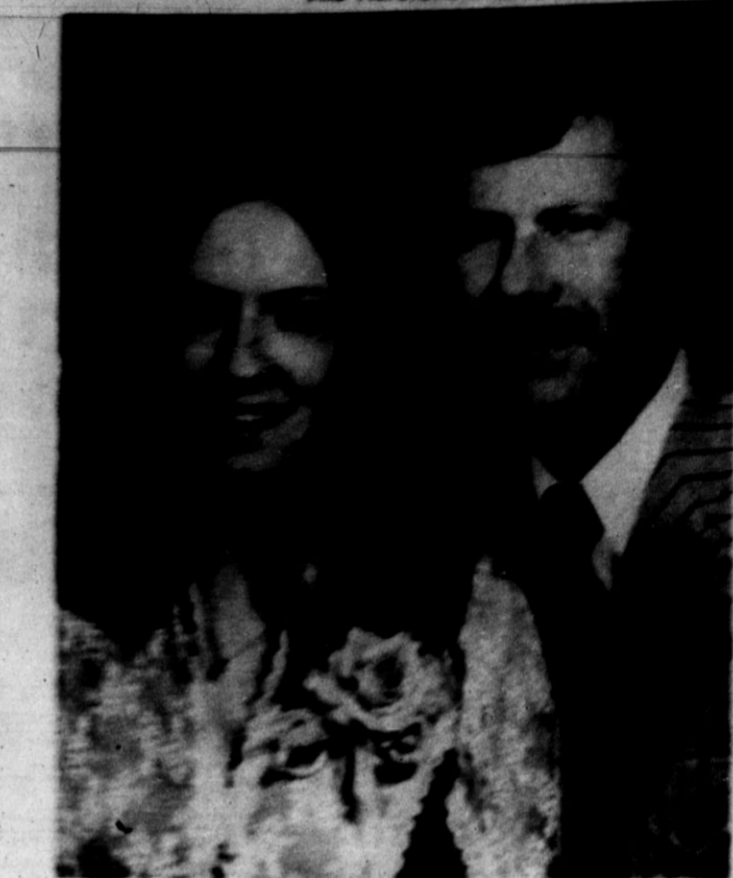
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United In Marriage

Patsy Ann Swindell and Roger Dale Suttle were wed Wednesday morning by local Justice of the Peace Glenn W. Nelson. The recent bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Claude O. Moore of Loveland and the bridegroom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. LeRoy Suttle of Hereford. Katherine Burkhart of Pecos and Darrell L. Sparks of Hereford attended the couple during the ceremony.

Sorority Hears Program

The Alpha Iota Mu chapter of Beta Sigma Phi met Thursday evening in the Southwestern Public Service Reading Room. Bonnie Wierlein, speech teacher at Hereford High School, presented a program to the group on cultural communication. Opal Glenn, president, presented the chapter scrapbook for 1975-76 to Jean Holbert, immediate past-president of the chapter. Normal Villareal gave a demonstration of home products to the group following the business meeting. Homers Roma Howell served refreshments to those attending. They included: Phyllis Neill, Opal Glenn, Glenda Nigh, Carla Jones, Dee Ann Hodges, Kathy Nixon, Elaine Koch, Mary Goss, and advisors Alene Mason and Francis Stipe.

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All alumni of national Greek societies are invited to attend an organizational meeting at 7:30 p.m. Monday, Feb. 14, in the Community Room of First National Bank. All persons interested in Panhellenic work are encouraged to attend.

PROBLEM SQUATTERS

NEW YORK (AP) - Britain has a growing problem with squatters, reports House & Home magazine. Nowhere is the problem more serious than in London, where it says an estimated 6,000 squatters live. The magazine quotes the Greater London Council as saying that squatters' groups "provide handbooks for potential squatters; are said to operate a radio station; have their own police squads, news sheets and an estate agency where information on empty properties is maintained and where the organizer is reported as offering his services for breaking into premises."

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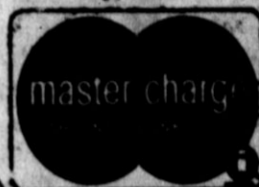


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Vo-Ed Week Slated

Since Feb. 6-12 is designated as Vocational Education Week in America, this might be a good time to consider what this phase of our education system is attempting to do.

Many do not understand that education becomes "vocational" when it is taught and learned in relationship, and application to, the actual work role. Almost everyone is going to have to work at something a good part of his adult life, so vocational education takes on added significance.

Unfortunately, there are those who still feel that Vo-Ed should be a "dumping ground" for the under-achiever who isn't succeeding in the academic program. In reality, Vo-Ed reinforces and develops the 3-R's. A secretary who can't spell or the mechanic who can't read a service manual are severely restricted in their careers.

While the emphasis has been on sending students to college, we know that not all high school graduates are suited for or desire further training. The rational approach would be to pursue the course that better prepares the student for his chosen field. The simple fact is that only 20 per cent of the jobs in the 1980's will require the traditional college degree.

This community can be proud of the educational opportunities provided its young people, and this applies to Vo-Ed, too. Presently, training is provided in the areas of agribusiness, cosmetology, automotive, electrical, farming, office occupations, sales, printing, homemaking and related areas, building trades, and a whole host of industrial related fields. To complement the technical training, emphasis is placed on development of leadership and citizenship through Vo-Ed club work.

Richard Robinson, director of vocational programs, points out that with the help and encouragement of advisory members, cooperating businesses, school trustees, administrators and teachers, the Vo-Ed programs at Hereford High have provided training and instruction to more than 800 students this year.

Robinson adds: "We are proud of this fact and, at the same time, challenged to do a more effective job in building the skills of America. Please feel welcome to visit the vocational programs during the National Vo-Ed week, or any other week."

The Branding Iron

(From The Past Pages Of The Hereford Brand)

ONE YEAR AGO

Rep. Bill Clayton, the Springlake farmer named to the high office of Speaker of the Texas House of Representatives a year ago, has filed for re-election as state representative of the 74th district. Commercial building activity has been going strong lately. Work is now underway for a new business venture in the old Foodway building on Park Avenue, with an announcement expected soon.

FIVE YEARS AGO

The Hereford Municipal Airport will hold open house from 1 to 6 p.m. today, giving area residents the chance to look over the new \$47,000 facility. Hereford went without an American Field Service exchange student last year, but plans are already underway to obtain a student for the 1972-73 school year. The Texas Highway Commission last week announced its approval of a \$5,500-plus project to improve some two-tenths of a mile of highway on U.S. 60 west inside the city limits.

TEN YEARS AGO

Hereford's move to become an area trade center got one of its biggest boosts last year when Sugarland Mall Shopping Center opened its wide doors to the public. More than 10 burglaries in five different counties were believed to have been solved during the past four days as city and county law officers unraveled a three-week crime spree by at least seven youths. Mrs. Virginia Stevens was selected as Secretary of the month through the Hereford Brand's contest in connection with the National Secretary's Association.

25 YEARS AGO

An estimated total of \$4500 was raised during the monthlong "March of Dimes" drive in Deaf Smith County, according to Gib Howard, drive chairman. Plans for an expansion program which will staff the Hereford Clinic with seven doctors, five of whom will be on active duty by July 1, 1952, were outlined today by Dr. R.R. Wills. M.T. Rutter this week authorized the Brand to announce his name as a candidate for re-election as commissioner to precinct one.

50 YEARS AGO

Prospects for a big wheat crop in the Hereford country were never brighter than at this time. A new Catholic school building is to be erected on the lots just north of the Catholic Church. Renfro Brothers, dealers in Hudson and Essex automobiles, are moving this week into their new quarters in the Guthrie building on North Main Street. They are expecting daily a car load of the new models of the Hudson-Essex line.

Woman Who Made Driving History Still on the Go

COVINA, Calif. (AP) — Alice Huyler Ramsey, who became the first woman to drive an automobile across the United States back in 1909, is still traveling and driving.

She returned to her home here recently after a seven-week cruise to New Zealand and Australia. En route, she celebrated her 90th birthday in Honolulu, receiving a congratulatory letter from President J. B. Creal of the American Automobile Association.

Mrs. Ramsey, a great-grandmother, still has her driver's license but now limits her motoring to trips to her hairdresser and similar errands around town in her 8-year-old Mercedes-Benz.

She has never had an accident in more than 70 years of motoring. In recognition of this and her early cross-country feats, the AAA a few years ago gave her a plaque honoring her as "Woman Motorist of the Century."

Her 1977 travel plans include June visits to her daughter, Mrs. R. Stewart Bruns Jr., Largo, Fla.; her son, the Rev. John R. Ramsey, Marblehead, Mass.; and her alma mater, Vassar College in Poughkeepsie, N.Y.

She dropped out to marry a lawyer, John Rathbone Ramsey of Hackensack, N.J., where she was born. He later served two terms in Congress and died in 1933.



"If this keeps up, we'll be warmer out here than inside."

Editorial Forum

The Hereford Brand, Hereford, Texas, Sunday, February 6, 1977

Talk of Texas

By Jack Maguire

FOOTNOTE TO HISTORY—Both Austin and San Antonio once hoped to supercede Hollywood as the capital of the motion picture business.

As early as 1910, two brothers—W. Hope and Paul Tilley—were turning out commercial movies (mostly newsreels) in San Antonio. A year later, they moved on to Austin, set up studios on Congress Avenue and organized a production company.

By 1913, their Satex Film Co. had received an infusion of local capital and imported talent. The company tried its hand at making feature films. They produced three in Texas and along the Mexican border, budgeting each at a total cost of \$5,000. The results were good enough that Warner Brothers Feature Film Company of New York distributed them around the U.S.

After six months, however, the company's star actress and the imported producer quit Texas for new opportunities in Chicago. Paul Tilley decided to leave, too, and moved to Hollywood where he got a job in film production. Brother Hope Tilley set up a new company and made a few pictures in Austin.

He gave up after a short while, however, and the dream of making Texas the motion picture capital of the country died.

THE SCHOLARLY LIFE—Graduating from Stephen F. Austin University last fall with a perfect 4.0 grade point average was a student who may never use his education.

Thomas W. Matthews, the 25-year-old top scholar at the Nacogdoches school, is serving a life

sentence for murder at Huntsville State Prison.

WHAT'S IN A NAME?—Del Rio, Val Verde County, was first known as "Las Sapas" and for good reason.

"Sapas" in an old Spanish word meaning "underground shelter." Since most of the first settlers lived in holes dug in the ground and roofed with tree limbs and mud, the community was known as "Las Sapas."

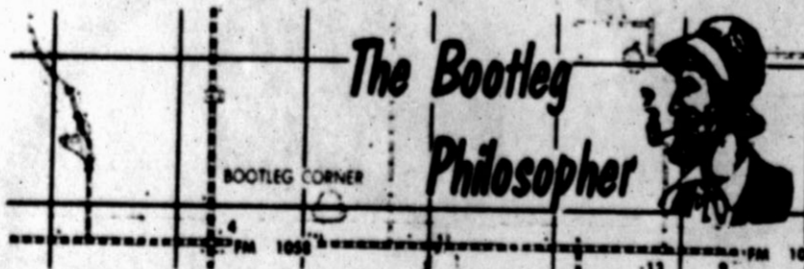
In 1862, Dr. James H. Taylor and his bride, Dona Paula Losoya de Rivas, moved to the area. He died shortly after, but Dona Paula, joined by her sister, developed a thriving hacienda that was known as San Felipe del Rio. It eventually became the city of Del Rio.

ODD TEXAS—The largest state (next to Alaska, that is) has the smallest railroad.

Its main line of only 2 1/2 of a mile long, it owns no rolling stock, rents its locomotives and doesn't operate on Sundays. What's more, its main line ends smack in the middle of the Rio Grande.

It's the El Paso Southern, which provides a vital link between the U.S. and Mexico. Owned by Southern Pacific, the line operates only from the S.P. main line to the center of the international bridge between El Paso and Juarez. There its tracks meet those of Chihuahua Pacific Railroad of Mexico.

EVERYBODY'S CHURCH—San Juan, in the Rio Grande Valley, has a church, organized in 1918, which serves 23 difference denominations.



Editor's note: The Bootleg Philosopher on his Deaf Smith grass farm on Bootleg Corner discusses the weather this week. Why not? Everybody else is.

Dear editor:

Some weather scientists are predicting another Ice Age may be on its way across the earth. Apparently they haven't been outside this winter as most of us thought it was already here.

According to them an Ice Age hits every 10,000 years and it's now been

12,000 years since the last one. This is about average for weather predictors; they missed it by 2,000 years. I have always contended that weathermen are excellent when it comes to telling us what happened yesterday, but a little shipshod about what's going to happen tomorrow.

When a forecaster says it's going to be fair tomorrow and it turns out rain comes down in torrents, he wasn't wrong, the weather was. The first requirement of a weatherman or a Congressman is to be able to ignore today what you said yesterday. I

Bobby Templeton

Courting New Judge; Expensive Stamp

Providing the Texas House of Representatives acts soon, Deaf Smith and Oldham counties will be the proud possessors of their very own judicial district court. It will be about time.

As has been reported locally, the Texas Senate has already passed an emergency bill to create a new court here in conjunction with 23 courts across Texas. It is a part of Gov. Dolph Briscoe's crime package.

Thanks to one Oscar Mauzy of a Dallas, our attempts in Hereford to get such a court have been thwarted the previous two years. Another factor limiting the chances of the court in the past has been the petty squabbling among local attorneys, who remained split on the issue until the local bar association finally gave unanimous backing to the court this year.

With a united front, the package was then endorsed by the two county commissioners courts.

But all this recommendation does no good if State Senator Mauzy, one of Austin's lawmaker elites succeeds to throw out the bill on a technicality which was done last year in the closing minutes of the legislative session.

Of course, the bill has progressed through the man's hands since the Senate has passed it. I just hope he doesn't have friends in the House who may grant his wishes. Surely our own representative and speaker of the House Bill Clayton won't let the House take reverse action.

Just to inform those who haven't been keeping up with the situation, the present 69th Judicial District Court under Mike Metcalf of Dumas would include Sherman, Moore, Hartley and Dallam Counties if the bill passes. Deaf Smith and Oldham, which contain over half of the court's cases, would split off into the new district.

My only regret about the new court, if created, would be the loss of Metcalf as he is a very dedicated and effective judge. He told me he also would miss the Hereford end of the district since he views the people here as very cooperative and friendly.

But justice is best served by the new court. A judge would reside here allowing court sessions as needed. Presently justice can not be very quick and effective since defendants must now wait for the judge to schedule monthly or bi-monthly sessions as his time allows. More accurate and definitive prosecution will result with the new court.

Wouldn't it be grand if conveniences were considered when administrative changes were made in government related agencies. It

seems as if the average person on the street is left out in the cold every time a bureaucracy changes.

This vague statement refers specifically to the frustration encountered by this individual everytime a trip is made to the post office outside the usual business hours. Alright, they increased the cost of postage to 13 cents a letter but have been unable to use modern technology to put such stamps in their machines.

This is the situation all across the land, not just here. The one explanation given upon final inquiry was that the machine runs on bleeps when money is deposited therein. Outside of the cost angle, it apparently would be infeasible to change the machine over since 13 cents is an uneven figure and doesn't fit into the scheme of our coin system (quarters, nickels and dimes).

The fact remains that whenever I need a 13-cent stamp from the machine, it actually costs at least 15 cents since I have to buy one 10-cent stamp and five 1-cent stamps. Now who is going to keep two 1-cent stamps in their pocket for later use?

It's like having a bunch of pennies your trying to get rid of. They're a nuisance except for the cashier who wants them for change.

I therefore, suggest that our 13-cent stamps are costing much more than that. Even though I don't like price increases of any kind, I do wish the policy makers of the U.S. Postal Service had just evened out the cost to 15 cents per stamp. At least the deficit they're running up might be cut that much further.

It beats seeing all those 1-cent stamps carpet the post office floor every now and then.

In a recent news story, the PO said no increases would be enacted this year due to the better financial situation faced by the agency. That's good news for once.

If the next increase must come, let's just correct the present inadequate circumstances and put first class stamps at 15-cents each.

Of course, the postal officials will probably argue that a larger increase is needed and up the cost to another uneven 17-cent or 19-cent figure. I guess it makes sense from their're point of view.

But it sure doesn't from the pocket book and change point of view. This is probably just one of numerous bureaucratic gripes of all of us. But what is a bureaucracy for?

I know several folks here about who would say, "It's just too make life difficult for the rest of us."

Now, that makes sense.

The Penultimate Word

THERE ARE RATS IN MY ROOTS

Television may be a vast wasteland but it produced a great thing in "Roots". I have never been so grabbed or so moved by a film. I can never remember anything outside of a tragedy, that caught the attention of our nation like this series of programs.

I got all inspired and decided to trace my ancestry. I had great visions of royalty and brilliance back there in my past. I expected to be the descendant of a king or at least a prince. So, I began the search.

I was immediately excited by my mother's side of the family. She was a Hoyle. All of my life I have heard the phrase, "according to Hoyle". That meant it was done right, by the rules. I envisioned some latter day Moses writing down the ethics of life. I found out that all Hoyle did was write the rules for playing poker. So much for that.

My father's side was even worse.

We came from a long line of Tennessee hillbillies who made their living selling some product known as white lightning. As far back as I can trace that's just all that is there.

I found two fairly interesting characters in the family tree. One was a professional card shark. The family legend says he never dealt a card from the top of the deck in his whole life.

The other character holds more promise, at least he overcame for some crime (bugs in the white lightning?) While there he married the warden's daughter. That's what I call blooming where you are planted.

I have quit the search. I am not about to ask what I got from this heritage. It may be that my present profession is not too far from card sharks, con men, and peddlers of white lightning.

Warm fuzzies,
Doug Manning

suspect with weathermen retire they become economists who predict the economic index is going to take a turn upward in the next quarter.

Speaking of this winter, I'm sure the suggestion that we should turn down our thermostats to conserve energy ought to be endorsed by everybody. It's already been endorsed by the makers of sweaters, overcoats and long-handle underwear. Makers of cold remedies will be next. And as soon as they hear about it, people who sell firewood at \$75 a cord will come out for it too.

Back to the possibility of another Ice Age. Opinion is divided. One

group of scientists says it's coming. Glaciers will creep slowly over the earth and we'd better get ready to do something about it. Another group says no, the weather isn't turning colder, it's turning warmer and there's danger of that permanent ice at the North Pole and other places melting and sending the oceans flooding over the coastal cities of the world.

This leaves us where we've always been. We don't know what the weather next week is going to be.

Yours faithfully,
J.A.

Character of Texas Captured by Frantz

TEXAS: A Bicentennial History. By Joe B. Frantz. Norton, 222 Pages, \$9.95.

"Texas is a land of contradictions, capable of expanding the soul and equally capable of being mean and pet-

ty," historian Joe B. Frantz teresting, frequently implausible character, alternately exciting scorn, admiration, revulsion, consternation, fascination and rejection—but always curiosity."

writes in this popular history of that awesome state.

In keeping with its huge size Texas has seen a great deal of history — wars with Mexicans its own declaration of independence, troubled admission to the union, dissension over secession, the free-wheeling Rangers, a 30-years' fight over prohibition, poverty and, after the discovery of oil, great wealth.

LAE Club Joins Library Friends

In answer to a letter from Friends of the Library, La Amatus Estudio Club paid a \$5 membership fee to retain their Friends membership Tuesday during a meeting in the home of Allyne Johnson.

Miss Della Stagner, club president, called the meeting to order and asked Eva Gililand to lead the members in reading the club collect. Roll call was answered with various "thoughts for the day." Pet Ott, secretary, read the minutes and treasurer's report.

Mrs. Ott gave the program, a review of the autobiographical book of poems, entitled, "45 Mercy Street." The verses written by Ann Sexton, Pulitzer Prize winner, are compiled and edited in this book by her daughter, Linda Gray Sexton.

The author committed suicide in 1974 and the poems included in "45 Mercy Street" reflect her attitudes and concerns during the last years of her life. The

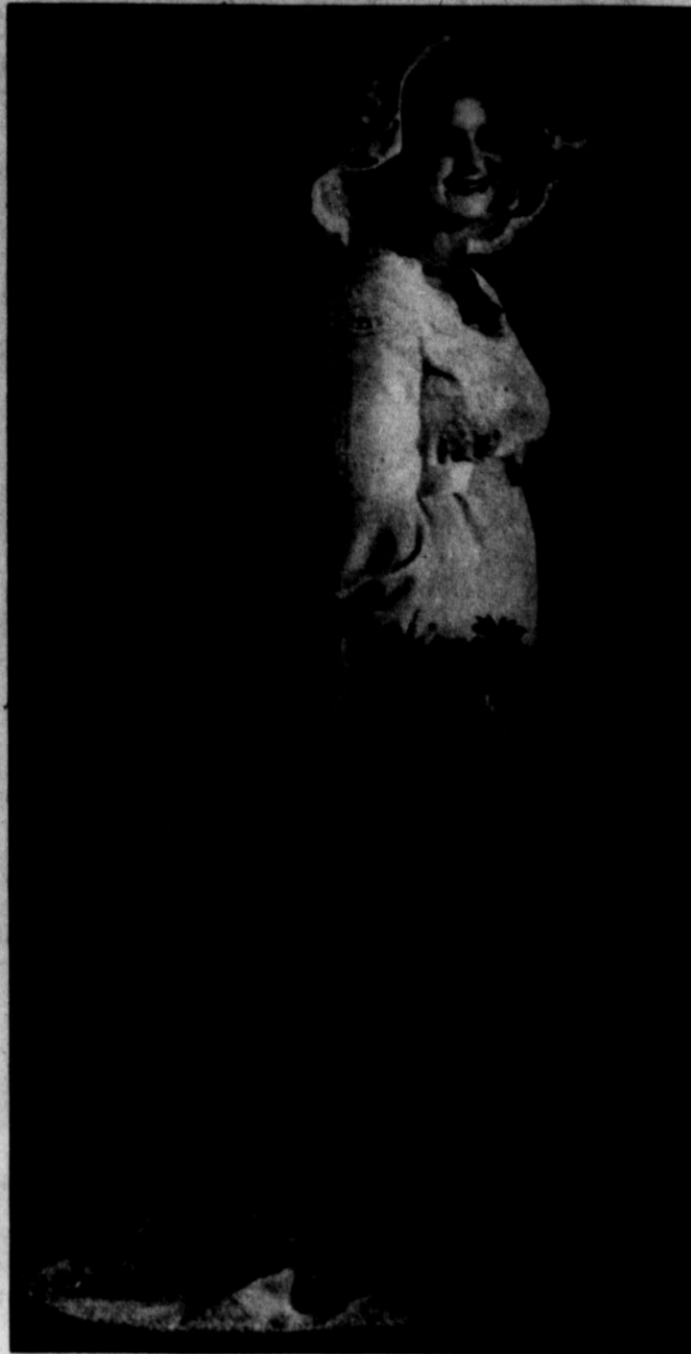
book is a vivid epitaph to a modern-day poet.

