



## School Tax Rate To Be Lowered

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The Hereford Independent School District board of trustees is expected to approve a 20 to 22 cent decrease in the tax rate at the annual budget hearing beginning at 7 p.m. Tuesday in the high school library.

The reduction in the tax rate is the result of \$713,000 reduction in the local fund assignment provided by the summer's state school finance bill.

"The school district—the board of trustees and the administration—is concerned about the total economic condition of our area. All efforts are being made to grant as big a tax reduction as we possibly can," said HISD Superintendent Dr. Harrell Holder in an interview last week with the Brand.

The current tax rate is \$1.46-\$1.24 for local maintenance and 22 cents for the interest and bonded debt. Holder said the total tax rate for the new fiscal year likely will be somewhere between \$1.24 and \$1.26 per \$100 valuation.

Property is assessed at 60 percent of market value, which means the owner of a \$30,000 home currently pays about \$263 in Hereford school taxes.

With a tax rate of \$1.26, the same home owner would pay about \$227 if the market value of his home has not changed.

The owner of a \$20,000 home now pays approximately \$175 in school taxes. A rate of \$1.26 would result in the owner paying about \$151. The owner of a \$40,000 home, who paid about \$350 in school taxes this year, will pay about \$302 for the fiscal year beginning Oct. 1.

A tax rate of \$1.24 would mean a 15.06 per cent reduction from the current \$1.46 rate. A 13.69 per cent reduction would result from a \$1.26 tax rate.

Local maintenance taxes for the 1977-78 fiscal year have been projected at \$2,050,000 although the figure probably will vary.

The state foundation program—the basic program for operation of the school district excluding a few special funds—is an estimated \$3,146,000. The net total the Hereford Independent School District will receive in state funds is an estimated \$3.86 million, which includes the state foundation program plus the reduction in local fund assignment.

The HISD must raise \$2,050,000 in local maintenance taxes to qualify for all of the state funds.

The total estimated revenue for the 1977-78 fiscal year is \$5,353,700 including approximately \$81,000 beginning balance. Estimated expenditures are \$5,203,500. The estimated net balance on Aug. 31, 1978, is \$97,250 (estimated fund balance minus supplements to the designated purpose and transportation funds).

Tax revenue in the interest and bonded debt fund for the new fiscal year is \$455,000. Interest on certificates of deposits is \$42,500 and the total estimated revenue is \$97,500.

Expenditures out of the interest and bonded debt fund will total an estimated \$328,000. A balance of nearly \$460,000 is expected (the estimated balance at the start of the fiscal year is \$490,795).

Adoption of the 1977-78 budget is the main point of consideration on the eight-item agenda for the Tuesday night meeting.

A salary schedule will be adopted to include special positions—extracurricular positions requiring additional hours for teachers.

Classroom teachers and librarians will receive \$630 over state base for a bachelor's degree and \$800 over base for a master's this year, less than the \$800 and \$1,000 they received last year but a raise has been approved for teachers and librarians for the 1977-78 contract year due to the extra state money.

A group hospitalization insurance plan for the first time will be paid by the Hereford Independent School District—the reason for the reduced local supplements.

The total local supplemental expenditures for teachers and librarians for the upcoming fiscal year will be \$344,590, to be divided as follows:

\$8,000 for conference and training expenses, \$66,550 for reimbursement to teachers and librarians involved in extracurricular activities and special assignments, \$70,320 to pay the entire cost of the premiums of an insurance program and \$199,720 for local supplements.

Other items on the agenda for Tuesday include the hiring of personnel, a budget amendment, appointment of the tax assessor-collector, and adoption of the new school policy manual.

Fred Fox is the HISD tax assessor-collector. His contract must be approved annually by the board.



Getting a Head Start

Curtis Stoerner, assistant pro at the golf course, lends a critical eye to Barbara Scott, who practices Saturday afternoon for the upcoming high school girls golf season. Miss Scott, who will be a junior at Hereford High School this year, has played several practice rounds this season while trying to

improve upon her golfing accomplishments this fall and spring. That won't be easy—Miss Scott was District 4-AAAA medalist last spring, placed second in the regional tournament and was a state tourney qualifier. [Brand photo by Paul Sims]

That feller on Tierra Blanca Creek says worry is something you pay interest on before it comes due.

If it's true that "ignorance is bliss," why is there so much unhappiness?

WE WILL NOT take credit for this story... it was told this week by Judge Glen Nelson.

He claims Tom Robinson slipped on a wet sidewalk and was knocked unconscious when his head hit the concrete. All efforts to revive him failed until someone got the bright idea of getting a bucket of sand to throw in his face!

ONE OF HEREFORD'S most unique new businesses is the Pet Stop, which is holding formal open house in Sugarland Mall this weekend. The grand opening continues today from 1 to 6 p.m. The store has stocked a wide variety of animals and fish, making for an interesting visit whether you're in the market for a pet or not. More than 1,000 gallons of water hold fish for display in the aquarium room.

ANOTHER UNITED WAY campaign is just around the corner. Directors of the United Way of Deaf Smith County meet Monday morning at Dickies' to set the 1977-78 campaign goal. David Pruitt heads the U.W. board this year, and James Arney has the all-important job as campaign chairman.

W.M. "MEU" STEWART, a resident at Kings Manor and father of Mrs. Donald Hicks, was scheduled to be in Vega Saturday to view the 28th annual Oldham County Roundup parade. A pioneer horseman-rancher-farmer, Stewart, 93, had previously led all the parades except one, and he had a broken leg on that occasion. Donald Hicks, longtime county commissioner here, took his father in law to the parade Saturday.

ONE DAY last week, United Press International reported that a statement would come from the National Cancer Institute that links a solvent commonly used to dry clean clothes with liver cancer in mice. The NCI tests showed the chemical caused high rates of cancer in mice when administered in large doses directly into the stomach by tube.

A customer came into one dry cleaning establishment the other day and asked if the discovery would effect the operation of the plant.

"No, it won't affect me because we don't dry clean any mice here," the owner said.

FROM A LETTER to the editor in the Los Angeles Times: "If U.S. law stated that only those understanding the tax forms had to pay, the country could expect about \$1.12 this year."

WE MENTION, from time to time, that (See HEREFORD BULL, Page 2A)

## Hospital Employees Due Raises

Discussion of a proposed seven per cent salary increase for Deaf Smith General Hospital employees will highlight the annual budget hearing of the Deaf Smith County Hospital District Tuesday morning in the hospital conference room.

The regular monthly session of the hospital district board will start at 7 a.m. with the budget hearing to immediately follow about 9 a.m.

A payroll for the fiscal year from Oct. 1, 1977 to Sept. 30, 1978 of \$1,022,800 is expected to be approved. This year's current payroll is \$843,770.

The hospital district board raised room rates to \$61 for semi-private and \$65 for private in its June meeting to cover the proposed cost-of-living raise.

Other estimated expenses for the next fiscal year to be considered include supplies and plant operation, \$594,700; social security taxes, \$62,000; employee benefits, \$35,500; and depreciation, \$68,400.

The total estimated operating expense of the hospital district is \$1,783,400, compared to \$1,478,470 for the fiscal year ending Oct. 1.

Net revenues for the hospital district, including net patient revenues of nearly \$1.9 million, will be \$1,932,700 (estimated).

The net operating margin revenue minus expense is an estimated \$51,700 for the fiscal year beginning Oct. 1.

The tax rate for the hospital district will remain the same at 21 cents per \$100 valuation. Hospital taxes are broken

down into the 1968 and 1969 bond interest and sinking funds, the indigent care fund, the public health clinic and the general fund. Tax receipts for the new fiscal year will total an estimated \$187,500.

The hospital district will have an estimated \$219,400 cash balance from all funds at the end of the fiscal year. It currently has a starting balance of

\$98,000.

Patient income is projected at \$1,860,000, income from taxes at \$187,500, contributions at \$1,100, income from investments at \$5,000 and other income at \$2,400. Receipts will total an estimated \$2,157,000, which includes the starting balance.

Disbursements are estimated at \$1,937,600.

Items on the agenda for the regular session include approval of the July 26 minutes, a report from the medical staff, discussion of the operating report for July and miscellaneous reports from Ron Welty, Deaf Smith General Hospital administrator.

The budget hearing to follow will include the opportunity for public discussion.

## Carter Meets with Senators over Canal

WASHINGTON (AP) — President Carter is mounting a four-pronged drive to win Senate ratification of his personally endorsed Panama Canal pact, which faces stiff opposition from foreign-policy conservatives.

Carter is trying to persuade senators personally that the new agreement is a good one and should be approved.

He is attempting to pressure them through the people.

He is discussing the agreement with top Republicans such as former President Gerald R. Ford and former Secretary of State Henry A. Kissinger. Carter's spokesman says "it is safe to assume the President would like to have their support."

Finally, Carter is trying to show that the United States would win friends in Latin America by putting the pact into effect.

More than a new treaty with Panama is riding on this early test of Carter's foreign-policy strength in Congress. Failure to defeat the conservatives could portend trouble for other initiatives, such as any new arms control treaty he signs with the Soviet Union.

The new canal agreement, reached with the Panamanian government after 13 years of negotiating, relinquishes U.S. control of the waterway to Panama by the year 2000. It grants Panama full control of the Canal Zone within three years after the treaty is ratified.

Other terms provide a big increase in U.S. payments for use of the canal and give Panama hundreds of millions of dollars in aid for the life of the pact.

In formally endorsing the pact Friday, the President singled out two arguments for Senate approval. Carter gave his endorsement with his top canal

negotiators, Ambassadors Sol Linowitz and Ellsworth Bunker, at his side.

First, approving the agreement would have a positive impact in this country, Carter said, because national security is foremost in the minds of the people. He said the agreement assures that security.

"Under a separate neutrality treaty, we will have the right to assure the maintenance of the permanent neutrality of the canal as we may determine necessary," the President said. "Our warships are guaranteed the permanent right to expeditious passage without regard to propulsion or cargo."

Carter said the Joint Chiefs of Staff "believe these agreements are good ones."

Second, Carter said, approving the agreement would demonstrate that the United States is a world statesman because it would establish a new

relationship between this country and Panama.

"The treaties will be the foundation for a new cooperative era in our relations with all of Latin America," he said.

"We will work with Panama to assess the need for a sea level canal and will also cooperate on possible improvements to the existing canal," Carter said. "I believe these treaties will help to usher in a new day in hemispheric relations."

Even before his formal endorsement the President began a sales campaign to promote the agreement.

White House Press Secretary Jody Powell said Carter discussed it on the telephone with Ford and Kissinger while the President was vacationing in Plains, Ga., earlier this week.

In the face of criticism from Sens. Strom Thurmond, R-S.C., and Jesse Helms, R-N.C., Carter sent messages from

The shuttle, which will eventually carry scientists on flights into Earth orbit, was lugged to a four-mile altitude by the 747 before it was released for its test flight and landing.

When the shuttles begin making flights to outer space in 1979, they will blast off from Earth like rockets, using their own engines and supplementary engines that will be shed after launch and salvaged for later use.

When Haise, 43, and Fullerton, 40, eased the shuttle down on a dry lake bed runway, cheers erupted and everywhere there was talk of the space shuttle's promise.

California Gov. Edmund G. Brown Jr. spoke of the shuttle as a means to use outer space to aid an Earth running out of resources.

Brown, who has the reputation of a fiscal conservative and whose state is benefiting from having Rockwell (See ENTERPRISE, Page 2A)

## Enterprise Touches Down in California

EDWARDS AIR FORCE BASE, Calif. (AP) — In a five-and-a-half minute soaring glide over the California desert, a craft called Enterprise ushered America into a new space era — one in which man's space ventures not only will fascinate him but will work for him.

With astronauts Fred Haise and Gordon Fullerton at the controls, the space shuttle popped off the back of its Boeing 747 mother ship on Friday, burst through high-hanging clouds and roared safely to rest in a storm of dust. It was the first time the space bus for the 1980s had ever flown on its own.

For many of the thousands of persons who came to this desert base northeast of Los Angeles to watch the chunky craft test its wings, the Enterprise seemed to represent science fiction come true. The craft, named after the ship in the popular television show "Star Trek," can perform its space chores and return to Earth for reuse.

Plains to all members of Congress urging them not to commit themselves against the new pact until they had seen it and talked to him.

A White House summary said the agreement, which involves no congressional appropriations, gives Panama:

-A share in tolls, amounting to 30 cents per Panama Canal ton, a measure which Linowitz said was about the same as a long ton. A long ton equals 2,240 pounds.

-An additional \$10 million a year from the toll revenues.

-Up to an additional \$10 million per year if canal traffic and revenue permit.

To win the agreement, the summary said, the United States pledged to try to arrange:

-Up to \$200 million in Export-Import Bank credits.

-Up to \$75 million in Agency for (See CANAL, Page 2A)

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## Police Report

Ron Smith 145 Nueces, reported to police Friday that someone had stolen his car from behind Park Plaza shopping center near TG&Y.

According to police someone stole the car between 10:30 and 11:30 a.m. Friday. The car is a 1973 black and white Buick Electra.

## Newspaper Offered Tape of Questioning

NEW YORK (AP) — As psychiatrists began their examination of David R. Berkowitz, the softly smiling postal worker accused in the "Son of Sam" slayings, one of his attorneys reportedly offered to sell The New York Daily News six hours of recorded conversation with Berkowitz.

The attorney, Philip Peltz, 43, denied the newspaper's allegations. The News said in edition that Peltz offered through a representative to sell

it the "North American Sunday rights" to the taped conversations for \$50,000. The newspaper said it declined the offer.

## Hijacker Arrested After 3 1/2-Hour Siege

BRINDISI, Italy. (AP) — The pilot of an Air France jetliner shoved a 19-year-old Egyptian hijacker out of the plane and into the waiting arms of police here early Saturday to end a 3 1/2-hour siege aboard the Paris-to-Cairo flight.

"It's all over," said a spokesman for the Italian Interior Ministry after the Egyptian student, identified as Tarek el Khater, was arrested at this airport 300 miles southeast of Rome.

Police were questioning the hijacker today to determine his motive for commandeering the twin engine Airbus carrying 230 passengers — most of them Arabs — and 12 crew members. No injuries were reported.

Passengers said the youth walked into the cockpit and commandeered the jetliner about 10 minutes after it had left a transit stop in Nice.

## Billy To Resign As Peanut Manager

ATLANTA (AP) — President Carter's brother, Billy, will resign his post as managing partner of the Carter peanut business in Plains, Ga., says the trustee for the President's interest in the business.

"He's resigned," said Charles Kirbo, an Atlanta lawyer. "I'm not sure when he told me, but we discussed it. He's leaving."

Billy Carter, 40, said the decision was prompted by outside business interests, increases demands on his time since his brother's election and a desire to spend more time with his family.

Kirbo confirmed reports that the President's 27-year-old son, Chip, will return to Plains next week to work at the peanut warehouse, but declined to say whether he would assume a managerial role.

## Weather

West Texas: Widely scattered showers and thunderstorms Panhandle today, Monday and Tuesday. Otherwise mostly fair with near seasonal temperatures over West Texas through Wednesday. Highs mostly in 90s to near 102 Big Bend. Lows in 60s north to lower 70s south 50s mountains.



SNAPPY MODEL at right may be the forerunner of a new generation of runabouts. Gay Pugh is at the wheel of the XPS12E, General Motors experimental car demonstrated in New Orleans. It has a range of 50 miles and a top speed of 40 m.p.h.

