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Clements mum on possible TDA veto

AUSTIN (AP) - As lawmakers and others debate whether the Texas agriculture commissioner's job should remain an elected one, Gov. Bill Clements is keeping his opinion to himself.

But with the department up for "sunset" review this year, a gubernatorial veto could eliminate the post.

"The issue is in the Legislature, and the governor wants to see how the process works, how the bill takes shape and hear the debate," Clements

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--Reggie Bashur

spokesman Reggie Bashur said Wednesday.

"He wants to confer with legislators and the agricultural community around the state, and then he'll make his decision," Bashur said. Sources close to Democratic

Agriculture Commissioner Jim Hightower voice confidence that lawmakers will continue the department in the "sunset" review process, which requires periodic legislative endorsement for state agencies.

But they also acknowledge that it could be a fight to find the 100 House votes needed to override Republican Clements should he decide to veto that sunset bill.

"We'd have to get every Democrat and seven Republicans," said one source, who asked that his name not be used.

The Senate was scheduled to consider the sunset bill today, with a House hearing on it slated for early April.

The agriculture commissioner's job isn't written into the Texas Constitution, so elimination of the department could wipe out the post.

The sunset review comes at a time when Hightower, who in January announced his candidacy for reelection to a third term, is under fire on some flanks.

The Texas Farm Bureau, angered by Hightower's plans to sell hormonefree beef to European markets, has called a special meeting for Monday in Waco to discuss abolition of the elected agriculture commissioner's post

Hightower also has been under fire from the Texas and Southwestern Cattle Raisers Association. The Texas Chemical Council has been unhappy over his efforts to toughen pesticide regulation.

Other farm groups have backed Hightower, however, including the Farmers Union and American Agriculture Movement.

In 1987, a Clements-appointed task force recommended abolishing an elected agriculture commissioner's post. Clements "thought the idea had

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merit, but last session it did not move through the legislative process," Bashur said.

Hightower has blamed what he calls 'the Farm Bureau's headquarters gang in Waco" for the criticism, insisting that farmers in the fields stand with him.

The commissioner told lawmakers that chemical companies seek to make the office appointive, calling it an "insidious move" to "allow a few giant corporations to achieve by subterfuge what they have not been able to do at the ballot box, which is to get them an agriculture commissioner owned by them.'

But the governor's spokesman said the controversy now swirling is genuine. 'It's a fact that rural Texas has

some concerns about that (department). The issue that needs to be raised and discussed is what are the concerns and what are the causes of this sentiment? Hightower needs to reflect on that and go out and find out why in rural Texas there is this kind of consensus,' Bashur said.



No worries

Agriculture commissioner Jim Hightower, shown here holding a Texas crawfish during a recent promotion, isn't worried about his department's future.

Bryant will keynote DSEC on Saturday

Patty Bryant, two-term president of the National Rural Electric Women's Association, will be the featured speaker at the 1989 annual meeting of Deaf Smith Electric Cooperative on Saturday at the Bull Barn in Hereford.

Capital credit checks totaling \$400,000 will be returned to members of DSEC who purchased electricity during 1974.



Bryant, of Amarillo, represents the women's group in the Farm Women's Leadership Forum, an idea exchange group including the leaders of other organization including Farm Bureau women, American National Cattlewomen, Associated Milk Producers and the National Wool Growers Association.

Bryant operates a public relations firm and has served as the publicist for the musical drama Texas for the past four years. She is also serving as president of the Panhandle-Plains Historical Museum Auxiliary and tourism chairman of the Amarillo Chamber of Commerce.

Her husband, Robert, is president of Golden Spread Electric Cooperative. They are the parents of a daughter, Cheryl.

The fish, chicken and beef

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Animals make exhibit unique

By ANDREA HOOTEN Staff Writer The usual fare of freaks

lurking around parking lots after dark are receiving some competition.

Since Monday, Show-A-Rama Productions has the shortest, longest, largest and coldest freaks of nature parked outside the Winn's Store at 111 W. Park Ave. and is charging \$2 a person to view these abnormal animals.

The mobile exhibition touts the smallest horse at 24 inches (even though "smallest" may be stretching it a bit), the longest snake stretching to 20 feet, and the largest Salvador water monitor in the United States.

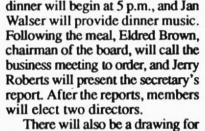
The drawing card is a frozen, 16-ton sperm whale named Willy which is toted around in a refrigerated tractor-trailer rig.



Short order

Geronimo, the 20-foot tall horse, lives behind a sign claiming the miniature horse as the "smallest horse in the U.S." even though his owner admits that claim may be stretching it a little.

Patty Bryant



door-prizes and give-aways for over \$1,000 worth of merchandise.

Local Roundup

School board meets Saturday

A discussion of the Hereford schools' basketball program is among the topics on the Hereford school board's agenda on Saturday, at the school administration building.

the agenda also includes a student hearing; election order and appointment of election clerks and judges; summer school guidelines; election of the ESC board of directors; and funding for the Department of Human Resources.

Woman detained by police

A 28-year-old Memphis, Texas woman was detained by Hereford police on Wednesday at the request of Dimmitt officials. The woman was stopped by a Hereford officer as she drove through town. The suspect agreed to return to Dimmitt where she was charged with aggravated assault with a deadly weapon.

An assault was reported in the 400 block of Ave. E; criminal trespass was reported in the 200 block of Knight; criminal mischief was reported in the 100 block of Nueces; burglary of a building was reported in the 400 block of Moreman with the value of property taken estimated at \$15; assault was reported in the 300 block of Ave. B;

Harassment was reported in the 100 block of Ave. K; burglary of a building was reported in the 700 block of Park Ave.; a theft was reported in the 1100 block of West Park Ave. in which a VCR valued at \$396.96 was taken; another VCR was listed as stolen in a burglary of a residence in the 700 block of Ave. G.;

A theft was reported in the 500 block of North 25 Mile Ave.; an incident involving solicitation was reported in the 100 block of Sunset; a theft was reported in the 100 block of South 25 Mile Ave.; and criminal mischief was reported in the 300 block of Star Street with damage to a vehicle estimated at \$300.

Five citations were issued and no accidents were reported.

Grass fires continue to be a hazard in the area. The Hereford Volunteer Fire Department was called to one grass fire on Holly Sugar toad at 3:56 p.m. and to a second on Austin Road at 9:43 p.m..

County investigates theft

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A theft which was believed to have occurred last month was reported Wednesday to the Deaf Smith County Sheriff's Office. A local rancher from southeast of town was short two head of cattle at shipment.

A man, 19, was arrested on a driving while license suspended commitment; a woman, 32, was arrested on a jail for aggravated assault of a peace officer; a motion to revoke probation lead to the arrest of a 29-year-old male: a man, 23, was arrested on a commitment for a second conviction of no liability insurance; and a 22-year-old male was arrested for theft by check.

Windy, warm weather forecast

Tonight will be partly cloudy with a low of 45. Southwest winds will be 10-20 mph.

Friday will be sunny and windy with a high of 82. West winds will be 15-30 mph and gusty. This morning's low at KPAN was 35 after a high Wednesday of 61.



A shoemaker's dream

This 20-foot snake is one of three exhibits at the Show-A-Rama production at Winn's Store parking lot at 111 W. Park Ave.

"He's been frozen for 22 and a half years," says Walter Thiede, a 25-year-old from Burlington, Colo., who operates the exhibit with his brother, his brother's fiancee and a friend. "We bought the whale from a guy in Lubbock who bought it from a Japanese fishing compa-

"The snake is 20 feet long, but we had a 22-footer that died this winter and he was our longest one. Snakes out here just don't survive."

Survival is the chief reason Thiede and his company travel with the exhibits.

"It gets old and you feel like taking a break, but it keeps you going. You get to see the country. It's like a vacation," says Thiede, a veteran with the traveling exhibit since he was 8.

Show-A-Rama recently finished a stint at Dalhart and plans to pack by Sunday when it will locate another shopping mall parking lot to camp out on.

"Last year, we traveled all up and down the East Coast. This year, we'll spend nine months on the road--the winter in the South and summer in the North, Thiede says.

If the 80-degree and 90degree winter temperatures keep up, Show-A-Rama may be selling thawed sperm whale -cheap.

Long-range forecast: Very dry

WASHINGTON (AP) - Forecasts forecasts - portions of central and are not promising some much-needed rain along the Texas Gulf Coast and the Panhandle as the spring planting season approaches, says the U.S. Department of Agriculture's chief meteorologist.

Forecaster Norton D. Strommen says he is concerned about the Texas situation, and also is closely watching some other dry areas with troubling



'Every farmer needs to continue to practice the most stringent water conservation measures." --Kika de la Garza

western Kansas extending into the Oklahoma Panhandle, and the West Coast, primarily California.

With grain stocks down because of the drought and export demand 'very strong,'' Rep. Kika de la Garza, the chairman of the House Agriculture Committee, said he remains concerned "about those areas that are still deficient in soil moisture for crop production.'

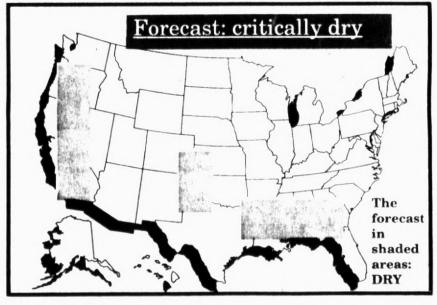
"Every farmer in the affected areas needs to continue to practice the most stringent water conservation measures," said de la Garza, a Mission Democrat, describing portions of Texas as "still under severe drought conditions."

