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George To Receive Honor Feb. 19

Hereford High Principal Named TCTA State's Top Administrator



Jerry Don George, HHS Principal

The Texas Classroom Teachers Association (TCTA) has selected its state Administrator of the Year for the second consecutive year from Hereford's elite in education. Jerry Don George, Hereford High School principal, was named this week to the honor in the division 2 category for school districts with a student population of between 5,000 and 10,000 pupils.

It makes it the second time in two years since former superintendent Roy Hartman, now superintendent in Grapevine, was selected in 1976 as Administrator of the Year.

GEORGE, WHO HAS served as principal for eight years, will be formally honored with a plaque presentation at the TCTA annual convention on Saturday, Feb. 19, in El Paso. The presentation will be made at a noon luncheon according to Richard Stanley, president of the Hereford TCTA.

The award winner was presented with the local Administrator of the Year award

in December following his selection from a vote of local teachers. The state honor was chosen from an ad hoc committee appointed by the State TCTA president.

In acknowledging George, Stanley, a teacher at Northwest Elementary School, said, "I'm tickled to death that he won it; it means a lot. Having two (winners) in a row says a lot for the administrators in our system."

"George is a dedicated man and a good administrator. His faculty is crazy about him," Stanley continued.

For 18 years, George has served the Hereford Independent school in various capacities. He was a coach, assistant principal at Stanton Junior High School, and principal at La Plata Junior High School when it first opened.

He received his bachelor of education degree from Texas Tech University, and a master degree in education and different education certificates from West Texas State University.

HE NOW SERVES as president of the

secondary principals group of the Panhandle School Leaders Association, state director for the Texas Association of Secondary School Principals, director of the Community Action Agency, a member of the Kids Inc. Board of directors, and a member of the Amarillo chapter of Phi Delta Kappa.

He has been president of the Hereford United Fund Board of Directors, and past master of the Hereford Masonic Lodge # 849. He holds memberships in the TCTA, Texas State Teachers Association and other education organizations.

Other professional memberships include National Education Association, Texas Association for Supervision and Curriculum Development, and Texas and Hereford Associations for Children with Learning Disabilities.

George has been involved locally in the following capacities: Chairman of committees for the Deaf Smith County Chamber of Commerce, Hereford Lions Club officer, Little League coach for eight years, Little Dribblers coach, organizer of area Colt League Baseball, WTSU Alumni Board member, Deaf Smith County Red Cross board member, organizer and head of the Civil Defense Program for Deaf Smith County for four years, and organizer of Hereford Basketball Officials Association.

ON HIS NOMINATION form for the honor, the principal was noted by teachers for HHS' lack of racial strife that has plagued other schools. He received the same type of support from his student body, which gave him a standing ovation at a recent pep rally.

Indicating his concern for education, George said when he was honored here last year, "I feel every student should have the opportunity to attend school and

to afford each one as much knowledge as possible. By this, we must help to develop each student to this capacity whereby they are able to gain a means to the best possible life."

"Hereford is blessed with a good school system. This is brought about by an excellent teaching staff, a dedicated school board and parents who care."

George is married to Sue George and their children include, Mitchell, a junior at HHS; Monica, an 8th grader at La Plata; and Steve, a 6th grader at West Central Elementary School.

Easterner Joins With Jon Newton In Not Blaming Texas For Natural Gas Problems

DALLAS (AP) - L.R. Reif sat in the snow-bound offices of a gas company in Buffalo, N.Y., last week and summed up the country's natural gas crisis: "The chickens have come home to roost."

Texas Railroad Commissioner Jon Newton agreed. "All should now realize that Oklahoma, Texas and Louisiana can't support the gas needs of America," said the newest member of the government body that regulates production of gas in the state.

Reif is one of the relatively few voices

coming out of the East that refuses to blame gas-producing states like Texas for the nation's problem.

He echoed the sentiments of producers, saying the signs were evident in 1969.

"The suppliers were sending up signals," Reif said from his suite in the National Fuel Gas Co., where he is president. "All this emergency legislation now is just going to spread the shortages around."

Reif referred to President Carter's

signing of legislation allowing temporary deregulation of interstate gas sales.

Reif and others agreed that permanent gas deregulation is needed urgently.

The battle over intrastate and interstate gas sale has built to a shouting match between producing states and purchasing states. Some in the East have accused Texas of withholding gas from interstate commerce until a higher rate can be charged.

A spokesman for Lone Star Gas Co. in Dallas said the interstate rate ceiling now is \$1.44 per million cubic feet (mcf) while the intrastate rate on major new reserves is in the \$2 range.

Texas Gov. Dolph Briscoe put the problem into focus succinctly in an address before a Dallas service club. "On a real cold day," Briscoe said, "There is no gas in Texas."

He told club members that governors from other states joined him in testifying before a recent session of the House subcommittee on energy and power. "They all moved to one side and didn't want their picture taken with that fellow from Texas," Briscoe said.

Reif said anyone who thinks Texas is hoarding gas supplies, waiting for a higher price "would have to be an idiot."

John Edgar of Southwestern Electric Power Co. in Shreveport, La., said power companies in the gas producing states also spotted shortage signs in 1969, but unlike their Eastern counterparts, began making preparations.

"We're building two coal-fired power plants - one in East Texas and one in

Arkansas," Edgar said. He said one would be in operation this year and the other in 1982. "We suspect coal will represent about 70 per cent of our power output eventually," Edgar said. The company has a long-range contract with a Wyoming coal firm.

He agreed that gas-importing states

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Annual Camp Fire Girls Banquet Set Tonight

More than 250 awards will be bestowed this evening in the Bull Barn during the annual Camp Fire Father-Daughter Banquet.

The coveted WoHo Medallions, the highest honor created for Camp Fire Girls, will be presented to eleven Horizon Club members. Another high honor, the Wakan award, will be given to four Camp Fire leaders for their consistent service to local youth. The Wakan award recipients will not know of this honor until they are recognized by Shelly Scott tonight.

Other awards will be given for candy sales, camperships, group accomplishments, seven and ten year memberships and Bicentennial observance. Leaders will also be cited for having contributed five or more years to Camp Fire Girls in Hereford.

Buddy Peeler, president of Hereford Council of Camp Fire Girls, will deliver the welcome at this evening's assembly. Pam Mazurek will give the invocation. Opening the awards ceremony will be Jennifer Stewart. Among the list of those presenting awards are Melinda Gonzales, Micki Merritt, Laura Clark, Sandee Finley, Stacy Lea and Susan Hamby. Johnnie Walker and Alma Gamez will cite the membership records of the local leaders and Shelly Scott will present the Council awards. Presiding during the presentation of colors will be Annette Gooch.

"Hey, What's In It For Me?" will be the theme of the banquet program, to be narrated by the senior group of Camp Fire Girls. Randy Vaughn will be directing the program music while his wife, Cindy, provides accompaniment.

Politicians' Newsman Dies; His Wife Originated Here

AUSTIN (AP) - Stuart Long liked to write and he liked people and politics.

"Once I got started, I never seriously considered doing anything else," said the 40-year veteran of the state Capitol news and political scene.

Long, 63, died Thursday after a year-long battle with cancer.

Funeral services will be held at 3:30 p.m. Saturday with burial following in the State Cemetery.

The veteran newsman is the husband of the former Emma Jackson, previously a resident of Hereford. She is a former Austin city council member and mayor pro tem.

Donations Still Sought For Batenhorst

Steve Batenhorst, 16, of Hereford, who was injured in a motorcycle accident on the Canadian River shortly before Christmas, remains in the intensive care unit of Northwest Texas Hospital in Amarillo.

The youth has been hospitalized in the intensive care unit for approximately two months, and according to J.M. Lawson, a family friend, may remain in the ICU at the Amarillo hospital for a minimum of 10 more weeks.

To help allay the tremendous expenses involved in caring for the youth, funds have been established at both the Hereford State Bank and the First National Bank. Although the funds have been established for approximately one month, only \$216 has been collected thus far.

Individuals wishing to make donations may make checks payable to the Steve Batenhorst Fund.

Batenhorst was injured when his motorcycle struck a chuckhole and he was thrown from it.

He suffered back and head injuries in the mishap, and was flown to the Emergency Receiving center in Amarillo by helicopter.

Her parents are Mr. and Mrs. R.R. Jackson of Hereford. She is the sister of Clinton Jackson and Mrs. Walter Seed of Hereford.

Long was founder of Long News Service, a Capitol news gathering agency, serving newspapers and radio-TV stations throughout the state. He also was a correspondent for a number of national publications.

