

Moisture Falls On Dryland Areas; More Needed

Welcome Rain Settles Dust, Gives Hope



Hail, Not Snow

Hereford looked like the scene of another winter storm Sunday with this pea size hail which landed in Dameron Park. It was small and did little or no

damage as it came down with about .73 of an inch of rain. [Photo By Bob Nigh]

By JIM STEIERT
Brand Farm Editor

April showers arrived a few days early in the Hereford area as moderate thunderstorms moved into the Panhandle over the weekend, but there were no complaints as local farmers welcomed the rain that could give new life to their wheat crops, and other area residents were glad for some relief from the much-too-persistent dust.

ALTHOUGH ONE inch rainfall reports were the exception, rather than the rule, the showers were widespread, and virtually every area of the county received at least .50 inches of moisture.

Only light sprinkles were received here Saturday evening in a storm which extended from the Panhandle through the South Plains region.

Thunderstorms developed once again Sunday afternoon and intermittent rain fell from the Northern Panhandle to south of Lubbock, with much heavier amounts falling downstate in the Dallas area.

The best rainfall in the Hereford area occurred late Sunday afternoon, and was accompanied by pea-sized hail, which covered the ground and gave the appearance of snow for a short time.

THE RAIN FELL GENTLY, however, and most of it soaked in, although the return of gusty winds Monday had its own drying effect.

KPAN radio logged a total of .98 inches of moisture for the city of Hereford in the weekend thunderstorms. Some .73 inches of that total fell Sunday.

A spokesman for Easter Grain, located south of Hereford, reported that .60 inches of moisture fell in that community.

Some of the best rainfall reports were received from the Dawn community, east of Hereford, where a spokesman for Dawn Co-op indicated that nearly an inch of moisture fell at the Dawn community, and farmers in the Dawn area had reported over an inch of precipitation.

THE H.L. HERSHEY farm located 13 miles northeast of Hereford received .70 inches of moisture.

"It was a really nice rain that fell slow, and did a good job of stabilizing the soil," commented Hershey.

The rainfall was most critical for the dryland wheat crop.

Although Sunday's moisture was not enough to see the hard-pressed wheat through to harvest, it was a blessed relief from the seemingly endless blowing which has been a problem for the past two months.

THE MOISTURE ALSO GAVE a ray of optimism to farmers who know they must have moisture for the remainder of their wheat crop to survive. Many are hoping that if it rained once, maybe it will rain again--soon.

The Bruce Coleman farm at the Walcott community reported totals of .50 to .75 inches of rain in the proximity of

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Absentee Voting Ends Today In All Local Political Elections

Absentee voting in local elections set for Saturday, April 2, was to end at 5 p.m. today at the respective county, city and school district offices.

Since the voting began March 14, officials reported this morning that 22 persons have voted in the hospital board election, five in the county school board election and 17 in the city elections.

The Hereford Independent School District tax office reported the highest number of ballots cast with 78 individuals voting. A landslide of voters was expected today although less interest in this year's election has been expressed due to only one contested race.

Until this evening, voters may cast ballots at the county clerk's office for the hospital board and county school board

elections, at the city clerk's office for the Hereford City Commission races and at the school tax office for the school board elections.

The Walcott Independent School District School Board is taking absentee ballots in its at-large school board race. The Walcott School is the location for voting.

Running in that race are Earnest Brown, Gene Bradley, and Galan Jaks. All are incumbents.

In the county school board races, the candidates are Robert Strain in precinct one, Grant Hanna in precinct two, and L.J. Straffuss in precinct four.

Other local candidates are as follows: Hereford School Board; place 4-incumbent David Hutchins; place 6-Mack Tubbs; and place 7- Mrs. Trini Gamez, David Pruitt, and Bill Walden.

Hereford City Commission: Mayor-Bartley Dowell and Emory Brownlow; Place 1-incumbent Paul Abalos and John Matthews; and Place 2-E. Earl Brookhart and Ed Coplen. Eugene Barcia is listed in the city Place 2 ballot but he announced officially last week that he withdrew.

Hospital Board: Gerald Payne, Hap Cavness, Eddie Reinauer Jr. and Isaias

Weather May Force Prices Up

WASHINGTON (AP) - If the weather cooperates, consumer food prices will rise by 4 to 5 per cent this year, government forecasters predict.

But bad weather this spring and summer could drive prices higher this year and lead to a 10 per cent rise next year, the Agriculture Department's Outlook and Situation Board warned on Friday.

The board's latest estimate is higher than the 3 to 5 per cent range it was predicting a month ago because of the

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Gamez. The top three candidates in this at-large election will serve. Gamez and Cavness are incumbents.

The election will be held from 7 a.m. to 7 p.m. at the Hereford Community Center and several rural polls for the county school board election.

Elementary Schools To Perform

Students from Hereford's six elementary schools will be performing tonight at 7:30 p.m. in La Plata Junior High School gym. The public is invited free of charge.

Performing in the music festival will be fourth, fifth and sixth graders from West Central, Tierra Blanca, Shirley, Northwest, Bluebonnet and Aikman Schools.

Man Arrested For Possession

An 18-year-old Hereford man was arrested by city police early Sunday morning on possession of marijuana charges.

According to a spokesman for the Hereford Police Department, Rumbold Moreno of 401 Ave. H was arrested at 3:10 a.m. Sunday after a patrol unit stopped his vehicle at the intersection of Dairy Road and New York Avenue.

A subsequent search revealed marijuana in the vehicle and Moreno was arrested.

The suspect is currently free on \$500 bond.

Local officers are continuing their investigation of a burglary which occurred at Uncle Sam's Restaurant, apparently between the hours of 1 a.m. and 8 a.m. Friday.

The police spokesman indicated that entry to the firm was gained by knocking the locks off two back doors.

The cash register and cigarette machine at the firm were broken into but the amount of cash in the theft was unknown.

'Rocky, Network' Take Most Oscars

By PETER J. BOYER
Associated Press Writer

LOS ANGELES (AP) - A scathing satire on the television industry, a cinderella tale of a second-rate boxer's reach for the top and a Watergate detective story took most of the Oscars at the 49th Academy Awards, but Peter Finch stole the show.

"Finchie," as the film community affectionately knew the late actor, was posthumously honored with the best actor Oscar for his portrayal of a mad broadcaster in "Network." In the most poignant moment of Monday night's nationally-telecast awards show, Liv Ullman opened the Best Actor envelope and read, "Peter Finch, for 'Network.'"

The crowd at the packed Music Center roared its approval, as Finch, who died of a heart attack Jan. 14, became the first actor ever to win the award posthumously.

Faye Dunaway won the best actress award for her blistering performance as the hard-driving "Network" executive who sacrificed all for success.

The Oscar for the best picture went to "Rocky," which was made for a "cheap" \$1 million and featured a then-unknown leading man - Sylvester Stallone. The story of a down-and-out fighter's shot at the heavyweight title also won a director's Oscar for John G. Avildsen and another for best film editing.

Some critics said the affair lacked some of the excitement of past Oscar nights, but that was in part by design. "Exorcist" director William Friedkin, who produced this year's show, cut down on some of the onstage chit-chat and offstage glitter in an effort to produce a more dignified show.

What he got was a more dignified show that dragged in parts. "It looks like we could have used some of that meaningless interchange," one Academy official mumbled in reference to Friedkin's move from two presenters to one.

Unlike last year, when "One Flew Over the Cuckoo's Nest" swept all the major categories, this year's homage by the film industry to itself lacked a big winner. "Network" and "All the President's Men," each with four statuettes, won the most. Stallone's "Rocky" took three Oscars.

"It was a classic case of timing, man and material," Stallone said in a backstage assessment of the film that at one time nobody wanted if he was to be part of the deal. Stallone, who wrote "Rocky," concealed whatever disappointment he may have felt at losing in the

Best Actor category.

Asked if it was true that he wrote the enormously popular film in three days, the 30-year-old actor replied, "I wrote it in two days, but I didn't want to seem like a prodigy." Snappy work for a man who'd never seen a fight until he was 29.

Jason Robards, the actor who brought perfection to Eugene O'Neill material on stage, won an Oscar for his portrayal in "All the President's Men" of Ben Bradlee, the Washington Post's executive editor. It was Robards' first Oscar nomination.

Beatrice Straight, who lost husband William Holden to Faye Dunaway in "Network," was named best supporting actress. Miss Straight, who spent years on Broadway and did a stint in the quickly folded television show "Beacon Hill," won the Academy's honor on the basis of only two brief scenes in the film.

"I was stunned," the American-born, English-educated actress said backstage. "Very stunned. I must have looked like

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County Sets Hearing Date, Lets Communications Bid

The Deaf Smith County Commissioners Court Monday morning set dates for a Revenue Sharing budget hearing, approved a \$17,460 bid for communications equipment and decided on office space for new District Judge Wesley Gulley.

In other action, the commissioners quickly progressed through a routine agenda. They approved the reappointment of Dr. Duffy McBryer as county health officer, accepted an easement and right-of-way for Southwestern Public Service near the Bull Barn, received the final selection of the county Employee Grievance Committee, and decided to replace furniture in the bottom floor social security office.

The annual Revenue Sharing budget will be open for public comment at 1 p.m. April 11, when the commissioners will convene a public hearing on the proposed expenses. It is required by federal law. Another three years of appropriations have been approved as the result of congressional legislation.

Dates for the Board of Equalization hearing are June 6 and the next day if needed. All three government entities (city, school and county) are scheduled to

meet together as in the past to hear complaints from citizens disagreeing on property tax assessments.

A-1 Communications Inc. of Amarillo received the bid for the county wide communication system. Of the total, \$10,087 will be paid for out of Revenue Sharing funds with the balance coming from each of the precincts. It was the low bid.

It will feature a high antenna in the centralized Westway Community to that county employs my contact each other from almost any location in the county.

Briefly, the commissioners met as the County Wind Erosion Conservation District. Once complaint in precinct two was made concerning need to plow up a farmer's land to prevent further erosion but no action was requested unless negotiations with the farmer fail. The district has the authority to force plowing if necessary.

The new district judge's office will be located in the third floor courthouse offices now occupied by the County Welfare Department under Jewel Smith. That office will be moved elsewhere so that the judge may occupy space near the courtroom.

Better Discharges Sought

WASHINGTON (AP) - On orders of the President, the Pentagon will consider upgrading undesirable and general discharged for 432,530 Vietnam-era servicemen. Among them is Jack Carter, eldest son of the commander-in-chief.

The Defense Department announced Monday that Carter had approved its plans to review in "the spirit of forgiveness and compassion" discharged given for desertion, drug abuse and other causes between Aug. 4, 1964, and March 28, 1973.

Military Arms Sales Approved

WASHINGTON (AP) - President Carter, who calls past U.S. arms sales policy too unrestricted, cynical and dangerous has approved \$2 billion worth of military construction contracts and arms sales, primarily to NATO allies, administration sources say.

But the sources said Monday that Carter still is reviewing an additional \$3 billion worth of military sales proposals.