Recent precipitation and promising forecasts show "substantial improvement" from dry conditions elsehwere around the country as the spring planting season nears, Strommen said Wednesday following a briefing with the House Agriculture Committee.

A critically dry pocket of prime farmland - western Illinois, eastern and southern Iowa, and northern Missouri has good prospects for rain, Strommen said.

"We've come a long way in terms of improving soil moisture (since the devastating 1988 drought)," Strommen said. "The signs are very encouraging we will not have that repeated as we approach the planting season. It's a much more encouraging picture than we had any reason to hope for."

Among the trouble spots are the Oklahoma and Texas panhandles and an area of western Kansas, where moisture has been less than 50 percent



of normal throughout the winter months, Strommen said.

He is also concerned about the dryness that has developed along the Gulf Coast, particularly in Texas and a lot to the snowpack situation out extreme southern Florida.

And after a good early season start January and February," Strommen said.

Reservoir levels have been drawn down by last summer's drought, and forecasts indicate it is doubtful soil moisture, but not enough," California will see a significant Strommen said. "It is enough now to addition to its snowpack before the end of the winter rainy season in April, to deep soil moisture reserves. That Strommen said.

"It is an area of great concern to table levels." us at this point. They have already started to restrict some of the water- reservoir levels in the Southeast, use patterns in California," he said. Strommen said.

Although the rains of the last two days were "highly beneficial" in central and northern California to the winter wheat crop, "They did not add there," Strommen said.

Strommen said there is also concern on the "snowpack belt" in the West, some of the shallower wells will not there has been a "sharp drying out in be able to provide adequate water across central portions of the country, including the Oklahoma and Texas panhandles.

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News Digest Bill to delete some furloughs

World/National

MOSCOW - Mikhail S. Gorbachev proposes tackling the food crisis by ending centralized agricultural planning, a bulwark of Stalinism, so farmers are leased land and decide what to plant - and the market determines prices.

SAN SALVADOR, El Salvador - Rebels attack the presidential palace with rockets and battle government troops for a provincial capital in a stepped up campaign to thwart Sunday's presidential election. In the capital, a conservative political analyst is shot to death.

WASHINGTON - Members of the Senate Armed Services Committee predicted unanimous approval of Rep. Dick Chency as defense secretary, with the panel's chairman praising the nominee for "honor and integrity."

WASHINGTON - Terry Anderson begins his fifth year as a hostage today in Lebanon with Bush administration officials reiterating that their policy of making no concessions to his captors is the best course.

CAPE CANAVERAL, Fla. - The space shuttle Discovery, back on full electrical power after a problem with a hydrogen tank was fixed, continued its journey around the Earth today with five astronauts, four rats and 32 fertilized chicken eggs aboard.

WASHINGTON - The Republican Bush administration and the Democratic-controlled Congress are vying furiously to gain credit for helping American families afford satisfactory child care.

NEW YORK - They're twice as likely to die at birth. The survivors have shorter, harsher lives. They have twice the trouble getting jobs, are three times more likely to be poor and will endure more crime and divorces.

UNDATED - Other airlines must honor agreements with strikedevastated Eastern Airlines under an emergency court order, and laborbacked measure won House approval despite resistance by President Bush to intervene in the labor dispute.

State

DALLAS - Federal regulators who have placed troubled MCorp on the auction block say the institution's 25 banks lost \$903 million last year, accounting for almost half of Texas bank losses in 1988.

DALLAS - Thousands of Texas taxing authorities - from school districts to local governments to special service districts - owe the state's banks about \$60 million in tax refunds, an asset the loss-plagued institutions need but are cautious about demanding.

EL PASO - Farah Inc., which has endured doggish stock for several years despite the popularity of its Generra Sportswear, became the object of extremely heavy trading this week after the company revealed separate takeover bids.

AUSTIN - Activist James Williams says he does not know if he will attempt to again launch the rafts that had been used on Town Lake to dramatize the plight of the homeless.

ODESSA - A top official of a company with plans to pump oil through a Midland-to-Los Angeles pipeline denies the firm is in financial trouble that would threaten the \$1.6 billion venture.

SAN ANTONIO - La Mansion Hotel owner Patrick Kennedy has settled his \$7 billion lawsuit with an insurance conglomerate, but in the process had to give up one hotel to keep another.

ANGLETON - A New Jersey woman who allegedly contacted a Texas prison inmate to arrange the slaying of her estranged husband has been

AUSTIN (AP) - Texas prison releasing prisoners. inmates serving terms for capital murder would not be eligible for furloughs under one of several bills filed in the state House and Senate to restrict temporary release of inmates.

"I just felt that the Legislature should have some oversight or establish some parameters over these guildelines," said Rep. Bob Richardson, R-Austin, author of one of the bills.

"I think a lot of people were surprised at how broad the provisions were and the types of people who can be released" on furlough under current state law, Richardson said.

Richardson's bill would place under statute the new rules for furloughs the Texas Board of Corrections adopted in November after uproar about

Gorbachev calls for giving land to farmers

Plan would abolish centralized farming

MOSCOW (AP) - Mikhail S. Gorbachev has proposed solving the crushing food crisis by doing away with centralized agricultural planning and letting farmers lease land, decide what to plant and sell their crops at free-market prices.

The Soviet president said his bold bid to gradually dismantle a bulwark of Stalinism represents "an agrarian policy that will be able to restore the peasant as the master on the land and dependably solve the food problem."

Gorbachev said the amount of grain that rots on its way to market due to inefficiency - 40 million tons - is equal to the amount of grain the country must import.

He told the Communist Party's policy-making Central Committee on Wednesday that the government must give farmers more control over land and crops, and allow market forces to set prices. not set deadlines. The point at issue is the transfer of land and other means of production to the lease-holders, their real control over those means ..." he said. Central Committee approval, which is expected, would put Gorbachev's proposals into effect immediately. Practically, however, replacing the current system with ones that allow farmers to choose and pay for their own seed, equipment and fertilizer will take time.

The bill would remove current language allowing the Texas Board of Corrections to grant furloughs "for any reasonable purpose" and would restrict those purposes, Richardson said.

It also would require violent offenders to be accompanied by an armed guard while on furlough and would assess the cost to the inmate, Richardson said.

Currently, the TDC does not have work-release programs. Emergency furloughs are granted for the critical illness or death of an inmate's immediate family member. Those furloughs are supervised.

"Appropriate reason" furloughs are granted for "rehabilitative needs," such as family visits, personal business,

health or other matters, and are limited to seven days. These are not escorted or supervised.

Under the TDC guidelines, inmates applying for appropriate reason furlough must: be within 6 months of parole eligibility; not have a felony or U.S. Immigration detainer; not have a sexual offense history; not have a current drug offense or record as a repeat drug offender, dealer or manufacturer.

Previously, there was no exclusion for felony warrants or immigration detainers; no requirement of sexual offense history; and the drug offense section was broad.

The program has had great success, according to TDC officials, who can recall no heinous crimes committed recently by inmates on furlough. Bills filed by Sen. J.E. "Buster"

Brown, R-Lake Jackson, and Rep. Dalton Smith, R-Houston, contain similar changes.

Public concern about furloughed prisoners peaked after national news stories last year about Willie Horton, a Massachusetts prison inmate who raped and assaulted a Maryland couple while on furlough.

Republicans campaigning for President Bush used the incident to say then-Democratic candidate Gov. Michael Dukakis of Massachusetts was soft on crime.

Texas Republican Gov. Bill Clements, who was Bush's campaign leader here, immediately called for examination of the Texas furlough program, which turned out to be less stringent in some ways than the Massachusetts system.



Kiwanian of the Month

Bobby Owen, left, accepts a coffee mug from Hereford Noon Kiwanis President Darwin McGill signifying Owen's service to the club. Owen was named Kiwanian of the Month for February.

arrested in a murder-for-hire investigation, authorities said.

SOUTH PADRE ISLAND - Christian outreach ministers eager to spread the Gospel during spring break have taken the Town of South Padre Island to federal court over an ordinance banning distribution of literature on the beaches.

Today in History

By The Associated Press

Today is Thursday, March 16, the 75th day of 1989. There are 290 days left in the year.

Today's highlight in history:

On March 16, 1968, the My Lai Massacre took place during the Vietnam War as U.S. troops commanded by Lieutenant William L. Calley Jr. carried out the killings of unarmed men, women and children.

On this date:

In 1521, Portuguese navigator Ferdinand Magellan reached the Philippines, where he was killed by natives the following month.

In 1751, James Madison, the fourth president of the United States, was born in Port Conway, Va.

In 1802, Congress authorized the establishment of the U.S. Military Academy at West Point, N.Y.

In 1827, the first newspaper edited for and by blacks, "Freedom's Journal," was published in New York.

In 1836, the Republic of Texas approved a constitution.

In 1850, Nathaniel Hawthorne's "The Scarlet Letter" was published.

In 1915, the Federal Trade Commission was organized.

In 1935, Adolf Hitler scrapped the Treaty of Versailles.

In 1945, during World War II, Iwo Jima was declared secured by the Allies.

In 1966, the "Gemini Eight" spacecraft docked with an Agena rocket while in orbit. The mission was marred when a maneuvering rocket on Gemini malfunctioned, forcing an emergency landing.

In 1978, Aldo Moro, one of Italy's most influential politicians, was kidnapped and later killed by left-wing urban guerrillas.

In 1982, socialite Claus Von Bulow was found guilty in Newport, R.I., of charges he tried to kill his now-comatose wife, Martha, with insulin. Von Bulow was acquitted in a retrial.

In 1983, radio and television star Arthur Godfrey died of emphysema and pneumonia at the age of 79.

