

DOE chief says Congress gets final word

WASHINGTON (AP) - Energy Secretary John Herrington said Tuesday he will drop controversial changes in the department's long-term nuclear waste storage plans if Congress tells him to do so.

While stopping short of saying the proposals violate the 1982 Nuclear Waste Policy Act, as some in Congress contend, Herrington said he believes Congress has the final say on the permanent storage of high-level radioactive waste.

"We would be happy to do exactly what Congress wants us to do," he told the House Interior Energy and Environment Subcommittee. "We encourage Congress to...tell us whether we're doing the right thing."

Several lawmakers at the budget hearing said they felt proposed changes would violate the 1982 law that calls for development of two underground facilities for storage of spent nuclear fuel.

The first repository is mandated for a site west of the Mississippi, with a second 70,000-ton facility mandated at a location in the East, where the bulk of high-level U.S. nuclear waste is produced.

Three sites - in Deaf Smith County, Washington state and Nevada - have been selected as finalists for the repository in the West.

Subcommittee chairman Morris Udall, D-Ariz., said that even the department's general counsel feels

Herrington had no legal basis for last year's decision to indefinitely suspend planning work for the second site.

"I am deeply troubled by the department's actions," said Udall, reiterating congressional allegations that the decision was politically motivated in an effort to quell eastern grumbling in an election year.

Herrington denied that politics was behind the decision to put the eastern site on the shelf. He said the decision was his "best business judgment" because the repository would not be needed as early as had been believed.

Udall, who helped fashion the

delicate regional compromise that produced the 1982 siting law, asked Herrington about a departmental memo that discussed the political ramifications of suspending work on the second waste repository.

Herrington said the memo was prepared by the department's operations office in Chicago. "I hadn't read it prior to my decision...You can't control people down the chain."

Udall said: "I've been leaning toward the opinion that the only fair thing to do might be to start all over again" in legislating nuclear waste disposal plans.

"In the coming months we are all going to have to grapple with this problem and see if we can find a solu-

tion that can't be manipulated for expedience or short-sighted political reasons," Udall said.

Rep. Bart Gordon, D-Tenn., also accused the department of circumventing the 1982 law by proceeding with plans to develop in Tennessee a \$3 billion facility to temporarily contain waste until a permanent repository is ready.

Gordon said there is no authorization in the basic law or subsequent actions by Congress for the interim site, called a monitored retrievable storage facility (MRS).

"It is clear that the MRS represents DOE's attempt to find a political solution to its problems with the (permanent) repositories," Gor-

don said. "Once an MRS is built, the heat will be off and DOE will be under no pressure to seek the permanent solution that the Nuclear Waste Policy Act clearly mandates," he said.

Herrington said that the interim site is "extremely important to the overall plan." He acknowledged that it cannot be built without specific authorization by Congress.

Attracting far less attention at the hearing was Herrington's latest proposal to stray from the mandates of the 1982 law. This is a plan, subject to congressional review, to delay opening the western repository until 2003, five years after the deadline set in the law.

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Concerned Citizens request school information to help fight Hispanic dropout rate

Concerned Citizens of Deaf Smith County told Hereford Schools trustees Tuesday night that information requested from the administration would be used to help fight the local dropout rate and to study allocation of school funds.

And, three administrative contracts were not renewed following an executive session which lasted until after midnight. Those not granted a renewed contract were Robert Ray, West Central principal; Ophelia Echevarria, director of bilingual programs; and Leslie Paschel, administrative assistant for research and development.

Delia Griego, a representative of the Concerned Citizens, made three requests from the board during the regular meeting and asked that the information be provided by Feb. 24 because other requests for the information had been denied.

Superintendent Harrell Holder said that the only item he had been asked for was the school dropout information which reflects the number of Spanish surnamed students who quit school. He said he offered the annual report, but that it did not include an ethnic breakdown.

"We are trying to motivate our kids to stay in school and not drop out," Griego told the board. "We need the Hispanic dropout information so we can determine better ways to keep our Hispanic youth in school."

Holder and several board members echoed the concern for dropouts and that they have been trying to get community support in fighting the problem.

"I think the school board and school administration is concerned with the dropouts whoever they might be," Holder said. "And I'll certainly be willing to work with this group."

Board president John Fuston moved that the board pick up the expenses for copies of the information, a fee usually assessed to the person requesting the papers.

Although names cannot be provided, the administration will be issuing the group a breakdown for the past five years.

Concerned Citizens also asked for per pupil expenditures to see if money is being allocated in a way that provides quality education for all students. The group also asked for federal, state and local guidelines for

administration of the bilingual program and forms used for entry and exit in the program.

Holder told the group that if a child's first language was Spanish or if Spanish was spoken in the home, the pupil is given a language test for Spanish and for English. If test results show Spanish as dominant, the child is placed in bilingual programs. To exit, the child must show English dominance, or score above the 40th percentile on the California Achievement Test, or above 23rd percentile when mastery of subjects is approved. Also, the TEAMS and teacher opinion can count. He suggested that individual cases be dealt with on the school level.

Board member Kathy Moore also noted that the Curriculum Committee has been reviewing the bilingual

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DOE sets hearings this month

The U.S. Department of Energy will hold three local public meetings on the nuclear waste repository project later this month, department officials announced Tuesday.

The meetings are scheduled on consecutive days from 6 p.m. to 10 p.m. in Hereford, Amarillo and Vega, the three towns surrounding a 9-square-mile site in northwest Deaf Smith County that is a finalist for the nation's first high-level nuclear waste dump.

The first meeting will be Feb. 24 at Hereford's Civic Center, said Brian J. Quirk, a spokesman with DOE's Chicago Operations Office at Argonne, Ill.

On Feb. 25, another meeting is set at Amarillo Civic Center's Exhibit Room, and on Feb. 26, the Vega meeting will be held in the Oldham County Livestock Barn.

The DOE held similar hearings in the area more than two years ago to inform residents about the department's plans for the waste repository, Quirk said. The new meetings will not be public comment meetings such as were held shortly after the earlier informational meetings.

Quirk said the meetings will feature a panel of officials to discuss what work is planned, followed by a short question-and-answer period.



Truck Hit

Steve Brooks, 29, the driver of a grain truck leased from Evenson Trucking Company of Sunray was injured in a collision with a Santa Fe Railway train at the crossing located at Lee and Highway 60 this morning. Law enforcement officers received the call about the collision at 11:20 a.m. Officer Bennie Barrett states that the truck which carried a load of corn headed north across the rail crossing against the flashing warning lights. The

90-car train was traveling 40 mph at the time of the collision and severed the cab from the trailer of the truck. The spinning cab came to rest on the north side of the tracks with the remainder of the truck on the south side. Deaf Smith General Hospital ambulance crew and Hereford Fire Department volunteers arrived on the scene within moments of the incident. Brooks, of Sunray, suffered facial cuts.

(Brand Photo by Debe Graves)

Annual C of C banquet Thursday

The annual banquet of Deaf Smith County Chamber of Commerce is scheduled Thursday night with Dave Van Horn, entertainer and song writer from Raleigh, N.C., as the featured speaker.

The banquet starts at 7 p.m. in the Bull Barn. Tickets are \$12 each and the public is invited Presentation of the "Citizen of the Year" and recognition of new chamber officers will also highlight the banquet.

Van Horn is corporate production director Metroplex Communications. He was formerly associated

with Ronnie Millsap and recently signed a contract with MCA Records. He lost his sight while in high school.

Bill Harris, 1986 president, will serve as master of ceremonies at the banquet. Incoming president Mike Bowles will introduce the 1987 officers and directors. New committee members will also be recognized.

The "Citizen of the Year" award has been presented each year by the Hereford Lions Club since 1946. Past recipients have been: George Warner, Bobby Owen, Bud Eades, Rocky Lee, Lynton Allred, Doug Manning, Jim Conkwright, Helen

Rose, Dr. A.T. Mims, Carl McCaslin, Jimmie Allred, Raymond White, Major Schroeter, Jewel Smith, Rev. Russell Wingert, Hugh Clearman, Earnest Langley, Ray Cowser;

Also: John Douglas Pitman, Ed Skypala, Rev. Don Davidson, Clint Formby, Mrs. Earl Springer, Dr. Lena Edwards, James Witherspoon, Faye Plank, Wayne Lawrence, Don Zimmerman, Argen Draper, Della Stagner, D.C. Kinsey, Earl Phillips, S.O. Wilson, Father Raymond Gillis, Henry Sears, Lyle Blanton, L.B. Barnett, W.E. Dameron, Dub Reeves and Wayne Evans.



Basketball Royalty

Susie Kalka and Bobby Baker were selected the 1987 Hereford High Basketball Queen and King during a pep rally Tuesday afternoon. The court included seniors Katie Ramie and Todd Weaver, juniors Amy Coneway and Marcus Brown, and sophomores Susan Bell and Pat Mercer.

Local Roundup

Key Club chili supper Friday

The Hereford Key Club will be sponsoring a chili supper this Friday at the Hereford High School Cafeteria from 5 to 7 p.m.

This supper is planned to take place prior to the Hereford High School Annual's Koobraey Program in the high school auditorium. Tickets are \$3.00 each for chili, tea and/or coffee and homemade desserts.

Koobraey set Friday

The annual Hereford High talent show "Koobraey," will be at 7 p.m. Friday in the auditorium. Admission is \$1 and the public is invited.

Police report

Hereford police arrested a 33-year-old male Tuesday for lack of liability insurance. Also, a 17-year-old and 13-year-old were arrested for five counts of burglary of a motor vehicle.

Two assaults were reported, four criminal mischief incidents, two harassments, a prowler and a runaway.

Police issued eight citations issued and two minor accident.

Weather

TUESDAY'S HIGH: 69 OVERNIGHT LOW: 39
OUTLOOK: Fair tonight with lows in mid 30s and light northeast wind. Thursday increasing cloudiness. A little cooler with highs in mid 60s. East and southeast wind 5 to 15 mph.

News Roundup

State

Governor skeptical on system

AUSTIN (AP) — Gov. Bill Clements says he is skeptical about Supreme Court Chief Justice John Hill's proposal to replace Texas' elected judges with appointees.

But if Hill is serious, Clements says the Supreme Court might be a good guinea pig.

"If Chief Justice Hill is serious about this and wants to give it a trial effort, let's start with the Supreme Court. I'd be very happy to undertake that," Clements told a news conference Tuesday.

Clements, the Republican who defeated Hill in the 1978 gubernatorial race, said he has lots of doubts about the proposal Hill has been championing in recent months.

"My position (on changing the system) is one of skepticism and caution," Clements said.

Under Hill's "merit selection" plan, Texas judges first would be appointed, then subject to elections in which voters decide whether the judges should remain in office.

Clements encouraged about tariff

AUSTIN (AP) — Gov. Bill Clements says he hopes to discuss putting a tariff on imported oil when he meets with President Reagan on a trip to Washington later this month.

Clements said Tuesday he was encouraged by Reagan's order that Department of Energy officials prepare a policy recommendation on imposing a fee on foreign oil brought into the United States.

For the past year, Reagan has opposed tariff proposals from oil industry officials and oil state politicians who say cheap foreign oil is destroying the domestic petroleum industry.

Clements has said he favored an import tariff since oil began its price tumble from \$28 per barrel to less than \$10 last summer.

"Obviously, the fact that he requested a position paper at least says he has an open mind in this regard, which is a change in his former position," Clements told his weekly news conference.

"About six to eight months ago ... he made it very clear at that time that he was opposed to an oil import fee. I think a step in the right direction is his charging the Department of Energy" with drafting the paper, Clements said.

Clements will attend a meeting of the National Governors Conference in Washington Feb. 20 to 26, and he said oil prices and an import fee are topics he hopes to discuss with the president that week.

National

Reagan heeds advice on scandal

WASHINGTON (AP) — President Reagan is heeding advice that it would be unlawful for him to order former White House aides Oliver L. North and John M. Poindexter to break their silence and appear before a presidential board investigating the Iran-Contra scandal.

Reagan was to meet today with the three-member panel, headed by former Sen. John Tower, R-Texas, to answer questions for a second time. On the eve of the hour-long session in the Oval Office, board members were allowed to look at — but not keep — typewritten excerpts of Reagan's handwritten notes dealing with the subject.

Reagan personally reviewed his notes and determined what was relevant to the panel's inquiry before sending them to the commission. White House spokesman Marlin Fitzwater said. A courier picked them up at the White House and took them to the board, waiting to take them back to Reagan, board spokesman Herbert Hetu said.

Meanwhile, a police source said Tuesday that investigators have concluded Reagan's former national security adviser, Robert C. McFarlane, attempted suicide when he took 25 to 30 tablets of the tranquilizer Valium. But a police spokesman said there would be no official finding.

Other developments related to the sale of arms to Iran and the alleged diversion of profits to Nicaragua's Contra rebels:

—Reagan, speaking to American Legion leaders, denounced Nicaragua's government as a "communist totalitarian state" and vowed to oppose efforts in Congress to cut off U.S. assistance to the Contras fighting the Sandinistas.

"It is both in our national interest and consistent with our traditions as a free people to assist those brave souls who are struggling for freedom and national independence," the president said.

McFarlane still faces questioning

WASHINGTON (AP) — Robert C. McFarlane's apparent suicide attempt is prompting an outpouring of shock and sympathy, but lawmakers say that after his recovery the president's former national security adviser will still face tough questions over the sale of U.S. arms to Iran.

McFarlane, 49, was visited Tuesday by his wife, Jonda, but did not receive telephone calls at Bethesda Naval Hospital in a Maryland suburb of Washington. He was expected to remain there at least until today, hospital spokesman Lt. Russ Sanford said.