# Religion Rigorous

NEW YORK (AP) — A man was carrying a heavy load of rocks up a steep hill on a hot day, sweating and stumbling under the weight. A bystander asked if he might add still another stone to the load, and the burdened man blurted an angry refusal.

Later, another man was carrying an equally heavy sack of diamonds up the same steep hill, but he bore it happily, whistling a tune. A bystander asked if he might add still another diamond to the precious cargo, and the man welcomes it with a smile.

The story is one of the great, old tales of Hassidic Judaism that points to a truth, and in this case, it was used by Rabbi Shmuel M. Butman to explain how the Hassidim bear the

heavy regimen of their detailed, exacting Jewish orthodoxy, yet do it gladly and with verve.

"If Judaism is just a rigorous burden, it means agony, but if it's a diamond, adherence to its law is beautiful and joyous — it's happiness," he said in an interview, citing the movement's lively and spreading tactics to revive traditional Jewish practices.

In regard to the 613 commandments of the Torah, the first five books of the Bible, he said the Hassidim "go beyond the call of duty. They do more than duty requires, and do it with more spirit, energy and enthusiasm. That's why singing and dancing plays such an important role in Hassidic life."

Rabbi Butman, 34, director of the youth organization of the Lubavitch movement, the major branch of the ultra-orthodox Hassidim that originated in eastern Europe two centuries ago, says the youth group's "Mitzvah Mobiles" have now fanned out across this country, and also abroad.

"It's a growing operation," he said. Sometimes called "synagogues on wheels" or "tanks against assimilation," the traveling units were introduced in New York in 1974 to stimulate wider Jewisness of "mitzvos" Scriptural commandments.

From a single van tried at the start, the strategy now has been expanded to a fleet of more than 100 brightly painted, modern camper units operating in a dozen cities across the nation. Many other units also are operating in Europe, South America, Australia, South Africa and Israel.

The Lubavitcher Hassidim number about 500,000 worldwide of whom about 20,000 live in Brooklyn, site of the movement's international headquarters, headed by Rabbi Menachem M. Schneerson, recently turned 75. Hassidic men never shave. They always wear hats or yarmulkas. The women wear modern but "modest" dress — not short sleeves nor short skirts, nor pant suits.

"We interpret the law strictly," Rabbi Butman said. "We're strict with ourselves. We also care about those who aren't."

The annual New Teacher Appreciation Banquet, sponsored by Deaf Smith County Chamber of Commerce and local businesses, has been scheduled for Sept. 8.

Announcement of the event was made last week by Dewitt Seago, chairman of the CARE (Culture, Arts, Religion and Education) committee. The banquet will be in the Lamar Garden room at Kings Manor.

Letters have been mailed to merchants and firms to solicit sponsors, and it is anticipated that about 45 to 50 teachers will be invited. Businessmen and women serve as hosts and escort a new teacher to the banquet. The program for the evening is being sponsored by Seago.

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# Killinger Anti-death

AUSTIN, Tex. (AP) — Dr. George Killinger, new chairman of the State Board of Pardons and Paroles, says he is not an advocate of the death penalty but there are some people who should be "eliminated."

"I do see some crimes that for the good of society that person shouldn't be here. I think he is a beast," Killinger said on a weekend radio panel program State Capitol Dateline.

"I am against the death penalty except for the very, very heinous, just barbaric crimes," he said. "It is better to eliminate certain people rather than keep them on death row or keep them in prison where they are still dangerous to human beings in prison, not only to guards and administrative staff but to other inmates."

"Some people can just never be helped."

"And there are some compulsive sex offenders that I would never vote for parole, particularly men who prey on young children and this type of offender," Killinger said.

He said he did not favor expanding the death penalty law, adding, "It should be limited to very serious and very aggravated offenses which are not included."

Killinger said despite the death penalty, "I think some people will still murder. I think there are psychotic and psychopathic individuals that we can predict will murder. I mean like Son of Sam, but that is not what we are interested in."

# Execution Scheduled

FORT WORTH, Tex. (AP) — A judicial error here may afford Billy Joe Battie the dubious distinction of being the first person in Texas to die by lethal injection.

Battie, convicted of the Jan. 13, 1976 capital murder of a Fort Worth convenience store clerk, was originally sentenced here to die July 8. However, State District Court Judge Gordon Gray neglected to allow the mandatory 30 days between sentencing and execution.

# Elks Slate MD Carnival

On Labor Day

With the approach of Labor Day, the Hereford order of Elks is preparing for its annual Muscular Dystrophy Carnival. This year's carnival will be at Dameron Park on Sunday Sept. 4 (Labor Day weekend).

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newspaper advertising is the best of all media, and the Newspaper Advertising Bureau reaffirms that by reporting in July that "radio, television, phonograph and record stores" increased their advertising expenditures in newspapers by 43 per cent in the first quarter of the year. Overall, newspaper advertising was up 10 per cent over the same period last year.

## Canal

International Development housing guarantees. A \$20 million loan guarantee from the Overseas Private Investment Corp.

## Enterprise

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International Corporation of California as the main contractor for the shuttle, said the \$2 billion spent to put the Enterprise aloft was well worth it.

Perhaps Carl Sagan, Cornell University astronomer and NASA's most persuasive salesman, put the shuttle in clearest perspective: "The shuttle is putting the human presence in orbit around the Earth," Sagan said. "And utilizing space for human needs."

The shuttle is the first spaceship that can land like a plane and make regular trips in and out of space. It will be able to repair satellites, hasten the development of a system that will shoot energy from space to Earth and will aid in exploring

other planets in the solar system.

For Fred Haise, there was a more personal meaning in the success of the Enterprise. Haise was aboard Apollo 13 in 1970 when the spacecraft had to turn back from the moon after an explosion in mid-voyage. Three years later he escaped death when a plane he was flying crashed and burned short of a runway in Texas.

"It is for me, a long time waiting," Haise said. "My 1st flight was Apollo 13, which was, of course, a great mission. It was great to get back, but it left me with a taste that something didn't go right."

"I certainly didn't feel that way with this. On this one I'm very happy. Everything went superslick."

# Roller Coasters More Terrifying Than Ever Riders Flock to New Heart Stoppers

By Tom Tiede

EUREKA, Mo. — (NEA) — When the feature attraction was built here at the Six Flags Over Mid-America amusement park it took 100,000 man hours of labor, 105 miles of timber, and 50,000 pounds of bolts. But patrons say it's worth it. The "Screamin' Eagle" roller coaster is the longest, fastest, and meanest in the cosmos.

Its visual bulk is startling. Its ride is the stuff of stomach upset. Customers are dragged to a dead stop 100 feet in the air, then the bottom drops out. For three quarters of a mile riders reach speeds of up to 62 miles per hour as they contemplate eternity, at times virtually weightless, during 50 seconds of unlicensed aerobatics.

Yet smashing as it is, the "Screamin' Eagle" is merely one of an awesome new generation of thrill rides now operating in America's amusement playgrounds. Amusement industry engineers are turning people upside down, sometimes inside out, as never before. And nobody is happier with the super rides than the paying customers.

Long lines file up to the roller coaster entrance here. Often, the wait is a half hour or more. Most of the patrons are wary, many end the trip ashen and dizzy, but officials say much of the business is repeat. "There's a crazy attraction to it," says a park

employee, once you do it you must do it again to prove it was so awful."

The same may be said about a ride called the "Corkscrew," a 1,250-foot series of barrelrolls currently operating in 11 U.S. parks. The ride turns patrons upside down not once but twice, at speeds of 45 mph, and still the customers love it. More than two million people have ridden it at California's Knott's Berry Farm.

Also, there is the vertical "Loop," a 50 mph structure that sends people through a 56-foot circle, and then, for good measure, repeats the process backwards. Loop customers at Magic Mountain Park in California have been known to leave the ride only long enough to get sick, then return for "just one more" non-chemical high.

Perhaps the most frightening of all is the "Great American Scream Machine" at Six Flags Over Georgia. It's designed to lift riders up a 108-foot tower and then drop them like stones. Park attendants are told to advise anyone with heart conditions to beware. "It's like falling out of an airplane," says one awed observer.

For those who get lightheaded halfway up a stepladder, the amusement park trend is noxious. But for park officers it is clearly good business. "People love to be scared," says 70-year-old John Allen, who has been building roller coasters (including the

"Screamin' Eagle") for 43 years. The more they're scared, he adds, the better the business.

Allen's comment is an ancient one in the amusement park industry. France gave birth to the notion in the early 1800s when, borrowing a suggestion from Russian ice slides, French entrepreneurs sold tickets to the world's first bobbed on a track. That concept was the predecessor of the roller coaster and came to the new world in the 1870s.

American ingenuity lifted the "artificial sliding hills" out of the technological backwaters. New Yorkers built coaster cars on a winding double track in 1884, and by the 1890s the figure-eight design was added. A quarter century later Americans were riding dozens of variations at mostly scruffy parks throughout the nation.

Even then, the rides tended to get bigger and bigger and faster and faster. But the parks remained scruffy. After World War II, with the onset of other amusements, park attendance skidded into decline. Thrill ride manufacturers went broke. Rides remained in unsold inventory. The 1960s were particularly slow.

Then came Disneyland, with an entirely new formula for carnival fun. Walt Disney insisted that park attendants be clean and courteous, and that rides be more spectacular, if safer, than those that had gone before. An im-

mediate success, Disney had been copied by dozens of like-minded amusement park corporations.

Today there are 30 big parks, and business is unprecedented. Twenty-six of the parks draw in excess of 1 million people annually. The total attendance for all parks, big and small, is expected to be 100 million this year, and 150 million by 1985. Presently the industry attracts more than \$1 billion a year in energetic commerce.

Many of the ticket buyers are lured by the super rides. Jim Sheldon, whose Arrow Development Corp. is responsible for the "Loop" and the "Corkscrew," says that the American character is fascinated with adventure. Just as many people want to be artificially frightened in the movies, he says, many like the personal sensation as well.

Of course, people of other nations ride scream machines too. Japan owns a Corkscrew and some roller coasters. Germany has created remarkable structures of its own. But only in America is the action given cultural status. One species here called "Coaster Crazy" is said to travel the nation in search of the ultimate thrill ride.

Is there an ultimate thrill ride? John Allen says there is not. Jim Sheldon agrees, adding that even unsafe thrill machines have not yet satisfied the public appetite



THE "SCREAMIN' EAGLE," a roller coaster in Eureka, Mo., is the meanest in the world. For three quarters of a mile, riders reach speeds up to 62 miles per hour as they contemplate eternity. And yet the riders keep coming back and back.

# Alligator Man Again Considered for Parole

ROCKPORT, Tex. (AP) — The "alligator man" of South Texas is up for parole again from state prison.

Warren Lynch, who gained national publicity in February, 1975, when he fled to an island inside an alligator pit at his farm to elude law officers, is serving a four-year sentence for marijuana possession. Last year, the Board of Pardons and Paroles denied Lynch's application for parole.

Aransas County Sheriff Bob Heyes said he had been notified recently of Lynch's parole eligibility. Lynch spent a cold

night on the island surrounded by his alligators before surrendering to Hewes for violation of earlier probation given in a marijuana possession conviction.

Lynch's problems with the law began in June of 1975 when he was arrested at his alligator farm after officers found marijuana growing there.

Lynch's wife has been operating the farm since her husband's imprisonment, depending mainly on passing tourist trade for money to feed the alligators.

# Jaworski Begins Work on Scandal

WASHINGTON (AP) — Leon Jaworski is returning to Washington to try to nail down the true extent of the South Korean influence-buying scandal the way he nailed former President Richard M. Nixon's role in Watergate.

Jaworski associates say he hopes to lay out the facts on South Korean cash, gifts and favors to congressmen early next year, if possible.

He arrives in Washington Monday to begin his new job as special counsel to the House Ethics Committee.

"There is still more investigating to be done, loose ends to tie up," Jaworski's deputy, Peter A. White, said in an interview.

But there are scattered reports from both the House and Justice Department investigations indicating about 20 present or former congressmen received Korean payments — innocently or otherwise.

A Carter administration official has told

Speaker Thomas P. O'Neill that the Justice Department may seek five indictments in the next two months, reportedly of five former congressmen.

The Justice Department has indicated, however, that none of those indictments would be for straight bribery — selling votes in Congress for cash.

Instead, indications are that the indictments may be for lesser charges such as income tax violations.

Criminal violations in the Korean affair have been hard to pin down, and the job for Jaworski and the House ethics committee may be even tougher.

Their task is to determine whether South Koreans and U.S. congressmen engaged in an unethical, if not illegal, influence-buying operation in Congress.

Jaworski says Justice Department documents, reportedly including a list of Park's payments to about 20 congressmen and other U.S. officials, may be as crucial to this investigation as tapes were against

Nixon. Jaworski was the special Watergate prosecutor who won access from the Supreme Court to Nixon tapes including the so-called "smoking gun" tape that forced him to resign Aug. 9, 1974.

South Koreans including a former ambassador and South Korean legislators gave U.S. congressmen gifts and at least one cash contribution but the most generous cash giver appears to have been South Korean rice dealer, Tongsun Park.

Park distributed at least \$12,000 to at least seven congressmen, plus a \$10,000 cash gift to the wife of former congressman and now Gov. Edwin Edwards of Louisiana.

Park had business dealings with at least two congressmen and hosted dozens of others at his lavish George Town Club.

A former director of the Korean Central Intelligence Agency testified under oath that the Korean CIA helped Park set up the club because Park said he could use it to

wire influence with congressmen. The former KCIA director, Kim Hyung Wook, said Park told him he could set up a Korea Lobby along the lines of the old China Lobby.

The Constitution prohibits congressmen from accepting substantial gifts from foreign agents. But the congressmen who took money from Park say they knew him only as a foreign businessman from whom it was legal to accept contributions.

Several say they associated with Park primarily to help farmers in their districts sell rice to South Korea.

Former Rep. Jerome Waldie, D-Calif., got a \$2,000 contribution from a foreign agent, former Korean Ambassador Kim Dong Jo.

But Waldie said in an interview that the contribution was legal because it was to his California gubernatorial campaign in 1974, not to him as a congressman.

Congressmen who acknowledge getting money from Tongsun Park include House

Democratic Whip John Brademas and former House Democratic Whip John J. McFall.

Brademas said he got \$5,000 from Park, including \$2,950 cash in an envelope. He said the money was legal, that Park was a friend of 15 years and that he had no inkling it would ever become questionable. McFall said he mistakenly thought \$4,000 Park offered as a campaign contribution might be illegal so he legally put it in a private office account.

Five other congressmen acknowledge accepting campaign contributions from Park in 1970: Spark M. Matsunaga, D-Hawaii, then a representative and now a senator, \$1,000 and Reps. Melvin Price, D-Ill., \$500; Morris K. Udall, D-Ariz., \$300; Thomas E. Foley, D-Wash., \$500; and E. de la Garza, D-Tex., \$500.

The committee has already promised Jaworski "total independence" in writing.

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# African-Born Missionary Finds Adjusting Not Easy

By KEITH RIBNICK  
Brand Staff Writer

Adjusting to American life after spending years in Africa can be a frightening experience, according to John Goodwin, associated pastor of the First Assembly of God Church and now an African-born Texan.

"I have good memories of Africa. Coming back to America as a teenager, I was much more afraid to return here, than to leave Africa," Goodwin said of his 1964 move to Plainview.

Goodwin spent his first 14 years in Ghana, Africa with his missionary parents. Ghana is located in west Africa and in the area formerly known as the British Gold Coast. The mostly black-populated country is about the size of New Mexico.