"Throughout his career as reporter, publisher and author he was dedicated to the highest principles of the journalism," said Gov. Dolph Briscoe in a statement. "For more than 40 years his readers throughout benefited from his great perception of a sincere interest in affairs of government."

Both the Texas Senate and House adjourned Thursday in memory of Long.

Long was born in Portales, N.M., and attended Abilene public schools. He went to Simmons College, now Hardin-Simmons University in Abilene, and the University of Texas. At UT-Austin, he was a classmate of TV commentator Walter Cronkite.

After leaving the University of Texas, Long worked for two Austin newspapers and then took a job with International News Service. He was publisher of the Kermit Sun before entering the Marine Corps in World War II. Later he was hired by then Rep. Lyndon B. Johnson, D-Tex., to work in Johnson's radio station, KVET in Austin along with a former Gov. John B. Connally and J.J. Pickle, now a U.S. Congressman from Austin.

He organized the Long News Service in 1947.

With Sam Kinch Sr., he co-authored the book "Allan Shivers: The Pied Piper of Texas Politics," a biography of the former Texas governor.

At the time of his death Long had been Democratic chairman of Precinct 231 in Austin for more than 30 years. He was a member of the state Democratic Executive Committee in 1948.

For the past four years, the veteran newsman served as representative of Atty. Gen. John Hill on the Texas School Land Board.

Other survivors include two sons, Jeb Long of La Crescenta, Calif., and Jeff Long of Austin; and one brother, J.M. Long of Rotan.



Magnificent

The snowfall Wednesday left many a pickup truck owner with a bed full of the powdery precipitation. As this one above shows, it was at least a trace of snow providing light cargoes for area vehicles left out overnight.

update friday

Ethiopian Coup Destroyed

ADDIS ABABA, Ethiopia (AP) - The chairman and six other members of Ethiopia's ruling military council have been killed in the third major power struggle within the ruling group since the overthrow of Emperor Haile Selassie 28 months ago, the survivors announced.

Addis Ababa's midnight-to-dawn curfew was advanced to 9 p.m. after a shootout Thursday at the headquarters of the military government. Radio Ethiopia reported scattered, sporadic gunfire in the city Thursday morning, but in general the city was calm.

An official statement said Brig. Gen. Teferi Benite, the chairman of the council, and six other members plotted to kill "progressive" members of the 40-man Central Committee and move the Ethiopian revolution to the right.

Gilmore T-Shirts Sell Well

AMHERST, Mass. (AP) - "Let's Do It" reads the T-shirt - the last words of executed murderer Gary Gilmore. And 23-year-old entrepreneur James K. Bozony says he can't keep up with demand for the \$5.95 shirts, also emblazoned with a bullseye target over the heart.

"The fact that the execution became an event is a reflection of our taste as a culture. That's what is really absurd, not the shirts," said Bozony, a University of Massachusetts graduate student and writer who says he specializes in black humor.

"Some call it sick, some say I'm disgusting for exploiting Gilmore," he said. "I don't think those people are as healthy psychologically as the people who buy them, or at least stop to talk about them."

Mexican Gas Flows To U.S.

MEXICO CITY (AP) - Americans had a shot of Mexican gas in their pipelines today after a quick agreement between Presidents Jimmy Carter and Jose Lopez Portillo. Mexico began delivering natural gas to the United States Thursday less than 24 hours after Carter told the American public that Lopez Portillo had offered to help Americans fight their energy crisis.

A first delivery of 10 million cubic feet went into pipelines of the Texas Eastern Gas Transmission Co. at McAllen, Tex. A source within the U.S. Embassy said. The deliveries will be increased to 40 million cubic feet a day as quickly as possible, he said.

weather

West Texas: Fair through Saturday. Cooler most sections Saturday. Low tonight mid 20s north to upper 30s south. High Saturday upper 40s north to near 70 south.

obituaries

Mrs. Leola Shackelford

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Hospital Notes

WOMEN IN HOSPITAL

Maria Almon, 421 Barrett; James Baker, 126 W. Texas; Lee Ann Bradford, Box 432; Judith Blair, 133 Pecan; Janice Bousley, Route 5; George Boyd, 137 Avenue B; May Clark, Box 45; Vige; Red Cross, P.O. Box 1022; Shirley Dodge, 238 Elm; Lois Duggan, Box 805; Frances Freddie Escobal, Box 1262; Susie Farris, 612 Irving; Patsy Giles, 261 Avenue B; Carolyn Gilbert, Route 1; Vige; John Hill, 112 Avenue J; Jeannine Hawley, Box 204.

Ethel Houston, 204 White; Sue Duvette Lindsay, Box 104; Della Martin, Box 2117; Marlene Martinez, Box 295; Sallie Mays, Route 2; Earl Pearch, Route 5; Sarah Campbell; Wilma Pratt, 104 Avenue J; Gus Ramirez, 118 Avenue B; Mary Rucha, 125-A Avenue B; Helen Russ, Box 538; Vige; Velma Sargent, Star Route; Thomas Spickman, Route 2; Linda Tucker, 637 Hervis; Guadalupe Thoma, 109 Avenue A; Isabel Thoma, Box 1183.

OBITUARIES

Isabel Cervantes, Debra Owen, Jack Griffland, Kelli Walden.

Society The Hereford Brand Hereford, Texas



Bubbly Banquet Belles

This pair of Camp Fire Girls take out a moment Wednesday afternoon to rest from the hectic pace of a full-scale rehearsal for tonight's Father-Daughter Banquet. Approximately 1,200 people are expected to fill the Bull Barn to capacity for the annual awards supper, musical program and box supper. (Photo by Phyl Smith.)

Board Discusses Satellite Center

The Board of Directors of Hereford Satellite Training Center considered several items on the business agenda during their monthly meeting Tuesday in Civic Club Center.

Gene Brock notified Sandy Stockstill, director of the center, and Vera Valdez that magnetic signs have been received to identify the center's new van truck. Also discussed was the idea that social and church groups be invited to visit the training center and become better acquainted with its purpose and needs.

Board members analyzed necessary repairs for the Center's new facilities. Bruce Coleman volunteered to check on the building's roof leaks and a position was approved to repair the Center's plumbing.

In giving an update report, Sandy Stockstill, announced that CableVision TV had been installed at the Center and that the Satellite school's credit had been approved. New classroom equipment has been received and the Center has a new client, Ray Zamora.

Coleman was appointed to chair a committee, which has been established in order to reorganize the board of directors format. He will be assisted by John Dwyer.

Several suggestions were made concerning publicity for the Center. Rachel Hine accepted the position of publicity chairman.

By The Garden Gate With Glad

By GLADYS MANJEOT

"Flowers leave their fragrance on the hand that bestows them." If this old Chinese proverb, was practiced everyday it would change the whole world—in a wonderful way. It is a two-fold action for the one who receives and the one who gives. Good deeds work the same way, so if you do not have a flower to share, then do a good deed a day. Try it you will like it.

IRIS (Irisidum) A favorite of many gardeners: A large genus of lacy-flowering plants which is grown from rhizomes. The iris is a flower which has been grown by gardeners throughout the world for countless years. It was first grown in Japan and China, then it was carried to other countries some of which was Dutchland Spain, and Portugal, from there it crossed into North Africa, and in time it was carried to England, then to North America.

They grow wild in temperate countries in the Northern Hemisphere, and when grown in special gardens they respond to care and pay off in large dividend, with gorgeous blossoms, of colors akin to those of the rainbow. The iris has been called in some locales, the rainbow flower. Temperature, and good maintenance has caused it to be a great favorite in England and Spain, in fact iris are grown in practically all parts of the world. The English iris (Irisidum) have very narrow leaves, and the height of those grown in Spain do not reach the height of iris grown in America, however they are classified in most countries as tall and dwarf. The Bearded Hybrid, which has three classes, is perhaps the favorite of those who grow iris.

Iris are divided into two main sections, those which grow from bulbs and those which are grown from rhizomes of thick rootstocks. The Dutch iris, which is a very pretty and delicate iris is grown from bulbs, and blossoms are excellent for cut flowers and corsages. Their foliage is smaller than the Bearded Hybrid iris, and the stems are smaller, in fact the Dutch iris are dainty, yet are easy to grow, and are great favorites of many who produce iris.

Spuria iris is another lovely specimen of the iris family. It is often called the poor man's child. Colors are limited, in comparison with the large iris genus. Ivory, yellow, blue (two tone) and brown are the main colors of the spuria. They grow well in our soil, and are very beautiful when planted for borders or in masses. They are not as sturdy as the Hybrid Bearded iris and need more maintenance.