"Tough questions will be asked" about the arms sales, said Rep. Michael DeWine, R-Ohio, a member of the House select committee investigating the sales and possible diversion of funds to Nicaraguan rebels.

The House panel, like a similar special Senate committee, is not expected to begin public hearings in the case until mid-April.

McFarlane remained in good condition Tuesday, the day after police said he took between 25 and 30 tablets of the tranquilizer Valium.

A police source who spoke only on condition of anonymity characterized the pill overdose as an attempted suicide, but officials, authorities said only there was no evidence of foul play.

President Reagan spoke to Mrs. McFarlane by telephone on Tuesday, according to White House spokesman Ben Jarratt. Details of the conversation were not available, he said.

International

Mexican inflation at 8.1 percent

MEXICO CITY (AP) — Consumer prices rose 8.1 percent in January, the central Bank of Mexico announced, starting another year of what could be double-digit or triple-digit inflation.

Inflation for 1986 soared to a record 105.7 percent. Although the government hopes to reduce it by 20 or 30 percentage points this year, some private analysts predict it could go as high as 120 percent.

A leading economic research group said earlier this month that runaway inflation is the greatest risk facing the Mexican economy in 1987. The report from the Center for Economic Studies for the Private Sector urged the government to reduce inflationary pressures before it stimulates the sickly economy.

Among the highest increases in January, according to the central bank's report released late Monday, were health and personal care, which rose by 12.4 percent, and in education, 10.6 percent.

The report said housing costs rose by 8.9 percent, furniture 8.7 percent and food, drink and tobacco 7.2 percent. The lowest increase was in clothing and shoes, which rose by 4.7 percent.

A special note said increases in electricity, telephone and other services also contributed significantly to the inflation rate.

The bank tracks prices in 35 Mexican cities and towns.

It said prices rose fastest in January in Monclova in northern Mexico, the central farming center of Zamora and the southern Gulf of Tapachula, while the lowest increases were registered in the Gulf of Mexico port of Tampico, Navojoa in northwestern Mexico and the coffee center of Cordoba in Veracruz state.

Houston loses convention

HOUSTON (AP) — The failure to lure the Democrats to Houston for their 1988 national convention knocks a bit more luster off the city's battered image as the self-proclaimed "Golden Buckle of the Sun Belt."

"Our people have been working hard and the after-effect is going to be worse," said James C. Taylor, executive director of the Houston Hotel & Motel Association.

Democratic Chairman Paul Kirk announced Tuesday in Washington

that Atlanta would be the site of the party's convention, ending an intense bidding war that had narrowed to Atlanta and Houston.

"It doesn't seem fair," Barbara Allen of Houston Proud, a 3,000-member volunteer organization that promotes the city, said Tuesday. "But I guess there are a lot of things that aren't fair when we think about it. It's a real shame. I think Houston would have made them very welcome."

"We're disappointed," said Greg Ortale, acting president of the Houston Visitors and Convention Bureau. "But we feel we put ourselves in position for 1992. And we got a whole lot of free publicity for the George R. Brown Convention Center. But it's frustrating."

Ortale said he now would pursue other organizations that had inquired about using the Brown Convention Center during the same July 1988 dates reserved for the Democrats.

City officials were anticipating some \$67 million worth of business to be generated next summer as more than 30,000 people — half of them associated with the news media — converged on Houston for the selection of the party's presidential ticket.

According to an analysis prepared for the city by the accounting firm of Peat, Marwick, Mitchell & Co., convention-goers would spend more than \$105 per day.

But news coverage of the convention would have provided the opportunity to showcase a city plagued nationally by a reputation that it's the classic oil boomtown gone bust, the analysis said.

"This exposure provides a public relations benefit to the host city by presenting the city as a desirable location to visit for convention and tourism activity," the Peat Marwick analysis notes.

The Democrats visit to Houston would not have been first. In January 1928, legendary Houston financier Jesse Jones convinced Democrats with a personal check for \$200,000 and promise to build a 25,000-seat convention center for the party.

The parallels this time were similar. Houston officials offered a \$5 million insurance policy guaranteeing the Brown Convention Center, now under construction, would be up and running. But unlike 60 years ago, the cash tactic did not work.

Houston, reeling from the depression in the energy business, could have used the Democrats' help.

Buoyed by soaring oil prices in the late 1970s and early 1980s, Texas' largest city bulled its way to the No. 4 position among America's most populous cities. The impetus was a seemingly endless supply of oil industry jobs that lured thousands from the Rust Belt.

Trailing them were scores of developers who erected hundreds of homes and shopping strips and gave credence to the joke that the city's official bird was a construction crane.

Then the oil spigot ran dry as prices tumbled.

The Hughes Tool Co. count of working oil and gas rigs, the industry yardstick of oilfield activity, plummeted to 663 last summer — the lowest figure ever — as oil prices fell to \$9 per barrel. In 1981, with oil fliriting with the \$40 mark, the rig count reached 4,500. It's now around the 800 mark.

Unemployment most recently was put at 9.7 percent, with 160,300 Houstonians out of work, according to Texas Employment Commission figures. Only recently did the number fall from double digits, peaking last June at 12.7 percent.

Many buildings that went up in anticipation of the continuing boom now are vacant. A survey released this week shows 48.2 million square feet of office space empty, 28 percent of all space. Although 286 buildings are 100 percent filled, 95 others are 100 percent empty and more than 360 are at least half empty.

The convention was seen as a bright spot in the litany of bleak statistics.

Peat Marwick estimated convention attendees would spend \$30 million and news organizations would add another \$10 million. The value of the media coverage was put at nearly \$6 million and almost \$1 million in tax revenues would have been generated.

About 365 local people would have called the new convention center home for eight weeks next summer, earning \$2.5 million working as decorators, sound and light technicians, electricians and laborers.

Hotels were looking at \$14 million, restaurants another \$7 million and retailers more than \$3 million.

"I think it would fill all of the major hotels," said Taylor, of the hotel association.

His members are struggling with 51 percent average occupancy, far below the desired 70 percent.

"I think the thing that would be most disturbing is that at this particular point in time, we need an upbeat. And we need that right now."



Special Guests

Hereford football players pretended to be cheerleaders Tuesday afternoon during a pep rally for the basketball teams.

Lewis pushes anti-crime bills

AUSTIN (AP) — Speaker Gib Lewis' "War on Crime" bills would step on constitutional rights and build more prisons without making a dent in crime, according to the Texas Civil Liberties Union.

Lewis Tuesday announced a package that includes longer prison stays for criminals, expanded use of confessions as evidence and prosecuting some 13- and 14-year-olds as adults.

"It is also very clear that a price is attached to these proposals. Whatever that may be ... I am con-

vinced citizens want a safer Texas and are willing to pay that price," Lewis said at a news conference.

The speaker did not say what the price is, but Gara LaMarche, director of the Texas Civil Liberties Union, said it is too expensive at any price.

"Overall, they really do not have any impact on people's safety, on public safety, building prisons and tinkering with the rights of constitutional defendants do not fight crime and you are misleading the public if you suggest that they do," said LaMarche, who attended Lewis'

news conference.

Annmarie Jensen, associate director of the Texas Conference of Churches, said, "It's misleading and simply smoke to try and blame the problem on not long enough sentences when we are really incarcerating people more than we need to be already."

The Lewis package is sponsored by four House members. Rep. Dan Morales, D-San Antonio, is sponsor of a bill that would require more prison space by making it more difficult for inmates to earn "good time" credit toward release.

SCHOOL

program for about three months.

Griego also asked that the school system try to develop a plan to recruit more Hispanic counselors for the district. Holder told her that two of the last three counselors hired were Hispanic and that there are nine counselors overall in the district. He added that the district does actively recruit Hispanics.

One of the Hispanics in the audience charged that the district needed more Spanish speaking teachers in the bilingual program. Holder assured him that all bilingual teachers had to pass a Spanish proficiency test and Ed McCreary, head of the school's federal programs, noted that all but one of the 32 bilingual teachers are native Spanish speaking.

To help other students with some language problems, the board voted to spend \$15,000 on a 12-hour course for at least 25 teachers to be trained for teaching their subjects to students who have learned English as their second language. Teachers will be able to use the credits for career ladder points. Teachers who take the course with the district footing the bill will be obligated to teach a straight ESL course if the administration requires it.

Hereford Riders participate in playday

Hereford Riders Club members recently participated in the Valley Riding Club Open Playday in the WTSU Horse Center at Canyon.

Competing in barrels, poles, pylons, golfett, two-man relay and a jackpot two-man rescue were Brenda and Michael King, B.J. Jordan, Stephanie Majors, Jeff and Carrie Smith, Kelly and Chris Burrus, Sheri McQuigg, Chastity Rickman, Paul and Dee Page, Chris and Jody Northcutt, Mike Webster, Cheyenne, Cree and Laura Futrell.

The next open playday will be Feb. 22 at the WTSU Horse Center in Canyon under sponsorship of the WT Horsemen Association. Books will open at 8 a.m. and games start at 9 a.m.

Board members also okayed building plans for a \$1.8 million gymnasium complex at the La Plata grounds. A few changes on the blueprint will be made and bids will be ready to be let in March. Completion date is set for fall of 1988.

In other business:

Marc Williamson, assistant superintendent for instruction, said the drug dog made a visit to the high school Monday and a few procedural points need to be smoothed. Holder said the administration would not make a habit of reporting the number of alerts, but said, "You'd be

proud of the results today." He said no alerts were made on lockers.

Holder told the board to be wary of legislative actions during the Texas session. He said four-year-old kindergarten may be in danger because of budget cuts and a low priority for that program held by the governor.

Board member Steve Coneway reported that a plot of land near the Bull Barn could be available from the VFW in order to move the school stock barns. Assistant superintendent Larry Wartes said the district cleared \$5,025 in football playoff games.

Obituaries

WILLIAM LYMAN

Aug. 11, 1928-Feb. 10, 1987

William "Bill" Lyman, 58, died Tuesday evening at St. Anthony's Hospital in Amarillo.

Funeral services are pending with Rix Funeral Directors of Hereford.

Mr. Lyman was born Aug. 11, 1928 in Littlefield. He had been a resident of Hereford since 1963 moving here from Littlefield. He married Delois Utterback Jan. 26, 1951 in Littlefield. She preceded him in death in 1978. He married Jean Farmer Dec. 20, 1980 in Hereford. He was a 32nd degree Mason, a Shriner, and member of First United Methodist Church. He was involved in the cattle and oil

business. He founded Hereford Feed Ingredients and retired in 1986.

He is survived by his wife, Jean of the home; a daughter, Kay Lynn Caviness of Hereford; a son, Bodie Lyman of Austin; a stepson, Dan Prince of Clovis, N.M.; a stepdaughter, Janice Williams of Fort Smith, Ark.; a brother, Dr. Ben Lyman of Lubbock; two grandchildren; and two stepgrandchildren.

The family will be at 132 Nueces St.

AUBREY RUFF

Feb. 9, 1907

Aubrey Ruff, 74, of Pampa died Monday. He is survived by a sister, Inez Vittow of Hereford.

Services were held at 2 p.m. today in Carmichael-Whitley Colonial Chapel in Pampa with the Rev. Clifton Ratchford, Mr. Ruff's nephew of Nashville, Tenn., officiating. Burial will be in Fairview Cemetery.

Mr. Ruff moved to Pampa in 1966 from Mobeetie. He was married to Vivian Merrell in 1930 at Mobeetie. He was a member of First United Methodist Church. He owned and operated grocery stores in Mobeetie and Pampa for 38 years. He was a member of Golden K Kiwanis Club.

Survivors include his wife; a daughter, Irvine Riphahn of Pampa; four sisters, Inez Vittow of Hereford, Fannie West of Pampa, Juanita Lightfoot of Amarillo and Elmita Atkins of Mobeetie; and two grandchildren.



BILL LYMAN

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Lifestyles

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Child needs love

DEAR ANN LANDERS: Two years ago we took in a little girl. Her mom wasn't able to raise her, so we asked if we could. "Mary" has fit right in with our natural daughters. There is only one problem - our relatives.

We keep running into things like this: "We would like to come and see OUR grandchildren, but we don't want to see the other one. Can you find a sitter for her for a few days?" "We'd like to treat OUR nieces to an ice cream cone, but leave the other one home. After all, she's not ours."

"We can't invite you to Thanksgiving dinner if you insist on bringing an extra child."

But the last straw was this: "Can't you make her stop calling us Grandma and Gramp? She's not related to us and we don't want her to call us that."

Please let me express my feelings to these sad people:

You may have such small hearts that there isn't room enough for you to love a love-starved child. You may be so insensitive that you cannot

perceive the wonder of a little one who never has experienced affection. You may be so stupid that you cannot understand the honor that child is paying you by wanting to call you Grandma and Gramp.

This child is our daughter just as surely and fully as the girls I gave birth to. We expect you to accord her the same treatment. If you cannot, stay home.—Mom

DEAR MOM: Seldom has a letter made me so upset that I would like the address in order to respond personally. That letter really hit a hot button. If you will send it on I will write to them. Those people need help.

DEAR ANN LANDERS: When, oh when, is the TV industry going to stop that stupid canned laughter? On some shows the nerve-shredding fake ha-ha-ha is used every five seconds. It's gotten so bad I just switch channels.

Can't the sponsors do something about this? Maybe if you print my

letter you will put an end to the nonsense.—H.M. in N.Y.

DEAR H.M.: I agree that canned laughter is irksome, annoying and an insult to the intelligence of the listeners. It also indicates a lack of confidence in the material. But don't blame the sponsors. Lay it on the producers.