"The capital city, Accra is a very modern city. But, that doesn't mean there aren't bush villages everywhere. The southern part of Ghana is mostly jungle and the north becomes very savanna and dry. It is a very

diversified country...having 20 different native tribes, each with a completely different language."

Goodwin describes the Ghanans as a "friendly, hospitable people." He contends that westernization has had a role in the gradual change of the people of Ghana.

"Thevery and crime has increased there along with westernization. I had never heard of African teenagers getting in trouble with knives until a movie with that theme was shown in Accra. I think it had direct results on the teenagers."

"Besides, the punishment for crime in Ghana was once very severe (such as public beatings). But, with the arrival of westerners, the laws have been updated and crime has risen."

As the Ghanaian crime rate has risen with westernization, Goodwin believes the people's hunger for new knowledge has increased also. He said the missionary program is thriving in Ghana and a "tremendous human need exists there."

"There is no segregation problem. Ghana is a black-ruled country where the white population is extremely small. Social status is more a matter of education, age, tribe, etc."

Goodwin describes the Ghanaian people as very generous and kind. He pointed out that even though the people have much less than most Americans, they're always willing to share what they have.

"Each tribe has a different form of primitive religion. The Moslem faith has filtered in from the northern area into some tribes. Christianity has existed on Ghana's coast for nearly 200 years, but has begun to penetrate into the country only in the last 50 years."

Goodwin's parents were part of the first missionary movement from the Assembly of God church to live in Ghana in the early 1930's. Because of "an aggressive outreach", Goodwin now assesses the Assembly of God church there as "thriving."

"The church has involved

Ghanan nationalists in the missionary cause. Now, the missionary has taken on more of an advisory role in much of Africa. New areas are constantly being opened up by missionaries."

Both Goodwin and his African-raised wife, Amonna Sue, were brought up in African missionary settings through their parents. Mrs. Goodwin's parents are still living in Africa as missionaries.

Goodwin is a 1969 graduate of Plainview High School. He spent five years at Oral Roberts University in Tulsa, Okla. and graduated with a double major in theology and sociology. He minored there in religious education.

He is completing his master's degree in sociology at West Texas State University.

"I've signed a contract to teach sociology at Evangel College in Springfield, Missouri and should start there later this month," Goodwin said. Mrs. Goodwin is a graduate of Evangel College. Besides his role as



**JOHN GOODWIN**  
associate pastor of the First Assembly of God Church. Goodwin has also served as the director of the North Plains Assembly of God ministry, which encompasses almost all of the Texas Panhandle.  
Goodwin and his family (including two daughters: Karen 2, and Tracie, 2 months) plan to move to Missouri sometime later this month. He will be ministering his final service at the First Assembly of God Church at 11 a.m. today.

# Execution Upheld

WASHINGTON (AP) - Army Secretary Clifford Alexander today upheld the World War II conviction and execution of Pvt. Eddie Slovik, the only American soldier put to death for desertion since the Civil War.

Alexander's ruling prevents Slovik's crippled and destitute widow, 62-year-old Mrs. Antoinette Slovik, from collecting an estimated \$70,000 plus interest on her husband's wartime government life insurance policy.

Robert De Finis of Lansdale, Pa., a friend of Mrs. Slovik, told a reporter the Army had notified them at a Washington hotel that "we lost" and that "nothing will be done" to give Mrs. Slovik the benefits she has been denied for over 32 years because her husband was found guilty of desertion.

"They feel the trial was fair and that the law is very clear that Mrs. Slovik is not entitled to anything," De Finis said.

Mrs. Slovik was notified a hour before the Army planned to make an official announcement of the decision of an all-civilian review board and Alexander's action following that decision.

Mrs. Slovik sat in a Washington hotel room dabbing

tears from her eyes after learning of the decision. The embittered widow said, "This is terrible, just terrible. I feel badly enough to die right now."

With the wife of her attorney holding her hand, the gray-haired Mrs. Slovik sat in a wheel chair and poured out her grief.

"They (the Army) refused to admit error when Eisenhower was in there because they didn't want to embarrass him."

"But Eisenhower now is gone-and so is Nixon," she said.

"He was shot as a deterrent. Why was nobody notified-not even me-until nine years later?" she said.

As reporters stood in the

room, she thanked them for expressing concern and told them to "splash it all over. Let the people know what kind of Army we've got."

De Finis said the five-man board was "unanimous against us."

Alexander could have overruled the board but he apparently agreed with its decision.

De Finis said Mrs. Slovik will now ask President Carter, as commander in chief, to act to redress what she contends is an injustice.

"She feels it is another injustice against her," De Finis said.

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# Age May Be Raised

WASHINGTON (AP) - Although the Carter administration is not now considering raising the Social Security retirement age, the possibility may have to be examined in the future, Secretary of Commerce Juanita M. Kreps says.

Mrs. Kreps' earlier discussion of the possibility brought a protest from Rep. Claude Pepper, D., Fla., chairman of the House Committee on Aging.

He urged her in a letter to "withdraw your proposal."

In her reply, Mrs. Kreps wrote, "I have offered no formal proposal to raise from 65 to 68 the age for paying full Social Security benefits - so there is nothing for me to withdraw."

The Social Security system is facing both short- and long-range financial problems and congressional committees are considering suggestions from

President Carter to ease the burden on the fund.

Some nongovernmental witnesses at congressional hearings have recommended raising the retirement age gradually in the future.

But Mrs. Kreps wrote Pepper, "The administration, as I am sure you know, is not considering any proposal to alter the existing arrangement for retirement with full benefits at age 65."

"My comments...centered around the suggestion that, because of the generally improved health and vigor of our older population, we might consider ways to extend worklife, allowing people more free time in middle years," she wrote.

A related advantage, I noted, would be some relief from the financial pressures on the Social Security System..."

She said she has mentioned her concerns to Health, Education and Welfare Secretary Joseph A. Califano, Jr., but has made no proposal to him.

Mrs. Kreps said she joins Pepper in supporting legislation awaiting House action to prohibit mandatory retirement before age 70.

"In addition to its primary purpose of giving workers the opportunity to extend their work lives, it would save a substantial amount in Social Security payments," she wrote.

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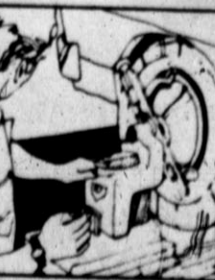
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# Mays Writer's All-State Pick

Hereford's James Mays, an aspiring competitor at the National AAU Junior Olympics in Lincoln, Nebraska this weekend has added yet another honor to his illustrious career by being named to the 1977 Texas Sports Writers Association's All-State track team.

Mays, headed to Texas Tech this fall on a track scholarship with a chance to make the Red Raider basketball team included, won the Class 4A 880 at the state meet in Austin last spring.

He was undefeated in the half-mile until recently when he lost by a step to Houston Forrest Brook's James Green at the Region IX AAU championships. Mays had defeated Green for

the state title earlier in the year. Both runners are in Lincoln this weekend aiming at the national 880 title.

Mays also was outstanding on the basketball court for HHS this past year, winding up the Most Valuable Player in District 4-4A after scoring at a 19.9 points-per-game clip in the loop.

He is the son of Rev. L.V. Mays of 432 Barrett in Hereford.

Here is the Texas Sports Writers Association's 1977 All-State Track and Field team:

**100-YARD DASH**  
Carl Williams, Columbia; Leslie Kerr, Snook; Mitchell Bennett, Bonham; Leroy Dodd, Hooks.

**200-YARD DASH**  
Carl Williams, Columbia; Eference Murphy, Texarkana; Leslie Kerr, Snook; Wayne Johnson, Richardson.

**440-YARD DASH**  
Arthur Williams, Dallas South Oak Cliff; Bryant Newbill, Houston Strake Jesuit; Vernon Pittman, Bryan; Steve Willis, Waco Connally.

**880-YARD DASH**  
James Mays, Hereford; James Green, Houston Forest Brook; Todd Harbour, Port Isabel; Phil Knoll, Austin Anderson.

**MILE RUN**  
Mark Andersen, San Antonio Jay; Mike Bonem, Baytown Lee; Robert Wilson, Midland High; Robert Payne, Arlington.

**120-YARD HIGH HURDLES**  
Mark Mosley, Humble; Leonard Lewis, Galveston Ball; Billy Busch, Humble; Raymond Cockrell, Killeen.

**330-YARD INTERMEDIATE HURDLES**  
Rickey Thomas, Beaumont South Park; Leonard Lewis, Galveston Ball; Robert Klein, Killeen; Billy Busch, Humble.

**SHOT PUT**  
Michael Carter, Dallas Jefferson; Hosea Taylor, Longview; Harold Ledet, San Angelo Central; Carlos Scott, Waller.

**DISCUS**  
James Headley, San Antonio Marshall; James Heimann, Fredericksburg; Tom Bushong, Allen; Jim Verden, Wheeler.

**LONG JUMP**  
Larry Sutton, Odessa Ector; Ken Cooper, San Antonio Southwest; Arthur Bettis, Channelview; Dwayne Jones, Mart.

**HIGH JUMP**  
Spencer Sunstrum, Richardson Pearce; Donald Cuba, Gilmer; Ricky Thompson, Houston Jones; Mark Smith, Shepherd.

**POLE VAULT**  
Randy Hall, Port Lavaca; Chris Duhon, Brenham; Gary Lankford, Taylor; Jimmy Faulkner, Levelland.

Cain Hoy Stable's Bald Eagle is the only two-time winner of the Washington International, having posted back-to-back victories in 1959 and 1960.

The great Kelso was defeated in his first three attempts to win the Washington International but was finally successful in 1964.



All Stater

Hereford star James Mays has been named to the 1977 Texas Sports Writers Association's All-State Track and Field Team. The former Herd standout is in Lincoln, Nebraska this weekend competing for the 880 title at the National AAU Junior Olympics. He was the Class 4A state champ in the half mile last spring. (Brand photo)

## Bob Nigh



The 1977 edition of the Hereford Whiteface varsity football team begins preparations for the upcoming season tomorrow morning when 17 seniors and two juniors report for the first fall drill at 9:15 a.m. Nine of the seniors are lettermen, while Paul Bell and Mike Kerr are the sole junior monogram winners.

The schedule for the first few days of practice, which will include workouts in shorts, calls for the Herd to meet twice a day through Wednesday (at 9:15 a.m. and 5:30 p.m.) and a final practice in shorts at 5:30 Thursday.

Herd head coach Fred Upshaw and his staff will issue full equipment to the players and begin contact work on Friday. "We're not sure yet of the schedule because of the in-service days for the teachers so we're not sure when we'll have the coaches," Upshaw said.

The coach added that some two-day workouts will be scheduled for the team in pads as they prepare for a scrimmage against Tascosa August 26 and the season opener at Pampa September 2.

Upshaw also reported that HHS will carry fewer players on the varsity squad this year than in the recent past. The coaching staff also hopes to field full junior varsity and sophomore teams this year. No sophomore schedule was played last year due to a low turnout of players.

Women bowlers in the area need to remember that a very important meeting for them will be held at 7:30 p.m. August 17 in the Pioneer Natural Gas Flame Room. The local women's association will be formed at that time.

At least 100 women are needed to get the association begun according to David Pope, manager of Bowling's Bowl.

Bowling will be the featured sport at a Booster's Bowling Fun Night the same evening as the women's association meeting. Herd backers will be paired with coaches for a three-game series beginning at 10 p.m. at

Bowling's Bowl. The activity was the brain child of new Booster Club president Jerry Payne, who wanted the boosters to get to know the local coaches a little better. The event will also serve as a fund raiser for the club. Boosters will be asked to pay a \$20 entry fee to participate.

Tommy Bowling, owner of the alley, will make up some of that expense to the lucky winning team, however. He will award a new ball to each member of the winning team.

While no formal announcement has been made by the local YMCA, that organization will soon be forming the second year of flag football here. Interested teams need to begin preparations for beginning the league.

Defending champs in the fall sport include the Cowboys in the boys league and Bad Company in the men's circuit. Youth program director Weldon Knabe, who is presently in Lincoln, Nebraska with James Mays at the National AAU Junior Olympics, has indicated that the Y has also been considering a powder puff league for girls this year.

According to the latest edition of the Southwest Conference Roster and Record Book only

three of the nine SWC played a junior varsity football schedule in 1976, and but those three and one addition will do so in 1977.

Arkansas, Houston, and Texas Tech were the only SWC schools to field JV teams last year, while Texas will become the fourth to do so this season. The Hog JV posted a 3-1 mark to lead the trio that played a JV slate in '76, while Tech's JV went 0-3 and Houston's junior team forged a 1-2 mark.

FORT WORTH, Tex. (AP) - Robbie Coleman, a 15-year-old Memphis, Tenn., schoolgirl, has won the American ladies freestyle title night in the 40th annual U.S. Amateur Roller Skating Championships.

Miss Coleman edged former champion Moana Pitcher, 22, of San Diego and defending title holder, Lisa Bergin, 18, of Fort Worth, Tex., to capture the crown.

Miss Coleman has won six American titles in various age classifications in the nine years she has been skating in national championships.

The competition continues through today with 13 more titles to be determined.

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A defective pin prevented the landing gear from working properly, forcing a crew member to crank it manually.  
The players, many of them visibly shaken, cheered loudly as the plane touched down.  
ATLANTA (AP) - The National Hockey League Atlanta Flames have announced that right winger Larry Romanchuk's contract will not be renewed.

Ever wonder who pays for all those lawsuits you've been reading about?  
The right to sue is basic to the American legal system. But lately there's been an enormous increase in the number of liability claims. For example, medical malpractice claims have been soaring, and a similar trend is now appearing in products liability.  
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# Bum Intends No Tricks For Colts

By MICHAEL A. LUTZ  
AP Sports Writer

HOUSTON (AP) - Houston Oilers Coach O.A. "Bum" Phillips figures it's easy to fool people some of the time but he'll resist any such urge toward trick plays Sunday when the Oilers host Baltimore in a nationally televised National Football League exhibition game.

"It's easy to fool somebody one week with a trick play," said Phillips, whose Oilers were dunked 40-0 Monday by Oakland. "But the next week they'll be waiting for it and you have to come up with another play."

"After awhile you run out of 'fool' ems and you still haven't worked out your basic offense."

In an effort to improve Houston's anemic offensive output from last season's 5-9 finish, Phillips went through the Oilers playbook during the off-season, culling here, adjusting there.

"We're running fewer plays this year and after awhile teams start to recognize them," Phillips said. "But after three or four more weeks of repetitions hope to be able to execute them whether they recognize them or not."

The Colts, who won the American Football Conference's Eastern Division title last year, also got off to a losing start last week with a 14-8 loss to Denver. The Colts were hampered by injuries with five starters missing the game.

Baltimore also has worked out so far without starting receiver Roger Carr and defensive end John Dutton, who are contract holdouts.

Injured players ready for action this week are tight end Raymond Chester, defensive end Fred Cook, offensive tackle George Kunz and backup linebacker Sanders Shiver. Middle linebacker Jim Cheyanski is expected to nurse his ailing knees another week.

Starting quarterbacks for both teams, Bert Jones for the Colts and Dan Pastorini for the Oilers, are expected to play the first half.

The Oilers will get their first look at tight end prospect Jimmy Giles from Alcorn State. Last year's tight end, Mack Alston, played out his option with Houston, leaving the starting job open. Mike Barber and John Sawyer are battling for the starting berth.

Kickoff is at 2:45 p.m. CDT in the Astrodome.

