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Morrison to head MS education group

By DEBE GRAVES
Staff Writer

An average of 200 people a week in the U.S. are diagnosed as having some form of multiple sclerosis, according to Raymond Morrison, president of a newly-formed Hereford Community Council, a branch of the Panhandle Chapter of the National Multiple Sclerosis Society.

"This the first Community Council to be formed in the Panhandle but more will be started, in an effort to develop organizations in communities just getting started with the national society," Morrison said. He was appointed to head up the local organization by Fredricka Gens, chapter services coordinator with the Panhandle MS group.

Gens estimates that as many as 15 Hereford residents have some form of MS though only 10 are currently listed on the chapter roll. "The course of the disease is unpredictable and varies from one person to another which often make a diagnosis difficult," she said. "Early symptoms may include weakness, loss of balance, fatigue, numbness, tingling and eye problems such as blurred or double vision, all of which could be symptoms of other illnesses."

According to information compiled by the national organization, white women between the ages of 20 and 40 have the highest odds of developing the disease, though the disease is not limited to this group.

"MS is a chronic, often disabling condition of the central nervous system, it is not contagious or hereditary and it is rarely fatal," Morrison said. "In multiple sclerosis, patches of inflammation form in the central nervous system, which includes the brain, spinal cord and optic nerves. Eventually, the myelin, which insulates the nerve fibers, breaks down and scarring occurs, which short-circuits nerve im-



RAYMOND MORRISON

pulses so that muscles, organs and glands do not get the messages they need to function."

The course of the disease is unpredictable and varies from person to person. "A person can be blind for a period and then their vision will return," Gens said. "In many people, the disease moves through a period of inactivity followed by relapses which are followed by periods of remission. Others have a chronic, progressive form of the disease in which their symptoms steadily worsen without benefit of relapses or remissions."

Morale is thought to play an important role in the course of the disease and though the disease may eventually confine its victim to a wheelchair, as in Morrison's case, thousands of people with MS continue to work and lead productive lives. "Sixty percent of people with MS are still working five years after onset of the disease and 30 percent are still working after 20 years," Morrison said.

Being appointed president of the new council is an honor which Morrison said fulfills a dream he has had

about educating the general public about MS and assisting victims by putting them in touch with counseling and referral resources to aid in their understanding of the disease.

In speeches he gives to community organizations, Morrison explains the disease with an analogy. "Take a coffee pot and plug one end of the cord into the wall and the other end into the pot and the coffee perks. The cord has rubberized protective coating and an electrical impulse flows along the cord. It is the same thing in the human body. The messages flow along nerves from the brain out to the parts of the body. When the protective coating of the nerves is destroyed, in patches, the message carried by the electrical impulse is interrupted and parts of the body don't work well."

MS thrives in cold, wet climates, so the incidence of disease occurrence should decrease in those areas closer to the Equator and should increase in those areas closer to the poles, according to the national society.

The incidence of MS is much higher in the Panhandle area than national statistics and research suggest it should be, Gens said. "The National Society says we should have 35 cases per 100,000 people in the Panhandle. We have 450,000 people living in the chapter area so we should have 150 people with MS. We now have over 350 people listed with us and we feel that another 150 are unlisted," she said.

Currently, researchers are studying the genetic incidence of the disease among certain ethnic groups and eyeing the possibility that susceptibility, or genetic incidence, in people in the Panhandle region could be a result of the high degree of northern European lineage.

MS is not considered hereditary, but it does run in families, and it is not a contagious disease, though it

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Field-fresh corn

Al Dziuk enjoys popcorn-on-the-cob straight from his field near Hereford. Dziuk is marketing his popcorn-on-the-cob in the area.

Fun breakfast is Thursday

Hereford's annual "Eat Your Heart Out Nieman-Marcus" Fun Breakfast will be held Thursday at 6:30 a.m. at the Hereford Community Center.

Deaf Smith Chamber of Commerce Fun Breakfast co-chairmen John Stagner and Charlie Bell said the fun breakfast will be hosted by local merchants participating in the "Live for Free in December" giveaway currently underway. The opportunity to have bills paid for December will go to some lucky person, and, during the breakfast, persons in attendance will have a chance to be among

the finalists.

Every person in attendance will receive a special Christmas present, and there will be other giveaways, special music presentations, and a very special guest for the breakfast interview.

The highlight, however, will be the bestowing of the coveted "Honorary Bull Chip Award" to some very deserving person.

Several Hereford merchants will also have gifts on display available at local stores.

Reservations may be made by calling the Chamber office at 364-3333. Reservations should be made by 5 p.m. Wednesday.

AIDS meet is Tuesday

A "town hall" meeting on AIDS, presented by the Texas Department of Health, will be held Tuesday at 7 p.m. at the Hereford Community Center.

"We want to inform the public of the real risks of this deadly disease," said David Hoehns, AIDS Control Program Manager for TDH. "We will have a 22 minute film, 'What Everyone Should Know About AIDS,' and a 30 minute slide presentation."

"After these, the public is invited to ask questions or make comment. I will be available after the meeting for questions anyone wants to ask in

a less-public manner.

"We want to provide honest information about a sensitive yet vital issue. At the same time, we need not offend anyone there. Children are encouraged to attend, but I suggest parents bring their younger children instead of sending the children under 10 may not understand all of the program, but might be frightened without parental guidance."

AIDS is a deadly, costly disease. There have been over 42,000 cases reported so far in the U.S., and that number is expected to skyrocket. The cost is alarmingly high—the U.S. will probably spend \$16 billion in public money over the next five years in research, treatment and care.

At the meeting, TDH officials will have easily-understood handout material, including fact sheets about the AIDS epidemic; the safety of the nation's blood supply; the response many teens have to AIDS; the effect of AIDS among different sexes and races; and TDH programs.

The public is urged to attend. There is no charge for admission.

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Local Roundup

Foster children party planned

The Golden Spread Foster Parents Association, including foster homes in Deaf Smith, Castro, Farmer and Oldham counties, is planning its annual Christmas party for area foster children.

Donations to the association will help buy clothing and stocking stuffers for the children.

Persons wishing to make donations may donate funds to the association at the Hereford State Bank, or by calling Charlene Connally in Hereford at 364-3936 or Christine Acker in Nazareth at 945-2683.

The party will be held Dec. 6 at 1 p.m. at the Hereford Community Center.

Lions plan bean supper

The Hereford Lions Club's annual Bean Supper will be held Thursday from 5:30 to 7:30 p.m. at the Hereford High School cafeteria.

Tickets, available from any Lions Club member, are \$3 per person, and all proceeds will go to the Girlstown Coat and Shoe Fund. The fund is used to buy clothing for Girlstown residents.

Realtors meet Tuesday

The Hereford Association of Realtors will hold its annual officer installation banquet Tuesday at 7 p.m. at the Hereford Country Club. Kenneth Wyatt of Tulsa will be the featured speaker. Tickets are \$10 each and available from any Hereford Realtor.

Police arrest three

Three persons were arrested Friday by Hereford police, who also investigated two accidents and issued nine citations.

The arrests included a man, 32, in the 700 block of Miles for driving while intoxicated, evading arrest, resisting arrest and no liability insurance; a man, 17, at Park and Oak on a city warrant for no liability insurance; and a man, 19, in the 200 block of Kibbe for terroristic threat, disorderly conduct, assault and possession of drug paraphernalia.

Other reports included an incident with a mental subject in the 200 block of Ave. E; \$700 damage to a vehicle in a criminal mischief incident in the 100 block of Ave. C; burglary of a residence in the 800 block of Brevard; and a domestic dispute in the 300 block of Ave. F.

Fair forecast

Sunday should be fair and cool, with a high of 48. Winds will be light from the south.

Saturday's low at KPAN was 18 after a high Friday of 40.

Tree Lighting Set

The public is invited to the Women's Division's annual Christmas Tree Lighting Ceremony at 6:30 p.m. Monday, Dec. 7, on the Deaf Smith County Courthouse lawn.

Santa will be paying a visit and entertainment will be presented. Betty Drake is this year's chairman and committee members assisting are Joann Hill, Juanita Phillips, Janice Carr and Barbara Yavornik.

CSF volunteers face busy time in December

Volunteers administering the Christmas Stocking Fund in Hereford are looking forward to some busy times in the weeks ahead as they conduct the program that spreads holiday cheer to some of the community's less fortunate residents.

A CSF spokesman points out volunteers become the action arm that puts into motion the caring and sharing of Hereford during the holidays.

Volunteers who administer CSF do the legwork of arranging and delivering assistance to Hereford's needy. They often have touching experiences that bring home the importance of helping the community's less fortunate.

A CSF volunteer recalls making a Christmas Eve delivery to a particularly needy family last year. The caring of Hereford was represented in a Yule gift of five brimming boxfuls of groceries, which required the volunteer several trips to bring into the family's home.

Says the volunteer: "The mother kept thanking me for the help from CSF as I brought in the first box. By the third trip she was weeping openly—bursting into sobs with each succeeding boxful. It wasn't sad crying, though.—They were tears of joy, relief and gratitude that her small, hungry children were remembered, and would have some part of the joy of Christmas. All the tiredness from hours of work in preparing food boxes faded away. I felt genuinely blessed to be a part of CSF, and I want the folks of Hereford to know their caring blesses both the givers and those who receive."

Another CSF volunteer recalls a similar experience. The volunteer says he was painfully aware of the need within the home to which he was making a delivery as he skirted around several small children, loaded down with boxes of food, and purchase orders for coats and blankets for the kids. A collection of toys from the local Red Cross office completed the delivery.



The volunteer recalls the magic of that very special delivery.

As he finished unloading and turned to leave, the smallest of the children in the house ran up to the volunteer, gave him a big hug, and shouted, "Thank you, Santa Claus!"

Hereford's Christmas Stocking Fund is accepting donations now that will help to make the holiday season brighter for some of Hereford's needy this year.

Applications for assistance from CSF continue through Friday, Dec. 4 and should be made in person at the county Red Cross office, 224 S. Main. Proof of county residence is required of applicants.

CSF is a non-profit charity, not affiliated with any other organization. Fifteen anonymous individuals from a broad cross-section of the community administer the program. The Red Cross provides office space and accepts applications for assistance from CSF.

Tax-deductible cash contributions to CSF may be made at the offices of The Hereford Brand, 313 North Lee, or mailed to CSF, care of The Brand, Box 673, Hereford.

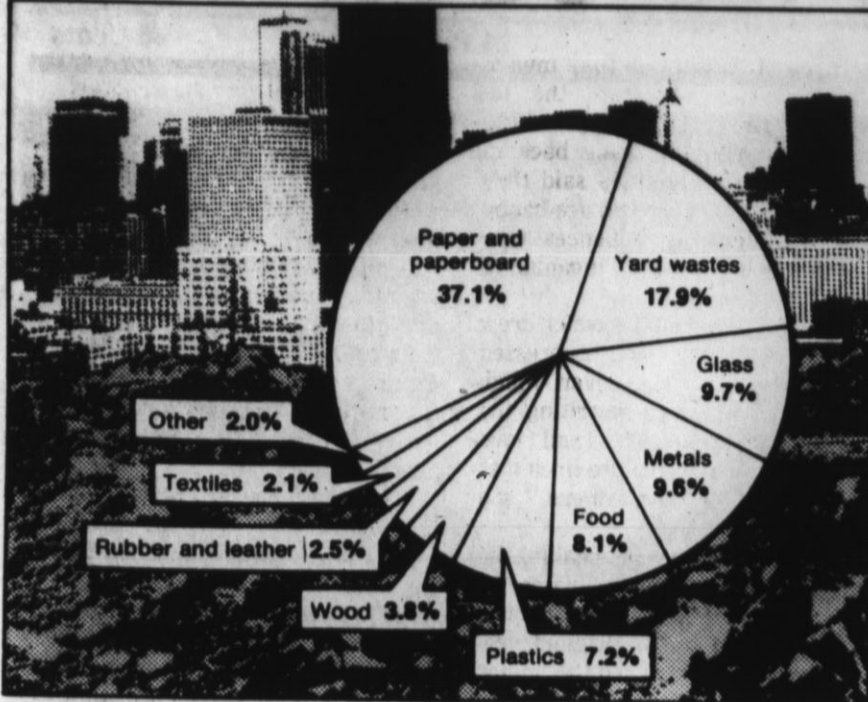
The Brand serves as collection agent for CSF and publishes listings of contributors. Donors wishing to remain anonymous should so designate their donations at the time they're made.

In the first listing of contributors Wednesday, there was a typographical error. The Hereford Lions Club gave \$200, not \$25 as listed.

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What We Throw Away

Percent of all garbage thrown into municipal waste systems in 1984



Source: Franklin Associates

NEA GRAPHIC

Americans throw away more than 140 million tons of garbage a year and most of it goes into landfills. Paper is the largest single component of America's trash, followed by yard waste.

MS

may be caused by the body's reaction to a virus in childhood, according to Gens.

Morrison, who is available for program presentations, said that everywhere he goes he is asked, "What is MS?", and adds that the Community Council will give him the opportunity to address that question and others.

As county president, Morrison has the responsibility of developing a

basic National MS Society program in Hereford. To fulfill this responsibility he will recruit volunteers to work with him in the program. Though the job ahead of him will involve many hours of labor, Morrison is undaunted.

"Fatigue," he said, "is my biggest problem because my symptoms require two to three hours of rest a day, but then watch out, I'm ready to go."

Report says TDC better

AUSTIN (AP) — The Texas Department of Corrections has reduced murders and assaults by isolating its most dangerous convicts, a report by a national prisons expert says.

Dr. James Austin of the National Council on Crime and Delinquency said Monday the "classification" system, or housing scheme at TDC, in which inmates are assigned living quarters based on sophisticated criteria, has ended the gang warfare in which 52 inmates were killed during 1984 and 1985.

Austin said the inmates remain fearful for their safety, though, and many of the newly hired security officers are reluctant to patrol some areas of the prisons.

The results of a survey Austin conducted on the TDC's housing plant for the court-appointed special master overseeing the prison system's operations concluded that "TDC is doing an excellent job of monitoring" inmate cell or dormitory assignments.

With about 2,000 inmates housed alone, Austin said his investigation revealed that "no doubled celled inmates were plainly too assaultive or too vulnerable to be housed in a double cell."

He also concluded that "homicide, suicide and escape rates within TDC are similar or lower than comparable state prison systems."

Five homicides have been reported at TDC this year, compared with 24 in 1984 and 27 in 1985. Non-fatal stabbings have dropped from 404 in 1984 to 58 this year.

Austin's report shows that TDC has been transformed from the days when inmates known as "building tenders" ruled the cellblocks, according to Assistant Attorney General Scott McCown.

"We have locked up the violent prisoners and . . . increased the security staff so that we have taken back control of the prison from the vacuum that was created when the building-tender system was dismantled," McCown said.

Prison gangs seized control of Texas' 26 prison units after TDC officials agreed in a federal court lawsuit to stop allowing building tenders to mete punishment and exercise authority over other inmates. Officials now say they lacked the security staff to fill the void left by the building tenders.

"When you changed from a prisoner-controlled system to a staff-controlled system, you were basically building a prison from the ground up," McCown said. "What Austin's report says is they got the job done."

But Austin found that inmates and guards still are unsure of the new system.

"Inmates remain ambivalent over the relatively recent shift from the building-tender system to the new system of correctional officers being responsible for maintaining control over the inmate population," Austin said.

William Bennett Turner, an attorney who represents the inmates in the prison reform lawsuit filed in the court of U.S. District Judge William Wayne Justice, said Monday he disagreed with Austin's conclusions but wanted to review the report with him before criticizing the study.

"There are some obvious things in there that (make) you scratch your head when you look at them," Turner said.

Turner questioned whether the rate of violence at TDC is substantially below other large prison systems.

"The figures (Austin) cites don't support it," Turner said.

An AP News Analysis By TERENCE HUNT

AP White House Correspondent

WASHINGTON (AP) — One of the most intriguing mysteries in Washington is whether President Reagan would grant pardons to former aides for their roles in the Iran-Contra affair.

Would he allow people he has praised as honorable men and heroes to go to jail? Or would he risk a public uproar and a potential backlash against Republican candidates by granting pardons?

It's a premature question, since no one's even been indicted, but it's being asked frequently at the White House these days.

Gerald Ford, as one of his first acts as president, pardoned Richard Nixon for any wrongdoing in the Watergate scandal. It was a highly unpopular act that analysts believed contributed to Ford's defeat by Jimmy Carter.

Now the pardon issue looms for Reagan as independent counsel Lawrence E. Walsh conducts a

criminal investigation of former White House aides John M. Poindexter and Oliver L. North for their roles in the secret sale of U.S. weapons to Iran and the diversion of arms sale profits to the Nicaraguan Contras.

True, Reagan will never have to stand for election again, so he doesn't have to worry about the political impact. But his loyal vice president, George Bush, sure might be affected, along with other GOP candidates, as well.

So what would Reagan do? There are scattered clues, a lot of guessing and rumors but no clear answers. And Reagan, himself, isn't talking.

"This is a subject I have not and will not discuss at this time," Reagan said Monday. Not that reporters didn't try to get an answer. Four times the question was put to Reagan. And four times he ducked.

It's entirely possible that Reagan, himself, is not sure what he would do.

Stephen Hess, a political analyst at the Brookings Institution, says he

thinks the public believes Reagan would pardon North and Poindexter if necessary. However, he believes Reagan isn't saying anything now because it's wiser to wait and see what happens.

Reagan does seem sympathetic to North and Poindexter. He said last month he does not think they have broken any laws. And, after Congress completed its hearings into the episode, Reagan went on national television and said North and Poindexter "believed they were doing what I would've wanted done."

He said he was "mad as a hornet" about the damage to his administration but he didn't say he was angry with the former aides.

As the Iran-Contra report from Congress noted last week, Reagan has never condemned his aides for lying, shredding documents or participating in a cover-up.

However, Reagan offered a dim view of that report Monday, saying,

"Maybe they labored and brought forth a mouse."

The New York Times reported Monday there was "a hot, widely discussed, wholly unconfirmed report" that Reagan would issue pardons on Thanksgiving, when he will be at his mountaintop ranch in California.

However, Newsweek magazine said Nancy Reagan was "adamantly opposed" to pardoning North and Poindexter.

Newsweek, quoting sources it did not name, said Reagan was ambivalent but that the first lady "is known to blame Poindexter and North for the scandal which she feels has crippled the last two years of the Reagan presidency."

White House spokesman Marlin Fitzwater dismissed the stories as a "media phenomenon" and said, "I don't want to lend any credence at all to these media rumors. It just lends credence to idle speculation and ill-founded rumors."

Reagan preps for summit

WASHINGTON (AP) — President Reagan's meeting with Soviet leader Mikhail Gorbachev may bolster his battered image or help win him a place in history as a peacemaker. But those around him say that's not what matters most to him.

Reagan, they say, is motivated instead by a genuine desire to reduce the threat posed by the vast nuclear arsenals of the United States and the Soviet Union.

Even so, he remains willing to "walk away from" an unsatisfactory treaty to eliminate intermediate-range nuclear forces (INF), says White House Chief of Staff Howard H. Baker Jr.

Those around Reagan are stressing that he has already demonstrated he'll stick to his guns when it comes to pursuing peace.

The president, they point out, didn't renounce his own peace plan for Central America when Costa Rican President Oscar Arias Sanchez, who had crafted a rival peace proposal, won the Nobel Peace Prize.

Instead, Reagan stuck to the plan he put forth with House Speaker Jim Wright, D-Texas, which puts tougher demands on the leftist Sandinista government of Nicaragua and seeks to curb or eliminate Soviet influence in the region.

Nor did Reagan accept Mikhail

Gorbachev's demand for a sharp restriction on the Star Wars program to make a historic deal last year to slash strategic missiles by 50 percent. Rather, he held fast to his pledge to continue work on his prized Strategic Defense Initiative.

Yet there is no denying that the Reagan presidency needs the boost a successful summit would provide. The last year has been a succession of heavy blows — the loss of Reagan's power base in the Senate, the Iran-Contra affair, the stock market crash and the humiliating collapse of two Supreme Court nominations.

Presidential spokesman Marlin Fitzwater, bombarded by questions when the congressional Iran-Contra report was released, suggested the way the history books read on the Reagan years is not a major concern.

"The president commented the other day about history, that he's not looking to history. He's looking to do the best job he can for the remainder of his term, period," Fitzwater said.

A few days later, talking of the prospective arms treaty, the spokesman told reporters: "The president starts from the position that nuclear weapons are something that should be outlawed, they should be reduced, eliminated, . . . that is a process that

is a moral imperative."

This might explain why Reagan, who has built a career on baiting the "evil empire" is now pushing so hard for agreement on the INF treaty.

Reagan has talked of the moral imperative of the U.S. standing behind the "freedom fighters" resisting the Sandinistas.

It was a moral imperative that sent Reagan, empty-handed, down the steps of Hoffa House in Reykjavik that icy night in October 1986 after his meeting with Gorbachev. Reagan preferred missing an opportunity to deal with the Soviets to being forced to rein in "Star Wars" research and development.

"This, we could not do," he said. Nancy Reagan is believed by some to have high hopes for an arms control pact to ensure that her husband will be remembered as a statesman.

In a speech to an Associated Press publishers' luncheon last May, she made light of reports of her interest in nuclear arms reductions, saying, "This morning, I had planned to clear up U.S.-Soviet differences on intermediate-range nuclear missiles, but I decided to clean out Ronnie's sock drawer instead."

But Reagan wasn't laughing when Republican Party presidential candidate Pat Robertson made a crack about how his wife "does not like communists" and "has never sug-

gested that I make an accommodation with the Soviet Union in order to win a Nobel Peace Prize."

While Reagan's spokesmen say his arms-control policies are driven by a desire to do what's right — to ease the nuclear threat — outsiders offer a host of possible motives and pressures.

"I think he feels unfairly labeled as a war-monger," said Peter Flaherty, head of Citizens for Reagan, a private group that lobbies for administration programs on Capitol Hill. "He wants to leave something that he feels contributes to the world peace."

Said Jack Mendelsohn, executive director of the Arms Control Association: "I think the president is a very simple, intuitive individual. I think he thinks that if it's possible to work out a deal to reduce nuclear weapons, he's for it."

Stephen Hess, a senior scholar at the liberal-oriented Brookings Institution, said, "History does reward the peace-maker. I think that all presidents, as they grow older and reach the end of their terms, have to consider their place in history."

"It's like riding on the merry-go-round and reaching for the ring," Hess said. "It comes around once every so often, and part of being a chief executive is knowing how to reach out and grab it."

Groups fighting toy weapons

WASHINGTON (AP) — Church and pacifist groups are taking up hammers, garbage bags and at least one steamroller in an international battle against Christmas sales of toy weapons.

Wielding a hammer against a toy gun, former toy shop owner Louise Franklin-Ramirez of the Gray Panthers, a group of older Americans, launched this season's campaign at a news conference Friday.

"War toys channel the imagination of children into recognizing violence as the only legitimate means of resolving conflict or dealing with frustration," Geov Parrish of the War Resisters League told a news conference.

"They teach children to divide the world into armed camps of 'us' and

them."

Representatives of Stop War Toys said this year's efforts against the toys would include activities in several states in addition to Australia, Britain, Canada, Hong Kong and Yugoslavia.

Demonstrations against toy manufacturers were planned today in Pawtucket, R.I., and Los Angeles.