In 1985, Terry Anderson, chief Middle East correspondent for The Associated Press, was abducted by gunmen in Beirut, Lebanon. He remains one of several American hostages who are still missing.



Leasing experiments have been going on for a year, but approval of the plan would make leasing standard rather than the exception.

Gorbachev called food shortages "our society's biggest wound." Meat, sugar and many other foodstuffs must be rationed in numerous Soviet regions.

In an acknowledgement that one of his earlier attempts to rejuvenate Soviet agriculture had failed, Gorbachev proposed abolishing a superagency created in 1985 to oversee the farm sector.

Pictures highlight Earth's scars

CAPE CANAVERAL, Fla. (AP) "Let us not fix assignments, let us - Discovery's astronauts, working again at full electrical power, focused cameras on Earth's wounds today to probe the scars of man's pollution and nature's violence.

Flying upside down 180 miles high, the five-man crew captured thousands of views of Earth with television, motion picture and standard cameras. Some of the film will be edited into a study of ecological trouble spots, areas where pollution or forest clearing have left environmental wounds.

Discovery's crew pre-empted the usual wake-up call from Mission Control today with tape recordings of their own. They ended their eight-hour sleep by radioing to Earth the theme music from "Star Trek," the famed television series on space travel.

Then, the recorded voice of William Shatner, who played Capt. Kirk in "Star Trek," sent congratulations to Mission Control.

"Discovery," responded a Mission Control communicator, "tell Scotty to beam me up."

A rousing medley of school songs

from the alma maters of the crew members was the official wake up sound from Mission Control.

The tape included "Anchor's Aweigh" for Naval Academy graduates Michael L. Coats, James A. Buchli and Robert C. Springer; "Wild Blue Yonder" for Air Force Academy graduate John E. Blaha, and the Drexel University fight song for Dr. James P. Bagian, a physican who carned a bachelor's degree from the Philadelphia school.

Their fourth day in orbit was the first with a trouble-free electrical power supply system. On Wednesday, they followed special operating instructions from Mission Control to correct an erratic flow from a hydrogen tank that supplies reactant to chemical power generators on the shuttle.

Flow from the tank became troublesome shortly after Discovery was launched Monday and Mission Control feared that fuel from the tank would not be available for use. Engineers asked the astronauts to dim lights and turn off computers, and said the fiveday mission could be cut short a day

if the problem wasn't corrected. The fuel cells on the shuttle combine hydrogen and oxygen to make electricity and pure water.

Discovery became an orbiting movie studio for part of today. The astronauts were using a 70mm camera to take high fidelity pictures of environmental targets on Earth for a joint project of the Smithsonian Institution and the National Aeronautics and Space Administration.

Photo targets included a coral reef being destroyed by pollution off east Africa, the scars left by fires in Florida's Everglades and the forests of the western United States, areas of deforestation in South Americas and an active volcano in Guatamala.

"We got plenty of shots of Florida," Bagian reported. "And we got some very good pictures of Hawaii."

The astronauts also aimed cameras at Indonesian volcanos, the Great Barrier Reef off Australia, the Andes Mountains in South America, the Aswan Dam in Egypt and the Baja California portion of Mexico.

New statistics assert life tough for members of black community

as likely to die at birth. The survivors have shorter, harsher lives. They have twice the trouble getting jobs, are three times more likely to be poor and will endure more crime and divorces.

In an America that is far from colorblind, the quality of life for blacks is getting worse in some areas from cradle to grave, according to recent studies detailing gaps between blacks and whites.

"There are still deep inequalities between the races," said Billy Tidwell, director of research for the National Urban League in Washington. "The nation cannot allow such a significant part of its citizenry to experience such lisadvantages."

The cheerless picture for blacks, reinforced in a report released Wednesday by the U.S. Department of Health and Human Services, can

begin before birth. Of 1,000 black babies born in 1984, 18.4 died before they were a year old. The mortality rate for white babies was Of 1,000 black babies born in 1984, 18.4 died before they were a year old. The mortality rate for white babies was 9.4 per 1,000 births, according to the National Centers for Disease Control. A black baby is three times more likely as a white one to be born to a

NEW YORK (AP) - They're twice mother who had no prenatal care, likely to die at birth. The survivors according to a 1989 study by the Urban League. A black male teenager is six times as likely as a white to be

killed, the study said. "Millions of black children today live in a desolate world where physical survival is a triumph, where fear and hopelessness reign, and where the future holds no promises and few opportunities," said Marian Wright Edelman, president of the Children's

Defense League. A black child born in 1986 can expect to die six years sooner than a white child, according to the U.S. Census Bureau. Life expectancy among whites rose from 75.3 years to 75.4 years between 1984 and 1986. For blacks, the number dropped from 69.7 to 69.4.

The poverty rate for blacks in 1986 was 31.1 percent, compared with the 11 percent fate for whites, the Census

according to the National Committee for Full Employment.

The median black family income was \$17,604 compared with \$30,809 for whites, according to the Urban League. That same year, 44.2 percent of black families had incomes of less than \$10,000, more than triple the rate for whites.

In black families, single women are more apt to be in charge. Black males have the highest death

rates from accidents to violence of any thnic group with 153 per 100,000. The white rate is 98.6 per 100,000, according to a 1984 Urban League report.

The divorce rate among blacks jumped from 45 per 1,000 marriages in 1960 to 178 per 1,000 marriages in

in 1960 to 178 per 1,000 marriages in 1981. White couples divorced at the rate of 27 per 1,000 in 1960 and 82 per 1,000 in 1981, the report said. "Black males run a deadly gauntlet of dangers that cause a steady attrition in the number of men who can support families," said James McGhee, an Urban League researcher.

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Lifestyles

Energy Education Week set

March 17-24 has been designated as Energy Education Week at Hereford High School. The school will participate in the National Energy Education program, which seeks to "enlighten students, teachers, and their communities regarding issues and alternatives in the use of energy, providing an awareness of the significance of energy in our culture." Presenting the proclamation commemorating the special week to Mayor Wes Fisher are, from left, HHS senior Albert Cervantez, juniors Cara Printz, Nikki Hutson, and Dulari Parikh.

Reception honors Carthel on 90th birthday

Approximately 85 guests ttended a reception honoring Mrs. Ethel Carthel's 90th birthday Sunday, March 12, at the Hereford Senior Citizens Center.

Hosting the event were the Deen) Haberman of Henrietta. honoree's daughters, Mrs. Dewayne (Linda) Howard of Dewey, Okla., Mrs. James A. (Lydia) Wyly of Friona and Mrs. Vernon (Ernes

egion to celebrate

Legion Auxiliary Unit No. 192 met in regular session Tuesday at the American Legion Hall with Presi-dent Troyce Hanna presiding. Joan Coupe of the Hereford

Travel Center presented a program for senior citizens.

Auxiliary members were reminded of the American Legion's 70th birthday party celebration for April 4.

Members of the American planned at 7 p.m. Tuesday, March 21 in the hall. Members were asked to bring a salad or vegetable dish. Meat, drinks and breads will be furnished.

> It was also announced that a zone meeting is planned at the Legion Home April 20.

The next regular meeting is set

Mrs. Carthel was born in Grayson County March 13, 1899, and came to West Texas in 1961. She has been a member of the Church of Christ for 75 years and is a charter member of the Hereford Senior Citizens Association having served as secretary of the association for two years. She also served on the association's board of directors. She was married in 1982 to the late Wayne Carthel.

Additional family members include six grandchildren; a greatgrandchild; eight step-children; 21 step-grandchildren; and 18 stepgreat-grandchildren.

Public invited to attend genealogy seminar

Society and the Amarillo Stake of The Church of Jesus Christ of Latter-day Saints will co-sponsor a the Amarillo Stake Center, 5401 Bell.

Members of the public are welcome to attend the all-day session which will include a separate beginners class as well as classes on such topics as use of census records and genealogical photography.

The sessions will be taught by trained genealogists including

TODAY'S QUOTE: "I headed North full of a hazy notion that life could be lived with dignity, that the personalities of others should not be violated, that men should be able to confront other men without fear or shame" - Richard Wright.

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The Amarillo Genealogical Sylvia Murry of Amarillo, an to cover the cost of materials. accredited genealogist with 17 years of teaching experience.

The seminar will be held from 9 genealogy seminar on Saturday at a.m. until 4 p.m. with an hour break for lunch (on your own). Participants may take six one-hour classes

Advance registration is preferred but will be accepted at 8:30 a.m. the day of the seminar.

For additional information or to register, call Murry at (806) 359-1012.

Registration forms are available A \$5 registration fee is requested at the Deaf Smith County Library.

St. Anthony's Women's Organization **BEAN SUPPER**

Friday, March 17th 6:00 - 8:00 p.m. St. Anthony's Cafeteria

Proceeds are for the Antonian Room





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Sports

Ryan has good chance at 5,000 K's

PORT CHARLOTTE, Fla. (AP) -Nolan Ryan no longer makes predictions because it's the one aspect in baseball at which he's been a complete failure.

He never thought he'd be throwing he never thought he'd be within reach said the man who owns 4,775 his fast ball 98 miles per hour in his 22nd season.

He never thought he'd have a

of 300 victories. And now?

'I've been wrong so many times chance to record 5,000 strikeouts and that I no longer make predictions,"

YMCA gymnasts compete

The Hereford YMCA held a gymnastics meet recently. Participants in the meet included (top row, from left) Dawn DeBord, Brandy Wall, Jason Eades and Kyla Matthews; (second from top) April Ford, Rachel Bezner, Eric Wilcox, Holly Schilling, Jane Park, Lauren Caviness and Jacque Bezner; (third from top) Spencer Caviness, Annie Hoffman, Nicole Clark, Jontal High, Erin Louder, Katie Cardinal and Harrison Hoffman; (bottom row) Terri Debord, Jennifer Jones, Holly Weishaar and Robin McMorries.

strikeouts and 273 victories.