## Baseball Standings

By The Associated Press  
AMERICAN LEAGUE

Team	W	L	Pct.	GB
Boston	66	44	.600	
N York	64	47	.564	1 1/2
Detroit	61	51	.545	3 1/2
Cleveland	55	62	.468	17
Milwaukee	50	67	.427	19 1/2
Toronto	39	72	.361	27 1/2

West

Team	W	L	Pct.	GB
Minneapolis	67	46	.593	
Chicago	66	47	.586	1/2
Texas	64	48	.571	1 1/2
K.C.	63	48	.568	2
Calif.	55	57	.491	10 1/2
Seattle	48	66	.419	20
Oakland	42	71	.372	24

Friday's Games

New York 10-9, California 1-3  
Cleveland 2-5, Milwaukee 0-4  
Kansas City 9, Toronto 8  
Baltimore 6, Oakland 5  
Boston 7, Seattle 2  
Minnesota 12, Detroit 11  
Texas 10, Chicago 7

Saturday's Games

Milwaukee 6, Oakland 2-5 at Cleveland  
Bobby 8-8  
California Ryan 10-10 at New York  
Holtzman 2-3  
Seattle 6, Boston 0-1 at Boston  
Clancy 1-2, n  
Kansas City Splitter 8-6 at Toronto  
Clancy 1-2, n  
Oakland Langford 7-13 at Baltimore  
Flanagan 8-8, n  
Minnesota Zahn 11-8 at Detroit  
Wloss 2-0, n  
Chicago Stone 11-7 at Texas  
Stylianou 11-10, n

Sunday's Games

Milwaukee at Cleveland, 2  
Kansas City at Toronto  
Minnesota at Detroit

Outland at Baltimore  
California at New York  
Seattle at Boston  
Chicago at Texas, n

NATIONAL LEAGUE

Team	W	L	Pct.	GB
Philis	66	44	.600	
Pitts	67	49	.578	3
Chicago	64	48	.571	4
S Louis	64	51	.557	5 1/2
Montreal	62	53	.539	7 1/2
N York	47	68	.410	21 1/2

Friday's Games

Philadelphia 10, Chicago 3  
Pittsburgh 3-6, New York 2-4, 2nd game 12 innings  
St. Louis 2, Montreal 1  
San Diego 5, Houston 4  
Atlanta 5, Los Angeles 2  
San Francisco 4, Cincinnati 3

Saturday's Games

Philadelphia Lorch 6-2 at Chicago  
Benham 9-10  
Cincinnati Moskusz 2-3 at San Francisco  
Montefusco 5-8  
New York Matlock 6-12 at Pittsburgh  
Rouse 7-11, n  
Montreal Tuttle 2-8 at St. Louis  
Urry 4-3, n  
Atlanta Solomon 3-1 at Los Angeles  
John 13-4, n  
Only games scheduled

Sunday's Games

Cincinnati at San Francisco, 2  
New York at Pittsburgh  
Philadelphia at Chicago  
Montreal at St. Louis  
Houston at San Diego  
Atlanta at Los Angeles

# Yung to Get Answers As Buffs Open Drills

CANYON, Texas--Remember back in the spring when, despite all the optimism about Bill Yung's first football team at West Texas State, Yung himself talked about the questionmarks that still plagued his appraisal of his first Buff team?

Well folks, all them "Q's" about the linebackers, offensive line depth, and just who will be the Buff quarterback will start turning into "A's" Monday, August 15 when West Texas State opens fall drills on the Canyon campus.

Over 120 hopefuls are expected for the first workout Monday morning at nine o'clock. The afternoon sessions for the two-a-day work are scheduled for 4 p.m. The Buffs will work out in shorts through Wednesday (August 17) with the first day in full pads set for Aug. 18.

"This is what we've been looking forward to all year," Yung said this week. "I think we are all ready to get started."

Included in that group of 120 will be 33 returning lettermen. Nine of those started the majority of the games in last year's 4-5-2 season on offense, and seven more were starters on defense. That experience gave the Buffs the nod of conference sportswriters, broadcasters, and coaches, to win the 1977 Missouri Valley Conference title.

tackle and Larry Spears at linebacker were the Buffs' second team picks.

The staff's first look at what is generally accepted to be a good freshman crop will alter some springtime decisions, and with a large group of walk-ons expected, Yung and his staff should be learning a lot of new names in the next couple of weeks.

"We've got to find out quickly the conditioning of the players and feel out their mental attitude," Yung adds. "I'm sure the addition of the freshman and walk-ons will alter some of the things we did in the spring, but we won't know until the practices start."

Freshmen are needed immediately to provide help at linebacker where only Spears and Scott Braden have any varsity game experience. That's also the case at the on-deep offensive line.

The quarterback spot is still up for grabs. Seniors Tracy Qualls and Bill Delaney were the top picks after spring ball with Qualls getting the starting nod in the varsity-alumni game. Sophomore Larry Elrod will still be around to fight for the bid, as will freshmen John

Whitley, Newton Owens, and Greg Hobbs. It could develop into a fairly deep position.

West Texas State opens the 1977 season with an MVC contest Sept. 3 at Wichita State.

## Sports Shorts

ATLANTA (AP) - Atlanta Braves righthander Max Leon, arrested recently on several charges including driving under the influence, has been placed on the disqualified list, said Bill Lucas, general manager of the National League club.

The Braves recalled left-han-

der Mike Davey from Richmond of the International League to replace Leon on the roster. Leon, released on bond, was given permission by the club to return to Mexico where, he said, his father was ill.

Leon was scheduled to rejoin the club earlier in the week in San Diego but failed to return.

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Bill Giles	222
John Cantu	208

Men's High Series

Name	Score
Keith Hansen	623
Don Howerton	546
John Cantu	513

Women's High Game

Name	Score
Shirley Peterson	192
Gledda Hansen	187
Donna Howerton	174

Women's High Series

Name	Score
Shirley Peterson	490
Glenda Hansen	479
Margaret Betzen	461

Hustlin' Hereford Women's League

Team	Record
Hereford Elkettes	21-7
Sugar Cubes	17-11
Smithfits	17-11

Individual High Game

Name	Score
Randy Hamilton	209
Betty Wilson	204
Lou Pope	202

Individual High Series

Name	Score
Pat Stevens	547
Lou Pope	510
Randy Hamilton	505

Hustlin' Hereford Men's League

Team	Record
BPO Elks	20-8
Owen's Electric	19-9
Unknowns	18-10

Individual High Game

Name	Score
Ray Pope	243
Scott Pope	239
Reyes Sandoval	237

Individual High Series

Name	Score
Scott Pope	667
Ray Pope	613
Burney Kearns	608

# No Weak Tourney Teams

GREENSBORO, N.C. (AP) - Don't look expect to see any weak basketball conference teams in the annual NCAA basketball tournament after the coming season.

Neils Thompson, president of the NCAA, announced Friday that the association's executive committee has decided to reduce by five the number of conferences that get automatic tournament invitations each season.

Beginning with the 1979 tournament, automatic invitations will go to the winners of the 16 Division I conferences holding the best won-lost records over the previous five years of tournament play. Next year's tournament, with the finals in St. Louis, will be the

last one in which 21 automatic bids are extended.

"Philosophically I agree with this and think it makes sense," said Thompson, an engineering professor from the University of Texas. "I've felt that out of the 21 automatic invitations, we've had two or three weak teams."

Other basketball changes enacted by the committee at its semiannual meeting here will put half the 16 first-round and four regional championship tournament games half on Sundays and the other half on Saturdays. It will be the first year the NCAA has fully scheduled Sunday tournament games.

The move will allow nationally-televised regional championship double-headers on

March 18 and 19, 1978. Jerneid said.

The change in automatic tournament invitations was opposed by some weaker conferences who feared losing tournament appearances and the money those appearances bring. Had the new rule been in effect this year, three conferences would have been tied for the last automatic bid, including the Southwest, home conference for Thompson.

"Iron Man" Joe McGinnity pitched to iron batters also. In 1900 he hit 41 of them for a National League record.

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**JONES' WORD GOOD**  
**NEW YORK (AP)** — Bobby Jones, star forward of the Denver Nuggets of the NBA, put his money where his mouth was. Toward the end of the basketball season, Bobby was notified that he was leading in the \$10,000 Seagram Seven Crowns of Sports computer basketball competition. He promised to give the money to charity if he won.  
 That's what he did. After winning the \$10,000 prize, Jones

wrote checks which totaled that sum. The money went to a church in Denver, two churches in Charlotte, N.C., his home town, the Fellowship of Christian Athletes, the Bible Study Foundation, Youth for Christ, the Inter-Varsity Christian Fellowship and the Christian Broadcasting Network. Bobby also established a trust fund for former North Carolina teammate Brad Hoffman for urgent family medical expenses.

**A TRIMMER TOWNS**  
**HOUSTON (AP)** — Morris Towns, a tackle, was the first pick by the Houston Oilers in the National Football League college draft. Towns now weighs 265 pounds. In his freshman year in high school he scaled 340. When he was talked into going out for football he was also talked into dieting. Towns played his college football at the University of Missouri.

Defensive tackle Wilson Faminia, a first round pick by the Atlanta Falcons in the 1977 NFL draft, is the son of a former Samoa chieftain.

The Central Division of the National Football League has long been known as the "Black and Blue Division." With that in mind, the Detroit Lions, a Central team, drafted Tim Black and Luther Blue in 1977.

## Bears Break Training: Boisterous, But Appealing

By ALEX SACHARE  
 AP Sportswriter

The Bad News Bears are back, as boisterous and appealing as ever. "The Bad News Bears in Breaking Training" opened in August around the country, and it's good news for movie-goers. This sequel is not quite as uproarious throughout as last year's original, but it's still a warmly amusing comedy that's sure to please the whole family. Not all the Bears are back, mind you. Star pitcher Tatum O'Neal is gone, apparently having played out her option, become a free agent and signed with the New York Yankees for \$4.8 million over 12 years. And Coach Walter Matthau also is

gone; maybe he got the ax during the off-season for not winning the big one. "What we are doing is not a sequel in the traditional Hollywood sense," explained producer Leonard Goldberg. "We tried purposely to steer away from that concept. That is why we eliminated Buttermaker (Matthau) and Amanda (O'Neal). This film had to be about something else-or we'd end up replaying the same scenes." "What is that something else?" "Independence," replied Goldberg, "in 'Breaking Training,' the kids are doing it on their own. But they run up against some snags. They need the help of an adult. We touch on that fine line between dependency and guidance."

The star of this team is Kelly Leak (Jackie Earle Haley), the motorcycle-riding, cigarette-smoking, hard-hitting outfielder who was a late addition to last year's squad. Matthau has been replaced by a Marine drill sergeant type of coach, but Kelly runs him off the field posthaste. Kelly then takes over. He brings in a new pitcher, a buddy named Carmen Ronzonni (Jimmy Baio) a pint-size Fonz who can imitate the pitching motion of assorted big leaguers, but has trouble locating home plate with his own deliveries. The Bears hustle up a fancy-painted van and set out on the road from Hollywood to Houston, where they are to play a four-inning game against the

Houston-Toros between halves of a doubleheader-at the Astrodome, no less. The rest is predictable, but fun nonetheless. As players, the Bears are still bad news. A pickup game on the road turns into a comedy of errors, and a practice session in Houston is not much better-colissions, errant throws, dropped balls, wild pitches, the whole familiar, funny routine. Among the kids, Haley, Baio, Chris Barnes, Alfred Lutter, Erin Blunt and Jeffrey Louis Starr-the latter as the chubby catcher Engelberg, whose idea of a training diet consists of a bucket from the Colonel and a fistful of chocolate bars are all first rate.

## Cougars Face Early Test

**LOS ANGELES (AP)** — Houston football Coach Bill Yeoman, whose surprising Cougars were the Southwest Conference co-champions and finished fourth nationally last season, says it won't take him long to know if he has a good football team this fall. "We open with a nationally televised Monday night game against UCLA, then we play at Penn State the next Saturday," Yeoman said. "I'll know by that Saturday evening what kind of a team we're going to be." Yeoman was in Los Angeles Friday with six of the country's top players on one stop of an NCAA and ABC Television-sponsored national tour promoting college football. Yeoman, beginning his 16th year as the Cougars coach, said he sees changes taking shape in college football. "The NCAA reduction of scholarships is changing the game, leaving a bigger pool of players for schools to choose

from," Yeoman said. "It's giving every school a chance to have a good team. People go into the stadium not knowing who's going to win, and that's good." "It stimulates interest and it sells tickets." Yeoman, whose teams have finished in the top 20 for 10 of the past 11 years, has been one of college football's top innovators. He designed the veer offense, and, unlike most of the nation's other college powers, Houston generally recruits in its own backyard. "My father-in-law told me once that we generally overlook nearby diamonds to search for those in the faraway places," said Yeoman. "We take the kids from nearby small towns, kids nobody else seems interested in." "Those kids seem to appreciate it. They're coachable, dedicated and enthusiastic."

The Cougars coach said one problem with recruiting out of the area was the adjustment the players would have to make in Houston. "It gets flat, unadulterated hot in Houston," Yeoman said with a grin. "You get kids from the out of state practicing on a hot Houston afternoon and they'd think they'd gone to hell."

## Hays Upends Boulder In NBC

**WICHITA, Kan. (AP)** — Unsung Hays, Kan., rode Greg Korbe's fourth-inning grand slam homer and strong relief pitching from Jeff Cornell to a stunning 7-6 defeat of No. 2-seeded Boulder, Colo., late Friday night in the National Baseball Congress Tournament. Hays was the fifth-place finisher in the Kansas State Tournament and received a bid to the NBC Southwest Regional only because a team from New Mexico withdrew. The Larks took second in the regional, thus gaining a bid to the national tournament. Earlier Friday night, unseeded Kenai, Alaska, upset third-round play and top-ranked Anchorage, Alaska, pounded Houston, Tex., 13-3, in the second-round action. Saturday's schedule: St. Louis McBride Builders vs. Riverside, Ill., 11:30 p.m.; Houston, Tex., vs. Tampa, Fla., 2 p.m.; Grand Rapids, Mich., vs. Eureka Humboldt, Calif., 3 p.m.; Liberal, Kan. vs. Pueblo Colo., 5:15 p.m.; Boulder vs. Chicago AHEPA, 7:45 p.m., and Fairbanks, Alaska, vs. Rapid City, S.D., 10 p.m. Korbe, the Big Eight Conference's leading hitter last season at Kansas State, was the first batter reliever Bob Irwin faced in the fourth. He also had two other hits and two more RBIs. Irwin went on to strike out 11 in 5 2-3 innings, but was over-shadowed by the gutty Cornell, who frustrated Boulder by stranding six runners over the last five innings. Kenai's Ron Meredith checked

Clarinda on five hits, and Jonn Freitas snapped a 1-1 tie in the seventh with a solo home run. Kenai added three more in the eighth on a run-scoring single by Mike Parker, and consecutive sacrifice flies by Brad Mills and Freitas. Anchorage unleashed a 15-hit attack against Houston, including home runs by Skeeter Rivas and Jamie Allen. In losers' round action Friday, Bethlehem, Pa., upset El Dorado Coors of Kansas, 6-3; Valdosta, Ga., defeated Gretna, La. 9-7; Hutchinson, Kan., edged Jackson, Miss., 3-1; Mount Vernon, Ohio, dropped Buckhannon, W. Va., 6-1, and Tampa, Fla., clubbed Sherwood, Tenn., 9-3. The losers of each of the early games were eliminated from the 32-team, double elimination tournament, which runs through Aug. 20.