Carter will notify Congress about his military sales decisions soon, one source said.

Nuclear Arms Talks Continue

MOSCOW (AP) - Secretary of State Cyrus R. Vance and Soviet Foreign Minister Andrei A. Gromyko resumed nuclear arms talks today.

The negotiations continued following a cool reception Gromyko gave to Vance's proposal for lower limits on the nuclear arsenals of the two superpowers that the targets set by the 1974 agreement between then-President Gerald R. Ford and Leonid Brezhnev.

\$60 Rebates Not Sure

WASHINGTON (AP) - If you've already figured out how to spend that \$50 tax rebate President Carter wants to give to most Americans, think again. There are increasing indications the Senate may scrap the rebate and substitute a permanent tax cut.

Senate debate on the tax proposals will begin in another week and may not be completed until after Congress returns in mid April from its Easter recess.

And what members of Congress hear during trips home may be the decisive factor in determining a rebate.

weather

West Texas: Partly cloudy Panhandle and mostly fair elsewhere tonight. Sunny Wednesday. Low tonight near 30 mountains to low 30s north and mid 40s south. High Wednesday upper 50s north to low 60s extreme south.

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School Board Trustees Want More Federal, State Aid For Districts

HOUSTON (AP) - Delegates to the National School Boards Association have decided state and federal governments should provide more revenue to equalize school finances throughout the country.

A resolution approved by the school trustees Monday calls for state school boards associations regularly to evaluate and seek improvements in laws governing school finance to provide

equitable distribution of tax money among school districts.

"Despite large increases in state aid to local jurisdictions, many central cities and certain other depressed areas are facing financial crisis," the resolution said.

Wilbur J. Cohen, former secretary of Health Education and Welfare, in the keynote address, called for increasing federal aid to school by four times the

present amount "but without control by the federal government of curricula."

He said laws should be written to strictly limit Washington's role in school policy to "only a few areas."

Cohen, now dean of the University of Michigan's education school, said equality of opportunity, educational research, early childhood education and improvement of education for minorities are legitimate federal government concerns.

"I don't think the federal government is or should be the most important unit in educational policy," Cohen said.

He said local officials still have by far the most power in school matters and "the reason education is so bad in America is because of the local boards."

He said he opposes creation of a separate federal education department, calling the proposal a "largely cosmetic idea."

"I don't think it will mean any improvement in any significant factor of education," he said.

L. Harmon Zeigler, a University of Oregon political science professor, told the delegates there is only a "misguided or at least inconclusive basis" for government's use of schools to help achieve social goals.

Zeigler said much research shows schools in their present form are poor tools for such broad economic or behavioral change as better race relations and less poverty.

Oscars

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an idiot up there."

"Network" also won an Oscar for the original screenplay.

Despite this year's attempt at cutting what Friedkin had termed the "tackiness" of previous Oscar shows, there were some touching moments.

There were tears aplenty when, in accepting the best actor award for Finch, Paddy Chayevsky stepped to the microphone and said, "There's only one person who should accept this—Mrs. Peter Finch."

Amid a standing ovation, Finch's widow, Eletha, walked to the stage. With tears in her eyes she relayed a message she said her husband had wanted to give to the Academy.

"He said, 'Darling, if I win I want to say thanks to my fellow actors who have given me encouragement through the years, to Paddy, who gave me this part... and most of all, to you, darling, for sending me the right vibes.'"

Back stage, the actor's Jamaican-born widow said her husband had "wanted an Oscar between the teapots. So, I'm going to stick it there."

"Evergreen," Barbra Streisand's love song to Kris Kristofferson in "A Star Is Born," won an Oscar for Miss Streisand, who wrote the music, and Paul Williams, who wrote the lyrics.

Leonard Rosenman won an Oscar for his scoring adaptation of "Bound for Glory," while Jerry Goldsmith's score for "The Omen" won for original score.

William Goldman's screen adaptation of Robert Woodward and Carl Bernstein's "All The President's Men" won honors for best screenplay adapted from another medium.

A sleeper, "Black And White In Color," won the Oscar for best foreign language film. The Ivory Coast picture won over such highly-touted foreign movies as "Cousin, Cousine" and "Seven Beauties."

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winter's drought, high winds and severe cold in growing areas.

Recent widespread rains and snows in the nation's major farming areas have helped the outlook, the board said.

If the weather turns unfavorable this spring and stays poor through the critical summer growing months, retail food prices for 1977 could climb 5 to 6 per cent, and by as much as 10 per cent next year, the board said.

Last year, retail food prices rose slightly more than 3 per cent. In 1975 they increased about 8 per cent. In both 1973 and 1974 prices jumped 14.5 per cent.

"The final outcome of 1977 crop

production is many months away and uncertainties abound," the board said.

The board noted that in the Corn Belt and on the West Coast the soil moisture levels are still far below normal, so yields will be down for major field crops even with the right conditions all season.

Over-all crop production still should be close to last year's, it said, but "grains would be hard-pressed to match last year's big crops."

Large feedgrain crops could encourage expansion of the production of beef, poultry, eggs, pork and dairy products—big-ticket items in the average family grocery bill.

Youth Convicted In Killing

GARLAND, Tex. (AP) - A teen-ager convicted of the shooting death of 5-year-old girl will spend his one-year suspended sentence at home because his IQ is in the 50s.

Last December the boy used his father's deer rifle to fire at a pickup truck driving along a road in this Dallas suburb, police said.

One shot killed Maggie Claudine Sanchez, who was riding in the pickup.

The 15-year-old boy's sentence allows him to live with his family at home where he is visited twice a month by a probation officer.

His attorney, Chuck Miller, said the teen-ager was not placed in a Texas Youth Council (TYC) facility or a mental institution because of his IQ.

The TYC does not accept offenders with IQs below 50 while state mental facilities do not take those with IQs above 42, juvenile officials said.

Dallas County Juvenile Court Judge Craig Penfold, who heard the case, said the boy's situation was not an isolated example.

"This youth's case is a classic one in that it points out the need in this state for placement facilities for such youths,"

Judge Penfold said.

Maggie's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Lopez Sanchez, said they were shocked when they learned of the boy's sentence.

"The police told us he would be locked up," Mrs. Sanchez said. "We would not want him to hurt someone else as he did us. Our little girl did not even know this boy."

Garland police said the boy told them he was shooting only at the truck and not the people in it.

The boy pleaded guilty to criminally negligent homicide, a class A misdemeanor.

Judge Penfold said he decided to commit the boy to the TYC on a suspended basis after a psychological study showed "in view of his intellectual limitations, placement in a state facility such as the Texas Youth Council would be inappropriate."

Miller said the boy's probation can be renewed by Judge Penfold at the end of a year until the youth becomes 18.

Obituary

GUMESINDO YBARRA

Services for Gumesindo Ybarra, 73, are being held today at 2 p.m. in St. Joseph's Catholic Church with the Rev. Jose Gilligan, pastor officiating. Interment will be in St. Anthony's Cemetery by Smith & Company Funeral Home.

Mr. Ybarra died Sunday morning at Deaf Smith General Hospital following a lengthy illness. He had been a resident of Hereford for 23 years, coming here from Munday, and was a farm laborer.

Survivors include five sons, Cipriano, Teodoro and Ruben, all of Hereford, Antonio of Midland and Madaleno of Albuquerque, N.M.; two daughters, Mrs. Miguela Dominguez of Hereford and Mrs. Romana Alvarez of South Plains; two brothers, Secundino of Hereford and Crespin of Munday; 31 grandchildren and seven great-grandchildren.

Palbearers are Ben Villegas Jr., Shagoe Madrigal, Jimmy Madrigal Jr., Henry Ybarra, Clementa Fortuna and Albert Mata.

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the farm, and some moisture accumulations of up to .80 inches in the general vicinity of the community over the weekend.

A spokesman at the Coleman farm indicated that light rain was again falling this morning.

Mrs. Clint Homfeld reported that .70 inches of rain fell at her husband's farm 47 miles northwest of Hereford over the weekend, and added, "There was some light snow falling this morning, but it melted quickly."

ACCORDING TO MRS. Homfeld, Monday's blustery winds caused some blowing in that area, but most of the dirt was carried in from other areas.

The extended forecast calls for increasing cloudiness again later this week, and a chance of an encore appearance of the thunderstorms again on Saturday.

Vegetarian Diets Can Be Harmful

Vegetarian diets—no meat, poultry or fish—have risen in popularity recently. But the major concern in planning a vegetarian diet is to insure that the protein quality is adequate, according to Joyce Shipp Deaf Smith County Extension agent.

"Getting enough protein is usually not a problem since the average adult requires only about 45-56 grams of protein each day," the agent said this week.

"Although foods of vegetable origin contain some protein, they do not have the variety of the important amino acids that animal proteins do."

"To obtain a good balance of amino acids to improve the quality of vegetable proteins, animal and vegetable proteins should be combined," Mrs. Shipp explained.

She suggested making corn tortillas with cheese, cereal with milk and macaroni with cheese. Also, vegetable protein combinations of beans with corn or rice and peanuts with wheat improve the quality of the proteins.

These do not have to be made in one dish, but should be consumed at the same meal, she continued.

Those interested in planning a vegetarian diet have three kinds to consider, according to this nutritionist.

—Pure, or strict, vegetarian: excludes all foods of animal origin, such as meat, eggs and dairy products.

—This diet severely limits the nutrients found in the meat and milk groups. Vitamin B12 is found only in meat, fish, eggs

and dairy products, and the strict vegetarian will miss important nutrient unless supplements are made," she warned.

She also pointed out that the strict vegetarian diet may be deficient in calcium, riboflavin and iodine.

—Ovo-lacto vegetarian: excludes meat, fish and poultry, but includes eggs and dairy products.

—Lacto-vegetarian: excludes meat, poultry, fish and eggs, but includes dairy products.

"The ovo-lacto and lacto-vegetarian diets can be nutritionally acceptable. But the strict vegetarian diet is dangerous and not recommended for long periods of time," she said.



The Mi-Kio-Lo Horizon Club Camp Fire Group recently visited Mental Health Services where they gave a party and served refreshments. The volunteer service is one of the requirements for the Wo-He-Lo Medallion.

Members present were Margaret Brumley, Tommie Cherry, Lynn Bridges, Tammie Cagle, Sherry Kelley and Terri Siever. The group's leader is Connie Brumley and assistant leader is Edith Dawes.

The members expressed appreciation to their supporters and to Mental Health Services.



Feted Saturday

Mrs. Joe Robinson, center, was honored Saturday morning at a post-nuptial coffee in the home of Mrs. Charles Hoover, at left. A special guest was the honoree's daughter, Miss Libby Word, right. Mrs. Robinson is the former Mrs. Bob Word.

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Coffee Honors Mrs. Robinson

Mrs. Joe Robinson, the former Ruth Word, was honored Saturday morning at a coffee in the home of Mrs. Charles Hoover, 321 Douglas.

The couple was married Jan. 21.

A silver tray was presented to the honoree by the hostesses. Mrs. Robinson's daughter, Miss Libby Word was a special guest.

