

Both Runoff Elections at Community Center

Commissioner, Trustee To Be Picked Saturday



PAUL ABALOS
City Commission Candidate



JOHN MATTHEWS
City Commission Candidate

Two races for city and school board seats wound up in runoff situations in the April 2 balloting, and voters will decide the winners here Saturday.

Polls will be open from 7 a.m. to 7 p.m., with both elections being conducted at the Community Center.

Paul Abalos, incumbent city commissioner, wound up in a rare tie vote with challenger John Matthews in the first voting and neither expects that to happen again.

Place 7 on the school board is the other race to beset by the runoff election

route. David Pruitt and Bill Walden are the contestants for that post, with both seeking office for the first time.

Pruitt, rural development manager for Deaf Smith REC, led the balloting in the first election with 656 votes—compared to 572 for Walden, a farmer and operator of Triangle Pork Producers. Mrs. Trini Gamez polled 213 votes in the three-person race, and no one had a majority.

Abalos is a restaurant operator and is employed with the school system. Matthews is a teacher. Each received 605 votes in the first election, and it was decided to have a runoff election for the

Place 1 post rather than to toss a coin.

The school election drew 1,454 voters in the April 2 balloting, while the city race drew 1,181 voters. Election officials anticipate a lighter turnout Saturday.

Absentee voting drew only 40 persons for the school runoff, and 23 for the city race.

All registered voters are qualified to cast ballots Saturday, whether they voted in the first election or not.

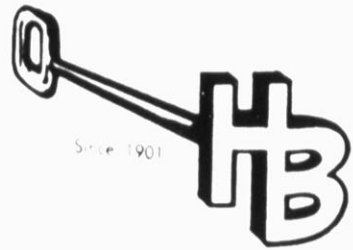
Winning places on the school board in the April 2 election were David Hutchins and Mack Tubb. On the city level, Bartley Dowell was the victor in the major's race, and Ed Coplen won the Place 2 city commission seat.



DAVID PRUITT
School Board Candidate



BILL WALDEN
School Board Candidate



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GOP Energy Plan Has Fewer Taxes

WASHINGTON (AP) — Senate Republicans are ready to take on President Carter with an energy program of their own that won't include all those proposed new taxes that are drawing so much congressional fire.

What is being called the "Republican alternative" may be spelled out when GOP spokesmen get their "equal time" offered by the three television networks, possibly sometime next week.

It will contain some of the same conservation-incentive programs recommended by the President — such as tax breaks for home insulation — but will allow energy prices to rise with free-market competition rather than through new taxes, say GOP Senate leaders.

Carter, who appeared on national television twice this week to discuss his energy proposals, was expected to defend them anew today at a news conference.

On Thursday, Carter told reporters that

Senate Panel Votes Higher Wheat Support

WASHINGTON (AP) — The Senate Agriculture Committee Thursday voted higher price and income support for wheat farmers than President Carter proposed.

Earlier in the week, it had done the same with corn, the other major cash-grain crop and agricultural export commodity.

But it did adopt Carter's proposal to do away with decades-old acreage allotments and base payments solely on what a farmer actually planted.

The supports, totalling about \$400 million out of a possible \$935 million last year, are triggered when a combination of worldwide good growing weather and insufficient demand depress farm prices.

Consumers are more affected as taxpayers than as grocery buyers, since farm prices over all account for 40 percent or less of retail food prices, and grains even less.

The Senate committee also agreed to the administration's request for a one-year temporary extension of the disaster-aid provisions of farm programs until a new relief program can be worked out. Payments for a destroyed crop would be based on actual plantings rather than the historic allotments, however.

On Wednesday, a House Agriculture Committee panel likewise approved higher wheat and corn supports than Carter recommended, either in his first

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he felt his proposal for a standby gasoline tax of up to 50 cents a gallon, perhaps the most controversial part of his program, would win congressional approval.

But many key lawmakers were issuing gloomier assessments over that portion of the energy plan Carter unveiled at a joint session of Congress Wednesday. Several hinted that it might be the first part of the package to go down the drain.

Meanwhile, the House took a first step toward action on the Carter proposals by creating a special 37-member committee to steer them toward House floor action.

Chaired by Rep. Thomas Ashley, D-Ohio, the panel will mold the energy program into a single bill after regular House committees, with jurisdiction over various elements of the package, complete their work.

The action was seen as a means of overcoming jurisdictional rivalries that have hampered the House's past efforts to enact energy legislation.

Ashley said the subcommittee won't necessarily endorse the President's program down the line, but will certainly have a "tilt" toward the stiff measures the President recommended.

Republicans, who thus far generally have held their punches in reacting to Carter's energy program, appear ready to go on the offensive.



DST Starts Sunday

Daylight Saving Time begins at 2 a.m. Sunday, and Maggie Orta, 610 Union, reminds that the clock hands should be moved forward one hour. "Spring forward; fall backward; is the easy slogan to remember on DST. Most residents will probably move the clock ahead before going to bed Saturday night. The switch to daylight Saving Time is still a controversial subject around the United States.

Carter Responds to Red Criticism Calls U.S. 'Beacon' of Human Rights

WASHINGTON (AP) — In a new round of verbal fistuffs with the Soviet Union, President Carter is proclaiming the United States the "beacon light" of human rights. He denounced charges in Pravda that his economic programs are "demagogic promises."

Carter's concentration on foreign affairs was highlighted today by a morning meeting with Syrian Foreign Minister Halim Khaddam to discuss the Middle East and next month's talks between Carter and Syrian President Hafez Assad.

In defending his human rights support for dissidents, including those in the Soviet Union, Carter told 800 high school students who cheered him Thursday in the White House Rose Garden, "there has been some criticism about this position."

"The people of our nation think we ought to be a beacon light on human rights to the rest of the world...even if it means suffering temporarily a disturbance in our relationship with a few countries around the world."

The Soviet Union has taken strong

exception to Carter's statements on human rights, saying they are an interference in Soviet internal affairs. Soviet leaders have said Carter's

Hereford High Students Have Busy Schedules of Competition

Hereford High School students involved in band, orchestra, forensics, industrial arts, baseball, track, tennis and golf were busy this week and weekend.

The Hereford High School Band and Orchestra was in Corpus Christi this weekend to perform in concert competition in the annual Buccaneer Festival. The band was scheduled to have concert competition at 2:30 p.m. today, and the orchestra was to perform at 10 a.m. Saturday.

The band and orchestra students left Hereford Wednesday night and are scheduled to return about 11 p.m. Sunday. The Mixed Choir will go to

Corpus next weekend for competition in the festival.

Three students will be involved in the UIL regional forensics competition in Lubbock Saturday, and a number of industrial arts students will enter competition in the Panhandle Industrial Arts Fair at West Texas State today and Saturday.

The Key Club at HHS left Friday evening to attend a Texas-Oklahoma District convention in Oklahoma City. Mitchell George is a candidate for district secretary of the big district. The HHS Rodeo Team is at Dalhart competing in a high school rodeo contest which winds up Saturday.

statements clouded the atmosphere for the strategic arms limitation talks.

But the President and his top national security advisers have said they saw no

Texas Senate Okays Jobless Tax Increase

AUSTIN, Tex. (AP) — A bill designed to save Texas employers \$600 million in unemployment compensation penalties — but raising their jobless tax by about \$60 million annually — has cleared the Senate.

A voice vote sent the measure to the House on Thursday for further action.

The measure brings Texas in line with federal standards and raises maximum weekly benefits from \$63 to \$84, with increases guaranteed as average wages rise.

Failure to enact it would cost Texas employers \$600 million a year in penalties, imposed as an increase of 2.7 percent of payroll in their unemployment taxes.

The bill also raises the wage base on which employers pay the tax from \$4,200 to \$6,000 per year and extends jobless benefits to thousands of additional workers, including some domestics and farm employes.

These changes are required by the new federal act.

Before the legislature went into weekend adjournment, senators passed and sent to the governor a bill turning tolls on the Dallas-Fort Worth turnpike and making it part of the Texas highway system next Dec. 31.

Another Senate bill that advanced to the House would authorize construction

of a \$50 million hospital in Galveston for use by the prison system. It also would be a teaching hospital for the University of Texas Medical School in Galveston.

The House passed and sent to the governor a bill raising penalties for food stamp fraud from a \$200 fine to as much as a year in prison and a \$1,000 fine, depending on the amount of money involved.

It passed to the Senate a bill requiring ocean-going gambling casinos to notify local authorities and lock up their gaming equipment before entering Texas waters.

Also passed to the Senate was a bill revising the taxation of cars sold to rental agencies. It will increase state revenue by \$20 million over the next two years.

Bowling Alley To Open Here

Sports enthusiasts, particularly bowlers, in the Hereford area will get a break in June this summer when the local bowling alley is re-opened under new management.

The alley, owned by Tommy Bowling along with a group of investors, will appropriately be called "Bowling's Bowl." It is expected to open around the first of June, Bowling said in making the announcement.

The alley will be completely renovated according to Bowling, with machinery to arrive for installation around May 1. The alley, located on 25 Mile Avenue, will contain 16 lanes.

Bowling indicated that leagues would be formed in the Fall. He added that announcements as to the manager, hours of operation, and costs of play would be released at a later date.

Mild Spring Weather Back

By The Associated Press
Mild spring weather took command across Texas once more today.

A weak cool front, after setting off downpours of rain for nearly a week, finally departed into Louisiana and the Gulf of Mexico during the night.

A few showers fell in Northeast Texas late Thursday night and there was even light rain and drizzle in the Texas Panhandle from around Spearman into Oklahoma after midnight.

By this morning, however, it was dry

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H. A. McWhorter

Red Bombers Too Close

WASHINGTON (AP) — Soviet reconnaissance bombers flew within 60 miles of the U.S. East Coast last week and passed over several American warships before retreating when U.S. fighter planes were scrambled after them, Pentagon sources report.

Two TU-95 Bear bombers passed directly over the aircraft carrier Saratoga, an escorting cruiser and two frigates exercising earlier this week in a U.S. fleet training area about 60 miles off the East Coast, the sources said.

The sources said the bombers were closer to the U.S. coast than ever before.

Zaire Opens New Front

KINSHASA, Zaire (AP) — Zaire's government says its troops and their Moroccan allies have opened a new front in northwest Shaba province where the rebels are fleeing before Zairean forces on the march in the south.

A communique Thursday said the combined force was "at the door" of Kapanga, the rebels' northernmost holding 260 miles from the Angolan border.

No confirmation was available for any of the government's claims since President Mobutu Sese Seko has barred reporters from Shaba.

Martial Law Declared

ISLAMABAD, Pakistan (AP) — Martial law, curfews and a general strike paralyzed Pakistan's cities today as Prime Minister Zulfikar Ali Bhutto tried to put the lid on six weeks of violent demonstrations demanding his resignation.

Martial law and indefinite curfews were in effect in the three largest cities, Karachi, Lahore and Hyderabad. Bhutto's foes in the Pakistan National Alliance closed stores, offices and shut down public transportation in the other cities.

Residents in the three largest cities were granted a three-hour break in the curfew today.

Fem Officer Fired

ST. PETERSBURG BEACH, Fla. (AP) — Police rookie Sherryl Landsberg got her waist-length hair cut to the collar, but Chief Gil Thivener said it isn't up to code and fired her.

"I fired her for flat-out insubordination and refusing to follow the same dress code as other officers," Chief Gil Thivener says. "She refused to comply with a direct order and I dismissed her."

Officer Landsberg, 24, fired this week after three weeks on the job as the only woman on the force, says the only regulation in the code is for male officers.

"It said how long your sideburns and mustache could be."

weather

West Texas: Fair tonight. Mostly sunny Saturday. Fair tonight. Warmer in afternoon. Low tonight mostly 40s except middle 30s mountains. High Saturday, middle 70s Panhandle to lower 80s south and lower 90s Big Bend valleys.

SUNNY





Contribute Bracelets

Hereford Peace Officers Association donated identification bracelets this week to students of the Hereford Satellite Work Training Center. From left are Paul Hernandez, Highway Patrol Officer; David Legates, and Dean Butcher, County Deputy. Bob Spangler of Spangler's Diamonds Ltd. did the engraving free of charge. [Photo by Phyl Smith]

Ann Landers

Sister Writes



DEAR ANN: I am writing about a problem that has concerned me for a long time. It started in grade school and continued into my high school years.

My brother (four years older) used to pester me sexually. He'd ask me to pose in the nude and undress in front of him. Once he even tried to rape me. I told my mother about it. She said, "Tell your father." I did. He looked at me as if I was crazy. So I kept away from my brother as best I could. It wasn't easy.

He was remarried recently to a woman who has a five-year-old daughter. My heart aches when I think of my brother alone with this little girl. Maybe not now, maybe when she matures, he will put her through the same hell he put me through. This is his second marriage

and I don't want to make trouble. My brother and his wife seem to get along very well together.

They live 200 miles away so I have no way of watching for the signs I know too well. Ann, should I MYOB or what? It took me many years and the help of a wonderful husband to get over my fears and anxieties. I'd hate to see my niece go through what I did. What should I do?—Concerned In Arizona

DEAR CONCERNED: There is no way you can discuss this with your brother's wife or with the child and not stir up a hornet's nest.

If there's a chance that you can spend enough time with the youngster to win her confidence (perhaps take her for a few weekends) you might stress the importance of the body as "private property" and instruct

her to tell her mother at once if ANYONE, even relatives, tries to get too "friendly". This is as far as you can go, dear.