The activist group Alliance for Survival intended to use a rented steamroller against a pile of toy guns, collecting them at the Federal Building in West Los Angeles.

Joanne Sheenan, Stop War Toys co-founder, said she planned to demonstrate against Hasbro Inc. in Pawtucket, makers of a popular toy, "GI Joe," and others called "Air Raiders" and "Battle Beasts."

Obituaries

J.V. PICKENS
Nov. 28, 1987
J.V. Pickens, 95, died at 1 a.m. Saturday in Golden Plains Care Center of Hereford. A longtime farmer, he moved to Deaf Smith County in 1943.



Services are set for 2 p.m. Monday in the First Baptist Church with Dr. Ron Cook, pastor, officiating. Burial will be in Westlawn Memorial Park under direction of Gilliland-Watson Funeral Home.

Mr. Pickens was born Oct. 29, 1892, in Wolfe City, Tex. He married Lora Self on Nov. 15, 1916, in Hugo, Okla. His wife preceded him in death in 1982. A longtime farmer and Baptist, Mr. Pickens was a member of the Senior Citizens Association and the Golden K Kiwanis Club.

Survivors include two sons, Jack of Grapevine and Richard of Hereford; four daughters, Joan Yarbro and Ruth Newsom of Hereford, Betty Sue Paetzold of Lake Tanglewood, Amarillo, and Jane Wilson of Mannford, Okla.; one sister, Marie Dodson of Houston; 21 grandchildren and 20 great-grandchildren.

Grandsons will serve as pallbearers. The family requests memorial gifts to be made to the Hereford Senior Citizens Center.

Letter to the Editor

Dear editor,
I would like to take this means to express our thanks to Cecil Mabe, manager of Sirlin Stockade. Cecil helped many people in Hereford to have a nicer Thanksgiving. He invited those residents not planning for a special meal to have dinner with him at the restaurant. He and his staff prepared and served the lunch as well as many lunches for home-bound residents.

Many volunteers delivered the lunches Thursday and I would like to thank them also.

Many churches and civic groups took food baskets to families for Thanksgiving, making this holiday truly one of sharing and thanksgiving.

Sincerely,
Betty Henson

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Bush even leads Johnny Carson

WASHINGTON (AP) — If Vice President George Bush were pitted one-on-one in presidential races against Massachusetts Gov. Michael Dukakis or New York Gov. Mario Cuomo or late-night TV host Johnny Carson, guess who'd win?

Bush, Bush and Bush, according to a poll to be published by Spy magazine.

No, Spy magazine is not a trade journal for guys in bulletproof trenchcoats whose bow ties are really cameras.

It is, however, the magazine that asked real theologians whether Massachusetts Sen. Edward Kennedy would go to hell for his role at Chappaquiddick (their opinions were mixed), and learned, by writing to the Federal Bureau of Prisons, that convicted inside-traders would not be allowed to wear their toupees in the slammer.

The New York-based monthly —

described immodestly by its publisher, Tom Phillips Jr., as "the most talked-about and written-about magazine launched in the last decade" — held a news conference Monday to announce the poll results.

Some reporters seemed unfamiliar with the magazine, which frequently lampoons newspapers and magazines and carries a regular and highly critical column on The New York Times. But the magazine, at age 15 months, has a circulation of about 50,000. Some 70 percent of its readers live in New York, Phillips said.

The poll, which purported to ask "the questions that the American electorate REALLY want asked," was conducted by Penn & Schoen Associates for Spy and J&B Scotch between Oct. 30 and Nov. 5.

The results, to be published in January, were culled from telephone interviews with 800 people across the

country chosen at random. The error margin was plus or minus 3.5 percentage points.

Would Lou Harris ask how much the ideal presidential candidate should weigh? Spy would: 181 pounds was the preferred median weight, and 36 percent of respondents wanted the president to be between 170 pounds and 190 pounds.

Would George Gallup want to know whose hairstyle is more popular: Ronald Reagan's, Jimmy Carter's or Gerald Ford's? Spy would: Reagan's hairstyle was preferred by 30 percent to Carter's 22 percent, and Ford's 11 percent.

Furthermore, Spy found that the ideal candidate should be male, between 50 years and 64 years old and a little over 6 feet tall.

Matching Bush against Dukakis, the poll found the vice president won, 50 percent to 30 percent. Bush had a little more trouble against Cuomo: 46

percent to 35 percent, but he walked all over Carson, 63 percent to 15 percent.

The poll also asked that if President Reagan's transition is an inspiration to others, who else in Hollywood has a shot at being elected to high office?

Twenty-two percent voted for Charlton Heston, followed by Paul Newman, 16 percent; Bill Cosby, 15 percent; John Forsyth, 11 percent; Jane Fonda, 9 percent; Johnny Carson, 6 percent; and Mary Tyler Moore, 1 percent.

Phillips conceded that not including Carmel, Calif., Mayor Clint Eastwood in the question was an oversight, and he theorized that MTM fared so poorly because "everybody still thinks of her as Dick Van Dyke's ditz wife."

Four percent of those polled believed an entertainer already was running for president: Paul Simon.

Entertainment

Boyle, Lichter are Squire's 'Odd Couple'

By DEBE GRAVES
Staff Writer

Viki Boyle and Kathy Lichter are living dual roles. By day Boyle is the neat homemaker and Lichter is the slob, but when the lights come up at Amarillo's Country Squire Dinner theatre the pair reverse roles as Olive Madison and Florence Ungar in the female version of Neil Simon's *The Odd Couple*.

Both women live in New York City but met each other for the first time when starring with Larry Linville in the Squire's production of *Lunch Hour*. "We met at the airport," Lichter remembers. "I had Viki paged and I was expecting to meet this tall, svelte actress, when up comes this little redhead with a husky voice and the worst case of pre-flight nerves I had ever seen."

The pair roomed together during their Amarillo stay and so one another's idiosyncrasies were not a surprise when they paired up as roomies during their return to Amarillo for *The Odd Couple*. What has come as a surprise to the two actresses is the way they have taken on certain disarming characteristics of the roles they are playing.

"I love sports trivia and just sports in general," said Boyle. "But I am not really much like the character I play; however, I have noticed I'm picking up some of her less favorable traits."

Lichter said she is getting better, but at first she had a very difficult time shedding her role as the fussy Florence when off stage. "I found myself apologizing for everything and getting really obnoxious about it," she said. "I know I drove Viki

crazy the first week." One thing Lichter admits she has in common with her character is the ability to clear her sinuses with an extremely irritating noise.

Boyle is making her 24th appearance at the Squire. A professional actress with commercial,

television and film credits, she has appeared in theaters all over the country. She describes herself as "brain dead" in the mornings and admits that, while Lichter takes the time to brew a pot of coffee each morning, she uses hot water and instant coffee, two cups at a time, to

get her juices flowing as fast as possible.

This is Lichter's third appearance at the Squire. Her other credits include performances with Richard Chamberlain, Michael J. Fox, Jane Curtin and Tom Selleck.

Besides their agreement on the im-

portance of dieting, as they munch on sandwiches and fries, the actresses agree on the amount of fun they are having by being back in Amarillo. Both actresses said they are enjoying the play and are happy with the quick way audiences have picked up on the double meaning of some lines.

In fact, it was the lines which drew Boyle to the play. "I am impressed by the smooth changeover which Neil Simon made in rewriting the play for women characters and I love getting to say all of those lines that made Oscar Madison famous," she said.

"The changes are noticeable, the women play a weekly game of Trivial Pursuit, instead of the poker game featured in the original version, but have not inured the humor of the play. Men in the audience have been laughing as much, if not more, than the women."

It is the warmth of Amarillo area

audiences which both women seek out when returning to the Panhandle. "The people here are just incredible," Lichter said. "This is such a refreshing change from the attitudes and lifestyles we live with in New York."

Boyle's Panhandle friends are unsure if it is the warmth she feels for Amarillo audiences or her fear of flying which led Squire staff to insert a plea "would someone please marry this woman so we won't have to keep flying her in?" in their current playbook.

The Odd Couple will be playing at the Squire through the holiday season and General Manager Della Ray said numerous businesses and organizations have already made reservations for their Christmas parties. Performances run Tuesday through Saturday each week, with special performances on Sunday if requested. A dance will follow the show on New Years Eve.



Odd Couple

Viki Boyle, left, in the role of lovable slob Olive Madison gets revenge on her irritating roommate Florence Ungar, played by Kathy Lichter, in the female

version of *The Odd Couple* currently playing at Amarillo's Country Squire Dinner Theatre.

By The Associated Press

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- "Heaven is a Place on Earth" Belinda Carlisle (MCA)
- "The Time of My Life" Bill Medley & Jennifer Warnes (RCA)
- "Faith" George Michael (Columbia)
- "Should've Known Better" Richard Marx (EMI-Manhattan)
- "Is This Love" Whitesnake (Geffen)
- "Shake Your Love" Debbie Gibson (Atlantic)
- "We'll Be Together" Sting (A&M)

TOP LP'S

- "Dirty Dancing" Soundtrack (RCA)—Platinum (More than 1 million units sold.)
- "Bad" Michael Jackson (Epic)—Platinum
- "Whitesnake" Whitesnake (Geffen)—Platinum
- "A Momentary Lapse of Reason" Pink Floyd (Columbia)—Platinum

Top Releases

- "Tunnel of Love" Bruce Springsteen (Columbia)
- "The Lonesome Jubilee" John Cougar Mellencamp (Mercury)—Platinum
- "Hysteria" Def Leppard (Mercury)—Platinum

COUNTRY SINGLES

- "Somebody Lied" Ricky Van Shelton (Columbia)
- "The Last One To Know" Reba McEntire (MCA)
- "One For The Money" T.G. Sheppard (Columbia)
- "She Couldn't Love Me Anymore" T. Graham Brown (Capitol)
- "Do Ya" K.T. Oslin (RCA)
- "Those Memories Of You" Dolly Parton, Linda Ronstadt and Emmy Lou Harris (Warner Bros.)
- "Somewhere Tonight" Highway 101 (Warner Bros.)
- "Rough And Rowdy Days" Waylon Jennings (MCA)
- "I Prefer The Moonlight" Kenny Rogers (RCA)
- "Gotta Get Away" Sweethearts of the Rodeo (Columbia)

ADULT CONTEMPORARY SINGLES

- "That's What Love Is All About" Michael Bolton (Columbia)
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Accountability

When Hereford citizens found no recourse in dealing with the Amarillo newspaper recently, it pointed out a problem the public has perceived with the major national papers and television networks.

National polls have shown that far too many Americans have come to distrust or hate the media, and some have called the press "anti-American" or "anti-establishment." The latter terms probably came from the media's coverage of the Vietnam war, "leaks" from high government sources that endangered our national security, and attacks on institutions.

A noted pollster and analyst, Daniel Yankelovich, may have put his finger on the core of the problem a couple of years ago with this comment: "The press is hiding behind the First Amendment in order to do nothing to curb the chip on its shoulder and its smart-ass attitude."

Then he made an interesting analogy: "The telephone company realized early that it has a monopoly position and so should be very nice because people had no recourse in dealing with it. And that breeds rage."

Ma Bell had a slogan: "We may be the only phone company in town, but we try not to act like it." Unlike the phone company, added the pollster, the press has not learned to be accountable.

Much of the public's argument with the media, we believe, has resulted from the rise in 'adversarial' reporting. Mostly trained by liberal intellectuals with no journalistic experience, many young reporters are coming out of college these days with the idea that their job is to be adversaries. They are more interested in lecturing society on its evils than they are in reporting the news.

Telling the news is an exacting process that is based on accurate information. It is supposed to be a craft, not an art form. Personal opinions and lectures should be confined to editorial columns, not interweaved into a news report.

If those of us in the news business want the public's trust, we've got to prove it to our readers and listeners. We've got to play it straight and open and tell them what we're doing and why we're doing it. We've got to stop defending the indefensible; we've got to acknowledge our mistakes and correct them as best we can.

We need to explain that most of us are trying very hard to get it right, but sometimes we do get it wrong... because of deadline pressures, because of human failings, because of reasons sometimes beyond our control. We should point out that the percentage of disorganized individuals, incompetents and reprobates is no higher or lower among journalists than it is among other segments of society.

Finally, we've got to expose ourselves to the same kind of scrutiny to which we expose everybody else in public life. Then the public will understand why we want them to help us protect freedom of the press, and respond to our claims that we are servants of the public interests.

Then, they will know that we may be the only newspaper in town, but we are trying very hard not to act like it.

Guest Editorials

The Right Requirement

Stay tuned for consternation: The State Board of Education has decided Texas high school seniors of 1992 will have to write an acceptable composition in order to graduate. There will be wailing and moaning about this, but the only valid question is, how have they gotten away without doing so before now?

Psychologists and linguists agree that anyone who cannot express a concept lucidly almost certainly does not understand it himself. Thus, writing a composition is evidence of far more than a comprehension of grammar, spelling and punctuation. It is a litmus test of the ability to reason, to organize ideas, and sometimes even to persuade. Shouldn't we expect these attributes in Texans who receive high school diplomas?

— The Houston Post

Invitation to Gorbachev

The flap over the "invitation" for Soviet Secretary General Gorbachev to become the first Communist leader to address Congress says something about those who make the rules in Washington.

The arguments for and against Mr. Gorbachev speaking in what some consider a somewhat sacrosanct forum miss the point.

First, the Halls of Congress aren't all that sacrosanct. Secondly, Mr. Gorbachev, although head of one of the world's most oppressive regimes, isn't your ordinary Communist. And third, if there could be a tradeoff whereby President Reagan addresses the Supreme Soviet, then there could have been a plus factor involved.

... We seriously doubt that what the Soviet leader might have said would change very many minds. ...

On the other hand, it would have afforded millions a chance to see a master politician at work and would have showed the Soviet people that we feel so confident about ourselves and our system of government that we can tolerate diverse voices.

— Lubbock Avalanche-Journal

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Viewpoint

Bootleg Philosopher

(Editor's note: The Bootleg Philosopher on his Johnsgrass farm on Tierra Blanca Creek discusses money this week.

Dear editor:

Money seemed to have lost all meaning when professional football players started getting a million dollars a year for working six months a year, but the meaning of money disappeared into the stratosphere when a painting recently sold for \$53 million.

That's right. A picture of some irises painted in 1889 was sold at auction for \$53 million. The picture, according to the article I read, measures 28 by 32 inches, which makes it cost about \$59,000 a square inch, which is far higher than the price of land near a booming city before the boom played out and the developers went broke.

Up to the sale of that picture, I thought the record was established a few years ago when somebody bought a Bible printed in 1455 by a man named Gutenberg. The buyer paid \$5 million for it.

I figured that to pay that much for a Bible a man must be in need of a mighty lot of salvation.

Back to that picture. It was painted by a man named Van Gogh, who at the time was confined in an insane asylum.

The man who paid \$53 million for it was unidentified and did his bidding over the telephone.

Makes you wonder where he was telephoning from.

Yours faithfully,
J.A.

Creative Insights

CONTENTMENT
By Gary L. Christensen

"Covetousness consists of two elements: 1. An unreasonable desire after the things which we have not; and 2. A dissatisfaction with the things which we have."

—William M. Anderson, Sr., Dallas Morning News, March 13, 1921.

TODAY'S INSIGHT: If that is what covetousness is, then the opposite, contentment would include at least these two elements: 1. A reasonable desire after the things which we have not; and 2. A satisfaction with the things that we have.

We might expand this analysis of contentment, according to the opposite of what Anderson wrote about covetousness, to say that contentment includes these basic elements: 1. A reasonable desire after the things which we have not, acting in all honesty and integrity towards our fellowmen; and 2. A satisfaction with the material things that we have, but not to the point that we become lazy or slothful in the things that matter most, the spiritual things and our relationships with our fellowmen.

Anderson added, "The Tenth Commandment forbids all discontent with our own estates, envying or grieving at the good of our neighbor, all improper desires and affections to anything that is his."

And Charles Steilze wrote, "There's a difference between being content and being satisfied. Satisfaction is derived from the Latin words, 'satis' and 'facio,' which mean making or having enough. Contentment is from the Latin 'contineo,' which means to contain, or to hold one's self together."

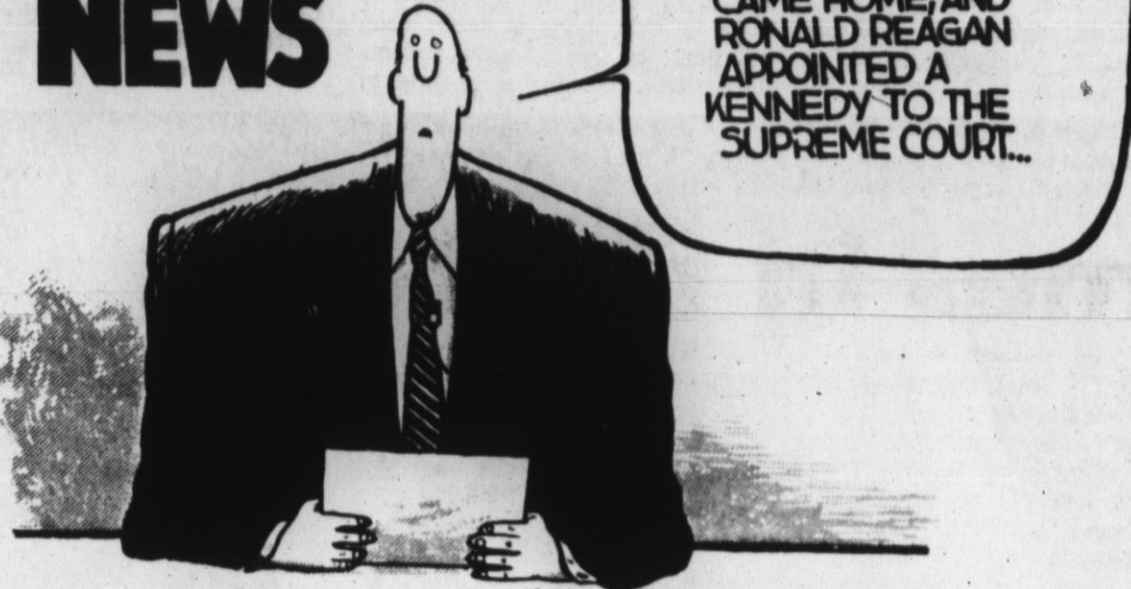
"Contentment lies in one's self. Satisfaction is obtained from objects outside of one's self. Contentment means the enjoyment of what one has, but it does not imply that one has reached the ideal. It is not indifference or laziness. It does not demoralize character or hinder noble aspirations or brave endeavor after improvement. It does mean, however, that one is self-contained—the master of one's self." (Dallas Morning News, April 16, 1922.)



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NEWS



HELL FROZE OVER TODAY, THE COWS CAME HOME, AND RONALD REAGAN APPOINTED A KENNEDY TO THE SUPREME COURT...

Doug Manning

The Penultimate Word

FREEDOM OF THE PRESS: A MODEL

The only way to effect change is to have a model. We can talk ourselves blue in the face and get nowhere, but one good model can do wonders.

This is what we face in trying to explain what we feel and what we want from the Amarillo newspapers. After the rally the other night I came home with all kinds of mixed emotions. On the one hand I do not want to control the news. On the other hand it is easy for the paper to make this accusation. News people can hide behind the first amendment with great piety. The sacred freedom of the press can cover everything from poor reporting to slanted stories. The more we try to explain the more we will be accused.

I decided we needed a more positive approach. Maybe what we need to do is show them a model of what we think is the right way. We happen to have a fine model right here in Hereford. Old Speedy may blush at this but, by golly, he comes very close to doing it right.

Speedy sometimes must print stuff I wish he did not have to print. Sometimes he and I are on opposite sides of an issue and, of course, he is on the wrong side when this happens. Speedy could have run the series of articles that caused the controversy and, while we would not have liked the articles, we would not have reacted in the same way. We would not have reacted

because the Hereford Hedge has a strong base of solid public relations to stand upon.

Speedy is a part of our community. If something is going on he is there. He sees his job as more than just pointing out the problems, he seeks to be a part of the solution.

Speedy is a champion of needy causes. When we are trying to meet our United Way goal he not only gives coverage, he grabs some cards and makes calls. He is a major force behind the Christmas Stocking Fund.

The thing I admire the most about Speedy is he tells it like it is. He does not put the best face on every issue. That is poor politics but it is responsible journalism. Speedy is honest. That is the first requirement for a free press.

This is Thanksgiving. I am grateful for the freedom of the press as it is modeled for us by Speedy Nieman and the Hereford Hedge.

By the way, the fact that Speedy just called and told me he was sending me to cover the Super Bowl with all expenses paid has nothing to do with this article. The timing is strictly coincidental.

Warm Fuzzies,
Doug Manning

Guest Editorial from Amarillo Daily News

Reporting 'negative' news

"If there is one thing we ought to be careful about, it is in regard to interfering with the liberty of the press... I think it is a great deal better to err a little bit on the side of having too much discussion and having too virulent language used by the press, rather than err on the side of having them not say what they ought to say, especially with reference to public men and measures."

— Theodore Roosevelt

It was without a bit of hesitation that the Amarillo Daily News covered last night's gathering of a group calling itself "Panhandle Citizens for a Better Amarillo Newspaper."

This was not pleasant because we were making the news, instead of just reporting it, and we perceived it as negative; the group was formed to cast the Globe-News in a bad light. But it was news nonetheless, and that's why we reported it.

The Globe-News has come under increasing pressure from some people for what they consider to be "negative reporting" and "too much investigation." They often cite coverage of the cost overruns on the West Texas State University president's home, a front page story on a recall drive against the mayor and two city commissioners, and the series on unrest in Hereford.

While this group doesn't deny that these stories are true, it says they give Amarillo and the Panhandle a bad image.

A group actively working to shield information from the public will certainly give Amarillo and the Panhan-

dle a bad image. One need only look at the stories appearing on national news shows and in other newspapers about this controversy.

What will this group blame the Globe-News for next?

A major business leaving Amarillo? The area not getting the superconducting supercollider?

The next tornado?

News, good and bad, helps people be informed so they can make better decisions. They need to be aware of both sides of any public issue so they can intelligently decide what to tell their elected or appointed representatives.

Newspapers, including this one, are not perfect. But we are willing to listen to our critics, as well as our supporters, and to share the thoughts of both with our readers.

We appreciate feedback. No company — or public official or public institution, for that matter — can improve itself if it doesn't listen to criticism.

That's why we plan to establish a forum whereby our editors will meet regularly with a group of Panhandle residents to seek suggestions.

It's also why we will begin a reader representative feature, whereby a person independent of our management will answer reader complaints openly and honestly in the newspaper.

We can only hope others who have been the target of "negative" reporting will see fit to handle their critics in a similarly positive manner.

Smart stands out in Designing Women

LOS ANGELES (AP) — Jean Smart, one of the four women starring in "Designing Women," is the only one faking a Southern accent.

The series, which also stars Delta Burke, Dixie Carter and Annie Potts, is about four women who run an interior decorating business in Atlanta. Smart is the firm's secretary.

Every episode is written by Linda Bloodworth-Thomason, a friendly former Southern belle whose sense of humor packs the wallop of a mint julep.

The emphasis is on Southern, since it figures heavily in the stories and in the humor. Smart, who has a charming accent, is the only non-Southerner.

"I grew up in a Scandinavian community in Seattle," she says. "Everyone thought I was Scandinavian because I'm tall and blonde and broad-shouldered. But I'm Scottish."