Refreshments were served from the serving table, which was centered with a floral arrangement of yellow jonquils and babybreath and appointed with silver and crystal. The table was draped with a cutwork ecru cloth.

It was announced during the recent courtesy that the Robinsons will be making their home at Clarendon this summer.

Hostesses assisting Mrs. Hoover were Mmes. Earnest Langley, Ed Dzuik, Elmer Kimball, A.K. Roark, Jay Boston, Robert Josseland, Pat Hughes, Ralph Battey, J.W. Witherspoon, Bill Lyman, Pete Caviness, Harlan Vanderzee, Richard Ottesen and Milton Rudder.

Hospital Notes

PATIENTS IN HOSPITAL

Frank Annen, 434 Star; Eva Arellano, 612 Irving; Edgar Blakney, Route 3; Austin Road; Elsie Chapman, Route 1, Box 390; Shirley Clayton, 200 Whittier; Annie Cummings, Box 1424.

Frank Daniel, 404 McKinley; Beatrice DeLaPaz, 109 E. 6th; Opal Elliott, 403 Ave. K; Abelina Encinas, 226 N. 25 Mile Ave.; Maribeth Farley, Flomont; Tillie Gilmore, 815 Brevard; Della Gorman, 215 Ave. A.

John Hall, 112 Ave. J; Ina Hastings, King's Manor; Lee Kindsfather, 112 Douglas; Jessie Lee, Route 3; Jimmie Lacombe, 606 Ave. K; Barbara Lightfoot, Dimmitt; Margaret Lookingbill, Vega.

Eugene McMillan, 204 Walnut; Laura Milburn, 138 Ave. B; Daisy Moreman, King's Manor; Secudino Murillo, Box 1487; Leona Packard, Route 3, Box 187; Elise Patrick, 1109 E. Park; Maudie Primrose, Route 1, Box 85.

Grace Roberson, 129 Centre; Nell Spradley, Star Route; Helen Starks, 504 N. Miles; Tris Stokesberry, Gould, Okla.;



Extending Invitation

Officers of Hereford's Panhellenic Chapter are inviting college-bound girls and their mothers to a Coke Party Thursday. The event is being staged to promote involvement in sorority work. Shown from left are Sharon Hodges, Panhellenic treasurer; Linda Webb, president; and Brenda Roinauer, secretary. (Photo by Phyl Smith)

Students, Mothers Asked To Courtesy

Local high school senior girls and their mothers are invited to a Coke party at 3:30 p.m. Thursday in the Community Center.

The courtesy is being sponsored by Hereford Panhellenic Chapter, which is encouraging college-bound coeds to enter sorority work. Sorority representatives from West Texas State University and Texas Tech University will be present to offer information. Any local Greek alumni who have not yet been contacted by

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Four Students Earn Music Certificates



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LISA SNYDER

Four Hereford students earned gold certificates recently during the annual Music Festival competition. These honors were received when each of the students won three consecutive superior ratings from the judges.

In addition to the coveted certificates, the four youth will be awarded gold cups for a high score of 15 points each. The

Mrs. Perrin

Honored At Cook Home

Mrs. Jim Bob Perrin was honored Saturday with a layette shower in the home of Mrs. Lynn Cook, 237 Fir. Mrs. B.J. Gilliland was co-hostess.

During the informal courtesy, the honoree opened gifts and refreshments were served from a table centered with a bouquet of yellow jonquils. Complementing the pastel theme was a yellow butterfly-shaped cake and green table napkins.

Special guests in attendance were the honoree's mother, Mrs. Truman Riddle of Austin, her mother-in-law, Mrs. Jim Perrin of Hereford, and her grandmothers, Mrs. Guy Collins of Hereford and Mrs. R.V. Thomas and Mrs. Louis West, both of Post.

A corsage made of white carnation with baby comb and bursh, was presented to the honoree.

During the Napoleonic Wars, the French governor of the Seychelles Islands hit upon a unique solution to the problems of war. Each time a British ship appeared, he surrendered. When it left, he ran up the French flag again. After the war, Britain gained control of the colony, but the governor stayed on, changing his name from the French De Quinassy to the anglicized De Quincy.

four students, who are all under the tutelage of Mrs. Joe Hacker, include Quinton Renfro, Tammy Gerles, Jill Paschel and Lisa Snyder.

At Wit's End

By Erma Bombeck

When women speak of police brutality, they are referring to one thing -- their obligation under oath to give the right age on their driver's license. If they don't, under the false swearing law, they are guilty of a misdemeanor.

The Arizona House Judiciary Committee, in reviewing these laws recently, saw the error of the system and is wisely considering change. As one committee member said, "If we're going to hold everybody accountable for everything they do or say, I think a lot of people are going to be upset."

And that is the greatest understatement since Mary Worth was caught in a hotel lobby posing as a philodendron saying, "I don't mean to meddle."

Happily, I've never been one of those silly, sensitive creatures obsessed with age. If you ask me, I'll tell you right off. "I'm ffffffffoooooo..." give me a minute, it'll come.

I had a grandmother who lied so much about her age she couldn't remember how old she was. She lied on each of her children's birth certificates--with each birth getting younger, which eventually made the "baby" of the family the oldest, despite the fact that her mother gave birth at the age of 12.

As I have always said, being ffffffffoooooo...is nothing to be ashamed of. I mean being ffffffffoooooo is better than being thirty and looking sixty.

I know some women who not only lie about their age on their driver's license, they lie about their weight, height, and their hair color. Small wonder some police officers, after looking over the license, can only assume they are driving a stolen car.

Goodness gracious, this has to be the biggest flap over nothing I have ever heard in my life. What does it matter that the old biddy who cashes a check for you in the supermarket looks at your identification and announces your age over the loud speaker? Or that the turkey who made your car repairs knows you weren't blonde on your license three years ago. As I told my husband, "It's not so bad being ffffffffoooooo..."

"What are you trying to say?" he asked.

"Ffffffffooooooorty!" I said, holding onto the table to steady myself.

"You're fifty!" he said.

"So arrest me!"

Ann Landers Survey Results



DEAR READERS: Yesterday I printed the results of the survey. The question I asked my readers was: If you had it to do over again would you marry the person to whom you are now married?

Over 50,000 people wrote in. The results were tabulated by professionals. There were two sets of responses -- those who signed their cards and letters and those who did not. From the signed mail, I got these answers: 70 per cent said YES -- 30 per cent said NO. From the unsigned mail: Forty-eight per cent said YES -- 52 per cent NO.

Seventy per cent of the respondents did NOT sign. Many who signed gave their addresses, also.

Of the signed mail, 80 per cent came from females and 20 per cent from males. The unsigned mail was 70 per cent from females and 30 per cent from males.

I received 42 postcards from homosexuals. They were all "very happy" and voted YES.

Several readers pointed out a fact that could have influenced many women. The survey column appeared on Valentine's Day.

From San Jose, a wife wrote: "I may feel different tomorrow but tonight I am voting NO. It's Valentine's Day and this clown to whom I've been married for 15 years (five children) didn't even give me a card."

A man in Pittsburgh sent two dozen cards (unsigned). On each card he wrote (in green

ink), "I vote NO. SHE'S MURDER."

A woman from San Francisco wrote a letter saying, "I voted NO yesterday. I was drunk. My husband is an angel -- a lot better than I deserve. Please change my vote to YES."

From Davenport, Iowa: "Female, married 27 years. We are the happiest couple in town. I vote YES." At the bottom of the card, hastily scrawled in pencil, was a word from her husband, who obviously had been asked to drop the card in the mailbox. He wrote, "That's what SHE thinks. I vote NO."

A reader from Phoenix: "I DID do it over again -- married the same person -- three times. My marriage to Thelma was annulled by her parents because she was under-age. When she turned legal we were married by a justice of the peace. Two years later we were married by a Catholic priest. She's terrific. I vote NO."

From Akron: "I am 12 years old. I read your column every day. My parents got into a fight tonight over how to vote in your survey. My mother said she was voting NO because my dad spends too many night playing backgammon. Dad said their marriage was a lot better than most -- even said he would vote YES. The conversation suddenly turned to how much my mother's brother cost my dad in business. I think you'd better put them both down as NO."

From Oklahoma City: "Dear Ann: in the 32 years we've been married my husband once told

me he loved me -- even though I asked him several times. He always answered, "I'm not the mushy type." Tonight he clipped out your column and wrote across it, "YES. She is a beautiful person. I'm a lucky man." I cried like a baby. Make that two YESSSES from O. City."

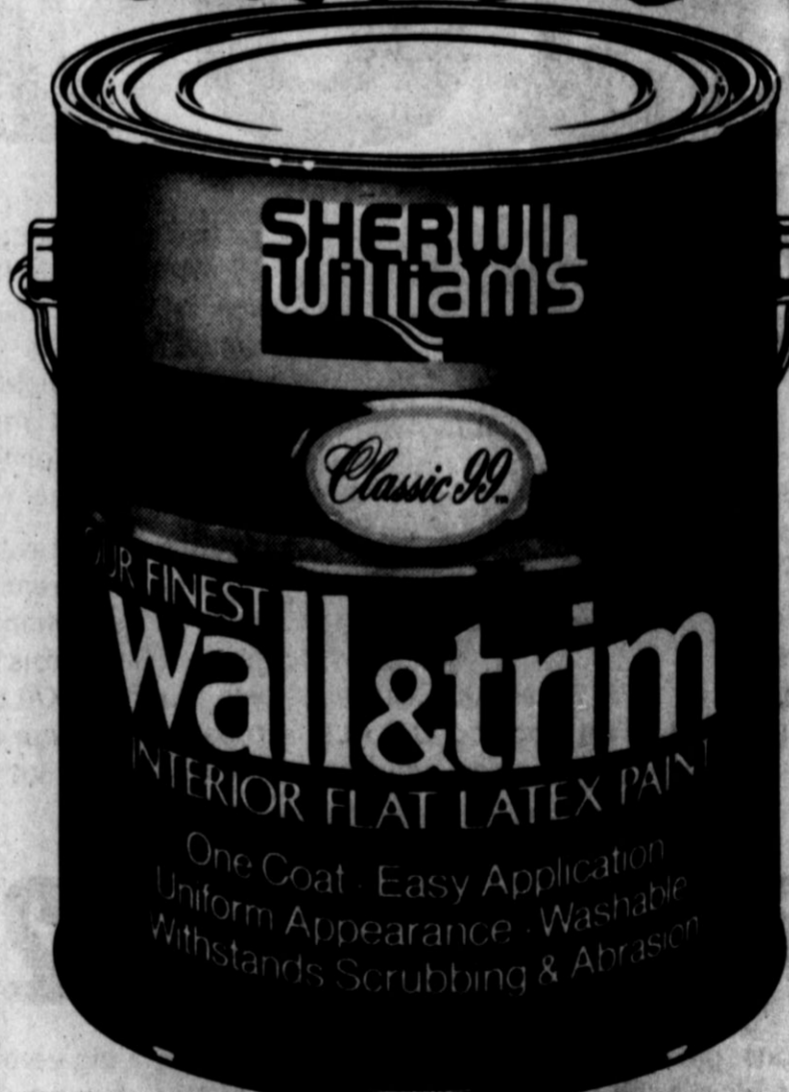
Lindseys Celebrate Anniversary

Mr. and Mrs. Jess Lindsey of Lubbock, former Hereford residents, were honored Sunday on the occasion of their golden wedding anniversary. Serving as hosts were their five children and 17 grandchildren.