DEAR ANN LANDERS: Why doesn't the United States learn something from the more civilized countries?

Every year the number of children who die in traffic accidents rises in the United States, but not in Norway and Sweden. In Norway, for example, traffic fatalities among pre-school children have been reduced, by 30 per cent. The reason: traffic clubs.

Children are enrolled on their third birthdays. They receive four years of "training". The traffic clubs teach children to look both ways before crossing the street, never to cross against a red light, and never to take foolish chances.

The club also warns parents not to violate traffic rules in order that they might serve as good examples for their children.

Professor Per Schioldborg of Oslo studied the traffic behavior of children and discovered that the club-trained youngsters were nearly 50 per cent more cautious than non-club members when not accompanied by adults.

Any suggestions, Ann?—I love Kids

DEAR LOVE: Yes. Let's hope the National Safety Council (which does a very good job in the U.S.) sees your letter and takes some action.

CONFIDENTIAL: Needing a lift. Surely a happy, healthy, productive day is a great joy, but it would not be so if all our days were happy, healthy and productive. We must visit a few valleys in order to appreciate the mountaintops.

Party Held By Couples

Members of Alpha Iota Mu Chapter of Beta Sigma Phi and their husbands held a weiner roast at the Bud Thomas home Sunday afternoon.

They played volleyball and croquet.

Those attending were Messrs. and Mmes. Ken Glenn, Randy Jones, Eldon Koch, Floyd Neill, Les Nixon, Eldon Howell, Bob Nigh, Richard Meller, Joe Wallace and Mrs. Bob Goss.

Teen Dance Is Tonight

Local teenagers are invited to a dance featuring the music of "Smilin' Jack" from 8:30-12:30 a.m. tonight at Hereford Community Center.

All students, grades 9-12, are welcome at an admission price of \$3 per individual and \$5 for couples.

CCA Concert Date Changed

Community Concert Association members are notified that the date of the Linus Carlson performance at Canyon has been changed to Thursday, May 5. This concert had originally been scheduled May 4.

A baritone singer, Carlson will perform at 8 p.m. May 5 in Canyon High School for all CCA members.

Members are also reminded that the Young Americans will stage "The Music Man" at 8 p.m. Friday May 6, in the Hereford High School auditorium. This will be the final performance of this year's CCA season.



Sited For Weight Loss

Recognized for shedding the most pounds this month in the TOPS program were Terrye Rhyme, left and Annie Ruland. The two members were dubbed "best losers" at the recent Hawaiian "Fun Night" for area TOPS clubs. [Photo by Jim Steiert]

Penitent Clown Begs For Kids

LOUISVILLE, Ky. (AP) — Larry Evers failed on Broadway and was told he was not cut out to be a monk, so he turned to clowning in children's hospitals.

To support his work, which he says is at God's direction, Evers begs and sometimes lands in jail for it.

"I've been arrested 13 times in the past 18 years," he said. "For bringing the magic joy of clowning to their city they throw me in jail. Does that sound fair?"

Evers, 57, said he goes to about 20 cities every year, and also visits Canada and Mexico. And he claimed he's been as far as Paris and Tokyo.

He came to Louisville this week to clown at the Kosar Crippled Children Hospital. He described the area as "virgin territory."

"I'd prefer not to call it begging," he said of his solicitations. "A beggar asks for himself. I'm a mendicant. I ask so I can continue my work."

"I'm aspiring to be a saint. I love the kids, but the street is humiliating. People come up to you and say insulting things."

It's penance, I was not a very good man, you see. I was wicked..."

He said he decided to become a monk when he was jailed for drunkenness in New York City. But after four months in a Trappist monastery, the abbot told him he was not cut out for the life.

Volunteers Thanked

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Simons expressed their appreciation to various individuals who assisted in making yesterday's 4-H Bean Supper a financial success.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Schultz and Bob and Marci Hughes were responsible for preparing the beans, which were donated by George Warner. Tea, coffee and relishes were provided by Bill and Wanda Page.

Also, Donald and Mary Douglas brought the cornbread and Buel and Betty Monroe supplied fruit cobbler. G.C. and Gladys Merritt were responsible for setting up chairs and tables and ticket chairmen were Lynn and Elaine Jones, Elizabeth Kendrick was publicity chairman.

Mr. and Mrs. Simons expressed appreciation to all Hereford citizens who supported Deaf Smith County 4-H program by attending the Bean Supper. Proceeds will be used in all district and state 4-H programs, Electric Camp, 4-H Round-Up and Texas 4-H Congress.

Parents Of Crippled Child Sue Unsuccessful Surgeons

PITTSBURGH (AP)—Neither a vasectomy nor an abortion prevented the birth of Francine Speck, and now her parents are heartbroken because their fears that she would be a sickly child have come true.

The parents have sued the doctors who performed the operations, seeking damages for themselves and their child.

"She is a beautiful baby," her mother Dorothy Speck said in an interview Wednesday. "But as time goes on she will suffer."

The baby's steel-blue eyes were crossed at birth. She has cerebral palsy and has inherited a rare, crippling disease that her father and two sisters share.

"She can't sit up or walk yet and she's nearly two years old," said Frank Speck, a retail grocer. "Don't you think that's heartbreaking?"

Francine attends a local school for crippled children, and therapists there say she is a year behind others her age.

Mrs. Speck added, "I have a 2-year-old daughter who doesn't say Momma or Dadda yet. She knows us, but she can't say 'Hi.'"

The Specks decided three years ago that they didn't want another child because both their daughters had inherited neuro-fibromatosis, a disease that causes tumors to grow on nerves and makes bones brittle and slow to heal.

Valerie, 13, has birth marks over much of her body, one of the symptoms of the illness. She's a dark-haired beauty, but her mother says she will never be able to wear a bikini or a low-cut dress.

Lee Ann, 9, broke her ankle when she was five months old. A tumor snapped the bone. She's undergone four operations to repair her leg, left crooked by the fracture.

Dr. Richard A. Feingold performed the vasectomy in

April 1974, but Mrs. Speck became pregnant in October.

"It was our first thought that the baby would be deformed or malformed," said Mrs. Speck, explaining their decision to seek an abortion despite religious sanctions against the procedure.

"When I had it done, I didn't know her," she said.

The abortion was performed in December 1974, and Dr. J.J. Schwartz termed it successful, but Mrs. Speck continued to feel signs of life in her womb.

"When I told the doctor that thought I was still pregnant, he

told me it was probably a floating urinary tumor," she recalled.

Francine was born four months later. She was several months premature and remained in an incubator for 68 days before coming home.

An Allegheny Court Common Pleas judge threw out the Specks' original attempt to sue for damages last July. The state Superior Court is considering an appeal to reinstate the suit so a jury can rule on the facts and decide whether to award damages.

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Free Art Classes To Begin Monday

Beginning Monday, Martha Hughes Neel, artist in residence, will be offering free art lessons in oils, water colors and pastels. She will be teaching these lessons from 1-3 p.m. each Monday at the Community Center for four consecutive weeks.

Interested persons are asked to contact Mozelle Childers at 364-1326.

Mrs. Neel, whose artwork will be on display next week at Hereford State Bank, is a representative of the Artist-In-Schools program. This is a national endowment for arts productivity and is directed by the Texas Commission for the Arts and Humanities.

The Amarillo artist is currently stationed at Bluebonnet Elementary School and assists students at West Central

Elementary School. Her purpose is to "help students gain greater self-confidence and satisfaction by expressing their own artistic concepts through the usage of varied media."

Mrs. Neel also aids the classroom teacher by sharing ideas and techniques of her profession. She has exhibited paintings in the Texas Panhandle since 1964 and is represented by the Broadmoor St. Gallery at Amarillo.

A balanced diet will include less-refined fiber-containing foods every day. These foods include whole grain, legumes, nuts, fruits and vegetables. Not only do they contain fiber, but essential vitamins and minerals as well, says Sally Coble, foods and nutrition specialist.

Rabies Inoculations To Be Offered Tomorrow

Local citizens who own pets and have not yet had these animals vaccinated for rabies are urged to have this done Saturday afternoon at the local fire station, 213 W. 3rd Street. Dr. Aaron Hutto, licensed veterinarian, will administer the inoculations for \$3.50 from 1-5 p.m. Saturday. It is required by City ordinance that all pets be vaccinated against hydrophobia.

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State-Line News

MRS. C.L. HUTCHINS

BRAND CORRESPONDENT

Rain! Rain! Area farmers termed Wednesday night's and Thursday rainfall "a lifesaver," particularly for dryland wheat crops. In a few more weeks, the dryland wheat crop would have been lost. Rainfall varied from one-half to one-and-half inches around the communities, with a steady rain falling slowly with the dry thirsty soil absorbing every drop. Pasture land had begun to green-up from the recent rain about ten days ago. This week, the pastures are most beautiful covered in large areas with beautiful early yellow flowers, the first flowers of spring.

Old timer's have predicted an early spring. This past week, Louis Sorensen killed two rattlesnakes in the same day while C.L. Hutchins and hired help have killed eight rattlesnakes while building fences this past week.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Allen returned to their home in Broadview, Wednesday night after having spent the past ten days on a spring vacation to California. They are guests in the home of her brother and wife Mr. and Mrs. Harry E. Shierson in San Diego, Calif. The group attended an Easter Service Sunday.

The Allen's son Jimmy from Pleasanton, Calif., and two friends were also guests in the home of his uncle and aunt, and they met Earl Allen and the men went fishing at Baja, Calif. for five days. They chartered a boat for their fishing excursion.

Enroute home the Earl Allens were overnight guests in the home of her cousin Alice Gavitt in Phoenix, Ariz.

Ladies visiting Thursday morning in the home of Mrs. Gibbs Rucker included her sister-in-law Ruth Broxson, Lillie Washburn, and Stella Reynolds all of Pampa.

Mr. and Mrs. Louis Sorensen were Saturday afternoon guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Stovall in Clovis, N.M.

Easter Sunday dinner guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Schell and daughter Jamie included his parents Mr. and Mrs. V.F. Schell of Farwell.

Ella Mitchell of Clovis enjoyed spending the weekend in the home of her brother and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Glen Pulliam. While here Sunday afternoon, she attended the wedding shower for her great-nephew, Mr. and Mrs. George Mitchell, held in the Rosedale Community Center.

"COME WORSHIP WITH US!" Is the cordial invitation given by the Rev. Rusty Martin. The San Jon, N.M., United Methodist Church will be having a Revival May 2, 3 & 4. The Rev. Clyde Standfield, (former Grady youth) pastor of the Trinity United Methodist Church in Clovis, will be the guest speaker. There will be several music specials each evening.

During our Revival, we will be having breakfast at the church every morning at 6:00-7:00. Different classes will be cooking and serving. Plan to come and worship with us.

Congratulations to Mr. and Mrs. Michael Mitchell of Texico on the birth of a baby boy weighing six pounds and 13 ounces, born at 7:24 p.m. on Monday April 11th.

Mr. and Mrs. Bud Bold and daughters Lanie and Paula, returned Monday night after having spent the past four days in Oklahoma City visiting with relatives. Mrs. Ralph Bailey accompanied the Bold family to Oklahoma.

Mr. and Mrs. Gibbs Rucker entertained in their home with a dinner party honoring members of their family and other relatives.

Guests included their two sons families, Mr. and Mrs. Donald Rucker and children Leah, Robin, Lynn and William of Clovis; Mr. and Mrs. Johnnie Rucker and children Tasha, Terry and Schree all of State-Line road and Rusty Rucker of Canyon.

Also, Mrs. Rucker's sister Mrs. Ailene Barnhill of Fort Worth, a sister of Mrs. Iola Nelson of Friona; Mr. and Mrs. T.J. Broxson of Farwell and a

niece Miss Kim Broxson of Clovis N.M.

Local residents on the sick list include Mrs. G.R. Stout, W.C. Hutchins Sr., Mrs. Earl Allen and Mrs. Jordan Miller.

Mrs. Ruth Ridley was in Clovis, Tuesday afternoon attending meeting of a nominating committee for the Plain's Baptist Association, held in the home of Mrs. Vora Hartley.

The Broadview Church of Christ conducted a three day revival meeting this past Friday, Saturday and Sunday. Guest speaker was Don Holland of Winslow, Arizona. He was accompanied by his wife and children. Services were held Sunday with good attendance.

Mr. and Mrs. Clinton Burnett, spent Easter Sunday in the home of their son and family, Mr. and Mrs. Larry (Butch) Burnett and children Abby Lu, Jared and Kent in Estancia, N.M.

The Grady High School freshman class, held their Class Party, Tuesday night in Clovis. The group enjoyed bowling, supper and a movie.

They were accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. Loyd Grau and Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Isler. Class members enjoying the fun were Suann Sumrall, Lane Grau, Jerry Dean Isler, Tammy Duke, Paula Bold, David Bertram, Kevin Cooper, Vickie Hesson, Cara Wall, Branda Crawford, Phillip Borden, Jimmy Lambert, Mike Cross, Greg Day, Jackie Smith, Jerry Hultman and Joe Dwight.

The Broadview-Bellview Extension Club met Tuesday afternoon at the Broadview Club Building for their regular meeting with Mrs. Arvin Wood as hostess.

Mrs. Ralph Burnett, vice-president was in charge of the business meeting. She gave a report of the New Mexico District Extension meeting held April 2, in Las Vegas, N.M. She also announced shoe-bags will be made for the National Convention of HDA in 1979; these shoe-bags must be completed by the Homemakers Convention to be held on the campus of New Mexico State University in Las Cruces in June 12-14.