DEAR ANN LANDERS: I am 78 years old, in fairly good health, and have been married 51 years to a wonderful, loving, immaculate wife. That is the good news. The bad news is that ennie has smoked for 45 of our 51 years of marriage. For years I have been trying to get her to quit. The answer is, "If you don't like it, leave."

To add insult to injury my three daughters consider their mother a role model and started to smoke at age 15. Their ultimatum: "If we can't smoke here, we will live elsewhere." (I don't want that.)

Polluters hang around together. When their friends visit the odds are about eight to one against me. This is a small house. In the winter when we can't open windows or doors, it's unbearable. Any suggestions?—A Smoked Mackerel in Syracuse

DEAR MAC: Install window fans or buy an air-purifying system. Candles dissipate cigarette smok, as do saucers of vinegar. Go visit your non-smoking friends when the polluters come to call.

Got those wedding bell blues over cost...guest list...what to wear...and other details? Ann Landers' "New Bride's Guide" will help. For a copy, send \$2.00 plus a long, self-addressed, stamped envelope (39 cents postage) to Ann Landers, P.O. Box 11995, Chicago, Illinois 60611.



BECKY HORTON

Becky Horton graduates from color analysis seminar

After completing a comprehensive 30-hour training program, Becky Horton of Hereford has been certified as a Consultant for BeautiControl Cosmetics, headquartered in Dallas.

Horton will be offering free counseling on skin care and cosmetic application along with FREE color analysis and counseling on color harmony in makeup and wardrobe selection. Her training qualifies her to perform color analysis to determine the colors a person looks best in, according to his or her natural coloration.

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A devotional, given by Frances Hennen on "Be Happy Attitudes," opened the program at a recent meeting of the Women of St. Thomas Episcopal Church, followed by

Robertson to speak in Amarillo

M.G. "Pat" Robertson will be in Amarillo as part of his "testing the waters" presidential bid. Robertson will speak Tuesday, Feb. 17 at 7:30 p.m. at the Civic Center Coliseum. There is no charge for the event, which is open to the public.

The rally is sponsored by Americans for Robertson (AFR). AFR is the presidential exploratory committee set up last fall after his announcement that he will seek the Republican nomination if he can get the signatures of three million registered voters who are willing to work and pray for him.

According to a Robertson aide the petition drive is ahead of schedule and gaining momentum as Robertson builds the AFR staff.

prayer.

Co-hostesses were Buddy McBrayer and Mrs. Hennen, the meeting being held at the latter's home.

President Mary Fraser gave each officer and chairman guidelines to read for their particular duties. A wedding reception to be held at the church later in the month was planned. A meeting with the Episcopal Church Women of Canyon will take place in the near future. Father Charles Threewit announced a computer was given to the church.

On Feb. 24 at 7 p.m., the president of the Diocesan Altar Guild will meet with the St. Thomas Altar Guild, everyone is welcome. The book "And God Said 'What'" will be discussed at a bible study after Lent.

The next meeting will be held March 14 in the home of Meredith Wilcox.

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Herd boys suffer 85-82 loss

By GARY CHRISTENSEN
 Sports Editor

"Another one of those nights" is the phrase to describe the continuing frustration of the Hereford Whiteface varsity boys' basketball team, after losing another close game — 85-82 to Lubbock Estacado Tuesday.

The game was the Whitefaces' last one at home in the 1986-87 season. Hereford, which is 5-9 in District 1-4A games and 10-18 overall, has an open date Friday in the district.

The Whitefaces play at Levelland next Tuesday at 7:30 p.m., and at Borger on Friday, Feb. 20 at 8:30 p.m.

Hereford's junior varsity boys defeated Estacado 66-54 for their fourth straight win and their 10th vic-

tory in their last 11 games. The HHS junior varsity's game times next week are 6 p.m. Tuesday and 6:45 on Feb. 20.

Tuesday night's varsity game was tied nine times, including 75-75 and 79-79 late in the game. The Whitefaces, who held a 52-49 lead with two minutes gone in the second half, trailed Estacado by as many as eight points in the first half.

Estacado, which held a halftime lead of 47-46, was ahead 60-52 with 3:36 left in the third quarter. The Whitefaces twice moved within four points the rest of that period, but trailed by six points when the quarter ended, 65-59.

Two field goals and a free throw by Vincent Brown in the first couple of minutes of the fourth quarter

brought the Herd to within one point, 65-64. But one minute later, Estacado was ahead by five points, 69-64.

Hereford again closed the gap to one point, 69-68 with 4:17 left, after Bobby Baker and Rodney McCracken each hit two free throws in one-and-ones.

Estacado then held leads of 73-69 and 75-71 before Hereford tied the game at 75-75. McCracken scored field goals with 2:25 left and with 2:02 left to tie the game.

The Matadors gained a 79-75 lead in the next half minute of play. A basket by Baker with 1:14 left and two free throws by Vincent Brown with 1:01 left enabled the Whitefaces to tie the game once more, 79-79.

Estacado scored a field goal with 52 seconds left, and then again with 41 seconds left after a Hereford turnover.

Baker hit one of two free throws with 33 seconds left. Hereford took the ball away from Estacado with 16 seconds left, and McCracken hit a jump shot from the right side of the hoop with three seconds left — cutting Estacado's lead to 83-82.

Hereford quickly fouled an Estacado player, who made both free throws in a one-and-one with one second left, making the final score 85-82.

"I thought it was a real exciting game for the fans to watch," Hereford Coach Mike Fields said. "There isn't a whole lot of difference between us and them. Our two scores with them are 85-81 and 85-82."

"It's just a break here or there that would have made the difference. It's that kind of season we've had this year, but I was real proud of our young men, because they never gave up."

"I thought they represented themselves real well," Fields continues.

Estacado's Ryan Davis was the major reason for his team's win over Hereford. Davis scored 37 points, hitting nearly all his shots from the field.

"Davis is probably the best offensive player we've played against in a long time. He didn't just have a good night — he's been going that all season long. That's how you average 30 points a game," Coach Fields said.

"I wish our seniors could have won their last game at home, but I think people can tell they are winners by the amount of effort they put into playing the game," Fields adds.

The Whitefaces had 11 seniors on the team this year.

Junior Rodney McCracken and senior Bobby Baker combined for 45 points, and senior Vincent Brown and junior Kevin Hansen were also in double figures.

McCracken scored 23 points and Baker totaled 23 points. Brown hit six of nine shots from the field and scored 15 points, and Hansen made five of eight field goal attempts and had 13 points.

Baker and McCracken each had eight rebounds, and Hansen grabbed seven rebounds. Marcus Brown led in assists with four, and McCracken led in steals with four.

Two Hereford junior varsity players scored in double figures, and three others scored nine points each, to power their team to its 66-54 win over Estacado.

Ross Torres led the way with 13 points, and Brad Smith scored 11 points. The nine-point scorers were Pat Mercer, Clint Cotten, and Chad Clements.

Cotten scored seven points in the first quarter when Hereford outscored Estacado 18-10. Estacado came back for a 30-29 halftime lead.

Hereford then led by one point, 45-44, going into the fourth quarter. Clements scored seven of his points in the final period when Hereford outscored Estacado 21-10 to win by 12 points, 66-54. Smith scored nine points in the second half.

A good rebounding effort by the Whiteface junior varsity saw Smith with 12 rebounds, Trent Bowling with nine, and Mercer and Bobby Robbins each with six.

Brown, Shire sign to play college football

By GARY CHRISTENSEN
 Sports Editor

Two Hereford Whiteface football players, Westley Brown and Todd Shire, signed today to play college football — Brown with West Texas State University, and Shire with Mid-America Nazarene College of Olathe, Kans.

Brown was recruited by WTSU as an offensive lineman, and Shire was recruited by Mid-America Nazarene College as a quarterback.

Their high school coach, Don Cumpston, said, "It's very gratifying. We are proud of both of them. Todd had a great year, and played a big part in our success."

"Westley had the unfortunate thing happen of getting injured in the first ball game. I'm happy he'll get a chance to play in college."

Today is the national football letter of intent signing day. A high percentage of college-bound grid players sign their letters of intent on the national signing day.

Shire, the son of Al and Martha Shire, set several Hereford High School school passing records in helping the Whitefaces advance to the state class 4A semifinals.

Shire's school records for one season are: 124 completions, 247 attempts, 1,758 yards, and 18 touchdowns. He is second on the all-time Hereford passing list for yards per game in one season — 125.6.

He is also third all-time in completion percentage for one season, 50.2

percent.

About signing to play for Mid-America Nazarene College, Shire said, "It's something I've wanted to do since I saw them in the playoffs when I was in the seventh grade. It's exciting and it's a great opportunity for me."

"It's a school I wanted to go to, even if I didn't get a scholarship. It's the Christian environment."

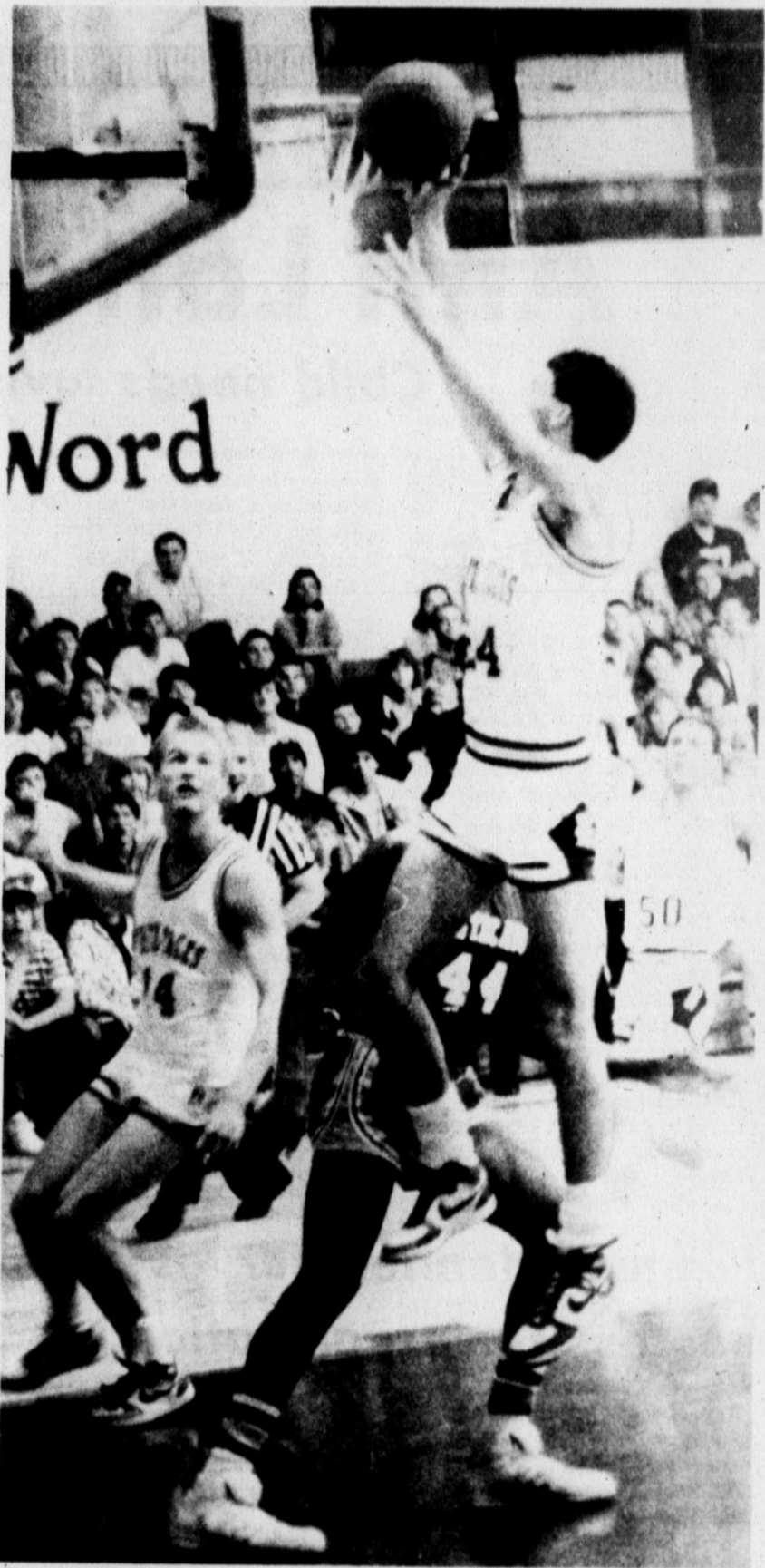
Shire said the recruiting process began last summer when coaches contacted him. "They kept in touch with me during the season."

"Coach Gordon DeGraffenreid told me that they have a couple of quarterbacks on scholarships, but he thinks I have a good chance to be a starter since their quarterback last year was a senior and graduated. That quarterback was an NAIA All-American."

Brown, the son of Joe and Annie Brown, suffered a broken leg in the Whitefaces first game of the season and was not able to play the rest of the season, although he suited up for Hereford's semifinal playoff game.

The offensive lineman said he received a questionnaire from West Texas State and sent it in. He was later invited to visit the WTSU campus with about 22 other recruits from throughout Texas.

"It's great. I was pretty fortunate, not having played in the season, to get a scholarship. I wanted to go from a winning program to another winning program."