Present for the review were Gladys Braly, Tresa Hale, Irene Markham, Ora Morgan, Aileen Montgomery, Lucille Hughes, Mary Whiteside, Albert Higgins, Linnie Mae Roberson, Emily Suggs and Lydia Hopson.

The Salt Cathedral of Aipa-quira, Columbia, 32 miles north of Bogota, is an actual church carved with Gothic arches 1,300 feet underground in a salt mine. The church can accommodate 10,000 worshippers.

The letters "NEWS" used to be printed on newspapers to show that information for readers was obtained from all four quarters of the world.

Marlon Brando made his New York stage debut Oct. 19, 1944, playing Nels in the Broadway hit "I Remember Mama."



MRS. GARY DON MOORE
...nee Susan Jane Balden

Miss Balden, Moore Exchange Vows In Afternoon Ceremony

Twin brass candelabra with crystal globes flanked the altar where Miss Susan Jane Balden of Amarillo and Gary Don Moore of Temple were united in marriage Saturday afternoon in First United Methodist Church. The Rev. Hershel L. Thurston, retired Methodist minister, officiated.

Vows were read before a large bouquet of white gladiolas, pink carnations and babybreath, placed at the altar. Satin bows marked the aisle for the professional.

The 1971 alumnus of Hereford High School, the bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Charles R. Balden of Summerfield. The bridegroom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Varney E. Moore of Munday.

Mrs. Martin L. Means served as her sister's honor attendant while David Key of Munday assisted the bridegroom as best man. Bridesmaid included Miss Marsha Moore of Fort Worth, the bridegroom's sister, and Miss Kay Herber of Amarillo. Bill Baker of Fort Worth and Bobby Baker of Amarillo were groomsmen.

Martin L. Means and John Sullivan of Amarillo, who served as ushers for the candlelight ceremony, lighted tapers in the chancel.

Mrs. Marvin Hall supplied accompaniment for Mr. and Mrs. Bobby D. Boyd, who vocalized "Wedding Song" and "O Perfect Love."

The bride, presented at the altar by her father, wore a floor-length gown of candlelight crepe trimmed in satin. Designed with empire waistline, the fitted bodice was adorned with appliques of Venise lace and seed pearls. The gown had a cameo neckline and lace forming a cape over her long, bishop sleeves, also enhanced at the cuff by lace and pearls. The A-line skirt, which swept to a Chapel train at back, was banded at the hemline by lace embroidered with pearls.

Double tiers of illusion drifted to fingertip elbow-length from a picture hat embellished with matching lace and seed pearls. She carried a cascade of pink sweetheart roses, white roses and stephanotis.

The bride's attendants were attired in slipper-length dresses of pink satin crepe, styled with cameo necklines, French cuffs and ragland sleeves. Self-belts tied at back of the gown. Each of the young women carried nosegays of pink sweetheart roses and babybreath, matching the blossoms braided into her hair.

The church Fellowship Hall was the site of the reception, held immediately after the service. Miss Sally Bayne of Lubbock was seated at the wedding book to secure

signatures of reception guests. Mrs. Dana Rush and Mrs. Bob Craig of Lubbock served cake while punch and coffee were poured by Mrs. Dan Gorman and Barbara Fritts of Amarillo.

The four-tiered wedding cake was suspended upon four Grecian pillars, centered with musical cherubs. Crowned by cherubic figurines and doves, the cake was iced with pale pink rosettes and tiny doves.

Draped with white linen and lace, the serving table was centered by a cluster of the bridal attendants' bouquets. Decorating the registry table was a gold epergne holding pink sweetheart roses, white roses and babybreath.

For a honeymoon trip to Santa Fe, the newlywed Mrs. Moore wore a mauve-colored gabar-

dine blazer and slacks with pinstriped vest and pale pink blouse. She chose brown accessories.

The couple will be at home after Feb. 10 at Temple, where he is employed as assistant director of personnel at Scott and White Memorial Hospital. Mrs. Moore will be employed by that hospital in the medical record department after March 1.

The bride is a 1975 graduate of University of Texas Medical Branch at Galveston. She was registered as a record administrator in 1975. The bridegroom graduated from Texas Tech University at Lubbock in 1973.

Out of town guests who attended the recent ceremony

included Mrs. Helen Worthington, Mr. and Mrs. James Worthington, Debbie and Doug, Mr. and Mrs. Dale Worthington, Randy, Greg and Jody, and Mr. and Mrs. Harold Worthington, all of Monett, Mo.

From Munday were Mr. and Mrs. Bob McWhorter, Mr. and Mrs. J. Weldon Smith, Mr. and Mrs. John Reneau III, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Baker, Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Baker, Mr. and Mrs. J.A. Choucair, Mr. and Mrs. D.K. Holbert, Mr. and Mrs. Dwight Key and M.L. Wiggins.

Others included Mr. and Mrs. George Moore of Ralls, Mr. and Mrs. T.P. Rigby of Aurora, Colo. and Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Sloan of Midland.

Mrs. Ward Appointed As Delegate

Mrs. H.L. Ward, president of Wyche Home Demonstration Club was elected to serve as that club's delegate to an upcoming THDA district meeting. She was appointed Thursday afternoon during a meeting in the home of Esther Thuett. Mrs. Norman Hodges was co-hostess.

After calling the meeting to order, Mrs. Ward asked for the HD Council report, which was given by Mrs. Louis Fanning in the absence of Mrs. Charles Packard. It was announced that Mrs. Ward and Mrs. Ira Ott are responsible for bringing meat dishes to the HD Appreciation luncheon on Feb. 28 while other club members will be responsible for salads and desserts.

Each member answered roll call with "What I looked like this morning when I cooked breakfast."

Sherry Harder, assistant county extension agent, gave a program on scarves. She was the only guest in attendance.

Other members present included Mrs. Frank Duncan, Clara Trowbridge, Mrs. L.B. Worthan and Mrs. J.H. Holden.

Since World War II, the number of married women in the labor force has skyrocketed. The Conference Board observes. Between 1940 and 1975, the share of married women holding jobs rose from less than 15 per cent to 44 per cent, a jump of 17 million.

Reception Today To Honor Mrs. Frye

Dawn Community Center will be the site of a reception from 3-5 p.m. today honoring Mrs. R.A. Frye, who recently retired as postmaster of that community. Acquaintances of the honoree are invited to attend.

Mrs. Frye has been a resident of Dawn since she came there from Canyon in 1928 to teach. She taught at Dawn School for three years before marrying R.A. Frye in 1932.

Born Mary Alice Griffiths at Fort Worth, Mrs. Frye was the executive official of Dawn Post Office for more than 20 years. She has professional standing in National Association of Postmasters. She retired in December and Genevieve Miller also of Dawn, was hired to fill the vacancy left by Mrs. Frye.

Mrs. Frye has two sons, Fred of Louisiana and Richard of Port Aransas, plus seven grandchildren. Her favorite pastime is handweaving on a loom.

LISZT REDISCOVERED

PURCHASE, N.Y. (AP) — Dr. Nancy Reich recently discovered a long-lost piano work by Franz Liszt in the Manhattanville College Library here. The work, a fantasy based on Rossini's opera, "The Siege of Corinth," is called "Introduction des Variations sur une Marche du Siege de

Corinth." It is dated 1830, and was written when Liszt was about 19.

Dr. Reich, an assistant professor of music at the college, said this particular work by Liszt had never been published and was last mentioned in a catalog of the composer's works compiled by August Gollner in 1908.

Later catalogs, including Humphrey Searle's 1954 compilation, listed about 66 doubtful or lost works by Liszt.

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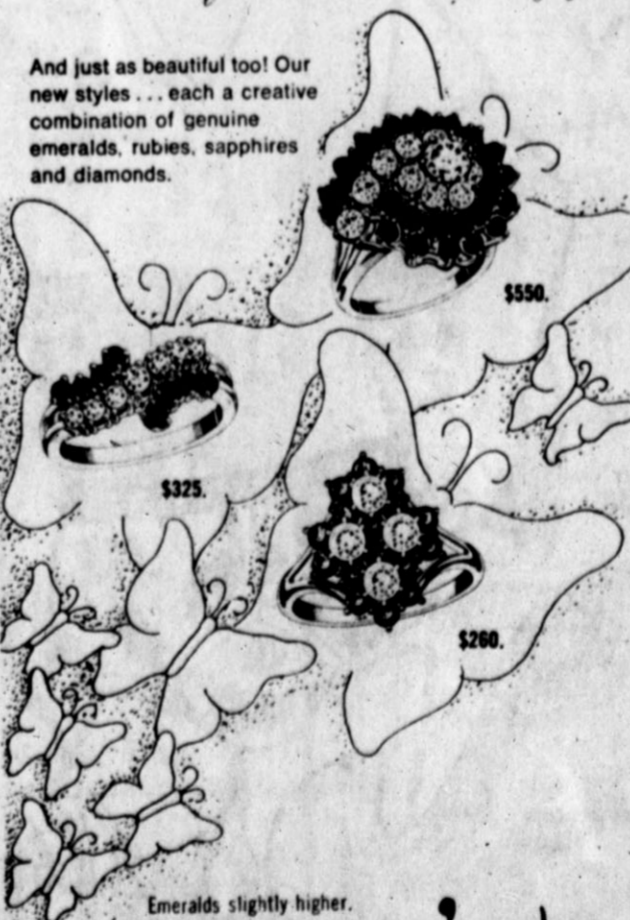
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Three Local Youngsters Win Medals For Essays

Three Hereford students have received first place bronze medals for their entries in the essay contest sponsored by Los Ciboleros Chapter, Daughters of the American Revolution.

Of the 150 essays submitted, two bronze medals were awarded to Dimmitt students and another bronze was won by student from Springlake-Earth Junior High School. Second place certificates of award were earned by three Hereford youth, one Dimmitt student and one Springlake-Earth student.

This year's contest subject was "Battles of the American Revolution," including skirmishes at sea or on land. Entry was limited to 5th, 6th, 7th and 8th grade students.

Mrs. Arthur B. Clark, essay chairman, announced this week that the contest is held in conjunction with American History Month each year during February.

Bronze medal winners from Hereford include Brendan Joe Wyly, a fifth grader from Aikman Elementary School; Valerie Andrews, a sixth grader from Tierra Blanca Elementary School; and Becky Hughes, an eighth grader from Stanton Junior High School. Local recipients of certificates of award are Craig Jones, a fifth grader at Aikman; Jeffery Morris, a sixth grader at Aikman; and Jill Paschel, an

eighth grader at La Plata Junior High School.

Debra Lee Sava of Dimmitt was awarded a bronze medal for her entry, as was Laura Downing, also of Dimmitt. Debra is in the fifth grade and Laura is a seventh grade student. Winning a second place certificate from Dimmitt was Chad Thompson, a fifth grader.

Representing Springlake-Earth for the first place was Lesa Templeton, an eighth grader. Also honored from the community was another eighth grader, Chester Robinson, who received second place.

Winning essays written by Hereford youth are published below with their photographs.



BECKY HUGHES

THE BATTLE OF FORT TICONDEROGA

By Becky Hughes
430 Avenue I

One cause for separation from England stood out more strongly than all the rest combined—freedom, independence.

Other reasons causing the colonists to rebel were: the Navigation Acts, Stamp Act, Townsend Act, Tea Act, Restraining Act and the Intolerable Acts, all imposed by the British government without representation of colonists in England. Having British soldiers stationed in the towns also caused much dissatisfaction with the colonists.

They knew that resisting

these acts would make trouble with England, but oddly enough, the patriots wanted it this way. If a revolution was the only alternative that the colonists had to gain independence, then a revolution is what the British were going to get!

After the victory at Lexington and Concord in April of 1775, the patriots had a good boost. With the ambition to achieve a golden dream of independence, they felt as though they could go on and fight even the largest army. Even if the British Army was more disciplined, drilled and ten times larger, the minutemen and soldiers of the Continental Army were ready to fight the British troops on sheer morale alone.

But, sensible plans had to be made. When the hostility began in the colonies, the province of Connecticut ordered a fiery patriot named Ethan Allen to seize Fort Ticonderoga from the British. This fort commanded the invasion route to and from Canada. This could prove to be very dangerous to the patriots if the British maintained control of this fort. With Fort Ticonderoga at the very edge of the American lines and right next to Lake Champlain as it came out of Canada, the British could sail down Lake Champlain from Canada into the patriot's camp, and without any warning to the patriots.

This was a very important stronghold to the patriots and needed to be handled with good leadership. Ethan Allen, who was wanted by the Governor of New York for organizing the terroristic Green Mountain Boys against its citizens, was the patriot in charge of the capture of Fort Ticonderoga. Sharing command with Allen was Benedict Arnold, a born rebel against any cause and a courageous soldier, who barely accompanied Allen and the Green Mountain Boys in the attack.

In the beginning outbreaks of war, Ethan Allen and his Green Mountain Boys immediately joined the patriot cause. The makings of the so-called Green Mountain Boys, who were really Vermont soldiers, was a group of men organized by Ethan Allen and Seth Warner to terrorize the New York settlers in 1770. This happened because of a ruling made by the New York governor, stating that titles to the land in Vermont were invalid and had to be bought again as a part of New York, a British colony. This, along with all the forementioned

acts, were brought upon by England. Ethan Allen and his Green Mountain Boys were ready to fight the British, as was Benedict Arnold, when Allen was given the duty of capturing Fort Ticonderoga.

The task to be done was to overcome the British garrison at the fort and capture the war cannon stored inside the fort. The British caught no wind of the patriots' plan to capture the fort, therefore they did not expect an attack. Knowing of the small number of men in the Vermont Militia, the British supplied the fort with a few hundred more men than the Vermont Militia had.

The Mountain Men, who were members of the Green Mountain Boys, could function well in early morning hours, whereas the British soldiers at the fort were not accustomed to getting up very early. So why couldn't the patriots give the British a surprise attack in the early morning?

So, in the meek, early hours of morning, before dawn, Ethan Allen and Benedict Arnold led a mere 83 men from the Green Mountain Boys garrison to capture the fort by surprise on the morning of May 10, 1775. The sleepy British soldiers did not even have time to reach their muskets or swords before the Green Mountain Boys had the garrison captured and the cannon of the fort in hand.

Not one man on either side was killed or mortally wounded, which makes the battle something special, in a sense. Very few battles throughout the entire Revolution went without bloodshed.

With the accomplishment of the battle, the patriots had the fears of the British invasions from Canada now. The patriots used Lake Champlain to invade Canada on November 13, 1775. In this invasion, they seized Montreal, a major town in British Canada. Later in that year, the patriots used the same waterway to attempt to capture Quebec on December 30-31, 1775 but met with disaster.

Even though the British recaptured Fort Ticonderoga in 1777, the battle at Fort Ticonderoga was still considered a very important victory at the beginning of the revolution. If the effort had even failed, it would have shown the Americans and the British that the patriots could be a unified army that could think things out. We showed the British that we were smart enough to get what we wanted, even if it meant war

and death. Independence. Freedom.



VALERIE ANDREWS

BUNKER HILL

By Valerie Andrews
Star Route

On June 17, 1775, I watched the first major battle of the American Revolution take place. As I watched our men entrench themselves on Breda's Hill, I know this was to be a major battle. I knew they were going to fight on Breda's Hill, because it was closer to Boston. They put all the reinforcements on Bunker Hill.

Slowly, as the British marched up the hill, some American yelled, "Don't fire until you see the whites of their eyes."

When the British were close enough, the Americans opened fire. Everytime the British came up, they were beat down again. They wasted their shots foolishly and fired from a distance. Many men were dying on the British side and fast.

I do not know how we did it! We kept them off and fought our hearts out. It seemed as though we might win this battle after all.

Slowly, a few Americans dropped to the ground, but many more British were falling. Still, we held out. (Our reinforcements helped a lot).

Every now and then, I thought about the poor women and the families who would be sleeping alone this cold night. The more I thought about it, I remembered my own family. I was very grateful that I was not fighting.

I knew it could not last much longer. Many British were coming to replace the dead and wounded. Even though we were using our ammunition wisely, they had more.

Now, it seemed as though every man was just fighting for his life. It was not going to be who was the toughest. Just who

had the most ammunition left.

It was bloody, but it finally ended. The Americans had run out of ammunition and the British had taken the hill. When it was all over, I heard two British officers talking. One said, "I can't believe it! Those bumpkins fought like Englishmen!"

The other one said "Of course they did! They are Englishmen!"

This murderous fight cost the British about 1,043 men out of the 2,030 fighting. It had cost the Americans only 400 dead and wounded. I could not believe what I had seen and did not want to: I just went home and prayed that it would never happen again.



BRENDAN JOEL WYLY

THE BATTLE OF VINCENNES

By Brendan Joel Wyly
Route 1

The main cause of the American Revolution was excessive taxing. The colonies were far from England, which made it hard to ship everything to and from the colonies and England.

Most people, when thinking of the American Revolution don't think of it being fought in the west. But there were several battles fought in the West, such as the Battle of Vincennes.

The commander of the Battle of Vincennes was Col. George Rogers Clark, a Virginian hardly over 23-years-old. Vincennes had been under the French flag until 1777 when the British took it from them. Then they lost it to the Americans, but the British were strong and recaptured it. Finally, after the Americans got food and ammunition, the Americans took the fort in a midwinter surprise attack.

The British commander Hamilton was taken by surprise because he had not expected Clark to attack until spring. But Clark, with about 200 men, took Vincennes on Feb. 25, 1779. Clark, who had completely surprised Hamilton, asked Hamilton to surrender at 9 o'clock on the morning of the 24th. Hamilton refused to surrender.

However, at 11 o'clock on the same day, Hamilton sent Capt. Helm out to ask for a conditional surrender. Clark, not accepting the conditions, kept fighting until, on the 25th of February,

1779, Hamilton made an unconditional surrender.

Clark, returning with his men and prisoners, was asked by Hamilton, looking at the ragged frontiersmen, "Where is your army?"

Clark proudly replied, "This is my army" for his small army had beaten a British army almost three times in size.

Col. Clark, after spending all his personal money on the battles that he fought because Virginia could only give him \$1,200 and \$150, was now broke because he had to buy food and ammunition for his men.

His victories had helped win the war and were probably the reason the British left the Northwest Territory to the United States after the peace treaty was finally signed.

Both the British and the Americans, being worn out, were almost to the breaking point. The British, not having as much to fight and having so many other needs for the money they were spending on the war, finally surrendered, leaving the new Americans their freedom.

Today, on the Wabash River front, stands a statue of the famous patriot, Col. George Rogers Clark, which cost \$2,000,000. This man truly saved the Northwest Territory and the frontier.

Proposals Set

85 MPH Limit

On Future Cars

COLLEGE STATION — "Users may find that 85 m.p.h." is the top speed listed on their car speedometers, someday, says Claudia Kerbel, a consumer information specialist.

A proposal currently being considered by the National Highway Traffic Safety Administration would require car makers to limit the speed indicator to 85 m.p.h. (137 kilometers per hour), she said, noting that the public may indicate their opinion on the proposal before March 14.

This does not mean cars could not travel faster—they just could not indicate speeds above 85 m.p.h., the specialist added.

She is with the Texas Agricultural Extension Service, The Texas A&M University System.

"Several studies on the effects of the nationwide 55 m.p.h. speed limit have shown that slower, more uniform speeds are primarily responsible for the significant drop in the fatality rate," she said.