Mrs. A.G. Campbell of Clovis will be hostess for the next club meeting.

Mrs. Wood served refreshments of chips-dips, cream-puffs, date-nut bread, hot apple cider and coffee to six members present.

Found: a pair of glasses were found in the Grady School gymnasium following the school carnival. Contact the Grady School-office if you have lost glasses.

Mr. and Mrs. George Mitchell and son Robert Parvin have been guests for the past week in the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Mitchell.

The George Mitchell family will be moving to Snyder, Sunday where George is employed by the Santa Fe Railroad.

The Grady grade-school classes are practicing for their operetta, entitled "Johnny Appleseed Comes to Town," to be presented April 29, in the old gym.

The family who is living on the Wrang Trujillo place wishes to "Thank" the entire community for their household shower and baby needs for their new infant. Local residents realized, Christianity and "Home Missions" starts in our own community.

The 6th grade class of Grady elementary school were in Santa Fe recently for a field trip. Primary purpose of the trip was to view classmate Kelly Powell's picture on display in the School Children's Division of the Governor's Art Gallery.

The group had a guided tour of the capitol building and visited with Governor Jerry Apodaca in his office. They viewed the House of Representatives and Senate while in session. They were recognized by Senator Kenneth Schiltz from the Senate floor. Following lunch they toured the Governor's Palace and Museum, and

viewed the oldest house and oldest church in the United States.

They returned to Grady in the evening. Adults accompanying the group were Mrs. Darrell Duke, D.A. Bold and Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Powell.

Class members attending were Sheryl Duke, Brenda Blandford, Lanie Bold, Kathy Kaylo, Lisa Luck, Floyd Jordan, John Clymer, Stuart Pond, Wade Edwards, Kelly Powell, Susan Wyatt, Sandy Lambert and Larry Powell.

The Texas Farmer Stockton magazine featured an article and picture of Barry Williams, who farms 1,200 acres near Texico, N.M. The young farmer was recognized by the N.K. Northrup King Seed Company in planting a large acreage of corn last spring and harvested an outstanding yield.

Bud Powell of Amarillo former Bellview resident throughout his youth) spent Monday night and Tuesday morning in the home of his sister Mrs. Cecil Webb in Broadview. Powell then drove to Tiabian, N.M. where he was a guest in the home of another older sister Georgia Mays overnight and Wednesday. Thursday afternoon he was a guest in Clovis in the home of his son Gaylon and Shirley Powell and back to Mrs. Webb's Thursday night before returning to Amarillo on Friday.

Powell operates a dry-cleaning plant in Amarillo and has not had good health for several months.

Mr. and Mrs. J.R. Burnett and son Jeffery of Dora, N.M. were Sunday guests in the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Burnett.

The Grady School Board held their monthly meeting Tuesday night. Johnny Duke, was appointed to fill the vacancy left by the recent resignation of member James Williams. The board also hired Susan Mote as the language-math aide.

They awarded Jim Sena of Fort Sumner, N.M., the bid to repair and refinish the floor and roof in the old gym which was damaged when water pipes froze and burst during the past winter.

It was announced Margaret Mote of Broadview, Migrant Program Co-Ordinator, will be attending a Migrant Convention in Seattle during the coming summer.

Mr. and Mrs. Eddie Harrington, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Roark, and Mr. and Mrs. Pete Davis were hostesses to Mr. and Mrs. Allen Kelly of Clovis when they entertained in their home honoring members of the Young Texas Farmers and Ranchers Committee of the Curry County Farm and Livestock Bureau with a dinner last week with 31 guests present.

Randy Monroe, committee chairman, conducted a short business meeting following the meal. The group decided to enter a float in the Pioneer Days parade to be held in Clovis and to have a booth at the County Fair.

Mr. and Mrs. Arvin Wood and son Steve enjoyed spending last week in Aztec, N.M., as guests in the home of his brother and family Mr. and Mrs. Lynn Wood and children Dale and Trudy. Their step-mother Ethel Wood a former Bellview resident now resides in the Eventide Rest Home in Durango, Colo., was also a

guest in the Lynn Wood home.

"Spring Roundup" was the theme for the Youth Banquet held last Tuesday night at the Grady Baptist Church Fellowship Hall for members and their guests. The delicious meal was prepared by the church women and was followed by musical selections by the "Cowpokes" and humorous speaker, Leonard Molone. All those attending reported a most enjoyable evening.

Easter Sunday dinner guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Lucky Mitchell and son Lewis in Clovis included his parents Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Mitchell and a brother and family, Mr. and Mrs. George Mitchell and son Robert.

Mrs. Ralph Baily of Broadview, N.M., spent Tuesday evening and overnight in the home of her son and family Mr. and Mrs. David Bailey and children Sean, Trace and Belinda, in Clovis.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Riley and children Lori, Eddie and Carrie, entertained Sunday with a dinner in their home honoring his mother Mrs. Fred Riley of Fort Sumner on her birthday.

Mrs. Riley was delighted to have most of her children attending the family get-together, dinner and afternoon of visiting.

Children attending included her daughter Mrs. Verna Shammon and a son Freddie Riley of Lubbock. Also, a son Dennis Riley of Fort Sumner, N. Mex. a daughter and family Mr. and Mrs. James Pettus and children Janet and Michelle of Portales, and a special friend and sister-in-law of Mrs. Verna Miss Lavada Shannon of Hereford.

Lester Mulhair, who is slowly recuperating from a lengthy illness, enjoyed having his sister and her husband Lucian and Fay Peevey of Floyd, N.M., as his all-day guests Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Hershell Hughes and son Lynn entertained Sunday with a dinner honoring their guest evangelist preacher Don Holland and wife and children Danny, David, Cindy, Leslie and Paula of Winslow, Arizona.

Mr. and Mrs. Mike Rogers of Bellview announce the birth of their first child, a daughter on Wednesday April 13 at the Clovis Memorial Hospital. The baby arrived at 12:30 p.m. and weighed 7 lbs. and 6 oz. measured 21 inches. She has been named Heather Michelle.

Maternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Marvin McCutchen of Portales and paternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Clinton Rogers of Rogers, N.M. and paternal great-great grandfather is Henry Stovall of Clovis.

Mrs. Rogers and infant daughter arrived home Friday afternoon, accompanied by her mother, Mary McCutchen of Portales, who will help with the new baby this week.

Saturday afternoon guests in the Mike Rogers home getting acquainted with the new baby Heather Michelle included her aunt and uncle, Mr. and Mrs. Eddie Dunsworth and children Jeff, Tanya and Jerad of Texico, and Mrs. Edgar Campbell of Bellview.

Sunday dinner guests in the Mike Roger's home included her cousin Miss Joe Beth Isler of E.N.M.U. Portales. On Monday, grandmother Mrs. Clinton (Pat Rogers) of Floyd, came to get better acquainted with her new granddaughter.

Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Tate, who operate the Tate Mercantile

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Mrs. Clinton was an overnight guest in the home of her mother-in-law, Mrs. Mazie Burnett in Clovis, who is now recuperating from a recent injury to her lower back.

Other recent guests in the home of Mrs. Mazie Burnett included her daughter Mrs. Wilma Williams of Shawnee, Okla., and son and wife Mr. and Mrs. Tom Burnett of Las Cruces, N.M., who each stayed a week with their mother. Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Burnett of Bellview visited Friday afternoon with their mother. A sister-in-law Mrs. Minnie Mitchell, a former Bellview resident who now resides in Clovis, is staying with Mrs. Burnett; however she had to be in Albuquerque Friday for medical care.

Mr. and Mrs. Francis Decker have enjoyed having her cousin Dellis and Vera Miller of Louistown, Illinois as their guests for the past week. While here, the group visited with other relatives, two cousins Mrs. Billie Brown and Mrs. Rosalie Colwell in Hereford, and with an aunt, Mrs. Jennie King who resides in the Prairie Acres Rest Home in Friona.

Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Glover and daughter Nicole of Clovis, niece of the Millers, came out for a visit with them at her parents home, the Francis Deckers.

Malcolm and Donna Jean Garrett of Clovis spent last weekend at Houston, visiting with their son and wife and Dudley and Janice Garrett who are attending Rice University.

Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Tate spent Friday overnight in Lovington, visiting with friends and attended the Lovington Senior Citizens Club and enjoyed hearing the Blanchet Kitchen Band play special music.

Eldred Brown, who has been hospitalized in Deaf Smith General Hospital, has been released and is back at his home after having a series of tests.

No one is liked by everyone. Be yourself rather than spending time and effort trying to live up to others' expectations, advises Ilene Miller, family life education specialist with the Texas Agricultural Extension Service, The Texas A&M University System.



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Clothing Consumers Lack Knowledge Of 'Best Buys'

BY LOUISE COOK
Associated Press Writer

Americans spend more than \$20 billion a year on clothing, but shoppers may find that getting the best buy is harder than trying to predict next year's skirt lengths.

The variety of fabrics, fashions and styles can turn shopping into a confusing experience, however.

Do you want a natural fiber or a man-made one? Both have advantages and disadvantages; it depends on what you're looking for.

Will a preshrunk garment get smaller after you wash it? Yes.

What's the difference between woolen yarns and worsted ones? The woolens are softer; worsted are smoother. Here is a guide to some of the terms:

NATURAL FIBERS

Cotton is absorbent, washable and of medium strength. It wrinkles and shrinks easily unless treated.

Linens are cool, strong and crisp looking. It does not pick up lint. It washes easily, but unless treated, it wrinkles and shrinks.

Silk is luxurious, wrinkle resistant and strong, but is sensitive to sun and perspiration and usually is not washable. White silk yellows with age.

Wool is warm, strong, durable, resilient, naturally wrinkle resistant and easy to dye. It does, however, shrink very easily.

SYNTHETICS

Virtually all the man-made fibers are washable; other characteristics vary.

Acetate is soft and silky, inexpensive, resistant to wrinkles, moths and mildew, but may dissolve if you spill nail polish or remover, perfumes and many other solvents on it. Triacetate has many of the same characteristics, but is less sensitive to heat.

Acrylic is wool-like in texture

and warmth, and furry in appearance. It is quick drying and resists wrinkles and sun. Modacrylic is similar, but has the added quality of being flame resistant.

Nylon is the strongest of all. It is light, dries quickly and doesn't shrink, but it can develop static electricity unless treated.

Polyester is easy to wash and dry and super-resistant to wrinkles. It also holds pleats and creases well and is often blended with cotton for permanent press garments.

Rayon is soft and comfortable, highly absorbent and cheap. It also is durable and easy to dye.

SHRINKING

Except for rayon, synthetics generally do not shrink at all. The situation with natural fibers varies.

The word "preshrunk" means it implies—almost. It does not mean that the fabric has been preshrunk completely. The word frequently will be followed by a statement saying how much more shrinkage is expected. If there is no statement, be prepared for it to shrink at least 3 per cent.

Sanforized refers to a patented process to control shrinking of cotton and linen articles. Again, you can expect some further shrinkage, but it should be only 1 per cent or less.

If there is no label statement, you can expect shrinkage of about 5 per cent. Knitted, napped and sheer fabrics will shrink even more.

CARE

The phrase "wash and wear" means you should be able to wash an item and wear it with little or no ironing, but some garments don't live up to the label very well. The product may have achieved its wash-and-wear status one of three ways: by a resin finish added to the fabric to reduce wrinkling it may still need ironing, through a chemical modification of the fiber or through a mixture of cotton and a synthetic which is naturally wrinkle resistant.



Be A Friend, Have A Friend

BY JOAN DWYER
Big Brothers-Big Sisters
SHARE YOURSELF

One of the basic, essential vehicles of building a close relationship with a child is sharing yourself. This sharing includes not only stating what you think or what you like, but also communicating the feelings you are experiencing. This is really a tough order to follow for most adults. We expect kids to tell us everything, but we are very hesitant to do likewise. I suppose that the feeling of vulnerability is a bit much, but try to get on a "feeling" level.

Be careful not to blame or judge or to send a solution. Also, make sure that after you express how you feel, you don't try to make the child feel guilty, or remove his choices.

Let's take a look at some examples of communication and explore what possibilities exist.

"Billy, you are making too much noise. Stop it!" I am telling Billy what he is doing and what to do about it.

"Billy, I am working on my checkbook and I need quite so I won't make a mistake." I am telling Billy what I am doing, what I need and why.

"Jane, you are being selfish.

Share that candy with your sister."

I am judging Jane and telling her what to do.

"Jane, I bought the candy for all my family because I know everyone likes it. If it is not shared, I will be disappointed."

How much more effective to give Jane a choice (I hope she shares) and let her know how I feel about the situation!

"I feel frustrated when you behave so stupidly. Straighten up."

My expressing the frustration is fine, but who wants to be called stupid!! (Some people suffer under the delusion that if you are talking about the behavior, it won't offend the child. HA!)

Let's take a look at some positive statements and work on them.

"You are a good girl when you help your friend."

How about, "When I see you help your friend, it makes me feel good inside; it's like seeing love."

Try sharing yourself on a feeling level with the kids around you and your relationship will take on a rich and warm meaning.

Face Of Christ Appears At Altar

SHAMOKIN, Pa. (AP) — The curious and reverent are flocking to a small Episcopal Church in this eastern Pennsylvania coal town to be an image of Christ on the altar cloth.

