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Carter Inaugurated Today



James E. Carter

WASHINGTON (AP) - In soft Georgia accent, uttering the simple oath set out in the Constitution, Jimmy Carter comes to power today to lead the nation into its third century.

But first, on his day of the inauguration, Carter prayed at a special church service, then walked hand in hand with Rosalynn Carter to the White House to be greeted at the door by a smiling President Ford and Mrs. Ford.

Walter Mondale also was sworn in as the new vice president.

In the amity that marked this transition, the 38th president and the 39th, chatted over coffee in the Blue Room before driving together to the Capitol for the swearing-in ceremony.

The vice presidents, old and new, and their wives, joined the Fords and Carters later.

"I feel great, looking forward to it."

Carter's said of the coming ceremony and parade as he left for the service at the First Baptist Church. He returned from church to Blair House, then walked across the street for the traditional meeting with the outgoing First Family.

Earlier, Ford said goodbye to 75 members of the staff that served him in his presidency of 29 months and 11 days.

"I've enjoyed the White House mainly because of the fine people," he said. "You all contributed to an administration I think was good and which history will treat kindly."

Vice President Nelson A. Rockefeller, who had spent the night at the White House, told Ford "Mr. President, this is the proudest moment of our lives."

Carter was beaming as he made his first public appearance of a day that will not end until he has visited the last of seven parties - sometime after 2 a.m.

Friday.

He was joined at the private church service by many members of his Cabinet and by Vice President-elect Walter F. Mondale and his wife, Mrs. Mondale's father, a retired Presbyterian minister from Minnesota, helped conduct the half-hour service.

Carter's sister, Ruth Stapleton, an evangelist, and the Rev. Martin Luther King Sr., father of the slain civil rights leader, led 5,000 persons in prayer in front of the Lincoln Memorial. Also taking part was Carter's pastor from Plains, Ga., the Rev. Bruce Edwards.

The new president watched the service on television and heard Edwards say:

"It is fitting that we gather for prayer because the man for whom we pray is himself a man of prayer, a man who seeks

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Giant Flame Rages After Car, Truck Collide At Intersection

BY BOBBY TEMPLETON
Brand News Editor

A raging flame from a broken gas meter could have lit the "Jolly Green Giant's" cigarette after it shot up following a two-vehicle accident at the corner of Grand Avenue and Avenue F Wednesday night.

Units of the Hereford Volunteer Fire Department rushed to the intersection



By Speedy Nieman

That feller on Tierra Blanca Creek says the man who says he'll meet you halfway usually thinks he's standing on the dividing line.

Overheard "In 50 years of married life, I have never quarreled with my wife. But on many occasions, I've had to reason with her."

IT WAS a little disappointing to read the ag rankings in Texas and see Deaf Smith County come in second, according to 1976 figures released yesterday by the Texas Agriculture Extension Service. Our county has waged an annual battle with Hidalgo County for the top honor - guess we'll have to say "when you're No. 2, you try harder!"

On the bright side of the picture, there's no doubt that the three-county area of Deaf Smith, Parmer and Castro remain the dominant region in the state. Cash receipts from marketing of crops and livestock in 1976 amounted to approximately \$443 million in the three counties. If you add neighboring Lamb, Hale and Lubbock counties, you have six of the top 10 in the state!

A PHOTO in yesterday's Brand showed Argen Draper holding an invitation to the Presidential Inauguration. Her husband, Tom, and Goose Ramey of Dimmitt flew up to Washington to attend today's ceremony. Folks who know the pair say Washington may never be the same after their visit. It wouldn't surprise some people if Tom brought President Carter back home with him to go possum hunting!

WHILE MANY LOCAL citizens complain about welfare rolls, a column by Paul Harvey last week offered some consolation. He quoted figures which showed Texas was doing a better job of administering welfare - or at least Texans have a small tax bite to support welfare recipients.

Picking some large cities, Harvey pointed out that the average taxpayer in New York City paid \$159 to the welfare kitty last year. Chicagoans were taxed \$170; Detroit taxpayers paid \$222 each, but in Houston the average was only \$15.93. The column added that the Texas Welfare Department operates a tight ship, sending less than 2.5 per cent mistakenly to persons who are ineligible.

He quoted House Speaker Billy Clayton as saying: "High support payments discourage incentive. And, incentive is the only way we have to break the poverty cycle."

following a call at 7:13 p.m. Every fire fighting unit was sent out to try in vain to douse the blaze that was hampering telephone wires some 30 feet overhead.

The fire broke loose after a collision between a 1976 Oldsmobile 4-door hard top car driven by James Bullard, 51, of 122 W. 5th, and a 1976 Chevrolet pickup truck driven by David Aguilar, 44, of 515 Irving. Also involved in the accident were passengers Loretta Spears of 122 Northwest Drive, who was riding in the car, and Elena Aguilar, who accompanied her husband in the pickup.

Only minor injuries were sustained as Bullard had one laceration above the eyes

and Mrs. Aguilar sustained a cracked rib and lacerations. Mrs. Spears has a sore back and bruises.

According to police reports, the Oldsmobile was driven through a stop sign without heeding to other traffic and collided with the pickup. The momentum of the pickup produced in the accident forced it to run into the gas meter, which was completely lobbed off.

A police department spokesman said some activity involved in the collision ignited the escaping gas and the fire erupted. It could have been the friction of metal clashing or a hot motor.

If the pickup had not hit the meter, it

probably would have hit a nearby telephone pole.

A crowd assembled quickly to view the flame which could be seen several streets away. Firemen could only douse overhead phone lines to try and protect them but they were substantially burned. Finally, the gas had to be cut off shortly before 8 p.m. to burn out the fire.

Assisting the police and fire department with the accident and fire were the Deaf Smith County Sheriff's Department and the Texas Department of Public Safety officers. They blocked off traffic toward the wreck.



Giant's Cigarette Lighter

Hereford Firemen sprayed water at right in a futile effort to douse flames reaching up toward overhead telephone lines during a natural gas fire which erupted after a gas meter was knocked down in a two-vehicle wreck, Wednesday night. It occurred at the intersection of Grand Avenue and Ave. F. As other firemen wait patiently in the foreground, officials were able to turn off the gas source at about 8 p.m. which successfully burned out the flame.

Tight Energy Supplies in Forecast

By STAN BENJAMIN
Associated Press Writer

WASHINGTON (AP) - The Federal Energy Administration is greeting incoming President Carter with a grim forecast of tight energy supplies and rising prices for years to come.

In a report issued Wednesday, the energy agency predicted a near doubling

Mahon Serves As Speaker Pro Tempore

Congressman George Mahon, representative from the 19th Congressional district including Hereford, was designated to act in the capacity of speaker pro tempore of the U.S. House of Representatives on inauguration day today in Washington D.C.

Mahon, dean of the Congress in terms of service, presided over the House and led the members of the House to the inauguration ceremony.

Earlier this week, Mahon was re-elected by the Democratic Caucus as chairman of the House Committee on Appropriations, the largest committee in the legislative body.

The congressman was elected back to fill another term of office during the November general election in which Jimmy Carter was decided as president and Walter Mondale was elected vice president.

Mahon has met with the president numerous times during the campaign and joined other congressional leaders following the election at the conference between executive and legislative branch leaders in government. It set the tone for a cooperative relationship between the politicians.

of residential fuel costs by 1985 as a result of inflation and real energy cost increases.

The outlook beyond that may be even worse, the report warned.

The FEA says the world's demand for oil will bump up against the limits of its production capacity in the mid or late 1980s. That supply demand collision is likely to spark even steeper price increases.

The report's relatively good news was that U.S. energy demand was expected to increase more slowly than previously predicted, a trend that will make it easier to reduce U.S. dependence on foreign oil. Compared with a historic growth rate of about 3.3 per cent a year before the 1973-74 Arab oil embargo, U.S. energy consumption was predicted to rise at about 2.5 per cent a year, slightly lower than last year's 2.8 per cent forecast.

The FEA said the slower growth is due to the combination of energy conservation measures and fuel price increases.

John Christie, assistant administrator for energy information and analysis, said in an interview that the FEA is assuming continued inflation ranging from last year's 5.6 per cent down to 4 per cent by 1985, forcing energy prices up a total of 58.4 per cent by then.

Regardless of inflation, the FEA estimated, residential energy prices will reflect annual real cost increases of about 3 per cent if imported oil prices rise by 2 per cent. That alone would cause the 1976 residential energy bill to grow to more than 30 per cent by 1985.

Taken together, inflation and real cost increases may add nearly 89 per cent by 1985 to the size of the residential energy bill - including purchase of natural gas, fuel oil, electricity and motor gasoline.

If Congress ends regulation of interstate natural gas prices, the FEA said, the cost of residential gas may reach some 37.5 per cent higher by 1985 than if

regulation at present rates continued.

More realistically, even regulated rates would probably increase.

Beet Growers To Hold Business Meet

The annual business meeting of the Texas-New Mexico Sugar Beet Growers Association will be held at the Community Center tomorrow (Friday) at 2 p.m.

FEATURED AT the meeting will be presentations on beet growing, in addition to other items of business.

Association vice president Bill Cleavinger will present notes on research conducted on beet irrigation by Dr. Steve Winter at the Great Plains Research

Center at Bushland.

According to Dr. Winter, sugar beets rank second only to cotton in ability to withstand drought. Winter indicates that beets suffer less from lack of water and have more elasticity and less critical periods than corn and other grains.

SATURDAY, THE Beet Growers Association will stage its annual banquet at 7 p.m. at the Bull Barn.

Speakers at the banquet will include John Bunker, president of Holly Sugar

Corporation, and Dale Hendricks, chairman-elect of the Agriculture Council of America. Hendricks, a native of Broomfield Illinois, will also be a speaker at the association's business meeting.

Joe Griffith, a humorist from Dallas will be the banquet's featured speaker.

TICKETS TO THE banquet for those other than growers and landlords are on sale at both city banks and the Chamber of Commerce. They are priced at \$5 each.