During its first season last year the show was bounced around the schedule by CBS and nearly dropped. A protest led by Viewers for Quality Television saved the show and it was finally put into the Monday night schedule.

Smart says the character she portrays, Charlene Frazier, "is trusting to a fault. She's the kind of person who thinks if someone is nice to her then he must be nice."

She sees her character as an old-

fashioned woman who at the same time pays a lot of attention to fads.

"She was brought up with a strong Christian background and work ethic," Smart says. "She's more rural than the other women. The real old-fashioned values are important to her. She's star-struck by movie stars and occasionally takes a peak at the National Enquirer."

"Designing Women" began when Bloodworth-Thomason told CBS she wanted to create a show for Smart, Carter, Potts and Burke.

"She said, 'I have these four actresses, I don't know what they'll do, but I want to write for them,'" Smart says. "It nearly fell apart, however, because Burke was in an HBO series

called 'First and 10' and wasn't able to get out of her contract until the last minute.

"It takes a while to feel at home with a character, but it comes. Now I can't stop talking this way. My parents say, 'Why do you talk like that?' I picked up the accent mostly by listening to everyone else. Charlene's supposed to be from Poplar Bluff, Mo. They all thought I sounded swell."

This is the fourth series for Smart. In "For Teachers Only" she was the school gossip.

"I was the woman you love to hate," she says. "She always looked like she was dressed for a cocktail party. I called my character 'Radio

Free Brooklyn.'" She was the prison psychiatrist in Home Box Office's "Maximum Security" and a secretary in "Reggie."

Her involvement with "Designing Women" began when she did a guest spot on "Lime Street" two years ago. Bloodworth-Thomason was co-producer.

"Annie Potts and I played two sisters from Texas who steal all the diamonds," she says. "We filmed it in Amsterdam. They liked Annie and I together so much they wanted to write something else for us. And Linda was already looking for something to do with Dixie and Delta. They'd been on another series

for her, 'Filthy Rich.'"

A year ago she met actor Richard Gilliland on the set when he played Annie Potts' boyfriend.

"We got engaged at Christmas and we were married last June in Dixie's garden," she says. "My cousin's son played the bagpipe at the wedding. Richard's Scotch-Irish."

Dixie Carter's husband, Hal Holbrook, plays her boyfriend on the show and Gerald McRaney plays Delta Burke's ex-husband.

"I think Gerald knew Delta slightly before and that's why he wanted to do the show," Smart says. "Now they're going together. I think Linda wants credit for playing Cupid."

Names in the News

NEW YORK (AP) — Rock singer-actress Madonna is seeking a divorce from "bad boy" actor Sean Penn, says a report published today.

Penn's press agent, Lois Smith, confirmed that Madonna has served her husband of two years with divorce papers, said the Daily News.

"I know the tendency in these matters is to always blame him, but it really is too bad because these two people love each other," Smith said.

The report by columnist Liz Smith did not specify when or where the papers were filed.

Neither Madonna, 29, or her press agent could be reached for comment, the News said.

Penn, 27, told friends about the divorce papers on Wednesday at a New York restaurant, the newspaper said.

Madonna was said to be angry at Penn because he went four days without contacting her and then suddenly showed up expecting to share Thanksgiving dinner with her, according to the News.

The newspaper said Madonna had dinner Thursday with relatives while Penn left for Los Angeles.

The two were married Aug. 16, 1985 in Malibu, Calif. Penn earned a reputation for a bad temper by seeking fistfights with the photographers that consistently dogged the couple.

He was put on probation for decking a man he thought was trying to kiss Madonna at a nightclub, then violated that probation by hitting an extra on a movie set. Penn served 33 days of a 60-day sentence this summer in two California jails.

The two starred in one movie together, "Shanghai Surprise," which was a box-office failure.

Penn's other movies include "Fast Times at Ridgemont High" and "The Falcon and the Snowman," "At Close Range" and "Bad Boys."

Madonna's other film credits include "Desperately Seeking Susan" and "Who's That Girl?"

LOS ANGELES (AP) — Actor Bruce Willis and actress Demi Moore were married in a private ceremony in Las Vegas, Nev., last weekend, says a spokesman for Willis.

No other details about the ceremony or guests were disclosed. The couple will live in Willis' Malibu beach home, said spokesman Paul Bloch.

Willis, 32, is shooting the movie "Diehard" in Los Angeles. "Moonlighting," the ABC series in which Willis plays a wisecracking detective opposite Cybill Shepherd, resumes shooting in January.

Miss Moore, 24, starred in the movies "St. Elmo's Fire" and "About Last Night..."

NEW YORK (AP) — "Cosby Show" actor Malcolm Jamal-Warner, who plays the adopted son of a Roman Catholic priest in a made-for-TV movie, has donated \$5,000 to the building fund for the priest's church.

Jamal-Warner made the surprise presentation to the Rev. George Clements on Monday, as the two answered questions from religious

leaders about the NBC movie "The Father Clements Story," to be broadcast next month.

The movie is a dramatization of the real-life story of Clements, who is portrayed by Louis Gossett Jr.

A 1966 fire destroyed Clements' church in Chicago. Jamal-Warner donated his fee for a cameo appearance on NBC's "Matlock" to the rebuilding project.

LAS VEGAS, Nev. (AP) — It was a homecoming for entertainer Kenny Rogers, who returned to the flashy casino where he once booked talent.

Rogers is a headliner at the Golden Nugget Hotel and Casino these days, but reminisced Sunday about when he played the Glitter Gulch casino's bar, the Gold Strike Lounge, and helped book entertainment there in the mid-1970s.

"I was making \$11,000 a week in those days," he said. "But I was doing 21 shows a week, working six nights a week. And I had to pay all my own expenses, pay my band, everything."

And today? "I make that much a song now," he said with a grin. "The trick is to sing a lot of songs."

BRENTWOOD, Tenn. (AP) — Country music singer Larry Gatlin is lending his name and talents to a rally for opponents of race track gambling.

Williamson County voters will decide Dec. 8 whether to approve pari-mutuel wagering in the county.

'Cry Freedom' is major film

After seeing "The Birth of a Nation," Woodrow Wilson remarked that it was "history written by lightning."

"Cry Freedom" reaffirms President Wilson's assessment of the power of the motion picture. Richard Attenborough's film about apartheid in South Africa contains more compelling power than all the tracts, books, speeches and resolutions attacking the system of racial separation and brutality.

The scope is enormous, almost as great as Attenborough's Academy Award-winning "Gandhi," and once again presents vast crowd scenes, violent action and limitless vistas.

However with "Cry Freedom," producer-director Attenborough and his "Gandhi" screenwriter, John Briley, have judiciously focused on an intimate story against the panorama: the friendship between black activist Stephen Biko and the crusading white editor, Donald Woods.

"Cry Freedom" is based on real events as detailed by Woods in his books, "Biko" and "Asking for Trouble." Biko (Denzel Washington) is a medical student who seeks to encourage other native South Africans to take pride in their color and heritage despite the relentless

oppression of the government. Even though Biko is a peaceful activist, he is branded a "banned person," utterly without rights.

Woods (Kevin Kline), a fifth-generation South African, is intrigued by the articulate young black man and seeks to help him. But Biko is arrested by police and dies in prison under brutal interrogation. Woods seeks to uncover the truth about Biko's death and is himself hounded by the police. His only course is to try to escape with his family so he can tell the full story to the world.

"Cry Freedom" is blessed with two actors who fit the immensity of their roles. Denzel Washington ("St. Elsewhere") displays all the magnetism and inner strength expected of the charismatic Biko. The previously flamboyant Kline ("Sophie's Choice," "Silverado") captures the cerebral idealism of Woods in a performance of depth and feeling.

The film lacks the unifying factor of a single life story, as in "Gandhi." Though filled with violent action, the first half inclines toward

preachiness, and the second becomes an escape story, not unlike the Trapp family fleeing the Nazis. However, Attenborough maintains firm control of the narrative, and "Cry Freedom" is a triumph of dedication.

Penelope Wilton and Juanita Waterman offer enormous support as the wives of Biko and Woods, and the South African officialdom is portrayed with consummate evil.

The Universal release is rated PG, probably for violence. Running time: 157 minutes.

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OXFORD, Miss. (AP) — Arun Gandhi, the 53-year-old grandson of Mohandas K. Gandhi, will study race relations this coming year at the University of Mississippi.

Gandhi, who will work at the university's Center for the Study of Southern Culture, said he plans a book comparing American blacks with a segment of Hindus who have been subject to discrimination in India for thousands of years.

"We feel that there are a lot of parallels in the problems they face and the problems that the blacks in Mississippi face," he said Wednesday in a telephone interview from his daughter's home in Rochester, N.Y.

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Sports

Wheeler defeats Plains, 29-20

Vega beats O'Donnell on flea-flicker 20-15

By CHARLES RICHARDS
Associated Press Writer

When Charles Sanchez kicked a 21-yard field goal with just 54 seconds to play, O'Donnell thought it had a 15-13 victory over Vega in a Class 1A high school football regional playoff game Friday night at Sudan.

But, as Vega head coach Houston Powell noted after the game, "Anything can happen."

On the ensuing kickoff, Vega took over at its 31 and quarterback Bryan Wood completed passes of 9 and 22 yards to Dave Drinnon for a first down at the O'Donnell 38. When three straight passes fell incomplete, Vega's Longhorns faced a seemingly hopeless fourth-and-10.

But it was flea-flicker time. Drinnon took a lateral from Wood and tossed a perfect pass to his brother, Steve, who took the pass at the 5 and scampered into the end zone for a touchdown that gave Vega a 20-15 victory.

Vega has now advanced the farthest in the playoffs since 1973. The Longhorns, who held a 13-6 halftime lead, limited O'Donnell to 87 yards in the first half.

Vega's first half touchdowns were a six-yard run by Klay Waters and a 64-yard pass from Bryan Wood to Damon Tanck.

Vega had 295 yards total offense compared to 211 by O'Donnell. Wood completed seven of 12 passes for 147 yards. Waters led Vega in rushing with 41 yards in 10 carries. The Longhorns has 110 yards rushing and 185 yards passing.

In next week's quarterfinals, Vega will play Wheeler, a 29-20 victor over Plains.

The Wheeler Mustangs had 400 yards total offense, all on the ground, in defeating Plains. Grayson Benson gained 187 yards in 31 carries, Bubba

High school football region playoff scores

- By the Associated Press
- CLASS 5A REGION**
Aldine MacArthur 26, Houston Yates 17
- CLASS 4A REGION**
Canyon 42, Brownwood 22
Kilgore 49, Allen 6
West Columbia 32, Tomhall 12
Schertz Clemens 35, Gregory-Portland 17
Kerrville Tivy 35, Calallen 6
- CLASS 3A REGION**
LaVega 29, Littlefield 0
Southlake Carroll 14, Linden-Kildare 13
Gladewater 20, Springtown 6
Cameron Yoe 14, Newton 9
LaGrange 28, Hebronville 16
Cuero 50, Floresville 0
- CLASS 2A REGION**
Abernathy 33, Hamlin 9
New Deal 34, San Saba 18
Pilot Point 19, Mart 14
Eustace 21, Winona 12
Groveton 22, Kerens 7
Schulenburg 14, LaVerna 9
Refugio 42, Manor 21
- CLASS A REGION**
Wheeler 29, Plains 20
Vega 20, O'Donnell 15
Paducah 24, Throckmorton 0
Munday 28, Baird 6
Tenaha 14, Coolidge 6
Wortham 7, Maud 6
Flatonia 22, Skidmore-Tynan 0
- SIX-MAN QUARTERFINAL**
Jayton 48, Vernon Northside 0
Lohn 48, Benjamin 40
Christoval 42, Rochester 16
Wellman 58, Silverton 8
- TEXAS ASSN. PRIVATE SCHOOLS DIV. II CHAMPIONSHIP**
Ablene Christian 34, Canyon Creek 8

Smith totaled 104 yards in 22 attempts, and Shane Guest had 51 yards in five carries.

Wheeler led 15-6 at halftime. Guest rushed 17 yards for a first quarter touchdown. In the second quarter, Smith rushed three yards for a touchdown, and Lee McCasland kicked a 27-yard field goal.

Plains' first half touchdown came in the second quarter when Shame McMinn rushed from one yard out. Wheeler increased its lead to 21-6 on a two-yard touchdown run by Benson in the fourth quarter.

Plains came back to within a touchdown and PAT when McMinn scored with another one-yard run. Wheeler moved ahead by 15 points, 29-14 with a 44-yard run by Benson and a two-point conversion pass.

McMinn, who completed 16 of 26 passes for 242 yards for Plains, found Doug Green for an 11-yard touchdown pass for the Ponies' final touchdown.

Next week's spotlight 1A game will be between No. 1-ranked Munday, 12-0, and No. 2-ranked Paducah, 13-0. Munday defeated Baird 28-6 and Paducah shut out defending state runnerup Throckmorton 24-0 Friday night.

In other 1A playoff games Friday night, Tenaha beat Coolidge 14-6, Wortham edged Maud 7-6, and Flatonia knocked off previously unbeaten Skidmore-Tynan 22-0.

Only one 5A playoff game occurred Friday night. Aldine MacArthur ousted Houston Yates, 20-17.

In 4A games Friday night, West Columbia and Schertz Clemens kept their perfect seasons intact. West Columbia rolled over Tomball 32-12, and Schertz Clemens routed Gregory-Portland 35-7. Also, Canyon beat Brownwood 42-22, Kilgore embarrassed Allen 49-6, and Kerrville Tivy overpowered Calallen 35-6.

In Class 3A, the stage was set for a pair of quarterfinal games next week pairing undefeated, untied teams. Cuero and LaGrange advanced in Region IV, while Gladewater and Southlake Carroll moved up in Region II. All four teams are 13-0. Cuero popped Floresville 50-0, LaGrange beat Hebronville 28-16, Gladewater defeated Springtown 20-6, and Southlake Carroll edged previously unbeaten Linden-Kildare 42-21.

Two other perfect teams, Cameron Yoe and Newton, clashed in a 3A playoff game Friday night, with Cameron emerging a 14-9 winner. In a Thursday night game, Waco LaVerna eliminated Littlefield 29-0.

One of Class 2A's four unbeaten teams was beaten Friday. LaVerna was tumbled by Schulenburg, 14-9. But New Deal, Pilot Point and Refugio kept their records unblemished. New Deal beat San Saba 34-18, Pilot Point got by Mart 19-14, and Refugio defeated Manor 42-21.

In other 2A games Friday, it was Abernathy 33-9 over Hamlin, Eustace 21-13 over Winona, and Groveton 32-7 over Kerens.

Perennial six-man football power Jayton destroyed Vernon Northside 48-0 in a quarterfinal game Friday night. Steven Morales gained 208

yards on 13 carries and scored three touchdowns, while his brother Paul picked up 113 yards on six carries with two touchdowns. Steven scored on runs of 63, 9 and 7 yards. Paul

went 3 and 21 yards for touchdowns. Then Mark Morales took a 33-yard pass from quarterback Andrew Sumner.

In the other six-man playoff

games, Rochester, the only unbeaten, untied team, lost to Christoval 42-16; Lohn defeated Benjamin 48-40; and Wellman pulverized Silverton 58-8.

Ablene Christian won the Division II championship of the Texas Association of Private Schools on Friday night, beating Canyon Creek 34-8 to cap a 13-0 season.

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Browns-49ers battle is showcase game

By DAVE GOLDBERG
AP Football Writer

Marty Schottenheimer doesn't think his Cleveland Browns have proven anything yet. Roger Craig, who will have to carry the ball against them, thinks otherwise.

Which is what makes the Sunday night cable showcase game between the Browns and the San Francisco 49ers so intriguing.

"We are not elite," says Schottenheimer, whose team looked very elite demolishing Houston 40-7 last week.

Craig and the 49ers fit that definition — San Francisco has won two Super Bowls in the '80s.

The Browns are as close as any team to establishing itself as a dominant team in a season that's had four segments — training camp, regular season, strike, post-strike.

The 8-2 49ers, who bounced back from a loss to New Orleans to beat Tampa Bay 24-10 last week, need all the wins they can get for the home-field edge in the playoffs. They also are just a game ahead of the Saints in their division.

The Browns, 7-3, also have to look over their shoulders at Houston and Pittsburgh.

One sidelight: San Francisco's Jerry Rice has caught touchdown passes in eight straight games, three short of the league record. He goes against perhaps the league's best cover tandem, Cleveland's Hanford Dixon and Frank Minnifield.

The NFL's week began with two Thanksgiving Day games, Kansas City at Detroit and Minnesota at Dallas.

In other Sunday games, Cincinnati is at the New York Jets; Green Bay at Chicago; Houston at Indianapolis; Miami at Buffalo; New Orleans at Pittsburgh; Philadelphia at New England; St. Louis at Atlanta; Tampa Bay at the Los Angeles Rams; the New York Giants at Washington, and Denver at San Diego.

The Los Angeles Raiders visit Seattle Monday night.

Denver (6-3-1) at San Diego (8-2)

The Chargers may have been put in their place with a 34-3 drubbing by the Seahawks at the Kingdome last week. On the other hand, getting blown out in Seattle isn't uncommon and San Diego could re-establish its credentials with a win here.

The problem they face now is John Elway, who may single-handedly carry the Broncos to the playoffs. Denver has had its problems on the road but Elway has had problems almost nowhere.

Elway will go against Dan Fouts, who didn't start against Seattle because of a pulled calf muscle, then came in when the Chargers trailed 24-3.

Miami (5-5) at Buffalo (5-5)

Does this game matter? Whatever happens, in two weeks, both will probably be 6-6, along with the Patriots, Jets and Colts.

Yes, it matters, because the Bills came back from a 21-0 deficit to beat the Dolphins in Miami a month ago, so another win here gives them an edge in a tiebreaker.

The Bills are still flying from their first win over the Jets in eight tries, 17-14 last week after Jim Kelly chewed out his offensive linemen at halftime.

But the Dolphins seem to be coming, too. They've won three of their last four and unveiled a potential new star in rookie Troy Stradford, who ran for 169 yards in last week's 20-14 win in Dallas and the defense is getting better.

Los Angeles Raiders (3-7) at Seattle (7-3) (Monday night)

The Raiders have lost seven in a

row and other than the emergence of Bo Jackson in a 23-17 loss to Denver last week, there doesn't seem to be much hope that the streak will end now.

The Raiders have never won at the Kingdome in eight tries — even when they were a power and the Seahawks were an expansion team. The last two losses have been by a combined score of 70-3, including a 37-0 Monday nighter last year that sent everyone but rabid Seattle fans to bed early.

Jackson was teamed with Marcus Allen last week and contributed a stunning 35-yard touchdown run against the Broncos. But the Raiders still have nobody to throw the ball.

New Orleans (7-3) at Pittsburgh (6-4)

If the Saints had a more experienced quarterback than Bobby Hebert and a little more outside speed, they might be headed to the Super Bowl. As it is, they've won four straight, three on the road, and one more ensures them of their first winning season in 21 years of existence.

But while the city of New Orleans goes crazy, Coach Jim Mora continues to play it low-key, although he concedes that the win last Sunday that ended the New York Giants' chances of repeating as Super Bowl champion "is just about the most important win I've ever been around."

The Steelers are coming off a 30-16 win over Cincinnati, a game in which newly signed first-round draft pick Rod Woodson contributed an interception for a touchdown. But they're lucky the Saints are a running team — they surrendered 409 yards passing to Boomer Esiason.

Houston (6-4) at Indianapolis (5-5)

Both these rising teams were convincingly taken down a step last week — the Oilers 40-7 at home against Cleveland, the Colts 24-0 in New England. The loser of this one may never get back up.

Eric Dickerson, who has rushed for more than 100 yards in the three games he's seen full-time duty with the Colts, may have a heavier load

this week — his alternate, Albert Bentley, has a bruised knee.

Green Bay (3-4-1) at Chicago (8-2)

"We stink," Mike Ditka said a week ago, so the Bears finally went out and beat a team like they should, crushing Detroit 30-10. Now Ditka says: "We're going in the right direction. We may improve."

This may be a little tougher.

Chicago needed Kevin Butler's last-second 52-yard field goal to win 26-24 in Green Bay and most recent Packers-Bears games have been close and rought, notwithstanding the huge discrepancy in overall records.

New York Giants (3-7) at Washington (7-3)

This was supposed to be a big game. It's not but it could be a good one — the Giants want to win for pride; the Redskins want to win because they lost three to New York last year.

In reality, there's not much difference here except that the Redskins' strike replacements were 3-0 and the Giants' 0-3.

Doug Williams will probably start for the Redskins, and may be better with more time to get used to his receivers. Phil Simms should be back at quarterback for the Giants and Lawrence Taylor may also return.

Cincinnati (3-7) at New York Jets (5-5)

The recent games between these two have been strange, which figures

— these are two of the NFL's least predictable teams.

Last year, for example, the Bengals beat the Jets 52-21 on the final day of the series, and each finished 10-6. But the Jets went to the playoffs and the Bengals didn't.

Sam Wyche is now conceding the Bengals won't go again this year. He may not be back to get another try.

Philadelphia (4-6) at New England (5-5)

The Eagles regulars' were 4-1 until two weeks ago, when they barely lost to the Giants. No disgrace there, perhaps, but then came last week's 31-19 home loss to the Cardinals in a game in which they trailed 31-3 at halftime.

Which is making a humble man of Buddy Ryan, who believes his team is having trouble absorbing his complex defenses.

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The Patriots keep losing players — Raymond Clayborn is the latest to go out for the season with an injury. In the .500 division, it may not matter that much.

Tampa Bay (4-6) at Los Angeles Rams (3-7)

The fans who are yelling for Vinny Testaverde in Tampa Bay might look at Jim Everett as an example of the troubles a prime young quarterback can have. Even in Monday night's 30-26 win over the Redskins, Everett did less than the special teams and defense, which accounted for three of the four Los Angeles touchdowns.

In fact, the Rams' offensive load continues to fall on Charles White, which is the converse of what's happening with the Bucs — they hardly run at all.

St. Louis (4-6) at Atlanta (2-8)

St. Louis' lame birds are showing a few signs of life that may bode well for Baltimore, Phoenix, Memphis or Jacksonville next year. The Falcons are just lame birds, period — five losses in a row.

Still, the Cardinals tend to trip over games like this and the Falcons have been playing tougher lately — they stayed with the Vikings last week.

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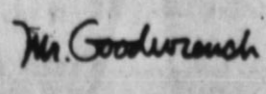
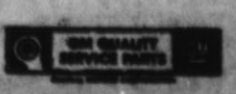
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Black quarterbacks not as rare as they used to be

Blacks in NFL call signals, but not plays

By HAL BOCK
AP Sports Writer

There was a time not so very long ago when black quarterbacks and coaches were rare specimens in football, found mostly at black colleges and almost no place else.

That has changed — at least for the quarterbacks.

Three blacks — Houston's Warren Moon, Doug Williams at Washington and Randall Cunningham with Philadelphia — will start NFL games Sunday.

Another black, Vince Evans of the Los Angeles Raiders, is a backup. Eight of the Top 20 college teams, including No. 4 Syracuse with Heisman Trophy finalist Don McPherson, have their attacks directed by blacks. No. 1 Oklahoma has three black quarterbacks on the roster.

But while some blacks now call signals, rarely do they call plays.