The rector of the Holy Trinity Episcopal Church first noticed what he said was the face of Christ on the table three days before Easter. But it was a 9-year-old girl who stirred interest in the image.

"Grandma, Grandma, hurry, come see God! Grandma, on the cloth. See, there is God's face," said Iris Reagle.

"I couldn't see anything except the altar..." said the girl's grandmother, Mrs. Clarence Feagley. "Then, as I looked more closely at the veil, I, too, could plainly see what my granddaughter first saw: the face of Jesus."

The church has had a steady

flow of visitors ever since.

"They don't want to leave," said the Rev. Frank R. Knutti, the rector. "They stay and stay, and when they do go away, they come back with someone else."

"We can't close the church," he said. "It's a constant stream of people in and out."

Knutti estimated that 2,000 people of all faiths have visited the small church, which has about 150 members. He said he was reluctant to discuss the image because, "I don't want to make a carnival out of this."

Knutti, who said he has moved the cloth twice since he doubted that shadows in its folds were causing an optical illusion.

"Too many people have seen the same thing," he said. "It doesn't change as the light changes, either."

Hospital Notes

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Martha Alvarado, 411 E. 4th; Aubrey Bell, Westgate; Jimmy Brooks, Route 3; Elsie Chapman, Route 1; Frank Daniel, 404 McKinley; Enrique Elizondo, 401 Irving; Christopher Fallwell, Friona; Aurora Garcia, Box 722; Deila Gorman, 215 Ave. A; Gavina Guillen; Route 2; John Hall, 112 Ave. J; Effie Hartman, 108 Ave. J; Joaquina Hawley; Box 284; K.C. Kelley, 830 West 1st; Edna Kelly, Box 145; Jessie Lee, Route 3; Toby Liscano, 300 Raymond; Dan Meives, Route 4.

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DISMISSALS

Glenn Ho-Gland.

Spring Fling Is Tomorrow At Bull Barn

Merry Mixers Square Dance Club will stage its annual Spring Fling Saturday evening, at the Bull Barn. The public is invited to attend and admission will cost \$2 per couple.

Round dancing will begin at 7:30 p.m. and the Grand March is scheduled to commence at 8 p.m.

Les Grumke of Amarillo will cue the rounds and Roy Johnson, also of Amarillo, will call for square dancing.

Mr. and Mrs. Benny Womble are currently serving as president of the local club.

The Abundant Life Fed Up With Life



By Bob Wear

If we can depend upon many of the popular songs we hear, and the other rather strange expressions and manifestations which abound; many people are "fed up" with something. In a majority of the many expressions of boredom and weariness, the general impression seems to be that the people are "fed up" with life. If this is true, some changes are indicated.

It may be that they do not really mean what they say, or perhaps their value systems are not well-formed, or they have no worthy purpose, or life is not meaningful, or it may be that their expectations are unreasonable. Whatever it is, people who have the "fed up" attitude

are in trouble.

One of the first facts of life all of us must learn is that some things will not be as we wish them to be. We may be disappointed, but not "fed up". Then, we must soon accept the reality of failure; because, along with our accomplishments, there will be some failures. This experience may hurt, but it must be a transitory hurt.

We cannot always have our way. There are other people to consider. In some instances, we may lose in legitimate competition. At other times, we may be treated unfairly. There may be some occasions of misplaced confidence. We may have our kindness and consideration repaid with hatefulness. Regardless of these and other similar actualities in human interaction, we cannot find just cause for being "fed up" with life; not if we are serious about satisfactory living.

If we expect too much, we will almost certainly be frustrated, and disappointed and upset. In time, we will be "fed up". The remedy is to be found in sensible, and well-founded expectations which are in accord with the realities. This applies to the expectations for ourselves, for others and for life in general. When we consider our expectations, and find that they are not in agreement with the facts and the obvious realities; we must revise them at once. We can do this, if we will be honest, and if we actually want to do so.

Most of the time, when we come to the conclusion that we are "fed up"; we can improve our feelings by making some indicated changes in ourselves. Even when this is not a total remedy, it will help us find the remedy we need. If other changes are in order, these can be handled more satisfactorily; if we first make sure that we have ourselves in the best possible frame of mind.

We must establish and maintain a good value system; we must choose reasonable goals; we must learn to be fully grateful for all blessings; we must accept our limitations graciously; we must be widely interested in doing what we are able to do to help others; and we must use good judgment in all things. Thus, we are less likely to become "fed up" with life.

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Recital To Feature Miss Schlabs, Zinzer

Miss Susan Schlabs, soprano vocalist, will be presented in recital at 2 p.m. Sunday in the Heritage Room of Deaf Smith County Library by Joe Ella Cansler, private voice instructor.

Interested persons are welcome to attend.

Recital selections will be representative of the early classic period, romantic and contemporary melodies and musical comedy. Miss Schlabs is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Schlabs, Route 2.

Piano selections will also be presented by Phillip Zinzer, son of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Zinzer, Westway.

Hereford Music Study Club members will serve as hostesses during a reception following the performance.

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Guidlines Given In Stove Purchase

COLLEGE STATION— One "recipe" for making a wise kitchen range choice "calls" for nine buying guidelines.

They're designed for brides--and other consumers-- who feel a bit unsure about this important home appliance, says Linda McCormack, a family resource management specialist, who developed the formula.

Mrs. McCormack is with the Texas Agricultural Extension Service, The Texas A&M University System.

1) Overall, remember the more features you select, the higher the cost of the appliance.

2) Be sure to compare price, size, color and special features of several different brands and models.

3) If you plan to move soon, you may want to avoid built-in, drop-in or slide-in ovens and surface burner units in favor of a range you can take along. On the other hand, a built-in kitchen could be an important sales feature. Ask your realtor.

4) Consider which features of a range you really need. Is a second oven-- probably for just two holidays--worthwhile? Or does your lifestyle require fast, small-quantity microwave cooking--to replace slower cooking in the oven or on surface burners? Do you eat out a lot? Are you big on frozen dinners?

5) Know who will provide service under the product warranty which assures delivery, installation, and initial performance, exactly as you expect.

6) Consider the reliability of your energy supply. You might be influenced one way if electrical outages are frequent and long-- but another way if gas lines aren't available and you must rely on truck delivery of LP gas tanks over bad roads.

"Energy shortages and high prices of energy in various areas have become very important lately," Mrs. McCormack added.

7) Learn oven-cleaning terminology.

"Self cleaning"-- oven soil is reduced to a light ash during a separate high heat

cycle. The remaining ash can be removed with a damp cloth.

"Continuous cleaning"-- oven soil is gradually reduced to a presentably clean condition on specially treated surfaces during normal baking or roasting operations. Spillovers should be wiped up. Only the treated surfaces will be subject to the continuous cleaning action.

8) Remember, satisfaction with a new range also depends on such easily overlooked factors as a floor that isn't quite level or a faulty oven thermometer. Failure to keep the oven clean, overcrowding, use of wrong-size pans and failure to carefully follow recipes are important range-use factors.

9) Finally, don't expect miracles.

"A bride who is an inexperienced cook cannot expect her new range to make her a gourmet cook--but it can help," the specialist added.

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Obituary

H.A. MCWHORTER

Mrs. P.B. Sowell of Hereford will be traveling to Headrick, Okla. for the funeral of H.A. McWhorter, 70, who died Thursday.

Mr. McWhorter was the father of Mrs. David Sowell of San Antonio, a former Hereford resident and the daughter-in-law of the local Mrs. Sowell. Also attending the services will be Margaret and Buck Cunningham of Amarillo. Margaret Cunningham is the daughter of Mrs. P.B. Sowell.

School Lunch Menu

PUBLIC SCHOOLS

MONDAY— Frito pie, tossed salad, Spanish rice, fruit cookie, hot rolls, milk.

TUESDAY— Pigs-in-a-blanket with mustard, crinkle cut beets, buttered potatoes, carrot sticks, apple crisp, milk.

WEDNESDAY— Hamburger, lettuce, tomato, onion, pickle, French fries, orange wedges, milk.

THURSDAY— Fried fish with tartar sauce, creamy cole slaw, blackeye peas, sliced pears in syrup, hot rolls, milk.

FRIDAY— Barbecued beef on bun, French fries, buttered corn, dill pickle slices, chocolate cake, milk.

ST. ANTHONY'S PAROCHIAL SCHOOL

MONDAY— Chicken and noodles, blackeye peas, tossed salad, peaches, hot rolls, milk.

TUESDAY— Pizza, green beans, Jello with fruit, milk.

WEDNESDAY— Ranch burgers, potato chips, lettuce and pickles, plum cobbler, milk.

THURSDAY— Ranch-style beans, spinach, cabbage-pepper salad, cinnamon rolls, cornbread, milk.

FRIDAY— Macaroni and cheese, buttered peas, cranberry sauce, peanut butter bars, buttered bread, milk.

The Hebrew name Ephraim means "doubly fruitful."

According to the ancient Greek historian Herodotus, the Egyptian pharaoh Necho sent a fleet that successfully circumnavigated Africa around 600 B.C.

CATFISH STATE

JACKSON, Miss. (AP) — In the number of farm-produced catfish, Mississippi has led the nation since 1970.

There were 511 farms last year covering about 19,500 acres. They collectively produced 40 million pounds of catfish valued at \$25 million, according to the U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service. And this year, 1,200 acres have been added to catfish farming.

Arkansas was the national leader in catfish production, but Mississippi's delta counties have contributed enough acreage to the scaleless fish to make this state No. 1.

Humphreys County claims to be the catfish capital of the world, with 6,000 acres devoted to the crop and even an annual catfish festival in Belzoni.

Senate Considers Further Cut of Income Tax Rates

WASHINGTON (AP) - After expanding business tax breaks that President Carter wants to discard entirely, the Senate is considering a Republican move to defy Carter further by cutting income tax rates.

Carter has threatened to veto the pending tax bill if it includes a permanent tax cut.

The Republicans prepared amendments to the bill, part of Carter's Program to stimulate

the economy, to reduce the tax rates in the low-and-middle-income brackets.

The Republicans originally proposed the permanent cuts as an alternative to Carter's \$50-per-person rebate plan.

Last week Carter dropped his support for the rebates and for business tax breaks.

But while it honored his request to jettison the rebates, the Senate voted 74 to 20

Thursday to keep the business tax breaks, worth \$3.3 billion over two years. Then it approved amendments increasing those tax breaks up to \$4.1 billion.

While the GOP plan would benefit all taxpayers, the biggest proportional gains would go to those with smaller incomes.

Sen. Jacob K. Javits, R-N.Y., an author of the proposal, said it

would mean an average saving of about \$200 for persons whose taxable income, after exemptions and deductions, ranged between \$12,000 and \$18,000. Those with very low incomes would get cash rebates, he said.

Carter wants no substantial reduction of future revenues until his own programs, including a major tax reform he has promised to submit this fall, are farther along.

Sen. Ted Stevens, the Republican whip, told reporters he expects the Senate to pass the tax cut proposal and doubts that Carter would veto an entire stimulus package because this was part of it.

"My feeling is the votes are there unless there is serious pressure from the administration," said the Alaska senator, adding, "We could override a veto, I think."

The House already has passed the business credits in a different form. If the Senate version, still to face conference with the House, should become law, each business would have a choice.

It could increase its recovery of money spent on productive equipment through a 2 per cent credit to 12 per cent. Or, if it chose instead to enlarge its work force by more than 3 per cent, it could collect a tax credit.

The government would, in effect, pay from \$630 to \$1,806 of each additional worker's salary. The amount would depend on the employer's tax bracket. But no single business could receive more than \$100,000 in job credits.



FAMILIAR CHARACTERS ARE PLAYING NEW ROLES in the Carter administration. Long-time and just-retired Senate Majority Leader Mike Mansfield, left, is to be the new ambassador to Japan. A onetime Far East specialist at the University of Montana, his missions to Asia began in the Roosevelt administration. Former Democratic National Chairman Robert Strauss is special trade negotiator. Former Sen. Gale McGee of Wyoming is ambassador to the Organization of American States. Former Ohio Gov. John Gilligan heads the Agency for International Development.

Five Texans Named To Energy Panel

WASHINGTON (AP) - House Speaker Thomas P. O'Neill named five Texans to the House's new ad hoc energy committee, but he by-passed U.S. Rep. Bob Krueger, who has led the fight for natural gas deregulation.

Krueger, of New Braunfels, came within a vote last year of getting 'deregulation bill' through the house and had lobbied hard to get on this year's energy committee. When the selections were announced, Krueger was not among the 25 Democrats on the Committee.

The select committee will put President Carter's energy

package into final shape after its components are worked over by the various regular committees which deal with energy. O'Neill said that more than 150 Democrats asked for spots on it.

"It looks like it will be a very sympathetic committee for Carter," said Rep. James Collins, R-Tex., as he surveyed the list. Collins and Rep. William Archer, R-Tex., were both among the 12 Republicans chosen by House Minority Leader John Rhodes.

O'Neill selected three Texas Democrats for the committee. They were Reps. John Young of Corpus Christi, Charles Wilson

of Lufkin, and Bob Eckhardt of Houston.

Young and Wilson, like Collins and Archer, are proponents of deregulation, while Eckhardt has said he favors Carter's proposal to cap the price of both interstate and intrastate gas at \$1.75.

None of them however, has become an expert in gas legislation the way Krueger has. Krueger could not be reached for immediate comment Thursday.