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Warriors Baffle Experts; Roll To National Cage Title

BY KEN RAPOPORT
AP Sports Writer

ATLANTA (AP)—For a team that was going nowhere earlier this season, the Marquette Warriors certainly ended up in the right place.

An enigmatic, inconsistent team, Marquette reversed its field dramatically at the right time and followed its own yellow brick road to the top of the college basketball world.

At McGuire could not explain it—he could only enjoy it after Monday night's 67-59 victory over North Carolina gave him the national championship in his last game as a college coach.

"I honestly don't know what happened to our team," said McGuire after winning his first NCAA championship. "Maybe they stopped listening to the coach."

McGuire, who is retiring from basketball to go into private business, never thought he would be in the NCAA playoffs this year, much less be wearing the winner's crown.

But his team played mistake-

proof basketball against North Carolina, giving him the long-sought title.

"I think they fell apart in the second half," McGuire said of North Carolina. "We hung in there."

If any of McGuire's 404 victories in his career could be called a "coaching" victory, this one might be it. Even McGuire admitted to playing a determining role in the outcome, something he usually does not do.

When North Carolina made a spectacular rally in the second half, the Marquette coach called timeouts at crucial moments, trying to stop the Tar Heels' momentum.

"Once the avalanche came and we were tied, I tried to stop the avalanche by delays and I called some timeouts," said McGuire. "Usually we try to do it with contact lens time-outs or something like that. You have to stop the momentum no matter what."

There was another intelligent, if more subtle play, used by the brainy Marquette coach. When the Tar Heels went into their patented four-corner offense after coming back from a 12-point deficit and tying the score, McGuire found something else with which to strangle

them. "I kept my big men around the basket so they wouldn't be able to score anything easy inside," said McGuire.

The four-corner offense had been a boom to North Carolina all season, but it turned into a bust this time. Carrying the momentum of the game, the Tar Heels apparently lost what they had at this point. After their gallant rally tied the score 45-45, they slowed down the tempo and eventually lost the handle of the game.

North Carolina, which got several easy shots off the four corners in Saturday's semifinal victory over Nevada-Las Vegas, could not do the same thing against Marquette. After holding the ball for almost three minutes, the Tar Heels finally got off a shot inside by Bruce Buckley. But it was blocked by Marquette center Jerome Whitehead, and the ball went the other way.

That set the trend for the rest of the game.

The Tar Heels tied the score again 47-47, but that was the last time they were even with the Warriors. Two foul shots by Butch Lee and a field goal by Jim Boylan provided Marquette with a four-point lead and McGuire's boys eventually built

it to 10 at one stage late in the game.

Lee finished with 19 points and Boyland and Bo Ellis had 14 each while Whitehead contributed 11 rebounds. Walter Davis led North Carolina with 20 points and Mike O'Koren had 14.

Marquette's victory had added impact because of the team's erratic season. The Warriors lost seven games this season and no other NCAA champion in history can claim that dubious distinction.

At one point, when Marquette dropped three straight games

and skidded to a 16-6 record, McGuire all but gave up hopes of going to the NNAA playoffs in his last year.

But while McGuire was giving up hope, his players were not. Led by Ellis and Lee, the Warriors began playing more consistent ball toward the end of the season.

"Outside of my lucky suit, I don't know what caused it, except maybe the subs coming through," said McGuire. "Subs win tournaments for you. The subs must always play over their capabilities."

NFL To Consider Extended Season

PHOENIX (AP)—First the National Football League will take a look at the agreement it signed with the players' union and the bottom line of how much it cost to get that five-year guarantee of labor peace.

Then the NFL will take a look at the three-network television contract which expires after the 1977 season and the bottom line of how much cash it is bringing in each of its four years.

And then those 28 club

owners, matching dollar for dollar, will almost surely vote today to achieve a balance of payments of sorts by expanding the NFL regular season from 14 to 16 weeks and the playoff field from eight to 10 teams.

The expanded season would result in a contracted exhibition schedule for each team, from six to four games. Some teams have been playing those exhibitions in half-empty stadiums the past few years.

Triple Crown Notion No Joke To Parker

BY ALEX SACHARE
AP Sports Writer

Dave Parker has an ambition.

"I'd like to win the triple crown before my career is over," said the slugging outfielder of the Pittsburgh Pirates. "I mentioned it once or twice in the clubhouse, and some of the guys made jokes about it. But I don't think it's a joke."

The idea of leading the National League in batting average, home runs and runs batted in, all in the same year, is beyond the realm of imagination for most baseball players. But not the 6-foot-5 Parker, who combines power, speed and good batting eye.

"One of these years, I'm going to hit a lot of home runs," said Parker. "That's the year I can win the triple crown. I know I'm capable of hitting .350 and driving in a lot of runs."

Parker hit .313 with 13 homers and 90 RBI last year and looked to be in midseason form

in an exhibition game Monday. He belted a home run, a double and two singles, driving in four runs, leading the Pirates past the Chicago White Sox 6-4 in 12 innings.

Parker's fifth home run of the spring came in the ninth inning and tied the score 3-3. The Pirates scored in the top of the 11th on Bill Robinson's sacrifice fly, but the White Sox tied it in the bottom of the inning on Bob Coluccio's RBI double.

Parker then drilled a two-run double in the 12th to win it.

It was a big day for hitting all around the exhibition circuit. Milwaukee collected 22 hits off four Cleveland pitchers in posting a 16-9 victory, reaching Indians starter Jim Bibby for 12 hits and 11 earned runs in less than two innings. The Brewers belted five homers, two of them by Sixto Lezcano including a grand slam.

Bobby Valentine's three-run blast highlighted a six-run eighth inning that lifted San

Diego past California 11-10; Darrell Evans and Willie McCovey hit two-run homers in San Francisco's 9-5 victory over Seattle; Roger Freed's three-run shot in the seventh inning helped St. Louis beat Cincinnati 7-5; Ed Goodson's two-run homer keyed a seven-run rally in the eighth inning that carried Los Angeles past the New York Mets 9-8; Jim Rice's three-run homer powered Boston to a 4-2 victory over Toronto; Jim Sundberg's ninth-inning homer gave Texas a 6-5 decision over Minnesota, and Art Gardner's 10th-inning blast lifted Houston over Montreal 9-8.

In other games, Jerry Tabb's two-run single with two out in the 11th gave Oakland an 8-7 decision over the Chicago Cubs, rookie Tim Corcoran's RBI single in the 10th helped Detroit nip the New York Yankees 6-5, and Andy Hassler and Greg Shanahan combined on an eight-hitter as Kansas City blanked Atlanta 2-0.

'Vicious Attack' Fells Lucchesi

ORLANDO, Fla. (AP)—Disgruntled second baseman Lenny Randle punched his way out of a job Monday, decking his Texas Rangers manager, Frank Lucchesi, with what one witness called "a vicious attack" that left Lucchesi in a hospital with a concussion and a fractured cheekbone.

Randle had been grousing about losing the second base job to rookie Bump Wills. He said he walked over Lucchesi on the field before an exhibition game to talk about it and Lucchesi referred to him as a "punk."

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Randle decked Lucchesi with one punch, a witness said, then continued to rain blows on the helpless 49-year-old manager. Shortstop Bert Campaneris broke up the beating, and outfielder Ken Henderson had to be restrained by teammates from going after Randle.

"I had one hand in my pocket and the other one by my side," Lucchesi said from a hospital bed. "I was looking down at the ground. I never saw or knew what hit me."

Later, a subdued Randle told sportswriters, "I never thought it would come to this. I'm just not that kind of person."

Ranger owner Brad Corbett suspended Randle when he learned of the incident.

The 28-year-old Randle's suspension will be the subject of a hearing among Ranger executives.

"My only wish is that I was 10 years younger so I could handle this situation myself," Lucchesi said.

Doctors admitted Lucchesi for at least 24 hours. They said he suffered a cerebral concussion; a triple fracture of the cheekbone that could require plastic surgery, a lacerated lip and an undetermined back injury.

Randle changed to street clothes after the fight and watched the Rangers beat Minnesota in an exhibition contest.

He met briefly with Ranger General Manager Danny O'Brian, who told him of the suspension and said Randle would not be allowed on the team bus back to Tampa. The

Rangers provided him with a rent car to drive back alone.

Lucchesi said he never referred to Randle as a "punk." Randle said Lucchesi's use of the word prompted the fisticuffs.

Randle is starting the second year of an \$80,000-a-year contract.

"I hate that this had to happen," Randle said, "but I guess he just took it for granted that I was a pacifist. All a man wants is respect. I'm no different. I just ran out of cheeks to turn."

Asked if he felt his career might be jeopardized, Randle said "...I guess it's a possibility."

Lucchesi refused to say whether he will press charges.

SAN ANTONIO (AP)—The Trinity Tigers dropped out of the top spot in the national tennis poll released by the Intercollegiate Tennis Coaches Association, but they remained in second place. Altogether, there are five Texas teams in the top 20.

UCLA moved up to the top spot after the Tigers dropped their first defeat to Southern Methodist University.

Other Texas teams in the poll and their ranking include SMU, fifth; Texas, 12th; Pan American, 13th, and Texas Christian University 18th.

ARLINGTON (AP)—Baseball fans from the plains of Kansas to the Mexican border and from Louisiana to New Mexico will be able to follow the Texas Rangers on television this season.

Officials here said Monday the television network for the Rangers will reach more than 4.8 million homes. They said this gives the American League team the second largest marketing area in the nation, ranking just below New York and well above the market for the Los Angeles Dodgers.

A club spokesman said 25 games will be telecast by KXAS-TV, the network flagship station and 15 of the games will be carried by all 17 stations. The first televised game will be April 3 when the Rangers meet the Houston Astros in an exhibition contest at 1 p.m. at Tulsa, Okla.

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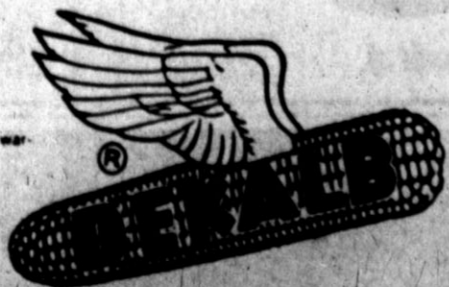
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Suzanne Duvall...
Hereford Shot Putter

Duvall Leads Varsity Girls At Big Spring

Hereford's Suzanne Duvall captured first place in the shot put Saturday at the Big Spring track meet to lead the Whiteface girls contingent to 29 points overall.