Final Home Game of Season

Bobby Baker (24) of the Hereford Whitefaces attempts a layup as teammates Rodney McCracken (14) and Todd Weaver (50) look on. Baker, a 6-4 senior, scored 23 points, and McCracken, a 6-5 junior, scored 22 points. Weaver is a 5-8 senior. (Brand photo by Gary Christensen)

HEREFORD VARSITY: Rodney McCracken 9-20 5-6 23; Bobby Baker 9-15 6-7 22; Vincent Brown 6-9 3-4 15; Kevin Hansen 5-4 3-4 13; Todd Weaver 6-3 5-7 5; Kent Walterscheid 2-4 0-1 4; Marcus Brown 0-2 0-1 0. Totals: 36-62 22-31 82.

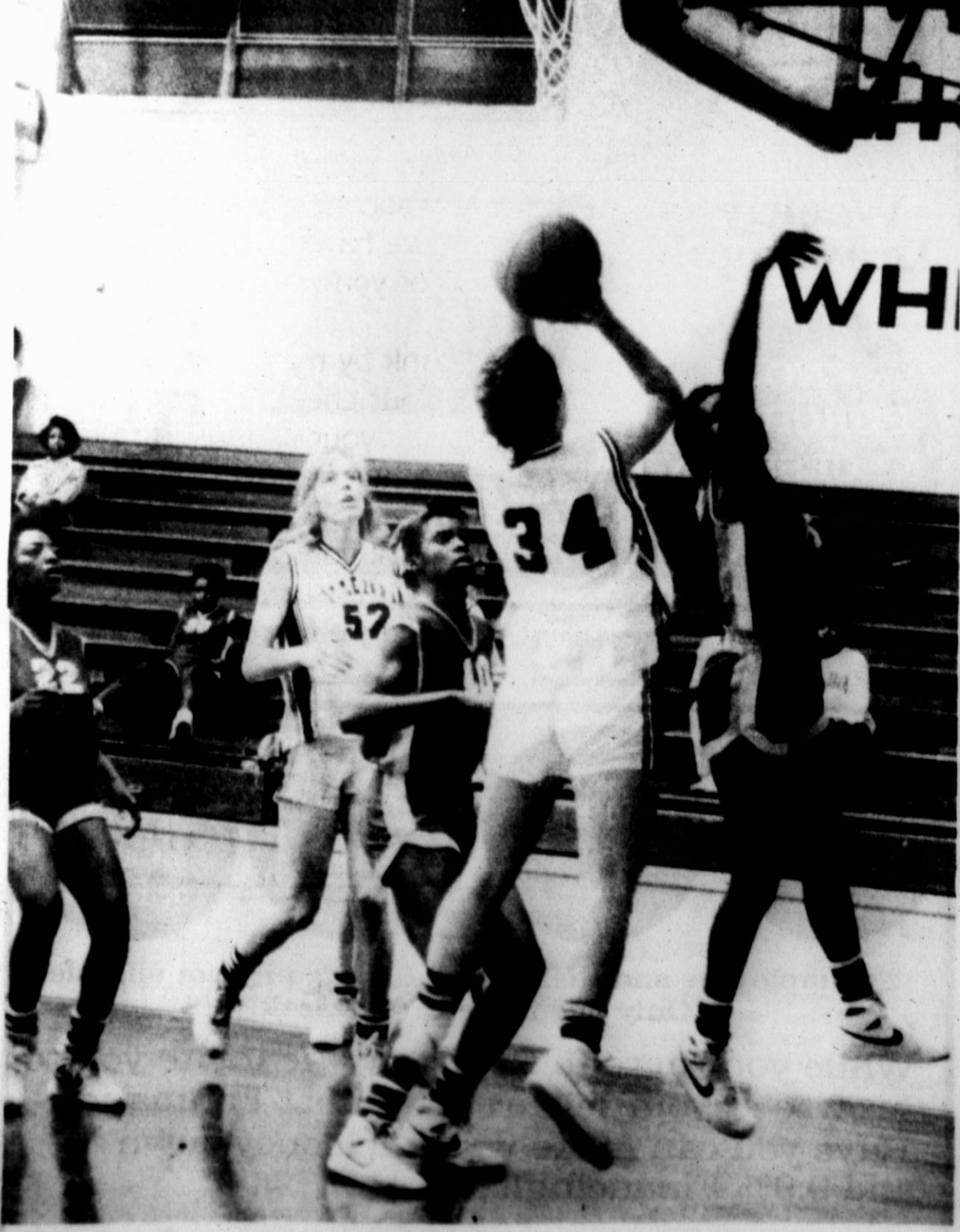
Rebounds: Baker and McCracken 8 each, Hansen 7, Vincent Brown 3; steals: McCracken 4, Baker and Hansen 2 each; assists: Marcus Brown 4, Hansen and Weaver 3 each, Vincent Brown 2.

Estacado	26	21	18	20-65
Hereford	24	22	13	23-62

HEREFORD JUNIOR VARSITY: Ross Torres 5-9 3-7 13; Brad Smith 5-4 1-2 11; Chad Clements 4-4 1-3 9; Clint Cotten 2-2 5-4 9; Pat Mercer 3-4 3-4 9; Bobby Robbins 2-1 2-2 2; Trent Bowling 1-2 1-2 2; Raymond Romo 1-1 1-3 3; John Streun 1-2 0-2 2; Jay Beene 1-1 0-0 2; Stuart Mitts 0-0 0-0 0. Totals: 25-42 16-31 66.

Rebounds: Smith 12, Bowling 9, Mercer and Robbins 6 each, Clements 4, Cotten 3, Mitts 2; assists: Torres 2; steals: Jason Bullard 3, Cotten 2.

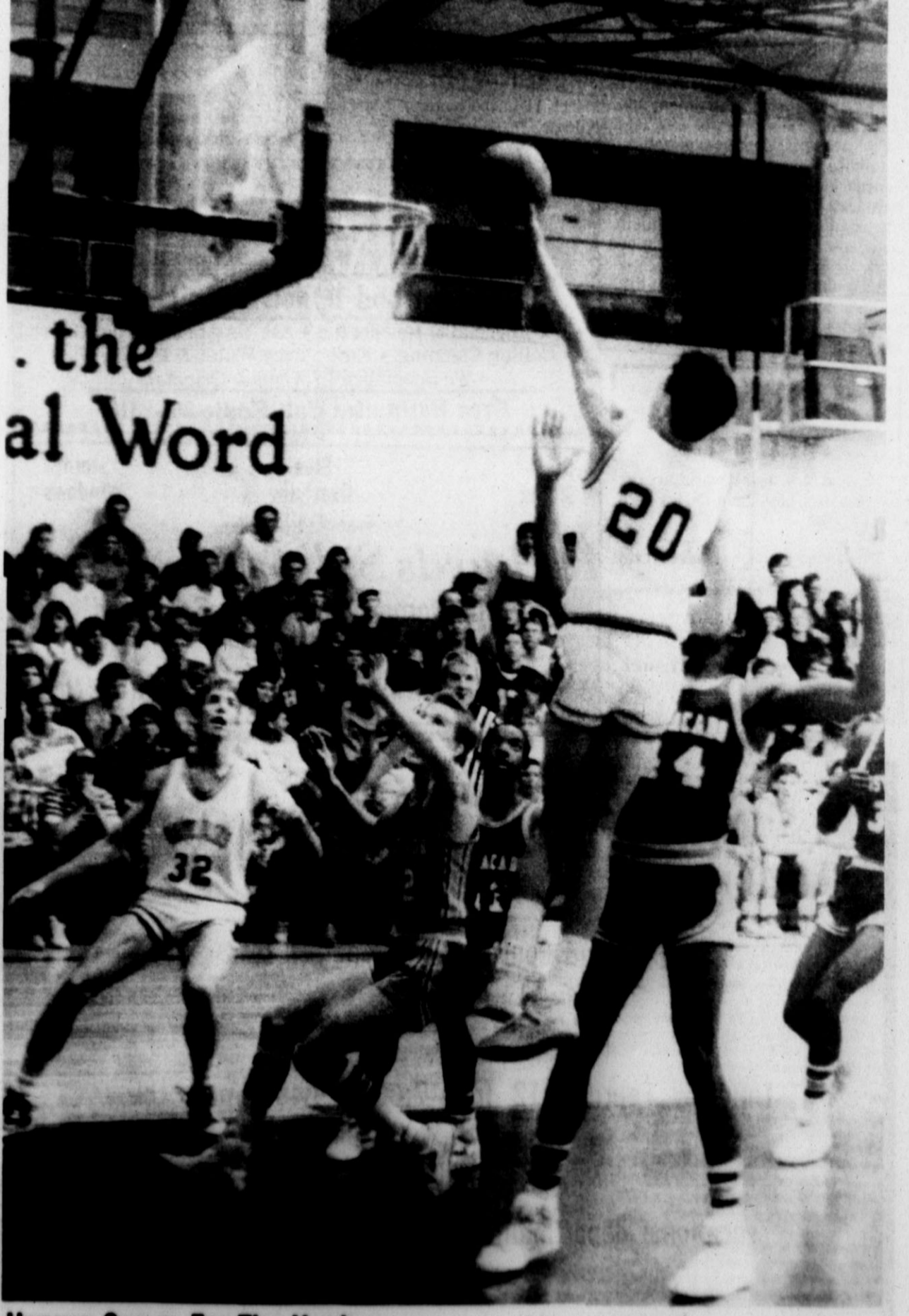
Estacado	10	20	14	10-54
Hereford	18	11	16	21-66



There Goes Amy

Amy Coneway (34) of Hereford attempts an inside shot against Estacado Tuesday night in a District 1-4A girls' basketball game. No. 52 of Hereford is Carmen Brockman. Brockman scored 11 points, all

in the second half, and Conway scored nine points, seven of them in the first half, to help lead Hereford to a 47-36 victory. (Brand photo by Gary Christensen)



Hansen Scores For The Herd

Kevin Hansen (20), a 6-1 Hereford junior, scored in this fastbreak late in the first quarter. Hansen scored 13 points for the Whitefaces, who suffered an 85-82 loss to

Lubbock Estacado Tuesday night. No. 32 of Hereford is Chris Johnson. (Brand photo by Gary Christensen)

Varsity team wins 47-36, junior varsity 67-40

HHS girls close season with victories

By GARY CHRISTENSEN
Sports Editor

Two post players each put together good performances, one of them in the first half and the other in the second half, to help the Hereford High School varsity girls' basketball team win its 1986-87 season finale, 47-36 over Lubbock Estacado on Tuesday night in Hereford.

Hereford finished the season with a 5-11 record in District 1-4A and an overall record of 10-19.

The HHS junior varsity girls also closed out the season with a victory, whipping Estacado 67-40.

Katie Ramey, a 5-10 senior post player, scored 12 points in the first half for the Hereford varsity girls, and finished the game as the Whitefaces' leading scorer in the 47-36 victory.

Ramey entered the game early after starting post player, sophomore Carmen Brockman, was called for two fouls in the first half minute of the game.

The second half was Brockman's show. The 6-1 sophomore hit four of six field goal attempts and three of four free throws, scoring all 11 of her points in the second half.

Lubbock Estacado held an early lead of 7-3. Hereford gained the lead at 8-7 on a basket by Ramey with 1:20 left in the first quarter.

Estacado also led 9-8 late in the first quarter and 13-11 early in the second quarter, but Hereford held the lead the rest of the contest. The score was tied five times before Hereford took the lead for good.

The last tie was 15-15 with 4:42 left in the first half. Baskets by Ramey and Brandi Binder, plus a pair of free throws, helped Hereford gain a 21-15 lead. The Whitefaces held a 25-21 halftime lead.

Lubbock Estacado did not score for nearly six minutes of the third quarter. Hereford built its lead to 33-21 before the first Estacado basket of the second half.

The closest that Estacado could

get to Hereford the rest of the game was six points, at 33-27 and 35-29. The 35-29 score occurred with 7:27 left in the final period.

Brockman scored seven of Hereford's last 12 points of the game. Hereford's biggest lead of the contest was 15 points at 45-30 with 3:06 left.

In addition to Ramey's 14 points and Brockman's 11 points, Amy Coneway scored nine points. Coneway scored seven of her points in the second quarter, all in free throw attempts.

Ramey led in rebounding with five, and Brockman and Susie Kalka each had four rebounds. Binder led in steals with six, and Tricia Kahlich had four steals.

Assists efforts by three players were important in the win. Kalka had five assists, and Kahlich and Binder each had four assists.

"It's good to end our season on a winning note, winning our last two games," said Hereford Coach Larry Sowers. "It's something good to build on and good for our seniors to go out winning."

"10-19 is not a great record, but considering us being small and inexperienced when the season started, and having many injuries, the kids did pretty well," Sowers continues.

"Katie Ramey had a great first half, the best half she's had in her career. It's great for her to end her career that way, particularly since Carmen Brockman got two fouls in the first half minute of the game."

"When Katie cooled off in the second half, Carmen picked up the slack."

"Our young kids got some valuable experience this year. They didn't win a lot, but they did win some. And next year they ought to be a lot better," Sowers said.

"We've got some good freshmen coming up and some good junior varsity players. If they work at it, they could be real competitive next year," he adds.

An outstanding team effort was put together by the Hereford junior varsity girls in their 67-40 win over Estacado.

Five players scored eight or more points each, led by Susan Gage with 19 points. Shea McGinty scored 15 points, Renee Mercer had nine points, and Susan Bell and Theresa Brown each added eight points.

The balanced team effort was evident in other statistics, such as assists, in which four players had two or more assists each. Bell led in assists with eight, and Denae Polk

had three assists.

Gage led in rebounds with nine, and McGinty grabbed six rebounds. Bell was a leader on defense with seven steals, and Brown had four steals.