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## Baseball Roundup

# Angels Edge Yanks; Ryan Wins 17th

NEW YORK (AP) - Mario Guerrero singled home the winning run off New York relief ace Sparky Lyle with two out in the 12th inning Saturday, giving the California Angels a 6-5 victory over the Yankees and making Nolan Ryan the season's first 17-game winner in the American League.

Dave Chalk drew a leadoff walk from Lyle in the 12th, was sacrificed to second and took third on Rance Mulliniks' long fly ball. Guerrero, who entered the game as a pinch-hitter in the

eighth inning and both that inning and the 10th by stranding runners in scoring position, then singled in the decisive run.

Ryan, 17-10, allowed nine hits, walked seven and struck out 11 before giving way to Mike Barlow in the 12th. It was the 100th time in his career that Ryan fanned 10 or more batters, extending his own major league record.

All the New York runs came in the first three innings. Johnny Bench's bases-loaded triple on a ball lost in the sun by

right-fielder Jack Clark in the ninth inning lifted the Cincinnati Reds to a 3-1 victory over the San Francisco Giants.

Jim Barr, 11-9, entered the ninth with a three-hit shutout but was lifted after two-out singles by Ken Griffey and Joe Morgan. Griffey's hit was a bunt down the third base line and Morgan's was a blooper to center.

Reliever Gary Lavelle walked pinch-hitter Bob Bailey and Bench lofted a high fly to right. Clark charged toward the

infield, covered his head with his glove and then raced back as the ball landed 15 feet behind him.

Dale Murray, 6-2, was the winner. The Giants scored their lone run on doubles by Tim Foli and Barr in the second.

Bake McBride's three-run homer in the 11th inning gave Philadelphia a 10-7 triumph over the Chicago Cubs, extending the Phillies' victory string to 10 straight.

Ted Sizemore and pinch-hitter Ollie Brown drew walks off

loser Dave Giusti before McBride slammed his 10th homer of the season. The Phillies had tied the game in the ninth on a two-run pinch-hit homer by Dave Johnson after a double by Sizemore.

Jay Johnstone hit a two-run homer for the Phils in the eighth.

Manny Trillo and Bobby Murcer slugged home runs and Gene Clines doubled in two runs for Chicago.

Trillo's sixth homer of the year broke a 2-2 tie and triggered a three-run fifth inning in which Clines doubled after George Mitterwald had reached on an error and Greg Gross on an infield single.

Murcer cracked his 21st homer to open the sixth off starter Randy Lerch.

The Phillies went ahead with two in the fourth on singles by Mike Schmidt, Richie Hebner, Johnstone and a sacrifice fly by Bob Boone.

The Cubs tied it in the bottom of the fourth on successive triples by Gross and pitcher Ray Burris and a sacrifice fly by Ivan DeJesus.

Carl Yastrzemski launched a scoring parade with his 20th homer of the season and George Scott, Butch Hobson and

Dwight Evans added consecutive round-trippers in a seven-run sixth inning Saturday to lead the Boston Red Sox to a 13-6 victory over the Seattle Mariners.

The Red Sox unloaded against starter Bob Galasso, 0-2, after the young right-hander had retired eight consecutive batters and had one out in the sixth.

Yastrzemski ignited the rally with his 506th career double, tying Babe Ruth for 22nd place among baseball's all-time leaders.

Boston starter Ferguson Jenkins, 9-7, allowed nine hits, including a three-run homer by Skip Jutze and a solo blast by Dan Meyer in eight innings. Bill Campbell finished, coming on in the ninth, surrendering a homer to Steve Braun.

Don Money cracked a pair of solo home runs and Cecil Cooper slammed a two-run homer as the Milwaukee Brewers defeated Cleveland 6-1, snapping the Indians' four-game winning streak.

Money homered in the second inning off Cleveland starter and loser Jim Bibby, 9-9. The Brewers made it 4-0 in the fourth as Jim Wohlford led off with a double. Cooper smashed his 13th homer of the season

with one out and Money followed with his 18th homer of the year.

Starter Mike Caldwell, 3-5,

was relieved in the ninth. Money finished with three hits and scored four of Milwaukee's runs.

## Putter Aids Miss Daniel

CINCINNATI (AP) - Beth Daniel turned to an unerring putter in the clutch Saturday to win her second National Women's Amateur Golf Championship in three years with a 1-and-1 victory over Canadian rookie Cathy Sherk.

The 20-year-old Miss Daniel, a Furman University senior from Charleston, S.C., ended the scheduled 36-hole duel with

a 14-foot par putt on the 35th hole at Cincinnati Country Club.

Miss Daniel, the 1975 champion, admitted she escaped a bad case of nerves to foil Mrs. Sherk's bid to become the eighth rookie in history to win the championship.

"I was a nervous wreck on the second 18. I wanted it so badly," said Miss Daniel, who succeeds Donna Horton White

as the champion.

"My putter just got hot. That was the key," said the tall collegian. She one-putted four times in a nine-hole stretch in the afternoon round for hole decisions. She also one-putted the 33rd hole for a par three that gave her a 3-up lead with three holes remaining.

Mrs. Sherk, from Port Colborne, Ont., then scored a

spectacular eagle two on the 352-yard 34th hole. Her 130-yard approach shot took two bounces and dropped into the hole, cutting the margin to 2-up with two holes left.

Both finalists missed the 35th green in two, but Miss Daniel sank her key putt to end the match. Mrs. Sherk had missed a par attempt from 18 feet.

## Frustration, Anger Strike PGA

PEBBLE BEACH, Calif. (AP) - Gene Littler finally turned human and made a bogey but the quiet, self-contained veteran stretched his lead to a commanding four strokes Saturday as frustration and anger struck down his challengers in the third round of the PGA National Championship.

Littler, whose machine-like precision had taken him through

two rounds without a bogey, made three of them this bright, sunny day, and he had to work hard for a two-under-par 70 and a 206 total.

That's 10 shots under par for three rounds over the drought-damaged but still beautiful 6,806-yard Pebble Beach Golf Links and four in front of the game's most famed and feared performer-Jack Nicklaus.

The usually unemotional Nicklaus, who shot a two-under-par 70, cast an angered glance aloft-it was unclear whether toward the blue skies or a television tower-after making bogey on the 16th and angrily tossed his ball to caddy Angelo Argea following another bogey on the 17th.

He finished with a 210 total, six under par going to Sunday's final round of the title he wants so desperately - a record-matching fifth PGA crown and one that would end his string of frustrations at the hands of Tom Watson.

Watson, who beat Nicklaus in dramatic, head-to-head confrontations in the British Open and Masters, finally got his own clubs back but could do no better than a 71 that left him six strokes back at 212.

Former Masters champion Charles Coody came on with a 70 and took third place at 211.

Watson was tied with former U.S. and Canadian Open champion Jerry Pate, George Cadle, Lanny Wadkins and Dr. Gil Morgan. Pate shot a 69, Cadle and Morgan, a non-practicing optometrist, had 70s, and Wadkins matched par 72.

Jerry McGee, only two strokes out of the lead after 36

holes, finished with a 77 and 215.

Some other scores: U.S. Open champion Hubert Green, 76-227; Lee Trevino, 71-215;

Arnold Palmer, 73-218; Gary Player, 68-219; defending titleholder Dave Stockton, 69-219, and Johnny Miller, 73-217.

## Connors Wins Over Dent

INDIANAPOLIS (AP) - Defending champion Jimmy Connors overpowered Australian Phil Dent 6-3, 6-1 Saturday to move into position for his third U.S. Clay Court men's singles title.

Connors meets Spain's Manuel Orantes, who won here in 1973 and 1975, in the battle for the championship today.

Orantes, seeded second behind Connors, avenged a recent Davis Cup loss to Hungary's Balazs Taroczy in the other semifinal, 6-3, 5-7, 6-3.

South Africans Linky Boshoff and Ilana Kloss battled Mary Carillo of New York and Wendy

Overtop, of Boca Raton, Fla., for the women's doubles crown Saturday night.

Six-time winner Nancy Richey played Laura DuPont for the women's singles championship Saturday night.

Connors jumped to a 4-0 advantage in the opening set and the Australian broke his service only once.

Connors repeated his performance in the second set, winning the first four games before Dent held service.

Connors then held his service and broke Dent's to win the match.

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## A Brand Editorial: Puddlin' Around

Representatives of various civic clubs and organizations met here Thursday night and out of the session came an idea for using some of our city-county-school tax dollars to build a big multi-purpose facility—a joint-usage building that could solve many community building requirements under one roof.

Admittedly, it's a dream at this point in time, but it makes a lot of sense despite the magnitude of the goal. We sometimes get the feeling that we're building puddles in the community, when we might get together and build a marvelous lake.

Let us hasten to add that we have nothing against any building projects being planned nor of the construction of facilities in the past. The community has much going for it in the way of facilities, and we've utilized most of them to the fullest extent. Civic organizations have contributed much to some of our public facilities. But it would appear that the time may have come for less short-term response to needs and more long-range planning between the governmental groups.

It's not impossible. The recent coordination of planning between the three governmental units to provide a tennis-court complex offers hope that the resources of this county and community can be more efficiently used to benefit all citizens.

We realize that a community is the sum total of all its various special interest pieces, and sometimes local governmental units feel as though they're being engulfed and split into tiny fragments by all these groups.

In culture-dry West Texas, there's nothing wrong with puddles. But it does seem that with more vision and more coordination in planning, we could just as easily build a lake.



### IN WASHINGTON

Martha Angle and Robert Walters

## Language Withdrawal

WASHINGTON (NEA) — Parlez-vous francais? Sprechen Sie Deutsch? Habla Espanol?

Probably not, considering the sorry state of foreign language studies in the United States today.

In this era of supersonic travel, multinational business dealings and growing political interdependence, fewer and fewer Americans are able to communicate with the rest of the world.

In high schools and colleges across the country, enrollments in foreign language courses have been declining steadily for more than a decade with no end in sight to the trend.

Less than one-quarter of all American high school students now receive any foreign language training. Less than one-fifth of all four-year colleges still have a language entrance requirement, and only half demand any foreign language study as a prerequisite for graduation.

The Soviet Union has more teachers of English than there are students of Russian in this country.

Even the U.S. Foreign Service has been forced to abandon its traditional requirement that job applicants speak another language, although it still runs its own intensive language training program.

So what difference does it make? Who cares, apart from a few academic types who see their bread and butter slipping away?

The answer, surprisingly enough, is that quite a few people care — including President Carter, who last month agreed to set up a special panel under the direction of the U.S. commissioner of education to analyze the trend and recommend corrective action.

Carter acted in response to a suggestion from Rep. Paul Simon, D-Ill., a member of the Commission on Security and Cooperation in Europe which has been monitoring compliance with the 1975 Helsinki Accords.

Most Americans have assumed that only the Russians, with their repeated infringements on human rights, have been guilty of violating the Helsinki agreement.

Not so. As Simon and the monitoring commission noted in discussing the matter with Carter, the United States has failed to live up to its own Helsinki pledge "to encourage the study of foreign languages and civilizations as an important means of expanding international communications and cooperation."

There is more at stake than a relatively insignificant breach of the Helsinki agreement. Within the last decade, the percentage of our own gross national product dependent upon exports has doubled — and many of the jobs created by this surge in trade have gone to foreigners simply because not enough Americans possessed the necessary language skills.

Furthermore, some of the overseas business itself has been lost because of our linguistic isolation. "Why do our friends from Germany and Japan and Sweden sometimes sell more products in other nations than we do? The answer is frequently fairly simple: they speak the language of the buying country and we do not," says Congressman Simon.

Richard I. Brod of the Modern Language Association attributes much of the decline in foreign language study to the widespread elimination of course requirements precipitated by the student revolution of the late 1960s.

To some degree, he concedes, American educational institutions have also put too much emphasis on the literary aspects of foreign languages and not enough stress on their practical uses in the world of business and politics.

But there is an attitudinal problem as well, a retreat from all foreign entanglements — linguistic and political — in the wake of our disastrous Vietnam experience. "We can't afford this kind of withdrawal," Simon says. "We've got to be able to communicate with the rest of the world or we're inviting real problems."



### COMMENTARY

Kenneth Eskey

Jimmy Carter apparently was serious during the 1976 presidential campaign when he promised to do something about tax-deductible, two-martini lunches and other forms of lavish living now treated as "business entertainment" under the Internal Revenue Code.

Carter's treasury secretary, W. Michael Blumenthal, told the Louisville Chamber of Commerce the other day that rules governing expense-account spending are so complicated they're almost impossible to enforce.

He said the administration is taking a critical look at deductions for meals, travel, club dues, theater tickets and other ex-



Jack McGuire:

## Talk of Texas

FOOTNOTE TO HISTORY—Robert Wilson was a Methodist evangelist who hated gambling. When it came to saving souls, however, he was always willing to bet to win.

In the 1840's, the Rev. Wilson arrived at Washington-on-the-Brazos with the announced intention of converting some members of the Congress of the Republic of Texas. The problem was that Washington had few buildings and none suitable for a church service.

Hatfield's Saloon, the largest structure in town, had a large room on the second floor reserved exclusively for games of chance. Preacher Wilson announced that he would do his evangelizing there. The gamblers responded that any preacher who tried it would be a candidate for the undertaker.

On Sunday, Wilson—who stood almost seven feet tall—arrived at the saloon as he had promised he would. He greeted the card players with great courtesy, opened his Bible on a billiard table and invited anyone who wasn't ready to hear him preach to leave.

When nobody moved, he began a real fire and brimstone sermon, exhorting his listeners to lay down their cards, throw down their dice and join the Methodist Church. When a few snickered and one table began to deal cards, Wilson stopped, announced that he wanted their full attention and went on.

Every gambler stayed. At the end of the sermon most came forward and shook his hand and all contributed to the collection plate.

"You will always be welcome at Hatfield's," one told him. And he was.

Until his death in 1882, Rev. Wilson continued to preach all over

Texas. And Hatfield's Saloon was a regular stop.

IT'S A FACT—There isn't a natural lake in all of Texas.

However, the state has 157 major man-made lakes. They cover more than two million surface acres and provide 17,500 miles of shoreline.

HAVE YOU EVER WONDERED—How those coin-operated record players came to be called "juke boxes"?

Archie Carr, the naturalist, explains the origin of the term in his book, "The Windward Road," published in 1963. He says it's a West African term that originally was spelled "jook."

Brought to Texas and the south by the Negro slaves, it originally was a verb meaning "to misconduct oneself." Somehow it came to be applied however, to taverns. "Jook," in many parts of the South, began to mean any place where one could go and drink.

When automatic record players offering up tunes for coins were introduced, they were an immediate hit in "jooks" and taverns. In time they came to be called "juke boxes," the slang term still used for these musical marvels today.

SPEED DEMON—Sam Houston deserves a special mention in history for being one of the fastest long distance riders.

Travelers between Austin and Houston always allowed at least four days if they journeyed by horseback. Once, however, Houston acquired an especially fast mule and made the trip "in two hours less than four days."

It was a feat he boasted about to Congress in the Republic of Texas.

### Barbs

By PHIL PASTORET

That morning rush could be eliminated if people realized that coffee cooks quicker if put on 10 minutes earlier.

Always ask your wife what she wants for her birthday — so she can change her mind in time.



The Treasury Department is studying how to eliminate the penny. If they'd put more buying power in a dollar the problem would be solved.

It's usually the people who don't have the nerve to begin who criticize the one who quits.