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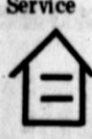
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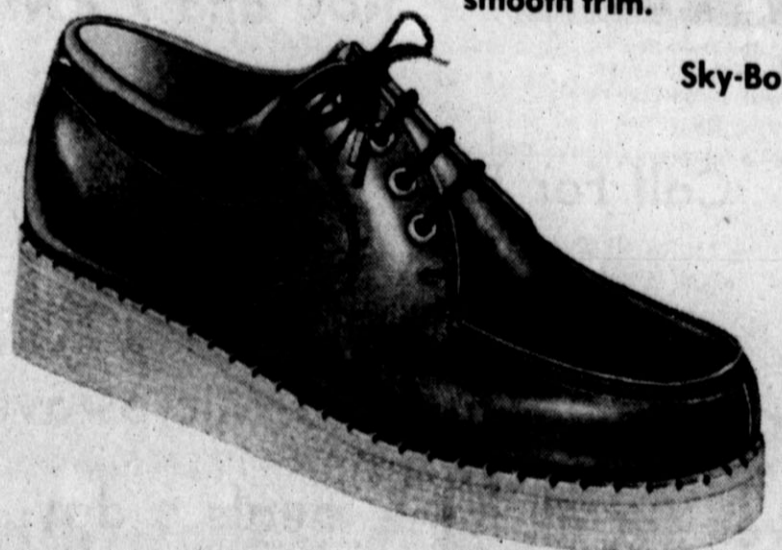
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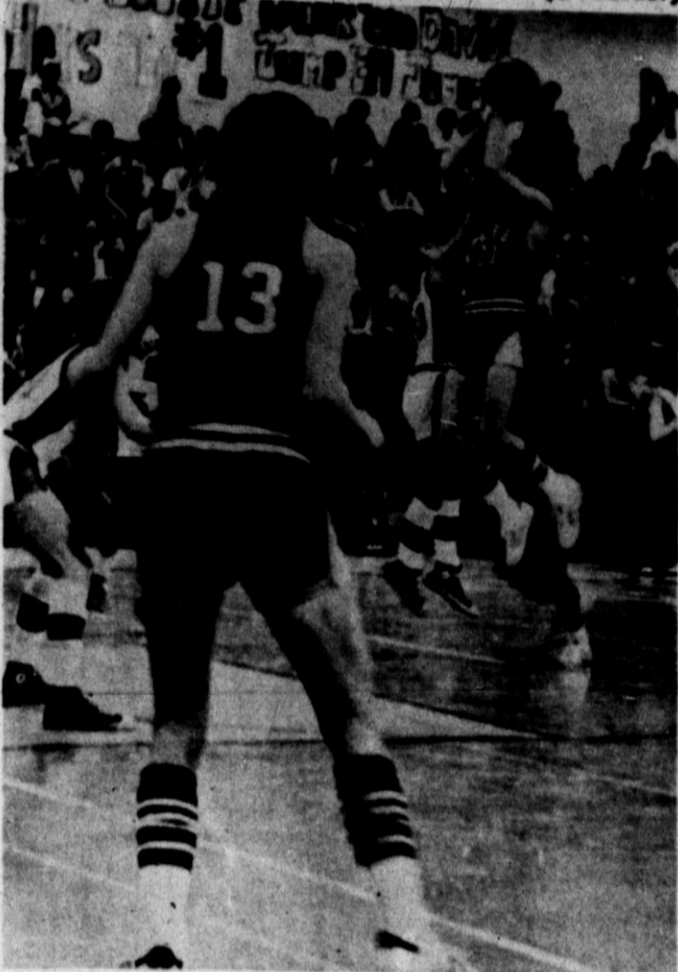
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Although no giant himself, Hereford's Kelly Kitchens (31) is more than a match for Lubbock's 5-4 Scotty Garcia on this occasion. Kitchens hit a game-high 23 points in leading the Herd over the Westerners Friday night. Watching the action is Herd guard Mike O'Rand (13) in foreground. (Photo By Bob Nigh).

Herd Lashes Lubbock, 74-55

By BOB NIGH
Brand Sports Editor

The Hereford Whitefaces raced to a 15-4 first-period advantage, and were never headed thereafter as they raced to a 74-55 massacre of the Lubbock High Westerners in Lubbock Friday night.

The Herd coasted to the convincing win, their second district victory in-a-row after suffering consecutive two-point losses, and were virtually never challenged by the stumbling Westerners.

Kelly Kitchens topped all scorers in the game with 23 points, while James Mays added 22 and Mike O'Rand pitched in 14.

Lubbock's high-point man, Robert Stearnes, had but 13 points with 11 of those coming in the final stanza when the Herd reserves took over.

O'Rand played probably his best defensive game of the season as he continually frustrated Lubbock's candidate for all-district guard honors, Scotty Garcia.

The 5-4 Garcia had more than he could handle from O'Rand, who stole passes from the quick,

short Westerner floor leader on at least four occasions.

Garcia finally broke the ice in the final period, winding up with 10 points on the night.

While O'Rand was handling Garcia, Mays and Mercer put the clamps on Lubbock's Cecil Ross and Gary Norris, who had been averaging 13.1 and 16.8 points per game over the season.

Norris tallied only 6 points on the night before fouling out early in the fourth quarter, while Ross could manage but eight.

The hosts took their only lead of the night at 4-3 as Ross and Craig Mitchell tallied to wipe out a 3-0 Herd lead.

But, the Westerners failed to score the rest of the period, and went almost two minutes into the second before finally getting another bucket.

By that time the Whitefaces had erupted to 14 consecutive points to roar ahead 17-4, and the Lubbockites were ineffectual as the Faces upped the lead to as many as 16 points (30-14) before the half mercifully ended.

The romp could conceivably have been worse if the

run-and-gun Whitefaces had not made a rash of turnovers early in the contest.

Hereford increased the margin to 22 points at 45-23 with 3:21 left in the third period, as Jim Lawson stole a Lubbock pass, and fed O'Rand for a layup, and Lawson then made it a 24-point affair with a layup of his own at the 2:23 mark.

Both teams showed their mettle in the final stanza with the visiting Herd posting a total of 23 points, while the Westerners tallied 25.

Kitchens poured through 10 points in the final eight minutes, while Mays added seven to his total, and David Arney connected for six.

The Whitefaces won the battle of shooting percentages with a 29 of 66 performance from the field (44 per cent) and a 16 of 26 night at the line (61 per cent).

The Westerners shot 35 per cent from the field (21 of 60) and hit 52 per cent from the line with a 13 of 25 performance.

The Herd win and Westerner loss gave both teams a 2-2 mark in the first half of district action, which was won by Plainview with a 4-0 mark. Monterey, a 58-44 winner over Coronado Friday evening finished tied with the Mustangs for last place with both posting 1-3 marks.

Hereford is now 17-10 on the year, while Lubbock fell to 14-11 after the loss. The Herd travels to Clovis Tuesday night, while Lubbock opens the second half of district play against Coronado the same night.

The Hereford JV and sophs didn't have quite as good a time as the varsity did against the Westerners as both suffered losses.

Coach Aaron Bourland's sophomores went two overtimes before losing their contest by a 55-51 count. Buzzy Abalos tallied 19 points in the losing effort, while Leslie Mullins added 12, and Bret Hallows tallied 10.

The Herd JV suffered a cold first period to trail 13-7, and the

Lubbock JV went on to post a 67-49 victory as Jimmy Mojica led the way with 19 points.

Robert Graves topped the Herd JV with 10 points. Hereford-15-17-19-23-74. Lubbock-4-13-13-25-55.

Hereford-Kitchens, 9-5-23; Mays, 7-8-22; O'Rand, 6-2-14; Arney, 3-0-6; Mercer, 2-0-4; Schumacher, 1-1-3; Lawson,

1-0-2. Totals-29-16-74.

Lubbock-Stearnes, 3-2-13; Garcia, 4-2-10; Mitchell, 5-9-10; Ross, 3-2-8; Norris, 3-0-6; Holt, 2-1-5; Davis, 1-0-2; Cheatham, 0-1-1. Totals 21-13-55.

The New York Yankees open their 1977 American League baseball season at home against the Milwaukee Brewers on April 7.

WCT Files Suit Against Borg

DALLAS (AP) - While tennis superstar Bjorn Borg denies ever signing a contract to play the World Championship Tennis circuit this year, WCT officials are saying his jump to another circuit represents a "new level of irresponsibility."

That disagreement between the Swedish tennis champion and WCT will be the basis of arguments in the \$5.7 million suit filed in Dallas Friday by WCT officials.

The suit contends Borg's jumping to the competing Grand Prix circuit constituted breach on contract, misrepresentation and contract interference.

Borg has said previously that he never signed a WCT 77 contract, but permitted his agent, International Management Group IMG, and WCT to include his name on a list of WCT players last Oct. 27 at their own risk.

WCT executive director Mike Davies said Borg's action "suggests that a new level of irresponsibility may be affecting professional tennis."

Named as defendants in the suit are Borg, IMG, Colgate, Bancroft and others. Bancroft, an equipment manufacturer, has an endorsement contract with Borg and is a wholly-owned subsidiary of Colgate.

Borg, in Little Rock, Ark., for a Grand Prix circuit tournament, had said Thursday night when asked about a possible suit by WCT: "If they file a suit, I'll never become involved with WCT in the future."

He said Friday, "The lawsuit is not good. I have no other comment."

Davies said that Borg's participation in WCT 77 had been agreed upon between WCT and Bud Stenner of IMG, the company that represents Borg.

"Prior to Oct. 27, Stenner had agreed to the basic terms of the agreement and had authorized WCT to announce Borg's participation in WCT 77," Davies said. "As in the past, WCT replied on IMG authorization when announcing Borg's name with its field of players."

Davies added: "Borg has played the WCT circuit for the past three years and he is an outstanding young man and a credit to tennis, but in my 17

years of involvement in professional tennis I have never seen a player or his representatives repudiate a commitment in this manner."

He claimed Borg's WCT agreement was a high compensation agreement tailored to Borg's own desires and interests.

Bronco League To Meet

The Bronco League of the Deaf Smith County Kids, Incorporated will hold an organizational meeting at 7:30 p.m. Wednesday, February 9 in the Flame Room, Gene Combs, spokesman for the group has announced.

"We'd like to have all pee wee, minor, and major coaches, managers, parents, and all other interested persons at the meeting," Combs said in making the announcement.

"This is a general organizational meeting," he added.

Saul Bellow, the American novelist who won the 1976 Nobel Prize for Literature, was born in Lachine, Quebec Province, Canada in 1915.

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Razorbacks Remain In Top Spot With Triumph Over Houston

★ Michigan Beats Ohio By 93-72 ★

HOUSTON (AP) - The high-ranked Arkansas Razorbacks, led by sharp-shooting Brewer and Marvin Delph, tied in the second half to defeat Houston 82-80 and clinch the Southwest conference basketball championship Saturday.

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The victory gave the Razorbacks an 11-0 record in the SWC and handed them a three game lead over the Cougars, who are now 7-3.

Houston, which has not lost at Hefceinz Pavilion in 16 straight games including 11 this year, almost made it 17 in a row until the Razorbacks started their surge in the second half.

The Cougars took a 41-38 halftime lead and built it to a 57-51 margin early in the second half for their biggest edge of the contest.

Houston led 65-60 in with 10 minutes to go but Arkansas chipped away and two free throws by Sidney Moncrief with 6:09 to play tied the game 70-all.

Cecil Rose, who scored 21

points for the Cougars, then traveled and Arkansas took the lead for good at 5:10 on Steve Schall's basket.

Delph, who finished with 24 points to lead Arkansas in the regionally televised game, and Rose were involved in a heated shooting contest in the first half.

Rose hit his first five shots from the field and Delph had 12

Louisville Wins Over Memphis

LOUISVILLE, Ky. (AP) - Ninth-ranked Louisville exploded to a 31-8 lead in the first 10 minutes behind guard Rick Wilson and went on to rout Memphis State 111-92 in a Metro-7 Conference basketball game Saturday.

Controlling the boards and fast-breaking at every opportunity, Louisville put four players in double figures in the first half alone en route to its 13th consecutive victory. The Cardinals are 16-2.

Louisville, 5-0 in conference play, outrebounded Memphis State 38-20, had eight more baskets and seven more assists in the first half.

Memphis State, 18-4 and 2-3, had been in the Top 20 for most of the season before dropping out last week.

Rangers Get Knowles In Trade

ARLINGTON, Tex. (AP) - Lefthander Darold Knowles, 35, a short reliever with nine saves and a 2.28 earned run average last year for the Chicago Cubs of the National League, was obtained by the Texas Rangers Saturday for cash and player to be named later.

Knowles cleared NL waivers so he could become available to the American League team.

Knowles was 5-7 last year and has a career record of 56-63. He pitched in all seven games of the 1973 World Series for Oakland against the New York Mets and didn't allow a run in six and one-half innings.

points after nine minutes of play.

Arkansas shot over 60 per cent from the field and the Cougars, the No. 2 scoring team in the nation, hit over 50 per cent before the crowd 10,061.

The Cougars are 17-6 and Arkansas is 19-1.

Arkansas is shooting for its first SWC title since 1958 and

seeking to become the first team to own an unblemished league ledger since Southern Methodist turned the trick in 1956.

New York Yankee first baseman Chris Chambliss is a native of Dayton, Ohio. His ninth-inning home run in the decisive American League playoff game against Kansas City put the Yankees in the 1976 World Series.

ANN ARBOR, Mich. (AP) - John Robinson and Rickey Green combined for 43 points Saturday and led first-place Michigan to a 93-72 Big Ten basketball rout of Ohio State.


Ten and 7-11 over-all, were led by Larry Bolden with 19 and Kelvin Ransey with 15.

The turnover-plagued game was dominated by the Wolverines early in the first half, but the Buckeyes outscored the

Wolverines 15-8 the last five minutes before intermission to trail only 41-36. Ohio State scored the first two buckets of the second half to pull within one point, but Michigan pulled away by scoring 15 points.

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Monday, Feb. 7th
INFORMAL EDUCATION CLASSES BEGIN:
EFFECTIVE PARENTING 610 E. Park 7:00 - 9 p.m.
TAX SEMINAR Chamber of Commerce 7:30 - 9 p.m.
Game Room for Youth (Jr. Hi - 7th, 8th, 9th, Grades) First Baptist Church 4-6 p.m.
Boys Gym (3rd & 4th Grades) Shirley School Gym 4-5 p.m.
Boys Gym (5th & 6th Grades) Shirley School Gym 5-6 p.m.
Women's Volleyball (open) Shirley School Gym 7-9 p.m.
Men's Basketball (open) Central School Gym 7-9 p.m.


Tuesday, Feb. 8th
Boy's Gym (7th, 8th, 9th Grades) Shirley School Gym 4-5 p.m.
Girl's Gym (3rd & 4th Grades) Shirley School Gym 5-6 p.m.
Game Room for Youth (3rd thru 6th Grades) First Baptist Church 4-5 p.m.
Youth Basketball League Old Central Gym Games at: 7:00, 8:00, & 9:00 p.m.

Wednesday, Feb. 9th
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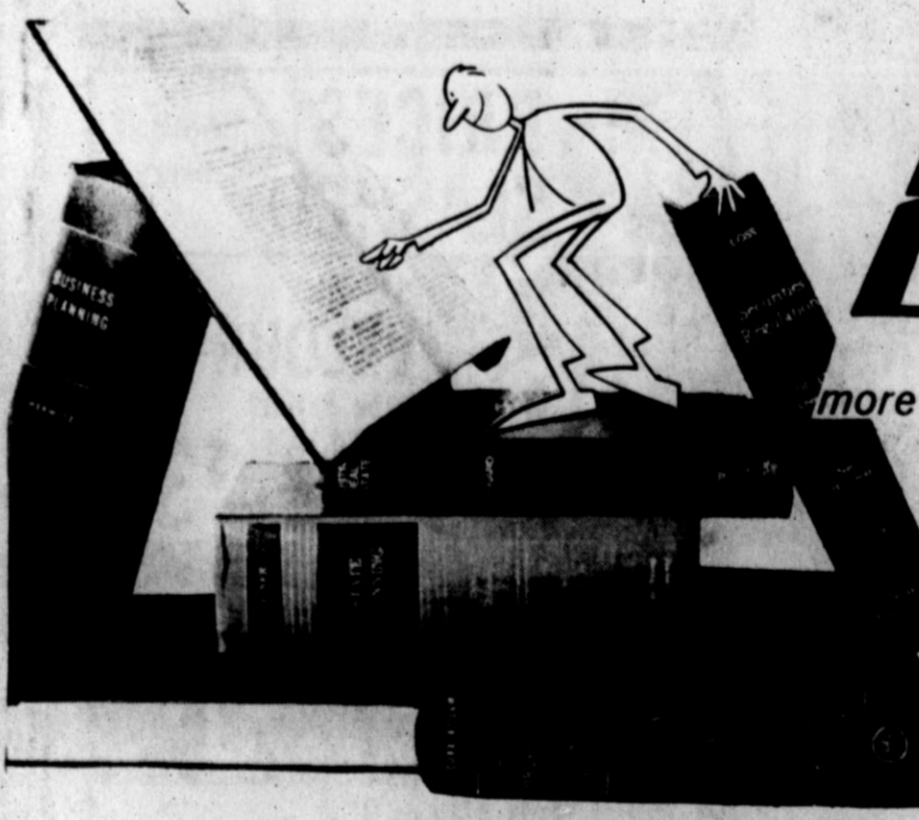
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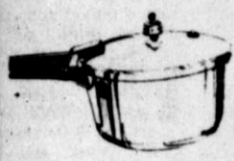
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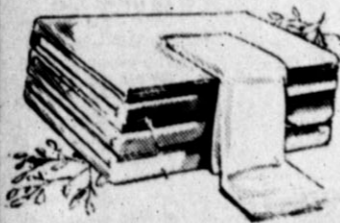
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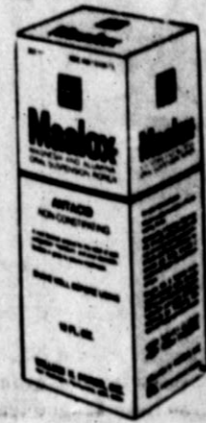
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Bill Would Exempt Customers

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But Rep. John Wilson, D-La Grange says he'd like to take that exemption a step further by removing both city and state sales taxes from the utility bills of residential and commercial customers.

The committee opened hearings Thursday on tax proposals by the two lawmakers and will consider other portions of the measures Monday.

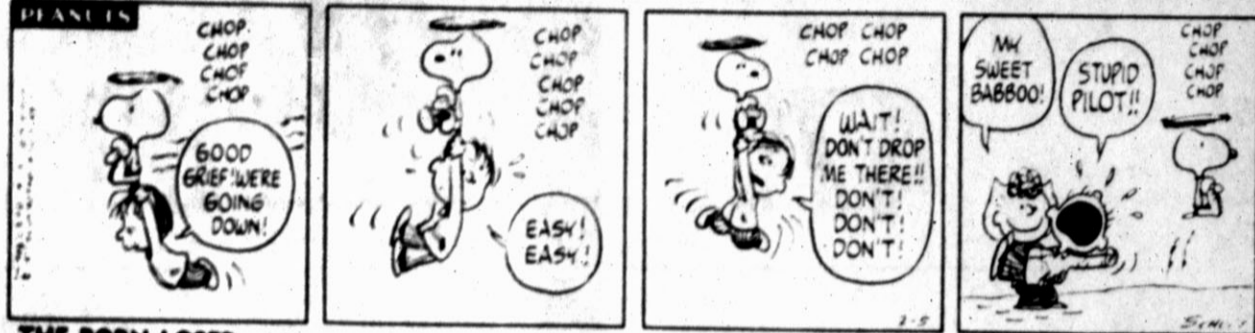
Wilson offered three amendments that would alter Wyatt's bill to match his own and said he'd help pass the Victoria legislator's proposal if it reaches the House floor.

Wyatt, D-Victoria, has said he hopes the measure reaches the house by Feb. 14.



OEA Week

Mayor Jim Sears signs a proclamation designating Feb. 6-12 as Office Education [OEA] Week. Joining the mayor's signing are Julie Hallows [right] OEA president, and Rhonda Hagar, vice president.



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- 12:00 NCAA BASKETBALL
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MORNING

- 6:15 ENGLISH KINDERGARTEN
6:30 NEWS
6:40 NEWS
6:45 FARM AND RANCH
7:00 TODAY
7:05 GOOD MORNING, AMERICA
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9:30 HAZEL
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10:55 NAME THAT TUNE
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- 6:00 NEWS
6:30 BEWITCHED

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- 12:30 THE BIBLE DIRECTIONS
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1:45 FAMILY FEUD
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2:15 CARTOON CARNIVAL
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3:00 THE DOCTORS
3:15 GUIDING LIGHT
3:30 ANOTHER WORLD
3:45 ALL IN THE FAMILY
4:00 GENERAL HOSPITAL
4:15 MATCH GAME '77
4:30 MAGILLA GORILLA
4:45 THE GONG SHOW
5:00 THE ARCHIES
5:15 POPPY AND BUGS
5:30 BEVERLY HILLBILLIES
5:45 THE RIFLEMAN
6:00 BANANA SPLITS AND FRIENDS
6:15 MISTER ROGERS
6:30 F-TROOP
6:45 GET SMART
7:00 MICKY MOUSE CLUB
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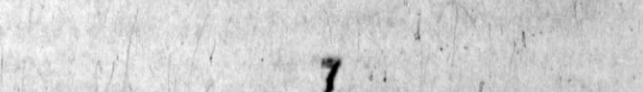
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Winning In Cougars Blood With Track, Field Victory

By DENNE H. FREEMAN
AP Sports Writer

FORT WORTH, Tex. (AP) - 1977 is 36 days old and the Houston Cougars have already won the Cotton Bowl and the Southwest Conference Indoor Track and Field Championships. And they still have a shot at going to the NCAA basketball playoffs.