"I feel 5,000 strikekouts is a realistic number now," Ryan said. "I never really make things a goal for myself until they are achieveable. If I stay healthy this year and pitch 225plus innings, I've got a shot at it."

Ryan, 42, passed a test of his injured hamstring Wednesday when he pitched four scoreless innings and was the winning pitcher in a 4-1 exhibition victory over Detroit.

Ryan raised concerns in his spring debut Saturday when he left after one inning with a slight hamstring pull.

But he pitched batting practice without problems on Monday and threw 61 pitches, striking out three and walking none on Wednesday.

Now he's back on track for the start of the season. If he pitches in the second game as anticipated, he'll again be facing the Detroit Tigers.

"If my leg had tightened up again, I'd would have had to re-think what I'd have to do to get ready. I need to stay in the rotation.'

Ryan, who owns or shares 41 major league pitching records, also says there's a chance he could win 300 games

"There are so many factors that are involved in that--whether we score runs," said Ryan, a victim of non-run support during his career with the Houston Astros.

"But with the designated hitter I'll get more decisions thanin the National League where you are out of a lot of games for a pinchhitter in six or seven innings."

Ryan also exited games early with the Astros because of a 110-pitch limit imposed on Ryan by former General Manager Dick Wagner.

"Everybody has a pitch limit but I don't think it's a magical number." Ryan said. "I think when you lock yourself in on a certain number of pitches, it causes a lot of problems." Ryan protested the pitch limit he

faced with the Astros. 'It caused us problems in 1986 with the Astros," Ryan said. "There were a lot of times that (former manager) Hal Lanier wanted to let me go one more inning so he wouldn't have to use a pitcher and then go to a pinchhitter.

"He'd end up having to use two pitchers out of the bull pen when he could have used one.'

Rangers Manager Bobby Valentine has indicated he'll give Ryan a more flexible limit between 110 and 140 pitches.

"Sometimes a pitcher can go over the limit to get out of an inning," Valentine said. "But if his limit is 130 pitches and he's got 123 going into the next inning, a lot of times he won't be back out there.'

Ryan played for the Astros nine seasons and intended to finish his career there.

But a contract disagreement with owner John McMullen opened the door to other teams and the Rangers stepped through with a \$1.6 million offer for this season and an option for 1990.

"Everything is positive around here," Ryan said. "That's nice. It will lead to a fun year."

state GG tourney Ruiz at

Jaime Ruiz of Hereford will box in Cook, the 1989 ABF state champion, the semifinals of the State Golden in the bantamweight (119 lbs.) Gloves Tournament on Friday in Fort semifinals. Worth.

Ruiz said his goal is to turn Ruiz, a 13-year veteran of Golden professional after this weekend's Gloves competition, will face Eddie competition.



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Duke ready for 'Late Show' **By The Associated Press**

For second-seeded Duke, its firstround meeting with South Carolina State in the NCAA East regional is just another chapter of the "Late Show."

The Blue Devils tip off against 15th-seeded South Carolina State tonight at the Greensboro Coliseum at 9:37 EST - the eighth time this season they've started a game at 9 p.m. or later.

"I think we've played more nine o'clock games than not," Duke guard Quin Snyder said. "It seems like as many games as ESPN wants to televise, we've had to play."

At least the Blue Devils will be on familiar - if not friendly - ground. Duke's campus is about an hour from the Coliseum, but five busloads of of drug testing."

South Carolina State students are making the trip to Greensboro and the school's president closed the university a day early for spring break. "He figured that so many students

would come up here and that they're not going to come back, so he closed the school," South Carolina State guard Daryll Gilmore said.

Even if the Blue Devils, ranked ninth nationally, win, they will be a little weary for their second-round game. The winner gets to play the first game Saturday, beginning just after noon.

"That just doesn't make sense to me," Duke coach Mike Krzyzewski said. "If we win, we won't get out of here until 1:30 in the morning because

Also in the East, Kansas State meets meet Minnesota, Siena plays 13th-ranked Stanford and No. 17 West Virginia faces Tennessee prior to the Duke-South Carolina State contest.

Twelve other first-round games are scheduled today.

No. 1 Arizona, banished to Boise, Idaho, from its home in Tucson because of a new policy that keeps teams off their home courts whenever possible, takes on Robert Morris in the opening round of the West regional. Also in Boise, St. Mary's plays Clemson; Memphis State plays DePaul and No. 15 Nevada-Las Vegas plays Idaho, which will have the advantage

of being the local favorite. In the Southeast at Nashville, Tenn., No. 4 Oklahoma faces East Tennessee

State, LaSalle faces Louisiana Tech; facing Princeton in the East regional Virginia meets Providence and No. 16 Florida State plays Middle Tennessee State, another underdog playing near home.

The Midwest regional opens at Indianapolis with No. 3 Illinois, the top seed, taking on McNeese State; Arkansas playing Loyola-Marymount; No. 12 Louisville taking on Arkansas-Little Rock and No. 18 Ball State playing Pitt.

Sixteen more first-round games are on tap Friday, including No. 2 Georgetown, the remaining top seed,

at Providence, R.I.

The Blue Devils, who spent most of the first half of the season ranked No. 1 in the nation, come off a 77-74 loss to No. 5 North Carolina in the final of the Atlantic Coast Conference Tournament.

"We've won some decent games but we've got nothing to show for it," Snyder said.

In the first of the evening games at Greensboro, Tennessee, 19-10, faces West Virginia, whose 25-4 record included a 22-game winning

streak. The Mountaineers were upse by Penn State in the Atlantic 10 semifinals, but Coach Gale Catlett said the loss might not have been such a bad thing.

"I'm not a superstitious guy and I'm not one to think that a loss helps our team, but at the same time if there was any kind of silver lining from that it could be that we did get some rest," Catlett said. "The last 12 days of the season we were on the road for 11 of them. We played four game in eight days, and that tends to wear on a team a little bit."

Spiders' treys outgun Temple in NIT opener

By BOB GREENE AP Sports Writer

The Richmond Spiders demonstrated a mathematical truth: threes add up quicker than twos.

Richmond sank a school record 10 of 17 shots from 3-point range Wednesday night as the Spiders ball," Temple coach John Chaney defeated the cold-shooting Temple said. "They made the best use of the Owls 70-56 in a first-round NIT game.

"I just felt like I was in the groove," Richmond's Ken Atkinson said. "Every time I touched it, I wanted to shoot it."

Atkinson, who had a career-high 24 points, hitting 6-of-9 from 3-point range, said his performance was no New Orleans 61; and Ohio State 81, accident, thanks to Richmond coach Akron 70.

Chiles near

Dick Tarrant.

'Earlier in the week, Coach Tarrant pulled me aside and said, 'Hey, work on the 3-point shot,"" Atkinson said. 'He never usually does that."

"I was very impressed with the way in which they shot the basketshots they got."

In other NIT games, it was St. John's 70, Mississippi 67; Penn State 89, Murray State 73; Villanova 76, St. Peter's 56; Connecticut 67, North Carolina-Charlotte 62; St. Louis 87. Southern Illinois 54; Wisconsin 63,

Tonight, the first round continues with Kent State at Michigan State, Georgia Southern at Alabama-Birmingham, UC Santa Barbara at Wichita State, Arkansas State at Nebraska, Pepperdine at New Mexico State, Santa Clara at New Mexico and Hawaii at California.

On Friday, Boise State travels to Oklahoma State.

The second round will be played March 20-21 and the third round March 22-24. Sites for both rounds have yet to be determined.

The semifinals will be held at New York's Madison Square Garden on March 27, with the title match of the 52nd annual postseason tournament scheduled for March 29.

11 shots from 3-point range. The Owls missed all seven of their first-half 3point attempts. For the game, Temple connected on just four of 27 shots from beyond the bonus arc.

Mark Macon led Temple with 13 points.



YMCA gymnastics instructors

Instructors in the Hereford YMCA's gymnastics program include (top row, from left) Kyla Matthews and Andy Lucero; (bottom, from left) Dawn DeBord, Robin McMorries and Terri DeBord.



finalizing sal FORT WORTH (AP) - Eddie Chiles says he is the process of finalizing the sale of his majority ownership of the Texas Rangers to a partnership headed by George W. Bush and Ed "Rusty" Rose although he has received a contract offer and \$500,000 in earnest money from a Dallas-based

group Chiles said the contract and \$500,000 came from a group of

and used that right last year to end a bid by a group based in Tampa, Fla. Sources told the Fort Worth newspaper that Ueberroth, who earlier had strongly endorsed the Bush group, switched his support to the McGuire group during last week's ownership committee meeting in Florida. The ownership committee must

Gaylord has the right of first refusal

still approve any group that buys the

In the first half, Richmond hit 5 of

by Winstead McGuire, a Dallas attorney.

The Fort Worth Star-Telegram reported today that sources close to baseball's ownership committee say the McGuire group has received a late endorsement from baseball commissioner Peter Ueberroth.

Minority partner Edward L. Gaylord said Wednesday night that he approves the sale to the Bush-Rose group and will retain his 33-percent share of the team if that sale goes through.

"I met with young George and Richard Rainwater (a minority partner in the group) a few days ago for a little while," Chiles said. "We've talked to some of them on the telephone two or three times.