Throughout the length and breadth of the United States there are many gardens where the most important flower is the Bearded iris. The combinations of the various colors can become a colorful rainbow in the garden.

Some of the finest iris ever grown have been produced in gardens in Hereford. Mrs. A.O. (Audrey) Thompson, had a beautiful garden of iris, and she kept up with the new introductions, and grew many of them in her garden. She was a member of the National Iris Society, and attended many of their conventions, and visited some of the most famous iris gardens in America.

She was known and loved throughout Texas, and grew some of the most beautiful iris blossoms ever grown. Many of our gardens have iris which she gave us, I cherish the many that she gave me, and they bloom but what I remember Audrey and her great love for the iris.

How to grow iris: The soil should be dug deeply, and a little well-decayed manure worked into the soil, and ground limestone and bone meal should be forked into the top soil. Best time for planting for new rhizomes is from May to September, but it may be done as early as March. Iris are a surface grown plant, as the rhizomes should never be planted very deep. Best method and a must is to prepare soil well. The plant is a pyramid design, placing the rhizome very near the top of the mounded soil. Tamp soil well around the rhizomes. Water well, but slowly. A sunny, well-drained position suits them best, but they will grow in semishade. Drainage, very important.

Many of the iris bloom twice, first in the spring and then in the fall. When selecting stock to be planted, check on varieties, and also blooming habits. Check rhizomes to see if they have been scarred by insects, and be sure they are free of diseases.

Study the new flower books and plan a planting of iris for your garden. I recommend the Bearded Hybrids, Dwarf, Dutch, and Spuria, they will produce beauty and variety in your garden, and a continuous bloom for several weeks.

Dutch iris do best in a reasonably fertile, gritty or otherwise well-drained soil (this is very important to all iris. They should be planted in a trench 4 to 6 inches deep or at least twice the size of the bulb for depth. Space them 4 inches apart. Dutch iris average 2 feet in height. Their main colors are yellow, Wedgwood blue, white and tricolor.

When making plans for gardening this spring include some of the choice iris, all these varieties do well in our area. They can be started by purchasing new rhizomes or bulbs, and plant in the spring after danger of frost is past. If you wish to transplant, this should be done after they have completed their blooming season. Early fall is a very good time to transplant, the extreme heat is past and they will get a good start before frost of freezing weather. If properly cared for and a sturdy rhizome is planted they will probably flower the next year.

Visit a garden where iris are grown, and there is a good showing of blossoms and varieties. Mrs. E.W. Mitchell, of 305 West Haven Drive, has a nice collection of iris. She grows Bearded iris in profusion, and also has some of the Dutch iris. She also keeps up with the new introductions. Mrs. O.G. Hill Sr. has an attractive planting of Spuria iris.

Iris do not need too much maintenance, however they should be groomed after flowering, and foliage trimmed, all debris should be kept out of the garden and in the fall they should be groomed and made ready for the winter. One of their faults is that if they become crowded, the rhizomes, will become crowded and many will force to the top of the garden soil. An interesting characteristic is that they will have a continuous bloom for several weeks, if old blooms are cut, this can also be created by planting the various types. The fall flowering iris are beautiful, and add rich colors to the fall-flowering chrysanthemums and other blossoms.

Do some research on the IRIS, it is an interesting plant.

This week I have been doing some visiting, and in Mrs. Markham's home and at King's Manor the potted plants are very pretty. Geraniums are in flower, also Amaryllis. Was delighted to note the good grooming and care given to the plants. Hanging baskets seem to be very popular, as they are found in almost every home I visit, also in many public places.

Really Indoor Gardening is a very "popular hobby." I always find one or more plants which I cannot name or identify. There was a most interesting plant at King's Manor, which I am going to do some research on. It was in bud which resembles a miniature cactus.

Ann Landers Wife Writes Poem

DEAR ANN: Thousands of wives have a problem. I've put it in the form of a poem.

What do you suggest?
Trying

EARLY RETIREMENT

Good watch day come, not a moment too soon.
For the awaited honeymoon.
There's second one. The hours well spent
in mellow mutual retirement.
Fast are biting, books need writing.
What's this she hears—the steady clink
Of cups and saucers in the sink.
"Perpetual television football"
Fridge door bouncing on the wall.
Her sofa napping, bear treadwater.
Waiting breakfast, lunch and dinner.
What will come first—her nervous breakdown
Or work of all—his high cholesterol?
—Original, Uncopyrighted in Portland, Oregon.

DEAR FRIEND: Check out the Golden Age Clubs in Portland and get the big bag off the sofa. The solution to the problem is activity.

DEAR ANN LANDERS: Problem is a nutshell and I do mean nutshell! Our daughter—beautiful, intelligent, well-educated, ambitious, conscientious, adorable personality going with a jerk who lies, cheats in her irresponsible, ego-centric, looks like a stork and has nothing going for him.

I feel guilty because I can't bring myself to find redeeming quality in this sad excuse for a man.

We have seen Susan cry for hours after a fight, or being stood up, or seeing him with another girl. After every falling out she goes back to him—for more dirt.

This is a small town. Every decent guy for miles around has to know what's going on. I probably discuss it matter because Susan refused to go out with anyone but the jerk. He says he's going to marry her no matter what. How do I stand it?—Tupper Lake, N.Y.

DEAR T.L.: There is no way you can love your child's life, so accept the fact—for openness. Susan needs counseling. But again—all you can do is suggest it. The girl sounds as if she is neurotic, serious, being racked around. She has a low opinion of herself and believes she deserves it.

If all you parents who can't stand what your daughter or son has brought home, I say this: It's THEIR problem. Don't fret over it. The "ought" reasons are the best reason.

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Trying to make a marriage without love is like trying to bake a cake without sugar—it can be done, but your product does not measure up to your expectations. Herie Miller, family life education specialist with the Texas Agricultural Extension Service, The Texas A&M University System, says.

Happy Valentine Ads

Short Them from the Classifieds!

Searching for a clever way to say "I Love You"? Our Happy Valentine Ads will be published on Sunday, Feb. 13 and offer you a truly unusual way to proclaim your love or appreciation.

Bring your message to THE BRAND office by 1 p.m. Friday, Feb. 11, or mail to Box 673. We'll display it in a box like one of the samples below. Cash only... \$3 a box.

To Mom and Dad

We couldn't have picked a dearer pair of parents in the world... Happy Valentine's Day

Mom and Dad

To My Wife, Ann

After 13 wonderful years of marriage, I'm still head-over-heels in love with you.

Wife #2

Happy Anniversary

Happy Anniversary, Dear

Mrs. Smith — Thanks for making divorce fun to learn. We thank you for it!

Your Class

Happy Valentine's Day

To Jane — every year for my Valentine, and I won't take "no" for an answer!

Jane, Tom

Friends Invited To Fete Mrs. Frye

More than twenty years of service as postmaster of Downs community will be recognized during a reception honoring Mary Alice Frye from 3-5 p.m. Sunday at Downs Community Center.

Mrs. Frye recently retired from her job as postmaster at Downs, where she has resided since coming there in 1928 to teach. She is a member of the professional organizations, National Association of Postmasters, hired to replace Mrs. Frye was Genevieve Miller, who recently resigned as executive secretary of Dead Smith County Chapter of the American Red Cross.

Born at Fort Worth, Mary Alice Griffiths taught at Downs School for three years before marrying R.A. Frye in 1922. The couple had two sons, Fred of Louisiana and Richard of Port Aransas. Mrs. Frye, widowed in 1972, has seven grandchildren.

Now that she is retired, Mrs. Frye has spare time for her favorite hobby, handweaving in a loom.

Courtesy Planned For Mrs. Holbert

A salad dinner was planned for Feb. 5 honoring Mrs. Chuck Holbert, sweetheart of Ki Epsilon Alpha Chapter of Beta Sigma Phi during a meeting Tuesday evening. Mrs. Holbert is one of four candidates vying for the Stranly Valentine Queen.

The meeting was called to order by the chapter's president, Mrs. Kenneth Riland.

A program in "History" was presented by Mrs. David McDonald. She led the chapter in a discussion on the progress women have made throughout history. Starting in Biblical times—as the present, members decided that women have progressed immensely—in status, worth and equality.

Plans were finalized for the annual Valentine Ball to be held Feb. 12 at Knights of Columbus Hall. Members turned in names of guests who will attend the ball.