O'Neill simply said he wanted to pick a balanced committee. One source said there was opposition to Krueger's selection because he has proven himself "too effective" in campaigning for deregulation.

Rep. Thomas Ashley, D-Ohio, whom O'Neill described as a neutral on energy issues, was selected as committee chairman.

Spanking Ruling Receives Favorable Comment From State Education Officials

By The Associated Press

School officials in Texas generally say they are pleased with this week's U.S. Supreme Court decision upholding corporal punishment in schools although they expressed "last resort" feelings about student spanking.

"I think it's a great decision," said Gordon Cotton, deputy superintendent of administration for Houston schools. "I think the federal courts have finally realized they need to leave the discipline to the individual school administrators."

Cotton said he doubts if the Supreme Court ruling that

school spankings are not "cruel and unusual punishment" will cause a massive return to the days when teachers carried a paddle as part of their standard equipment.

"We've always used a paddle in Houston, but only as a last resort," he said. "I don't think the ruling is going to change anything here, but it should relieve some of the administrators from worrying about getting sued if they use the paddle."

Dallas School Supt. Nolan Estes said he sees no effect on Dallas' policy on using corporal punishment as a last resort, with teachers paddling their

students only with permission from a principal.

But Doyle Weaver, a spokesman for Citizens Against Physical Punishment CAPP, said corporal punishment is "unbelievably widespread" in the Dallas school district, and school policy is violated frequently. Asst. School Supt. Jales Ahney of Fort Worth said, "I've found very little objection to corporal punishment if used properly." He said corporal punishment is used in Fort Worth schools only in cases of extreme or persistent violation of a school rule.

Fort Worth, Supt. Gerald Ward added, "I think it has a place. It must be used judiciously and with judgment and as a last resort."

Bob Wallace, president of the Fort Worth Classroom Teachers Association, said teachers have mixed feelings about corporal punishment. Some, he said, believe in discipline "up to that point," while others would like to keep paddles in the classroom.

"We have some who do it now even though it is not school board policy," Wallace said.


In Corpus Christi, elementary School principal Jose Guerra said, "We're not at school to beat up anyone," but "corporal punishment is one of the tools we need."

Another elementary principal, Anson Nash, said corporal punishment is "a very good kind of behavior modification tool but should be used only as a last ditch effort."

In El Paso, where the school board objected to a special task

force's recommendation in favor of corporal punishment, School Supt. J.M. Whitaker said spanking in schools is not merely a legal point. Although it might be considered legal under the Constitution, Whitaker said schools must still project themselves from possible assault charges.

"We believe that to adopt this corporal punishment policy would be asking for too many court suits," said an administrative staff report led by Whitaker.



The Consumer Alert

by John L. Hill
Attorney General

AUSTIN—So your winter heating bills had you wavering between laughing and crying? Just imagine what the upcoming summer cooling bills will bring! For most of us Texans, the effort to stay reasonably cool in our hot climate is even more expensive.

Many of us are looking for ways to curb these and other utility bills. Unfortunately, in our cost-cutting, energy-saving zeal some of us are becoming easy marks for unscrupulous persons who use the "energy crisis" as a wedge to open our pocketbooks.

Our Attorney General's Consumer Protection Division lawyers say that "con artists" and deceptive home improvement contractors or sales persons are trading heavily this spring on recommendations "for conservation" made by energy experts. However, some of the goods and services being sold are not likely to decrease energy consumption or utility bills very much.

As a guide, federal energy administrators suggest that homeowners can experience the largest savings in energy and dollars by the following measures:

1. Proper home insulation. With at least six inches of insulation in an attic and no less than three inches in outside walls, energy consumption in a previously uninsulated house could decrease by as much as 35%. Just putting three inches of insulation in an attic can save about 18% in heating and cooling bills.

2. Weatherstripping and/or caulking around doors and windows can also produce noticeable decreases in energy consumption.

3. The installation of storm windows and doors in all seasons, or the installation of double-paned thermal glass windows could save about 15% in energy.

4. Proper use of draperies, window shades, blinds, or interior shutters can help retain warm air in winter and

cool air in summer. 5. Deciduous trees or vines planted on the west and south sides of your home can make quite a difference in utility bills, too. When in full leaf, they keep the hot sun from hitting a house, yet allow sunlight and warmth in when they shed their leaves in cool weather.

6. Last, but definitely not least, setting your thermostat higher in summer and lower in winter will dramatically lower energy consumption.

Some of these suggestions can quickly and easily be put into action by the homeowner. Others, such as the recommendations for insulation, weatherstripping and caulking, and installation of special doors and windows require an investment of some time and money. If you decide to "do-it-yourself," be careful to comparison shop for the best price, quality, durability, and warranty. You should study sales and promotional literature for different brands to be sure you are getting the most for your money. Be sure to learn the correct procedures for installation, too.

And, if you decide to pay professionals to do these jobs for you, make sure the individuals are just that—professionals. Don't be tempted by itinerants who may hit your neighborhood this spring selling "cut-rate" insulation jobs, "burglar-proof, energy-saving thermal" windows, or "energy inspections" of your home to see where you could save. Our Consumer Protection Division attorneys say you could end up spending a lot of money for poor work or faulty products that won't save you energy or money when the job is completed.

If you have a consumer complaint deceptive home repair contractors or sales persons, call this toll-free number: 1-800-252-9236. Or contact our Consumer Protection Division in Austin, Houston, Dallas, San Antonio, El Paso, Lubbock, or McAllen.

Social Security Recipients To Get Cost of Living Hike

WASHINGTON (AP) - If you're among the 35.5 million Americans who receive Social Security or Supplemental Security Income, there's silver lining to the latest cloud over the consumer price index. You're going to get a cost of living increase.

The index, which measures

inflation, soared at an 18 per cent annual rate during the first quarter of 1977, the biggest three-month leap in two years. But government economists think it will moderate to about 6 per cent by year's end.

The index also rose 5.9 per cent from the first quarter of 1976, and that means that the

33.4 million Social Security recipients and 4.3 million aged and disabled SSI recipients can count on an extra 5.9 per cent in their checks starting July 1.

Those increases will cost Social Security \$5.3 billion during the fiscal year that ends Sept. 30, 1978. The financially troubled trust expects to pay out a total of about \$92 billion next year. The SSI increase, paid from general tax funds, will cost \$265 million.

The cost-of-living increase, which is automatic when the index rises more than 3 per cent in a year, will mean \$23 extra each month for the average elderly couple, both of whom are on Social Security and now draw \$377 a month.

An average retired worker living alone will get a \$13 increase, raising his monthly benefit to \$234.

Consumer prices rose six-tenths of 1 per cent last month

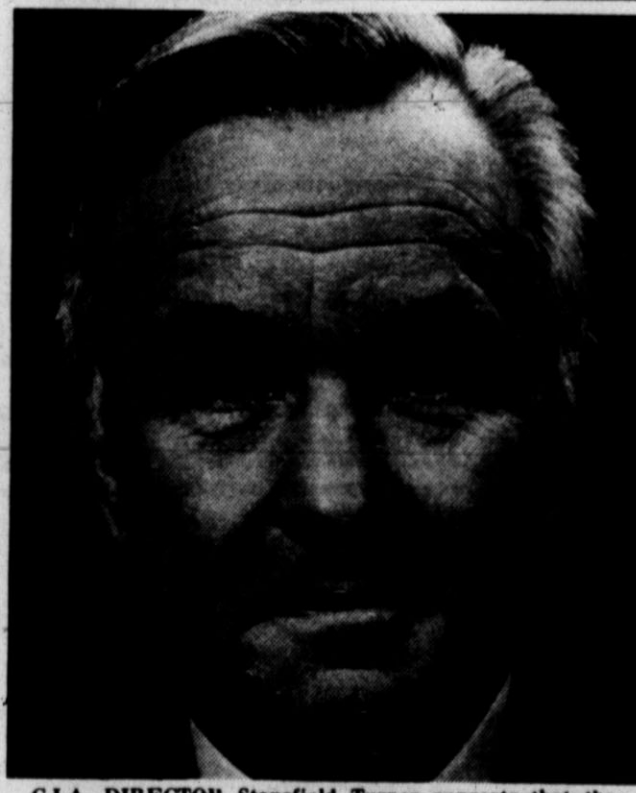
-an annual rate of 7.2 per cent-following jumps of 1 per cent in February and eight-tenths of 1 per cent in January.

Carter administration economists blamed the sharp first quarter increase on the harsh winter, which drove up food and fuel prices.

"The underlying rate of inflation is still in the 6 per cent range," said Courtenay Slater, the Commerce Department's chief economist.


In other economic news Thursday, an Agriculture Department official said that, at worst, Carter's energy package could add 2 per cent to 3 per cent to consumer food prices by 1980.

But Deputy Secretary John White said that is the "worst scenario," and if conservation efforts succeed, food prices might not go up any faster than they would without the energy plan.



C.I.A. DIRECTOR Stansfield Turner suggests that the Soviet Union may be secretly at work on a new family of nuclear arms. Such a development could explain the Kremlin's abrupt rejection of U.S. arms cut proposals.

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It could all come down to the final event, the Mile Relay, to decide the District 4-4A champion at the district meet in Lubbock Saturday, and Hereford will count on these four runners to pull it off. Included on the team are [l to r] Paul Bell, Doug Reinart, James Mays [seated] and Jackie Mercer. [Brand Photo].

Wrestling Takes Layoff

Lions Club wrestling will close its doors for one week, this Saturday at the Bull Barn. Lions Club officials have promised to return with a spring spectacular, with a giant card and great matches. The wrestling extravaganza will come to the Bull Barn on April 30 8:30 p.m. at the Bull Barn. Club officers are pondering a slight increase in prices, but full details will be announced soon.

In last week's Saturday night mat wars, Ricky Romero battled pretty boy Doug Somers to a draw in the opener. Romero had volunteered to substitute for an injured contestant when Somers was about to be awarded the match by default; Somers demurred, but athletic commissioner Stanley Blackburn held Somers to his open contract.

The 226-pound Romero, wrestling's "Super Mex", gave his 245-pound Minnesota foe a fifteen minute wrestling lesson, but time ran out before he could apply a finisher. Romero then returned to join popular Canadian Jerry Kozak, 218 pounds, against the combined bulk of Rip Hawk and Swede Hanson, the 570-pound team lately from North Carolina. Kozak dropped the first fall to Hawk, but evened the score with the squat "ripper" in the second.

In the third fall, Romero and Hawk, the legal men in the ring, were counted out as they engaged in a pier six brawl outside the ropes. Hawk was bleeding profusely as he and Hanson finally left the field in haste. In the other top match, Cyclone Negro, 250-pound Venezuelan, kept his international heavyweight championship in a grueling contest with former champion Reggie Parks, the highly-conditioned 228 pounder from Alberta, Canada.

Wrestling returns to the Bull Barn on Saturday, April 30, p.m. at the Deaf Smith County Bull Barn, with the Hereford Lions Club spring spectacular.

Plainview, Canyon Take Titles

The 7th grade division in the Panhandle Junior High Athletic League (PJHAL) South Zone Boys Track Meet was a tight race all the way at Hereford's Whiteface Field Thursday, but the 8th and 9th grade divisions were virtual runaways. Plainview's Red team took the 7th grade title with 124 1/2 points over Plainview's Blue team (118 1/2) and La Plata (114). The winners took firsts in both the 400 and 880 relays, and won the 100 and long jump enroute to the win. Stanton finished fourth in the division with 63 1/2 points, a shade better than Canyon, which finished fifth with 63 1/4.

Plainview's Blue bunch took the 8th grade title with 170 points, 60 better than runner up Canyon, which had 110. Stanton was third with 109 points; while La Plata was fourth with 49, and Canyon fifth with 38. The 9th grade race was a two-team affair all day, with Canyon's frosh finally winning with 213 points. Plainview took second with 171 points, and Stanton and La Plata were far back with 50 and 34 points respectively.