Hereford outscored Estacado 22-5 in the first quarter and held a 33-18 halftime lead. In the third quarter, Gage scored eight points to help Hereford increase its lead to 51-29.

McGinty scored eight points in the fourth quarter.

HEREFORD VARSITY: Katie Ramey 6-12 2-4 14; Carmen Brockman 4-6 3-4 11; Amy Coneway 1-4 7-9; Susie Kalka 2-10 1-2 5; Tricia Kahlich 2-5 0-1 4; Brandi Binder 1-5 1-2 3; Kamille Martin 0-0

1-3 1. Totals: 16-43 15-25 47.

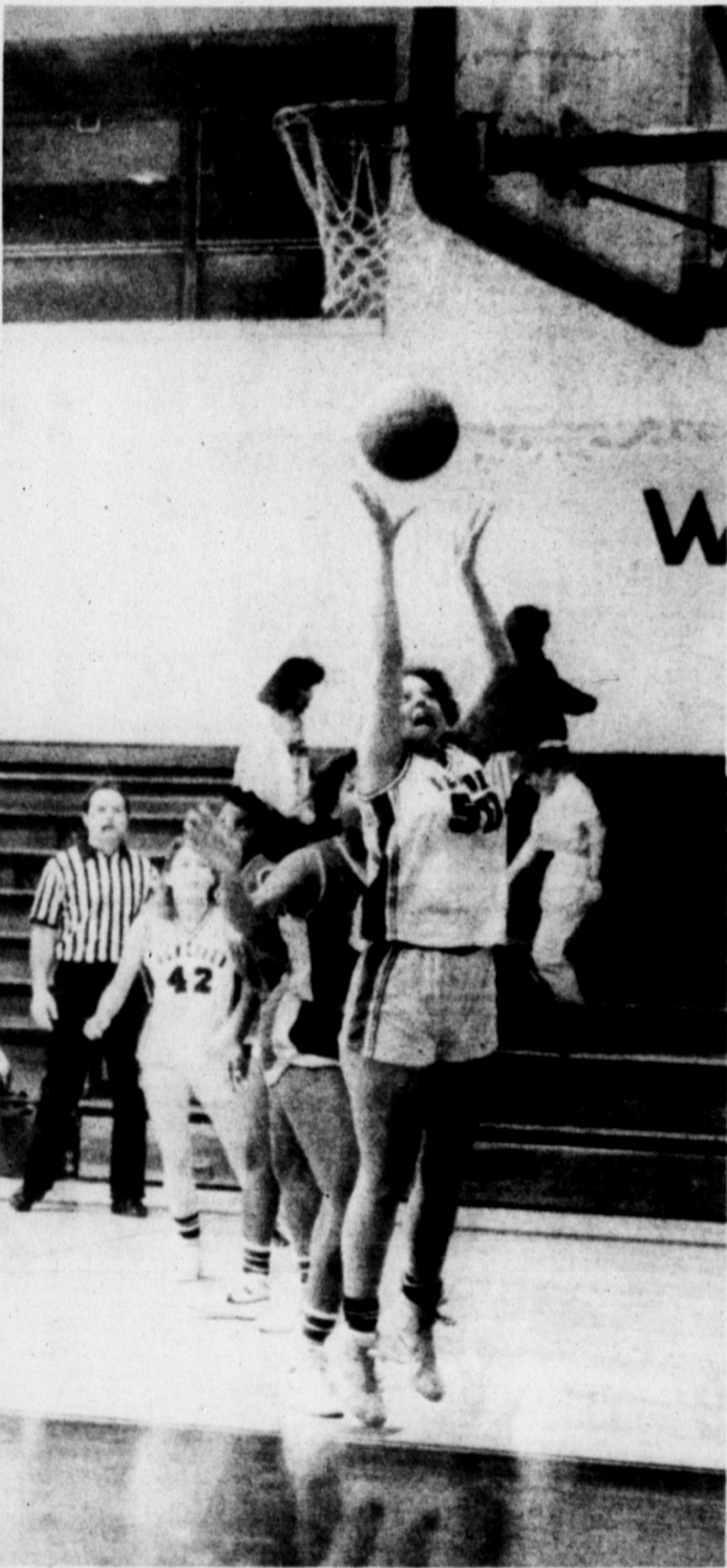
Rebounds: Ramey 5, Brockman and Kalka 4 each; Kahlich 3, Coneway and Binder 2 each; assists: Kalka 5, Kahlich and Binder 4 each; steals: Binder 6, Kahlich 4, Kalka 3, and Brockman 2.

Estacado 9 12 6 9-36
Hereford 10 15 10 12-47

JUNIOR VARSITY GIRLS: Susan Gage 8-14 3-5 19; Shea McGinty 6-9 3-7 15; Renee Mercer 4-10 1-3 9; Susan Bell 4-10 0-1 8; Theresa Brown 4-7 0-0 8; Melissa LaForte 1-5 2-2 4; Jamie Victor 0 2-4 2; Belinda Britten 0-0 1-2 1; Michelle Kwilinski 0-2 1-2 1. Totals: 27-57 13-26 67.

Rebounds: Gage 9, McGinty 6, Brown 3, Britten and Kwilinski 2 each; assists: Bell 8, Denae Polk 3, Mercer and Ramirez 2 each; steals: Bell 7, Brown 4, McGinty and Victor 3 each, Kwilinski and Gage 2 each.

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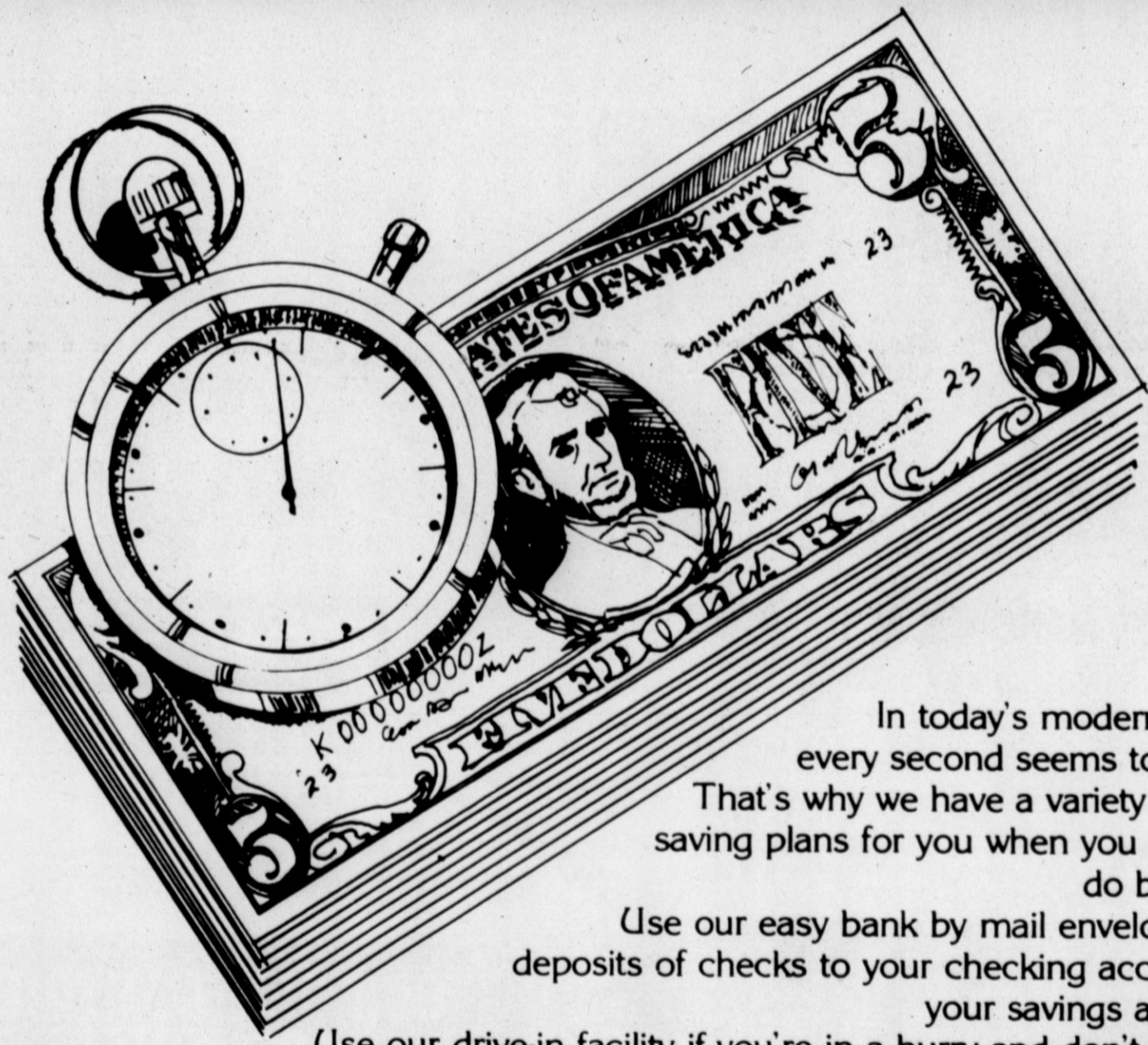


Led Hereford In Scoring

Katie Ramey (50) of the Hereford High School varsity girls' basketball team scored 14 points, 12 of them in the first half, to help Hereford defeat Lubbock Estacado 47-36 Tuesday night in the final game of the season. Ramey hit six of 12 shots from the field and had five rebounds. No. 42 of Hereford is Brandi Binder. (Brand photo by Gary Christensen)

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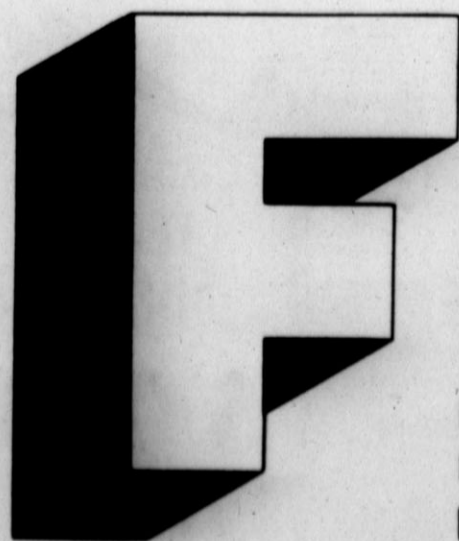
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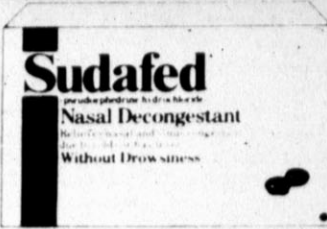
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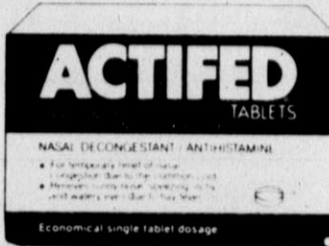
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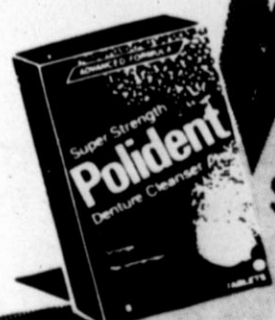
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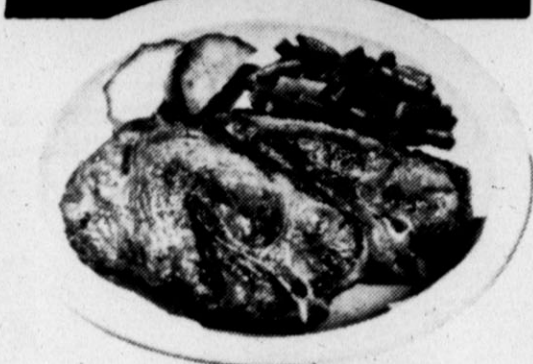
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AAA survey reveals Texans opinions on highway laws

DALLAS (AP) — A survey of more than 3,000 members of the American Automobile Association of Texas reveals many of the state's drivers would like to see some changes on state roadways, including increasing speed limits.

Respondents also favored an open container law and felt truckers should ante up their fair share of highway construction costs.

Association spokeswoman Cathy McDonnell said 3,400 people responded to the annual survey mailed last July to 365,000 Texas members' homes.

By a margin of more than 2-to-1, members also favor increasing the speed limit on interstate highways, though 51 percent said they oppose the use of radar detectors to avoid speeding tickets.

"That's probably where the law-and-order aspect comes in," said McDonnell. "I'd say your AAA

members are basically good citizens."

Almost a quarter of those answering the survey said they would support a return of the 70 mph speed limit. However, 32 percent were in favor of a 65 mph cap. The U.S. Senate on Feb. 4 passed a proposal that would raise the speed limit on rural interstate highways to 65.

More than 83 percent of survey respondents favor a law banning open containers of alcohol in cars. A similar proposal failed during the last legislative session.

Members also supported mandatory seat belts on school buses and a law requiring motorcycle drivers and passengers to wear helmets, a reflection of the respondents concern with safety, insurance costs and the maintenance of roadways, McDonnell said. Bills on both those questions are pending in the Texas Legislature.

More than 91 percent of survey respondents favored hiking fines for overweight trucks and 56 percent said they don't think most truckers are paying their fair share road maintenance costs.

For the most part, the responses were predictable for an organization whose members have a median age of 45 and an average household income of \$46,500, AAA officials said.

The results were released by AAA officials at the organization's state headquarters in Houston and will be used to guide lobbying efforts in the Legislature, McDonnell said.

Three million acres of U.S. farmland are still being lost each year to urbanization or flooding. On productive farmland, 4 billion tons of topsoil are lost yearly to wind and water erosion — from which only half the nation's cropland is adequately protected.