No matter what you do wrong, there's someone who says he always knew you would.

Give this year's weeds a chance. Clear the garden of last year's leftovers.

Why do the buses run exactly on time only when you are running 30 seconds late?

## VIEWPOINT

Paul Harvey:

## Suicidal Society

It is a paradox that some of the most affluent are the least happy.

Periodically, the so-called "experts" try to explain the depression which leads to suicide.

Here is one study which concludes that "most suicides occur in winter."

Here is another which says "Suicides most prevalent in Spring."

Some psychologist theorizes that the per-capita rate of suicide is higher during presidential campaigns.

Another presumes to blame psychological depression on economic recession.

But the theory which appears most valid in most cases was expressed by Dr. Harold Treffert of the Mental Health Institute in Oshkosh, Wis.

I have measured his theory against each day's news for the past two years; it stands up.

He says Americans have been so richly blessed with material things that they are spoiled. He says we have come to believe that we are supposed to be constantly happy.

Around the world, 1,000 people kill themselves every day and 10,000 try.

Attempts are increasing, especially among the young.

And the highest suicide rate is in the countries where the standard of living is high—Hungary, Denmark, Finland and the United States.

Freddie Prinz had it all—handsome, healthy and wealthy.

But because he was not constantly happy, he tried to sustain his highs

Doug Manning:

## Penultimate Word

O.K., Madelyn O'Hair, you don't like the "In God We Trust" on our coins. You also don't like the "one nation under God" in our flag pledge. That is no big deal. The nation can stand if these are removed. Christian folks will still be around if you are successful in the campaign.

However, may I suggest that while you are in this campaign get rid of all the statements that either offend or are untrue.

The pledge to the flag is full of offending statements. At least they are offensive to someone. For example...

I PLEDGE ALLEGIANCE TO THE FLAG. There is a religious group that takes offense to pledging allegiance to anything except God. So it must be re-written. Maybe it should say, I am mildly fond of the flag.

OF THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA. Everyone know we are not really united right now. How about, to the distantly related states of America?

AND TO THE REPUBLIC FOR WHICH IT STANDS. I have heard some folks say that we longer have a republic. I do not know what they think we have but if they do not like it I guess we will have to change it.

Bootleg Philosopher:

## No Debt Brakes

Editor's note: The Bootleg Philosopher on his Deaf Smith County grass farm comes to the rescue of Congress and the car companies this week, more or less.

Dear Editor:

It's puzzling. Sometimes Congress can see the light, sometimes it can't. For example, take the national debt ceiling. There's a law prohibiting the Federal Treasury Department from spending above the ceiling, which now stands at 700 billion dollars. When you hit that ceiling, stop, the law says.

But the Treasury Department says it can't stop, it's got to spend 75 billion more than that to keep the wheels turning. Do you think Congress flees from this problem? You think it tells the Treasury "that's the law, abide by it"? Not at all. It recognizes its duty when it sees it, wrestles with the problem and comes up with the answer: raise the debt ceiling. Over the past decade Congress has solved this problem over and over again, raising the

with drugs. The drugs worsened the depression until he put a pistol to his head.

That most drugs and all booze are psychological depressants is in no small way responsible for the accelerating suicide rate. A cause-effect relationship is difficult to establish, but the increase in both are proportionate and parallel.

Singer Tony Orlando pulled himself up from Hell's Kitchen to Hollywood and suffered no psychological problems until he got rich and famous and spoiled.

When adversity struck—the loss of his TV program and the death of a retarded sister—he couldn't cope.

Confused, exhausted and emotionally shattered, he's hospitalized for an indeterminate period.

A related frustration—I have everything and nothing—caused the children of actors Dan Dailey, Gregory Peck and James Arness to end their lives in their twenties.

Among Americans between the ages of 15 and 24, suicide is now the second-ranking cause of death—second only to accidents—and nobody knows how many of those are suicides.

The conclusion appears inescapable: We get spoiled. We come to believe that we are supposed to be

constantly happy.

And nobody is.

And some refuse to settle for less.

Maybe, and to the bureaucracy and the red tape for which it stands.

ONE NATION UNDER GOD. That is the one you don't like. How about one nation under nothing? One nation under who know what? Like I say, this is your big deal, you write it.

INDIVISIBLE. Now really. Should we say divided but held together by the federal dole?

WITH LIBERTY AND JUSTICE FOR ALL. We put that in because it is a dream of ours. Not because we are there. It is a goal we work for. But since we are not there it may be offensive to somebody, somewhere. So I guess we should say, with Liberty and justice for some? How about, with semi-liberty and sort of justice for all?

Go ahead, Mrs. O'Hare, have your fun and flap your mouth. Make your much a-do about nothing. I just wonder though. When you take all of this away what are you going to put in its place? If we don't refer to God, who can we refer to? In the words of Tiny Tim (re-written to suit you) "May an equally potent secular equivalent bless us all!"

Warm fuzzies,  
D. Manning

ceiling every time the Treasury Department says it's got to have more money, if you want to call it that.

Now the puzzling thing is that Congress has a similar problem and can't think what to do about it. It's the miles-per-gallon car problem. Congress wants the car makers to produce by 1978 cars that'll get more miles per gallon, and the car makers say they can't do it by then and still meet the anti-pollution standards being demanded.

The answer is staring Congress in the face and its members can't see it.

There are two obvious means of getting the car companies to produce cars that'll get 30 miles per gallon or more in all makes and models. And they wouldn't have to wait till 1978; they could do it tomorrow.

All Congress has to do is (1) shorten the length of a mile or (2) increase the size of a gallon.

Any Congressman who can't see that needs a vacation.

Yours faithfully,  
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## 'Son of Sam' Closely Guarded

NEW YORK (AP) - These are David Berkowitz' vistas: a single bed, a sink and a toilet; four heavy mesh walls inside a locked chamber on the King's County Hospital prison ward.

Corrections officials are taking extraordinary precautions to assure that the alleged .44-caliber killer doesn't escape, and to assure that none of the people who wish him dead sees his wish come true.

The man police believe is the night stalker known as the Son of Sam will be visited by psychiatrists but won't be taken from his cell - described by one official as "a four-walled cage" - until he appears again in court.

Outside Brooklyn Criminal Court Thursday, an angry crowd chanted, "Kill! Kill! Kill! the bastard!" Inside, Berkowitz was

arraigned on charges of murder, attempted murder, felonious assault and possession of a dangerous weapon.

All those admitted to the courtroom were searched with metal detectors.

"We don't want another Jack Ruby," said Det. Ted Grossman, referring to Ruby's slaying of Lee Harvey Oswald while Oswald was in custody after the assassination of President John F. Kennedy in 1963.

Phil Leshin, spokesman for the city corrections department, refused to say how many men are assigned to guard the stocky young man whose face has reflected half-smiling complacency since police arrested him late Wednesday night.

"But they are our very best men," Leshin said.



### To Sing Wednesday

Don Haney, former organist for David Wilkerson, author of the best seller "Cross and the Switchblade", will sing at the First Assembly of God Church, 606 E. 15th, beginning at 7:30 p.m. Wednesday. Haney has ministered as soloist with the World Action Singers from Oral Roberts University. Wilkerson called him, "an excellent gospel singing artist, organist and man of God. Haney, while singing with the World Action Singers, has held services in Tallin, Estonia in the Soviet Union, where he conducted secret meetings with the underground church. In Haney's two years with the David Wilderson Youth Crusades he sang and played to over 500,000 people.

### Casino Cheaters Not Often Jailed

CARSON CITY, Nev. (AP) - Laws in Nevada provide long prison terms for cheaters in casinos. But only a few have been jailed in recent years for using marked cards, crooked dice or other illegal devices at the gaming tables.

Yet authorities say the cheaters steal unknown millions of dollars each year from the gambling clubs - with a resulting tax loss to state and

local governments.

Cheaters operate alone or in gangs, sometimes in concert with rigged dice in crap games, marked cards in blackjack and phony payoffs on bets with the help of crooked dealers.

Slot machine cheaters use drills, magnets and other devices to trip payoff signals. The take might be no more than \$20 or \$30 or as much as several thousand dollars at a crack. One slot machine ring operating in a group of major Las Vegas clubs reportedly netted nearly \$7 million over a period of several months.

It's argued only a fraction of those accused of cheating the clubs find themselves in court. Many casinos still follow the old system of tossing out suspected cheaters without calling police.

State Gaming Control Board records show 112 arrests by board agents for cheating between April 1976 and last month, with 18 cases adjudicated, 29 dismissed and 65 awaiting further court action.

Only two of the 112 arrested served jail terms, one for six months, the other nine months, the records show.

Casinos do pass the word on suspected cheats, often in a private ledger with names, descriptions and photographs of suspects. And when the cheater is a casino employee, local and state authorities can pull mandatory work cards or licenses so the employee is effectively blackballed from Nevada's gaming industry.

But Deputy Dist. Atty. Ray Jeffers, in charge of prosecuting casino cheaters in the Las Vegas area where Nevada's biggest clubs are located, says the overall result is inadequate enforcement. He says arrests amount to "a tenth of what's really going on."

### Heat Wave

#### Raises Temps

#### To 42 Degrees

SYDNEY, Australia (AP) - Temperatures at an Australian scientific station in Antarctica early this month soared above the freezing point for the first time in recorded history, scientists reported Friday.

T.J. Petry, an engineer with the Bureau of Meteorology's Antarctic division, said the heat wave peaked Aug. 2 when scientists at the Mawson station recorded a temperature of 42 degrees Fahrenheit.

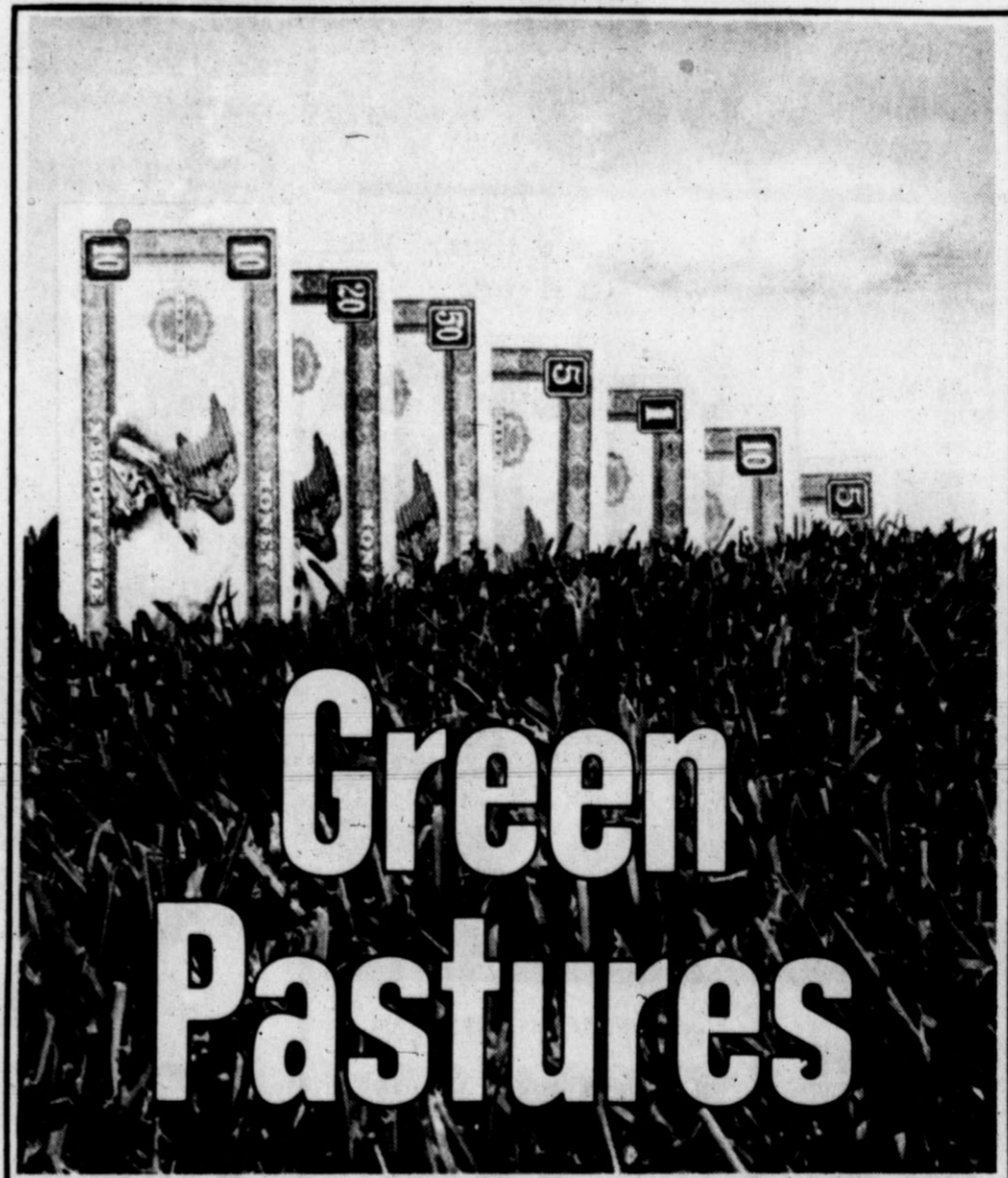
The normal temperature at the base, located on the Antarctic Circle, is between 13 below and 22 below zero this time of year, he said.

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# Carter Policy More Pragmatic

WASHINGTON (AP) - Compared with the free-wheeling, evangelical approach of its early days, the Carter administration now is pursuing a foreign policy that seems much more inclined toward pragmatism and an appreciation of hard political realities.

In those first few weeks, the Soviet Union and other countries were chastised publicly for their human rights performance. West Germany and Brazil were exhorted not to go through with a deal that would give Brazil the ability to make atomic weapons. And Carter promised to do something about the "almost unrestricted" arms sales policy of preceding administrations.

Nowadays, hardly a week goes by without Carter reassuring the Soviets he does not intend to single them out for criticisms on the human rights issue. In fact, there has been almost no criticisms at all of the Soviets lately.

Carter appears to have accepted the reality that Brazil and West Germany are determined to go through with their nuclear transaction no matter what he says. He has reassured both long-time allies that the United States does not intend to interfere with their prerogatives as sovereign nations.

Carter's goal of cutting back arms transfers overseas does not seem to be as easy to achieve as he once thought. Recently he has been talking about adding Somalia, Sudan and Chad to the list of arms sales recipients. A \$200 million sale of equipment is being proposed for Egypt and the administration also wants to sell Iran a \$1.2 billion airborne radar system despite strong objections from Congress.

Much of Carter's human rights campaign apparently is aimed at pleasing domestic

constituencies. Carter has been under attack from blacks and liberal Democrats in general for his fiscal conservatism but he has tried to maintain their support through his foreign policy initiatives.

This includes a much more activist American approach in promoting a transition to black rule in southern Africa through establishment of a one-man, one-vote system.

There are multi-party democracies in only two of Africa's 49 nations but Carter's expressions of concern about authoritarian rule in Africa have been directed almost exclusively at the white-ruled areas.

Thus Carter probably is the most popular American president ever from the point of view of black Africa even though black Africa's human rights record is regarded as one of the worst anywhere.

Southern Africa excepted, the administration generally has shied away from publicly identifying nations which engage in human rights abuses. This apparently reflects the pragmatic judgment that quiet diplomacy works better than public condemnation. Without announcement, the administration has suspended deliveries of police equipment to a dozen countries which repress dissidents.