C-note on their tennis and baseball squads?

Under new Coach Tom Tellez, a former assistant at UCLA, and an explosive sprinter, Greg Edmond, the Cougars shocked what was left of a record crowd of 9,533 at Tarrant County Convention Center Saturday night with a half-point victory over defending champion Baylor.

With a thousand or so fans left and the clock striking midnight, Houston's Greg Caldwell earned vital second place tie in the high jump for 43

and one-half points to Baylor's 43. Texas A&M had 41 and Texas 38 and one-half in the closest indoor meet of the four on the SWC record books.

The performance sent the Cougars into unrestrained joy with one over-enthusiastic athlete "spiking" a shot on one of the track boards with a resounding crack.

Texas Coach Cleburne Price had warned earlier in the week, "Houston is the team to watch. Tellez is a good coach and recruiter. He's going to force some folks to get with their programs in this conference."

Tellez turned loose Edmond on Olympian Johnny Jones of Texas in the 60-yard dash. Edmond knocked off Harvey Glance two weeks ago in the event. This time it was Jones who fell. Jones, a footballer, posted a respectable 6.28 but Ed Edmond won in a rush at 6.25.

That means Edmond has now beaten half of America's gold medal sprint relay team at

Montreal last summer.

"Johnny has a slow start and that makes him a target at 60 yards," admitted Edmond.

Jones ran an unofficial 49.7 in anchoring the victorious Texas mile relay team and appeared to be coasting with his fluid style.

Only two records were set-one by a Cougar. Niall O'Shaughnessy jogged the 1,000-yard run in 2:06.75. The Irish Olympian eclipsed the old record of 2:11.6 by Canadian Olympian Paul Craig of Texas.

Cecil Overstreet of Houston sailed 25-4 one-half in the long jump to beat the old mark of 24-7 3/4 by Baylor's Ricky Thompson.

Houston had only one other first place finisher-Randy Coffman in the shot putt. But track's a team sport like everything else Houston has been winning lately in the SWC. It seems like only yesterday when Houston was just trying to get somebody to answer its knock at the door to get in.

Netters 3rd, 4th At Plainview Meet

The Hereford High School boys and girls tennis teams finished third and fourth respectively at the Plainview Team Tournament this weekend as the 1977 Tennis season got underway.

Hereford's Steve Hoover placed second in the number one boys singles bracket, losing to Plainview's Stacy Foster in the finals.

Hoover reached the final match by posting 6-0, 6-2; 6-1, 6-2; and 6-2, 6-0 wins in the first three rounds, but fell to Foster by a 6-3, 6-2 count.

"Foster is probably the best boys singles player in the district," Herd coach Steve Thomas said. "He finished first in the district last year, and Hoover did a good job and played well in the tournament."

Rick Mendiaz and Kevin Downing claimed a semifinals berth in the number one boys doubles bracket before dropping an extremely close match to a Tascosa team 6-7, 7-6, 1-6. "We had Downing in for Ralph Vargas who had an injury and he and Mendiaz played well despite not having much time to practice together," Thomas commented.

Hereford's number two boys doubles team, Ruben Vargas and Eddie Castanada claimed the consolation championship in the tourney as they posted a 7-5, 6-3 win over a Canyon team.

In girls play Joni Webb played number one singles for Hereford, and also won a

HUSKY BROTHERS
ALBUQUERQUE, N.M. (AP) - New Mexico has three brothers on its offensive line and they weigh a total of 737 pounds. They are strong guard Earl Pette at 243, strong tackle Chuck at 247 and backup tackle John at 244. They come from Littleton, Colo.

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Fuss Over Religious Programs Is Clarified

By Howard Norton
National Center Washington Bureau Chief

WASHINGTON—The frustrated government officials who regulate radio and television broadcasting have an urgent message for all American Christians.

They want you to know that they do not now—and never did—have any intention of taking religious broadcasting off the air waves.

And, most important, they ask you, please, quit sending them letters and petitions and postcards scolding them for something that never entered their minds.

They have more than three million protest letters stacked up at Federal Communications Commission headquarters here, and thousands more are being delivered every day! The flood of protest mail is out of control, and they've given up answering it.

Apparently the only good thing that has come out of this massive misunderstanding among the Christian people is the clear and certain assurance that millions of people in this country still treasure their constitutional right to freedom of religion in the broadcast media.

The big problem is how to get the word to them that this freedom, as far as the FCC is concerned, is not in jeopardy, that religious broadcasters are not about to be put out of business.

Here's the story of how it started, as told by William B. Ray, chief of the FCC Complaints and Compliance Division:

Almost two years ago, he says, the owner of a small television station in St. Louis, one Lorenzo Milam, filed a routine petition with the Commission.

In it, Milam asked the commission to adopt a rule that would have prevented the issuance of any more noncommercial broadcast licenses to churches or religious groups.

The commission, recognizing that the suggestion was unconstitutional, turned it down flatly and unanimously. The group did this a year ago last August—in August 1975.

But the story of what had happened apparently got twisted in the telling.

Rumors spread that the FCC was going to halt religious broadcasting. And the mail began to pour in.

The writers took no notice of FCC press releases denying the story.

Then the rumors took a new turn. It was whispered that the antireligion activist Madalyn Murray O'Hair was getting into the act—which also was not true as she, herself, has proclaimed. And the volume of protest mail shot upward.

The National Association of Religious Broadcasters, meeting in Washington, was urged to help halt the panic among American Christians. They tried. But still, today, the letters and petitions are flowing in at the rate of 3,000 to 5,000 a day.

R.D. Lichtwardt, executive director of the FCC, says the commission ran out of storage space and was forced to rent space in a private warehouse until it could get clearance to destroy the letters. For Ray the affair took a personal turn.

"My wife and I are members of a small prayer group," he says. "One day recently another member of the group came to me and said she had heard what 'my commission' was doing, and that she had her Sunday school class sign a petition of protest and send it to the FCC."

"Please tell them it's all a mistake," Ray pleaded. "We couldn't ban religious broadcasting even if we wanted to. Any such move would be so clearly unconstitutional it would be thrown out of court!"

Local Couples Attend Services

Dr. and Mrs. H.A. Cavness and Mr. and Mrs. C.P. Wortham of Hereford recently attended a funeral service for Mr. Hugh McCrary, father of Dr. Hugh McCrary, a former Hereford resident now living at Irving.

Mr. McCrary died at San Saba and was buried in Cisco on Jan. 30. He was preceded in death by his wife.

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BY BOB HILL

The Florida freeze, the worst in a generation, caused massive losses to the citrus and sugar cane crops. But the damage to those two crops, as bad as it is, isn't as bad as was first estimated. However, the winter vegetable crop is a total disaster. That adds up to bad news for consumers. Retail prices of many vegetables will be 30 per cent to 50 per cent higher and there will be shortages in supermarkets in weeks ahead.

estimated at \$250 million. The state's corn, bean, tomato, cucumber, lime, and watermelon crops were wiped out. Celery and cabbage were the only exceptions. After what remains in the transportation pipeline is used up, there will be no major shipments of those vegetables from Florida until replantings start producing in late March. California and Mexico are now the hope of the consumer, but they probably will not be able to take up the slack.

Besides the blow to consumers pocketbooks, the jump in food prices will make it doubly difficult for President Carter to hold the lid on the cost of living. All fruits and vegetables represent just over 3 per cent of the consumer price index, but they represent 12.5 per cent total food prices.

Florida has been much slower than many of the states in recovering from the recession, and the severe crop freeze will make a sick state economy sicker. In the southern portion of Dade County, where most of the winter crops are grown, 15,000 migrant workers are now out of work. For all of South Florida, the crop loss is

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Texas Crops Report

It's Bone Dry In Panhandle; Still Too Wet In South Texas

COLLEGE STATION (AP)—Farmers in many sections are "combing at the bits" to get into their fields to prepare their land for spring planting, but water is still standing in many fields and the ground is cold.

And ranchers, who have been feeding their livestock heavily since last fall, are finding their hay and feed supplies about gone.

That's the word from the Texas Agricultural Extension Service.

Nothing could give a bigger boost to the Texas agricultural outlook for 1977 than an extended period of open, dry weather, said Dr. Daniel C. Pfannstiel, service director.

Without a break in the weather, spring planting will be delayed and this could add problems to producers on down the line. As far as ranchers are concerned, every day of feeding means more dollars invested in their stock. And with current market conditions, those dollars may be hard to recover, said Pfannstiel.

Weather conditions are particularly affecting field operations in South Texas where harvesting of winter vegetables and citrus is far behind schedule, noted Pfannstiel. Furthermore, spring planting of some vegetable crops has already been delayed as farmers have been unable to prepare the land.

Small grain crops continue to make little progress over the state due to the adverse weather. This has added to the woes of producers who normally depend on small grains to provide some green forage for their livestock, said Pfannstiel.

Reports from district extension agents showed the following conditions.

PANHANDLE: Soil moisture continues to be short. Wheat is making little growth, and many fields are becoming highly susceptible to wind erosion. Land preparation is making good progress, and producers are busy feeding cattle. Feedlots are about full due to cattle coming off wheat fields earlier than usual. Feeder cattle prices were up \$2 to \$4 at local auctions.

SOUTH PLAINS: Farmers are putting down fertilizer. Topsoil moisture is short but subsoil moisture is generally good over the area. Wheat continues to make little growth due to the cold weather. Feeding of range cattle is active.

ROLLING PLAINS: A slight reprieve in temperatures has caused wheat to green up some. Farmers are busy preparing land for spring planting; some spring oats will be planted over the area. Livestock feeding remains heavy and ice must be broken regularly on stock tanks to provide water for stock. Livestock marketing has been heavy due to poor grazing conditions and the need for supplemental feed.

NORTH CENTRAL: Land preparation is making limited

progress due to continued wet fields. Heavy feeding of hay and protein supplement continues as cattle have limited grazing. Most cattle are in poor shape and there have been some deaths due to the adverse weather.

NORTHWEST: Wheat and oats have made some growth in recent days due to warmer temperatures. Some home vegetable gardens are being prepared, and farmers are starting to get cropland in shape for spring planting. Supplemental feeding of livestock is heavy. Hay supplies are dwindling.

FAR WEST: Preparation for spring planting is making average progress. Farmers and ranchers are busy caring for the feeding livestock. Ranges have adequate forage but it is low in nutritional value. Calving and lambing are active; losses to predators have been heavy, especially for lambs.

WEST CENTRAL: Small grains have improved some but grazing is still limited. Moderate to heavy feeding of livestock continues due to low quality forage on ranges. Lambing and calving are active, with some losses to predators.

CENTRAL: Small grains are generally dormant, and there is little forage growth on pastures and ranges. Livestock feeding continues heavy. Most livestock are showing the effects of a hard winter.

EAST: Some land is being prepared for spring gardens but preparations for field crops are slow. Livestock continue to have little grazing available to them. Hay supplies are getting short. Winter calving is active.

SOUTHEAST AND UPPER GULF COAST: Some land is being prepared for vegetable crops, but otherwise land for field crops is making little progress due to wet conditions. Livestock remain in poor shape. Cattle deaths continue, with losses in Brazoria County estimated at 1 per cent. Cattle feeding continues heavy.

SOUTH CENTRAL: Soggy fields are hindering land preparation for spring planting. Some land has been prepared for vegetable crops. A few days of warmer weather has helped small grains but growth is still limited. Livestock are in poor condition.

SOUTHWEST: Open weather is allowing the harvesting of winter vegetables to move ahead at full speed. Cabbage, carrots and spinach are moving to market at good prices. Land is being prepared for onions, potatoes and watermelons. Cattle continue to lose weight due to poor forage conditions; supplemental feeding remains heavy. Some sheep are dying due to poor nutrition.

COASTAL BEND: Fields remain wet and are hindering land preparation for spring planting. Some land has been prepared for sweet potatoes and onions in Gonzales County.



Weather Modification Hearings Scheduled

Two hearings on applications for permits to engage in weather modification activities and control operations in the High Plains have been scheduled at 1 p.m. February 16 in the 99th District Court in Lubbock by the Texas Water Development Board.

Both hearings will be conducted simultaneously and will continue as long as necessary so that anyone who wishes to speak may do so, according to Gen. James Rose, TWDB Executive Director.

Plains Weather Improvement Association, Inc., and Atmospherics, Inc., have applied for permits to conduct activities to increase precipitation and decrease hail within two adjacent target areas on the High Plains. The requested area of operations would extend beyond the smaller target areas.

Because of intense opposition to the proposed weather modification activities, representatives from several counties met in Littlefield recently and organized "Citizens for Natural Weather." More than 2,000 area residents are members of the group.

Purpose of the organization was to discuss engaging legal counsel to file an injunction against the adjudicated hearing and to prevent the issuing of weather modification permits.

Contributions are being collected from farmers and businessmen to finance the opposition.

Members of CNW contend the

previous weather modification efforts have caused a reduction in rainfall as well as not causing much decrease in the amount of hail which has fallen. The weather modification firms have denied the charges and won a renewal of their permits in 1974 in a hearing and court battle.

The group supports a "right-to-vote" law which would give individual counties the right to decide by ballot if they wanted weather modification activities conducted in their county.

If the permits are issued, as applied for, they will be effective until the end of 1980, and even if a right-to-vote bill is passed after the permits are issued, the bill would have no effect until the permits expired.

For that reason, members of CNW have asked that the Board withhold a decision until the Legislature has had time to consider the right-to-vote bill, which is now in the drafting stages.

In one application, Plains Weather Improvement is seeking permission for aircraft flights over portions of Hale, Lamb, Castro, Swisher, Briscoe, and Floyd Counties from the authorization date through December 31, 1980.

The other application is from Atmospherics, Inc., for operations over portions of Deaf Smith, Randall, Parmer, Castro, Swisher, Bailey, Lamb, Hale, Cochran, Hockley, and Lubbock Counties through October, 1980.

Surplus Grows More Massive As Grain Projections Raised

WASHINGTON (AP)—The Agriculture Department has raised its projections of corn and wheat surpluses because of low demand and healthy stocks in competing countries during the last quarter of 1976.

When the new wheat marketing year begins June 1, the U.S. is expected to have 1.1 billion bushels on hand, compared to 664 million bushels at the same time in 1976 and 430 million the year before, USDA said Wednesday.

The corn surplus as of Oct. 1, the beginning of a new marketing year for that grain, will total 724 million bushels, USDA estimated. The surplus in 1976 was 398 million bushels. For 1975, it was 359 million bushels.

USDA said that wheat and feed grains were used in smaller quantities than expected during the latter part of 1976. Large supplies of wheat and other grains were available for export from countries that compete with the U.S. in grain production. At the same time, world demand continued to be weak.

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remained about even with the 1975 rate in October, November and December, USDA reported. An increase in the number of livestock and poultry on feed during those months had led USDA to project an increase in corn use. It did not materialize, however.

All these factors led to the revisions in USDA's grain surplus projections that are reflected in this month's report.

These surpluses mean more grain is available for domestic use and for export. Such surpluses have helped to keep the prices of some food products down.

USDA expects that the U.S. will export 975 million bushels of wheat this year compared to

1.2 billion in 1976 and 1 billion in 1975. Corn exports, which totaled 1.7 billion bushels for 1976 and 1.2 billion for the year before, are likely to reach only 1.65 billion bushels this year, USDA projected.

But corn production will increase to 6.2 billion bushels compared to 5.8 billion a year ago and 4.7 billion two years ago.

Wheat production will hover around 2.1 billion bushels, the amount grown last year.

The stockpile of the four major food grains will total 27.3 million short tons (regular tons) by the time of the 1977 harvests, USDA estimated. Those grains are corn, sorghum, oats and barley.

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Careful Control Of Broadleaf Weeds In Wheat Pays Dividends

BUSHLAND- Doing a careful success is knowing what to do at the right time. These were the opening remarks by Dr. A.F. Wiese, Texas Agricultural

Experiment Station weed researcher from Bushland, Texas, at the Agricultural Chemicals Conference at the Hilton Inn in Okla. City on January 25.

Controlling tansy mustard in wheat has been the objective of research at the USDA Research Center at Bushland since 1954. Tansy mustard was easily controlled with 0.5 pound per acre of 2,4-D applied by either ground or aircraft sprayers.

"Research also showed that 2,4-D could injure wheat if not applied at the right time", Wiese stated. Small wheat that has 2 to 10 tillers is most susceptible to injury from 2,4-D. Spraying untilled seedlings or fully tillered plants is the safest way to use the herbicide. Reduced yield caused by both decreased tillering and head-weight may result when 2,4-D is applied at the wrong stage, the scientist pointed out.

Wheat planted in late August or early September is usually fully tillered by November 15. Later plantings are not fully tillered until after spring growth begins about March 15. Spraying too late, on the other hand, lets weeds compete with wheat and weeds are hard to kill.

Research at Bushland shows that tansy mustard should be sprayed when wheat is fully tillered. This may be in late November, during February or the first half of March. Occasionally, thick stands of tansy mustard come on at the

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same time as early planted wheat. Under these conditions, plowing and replanting or spraying with 2,4-D is the only choice. If the wheat stand is good, applying 2,4-D before tiller initiation is the best choice.

"Proper application of 2,4-D is very profitable", the Texas A&M University scientist stated. In 1973, 2,4-D applied near the end of November to early planted wheat increased forage yield from 1.1 to 1.8 tons per acre. Wheat grain yield in the same test was increased from 9 to 19 bushels per acre. There were four mustard plants per square foot.

Other experiments showed that one uncontrolled tansy mustard plant per square foot will reduce yield 10 per cent. On a dryland crop with a yield potential of 10 bushels per acre, spending 2 or 3 dollars per acre to gain 1 bushel of wheat is not profitable. In irrigated wheat or for dryland, in good years, spraying to kill one weed per square foot is profitable, Wiese continued.

Dr. Wiese Receives Weed Science Award

BUSHLAND- The Southern Weed Science Society that recently met in Dallas awarded a Distinguished Service Award to Dr. A.F. Wiese, Texas Agricultural Experiment Station Scientist from Bushland. The award was given for outstanding service to the profession to weed science and to the society. A similar award was given to R.F.

Treacle mustard is another tough competitor to wheat that is a problem in fields in Western Oklahoma. Wiese stated that he and Dr. Frank Petr, Agronomist with the Texas Agricultural Extension Service in Amarillo, have cooperated to develop methods of controlling this weed. Experiments have been conducted since 1968 on the Dale Coleman, Jimmy Dowdy,

and Jim Clements farms near Dumas, Texas. "We have looked at a lot of herbicides, but 2,4-D and MCPA at 0.5 to 1 pound per acre control the weed as well as anything", Wiese continued. The key to success is early application, in early studies, herbicides were applied from March 15 to April 1 and nothing killed the weed. Research in 1974 and 1975 showed that treacle mustard was easily killed when herbicides were applied when weed rosettes were no larger than a half dollar. Applications made during February will get the job done because weeds are still small.

Richards a scientist working for Ciba-Geigy Corporation. The 1050 member society has made only 4 such awards in its 30 year history. The society is made up of USDA, Agricultural Experiment Station and industry researchers along with university extension and agribusiness sales and produce development specialists. They are joined by farmers and other people interested in finding economical methods of controlling weeds.

The Southern Weed Science Society claims the distinction of being the largest society of its kind in the world. Wiese has served the society on many committees over the past 20 years and was Vice-President, President-Elect leading up the Presidency in 1974.

Dr. Wiese has done extensive work in the local area on controlling weed pests in sugar beets, wheat, grain sorghum and corn.



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Price Of Farm Products Shows Second Increase

WASHINGTON (AP)-The prices farmers get for raw products rose 1.5 per cent between Dec. 15 and Jan. 15, the Agriculture Department said Monday.

The department's Crop Reporting Board said higher prices for corn, hogs, soybeans, broilers and commercial vegetables accounted for most of the increase. Prices declined for eggs, potatoes, cotton, oranges and milk.

It was the second straight reporting period that overall farm prices have increased. Prices jumped 3 per cent in the period between Nov. 15 to Dec. 15, reversing an almost steady decline that started last spring.

The report did not reflect the recent freeze damage to Florida citrus and vegetable crops, which occurred when temperatures dropped on Jan. 18, 19 and 20. The prices used in the report Monday were based on averages as of Jan. 15.

Even though farm prices were up from the previous month, they still averaged 2 per cent below the level recorded one year ago. And the prices farmers must pay to meet their expenses continued to climb, jumping 2 per cent during the month. Farmers now are paying 4 per cent more to meet their expenses than they paid a year ago.

Prices of raw farm commodities can vary widely from month to month and therefore are not the most reliable indicators of future food prices. Also, charges for processing and merchandizing food after it leaves the farm account for about 60 cents of each dollar consumers spend on groceries. Those costs have continued to rise.

Although the Florida crop damage was not reflected in the latest price report, department officials said last week the damage would result in higher retail prices for some vegetables and citrus this winter but would have little effect on overall 1977 family food bills. The reason, officials said, is that livestock products-including beef, pork, poultry, eggs and milk-are in record supply and will help hold down food prices in general.

Thus, they said, 1977 retail

food prices are expected to increase an average of 3 to 4 per cent. Food prices rose 3 per cent last year over the entire 12 months.

The report said meat animal prices as a group rose 2 per cent from Dec. 15 to Jan. 15 but still averaged 9 per cent less than a year earlier.

Vegetable prices jumped 18 per cent during the month and averaged 11 per cent above Jan. 15, 1976. The report said most of the increase was due to higher prices for lettuce, celery, cabbage and onions.