COMICS

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Television Schedule

WEDNESDAY

- EVENING**
- 6:00 (2) **Hardcastle and McCormick**
 - (3) **News**
 - (3) **MacNeil/Lehrer NewsHour**
 - (1) **Jim and Tammy**
 - (1) **Barney Miller**
 - (1) **SportsCenter**
 - (1) **Cuna de Lobos Gonzalo Vega, Diana Bracho**
 - (1) **Can't on TV**
 - (1) **Airwolf (1985)**
 - (1) **Too Close for Comfort**
 - (1) **James at 15 Lance Kerwin**
 - (1) **(MAX) Crazy About the Movies: Funny to Feature**
 - 6:05 (1) **Sanford and Son**
 - 6:30 (1) **Hollywood Squares**
 - (1) **Wheel of Fortune**
 - (1) **Jefferons**
 - (1) **Dating Game**
 - (1) **Speedweek**
 - (1) **El Precio de la Fama Otelia Medina, Hector Bonilla**
 - (1) **Dangermouse**
 - (1) **Gimme a Break!**
 - (1) **(MAX) MOVIE: Superman ***1/2 An infant from the doomed planet Krypton is sent to Earth where he grows up with super powers, super morals and an unquenchable thirst to stop crime. Christopher Reeve, Margot Kidder (1978) PG Profanity, Violence.**
 - 6:35 (1) **Honeymooners**
 - 7:00 (1) **Bring 'Em Back Alive**
 - (1) **Highway to Heaven**
 - (1) **National Geographic Special (1987)**
 - (1) **Perfect Strangers**
 - (1) **Camp Meeting USA**
 - (1) **MOVIE: The Matinee Falcon *** Sam Spade chases the fabulous falcon, finding a few murders and some hard hearted love interests on the side. Humphrey Bogart, Mary Astor (1941) NR**
 - (1) **New Mike Hammer**
 - (1) **La Gloria y el Infierno Otelia Medina, Hector Bonilla**
 - (1) **Donna Reed**
 - (1) **Riptide**
 - (1) **MOVIE: Sadat, Part 1 The life of Anwar Sadat, late Egyptian president and world leader, is traced from his early years as an officer to his rise to the presidency. Louis Gossett Jr., John Rhys Davies (1983)**
 - (1) **The Twentieth Century Walter Cronkite**
 - (1) **(HBO) MOVIE: Uphill All the Way Get ready for some gut bustin' guffaws when you watch the bumbling antics of two hucksters lead the cops on a chase from Texas to Mexico. Roy Clark, Mel Tillis (1986) PG Profanity, Nudity, Violence.**
 - 7:05 (1) **MOVIE: Network *** A fourth place network becomes a ratings killer when a ruthless programmer begins to air anything to gain an audience in this satire on television. William Holden, Faye Dunaway (1976) R Nudity, Adult Situation, Mild Violence.**
 - 7:30 (1) **Head of the Class**
 - (1) **Herencia Maldita Angelica Maria, Miguel Palmer**
 - (1) **Mr. Ed**
 - (1) **Between the Wars Eric Sevareid**
 - 8:00 (1) **700 Club**
 - (1) **Gimme a Break!**
 - (1) **Eyes on the Prize: America's Civil Rights Years (1987)**
 - (1) **Dynasty**
 - (1) **Magnum, P.I.**
 - (1) **Cicatrices del Alma Norma Herrera, Gregorio Casals**
 - (1) **My Three Sons**
 - (1) **MOVIE: Oliver's Story ** Sequel to Love Story begins with the burial of Jenny. Oliver is a lawyer, lonely and full of despair, when he meets a beautiful woman, Ryan O'Neal, Candice Bergen (1978) PG Profanity, Adult Situation.**
 - (1) **Africa Basil Davidson**
 - 8:30 (1) **The Tortellis**
 - (1) **Amazing Facts**
 - (1) **El Camino Secreto**
 - (1) **Ann Sothorn**
 - (1) **(HBO) The Talk Show**
 - 9:00 (1) **St. Elsewhere**
 - (1) **Getting Out of Business (1987)**
 - (1) **Hotel**
 - (1) **Jim and Tammy**
 - (1) **News**
 - (1) **The Equalizer**
 - (1) **Muy Especial**
 - (1) **Spy**
 - (1) **Fall Guy**
 - (1) **The Last Sailors**
 - (1) **(MAX) MOVIE: Real Genius ***1/2 Whiz kids at a high tech college learn that their research is being used to develop a killer laser weapon and seek revenge on their corrupt professor. Val Kilmer, William Atherton (1985) PG Profanity, Maturity Themes.**
 - (1) **(HBO) MOVIE: Just the Way You Are *** A young handicapped musician finds the love she has been missing when she travels to a French ski resort and puts her leg in a cast. Kristy McNichol, Michael O'Keefe (1984) PG Profanity, Nudity, Adult Themes.**
 - 9:30 (1) **American Snapshots**
 - (1) **SportsCenter**
 - 9:35 (1) **MOVIE: Ned Kelly ***1/2 Australia's outlaw hero of the 1870s vows revenge when his mother is jailed for complicity in an attempt to kill a constable. Mick Jagger, Allen Bickford (1970) PG**
 - 10:00 (1) **Hardcastle and McCormick**
 - (1) **News**
 - (1) **Bodywatch**
 - (1) **Dwight Thompson**
 - (1) **Honeymooners**
 - (1) **MIGL Soccer**
 - (1) **24 Horas**
 - (1) **Route 66**
 - (1) **Alfred Hitchcock**
 - (1) **Joan Rivers**
 - (1) **An Evening at the Improv**
 - 10:30 (1) **Tonight Show**
 - (1) **Nightly Business Report**
 - (1) **Benson**
 - (1) **Magnum, P.I.**
 - (1) **Love Connection**
 - 10:40 (1) **(HBO) MOVIE: The Best of Times ***1/2 A nerdy bank executive wants to stage a rematch of the fateful high school football game in which he dropped a pass costing his team an important win. Kurt Russell, Robin Williams (1986) PG13 Profanity, Nudity.**
 - 10:50 (1) **(MAX) MOVIE: Secret Admirer ***1/2 A torrid, unsigned love letter goes through many hands, involving all in hilarious misunderstanding. C. Thomas Howell, Kelly Preston (1985) R Profanity, Nudity, Adult Situation.**
 - 11:00 (1) **Burns and Allen**
 - (1) **Sign Off**
 - (1) **Soap**
 - (1) **Practice Plus One**
 - (1) **Amo y Senor**
 - (1) **Donna Reed**
 - (1) **Dragnet**
 - (1) **Taxi**
 - (1) **The Twentieth Century Walter Cronkite**
 - 11:30 (1) **Best of Groucho**
 - (1) **Late Night with David Letterman**
 - (1) **Nightline**
 - (1) **Good News**
 - (1) **MOVIE: The Andromeda Strain ***1/2 A team of scientists races the clock to neutralize a deadly virus brought back to Earth by a United States satellite. Arthur Hill, David Wayne (1971)**
 - (1) **Mr. Ed**
 - (1) **Edge of Night**
 - (1) **MOVIE: Swamp Thing ***1/2 An eerie green monster, half man, half plant, rises from the murky waters of a Southern swamp. Adrienne Barbeau, Louis Jourdan (1982) PG Nudity, Violence, Adult Language.**
 - (1) **Between the Wars Eric Sevareid**
 - 11:50 (1) **MOVIE: At Swords Point ***1/2 Threatened by intrigue, a French queen sends for the famous Musketeers. Being too late, they send their sons. Cornel Wilde, Maureen O'Hara (1952) NR**
 - 12:00 (1) **Jack Benny**
 - (1) **Crook and Chase (1986)**
 - (1) **Success 'n Life**
 - (1) **MOVIE: CBS Late Movie Valentine Magic on Love Island When eight attractive ladies go on vacation to Love Island, a lush tropical resort, to forget their troubles, comic escapades result. Janis Paige, Adrienne Barbeau (1980)**
 - (1) **Muy Especial**
 - (1) **My Three Sons**
 - (1) **Search for Tomorrow**
 - (1) **Africa Basil Davidson**
 - 12:30 (1) **Dobie Gillis**
 - (1) **Alice**
 - (1) **Nightlife**
 - (1) **NBA Today**
 - (1) **Ann Sothorn**
 - (1) **MOVIE: The Double McGuffin ***1/2**

THURSDAY

- EVENING**
- 6:00 (1) **Hardcastle and McCormick**
 - (1) **News**
 - (1) **MacNeil/Lehrer NewsHour**
 - (1) **Jim and Tammy**
 - (1) **Barney Miller**
 - (1) **SportsCenter**
 - (1) **Cuna de Lobos Gonzalo Vega, Diana Bracho**
 - (1) **Can't on TV**
 - (1) **Airwolf (1985)**
 - (1) **Too Close for Comfort**
 - (1) **Tenko**
 - 6:05 (1) **Sanford and Son**
 - 6:30 (1) **Hollywood Squares**
 - (1) **Wheel of Fortune**
 - (1) **Jefferons**
 - (1) **Dating Game**
 - (1) **Speedweek**
 - (1) **El Precio de la Fama Otelia Medina, Hector Bonilla**
 - (1) **Dangermouse**
 - (1) **Gimme a Break!**
 - (1) **(MAX) MOVIE: Casino Royale ***1/2 (HBO) MOVIE: Critters 1/2**
 - 6:35 (1) **Honeymooners**
 - 7:00 (1) **Daktari**
 - (1) **The Cosby Show**
 - (1) **Wild America (1987)**
 - (1) **Our World (1986)**
 - (1) **Camp Meeting USA**
 - (1) **MOVIE: Midnight Express ***1/2**
 - (1) **Shell Game**
 - (1) **Sportstalk '87**
 - (1) **Barney Miller**
 - (1) **SportsCenter**
 - (1) **Cuna de Lobos Gonzalo Vega, Diana Bracho**
 - (1) **Donna Reed**
 - (1) **College Basketball**
 - (1) **MOVIE: Sadat, Part 2**
 - (1) **Jane Eyre Zelah Clarke, Timothy Dalton**
 - 7:05 (1) **Letters From a Dead Man**
 - 7:30 (1) **Family Ties**
 - (1) **Sneak Previews**
 - (1) **Top Rank Boxing**
 - (1) **Herencia Maldita Angelica Maria, Miguel Palmer**
 - (1) **Mr. Ed**
 - 8:00 (1) **700 Club**
 - (1) **Cheers**
 - (1) **Mystery! (1987)**
 - (1) **The Cosby Show**
 - (1) **Simon and Simon (1985)**
 - (1) **Cicatrices del Alma Norma Herrera, Gregorio Casals**
 - (1) **My Three Sons**
 - (1) **In the Mainstream: The Cleveland Quartet**
 - (1) **(HBO) MOVIE: Nighthawks *****
 - 8:30 (1) **Night Court**
 - (1) **Way of the Winner**
 - (1) **El Camino Secreto**
 - (1) **Ann Sothorn**
 - 8:35 (1) **Breaking the Spell**
 - 9:00 (1) **L.A. Law**
 - (1) **Pride of Place: Building the American Dream (1986)**
 - (1) **20/20**
 - (1) **Jim and Tammy**
 - (1) **Knots Landing**
 - (1) **Estamos Unidos Raul Matas**
 - (1) **I Spy**
 - (1) **Riptide**
 - (1) **Fall Guy**
 - (1) **Sounds Magnificent**
 - (1) **(MAX) MOVIE: Wildcats *****
 - 9:30 (1) **Bill Cosby**
 - (1) **News**
 - 10:00 (1) **Hardcastle and McCormick**
 - (1) **News**
 - (1) **Tony Brown's Journal**
 - (1) **Capitol Christian Center**
 - (1) **College Basketball**
 - (1) **24 Horas**
 - (1) **Route 66**
 - (1) **Alfred Hitchcock**
 - (1) **Joan Rivers**
 - (1) **(HBO) Bruce Willis: The Return of Bruno Temptations, Mavis Staples (1987) NR**
 - 10:05 (1) **MOVIE: Logan's Run ****
 - 10:30 (1) **Tonight Show**
 - (1) **Nightly Business Report**
 - (1) **Benson**
 - (1) **Magnum, P.I.**
 - (1) **Love Connection**
 - 10:50 (1) **(MAX) MOVIE: Perfect ***1/2**
 - 11:00 (1) **Burns and Allen**
 - (1) **Sign Off**
 - (1) **Soap**
 - (1) **Special Presentation**
 - (1) **CBS Late Night Night Heat**
 - (1) **Amo y Senor**
 - (1) **Donna Reed**
 - (1) **Dragnet**
 - (1) **Taxi**
 - (1) **Jane Eyre Zelah Clarke, Timothy Dalton**
 - (1) **(HBO) MOVIE: Clan of the Cave Bear ***1/2**
 - 11:30 (1) **Best of Groucho**
 - (1) **Late Night with David Letterman**
 - (1) **Nightline**
 - (1) **This is the Life**
 - (1) **MOVIE: Squirr *****
 - (1) **Mr. Ed**
 - (1) **Edge of Night**
 - (1) **MOVIE: D.C. Cab ***1/2**
 - 12:00 (1) **Jack Benny**
 - (1) **Crook and Chase (1986)**
 - (1) **Success 'n Life**
 - (1) **MOVIE: CBS Late Movie The City Two Los Angeles policemen scour the city in search of a psychopath who has a grudge against a country and western singer. Robert Forster, Don Johnson (1976)**
 - (1) **Ski World**
 - (1) **Estamos Unidos Raul Matas**
 - (1) **My Three Sons**
 - (1) **Edge of Night**
 - (1) **In the Mainstream: The Cleveland Quartet**
 - 12:30 (1) **Dobie Gillis**
 - (1) **Alice**
 - (1) **Nightlife**
 - (1) **Winner's Circle**
 - (1) **Ann Sothorn**
 - (1) **Search for Tomorrow**
 - 12:35 (1) **MOVIE: Best of the Badmen ***1/2 A former Union officer becomes an outlaw leader but finally surrenders to clear his name and start life anew. Robert Ryan, Claire Trevor (1951) NR**
 - 12:45 (1) **(HBO) MOVIE: Atlantic City *** Two small time Atlantic City losers try to escape the harsh realities of life, while big time dreamers are just arriving in the city. Bert Lancaster, Susan Sarandon (1980) R Profanity, Nudity, Adult Situation.**
 - 12:55 (1) **(MAX) MOVIE: Lost in America *** A couple cash in their assets to travel and find the real America and then lose it all in Las Vegas. Albert Brooks, Julie Hegerly (1985) R Profanity, Adult Situation.**