Duvall won the shot with a distance of 35-9 1/4 to pick up 10 points for Hereford. In addition, Lori Taylor went 4-10 in taking second place in the high jump, and Velma Arroyos clocked a 2:35.5 in a runner up effort in the 800.

Other point winners for Hereford were Lisa Drake, sixth in the 800 (2:51.0) and Judy Birdwell, fifth in the 400 (68.3).

The meet was run under threatening skies all day, and had to be halted for a time midway through the day due to rain. The final six events were cancelled due to the wet conditions.

"We did a good job especially in light of the rain and the break in the action," Hereford coach Roy Shipp said of his girls.

Hereford had girls qualify for

the finals in two of the cancelled events. LuAnne Berryman had earned a spot in the 220 finals, while Tawana Moton had done likewise in the 100.

The Hereford feds will run this weekend in the Amarillo Relays against some of the best competition in the state.

"We should do all right in the shot, 800, high jump, and mile relay," coach Shipp said.

Teams from El Paso and Lubbock along with Amarillo area schools will run in the meet.

Herd Netters Claim Borger Meet Title

The improving Hereford tennis team walked away with top honors in boys play and finished a strong third in girls action at the Borger Team Tournament last weekend.

Hereford had representatives in the finals of both the boys and girls single brackets, but both entries, Steve Hoover and Karen Grimsley came up short to finish second.

The Whitefaces did crown one champion, however, when the boys duo of Rick Mendiaz-Ralph Vargas captured the doubles title.

Hereford's boys won the team title with a total of 57 points over runner up Borger, while the Hereford girls wound up third team wise with 33 points to finish behind winner Borger and runner up Dumas.

Grimsley was originally scheduled to play doubles with Shelly Scott at the meet, but Scott had to withdraw due to illness and Grimsley was inserted into the singles bracket.

"Karen did a heck of a job... she's playing real good, consistent tennis right now," Hereford coach Steve Thomas said in the wake of the tourney. "I was also proud of Rick and Ralph (Mendiaz-Vargas) in doubles. They pulled it through for us to enable us to win the team title," he added.

Mendiaz and Vargas lost only six games in winning three sets enroute to the doubles finals, where they met the team of Faulkner-Boren of Borger.

The Hereford duo pulled the victory down in a 7-6, 2-6, 6-3 split-set win to give the Herd 20 points toward the team title.

Hoover, meanwhile scrambled in the singles final although he had to stop Sullivan of Canyon 3-6, 6-4, 6-2 in the semis to do it. Todd Kent of Canyon reaped a little revenge in the finals as he escaped with a 6-4, 6-3 win over Hoover.

The Rangers are desperate for southpaw pitchers after trading away Jim Umbarger, their only left-handed pitcher.

La Plata 7th, 9th Girls Win Titles

La Plata Junior High's 7th and 9th grade girls' track teams showed strength in the relay races at the Imp Relays at Dumas last weekend to take home team titles.

The Maverick 7th grade girls took their title with 117 points over runner up Canyon's 104. Dumas finished third with 97 points, while Stanton of Hereford was fourth with 56.

The Maverick 9th grade girls won the team title with 116 points to second place Pampa's 101. Borger was third at 88, while Stanton finished seventh with 22 points.

The 8th grade division was won by Canyon, which swamped the rest of the field with 163 points. Runner up Perryton could muster but 78 points, while La Plata was third with 52. Stanton was a notch back in fourth with 48 points.

In the 7th grade division La Plata took the 800 and mile relay events, a feat which was matched by the Maverick 9th graders. In addition the 7th graders got first in the long jump, triple jump, and 1320-yard run, while the freshmen won the 1320 in addition to the relay wins.

The La Plata 8th grade took firsts in the 220 and 100 enroute to their third-place finish.

Team totals: La Plata 117, Canyon 104, Dumas 97, Stanton 56, Perryton 52, Hereford 48, Pampa 44, Plainview 21, Hartley 4.

La Plata Results
800 Relay-1. La Plata, 1:39.3 (Amy Schumacher, Cathy Lane, Brenda Straffus, Sandy Brownlow).

Mile Relay-1. La Plata, 4:43.7 (Schumacher, Lane, Deborah Rogers, Rhonda Palmer).

Long Jump-1. Stanton, 15-4 1/4, S. Lane 14-4.

Triple Jump-1. Straffus, 29-10 4/8, Rogers, 25-5.

1320-1. Elana Palmer, 4:58.8, S. Vicki Palmer, 4:58.8.

440 Relay-2. La Plata, 55.9 (Schumacher, Lane, Straffus, Brownlow).

220-3. Straffus, 28.5, S. Rogers, 29.0.

100-3. Brownlow, 12.8.

800-3. Patricia Schaefer, 2:58.3, S. Mita Robinson, 3:03.1, High Jump, S. Rogers, 4-2.

8th Grade Division
Team totals: Canyon 163, Perryton 78, La Plata 52, Stanton 48, Dumas 42, Dalhart 42, Borger 30, Pampa 36, Plainview 21, Hartley 10.

La Plata Results
220-1. Linda Waterscheid, 27.1

100-1. Waterscheid, 12.1

1320-2. Colleen Keating, 4:34.1, 4.

Paula Groves, 4:48.0.

Mile Relay-3. La Plata, 4:58.3 (Cheryl Oakley, Terri Markins, Theresa Schilling, Diane Warden).

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'Faces Nip Eagles

BY BOB NIGH
Brand Sports Editor

"They just weren't ready to play and our kids were." This was the comment by Hereford baseball coach Rick Stewart in the wake of the 'Faces second win in a row, a 3-2 decision over the Canyon Eagles Monday afternoon.

"We were ready to play, Roy (Martinez) pitched well, and we got a few breaks," the Herd mentor concluded as he looked back upon his team's fifth win against seven losses this season.

Senior Martinez got the win, his second against one defeat, in an eight-hit, eight-strikeout stint. After a shaky start, Martinez settled down and held his own against the Eagles until his teammates pulled it out of the fire with three big runs in the fifth.

Canyon took a 1-0 lead in the first on consecutive singles by Joe Luquette and Randy Langen, a walk, a fielder's choice, and a Hereford error.

The score stood at 1-0 until the fourth, when the Eagles pushed across another tally to take a 2-0 margin. Terry Mick was struck out by Martinez, but catcher Mitch Guinn dropped the ball and made an errant throw to first trying to complete the play.

Mick advanced to second on a base on balls to Tracy Martin and scored on a single by Ron Eller.

The Whitefaces went to work

in the fifth as Chris Hill and Kent Ellis led the frame off with safeties. Hill was cut down at second trying to stretch his hit into a double, however.

Paul Garcia reached on a Canyon miscue, Jim Lawson walked, and Martinez reached on a fielder's choice, scoring Ellis. A walk to Guinn filled the bases, and Garcia and Martinez scored the go-ahead runs on another Eagle error.

Martinez and Canyon reliever Ron Hickman controlled the game the rest of the way, each getting three strikeouts in the final two innings while giving up one token hit each.

Kevin Bunch led the Herd hitting attack with two singles in the game, while Langen topped the Eagles with four hits in as many tries.

The win gives the Herd a 5-7 mark with just one non-district tilt left on the schedule. That game comes today when the Levelland Lobos come to town for a 4 p.m. contest.

Canyon, meanwhile, fell to 6-8 with the loss. The Eagles open District 1-3A action Friday against Levelland.

Hereford will take a week off after today's game with the Lobos. District play begins Tuesday, April 5 with the Plainview Bulldogs invading Hereford for the usual league doubleheader.

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Roy Martinez and Mitch Guinn. Terry Mick, Ron Hickman (4) and Ken Slagle. WP-Martinez (2-1) LP-Hickman.

Sports Shorts

DALLAS (AP)- Pitcher Alan Ramirez of Rice University has been named Southwest Conference spring athlete of the week after helping his Owl teammates halt the University of Texas baseball winning streak at 34 games.

It took the Owls 14 innings to do it, but they stopped the Longhorns streak with a 4-3 decision. Ramirez pitched 13 innings and needed some relief help at the end. He struck out 12 batters in the marathon contest.

Others nominated for the honors included sprinter Cole Doty of Southern Methodist University, high jumper John Solomon of Houston, speedster Barnabus White of Arkansas and the entire Texas Tech mile relay team.

TAMPA, Fla. (AP)- If a little matter of \$1.5' can be settled, Vida Blue might be traded from the Oakland A's to the Texas Rangers.

The Rangers are desperate for southpaw pitchers after trading away Jim Umbarger, their only left-handed pitcher.

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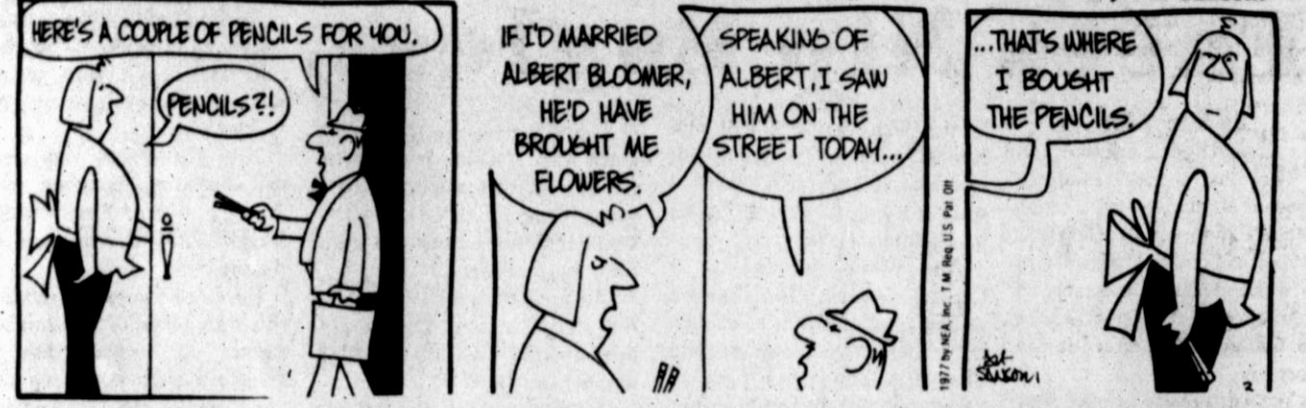
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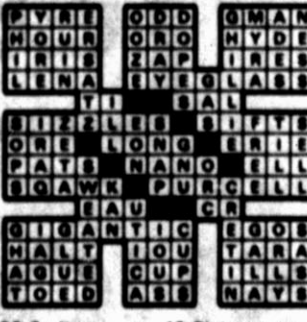
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- 13 Shoofly
- 14 Yesterday (Fr.)
- 15 Canvas
- 16 Little devil
- 17 Common ancestor
- 20 Dress material
- 21 Quick lunch place
- 22 Medicinal plant
- 24 Marina sight
- 26 Slow (mus.)
- 32 Phonograph machine
- 33 Fame
- 35 Authoress
- 36 Ferber
- 38 Ceylon moss
- 39 Pilots
- 41 Took oath
- 42 Sound equipment of TV
- 44 Garment fastener
- 48 Blade
- 52 Hairy man
- 53 Military school (abbr.)
- 55 Crested lark
- 57 Gull-like bird
- 58 Few (Fr.)
- 59 Parasites
- 60 Eagle's nest
- 61 Compass point
- 62 Large deer (pl.)