There are only three black head coaches in Division I-A NCAA football, Francis Peay at Northwestern, Wayne Nunnely at Nevada-Las Vegas and Cleve Bryant at Ohio University.

And no black has held a head coaching job in the NFL since Fritz Pollard doubled as player-coach of the Hammond, Ind. Pros from 1923-25, when the league was just getting started with franchises like the Rock Island Independents, the Oorang Indians, the Kenosha Maroons, the Frankford Yellow Jackets and the Duluth Kelleys.

There were few black players in

the NFL then and none at all from the mid 1930's until 1946 when running back Kenny Washington and end Woody Strode, both teammates of Jackie Robinson at UCLA, joined the Los Angeles Rams.

Their appearance made the NFL the first integrated major league, one year ahead of baseball and four years ahead of the NBA. Since then, the black player population of the NFL has steadily increased until it now accounts for approximately 55 percent of rosters.

But while baseball and basketball have had blacks in charge of teams — three have managed in baseball, four are head coaches in the NBA — Fritz Pollard remains the only one to ever function as a head coach in the NFL. And that was well over a half century ago.

Most black assistants considered head coaching prospects are taking a low profile on this simmering issue. Tony Dungy, defensive coordinator of the Pittsburgh Steelers, and long believed to be the No. 1 black head coaching prospect, simply refuses to discuss it any further.

Deacon Dan Towler, one of the pioneer black players when he broke into the league in 1950, understands the reticence.

"There are people in this country who will keep this country all white if they can and the only way that can change is through economics. If it is economically good, then it will happen. There are very few Branch

Rickeys who will open the system and give people a chance just because it is the right thing to do."

Dennis Green, one of four black assistants on Bill Walsh's San Francisco 49er staff, is an optimist. "I think it will change quickly," he said. "All of the attention focused on the issue has made people aware."

"In 1979, there were nine black assistants. Now there are 40."

Two of those are Jimmy Raye and Billie Matthews, who have a combined 33 years of college and pro coaching experience. Both lost coordinators' jobs last year when staffs were turned over in Tampa Bay and Indianapolis. Both got NFL assistant jobs — a step down the coaching ladder — elsewhere.

Despite the absence of a black head coach, the NFL is proud of the progress it has made in minority hiring. In 1980, there were 14 black assistant coaches. Now there are 41, including seven hired since the end of last season.

Attorney David Cornwell was named the NFL's director of equal employment and assistant legal counsel last summer. Commissioner Pete Rozelle said Cornwell's primary function is to broaden opportunities for minorities.

"We feel progress has been made in the minority employment area," Rozelle said, "but we recognize that our job is unfinished. We are prepared to do something about

Colts' defense prepares for unusual Oilers' plays

INDIANAPOLIS (AP) — All week the message has been the same to the Indianapolis Colts defense as it looked toward Sunday's NFL game. Coach Ron Meyer and defensive coordinator George Hill have been warning the defense to "be prepared" for the unusual.

The Oilers have employed several unusual plays on offense this year — lining up with four wide receivers on first down, snapping the ball directly to the tailback and having quarterback Warren Moon in motion.

"We have to be alert at all times," linebacker Barry Krauss said. "They will try and hide players in the huddle so we can't get the proper defensive people on the field. They will try to spread the field on us all

afternoon."

Indianapolis, tied with the other four AFC East teams at 5-5, was shut out 24-0 by the New England Patriots Sunday. The Oilers lost 40-7 to the Cleveland Browns in a showdown for first place in the AFC Central Division. Houston brings a 6-4 mark to the 1 p.m., EST, kickoff at the Hoosier Dome.

"Houston will be out to forget the Cleveland game humiliation, and I'm sure they'll play a fine game against us," Meyer said.

The game will be the two teams' second meeting this year. Indianapolis defeated Houston 17-6 in the final pre-season game, and that could provide extra motivation for the Oilers, Meyer said.

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record in three seasons. Campbell's career head coaching record was 23-48-1, which would hardly seem to fit Schramm's No. 1 criteria, "when they can win."

Many thought Grambling's Eddie Robinson would be the NFL's first black head coach. He has the credentials, including 341 career victories in 44 years, more than any coach in history — college or pro.

Robinson turned out scores of

black players who have developed into pro stars and although he has been interviewed for NFL jobs, but he's never been offered one.

He was a serious candidate for the Los Angeles Rams' job in 1978 and later with the Tampa Bay Bucs. Each time the job was given to someone else and Robinson went back to Grambling, to develop more blacks for the NFL — players, not coaches.

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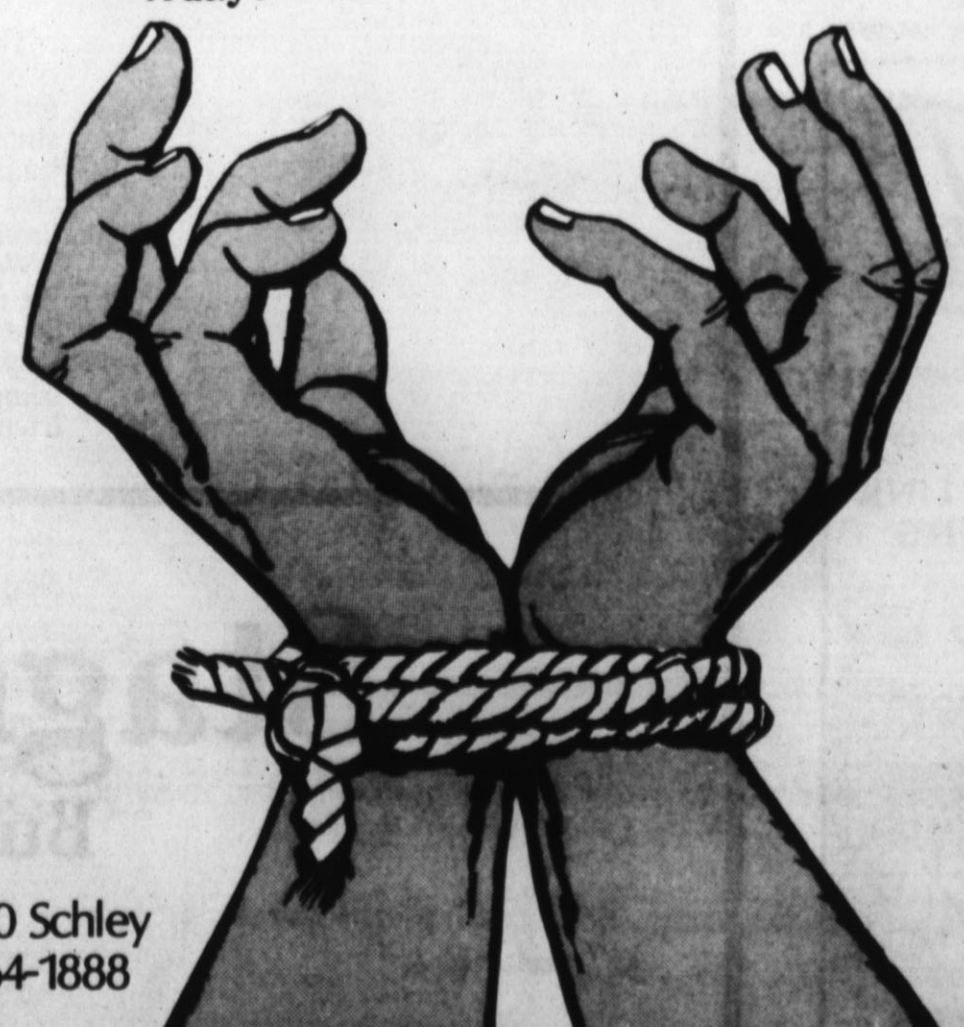


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SUNDAY

- 12:00 ● **Blat: Pleasure of His Company**
- **Cowboy Weekly**
- **Blat: King Creole *****
- **News**
- **Baseball**
- **NFL Football**
- **'Twas the Night Before Christmas (1974)**
- **Loose**
- **Auto Racing: SOCA Bonds Trans-Am Series**
- **Changing Worlds**
- **Internal Medicine Update**
- 12:30 ● **Slits Game**
- **This Week with David Brinkley**
- **Some from the Outback**
- **Turkey Zone**
- **Alshew (R)**
- **Zoo Family**
- **(MAX) The 7th Voyage of Sinbad**
- **Outdoor News Network**
- **True Adventure**
- **Orthopedic Surgery Update**
- **Sara Anacostia**
- 1:00 ● **Spencer Tracy Legacy: A Tribute (1986)**
- **Blat: Dakota LI *****
- **Blat: Road to Morocco *****
- **Regency Ann and Andy: The Great Santa Claus Caper NR**
- **Blat: A Midsummer Night's Sex Comedy *****
- **Blat: Don't Make Waves *****
- **(HBO) Ordinary Heroes**
- **American Sports Cavalcade**
- **Three from the Outback**
- **Surgery Update**
- **Church Triumphant**
- **Football Copa de Oro Atlanta vs. U.A. Tamaulipas**

- 1:30 ● **Sitting 1987 Powder 8 World Championship (T)**
- **Alvin's Adventures in Wonderland NR**
- **Ballerina Jerome Robbins: A Late Retrospective**
- **Obstetrics/Gynecology Update**
- 2:00 ● **Arms of Green Gables, Part 1 Major Follet, Colleen Dewhurst (1985) G**
- **Blat: World (T)**
- **Blat: Susan Sara, Mrs. Campbell**
- **Dinky Hooker Jane Luckhart, John Hamby**
- **(MAX) Hunted Honeywoman *****
- **(MAX) Return of Daniel Boone *****
- **College Basketball**
- **Back Rogers**
- **Pennsylvania, Italy**
- **Check It Out**
- **Performance Plus**
- **Polar People**
- **Podiatric Update**
- **Dr. S. James Kennedy**
- 4:30 ● **College Bowl '87**
- **World Championship Wrestling**
- **Sanchez of Bol Air**
- **(HBO) Airplane! *****
- **Muteworld**
- **The Life and Loves of a She Devil Julia T. Ralston, Patricia Hodge**
- **Cardiology Countdown**
- **Unhilation on an Depart**
- 5:00 ● **Danger Bay Donnelly Rhoads, Oscar Heimer G**
- **Gemma Girls and Gerishah**
- **ABC World News Sunday G**
- **Big Valley**
- **Blat: Grease *****
- **National Geographic**
- **Car 54 Where Are You?**
- **Alfred!**
- **Island Records All Stars (1987) NR**

- **Hollywood Insider**
- **(MAX) Penny Girl *****
- **Wish You Were Here**
- **Africa Best Jackson**
- **Hypertension: No. Killer in Black America**
- **Prosperity Now**
- 4:00 ● **Disney Channel Preview**
- **Blat: Return of Daniel Boone *****
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- **Supernova**
- **Therapeutic Fiber in the Treatment of Disease**
- **Jerry Falwell**
- 5:30 ● **Animals in Action**
- **Leave It To Beaver**
- **News**
- **Laugh In**
- **Songs of the Season**
- **The Twentieth Century**
- **Harpies**
- **Noticiero Univision**

- **Their Hope**
- **Blat: Les Apures de las Galeras Miguel A. Bello, Maria Antonia Manz**
- 6:30 ● **Last Frontier**
- **Smiths Brothers**
- **Inside Whosam Cap Racing**
- **Comets, Cowboys and Kings**
- **Carl Roberts**
- 7:00 ● **Family Ties**
- **Spencer: For Hire G**
- **Paper Chase John Houseman NR**
- **Twilight Zone**
- **Murder, She Wrote G**
- **NFL Football**
- **Wrestling**
- **Blat: Requiem for a Heavyweight**
- **Blat: Top Gun *****
- **Automotive Specialty Magazine**
- **Christians**
- **Buffalo Bill Johnny Coleman**
- **Physicians Journal Update**
- **Heritage Village Church**
- 7:30 ● **My Two Dads**
- **At the Movies**
- **Warmed... With Children G**
- **Hidden Heroes**
- **Yes, Prime Minister Paul Eddington, Nigel Hawthorne**
- 8:00 ● **Night Court**
- **Beyond 2000**
- **Calypsos Search for Atlanta**
- **Las Vegas: An All Star 75th Anniversary**
- **In Touch**
- **Star Search**
- **Blat: CBS Sunday Movie The Long Journey Home**
- **Tracy Ullman Show**
- **(HBO) Touch and Go *****
- **(MAX) The Morning After ****
- **Wish You Were Here**

- **Compass, Part 1**
- **The Outstanding Peggy Lee Peggy Lee, Stan Jolley, Stephen**
- **Cardiology Update**
- **Stampo on Drawings**
- 8:30 ● **Savory Hills Santa G**
- **Doit G**
- **Performance Plus**
- **Internal Medicine Update**
- **Pod Arts**
- 9:00 ● **Blat: Two of a Kind**
- **Unsolved Mysteries**
- **Manhattan Theatre (1987) G**
- **Shattered Lives**
- **News**
- **Northside and McCornick**
- **I Spy**
- **Thanks For Giving continues**
- **Blat: Down and Out in Beverly Hills *****
- **Metaworld**
- **URGENT Hour**
- **Wynon Marsalis: Catching a Snake**
- **Obstetrics/Gynecology Update**
- **Kenneth Copeland**
- 9:30 ● **Rock Alive**
- **Milwaukee in Madison**
- 10:00 ● **News**
- **Parity Towers**
- **Sports Page (L)**
- **Takes from the Barbade**
- **SportsCenter (L)**
- **Northside Theatre**
- **Brothers Beethoven**
- **(HBO) White Nights *****
- **(MAX) Streets of Gold *****
- **American Horse**
- **Disappearing World**
- **An Evening at the Improv Martin Mull, Laraine Anderson**
- **Orthopedic Surgery Update**
- **Best of Success-to-Life**

MONDAY

- 6:00 ● **News**
- **Nightly Business Report**
- **Remington Steele**
- **Cheers**
- **SportsCenter**
- **Family Ties**
- **You Can't Do That on TV**
- **Airwolf Ernest Borgnine, Jan Michael Vincent**
- **Family**
- **You Can Be a Star**
- **Spirit of Asia**
- **Monty Python (1986) NR**
- **PTL Club**
- **La Dama de Rosa Jennifer Rodriguez, Carlos Mata**
- 6:30 ● **Andy Griffith**
- 6:50 ● **M*A*S*H**
- **Detroit Black Journal**
- **Wheel of Fortune G**
- **Barney Miller**

- **Three's Company**
- **NFL Monday Night Memories**
- **Webster**
- **Double Dare**
- **(HBO) Froggie Rock G**
- **Feedings**
- **Brush Strokes Karl Heimer, Mike Pilling**
- 6:35 ● **Sanford and Son**
- 7:00 ● **Silly Frined Flicks**
- **ALF G**
- **Peter, Paul and Mary's 25th Anniversary**
- **The Ultimate Stuntman: A Tribute to Dar Robinson Chuck Norris, Surf Reynolds (1987)**
- **Father Murphy**
- **MOVIE: Somewhere in Time *** A playwright falls in love with the photograph of a 70 year old actress and writes himself back in time to meet her. Christopher Reeve, Jane Seymour (1980) PG Adult Situation, Adult Language.**

- **Frank's Place**
- **NFL Monday Night Match Up**
- **Hill of Fame**
- **Car 54 Where Are You?**
- **Riptide**
- **Lady Blue**
- **MOVIE: Eddie Park *** A pizza delivery man, a strip gram employee, and an Australian body builder share their dreams. Susan Day, Thomas Hodge (1988) R Profanity, Nudity, Adult Situation.**
- **(HBO) MOVIE: Peggy Sue Got Married *** Peggy Sue farms at her 25 year class reunion and wakes up as a teenager with the chance to change her life back in the future. Kathleen Turner, Nicolas Cage (1986) PG13 Profanity, Mature Themes.**
- **(MAX) MOVIE: Blake Edwards' That's Life *** A man goes through high anxiety at the thought of turning 50**

- **and his supportive wife has troubles of her own. Jack Lemmon, Julie Andrews (1986) PG13 Profanity, Adult Situation.**
- **Nashville Now**
- **Breakthrough**
- **MOVIE: Under Capricorn ** An unusual tale of love and revenge which focuses on a titled Irish woman married to a former convict in 1830s Australia. A Hitchcock classic. Lisa Harrow (1982) R**
- **El Pecos de Oyuki**
- 7:00 ● **MOVIE: My Favorite Year *** Writer on TV's top comedy show in 1954 is given the job of choreographing the week's guest star, screen savior, swash-buckler and off screen carouser, Alan Swann. Peter Onorati, Mark Lee Baker (1982) PG Profanity, Adult Situation.**
- 7:30 ● **Here's Boomer**
- **Valerie's Family G**
- **Kate & Alice G**
- **NFL Monday Night Magazine**
- **True Adventure**
- 8:00 ● **MOVIE: The Capture of Grizzly Adams Grizzly Adams leaves the wilderness when he discovers that his daughter is being sent to an orphanage. Dan Haggerty, Chuck Connors (1982) NR**
- **MOVIE: NBC Monday Night at the Movies Fatal Confession: A Father Dowling Mystery When a parish priest becomes convinced that the apparent suicide of a young millionaire entrepreneur is really murder, he uncovers a sinister plot. Tom Bosley, Tracy Nelson (1987) G**
- **ABC Monday Night Football G**
- **700 Club**
- **MOVIE: Hallmark Hall of Fame The Secret Garden**

- **College Basketball**
- **My Three Sons**
- **Prime Time Wrestling**
- **MOVIE: Smashing Time *** Two girls from North Britain arrive in swinging London during the height of the mod scene. Rita Tushingham, Lynne Regrave (1967) NR**
- **Heart of the Dragon**
- **Pastor's Study**
- **Songs de Gloria Inca Laper, Tere, Blanca Sanchez**
- 8:30 ● **Donna Reed**
- **MOVIE: Richard Pryor Here and Now *** The popular comedian pokes fun at everything from Africa to the American South in his meeting with Ronald Reagan, as he performs many skits. Richard Pryor (1983) R Profanity, Adult Themes.**
- **New Country**
- **TSA**
- 9:00 ● **Kingston Trio and Friends Reunion**
- **Straight Talk**
- **News**
- **Simon and Simon**
- **Laugh In**
- **(HBO) MOVIE: Legume Heat When a former detective returns to his hometown in order to rebuild his life, his instincts won't let him ignore a grisly murder. Harry Hamlin, Jason Robards (1987) NR Profanity, Nudity, Violence, Adult Situation.**
- **Cook and Chase**
- **Along Nature's Route**
- **PTL Club**
- **Noticiero Univision**
- 9:05 ● **World of Audubon: Whales!**
- 9:30 ● **Courtship of Eddie's Father**
- **Monkees**
- **Videocountry**
- **Wildlife Chronicles**

- **An Evening at the Improv**
- **MOVIE: El Hacedor de Miedo Una herencia de un millón de dolares esta custodiada por una barrera de terror. Fernando Soler, Sally Jurst (1970) PG**
- 10:00 ● **The Missing Adventures of Oz Oz and Heriot**
- **News**
- **Remington Steele**
- **Jeffersons**
- **College Basketball**
- **WKRP in Cincinnati**
- **Ann Sothorn**
- **Airwolf**
- **Cover Up**
- **(MAX) MOVIE: Something Wild ** An impromptu meeting of a conservative tax consultant and a voluptuous woman takes on a significance that turns both their worlds upside down. Jeff Daniels, Melanie Lynskey (1986) R Profanity, Nudity, Adult Themes.**
- **You Can Be a Star**
- **Noticiero Univision**
- **Vietnam: The Ten Thousand Day War**
- **Amazing Facts**
- **Portrait of America**
- 10:15 ● **Archie's Friends (1986) NR**
- 10:30 ● **MOVIE: The Blue Bird ** Two small children have a series of adventures in their quest for the Blue Bird of Happiness. Elizabeth Taylor, Ave Garder (1976) G**
- **Tonight Show**
- **Good Register Roy Orbin, Jerry Lee Lewis**
- **Hogan, P.J.**
- **Love Connection**
- **Hogan's Heroes**
- **I Spy**
- **Noticiero Univision**
- **Amazing Years of Cinema**
- **Year of Deliverance**
- 10:45 ● **MOVIE: Red Dawn *** Warrior Sons has been given extraordinary powers to aid her in her quest to avenge the murder of her family. Brigitte Nielsen, Arnold Schwarzenegger (1984) PG13**
- 11:00 ● **Entertainment Tonight**
- **Burns and Allen**
- **CBS Late Night Diamonds**
- **Wilson North Report**
- **Dragnet**
- **Rescue Road**
- **(HBO) Go Location: Spalding Gray...Towers of Passion NR Profanity, G**
- **Ben**
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- **Paul One**
- 11:30 ● **Late Night with David Letterman**
- **Profits of History**
- **Hugh Downs**
- **Best of Graceland**
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- **Three's Company**
- **Hoochie Ysteria**
- **Webster**
- **Mr. Wizard's World**
- **Feedings**
- **Buffalo Bill Johnny Coleman, Mir Wright**
- 6:35 ● **Sanford and Son**
- 7:00 ● **Palmers U.S.A.**
- **Midwest**
- **Novs (1987) G**
- **Who's the Boss? G**
- **Crossbow**
- **Geraldo Live**
- **Houston Knights G**
- **College Basketball**
- **Midwest: Lov: Scared Sex in America (1987)**
- **Car 54 Where Are You?**
- **Riptide Perry King, Joe Perry**
- **Lady Blue**
- **MOVIE: Modern Girls 14 By Day It's the nine to five grind, but at night these gorgeous girls break loose on the Los Angeles singles scene. Sophie Zang, Virginia Madsen (1986) PG13 Profanity, Adult Situation.**
- **(HBO) MOVIE: Brighton Beach Memoirs *** A 15 year old tries to discover life's mysteries while his family keeps hiding all the clues. He finds his truth in baseball, ice cream and girls. Blythe Danner, Jessica Shearman (1986) PG13 Profanity, Adult Situation.**
- **(MAX) MOVIE: Airplane II: The Sequel *** The fearful pilot hero of Airplane escapes a mental hospital to board the first commercial lunar shuttle with other members of the Airplane crew. Robert Hays, Julie Hagerty (1982) PG**
- **Nashville Now**
- **Nature of Things**
- **The Associate Martin Short, Wilford Brimley**
- **Camp Meeting USA**
- **El Pecos de Oyuki**
- 7:05 ● **NBA Basketball**
- 7:30 ● **Growing Pains G**
- **Butterfly Island**
- **Mr. Ed**
- **Pacific Outdoors**
- **The Story of Fashion**
- 8:00 ● **MOVIE: Nadia *** Drama based on the life of Romanian gymnast and the first gymnast to score a perfect 10 in Olympic competition. Talla Balarci, Joe Bonoff (1984) NR**

- **MOVIE: Espiramos en Siberia, Vida vida Un medico le hace creer a su mejor amigo que esta tan enfermo que no debe casarse. Todo por heredar una fortuna. Maurice Garret, Jaime Fabel PG**
- 8:30 ● **MOVIE: A Gathering of Eagles *** An Air Force wife is shocked by her husband's apparent criticism of the men in his command and decides to leave him. Rod Taylor, Red Taylor (1963) NR**
- 8:30 ● **MOVIE: The Gang's All Here *** A loving young man poses as a lonely soldier and consequently must choose between a rich girl and a beautiful singer. Alice Faye, Carmen Miranda (1943) NR**
- **Tonight Show**
- **MOVIE: The Pleasure *** Cardinal of the Roman Catholic Church is arrested and charged with treason in a European police state. Albi Salinas, Jack Hawkins (1955) NR**
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The laundry, kitchen and breakfast room run the full depth of the plan. The laundry room is situated

for total isolation and can serve as an extension of the kitchen, since it includes extra pantries as well as space for laundry equipment. The kitchen features an island surface unit and access to the double garage is from the spacious breakfast room. Notice the corner built-in china cabinet in the breakfast room and a bonus pantry too.