On the question of economic aid to countries which violate human rights, the administration apparently has decided that aid cutoffs would be unwise. It is coming around to the conclusion that human rights include not only political but basic economic rights as well.

There is the assumption that people desperately in need should not be penalized for the misdeeds of those who govern them.

Early next month, the U.S. and Cuba will exchange diplomatic "interest sections,"



**Pet Stop Grand Opening**

Hereford's newest and only pet store, "The Pet Stop" held its grand opening ceremony Friday morning, with the Hereford Hustlers on hand for the ribbon cutting. Attending the ceremony were [from left] Katherine Kester, Karen Flood,

Stephanie Paetzold, Iris Ray (store co-manager), Debbie Avent, Arturo Ganzaes, Peggy Avent (store owner), Gladys Cavness, Ed Coplen, Bill Johnson, Ray Chambliss, and Irene McKinster (Hustler chairman). [Brand Staff Photo]

## Austin City Council Omits Gays from Act

AUSTIN, Tex. (AP) - By a 4-3 vote the Austin city council tentatively approved last week a fair housing ordinance that protects students and the physically handicapped but not homosexuals.

A final vote is expected in about two weeks. The ordinance approved was a compromise offered by Mayor Carol McClellan in place of one

recommended by the city Human Relations Commission which would have banned discrimination in housing on the basis of "sexual preference."

If the city-human relations commission found housing discrimination existed, and the conciliation efforts failed, it could turn a complaint over to the city attorney for prosecution.

marking the first bilateral ties in more than 16 years.

This is part of the administration's policy of seeking normal diplomatic relations with all countries, regardless of ideology. But there has been no break-through on most of the substantive issues which have divided the countries for so long, and no exchange of ambassadors is in prospect.

There was much talk in the early days of the administration about a normalization of relations with Vietnam but that possibility seems remote now. Several meetings were held with the Vietnamese in Paris on that subject but there have been none since early June and none is scheduled.

Carter is maintaining a campaign pledge to withdraw

U.S. ground troops from Korea over a five-year period. But as a concession to the Koreans, the Japanese and security-minded American he has decided to keep all but a third of these troops in Korea until the final year of his timetable.

Another test of the debate between change vs. continuity comes up next week when Secretary of State Cyrus R. Vance visits China for talks on closer political ties.

Last fall, Carter accused the Ford administration of "frittering away" an opportunity for normalizing relations with Peking. But most officials believe that caution will prevail on the Vance visit and that the existing policy of limited accommodation with China will remain intact for some time to come.

## Records Off Limits To Discharged Officer

AUSTIN, Tex. (AP) - A national guard officer discharged for allegedly coercing female subordinates to have sex with him has no right to see his investigative file, Atty. Gen. John Hill ruled Friday.

Hill's opinion, an interpretation of the Texas Open Records Act, went to Maj. Gen. Thomas Bishop, state adjutant general. Bishop said the officer demanded access to the investigative report under the open records law.

The inspector general of the Texas National Guard made the investigation after it was alleged "that the officer had abused his position by coercing women under his command to engage in

sexual relations with him." Hill noted.

He said the report contained statements of 22 witnesses, a detailed summary of the evidence and the investigator's conclusions and recommendations.

While the open records act gives state employees access to all the data in their personnel files, Hill said the investigative report was covered by the informer's privilege.

He observed that even if names were eliminated from witnesses' statements, it appears that virtually every statement made by each of the 22 informants would tend to reveal that person's identity.

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After graduation from HHS, Nancy graduated from Howard College, Big Spring, and then received her B.S. degree from WTSU.

Nancy became a professional her first year in the teaching profession by joining TSTA-NEA and TCTA, both local and state membership.

"During her leisure time, Nancy enjoys all kinds of sports, especially water and snow skiing, swimming, volleyball, and watching football.

"I feel that school should be an enjoyable place where a child learns to share, to expand his thoughts, and where, most of all, the child will be able to have an opportunity to gain experience and knowledge of trained teachers who are there to set examples and patterns for a child if he or she chooses to take the ideas and use them," commented Nancy, when asked her thoughts on teaching.

Reavley Resigns From Court

AUSTIN, Tex. (AP) - Justice Tom Reavley resigned from the Texas Supreme Court Friday, saying he wanted to "do something different," namely teach and practice law.

The resignation takes effect Oct. 5. He sent his letter of resignation to Gov. Dolph Briscoe, who will appoint a successor the second time this year the governor has been able to fill a vacancy on the high court.

Briscoe recently named Judge Charles Barrow to replace Don Yarbrough, who resigned from the court at the beginning of legislative proceedings to remove him.

Reavley, 56, has been on the court nine years and also served four years as an Austin district judge. He was Texas secretary of state from 1955 to 1957.

He said he will join the Austin law firm of Wallace Scott and Frank Douglass.

Reavley said he will teach next year at Baylor law school and also present lectures to Baylor undergraduates "on the impact of law on culture and civilization."

"That ought to give me enough running room," he said in a telephone interview.

Serving on the supreme court "is a great job and I enjoy it enormously. But it is confining."



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NANCY GRAVES

Doc Lauds Prehistoric Diet

HOUSTON (AP) - Dr. Vaughn Bryant Jr. is convinced modern society has done everything wrong as far as eating is concerned and "we'd be a lot better off if we followed the diet of prehistoric man."

And how does Dr. Bryant know what our ancestors ate thousands of years ago?

The Texas A&M University scientist has spent the past several years collecting coprolites (human waste) at archeological sites; taking them to his lab and determining the food eaten by those short, stoop-shouldered, bandy-legged people who once roamed our planet.

Dr. Bryant, in a recent interview, said, "I guess you could say we started at the bottom and worked up. What goes in, must come out."

"In the past it was sufficient for an archeologist to excavate a site and later report his findings in terms of the ceramic, lithic

and fibrous artifacts.

"Great quantities of potentially valuable artifacts were inadvertently destroyed or discarded through a lack of understanding of their usefulness. One such item, which has only recently been saved with any degree of regularity, is human coprolites."

"The undigested seeds and bones found in the feces of prehistoric man gives us the clues to the types of food he ate."

Dr. Bryant, a paleobotanist, decided to try the prehistoric diet in an effort to remove some of "the flab gathering around my middle from sitting behind a desk and eating too much junk food."

He admits he bypassed the lizards and rats, "but I did eat a lot of bulk, turnips, a plant called jimaca, some cactus pads, berries, honey and fruits, with the protein coming mostly from

fish."

The 190-pounds on his five-foot-9-inch frame dropped to 170 pounds in less than four months, "and I have never felt better."

One of his graduate students existed one week on the pure prehistoric diet and "although she admitted the food was bland, it didn't hurt her and she came out as healthy, if not healthier, than before."

Dr. Bryant, his office cluttered with the prehistoric coprolites, one 400,000 years old, said his research work may seem somewhat unusual to some people and concedes the laboratory is a far cry from a perfume factory.

Once the coprolites are taken to the lab, they are treated with a chemical which softens the substance and releases an intense offensive odor.

With his work now centered in a dig along the Trans-Pecos

area of southwest Texas, Dr. Bryant said skeleton remains indicate those who lived in the arid area were healthy, despite the hardships of existence and the absence of medical attention.

"These people led an active life. They had to survive. My research shows they ate a well-balanced diet. There was something in man to seek out the types of food his body needed, that is, before he was lured by the fancy displays in the grocery stores and the easily available junk foods."

Dr. Bryant said prehistoric man knew nothing of minerals or vitamins, "but they were not deformed. And, looking at their teeth, they could have said, 'look Mom, no cavities.'"

The study project, Dr. Bryant said, revealed prehistoric man had sufficient vitamins and minerals without popping pills. "First they ate a certain plant

that grows in the desert, a plant that one leaf contains the same amount of Vitamin C as one lime.

"When we talk of calcium, we think of dairy products, milk and cheese. The prehistoric man ate hackberries, inside of which is a little seed the size of a BB that is 99 per cent calcium."

"Our ancestors ate flowers, all of the flower. The sunflower, for example, is high in Vitamin B-6 and B-12. The cactus pad

had a tremendous amount of bulk, and it tastes a lot like green beans," he said.

Most of the meat diet, Dr. Bryant said, included lizards, mice, crickets, grasshoppers and some small fish apparently trapped in the ponds that dot the area.

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# Candlelight Ceremony Solemnized Saturday

Summer flowers and brass candelabra decorated the chancel of Amarillo's First Presbyterian Church Saturday evening for the marriage of Miss Kathy Mitchell of Dumas and Robert Barrett Lyons.

Greenery with yellow and green blossoms trimmed and arched brass candelabrum at the altar, which was flanked by spiral candelabra of brass. Matching candlesticks with lighted tapers marked the bride's aisle.

She is the daughter of J.M. Mitchell of Dumas and Nell K. Mitchell of Borger. The bridegroom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Paul Lyons, 500 Union.

The Rev. Jerry H. Boles, pastor of First Presbyterian Church of Dumas, officiated during the candlelight service.

Serving as the bride's honor attendant was her sister, Mrs. Scott Wilkins of Dumas. Other attendants were Mrs. Bruce Barrett of Hereford and Mrs. Lee Gibson of Canyon.

Allen Hare of Canyon was the best man. Additional groomsmen included the bridegroom's cousin, Bruce Barrett of

Hereford, and Pat Swindell of Amarillo.

Ushering guests were the bride's brother, Mark Mitchell of Borger, the bridegroom's brother-in-law, Shane Landers of Hereford, and Lee Gibson, Canyon.

Mrs. Shane Landers and Miss Elizabeth Lyons, sisters of the bridegroom, rendered "The Lord's Prayer," "Come Share My Life" and "The Greatest of These."

Presented in marriage by her father, the bride wore a formal gown of white chiffonette over bridal taffeta, designed with Queen Anne neckline of scalloped Alencon lace and an empire bodice adorned with lace and seed pearls. Her long, full sleeves, appliqued with lace and pearls, were caught at the wrists by deep fitted cuffs of beaded lace, which flared over her hands.

The softly-gathered A-line skirt was scattered with lace motifs, jeweled with seed pearls, and swept to back fullness to form a Chapel train.

Matching lace held her lace-edged mantilla veil of bridal illusion, which drifted to

fingertip length. She carried a cascade of yellow and white roses, daisies, sprengeri fern and babybreath.

Special additions to the bride's trousseau were earrings made from the buttons of her grandmother's wedding gown and a rose-shaped medal with bas-relief figures of three saints. Blessed by the Pope, this medal has been worn for good luck by numerous brides.

Clasping colonial bouquets of yellow daisies and babybreath, the bridal attendants wore white organdy dresses, embossed with yellow flowers and falling in three tiers to the hemline.

Amarillo Country Club was the site of the reception afterwards. Guests were registered by the bride's cousin, Mrs. Don Arkon.

Trimmed in yellow scallops and clusters of daisies, the three-tiered wedding cake was encircled by smilex and summer flowers. On top, a nosegay of yellow and white daisies with babybreath compelled the motif.

The centerpiece on the serving table was a silver epergne holding four yellow tapers and a bouquet of yellow and white daisies, yellow roses and babybreath. Punch was landlaid from a large silver bowl.

Swags of summer flowers and smilex trimmed the groom's cake, which was two layers of cinnamon chocolate cake. Appointments included a brass coffee service and a brass candelabrum with amber votive candles.

Serving refreshments were Mrs. Shane Landers, Miss Elizabeth Lyons, Mrs. Don Arkon and Miss Roma Johnson.

For a wedding trip to Dallas, San Antonio and Houston, Mrs. Lyons wore a dove gray skirt and vest with striped tailored blouse and matching tie. The couple will be at home at 2700 W. 16th, Amarillo, after Aug. 21.

The bride graduated this spring from West Texas State University with a bachelor's degree in business administration. She was a member of Zeta Tau Alpha Sorority.

Employed by Southwestern Life Insurance in Amarillo, the bridegroom also graduated from WTSU in May with a bachelor's degree in business administration. He was a member of Pi Delta Theta Fraternity.

Parents of the bridegroom entertained the wedding party at Italian Gardens in Amarillo after the rehearsal Friday night. Also, Mr. and Mrs. W.B. O'Brien, aunt and uncle of the bride, held a wedding day brunch Saturday for family and guests of the couple.



MRS. ROBERT LYONS  
...nee Kathy Mitchell

## Reception Monday To Honor Family

A reception is planned from 3-4 p.m. Monday in honor of Silvia Felizia Asselle of Torino, Italy, who was a foreign exchange student here in 1958. All interested individuals, particularly Mrs. Asselle's former classmates, are invited to the reception, to be held in the Friendship Room of Hereford State Bank.

Returning to Hereford for the first time since high school days, Mrs. Asselle will be accompanied by her husband, their two children and her parents.

As an exchange student, Mrs. Asselle lived in the George Paetzold home.

### Church Plans To Show Film

A Billy Graham film "For Pete's Sake" will be shown at 7 p.m. today at Wesley United Methodist Church, 410 Irving.

The public is invited to view the family film free of charge, according to Jesse Hodge, pastor.

The movie is the story of a man and his family and how they use Christianity to cope with the obstacles they encounter.

## Ann Landers Admirer Perplexed



**DEAR ANN LANDERS:** I have fallen in love with a woman who has six children. Only three are at home now. Wilma's husband is good to her and gives her and the kids whatever they need. (Much better than I could.) Anyway, I don't like kids. They are OK a few minutes at a time but they'd get on my nerves if I had to be around them a lot. I think Wilma would let her husband have them if I asked her to. She would make a terrific wife.

I have teased her a lot in the last year and we have fun together. I fly over her house (in a rented plane) when she's in the yard and she gets a kick out of that. Although I have never talked to Wilma about it face to face, I'm sure she is ready to run off with me.

I know her husband. We talk to each other all the time. He would kill me if he knew about us. He talks about Wilma as if she were an angel. What should I do?--Can't Make Up My Mind  
**DEAR ANN:** My advice to you can be reduced to two words. GET LOST.

**DEAR ANN LANDERS:** Is there something wrong with me? My husband says there is.

I believe it is disrespectful to come into a person's house and remove your shoes. I would never dream of doing such a thing, yet people do it in our house all the time. I'm not talking about teenagers, Ann, I mean folks of all ages.

I have rehearsed what I'm going to say the next time it happens, but when "the next time" comes, I can't get the words out.

Please give me your advice on the subject. I'm afraid one of these days I'm going to explode.--I Keep Mine On

**DEAR ANN:** I am not offended when a guest removed her shoes in my home. Notice I said "HER" because I don't think I've ever seen a male guest do this.

Why women only? Because their feet hurt and it's a relief to get the darned things off. Their vanity (and stupidity) has led them to crippling their feet in ill-fitting shoes.

My advice is to get over your hang-up, dear. It's not that big a deal.

**DEAR ANN LANDERS:** What's the matter with you? I have written you three letters this year (this is my fourth) and you haven't printed a single one in the paper.

I know you get a lot of mail but the problem I am having

## Garage Sale Open Today

Today is the final day of the Hereford Satellite Center garage sale at the center's offices on Labor Camp Road (Archer St.).

The sale hours for today will be from 9 a.m. - 2 p.m.

Proceeds of the weekend sale will be used by the Center's clients during a trip to Oklahoma City in the near future.

### BIRTH ANNOUNCED

Mr. and Mrs. Ronnie Greenway of Amarillo are the parents of a son, Ronald Alvin Jr., born Aug. 12 at Amarillo. He weighs 7 lbs. 6 oz.

Grandparents include Mr. and Mrs. Ancil Greenway of Hereford.