Answer to Previous Puzzle



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- 1 Gross National Product (abbr.)
- 2 Vast period of time
- 3 Paris airport
- 4 Leaf about
- 5 Think
- 6 Misty
- 7 Fall back on
- 8 Mountain pass in India
- 9 Assistant
- 10 Regan's father
- 11 Host
- 19 CIA
- 21 Auto club
- 23 Sodium symbol (abbr.)
- 24 Haggard
- 25 Verdi opera
- 28 Former Spanish colony
- 27 Story fabricator
- 29 Chew
- 30 Shakespearean villain
- 31 Persian poet
- 34 Sooner than
- 38 Actress West
- 39 Continent
- 40 Plains state (abbr.)
- 41 Plant seed
- 43 Emanate
- 44 Greek letter
- 45 Words of understanding (2 wds.)
- 46 Young salmon
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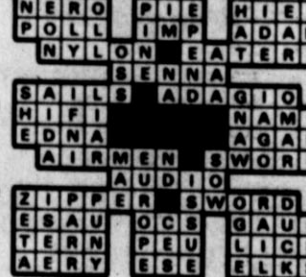


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- 18 Soda water
- 20 Herring
- 21 The (Fr.)
- 22 Enjoyment
- 23 Resin
- 26 No sound
- 30 Flipper
- 31 Dispatched
- 32 Egypt (abbr.)
- 33 French friend
- 34 Auctioneer's word
- 35 Scouting organization
- 36 Comb type
- 38 Donkeys
- 40 Under the weather
- 41 Cook bacon
- 42 Attentive
- 45 Thinner
- 49 Phosphate
- 50 Common ailment
- 51 East Indian island
- 52 Roman poet
- 53 Charged atom
- 54 Spheres
- 55 Festival
- 56 Obstet
- 57 Crack through which water escapes

Answer to Previous Puzzle



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- 1 Talk back
- 2 Rodent
- 3 College examination
- 4 Softly
- 5 Quarter-scores
- 6 Leonine sound
- 7 Away from
- 8 Apennine inhabitant
- 9 Israeli coins
- 10 Of liquid waste
- 11 Typing blunder
- 19 Last letter
- 20 Denomination
- 22 Locate
- 23 At a distance
- 24 City in Peru
- 25 Knitting stitch
- 26 Betray (sl.)
- 27 Lumps
- 28 Particular instance
- 29 Ages
- 31 Loam
- 34 Deck hand
- 37 Long discourse
- 38 Jackie's 2nd husband
- 39 Token
- 41 Cast aside
- 42 Preposition (2 wds.)
- 43 Strong affection
- 44 Revise
- 45 Wild plum
- 46 Horse
- 47 Island of exile
- 48 Hazard
- 50 Tall tales

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On Wall Street
BY BOB HILL

From the East to the West coast and in numerous communities in between a real taxpayers revolt is brewing, especially with homeowners. Skyrocketing property taxes is the reason for raising the roof over higher taxes. Inflation has pushed the cost of everything from education to garbage collection. So, cash-strapped cities and towns are putting the arm on owners of single-family dwellings as never before.

The real problem area is the trend toward assessing single-family dwellings at their fair market value, or at least making sure that comparable property is assessed equally. This both increases local tax revenues and eliminates inequities caused when inflation forces assessments to get out of line. The equalization process is the only fair approach; but it makes the residential property owner feel like a sitting duck.

It's the same story everywhere. Property values climb in response to an inflation fueled market and homeowners are hit with sometimes staggering tax bills. Hardest hit are the elderly and those living on fixed

incomes. Some owners are forced to sell their houses. The only other recourse for the homeowner is to appeal the evaluation or to vent his frustration by voting down school bond issues and organizing taxpayer protest groups.

Property taxes have been the primary source of revenues for local government. In 1975, property taxes amounted to 81.6 per cent of local revenues from all sources. As property taxes climb, they tend to become regressive. But with restricted bases of revenues and constitutional limits on taxing authority, local governments have no place else to go for the funds necessary to provide the increasingly costly services.

States and cities are slowly responding to the homeowners outcry by having their tax rolls audited and steeping up the evaluations of multifamily units. Some states have imposed a statutory limit on assessments. Wisconsin pioneered the "circuit breaker" approach which limits property taxes to a maximum of 5 per cent of gross income. That law is in effect in 26 states.

'Bad News Bears' Not All So Bad

HOUSTON (AP) - Harris County Commissioners have agreed that a sequel to the movie "Bad News Bears" bears no bad news for the county.

So, Commissioner Bob Eckels failed to get to first base on his motion Monday that the county renege on its agreement allowing a portion of the movie to be made in Bayland Park. No one would second his motion.

The county earlier had agreed to allow Paramount Pictures Corp. to film part of the sequel "Bad News Bears in Breaking Training" in the county-owned park.

After the court approved the agreement earlier this month, Eckels said he has received complaints from many parents and Little League organizations objecting to using the park for the movie.

Eckels said that although he had not seen the original movie, he had been told "it was vulgar, if not pornographic." The original carried a PG rating.

Commissioner Tom Bass said it would be ridiculous to call the movie pornographic. He said he would not allow his youngest children to see it but for an adult it "was funny as the dickens."

Brown Sworn In As Commissioner

AUSTIN (AP) - Reagan Brown became Texas' agricultural commissioner Monday with the promise that he would "never let you down on purpose."

Brown was sworn in by Chief Justice Joe Greenhill of the Texas Supreme Court in a brief ceremony, with Gov. Dolph Briscoe by his side.

Immediately after the brief ceremony Brown led a delegation of 50 Texas farmers into Briscoe's private office "to talk about Texas agriculture."

The farmers are in Austin to attend the Governor's Agricultural Leaders Conference. "I predict Reagan Brown will make one of the greatest agricultural commissioners in

the history of the Lone Star State," Briscoe said at the ceremony. "He is the most effective speaker to be found in Texas. We have always made it practice not to appear on the same program because he is better."

Briscoe named Brown, a special assistant to Briscoe for four years, to serve out the remainder of the term John C. White, Texas' commissioner for 26 years, who was named U.S. Deputy Secretary of Agriculture.

Briscoe said at the time he wanted Texas to become the No. 1 agricultural state in the union. It is No. 3 now.

Today In History

By The Associated Press

Today is Tuesday, March 29, the 88th day of 1977. There are 277 days left in the year.

Today's highlight in history: On this date in 1867, the Act of Confederation was passed by the British Parliament, creating the Dominion of Canada.

On this date: In 1632, French and English claims in America were divided by the Treaty of St. Germain.

In 1790, the 10th American president, John Tyler, was born in Charles City County, Virginia.

In 1847, American forces under General Winfield Scott occupied Vera Cruz, Mexico.

In 1967, France launched its first nuclear submarine.

In 1969, a three-day state funeral for former President Dwight D. Eisenhower began in Washington. He had died on March 28.

In 1973, the last American troops left South Vietnam, ending the direct military role of the United States in the Vietnam War.

Ten years ago: President Lyndon B. Johnson ordered the Central Intelligence Agency to phase out its secret subsidies to

private educational, philanthropic and cultural groups.

Five years ago: The South American country of Bolivia ordered 119 members of the Soviet embassy staff and other Soviet functionaries to leave the country.

One year ago: Secretary of State Henry Kissinger urged Congress to approve a new defense cooperation pact with Turkey involving \$1 billion in U.S. aid.

Today's birthdays: Entertainer Pearl Bailey is 58. Former Democratic Senator Eugene McCarthy of Minnesota is 60.

Thought for today: We all find excuses instead of time for the things we don't want to do. - anonymous.

Horniny - from which grits is made - is a dried hulled corn. The word comes from the Algonquin Indian word "rock-abominie."

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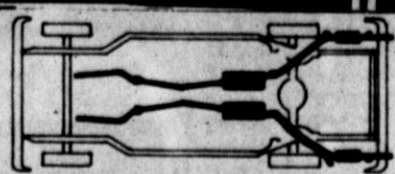
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We need 9 people. No selling. No experience. We have to go to every home and business in the city and update information for the new city directory. Full time, 40 hour week. Must have neat handwriting or printing. Car necessary. Must be 18 or older. Apply at Corner of Denver & Hwy. 385 (Tri State Real Estate) Office # 1. 9 a.m. Monday - Thursday.
8-192-5c

HELP WANTED
Temporary truck driver. Short hauls. Must be 21 years old. Must have commercial driver's license. Must be able to pass DOT physical. Clean driving record. Apply in person to Helens Chemical, South Hiway 385.
8-189-5c

Parts man. Will train. Good working conditions. Contact Roy at 364-2160. Cowboy Chevrolet-Olds.
8-193-5c

One bobtail, one tractor trailer driver to deliver in Dimmitt and Hereford. Apply at Merchants Motor Lines, one mile South on 385.
8-193-5c

Needing school bus drivers. See Eldon Owens at School Bus Barn.
8-17-tfc

For Rent: 48x80 building. Insulated. On Highway 385. Adjacent to city. For Rent: 48x60 building. Insulated office and sales room. On Highway 385. 364-0064 or 364-1760.
5-191-5c

Two bedroom unfurnished apartment. Water paid. \$100 a month plus deposit. 364-4049 evenings.
5-182-tfc

For Rent: One bedroom trailer house. Bills paid. Call 364-4694.
5-189-5c

Furnished apartments, utilities paid, kitchen, dinette, bath, living room, one and two bedrooms. Forest Avenue Apartments. Phone 364-1887.
5-189-5c

FURNISHED one and two bedroom apartments. Inquire in person. 112 Ave. H, Apt. 36.
5-185-tfc

NOW LEASING two bedroom luxury apartments. Sycamore Lane Apartments, Call 364-2791 or 501 Sycamore Lane.
5-190-tfc

FOR RENT: Furnished house, furnace, air, clean, no pets, no children, no singles. Call 364-2733.
5-192-5p

FOR LEASE: 1.720 acres of irrigated farmland. 6 miles North of Texico, N.M. Call after 7 p.m. CST. 505-389-5319 or 505-482-9192.
5-190-10c

One and two bedroom well kept houses. Nice economical office space. Call 364-0789.
5-187-tfc

Please pray for rain. 10-190-tfc

WANT RESULTS USE WANT ADS
CALL 364-2030
HEREFORD BRAND

Lions Club
meets each
Wednesday, 12 Noon
Civic Club Center
(Jim Hill)

ALCOHOLISM INFORMATION
For information on alcoholism, referrals for help, counseling, on programs on the subject of the disease of alcoholism, call 364-4540 from 8 a.m. 'till 12:00 p.m. until 5 p.m. Monday through Friday.
A UNITED FUND AGENCY
10-1-tfc