Bush is the son of President Bush and a consultant for a Bedford oil and gas firm. Rose is a Dallas financier and Rainwater is a Fort Worth businessman who once advised the Bass family.

Gaylord, of Oklahoma City, had previously said he would have reservations about remaining as a minority partner if Bush and Rose bought the team. "I was a little unsure about some

of his partners, and I haven't met them yet," Gaylord said. "But Bush himself is a fine man, and I guess he would take charge. We're glad to be a part of

the Rangers." McGuire presented him with the contract proposal, along with a check for half a million dollars, as a gesture of the group's seriousness before last

of the group's seriousness before last week's owners meeting in Fort Lauderdale, Fla., Chiles said. Gaylord's bid to purchase Chiles' share was rejected by American League owners, who have expressed misgivings about Gaylord because of his ownership of KTVT-TV, a so-called "super station" hereaus is called "super station" because its programs are carried on numerous cable television systems.

ajority interest from Chiles. There has been some speculation that they might oppose the Bush group because of much of the group's financing is believed to come from Bill DeWitt Jr. of Cincinnati, although Bush would be

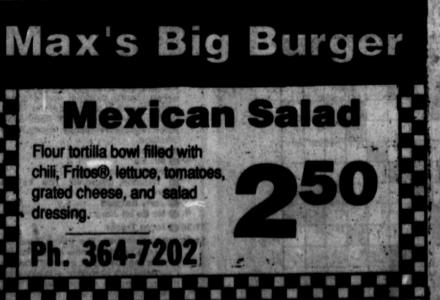
the general managing partner. Ueberroth, who can use his powers "in the best interest of baseball" to override the owners and approve any ownership group, has said he wants to resolve the sale of the Rangers before he leaves office April 1.

Chiles said he has not met with ny members of the group represented McGuire.

"I have not talked to any of them, and I don't know if I know any of them," Chiles said. "They did send a check over, and I turned it over to our lawyers."

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St. Patrick's Day, as it is celebrated 2 whole cloves in America, is a fun, rowdy and boisterous holiday. St. Patrick, of course, is the patron

saint of Ireland, but his holiday has been adopted by many people who don't have a drop of Irish blood. The saint is credited both with having introduced Christianity to Ireland and with having driven all the snakes out of the country.

To accomplish these tasks, St. Patrick must have been an energetic and dedicated man, so it is fitting that his holiday is celebrated with such fervor.

Numerous American towns and cities have their own St. Patrick's Day celebrations and parades, one of the best known being the parade down Fifth Avenue in New York City, which yearly attracts more than a million spectators.

St. Patrick's Day is also noted for races in which hundreds of people run from bar to bar, hurriedly chugging a glass or two of green beer at each before racing to the next.

But what do you do if you don't have the energy to fight the crowds at a parade or run in a race?

Why not prepare a traditional Irish feast for family and friends? Even if you're not Irish, such a dinner is sure to be delicious and enjoyable.

For a main course, prepare corned beef with cabbage, lamb stew or a hearty Shepherd's Pie, from The American Heart Association Cookbook (Ballantine Books).

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1 pound ground beef 1 1/2 cups beef broth 1 teaspoon freshly ground black pepper 2 bay leaves

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Dash thyme leaves cup carrots, sliced cup onions, sliced cup mushrooms, sliced cup celery, diced 1 cup whole kernel corn 1 1/4 tablespoons flour pound potatoes, cooked

1 Tbsp. chives, chopped

1/2 c. skim milk l tablespoon margarine

4 ounces mozzarella cheese, shredded In a skillet brown beef and drain excess oil. Add 1 cup of broth, pepper, bay leaves, cloves and thyme. Cover and simmer for 30 minutes.

Add carrots, onions, mushrooms, celery and corn. Simmer until vegetables are tender.

In a small bowl gradually add remaining broth to flour, stirring constantly to form a smooth paste. Add to beef and vegetables. Simmer 5 minutes or until slightly thickened.

Mash potatoes with margarine, skim milk and chives. Top meat mixture with the mashed potatoes, sprinkle mozzarella cheese over all and bake at 375 degrees for 10 minutes.

YIELD: 4 servings

Approx. cal/serv.:370

To accompany the Shepherd's Pie, you'll want to serve Irish Soda bread. The recipe here is reproduced from Cooking on the Go (Hearts Marine Books), by Janet Groene. The bread should be baked in a greased pressure cooker which has been sprinkled with cornmeal.

Groene instructs that the baker should, "Place the lid on the cooker and bake without the pressure regulator, letting steam escape, over

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a low-medium flame." If you don't have a pressure cooker, bake the bread in a regular oven at about 350 degrees

IRISH SODA BREAD

4 cups flour 3 tablespoons sugar 3/4 teaspoon baking soda

1 tablespoon baking powder 6 tablespoons butter or margarine 2 eggs

1 1/2 cups sour milk

Mix the dry ingredients and cut in the fat. If you don't have sour milk, sour any sweet milk (reconstituted dry, diluted canned, fresh) with a splash of vinegar. Beat the eggs and milk and stir this into the dry mixture. Turn out onto a floured linen or paper towel and knead ten strokes, no more. Traditional Irish recipes call for the addition of one and a half cups raisins to this recipe. Turn into a greased, commeal-coated pressure cooker for baking by direct method for about 45 minutes. Cut a cross into the top before baking, to aid in even rising.

No Irish meal would be complete without potatoes. Potatoes, Parsnips and Cabbage is described as an "Irish Country Dish," and the recipe dates back to 1750. It is reproduced from Fresh Thoughts on Food (Chatto & Windus Ltd)., by Lynda Brown. POTATOES, PARSNIPS AND

CABBAGE

1. Boil potatoes and parsnips until they are soft.

2. Mash them with new milk. 3. Add a cabbage boiled tender and

cut very small.

by Dean Young and Stan Drake

4. Mix the whole over the fire with a slice of good butter, some pepper and salt, and eat it hot.

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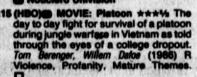


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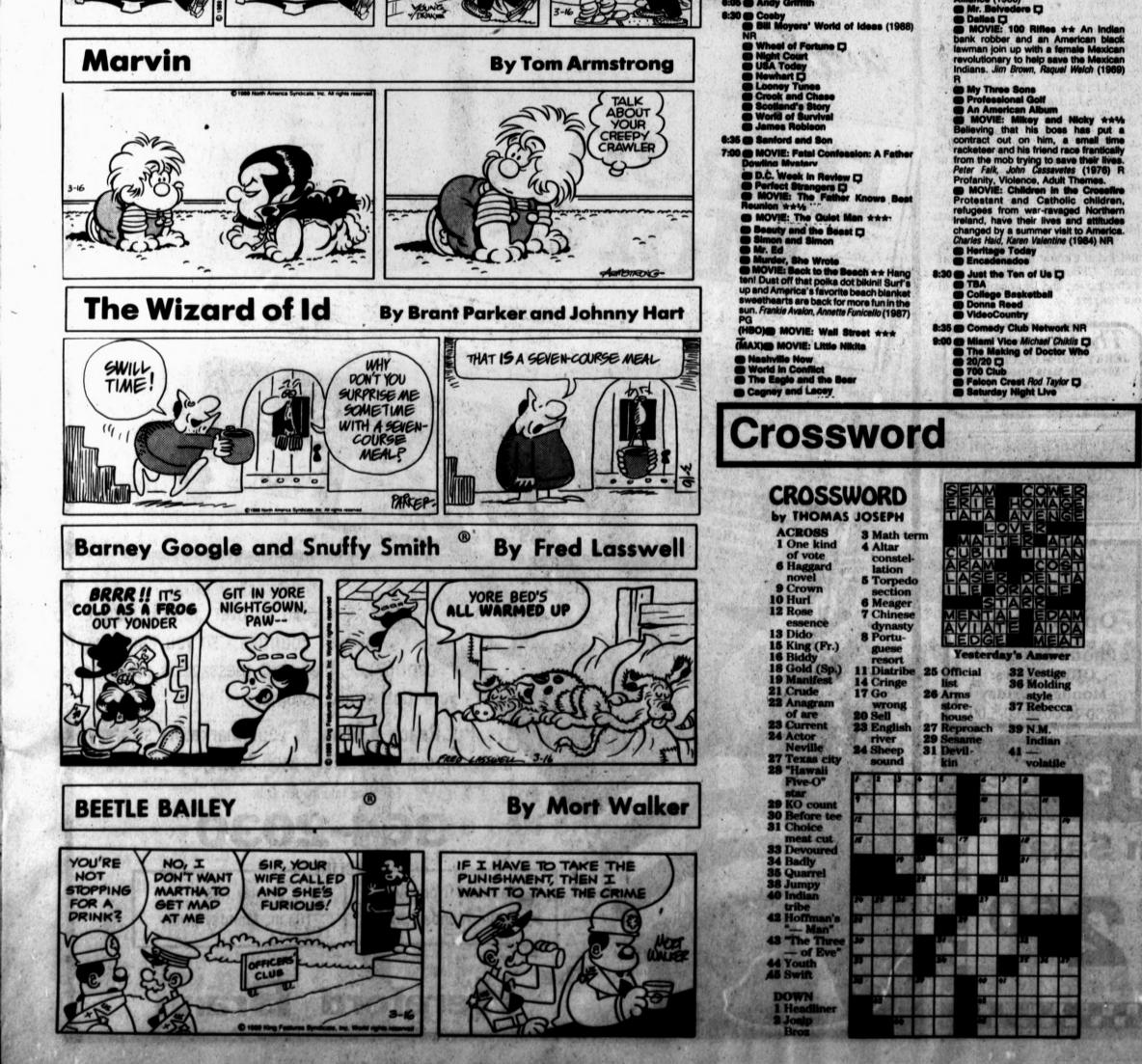
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Now You're Cooking

By GAYE B. REILY **Staff Writer**

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Hereford dietitian Charlotte Clark enjoys her job, despite the fact that she has had to perform such duties as peeling 200 pounds of potatoes and making countless deviled eggs. "I learned quantity cooking while

I was at Texas Tech University in the early '50s, and I helped with dormitory food preparation," she said. "The work was part of an institutional food management course; I also washed so many bunches of spinach that it was a long time before I could eat spinach again!"