Crossword

ACROSS

- Compass point
- Fastener
- Undersized
- Southern state (abbr.)
- Hostile force
- In the past
- Small child
- Purvey
- Spanish title
- Fracas (comp. wd.)
- Faulty
- Tributary
- 24 Year (Sp.)
- False
- Actress — Stevens
- Emote
- Upper surface
- Roman bronze
- Weight
- Charlemagne's domain (abbr.)
- Make an edging
- Wrap in bandage
- Roman orator
- Combat
- Three (pref.)
- Strictness
- Oklahoma Indian
- Becomes mellow
- Torn apart
- Soaked
- High pointed hill
- Oil source
- Insect at a picnic
- Sooner than
- Walked in water
- Yes

DOWN

- Telephone service (abbr.)
- gn
- Electrical unit
- Phonograph disk
- Actress Balin
- Experienced person
- Uncle
- Absolute ruler
- Dry river bed
- Selves
- Long times
- Type of cross
- One of the Three Stooges
- Close relative
- Facet
- Slaps gently
- Garbage barge
- Sicilian volcano
- Behind
- Producer — Norman
- Concerning (2 wds.)
- Alternative word
- Deuce
- British prep school
- 43 Pressed
- On same side (pref.)
- Charge
- Composer — Stravinsky
- Actor Richard
- 51 Absent
- Actress Tierney
- Miss Kett of the comics
- Bantu language
- Refer to (Lat. abbr.)
- Comedienne Arden

Answer to Previous Puzzle

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Abundant Life

WE CAN BE STRONG
By Bob Wear

IT IS POSSIBLE for us to live with a sense of satisfaction and accomplishment; and we can do so in spite of the problems and challenges of daily living. To do this, of course, we must be strong, and 'we can be strong'. Realizing this is the first step in being strong.

WE CAN BE STRONG enough to prevent the invasion of such destructive feelings as fatalism, anxiety, hysteria, confusion, fear and gloom. Any one of these can spoil an otherwise satisfactory manner of living. These are the kinds of things that erode our moral fiber, and this will weaken us. These things neither inevitable nor invincible; they can be resisted successfully.

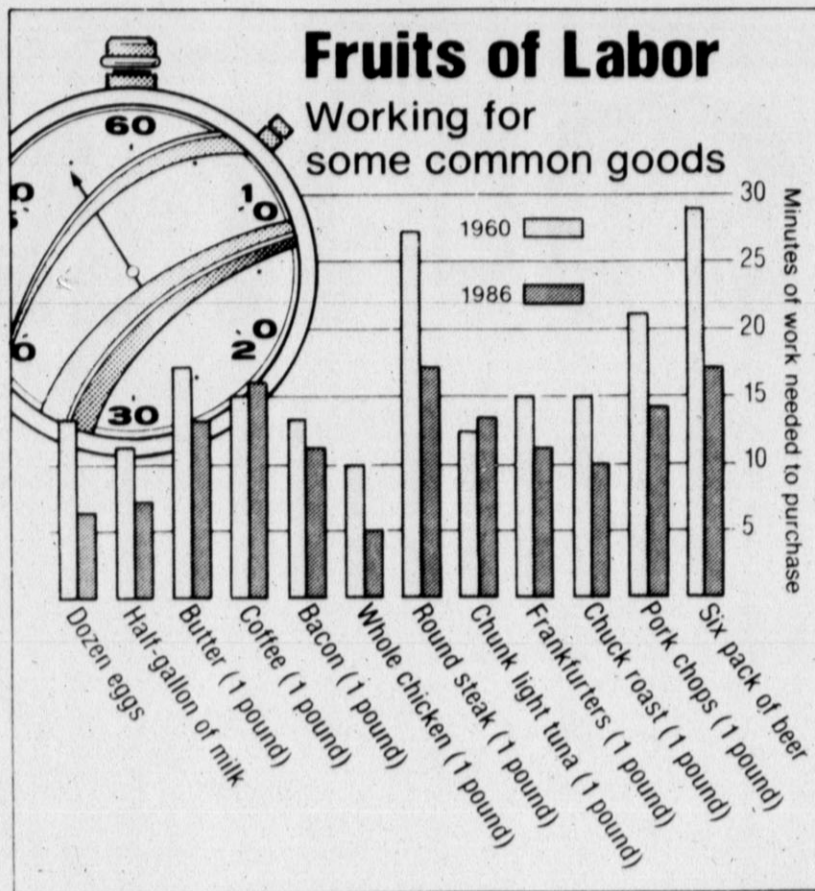
THE INTELLIGENTLY simple life will help, because it is basically a strong life style. This requires a true sense of values, the knowledge and courage to keep first things in first place, and a realistic perspective of life. A strong faith, sensibly related to enduring alues, will provide the stability which is essential to per-

sonal strength.

IN BUILDING our strength, we must maintain a well-thought-out interest in doing what we can to preserve that which is generally known to be right and good, even to the extent of giving up our personal ease and pleasure; when this is required. We must think straight, with sober judgment, and we must continue to encourage each other and build up one another. This is the way of strength for us, individually and collectively.

THERE ARE MANY kinds of strength, or many facets of one's total strength; but the basis of it all is our strength of spirit. This is probably what the famous writer, Tennyson had in mind when he wrote, "My strength is as the strength of ten, because my heart is pure."

IN THE WISE exercise of our strength, according to the best guidelines available to us, it is encouraging to know that our strength will increase. We can be strong, and, for the best of living, we must be strong.



Source: The Conference Board
NEA GRAPHIC
It takes less time to earn the price of food today than it did 26 years ago. Today the essentials — food, clothing, shelter — require only 45 percent of household dollars. In 1915, by comparison, they accounted for 60 percent.

Buying carpet a major household investment

The same consumers who spend months researching which brand if microwave oven or dishwasher to buy, often choose carpeting just for its color.

Since carpeting is a major household investment, housing specialist Dr. Susan Quiring, says the purchase decision should involve more than decorating considerations. "The durability of a carpet and how well it will keep its original good looks may be as important as the color in determining how satisfied you are with the carpet in the long run," adds the Texas A&M University Agricultural Extension Service home economist.

She says a strong resilient carpet fiber will resist abrasion and bounce back when walked on. Such a carpet will not show wear, crush or mat easily.

Differences in density can be checked by pressing on the carpet with your fingers to see how readily they can push through to the backing. Also bend back a corner of the carpet to see how much of the backing can be seen beneath the pile.

According to the specialist, the more backing you see, the less pile there is and therefore, the poorer the carpet will perform. The better grades of carpet have dense, closely spaced yarns.

Since the pile fiber takes the abrasion and abuse, the amount of pile

fiber in a square yard of carpet is critical to its performance, explains Quiring. This pile fiber is often referred to as "face weight." A face weight of at least 40 is recommended.

According to the home economist, pile density is also important. The size of the yarn bundle and the closeness of the individual tufts to each other determine carpet density. In general, the deeper, denser and heavier the pile, the better the carpet will perform.

"If you're considering a cut pile carpet, also look at the twist of the yarn," advises Quiring. "The tighter the twist the better the yarn will retain its original appearance."

She suggests judging the twist levels of various samples by looking closely at the cut tips of the individual tufts. They should be neat, well defined and should not flare open. Ask if the yarns have been heat-set, since this process locks the twist in place permanently.

Remember too that the carpet pad or cushion will protect the carpet backing and increase the life of the carpet, notes the specialist. It also creates a softer walking surface, insulates cold floors, absorbs noise and prevents the carpet from shifting.

"Consider the true cost of carpet," Quiring advises. "If a bargain carpet wears out quickly, it may not save you money in the long run."

Senior Citizens Opportunities

Activities scheduled this week (Feb. 12 through Feb. 18) at the Hereford Senior Citizens Center include the following:

THURSDAY — Oil painting class 9 a.m., advanced oil painting class 1 p.m., choir 1 p.m.

FRIDAY — Beginners line dance 10 a.m., advanced line dance 1 p.m.

SATURDAY — Valentine party 6 p.m.

MONDAY — Beginners line dance 10 a.m., devotional 1 p.m., advanced line dance 1 p.m.

TUESDAY — Stretch and flexibility 10-10:45 a.m.

WEDNESDAY — Ceramics 1:30 p.m., Young at heart program at YMCA \$2 charge, 9 a.m. until noon.

Lunch Menus

THURSDAY — Pork roast, sweet potatoes, buttered spinach, cottage cheese with fresh chopped vegetables, lemon ice box dessert.

FRIDAY — Catfish fillet, long grain wild rice, broccoli spears with cheese sauce, cucumber-tomato salad, cherry pie, french bread.

MONDAY — Green chili casserole, cabbage-carrot slaw, small white beans, banana pudding.

TUESDAY — Turkey and dressing with gravy, seasoned Italian green beans, sweet potatoes, cranberry sauce, pumpkin pie with topping.

WEDNESDAY — Baked chicken breasts, rice pilaf, green peas, fruit salad, tapioca pudding.

Evaluate parenting skills realistically

Parents should no more expect themselves to be perfect than they can expect their children to be perfect.

That belief is necessary for positive parenting, says a Texas A&M University Agricultural Extension Service home economist.

According to family life specialist Diane Welch, positive parenting starts when parents realistically evaluate their parenting and come to realize they can do many things effectively.

"The picture of a perfect parent, one who is always kind, patient, loving, intelligent, and in control, is impossible to fulfill and may not be so wonderful anyway," she maintains.

For example, parents who are always patient may not be preparing their children for a world that contains impatient people, Welch explains.

The important thing is not perfect parenting at any one time, but growth toward increased competence, adds the home economist.

She advises parents to compare their behavior to their own past performance rather than to friends' or relatives' parenting behavior or the parenting behavior represented in the media.

"Instead of feeling like a failure because you don't spend three hours a night with your child like the father next door, praise yourself for spending half an hour more with your child this week than you did last week," says Welch.

She points out that spouses can also help each other feel confident about their parenting skills, just as they help themselves.

POLLY'S POINTERS

By Polly Fisher

DEAR POLLY — We were sent a bushel of oranges from a friend in California. Since there are only two of us, we'll never use all these oranges before they rot. Can they be preserved in some way? — L.R.

DEAR L.R. — Oranges can be frozen, or you can use them to make marmalade. Freezing is the easiest method. Wash, peel, section and remove all membranes and seeds from the oranges. Pack them in freezer containers and cover them with a medium syrup (3 cups sugar to 4 cups water, boiled until the sugar is completely dissolved) with 1/2 teaspoon ascorbic acid added per quart of syrup. Seal, label and freeze.

I'm sending you a copy of my newsletter "Freezing Fruits and Vegetables," which has complete directions for freezing most produce, including recipes for making sugar syrups, dry-packing without sugar, and specific packing instructions, including blanching times, for the most popular fruits and vegetables. Others who would like a copy of this issue should send \$1 for each copy to POLLY'S POINTERS, in care of this newspaper, P.O. Box 91428, Cleveland, OH 44101-3428. Be sure to include the title. — POLLY

DEAR POLLY — Here's an easy way to prepare pumpkin for pies. Wash the pumpkin thoroughly and clean out the seeds. Cut it into large pieces and place them in a large roasting pan with a cover. Add one inch water to the pan and cover tightly. Bake in a 400-degree oven one hour, or until a fork can be inserted into the pumpkin easily. Remove

How to use extra oranges

from oven, cool 20 minutes, then scrape the pulp from the skin. Let cool thoroughly, mash and use, or freeze. — ANNA MAE

DEAR POLLY — Have you ever picked up your roll of tape only to find the end glued to itself? Today when this happened, I used another piece of tape, wrapped around my finger with the adhesive side out, to pick up the end of the other roll. I rolled my finger back and forth over the stuck-on end, and it picked up the end of the roll of tape so I could grasp it. — MARY LOU

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TCU course studies TV impact on viewers

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The impact of these many hours of TV viewing is the focus of a new class at Texas Christian University.

"Television began to have its biggest effect after World War II," said Dr. David Barker, TCU professor of radio-TV-film. "Although television was around before that time, a change in the family structure made for wider television acceptance."

According to Barker, there was migration from the city to the suburbs after the war. This move caused many to look for entertainment in their own homes, which

made television more popular. Not only has TV become a major source of entertainment to many, but it also has affected the way politicians campaign. Much reference has been made to the "great debates" of 1960 between John Kennedy and Richard Nixon.