There are two bedrooms in the opposite end of the plan, a central full bath servicing same. The bedrooms have identical closet space. The basement stair also leads from this area.

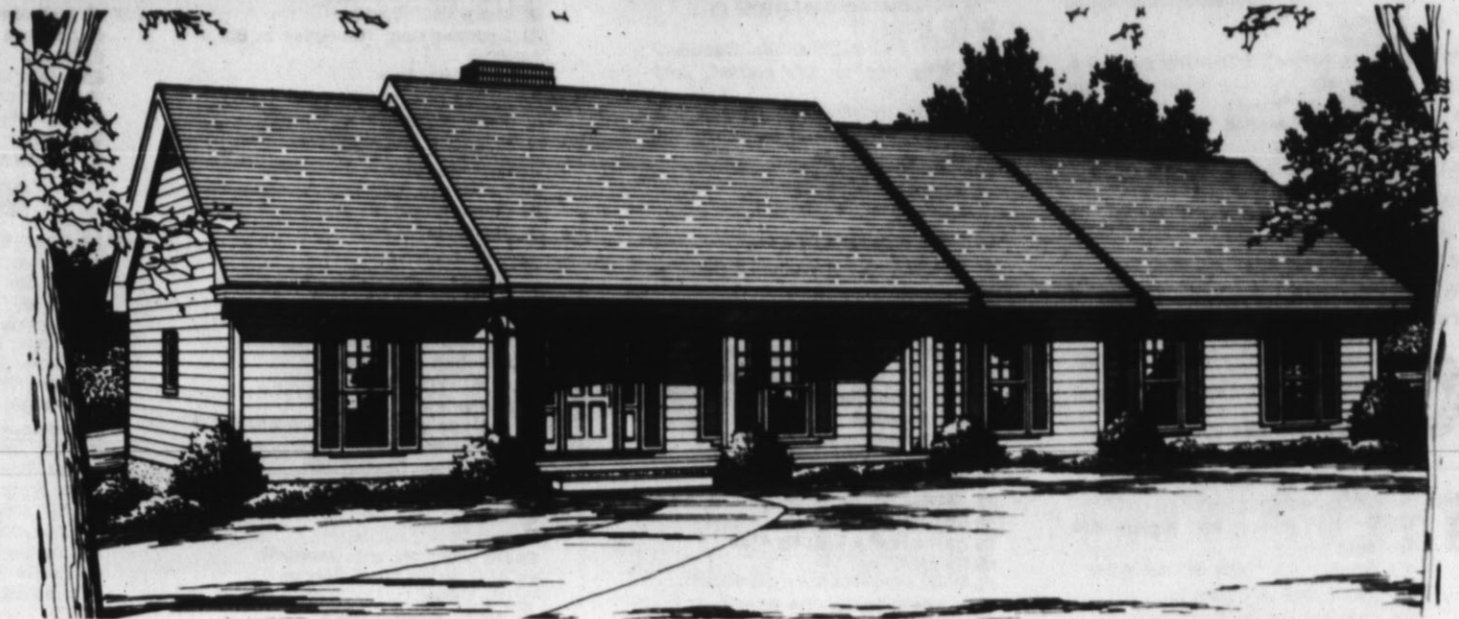
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Home of the Week



Q. — I intend to make some outdoor wooden furniture. Is there some special kind of glue that should be used, since the furniture will be kept outdoors most of the year?

A. — Yes. Use resorcinol glue. It comes in two containers. When the contents of each are mixed, the resultant glue is waterproof, which is necessary. Glues that are water-resistant may not hold up in all kinds of weather over a period of time.

Q. — My wife would like to change the color of her leather pocketbook. Can the leather be painted and, if so, what kind of paint should I use?

A. — Go to your neighborhood shoe store or cobbler and buy a kit that includes materials for coloring leather.

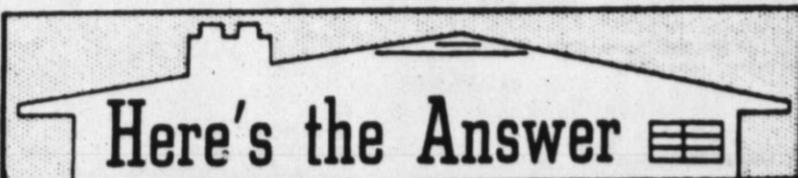
Market features furniture

By BARBARA MAYER
AP Newsfeatures

The home as a place of comfort and romance was the major theme at the national furniture market in North Carolina this October.

Style leaders among the more than 1,600 exhibitors emphasized a softening of hard edges on wood furniture, used highly figured wood veneers and burls in place of the shiny lacquer surfaces of recent years and employed more painted finishes reminiscent of country furniture. Stylistically, the new furniture is likely to combine several design themes rather than to reflect a single authentic period.

Continuing trends of the past several years, light woods such as ash and oak dominated at the market. Thomasville introduced an ivory version of a popular furniture group and Drexel's new 80-piece (See MARKET, Page 12A)



Here's the Answer

Q. — We have been getting lower and lower water pressure in our 100-year-old house over the years. A plumber said the pipes had become clogged and a whole new plumbing system was required. He also said installing air chambers on the line would do no good. How can I find out whether he is telling me the truth?

A. — You can get a second opinion, but chances are he is right. A 100-year-old plumbing system needs

more than a few repairs. Air chambers are for reducing the pounding noise known as water hammer.

Q. — I expect to hang vinyl on our kitchen wall. Is there any special way of handling it around corners?

A. — Because of its extra thickness, it is best to lap the vinyl around corners by a couple of inches. Follow the manufacturer's instructions regarding the kind of paste to

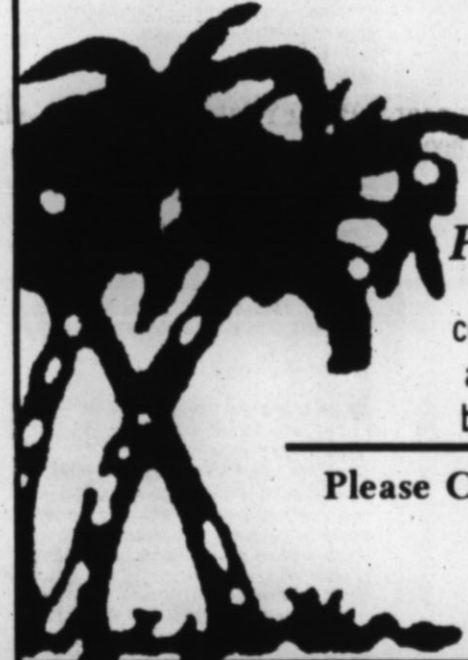
use. It's important the recommendations be followed on how long the paste should set before the vinyl is applied.

Q. — I want to remove old calcimine before applying regular paint. How do I get it off?

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New furniture features stain warranty

Nowadays, a customer buying a new sofa is likely to be offered an extra-cost warranty to protect new upholstery from staining that adds between \$50 and \$100 to the cost of a sofa.

According to HFD, a home furnishings trade newspaper, these warranties "have become a vital profit center for many retailers who frequently reap profits as high as 600, 700 or even 800 percent of the cost of the treatment."

John Connolly, founder of Fiber Seal International in Fremont, Calif., which markets a warranty program using DuPont's Teflon, said

about 100,000 Fiber Seal warranties are sold each month through more than 3,000 furniture retailers all over the country. He said 61 percent of retail furniture stores now offered some type of warranty.

"By selling our warranty to six out of 10 customers, the net bottom line would be \$21,000 additional profit, and the investment is only one pail at a time of the chemical," he asserted.

But how necessary to the consumer is the warranty? According to Miriam Gleberman, vice president J. H. Harvey, a retail furniture chain in suburban New York, which sells the Soil Shield program, "The war-

ranty gives customers psychological security and a guarantee in writing."

However, any fabric that is already treated at the mill or manufacturing level with one of the stain repellents does not need any additional treatment, at least at first.

This is the consensus among upholstery fabric specialists and spokesmen for 3M Co. and DuPont, which supply most of the fluorocarbon chemical stain repeller applied to upholstered furniture.

Tom Gerlach of 3M said: "We feel the best protection is put on at the fabric mill because it is put on with the greatest number of controls."

It can be effectively put on fabrics

in the retail store warehouse provided instructions are followed carefully. "But you have to qualify the fabrics on a seam-stress tester to see if they hold together and to make sure the treatment does not dissolve the backing. Latex backings are dissolved by almost all these solvents," Gerlach added.

"If treated at the mill properly, fabric doesn't need to be treated again," according to Ray Dunton of Dupont. He added that tests have shown that damage to latex backings can occur if fabrics are treated with a solvent containing silicone.

A problem for consumers who purchase upholstered furniture is that they sometimes have little way of knowing whether the fabric has already been treated. While it is industry practice to attach information on fiber content and chemical treatments to fabric swatches and to finished furniture, it is common for some retailers to cut the tags off upholstered furniture, said Gerlach.

Dunton said in some instances fabrics treated at the mill could benefit from "a second coat" of stain repeller if a different wetting has been used or because of "needle holes or untreated thread." But Gerlach disagreed.

"Another treatment offers ab-

solutely no benefit and may offer disadvantages in terms of degrading the backings and seams. Needle holes in fabrics don't change water repellency rating since the surface of the fiber is what gets stained," he said.

At the recent national furniture market in North Carolina, spokesmen for Barcalounger, Drexel and Pennsylvania House were among those who said that all or many of their fabrics are already treated at the mill or, if not, can be treated at the manufacturing level for a small additional cost.

Before making a decision about an extra-cost fabric protection plan, a consumer should check carefully to see if the fabric is already treated. If the answer is no, ask the retailer how and where the treatment will be applied, by whom, what kind of training and what kind of chemicals will be used, suggested Laren Hubbard of Barcalounger Co.

If you do opt for an aftermarket treatment, make sure it is a fluorocarbon, rather than a silicone, especially if a fluorocarbon may have been applied at the mill level. Fluorocarbons are effective against both oil- and water-borne stains and account for the lion's share of chemical treatments on furniture.

However, at least two companies still offer silicone upholstery treatments, according to Connolly, which are effective only against waterborne stains. Not only does the use of silicone render any factory-applied fluorocarbon ineffective against oil-based stains, but the silicone tends to make them harder to get out by conventional cleaning methods, said several authorities.

Consumers should also realize that stain-protection warranties do not protect against the inevitable soiling and fading process that attacks virtually all fabrics. Some fabrics, such as those made of Olefin fiber, are inherently stain resistant and consequently do not need any treatment. Others not usually considered treatable are Haitian cotton and parachute cloth.

Warranties may not necessarily mean that a complete sofa will be recovered if a portion of it is stained.

Connolly explained that under the Soil Shield warranty, in the event the stain remains, the company typically would pay for the panel or cushion to be recovered or would refund the original cost of the warranty. Gleberman said, however, that "on the rare occasion a consumer has had a problem, we have recovered the entire piece."

Complete finishing not necessary

Complete refinishing jobs on your furniture sometimes can be averted if the blemishes or other irregularities are not too severe. Minor scratches and other fairly inconspicuous marks can be covered or disguised with simple items you may have around the home or can easily obtain.

Ordinary paste shoe polish, for example, usually will hide a scratch in a varnished or lacquered finish. Try to match the polish with the color of the finish, using a brown, tan or black polish to blend with the tone of the wood. When the repaired area has been buffed thoroughly, it will take on a gloss, fine for a piece of glossy furniture but not feasible for one without a shine.

Another household product that can be utilized to cover a scratch is iodine, just as it comes from the bottle for an ordinary dark finish, but thinned with denatured alcohol for a light finish. The iodine must be handled carefully to avoid damaging a finely finished surface, so apply it with something like a toothpick or the end of an artist's tiny brush. Mix a little linseed oil with a tinting color

if a precise color match is essential. Test it first on an inconspicuous part of the furniture, such as the underside, to determine how it will look.

The meat of a walnut or butternut often will give you the color you want. Rub it well into the scratch. You can buy a wax stick that will accomplish the same thing. In the absence of one, a crayon from a child's crayon set may be used effectively. Other possibilities are shellac or a tiny amount of an oil stain. Slightly larger blemishes often will yield to a little rottenstone powder and oil. In all these applications, care must be exercised to avoid creating new problems.

White rings or other white marks on furniture require special attention and often call for the rottenstone and oil treatment after the whiteness has been removed. If the rottenstone doesn't seem to have done the job, do the same thing with powdered pumice. The steps may be done in reverse order. Cigar and cigarette ashes are mild abrasives that sometimes work. Camphorated oil and a paste wax are other

possibilities.

The powdered pumice-oil method is perhaps the best for nearly all kinds of rubbing, but must be handled extra carefully. That's because it cuts a bit faster than rottenstone. And it must be checked to see there are no impurities or tiny, almost invisible foreign objects in it. The tiniest grain of anything in the powder may leave unsightly scratches. A clean pad of felt is considered excellent for the rubbing.

Either oil or water may be used with the pumice powder, but water should be avoided if the finish is shellac. The water may leave whiteness on the shellac. However, using water with the pumice enables it to cut very well without leaving an oily residue. Oil, on the other hand, slows down the cutting action, which can be a benefit to a novice wood finisher, giving him a little leeway in the error department.

Hiding or disguising scratches, or other blemishes must be done only after any wax on that wood has been removed. Use a solvent or commercial wax remover, always being certain to follow recommended safety practices. When something is strong enough to take off wax, it usually is flammable. Provide plenty of ventilation and don't smoke while working.

(The techniques of using varnish, shellac, lacquer, stain, bleach, remover, etc., are detailed in Andy Lang's booklet, "Wood Finishing in the Home," which can be obtained by sending 50 cents and a long, stamped, self-addressed envelope to Know-How, P.O. Box 477, Huntington, NY 11743.)

Smoke removal is tough job

HOUSTON (AP) — More household fires occur during the winter season than any other time of the year, according to the National Fire Protection Association. And from a minor stovetop kitchen fire to more serious blazes, they can permeate the house with the invisible, persistent and acrid odor of smoke.

Understanding the chemical makeup of smoke is key to the elimination of odor, notes Nelson Bean, president of the Evans American Corp., a Houston-based company that specializes in reconstruction of buildings damaged by fires, floods and other catastrophes.

"Act quickly to clean away all the particles and you immediately eliminate the smoke odor. But leave


just a few hidden particles around the house ... and you guarantee a lingering odor problem," Bean warns.

Bean says many people incorrectly deal with smoke odors by attempting to mask the source of the odor with deodorizers — "a futile effort." The secret to permanently eliminating odors is to systematically remove smoke particles from all items in the smoked area.

Immediate action is a key to success, Bean adds, because of the corrosive qualities of smoke.

Bean and Evans American have an arsenal of techniques to eliminate smoke following large commercial or residential fires, including ozone chambers, commercial deodorizers and chemical air filters. Home (See SMOKE, Page 12A)

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Fed housing program marks anniversary

Fifty years ago, Congress passed landmark legislation serving as the foundation for a myriad of ensuing housing programs with federal involvement.

The U.S. Housing Act of 1937, signed into law on Sept. 1 of that year, established the first program of publicly-funded, publicly-owned and publicly-administered housing for people with low incomes. The U.S. Housing Authority was created to issue bonds to finance loans made to the newly-created local housing authorities. Construction of public housing units and slum removal was to be funded by these loans.

The concepts of federally-subsidized rent and local tax exemption for low-income families, as well as the local governments' role in managing federally-subsidized housing, all developed from the half-century-old housing act. In spite of opponents who declared public housing unnecessary and a "form of socialism," the act led to at least 10 major pieces of housing legislation over the next four decades. Housing programs expanded from the original plans designed to build specific projects for the poor, to ones fostering homeownership opportunities, notably the Veterans Administration home loan guaranty program (the Federal Housing Administration mortgage insurance program was established prior to the 1937 act.) Broad forms of aid were eventually

developed for localities, such as the Community Development Block Grant and Urban Development Block Grant programs.

One half-century later, providing enough affordable homes and living units for lower-income citizens remains a problem. This year, the National Association of Realtors has underscored the need for a national housing policy that reinforces the government's commitment to "decent, affordable housing" as pledged in the initial housing acts.

According to NAR First Vice President Ira Gribin, prudent solutions combining public and private efforts are needed to muster continued support for low-income housing programs, in the wake of federal budget cuts and deficit reduction measures. "There is no doubt that there is a problem as far as the deficit is concerned. But Realtors' expertise is not in deciding what specific programs to cut. What we know about is housing, and I think many Realtors now realize that federal spending cuts have slashed some critical housing programs," said Gribin, a Realtor from Sherman Oaks, Calif. Since 1978, annual appropriations for the U.S. Department of Housing and Urban Development have shrunk from 7 percent of the total federal budget to less than 1 percent for the current fiscal year.

Gribin said he is encouraged by what now appears to be a renewed

congressional focus on housing issues. The housing authorization bill currently going through Congress keeps intact several key housing programs previously targeted for dismantling. It is designed to serve as a predecessor to major housing legislation Gribin feels could be developed over the next few years.

A nationwide decline in the ratio of homeowners in the age group 25 to 34—dropping from about 53 percent in 1978 to about 46 percent in 1986—shows only part of the affordability problem, he said. "Our business is selling homes. Obviously, we are concerned about homeownership opportunities slipping away from first-time buyers. But, the affordability problem has to be tackled at the renters' level first," Gribin said. He referred to housing as a "ladder of options," with rental housing for low-income people on the first rungs, first-time buyers at the middle, and repeat buyers on the higher rungs. "Before most people are able to buy, they first must have an affordable place to rent."

Industry studies claim that in 1983, there were about 8.8 million units nationwide renting for less than \$250 per month, showing a drop from about 10 million units renting at the equivalent price level in 1974. According to recent HUD estimates, more than one-third of the nation's households with incomes between \$10,000 and \$15,000 are using more

than 35 percent of their incomes to pay rent.

The shrinking quantity of lower-priced rental housing likely will be fueled further by mandates of the Tax Reform Act of 1986, which substantially curtailed incentives for investing in rental housing, Gribin said. Shortfalls of the rental housing supply, including properties currently in the low-income category, could ultimately occur.

Without the government programs at various levels assisting low-income renters or owners of low-income properties, the inevitable rise in rents will completely "eat up" the act's tax savings for renters, he noted. "The rent burden is growing rapidly at the same time that federal efforts to spur the availability and affordability of rental housing has slowed.

"We must have involvement from every segment, public and private, to provide a national cohesiveness to housing programs. They cannot be handled only on a state or local basis. Housing is a national issue," Gribin said.

He pointed out that incentives must be created to encourage owners of low-income dwellings to retain that status for the existing tenants. For instance, a recent study from the National Institute of Building Sciences states that over the next 12 years, more than 280,000 15-year ren-

tal subsidy loan contracts granted in the last decade between HUD and the low-income property owners are set to expire. Between 1995 and 2005, about 750,000 20-year contracts for units in HUD-approved rehabilitated projects will run out.

"With a lot of these agreements set to expire, owners will have the right to go to market prices. Then, there will be two choices—either the stock of affordable housing goes down, or these owners are given incentives to start over again with the programs. These (renewed or new incentives) are an element that probably only the federal government can provide," he explained.

However, Gribin emphasized that the public and private sectors must work together to tackle housing af-

fordability problems. "Goals for widespread housing opportunities will be achieved only with mutual cooperation from all concerned groups—governments at all levels, private enterprise, and charitable organizations, as well as Realtors, builders and mortgage lenders," he said.

"This is not a do-gooder thing. It's a matter of enlightened pragmatism for Realtors to get this issue out front. Collectively, we have to start working on how to get help for people who need help getting a foot on that ladder of housing opportunity."

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owners probably don't need this heavy artillery, says Bean, who points out that most light smoke odors caused by minor household fires can be eliminated by following these steps:

— Sunlight's ultraviolet rays destroy smoke odors, so open your curtains and let nature's best deodorizer shine in.

— Air out the house forcibly by turning on fans and opening windows for at least an hour. But first, change or

clean smoked-up air filters.

— Set out several saucers of vinegar five or six feet above the floor level. This is a favorite household technique for removing smoke odors — and the house won't smell like vinegar.

— Never sit or lie on smoked items such as chairs or bedspreads. Your weight will grind the smoke particles into the cushions and mattresses, making the odor difficult or impossible to remove.

— For the same reason, don't walk on carpeted areas until they have been thoroughly vacuumed. Not only the future aroma of your carpet is at risk, but so are your shoes. Smoke odors are almost impossible to remove from leather soles.

— Thoroughly vacuum all porous items (fabric-covered furniture, draperies, etc.) in the smoked area, and use a quality upholstery shampoo on fabrics.

— Wipe durable surfaces such as sinks and countertops with a household degreasing agent. Don't forget light bulbs and other ceiling fixtures.

— Rub wood surfaces of kitchen cabinets and furniture with lemon oil, then apply furniture polish to any highly polished surfaces. This will

remove smoke odor as well as restore natural oils that may have dried out.

— Wash or dry clean all smoked clothes, towels and curtains.

— Do not attempt to clean or expose to sunlight any valuable oil paintings or watercolors. If a light dusting does not remove the smoke odor, it may be best to seek professional assistance.

Bean adds that these tips are for light smoke damage only. If you can rub your finger across a smoked surface and pick up black soot, the best step may be to call a professional cleaning company that can use commercial cleaning fluids, ozone chambers and other methods to clean the damage without damaging or discoloring household items.