Albright Presents Last Reports During Chamber Board Meeting

Joe Shollenbarger, president, assigned directors to help coordinate committee activities, and executive vice president Bill Albright reported on committee projects and upcoming programs or work when the Deaf Smith County Chamber of Commerce board held a regular meeting Thursday morning.

Albright, who is moving to Big Spring Feb. 1, expressed appreciation to the directors for the work and cooperation during his tenure as executive vice president. He has accepted a similar post with the Big Spring chamber.

KEN ROGERS, CHAIRMAN of the industrial development committee, was present at the breakfast session to outline his group's four-point program for the year. He asked directors for suggestions

on carrying out the objectives. The committee's goals include: Support of local industries, search for new industry, support expansion of local industry, and coordinate the group's activities with other C of C committees.

Donna VanderZee, president of the Women's Division, invited directors and their wives to attend the women's installation dinner on Jan. 25. Director Mack Tubb suggested the chamber continue to explore possibilities for securing some type of convention facility in the community, and Shollenbarger appointed Tubb to head up a study of the situation.

JONNY CLOUD GAVE a brief financial report for December. Albright pointed out that the chamber budget showed a

deficit of about \$900 at the end of the year, but emphasized that the deficit at the beginning of the year was in excess of \$6,000. He said the annual audit may be completed by the end of the month.

The executive vice president announced that an indoctrination session had been held with new committee chairmen. He also urged directors to attend a leadership workshop being held in Canyon Feb. 18 under sponsorship of the West Texas C of C.

All directors were present for the meeting. The include: Shollenbarger, Hicks, Tubb, Cloud, Mike Patrick, Tom Hamlett, Bud Snyder, Lee Umsted, Bob Ginn, Mrs. VanderZee, Phil Guerrero, Raymond Schiabs, and Speedy Nieman.

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'Tokyo Rose' Protected

CHICAGO (AP) - "Now I have a government to protect me," said Iva Toguri D'Aquino, who was cleared by President Ford of treason for her "Tokyo Rose" broadcasts after living for nearly three decades as a woman without a country.

"After all these years, it's hard for me to believe that it's all over and the pardon is really true," said Mrs. D'Aquino, a slight, 60-year-old Japanese-American woman whose voice was known to millions of World War II servicemen

Troopers Patrol Cairo

CAIRO (AP) - Army paratroopers with machine guns guarded key squares and bridges and patrolled Cairo's slum districts today after two days of riots over price increases.

Police sources said today 40 persons were killed and 250 injured in Cairo during the riots. The semiofficial newspaper Al Ahram reported 34 persons were killed and 409 injured in Cairo and Alexandria and 439 arrested in the capital.

Freeze Plagues Eastern U.S.

By The Associated Press
Despite a lull in subzero temperatures, the current cold spell is putting mounting strain on generating plants, gas pipelines and water traffic in the eastern two-thirds of the nation.

Hundreds of thousands of workers and school children were staying home as factories and schools remained closed to conserve fuel.

Oranges froze on trees in Florida and fishermen were kept off the frozen Chesapeake Bay.

Weather

West Texas: Considerable cloudiness west of Pecos with widely scattered showers Friday. Mostly clear north portion. Increasing cloudiness south tonight and Friday. No important changes in temperature. Low tonight 20s and 30s to near 40 extreme south and west. High Friday mostly 50s and 60s to near 70 extreme south.

obituaries

Gerald Wayne Petty
Mrs. Olive Rector

At The Library

Reporter Stymied

By Adoption Rule

The struggles faced by a single woman trying to adopt a Korean orphan are chronicled in "Then Came To Stay" a book being presented this week to Deaf South County Library.

Maryanne Margulies, NBC reporter, was determined to adopt the children that few others would have, yet was denied many times before the bureaucracy would entrust a child to an unmarried woman.

Also spotlighted on the local library shelves is "The Eyes of Buddha" by John Bull, who created the black detective Virgil Tibbs in "The Heat of the Night."

Deaf South County Library is open free to the public from 9 a.m. to 9 p.m. Monday and Thursday from 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. other weekdays and until noon on Saturdays.

THIS CAME TO STAY

Maryanne Margulies

THE EYES OF BUDDHA

By John Bull

At Weir's End

By Erma Bombeck

Today the Web President of the United States takes office. There are a lot of things I don't want to know about him.

Camp Fire Announces Banquet Committees

Committees which will serve at the Camp Fire Father Daughter Banquet in Fort A in the Bull Barn were announced this week.

Corporate Wives Undergo Stress

EDITH'S NOTE: This is the third of a four-part series on corporate executives' wives.

In 1972, Dr. Robert Seidenberg, a practicing psychiatrist, published an essay in the "Wall Street Journal" called "Dear Mr. Success: Consider your wife."

"gives out of gas." Her children are grown, she has a few outside interests, and little desire to cultivate new friends and activities.

Ann Landers Drug Center Aids Youth



DEAR ANN: First it was not their pills, next the needle.

possible for a person who is about to undergo a polygraph (lie detector) test to take a few tranks beforehand and reduce his anxiety level so he'll test out OK.

Advertisement for THE FIRST NATIONAL BANK OF HEREFORD, featuring a cartoon of a man with a basket of money and text about automatic teller machines.

Advertisement for WESTERN AUTO ASSOCIATE STORE, listing various car parts and accessories with prices.

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Dance To Open 1977 Fund Drive

Launching this year's Heart Fund campaign will be the prestigious Heart Ball, a semi-formal dinner-dance on Friday, Jan. 28, at the Country Club. Festivities will commence at 8 p.m.

Tentatively planned as an annual event, the Heart Ball is a benefit dance designed to raise funds for the American Heart Association. Tickets, priced at

\$25 each, are available in limited number from Ruth Swaize at First National Bank. A band from Amarillo, "Tiffany Brass," will provide dance music for the Ball and the meal will be prepared by gourmet chefs at the Country Club.

Directing plans for the upcoming party is Jerome Friemel.

TESA Convenes Monday Evening

Members of Peak of the Panhandle Chapter, Texas Educational Secretaries Association (TESA) met Monday evening at K-Bob's Steak House for their quarterly meeting.

Billie McDowell, president, directed a brief business session, which included reports of the TESA convention held recently at Lubbock.

Irene McKinster, director of marketing at Hereford State Bank, presented a program on Special Organizational Services. Jessie Ann Davis, program chairman, concluded the program with a short quiz, proclaiming Jo Ann Richburg, Margarette Craig and Elberta Dyer as winners.

In attendance from Hereford were Bobbie Kitchens, Dorothy

Mercer, Mrs. Davis, Elva Rodriguez, Norma Dement, Mrs. McDowell, Mary Wyly, Mrs. Craig, Mrs. Richburg, Gracey Cornelius, Florence Robinson, Yvonne Simpson and Sue Cherry.

From Dimmitt were Billye Gwen David, Mrs. Dyer, Bessie Strickland and Shirley Langford; from Earth-Springlake was Oletha Sanders; from Farwell was Georgia Lee Rundell.

Guests included Pruda Fults of Hereford and Gwen Rundell of Farwell.

WTSU Slates Auditions For Seniors

The Department of Music at West Texas State University will hold auditions for high school seniors Saturday, Feb. 19, and Saturday, April 2, at WTSU.

All Hereford youth who are hoping to pursue a degree in music are encouraged to audition for available scholarships. Auditions on other dates may be secured upon written request by the student.

For more detailed information, and application form, HHS seniors should write to: Department of Music, West Texas State University, Canyon, Texas 79016.

US Veterans To Receive CFG Letters

During the month of February, the Hereford Council of Camp Fire Girls will participate in a salute to hospitalized veterans.

The local girls will be joining other Camp Fire members across the nation in a letter-writing campaign honoring U.S. veterans. The local council will be responsible for writing 30 letters to patients in Veterans Hospital at Amarillo.

Camp Fire groups wishing to participate in this project may obtain necessary information from the Leaders Association.

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paprika; place in 11x7 baking pan. Mix other ingredients and pour over chicken. Cover with foil and bake at 350 degrees for 30 minutes. Uncover and bake 45 minutes longer.

Remove chicken to platter. Strain pan juices for sauce.

Mushroom Sauce
Blend 2 T. flour with 1/4 cup cold water. Slowly stir in pan juices and cook until it thickens; add 3 oz. can sliced mushrooms. Heat through and pour over chicken. Serves six.

CHICKEN BREASTS SUPREME
3 medium chicken breasts cut in half lengthwise
1/4 tsp. seasoned salt
Paprika
1 cup chicken stock
1/4 cup sauterne
1/2 tsp. minced onion
1/2 tsp. curry powder
Dash pepper
Sprinkle chicken with salt and

Rebekah Installation Ceremony Conducted

Pat Fallwell, district deputy president, presided over installation of officers of Hereford Rebekah Lodge 228 Tuesday evening in 100F Hall.

A team from Friona Rebekah Lodge 308 assisted during the ceremony. This task force included Juanita Reed, deputy marshal, Loretta Brookfield, Lilly Taylor, Jewel Claiborne, Geneva Williams and Jewel Wells, all of Friona.

Placed in local office were Peggy Lemons, noble grand; Ola Hacker, vice grand; Susie Curtsinger, recording secretary; Lydia Hopson, financial secretary; and Ada Hollabaugh, treasurer.

Taking chairs as appointive officers were Verna Sowell, right supporter to the noble grand; Faye Brownlow, left supporter to the noble grand; Frances Parker, warden; Alta Davis, conductor; Ann Freeman, color bearer; Merl Bridges, banner bearer; Ursalee Jacobsen, musician; Bessie Laurence, right supporter to the vice grand; Sadie Shaw, left supporter to the vice grand; Martha Bridges, chaplain; Blanche Williamson, inside guardian, and Helen Sowell, outside guardian.

Beatrice Cox, past noble grand, was presented a certificate of appreciation and a gift from her fellow lodge members.