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10. Announcements

Need help? Operation Good Shepherd. 364-0382. People helping people. 10-237-10c

Drinking a problem? 24 hour hotline. Alcoholic Anonymous. Every Tuesday through Saturday. 8:00 p.m. Sunday 11:00 a.m. at 406 West 4th. 10-105-tfc

Announcements

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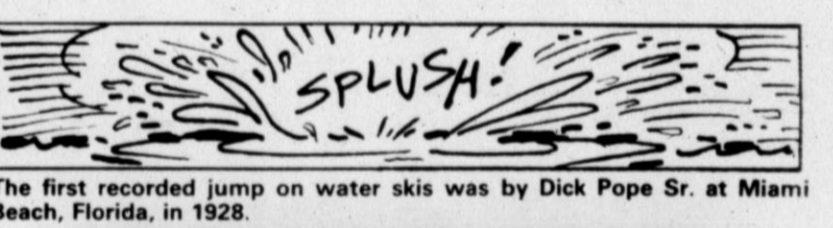
NEW YORK (AP)—The economic fraternity tends to look at the worm in the apple rather than the apple itself — to distrust good news and to look for the bad instead. And seldom has that trait been more observable than now: The country is losing manufacturing jobs, the stock market has overshot the mark, the tax-induced buying spurge in December "stole" sales from the current quarter. Long-unresolved problems — the federal debt, the budget deficit, the trade deficit, the uncollectable loans to Third World nations — have sown distrust among those who analyze the economy, and perhaps tilted them toward pessimism. But should that mean everything else is dumped into the worry pit, too, and that no news should be interpreted as good news? Maybe not, and here are some views to bolster that happy conclusion. —On the stock market overshooting the mark: What the stock market seems to be saying, says Albert H. Cox, Jr. senior economic adviser of Bil Management Inc., Cox, "is that recession is not in sight; that inflation remains quiescent; that interest rates may recede further; that growth may speed up some; and that corporate belt tightening should begin to pay off in the form of improved efficiency and profitability." —On the loss of manufacturing jobs: Yes, it is true that the United States has been losing manufacturing jobs, says Edward L. Hudgins, a fellow in economics at the Heritage Foundation, a conservative think tank based in Washington. But that isn't all bad. Why not? Because the trend is a consequence of greater manufacturing efficiency rather than a decline in manufacturing's contribution to the gross national product, or total

output of goods and services, Hudgins says. He points out that in 1960 about 24.8 million Americans were employed in manufacturing, and the results of their efforts came to 20.3 percent of the country's total output of goods and services. Citing figures from the "Economic Report of the President," he notes that in 1984 only 16.2 million workers were so employed, but that their output accounted for 21.8 percent of total gross national product. He concludes: "The fact that a smaller percentage of the work force produces the same percentage of manufactured goods indicates that the U.S. economy has grown more efficient, not less competitive." —On December's tax-induced buying having stolen sales from January: Most analysts are convinced that strong consumer purchases in December, the final month for purchases where sales tax was deductible from federal income taxes, were at the expense of buying that might otherwise have occurred this year, says Bernstein Research. "But the impact of tax change on consumer spending is likely to be much less than is commonly believed," say economic analysts for the company, a member of the New York Stock Exchange. They comment that "however costly the loss of sales tax and other deductions (and they are not very costly), the benefits from lower marginal tax rates will be \$14 billion more in 1987." That's buying power, not weakness. Bernstein expects consumer spending to "actually strengthen materially during the current quarter" and gross national product in the first half of this year to reach a stunning 7 percent growth rate.

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Apr	52.30	-.05	52.35	52.25	52.30
May	52.15	-.05	52.20	52.10	52.15
Jun	52.00	-.05	52.05	51.95	52.00
Jul	51.85	-.05	51.90	51.80	51.85
Aug	51.70	-.05	51.75	51.65	51.70
Sep	51.55	-.05	51.60	51.50	51.55
Oct	51.40	-.05	51.45	51.35	51.40
Nov	51.25	-.05	51.30	51.20	51.25
Dec	51.10	-.05	51.15	51.05	51.10

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Month	Price	Change	High	Low	Settle
Mar	1.15	-.02	1.17	1.13	1.15
Apr	1.10	-.02	1.12	1.08	1.10
May	1.05	-.02	1.07	1.03	1.05
Jun	1.00	-.02	1.02	0.98	1.00
Jul	0.95	-.02	0.97	0.93	0.95
Aug	0.90	-.02	0.92	0.88	0.90
Sep	0.85	-.02	0.87	0.83	0.85
Oct	0.80	-.02	0.82	0.78	0.80
Nov	0.75	-.02	0.77	0.73	0.75
Dec	0.70	-.02	0.72	0.68	0.70

Calendar of Events

THURSDAY
 Deaf Smith County annual Chamber of Commerce Banquet, Bull Barn, 7 p.m.
 Keywanette Blood drive, Hereford High School auditorium, 3-7 p.m.
 Whiteface Good Sam Club, Community Center, 6 p.m.
 San Jose prayer group, 735 Brevard, 8 p.m.
 Weight Watchers, Community Church, 6:30 p.m.
 Ladies exercise class, Church of the Nazarene, 6:30 p.m.
 AA and Al-Anon meeting, 406 W. Fourth St., 8 p.m.
 Kiwanis Club, Community Center, noon.
 TOPS Club, No. 941, Community Center, 9 a.m.
 Amateur Radio Operators, north biology building of high school, 7:30 p.m.
 Story at Deaf Smith County Library, 10 a.m.
 Young at heart program, YMCA, 9 a.m. until noon.
 Westgate birthday party at Westgate Nursing Home, 2:30 p.m.
 Deaf Smith County Genealogical Society, county library, 7:30 p.m.
 Hereford Day Care Center Board of Directors, Hereford Country Club, noon.
 Sweet 'n' Fancy Cake Decorating Club, Community Center, 9:30 a.m.
 Men's Study Group, St. Thomas Episcopal Church, 7:30 p.m.
 Calliopian Study Club, 7:30 p.m.
 Sugar Works Cake Decorating Club.
 Messenger Extension Homemakers Club, 2 p.m.
 Free immunizations against childhood diseases, Texas Department of Health Office, 914 E. Park, 8 a.m. to noon and 1-3:30 p.m.
FRIDAY
 Kiwanis Whiteface Breakfast Club, 6:30 a.m.
 Community Duplicate Bridge Club, Community Center, 7:30 p.m.
 Cultural Extension Club, home of Carrie Mae Doak, 2 p.m.
 Hereford Garden Club, 2 p.m.
 Deaf Smith County Crimestoppers Board of Directors, Chamber of Commerce Board room, noon.
SATURDAY
 La Madre Mia Study Club Valentine social with husbands at Hereford State Bank, 7 p.m.
 AA open meeting, 406 W. Fourth St., 8 p.m.
 Open gym for all teens, noon to 6 p.m. on Saturdays and 2-5 p.m. Sundays at First Church of the Nazarene.
MONDAY
 AA and Al-Anon Spanish speaking meeting, 406 W. Fourth St., 8 p.m.
 Odd Fellows Lodge, IOOF Hall, 7:30 p.m.
 TOPS Chapter No. 1011, Community Center, 5:30-6:30 p.m.
 Rotary Club, Community Center, noon.
 Planned Parenthood Clinic, open Monday through Friday, 711 25 Mile Ave., 8:30 a.m. to 4:30 p.m.
 Evening Lions Club, K-Bob's Steak House, 7:30 p.m.
 Order of Rainbow for Girls, Masonic Temple, 7:15 p.m.
 VFW Auxiliary, VFW clubhouse, 7:30 p.m.
 Christian Women's Fellowship, First Christian Church, 7 p.m.
TUESDAY
 Hereford Rebekah Lodge, No. 228, IOOF Hall, 7:30 p.m.
 Problem Pregnancy Center, 505 E. Park Ave., open Tuesday through Saturday. Free and confidential pregnancy testing. Call 364-2027 for appointment.
 AA and Al-Anon meeting, 406 W. Fourth St., 8 p.m.
 Free women's exercise class (aerobics and floorwork), Community Church, 7:30 p.m.
WEDNESDAY
 AA discussion meeting, 406 W. Fourth St., 8 p.m.
 Noon Lions Club, Community Center, noon.
 Knights of Columbus at KC Hall, 8 p.m.
 Christian Women's Fellowship, First Christian Church, noon luncheon.
 Well baby screening clinic for preschool age children, Texas Department of Health office, 914 E. Park Ave., 8:30 a.m. to noon and 1-3 p.m.

Free blood pressure screening, Tuesday through Friday, South Plains Health Providers Clinic, 603 Park Ave., 8:30 a.m. - 5 p.m.
 Hereford AMBUCS Club, Ranch House, noon.
 Social Security representative at courthouse, 9:15 a.m. until noon.
 Kiwanis Club of Hereford-Golden K, Senior Citizens Center, noon.
 Deaf Smith County Historical Museum: Regular museum hours Tuesday through Saturday 10 a.m. to 5 p.m. and Sunday by appointment only. Museum closed Monday.
 TOPS Chapter No. 576, Community Center, 9 a.m.
 Ladies exercise class, Church of the Nazarene, 7:30 p.m.
 La Afflatus Estudio Club, 3 p.m.
 Baptist Women of Summerfield Baptist Church to meet at the church, 9 a.m.
 Xi Epsilon Alpha chapter of Beta Sigma Phi, 7:30 p.m.
 Toujours Amis Study Club, 7 p.m.
 Deaf Smith County Chapter of the American Heart Association, Hereford State Bank, 7 p.m.
 La Plata Study Club, 7:30 p.m.
 Hereford CattleWomen, noon luncheon.
 Hereford board of Realtors, lunch at Hereford Country Club, noon.
 Ford Extension Homemakers Club, 9:30 a.m.
 Pioneer 4-H Club, Community Center, 4 p.m.

Book fair underway

Northwest School, 400 Moorman, is having a book sale this week from 8:30 a.m. until 3 p.m. in the school media center. The event will conclude Friday.

The fair, sponsored by the Northwest P.T.A., will be offering a wide variety of children's books and parent-teacher books ranging in price from \$1-\$9.

For further information, contact Camille Williamson at 364-7591; Pat Walsh, 364-6097; or Northwest Elementary, 364-2751.

Public invited to meeting

The public is invited to the Deaf Smith County Genealogy Society meeting at 7:30 p.m. Thursday in the Heritage Room of Deaf Smith County Library.

The program will explain how to write letters to obtain county records and what information is available in county records. There will be a panel to discuss these subjects and to answer questions.

Anyone interested in genealogy is invited to attend. The society's 1987 membership drive is open. Dues are \$5 per person or \$8 a couple for one year.

Church roll being updated

The roll of San Jose Catholic Church is being updated, and families on the church census will be visited from 3-5 p.m. Sunday.

For more information, call the church at 364-5053.

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DR. GOTT

Fish oil may be helpful

By Peter H. Gott, M.D.

DEAR DR. GOTT — My local pharmacy has begun to carry a variety of capsules that promise to reduce arterial plaque. Most contain Omega-3, a fish oil. Are these pills good or just another part of the constant battle waged by pharmaceutical companies for the working stiff's hard-earned dollar?

DEAR READER — Based on early studies in Scandinavia and the Netherlands, scientists are actively investigating whether Omega-3 is an effective treatment for the arterial blockage called arteriosclerosis. It shows promise and is safe. It may prove to be an exciting medical breakthrough.

Omega-3 is a type of oil that is contained in fish; it appears to act by lowering serum cholesterol and increasing high-density lipoproteins, the chemical that binds cholesterol and prevents it from adhering to the linings of arteries. Omega-3 capsules (or a diet high in fish) may be beneficial for general use, but the final word is not in yet. To give you more information, I'm sending you a free copy of

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"Desk-Top Publishing" is the subject of the Independent Scholar Network program at Amarillo Central Library, 4th and Buchanan, at 2:30 p.m., Feb. 15.
 Bobbi Hoverter of Amarillo Computers will present the program on high-quality publishing which takes advantage of the personal computer, laser printer and "page layout" software technology.
 The program will be followed by additional remarks by Lorren Hallmark of Davis TypePros on the printing aspect of desk-top publishing. Hal Marsh, free-lance

writer, will also offer remarks on word processing.
 According to Hoverter, a former computer programmer, persons involved in writing and publishing and also in producing in-house publications like newsletters can benefit from the program since professional quality work can be produced. "It allows people to inexpensively produce publications themselves rather than relying on an outside supplier. It encompasses typesetting, paste-up and other production-type services." She added that desk-top publishing can integrate text and graphics.

Hereford students honored

Five Hereford students attending Angelo State University in San Angelo, are listed on the Dean's Honor Roll for the Fall semester at the University.

Those listed on the 3.00 to 3.49 honor roll include Randy H. Villarreal, an accounting major.

Those listed on the 3.50 to 4.00 Honor roll include Donnell Gordon Anderson, a computer science major; Jeffrey Theon Morris, a history major; Ronnie Lynn Killough, a computer science major; and Aaron Michael Shakocius, a computer science major.

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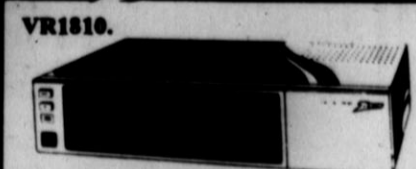


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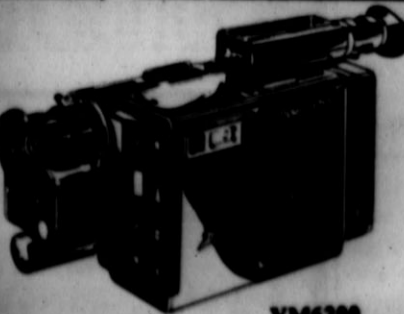


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