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With furniture that is diffuse in style and thus capable of playing a

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2. Farm Equipment
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3. Cars for Sale

1981 Chev. 1/2 ton black pickup. 454 engine. \$3000 or best offer. Call 258-7294; nights 352-3648 or 353-8205. 3-37-tfc

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1965 White Renault, classic car. Hard and soft top. Lots of fun. Runs good. \$2200. 364-4616 after 6 p.m. 3-89-tfc

'81 Plymouth Horizon. '80 Chev. Blazer 2 wheel drive. Priced right. Call 364-6409 or 364-4121. 3-103-5p

1984 S-10 Blazer. New tires and battery. Excellent condition. \$7,300. or best offer. 364-6447. 3-103-tfc

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 One letter stands for another. In this sample A is used for the three L's, X for the two O's, etc. Single letters, apostrophes, the length and formation of the words are all hints. Each day the code letters are different.
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 E S Q X D U S G X E R C U W Q G
 E N E A F K H U A E J R U G
 I H V S H G U U H A U Z H H S
 J E R R P E N U Z H W S K U
 C W Q X U H Z Z Q M U
G X E R C U W G M Q X S Q N
Yesterday's Cryptoquote: NOVEMBER RUNS INTO DECEMBER, DECEMBER RUNS INTO CHRISTMAS AND CHRISTMAS RUNS INTO MONEY. - ANONYMOUS

1981 Buick Skylark. Excellent condition. 1976 Wagoneer. Runs good. Both \$500 down \$300 per month for 12 months. 276-5291 days; 364-4113 nights. 3-1-90-tfc

1981 Ford pickup-F-150. 61,900 actual miles, \$2,950.00 cash. Very nice fiberglass camper shell and All Tires Are New. Call 364-0800-Ext. 31. 3-104-1p

1975 Int. Conv. Engine fresh overhaul. 13 sp. trans. Twin screw. Budd wheels. Good rubber. \$10,000 extra nice. 4-75-tfc

1978 IHC Cabover, 6V92TT engine, twin screw, 3 speed trans. 10x20 tires. \$9500. Real good condition. 4-97-tfc

1980 Mack Cabover, 300plus engine, 5 sp. trans. Twin screw, air cond. 11x24.5 tires. Good rubber. \$13,000. Real good condition. 4-53-20c

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5. Rentals

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Sit-88-22p

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Sit-101-5p



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104-1c



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8-41-tfc

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8-50-tfc

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8-61-tfc

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8-102-4c

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Personals
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S-10A-tfc

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13. Lost & Found

Lost from 311 North 25 Mile Avenue last Saturday, cream color female Pomeranian. Reward offered. Call 364-0503. 13-103-3c

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Legal Notices

THE STATE OF TEXAS
COUNTY OF DEAF SMITH

NOTICE OF EXECUTION SALE OF PERSONAL PROPERTY

By virtue of an execution issued out of the 222 District Court of Deaf Smith County, Texas, on a judgment rendered in that Court on May 4, 1987, in favor of Beryl and Ruth Fish and against Kelly McCormick, in Cause no. CI-87C-836, styled Beryl and Ruth Fish Vs. Kelly McCormick, on the docket of the Court, on the 7th day of October, 1987, I levied upon the following described personal property situated in Deaf Smith County, Texas as the property of Kelly McCormick:

One 30 ft. Gooseneck covered stock trailer
One Concord travel trailer.

On the 1st day of December, 1987, at 2:00 p.m., and at the following location: Little Bull Barn on the south side of the Deaf Smith County Bull Barn located on Dairy Road, I will offer for sale and sell at public auction for cash all the right, title, and interest of Kelly McCormick in and to the above described property.

Signed this the 19 day of November, 1987.

Joe C. Brown, Jr., Sheriff
Deaf Smith County, Texas
By: Derrill Carroll, deputy 104-1c

PUBLIC HEARING NOTICE

The Commissioners Court of Deaf Smith County will conduct a public hearing under the authority of the Texas Water Code, Section 26.032, to consider whether or not the use of private sewage facilities (including septic tanks) in Deaf Smith County should be regulated to prevent possible pollution or injury to public health. A copy of a proposed order is available for review at the Courthouse in Deaf Smith County. The public hearing will be held before the Commissioners Court at 10 a.m. Dec. 14, 1987, in the Courthouse. All interested persons are encouraged to participate in the public hearing.

/s/Tom Simons,
County Judge 103-6c

The Commissioners Court of Deaf Smith County will open proposals for insurance coverage (auto, TMP blanket, Fire, etc.) at 10 a.m. on January 11th, 1988, in the Courthouse. Copies of the current policies are available and will be used as specifications for the proposals may be picked up at 242 E. 3rd St., Hereford, Texas. 103-6c

The Commissioners Court of Deaf Smith County will open bids for office supplies at 10 a.m. on December 14, 1987, in the Courthouse. Specifications may be picked up at 242 E. 3rd St. in Hereford, Texas. The Commissioners reserve the right to reject any and all bids. 103-6c

NOTICE TO BIDDERS

Sealed proposals addressed to Mr. John Fuston, President of the Board of Trustees for Hereford Independent School District, for various subcontract and material purchase items to be incorporated into a Construction Management Contract for interior classroom construction to an existing school building in Hereford, Texas will be received in accordance with the schedule of dates and times hereinafter included. Bids will be received in the School Administration Office in Hereford, Texas and will be publicly opened and read aloud promptly at the stated times. Any bid received after closing time will be returned unopened.

On December 3, 1987 at 10:00 A.M. Bids will be received for:

- Partition Construction and Drywall
- Acoustical Ceilings
- Floor Tile
- Mechanical Construction
- Electrical Construction

On December 3, 1987 at 11:00 A.M. bids will be received for:

- Chalk and Tackboard Materials.
- Laminate Plastic Wainscot Materials.

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No bid bond will be required in any category of subcontract or material supply proposals. Performance and Payment bonds will be required on any contract exceeding \$25,000.00.

The Owner reserves the right to waive all formalities, to reject any or all bids, and in the case of ambiguity or lack of clearness in stating prices in the proposal, the Owner reserves the right to adopt the most advantageous construction thereof or to reject the proposals.

Plans and Specifications are currently on file at the following locations:

- Hereford Independent School District-Hereford, Texas.
- F.W. Dodge Plan Room - Amarillo, Texas
- F.W. Dodge Plan Room - Lubbock, Texas
- Architect's Office - Lubbock, Texas

Plans and specifications may be obtained at the office of Tom Mills - Architect, 8008 Slide Road No. 20, Lubbock, Texas or from Mr. Larry Wartes in the School Administration Building in Hereford, Texas. S-100-2c



Holiday Fashions

With Christmas a mere four weeks away, it's time to begin shopping for festive clothes to wear through the holiday season. Danell Culp, at left, and Frances Hill model two stylish ensembles from Little's. Hereford residents are encouraged to shop in Hereford and take advantage of the merchandise local businesses have to offer.

Hints From Heloise

DEAR HELOISE: Both my husband and I work and I don't have time to be constantly picking up after my family. So, we made an agreement that they all pick up after themselves.

You're wondering what happens when they don't? Well, I place any items left around the house in a basket. When the child or husband wants a particular item, they have to pay a fine to get it back. You just wouldn't believe how well this has worked! — Alma Boatman, Memphis, Tenn.

What a clever idea! I'll bet you don't pick up much, and even if you have to, you get paid for it. What a way to do housework. — Heloise

POWER FAILURE

Dear Heloise: A friend of mine told me this hint and I wanted to pass it on. If you have a power failure, always turn off all of the major appliances because when everything comes back on at the same time, a temporary voltage drop could ruin the appliances or even overload the circuits. — N.E., Salina, Kan.

MANICURING SCISSORS

Dear Heloise: If you keep your manicuring scissors in your purse as I do, put the small rubber cap (the kind used on knitting needles) on the tip to prevent its poking through. — Mrs. Morris Swedlow, Los Angeles, Calif.

TURKEY WIRE

Dear Heloise: Why do they have to put a heavy wire in the butt of the turkey? I think it is a nuisance.

I bought one turkey this year that didn't have a wire in it. I couldn't see any difference, except it was easier to handle. I buy several turkeys when they are in season. If there are only large ones, I buy one and cut it into two. The wire is really a nuisance then. — Billie Rumsey, Abilene, Texas

I, too, agree that it is a nuisance to remove the wire. The wire is there to make the turkey easier for freezing and shipping because it holds the turkey together. It also improves the appearance of the turkey, from the buyer's viewpoint. — Heloise

Send a money- or time-saving hint to Heloise, P.O. Box 795000, San Antonio, Texas 78279. I can't answer your letter personally but will use the best hints received in my column.

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Ask Dr. Lamb

PMS is a Problem BY LAWRENCE E. LAMB, M.D.

DEAR DR. LAMB: I read your column about PMS. I too suffered from PMS for seven or eight years. I tried diet changes, vitamins and exercise. Nothing helped.

I disagree with your suggestion that there is a question whether hormone changes bring out underlying psychological problems or not. I found they seemed to cause psychological symptoms, not reveal them.

You did not mention progesterone suppository treatments. Let me tell you, it works. Since I have been on progesterone I am my old self. My family is visibly happy to have their rational, calm mom available all month instead of half the month. I feel like a new person and face life joyously now instead of dreading the passing of time till my next PMS attack.

DEAR READER: I'm glad your condition is under control. Premenstrual Syndrome (PMS) is a complex problem. The changes in mood, fluid retention and other symptoms that occur before the onset of menstruation can be quite disabling.

The severity of the problem varies, from minor discomfort and mood changes to very severe changes that require psychiatric support. There is a wide range of symptoms. Most authorities agree that hormone imbalances can account for many of these symptoms.

But they also agree that, in some cases, there is a great deal of difficulty in separating those symptoms caused by hormone imbalances from psychological problems. The psychiatric problems may already be there and may be made worse by the same hormone imbalances that cause less severe symptoms in other women.

Just because you have changes caused by hormone swings does not prove that these authorities are wrong about such swings unmasking underlying psychological problems. There is often difficulty in separating out what is caused by hormone swings and what is caused by psychological factors.

You will understand this better after reading Special Report 52, Premenstrual Syndrome (PMS), which I'm sending you. Others who want this report can send \$1.00 and a long, self-addressed envelope with 39 cents postage to THE HEALTH LETTER/52, P.O. Box 19622, Irvine, CA 92713.

Progesterone is used to treat PMS and has been reported to help in some cases. However, there is considerable controversy about its use, which I have also discussed in Special Report 52.

Crossword

by THOMAS JOSEPH

ACROSS

- Muti's stick
- Put away every — (try hard)
- Venerate
- Watered fabric
- Salt peter
- Put forth great
- Printemps follower
- S.S.
- Dine
- Snake
- Give back
- Mediocre
- End of a sentence?
- Mountain nymph
- Big spoon
- Category
- Deck wood
- Romaine, e.g.
- Belgian town
- Goddess (Lat.)
- Thin biscuit
- More than
- African beast
- Less crude
- Curvature
- Constant
- DOWN
- Curse
- Mine entrance
- Lag

4 Danish coin

5 Strain every —

6 White or Red —

7 Connection

8 Hockey great

9 Moist

11 Cerebral city

17 Use a spit

18 Deliverer

19 Took a bus

20 Ma. Fitzgerald partner

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22 Russian

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Deaf Smith Electric Cooperative's safety committee includes, back row from left, safety coordinator Boyd Collins, Ed Hartley, George Bullard and Ronnie

Brown; front, from left, David Spain, Helen Noyes, and Don Rieves. Not pictured are Paula Welty and Gene George.

Deaf Smith Electric Cooperative of Hereford has received the Gold Seal Certificate of Excellence from the Safe Accreditation Program sponsored by the National Rural Electric Cooperative Association.

NRCEA, based in Washington, D.C., is a service organization representing a thousand rural electric systems serving 25 million consumer-members in 46 states.

To qualify for the program, a system must undergo a safety audit conducted by several outside observers who use a 160-item checklist on items that deal with accident prevention and job performance.

- The checklist includes:
- Board policies relating to safety;
 - Maintenance of safe working conditions;
 - Delegation of authority;
 - Safety training;
 - Accident reporting procedures;
 - Observation of safety rules and regulations;
 - In-house and off-the-premises job-training for employees.

DSEC President James Hull said the local system has received as many accredited awards as any system in the nation since the program began in 1967.

Hull said the program was started to establish effective self-policing of safety activities by rural electric systems, to set standards for reducing disabling injuries, and to provide national recognition for all systems that achieve the goals.

Beef prices to rise

WASHINGTON (AP) — Shoppers will pay a little more for beef next year, but other meat and poultry prices should be down as record supply levels continue, Agricultural Department economists say.

The economists say the decline in beef production should be offset by continued record supplies of broiler chickens, turkey and pork.

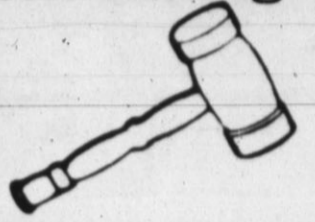
"Retail beef prices in 1988 are expected to average moderately above

this year's level, but the annual average (over the entire 12 months) likely will be below the peak prices reached this summer," the department's Economic Research Service said Wednesday in a report.

"Even though beef supplies will be down, large supplies of competing meats at lower relative prices will hold down gains in beef prices," the report said. "Pork prices are expected to decline 8 percent.

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TCFA marks twentieth year

"Eventful, exciting and full of successes."

That's Charlie Ball's assessment of the past 20 years. Ball, executive vice president of the Texas Cattle Feeders Association (TCFA), summarized the 20-year history of TCFA for members attending the Association's Annual Convention this week in Corpus Christi.

The TCFA Convention, with the theme "Vision 20-20," celebrates TCFA's 20th year by looking back at the history of the Association and ahead at the future of the industry. Ball's speech, entitled, "TCFA: The Past 20 Years," kicked off the TCFA Convention.

On May 18, 1967, 10 cattle feeders met in Amarillo to discuss the formation of a cattle feeders association, Ball said. "To get the new organization going, they put up \$500 each in seed money, and the Texas Cattle Feeders Association was born."

Ball chronicled the growth and development of TCFA through the words of its past presidents. Each past president touched on the highs, and lows, of his administration and helped tell the story of an upstart association that grew in size, budget and influence. They also told the story of an industry that brought the Lone Star State from virtually no fed cattle production to the largest cattle feeding state in the nation—5.26 million in 1986.

TCFA hadn't been around long when its first major challenge surfaced in 1973—a beef price freeze and beef boycotts, Ball said. But cattle feeders rallied to the challenge, donating \$519,000 which was used for various beef promotion programs.

Beef promotion continued as a major thrust for TCFA, Ball said. In 1974, the Association proposed a uniform checkoff for beef promotion and research, which led to a national referendum in 1977, 1980, and 1988.

TCFA and its members were challenged in other areas, too, including legislation. The federal government implemented two pro-

grams in 1983 that helped other segments of agriculture at the expense of livestock producers, Ball said. They were the Dairy PIC (Payment in Cash) and Grain PIK (Payment in Kind).

These and other legislative issues prompted TCFA members to ask their Association to get more involved in legislation, Ball said. And that it did, increasing its presence in Washington, D.C.

That presence paid off, Ball said, when the Beef Promotion and Research Act and clear title legislation were adopted as part of the 1985 Farm Bill. But in 1986, cattlemen were hit by the Dairy Termination Program, which drove cash prices for fed cattle down \$4 to \$5 per cwt. in less than a week.

The cattle industry responded by filing suit against USDA, which resulted in an agreement that required USDA to control the disposal of the 1.55 million cows enrolled in the program, Ball said. The agreement also required USDA to make offsetting meat purchases to lessen the impact on the cattle market.

This program, passed by a powerful dairy lobby, proved to cattlemen that they need to get even more involved in the political process and that they need more money for political action committees.

The 20 years of TCGA history have been eventful, Ball said. And cattle feeders can look ahead to 20 more years of success.



Walden elected

E.W. Walden of Hereford was recently elected as the Zone 3 director of the Tierra Blanca Soil and Water Conservation District in Deaf Smith County. As one of five directors, Walden will be responsible for district policies and procedures for carrying out the district program within the framework of the Texas soil conservation district law. Active in the Texas Farm Bureau, Walden also serves on the boards of Texas Pork Producers and the High Plains Research Foundation.

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Computers may help crunch crop-damaging pests. Researchers at the University of Wyoming are compiling data in a computer program in cooperation with the U.S. Department of Agriculture. The program is part of an effort to develop a national pest data base which will hopefully help researchers cope better with pests. Larry Gholson, coordinator of the UW program, says Wyoming has already benefitted from participation in the program. An example is the Russian wheat aphid which was first found in the U.S. in Lubbock, TX. For the last year, Wyoming has been exchanging information with other states on the aphid's movement and strategies to control it. Those involved with the program believe it will be of great benefit to anyone dealing with crop pest problems.

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Project Christmas Card underway

With the Christmas holiday approaching, thoughts of giving come to many people's minds. Project Christmas Card is now underway and residents are encouraged to make donations in lieu of using the money normally spent on mailing local Christmas greetings and postage. Funds received from the annual event, sponsored by L'Allegra Study Club, will be used this year to purchase medical equipment for Deaf Smith General Hospital. Looking over the 1986 full-page greeting which was published in The Hereford Brand's special Christmas edition are Eddie Trotter, son of Mr. and Mrs. Johnny Trotter; Amanda Wall, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Johnny Wall; and Thad Guseman, son of Mr. and Mrs. Chip Guseman.



Lifestyles

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Sunday, Nov. 29, 1987

Through the generosity of local citizens and the efforts of two local women's organizations, Project Christmas Card has always been a tremendous success in Deaf Smith County with funds used to benefit the community.

This year marks the 31st anniversary of the project which is being sponsored by members of L'Allegra Study Club who assumed the responsibility for the project in 1985 from the Medical-Dental Auxiliary. By donating the money normally spent on mailing local Christmas greetings and

postage, residents will aid in the purchase of medical equipment for Deaf Smith General Hospital.

According to L'Allegra member and the 1987 project chairman, Judy Wall, contributors to Project Christmas Card will have their yuletide greetings expressed in a full-page spread to appear in The Hereford Brand's special Christmas edition. Cash gifts must be made prior to the Dec. 18 deadline in order to appear in the Dec. 24 edition of the paper.

For those wishing to participate, deposit money and

sign your name as you wish it to appear in the one joint greeting in The Brand.

Gaily-decorated canisters are located throughout town to receive contributions. Locations include Hereford Country Club, Merle Norman, Jack 'n Jill, Save 'n Gain, Deaf Smith General Hospital, Deaf Smith County Library, Touch Of Class, Senior Citizens Center, Winn's, Taylor and Sons, Sirloin Stockade, J.J.'s Hair Fashions, Gaston's, Grandma's Korner Too, The Vogue, Park Avenue Florist, and both Hereford State and First National Banks.

Project Christmas Card funds have been used in the past to buy equipment for the local hospital including a non-invasive blood pressure monitor for the hospital ambulance, diagnostic equipment, an OB delivery table and light portable respirator, infant delivery room incubators, fetal monitoring system, cryostat, life support system, the second anesthesia machine, ultrasound equipment, combination cardiac monitor and defibrillator, portable respirator, infant resuscitator, OB anesthetic machine and portable transport crib and croup tent;

Also, furniture for the children's ward at the hospital, drapery for the obstetric floor, a surgery table, an isolette, renovations in the hospital's kitchen, dental equipment, a hospital intercom system, an emergency radio communication system, and a complex life support system. Funds were also used to provide new furnishings at the Hereford Community Center.

L'Allegra members who are assisting with the fundraiser include Maha Baddour, Juanita Bowles, Margaret Carnahan, Janice Carr, Kay Lynn Caviness, Janice Conkwright, Carmen Flood, Kitty Gault, Cathy Guseman, Poppy Head, Patsy Hoffman, Glenda Keenan, Barbara Kerr, Sylvia Khuri, Joyce Lomas, Mary Kay McQuigg, Mary McWhorter, Selsey Metz, Shelly Moss, Karen Payne, Hilda Perales, Susan Perrin, Brenda Reinauer, Jody Skiles, Suzanne Smith, Dee Anne Trotter, Ella Marie Veigel, and Jan Weishaar.



For 30 years, contributions received from Project Christmas Card have been used to benefit the community. Looking at one of the project scrapbooks are (from left) Margie Daniels, executive director of

Hereford Senior Citizens Center, and Barbara Kerr, a member of L'Allegra Study Club. Canisters will be located throughout Hereford, including the Senior Citizens Center, to receive donations.



Yosten, Shafer recite vows during candlelight ceremony

Amid the glow of soft candlelight, Gayle Marie Yosten of Hereford became the bride of Terry Clel Shafer of Perryton in a mid-afternoon wedding ceremony Saturday in St. Anthony's Catholic Church of Hereford.

Officiating for the couple was Father Joseph Egan, S.A. Mass servers were Andy Kalka and Greg Kalka.

The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Nick Yosten of Route 4, Hereford, and the bridegroom is the son of Clel H. Shafer of Perryton and the late Ruby Shafer.

The church altar was decorated by two spiral candelabra holding crystal votives and teal votive tapers and two large arrangements of calla lilies, baby's breath and Queen Anne's lace accented with touches of teal. The white unity candle was nestled in a base of baby's breath, calla lilies and greenery with accents of teal.

At the Virgin Mary was a bud vase of calla lilies and baby's breath.

Gay Carr served her sister as matron of honor and Clel Shafer was his son's best man.

Bridesmaids included Brenda Yosten, Lindy Yosten, Sharon McNutt of Kansas and Kelley McClarty of Amarillo. Groomsmen were Scott Carr, Gregg Yosten, Steve McKay of Austin and Jay Miller of Phoenix, Ariz.

Guests were escorted by Garry, Ricky, Glynn and Tony Yosten and Eucharistic minister was Garry Yosten.

Serving as flower girl was Brionne Yosten, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Glynn Yosten, and ring bearer was Tyson Yosten, son of Mr. and Mrs. Gregg Yosten. Candles were lit by the groom's nieces, Tiffany Liming and Lacey Miller.

Principal musical selections were vocalized by Laura Schlabs and Shannon Wilburn. They included "Ave Maria", "The Gift of Love", "All I Ask of You", "On Eagles Wings", "Wedding Song" and "Mothers At Your Feet We Are Kneeling." Carolyn Evers played the piano and the flute was played by Alisa Hoelscher.

Given in marriage by her father, the bride was attired in a white satin mermaid sheath bridal gown designed with a traditional neckline with an embroidered lace band which accentuated the sheer illusion that plunged to a V-shape back neckline. The Gibson girl sleeves, also made of embroidered lace appliques, topped over the hands. The drop-waist bodice was adorned with pearls and sequins and flowed into the tapered sheath skirt. Pearl bangles decorated the neckline and front of the skirt.

A large flounce ruffle, trimmed in lace and sequin pearls, swept into a cathedral-length train.

To complete her ensemble, the bride chose a sequined V-shape halo with a pouf. A sequined rosette adorned the left side of the halo and was accented with pearl spriggles framing her face. The fingertip-length veiling silhouetted her gown.

She carried a white cascade of calla lilies, roses, stephanotis, Queen Anne's lace, baby's breath with touches of ming fern and satin and lace streamers.

In keeping with bridal tradition, the bride carried a crystal rosary blessed by Pope John Paul II given to her by her mother as something new; carried a white linen handkerchief belonging to her great-grandmother, something old; a blue garter, something blue; and a diamond pin

belonging to the groom's mother, something borrowed.

The matron of honor and bridesmaids each wore a teal satin dress fashioned with long sleeves and a V-neck in the back accented with a bow. The front of the dress had a jeweled neckline with a fitted dropped waist bodice and an attached circular skirt tapering to the floor at the back. They also wore dyed satin shoes to match. They carried cascades of calla lilies, stephanotis,

roses, and baby's breath trimmed in teal satin and lace bows and streamers.

The bride's mother wore a teal satin lined lace two-piece suit with shoes to match and a corsage of calla lilies, stephanotis and baby's breath. The grandmothers also wore matching corsages.

The flower girl wore a white satin dress with shirred short sleeves and made with a sweetheart neckline.

Teal satin ribbon bows accented the bottom of the dress where it was shirred up at intervals with a teal satin ruffle showing from under the three-quarter length dress. She carried a white basket filled with white and teal calla lilies, stephanotis and baby's breath. Her hairpiece was made of stephanotis, and baby's breath adorned with a teal bow and streamers.

The two candlelighters wore teal satin dresses. Each was designed with the bodice made identical to the bridesmaids' dresses. The skirt was knee-length with a puffed bubble effect. They also wore teal dyed shoes to match.

Tommy Albracht was the lector and the bride's Godparents, Annette Albracht and Leroy Berend, carried the gifts and were assisted by her two aunts, Doris Zinser and Joann Berend.