In the business segment, Mrs. Jacobsen was elected to serve as representative at the

Open House Is Sunday

The public is invited to view the new offices of Hereford Family Services Center, 610 E. Park Ave., from 2-4 p.m. Sunday.

The center offers mental health services to residents of Deaf Smith and Oldham Counties. Director is Al DesMarteau.



Let's Cook

Mother Of Four Boys Finds Life Never Dull

BY PHYL SMITH
Brand Staff Writer
"NEVER BORING" is the way Mrs. Ernest Flood of 546 Willow Lane describes her vibrant role as the mother of four boys and as an active member of the community.

Born in Hereford, Carmen Flood is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Arnold Betzen and comes from a family of seven girls and one boy. She is a graduate of Hereford High School and has attended West Texas State University.

The attractive blonde is a member of L'Allegre Study Club and St. Anthony's Women's Organization. She is the choir director at St. Anthony's Catholic Church. As a member of Hereford Chamber Singers, she is looking forward to the group's tour of Romania this summer.

Mrs. Flood's hobbies include needlework, collecting antiques, growing house plants, reading, music and she is an avid bridge player. The local native enjoys traveling and relished the mid-winter vacation in Rio de Janeiro, a Brazilian seaport, last year with her husband and friends.

The statuesque Mrs. Flood and her husband Ernest, who farms west of Hereford, enjoy water and snow skiing with their sons. The boisterous quartet are Don, 10; Nathan, 8; Justin, 6, and Brandon, who is three years old.

Two recipes recommended by Mrs. Flood are:

LAYERED DESSERT

First Layer
Mix like pie crust:
1 cup flour
1/4 cup brown sugar
1/2 cup butter
1/4 cup pecans
Put into 9x13 inch pan and bake at 350 degrees for 15 minutes. Cool.

Second Layer
Melt together and cool:
24 large marshmallows
1/2 cup milk
Whip 1 cup heavy cream and mix with marshmallow mixture and pour over first layer. Cool.

Third Layer
Dissolve 2 small pkgs.

ANNOUNCING..

Effective Mon. Jan. 3 1977, the Dental Practice of Dr. Ron Zimmerman will be assumed by Dr. Bill McClarty

All patients records are on file at the office

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January Price Blast



Advertised Prices effective Friday Jan. 21, and Saturday Jan. 22, 1977

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Passing The Gavel

Sunny Lemons, left, receives the symbolic gavel, designating her as 1977 president of Hereford CowBelles, from her predecessor in office, Daleine Springer. The installation ceremony was held Tuesday at Hereford Country Club. Mrs. Springer will serve as the CowBelles' reporter this year.



Assuming Office

Hereford CowBelles conducted their annual installation of officers Tuesday during a business luncheon at the Country Club. Placed in office for the ensuing year were, from left, Donna Parris, historian; Sarah Lawson, treasurer; Ruth

Newsom, Beef for Father's Day chairman; and Kay Hall, first vice president. Not pictured is Sunny Lemons, president; Millie Barrett, second vice president; Jan Bradford, secretary; and Daleine Springer, reporter-parliamentarian.

Mrs. Doak Is Hostess

Evelyn Bell received the hostesses gift during a meeting of West Hereford Extension Club Tuesday afternoon in the home of Carrie Mae Doak, 219 Ave. E.

The opening exercise was a poem, "As I Grow Old," read by Alice Cox. Mrs. Robert Boyd directed the recreation period.

County Extension Agent Joyce Shipp was present to give a program on family relationships.

It was announced that the next meeting will be Jan. 25 in the home of Miss Bell.

Others in attendance were Mrs. U.V. Pierce, Almeta Penman, Mary Flowers and Mrs. C.R. Gandy.

Obituary

GERALD WAYNE PETTY

Services were held Tuesday at North Bend, Wash., for a 16-year-old resident, Gerald Wayne Petty, formerly of Dawn. He died Friday at North Bend.

Mr. Petty and his family moved from Dawn to Washington approximately four years ago. He had spent the past three summers in Hereford, employed as a brick mason.

He is survived by his parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Petty of North Bend; four sisters, including Mrs. Joe Mike Hampton of 512 Star; and a brother, Tommy of Delta, Colo.

MRS. OLIVE RECTOR

Mrs. Olive Rector of Friona died Tuesday of an apparent heart attack. She was 79 years old.

Services for Mrs. Rector, who was the mother of Clara Trowbridge of 849 Irving, are scheduled at 2:30 p.m. Friday in First United Methodist Church of Friona.

Mrs. Rector was preceded in death by her husband, Foister Rector, in 1968 and by a son in 1953. She had been a Friona resident since 1935.

She is survived by two sons, two daughters; 15 grandchildren and 22 great-grandchildren.

Calendar of Events

THURSDAY

North Home Demonstration Club, home of Mrs. Iva

Saltzman, 2:30 p.m.

Bay View Study Club, home of Mrs. Earnest Langley, 2 p.m.

L'Allegria Study Club, Hereford Country Club, 9:30 a.m.

Hereford Study Club, home of Mrs. B.F. Cain, 7:30 p.m.

Film for senior citizens, Deaf Smith County Library, 3 p.m.

Wyche Home Demonstration Club, home of Mrs. Frank

Duncan, 2:30 p.m.

Alpha Iota Mu Ritual Chapter of Beta Sigma Phi Sorority, First National Bank, 8 p.m.

Los Ciboleros Chapter of Daughters of the American Revolution, annual business meeting, home of Mrs. G.B. Thomas, 3:30 p.m.

Farm & Ranch Club, lunch at K-Bob's Steak House, noon.

Pays hospital/surgical bills

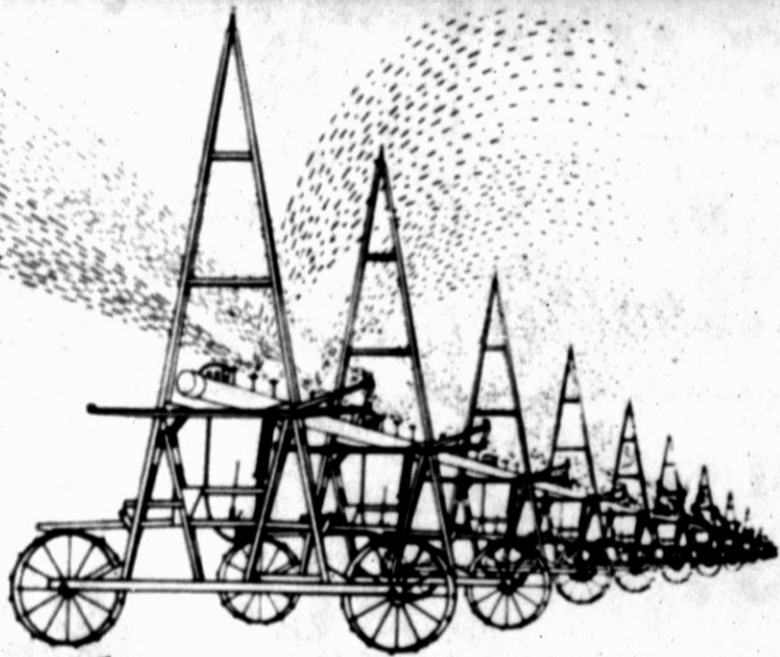
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Kiwanis Club, Civic Club, Center, noon.

Hereford Jaycees, Civic Club Center, 8 p.m.

Hereford TOPS Club, Community Center 9 a.m.

American Association of Retired Persons, Community Center, 7 p.m.

VFW, VFW Clubhouse in Veterans Park, 8 p.m.

BPOE Lodge in Elks Hall, 8:30 p.m.

FRIDAY

Merry Mixers Square Dance Club, Community Center, 8 p.m.

Bud to Blossom Garden Club, home of Mrs. W.H. Gentry, 9:30 a.m.

Dawn Home Demonstration Club, Dawn Community Center, 9:30 a.m.

Kiwanis Whiteface Breakfast Club, 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 St. Thomas Episcopal Church, 7:30 p.m.

Keepsake
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ACROSS FROM THE POST OFFICE IN DOWNTOWN HEREFORD

SATURDAY

Annual Sugarbeet Banquet in the Bull Barn, 7 p.m.

SUNDAY

Open House at Hereford Family Services Center, 610 E. Park Ave., 2-4 p.m. Public welcome.

MONDAY

Deaf Smith General Hospital Auxiliary, Pioneer Natural Gas Flame Room, 7:30 p.m.

Veleda Study Club, home of Mrs. John Poindexter, 8 p.m.

VFW Auxiliary, VFW Clubhouse in Veterans Park, 7:30 p.m.

County Home Demonstration Council, Courthouse, 2:30 p.m.

Rotary Club, Civic Club Center, noon.

Odd Fellows Lodge, IOOF Hall, 8 p.m.

TOPS Evening Chapter, Property Enterprises, 6 p.m.

Square Dance Lessons, Community Center, 7:30 p.m.

Easter Lions, Easter Clubhouse, 8 p.m.

TUESDAY

Quarterly membership meeting of Chamber of Commerce Women's Division, Country Club, 7:30 p.m.

Uniformed Red Cross Volunteers, Civic Club Center, noon.

Hereford Art Guild, art room of Community Center, 7:30 p.m.

Rebekah Lodge, IOOF Hall, 8 p.m.

Deaf Smith Lapidary Club, Community Center, 7 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.

Weight Watchers of First Baptist Church, 6:30 p.m.

Singles group in Fellowship Hall of First Baptist Church,

Openings for 4-Year-Olds In School Program Exist

Hereford Public Schools have openings to serve more children in both of its programs for four-year-olds.

The first program is Head Start. Children are eligible to attend Head Start classes if they were four years old on or before September 1, 1976, and if the family income meets economic guidelines. These guidelines are similar to those of the National School Lunch Program.

Head Start classes are held at Aikman Elementary School and West Central Elementary School. Eligible families from any section of Hereford are encouraged to enroll their children at either of these schools.