Other present were Misses. Mrs. Chuck Holbert, Gerald Sledge, Jimmy Bell, Tom Bullard, John Burkhalter, Ron Davies, Jerry Fagn, Betty James, Coy Mason, Kirk Owsley, Jerry Richburg, Fred Riland, Jerry Shipman, Davie Sorells, Ken Walker, Clyde Whitaker and Lajean Brinkman.

Who's New

Mr. and Mrs. Roger Rocha, 325 Avenue B, are the parents of a daughter born Feb. 2. She weighed 6 lbs. 12 oz.

Mr. and Mrs. Roger Brunley, Route 5, are the parents of a son, Caleb Joseph, born Feb. 2. He weighed 8 lbs. 2 1/4 oz.

Keepsake

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Snake Meat FOR HEALTH

NEW YORK (AP) — Many Chinese living in Hong Kong consider snake meat essential for good health during the winter months.

"Snake venom mixed with Chinese wine is considered an aphrodisiac and rheumatism cure," reports an article in the travel magazine, Going Places.

"At the barbers, you'll find wine drawn from jars in which snakes are pickled," it says. "You'll also find such other standard potions as dried scorpions, deer fetuses and ground tiger bones."

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To Present Demonstration

Mrs. Louise Vaughan of 204 Cottage Drive poses with the rug which she crocheted for King's Manor Retirement Home. Mrs. Vaughan will give a demonstration for the public at 4 p.m. Monday at

the County Library on the art of tatting, which is a technique for making fine lace from looped and knotted thread. There will be no admission fee to attend Monday's presentation.

State-Line News

MRS. C.L. HUTCHINS

BRAND CORRESPONDENT

"Greetings to each of you! I have joined the staff of the Hereford Brand, to serve as your news reporter. I am looking forward to an enjoyable year; please call me with news items, phone no. 456-2348, I will appreciate your thoughtfulness.

"Nancey Hoagland, teenage daughter of Rev. and Mrs. Francis Hoagland, pastor of the Broadview Church of Nazarene is confined to her home this week with the measles.

"Mrs. Bob Moelieus spent Tuesday afternoon in Hereford, attending the Deaf Smith County Extension Council meeting. Mrs. Moelieus is president of the Messenger Home Extension Club in Garcia community.

"Several residents have enrolled in college courses attending the Extension of E.N.M.U. in Clovis. Gary Hoagland will attend five days a week for 18 months taking "Building Construction". Mrs. LeRoy Bailey and Mrs. Dub Sanderson-accounting and Law; while Dub and Larry Sanderson, LeRoy and Steve Bailey are taking jewelry making.

"The Rosedale Baptist Church observed "Baptist Men's Day" Sunday during the morning service. Laymen Bob Ridley brought the morning message; Jimmy Schell led he singing while Sammy Brown served as pianist. Herman Rierson read the Missionary Prayer Calendar and Ernest Riley gave his testimony. Special music was rendered by the Men's Choir. The Rev. Richard Clymer is local pastor.

"Mrs. Rosalie Colwell of Hereford was Saturday overnight guest in the home of Mr. and Mrs. C.L. Hutchins and her mother Mrs. Mollie Reese.

"Sunday dinner guests in the Hutchins home included Mrs. Colwell, Bill Battershell of Clovis and Mrs. Anita Hort and

daughter Shilo of Los Angeles, Calif.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Boney and daughter Kelly spent Sunday afternoon and enjoyed dinner in the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. E.C. Blandford in Portales.

Mrs. Herman Rierson, spent Friday night in Clovis with her daughter and family and was with her daughter Mrs. Le Von (Maurine) Thomas, when she underwent minor surgery early Tuesday morning in the Clovis Memorial Hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Tate of Broadview have been quite busy recently assisting in installing officers for 1977 for the I.O.O.F. and Rebecca Lodge in various communities.

Wayne Tate served as Representative of Sovereign Grand Lodge, while Mrs. Mary Opal Tate serves as Treasurer of Rebecca Assembly of New Mexico. They were guests on Jan. 14 for the installation of officers in the San Jon Lodge Hall in Tucumcari on Jan. 15 and in Fort Sumner on Jan. 16. Saturday evening Wayne Tate, accompanied by Joe Rice of Clovis were guests at the installation service held in the Clayton I.O.O.F. Lodge Hall.

Mr. and Mrs. Louis Sorensen, enjoyed having her cousin Jim Box of Portales at an overnight guest Saturday in their home.

Mr. and Mrs. Donald Lofton and their niece Miss Cheryl Gunnels of Clovis, were Sunday dinner guests in the home of his parents and Cheryl's grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Lofton.

Happy to report Barney Blackburn has been dismissed from the St. Anthony's Hospital in Amarillo, and is staying in the home of his son and family, Mr. and Mrs. Austin Blackburn of Amarillo, while recuperating.

Wednesday, Mr. and Mrs.

Blackburn drove out to their farm north of Broadview and spent the night. While here several friends came by for a visit with the Blackburns.

Walter Merrick of Sayre, Oklahoma was Friday guest in the home of Mr. and Mrs. C.L. Hutchins.

Merrick is an outstanding breeder of Quarter Horses and well known on the Racing Circuit.

Mr. and Mrs. James Cook of Vernon were Friday guests in the home of her grandmother, Mrs. Nellie Mullinax and son Jerry.

Francis Decker and Dub Sanderson spent last week in Golden City, Mo. on Sanderson's farm and buying cattle in the area. Decker and Sanderson returned home Sunday afternoon.

Congratulations to Miss Kathy Northcutt, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Loyd Northcutt who was listed among the 478 students named to the 1976 fall semester Dean's Honor Roll at Eastern New Mexico University. Miss Northcutt is a two-year secretarial major.

The Bellview community was saddened early Sunday when the word reached here of the death of Mrs. Ica Price, 74, of Hereford.

Mrs. Price and her husband, Leo had previously lived in this community before moving to Hereford. The community extends sympathy to all

members of the Price family and friends.

Local residents attending the memorial service held for Mrs. Price in the Pioneer Chapel of Smith and Co. Funeral Home included: Mr. and Mrs. Herman Rierson, Mrs. Charlice Hultman, Mrs. Pete Mote, Neise Pearce, Mrs. Mae Fryar, and Mrs. Francis Decker.

Four thousand dollars was the estimated damage to the farm home of Mr. and Mrs. LeRoy Bailey when the attic of their home caught fire, caused from faulty wiring. The Broadview and Grady Fire trucks both arrived shortly after the fire was noticed about 11 p.m., as did other local farmers.

The Bailey family wishes to thank their many friends who came and offered their service in a time of emergency.

Mr. and Mrs. Johnnie Foster are spending the week in Lubbock at the bedside of their daughter Mrs. Johnnie Mae Wyatt who underwent major surgery Monday at the Methodist Hospital.

Mrs. Ernest Riley was in Hereford Monday to their family doctor suffering from a back ailment. Mrs. Riley is a teacher in the Grady High School. Her many friends wish her a speedy recovery.

Mrs. Danna Lee Lofton and children Roxanne, Floyd Jay and Don Awyne returned recently from Bellwood, Penn. where they were guests in the home of their grandparents, Mrs. and Mrs. John Cherry for a week. The Lofton family flew from Lubbock airport to Pittsburgh, Penn. where they were met by their relatives. They reported having a nice vacation, however cold weather.



Felines Flaunted

Ruth Newsom of 150 Liveoak has filled the display case at Deaf Smith County Library with various figurines of cats for the month of February. The collection was grouped by Mrs. Newsom and her daughter, Mrs. Mike Carr, through the past several years. The public is invited to view the display.

Citron, a member of the citrus family native to northern India, is cultivated mostly for its thick rind which is preserved or candied. The rind also produces an oil used in perfume making.

Mr. and Ms. Ernest Trapp of Clovis were guests Sunday morning at the Rosedale Baptist Church, when the church observed Men's Laymen Day.

Obituaries

MRS. LEELA SHACKELFORD

Mrs. Leela Shackelford, 83-year-old mother of Jack Nunley of 602 E. 4th, died Wednesday morning in Golden Spread Rest Home at Canyon, where she resided.

Services will be conducted at 2 p.m. today in the chapel of Schooler-Gordon Funeral Home at Canyon with the Rev. Hubert Thomson, retired Methodist minister of Canyon, officiating. Interment will be at Canyon. Surviving her are three sons,

Jack Nunley of Hereford, W.O.