PJHAL BOYS 7TH
440 Relay—1. P. Red 51.2; 2. Canyon; 3. Piv. Blue; 4. Stanton; 5. La Plata
100—1. King Piv. Red, 11.4; 2. Jones, Piv. Red; 3. Dees, Canyon; 4. Rocha, La Plata
800—1. Holqui, Stanton, 2:24.1; 2. Splawn, Canyon; 3. Higdon Piv. Blue; 4. Garza, La Plata; 5. Carrasco, La Plata
440—1. Carrillo Piv. Blue 51.1; 2. Ford Stanton; 3. Ellis Piv. Blue; 4. Rocha, La Plata
60 IH—1. Ballard Piv. Blue 8.8; 2. Watson, Canyon; 3. Clark, La Plata; 4. Wartes, La Plata
100 LH—1. High Stanton, 13.1; 2. Ballard Piv. Blue; 3. Richburg, La Plata; 6. Ritchie Stanton
220 Dash—1. Cargill Piv. Blue 26.7; 2. James Piv. Red; 3. Jones Piv. R. 5. Gonzales, Stanton
Shot—1. Hernandez, La Plata 42.2; 2. Richburg La Plata; 3. Campuzano, La Plata
600 Run—1. Salazar, Stanton, 1:39.7; 2. Harvey, Canyon; 3. Pineda, Piv. Blue
Discus—1. Richburg, La Plata 114.9 1/4; 2. Hernandez, La Plata; 3. Campuzano, La Plata
880 Relay—1. Piv. Red, 1:47.9; 2. Piv. Blue; 3. Stanton; 4. La Plata
Pole Vault—1. Wartes, La Plata, 9-6; (tie) 2. Jackson, Piv. Blue; and 3. Tankensley, Canyon
High Jump—1. Cargill Piv. Blue 5'4"; 2. Clarke, La Plata 3. Wartes, La Plata; 5. Dgozier, La Plata; 6. Brown, Stanton
Long Jump—1. King Piv. Red 16'10"; 2. James Piv. Red; 3. Carille, Canyon; 4. Lucero, La Plata; 5. Ritchie Stanton; 6. Stengel, La Plata
TEAM TOTALS—1. Piv. Red 124 1/2; 2. Piv. Blue 118 1/2; 3. La Plata, 114; 4. Stanton, 63 1/2; 5. Canyon, 63 1/4

PJHAL BOYS 8TH
440—1. Canyon, 46.6; 2. Piv.; 3. Stanton; 4. La Plata
880—1. Flores, Stanton 2:08.9; 2. Johnson, Canyon; 3. Moore, Ricky, La Plata; 4. Plummer, Stanton
120—1. McKay, Canyon, 15.2; 2. Johnson, Canyon; 3. Watson, Canyon; 6. Morgan, Barry, La Plata
100—1. Bender, Canyon, 10.4; 2. Stewart, Piv.; 3. Reeves, Piv.; 4. Dominguez, La Plata; 3. White, Canyon
330—1. Smalridge, Canyon, 43.4; 2. Reyes, Piv.; 3. Johnson, Canyon; 4. Arthro, Steve, La Plata; 5. Aasew, Stanton
220—1. Stewart, Piv. 23.7; 2. Bender, Canyon; 3. McKay, Canyon; 5. Edwards, La Plata
Mile Run—1. Carrasco, La Plata, 5:12.9; 2. Fletscher, Canyon; 3. Montez, Piv.; 5. Gonzales, La Plata
Mile Relay—1. Piv. 3:46.0; 2. Canyon; 3. Stanton; 4. La Plata; 5. Aasew, Stanton
Shot—1. Woods, Piv. 52'8"; 2. Davis, Piv.; 3. Aduddell, Canyon; 6. Pesina, La Plata
Discus—1. Davis Piv. 163'3"; 2. Aduddell, Canyon; 3. Lacy, Canyon
Pole Vault—1. Haws, Canyon 10'6"; 2. Bailey, Canyon, 3. Houk, Canyon
High Jump—1. Stovy, Piv. 6'4"; 2. McKay, Canyon; tied 3 & 4 Howerton Piv and Bailey, Canyon
Long Jump—1. Reyes, Piv. 18'9"; 2. Stovy, Piv. 3. Black Piv
TEAM TOTALS—1. Canyon 213; 2. Plainview 171; 3. Stanton 50; 4. La Plata 34

PJHAL BOYS 9TH
440 Relay—1. Piv. Blue 49.4; 2. Stanton; 3. Piv. Red; 4. La Plata
100—1. Brown Stanton, 11.2; 2. Garcia Piv. Blue; 3. Carrillo, Piv. B; 6. McGill, Stanton
880—1. Wall, Canyon 2:16.1; 2. Wright Piv. Blue; 3. Gentry, La Plata; 4. Moore Stanton; 5. Zepeda, La Plata
440—1. Soliz Piv. Blue 57.9; 2. Rodriguez, Stanton; 3. Bye, Canyon; 4. Soliz, La Plata
60 Hurdles—1. Gallardo Piv. Blue 8.1; 2. Harbin, Canyon; 3. Robinson, Canyon; 6. Mungia Stanton
100 Low Hurdles—1. Gallardo Piv. B 12.5; 2. Mayberry Piv. Blue; 3. Schumacher, La Plata
220—1. Terry, Stanton, 25.3; 2. Contreras Piv. Blue; 3. Sanniguel,

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Herd Hopes High

District Track Meet Saturday

BY BOB NIGH
Brand Sports Editor

We all have our ups and downs, and when it comes to those peaks and valleys in athletics, every coach hopes that his team will be on the upswing

Tryouts Set

Tryouts for the Hereford Kids, Incorporated Pony League will be held at 3 p.m. Saturday, April 23 at the Pony League field it has been announced.

Interested players should bring a \$10 fee and at least one parent with them to the tryouts. Anyone wishing more information may contact Max Goforth at 364-3186 for details.

Also on Saturday the Bronco League will be announcing teams for the Major, Minor, and Pee Wee leagues at 1 p.m. at the ballparks on Ave. H. League president Gene Combs has announced.

Any youngster who has still not signed up may sign up for play at that time also. Practice sites will also be announced at the meeting, with practice to begin Monday. The league opens May 2.

when the golden ring comes around his way.

The Hereford High School track team looks as if it is topping the crest as the District 4-4A track meet looms around the proverbial corner this weekend, and coach Robert Priest came mighty close to grabbing that golden ring last week at the Amarillo Relays, a meet very prestigious in the area.

"Realistically, I thought we might come up with 30 or 40 points at Amarillo," Priest said during preparations for a workout this week. Those 30 or 40 points would have been good enough for maybe fourth place in the relays, but as it turned out the Herd surprised everyone, including Priest, coming up with 63 points and a second-place finish.

Super efforts in the mile relay and mile run provided an excess of points for the "Faces, and a reversal of a decision in the 100 could have spelled the difference in a first place finish rather than the runner up spot.

Paul Bell, Hereford's superb sophomore sprinter, raced to a virtual tie with Palo Duro's Roy Polite in the century, but the judges gave the win to Polite, along with the 10 points for the win.

If Paul had been picked first we would have had two more points and they (Palo Duro) would have had two less, or a difference of four points, Priest explained.

Those four points would have given the team title to the Herd by one point over the Dons.

"I think he picked it right," the coach added, "but it was awful close."

Still, those points would have been meaningless without stalwart showings by Dennis Collins and Frank Madrigal in the mile, and a second-place finish by the mile relay team of Jackie Mercer, Doug Reinart, Bell, and James Mays.

Collins and Madrigal qualified fifth and sixth respectively for the finals in the mile, but the Herd duo shocked the field and swept to a two-three showing in the finals.

"Those 14 points were a far cry from the three points they would have gotten for fifth and sixth," Priest said. "Their performance was a key part in our high finish."

The mile relay bunch had the chance to notch a tie for the team title for Hereford in that final event, and Mays came close to getting it despite a 15-yard deficit when he took the stick on the final leg.

Mays almost ran down Vernon's Alfred Arrant to steal a tie with the Dons, who weren't fielding a mile relay team, but Arrant held on for a one-step win. Mays' final-leg time in the race was a final 48.6, giving the "Faces a 4:24.1, one-tenth of a tick behind the winners.

Coach Priest was very happy with the result since the "Faces hadn't come close to winning a mile relay race all year. "We moved Mercer up from the JV for the race, and his 52.9 leg helped us tremendously," he said.

Mercer took Daniel Olson's place on the team by running a 53.9 in the 440 finals earlier in the day. The coach had told three runners (Mercer, Olson, and Gerald Vaughn) that he would use the one with the best

440 time on the mile relay squad. Mercer beat Vaughn (54.5) by six-tenths of a second, and Olson (57.5) by another three full seconds.

As a result of their success Priest will use the same quartet of Mercer, Reinart, Bell, and Mays in the district meet tomorrow. And Olson will join Bell, Reinart, and Steve Hazelrigg on the sprint relay (440 Relay) team.

Besides looking for some good points out of those teams, Priest is expecting some points out of several "almost sure bets" in the individual races.

Mays will probably not be even pushed in his specialty the 880, and the rest of the district runners will be hard-pressed to beat Bell in the 100.

"There's really no challenge to James in the half, and Paul

should do real well in the 100," Priest said. The coach added that Bell will be held out of the 200 so that the Hereford 440 Relay team will have its best shot at going to regional.

Reinart (22.8) will run the 220 for Hereford. "Doug has the potential to win it," the coach said. Some quality opposition in the event will come from Plainview's Robert Long and Ricky Ellis, however.

Collins, whose 4:30.8 in the Amarillo Relays broke his own school record set just weeks ago, is a more than even bet to take the mile, and Madrigal will add another threat in that event for Priest.

"I just put him (Madrigal) in the mile at Amarillo to see if he could run it, he had run it once last year (4:45), and we wanted to see if he could improve on

that." Priest says that Madrigal is "very strong and has a lot of endurance", so he could be a pleasant surprise in the mile as well as running behind Mays in the 880.

In the field events Jim Fish and Barry Acton are the top hopes for the Herd in the discus and shot put respectively, while Bell will try the pole vault, and Hazelrigg will enter the long jump.

"We'll be emotionally right since we're peaking at the right time," the coach said. Although encouraged by the team's good performance at Amarillo Priest is not brimming over with confidence. "It's (the district race) fairly even divided... we're going to have to come up with some second, third, and fourth places that we haven't been getting to win it," he said.

Scott Scrambles To State Meet Berth

Hereford's Barbara Scott forged a second-round 84 on the Meadowbrook Golf Course in Lubbock Thursday to claim a spot in the state Class 4A Girls' Golf Tournament May 5-7 in Austin.

Scott, fifth on the individual list with an 88 Wednesday, edged out Midland Lee's Wendy Goodwin for runner up spot in the regional medalist list by one shot. Jackie Daiss of Odessa Permian claimed the top spot with a 161 total after firing an 80 for the second round Thursday.

Both Scott and Daiss were in the Regional Tournament as singles entries and grabbed the only chance they had to qualify for the state tourney since neither Permian or Hereford sports a full team.

Lee took the team title in the meet with a 720 total, just

ahead of Amarillo High, which finished at 728. Midland High was third at 765. The Sandie girls trailed by 17 shots after the first day of play, but cut away nine shots of that bulge in failing to win a tournament for the first time this season.

The full Lee and Amarillo teams, along with Daiss and Scott will now play in the State Tournament in Austin May 5-7.

REGION I GIRLS GOLF TOURNAMENT at Meadowbrook Municipal Golf Course in Lubbock

CLASS AAAA

TEAM TOTALS—Midland Lee, 720; Amarillo High A, 728; Midland High, 765; Amarillo High B, 778; El Paso Coronado, 790; Plainview, 822; El Paso Irvin, 919; Lubbock Monterey, 925.

MEDALIST—Jackie Daiss, Odessa Permian, 161; Barbara Scott, Hereford, 172; Wendy Goodwin, Midland Lee, 173.

ODESSA PERMIAN—Jackie Daiss, 161.

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AHS B—Cheryl Bunick, 186; Valerie Colarelli, 181; Tracy Hibbs, 211; Tricia Harris, 190; Donna Vreagin, 211.
PLAINVIEW—Becky Garrett, 199; Renee Grimes, 194; Ann Horne, 234; Fran Miller 202; Lisa Miller, 227.

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Milwaukee	7	3	.700	-
Balt	6	4	.600	1
Toronto	7	7	.500	2
Cleveland	4	6	.400	3
Boston	4	7	.364	3 1/2
Detroit	5	9	.357	4
N York	4	8	.333	4

West

Team	W	L	Pct	GB
Chicago	7	3	.700	-
Oakland	6	4	.607	1
Min	6	6	.571	1
K.C.	6	5	.545	1 1/2
Texas	6	5	.545	1 1/2
Calif	6	8	.429	3
Seattle	6	9	.400	3 1/2

National League

Team	W	L	Pct	GB
S Louis	6	4	.607	-
Montreal	6	4	.600	1
N York	6	6	.500	2
Pitts	5	6	.455	2 1/2
Chicago	4	6	.400	3
Phila	3	6	.333	3 1/2

West

Team	W	L	Pct	GB
Atlanta	7	5	.583	2 1/2
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Loop Golf Race Concludes Here

While Plainview's Bulldogs have the team title wrapped up in the District 4-4A Golf race, Lubbock High and Monterey have something to prove to each other as the league completes round robin play today on the John Pitman Municipal Golf Course in Hereford.

Plainview leads the loop with a 1,472 total and has the team title all wrapped up. But, the race for second place and the other position in the Regional Tournament could turn out to be a dogfight.

Lubbock High is currently second with a 1,516 total and the Plainsmen are right on their heels with a 1,534. In addition Monterey looked like a ball of fire in winning the Amarillo Relays title last weekend. The Plainsmen took the title

in Amarillo with a 620 total for the two rounds, seven shots ahead of Plainview, which went into the affair as the obvious favorite.

Lubbock High finished tied for third in the meet with a 648 total, 28 shots behind the winners. So, it's possible that the Plainsmen could give the Westerners a run for their money.

The individual race is also pretty much decided with Plainview's Greg Weathered (356) and John Horne (358) fighting it out of the top spot. Lubbock's Mark Jarrett is a distant third at 370.

The two top teams and two top individuals, providing they are not on one or the two top team, qualify for the Regional Meet next week in Lubbock.

RE-ELECT PAUL ABALOS CITY COMMISSIONER PLACE 1 APRIL 23, 1977

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Weather

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again except in some parts of the South Texas still plagued by flooding from the week's protracted rains. One of the worst trouble spots was along the Lower Colorado River, where the highest crests in 37 years threatened flood woes into this weekend.

Fair weather was back in all sections except for a few clouds in the Panhandle, the northeast corner of the state and here and there along the coast. No change was in prospect through Saturday.

Early morning temperatures ranged

from 35 degrees at Dalhart in the Panhandle up to 65 at Brownsville in the Lower Rio Grande Valley. Thursday afternoon's top marks hit a maximum of 85 at Brownsville.