The second program is Migrant Four-Year-Old Kindergarten. Children may attend these classes if (1) they were four years old before September

1, 1976, and (2) if they moved into the Hereford school district in order that a parent or other member of his/her family might secure employment in agriculture or in related food processing activities.

Migrant Four-Year-Old Kindergarten classes are conducted at Aikman, Bluebonnet, Northwest, Shirley, Tierra Blanca and West Central Elementary Schools. If any parent has questions concerning these pre-school programs they should phone their local school or 364-0606.

Hereford, England Also Observes Week Of Prayer

[EDITOR'S NOTE: The following letter was written in response to one written by a local resident who wants to remain anonymous. In effect it is written as an open letter to the people here.]

Your letter to the Mayor of our City was passed on to me (and I believe to the Church leaders also) in time to be read out at our Sunday Worship on Jan. 9.

Our congregation were most appreciative of your prayerful concern and we linked our prayers with yours in Hereford, Texas. It was their unanimous wish that I write to you, and through you, to the other Christian brethren, to tell you that our hearts were warmed by your Christian Greetings and to express the hope that your Week of Prayer has been marked by a renewed interest in the work of the Churches and that as a result many hearts have been directed God-ward. The need of our day is a renewal of faith and conviction, in fact, a change of heart, and we believe that this will only come about by all Christians demonstrating their unity in Christ.

I am presently the Chairman of the Hereford Christian Council and we have very good fellowship together in this City. Next week sees the commencement of a Week of Prayer for Christian Unity Jan. 18-25. This week is observed throughout the whole of the British Isles and is an annual event which gains momentum each year.

My own particular Church was Congregational, but now we have united with the Presbyterians and formed the United Reformed Church, and we hope we'll be the fore-runner of many such comings together so that the Church can be seen to be one. Perhaps you know that our City received its first Charter in 1132 A.D.? The Church which I serve was formed in 1662 A.D. and the specialty of the County is the breeding of Herefordshire cattle, doubtless many of your farmers will be aware of the Hereford Herd Book Society

which keeps a register of the pedigree cattle which go to all parts of the world and I know that you have some of our local cattle in Texas.

It gives me great delight to communicate with you as one Christian brother to another. I expect also that other leaders will be writing to you, also.

Please convey to all concerned in your town with the Week of Prayer our very best wishes and prayerful trust that the week will have been marked by mighty acts of God's Grace amongst you. We shall pray for you as you pray for us and rejoice together that in Christ we are one working and waiting for the fulfillment of God's Kingdom.

With every good wish,
Sincerely,
Rev. Thomas Wigley

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Bearcat Coach Blames TV Timeout For Loss

BY KEN RAPPOPORT
AP Sports Writer

Gale Catlett is among the first to admit that television has helped college basketball. But Wednesday night, he says, it hurt his Cincinnati Bearcats.

The nation's second-ranked team was short-circuited by a TV timeout, according to Catlett, and thus lost an 83-77 decision to No. 12 Louisville.

"I wish they'd eliminate the timeouts for TV or call them at a set time," said Catlett. "We were making a run at them and had them on the ropes, so to speak."

It was Catlett's contention that the critical timeout slowed the Bearcats after they had picked up momentum and forged a 31-31 tie in the first half. The Cincinnati coach also accused Louisville Coach Denny Crum of conspiracy in the incident.

"What bothered me," said Catlett, "was that Coach Crum called for the timeout from the bench."

Crum's alleged directorial talent was not the only thing within Catlett's range of fire. He also took verbal shots at the officials.

"It was the poorest officiated

game since I've been head coach," said Catlett, pointing among other things to a 2-1 ratio in fouls called against his team. Cincinnati was charged with 32 personal fouls, compared to 16 for Louisville.

The Bearcats were one of three Top 20 teams upset Wednesday night. North Carolina State edged No. 4 North Carolina 75-73 and Clemson stunned No. 13 Maryland 93-71 in Atlantic Coast Conference games.

In another ACC game involving a ranked club, No. 9 Wake Forest trimmed Duke 85-73.

Darrell Griffith ignited a second-half rally as Louisville handed Cincinnati its first defeat after 12 victories. Louisville was leading 54-52 with 11:08 left in the game. Then Griffith came off the bench and spearheaded a 13-2 Cardinals spurt with seven points, including an electrifying slam dunk that sent 16,616 fans into a frenzy.

Kenny Carr hit a field goal with 19 seconds remaining, then blocked a shot by North Carolina's Phil Ford in leading North Carolina State past the Tar Heels.

Skip Brown and Jerry

Schellenberg combined for 40 points and led a second-half rally as Wake Forest whipped crippled Duke, playing without star guard Tate Armstrong.

Armstrong, who has averaged more than 20 points per game for the Blue Devils, suffered a broken right wrist Monday in a fall during a game against Virginia and watched Wednesday night's contest from the bench.

With center Wayne "Tree" Rollins leading the way, Clemson took a 44-25 halftime lead and coasted past Maryland. Rollins scored 10 points and grabbed 13 rebounds in the first half as the Tigers handed the Terps their worst defeat in 167 games.

Rollins finished the game with 22 points, 23 rebounds and three blocked shots in only 25 minutes.

Elsewhere in college basketball, Keith Herron scored eight straight points, powering Villanova past Massachusetts 81-62; Keven McDonald and Bobby Willis combined for

seven consecutive points late in the game, leading Penn over St. Joseph's, Pa. 63-55; St. Louis defeated Illinois State 84-77 as Johnnie Parkar scored nine points in the second overtime; Stan Joplin and Dave Speicher sank two free throws apiece late in the game, triggering Toledo over South Carolina 67-58; a 23-point performance by Matt Hicks powered Northern Illinois to an 84-78 decision over Eastern Michigan, and Aaron Curry led a balanced attack with 14 points as Oklahoma defeated Nebraska 65-58.

Also, Archie Aldridge's 18 points led Miami of Ohio past Dayton 79-70; Larry Dassie and Mike Evans combined for 41 points as Kansas State whipped Oklahoma State 72-67; Cedric Maxwell collected 18 points as UNC-Charlotte routed Appalachian State 87-59; Jim Hahn fired in 25 points, leading Ball State over Ohio U. 66-63, and George Johnson scored 24 points and grabbed 12 rebounds as St. John's stopped Temple 66-50.

Broyles Denies Rumor

FAYETTEVILLE, Ark. (AP) - University of Arkansas Athletic Director Frank Broyles Wednesday denied that he would accept a position as general manager of the Atlanta Falcons.

He confirmed that he had talked with Rankin Smith, chairman of the board of the Falcons, a couple of weeks ago but that Smith wanted his opinion of prospective coaches.

The Atlanta Journal, citing unnamed sources, reported Wednesday that Broyles was expected to be named general manager of the Falcons.

"Everybody knows Atlanta is a great town and I know that Rankin Smith wants to give Atlanta fans a Super Bowl contender," Broyles said at a news conference in Charleston S.C. "It seems premature and ridiculous for me to be commenting about a position I'm not seeking and haven't been offered."

Writers Elect Banks

BY HAL BOCK
AP Sports Writer

NEW YORK (AP) - "The wonderful thing about being a baseball player," said Ernie Banks, "is that years after you're through hitting home runs and playing in All-Star games, people still remember you."

The Baseball Writers Association of America remembered Banks Wednesday, naming him to the Hall of Fame as the only candidate to receive mention on 75 per cent of the ballots in the annual election.

"This is the greatest moment in my life," said Banks, who earned election in his first year of eligibility.

Banks received 321 votes of the 383 cast by veteran members of the BBWAA, easily passing the required three quarters figure of 288. Eddie Mathews was second in the vote with 239, missing election by 49

votes. The late Gil Hodges was third with 224 followed by Enos Slaughter with 222 and Duke Snider with 212.

In winning election on his first chance, Banks joins an elite set of Hall of Famers. Only seven others, Sandy Koufax, Mickey Mantle, Ted Williams, Jackie Robinson, Bob Feller, Stan Musial and Warren Spahn, gained immediate acceptance to Cooperstown.

Banks knew that his 512 career home runs gave him a good shot at the Hall of Fame on his first go-round. "It was getting jittery about it," he said. "I talked to people who've been elected before like Lou Boudreau and Bob Lemon and they told me what it's like. They said it's the most excitement you can experience in your life, and they were right."

Banks joined the Chicago Cubs in 1953 and spent 19 years playing shortstop and first base with the club. He was the

National League's Most Valuable Player in 1958 and 1959 and five times hit 40 or more home runs in a single season.

After retiring in 1971, he remained with the organization in various front office posts and now works in the group tickets sales department for owner P.K. Wrigley.

Banks insists that his relationship with management was so close that even if the free agent uproar had occurred, during his playing days, it would not have affected him.

"I wouldn't be tempted to move," he said. "The key association is with the owner and general manager. My philosophy is that if the owner believes you have the ability to play, you'll be paid for it. There is a certain teamwork that exists in this game that goes beyond the field to the front office."

And Banks just loves baseball.

"What a marvelous life it has given me," he said. "I've had a beautiful association with people I never would have met if it hadn't been for baseball. It's a great game and something I wish every young man throughout the world could have a chance to play."

Women's Cage Loop Proposed

NEW YORK (AP) - Pete Rozelle would choke on his football if he knew that a fellow commissioner approved and supported sports gambling.

"I think it will make our sport more interesting," said Lois Geraci Ernst, commissioner of the new Women's Basketball Association. "With off-track betting and the like, we know that gambling happens."

"I have no problems with it. If it brings people into our arenas, that's fine. A lot of men will bet on anything they can make money on."

A lot of people are betting that women's basketball will bounce as high as an airless ball. Mrs. Ernst is not one of them.

"I think it will work because we're going to attract a new kind of fan," she said. "We won't be in competition with the New York Knicks. We're going to get the young woman, and

she's going to bring her husband."

The 12-team league, which announced Wednesday that it will begin play in October, is in the process of selling its franchises.

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Bravo Romps In Y League Action

The Renegades, Bravo, and Red Rubber Baby Buggy Bumpers #1 all walked away with victories Tuesday night as action continued in the high school boys basketball league sponsored by the local YMCA.