For the convenience of you, our customers, we now have truck scales to weigh your scrap iron. One mile North of Big Daddy's Truck Stop.
HEREFORD IRON & METAL
North Progressive Road
By City Dump
Anson A & June Dearing
Phone 364-3350 or 364-3777.
10-34-tfc

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Anson A & June Dearing
Phone 364-3350 or 364-3777.
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11. BUSINESS SERVICE

KELLY ELECTRIC
Virgil Kelley
Electrical Contractors
Residential-Commercial
All bids & wiring competitive
Ph. 364-1345-Nights 364-1523 or 364-5929.
P.O. Box 80
11-15-tfc

Bookkeeping & Income Tax Service
Up to Date on Tax Law Changes
4 Years Experience
8 a.m. to 5 p.m.
364-6482
11-130-tfc

Singer approved dealer. Sales and service on all sewing machines and vacuums. Phone 364-4051, 226 North Main.
11-30-tfc

Piano tuning and repair in Hereford and surrounding area. Free estimates on work.
364-1777.
11-89-tfc

DRAGLINE SERVICE FOR TAIL WATER PIT CLEANING
CLIFF JOHNSON, 364-2111
11-123-tfc

FRANK WESTER CEMENT CONTRACTOR
107 BRADLEY
Residential-Commercial
Turnkey Job
Straight finish
Phone 364-5169.
11-39-tfc

BOBBY GRIEGO DRAGLINE SERVICE TAILWATER PIT CLEANING
LOADER DOZER
Phone 364-2322
Mobile Ph. 289-5686
11-136-tfc

R & D Television Service
Service on all makes and models.
Service charge only \$5
502 2nd St.
364-6206
11-171-tfc

ELECTRICAL CONTRACTING GRANADA ELECTRIC CO.
Larry Granado-712 Stanton Industrial-Commercial
Residential
Licensed, bonded & insured
364-2947 - 364-6102
Mobile phone 364-4741, ask for Unit 3309
11-101-tfc

Get Results... With a Classified Ad in the **HEREFORD BRAND**
364-2030
10-190-tfc

WILL PICK UP JUNK CARS FREE
Call 364-3350 or 364-3777
11-24-tfc

MONEY TO LOAN
On guns, jewelry, radios, watches, stereos or anything of value, PFC Pawn. 900 Lee. Phone 364-3400.
11-139-tfc

TEX-MEX DITCHING
Phone 364-4907
All your ditching needs
Turn key job
Free estimates
11-35-tfc

TV & STEREO RENTAL AGENCY
Black & White & Color
364-5077 after 4 p.m.
Closed Sundays & holidays
Gary & Peggy Betis
709 Seminoe
11-136-tfc

12. LIVESTOCK

STOCKER CATTLE for sale. Pasture wanted, for stocker cattle. Western Feed Lot. 364-2723 or 258-7549.
12-37-tfc

13. LOST & FOUND

LOST: Female German Shepherd collie mix. Brown. Vicinity of Community Center. **REWARD.** 364-4012 after 9 a.m., 364-6015 after 7 p.m.
13-193-tfc

LOST - Male Doberman 1 1/2 years old, wearing tan collar. Lost from 18th St. Black and tan. **REWARD.** 364-2224.
13-180-tfc

LOST: Female Cocker Spaniel. Lost in Palo Duro Canyon Sunday afternoon. 364-8000 or 364-6509. **LARGE REWARD.**
13-184-tfc

LOST: Small brown Chihuahua dog, white markings, 8-10 inches high. Answers to name "Sam". \$10.00 **REWARD.** Call 364-5356.
13-191-3p

14. CARD OF THANKS

We wish to thank all our good friends, neighbors and all the clergy for the many acts of kindness rendered us in our time of sorrow. God bless you.
The W.J. Hacker Family
14-192-1c

The kindness and sympathy of friends and family during the recent loss of our loved one, Grace Hicks, will always remain with us as a precious memory. We would especially like to thank Rev. Doug Manning for the lovely service and to the ladies of First Baptist Church who furnished and prepared food for the family.
Mr. and Mrs. L.A. Ragland & family
Mr. and Mrs. Billy Martin & family.
14-193-1c

LEGAL NOTICE

BID NOTICE
Bids for an "Intercommunication system for audio surveillance of the jail" will be opened in the Deaf Smith County Commissioners Court Room on April 11th, 1977 at 10 o'clock a.m. Specifications for the equipment may be obtained from the County Auditor's office at 242 E. 3rd Street, Hereford. The commissioners reserve the right to reject any and all bids.
191-6c

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Television Schedules

Senators Vote To Reject Changes In Coal Slurry Pipeline Bill

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● BEWITCHED
● HUMANTIES 101
● MARCUS WELBY, M.D.
● ADAMS-12
● TO TELL THE TRUTH
● MY THREE SONS
● MACNEIL / LEHRER REPORT
● HALLMARK HALL OF FAME
"All Creatures Great And Small" A young Scottish veterinarian (Simon Ward) begins his practice in England's Yorkshire farm country in the employ of an eccentric, but well-liked, veterinarian (Anthony Hopkins). (R)
● HAPPY DAYS
"Fonzie's Baptism" Fonzie demolishes his car, and almost himself, in a race.
● WHO'S WHO
● GUNSMOKE
● CHANNEL 13 REPORTS
● 700 CLUB
● LAVERNE & SHIRLEY
"Lonely At The Middle" Shirley gets promoted and creates havoc when she tries to change everyone's work habits.
● EIGHT IS ENOUGH

7:30 ● NEWS
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TUESDAY



JOAN HACKETT portrays a desperate woman who turns to witchcraft to resurrect her dead son in one of the three eerie tales that constitute "Dead of Night," airing Tuesday, March 29 (9:30-11 p.m., EST) on NBC-TV.

WEDNESDAY



SUSAN DEY stars as a schoolteacher who finds herself the reluctant object of affections of an earnest newspaper reporter in the romantic comedy series "Loves Me, Loves Me Not" Wednesday, March 30 (8:30-9 p.m., EST) on CBS.

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TV WEEK FEATURES

TV TATTLE

With the Academy Awards presentation bearing down on TV and film addicts March 28 on ABC, the list of presenters and performers is firming up. Latest additions include last year's Best Actress winner Louise Fletcher (the wretched Nurse Ratched in "One Flew Over the Cuckoo's Nest"), Red Skelton, Warren Beatty, Cicely Tyson and Ben Vereen, who will perform one of the five nominated songs, "Gonna Fly Now" from "Rocky." Bob Mackie and Ray Aghayan have been set as costume designers for the live telecast. Mackie did the lavish costumes for the recent Diana Ross spectacular.

Ex-monkees Micky Dolenz and Davy Jones have joined forces again to form a new act titled, appropriately, The Micky Dolenz and Davy Jones Show. Their old series, The Monkees, is still delighting teenyboppers in more than 40 U.S. cities. You just can't buck tradition. Art Fleming has been sign as host of CBS-TV's new nighttime version of Jeopardy, a position he filled for 11 years when the quiz show

was a fixture on rival network NBC.

Barbara Walters will mix politics and show biz once again when she presents her spring special on ABC. Ms. Walters will interview the Shah and Empress of Iran and Elizabeth Taylor and husband John Warner. . . . The Captain and Tennille have been afforded a rare opportunity by their network, ABC. The musical duo has been given free reign to cast one musical segment a week without network approval, an almost unheard of luxury for most TV variety performers. Among the acts already lined up for next season are The Sylvers, Bread, Chaka Khan and Rufus, Leo Sayer, Heart, England Dan and John Ford Coley, and The Electric Light Orchestra (ELO).

Television has wasted no time in jumping on the movie world's occult film bandwagon. The latest spooky entry is "Spectre," a two-hour NBC telecast scheduled for later this season. Robert Culp, Gig Young, Majal Barrett, John Hurt and Gordon Jackson star. . . . NBC has given the go-ahead for filming of

"They're Coming In The Windows," a pilot film about two wifeless men and their five children. . . . Dori Brenner, the much put-upon wife of NBC's miniseries "Seventh Avenue," has been cast as the equally put-upon heroine of "Sheila Levine is Dead and Living in New York." CBS is developing the Gail Parent novel for a series next year.

Baretta star Robert Blake has struck back at the critics who have labeled his series one of the most violent on American television and a principle cause of the nation's deteriorating mental health. Taking aim at the American Medical Association, which cited Baretta as the third most violent series on the air, Blake accused the AMA of "lumping all kinds of shows together," and added: "They ought to keep their dirty nose out of our business and clean up their own filthy back yard. They don't do anything about the real health problems that people in America have -- the poison in their food, poison in the water, kids dying of cancer. Every once in a while they come up with some bull strawman to try

to make the American people think they're doing something."

Blues star B. B. King has been signed for a guest spot on Sanford and Son. The guitar great will portray himself. Believe it or not, both Sanford and Son stars Redd Foxx and Demond Wilson have announced their intentions of leaving the top-rated series after this season, yet the producers are thinking of continuing the show with new actors. Hope they at least come up with a new title. . . . CBS-TV has signed beautiful Barbara Bach for a role as a foreign agent in their TV movie, "The Mask of Alexander." Big things are expected of Ms. Bach with the release of the latest James Bond flick, "The Spy Who Loved Me," in which she co-stars with Roger Moore.

"Gibraltar of the Caribbean" is the name given to the Brimstone Hill fortress on the West Indian island of St. Kitts. The 16th-century structure once gave safe anchorage for British men-of-war during combat with French and Spanish fleets for control of the seas of the New World.

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THE HEREFORD BRAND



Ordination Of Second Woman Priest Is Given Approval By State Bishop

HOUSTON (AP) - Helen Havens has been approved for ordination as a priest by the Rt. Rev. Milton Richardson, the Episcopal bishop of Texas who earlier refused her ordination request, it was announced Monday.

Mrs. Havens, who completed her seminary training two years ago, is the second woman scheduled for ordination as an Episcopal priest in Texas.

Sandra Michels of El Paso is scheduled to be ordained April 25.

Mrs. Havens will be ordained April 29, church officials said.

Since the Episcopal Church approved ordination of females as priests last September, more than 30 women have been ordained into the priesthood across the nation.

Rev. Richardson refused to approve Mrs. Havens in 1975 as an Episcopal deacon and she transferred to the Episcopal Diocese of the Rio Grande in Albuquerque, N.M., where she was ordained by the Rt. Rev. Richard M. Trelease Jr.

Anyone aspiring to the priesthood in the Episcopal Church must first serve at least one year as a deacon.

Mrs. Havens has remained a member of Rev. Trelease's diocese although she now lives and works in Houston as assistant to the rector at St. Francis Episcopal Church.

Rev. Richardson has declined to say why he would not approve Mrs. Havens' for ordination as a deacon. However, at the time there was much controversy in the diocese over women being ordained as priests.

Although Richardson will participate in Mrs. Havens' ordination service, Rev. Trelease will perform the ceremony.

Mrs. Havens said she is thrilled that the ordination ceremony will take place in Houston.

"We have quite a large procession," she said. "It will be very colorful. It will be church and her work schedule will not change."