The Jan. 15, "parity ratio" which relates farm prices and expenses was 68 per cent, unchanged from December. A year ago it was 72 per cent. At 100 per cent it theoretically gives farmers the same purchasing power they had in 1910-14 when farm prices and costs were said to be in step.

Hope Offered Cattlemen


COLLEGE STATION- Although cattlemen may have a difficult time seeing a pot of gold at the end of the rainbow, 1977 does offer a ray of hope.

Dr. Edward Uvacek, a livestock marketing specialist with the Texas Agricultural Extension Service, sees a reduction in fed cattle marketings for the early part of the year, about 9 per cent below last year's level. But he believes marketings will increase slightly- two to three per cent- during the second quarter, April through June. This rather small increase, together with lower levels of cow and non-fed cattle kill, should keep cattle slaughter low for the next six months.

"All this means that beef supplies should be down for a while," says Uvacek. "Therefore, fed cattle prices should move up during the next few months. This, plus more favorable feed grain prices, could stimulate an increase in feedlot placements."

Thus, if the feedlot business does pick up during the first part of 1977, then some beef supply problems could develop during the latter part of the year.

Because of a limited carryover of calves from last year and a lower calf crop, feeder cattle and calf numbers should be down during most of the year, adds the specialist.




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Cattle Prices Likely To Be Lower Than Predicted

WASHINGTON (AP)—Retail beef prices may not rise quite as much this year as predicted a few months ago, but one of the Agriculture Department experts who makes the forecasts says that "it's too close to call" right now.

Richard J. Crom of the department's Economic Research Service told a USDA outlook meeting last November that retail beef prices soon would begin climbing and could go up an average of 10 cents a pound in 1977.

Beef prices have gone up from an all-cut average of less than \$1.36 a pound last November to about \$1.39 a pound currently. But the prices of live cattle have not climbed as

much as forecast, and that raises some questions about retail beef.

Crom told a reporter that farmers and feedlot operators have been fattening more cattle on grain than was indicated a few months ago. Also, he said, the 1976 corn crop was larger than was forecast then, meaning that more grain is available for feeding.

Put all together, market prices of choice-grade steers in the first quarter of this year probably will average about \$3 per 100 pounds less than the \$41 to \$43 range that had been projected. The market dip could continue well into the second quarter, too, Crom said.

Even so, the scaled-down

forecast still represents an improvement over the severely depressed cattle prices during most of last year, promoted by a glut of beef as producers trimmed their herds.

The all-cut price of beef used by USDA averaged \$1.39 a pound last year over the entire 12 months, down from a record of \$1.46 a pound in 1975.

Crom said last November in making his forecast that beef prices probably would set a new record of about \$1.49 a pound in 1977. However, he and other officials also pointed out that the increase probably would be gradual and not reach the high peaks of two years ago, including a record one-month beef price of \$1.61 a pound in

July 1975.

Hog prices, on the other hand, have been "somewhat stronger than we anticipated" last November, Crom said. But those are expected to drop to a seasonal low by late March and early April, he said.

Last November, Crom forecast that consumer pork prices overall were coming down and for all of 1977 might average five cents a pound less than last year's record of about \$1.36 a pound.

As of mid-January retail pork prices averaged about \$1.20 a pound, up about 2½ cents from last November but still well below the January 1976 average of more than \$1.44 a pound.

Cattle Inventory Shows Decline

WASHINGTON (AP)—Fed up with sagging market prices caused by a record glut of beef, cattlemen have trimmed their herds the sharpest in 28 years, according to the Agriculture Department.

As of Jan. 1, the department's Crop Reporting Board said the U.S. cattle inventory was 122.9 million head, down 4 per cent from about 128 million a year ago.

"This is the sharpest percentage decline since 1948 and represents the second consecutive year of herd reduction in the current cattle

cycle," the report said.

The inventory, including dairy as well as beef cattle, grew steadily since Jan. 1, 1967, when the count was 108.8 million head. A record of 131.8 million cattle was reached two years ago. By then producers were in trouble, particularly feedlot operators and farmers who had depended on relatively cheap grain to fatten their stock.

Prices of corn and other grain began rising steadily in 1972 as export demands took much of what previously had been available to cattle and other livestock.

The only way for producers to cut their losses was to send record numbers of cattle, including calves and females from breeding herds, to slaughter.

That produced record beef supplies for consumers and, compared with earlier record retail prices, has meant relative bargains at supermarkets since last summer.

The cutbacks have helped improve cattle prices somewhat, but there are now more hogs and poultry to compete with beef, and USDA experts say it will be months before many

cattle producers are able to operate in the black.

The report said the Jan. 1 inventory included 52.4 million head of cows and heifers that have calved, a 4 per cent reduction from a year ago.

Of those, 41.4 million were beef cows, down 5 per cent from Jan. 1, 1976. Milk cows at 11 million head, were down 1 per cent.

The 1976 calf crop was estimated at 47.4 million head, a decline of 6 per cent from 1975, the report said.

Farmers Could Save By Using Tax Angles

COLLEGE STATION—Taking advantage of tax angles when buying or selling real estate may save a farmer or rancher thousands of dollars, contends an economist for the Texas Agricultural Extension Service.

"After buying a farm or ranch, it's important to set up the right tax 'basis' for the land," says Dr. Wayne Hayenga. "The basis is the amount of money allocated for land out of the total purchase price of the estate. This is the amount that will be used for figuring taxes if you sell the farm or are involved in an estate settlement."

Next, allocate part of the total price to unharvested crops, advises the Texas A&M University System economist. This amount will be the starting point or basis for figuring net profit or loss realized on income tax during the year crops are sold.

"How much you allocate to crops can make a lot of

difference in the amount of taxes you pay," contends Hayenga. "The higher the amount allocated to unharvested crops, the less income you will have to pay taxes on when you sell the crops."

All buildings, equipment and timber on the land must also be given a value. These amounts will establish a basis for setting up depreciation schedules and figuring timber depletion.

"If mineral and water rights are included in the purchase price of the estate and are considered valuable in your location, put a value on these also," notes the economist. "It's a good idea to get professional help when figuring these values."

Hayenga says the best time to sell real estate is when crops are still in the ground. This is because proceeds from the sale of unharvested crops are eligible for long-term capital gains treatment (lower tax rate) if the farm has been held for more than six months. Income from crops harvested and sold separately is usually considered ordinary income and is not eligible for capital gains treatment.

farm receipts over a number of years, Hayenga points out.

"In this arrangement the buyer could not claim a tax deduction on payments made, but the seller would not be taxed for payments received until the basis or original cost of the farm was recovered. After that, payments would be taxable under the capital gains rate."

"If you decide to use this type of agreement, be sure to draw up a clear and concise contract," Hayenga advises.

Good management of the sale of a farm residence with a farm can also save money on taxes.

"If you sell a farm residence with a farm at a profit and reinvest some or all of the proceeds within a year in a house in town or another farm

residence, the profit from the house sold is not taxable," says the economist.

"Thus it's important to determine before the sale how much out of the total price of the farm is for the house. If you sold a house for \$60,000 and then reinvested \$45,000 in another house, the \$15,000 profit would not be taxable."

By trading a farm for some other type of income producing property in a town, such as an apartment or commercial building, capital gains tax may be avoided entirely, notes Hayenga. "There are some restrictions, but often any gain from such a trade is tax free unless you receive cash in the deal. However, if the property is sold later, profit is taxable."

Farmers Plan Fewer Poults

AUSTIN—Texas consumers may find fewer turkeys on their grocery shelves in 1977 if the state's producers carry out intentions to raise four per cent fewer birds, according to Agriculture Commissioner John C. White.

Producers throughout the turkey-producing counties indicate intentions to raise approximately 8,900,000 heavy breed poults in 1977, down from 9,300,000 head produced last year.

"Of course, the actual number of turkeys raised may vary from intentions, depending on a variety of factors. The price of feed, supply and price of hatching eggs and poults, and prices growers receive from turkeys during the next few months will all have a bearing on production," White explained.

Prices Published

AUSTIN—Information concerning prices received as well as paid by Texas farmers is now available in a recently issued publication, Agriculture Commissioner John C. White has announced.

Prices paid by farmers are shown for 303 production and living items in 1974 and 1975.

The free publication is available by writing the Texas Department of Agriculture, P.O. Box 12847, Austin, Texas 78711.

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Hereford Youth Enters Commercial Steer Show

Scott Morrison, of Hereford, a member of the Deaf Smith County 4-H, has entered a pen of three steers in the Junior Commercial Steer Show, part of the 1977 Houston Livestock Show and Rodeo.

The Livestock Show opens February 23, and runs through March 6, with rodeo performances every night in the Astrodome, beginning February 25.

The Commercial Steer Show encourages 4-H and FFA members to learn practical commercial beef production. Participants raise their steers the same way steers are raised in commercial feedlots, with the emphasis of feeding economy.

At the livestock show, the junior exhibitors display their steers in pens of three or eight. After the steers are shown, they are graded by two packer buyers and an animal scientist, then sold at auction.

Participants in the Junior Commercial Steer show must also keep accurate records of their animals, since the junior stockmen are automatically entered in the Feeding Records Contest. Their records are examined, and they are interviewed individually as well.

This year, junior commercial steers will be judged at 8 a.m. Wednesday, March 3, in the Sale Arena. Judges are Tommy

Gleason and J.B. "Bert" Charles, both of Houston, and Dr. Gene T. King, of the Texas A&M Animal Science Department at College Station, Texas.

The commercial steer auction will be held at 9 a.m. the next day, in the Auction Sale ring. Later that same day, at 6 p.m., Blue Ribbon Packing Co., of Houston, will host the traditional Commercial Steer Awards Banquet.

The Junior Commercial Steer Show will award \$5,000 in premium money, with another \$1,750 in special awards, part of a record \$510,363 to be distributed in premiums at the '77 Show.

Top prize in the Feeding Records Contest is the \$1,000 J.W. Sartwell Award, plus a 1977 pickup truck from KIKK Radio. Second prize is \$500 from Blue Ribbon Packing Co. Third prize is \$250 from Texas Agribusiness Co., of Houston and Sealy.

Harold Franke, of the Texas A&M Animal Science Department, at College Station, Texas, will serve as superintendent of the Junior Commercial Steer Show. Assisting him will be Doyle Moore, district agent, of Uvalde, Texas.



Dwane Lavake, Texas Agricultural Experiment Station researcher, checks weed seeds during heat tolerance studies at Bushland.

Research At Local Plant Shows Composting Kills Seed Of Weed Pests

SUMMERFIELD—Composting cattle manure kills weed seed. This good news for home owners and farmers was reported at the Southern Weed Science Society meeting in Dallas, January 20. Research that led to this fact was conducted by Dwane Lavake and Dr. Allen Wieve, Texas Agricultural Experiment Station Scientists at the USDA Research Center at Bushland.

Studies were conducted at the laboratory at the Research Center and at the BioCon Division of Searle Agriculture at Summerfield, Texas. The company manufactures a composted soil conditioner called "TillEez". Composting generates a lot of heat and the scientists figured it may be enough to kill weed seed.

Researcher Lavake determined heat tolerance of weed seed under wet and dry conditions in the laboratory. Seed of bindweed, Johnsongrass, pigweed, kochia, watergrass and sorghum were studied. These weeds grow abundantly near the cattle feedlot that supplies manure to the composting plant. One-hundred seed in packets made of nylon mesh were incubated for 1, 3, 7 and 30 days at 140 and 160 degrees in an oven. Some of the seed were kept dry and more were buried in compost containing 35 per cent moisture. After heat treatment, seed were rolled in rag dolls to check germination. Seed field bindweed had to be

soaked in concentrated sulfuric acid for 30 minutes before they would germinate.

In the laboratory all seed except bindweed were killed by one day exposure in compost at 140 degrees. Under dry conditions at 140 degrees germination of kochia was reduced 50 per cent. Other weeds were not affected. Exposure up to 30 days did not alter the result. After exposure to 160 degrees for one day, either wet or dry, all weed seed except bindweed were killed. Bindweed germination was reduced 50 per cent. Lavake said, "We are presently conducting studies at 180 degrees to see if that kills bindweed seed".

At the compost plant, packets of seed were placed 1, 2, or 3 feet deep at 1, 2, or 5 feet from the wall of the compost bin. Bins were 12 feet wide, 10 feet deep and over 200 feet long. Packets of seed were buried for three days and removed when composting manure was turned. After turning the composting manure, one-half of the seed packets were buried for three more days, the scientist explained.

Three day burial in the compost pile killed seed in Johnsongrass, kochia, pigweed, barnyardgrass and sorghum. After 3 days bindweed germination was reduced 90 per cent by all placements in the compost pile. After 6 days, all bindweed seed were all killed except

those buried 1 foot deep at 1 and 2 feet from the wall. There 97 per cent of the seed were killed. Lavake said, "The compost pile was hot and above 160 degrees at all locations where bindweed were killed". At other locations temperature was a little over 140 degrees. "Composting manure will kill seed of weeds that grow in West Texas if temperature exceeds 160 degrees for 6 days in the compost pile". Lavake said, "Farmers and homeowners can use such products without fear of getting a bad growth of weeds".

'BANKERS HOURS' EXTENDED

PHILADELPHIA (AP) — An increasing number of banks are using "talking" telephone answering systems that allow customers to make deposits when the banks are closed.

Customers calling a bank here talk to four programmable cassette recorders that ask questions. Unlike traditional answering equipment that asks a limited number of structured questions and then records the responses, the machines carry on a simulated conversation with the customer, asking, for example, for the caller's name and waiting for a response before asking the next question.

Jerry Klein, vice president of Dictaphone Corp., said nearly 100 banks now use programmable answering systems for such telephone services as after-hours fund transfers, loan applications and bill paying.

Gen. James Rose To Speak At Water Meet

LUBBOCK—General James M. Rose, executive director of the Texas Water Development Board will be a featured speaker at the 10th Annual Membership Meeting of Water, Incorporated, Feb. 19 here.

Rose heads the state's water planning agency which is currently revising the 1968 Texas Water Plan. A public hearing on those revisions will be conducted by the TWDB Feb. 18 at 2 p.m. in conjunction with the Water, Inc., meeting. Both the hearing and the Water, Inc., meeting will be in Lubbock's Hilton Inn.

The Texas Water Development board is authorized by the Constitution to prepare and maintain a state water plan to insure that adequate resources are available to meet the current and future needs of Texas residents.

With revisions of the water plan nearing completion, the TWDB is expected to present its recommendations to the state legislature during the current session. Rose has said the revisions will address the water needs of all sections of Texas.

Rose joins U.S. Rep. Jack Hightower and New Mexico State University, President Gerald Thomas as speakers for the Water, Inc., meeting.

Water, Inc., is a non-profit organization which encourages long-range water resource planning and development to assure adequate supplemental water for areas of West Texas, Eastern New Mexico and Western Oklahoma.

Currently, Rose is a special advisor to the governor on natural resources and is chairman of the governor's Water Conservation and Development Task Force. He was a special assistant and executive director of the division of planning coordination under Gov. Briscoe before he was named executive director of the TWDB.

YOUNG HELP THE OLD DETROIT (AP) — "We want to show that young people do care about old people," says 14-year-old Jill Daniels.

So about a dozen Pierson School ninth-graders have been spending their afternoons fixing up and painting the home of Alma Ruehle, an 85-year-old widow. Mrs. Ruehle admits, "This is a blessing to me." The youngsters decided to fix up the aging, tiny frame house as a project for their sociology class. "They wanted to do something right in the neighborhood," explained their teacher, Mary Baldwin. Parents and neighbors donated materials.

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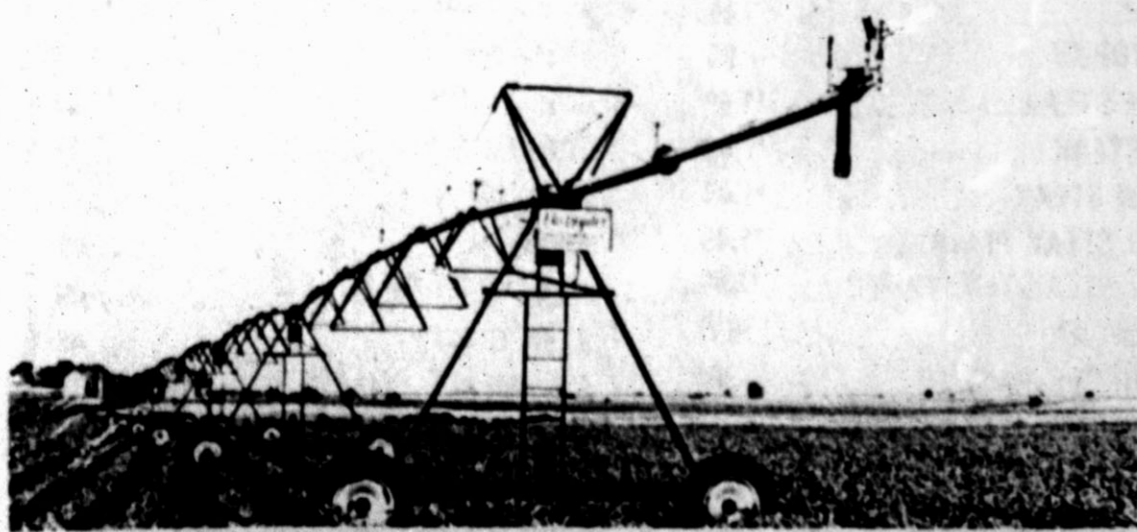
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WASHINGTON (AP)—The migration from American cities back to rural areas is continuing into the mid-1970s and shows no sign of ending soon, according to the Agriculture Department.

Between 1970 and 1975 rural areas and small towns grew 6.6 per cent, while metropolitan areas grew 4.1 per cent, department officials said in a report issued Monday.

But the movement back to rural America did not prevent a decline in the nation's farm population.

"The rural revitalization is not a back-to-the farm movement," the report said. "In 1970-75 the U.S. farm population declined by about 850,000 or 8.7 per cent. Although more Americans are living in rural areas, an increasing proportion of them are not farmers."

The trend back to rural areas first was detected in 1970-72. The trend began reversing the massive exodus from farms and small towns that began after World War II.

Calvin Beale, a demographer

in the Agriculture Department's Economic Research Service, said the latest census figures show the movement back to the country continued through 1975. And, he said, the trend back to rural areas is occurring in other developed nations.

"When rural areas attain the material conveniences characteristic of cities, and urban ills increase, the influx to big cities seems to slow and even turn around," Beale said.

He said some of the rural growth in the 1970s has been

from city sprawl into neighboring rural counties, which grew by 7.4 per cent in 1970-75, but that "does not explain the whole phenomenon."

A major factor has been that employment has increased faster in rural counties than in urban areas, Beale said. He said about half the migration has been to so-called "retirement counties," which have grown at a rate triple the national average, in recent years.

Beale also cited "the narrowing gap between urban

and rural quality of life" in the United States.

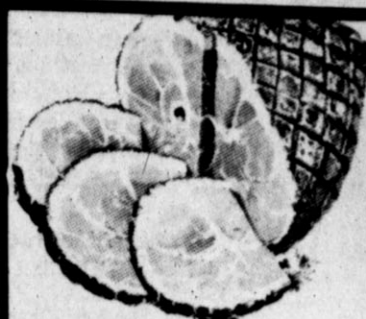
"Conveniences such as water supply, plumbing, heating, electricity, roads and communication are available now in rural areas," the report said. "A 'city limits' sign no longer signals a striking difference in lifestyle and convenience."

Other factors include big city crime, drugs, pollution, racial conflict, school troubles and finances, high housing costs and preferences for more space and

cleaner air.

Beale said the urban-to-rural trend is likely to continue at least into the 1980s, but "its length and extent are hard to predict."

An obstacle might be availability and cost of gasoline. Beale said: "rural people use considerable more gasoline per capita and have fewer public transportation alternatives during an emergency."