Bravo opened the night with a 50-32 win over the Thunder Chickens as Joe Valdez cruised to a game-high 16 points. Richard Moya and Roy Martinez added 12 and 10 points respectively to the winners' total.

Jeff O'Rand led the losers with a 12-point effort.

In the second game the Renegades escaped with a 34-28 win over the Red Rubber Baby Buggy Bumpers #2 with James McDowell's 10 points leading the way.

Greg Hennington added eight

points for the winners, while Jerry Koenig totaled 10 for the losers, and Dale Tarr added eight.

The night's final contest saw the RRRBBB #1 stop the Starz by a 59-35 count on the strength of an 18-point outburst by Rowan Alexander.

Greg Hacker contributed 14 points to the win, while Mike Oglesby added 12. Bill Fraser's 12 points topped the Starz.

Play continues Tuesday, January 25 with the Starz and Bravo clashing at 7 p.m., the RRRBBB #2 meeting the RRRBBB #1 at 8 p.m., and the Renegades taking on the Thunder-Chickens at 9 p.m.

League play will continue until March 15 and a playoff for the league championship will take place March 22.

Hockey Play Continued

Action in the boys floor hockey league continued last weekend with the finish of the first round of play Friday evening, and the beginning of the second rounds Saturday morning.

Friday night the Red Flames downed the Black Hawks 5-2 with Jeffrey Streun, Labry Welty, and Terry Shelton leading the way. Layne Hendrick, Mark Moore, Richard McCracken, and Tim Martin played well in defeat for the Black Hawks.

The Eagles nipped the Wranglers 6-4 in the other Friday night contest with Darren Jones, Craig Jones, and Jerry Backer being praised by coach Cal Jones.

Jarret Conger, Greg Reinaur, and Jeff Shelton were pointed out by Wrangler coach Leon

Vogler for their play.

Saturday morning the Eagles edged the Red Flames 5-4, and the Wranglers bounced back to seat the Black Hawks 4-1.

Players singled out included Rex Baxter, Walt Tindale and Roger Hodges for the Eagles; Stephen Boyd, Leon Romo, and Jimmy Layman for the Red Flames; Patricio Estrada, Donny Martinez, and Tim Martin for the Black Hawks; and Timothy Vogler, Drue Gault, and Keith Birdwell for the Wranglers.

The schedule continues Saturday morning with the Black Hawks and Eagles clashing at 10 a.m., and the Red Flames and Wranglers tangling at 11 a.m.

Weldon Knabe, YMCA Youth Program Director, is in charge of the league, and acts as an official for the games.

Nets Fade; Lose 11th Straight

By ALEX SACHARE
AP Sports Writer

New York Nets Coach Kevin Loughery already has started looking to the future. Considering the way the present looks, he can't be blamed.

Loughery watched his club keep pace with Portland for better than three periods Wednesday night, only to fade in the stretch and lose 109-94. It was the Nets 11th consecutive National Basketball Association defeat, a club record, and Loughery has just about run out of answers.

"We may go back to playing a running game," Loughery suggested, even though he realizes he does not have the big center to get the rebounds to start a running game, and that Tiny Archibald, the guard who could make such an attack go, is on the injured list for at least another month.

But a running game is the kind Loughery likes best, and obviously the Nets have not done well with the pattern play they have been using this season - their 12-29 record attesting to that. The Nets might not win many games by running, but at least it will give Loughery a line on next season.

"I want to try and determine what players I want back for next year," he said.

Elsewhere in the NBA Wednesday night, the Philadelphia 76ers whipped the Atlanta Hawks 114-94, the Washington Bullets edged the Buffalo

Braves 91-87, the San Antonio Spurs beat the Chicago Bulls 115-107, the Boston Celtics defeated the Houston Rockets 112-102, the Phoenix Suns stopped the New York Knicks 97-90 and the Seattle SuperSonics beat the Indiana Pacers 109-102.

Maurice Lucas scored 21 points and grabbed 13 rebounds for Portland, while center Bill Walton played a solid 44 minutes - 11 point, 15 rebounds, six assists and three blocked shots.

76ers 114, Hawks 94
Reserve forward Steve Mix, getting more playing time than usual because Julius Erving got in earl foul trouble, scored 27 points, helping Philadelphia to its fifth consecutive win and eighth in the last nine games.

Bullets 91, Braves 87
Elvin Hayes scored Washington's last six points as the Bullets posted their ninth victory in the last 11 games.

Spurs 115, Bulls 107
Larry Kenon's 36 points helped San Antonio raise its home record to 18-4. Chicago guard Norm Van Lier had just one basket in the game, but it was an 84-foot heave that beat the buzzer ending the first quarter.

Celtics 112, Rockets 102
John Havlicek scored eight points in a three-minute stretch midway through the fourth quarter as Boston ended Houston's three-game winning streak.

Suns 97, Knicks 90
Rookie Ron Lee had three baskets and a key steal in the final 1 1/2 minutes as Phoenix posted its sixth straight homecourt triumph.

Sonics 109, Pacers 102
Seattle posted its 10th victory in its last 12 starts, behind Fred Brown and Mike Green, who scored 21 and 19 points, respectively.

KNOXVILLE, Tenn. (AP) - John Majors, Tennessee's new football coach, has completed the selection of his staff with the appointment of Bob Harrison as receiver coach.

Harrison, 35, had been an assistant coach at North Carolina State for the past two years. His appointment Wednesday brought the number of full-time assistants under Majors to eight, the maximum allowed by the NCAA.

Majors, 41, who led Pitt to the National championship last season, was hired to succeed Bill Battle at Tennessee after the Vols finished the 1976 season with a 6-5 record.

DENVER (AP) - Rookie center Larry Skinner has been returned to the Rhode Island Reds of the American Hockey League after a brief stint with the Colorado Rockies, the National Hockey League club said Wednesday.

Skinner was recalled from the Reds Dec. 19 after Colorado's Denis Dupere was injured.

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Bruce Jenner's new event -- TV

By DAN LEWIS
By virtue of his Olympic decathlon Gold Medal, Bruce Jenner is generally regarded as the world's greatest athlete.

But now in the fruits of victory, including its financial rewards, Bruce Jenner is consciously attempting to minimize his Mr. Macho image.

"That's not me," says the handsome, muscular young man who won the most grueling of all Olympic competitions in the 1976 Summer Games at Montreal last July.

Accordingly, he's selectively working at downgrading the image as he starts out on a new career as a television sports commentator-actor.

He did a screen test for a new "Superman" movie. Jenner says he felt he did well, but didn't get the role because he looked too young.

"I wasn't that excited (about the part) because it was a strong-man role and I don't want to perpetuate that image. It would have been nice, I know, to make my movie debut in a film that costars Marlon Brando and Gene Hackman -- a tremendous opportunity. But I'm not disappointed."

Instead, he now is more concerned about his initial appearances as an ABC sports commentator at the Superstars competition, a series of programmed events on Sunday afternoons which started Jan. 2 and continues through March 13.

The ABC contract offers numerous opportunities to both Jenner and his pretty wife, Christie. They will appear periodically doing husband-wife interviews and mini-documentaries, on "Good Morning, America," mainly exploring male-female relationships and attitudes in careers. Their first two segments deal with stuntwomen and female pilots ("Three women are in training as airline pilots," Jenner noted).

Jenner has a two-year agreement with ABC Sports, and a one-year contract with ABC Entertainment calling for him to appear in two TV movies within the year.

"Christie had intended to go back to law school," Jenner revealed, "then this (the ABC offer) came through."



JOGGING TO THE BANK. Bruce Jenner, Olympic decathlon winner, and his wife Christie are finding the going a little easier since making lucrative deals with ABC.

"I like the ABC deal mainly because it does take me away from sports," he continued. "I don't want to get totally away from sports. After all, it got me where I am today."

While the Olympics were going on, Jenner observed, there wasn't a newspaper article that didn't speculate on his going into acting. "I tried to downplay it during the game," he said.

Getting down to basics, he considers that his future lies in sports commentary on television. He feels comfortable at it. But he's certainly not going to ignore the opportunity to develop as an actor.

"It (acting) has been thrown in my face, and I'm going to take advantage of it," he said candidly. "This ABC deal is very lucrative," he confided, "but it doesn't make us instant millionaires."

He smiled broadly as he thought for a minute, then added: "Barbara Walters got all the money from ABC."

Jenner says his wife enjoys the opportunities, too, but her one concern is that both are losing their personal lives.

"I'm the type that can let it blow over. I like signing autographs. I think I'm a little more easy-going (than his wife). She's had a little problem coping with it all."

Jenner also has co-authored a book, with Peter Finch, about his experiences at the Olympics. It's called "The Last Mile" and sub-titled "...The Quest to be the World's Greatest Athlete." Published by Prentiss Hall, it deals with the subject from two approaches, Jenner's as a participant, and Finch's as an observer.