Senate

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measure March 23 or a partial concession this week to farm-community demands for more.

The programs' legal authorities expire Sept. 30.

Like the House subcommittee, the

Senate committee voted to boost the supports for this year as well. In some cases, the House panel's levels were higher than the Senate's.

The Senate committee was told Wednesday by Chairman Herman E. Talmadge, D-Ga., that unrealistically high supports would tempt Carter to veto the omnibus bill. It adopted a wheat target price of \$2.90 a bushel for this year, \$3.10 for 1978 crops and an amount equal to the cost of production, including land values over the last 35 years, for the following three years.

It chose a price-support loan rate of \$2.25 a bushel for this year, \$2.47 for 1978 and 85 per cent of the target price after that.

Today In History

By The Associated Press

Today is Friday, April 22, the 112th day of 1977. There are 253 days left in the year.

Today's highlight in history: On this date in 1898, the first shot of the Spanish-American War was fired when the USS Nashville captured a Spanish merchant ship off Key West, Fla.

On this date: In 1541, St. Ignatius de Loyola was elected first head of the Jesuit religious order.

In 1793, the United States proclaimed its neutrality in a war between France and Britain.

In 1889, thousands of homesteaders swarmed into the Oklahoma Territory and staked out land.

In 1915, the German army used poison gas for the first time in World War I.

In 1964, the New York World's Fair opened.

In 1971, Haiti's dictator, Francois Duvalier, died and his son, Jean-Claude Duvalier, was sworn in as the new president.

Ten years ago: Members of the United Auto Workers union gave their executive board authority to withdraw from the AFL-CIO.

Five years ago: Two Britons, John Fairfax and Sylvia Cook, arrived at Australia's Hayman Island after rowing 8,000 miles across the Pacific Ocean in a 35-foot boat.

One year ago: The West German manufacturer of the Volkswagen announced it would invest \$250 million in a car assembly plant in the United States.

Today's birthdays: Violinist Yehudi Menuhin is 61 years old. Actor Eddie Albert is 69.

Thought for today: Behind bad luck comes good luck - a Gypsy saying.



Hard At Work

Hereford Cub Scouts are preparing their pushmobiles for the annual Scout Pushmobile contest. Shown above are Dens One and Three, Pack 50, in the beginning stages of building one of two pushmobiles they plan to enter in the big race slated for Saturday at 10 a.m. at the parking area of the Hereford Pro Golf Shop. The public is urged to attend this scouting event of the year. (Photo by Lanny Smith)

Pork, Egg Prices Lower At Grocery

COLLEGE STATION--Pork and egg prices are lower this week--and beef prices remain low. Gwendolyn Clyatt, a consumer marketing information specialist, reports.

"Most-specialized" pork items include quarter-loins cut into chops and Boston butt roasts. Other market "newsmakers" are bacon, frankfurters and sausage, she said.

Mrs. Clyatt is with the Texas Agricultural Extension Service, The Texas A&M University System.

At beef counters, scattered features appear on chuck roasts, ground beef, a variety of steaks for broiling, rolled roasts, rib roasts and beef liver.

In poultry departments, specials on fryer chicken parts show up occasionally--but the seasonally higher demand for fryers is nearing, so consumers can expect higher prices, the specialist predicted.

At dairy sections, cottage cheese is a frequent feature--along with a number of natural cheeses, cream cheese, milk, half and half, sour cream and whipping cream. Also, some stores offer specials on butter.

Along grocery market aisles, there is a variety of features on canned vegetables--and special

values appear at some shelves on cooking oil, shortening, soup, flour and peanut butter.

At some frozen food counters, the "spotlight" is on assorted frozen dinners, french fries and strawberries.

At fresh fruit counters, good buys appear on oranges and grapefruit.

Other items--at moderate prices or first-of-the-season prices--are apples, Louisiana strawberries, cantaloupe and watermelon.

At fresh vegetable sections, most economically priced items are carrots, cabbage, broccoli, collards, mustard, head lettuce, turnips, turnip and greens.

spinach and potatoes--however, onion and green pepper prices are up.

Soft-shell squash prices are trending down a bit.

CONSUMER WATCH-WORDS: For greatest vegetable economy, compare items in their various forms--fresh, canned or frozen.

Rural Children Safer From Coronary Disease

PHILADELPHIA (AP)- Suburban children show more signs of coronary-prone behavior than do rural children because of a lifestyle that stresses success but offers few guidelines for achieving it, a researcher says.

Ingrid Waldron, a biologist at the University of Pennsylvania, found that suburban children are more competitive after testing 174 Pennsylvania and New Jersey children ranging in age from 10 to 18.

The tests, given in rural and suburban schools, were adapted from those given to adults to spot behavior which typically leads to death from heart attack

and heart disease.

"The primary difference between the rural and suburban samples was a slower pace of life in the rural setting," Ms. Waldron said in findings released Friday.

"These patterns reflect the working class character of the rural community, and the type of more limited and well-defined goals held by working class parents for their children," she said.

In the rural community, "expected adult roles of worker and wife are relatively easy to attain," she said.

Suburban children, on the other hand, seem to have acquired "the open-ended goals characteristic of their middle class parents," Ms. Waldron reported.

The children were asked questions such as: "When you play games with little kids, do you purposely let them win?"

Suburban children were more likely to respond "no, never," and rural children "yes," the study showed. The "no, never" response was considered an indication of coronary-prone behavior.

Search For Most Hunted Nazi War Criminal Is Abandoned By Brazilians

BONN, West Germany (AP)- The Brazilian government announced this week that it was giving up the search for the most hunted Nazi war criminal, Martin Bormann. But West Germany closed the books on Hitler's phantom deputy four years ago.

Brazil's attorney general said the Supreme Court shelved

West Germany's request for Bormann because there was no evidence he was in the country.

"I didn't even know we had a request out for his extradition," said a spokesman for the West German Foreign Ministry.

Another spokesman couldn't remember who Bormann was. Bormann in the days of the Third Reich was the least known

of Hitler's men and the most powerful. He stayed out of the limelight that Goering, Goebbels and Himmler courted. But he ran the Nazi party and through it the country, managed Hitler's private life and his fortune and was the Fuehrer's closest aide, adviser and associate.

He emerged from Hitler's

shadow to become the target of a worldwide search for nearly three decades, the only one of the major war criminals arraigned at Nuernberg who could not be found. Over the years there were thousands of reports that he had been seen. They all proved false or inconclusive. An Italian monk, a Guatemalan farmer and a

German emigrant to Colombia were among those mistaken for the missing man.

The most recent Bormann stir was caused by Ladislav Farago, a best-selling author and former U.S. intelligence agent. In November, 1972, in a series of newspaper articles he reported that the missing man was living in South America and had been photographed as he crossed into Argentina from Chile. An Argentine school teacher, Rudolfo Nicholas Siri, later identified himself as the man in the photograph. Siri was 54 at the time; Bormann would have been 72.

The West German government declared Bormann officially dead in 1973 after two skeletons were found during excavation of a construction site in Berlin.

Frankfurt Attorney General Horst Gauf announced: "Martin Bormann died on May 2, 1945, between 1 and 3 a.m. on the Invalidenstrasse railroad bridge in Berlin a short time after his accomplice Adolf Hitler."

Gauf said one skeleton was Bormann's, the other was that of Hitler's doctor, Ludwig Stumpfegger, who was known to have tried to break through the Russian lines with Bormann.

'Uncle Charlie' Concentrating On Stopping Illegal Amplifiers

By JOHN D. McCLAIN Associated Press Writer

WASHINGTON (AP) - The Federal Communications Commission considers use of illegal amplifiers the most serious violation of Citizens Band radio regulations because it interferes not only with other CBers, but with home electronic entertainment equipment.

The FCC - known as Uncle Charlie to CBers - ranks use of so-called linear amplifiers second only to failure to use FCC call signs in its list of six "trigger violations," or enforcement priorities.

Linears are devices placed

between the CB radio and its antenna to boost the unit's legal transmitting power from four watts to as many as 5,000 - more than some commercial radio stations.

The increased power results in interference with other CBers and with neighboring television sets, radios, stereo units and even electric organs.

"It's our most serious problem...one that's critically important to curb," says Deputy Chief James C. McKinney of the Field Operations Bureau, the FCC's enforcement arm.

"A linear is perhaps 14 times more likely to cause interference

with the neighbors and their home electronic entertainment equipment than a legally powered CB set," he says.

With the proliferation of CBs - an estimated 22 million now are in use - complaints about their interference with TV sets and other equipment has become Uncle Charlie's biggest headache.

"Those complaints totaled about 30,000 a year in the 1960s and early 1970s," McKinney says. "This past year they rose to 100,000 and our projections indicate as many as 200,000 this year."

Some complaints result from the TV or radio manufacturers' failure to properly shield their equipment from unwanted signals. But many others are due to the excessive power of linear-powered CB radios.

Besides their effect on neighborhood TVs, linears violate the basic concept of CB radio, McKinney says.

The FCC chose the four-watt limit "because it wanted a service to enable a large number of people to communicate on a small number of frequencies," he explains. "The only way it could do so was to make sure a particular channel could be used simultaneously in neighboring communities."

Thus, a CBer using only four watts can talk to a buddy in his immediate area without disturbing the "modulation" of other CBers in neighboring communities. A linear, on the other hand, can tie up a channel for miles and often "bleed over" onto adjacent channels as well.

Small linears are used in cars - "mobiles," CBers call them - to overpower nearby stations and reach parties beyond the normal ability of the radios. They usually provide from 20 to 100 watts of additional power.

The Rome-Berlin-Tokyo Axis was formed in 1937.

Man Seeks To Prevent Girl Friend's Abortion

MAPLEWOOD, N.J. (AP) - A 23-year-old man who is seeking to prevent a former girlfriend from having an abortion for a fetus she said he fathered, said he's doing it because he doesn't want her "hurt."

"I care for her and she could be hurt by this," said John Rothenberger Jr. "I'm not doing this just for me. It's for her, too. She has a lot to lose - a family to lose, a college education. She has just me to gain."

Rothenberger, a jobless construction worker, obtained a temporary restraining order against the abortion that was scheduled for Thursday.

Rothenberger said he had been dating Wendy Chasalow, 19, for almost two years but that they stopped seeing each other last week when she told him she was pregnant despite the use of contraception. He said she told him he was the father, a judgment he accepted.

"She wasn't mad," Rothenberger said. "She didn't seem so upset. She wasn't overjoyed about it, but it didn't make her angry." He said the couple had talked of marriage and that she wanted to elope on Saturday but had changed her mind by Monday, saying she wanted the abortion.

"I'm still very much in love with her," he said.

Rothenberger, who said he plans to enter bartending school next week, said his mother would care for the child while he worked.

A superior court judge and state appeals court rejected his argument that he had an equal right to participate in an abortion decision. But Justice Robert L. Clifford in Morristown granted the restraining order until the full state Supreme court hears the case on Monday.

The area of France is 211,200 square miles.

Executions Could Come Through Lethal Injection

AUSTIN, Tex. (AP)- The Texas House has tentatively approved a bill replacing the electric chair with injection of a deadly substance as the state's mode of execution.

With some opponents chanting "Kill! Kill!" the bill advanced on a non-record vote. A final vote still is needed to send it to the Senate.

Rep. Ben Z. Grant, D-Marshall, described an electrocution in graphic detail. A condemned man is masked, he said, "because his eyeballs pop out" when 1,800 volts flow through his body.

He told the House the voltage is raised and lowered, down to 500 volts, before the current is turned off.

"I asked why it was cut up and down, and the people said, 'to keep him from catching fire,'" Grant said.

Injection, he said, "cannot be said to be as cruel and unusual as the method I have just described to you."

Rep. T.H. McDonald, D-Mesquite, said he had a hard time accepting "slapping him a criminal on the hand" for a gruesome crime.

"The death penalty is not a slap on the hand, in my humble opinion," Grant replied.

"As long as the penalty is swift and sure you get the same deterrent effect without the violence," he said.

He acknowledged that passage of the bill probably would delay the more than 50 executions now pending because someone surely would test the constitutionality of a new

method of execution by going to court.

Grant said 361 men have died in the electric chair since Texas began using it instead of hanging in 1923. No one has been executed in this state since 1964.

The bill would provide death by injection of a lethal quantity of a substance selected by the director of the Texas Department of Corrections.

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MUSEUM SCHOOL EXHIBIT CELEBRATES CENTENNIAL BOSTON (AP) - "Art in Transition: A Century of the Museum School," an exhibition at the Museum of Fine Arts here through May 29, commemorates the 100th anniversary of the school of the Museum of Fine Arts.

The exhibit includes more than 250 works in every medium by the schools' founders, alumni and faculty, drawn from private and public collections. Organized by decade, it reflects the changes in art and art education during the past century.

Bentsen Says Business Tax Break May Fail

WASHINGTON (AP) - A beefed-up version of a multi-billion dollar business tax break has won a preliminary bout in the U.S. Senate despite heated opposition, but Sen. Lloyd Bentsen says the new provisions have only a 50-50 chance of becoming law.

One of Bentsen's provisions would raise the investment tax credit from 10 per cent to 12 per cent. Another would allow businesses a tax credit of \$600 for each new employee they hire in 1977 and 1978. The proposals would cost the federal treasury \$3.4 billion.

Bentsen described them as needed stimuli that would result in more jobs for labor-intensive service industries and modernization in industries which need to update inefficient equipment to remain competitive in world markets.