A registered dictitian and licensed dietitian in the state of Texas, Clark is manager of the dietary department at Deaf Smith General Hospital, where she has worked since August, 1977. She and other dietetic specialists across the nation are observing March as National Nutrition Month.

"The American Dietetic Association is promoting the fact that it's never too late to start reaping the benefits of healthy food choices. Learning to balance choices, and take control of how, what, when, where, and why you eat is important," Clark said.

Overseeing the hospital's dietary department, writing menus and planning special diets with modifications are among Clark's job duties. She also does administrative work and clinical work in diet therapy and instruction; she serves as a nutrition consultant for Hereford Senior Citizens Center and was a consulting dietitian for King's Manor.

She provides diet instruction and diet therapy in-house and for outpatients and instructs LVN students in dietary matters. Clark serves as the secretary of the hospital's safety committee and coordinates interdepartmental functions, planning meetings and maintaining a calendar of events for the facility. "I've even been known to cook and wash dishes when we've been short-handed at the hospital," she laughed.

Such responsibilities may seem overwhelming to some, but Clark knew early in her life that she wanted to devote her life to food service. Born in Amarillo, she grew up in Clovis and graduated from high school there, when she decided to enter the food industry. "My family was professionally oriented in the medical field--Dad went to medical school, then became a pharmacist; one of my brothers was

more accessible to Laura Leigh, who was born deaf. "I'd drive her to the center four times a week and she overcame her handicap as she was on the Hereford High School drill team and was a cheerleader at Clarendon Junior college," Clark said. "Although she couldn't hear the music when she was on the drill team, she memorized the steps."

The Clarks have also observed Joanna Beth, who has Down's Syndrome, become a happy, function-ing adult. "She graduated from a special education program in Hereford and worked at the Hereford Satellite Center. Now she works at the Satellite Center in Borger and lives in a group home there.

Despite her active schedule, Clark finds time to needlepoint, do oil painting, and enjoys genealogy. She recently took up golf and has served on the American Cancer Society board of directors and was a leader for Camp Fire. She serves on the board of directors of Hereford Satellite Center and is a member of the Order of the Eastern Star and Los Ciboleros chapter of Daughters of the American Revolution.

"My four grandchildren are a big source of entertainment," she said. Clark found that her knowledge in planning special diets came in handy since one grandson has been diagnosed as being a diabetic.

Clark has seen many changes in American's dietary habits over the years. "When I spent the summers with my grandmother in Lubbock, I helped her cook over a kerosene and coal stove and we prepared rich, heavy desserts. Since the men in the family did heavy manual labor, farming with a horse and plow, we used beef with lots of marbling and whole milk, butter, and cream.

"We didn't use spices much in our cooking," Clark said. Clarks saw a radical change in diet when she went to OSU. "Since we were dealing with diabetics, we had to weigh every ingredient and keep a record of exact amounts served to patients and keep track of food they didn't eat. It was here that the exchange system began. Since those days. I have found that hospitals offer more choices and variety in their foods--nutrition is a field that is growing and changing daily."

One industry that has changed, according to Clark, is the beef industry. "Now people want leaner beef and the industry is finding ways to compete with the fish and chicken industries," she said. "The trend now is to eat more fruits

browned. If meat is not tender, cover and simmer for approximately 30

Turn heat up and add vegetables (but not tomatoes). Toss until vegetables are tender but still crisp, approximately 10 minutes.

Mix cornstarch with water and add to pan, stir and cook until thickened. Add tomatoes and heat briefly.

This dish can be served over rice or favorite pasta.

CHICKEN DIVAN

6 chicken breast halves

2 (10 oz.) pkgs frozen broccoli spears 1 (10 3/4 oz.) cream of chicken soup, undiluted

1/2 c. "lite" mayonnaise

1/2 tsp. curry powder 1/2 tsp. lemon juice

1/2 c. (2 oz.) shredded American

Cheese 1/4 c. soft bread crumbs or crushed potato chips

Tbsp. oleo

Cook chicken, in enough boiling water to cover chicken, for 25 minutes or until tender; drain. Debone chicken; cut meat into bite-sized pieces. Set aside.

Cook broccoli according to package directions, omitting salt. Arrange broccoli in a lightly greased 12"x8"x2" baking dish; top with chicken.

Combine soup and next three ingredients, stirring well. Pour mixture over chicken, allowing broccoli to 2 Tbsp. white wine vinegar

show around edge of dish.

Bake at 350 degrees for 15 minutes. Sprinkle cheese over casserole . Combine bread crumbs with butter, then sprinkle down the center of casserole.

Bake an additional 10 minutes or

SEVEN LAYER SALAD 1 head lettuce 1 package of fresh spinach 4 hard-cooked eggs, diced 1 (10 oz.) pkg. frozen English peas 1 Tbsp. sugar 1 1/2 c. bacon bits 1 small onion, thinly sliced 4 oz. cheddar cheese, coarsely grated 1/2 c. salad dressing

1/2 c. blue cheese dres Tear lettuce into bite-size pieces. Wash, drain, and stem spinach, chop or tear into small pieces.

Add 1 Tbsp. sugar to uncooked peas which are thawed. Dice eggs, slice onion, and grate cheese.

Layer all ingredients: (lettuce, peas, bacon, spinach, eggs, onion, cheese) in container large enough to hold them. At serving time, combine dressing

and spread over top layer. SPINACH SALAD WITH

FRUIT AND BEEF (Serves 4) 1 lb. beef top round steak

1 Tbsp. Worcestershire sauce 1 Tosp. finely chopped onions 1 Tosp. sesame seeds 1 tsp. sugar 1 clove garlic, chopped 1/2 tsp. chili powder Bake an additional 10 minutes or until cheese melts. Yields 6-8 servings and is excellent served over a bed of cooked wild rice. 1/2 tsp. white pepper 1 Tbsp. vegetable oil 1 bunch fresh spinach leaves, cleaned and stems removed 2 medium oranges, peeled and thinly sliced

> 1 basket fresh strawberries, cleaned and sliced (about 2 cups)

Trim excess fat from steak, broil 3" from heat 6-7 minutes per side for rare doneness or until desired doneness. Slice steak across the grain into thin slices, place in glass baking dish. Place vinegar, Worcestershire sauce, onion, sesame seeds, sugar, garlic, chili powder and white pepper in black container course. Mis until

in blender container; cover. Mix until blended. Gradually add oil, blending until smooth. Pour over steak slices and cover. Refrigerate at least 3 hours.

(But no longer than 24 hours). Place spinach on serving plates. Arrange beef slices, oranges, and strawberry slices on spinach; drizzle with remaining marinade.

BINGO

MISTLETOES' SALAD

4 heads broccoli (4 lbs.) 2 large firm ripe tomatoes, cut into 3/4 inch cubes 2 Tosp. finely chopped red onion 1 1/4 c. mayonnaise 1 Tbsp. soy sauce 2 tsp. fresh lemon juice 2 tsp. seasoned salt salt and fresh ground pepper 2 hard-cooked eggs, chopped 1/2 c. unsalted raw or roasted cashews

6-8 black olives

Trim broccoli; peel stems. Divide heads into flowerets; cut stems into 3/4 inch pieces. Steam broccoli over boiling water, covered, until crisp and tender (3-5 minutes). Drain well. Rinse under cold running water to cool. Drain well in colander.

Remove to large bowl; add tomatoes and onion; toss lightly. Refrigerate, covered, until chilled (1-2 hours).

Combine mayonnaise, soy sauce, lemon juice, and salt. Add to broccolitomato mixture and toss again. Sprinkle with chopped eggs and cashews. Garnish with black olives. Serves 6-8.

This can be placed on lettuce leaf and served as individual salads.



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a dentist, the other, a doctor. My grandmother in Lubbock taught me to cook, which I enjoyed, so I decided to go into the food service field."

Her parents, Hugh and Myrtle Ritch, worried that their daughter was too much of a tomboy so they sent her to Cottey College, a girls' school in Nevada, Mo. "Following graduation from high school, I went to the Missouri school on a P.E.O. Sisterhood scholarship. I took the basic courses and learned the finer art of being a lady," she laughed. Clark then entered TTU, where she

became interested in the diet and disease aspect of nutrition. After earning a bachelor of science degree from TTU, she attained a master's degree in food and nutrition from Ohio State University, where she completed a one-year internship in hospital dietetics.

Colorado State Hospital in Pueblo, Colo. was the site of Clark's first job. "The hospital was the state institution for the mentally disturbed and criminally insane; it contained 6,200

criminally insane; it contained 6,200 patients. There was a 600-bed geriatric building in which there were 200 patients requiring special diets, so I learned to plan meals accordingly." She married Arthur Clark in 1955 and raised three children. In 1963, the family moved to their present home southwest of Hereford, taking controlling interest of her parents' farm. The Clark's children are Brian, who helps with the family farm; Laura Leigh Blackburn of Friona; and Joanna Beth of Borger. Moving to Hereford made the

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and vegetables and get more fiber and less salt and sugar. I think people are generally healthier now, mainly due to improved food habits and exercise."