"But I will be a priest and will be able to celebrate holy communion as a priest, pronounce absolution forgive-

ness of sins and give a priestly blessing," she said.

Mrs. Havens is married to Niel Havens, professor of drama at Rice University. They have three children, Mark 11, and Juli, 13.

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Massey Backs Financing Of State Schools Through Additional Taxes

AUSTIN (AP) - Rep. Tom Massey, head of the House Public Education Committee, told tax writers Monday that financing schools from the sales tax would be easier on poor people than the present reliance on property taxation.

He testified before the House Ways and Means Committee in favor of his bill to increase the sales tax by two cents on the dollar and use the money for full state financing of the Foundation School Program.

Massey said he knew that opponents would say that the sales tax is regressive -- that it hits harder on poor people who spend all their earnings than rich people who invest some of theirs.

"I submit to you that the sales tax is not nearly so regressive as the ad valorem property tax because the sales tax exempts most of your necessities and the property tax hits equivalent pieces of real estate equally, regardless of the income of the owner," Massey said.

Massey's committee is nearing a vote that would send to the House floor a school finance bill that provides mandatory property tax reductions.

He said a group of educators with objections to property tax relief currently are trying to work out a compromise, particularly one that would provide more benefit to urban homeowners.

Massey said that in hearings around the state, he had learned

that property taxes had risen 35 per cent in the past three years.

Rep. W.S. Healy, D-Paducah, testified that his property taxes had risen from \$360 to \$1,285 a year.

Asked later over what period of time this increase occurred, Healy said since 1948. He also

was asked the number of acres on which he was paying this tax. He said 6,000.

"They (taxpayers) are looking for us to give them relief, and if we don't, they are going to get their own legislature," Healy said.

Rep. Ben Z. Grant, D-Mars-hall, asked Healy what he

Campaign Promotes Earthworms As Food

SEATTLE (AP) - When you peddle earthworms as food fit for humans, there's nowhere to go but up. Sure enough, Ronald Gaddie is reporting progress in his campaign to popularize the dish.

For a second year, Gaddie's North American Bait Farms Inc. is sponsoring a nationwide worm recipe contest. Gaddie says the number of entries has soared over last year--from 200 to 500.

Last year's winner was Earthworm Applesauce Surprise Cake.

"Try 'em, you'll like them," said Gaddie in a telephone interview from Centralia, Wash., where he teaches classes to prospective earthworm raisers at Pacific Northwest Bait and Ecology. That firm sells worms to Gaddie's company, which is based on Ontario, Calif.

Worms "taste like shredded wheat," said Gaddie. "I like them best in oatmeal cookies, but I've eaten them with rice, sprinkled on top of salads rather

than bacon bits, with scrambled eggs and with steak and gravy."

For those concerned about nutrition, Gaddie says earthworms are 72 per cent protein and less than one per cent fat. For those who like the terminology of haute cuisine, there is always the name "ver de Terre."

Mary Croslin, who owns Pacific Northwest Bait and Ecology, is raising 5.3 million worms in beds filled with manure.

"It's kind of shocking the first time you eat one, but now I don't even think about it," she said. When salted they taste like jerky, she said.

Gaddie said he once ate worms every day for three months.

"They didn't hurt me," he added.

The only way he doesn't particularly like them is raw.

"I know some people who suck them like spaghetti, but I could never do that," he says.



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Peer Review

Dentistry has been described as the only profession dedicated to improving itself out of business.

Every responsible dentist urges his patients to "take care of your own teeth" -- to practice "self-discipline."

And collectively, through local dental associations with American Dental Assn. (ADA) guidance dentists discipline themselves.

Government snooping of dentistry is less in direct proportion to the degree to which this profession has policed itself.

The ADA Council on Dental Care Program encouraged local societies to promote dental service and to ostracize anything less.

This is "peer review" -- dentists "watching over the shoulder" of dentists -- in the interest of cleaning up problems so that government won't have to.

When abuses of Medicare and Medicaid were revealed in some instances in the state of Georgia, the professionals of the that state promptly put their own house in order.

Separately, in reviewing advertising claims, the ADA conducts its own examination and evaluation of each scrutiny -- so that government won't have to.

Manufacturers' advertising claims for their produce must not only be accurate in fact but also in application -- and proof must be available.

In education, five dental or dentistry-related associations scrutinize areas of their separate expertise -- evaluating and accrediting only those dental education programs which meet exacting standards in basic sciences, clinical sciences, curriculum, dental auxiliary education, advanced education; even the financial management of the institution itself.

And the dental schools seek to ensure the enrollment only of students properly qualified and properly dedicated.

ADA accreditation is reserved only for those institutions which keep abreast of the very latest in scientific knowledge, methods and devices -- so that government won't have to.

In any business or profession there are the mercenary

shortcutters. In dentistry there may be those who would pass off shoddy work when they've been trained to do better.

Or illicit intruders -- bushwhackers -- illegal dental mechanics who seek to make and market kitchen-chair dentures without professional training.

All these potentials for shortcomings and scores more are undergoing constant expert reappraisal. Dentistry, perhaps more than any other profession, is tested and graded from the inside out.

So when OSHA began to scrutinize the dentist's office for health hazards--radiation leakage, mercury vapor, sanitation--the government's watchdogs discovered that the professionals within the profession had already been there, testing, evaluating, correcting, improving. So that government, and insurers, and the courts won't have to.

Rash Of Rustling Hits San Antonio

SAN ANTONIO (AP) - Cattle rustlers and horse thieves are doing a bang-up business in the

San Antonio area, Bexar County sheriff's investigators say.

Individual rustlers, not gangs are responsible for most of the acts, which are concentrated in mainly rural southern Bexar County, officials say.

"It's a profitable crime and harder to trace than stealing someone's television," says sheriff's investigator Alvin Johnson.

"When you butcher one, the evidence is gone."

Johnson listed these thefts: --A \$15,000 thoroughbred race horse stolen Jan. 19. The horse was traced to Nuevo Laredo, Mexico, where it was recovered.

--Six cows stolen from a ranch. Thieves added insult to injury by stealing the rancher's 14-foot aluminum fence gate and steel padlock.

--Two cows stolen from another ranch. Investigators said both animals were butchered on the spot.

Livestock is usually easy prey for thieves, Johnson said, because animals often are isolated and owners usually check their stock only once a day.

Johnson, who has been with the sheriff's department nine years, said this year's thefts are the most he has investigated at any one time.

Twelve horses alone have been stolen in Johnson's patrol area in southeast Bexar County.

"A year ago, you could hardly give a horse away," he said.

"We've always had cattle missing now and then, but not until recently have any horses been missing in large numbers. Before, anyone stealing a horse would steal it for their own use because they couldn't sell it," Johnson said.

Investigator Bill White cited a cause for the theft problem: "Our city is plagued with too many weekend farmers. They just buy them to raise and fatten up and butcher them."

White, who patrols an area of southwest Bexar County, said the market for horsemeat is fantastic. "In some states, they eat them. They sell them on the hoof for 25 cents to 36 cent a pound," he said.

Johnsn said many of the stolen animals are sold at rural swap meets on the weekends, and in many cases people will buy an animal knowing that it's probably stolen.

"They could care less whose brand is on them. People are buying. They can make a quick buck. They don't care," he said.

One man arrested for stealing cattle told Johnson he could buy a calf at a swap meet for \$50 and sell it the next day at the stock yards in San Antonio for \$100.

Gates and locks won't stop the thieves, Johnson said, nor will daylight. Many of the thefts occur in broad daylight.

The best insurance against theft, both Johnson and White said, is branding the animals. If a brand shows up, the cattle car. often be traced.

Jet Crash Victims Flown To U.S.; Wreck Kills 575

SANTA CRUZ DE TENERIFE, Canary Islands (AP) - U.S. and Spanish officials began preparations today to fly survivors of history's worst aviation disaster back to the United States for treatment.

The U.S. Army Burn Center in San Antonio, Tex., said it was preparing to receive about 60 of the 70 survivors from the collision Sunday on the Santa Cruz airport runway of two Boeing 474 jumbo jets in which 575 persons were killed.

Sixty-seven of the survivors and 321 of the dead were Americans, according to information from the airlines.

Meanwhile, Spanish, Dutch and American officials continued their investigations to determine the cause of the collision which occurred as the Pan American and KLM jetliners were preparing to take off in fog from this Atlantic island.

Spanish authorities ruled out sabotage and claimed there had been no errors in control tower communications with the two planes.

Officials said they would inspect the 10,000-foot runway,

which has been closed by wreckage and bad weather since the collision of the two planes, to determine if there was enough space clear for a U.S. Air Force C-130 transport to land.

A C-130 from a base in Spain was waiting at Las Palmas, on the neighboring island of Grand Canary for clearance. The homeward-bound Americans were to be transferred at Las Palmas to an Air Force C-141 to be flown to McGuire Air Force Base in New Jersey.

A spokesman for the burn center said 10 of the survivors to be flown to Texas for treatment were in serious or critical condition and 20 others were in better condition.

U.S. officials said the airlift would also include some survivors who did not require hospitalization, but no names were announced.

The KLM jetliner was hurtling down the runway at about 150 miles an hour for takeoff when it ramed into the Pan American plane as it was turning off the runway onto a taxiway, Spanish officials said. They said both pilots were

told to taxi down the main runway, with the KLM craft in the lead. The Dutch pilot was told to turn around and prepare for takeoff but to hold his position until given clearance, while the Pan Am jet was to turn off at a taxiway and wait for the KLM plane to clear, they said.

Gov. Antonio Oyarzabal said the planes collided nearly head-on, and the "key point" was whether the KLM pilot had permission to take off.

The Dutch pilot, Z.A. Veldhuisen van Zanten, was killed along with the other 248 persons reported aboard his plane. But KLM president Sergio Orlandini said the pilot was one of the airline's most experienced fliers and he doubted he would have begun his takeoff without clearance.

The Pan American pilot, Capt. Victor Grubbs of Centerport, N.Y., was among the 70 injured survivors from his plane, but no explanation from him of what happened was made public.

DST Would Be Banned Under Bill

AUSTIN (AP) - A bill exempting Texas from Daylight Saving Time has been approved by a Senate committee, but the 5-2 vote was two short of getting the bill before the full Senate.

Sen. Raul Longoria, D-Edinburg, sponsored the proposal, stating it "does away with daylight saving time and gets us back to sensible time."

"It'll be better for everybody concerned, particularly kids who have to get up in the middle of night to go to school," Longoria said.

Sens. Betty Andujar, R-Fort Worth, and Bill Braecklein, D-Dallas voted against the bill. Braecklein criticized Longoria afterward for "mumbling the bill through."

The vote was taken in the absence of committee chairman Bill Moore, D-Bryan, who had left to sit in on a budget meeting of the Senate Finance Committee.

The committee clerk said Moore opposed the bill.

To get the bill to the floor with less than seven votes, four committee members who voted for the bill would have to sign a "minority report" within two days. A motion to place the "minority report" on the Senate calendar would have to be approved by two-thirds of the Senate present.

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