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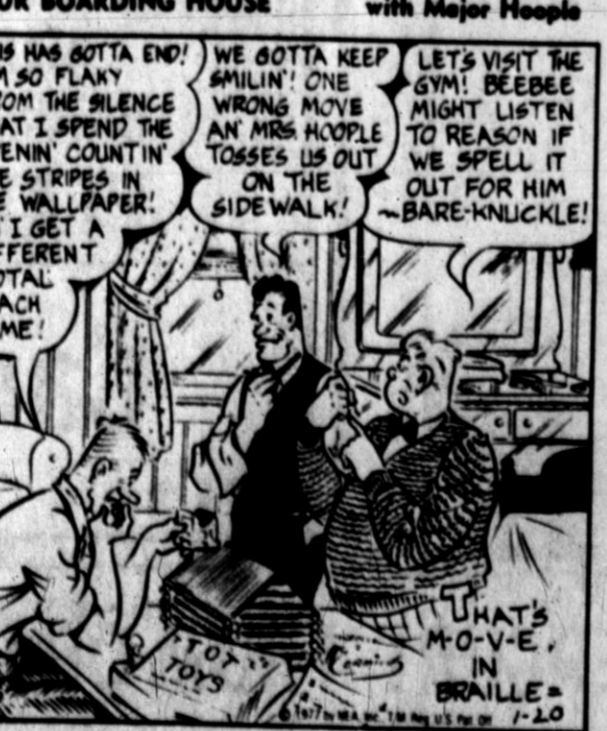


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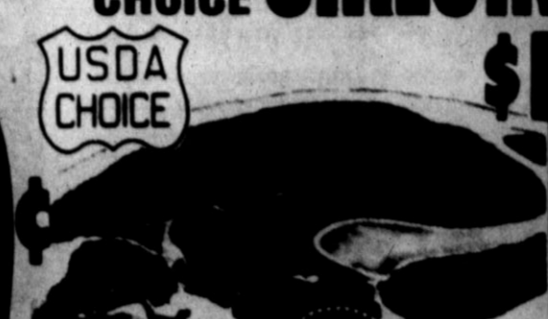


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Pitman Industries Introduce Commodities Brokerage Division

Pitman Industries has added a new dimension to its services through the creation of a commodities brokerage division.

The new division, Pitman Commodities is the fourth division of the Hereford company. Other divisions are involved in grain sales, cattle feeding, and retail beef sales.

Pitman Commodities will operate a branch office of Rufenacht, Bromagen & Hertz, Inc., a Chicago-based commodities brokerage firm. The office is now open at the Pitman elevator at 100 S. Main in Hereford.

The office is managed by Robert Beck, formerly a livestock market analyst and broker for E.F. Hutton and Company in Chicago. A native of Oklahoma, Beck holds a degree in animal science from Oklahoma State University and

was employed by American Cattle Feeders at Clovis, New Mexico, before joining E.F. Hutton. His home is at 122 East 15th in Hereford.

Through its affiliation with Rufenacht, Bromagen & Hertz, the new Pitman division will offer a full line of services for trading commodity futures. RHB is a member of the major commodity exchanges and specializes in meat and grain futures.

"We believe that the establishment of a commodities office is a significant service to the farmers and ranchers of our area," March Pitman president of Pitman Industries, said. "Hedging in the futures markets is an increasingly important aspect of the cattle and farming businesses."

The commodities office, which will operate from 8 a.m. until 5 p.m. Monday through

Friday, is equipped with an electronic display board and teletype, recording current market prices. Beck said he will be available to discuss the commodities market with interested individuals as well as to

handle futures transactions. March Pitman said the addition of a commodities division is a natural step in the growth of Pitman Industries. "Our company has been involved in the agriculture of

this area for 47 years. We feel that Pitman Commodities rounds out our operations as a cattle and grain company, giving us a further opportunity to serve our customers."

Ag Credit Conditions Tightening Up In State

COLLEGE STATION—Although agricultural credit conditions are still generally good in Texas, things are tightening up a bit, according to a recent survey of bankers and other lenders.

The survey, conducted by Dr. Wayne Hayenga, economist with the Texas Agricultural Extension Service, showed that during the past six months, more potential farm loan customers could not be served, loan repayments were lower, and more collateral was being required.

More than half of the 149 agricultural lenders who responded to the survey indicated that they had larger outstanding agricultural loans than a year ago, and 26 per cent indicated serving more farmers and ranchers while 10 per cent noted serving fewer customers. Demand was up for operating loans, machinery loans and crop storage loans but down for feeder cattle loans.

As far as interest rates were concerned, a two-tenths to three-tenths per cent drop was noted in feeder cattle loans, real

estate loans and operating loans during the past six months. Feeder cattle loans averaged 8.74 per cent, real estate loans, 8.20; and operating loans, 8.64.

Looking ahead, the majority of the lenders felt that both short-term and long-term interest rates would remain stable for the next six months, points out Hayenga.

Regarding feedlot loans, 58 of the lenders reported an average margin requirement of 34 per cent and only 17 required a compensating balance that averaged 14 per cent, the same as last May. Hedging of feedlot cattle appeared to be higher than six months ago.

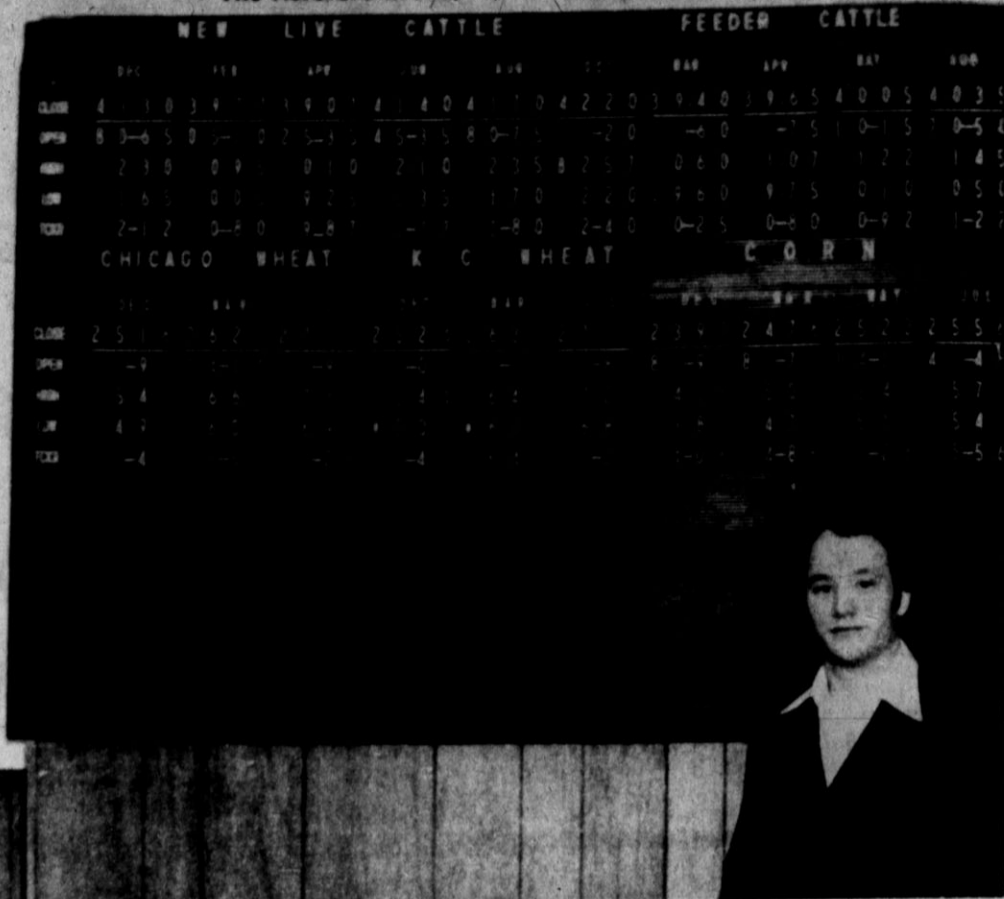
The survey also showed a big increase in forward contracting of crops, notes Hayenga. Lenders reported 36 per cent of their borrowers contracted part of their crop compared to 27 per cent last May. A change in contract terms was also noted—55 per cent of the contracts were on an acreage basis and 45 per cent on a quantity basis compared to 42 per cent and 58 percent, respectively, last spring. And

most lenders prefer that borrowers contract about half their crop.

Hayenga points out that the survey also indicated that lenders are taking a harder look at loan applications. They noted that 66 per cent of their borrowers furnished past profit and loss statements and 64 per cent provided a projected cash flow statement or operating budget, both up from 50 per cent a year ago. "This means that farmers and ranchers had better get their loan documentation paperwork in order," emphasizes the economist.

Hayenga also notes that the survey showed farmers and ranchers using borrowed funds for just over half of their operating expenses and 62 per cent of their capital investments. Off-farm income was used for 10 per cent of both operating expenses and capital investments.

Although an increased number of lenders had more customers than they could serve during the past six months, more than a fifth of the responding lenders indicated they were actively seeking a new farm and ranch loans. However, Hayenga notes that loanable funds may be tighter during the first half of 1977 because loan-deposit ratios increased above "normal" at 37 per cent of the banks while decreasing at only 15 per cent.



Robert Beck, manager of Pitman's new commodities brokerage office, has access to up-to-the-minute market information through an electronic display board.

Corn Harvest Better Than Expected

WASHINGTON (AP)—The nation's corn harvest turned out better last fall than government experts had predicted, meaning more of the important grain will be available to help produce food this year for American consumers.

A year-end review Monday by the Agriculture Department said that 1976 corn output was a record of almost 6.22 billion bushels, 7 per cent more than the 1975 harvest of 5.8 billion bushels, the previous high.

The crop was about 153 million bushels, or 2.5 per cent, more than USDA estimated last November when the corn harvest was underway.

Thus, there will be more corn available as livestock feed to help produce beef, pork, poultry and dairy products through most of this year than had earlier been expected.

The department estimates that retail food prices will go up 3 to 4 per cent this year, or roughly the same as the 3 per cent gain in 1976.

Officials said the soybean crop was about 1.26 billion bushels, down 18 per cent from about 1.55 billion in 1975, but slightly more than the estimate last November.

The report said the 1976 average corn yield was 87.4 bushels an acre, compared with 86.2 in 1975 and 85.5 bushels estimated last November. Soybean yields were 25.6 bushels an acre, down from 28.8 in 1975. Last fall those were indicated at 25.3 bushels.

Over-all, the report said U.S. crop production last year matched the record set in 1975, including more feed grains, cotton and wheat, but less oilseeds, tobacco and rice.

Reviewing corn production, officials said that the 1976 crop "turned out better than expected through most of the major producing areas" and that record per-acre yields occurred in 19 states, notably in Ohio and Indiana but also in most Eastern and Southeastern states.