"Buck" Nunley of San Diego, Calif. and Charles R. Nunley of Paisley, Fla.; three daughters, Leola Dawdy of Sunday Canyon, Mrs. Ray Robertson of Brownwood and Mrs. Max Dutton of Lajunta, Colo.; two sisters, a brother, 16 grandchildren, 19 great-grandchildren and one great-great-grandchild.

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- EVENING
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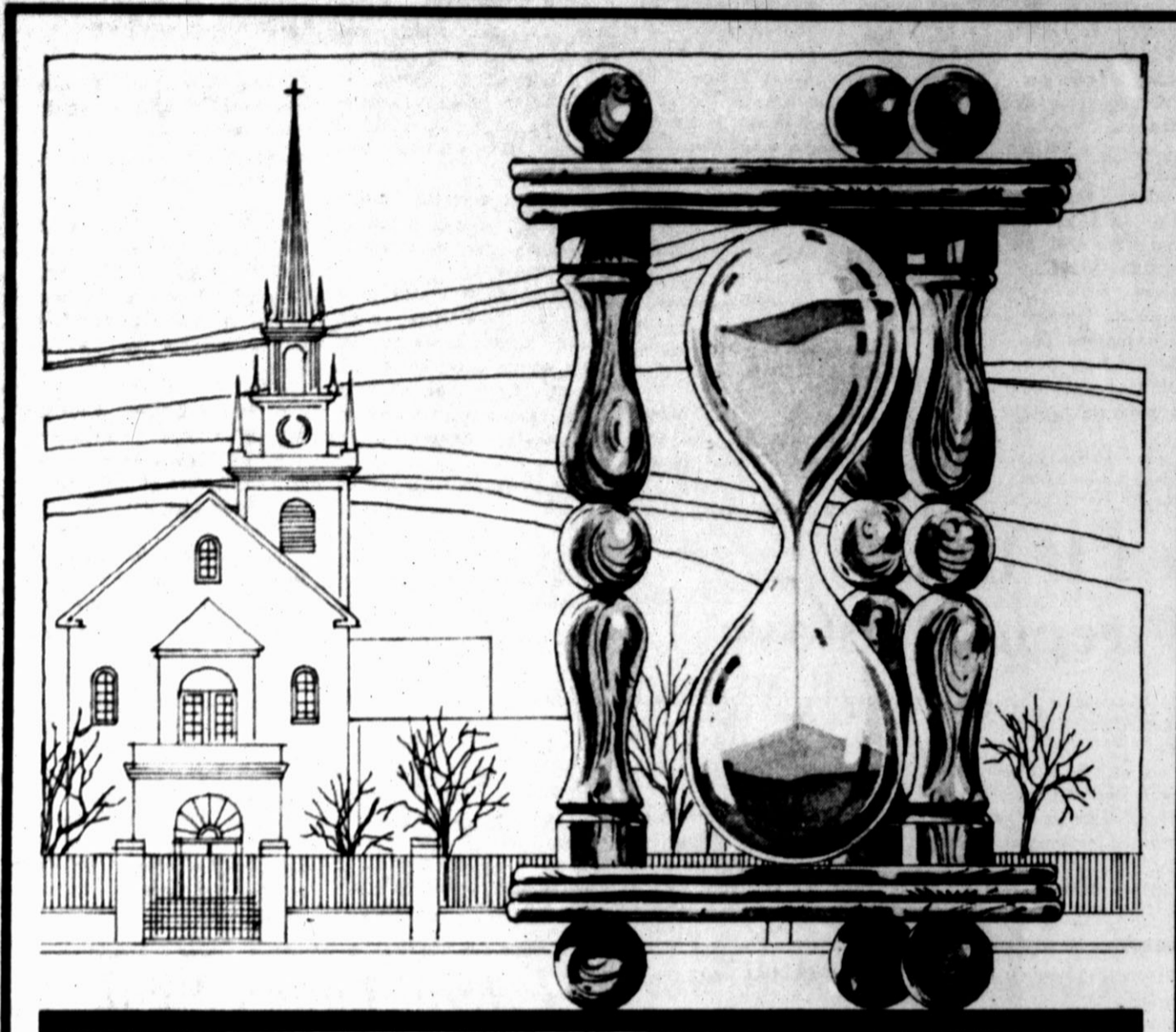
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Showing His Form

Hereford's number one boys singles player Steve Hoover demonstrates his forehand as net coach Steve Thomas and number one girls singles player Toni Webb look on. Hoover and Webb will lead the Herd netters as they begin the season today in Plainview. (Photo by Bob Nigh).

Netters At Plainview

The Hereford High School tennis team opens the spring sports season today as the Herd netters travel to Plainview to play in the Plainview Team Tournament.

The team will compete in the tourney both today and Saturday as they get into the swing of things with a match against district foe Coronado just around the corner.

The lineup for coach Steve Thomas' crew includes Steve Hoover in number one boys singles, Kevin Lewis in number two boys singles, Joni Webb in number one girls singles, and Polly Robinson in number two girls singles.

Downing is replacing Ralph Vargas on the number one boys doubles team. Vargas is currently sidelined with a foot injury according to coach Thomas.

The netters open the dual season next Tuesday, February 8 when they travel to Lubbock to take on Coronado. The Mustang boys have been tabbed the favorite to win the district crown by Thomas.

The doubles teams consist of Rick Mendiaz-Kevin Downing and Ruben Vargas-Eddie Castanada in the boys bracket, and Shelly Scott-Karen Grimsley and Kaye Inmon-Patricia Grimsley in the girls bracket.

Team Title On Line At Lions Wrestling

The Hereford Lions Club presents a super card of wrestling to set its 1977 season off with a bang this Saturday night, February 5th, at the Deaf Smith County Bull Barn.

There will be four matches on the card, and ten wrestlers. The Western States Tag Team Championship will be on the line, as Ricky Romero and Newcomer El Bracero challenge title holders Rip Hawk and Swede Hanson.

Romero, 224-pound speedster from old Mexico, was raised in the United States. He worked on a ranch, raced stock cars and motorcycles, was scouted by major league baseball, and welds a wicked cue stick.

A superb all-around athlete, he has been dubbed the "Super-Mex" of the mat world. El Bracero, another south of the border import, is a comparatively small heavyweight, but makes up in science and agility what he lacks in size.

He steps in under 220 pounds, which in cauliflower row makes him a junior heavyweight. Bracero and Romero will need all their wiles to overcome Hawk and Hanson, who have a combined weight of 570 pounds.

Hanson is over 300 pounds alone. Both men hail from Charlotte, North Carolina. In other action, popular Johnny Weaver, another Carolinian who tips the beam at 238, will meet Alex Perez. Perez, former fistic great from Lelia Lake, Texas, calls himself "The Texican", weighs 265, and has expressed a consistent dislike of any latin not born in the states.

Perez recently had his head shaved in a match with Romero, in which each contestant risked his hair. Weaver is the current International Champion, but his title will not be at stake on Saturday night.

Tank Patton, the Western States Heavyweight Champion, will square off with old rival Teddy Dibaise. Patton, 320 pounds, is from Tampa, Florida. Dibaise is a former West Texas Football player, and son of the late great Iron Mike Dibaise. At 245, he is a ready and willing opponent.

The opener will see the return of Reggie Parks, the 238-pound crowd pleaser from Edmonton, Canada. He currently makes his home in Nogales, Arizona, where one of his prize pit bulldogs recently assisted him in apprehending two burglars in his house. Parks is a highly-conditioned athlete who has demonstrated enormous abdominal strength by allowing a loaded Minibus to run over his stomach. His opponent will be El Lobo, 228-pound masked Mexican toughie who has always produced action for Hereford wrestling fans.

Although all the men on the card are capable wrestlers with a large variety of holds and moves, several are identified with certain punishing or match-ending holds. Hawk and Hanson use a reverse neck-breaker of a pile driver, Romero a sleeper hold, and El Bracero a flying cross body block. Weaver is noted for a painful figure-four leg lock, and Perez for a spine-jarring atomic drop.

Patton uses a claw hold, while former Gridiron player Dibaise combines football tackles with a flying elbow smash. Parks demonstrates amazing strength with his side suplex, while El Lobos is a drop kick artist.

Hereford Lions Club officials have predicted one of the most action-packed nights to ever appear at the Bull Barn. Action Saturday night will start at 8:00 p.m.

Advertisement for a farm or ranch. Includes a photo of a man, Rex Harris, and text: 'See Rex Harris if you wish to buy, sell, or trade a farm or ranch. 364-6633'.

Hereford Tackles Lubbock Tonight

The Hereford Whitefaces complete the first half of district basketball play tonight as the Herd travels to Lubbock to meet the Lubbock High Westerners.