Clark noted that fast food preparers are challenged to created tasty, quick, and easy dishes for today's working woman. "Since so many women work, more men have been educated in the art of cookery and cuisine. Also, more people are learning how to use the wok."

Another area that Clark has seen change is food labeling. "Commercial canners and manufacturers of staples know that consumers are more educated and want to know the contents of food items they buy." Some of Clark's favorite recipes

follow:

GREEN PEPPER STEAK (Serves 4)

1 lb. beef chuck or round steak, fat trimmed

1/4 c. soy sauce 1 clove garlic

1 1/2 tsp. grated fresh ginger or 1/2 tsp. ground ginger

1/4 c. salad oil

1 c. green onion, thinly sliced 1 c. red or green peppers, cut into bite-size pieces or small strips 2 stalks celery, thinly sliced

1 Tbsp. cornstarch

1 c. water

2 tomatoes, cut into small wedges With a very sharp knife, cut beef across grain into thin strips (1/8" thick).

Combine soy sauce, garlic, ginger and beef. Toss and set aside to marinate. Prepare vegetables. Heat oil in large frying pan or wok. Add beef and toss over high heat until



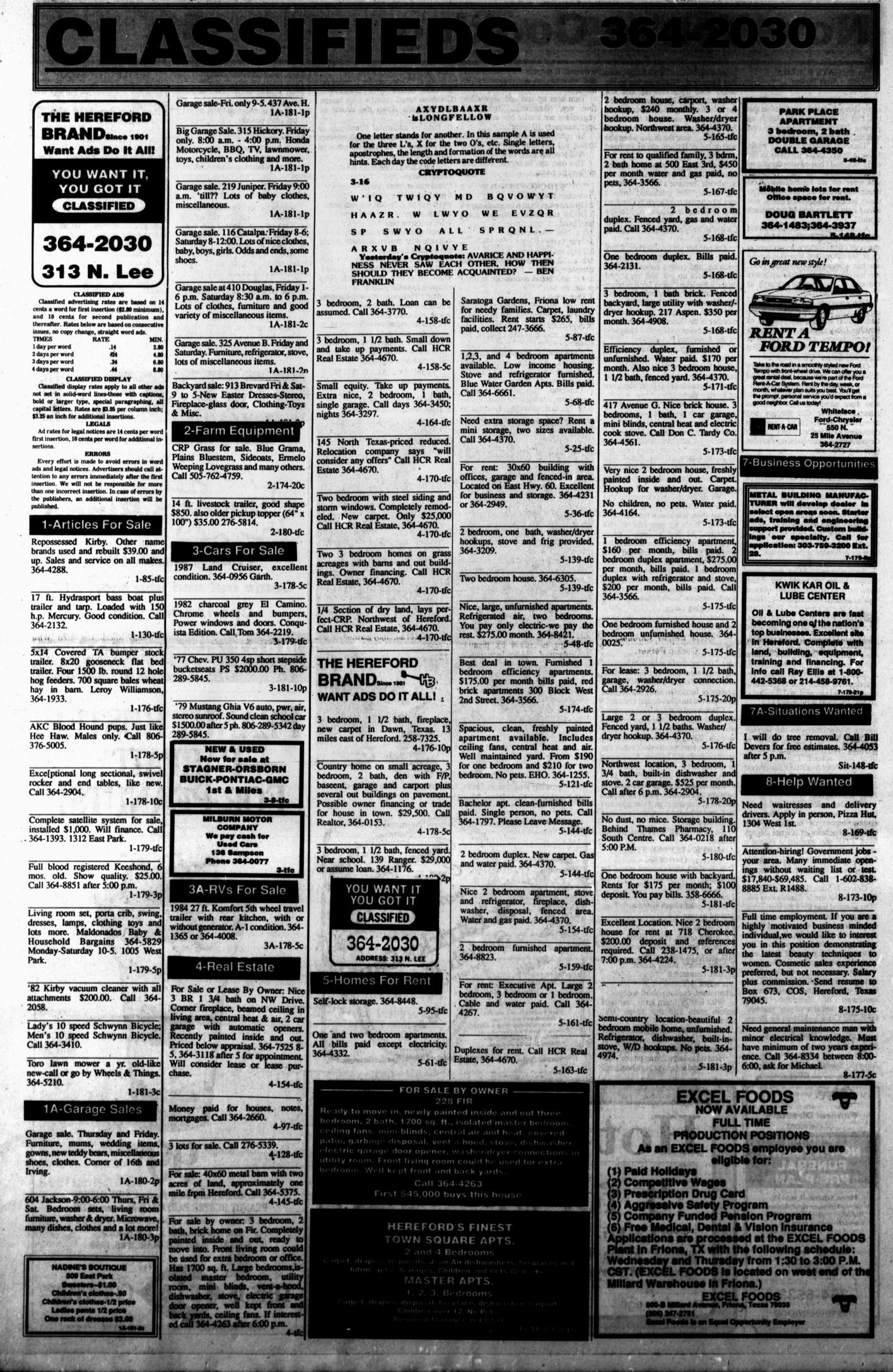


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Transplants bring

gardening success

said.

Cotner.

COLLEGE STATION -- Vegetable until their root systems can develop transplants can quickly transform that bare plot of soil into a real, live and spread out," Cotner said. garden. suffer from too little or too much

"Using transplants can get a vegetable garden off to a good start," said Dr. Sam Cotner, horticulturist with the Texas Agricultural Extension Service.

"Half the success in transplanting depends on the transplants themselves; the other half relates to techniques and methods used while setting them out," he said.

"Select healthy-looking transplants at your local nursery or garden center when you are ready to set them out," said Cotner.

Timing is critical for planting. Transplants of cold-hardy vegetables should be planted two to six weeks

Senator Bivins Reports

Micah, it is important to understand that in deciding which laws should be

changed and what new laws should be

enacted, I am not guided only by my thoughts and beliefs, rather my job is to represent the views, beliefs, and

wishes of all the people who live in

Another very important part of my job is to speak up for the interest of our part of the State. In a study done

State of Texas, informed us that our

part of the State, that is the Panhandle

and West Texas, was the only region

in the state that sent more money to

Austin in taxes than it got back in appropriations. I believe this is unfair

and part of my job is to work to correct

this inequity. Helping my constituents in another

to me. Texas has over 240 different

State agencies. Each of these agencies

deals with the people of Texas in one

way or another. Sometimes our

spect of my job that is very important

Senate District 31

Recently I received a letter from a and enact new laws. fourth grade student who attends the Belmar School in Amarillo. The student asked me to answer a number of questions. Because the questions were thoughtful, and because the answers to these questions would probably be of interest to more than ust the fourth grade class at Belmar School, I decided to use this column to answer them. Dear Micah.

a few years ago, Bob Bullock, the Comptroller of Public Accounts for the Thank you very much for your letter. I was tickled to learn that you are interested in Texas government and specifically, my job as State Senator. The first question you asked was "What is your job?" I wish the answer were as simple as the question. In fact, my job is many different things.

First and foremost, my job, along with thirty other Senators and one hundred and fifty members of the Texas House of Representatives, is to make laws for the people of Texas to abide by. As time goes by and our 12-175-10p society changes there arises a need to change old laws that are on the books

Never let newly set-out transplants

moisture, said the horticulturist. Water

plants individually for two weeks

before starting a regular watering

program such as furrow flooding,

transplants will probably wilt some in

the early going due to their undevel-

Protect young plants from strong wind and be aware of late-season cold

snaps that might damage plants he

oped root systems," Cotner said.

"Even with adequate moisture,

sprinkling or drip irrigation.

citizens have problems in dealing with a State agency. There may be a problem getting a permit from the Texas Railroad Commission, receiving a transcript from a State university, helping an out-of-state doctor relocate to one of our rural communities. My job is to be of assistance.

While a big part of my job is to work for the passage of various pieces

of legislation, an equally important part of the job is to work against and to vote against the passage of other pieces of legislation. A good friend of mine who serves in the Texas House of Representatives put it well when he said "The most important thing I do in the Texas Legislature is not pass bills, it is to kill bills."

You went on to ask about my responsibilities as a Texas Senator. Specifically, you asked "What responsibilities do you have?" Once again, your short, simple question has a rather broad multifaceted answer. I believe the single greatest