Bentsen, a Texas Democrat, joined with Republicans and conservative Democrats Thursday to turn aside by a 74-20 margin an effort to strip the current tax bill of the business tax credits Bentsen is sponsoring.

His opponents, led by Sens. Dale Bumpers, D-Ark., and Edward Kennedy, D-Mass., attacked the plan as a windfall for big businesses. "It's the old 'trickle down theory' that never has worked and never will work," Bumpers said.

The Carter administration originally endorsed the tax credit. But last week, it dropped both the credit and the \$50 rebate for individual taxpayers, saying the economy no longer needed that stimulus. The Senate dropped the \$50 rebate with alacrity. Bumpers and

Crackdown On Drug Traffic Continues

MCALLEN, Tex. (AP) - A task force of federal and state authorities continued to serve federal indictments Thursday in sparsely populated Starr County on the Rio Grande in the largest single crackdown on marijuana and heroin smuggling from Mexico into the United States.

As of Wednesday night, 38 arrests had been made, and Asst. U.S. Atty. John Smith of McAllen said 22 of those were major violators. Bonds set in total of 62 indictments totaled \$22 million and ranged from \$50,000 to \$1.5 million.

Drug Enforcement Administration officials said the arrests were the result of a four-month investigation by DEA, the U.S. attorney's office, the Texas Department of Public Safety. The U.S. agencies also received the cooperation of the Mexican federal police.

The investigation was part of a combined effort named "Operation Wishbone," officers said.

Don Smith, a special agent of the Drug Enforcement Administration, was quick to note that area drug busts since January 1, 1977, have yielded 35 tons of marijuana, three kilos of heroin, a kilo of cocaine- 6,500 doses of dangerous drugs- worth a total of \$100 million on the street.

The arrests began early Wednesday morning after officers unsealed 16 indictments returned Tuesday afternoon by a federal grand jury in Brownsville.

John Smith said that while the arrests were being made in the Valley, Mexican police were arresting seven other suspects and confiscating three tons of marijuana in the Camargo area, just across the river from Starr County. Some of those arrested were reported to be U.S.

citizens. Most of those arrested were picked up in Starr County, but some arrests were made in McAllen, in the Mid Valley; San Antonio; Galveston and in California and Tennessee.

Edward A. Heath, deputy regional director of the DEA, said the arrests broke up a "number of major drug trafficking organizations dealing in multi-ton quantities of marijuana and large amounts of heroin and other drugs."

Most of the population of the county is Mexican-American. DEA officials have said in the past that large families with members on both sides of the border are involved in the smuggling operations.

"A great number of these individuals have a kinship," Heath said. "Consequently, their organizations are interlocking. Some of the traffickers living on the U.S. side of the border have vast landholdings in Mexico which are used as storage point for large quantities of narcotics brought up from the interior of Mexico prior to being smuggled into the United States."

When asked why the Starr County sheriff's office was not involved in the crackdown, Don Smith said, "Security is the key to a successful operation."

John Smith said each of the organizations involved in the arrests "was capable of supplying multi-ton quantities of marijuana plus large amounts of heroin on short notice."

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Energy Advisors Tight-Lipped About Cost Of Proposed Program

WASHINGTON (AP) - President Carter's energy message bristles with facts, figures and requests to sacrifice, but it doesn't specify a price tag for the average American family.

Each of the country's 72 million households spent about \$1,208 for such energy items as heat, light and gasoline in 1976, according to government figures.

But Carter's senior energy advisors either don't know or won't say what each household will spend if Congress passes the President's plan.

The government says the average size of an American household is, in round numbers, about three people. It defines a household as one or more people living in a single housing unit.

Here's what the government says heating a house cost in 1976:

- For households that heat with oil, an average of \$550.
- For households that heat with natural gas, \$235.
- For households that heat with electricity, \$290.

There were 58 million families that owned at least one car in 1970, the latest year for which

government figures are available. The study shows that the average car owning household spent about \$815 for 1,379 gallons of gasoline in 1976.

Carter's proposals would add about seven cents per gallon to the cost of gasoline, fuel oil and other petroleum products by 1980 through a series of taxes on crude oil.

That means the average car-owning household would have to spend about \$96 more a year to make the car run.

On top of that, if people don't cut back in use of gasoline, they will face a further gasoline tax of five cents per gallon by 1979. That would add about \$69 a year in taxes alone to a household's bill.

The total increases to households with at least one car would be about \$165 by 1980, if people don't cut back and Carter has his way.

Carter has asked Congress to return some of his proposed new energy taxes to the public in the form of tax rebates and refunds.

The figures show that about 39 million American households are heated with natural gas. The FFA says that the average

household that heats with gas used about 125,000 cubic feet in 1976 at a cost of just under \$2 per thousand cubic feet to the household.

If Carter's plan should increase the price of natural gas to households by 25 cents per thousands cubic feet, which sources say is possible, the average household would pay about \$31 extra a year.

About 10 million households are heated by electricity, the

figures show. They used an average of 8,058 kilowatts at a cost of about 3.6 cents per kilowatt, the study shows.

The 18 million households that use oil heat consumed an average of 1,275 gallons each in 1976 at an average cost of 43.5 cents per gallon.

About 5 million households heat with propane, wood or nothing at all, the government says.

Mail Delivery May Be Cut Back

WASHINGTON (AP) - The Postal Service is telling the leaders of four postal workers unions that it may cut back mail delivery to five days a week.

Sources say the move, which could take effect by the end of the year, probably would eliminate Saturday home delivery of mail.

Letters mailed to the union presidents unions this week advised them that "the Postal Service is commencing serious study of the proposed change to five-day delivery service."

A copy of the letter from James Conway, senior assistant Postmaster General for labor relations, was obtained by The Associated Press.

The letter was sent Tuesday, one day after a federal study commission recommended that deliveries be cut to five days per week. The move would save an

estimated \$412 million a year for the mail agency, which has a history of heavy deficits.

Any reduction in deliveries seems likely to arouse heavy opposition in Congress, which established the study commission but strongly criticized its recommendations.

It invited the four union presidents to an April 29 meeting to discuss the possible cutback.

Suit In McClure Death Could Get Dismissal

SAN DIEGO (AP) - A \$14 million suit brought by the parents of a Texas Marine recruit fatally injured in pugil stick training may not make it to the courtroom.

The U.S. Attorney's office in San Diego is moving for dismissal of the suit. Asst. U.S. Atty. Donald Shanahan says the government's position is based on a doctrine established by the U.S. Supreme Court 27 years ago that precludes suits for injuries or deaths of military personnel "incidental to the service obligations."

Pvt. Lynn E. McClure, 20, of

Lufkin, Tex., was being forced to fight a series of consecutive bouts with the padded staves as punishment when he received head injuries Dec. 6, 1975.

McClure died three months later in a government hospital in Houston, Tex.

The suit by his parents claims he never should have been permitted to join the Marine Corps because of his record of mental difficulties and should not have been forced to participate in pugil stick fighting for which he was not properly trained.

The motion filed Tuesday by Shanahan also seeks removal of former President Gerald Ford and other high government figures as defendants, contending that they had no knowledge of events surrounding the injury of McClure.

The investigation following McClure's death resulted in suspension of a colonel, two captains and three sergeants at the training facility. Letters of reprimand were issued to three other officers and a drill sergeant. Two sergeants were cleared in courts-martial trials.



KENTUCKY COLONEL NOW A TEXAN... A citation of Honorary Texas citizenship signed by Governor Dolph Briscoe was delivered in Louisville recently by Doug Pendergras, president of the Texas Nursing Home Association. Colonel Harland Sanders, the famous Kentuckian is serving as Celebrity Host for Texas Nursing Home Week beginning on Mother's Day Sunday. In that role, the Colonel will be urging Texans to visit residents of nursing homes in their local communities.

Thelma Houston's Failure Suddenly Turns Successful

BY PETER J. BOYER Associated Press Writer

LOS ANGELES (AP) - The recording industry has its share of "should have made it" stories, and for awhile, it looked like the saga of Thelma Houston would take its place up there with the best of them. It was a story of the quick slide from sure-fire to fizzle, a promising young talent that never quite made it.

But Thelma Houston's failure story has an unusual twist-success. After years of close but no cigar, Thelma Houston has a hit. It's called "Don't Leave Me This Way," a disco record that has crossed into pop and is slowly creeping up on the No. 1 spot on the charts.

The hit was a long time coming. A glance at the circumstances surrounding Miss Houston's launch in 1969 makes it all the more surprising that the big one so tardy in its arrival.

After hearing Miss Houston perform a self-booked date at a local dig called The Factory, Marc Gordon, a super-manager who handled the then superhot group, The Fifth Dimension,

decided it was time he added a female singer to his list of clients. He signed Thelma the first time he heard her sing.

Gordon introduced his new talent to a magic man named Jimmy Webb, thought at that time to be the hottest thing to hit the music biz since the 45. Webb was a writer of hit songs, including "Wichita Lineman," "By The Time I Get To Phoenix" and the Fifth Dimension vehicle, "Up, Up and Away."

For Gordon's new-lady singer, Webb wrote and produced an album called "Sunshower." Thelma's album was sure to be a hit, folks said. The fuse had been lit, all Thelma Houston had to do was wait for the explosion.

It never came. "It got good reviews," Thelma says, looking back. "The album was received very well, but for some reason..."

For some reason, it went down the tubes. Then Thelma made another try, a 1972 release entitled simply, "Thelma Houston."

"It got middle-of-the-road air-play," Thelma says, "but it didn't go very well commerci-

ally." Strike two. Thelma then decided to take a chance on an experimental album at Sheffield Lab. There was a lot of pressure in this one, because it involved "doing a session live and cutting the disc at the same time you're doing the session, rather than going through all that with the tapes and everything," she says.

The album, "Pressure Cooker," was a noble experiment, and included such names as Tom Scott, Jim Gordon and Dean Parks.

"It was great," Thelma says, "they only pressed 100,000 copies and they're almost gone. That's a classic."

So, after three albums, Thelma Houston had one surefire flop that got good reviews, one disc that got some middle of the road airplay and an experimental classic. But no hits.

Then finally a hit record came to Thelma Houston.

"Don't Leave Me This Way," with its solid beat and Miss Houston's strong vocals, was a smash in the discos.

Drew-Hardy Boys Mysteries Still Enthralling On TV

BY JERRY BUCK AP Television Writer

LOS ANGELES (AP) - Nancy Drew and the Hardy Boys must be the world's oldest teenagers. Like Little Orphan Annie, they never age.

But ABC's new "The Nancy Drew Hardy Boys Mysteries" offers a contemporary setting for the indestructible mystery-solvers whose adventures have entranced several generations of

young readers.

The shows, which rotate weekly, have an affecting quaintness that reflects creation in an earlier and more innocent age, when junior detectives were in style, but otherwise are up-to-date. They're also proving to be nearly as popular as the novels and are giving the venerable "Wonderful World of Disney," the NBC Sunday night opposition, a run in the

ratings, although both are losing out to CBS' "60 Minutes."

This Sunday it's Nancy Drew's turn, at 7 p.m. EST on ABC. It's called "The mystery of the Ghostwriter's Cruise," and Nancy played by Pamela Sue Martin, save the day when he suddenly finds days for an aging mystery writer when he suddenly finds himself living a role from one of his books.

"Casting the role of Nancy Drew was one of the toughest things we did," said Glen Larson, executive producer of the two shows.

"The difficulty was that with 50 years of books you have a following of all ages. Everyone had a preconceived of what she should be like."

"He said Pamela fit the image he had in mind: contemporary, wholesome without being saccharine and a seeming ability to solve mysteries that baffle adults without being smart alecky. In addition, she also drives a mean motorcycle, which has come in handy on the show."

Larson said Pamela also acts as a cliché spotter when "our writers let their male fantasies slip in." In a football story she nipped the characterization of the cheerleaders as vacuous stereotypes.

Parker Stevenson plays Frank Hardy and Shaun Cassidy is Joe Hardy. Shaun is the younger brother of teen-age heartthrob David Cassidy and is a popular singer in his own right. After filming the final show he goes on to Australia for a concert tour. His musical abilities are put to use in one show when the boys solve a mystery of record pirating. A crime, incidentally, that wasn't around when the books were written.

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Extra Month Of Daylight Savings Time Unlikely

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saving time for this year starts at midnight Saturday when most of the country will set their clock one hour ahead.

Rep. Fred B. Rooney says the period is likely to stay six months despite his efforts to make it seven - primarily because of opposition from areas where people who would have to get up in the dark.

"Because of the adverse effects it had in the western states and because of the blocs of votes from those areas," Rooney said Wednesday, "I think it will be very difficult to get, at least in the House, daylight saving that I think would be very beneficial to the country from both the energy and social standpoints."

He was referring not to the West Coast states but to the western states in each time zone - especially the Eastern and Central zones - where sunrise comes up to an hour later than in the east of the zone.

Opposition from parents who don't want children standing at bus stops in the dark and from farmers who have to work by the sun regardless of what time the stores open has made daylight saving a touchy subject, particularly in Michigan, Indiana, Nebraska, Iowa and other Midwestern states.

Rooney says more daylight saving time is needed to save energy as well as give people more hours of daylight in the afternoon after work and school. Rooney's bill would start daylight saving time the third on Sunday of March rather than the last Sunday of April and would end it the third Sunday of October rather than the last Sunday of October.

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