Hereford is 1-2 in the league after downing the Monterey Plainsmen 64-58 Tuesday night, and the Westerners have gone 2-1 in the district with but a loss to first half winner Plainview to mark their record.

Senior Gary Norris has been the mainstay for the Westerners all year, and the 6-2 forward has posted a 16.8 scoring average through the first three district games.

Cecil Ross (13.1) and Craig Mitchell (10.2) provide ample backup for Norris.

Lubbock is 14-10 on the season, and will open the second half of district action against Coronado next Tuesday. Coach Barry Arwine's cagers finally broke the ice in league play Tuesday night in an impressive 64-58 win over Monterey.

Senior James Mays has led the Faces through the district campaign with a 21.0 scoring average, while guards Kelly Kitchens and Mike O'Rand have been hot from the outside, sporting 17.0 and 10.0 averages respectively.

The rest of the squad forms a solid nucleus of support with David Schumacher (5.0), Kenneth Mercer (3.3), Jim Lawson (2.0), and Blake Autry (2.0) rounding out the list.

After wrapping up the first half tonight the Herd travels to Clovis Tuesday while the rest of the district team begin the second half.

Hereford demolished the Wildcats 101-68 in the two team's last meeting in Hereford January 22.

Lions Claim Wins

The Hereford Lions scrambled their way into the volley-ball finals in the YMCA Inter-Service Club Olympics with a pair of victories Tuesday night.

The Lions downed the local Rotarians 15-5, 15-10 and then defeated the Hereford Kiwanis Club 15-11, 8-15, 15-10 to enter the finals against the Simms Lions.

The Hereford Kiwanis opened their night with a 15-12, 15-3 win over the Easter Lions before meeting the local Lions in the semifinals.

The Lions and Simms will face off at 7 p.m. Saturday night in the high school gym, with the basketball finals immediately following.

The Lions face Dimmitt in the cage finals, which will close out the two-week olympics.

Johnny Logan, former Milwaukee Braves shortstop, works on ticket sales for the Milwaukee Brewers of the American League.

Bears Defend Title

by DENNE M. FREEMAN AP Sports Writer

FORT WORTH, Tex. (AP) - Baylor defends its Southwest Conference indoor track and field title tonight but most of the curiosity surrounds the world's sixth fastest human who has never run on boards in his life.

Johnny Jones, a freshman at the University of Texas, finished sixth in the 100 meters at the summer Olympics in Montreal then ran the second leg of America's gold medal spring relay team.

Jones of Lampasas, Tex., who has run a 9.1 over a 100 yards, had to be taught the proper procedure to get set in the blocks at Montreal. However, he still is a notorious slow starter with unlimited potential.

The 6-foot-2, 180-pound Jones was a starting halfback on Texas' football team this year and is slowly rounding into track shape.

"I've never run indoors before yet alone run a 60-yard dash," said Jones. "I don't know who I will be running against. I don't see how anybody could make me a favorite."

Junior High Cagers Close District Play

Seventh, eighth, and ninth grade squads from Stanton and La Plata Junior Highs got together Thursday afternoon in the Dogie gym to close out district action with a couple of playoff spots hanging in the balance.

The Stanton teams had nothing much but pride to play for, while the Maverick 7th and 8th grade bunches had trips to the playoffs at stake.

Mike Crawford's 7th grade Mavs came into their contest with a 20-1 record on the year having dropped only a 36-34 decision to Plainview Coronado.

And, in the end it all came out pretty much as expected as the Mavericks went on to post a 42-32 win over the Dogies to push their zone mark to 9-1.

Alan Wartes copped 17 points for the winners before fouling

out midway through the final period. Aubrey Richburg took advantage of his height and muscle superiority to add nine points to the effort.

Wayne High pushed through 11 points for Stanton in the losing cause as the Dogies fell to 3-7 in the zone.

The win sent La Plata into a zone playoff against the Plainview team in a contest set for 2:30 this afternoon.

In the eighth grade matchup the Dogies pulled off a frantic rally as regulation time ran out to knot the score, and went on to beat the Mavs 47-45 in overtime.

La Plata went into the game with the possibilities of an outright zone win if they came out on top, or at least a tie with Plainview Estacado if they lost. As it turned out Estacado

also lost Thursday afternoon to give the Mavericks the zone title and send them into the playoffs next Thursday against the north zone winner.

La Plata looked as if they held the game locked up as they held a 40-35 lead with just 47 seconds left, but Stanton's Michael Fraser and Terry Blackwell had other notions.

Fraser hit two quick buckets to make it 40-39, and after La Plata's Felix Soliz hit a free throw, Blackwell sent the game into an extra period with a 15-foot jumper as the buzzer sounded.

Baskets by Steve Bartels and Gary Parman in the overtime made the difference as the Mavericks got but one bucket from Soliz.

Soliz came close to making it a double-overtime affair, but his desperation shot bounced off the rim as the buzzer sounded. La Plata finished 7-3 in the zone, while Stanton closed out at 4-6.

In the nightcap Stanton's freshmen raced by the Mavericks 58-45 behind a 14-point effort by Ernie Suarez. Keith Adams and Belen Ramirez added 12 and 11 points respectively for the winners.

Kent Ellis led La Plata with 12 points, while Joe Walker added 11.

Stanton finished 2-8 in the zone, while the Mavericks slumped to a 1-9 mark.

Bufs In Triangular Track Meet Tonight

CANYON, Texas--For a coach whose team had just been beaten by 61 points in a dual track meet, West Texas State's Bob Kitchens did not have the dour demeanor one might have expected last Saturday night.

"I really wasn't displeased with the first meet," he explained. "We made some mistakes, had some jitters, and I think the fact that we were running against a big name school like Oklahoma had an effect."

"But at the same time, we had some people who ran better than they ever had in a first meet. We had eight people who had personal records. I still think this will be the best track team we've ever had. They will be very good and very solid down the road."

"Oklahoma is just a great team. You can tell that by the number of Activities Center records that they set."

SPORTS SHORTS

By The Associated Press LOS ANGELES (AP) - Second baseman Davey Lopes, pitcher Rick Rhoden and out-fielder Dusty Baker were among seven Los Angeles Dodgers playing coming to terms with the National League team for the 1977 baseball season, the club announced Thursday.

OU set seven new AC records and tied an eighth, but it was Joseph Kemei's 4:09.4 win in the mile that made Kitchens happiest. "Joseph had his finest opening meet since he's been here," he said. "That's two seconds faster than his old school record, and if we hadn't had an officials error in the two-mile and hadn't run an extra lap, I'm sure he would have been around nine-minutes flat in that race too."

With the opener out of the way, the Bufs come right back this week to host Wayland Baptist and Lubbock Christian in a three-way meet Friday night at the AC. It will be the only competition in a three-way meet Friday night at the AC. It will be the only competition of the indoor season for the Bufs against these two area squads.

"Bill (Hardage) has one of his strongest teams ever at Wayland," Kitchens related.

"Randy Lightfoot is a tremendous hurdler as you can tell by his 13.6 outdoors in the 120-yard highs."

"But Wayland also is strong in the quarter-mile, the 600, the 300, the high jump, the mile relay, and of course both hurdle events."

"Lubbock Christian also has a good high jumper and quarter miler. They'll have some people here that will be very competitive, also."

Kitchens will primarily enter the same people in each event as in the OU meet. Exceptions will be in the mile where Kemei will be joined by freshman Bert Torres and sophomore Louis Tejada, and in the 1,000-yard run where Kemei may run in place of John Chemaringo. Chemaringo would then run the two-mile.

Also this week, Buff fans will get their first glimpse of Joseph Barno, the newest member of the WTSU team from Kenya. Barno will join countryman Gabriel Boit in the 800.

Next week, the Bufs hit the road for the first time this winter to run in the U.S. Track and Field Federation indoor championships in Oklahoma City. That meet will be held Feb. 11-12 in the Myriad. WTSU's last home meet of the season will be Feb. 18 against Texas Tech.

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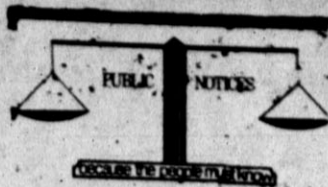
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Explosion Caused By Dynamite

ABILENE, Tex. (AP)- A stick of dynamite probably was responsible for a mysterious explosion last month that knocked a hole in the roof of the W.T. Willis home, according to Abilene police.
The Jan 13 blast has police and fire investigators baffled for while, but police Capt. George Sutton said Wednesday investigators "are more than 50 per cent sure" the blast was caused by dynamite thrown on the roof of the Willis home.
He said a blasting cap probably had been attached to the dynamite.
While awaiting the results of laboratory tests on evidence found at the scene, Sutton declined to comment on possible suspects or the motive for the bombing.

NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS
Sealed bids addressed to the City of Hereford, Texas will be received at the City Hall until 2:00 PM, February 21, 1977, and then publicly opened and read for furnishing all plant, labor, material and equipment, and performing all work required for one 30' x 50' Park Pavilion Building.
Bids shall be submitted in sealed envelopes upon the blank form of the proposal attached hereto and marked in the upper left hand corner.
All proposals shall be accompanied by a cashier's check or certified check upon a national or state bank in the amount of five (5%) per cent of the total maximum bid price payable without recourse to the City or a bid bond in the same amount from a reliable surety company, as a guarantee that bidder will enter into a contract and execute performance bond within ten days after notice of award of contract to him. The bid security must be enclosed in the same envelope with the bid. Bids without check or bid bond will not be considered.
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CITY OF HEREFORD, TEXAS
By: James H. Sears, Mayor.
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NOTICE TO BIDDERS
The city of Hereford, Texas will accept sealed bids in the office of the city manager not later than 2:00 p.m., February 21, 1977 for the following equipment:
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The peanut is not a true nut in the botanical sense. It is the fruit of a plant belonging to the pea family.

Amarillo Bus Wreck Injures 22

AMARILLO (AP)- At least three persons were injured critically Thursday when a bus carrying workers to their jobs in this West Texas city collided with a trailer truck.
It was the second bus-vehicle collision in Texas Thursday, the earlier one occurring in Big Spring in West Texas.
Nineteen other persons also were injured in the Amarillo accident.
Those listed in critical condition were identified by police as Ed. nund Cantu, 53, Les Beeman, and Arvella England, 50, all of Amarillo.
Police said the accident

Unemployment Holds Key To Winter Effect

By R. GREGORY NOKES
Associated Press Writer

WASHINGTON (AP) - The Carter administration and Congress are looking to the latest unemployment figures for clues on the economic impact of the severe winter weather across much of the nation.
Government estimates of the number of Americans forced out of work by the weather range as high as 1.5 million, but nobody knows for sure.
The January employment statistics, scheduled to be released by the Labor Department today, would not tell the whole story, however, since they were gathered in early January, before the worst impact of the weather had been felt.

John W. Kendrick, chief Commerce Department economist said the January jobless figures probably would show little change from December's unemployment rate of 7.9 per cent, and could even show a slight decline.
However, he said there is no doubt that "if you take the month as a whole, there undoubtedly has been some increase" in unemployment.

The full weather impact may show up in the February statistics.
In December, the Labor Department said total employment was at a new high of 88.4 million, while unemployment declined by 210,000 to 7.6 million.
One million unemployed adds about 1 per cent to the nation's unemployment rate, unless offset by gains elsewhere.
If the jobless rate does rise sharply in February, it is likely to increase demands in Congress that Carter's \$31.2 billion economic stimulus program be enlarged to compensate people for their weather-related losses.

Food Prices Rise During January

By The Associated Press
Bigger grocery bills are sending shivers up and down the spines of consumers. An Associated Press marketbasket survey shows supermarket prices went up last month, with most of the boosts affecting food products.
The AP drew up a random list of 15 commonly purchased food and nonfood items, checked the price at one supermarket in each of 13 cities on March 1, 1973 and has rechecked on or about the start of each succeeding month.

Among the latest findings:
-The marketbasket bill increased during January at the checklist store in 10 of the survey cities. The average rise was 4 per cent. The bill decreased at the checklist store in two cities, down an average seven-tenths of a per cent, and was unchanged in one city. A 13-city average of the marketbasket bills at the checklist stores showed an increase of 3 per cent last month.
-The AP survey showed that the marketbasket bill at the checklist store in 12 cities was

higher this Feb. 1 than it was a year ago. The average increase was 9.4 per cent. The only exception was Chicago, where coffee - responsible for much of the price boost elsewhere - was unavailable at the checklist store in the requested size and brand and therefore could not be included in the total.
-Almost all of the increases occurred at food counters. Over 90 per cent of the items which went up in price during January in the AP survey were foods.
-The items most frequently rising in price were pork chops, orange juice, coffee and eggs. Coffee was over \$3 a pound in two cities.
Pork prices had been declining sharply recently, reflecting increased supplies of hogs at the market. The Agriculture Department reported recently, however, that prices paid to farmers for their hogs increased from Dec. 15 to Jan. 15.
Beef supplies are still adequate, helping hold down prices. But industry and government officials warn that cattlemen back their herds, meaning less beef in the coming months and higher prices.
The American Meat Institute reported that a survey of 23 major cattle-feeding states showed that the number of animals on feed, being fattened for market, was 3 per cent lower this Jan. 1 than it was a year ago. Ranchers are expected to send 4 per cent less cattle to market in the first quarter of this year than they did a year ago.

-There is more bad news ahead. The abnormally cold weather is expected to add billions to food bills. Florida citrus growers are still trying to total the damage from frost and the latest AP survey showed prices for frozen orange juice concentrate already have started rising, up at the checklist store in six cities.

Members of the Carter Cabinet are also finding themselves taking opposing positions on the issue.
Commerce Secretary Juanita Kreps said Thursday she thinks there should be an increase in the program.
"It doesn't seem to me that there can be any doubt that the total stimulus will need to be larger," she told the House Public Works subcommittee.
But Treasury Secretary W. Michale Blumenthal and Budget Director Bert Lance both have said they would prefer giving weather relief directly to people and areas that need it, rather than increasing Carter's over-all program.
That was the same position

Carter Wants Input From Hispanics

WASHINGTON (AP) - President Carter told five Hispanic-Americans Thursday he welcomes their advice and even criticism because, without it, the administration "might not give adequate attention" to their problems.
"I think we've made some good progress so far," Carter told the group at a Cabinet room meeting that also was attended by Vice President Walter F. Mondale.

The President acknowledged that he has yet to appoint as many Hispanic-Americans as he wants in key administration positions but predicted more personnel announcements would be forthcoming as the Federal Bureau of Investigation completes its field checks of prospective officeholders.
While reporters and photographers were in the room, Carter noted he has set up an advisory commission to recommend candidates for ambassadorships because "I want to get this out of the realm of politics as much as possible."
He urged his listeners to submit to the commission names of hispanic-Americans they consider qualified to hold diplomatic posts.
Present at the session were Democratic Leader Rubeen Valdez of the Colorado house, City Comptroller Leonel Castillo of Houston, chairman Alfredo Duran of the Florida Democratic party, California State Rep. Art Torres and Miriam Cruz, an aide to the mayor of Chicago.

China has 21 provinces and five autonomous regions.

Cold Weather Hampers Post Office Delivery In East

WASHINGTON (AP)- Neither rain nor snow nor anything else is supposed to keep the mail from getting through. But that's been a tall order this frigid winter.

The Postal Service has been called upon to deliver mail through Arctic temperatures, howling winds and blizzards this winter. And postal officials say the mail has gotten through in most areas, despite record low temperatures and heavy snowfalls.
But nature got the best of the Postal Service in western and northern New York State, where near-blizzard conditions have prevailed this week, and in other scattered areas.
Mail could not be delivered Saturday, Monday, and Tuesday in Buffalo, Watertown and Rochester, N.Y., and surrounding areas, Postal Service spokesman Bernard J. Roswig said.
Some mail service was restored Wednesday in the Buffalo and Rochester areas but not in the Watertown area, he said.

While the weather was bad, Roswig said it was not always weather alone that stopped mail deliveries in those areas. Traffic, including mail trucks, was prohibited from traveling some snowbound roads.
"The first truck since Jan. 29 got through today from Syracuse to Watertown," Roswig said Wednesday.
Delivery problems were reported in rural areas in the Eastern part of the nation. Roswig cited the situation in northern Maine, where letter carriers were slowed by the bad weather and mail could not be delivered every day.

In many areas problems have been encountered on snow-bound highways, but Roswig said, "There may have been some delays in delivering the mail, but nothing inordinate."
In these matters, the Postal Service is bound by the words chisled into the General Post Office in New York:
"Neither snow nor rain nor heat nor gloom of night stays these carriers from the swift completion of their appointed rounds."

The famous quotation was adapted from the description by the Greek historian Herodotus of the Persian postal system of 500 B.C.