Major crops were harvested last year from more than 326.7 million acres, compared to about 325.6 million in 1975; 318.9 million in 1974; 310.8 million in 1973; and 283.5 million in 1972 before soaring exports triggered all-out production.

Officials earlier had estimated last year's wheat crop at a record of nearly 2.15 billion bushels, up slightly from 1975, and cotton at 10.6 million bales, a 27 per cent increase from 8.3 million in 1975.

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Chaloupka Elected To Farm Bureau Board

HONOLULU—Carrol Chaloupka, Dalhart livestock and grain producer, was elected to the board of directors of the American Farm Bureau Federation at the conclusion of the organization's 58th annual meeting here Jan. 9-12. Chaloupka is president of the 195,000-member Texas Farm Bureau.

Chaloupka, elected president of the Texas Farm Bureau in 1974, headed up the state's 14 voting delegates to the AFBF annual meeting. A delegation of 450 Texans were among the 16,000 persons attending the convention.

In a carefully-worded resolution, the voting delegates said that use of agricultural income support measures was necessary as a "cushion against disaster," but wanted to avoid "undue interference" in the marketplace.

Delegates also adopted national policies for 1977 attacking the growing power of government regulatory agencies, restraints on access and development or world markets, interference with a market-oriented economy and the failure of government leaders to produce a comprehensive national energy policy.

The national Farm Bureau convention will be held in Houston next January. Chaloupka's farming and ranching activities on his 10,000-acre operation near Dalhart include production of wheat, grain sorghum and beef cattle.

A native of Iowa, Chaloupka

is married to the former Dorothy Peters of Dawson, Iowa, and they are parents of a grown son and daughter.

"We oppose the creation of a government-controlled food reserve in the United States and U.S. participation in any internationally-controlled reserve," the delegates said.

Government farm programs to improve farm income "should be designed and administered to enhance market opportunities to the end that farmers will earn higher incomes in the marketplace and will not be dependent on government payments for a portion of their income," the delegates said.

"We will continue to oppose any program, which by excessively high target prices of loan rates, would make farmers dependent on government payments or re-establish a government-controlled stockpile of any agricultural product," they added.

The delegates agreed that "minimum use of price and income support measures" for agriculture that are economically sound was necessary as a cushion against disaster, but insisted that "Support programs must be carefully designed and implemented to avoid conditions which are self-perpetuating, to protect our competitive position in world markets and to avoid undue interference with market-directed adjustments in production and marketing."

The delegates vigorously opposed "all governmental restrictions on the sale of

agricultural products in world markets. Agriculture exports must not be held hostage in the name of political expediency or foreign policy. Decisions affecting agricultural exports should be made with full participation of farmers and the Secretary of Agriculture."

Underground Water Level Being Measured By TWDB

AUSTIN—Approximately 3,150 observation wells in 65 Texas counties in the High Plains, South and West Texas are being measured for annual underground water levels in January, announced James M. Rose, executive director of the Texas Water Development Board (TWDB), the state agency responsible for the program.

"The project is a cooperative effort of the water Development Board, High Plains Underground Water Conservation District No. 1, North Plains Underground Water Conservation District No. 2, Panhandle Underground Water Conservation District No. 3, City of El Paso, U.S. Geological Survey, and the U.S. Bureau of Reclamation," Rose explained.

"Measurement of these wells is one of the legislative responsibilities of the Water Development Board," Rose emphasized. "Included in the study are the Ogallala Aquifer in the High Plains; the

Carrizo-Wilcox, Edwards, Trinity and Glen Rose Aquifers in South Texas; and the water levels in the thick Bolson deposits in West Texas.

"After the data is collected by the different monitoring agencies, the information will be compiled and entered into the Texas Natural Resources Information System (TNRIS) data bank. This information then will be accessible to numerous state and federal agencies who use the data bank," Rose continued.

"Texas Water Development Board field data team No. 1, stationed in Amarillo, is measuring wells in Dallam, Oldham, Hemphill and Roberts Counties plus parts of Deaf Smith and Randall Counties. A TWDB staff team organized for the readings will monitor wells in Borden, Briscoe, Dawson, Gaines, Garza, Swisher, Terry, and Yoakum Counties and parts of Cochran, Crosby, Hale and Lynn Counties.

Approximately 1,450 of the wells will be measured by

personnel of the High Plains Underground Water Conservation District No. 2 in Dumas and the Panhandle Underground Water Conservation District No. 3 in White Deer.

Counties being monitored by the High Plains Underground Water Conservation District No. 1 are: Armstrong, Bailey, Castro, Floyd, Hockley, Lamb, Lubbock, Parmer and Potter and parts of Cochran, Crosby, Hale, Lynn, Randall, and Deaf Smith Counties.

Personnel of the North Plains Water Conservation District No. 2 are monitoring wells in that district in Hansford, Hartley, Hutchinson, Lipscomb, Moore, Ochiltree and Sherman Counties. Carson and Grey Counties are being measured by the Panhandle Underground Water Conservation District No. 3.

South Texas observation wells are being monitored by TWDB field data team No. 4, stationed in San Antonio, including wells in the counties of: Atascosa, Bandera, Bexar, Blanco, Cald-

well, Comal, Dimmitt, Frio, Gonzales, Guadalupe, Hays, Kendall, Kinney, LaSalle, Maverick, McMullen, Medina, Uvalde, Webb, Wilson, and Zavala.

Approximately 500 of the observation wells being measured are found west of the Pecos River and are being monitored by a cooperative team composed of TWDB field data team No. 3, stationed in El Paso, the City of El Paso, U.S. Geological Survey, and U.S. Bureau of Reclamation.

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Complaints Lodged Against Fees For Inspection Of Grain

WASHINGTON (AP) - Representatives of four states, including Texas, and the grain industry complained to members of Congress Tuesday about a 1976 law imposing fees for federal supervision of grain inspection.

Sen. Walter Huddleston, D-Ky., chairman of the Senate agricultural production subcommittee, said that within a few days he would announce a hearing on the subject.

Sen. Walter Young, R-N.D., and Rep. Keith G. Sebelius, R-Kan., said they would push for legislation to pay the supervisory costs out of congressional appropriations as was done before 1976.

Sen. Robert Dole, R-Kan., presided at a meeting of lawmakers, the industry and state representatives and officials of the Federal Grain Inspection Service.

The fees are part of a law designed to tighten federal supervision of grain inspection in the wake of disclosures of faulty shipments destined for export.

The delegation which attended Tuesday's meeting complained that state agencies and private inspectors in inland states, where no scandals have occurred, will have to pass on \$5.3 million in supervision costs to farmers.

John M. Cranor, executive vice president of the Kansas Grain & Feed Dealers Association, said the Kansas legislature might not be able to meet a Feb. 1 deadline for inaugurating the fee system.

Donald Wilkinson, interim

director of the Federal Grain Inspection Service, said that if the state entered into an agreement to inaugurate the fee system the money could be voted later.

Delegates to the meeting included George Voth, executive vice president and general manager of Far-Mar-Co Inc., Hutchinson, Kan.; Harry O. Kampschroeder, Kansas director of grain inspection; Frank J. Hemmen, president of the Texas Feed and Grain Association; W.L. James Jr. of the Virginia Department of Agriculture; Holger Danielsen of the Missouri Department of Agriculture; and Georgia Agriculture Commissioner Tom Irvin.

In response to a question by Dole, Wilkinson said the federal agency would have no objection if Congress resumed appropriations for federal supervision of inland inspections.

Wheat Crop Endangered

WASHINGTON (AP) - The winter wheat crop is still in fair condition in some areas, but fields are losing snow cover and are in danger of cold and wind damage, according to the Agriculture Department.

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Paul Harvey News
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The most recent Harris poll relating to air and water pollution indicated that most Americans consider pollution "a serious problem." More than half are "alarmed" by the seriousness of the

problem. Most believe that neither government nor industry is doing an adequate job of controlling pollution. But—and this is significant—8 per cent of us demand that

industry should be forced to clean up the environment. And 74 per cent insist that industry should not be allowed to pass on the costs of depollution to the public. Instead, 64 per cent recom-

mend that the cleanup be financed by corporate taxation. So this needs to be said again: Corporations don't pay taxes. Recently on the CBS series, 60 Minutes, Nobel Prize-winning economist Milton Friedman offered a careful, analytical look at Britain and at New York City and urged that we should learn from these examples to stop asking government to do for us things that we should be doing for ourselves. The interviewer was entirely respectful of that point of view. His documentary film supported the Friedman principle that "we get nothing for nothing." The viewer was left convinced

that the program participants were all persuaded by their own evidence that we must stop asking government to do for us those things which we can and should do for ourselves. Let us—as Britain—should one day drown in a sea of red ink. Yet no sooner was this subject disposed of than—on the same program—another interviewer deplored some educational inadequacy and said that this unfortunate situation would continue to exist "unless or until government money is allocated..." The lesson in basic economics is artfully taught earlier on that

same program was not even remembered for the full "60 minutes." This is not meant to pick a fuss with a usually excellent program. What the contradiction demonstrates is that even among professional observers there remains the naive notion that "big government" or "big business" can pay the bill for anything. When, in fact, big government has no money except what it takes from us. Presently Americans are distressed by what appears to be the arrogance of the steel makers. The very idea that they

should increase prices of their and all related products at a time when both the old presidential administration and the new one are trying to bring inflation under control. Yet all of the most recent steel price increases will go to pay for the antipollution modifications which we, the people, demanded—forgetting that we, the people, eventually would pay for them. Key West, Fla., became the first U.S. city to get its fresh water from the sea when a desalting plant, capable of producing 3.5 million gallons a day, opened in 1967.

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Carter--

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The Rev. Mr. King, who also gave the benediction at the Democratic National Convention which nominated Carter, called attention to the poignancy of preaching at the spot where his son, 14 years ago, made his famed "I have a dream" speech.

"I stand here with a bit of reluctance and timidity upon these hallowed grounds," he said.

Later, the miracle of democracy, the peaceful transfer of government from one

party and one president to another, was to be celebrated once again with prayer and proud pageantry. The day was bright and cold.