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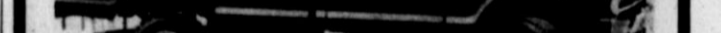
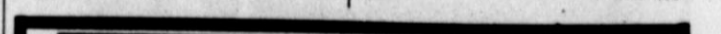
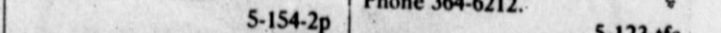
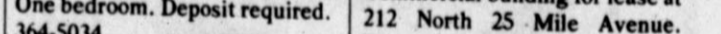
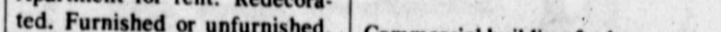
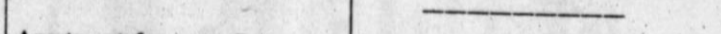
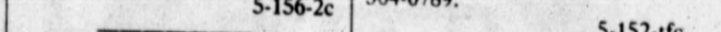
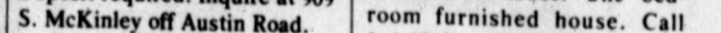
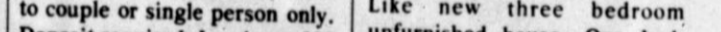
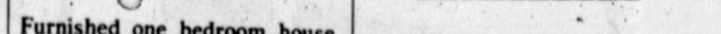
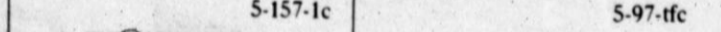
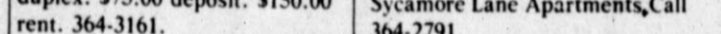
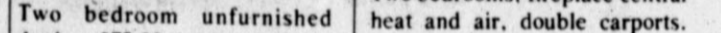
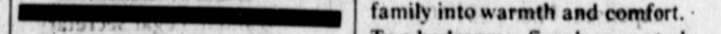
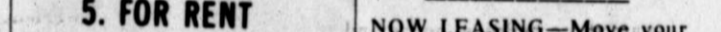
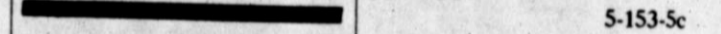
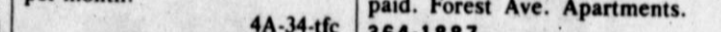
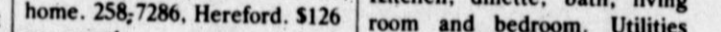
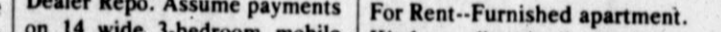
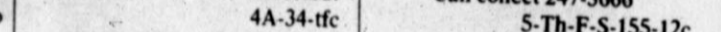
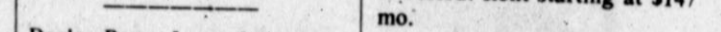
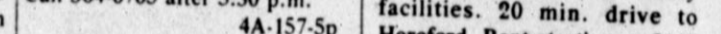
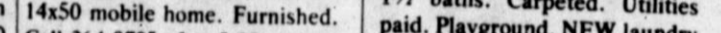
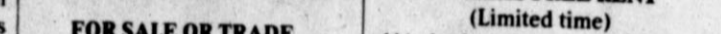
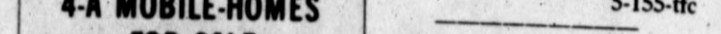
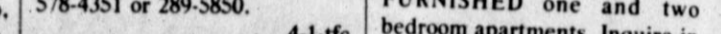
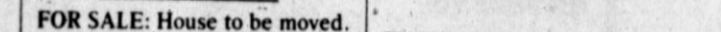
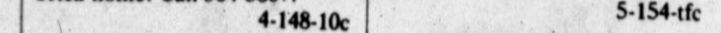
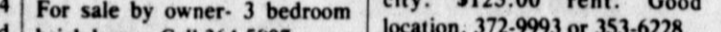
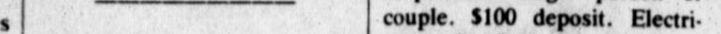
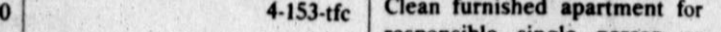
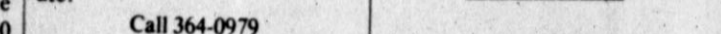
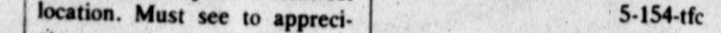
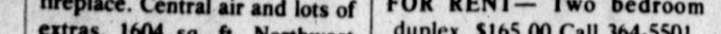
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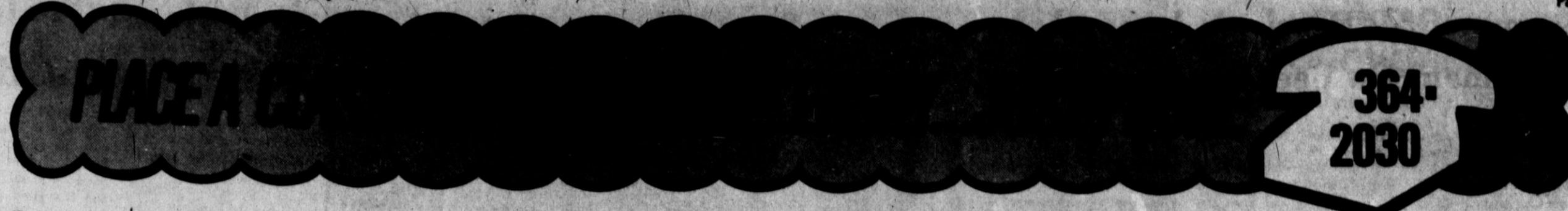
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Need young single woman to share three bedroom house and expenses. Phone 364-6056. 6-145-tfc

Wanted: Custom farming, all types. Call Mike Solomon, 364-6880. 6-119-tfc

WANT TO BUY: Large maple dining room table. 364-3339. 6-153-5c

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Need retired man interested in working with horses. 364-0505. 8-151-tfc

Wanted: Legal Secretary. Shorthand preferred. Equal opportunity employer. Call 364-3700. 8-138-tfc

Needing school bus drivers. See Eldon Owens at School Bus Barn. 8-17-tfc

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Will do baby sitting in my home. Monday through Friday. 364-0909. 9-154-5c

I will do typing in my home. Call after 6 p.m. 364-4858. 9-154-5c

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10. NOTICE

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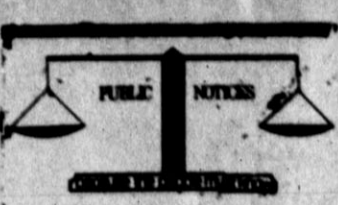
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THIS GIVES NOTICE THAT, under the laws of the State of Texas, a bill, which would provide that a new judicial district composed of Deaf Smith and Oldham Counties be created and providing for an adult probation officer, a court reporter and reorganizing the 69th Judicial District will be submitted to the State Legislature. 5-142-4c



SHERIFF'S SALE
By virtue of an Order of Sale issued out of the Honorable 69th Judicial District Court of Deaf Smith County, Texas, on the 28 day of January, A.D. 1976 by the Clerk Thereof, in the case of State of Texas, Et Al vs. Patrick Parker, Et Al, Cause #7073, and to me, as Sheriff, directed and delivered, I will proceed to sell, within the hours prescribed by law for Sheriff's sales, on the FIRST TUESDAY in March, A.D., 1977, it being the 1st day of said month before the Court house door of said Deaf Smith County in the City of Hereford, Texas, the following described property, to-wit:
Lot 6 and the South 19' of Lot 7, Block 2, Hester & Baskin Subdivision of Block 3, Mabry Addition to the town of Hereford, Deaf Smith County, Texas.
Levied on this 2 day of February, 1977.
Travis McPherson Sheriff
Deaf Smith County, Texas
157-S-3c
No. 7073

SHERIFF'S SALE
By virtue of an Order of Sale issued out of the Honorable 69th Judicial District Court of Deaf Smith County, Texas, on the 28 day of January, A.D. 1977 by the Clerk Thereof, in the case of State of Texas, Et Al vs. Anacelto Enriquez, Cause #7023, and to me, as Sheriff, directed and delivered, I will proceed to sell, within the hours prescribed by law for Sheriff's sales, on the FIRST TUESDAY in March, A.D., 1977, it being the 1st day of said month before the Court house door of said Deaf Smith County in the City of Hereford, Texas, the following described property, to-wit:
TRACT I: Lots 1 and 2, Block 2, Finlan Subdivision to the City of Hereford, Deaf Smith County, Texas.
TRACT II: Lot 3, Block 2, Finlan Subdivision out of a part of Section 111, Block M-7, Deaf Smith County, Texas.
Levied on this 2 day of February, 1977.
Travis McPherson Sheriff
Deaf Smith County, Texas
157-S-3c
No. 7023

THE STATE OF TEXAS COUNTY OF DEAF SMITH NOTICE OF EXECUTION SALE
By virtue of an execution issued out of the 69th Judicial District Court of Deaf Smith County, Texas, on a judgment rendered in said Court on the 21st day of April, 1975, in favor of Hereford State Bank and against the said Don J. Lowder and Carolyn Sue Lowder, in the case of Hereford State Bank vs. Don J. Lowder and Carolyn Sue Lowder, No. 7362 in such Court, I did, on the 1st day of February, 1977, at 10:00 o'clock a.m., levy upon the following described tracts and parcels of land situated in the County of Deaf Smith, State of Texas, as the property of the said Don J. Lowder and Carolyn Sue Lowder, to-wit:
All of the West 32 feet of Lots Nos. 7, 8, and 9 in Block No. 26, of the Original Town of Hereford, Deaf Smith County, Texas, Less the North 10 feet of Lot No. 9 which has been dedicated as an alley; and on the first day of March, 1977, being the first Tuesday of said month, between the hours of 10:00 o'clock a.m. and 4:00 o'clock p.m. on said day, at the Court house door of said County, I will offer for sale and sell at public auction for cash all of the right, title and interest of the said Don J. Lowder and Carolyn Sue Lowder in and to said property.
DATED at Hereford, Texas, this 1st day of February, 1977.
Travis McPherson Sheriff
of Deaf Smith County, Texas
157-S-3c
No. 7362

THE STATE OF TEXAS COUNTY OF DEAF SMITH NOTICE OF EXECUTION SALE
By virtue of an execution issued out of the Honorable 69th Judicial District Court of Deaf Smith County, Texas, on the 28th day of January, A.D. 1977 by the Clerk Thereof, in the case of State of Texas, Et Al vs. Carlos Trevino, Cause #7027, and to me as Sheriff, directed and delivered, I will proceed to sell, within the hours prescribed by law for Sheriff's sales, on the FIRST TUESDAY, in March, A.D., 1977, it being the 1st day of said month before the Court house door of said Deaf Smith County in the City of Hereford, Texas, the following described property, to-wit:
Lot 8, Severns Subdivision of the west-Half of Block 24, Evans Addition to the Town of Hereford, Deaf Smith County, Texas.
Levied on this 2 day of February, 1977.
Travis McPherson Sheriff
Deaf Smith County, Texas
157-S-3c
No. 7027.

SHERIFF'S SALE THE STATE OF TEXAS COUNTY OF DEAF SMITH
By virtue of an Order of Sale issued out of the Honorable 69th Judicial District Court of Deaf Smith County, Texas, on the 28th day of January A.D. 1977 by the Clerk Thereof, in the case of State of Texas, Et Al, vs. Doyle King, Et Al, Cause #7256, and to me, as Sheriff, directed and delivered, I will proceed to sell, within the hours prescribed by law for Sheriff's sales, on the FIRST TUESDAY in March, A.D., 1977, it being the 1st day of said month before the Court house door of said Deaf Smith County in the City of Hereford, Texas, the following described property, to-wit:
The West 50' of Lots 8, 9, and 10 and the South 35' of the West 50' of Lot No. 7, Block 2 of Bochshtaler, Kaetzl & Kokamoor's Subdivision of part of Block 25, Evans Addition to the town of Hereford, Deaf Smith County, Texas.
LEVIED ON this 2 day of February, 1977.
Travis McPherson Sheriff
Deaf Smith County, Texas
157-S-3c
No. 7256

SHERIFF'S SALE THE STATE OF TEXAS COUNTY OF DEAF SMITH
By virtue of an Order of Sale issued out of the Honorable 69th Judicial District Court of Deaf Smith County, Texas, on the 28 day of January, A.D. 1977 by the Clerk Thereof, in the case of State of Texas, Et Al vs. Michael S. Wilson, Et Al, Cause #7245, and to me, as Sheriff, directed and delivered, I will proceed to sell, within the hours prescribed by law for Sheriff's sales, on the FIRST TUESDAY in March, A.D., 1977, it being the 1st day of said month before the Court house door of said Deaf Smith County in the City of Hereford, Texas, the following described property, to-wit:
Part of Lots 80 and 81, Colonia De Buena Vista Subdivision of a Part of Block 3 and 4, Womble Addition to the Town of Hereford, Deaf Smith County, Texas.
Levied on this 2 day of February, 1977.
Travis McPherson Sheriff
Deaf Smith County, Texas.
157-S-3c
No. 7245

SHERIFF'S SALE THE STATE OF TEXAS COUNTY OF DEAF SMITH
By virtue of an Order of Sale issued out of the Honorable 69th Judicial District Court of Deaf Smith County, Texas, on the 28th day of February, A.D. 1977 by the Clerk Thereof, in the case of State of Texas, Et Al vs. Serpio Vasquez, Et Al, Cause #7286, and to me, as Sheriff, directed and delivered, I will proceed to sell within the hours prescribed by law for Sheriff's sales, on the FIRST TUESDAY in March, A.D. 1977, it being the 1st day of said month before the Court house door of said Deaf Smith County in the City of Hereford, Texas, the following described property, to-wit:
The West 50' Lot 7, Block 7, Womble Addition to the Town of Hereford, Deaf Smith County, Texas.
Levied on this 2 day of February, 1977.
Travis McPherson Sheriff
Deaf Smith County, Texas.
157-S-3c
No. 7286

SHERIFF'S SALE THE STATE OF TEXAS COUNTY OF DEAF SMITH
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All of the South 450 feet of Block 50, Evans Addition to the town of Hereford, Deaf Smith County, Texas.
Levied on the 2 day of February, 1977.
Travis McPherson Sheriff
Deaf Smith County, Texas
157-S-3c
No. 7391

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DATED at Hereford, Texas, this 1st day of February, 1977.
Travis McPherson Sheriff
of Deaf Smith County, Texas
157-S-3c
No. 7362

THE STATE OF TEXAS COUNTY OF DEAF SMITH NOTICE OF EXECUTION SALE
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LEVIED ON this 2 day of February, 1977.
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157-S-3c
No. 7256

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Recommended Decision Issued By Agriculture Department On Beef Research Order

The U.S. Department of Agriculture (USDA) has announced that evidence received at a public hearing justifies proposing a nationally coordinated research and information order for beef.

USDA's Agricultural Marketing Service (AMS) set a Feb. 24, 1977 deadline for filing written exceptions to its recommended decision the beef research and information order. After that date, a final decision will be made. If the final decision is favorable, beef producers will vote on the proposed program in a national referendum.

Under the recommended order, a Beef Board composed of producers would have the power to collect assessments on the sales of cattle and to use the funds for research, producers and consumer information, and promotion to improve, maintain, and develop markets for cattle, beef, and beef products. Producers not wishing to participate in the program could have their assessment refunded by the Board.

Such a program is authorized by the Beef Research and Information Act of May, 1976. USDA's recommended decision is based on evidence received at public hearing sessions held during September and October in Dallas, Tex.; Denver, Colo.; Pittsburgh, Pa.; Atlanta, Ga.; San Francisco, Calif.; and Des Moines, Iowa.

Until Feb. 24, 1977, anyone interested can file exceptions to the recommended order and brief in support of their exceptions. Five copies of such exceptions should be submitted to the Hearing Clerk, Room 112-A, U.S. Department of Agriculture, Washington, D.C. 20250, where they will be available for public inspection.

The recommended decision is scheduled to be published in the Jan. 25, 1977 Federal Register. Single copies of the recommended decision can also be obtained from the Hearing Clerk's office.



Ray Gerk of Hereford, shown with his wife, Carol, and three daughters, Shelley, Shannon, and Shyla, was sworn in January 24 as a member of the Board of Directors of the High Plains Underground Water Conservation District No. 1. Judge Robert L. Wright of the 137th District Court in Lubbock presided over the ceremonies at the Hilton Inn in Lubbock. Also sworn in was A.W. Gober of Farwell. Gerk represents District Director's Precinct Four, which includes Armstrong, Deaf Smith, Potter, and Randall Counties. He is serving his first term as a member of the Board of Directors for HPUWDC No. 1.

ICA Head Testifies For Sullivant Bill

T.A. Cunningham, President of the over 100,000 members of the Independent Cattlemen's Assn. of Texas testified before the Texas House Agriculture and Livestock Committee Jan. 31, in behalf of Rep. Bill Sullivant's House Bill 22. "the importance of the concept of untaxing open space cannot be stressed enough when the country is experiencing such dark days in agriculture. Fewer and fewer Texans are entering into the business of ranching and farming because of profitability of the business is becoming non-existent." Cunningham stated in opening remarks.

Cunningham said the north is present experiencing the effects of government imposition on the private sector in that instead of encouraging the exploration and production of Texas natural gas, it discouraged it. He stated that the government must provide incentive to the private sector and that this is what Rep. Sullivant's bill would do to agriculture.

"I want to make it clear that this Association wants in no way to downgrade free public education; but it is time that the burden of taxation be spread to all citizens of the state rather than primarily to those who are actively engaged in ranching and farming. Agriculture is too important to the nation to be hindered in any form or fashion. We of course want to carry our fair share for the financing of public education." Cunningham continued.

Cunningham expressed hope that the members of the Texas Legislature would be formulating a new method of public school financing place an absolute ceiling on the rate at which property could be taxed. He also urged the Legislators to consider the adoption of the use valuation method of taxation when revision of state inheritance tax laws comes before them this session.

Reduction Due to Markets

AUSTIN--After experiencing slow markets and lowered prices in 1976, wheat farmers in Texas have planted five per cent fewer acres for the 1977 harvest, Agriculture Commissioner John C. White has reported.

Texas Crop and Livestock Reporting Service estimates that 6,150,000 acres have been seeded for the winter crop. Based on December 1 conditions, statewide production is expected to total 98,400,000 bushels, down from the 102,400,000 bushels of 1976.

Reductions in acreage are virtually statewide with some 50 per cent reductions reported in both South Texas and the Coastal Bend. One exception is the Edwards Plateau where 10,000 more acres have been seeded than last year.

Nationally, winter wheat seeding has also decreased by three per cent from a year ago. Total U.S. production is being forecast at 1,328 million bushels, eight per cent below the 1976 crop.

Farm Cash Receipts Up But Profits Remain Slim

AUSTIN--While total cash receipts increased to \$6.4 billion for Texas agriculture, dollar figures alone do not tell the whole story when talking about 1976. Agriculture Commissioner John C. White said in his review of the year.

"The credit side of the ledger may look healthy, but when you consider that costs have also steadily increased during the year, profits begin to look very slim for most farmers," White explained.

Total farm parity for 1976 wound up at 66 per cent, the lowest for the ratio in 43 years. "In fact, with few exceptions," White said, "prices for farm products remained under parity during the entire year."

Hope for marginal profit farms this year lies in the possibility of Federal measures to bolster supports for several commodities, especially grain. Farm groups across the state are pressing for changes in agricultural policy that will give some stability for their operations.

"While no one wants to return to the days when the Federal Government was in the business of buying agricultural surpluses, a realistic, flexible support system must be made available when needed," White emphasized.

Prices averaging \$3.40 per hundredweight in Texas were down for the sorghum crop, which totaled 318 million bushels in 1976. Lowered production of wheat due to poor weather conditions was offset by record national harvests as well as sluggish export markets which have created the same "burdensome surpluses" of the 1960's.

Rice farmers also have tons in storage with little interest from the usual foreign buyers.

Good harvests elsewhere have held farm prices low for the Texas corn crop, up almost 50 million bushels this year to 161 million bushels.

The world ice cream eating record, according to the Guinness Book of Records, was set by Ronald C. Long in North Adams, Mass., in 1975. He ate 8 pounds of ice cream — 51 scoops — in 12 minutes.

Cotton was one bright exception for farmers this year, with the three million bales produced in the state commanding some of the highest prices ever paid for the natural fiber. With average year-end prices at 65 cents statewide, cotton also appears to be one of the best profit-positioned commodities for 1977.

The story is glum, however, for livestock, which account for two-thirds of the

MAPLEWOOD, N.J. (AP) — With the growing number of diesel engine automobiles on the road, a publisher of maps and travel books has issued a motorists' guide which pinpoints the service stations that sell diesel fuel.

"Diesel Stop Directory and Road Atlas," by Hammond, offers 8,400 listings of diesel fuel dispensers in the United States and Canada. The publication lists the brand name of fuel carried, the street and town addresses, and the location of diesel stations on each road map for the 50 states and Canada.



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COUNTY OF DEAF SMITH

By virtue of an Order of Sale issued out of the Honorable 69th Judicial District Court of Deaf Smith County, Texas, on the 28th day of January, A.D. 1977 by the Clerk Thereof, in the case of State of Texas, Et Al, vs. Joe Angel Soto, Cause #7284, and to me, as Sheriff, directed and delivered, I will proceed to sell, within the hours prescribed by law for Sheriff's sales, on the FIRST TUESDAY in March, A.D. 1977, it being the 1st day of said month before the Courthouse door of said Deaf Smith County in the City of Hereford, Texas, the following described property, to-wit:

A part of the SW/4 of Section 42, Block K-3, Deaf Smith County Texas.

YOUNGER POET AWARD
NEW HAVEN, Conn. (AP) — Olga Broumas, a visiting instructor in Women's Studies at the University of Oregon, has been named the winner of the Yale Series of Younger Poets competition for her volume "Beginning With O."

Ms. Broumas, a feminist poet, is the first winner of this competition to write in English as an adopted language. She was born on the island of Syros, Greece.

BEGINNING at a point in the north line of a public road, 10.8 varas north of the south line of said Section 42, and 300 varas east of the west line of said Section 42, said point of beginning also being described as the point of intersection of the west line of said five acre tract and THENCE north with the west line of said five acre tract 115 feet to a point; THENCE east 70 feet to a point; THENCE south, 115 feet to a point in the north line of said public road, THENCE west 70 feet to the PLACE OF BEGINNING.

Levied on this 2 day of February, 1977.