Personal Touch
New York State, in 1908, was the first state in the nation to require automobile owners to equip their vehicles with license plates. That year 904 autos were registered, each license plate was inscribed with the owner's initials.

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Martinez Named Store Manager

Chester Harrison, city manager for the Hereford Cash and Carry grocery and Thriftway Supermarket announces the change of store management for Cash and Carry. Daniel Martinez Jr., an employee of Thriftway for the past four months has been named as the Cash and Carry store manager. The former manager, Gary Collier, has resigned to take a position with the U.S. Postal Service and is moving with his wife, Toni to the central part

of the state. The change was effective Feb. 1. Martinez is a native of the Hereford area and had been associated with the grocery field for many years. He stated that he foresees no changes in store policy and that the same high quality of items and efficient service will be maintained that was established under the leadership of the former store manager. Martinez is married to the former Elva Nararro.

Student Numbers Up At AC

Enrollment at Amarillo College has increased by 4.57 per cent during the spring semester.

At the close of enrollment for the spring semester at AC there were 4,094 students, as compared to 3,915 in 1976—an increase of 179 students.

These figures, issued by AC Registrar, J. Fred Balderston, are for students enrolled in the College of Arts and Sciences, School of Biomedical Arts and Sciences and School of Technology.

"This is contrary to the decreasing enrollments being experienced at a number of other educational institutions through the state," said Balderston.

Cub Scouts Compete In Derby Race

Cub Scouts from Den 1 of Pack 54 competed in a pinewood derby race at St. Anthony's Catholic Church auditorium recently.

The scouts' derby racers are all hand carved and painted from kits purchased for the event. Many long and tedious hours are dedicated to each race car and they must meet size and weight requirements to qualify for the race.

Winners in the heavy weight division are: Bruce Walterscheid, first place; Richard Evans, second place; Preston Clark, third, and Noel Gonzales, fourth.

Light weight winners are: John Simmacher, first place; Matthew Phelps, second, and Alex Schmucker, third place.



Wins Derby Race

Cub Scouts from several Hereford packs competed in a city wide pinewood derby race in the Flame Room of Pioneer Natural Gas Co. Tuesday evening. Winners were awarded plaques for mounting their cars. Shown left to right: Race Official Totch Upshaw, Pack 155 Cubmaster; third

place winner, Dwayne Jones, Pack 155, son of Mr. and Mrs. Harley Jones; first place winner, Daryl Furr, Pack 50, son of Mr. and Mrs. Dale Furr; second place, Richard Evers, Pack 54, son of Mr. and Mrs. Sonny Evers, and Jeff Morris, District Scout Executive. [Photo by Lanny Smith]

28 Hereford Students Listed On Texas Tech Honor Rolls

Academic officials of Texas Tech University have released the names of students who were listed on the deans' honor rolls for the Fall semester.

They included, from Hereford: Betty K. Banks, Rt. 1; Beverly C. Beene, P.O. Box 606; Kathi A. Bell, 132 N. Texas; Sylvia A. Betzen, Rt. 4; Brent W. Combs, 109 B. Kingwood; Tom W. Conaway, 104 Rio Vista; Charles D. Durham, Rt. 4; Shelley G. Hacker, 119 East

15th; Maggie L. Hudson, Rt. 1 Box 3140; Debra L. Jones, 348 Douglas; Sandra M. Klueskens, Rt. 1 Box 187; Alice A. Kuper, Rt. 5, Box 67; Ricky L. Lloyd, Rt. 5; and Lisa A. Lyles, 127 Liveoak.

Also Ginger M. Newton, 907 S. Main Star Rt.; Russell D. Odom, 1003 Union; Frances R. Payne, 237 Ranger; Terry D. Poindexter, 305 Sunset; Jess A. Robinsion, Rt. 1; Paul D. Rudd, Rt. 5; Judith D. Scott, 236 Centre; Wesley B. Strain, Rt. 1;

Delfine Ulibarri, 401 Ave. E.; Rhea A. Wesson, 140 Pecan; Elizabeth A. Word, 221 Ranger; William R. Word, 221 Ranger; Lora A. Zetsche, Rt. 5; and David J. Zinser, Rt. 5.

Texas Tech has an enrollment of more than 22,000 students in six colleges and two schools. They are the colleges Agricultural Sciences, Arts and Sciences, Business Administration Education, Engineering, and Home Economics and the School of Law and the Graduate School.

Lions See Film Strip

Lions Club wrestling's 1977 season begins this Saturday evening after almost a two-month layoff, and the Lions are also looking forward to the Annual Pancake Supper coming up February 25.

Lions welcomed Rick Blasko as a new member Wednesday at their meeting as well as getting organized for ticket sales for the pancake supper.

The supper will be held from 5-8 p.m. Friday, February 25 in the high school cafeteria. Cost of tickets for the affair is one dollar.

The program for the day Wednesday was a film strip presentation by Roberta Seago of the county Library on "Early Texas Homes".

The film strip showed examples of early-day Texas homes and the types of architecture pioneers used. The Lions are in the midst of participating in the Service Club Olympics, with basketball and volleyball still on tap this week.

The big attraction at wrestling this Saturday evening is tag-team matchup between Swede Hanson-Rip Hawk and Ricky Romero-El Bracero for the Western States Tag Team Championship. Action at the bull Barn begins at 8 p.m.

Owens Earns Realtor's Designation

Hereford Realtor Ralph E. Owens has been awarded the Accredited Farm and Land Member (AFLM) designation of the Farm and Land Institute, an affiliate of the National Association of Realtors.

He was awarded a plaque, signifying approval as an AFLM, during ceremonies held in conjunction with the National Association's annual Mid-Winter Meetings in Anaheim, Calif.

To earn the AFLM designation held by fewer than 350 Realtors in the nation, Owens followed a prescribed course of study and met other rigid qualifications set forth by FLI.

The Farm and Land Institute is composed of 5,300 specialists in all areas of farm land and land development. Members may follow a prescribed course of study to receive the AFLM designation.

ENERGY INVESTMENT
NEW YORK (AP) — According to a recent report in the Institute of Life Insurance's Trend Analysis Program, the development of new energy sources appears to be a likely area of investment for life insurance companies, which were among the first backers of jet airplane transportation.



Choir Sings For Kiwanis

The Stanton Junior High Choir, under the direction of Douglas Morris, performed before the Noon Kiwanis Club Thursday. Included in the program were several popular numbers, plus an acappello number the group sang as an encore.

Gas Plant Contract Awarded

The Randall Corporation of the Houston, Texas has been awarded a contract for the engineering and construction of

a natural gas processing plant near Hobbs, New Mexico for TUCO INC. The announcement was made by C.D. Beaman, president and principal operating officer of the Amarillo, Texas based firm.

The new plant will have a capability of 75 million cubic feet per day and is scheduled to be in operation by August 1, 1977. "In addition to liquid extraction, the plant will be designed to remove nitrogen from low BTU gas thereby up-grading and producing pipeline quality gas," Beaman said. "The design of the plant will also permit adding the capability of producing liquified natural gas (LGN)."

Construction has been completed, and testing is in the final stages on a 47 mile, 12" pipeline which is to transport low BTU, as well as other pipeline quality gas, from the Chaves, Eddy, and Lea County areas of New Mexico to the plant location near Hobbs. The pipeline should be operational within thirty days.

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- 1—Pedestal type tire balancer (bubble)
- 1—Lot truck & car tire mounting tools
- 1—6" Meridian heavy duty bench vise
- 1—Tool tray on casters
- 1—Craftsman 3 gallon paint pot
- 1—Large lot miscellaneous hand tools
- 1—Lot assorted electric hand tools
- 1—Shop creeper
- 1—Driveway bell
- 1—Champion pressure washer w/ electric motor
- 1—Lot grease guns, oil cans, etc.
- 10—Assorted wall mount fire extinguishers
- 1—Set Gray #12 shop stands
- 2—Tube vulcanizers

INVENTORY

- 1—Lot garden tools & handles
- 1—Large lot Gates fan belts & radiator hoses
- 3—Anco Wiper Blade displays w/ contents
- 2—Blue Streak parts cabinets w/ inventory of electrical parts
- 1—Chain display & chain
- 16—Assorted size new car tires
- 5—Assorted size new tractor tires
- 150—Assorted used truck & car tires
- 1—Lot new & used rubber hose
- 1—Large lot miscellaneous paint
- 1—Lot air & oil filters
- 1—Automotive light bulb display
- 1—Lot used batteries
- 1—Lot used electric motors
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