Ford would share the pillared platform in front of the Capitol as Carter swore to "preserve, protect and defend the constitution of the United States."



Lawmaker Wants To Witness Texas Executions To Offer Testimony

AUSTIN (AP) - If and when Texas carries out its first execution since 1964, black Rep. Craig Washington expects to be a witness. He wants to describe it to jurors later in all its gruesome detail.

Washington said he used his influence as chairman of the House Social Services Committee to obtain permission from the prison system to view an execution. His committee over-

sees prisons.

The Houston defense lawyer called witnessing an execution "something I had to do."

He said that he opposes capital punishment but has no plans to introduce a bill to repeal the death penalty in Texas.

"I don't think it's worth the effort...I don't have the emotional energy for a death penalty fight I know I am going

to lose," Washington said.

Washington recalled that he had only 38 votes against the death penalty when it was passed in 1973. He said repeal wouldn't have a chance this year in the criminal jurisprudence committee.

"It would just go to subcommittee and die," he said.

Speaker Bill Clayton stripped Washington of his chairmanship

of the House Criminal Jurisprudence Committee because Washington opposed Clayton's anti-crime legislative program but made him social services chairman.

Washington said that while he objects to the death penalty, he thinks executions should be televised "because people who favor it say it is a deterrent."

"But it isn't a deterrent unless it is seen and a guy could

say to himself, "Hey, this could happen to me," he added.

Noting that Gov. Dolph Briscoe and Clayton want jurors to be told the extent to which parole can shorten prison sentences, Washington said they also should be told exactly what happens when a man is killed in the electric chair.

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ORDER NO. 3075 LEGAL NOTICE NOTICE TO RECEIVE BIDS FOR COUNTY DEPOSITORY Notice is hereby given, as provided in Article 2544, RCS, that the Commissioners' Court of Deaf Smith County, Texas, will at its next regular meeting on February 14, 1977, receive bids from banking institutions in this County that may desire to be selected as the depository of the County Funds and County School Funds, in the Court House at Hereford, Texas, up to 10:00 o'clock a.m., February 14, 1977. The Court reserves the right to reject any and all bids. Sam Morgan, County Judge Deaf Smith County, Texas. 143-10c

Deaths Go Downward, Arrests Up

AUSTIN (AP) - Texas' traffic death rate is down but the speeding arrest record is up, says Col. Wilson Speir, director of the Department of Public Safety. Speir, who has recommended raising the 55 mile-per-hour speed limit to 60 mph on interstate and major highways, made the report Wednesday to the Public Safety Commission, which sets policy for the DPS. Speir said there were about one million arrests by DPS troopers in 1976, of which about 800,000 were for speeding. In 1975 only 69 per cent of the arrests were for speeding. Speir said preliminary traffic death reports show an estimated toll of 3,310 in 1976, a reduction of 3.5 per cent from the 1975 death toll of 3,429. He said the death rate per 100 million miles was 3.6 deaths, the lowest in the state's history.

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Versatile Singers

Marian Mayfield and Walker Parris provided the entertainment for the Noon Lions Club meeting Wednesday. The duo performed a variety of songs, including some in French and Spanish for the Lions. [Brand Photo].

Lions Recognize Select Students

The presentation of achievement pins to members who recruited a new member during the October membership drive, and the recognition of the students of the six weeks at the local junior highs highlighted the meeting of the Hereford Noon Lions Club Wednesday. Lion president Cleo Corlis made the presentation of the pins to Lions who had recruited new members in the drive last year. A total of 22 new members were obtained as a result of the drive. Corlis also recognized Sherry Strain and Ronald Plummer from Stanton and Kim Freeman and Joe Walker from La Plata as the students of the six weeks, previous six weeks, have no "U" in citizenship, have a good attitude toward school and teachers, participate in at least one school activity, be friendly toward the student body as a whole, and have no serious disciplinary correction. Guests of the Lions Wednesday included a group of six Lions from the Dimmitt Lions Club, who were on hand as a part of the visitation program. Entertainment at the meeting was provided by Marian Mayfield and Walker Parris, who performed several songs for the group. The Lions gave the duo a standing ovation following their performance. Coming up for the club is the annual Pancake Supper and the YMCA-sponsored Inter-Service Club Olympics, which begin on Wednesday, January 26.

\$16.1 Billion State Budget Presented

AUSTIN (AP) - Gov. Dolph Briscoe submitted a \$16.1 billion "no new taxes" budget Wednesday, recommending sizeable increases for several areas but asking legislators to cut the budgets of numerous state agencies. The governor said \$400 million would be left over for such things as higher pensions for retired teachers and repeal of the sales tax on residential utility bills. His budget includes an \$825 million jump in highway spending and an \$893 million increase in state funding for public schools, with the state's share of the Foundation School Program rising from 75 to 90 per cent. Other major increases include \$74 million for the prison system, including \$70.1 million for "needed construction" of new cellblocks at an undesignated location; \$89.4 million to meet enrollment increases at state universities; \$72.5 million for medical education; \$64.4 million for enrollment increases at public junior colleges. Briscoe requested a \$3.2 million increase for the Public Utility Commission "to enhance the regulation of utilities" and a \$1.4 million hike to expand the railroad commission's ability to regulate natural gas utilities. Missing were the usual items for the welfare department, youth council and Governor's

Committee on Aging. Briscoe wants them merged into a single Department of Human Resources, which would have a \$2.4 billion budget, mainly for welfare. "The consolidation of these agencies would allow a savings in excess of \$1.3 million for the biennium in administrative overhead," he said. He recommended abolition of the State Building Commission and no funds for the Governor's Energy Advisory Council, which expires by law on Aug. 31. The governor asked for a \$1.5 million increase in the board of pardons and paroles budget, mainly for increased supervision of both parolees and exconvicts who served their full sentences. He also requested a \$4.3 million increase in the tuition equalization grant program that provides state subsidies to students in private colleges and universities. Cuts, at least in the first year of the biennium, were recommended for the agriculture department, air control board, alcoholic beverage commission, animal health commission, arts and humanities commission, attorney general, governor's



Super Students

Lion president Cleo Corlis presents students of the six weeks with gifts from the Lions at the meeting Wednesday. Honored from La Plata were Joe Walker and Kim Freeman, while Sherry Strain and Ronald Plummer were honored from Stanton. [Brand Photo].

Bell Fails In Rate Proposal

AUSTIN (AP) - Southwestern Bell Telephone Co. has lost its attempt to void a rate increase smaller than it requested and now must decide whether to ask for a stay, and risk the temporary loss even of the smaller hike, or follow the slower, normal appeal procedure. State District Judge Jim Meyer said Wednesday, "I have decided that the public utility commission position with respect to the matter is correct. Contrary to what Bell argued, I do not believe the appeal automatically voided the order." The next move will be up to Bell, Meyer said. The commission granted a \$57.8 million rate increase for Bell. But Bell had requested

\$296.8 million, and it sought a temporary injunction, contending the commission's order was so low it amounted to confiscation of Bell's property. The law creating the commission provides for injunctions in confiscation cases. Bell lawyers said the company was entitled to charge any rate it wanted to during the appeal so long as it posted a bond large enough to handle refunds in the event it lost the appeal. Meyer said Bell may decide now to ask for a stay, pending appeal, but this may mean the old rate will remain in effect, thus denying Bell even the \$57.8 million while the appeal is being pressed. Gen. John Hill said last week

was the only one open to the company.

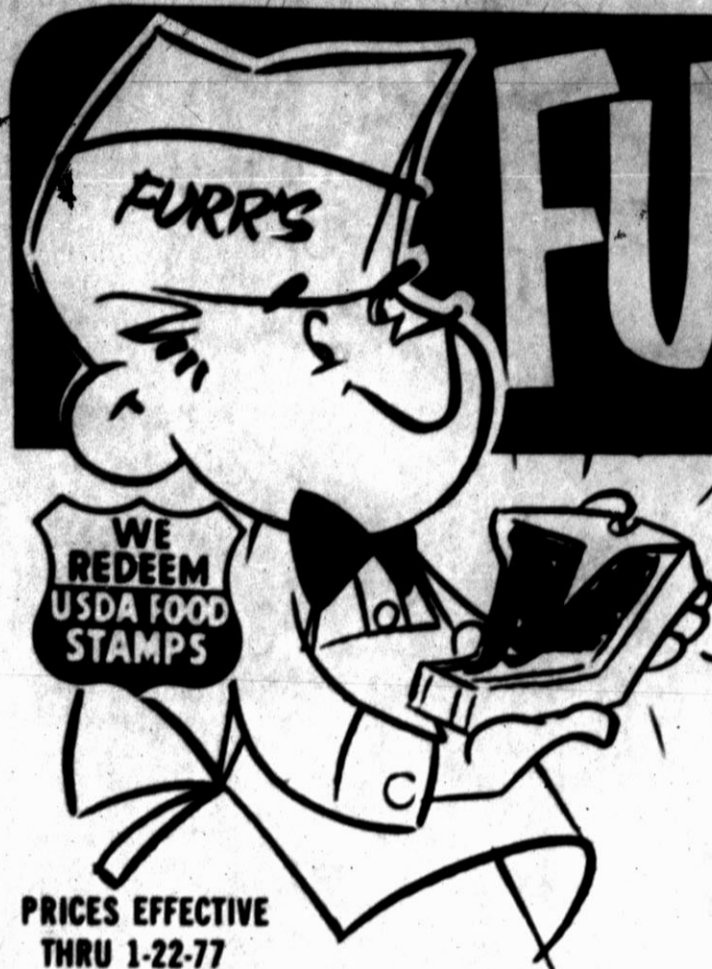
FLOWER SERVICE
PUEBLO, Colo. (AP) - Flower Aviation lives up to its name. The private aircraft service uses young women in flowered skirts on the landing field to guide planes in for refueling at the municipal airport here. A flowered carpet is laid at the craft's door. Crew and passengers are greeted with fresh-cut daisies.

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