Dana Berend invited guests to register at the reception held in St. Anthony's Hall. It was followed by a dinner and dance.

Cake was served by Judy Schumacher, Brenda Koenig, Susan Stubbs, and Karen Martin. Punch was poured by Mr. and Mrs. Ray Schlabs Jr. and Mr. and Mrs. Ray Berend.

One of the tables was decorated by a hurricane lamp and a teal candle in a base of baby's breath, and calla lilies accented with teal.

The bride and groom's white iced cake consisted of five heart-shaped chocolate-flavored cakes beneath arched pillars surrounding a sparkling fountain with teal tinted water.

Above the fountain was a large two-tiered white cake having V-shaped scallops with cornelli lace inside of the trimming. Fresh calla lilies sat atop each heart-shaped cake. The

two top tiers were separated by a fresh calla lily arrangement. A hand-blown glass heart-shaped ornament was placed on the top tier of the cake.

The wedding cake was the focal point of the refreshment table which was covered with a white lace floor-length cloth lined with a teal cloth. An almost identical table was decorated for the punch fountain and the dinner tables were all adorned with balloon bouquets.

Further enhancing the main table were two large hurricane lamps with teal candles placed in a bed of calla lilies, stephanotis, and baby's breath with touches of teal accents. There were also pyramid bouquets of teal candles, baby's breath, ming fern, and calla lilies, all accented with teal.

Leaving for a wedding trip to St. Moritz, Switzerland, the bride wore a teal knit suit dress designed with a matching jacket. She also wore a calla lily corsage. She and her husband will reside in Perryton.

Out-of-town guests included Doris Zinser of Conway, Ark. and other friends and relatives representing Muenster, Texas, Clovis, N.M., Portales, N.M., Gainesville, Phoenix, Ariz., Austin, Amarillo and Vega.

The bridegroom's father hosted the wedding rehearsal dinner at the Hereford Country Club.

Pre-nuptial courtesies for the bride included a bridal brunch in the home of Diane Hoelscher; a miscellaneous shower in the home of Millie Barrett; and a lingerie shower hosted by Connie Liming of Amarillo.



MRS. TERRY CLEL SHAFER
...nee Gayle Marie Yosten

Extension Council meets at library

Members of the Extension Homemakers Council met Monday in the Heritage Room of Deaf Smith County Library with Johnnie Messer presiding.

The opening exercise was given by Sherri Blackwell, president of the Draper Extension Club. She conducted a brief quiz on the turkey then read a Thanksgiving poem. The TEHA prayer was recited by all members and was followed by the Pledge of Allegiance to the U.S. and Texas flags.

Carmen Rickman was welcomed as a visitor.

Kate Bradley, chairman of the recreation committee, reminded the clubs of the council Christmas party Saturday, Dec. 5 in the Heritage Room. This will be a covered dish luncheon at noon. Each person is to bring a dish and canned goods for the Good Shepherd Food Closet. Also, each club was asked to furnish a dish of cookies or candy. All extension club members are urged to attend.

Six clubs were represented with two having 100 percent attendance: Bippus and Draper. Other clubs

represented were Cultural, Ford, Messenger, and North Hereford.

Extension Agent Beverly Harder announced plans for an open meeting which will be held in the near future with a representative from the Texas Health Department to discuss "Safe Food Serving."

Also, plans were discussed for an open house at the new extension service offices in Deaf Smith County Courthouse.

Election of council officers for 1988 were announced. Carol Odum will serve as chairman; Maudette Smith, vice chairman; Mariellen Homfeld, recording secretary; Sherri Blackwell, corresponding secretary; Mary Carter, treasurer; and Grace Covington, reporter.

Club presidents were asked to give reports of their activities since September. All clubs have some community projects they work on during the year.

Draper Club served as hostesses and served refreshments before the close of the meeting.

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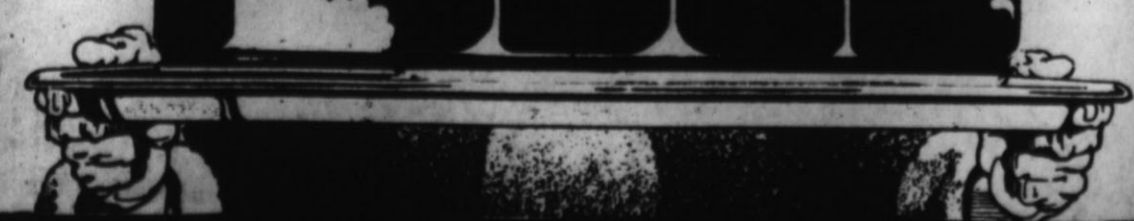
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Castillo, Rhodes vows spoken here Saturday

Wedding vows were exchanged by Thelma Castillo and Troy Allen Rhodes Jr. early Saturday afternoon in San Jose Catholic Church with Father Joe Bixenman officiating.

The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Arnulfo Castillo of Route 3 and the bridegroom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Troy Rhodes Sr. of 209 Ave. I.

Teresa Castillo served her sister as maid of honor and Patrick Rhodes served his brother as best man.

Bridesmaids included Patricia Fuentes and Nancy Moreno. Groomsmen were Joe Mendoza and Bobby Ramirez, the bride's cousins. Escorting guests were her cousins, Joey Cuella and Jamie Galan.

Junior bridal attendants were Hope Villegas and Raymond Ramirez, Jr., both cousins of the bride.

The bride's niece, Marlina Vasquez, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Freddy Vasquez, was flower girl, and ring bearer was the bride's brother, Anthony Castillo.

Musical selections were performed by Raul Guerrero.

Given in marriage by her father, the bride was attired in an elegant form-fitting white satin and lace gown designed with a lace wedding ring collar and fitted bodice, all accented with sequins, seed pearls, and silk flowers. The long satin sleeves, enhanced by lace inserts, tapered gently to the bride's wrists. The semi-full skirt, which was scalloped at the hemline with matching lace, sequins and seed pearls, swept into a cathedral-length train which was also decorated with lace scallops. The back of the gown's waist was marked by a large satin bow.

The tiered cathedral-length bridal illusion veil featured pencil edging and formed a pouf at the crown of the

v-shaped headpiece consisting of rows of miniature seed pearls. At the side were sprays of white flowers and pearls.

She carried an all-white cascading arrangement of roses entwined with string pearls and white ribbon streamers.

Following the wedding ceremony, a reception was held at the Knights of Columbus Hall.

The bride wore her wedding dress as she left for a honeymoon to Carlsbad Caverns, N.M.

The couple will make their home at 203 Short St.

Wedding guests represented Virginia, Houston, Kansas, Lubbock, Amarillo, Austin, and La Villa.

Orders for pizza being taken

Orders for fresh pizzas are being taken by members of Boy Scout Troop 51 until Saturday, Dec. 5, as a money making project to support their various activities and campouts.

The pizzas, which may be picked up fresh at St. Anthony's School Dec. 12, are priced at \$5 and \$6.

For additional information or to order pizzas, call Al Simnacher, 364-6844; Ron Matthews, 276-5313; Mike Brumley, 289-5829; or Sonny Evers, 364-4739.

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Pre-registration now open to high schoolers

PLAINVIEW—Pre-registration is now open to high school juniors and seniors for Wayland Baptist University's annual Preview Day Saturday, Dec. 5.

Held each year near the end of the fall semester, Preview Day offers prospective Wayland students the chance to get to know the university better, according to Admissions Coordinator Mike Newsom.

"Preview Day is an opportunity for students to visit our campus and get highly personalized attention and information in a short period of time," Newsom said. "They will have the opportunity to meet faculty, administration and students while finding out what Wayland is really all about."

It is one of two special occasions set aside each year for prospective students to visit the Wayland campus. The other is Student Foundation's "Big Weekend," slated this year for Feb. 26-28.

Preview Day begins with registration at 9 a.m., followed at 9:30 by a welcome by WBU interim president Dr. Glenn Barnett and vice president

Dr. Bill Harbage.

An hour-long question/answer session is scheduled for 10 a.m., followed by tours of the campus.

Visitors will eat lunch in the University Center cafeteria, and will then visit student dormitories. The final item on the agenda is the opportunity for students to visit with professors in their areas of interest on an individual basis.

Cost is \$2 per person and includes the noon meal. Activities will conclude around 2 p.m., Newsom said.

High school students or their parents interested in attending Wayland's Preview Day should contact the Student Admissions Office at (806) 296-5521 as soon as possible.

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Hereford bucks to be given at tour

Hereford bucks will be given as a door prize during the 17th annual Holiday Tour of Homes planned from 2-5 p.m. Sunday, Dec. 6. The tour is sponsored by members of La Madre Mia Study Club and all proceeds will be used to benefit various community projects.

The three tour homes, all to be uniquely decorated with a Christmas theme, include the residences of Rick and Shavon Lloyd, 110 Redwood; Raul and Sara Pesina, 108 Quince; and Garth and Susie Merrick, three miles east of Hereford.

During tour hours, refreshments of cookies, hot spiced tea, and coffee will be served at Deaf Smith County Museum by refreshment chairman, Lucy Rogers and committee members: Betty Martin, Joyce Allred, Carolyn Baxter, Mysedia Smith, Nancy Paetzold, Betty Taylor, and Betty Owen.

Tickets are priced at \$2 per person and will be available from La Madre Mia Study Club members, at the doors of the tour homes and the museum. As in the past, proceeds will be used for various local projects including the Christmas Stocking Fund and a scholarship for a Hereford High School senior.

Laven Nieman is this year's tour chairman and Mary Beth White is chairman of the ticket committee.



To avoid searching for photo negatives, store them behind corresponding prints in your photograph album.

The sign committee consists of Marlene Watson, chairman, Gladys Merritt and Jenna Simons. In charge of buckets and badges are Betty Lady and Nancy Paetzold, and publicity is being taken care of by Lavon Nieman, newspaper; Pat Walsh, radio; and Betty Taylor, television.

Hostesses at the Lloyd home will be Francyn Bromlow, Ruth Black, Mary Herring, Judy Williams and chairman, Georgia Sparks.

Hostesses at the Merrick home will be Sharon Hodges, chairman, and Mary Beth White, Jenna Simons, Merle Clark, Susan Robbins, Debbie Tardy, and Gladys Merritt. Beverley Lambert will be chairman of the hostesses at the Pesina home and assisting her will be Betty Lady, Pat Walsh, Tricia Sims, and Marlene Watson.

Hostesses will be wearing bright Christmas plaid taffeta vests and name badges.



Our word *admiral* comes from the Arabic phrase "Amir 'a all," which means a man in high authority.

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Unique Duck Collection

Shavon Lloyd and her son Landry exhibit one of the ducks that she and her husband have on view at their home at 110 Redwood to Georgia Sparks, center, and Ruth Black. The Ricky Lloyd residence will be among three homes to be featured on the 17th annual Holiday Tour of Homes from 2-5 p.m. Sunday, Dec. 6. Other homes that may be toured include the residences of Raul and Sara Pesina, 108 Quince, and Garth and Susie Merrick, three miles east of Hereford. All will be decorated with touches of Christmas and the Lloyd home

will also have on display a large collection of Christmas folk art. Tickets for the event, which is sponsored by members of La Madre Mia Study Club, are priced at \$2 per person and may be purchased from any club member, at the doors of the three tour homes, or Deaf Smith County Museum during tour hours where club members will be serving refreshments. Proceeds will be used to benefit the community including the annual Christmas Stocking Fund and a scholarship for a Hereford High School senior.

Social Security

SURVIVOR BENEFITS PAYABLE

Social Security benefits can be paid to many survivors of workers who die after working long enough in work covered by Social Security, Jim Talbot, Social Security manager in Amarillo, Tx. said recently.

These survivors include the worker's unmarried children under 18, under 19 if a full-time high school student or over 18 if disabled before reaching 22; a parent caring for a child under 16 or disabled who gets benefits; a widow or widower 60 or older, or 50 or over if severely disabled; and dependent parents 62 or older.

In addition, a surviving divorced wife or husband can generally get the same benefits as a widow or widower if the marriage to the worker lasted 10 years or more.

A lump-sum payment of \$256 can be made to a worker's eligible widow or widower, or, if none, to the worker's child entitled to benefits.

It is important for survivors to apply for benefits as soon as possible after the worker's death. This is especially important for widows and

widowers under 65 because benefits cannot generally be paid before the month of application.

When applying, survivors should have their own and the worker's Social Security cards or a record of the numbers, birth certificates for any eligible children, marriage certificate, proof of the worker's death, proof of age for the widow or widower, and Form W-2 or self-

employment tax return for the past year. Parents 65 or older will need to show they were dependent on the worker for their support.

For more information about Social Security survivor benefits or about other Social Security benefits, contact the Amarillo Social Security office, located at 3001 W. 15th, Amarillo, Tx. The telephone number is (806)376-2361.

PHARMACISTS WANT TO COUNSEL

NEW YORK (AP) — Pharmacists want to spend more time counseling patients, consulting with doctors and less time filling prescriptions, according to a recent national survey.

The survey, conducted for Hoechst-Roussel Pharmaceuticals, covered 800 independent, chain and hospital pharmacists.

The pharmacists said they spent as little as 25 percent of their time counseling and consulting and nearly three-quarters of their workday filling prescriptions and managing personnel. They said they would like the split to average closer to 50-50.

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The total prize to be awarded will be based on the winner's presentation of actual living expenses to the Chamber of Commerce Office. The amount to be awarded will be more than enough to pay the month's bills for an average family.



Look for your name in the Sunday Brand to see if you've been named as a finalist. All weekly winners will be eligible for the Grand Prize Drawing.

Hagar, Streun attend college preview weekend

BROWNWOOD—Kelby D. Hagar and John M. Streun, both of Hereford, were two of 170 high school students who recently attended "Stringer Daze," a college preview weekend at Howard Payne University in Brownwood.

The students were HPU's special guests for the weekend. Prospective

Yellow Jackets were invited to interview for scholarships, and were treated to a movie, a barbecue, "Popcorn with the President," a football game and a basketball game.

"Stringer Daze" for the 1988 spring semester is scheduled for the weekend of March 11-12. Prospective

students can get further information by writing to the Office of Recruiting, Howard Payne University, Brownwood, TX 76801, or by calling collect (915) 643-1374.

Josze Cardinal Mindszenty of Hungary flew to Rome Sept. 28, 1971, ending 15 years of asylum in the U.S. mission compound in Budapest.



New Officers Elected

Members of the Hereford High School VOCCT (Vocational Office Career Clubs of Texas) recently elected new officers. Seated, from left, are Tammie Pacheco, secretary; Irma Ruiz, president; and Albert Cervantez, reporter. Standing,

from left, are Angel Garza, treasurer, and Angie Garza, vice president. Officers not pictured are Linda Perez, Sgt.-at-arms, and Lilly Garcia, parliamentarian. The club's sponsor is Bill Spies.

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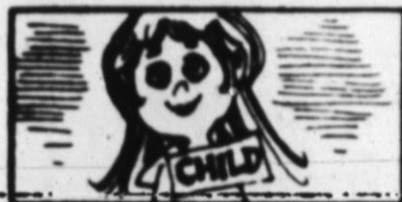
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Margaret Truman's *Murder in the CIA* tells the story of two women, Barrie and Collette, fast friends moving in fast circles. Collette works with the State Department while Barrie is a literary agent in Washington. Acting as a courier for another kind of agency with international interests, Barrie ends up dead.

Wanting to know why, Collette sets out on a quest that is both personal and professional. The search takes her to London; to rendezvous with a Russian informer in Hungary; to friends, family, and strangers in Washington, and the Caribbean. This is a fast moving delightful mystery you will not want to miss.

Miracle Worker by Jack M. Bichkan is set in the small Oklahoma town of Springville. Dr. Max Shrader was known as the miracle worker, a title he took very seriously, perhaps too seriously. Dr. Max wanted to keep being the miracle worker, even if that meant using an unapproved drug. He was satisfied with the results he was getting from Torinol-3 at first, but now no one was happy.

Andra Dover felt she needed some time back home away from the very demanding practice in Maryland and a romance that had gone sour. She wanted to work with Dr. Max again, just be a country doctor and help people. When Andra arrives, she finds the clinic is closed for a funeral. It won't be the first funeral she will attend, but if she isn't careful, her own

may be her last, and soon.

Deadly Blessings by Steve Salerno is the story of troubled Texas aristocrat Price Daniel, Jr. and his death at the hands of the woman from the other side of the tracks. On the evening of Jan. 19, 1981, authorities were summoned to the large house of Price Daniel, Jr. They found a gibbering, hysterical wife in the front hall, three frightened children cowering in a bedroom, and Price shot dead in the kitchen, lying face down in a pool of blood.

After a brilliant early, Price had abandoned all his political ambitions, divorced the debutante who had been the perfect wife, and married a girl from the wrong side of the tracks. Vickie had been a waitress from the local Dairy Queen before she and Price married. Now less than five years later, Vickie Daniel was accused of shooting her famous husband to death.

Steve Salerno interviewed family members, authorities, town officials, friends, and Vickie to piece together this mesmerizing chronicle.

Other books on the new book list this week are: *A World Too Wide* by Gregory McDonald; *Alice in La-La Land* by Robert Campbell; and Carson, a biography by Johnny Carson.

Hawaii

The first European to visit the Hawaiian Islands was British Captain James Cook in 1778, but Polynesians from islands 2,000 miles to the south beat the explorer by about 1,000 years. Missionaries from New England arrived in 1820, teaching religion, reading and writing. Sugar production, which was to become the islands' dominant industry, started in 1835.

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MONDAY
 AA meets Monday through Friday, 406 W. Fourth St., 5:30 p.m. and Tuesday through Saturday, 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.
 Ladies exercise class, Church of the Nazarene, 6:30 p.m.
 Civil Air Patrol- U.S. Air Force Auxiliary, Community Center, 7 p.m.

TUESDAY
 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, 6:30 p.m.
 Kids Day Out, First United Methodist Church, 9 a.m. until 4 p.m.
 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.

Free women's exercise class, aerobics and floorwork, Community Church, 7:30 p.m.
 Free blood pressure screening, Tuesday through Friday, South Plains Health Providers Clinic, 603 Park Ave., 8:30 a.m. until 5 p.m.
 Hereford AMBUCS Club, Ranch House, noon.
 Social Security representative at courthouse, 9:15 a.m. until 11:30 a.m.
 Kiwanis Club of Hereford - Golden K, Senior Citizens Center, noon.
 St. Anthony's Women's Organization, Antonian Room, 8 p.m.
 Hereford Riders Club, 8 p.m.
 Hereford Young Homemakers Club, 7:30 p.m.
 Alpha Alpha Preceptor Chapter, Beta Sigma Phi Sorority, 7:30 p.m.
 Hereford Ministerial Association, Hereford State Bank, Community

Room, 10 a.m.
 Advisory Board of Hereford Satellite Work Training Center, Caison House, noon.
 San Jose Women's Organization, San Jose Catholic Church, 7 p.m.
 American Legion and Auxiliary, Legion Hall, 7:30 p.m.
 La Aflatus 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 Sorority, 7:30 p.m.
 Toujours Amis Study Club, 7 p.m.

WEDNESDAY
 Noon Lions Club, Community Center, noon.
 Young at heart program, YMCA, 9 a.m. until noon.
 United Methodist Women of First United Methodist Church, executive meeting at 10 a.m. in church library, followed by general meeting in Ward Parlor at 10:30 a.m. and covered dish luncheon at noon in fellowship hall.
 United Presbyterian Women's Association, lunch at the church.
 Draper Extension Homemakers Club, noon.
 Knights of Columbus at KC Hall, 8 p.m.

THURSDAY
 San Jose prayer group, 735 Brevard, 8 p.m.
 Weight Watchers, Community Church, 6:30 p.m.
 Kids Day Out, First United Methodist Church, 9 a.m. until 4 p.m.
 Ladies exercise class, Church of the Nazarene, 6:30 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 hour at library, 10 a.m.
 VFW-VFW clubhouse, 8 p.m.
 BPOE Lodge at Elks Hall, 8:30 p.m.
 Summerfield Study Club, 2:30 p.m.
 Camp Fire Leaders Association, Camp Fire Lodge, 7:30 p.m.
 National Association of Retired Federal Employees, Hereford Senior Citizens Center, 1 p.m.
 Hereford Child Care providers, 7:30 p.m.

Bud to Blossom Garden Club, 9:30 a.m.
 Elketts, 8 p.m.
 American Association of Retired Persons, Community Center, 7 p.m.
 L'Allegria Study Club, 10 a.m.
 Alpha Iota Mu Chapter of Beta Sigma Phi Sorority, 8 p.m.
 North Hereford Extension Homemakers Club, 2:30 p.m.
 Wyche Extension Homemakers Club, 2:30 p.m.
 Bay View Study Club, 2 p.m.

Merry Mixers Square Dance Club, Community Center, 8 p.m.
FRIDAY
 Kiwanis Whiteface Breakfast Club, 6:30 a.m.
 Community Duplicate Bridge Club, Community Center, 7:30 p.m.
 Garden Beautiful Club, 9:30 a.m.
 Hereford Senior Citizens governing board 2 p.m. and business meeting at 3 p.m. at the Senior Citizens Center.
 Patriarchs Militant and Ladies

Auxiliary, IOOF Hall, 8 p.m.
 VFW Auxiliary Post 4818, Christmas party, Post Home, 7:30 p.m.
SATURDAY
 Seventh Annual Festival of Arts and Crafts, sponsored by Wesley Methodist Church, Hereford Community Center, 9 a.m. until 5 p.m.
 Open gym for all teens, noon to 6 p.m. on Saturdays and 2-5 p.m. Sundays at Church of the Nazarene.

SUNDAY
 La Madre Mia Study Club's 17th annual Holiday Tour of Homes from 2-5 p.m. Tour homes include Rick and Sharon Lloyd, 110 Redwood; Raul and Sara Pesina, 108 Quince; and Garth and Susie Merrick, three miles east of Hereford. Refreshments will be served at the Deaf Smith County Museum. Tickets are priced at \$2 and may be purchased from any club member or at the door of any of the homes or museum.

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Ham gives demonstration to Hereford Study Club

Priscilla Ham presented a program for members of Hereford Study Club when the group met recently in the home of Doris Bryant for their November meeting.
 Ham demonstrated how wool and cotton are taken from the natural state and cleaned and carded for spinning and weaving. She distributed samples of raw wool, cleaned and dyed wool, and dog hair from her pet, that can be carded with the wool, spun and woven into material such as mohair is used. She also demonstrated spinning thread on a wheel.
 Ham described the loom as the first computer in that the loom has to be programmed to the pattern to be woven just as a computer is programmed to perform its functions. Loom programming is referred to as warping the loom. She displayed a weaving that her husband had started on the loom and then wove several strands to show the technique.
 During the business session with

President Virginia Winget presiding, the club voted to make two \$50 donations to the foster children's fund and Christmas Stocking Fund.
 Those present included Jean Ballard, Barbara Allen, Morgan Cain, Elizabeth Cesar, Addie Cunningham, Mildred Garrison, Gracie Shaw, Helen Spinks, Bessie Story, Inez Witherspoon, Joan Yarbrow, Leta Kaul, Winget, Bryant and Gladys Seiff.

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Ann Landers

DEAR READERS: The following letter is from Sens. Bill Bradley (D-N.J.), Robert T. Stafford (R-Vt.) and Congressman Leon E. Panetta (D-Calif.):

DEAR ANN LANDERS: In your column recently it became apparent that a great many people are under the impression that New Mexico is a foreign country. The situation is worse than that. Ninety-five percent of some of our brightest college students cannot locate Vietnam on a world map.