"Most of all, enjoy gardening," said

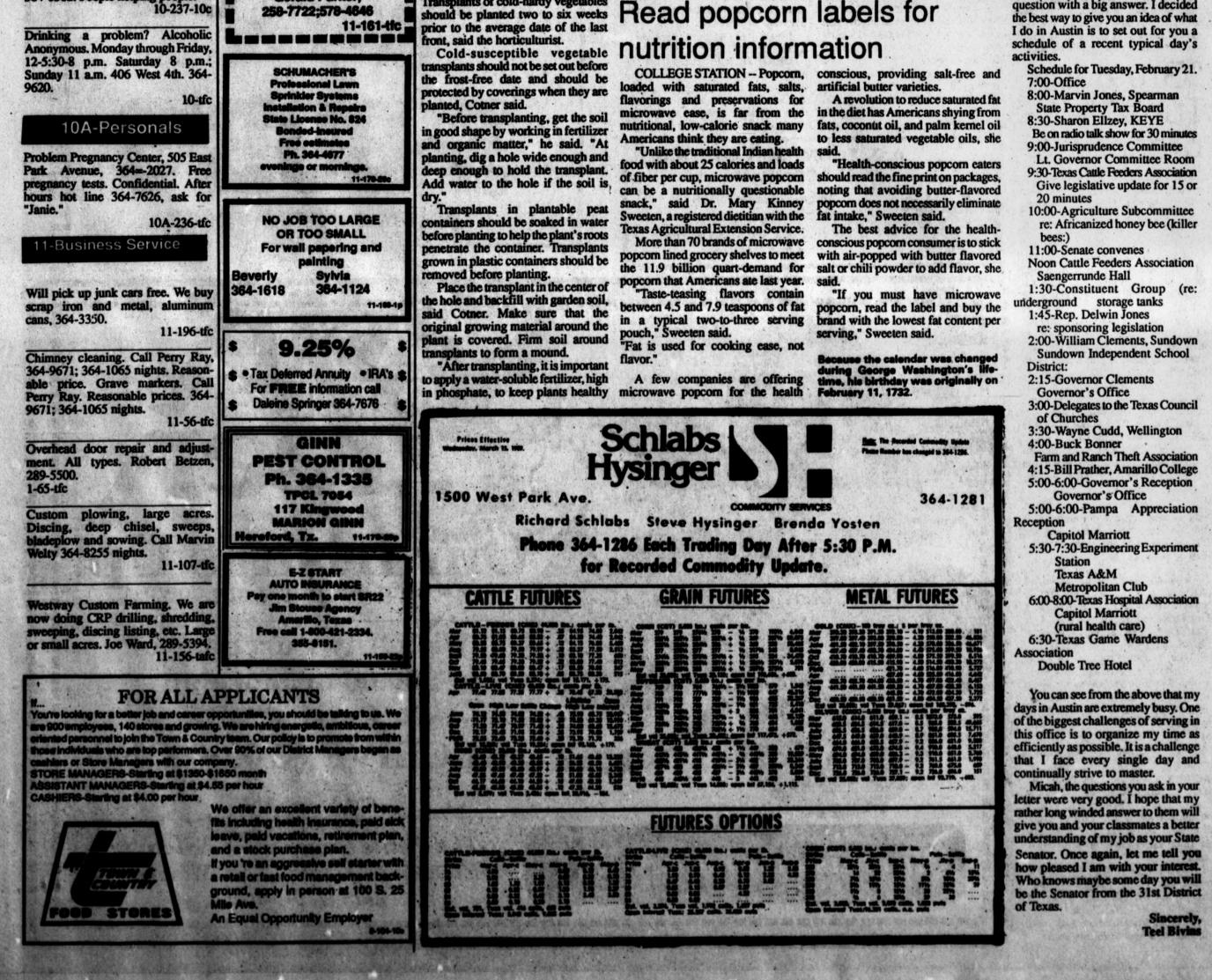
responsibility I have as a Texas Senator is my vote as one of thirtyone Senators. Just as you won't learn anything if you don't attend school I won't do my constituents any good if I am not present for every vote. I cast my vote in committee meetings where, if a bill receives a positive majority vote, it is referred to the full Senate. It is on the floor of the Senate that I am called upon to cast my vote which is the next step in the process of a bill becoming a law.

The responsibility that goes hand in hand with the responsibility to vote is the responsibility to be informed on the issues you vote on. The process of becoming informed on issues takes up the majority of my time. I learn about issues by talking to constituents either in the district or when they come to visit me in Austin. But the main why I stay informed on issues and pending legislation is by reading, reading, and more reading. I read bills that have been filed and reported to committee, I read bill analyses prepared by the Senate research organization, I read newspapers and magazine articles, I read industry newsletters, but most importantly, I read letters like yours. The single most effective way of communicating with your elected representative is by writing them personal letters and letting them know your views on an issue.

We keep every letter that we receive. Those that deal with specific pieces of legislation we place in a "bill file" so that when the bill comes up for debate in committee or on the floor of the Senate, I will have the letters at hand. My objective with this system is to be able to communicate the views of my constituents in a timely and effective manner.

As your State Senator I am responsible for literally every aspect of State government. One area of State government that impacts you Micah, is public education. That will amount to some twenty billion dollars in the next biennium (two year budget period).

Finally, Micah, you asked "What do you do in Austin?" Again a simple question with a big answer. I decided the best way to give you an idea of what



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Voice students cited

Voice students from Hereford Junior High School participated in the March 4 UIL solo contest held at West Texas State University. From left is Elvira Vasquez, Melissa Celeya, Misty Peabody, Marisol DeLaCruz, Valerie Dominguez, Annabell Guerra, Misty Cole, Leslie Wagner, Lori Schlenker, and Melanie Claudio. A rating of 'II' (excellent) was earned by all these students except Wagner and Schlenker, who achieved 'III' ratings.

Ann Landers

DEAR ANN LANDERS: I have a new one for you. No one has ever written about this problem since I've been reading your column.

My husband complains that I am "too hot" in bed. You may laugh and wonder why a husband would complain about that. Most men would love to have the "problem", but it's not what you think, Ann. It's my body temperature. My husband says I am like a small furnace, and if he sleeps too close to me he becomes overheated and uncomfortable.

I don't wear any night clothes. (He sleeps in a T-shirt). Our room is freezing. I try to throw an arm or a leg out of the covers so some body heat escapes. We both enjoy covers and can't sleep without them so don't suggest that we remove them.

The real problem is that I love to cuddle and be close to my wonderful husband. In the summertime, I even slept outdoors in a tent so that we could be together. He said I was still too hot and that my body heat kept him from getting a good night's sleep.

I know my husband loves me, but I can't help but feel rejected when he refuses to hold me at night. I need some outside help and am turning to you. Please sign me--Too Hot in Wyoming

DEAR WYOMING: Have you tried air conditioning your bedroom year round? If not, I recommend it.

If that doesn't work I suggest that you invest in a body pillow. It is a 6-foot-by-20-inch tube filled with down. It won't complain about your body heat. And it doesn't snore.

DEAR ANN LANDERS: With so many tragedies in the news these days I thought you might want to know about something heartwarming and wonderful that was reported in the Appleton (Wis.) Post-Crescent. The story was by Michael King. Here it is:

A Fox River Valley woman was snocked when she o ened an envelope to find a check for \$3,000 and a letter from a Pennsylvania man who stole her wallet containing \$95. The letter said, "On a summer evening 20 years ago, I stole your wallet. I promised God that I would Tuna" to.be make restitution, and, according to the Bible, anything stolen should be Bible, anything stolen should be

returned fourfold. I am sorry for any inconvenience I caused you and your family."

The man took that amount and adjusted it, allowing for 20 years of inflation.

The woman recalled that her wallet had been stolen a few days before she and her husband were going off for a vacation. "He had to go to the credit union and take out a loan," she said. "At that time, \$95 was a lot of money."

Since that time the woman learned that the man who sent the check is suffering from a muscle disease and is confined to a wheelchair. She seriously considered sending the check back to him, but friends persuaded her that it would not be the right thing to do because he needed to be forgiven and this was his way of doing it.

Touched by the gesture, the woman wrote a long letter saying, "Everyone makes mistakes at some time in their ves and we all need to be forgiven. I hope you can print this .-- Daily Reader

Rebekah Lodge charter draped Tuesday

memory of Ruth Rogers Tuesday evening at the regular meeting of Hereford Rebekah Lodge #228.

Under the direction of Susie Curtsinger, the ceremony was presented by Peggy Lemons, Anna Conklin, Dorothy Lundry, Lydia Hopson, Erma Loving, Faye

215 S 25 Mile Ave

The lodge charter was draped in Brownlow and Sadie Shaw, soloist. Noble Grand Marie Harris presided at the business session as reports were made. Thirteen visits to the sick, 27 cheer cards, II dishes of food and three flowers were reported.

Harris served as hostess in the absence of Leona Sowell who is

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recovering from hip surgery. Others present were Jo Iribeck Booz Stella Hershey, Irene Merritt, Rosalie Northcutt, Ben Conklin, Anthony Irlbeck and Jim Loving.

Hamburgers and politicians have one thing in common: Both are subject to grilling should the occasion arise.

364-6413

"Greater presented

The Amarillo Little Theatre will be presenting "Greater Tuna" on Friday, March 17, and Saturday,

March 18, at 8 p.m. The play, written by Jaston Williams, Joe Sears, and Ed Howard, is a parody of Texas lifestyles portrayed by two actors who each assume 10 different laughable characters throughout the show.

The two Amarillo performances of "Greater Tuna" will kick-off an area ALT tour of surrounding area towns. Original cast members from the 1986 ALT production will be performing the comedy for audiences in the various outlying communities; marking the first production of The Amarillo Little

Theatre Touring Company. Bruce Romig and Vance Sebren portray almost the entire population of Tuna, Texas, the "third smallest town in the state."

ALT director, Allen Shankles, commented that even though this is the second time around for the "Tuna" cast, audiences can expect a new look to the play.

Shelly Marmaduke explained that this new touring program is another portion of the Theatre's Outreach Projects, funded in part by The Don and Sybil Harrington Foundation.

The touring project will allow the Theatre to accomplish several goals. We will be able to act as an ambassador from Amarillo 40 promote the theatre arts, hopefully, to people in these communities who are unfamiliar with ALT's offerings, and also be taking theatre to people in these towns who for one reason or another are unable to come to Amarillo for an evening's entertainment. We feel that it will be quite feasible for various civic groups to utilize our performances as fund raisers within their own

Anyone wishing to make reservations for "Greater Tuna" should call the ALT box office or come by 2019 Civic Circle. Adults be admitted for \$10 and its and senior citizens for \$5.

DEAR DAILY: Thanks for the heartwarming article. There are several things to be learned from it, not the least of which is, it's never too late to right a wrong, and everyone feels so much better when we forgive.

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