Travis McPherson Sheriff,
Deaf Smith County, Texas
157-S-3c
No. 7284

SHERIFF'S SALE
THE STATE OF TEXAS
COUNTY OF DEAF SMITH

By virtue of an Order of Sale issued out of the Honorable 69th Judicial District Court of Deaf Smith County, Texas, on the 28th day of January, A.D. 1977 by the Clerk Thereof, in the case of State of Texas, Et Al vs. Pilar Z. Benavidez, Cause #7282, and to me, as Sheriff, directed and delivered, I will proceed to sell, within the hours prescribed by law for Sheriff's sales, on the FIRST TUESDAY in March, A.D. 1977, it being the 1st day of said month before the court house door of said Deaf Smith County, in the City of Hereford, Texas, the following described property, to-wit:

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Comings And Goings At Kings Manor

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We dare say few ladies have been to an Open House Kitchen Party. Well, at King's Manor we had one. On Wednesday 9, we all went between 2 and 4 p.m. to see our new stainless steel furnished kitchen right here at home. It was beautifully clean and bright. We saw the following steel items. Four links, 2 large work tables, utility racks, 3 carts, 1 grill table, a 3 door freezer, a 2 door refrigerator, 3 mobile storage bins, one refrigerator and a large mixer. The stove is old but is was spotless and looked quite usable.

There was much oooh-ooohing and ah-ah-ing over the immaculate look of the work situation. Our working ladies of the kitchen are beaming too over the improvements. These ladies are our delight because of

their graciousness to us, in every way. They deserve the best working conditions, we believe because of their faithfulness and courtesy in serving us. We must never take their service for granted but be very appreciative toward them.

Artist of the month on Louise Vaughan.

Mrs. Betty Gresham's mother, Mrs. T.C. McWilliams from Muleshoe, visited her daughter and she made a tour of the Manor complex while here.

BINGO PARTIES

Ladies of the American Legion Auxiliary and W.W.I. Ladies Auxiliary helped with a bingo party at King's Manor last Friday evening. About 25 manorites were in the group and the helping ladies were Mmes. Ira Ott, J.G. Gandy, W.C.

Gilleland, and Mrs. Willie Benton.

The King's Manor Auxiliary, with Mrs. Carleta Harkins as president, planned and carried out a huge Bingo Party on Monday night January 31, in the Lamar Memorial Garden Room. More than 200 tickets were sold. All Manor people and friends of the Manor feel good that Westgate is to be benefited in such a way. Mrs. Harkins and her committees have really scored this time.

Mrs. Don Davidson called the meeting to order. Then she introduced James Jesko, commander of Hereford Post of American Legion, who presented a gift from his group. The gift was some new Bingo Cards and Frank Morgan, a Manorite, received graciously as he stated "Twas a good gift for us kids out here. We will use and care for them," he said.

Mrs. Ruth Gandy was project chairman and she had Rev. Seago swing into action as caller while Mrs. Joe Ann Simmer was echo voice in the rear of the room.

An intermission period came when players partook of refreshments at a lovely Valentine decorated table. All this department was the handiwork of Mrs. Annie Ruland and Mrs. Margarite Cole.

Dr. Seago, as caller, was then relieved by Keith Simmer while wife, Mrs. Jo Ann Simmer continued as echo person.

About two dozen prizes were awarded we would say. They were very lovely.

Parties like this are a good media for bringing us Manorites in contact with people of Hereford and visa versa. Thus they serve as a unifying element, which we all need. We feel we may be an asset to the town, and certainly we would be lost and defeated here without the citizenry of Hereford. Let there always be good fellowship and respect between us.



Dedication Announced

Mr. and Mrs. Marlin Gilliland, seated, admire the book, "E.B. Black Co. Funeral Records, 1909-1923," which was dedicated to Gilliland in appreciation for his assistance in compilation of the book's data. A copy of the genealogical record was presented this week to Gwen London, standing at left, who placed the volume on local library shelves. The earliest-known account of funerals of Deaf Smith County, the book will be placed in the National DAR library at Washington, D.C. and the State DAR archives. Directing the project were Mrs. L.W. Norvell, at right, DAR chapter regent and state chairman of DAR's genealogical records committee, and Mrs. Jess Robinson, chairman of the genealogical records committee of Los Ciboleros DAR Chapter here. [Photo By Phyl Smith.]

Society Hears Of Scotland

The Deaf Smith County Genealogy Society met Thursday night at the Deaf Smith County Library.

Mrs. Baxter Lambert presented a program on the Federal Records Center at Fort Worth and on researching in Scotland.

She gave a brief history of Scotland, noting the geographical location. She noted that Mc as in McDonald means "son" but a Scottish name might also be Donaldson or just Donald. Also she told that Scotch-Irish ancestry usually means those Scotch people that moved from

Scotland into Ireland and later into America in the 1700's.

Edwina Thomas announced that a branch of the Morman Library will be completed in Lubbock by the end of the year and that this is a good source in which to research Scotland.

It was announced that two Texas census rolls are now available at the Deaf Smith County Library to be used by anyone interested. There is an 1850 census of Smith, Shelby and Tyler Counties and an 1880 census of Tarrant, Taylor, Titus and Tom Green Counties.

The next regular meeting March 3 will feature Dr. Peter Petersen of West Texas State University.

Those present with Mrs. Lambert were: Gary and Cindy Cone, Carlos Vaughn, Bruce Carter, Carman Angel, Terri Sevier, Nell Norvell, Rosemary Thomas, Mildred Brown, Edwina Thomas, Virginia Thomas, Lorene Newman, Jeanette Ramey, Ruth Newsom, Wanda Norvell, Earline Schneider, and Nadine Lance.

Joyce's Journal

BY JOYCE SHEPP
Deaf Smith County
Extension Agent

In restoring wicker furniture, after a careful cleansing, the piece should be studied carefully from top to bottom, inside out, to determine repairs that need to be made.

The most common types of repairs that are required by old wicker furniture include (1) regluing and strengthening framing, (2) reattaching loosened reed wrappings, and (3) reweaving or mending holes and slits.

New Glue For Old Joints
Old glues in joints can easily release if the furniture piece has been used outdoors or in high humidity.

New glue can be forced into loosened joints by using a glue needle or a hypodermic syringe filled with a tight-bonding furniture glue.

Joints should be clamped or bound with strips of rope or an old tire tube until thoroughly dry. Don't attempt to break part a solid joint to apply glue to a loose one. With a hand drill and a small bit, insert a hole into the loose joint so that glue may be forced in with the syringe.

Sections of the woven wicker should not be removed from the frame since it may fray out or the shape become distorted.

Reattaching Loosened Reed
Through use and drying out of the wood, the reed in wicker furniture often becomes brittle, breaks and unwinds from the frame.

Reattaching loosened reed is a repair that can be easily made by the do-it-yourselfer. If the loosened strip of reed is still strong and is all there, reattaching it to the frame is simple.

Begin by pulling a warm, wet cloth along the length of the reed for several minutes to make it more flexible and to prevent its breaking while being rewrapped.

Coat the portion of the frame to be rewrapped with a tight-bonding furniture glue and begin carefully wrapping the length of reed around the exposed frame. Secure the end of the reed in place with a staple or a small brad.

When reed bindings have broken loose to expose sections of the framing, new replacement reed must be purchased. For smooth wrappings, soak the new binding in warm water until it is pliable.

Remove the old loose reed, cutting it off at the point where still securely attached to the frame. Cut it off at the underside or in the least noticeable place.

Apply glue to the exposed frame, attach one end of the reed strip with a brad or staple, and wrap the remainder around the glue-coated frame.

Reweaving Reed
Woven sections of wicker are subject to splitting and damage by punctures or holes. Where damage is not extensive, it is usually possible to weave in a patch or replacement reeds that will not be conspicuous.

Short strands of reed can often be found underneath the furniture piece. If loose, they may be clipped and used as replacement reeds for small repairs.

Begin by soaking lengths of the new reed in warm water to make it pliable. Towel dry it, and on the underside of the piece, glue the new strip onto one of the old ones. For added strength, wire or bind the two pieces together and follow the weave as closely as possible.

Reweave holes as you would darn a hole in a sock. To end off the patch, attach the end of the strip to one of the original reeds by gluing and binding the two together.

Where one or more of the reeds is severed but still intact, work glue around over both sides of the damaged area, being careful to force glue between the broken strands.

Oil shale in the United States may hold 40 gallons of petroleum to a ton of rock but no one yet knows how to extract it economically or without ruining thousands of square miles of the western U.S. by strip mining. The oil shale holds many times the known American oil reserves of 45.4 billion barrels.



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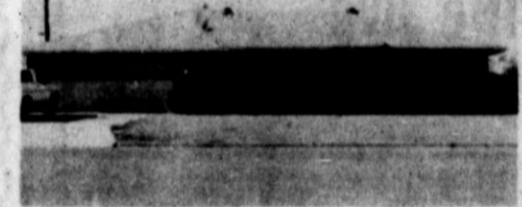


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- I H, 6 wheel, 20' heavy duty, tilt bed implement trailer
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- F835, 4 x 16" Bottom John Deere Spinner Plow
- John Deere, 18" double off-set disc.
- 2 - 18" BWA John Deere Tandem disc.
- 12' Miller off-set disc.
- 6 - IHC, Model 295, flex planters
- 1 - lot of best attachments for model 295 IHC
- 6 row rolling bed shaper
- 6 row, PTO, rod weeder, complete
- 6 row furrow-opener
- 8 row Tye drill, 8 in. spacing
- 16 10, John Deere Vanbrunt Grain Drill
- John Deere Tradel 407 Shredder
- 5' Pull-type shredder
- 10' Everman float
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- 2 - 8" x 8" Hydrants
- 1 - 12" x 8" Hydrant
- Randolph 55 H.P. Gear Head, 3 to 4 ratio
- 2 - 300 Ford Blocks, rebuildable
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Summerfield News

BETTY W. HAYES

BRAND CORRESPONDENT



Rev. and Mrs. Don Larkin were in Borger Monday when they attended the funeral of Mrs. Minnie Garrison, mother-in-law of Mrs. G. Garrison, sister of Mrs. Larkin.

Mrs. David Hayes of Dimmitt visited in the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Earl Lance, Wednesday.

Miss Barbara Huckert, student at Texas Tech University in Lubbock is home visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Huckert this weekend.

Mrs. Joan Euler and Mrs. Joe Kendall of Hereford visited in the David Euler home of Amarillo Tuesday and also shopped.

Plans are being made for a Valentine Banquet for the Summerfield Baptist Church for February 11. Everyone is invited and should contact Mrs. Doris Dobbs if you plan to attend.

The Easter Lions Club is at it again! This time several have gotten together and are playing volleyball this week in the Little Bull Barn in Hereford. The team played Tuesday and Thursday. Playing were James Dobbs, Clark Andrews, Don Tindel, Danny Paetzold, Clarence Behrends, Roy Robinson & Earl Harkins.

Attending the Deaf Smith Co. Forum held Monday in the Community Building in Hereford were Mrs. Patty Atchley, Mrs. Annie DeLozier, Mrs. Naline Lance, Mrs. Lillian Lookingbill, Mrs. Mac Noland, Mrs. Guy Walser and Mrs. J.R. Euler. The above ladies are members of the Summerfield Study Club who helped serve as hostess. The ladies enjoyed the luncheon and the program "Gypsy," presented by Mrs. Jack Cox. Musical selections were presented by Mrs. Ken Walser and Mrs. Wesley Gully.

The W.M.U. of the Summerfield Baptist Church met Tuesday at the home of Mrs. Don Larkin for their business meeting. Those present were Mrs. Doris Dobbs, Mrs. Sammie Lance, Mrs. Annie De

Lozier, Mrs. Rosa Gordan, and Mrs. Larkin.

Mrs. Jackie Edwards are in Albuquerque, N.M., visiting this week with her father, J.C. Stegau of Hobbs is hospitalized.

Visiting in the home of Mrs. Pauline Henderson of Hereford Thursday were Mrs. Frank Huckert, Mrs. Guy Walser and Mrs. Sally Jesko.

Hey, Good Buddy, Got your Ears On? The "convoy" from the Summerfield Baptist Church did as they were on their way to Amarillo Monday evening. They attended the Good News Mini-Youth Rally and Good News Texas Evangelism Rally at the First Baptist Church. The convoy which contained about 29 adults and youth and guests from our church was led by the "Circuit Rider." The convoy had great success at the Rally and it was enjoyed by all. Enroute home the convoy was delayed as the "Bald Eagle" ran out of "petro."

Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Lance, and Mrs. Lance's brother, Charlie Lance of Dimmitt returned home Monday from Bethany, Okla after visiting in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Roy Young and children, sister of Mrs. Lance and Mr. Lance.

The group also visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Steve Lane, nephew, of Oklahoma, City, Okla. while in Oklahoma City Jerry & Sammy also enjoyed the sights in the Cowboy Hall of Fame.

Mrs. Doris Dobbs attended the Parent Advisory Board for Title I and Title Migrant for the Hereford School Thursday evening. Mrs. Dobbs serves as a member of this board.

Rev. Don Larkin is now attending the Clinical Pastoral Education course at the Hi Plains Baptist Hospital in Amarillo. Bro. Don will be attending "school" 2 days a week and will take 240 hours of training.

Several in the community helped in the Fat Stock Show last weekend. Lots of Young people in the community had animals in the show. Some

placed in the top of their field. We congratulate each and every one who entered. We are especially proud of our young people in the community.

Lots of the parents also worked in helping make the show a success.

Young people of the Summerfield Baptist Church keep on your toes - seems like a ski trip is being planned for the very near future.

Mr. and Mrs. Guy Walser have returned after business in the Ft. Worth - Dallas area. They also visited the Pat Morse's of Fort Worth.



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Vega News

MARY LOU SPINIRNE
Correspondent

Mrs. May Hall Clare is a patient in the Deaf Smith General Hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Dunning of Colorado Springs, Colo. spent the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. Cal Mathes.

Miss Quincy Wimberly of Arlington spent the weekend with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jon C. Wimberly and sisters, Jonny Ruth and Martha.

Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Miller, Mrs. James Voyles, Mrs. Helen Biddle, Mrs. Glen Boydston and Edna Horrell attended "Good News of Texas" at the First Baptist Church in Amarillo Monday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Batenhorst of Canadian and James Batenhorst of Amarillo visited Mr. and Mrs. Henry Batenhorst Sunday.

A.G. "Buzz" Hale is a patient in St. Anthony's Hospital where he underwent heart surgery.

Mrs. Agnes Krahn of Amarillo was a recent guest of Mr. and Mrs. Aubrey McKen-

dree.

Frank Lomoni is a patient in St. Anthony's Hospital where he underwent surgery.

Mr. and Mrs. Cal Mathes and Mr. and Mrs. Howard Dunning of Colorado Springs, Colo. visited Mrs. Mary Stuart in Olsen Manor Nursing Home Saturday.

Danny Shafter has returned home from being a patient in the Dumas Memorial Hospital.

Realtors Board

To Meet At

Noon Tuesday

Members of the Hereford Board of Realtors will hear the Texas Association Mid-Winter Report at a meeting of the organization set for noon, Tuesday, Feb. 8 at Dickies Restaurant.

All members are asked to be present.

Meet Your Educators

Sponsored By Hereford Classroom Teachers Assoc.

Jan Wilkes teaches Algebra II and Trigonometry at Hereford High School. She has taught in the Math Department for two years. She also is a junior class sponsor and sponsor for the twirlers.

An accomplished musician, she has played oboe with the Midland-Odessa symphony and the Amarillo Symphony.

Mrs. Wilks graduated from Robert E. Lee High School in Midland. She earned a Bachelor of Science Degree and Master of Science Degree from West Texas State University.

Mrs. Wilks is married to Andy Wilks, an art teacher at Stanton Junior High School. They faithfully attend the First United Methodist Church where they participate in the Cornerstone Sunday School Class.

Both educators enjoy camping.

Mrs. Wilks is a member of National Education Association.

Texas State Teachers Association, and Classroom Teachers Association.

Her advice to other math teachers is "Get as much math in their heads as possible but have an enjoyable class as well! Be flexible; be willing to say 'I'm wrong' or 'I'm sorry!'" She said, "I like teaching."

Day Center

Board Meets

On Tuesday

The Board of Directors of the Hereford Day Care Center will meet at noon Tuesday Feb. 8 at the Hereford Country Club.

Ed McCreary, board chairman, urges all members to attend.

Grateful For Donations

Dean Stallings, campaign chairman for the local Hear: Fund, and Cynthia Noyes, poster child for the Hereford Drive, say "thank you" to those residents who contributed more than \$3,000 to the ongoing campaign by attending the Hereford Heart Ball last weekend. Volunteers for the American Heart Association will be seeking donations from businesses in the next two weeks and the door-to-door collection is scheduled Feb. 20 on Heart Sunday. (Photo By Phyl Smith)

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Ann Landers Repeats Column



DEAR ANN: Please -- a rerun from 1966: "A Child's Plea to His Parents." I loved it then. My daughter needs it now. Many thanks. -- Professor At Centre College, Ky.

DEAR CENTRE: Here it is -- with pleasure.

Give me more than food to nourish me. Give me the warmth and the security of your love. Give me plenty of things to look at, to feel, to smell, to listen to, to taste. And even some things to break.

Teach me to take my turn. Watch me play so you can see how I am trying to work out my problems.

When you tell me to do something, please tell me why I should do it.

Don't transfer your fears to me. I have enough of my own to cope with and I don't need more.

Help me not to act when I am angry. But don't make me so afraid of showing anger that I lose the capacity to feel strongly about anything.

Let me learn to bear pain, to want things but to be strong enough to postpone gratification

of certain feelings I am not yet ready to experience.

Give me a little corner in the house that is all mine and nobody else's. I need moments of peace and quiet that cannot be invaded by anyone.

Give me my share of consideration and attention. I must know every day, even if for just a few moments, that I am the only one you are thinking about and loving. Let me ask any question that pops into my head. If you don't know the answer, say so. It's good training to hear someone say, "I don't know, but I will try to find out for you."

Be patient with me when I don't do things very well at first. Remember I have so many things to learn and almost everything takes some practice.

Let me bear the consequences for whatever I do. I need to be punished as well as rewarded. And when you punish me, make sure the punishment fits the crime.

Above all, grant me unconditional love. For if I know it is there, I will be able to give the same to my children -- and they

will be able to give it to theirs.

DEAR ANN LANDERS: Last May I married a divorced man. A few weeks after our marriage he handed me the wedding ring his first wife had placed on his finger and said, "Do whatever you want with this. It has no meaning to me."

I put the ring in my jewelry box but whenever I see it I feel uncomfortable. It's 18-karat gold and must be worth something. I hate to just throw it in the garbage can. Any suggestions, Ann? -- Need To Be Free

DEAR NEED: Take the ring to a jeweler who buys old gold. (Most of them do.) Donate the money to the Salvation Army. They do a fine job for a great many people.

DEAR ANN: My 16-year-old friend just got her driver's license. Gloria drives lousy and I can't understand how she passed the test. She has no idea what the signals mean and I'm scared to ride with her.

Yesterday she turned into a one-way street and I thought it was curtains. Please tell me what to do without ruining our friendship -- Nervous In Nevada

DEAR N.: You life is more important than Gloria's Friendship. Refuse to drive with her until she proves she has learned to handle an automobile. It would be an act of friendship.

CHILDREN AND ART UNIVERSITY PARK, Pa. (AP) -- "Parents should not apply adult standards to children's art," says Dr. Harlan Hoffa, professor of art education at the Pennsylvania State University. Young children don't draw to make an accurate picture of an object or a person, but to make symbolic representations, he says.

"From a kid's point of view, it is a sign or symbol which stands for something else but is not necessarily a picture of it," Dr. Hoffa explains. "Adults need to recognize this and not discourage the child by asking what the drawing is supposed to be."

Students Featured On Cable TV Monday

Television Celebrities from Hereford High School? Yes, the future could very well hold this possibility for several students attending HHS.

Four students will appear on Hereford Cablevision station at 6:30 on Monday night.

All of the Hereford High students that will appear on the program will be from the "History of Western Thought" class, an advanced course in History.

The students will hold a debate, discussion type program on the Lt. William Calley trial and conviction. The four students that will be involved in the discussion are: Suzanne Duval, Dennis Collins, Kathy Wilson and Robert Perez.

The idea of actually going on television was developed by the chairman of the History department, N.D. Kelso.

Kelso felt that the idea of going on television would turn out to be an interesting learning experience for all of the students involved.

Each week the topics will be different and will be decided the week before. Top ideas for topics are: President Carter's amnesty program, the treatment of Japanese-Americans during World War II and Panama canal treaty.

UNDERSTANDING

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"Learning disorders" -- the mysterious inability in some children to learn to read at the normal age -- run in families and apparently can be inherited, scientists have found.

A comprehensive study done in Stockholm, Sweden, dealt with 112 children with "specific dyslexia" -- meaning reading impairment that could not be explained by sickness, neglect, problem families, or other causes -- and found that 88 per cent of them had relatives who also were affected.

The study showed that the disability probably followed a "dominant" pattern: if one parent carried the gene leading to the development of dyslexia, the odds that a given child would be affected would be about one in two; if both parents carried the gene, one in one.

A New Jersey investigator, studying 556 children enrolled in a special program for children with learning disabilities, found that 3 or 5 of every 10 children had a close relative who also had learning problems.

A 1975 study by a group at the University of Florida arrived at a figure similar to the Swedish findings. In one group of reading-disabled children -- those with "pure" dyslexia -- close to 80 per cent were found to have at least one parent who

was handicapped in reading. Parents were considered handicapped if they read at a level least 2 years below their level of schooling.

These studies show that even when a problem looks simple -- finding out if parents transmit learning disorders through their genes -- it usually is hard to solve.