In January a survey of 5,000 high school seniors was conducted in eight major cities. The results could not be more depressing. In Boston, 39 percent of these students could not name the six New England states. In the Minneapolis-St. Paul area, 63 percent could not name all seven continents. In Hartford, 48 percent could not name three countries in Africa. In Dallas, 25 percent could not identify the country that borders the United States to the south.

A survey conducted by the Washington Post and CBS revealed that 63 percent of the Americans questioned could not name the two nations involved in the SALT talks.

We have introduced a resolution to the U.S. Senate and the U.S. House of Representatives to declare the week of Nov. 15-21, 1987, as Geography Awareness Week. While designation of a week won't solve the problem, it will, we hope, help draw attention to the need to improve our knowledge of geography. — Sincerely yours, Senator Bill Bradley (D-N.J.), Senator Robert T. Stafford (R-Vt.), Congressman Leon E. Panetta (D-Calif.)

GENTLEMEN: Thank you for letting me know. I am pleased to print your letter as another reminder that we must not neglect the subjects that are essential if we are to be an informed, functional nation.

Since you wrote to me and the time this column went to press, the resolution was passed unanimously by the House and Senate and signed into law by the president. Cheers!

DEAR ANN LANDERS: Every now and then you have a letter in your column from someone who is having a fight with a relative. You always say something stupid such as, "Find a middle ground and resolve the problem. Family rifts that go unattended make everyone uncomfortable."

Obviously, Ann, you have never had to deal with an impossible relative. If you had been through the mill you wouldn't come up with those dumb platitudes. Every time you take on the role of peacemaker my husband shoves your column in my face and says, "See, look at what Ann says."

The thorn in my side (if you haven't guessed) is my mother-in-law. Even though my husband says she is impossible to get along with he insists that I try to get on her good side. The truth is that she has no good side.

At family gatherings she cuts me dead. The woman will not look at me or speak to me. She got mad because she claims I refused to answer the phone when she called. I said I didn't answer it because it didn't ring. She called me a liar and said I didn't answer it because I knew it was her calling.

After 20 years of this bizarre behavior I have given up. My husband says I should just keep trying. What do you say?—Elaine

DEAR ELAINE: One of my favorite proverbs is: "Be nice to your enemies. It will drive 'em nuts." Enough said.

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Reception set for couple

Mr. and Mrs. J.W. Witherspoon will be celebrating their golden wedding anniversary with a reception from 2-4 p.m. today at the Hereford Senior Citizens Center. Friends and family are invited to attend.

The event will be hosted by the Witherspoon's four daughters: Ginny Reid of Albuquerque, N.M.; Linda McLaulin of Bartow, Fla.; and Gail Richardson and Billie Joe Reiter, both of Hereford. The couple's sons-in-law will also be hosts: Tom McLaulin, Carlton Richardson and Tommy Reiter.

The couple requests that no gifts be brought to the reception.



Taking Applications

There is still time to rent space for the Hereford Rebekah Lodge Christmas Bazaar to be held Dec. 5 from 9 a.m. until 5 p.m. at the IOOF Hall at 205 E. 6th Street. A bake sale, stew luncheon, and displays of crafts will be offered at the event. Proceeds will benefit various charities and a scholarship for a Hereford High School student. Shown taking applications for booths are, from left, Eunice Boyer, Anna Conklin, and Susie Curtsinger.

Juan Rodriguez Cabrillo first sighted the California mainland in 1542.



Festival Scheduled

Lavetha Strange displays two homemade dolls that will be among the numerous crafts items to be featured at the Seventh Annual Festival of Arts and Crafts from 9 a.m. until 5 p.m. Saturday, Dec. 5, at the Hereford Community Center. The event is sponsored by Wesley United Methodist Church. For additional information call Marilyn Bell or Ellen Collins.

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Extension Homemakers News

In 1837, families living in the Republic of Texas had to grow their own grain and grind their own flour. They had to mix their homegrown ingredients to bake their own bread. Today, bread is baked in a computerized bakery, thin-sliced and plastic-bagged and delivered to the local grocery store.

This tribute to hard-working, early Texans is to remind you that

although the bakery can do your bread for you, no one else can do your family. The family is an indispensable part of personal growth and development. It should be encouraged, enlivened, and enhanced. One way to strengthen your family is through planned "Family Time."

Most families today don't spend much uninterrupted time together. Families and family members must

compete with ballgames, chores, television, meetings, school work...

Family Time is based on the idea that each family can benefit from spending time together. Family Time is spent in quality projects, events, and happenings which deepen, enrich and bring joy to family life. Family Time is a planned event which occurs each week.

Family Time doesn't have to be an elaborate or costly event. For example, try a "how-to" night, where family members (especially children and teens) learn some useful new skill, like how to write a check or change a tire. A family service project, such as picking up litter in a park, or baking cookies and sending them to someone, is another type of family time activity; or you can play games, do puzzles or discuss a television program you have watched together. With some thought, your family can think of numerous activities for family time. Be creative in planning Family

Time and allow each family member to share in the planning. Remember, however, that what you do is less important than doing it together.

Educational programs conducted by the Texas Agricultural Extension Service serve people of all ages regardless of socio-economic levels, race, color, sex, religion, handicap, or national origin.

Lodge plans bazaar

A variety of crafts as well as bake sale items will be for sale during the Hereford Rebekah Lodge's annual Christmas Bazaar set from 9 a.m. until 5 p.m. Saturday, Dec. 5, at the IOOF Hall.

A stew luncheon will also be held during the bazaar. Proceeds will be used to benefit various charities and a scholarship for a Hereford High School student.

Senior Citizens

LUNCH MENUS

MONDAY-Italian pork chops with potatoes, vegetables, cranberry salad, roll, chocolate eclairs.

TUESDAY-Swiss steak, green beans, creamy coleslaw, green onions, yeast roll, bread pudding with raisins.

WEDNESDAY-Oven fried chicken,

peas with new potatoes, beets, frosted lime-walnut salad, roll, vanilla pudding with topping.

ACTIVITIES

TUESDAY-Stretch and flexibility, 10-10:45 a.m., Beltone hearing aid 1-4 p.m.

WEDNESDAY-Stretch and flexibility 10-10:45 a.m., ceramics 1:30 p.m.

Military Muster

Marine Lance Cpl. Armando R. Cano, son of Jesus O. and Socorr R. Cano of 413 Ave. C, recently participated in exercise Kernel Blitz 87-2 while serving with 1st Marine Division, Camp Pendleton, CA.

The exercise conducted in Southern California is designed to test Marine Corps and Navy capabilities to embark, deploy, and support ashore a Marine Amphibious Brigade-sized

landing force.

During the exercise Cano also participated in civilian evacuation procedures and conducted inter- and intra-ship training to increase individual unit/ship readiness in all mission areas.

A 1983 graduate of Hereford High School, he joined the Marine Corps in May 1984.



MR. AND MRS. CARL KROPFF

Anniversary celebrated

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Kropff recently celebrated their golden wedding anniversary at a family gathering in their home north of Hereford.

The event was hosted by the couple's children and grandchildren: Stan and Kay Kropff, Brian, Brooke and Phillip of Canyon; David and Rhonda Blaine of Las Vegas, Nev.; Link Kropff of Irving; and Fred and Betty Batterman of Dimmitt. The couple also has two great-granddaughters, Brittanie and Tifaney Blaine of Las Vegas, Nev. The former Pauline Newman and

Carl Kropff were married Nov. 20, 1937, in the parsonage of the First Presbyterian Church in Hereford. They were attended by friends, Glenn and Ann Parker. They operated Clover Airport from 1945-52.

In 1977, Kropff retired from Oswalt Industries. Mrs. Kropff retired in 1979 after 18 years of employment with Piggly Wiggly.

The Kropffs are members of the Whiteface Good Sam Club and enjoy traveling and camping.

Red Cross Update

Special thanks to all of the people that made Thanksgiving special for so many people in Hereford this year. Churches, women's clubs, Young Homemakers Club and Cecil Mabe and his staff at Sirlain Stockade are among the many that helped with food.

Congratulations to Virginia Sims, CPR instructor, and the staff at Westgate Nursing Home. They finished a CPR class this past week. The remaining members of the staff will complete a CPR class next week.

Thanks to Gilbert at Lithographics for his help with a Spanish version of the choking poster. Posters will be available at the Red Cross office.

Applications for the toys program and the Christmas Stocking Fund Assistance are being taken at the Red Cross office. Toys are also being taken at the office in order that volunteers can clean and repair the things before Christmas. A list of names of needy families is being compiled for those wishing to help a family at Christmas.

An extra special thanks goes to all of those volunteers responding to the call for help with the holiday season needs and helping those less fortunate.

The Red Cross is a United Way Agency.



Card of Thanks

We cannot adequately express our appreciation to the people who gave their love and support to us during the time of illness and loss of our loved one. The telephone calls, messages, flowers and food were so helpful. We also thank the doctors and nurses who worked so diligently to care for Doug and their kindness and support of the family.

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The good merchant listed below has agreed to let us set up our Christmas trees on the parking lot. Please come by during regular business hours and select a tree for your home. Oregon Trail Christmas Trees are the best — and that's what your family deserves this Christmas season!

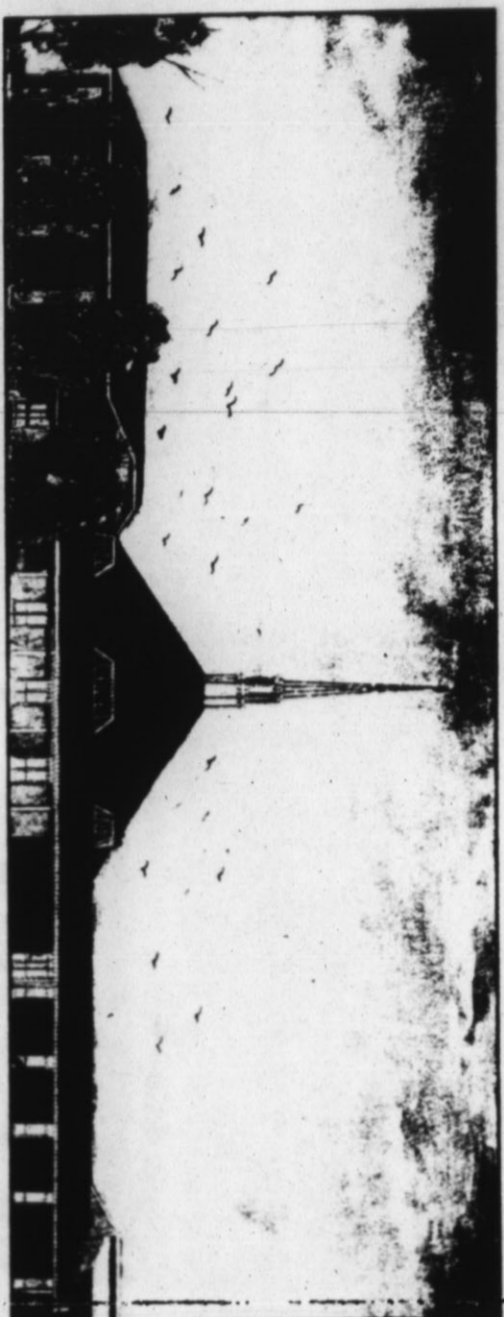
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Church expansion to begin soon

\$860,000 Pledged for Program



Construction will begin soon on the new educational wing and expanded auditorium at the Church of the Nazarene.

The 15,000 square foot building will house the Nazarene Christian Academy and double as Sunday School rooms and other Bible instruction programs. There will also be a choir room and library in the two-story structure.

The new foyer and expanded sanctuary will allow up to 800 to be seated in the existing circular structure. The extra room is desperately needed to provide additional seating for our Sunday Morning Worship Services.

The church is also building a park on the north side of the property. There will be a softball field, outdoor volleyball courts and a covered pavilion for picnics. Additional parking and the grading of Ironwood Street to 15th Street is also being completed.

The good people of the church have committed \$800,000.00 over the next three years to pay for these expenses. God is blessing our people in incredible ways as they obey God. Actually, we are expanding to make room for YOU.

NEW VIEW OF CHURCH-It won't be long until the Church of the Nazarene will be remodeled to look like the artist's conception pictured above. The expansion will include classrooms and a sanctuary which will seat 800 persons. The new educational wing will house the Nazarene Christian Academy and double for Sunday School rooms and other Bible instruction programs.

'HI TOPS'

Fighting peer pressure which confronts our youth is the theme of the drama-musical, "Hi Tops", which will be presented Jan. 29-30. The Good Guy youth will be performing this unique ministry to the community to help Christian teens stand up to pressure. They will also be performing in Dallas, Fort Worth, Oklahoma City, Amarillo and possibly New York.

NEW YEARS EVE WATCH NIGHT

New Years Eve is a special family time as we gather at the church for games and fellowship at 8 p.m. in the fellowship hall and gym. At about 11:30 p.m. the church enters the sanctuary for a time of praise and prayer to bring in the New Year in the right way. 1988 is a year filled with much promise for God's people. Bring your favorite finger food or leftovers and join us on New Years Eve.

Regular Schedule of Services

SUNDAY
9:30 a.m. SUNDAY SCHOOL
10:40 a.m. PRAISE AND WORSHIP SERVICE
6:00 p.m. EVENING WORSHIP

WEDNESDAY
7:00 p.m. LIFE PROGRAM FOR THE YOUTH, CARAVANS FOR THE CHILDREN, ADULT CHOIR, ADULT BIBLE STUDY



WHAT'S UP IN DECEMBER

- 3-6 Revival services with Stephen Manley
- 7 Good Guys host Big Brothers-Big Sisters Christmas Party
- 12-14 'From the Cradle to the Cross' Christmas Cantata
- 15 Nazarene Christian Academy Auction
- 19 Children's Christmas Party
- 20 Christmas Service and Children's Program during the morning service, Candlelight service during the evening service with caroling to follow
- 22 Nazarene Christian Academy dismissed for holidays
- 23 Services dismissed
- 25 Christmas Day
- 31 Watch Night Services and Teen Marathon night

Meet Our Pastors:



BOB HUFFAKER



TED TAYLOR

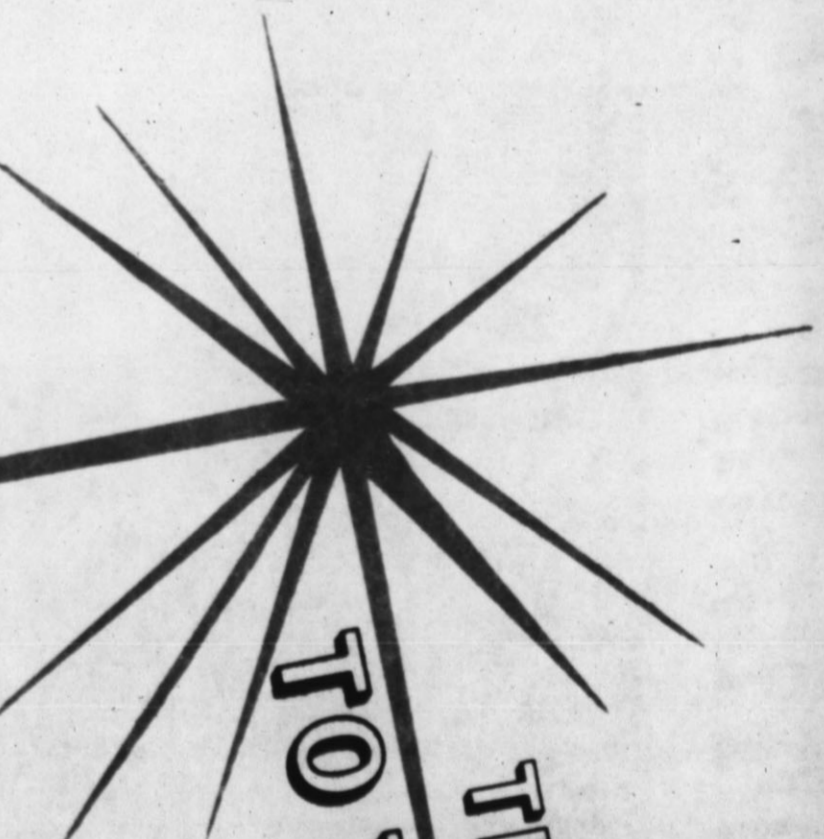


JEFF LOVE

December 20 will begin Brother Bob's 12th year as pastor of the Hereford Church of the Nazarene. The people of this community have a special place in his heart. He is a people person. His friendly personality and down-to-earth style of preaching has made him effective among West Texas people. God has used him to lead the church in rapid growth during his pastorate.

Reverend Ted Taylor serves as youth pastor. Most people don't think of him as a reverend because they see him on the fields, in the classrooms and wherever teens gather. His goal is not just to minister to Nazarene teens but to bring Jesus Christ in a real way into every young person's world. Ted has given eight years of his life to reaching the hurting young people of this community.

Jeff Love is a music director with a pastor's heart. Jeff leads one of the most exciting music programs involving children, youth, adults, and senior adults. There is a place for everyone to be involved. Jeff has a special gift from God to lead people in praise and worship as well as his great talent for writing music. He is also very active leading the music program for the Hereford Senior Citizens.



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THE HOLY FAMILY—Witness the live Nativity through the musical production of "From the Cradle to the Cross". The program was written by our music director, Jeff Love.

EXPERIENCE IT—The Christ who is the same yesterday, today and forever. Walk with us through the marketplace of Bethlehem during the reign of King Herod at the time of Christ's birth. Pass through tents of normal shepherds with their live sheep and goats. Feel the excitement as merchants peddle their wares to passersby. Witness God's revealing plan of love from creation to the cradle and onto the cross. Your heart will be stirred as you experience the emotions felt by the timeless characters of the familiar story of Christ's birth. This musical/drama will be climaxed with the reality that Jesus Christ is alive and ruling the lives of those who allow Him. That's the great promise of Christmas.

There is something good for youth

Barney does the really good stuff get noticed but there are some tremendous things going on among many of the young people in this town. They are Making A Difference in their world. It may seem small but little by little you wait, you watch, and you'll see.

Denise White spends countless hours of her week listening to teens problems, praying, and sharing God's Word with them. Lee Young has been instrumental in leading a small group of football players in Bible reading and prayer before and after practice. Brian Stanaland uses his talent for playing the drums and performing in traveling Christian groups and recording Christian albums. He also leads the Herford High Student Council in

programs such as the Drug Awareness Program last month. Jeff Malone has changed his life in the past few months. He has given up alcohol which was controlling his life. In countless other situations, many of the youth from The Good Guys Youth Ministries are taking a stand. Week after week, 150 plus teens come to the weekly youth rally called "L.I.F.E." There they are greeted with love and acceptance. Each

week's program is full of fun things to draw their interest and God's Word which will change their hearts. The Good Guys are made up of young people from all over town and many different church backgrounds. Everyone is welcome and no one is pressured. We want to teach about Jesus Christ not about our denomination. It is Jesus who can change their lives and give them the courage to stand up against the peer pressures of the world.

'Little People's' Church Committed to Children

Children are people too; and we are committed to ministering to them and their needs! Sunday School is a super time of teaching the right foundation in the "Word" to our children. Each Sunday our kids are met by a lay minister who feeds a burden to reach out to the hearts and should of the children through biblical truths. Sunday School is also a great time of fellowship with peers in a Christian atmosphere.

Three Sunday mornings a month we have "Little People's" church during the regular service time. The children meet during this time in the fellowship hall for a service of their area of life.

FROM CRADLE TO CROSS—A new billboard has been erected to inform the public of upcoming programs of interest to the community. The first production will be Saturday-Monday, Dec. 12-14.



CAN FOOD DRIVE—Good Guy teens are collecting food for needy families during the Christmas season.

Children's Program Featured Dec. 20

Christmas Sunday, Dec. 20, will be highlighted by a Children's program featuring over 100 boys and girls in a special 10 a.m. service. Lots of old fashioned songs, scriptures, and skits will bring you the Christmas spirit!

Academy offers balanced education

Ninety-three students are enjoying a good year at Nazarene Christian Academy. Number one on the list of reasons for success is the spiritual emphasis of the school. Each morning the staff meets for prayer. They pray for each other and for wisdom to meet the needs of every student throughout the day. Where special needs exist, united prayer goes up for these needs. Also, the first 30 minutes of each day in the classroom is devoted to Bible study and prayer.

Candle service Set Dec. 20

Join the spirit of Christmas in a beautiful candlelight service to be held Sunday night, Dec. 20. There will be special Christmas music as well as a time of preparing our hearts for celebration of the coming of our Lord.

Following the service there will be a time of food and fellowship for all the church. We will then load up in vehicles for a time of all church caroling. If you would like some carolers at your house or know someone who would enjoy some carolers, please call the church at 364-8300. We want to visit as many shut ins and sick that we can. You are invited to join us for this special service and go Christmas caroling with us.

Slide Show Honors Herd

A multimedia slide program will be shown on Saturday, Jan. 2 at 7 p.m. to honor the youth of our community. This 1000 slide show will feature our teens in many of their fall activities, pep rallies and sports. We are proud

REVIVAL

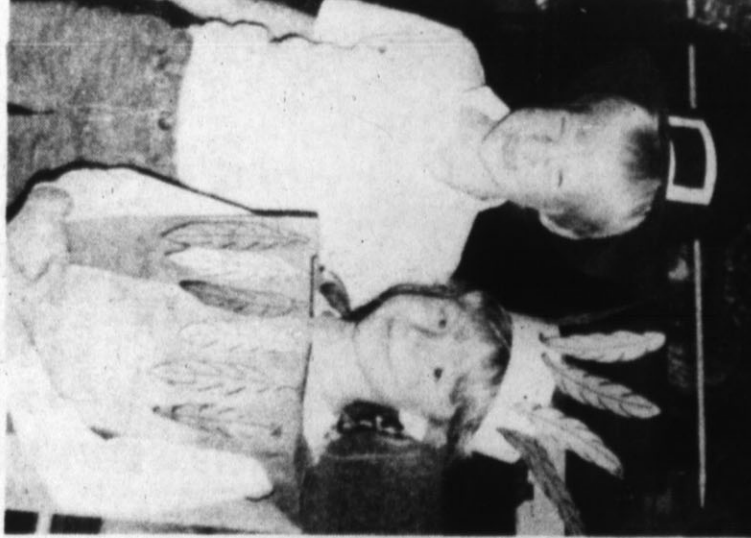


DR. STEPHEN MANLEY

December 3-6

You are invited to hear Reverend Stephen Manley, one of America's greatest preachers, at the Herford Church of the Nazarene for a four day Revival on Thursday - Sunday, Dec. 2-6. Thursday - Saturday services begin at 7 p.m. and Sunday services are at 10:40 a.m. and 6 p.m.

You will be challenged and stirred by his messages from the Word of God. You will also feel the warmth of the Spirit of God from the people. Revival is always a special time of renewing ourselves but this one promises to be tremendous. Whatever your church background, you will feel comfortable to praise God as we worship together. Reverend Manley is one of the most sought after evangelists. His preaching is very straight forward.



PILGRIMS' PROGRESS—NCA's dress in Pilgrim outfits to relive the first Thanksgiving.



INVOLVEMENT is a big part of learning at the Nazarene Christian Academy as these youngsters participate in a project.