Scientific evidence that can prove that a complex disorder was inherited is very difficult to gather. In their studies of learning disabilities, scientists must patiently and carefully try to separate out what is inherited from what is caused by environmental factors, such as upbringing.

Experts have come to realize that children with reading problems often have many other problems with their friends and family. As a result, scientists are trying more and more to understand reading disabilities. Heredity is only one possible cause.

Further information about learning disorders can be obtained by ordering a copy of Detection and Prevention of Learning Disorders from the Superintendent of Documents, U.S. Government Printing Office, Washington, D.C. 20402, for \$1.00.

Today In History

By The Associated Press

Today is Sunday, Feb. 6, the 37th day of 1977. There are 328 days left in the year.

Today's highlight in history: On this date in 1952, King George VI of Britain died and was succeeded by his daughter, Elizabeth II.

On this date: In 1693, the College of William and Mary was chartered at Williamsburg, Va.

In 1701, the War of Spanish Succession began and French troops occupied southern Spanish Netherlands.

In 1715, the Peace of Utrecht ended a war between Spain and Portugal.

In 1778, Massachusetts became the sixth state to ratify the U.S. Constitution.

In 1964, Cuba cut off the normal water supply to the American naval base at Guantanamo Bay in Cuba.

Ten years ago: President Lyndon Johnson asked Congress to provide \$350 million to help launch a federal-state-city war on crime.

Five years ago: North Vietnam said American prisoners of war would be released only when the Vietnam war came to an end.

One year ago: It was announced that former President Richard Nixon would visit China, at the invitation of the Peking government.

Today's birthday: Former California governor Ronald Reagan is 66.

Thought for today: A woman should be like a good suspense movie: the more left to the imagination, the more excitement there is. -- Alfred Hitchcock.

Earth Heat
Geothermal energy literally means "earth-heat" energy, and geothermal areas are those areas where the heat is great enough and close enough to the surface to provide a heat source. In addition, the heat source must be in or near an area of permeable rocks which contain enough water to transfer the heat to the surface -- either along fractures or through drill holes.



The Wa Ca Tawasi Camp Fire group met Tuesday for their regular meeting at the Temple Baptist Fellowship Hall.

Members turned in letters they had written to hospitalized veterans as part of their participation in a nationwide project of the Camp Fire Girls. The project is called "No Greater Love."

Group members also made invitations for their fathers for the Father-Daughter Banquet.

Holly McNeese served refreshments to Rosie Garza, Kim Seward, Karen Johnson, Gloria De La Paz, Shirley Morrison, Sandra Rodriguez, Diana Rodriguez, Elma Turruleites, Teresa Carr and Tanya Jones.

Adult leaders of the group are Betty Jones and Shirley Carr.

Mineral Riches
Ninety-five per cent of the world's gem emeralds are produced by Columbia. The Muzo emerald mines, 75 miles from the capital of Bogota, have been in operation for four centuries. The mineral-rich South American nation also produces such precious metals as gold, silver, copper and platinum as well as lead, mercury, manganese, iron, nickel and coal.



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647 acres, Deaf Smith Co., 5 wells, 2 1/2 miles underground pipe, return pit with pump, \$550.00 per acre, 29 per cent down.	340 acres, Deaf Smith Co., 3-8" wells, 1 1/2 miles underground pipe, 2 pivot sprinkler systems, 24'X30 barn, brick home, priced to sell.	310 acres, Sherman Co., 2-8" wells, 1 1/2 miles underground pipe, tail-water return system.

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Calendar of Events

MONDAY
Free tanning demonstration at Deaf Smith County Library, 4 p.m. public invited.
Veileda Study Club, Husband's Night in the home of Mrs. J.D. Gilbert Jr., 7:30 p.m.
Palo Duro Home Demonstration Club, home of Mrs. Wallace Hill, 7 p.m.
Order of Rainbow for Girls, Masonic Temple, 7:15 p.m.
Rotary Club, Civic Club Center, noon.
Odd Fellows Lodge, 100F Hall, 8 p.m.
Evening Lions, K-Bob's Steak House, 7:30 p.m.
TOPS Evening-Campfire Property Enterprises, 6 p.m.
Square Dance Lessons, Community Center, 7:30 p.m.
Dawn Lions, Dawn Community Center, 8:30 p.m.
Bullfrogs 4-H Club, Community Center, 4 p.m.
Summerfield 4-H Club, First Baptist Church of Summerfield 6:30 p.m.

TUESDAY
Association of W's, Commu-

ity Center, 7:30 p.m. Public welcome.
La Madre Mia Study Club, home of Mrs. Dwight McGee, 8 p.m.
Dawn Music Club, Dawn Community Center, noon.
Lone Star Study Club, Valentine luncheon in the home of Mrs. C.B. Womble, noon.
West Hereford Home Demonstration Club, home of Mrs. Robert Boyd, 2:30 p.m.
Hereford Day Care Center, Board of Directors luncheon at the Country Club, noon.
Pioneer Study Club, Hereford Country Club, 11:30 a.m.
Hereford Newcomers Club, lunch at Community Center, noon.
Order of the Eastern Star, Masonic Temple, 7:30 p.m.
Young Mothers Study Club, Reddy Room of Southwestern Public Service building, 8 p.m.
Planned Parenthood Clinic open at 101 Ave. E. from 8:30 a.m.- 3 p.m.
Hereford TOPS Club 576, Community Center, 9 a.m.

WEDNESDAY
Microwave oven demonstrations in Reddy Room of Southwestern Public Service building, 1:30 and 7 p.m. Public invited.
Noon Lions, Civic Club Center noon.
Story hours for preschool children at Deaf Smith County Library, 10 a.m. and 3 p.m.

THURSDAY
Film for senior citizens at Deaf Smith County Library, 3 p.m.
St. Anthony's Women's Organization, church's Antonion Room, 8 p.m.
Calliopean Study Club, home of Mrs. Dale Furr, 8 p.m.
Hereford Riders Club, Community Center, 8 p.m.
Kiwanis Club, Civic Club Center, noon.
Hereford Jaycees, Civic Club Center, 8 p.m.
Hereford TOPS Club, Community Center, 9 a.m.
Hereford Senior Citizens at former Central School, 7 p.m.
Westgate birthday party at Westgate, 3 p.m.

FRIDAY
Cultural Home Demonstration Club, home of Mrs. Paul Corbett, 2:30 p.m.
Sweet 'n' Fancy Decorating Club, Community Center, 9:30 a.m.
Hereford Garden Club, home of Mrs. H.R. Coconougher, 106 Oak, 3 p.m.
Kiwanis Whiteface Breakfast Club at Dickies Restaurant, 6:30 a.m.
Story hour for children, grades 1-4, at Deaf Smith County Library, 4-4:45 p.m.
Community Duplicate Bridge at Medallion Room of Rural Electric Cooperative, 7:30 p.m.

SATURDAY
Beta Sigma Phi Sorority Valentine Ball at Knights of Columbus Hall, 8:30 p.m.

Inspirational Workshop To Begin Here Saturday

An Inner Healing workshop lead by Ruth Carter Stapleton of Fayetteville, N.C., will begin at Wesley United Methodist Church, 410 Irving, at 9:30 a.m. Saturday.

Monday is the deadline to register as a workshop participant and all persons who enroll are required to stay until the sessions conclude at 3 p.m. that day. Registration fee is \$15 per person, however a scholarship is available through Raymond Higginbotham, 364-1545, or from the Rev. Jesse Hodge, 364-2296.

Persons attending the seminar should bring sack lunches; the church will provide beverages for the noon meal.

Mrs. Stapleton, who combines psychology and Christianity as a healing method, will also speak at Wesley Church at 7:30 p.m. Saturday and during worship services at 11 a.m. Sunday, Feb. 13. Special music during these services will be shared by the Rev. and Mrs. David Black of Miami, Tx.

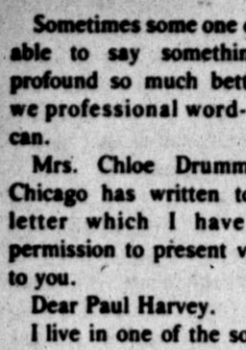
"The Gift of Inner Healing" was Mrs. Stapleton's first book to be published and has received notable response. It will soon be printed as a paperback book. She has written a new book, "Experiencing Inner Healing," soon to be available on store shelves.

Mrs. Stapleton has spoken at engagements throughout the nation. She has also conducted healing and teaching missions in England, Canada, Australia, New Zealand, Israel, Portugal, Japan and other countries of the Orient.

Mrs. Stapleton and her husband, Robert, make their home at Fayetteville with their four children.

That extra energy Popeye gets from spinach is no joke; dietitians say that spinach is exceptionally high in nutritional value. Starting in the 1920s, spinach received much publicity for its wealth of calcium and iron, along with Vitamins A and C. But research has found spinach is rich in oxalic acid, which prevents the calcium from being utilized by the body.

Paul Harvey News A Time To Live and A Time To Die



Sometimes some one of you is able to say something very profound so much better than we professional word-makers can.

Mrs. Chloe Drummond of Chicago has written to me a letter which I have asked permission to present verbatim to you.

Dear Paul Harvey,
I live in one of the so-called "changing neighborhoods" of Chicago.

Two women next door and one across the street are also such good cooks and they often drop in with a whole meal-dessert and all.

"It's hard for me to get out and when I must go to a doctor there's always a neighbor eager to take me there and wait with me.

I try to reciprocate, but there is no way I can keep up with the constant kindnesses of these generous and loving people.

So when friends ask why we don't move to a better neighborhood I tell them I can't imagine a better neighborhood.

Because I have learned that it does not at all distress or disturb my neighbors that I am white and they are black.

Now we can't send our children to the school which my husband and I attended, because it is now so bad. It is all black. And there is so much narcotics and meanness even though there are policemen in every hall and every classroom.

The black students are from ghetto areas and so many of them are vicious and violent that I dare not send my children to that school.

Incidentally, the black neighbors I told you about all came to Chicago rather recently from Alabama and Georgia and Mississippi, and they don't dare send their children to those schools, either.

So I guess what it all adds up to, Mr. Harvey, is that there are whites and there are blacks and there are blacks, and I hope Mr. Carter is not misled by having known the good kind.



RUTH CARTER STAPLETON ...to lead services Feb. 12-13

At Wet's End By Erma Bombeck

I witnessed a wedding last summer that focused attention on a real problem: smokers vs. non-smokers.

The smokers (seated at the left of the altar) and the non-smokers (seated at the right of the altar) heard the minister ask, "Do you, Debbie, promise to love and cherish from this day forward, for better or for worse, for richer or for poorer, in sickness and in health, so long as Richard inhales?" She took a deep breath and answered, "I will."

It made you wonder. Could a militant non-smoker, wearing a Thank You For Not Smoking headband with a veil attached, find happiness with a man with a brown stain on his index finger? Only time would tell.

Last week, I ran into Debbie. She jumped up, clicked her heels in mid-air and said, "I quit! It's a matter of life and death."

"I know that, Debbie," I smiled. "So, how is Richard?"

"Who knows?" she sighed. "The only time I see him is on elevators and in doctor's offices where all smoking is prohibited. Everyplace else has smoking and non-smoking areas and we are split up."

"Is that any kind of life for two young people who are just married?"

"We knew there would be hardships. When we went on a vacation last year, I saw him on the plane briefly when he went to use the restroom. Sometimes, if the smoke isn't too thick, I wave to him in restaurants where I'm seated across the room."

"Are you saying you are never together?"

"That's right. When we go to a movie, he sits in the smoking section and I sit in the non-smoking section. We never talk in the lobby of a theatre anymore. I can't stand the smoke. Since he's in a smoker's car pool, I ride to work with a non-smoker's group. We used to go to the grocery together, but he has to stay outside if he wants to light up. Our entire house is sectioned off into smoking and non-smoking areas."

"The problem is going to get worse," I said. "More and more, our society is being asked to make a choice between smoking and non-smoking."

"I know," sighed Debbie. "I don't know what we'll do when the baby comes. I'd like Richard to see it, but the hospital is definitely for non-smokers."

"The baby!" I gasped. "How did you ever get pregnant in the first place?"

She shrugged. "I've narrowed it down to the doctor's office and elevators."

I am advised by the tax assessor that the value of our house has gone down from \$20,000 to \$18,000 because of the people who have moved into this neighborhood.

But I know that they are the kindest, nicest and most considerate neighbors we have ever had since my husband and I grew up in this neighborhood more than 50 years ago.

Now I am confined to my home-- having had seven heart attacks and six operations in five years. I have been in the hospital altogether 14 times since my neighborhood started to change.

We have rented two upstairs rooms to young women to help with the bills. And they and other neighbors are like members of the family-- so concerned about me, watching our home to be sure nothing is wrong when I am away or alone.

They drop or call to make sure I am okay.

Almost every day a neighbor will drop in with some home cooking.

I have relatives and friends who do not come to visit-- some because they say the neighborhood is now so bad that they would not dare leave their cars parked. But our car is always at the curb and has never been bothered.

I feel so lucky to be where I

Bay View Women Oppose Petition

Members of Bay View Study Club agreed to write letters in opposition to Petition No. RM2493 during a business meeting Thursday afternoon in the home of Mrs. Bruce Burney.

At the urging of Mrs. D.N. Garner, club president, Bay View women decided to write the Federal Communications Commission fighting a proposal to ban all religious services from television and radio broadcast.

In other business, a yearbook committee was appointed. This committee will include Mmes. Austin Rose, Burney, Charlie Hays and Earl Holt.

A guest speaker, Mrs. Frank Ford, gave an interesting program, which was her personal account, through narration and slides, of a trip to the Middle East. She described the people and customs of Egypt and showed pictures of temples, tombs, the Nile River, countryside, wild flowers and the Holy Land.

A dessert course was served to Mmes. H.L. Benefield, Si Darling, S.N. Davis, R.W. Eades, Herman Ford, Homer Garrison, John Gilliland, W.K. Golden and Aaron Hutto.

Also, Mmes. Robert Josseland, W.S. Kerr, Ernest Langley, Justin McBride, Ansel McDowell, Keith Simmer and Jack Wilcox.

Newcomers Will Meet Tuesday

The Hereford Newcomers Club will meet Tuesday at noon at the Pizza Hut, with all local newcomers invited.

Mrs. JoAn Dwyer will speak on the work of Big Brothers-Big Sisters Inc.

A progressive dinner for club members will be held Friday at 7 p.m., and reservations for the dinner will be taken during the Tuesday luncheon, or may be made by calling Linda Gillis at 364-5213 by Wednesday.

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Home Wall Fabric Can Be Removeable

EDITOR'S NOTE: This is the final in a five-part series dealing with covering walls with fabric.

COLLEGE STATION—The beauty of temporary or non-permanent fabric applications on walls is that little or no surface preparation is necessary.

Walls in unbelievably poor condition can often be revitalized in short order by attaching fabric with staples, tacks or other non-permanent fasteners. If you're a mobile homeowner, a renter or fickle decorator who can't live long with any one plan, you'll appreciate how easy it is to put the fabric up and take it down, as well as minimal damage done to both walls and fabrics.

Many sheets once used to cover a wall are back on the bed.

To prepare fabric for any of the temporary installation methods that are discussed below, begin by matching fabric pattern and cutting into lengths, suggests Jane Berry, housing and home furnishings specialist with the Texas Agricultural Extension Service, The Texas A&M University System.

Bring right sides of the fabric together at the selvages and

stitch about three-fourths inch from the selvage. Press seams open. Fabric will be slightly uneven at top and bottom because of adjustments made in matching the fabric design. Fabric will be trimmed later.

Shirring Method
Fasten cut-to-fit rods just above baseboard and near the ceiling. Cut single lengths of fabric, allowing three inches top and bottom for headings. Run a casing along top and bottom width of fabric, then insert rods through opening.

Tape Method
Using double-faced carpet or masking tape, attach tap around edges of the wall at top and bottom and around any doors, windows or other openings. Apply the prepared fabric first along the top and work toward the bottom so that the grain of the fabric is kept vertical.

Flexible Fabric Fastener Method
This method is similar to the tape method except that a flexible fabric fastener tape, such as Velcro or Flexloc, is stitched along the top and bottom edges of the fabric as well as attached to the top and bottom of the walls. Although

more expensive than the other methods, this method allows fabric panels to be removed easily for cleaning—and rehung.

Stapled Method
Fabrics may be stapled directly to the wall or they may be attached to lathing strips which have been nailed horizontally to the top and bottom of the wall.

When fabrics are stapled in their original widths, vertical lathing strips should be attached to the wall where seams fall.

Snap a plumb line to assure that strips are vertical.

Position fabric and staple across top, down lathing strips and across the bottom, being careful to pull fabric evenly taut. Once stapled into position, trim edges of the fabric at top and bottom. A decorative molding strip, gimp or decorative braid may be attached across the top and bottom to conceal edges and give a professional look.

Study Club Discusses Projects

Simms Study-Craft Club met Wednesday at Simms Community House with Mrs. Jerry Roberts, vice-president, conducting the business meeting.

Money making projects were discussed in order to purchase carpet for the community house and it was decided to serve refreshments at the Terry Creitz Farm Sale on Feb. 15.

Mrs. James Bearden of Adrian presented a program on macrame. She displayed wall hangings and several decorative pieces she had made.

Others present were Mmes. Jerry Teel, Jim Cavin, Lawrence Jackson, John Brozman, Grady Hughes, Leland Burns, Harvey Bronniman, Morris Blankenship, Robert Lloyd and Larry Roberts, a guest.

A hibernating ground squirrel's heart beats only three times a minute, compared to a normal 360 beats a minute.

Pioneer Woman Honored

By MRS. C.L. HUTCHINS
Brand Correspondent

New Mexico State-Line (Special) Mrs. Mollie A. Reese, was honored Jan. 19, with a party in the home of her daughter and son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. C.L. Hutchins of Belview, in celebration of her 96th birthday.

Mrs. Reese is a pioneer of the Bellview community, having homesteaded with her husband, the late James T. Reese, in 1910. They owned land both in Texas and New Mexico, having lived near the state line. The Reese family moved to New Mexico from Boise, Idaho. They arrived in Hereford by train and came to their homestead by covered wagon.

Mrs. Reese has been a lifelong member of the Rosedale Baptist Church and attended church activities until her health prevented it. She is now blind but still enjoys gospel singing, devotionals and visits from her many friends.

Mrs. Reese has a son, Garry D. Reese of Hayward, Calif., four grandchildren, seven great-grandchildren and one great-great-granddaughter.

For the birthday celebration the Hutchins' home was decorated with floral bouquets.

The serving table was laid with an ecru lace cloth over lime green and centered with a yellow and gold spring flower arrangement with two yellow ceramic baby chickens under the arrangement.

Angel food and spice cake was served by Ruth Ridley and fruit punch was ladled from a crystal punch bowl by Rosalie Colwell of Hereford to 14 guests.

Following the refreshments, pictures were taken of the honoree by Mrs. Louis Sorensen. Table games were enjoyed during the entertaining hour. Guests included Rosalie Colwell, Mr. and Mrs. Louis Sorensen, Ruth Ridley, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Waldrop, Mr and Mrs. Earl Allen, Shilo Hort of Clovis, Miss Inez Short, the host and hostess and honoree.

Members of the Broadview Church of Nazarene, gathered at the home of Mr. and Mrs. C.L. Hutchins, Sunday evening at 8:30 p.m. following regular church services to honor Mrs.

Mollie Reese on her 96th birthday.

The group rendered gospel favorite selections of Mrs. Reese, singing and solo's accompanied by Mrs. Bud Bold of Grady on the accordion and Leon Box playing the guitar. Bud Bold, music director of the Broadview Church of Nazarene was in charge of the gospel singing, assisted by the local pastor, the Rev. Francis Hoagland.

Following the hour of singing and informal visitation, each greeting Grandmother Reese with a "Happy Birthday". The 27 guests were served refreshments by the hostess, Mrs. Hutchins.

The serving table was laid with a lace ecru cloth over pink and centered with a floral centerpiece which held a "96" numeral in silver. Mrs. Hutchins served spice cake squares, open-face sandwiches and oatmeal cookies while Mrs. Ron Hutchison of Grady ladeled fruit punch from a crystal bowl.

Guests included: Mr. and Mrs. Ron Hutchison, Bill Conklin, Mike Bailey, Manuel Avalos, Larry Sanderson, Hank

Bailey, Mr. and Mrs. Bud Bold and daughters Loney and Paula, Mrs. Letha Bailey, Gary Hoagland, Keith Hoagland, Dave Box, Denise Rene Hoagland, Kathy Kaylor, Mr. and Mrs. Leon Box, Sally Kaylor, Rev. Francis Hoagland, Richard Kaylor, Bill Battershell, Mrs. Anita Hort and daughter Shilo of Calif., the honoree Mrs. Reese and Mr. and Mrs. C.L. Hutchins.

WHO'S NEW

Mark and Janie Banner, former Hereford residents, are the parents of a daughter, Melani Rose, born Feb. 2, at Methodist Hospital in Lubbock. She weighed 7 pounds 1/2 oz. The Banners are the parents of two other daughters, Angela, 4, and Renee, 2.

Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Reinart and Mr. and Mrs. Gerald M. Banner and great grandparents include Mrs. J.H. Reinart, Mrs. John Albracht and Mr. and Mrs. Russell Hunter, all of Hereford.



MRS. MOLLIE A. REESE
...observes 96th birthday

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