Transylvania is located in central Romania, west of the Carpathian Mountains and north of the Transylvanian Alps. The region corresponds closely to the ancient Roman province of Dacia.

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## Kings Manor News

Mrs. Eleanor Mahl, administrator of Abraham Memorial home in Canadian was house guest of her mother Mrs. Myrtle Porter last week.

Dinner guests of Mrs. Ina Hastings last Sunday were her daughter and son-in-law Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Hill from Hale Center.

Waverly Boling from California visited her grandmother Hattie Boling last week. She was accompanied by her friend Lynn Evans, also of California.

Dinner guests of Ruby Stevenson during last week were Avice Whigham of Amarillo and Ethel Hinson of Floydada.

Mrs. Herman Poage from Arizona was a house guest here this week while visiting her mother Mrs. Ruby Hewitt in Westgate.

Mrs. Naomi Simpson and Mrs. Cora Cockrell visited in a Hastings and Dixie Stewart Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Herman Cross of Memphis, Tex. visited Saturday afternoon with his mother Mrs. Alma Cross and his uncle and aunt Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Hudson.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Hill and children of California visited his aunt Mrs. Eva Stacy this week.

Vesper service Tuesday evening was conducted by Rev. Doug Gossett, associate pastor of First United Methodist Church. His message was based on "Forgetting those things that are passed and looking forward to things before." (Phil. 3:13) He suggested that one with God's help could leave behind sin, mistakes and even one's pedigree then reach and attain all that was before which would give joy and peace. At the close, the Gossetts entertained the group with choruses with his accompaniment on guitar.

The Seekers Sunday School Class of First United Methodist Church entertained King's Manor residents Wednesday Night in Lamar Memorial Garden Room with a Popcorn Party. Since this is a couple's class, the children came also, bringing joy and delight. They entertained with songs and piano numbers that added greatly to our enjoyment.

Doug Gossett led the group in hymn singing with Roberta Wilson at the piano. It was indeed a delightful occasion. Bud Snyder is president and Mrs. Don Davidson teacher of this splendid class.

The following were present: Patty Brock and daughters, Vickie and Christie; Marsha and Bud Snyder and children, Lisa, Robbin, Tricia and Matthew; Logan and Margaret McLelland and daughter Emilee; John and

Shelia Thames and daughters Laura and Delight; Bill and Joan Bookout and daughter, Jennifer; Jim and Janice Conkright and daughters, Robbin and Leslie; Doug and Mary Bartlett and son James Douglas.

Residents engaged in a delightful and entertaining diversion Tuesday evening when Joe and Bethany Williams showed slides and pictures of a recent trip they made through several southern states. Scenes of mountains, streams, flowers, colonial homes and wild life were indescribably beautiful and informative.

Then, a collection of snapshots of residents - some posed and some caught unaware - provoked amusement and some questions. During this time we indulged in delicious popcorn and lemonade prepared by Oneita Davidson and Lucile Naylor. The corn was popped in the lovely new popper provided by our good Lion Club friends. A million thanks to them.

The number of television stations reporting to the Federal Communication Commission went from six in 1945 to 688 in 1970, according to the Census Bureau.

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## Marriage Planned

Charles Ray Inman and Miss Diane McMahon, both of Wichita Falls, plan to marry September 10 in First Baptist Church at Munday.

The bride-elect is the daughter of Elba McMahon of Munday and the prospective bridegroom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Burke W. Inman Sr. of Hereford.

Miss McMahon attended Cisco Junior College at Cisco following graduation in 1969 from Munday High School. She is employed by KAUZ-TV at Wichita Falls.

Inman is employed by a construction firm at Wichita Falls. A 1968 graduate of Hereford High School, he attended West Texas State University at Canyon.

## Bippus Reunion Is Today

Homecoming is being observed today at Bippus Community House, with registration to be held from 10:30-11:30 a.m. All persons are invited.

A singing and worship service is scheduled from 11:30 a.m.-12:30 p.m., to be followed by a basket luncheon. A special program is planned from 2-4 p.m.

Mrs. C. Higgins is president of this year's reunion.

Toast walnuts and serve them as a topping for pancakes or French toast with maple syrup for Sunday brunch.

The number of radio stations in the United States rose from 906 in 1945 to 4,900 in 1970.

## Joyce's Journal

By JOYCE SHIPP  
Deaf Smith County Extension Agent

### FOOD PRESERVATION WORKSHOP WEDNESDAY

Many of you have experienced problems in home canning this year. If you have some canned goods that you have a question about, bring them to the Pioneer Natural Gas Flame Room, Wednesday, August 17, 1:30 p.m. Canning problems will be discussed. We will view a slide set, "HOME CANNING: DO IT SAFELY".

This workshop is free of charge and open to the public. It will be conducted on an informal problem-solving basis. If you have questions regarding this workshop, call 364-3573.

### 4-H BAKE SHOW WORKSHOP

All 4-H members are encouraged to attend a Bake Show project, Wednesday, August 17, 9 a.m., Pioneer Natural Gas Flame Room. You will be given an opportunity to experiment with the two products for the County Bake Show. Mrs. Edwin (Kay) Morrison, Jr. is chairman of the Bake Show Committee this year.

Mrs. Raymond Smith will demonstrate yeast rolls and LeAnne Hughes and Tamara Myers will demonstrate peanut butter cookies. All project participants will be actively involved. Make plans to attend the half-day workshop.

### NATIONAL DIET

Nutritionists are calling for changes in the American diet—and a U.S. Senate committee proposes that the changes become national dietary goals.

Some eating habits in the United States are a grave threat to health, according to nutritionists testifying before the U.S. Senate Select Committee on Nutrition and Human Needs.

In answer to that, the committee proposes that national goals be toward diets lower in fat, sugar and salt, and higher in fruits, vegetables and cereals.

Specific recommendations are:

- 1) Increase carbohydrate consumption to 55 to 60 per cent of the total energy intake.
- 2) Reduce fat consumption

from 40 to 30 per cent of the energy intake.

3) In reducing fat consumption down to 30 per cent of the total energy intake, keep the following balance: 10 per cent of saturated, polyunsaturated and monounsaturated fats.

Saturated fats are usually found in animal sources. Polyunsaturated fats are found in vegetable sources such as safflower, corn, cottonseed or soy oil. Monounsaturated fats are found in olive oil and peanut oil.

4) Reduce the cholesterol consumption—from about 600-800 milligrams down to about 300 milligrams a day.

5) Reduce sugar consumption by about 40 per cent to account for about 15 per cent of the total energy intake.

6) Reduce salt consumption by 50 to 85 per cent, down to about three grams a day. The average American consumes from eight to 10 grams a salt daily.

These goals suggest the following changes in food selection and preparation:

—Increase consumption of fruits and vegetables and whole grain cereals.

—Decrease consumption of meat and increase consumption of poultry, without skin, and fish.

Fish is the only animal source of polyunsaturated fats.

—Decrease consumption of foods high in fat and partially substitute polyunsaturated fat for saturated fat.

—Substitute non-fat milk for whole milk.

—Decrease consumption of eggs, butter fat and other high cholesterol sources.

—Decrease the consumption of sugar and foods high in sugar content.

—Decrease the consumption of salt and foods high in salt content.

From 1759 to 1788 there was only one life insurance company in the United States; from 1789 to 1798 there were two. In 1970, there were 1,000.

The Hand Tools Institute advises that safety goggles be donned before starting any hammering job.

## Lamaze Series To Be Taught

The Lamaze method of painless childbirth will be taught in classes which will begin Friday Aug. 19 in First National Bank Community Room. The class, which begins at 7 p.m., will be held each Friday for the ensuing 6-8 weeks.

Further information may be obtained by contacting the Lamaze instructors, Penny Jessup or Glenda Wells.

## Car Wash Scheduled Tomorrow

The youth of First Presbyterian Church will be holding a car wash to raise money for a winter skiing trip on Monday at the church parking lot. The car wash will be open from 9 a.m. - 3 p.m.

For \$3, the youth will clean the interior and outside of an individual's car.

## Instructors Course Slated for Swimmers

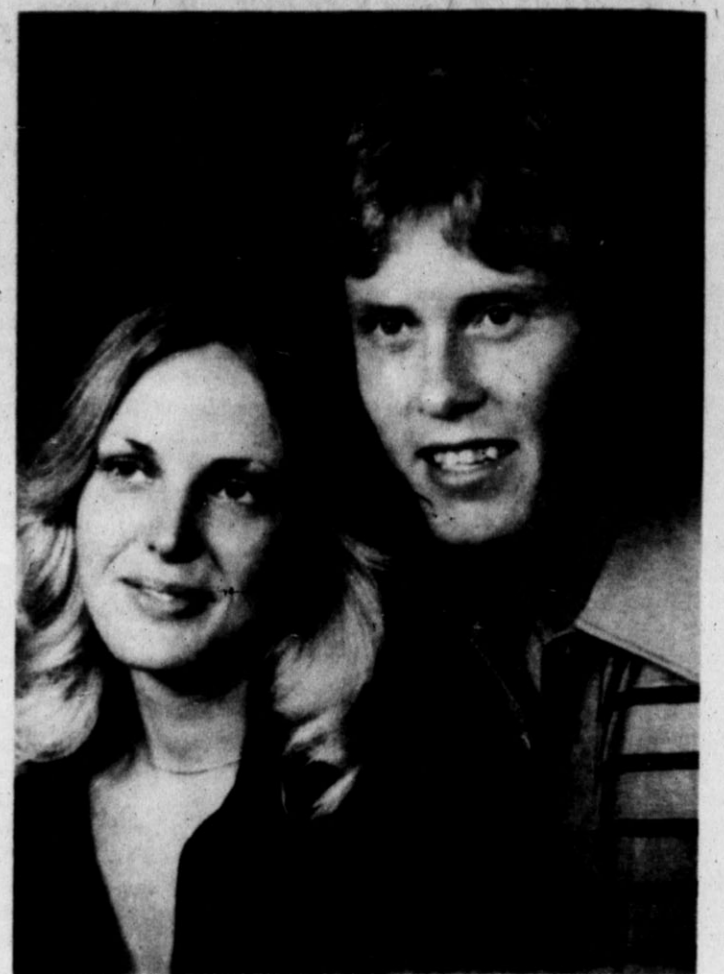
The Red Cross will offer a Water Safety Instructors course this year, beginning Aug. 22 from 6-9 p.m. at the City Pool.

Those taking this course must be 17 years of age or older, hold a current Senior Life Saving certificate and have swimming ability.

The Water Safety Instructor course will be conducted by Steve Murray, Red Cross Water Safety Instructor Trainer (WS-IT) of Lubbock.

Further information may be obtained by telephoning the Red Cross office, 364-3761.

The sun is as big as a million earths.



## To Exchange Vows

The marriage plans of Miss Shawn Frye and Gordon Gearn have been announced by her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ray Frye, 144 Liveoak. The bridegroom, who resides at Dawn, is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Kenny Gearn, 136 Mimosa. The ceremony is to be solemnized September 9 in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Geary Gearn. A spring graduate of Hereford High School, the bride-elect is employed as a lab technician by High Plains Laboratory Inc. The prospective bridegroom is general manager of Kenny Gearn Machine Works. He attended North Texas State University at Denton and the University of Texas at Austin following graduation from HHS in 1973.

## Dinner Theatre Bills Comedy

"Take a Number, Darling" is now playing on stage at Country Squire Dinner Theatre in Amarillo.

The three-act comedy by Jack Shorkey is set in a Manhattan penthouse during a mild mid-November day.

Action of "Take a Number, Darling" whirls around the exploits of a young, concert pianist, his wife—a television star, his best friend—a Navy commander, a writer for a scandal magazine, a public relations representative and a lovely young lady visiting from Valencia.

Director of the comedy is Pamela McCormick of Houston. She has been a member of the cast of the three most recent Country Square productions—"Then Ninety Day Mistress," "The Paisley Convertible" and

"The Prisoner of Second Avenue." Miss McCormick is a director as well as performer.

Featured in the cast of David Silberman, Renda Lowe, Jane Taylor, Bee Crews, Arthur Smith and Adele Sherr.

"Take a Number, Darling" will be presented each evening Tuesday through Saturday through Sept. 17.

Dinner service at Country Squire, located at 1-40 at Lakeside at the Hilton Inn, begins at 6:30 p.m. and is followed by pre-show entertainment with the Country Rogues at 8 p.m. Show time is 8:30 p.m. Reservations are advisable as seating is limited.



TIMMY SANDOVAL

## Sandoval On Leave From Navy

Timmy Sandoval, 18 year old son of Mary Kaye Sandoval, 606 Stanton, is at home on leave after completing basic training in Orlando, Fla.

He will be stationed as a carrier Seaman in Alameda, Calif.

## Rodeo Team Meets Monday

The task of selecting a sponsor for the rodeo team will be undertaken during a meeting at 8 p.m. Monday at Pizza Hut. All new members and parents of members are particularly urged to attend.

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## At Wits End

BY ERMA BOMBECK

What is faster than a speeding bullet? More powerful than a locomotive? Able to leap tall buildings in a single jump? Women at garage sales, that's who.

It had to see Garage Power firsthand to believe it. Before moving out of state, I found myself with a few excess trinkets. (Who am I kidding? The attic is so full of junk the county couldn't get the door open to condemn it.)

My girl friend, Esther, said, "You are a natural for a garage sale."

"Why do you say that?" I asked.

"Because you are cheap."

"I don't think you understand," I sniffed. "That spreading one's personal wares out in a garage for public exhibition is not only crass, it smacks of being tacky."

"I made 32 bucks off my junk," she said.

"Why didn't you say so? I asked excitedly. Get the card table and let's get started."

The garage sale began at 9 a.m. By 7:30 a.m. I had 15 cars parked on the driveway, 18 on the lawn, two in a ditch and a Volkswagen trying to parallel park between two automobiles in my living room.

They grabbed and bought anything that wasn't pumping water, cemented in the ground, growing from seeds or spit sparks at them when touched.

They bought cocktail toothpicks that were billed as "Like New"...radios guaranteed not to play over...buckets with leaks...books of German military comments...and a ukulele that only knew one song, "The World is Waiting for the Sunrise."

At one point I tried to shove through the crowd with a package in my hand. A woman grabbed it from me and said, "I'll give you 35 cents."

"No, really, I stammered. "This isn't..."

"Fort cents," she said, grabbing it, "and that is my last offer."

It is the first time anyone paid me 40 cents for my garbage. By 4 p.m. I watched tiredly as a woman tried to cram my husband into her trunk.

"Esther," I said, "this is the most incredible sight I have ever seen."

"What's in that package under your arm?" she said.

"It's nothing," I hesitated.

"It's mildewed laundry," she shouted. "How much did you pay for it?"

"Thirty-five cents, but some of it still fits."

## HHS Yearbooks Arrive

It was announced late Friday that the Hereford High School yearbooks for the 1976-77 school year have been received and will be distributed from 6-8:30 p.m. Tuesday in the lounge of the Community Center.

Only students who purchased an annual during the school year will receive yearbooks Tuesday. Any extra annuals will be sold after the beginning of school.

## From the TAP Kitchen

Texas Department of Agriculture-Regan V. Brown, Commissioner

### BREAD N' BUTTER PICKLES

- 4 medium cucumbers, sliced (about 8 cups)
- 1 pound onions, sliced (about 5 cups)
- 1 medium green pepper, finely chopped (about 1/2 cup)
- 1/2 cup salt
- 1 quart water
- 2 1/2 cups sugar
- 1 tablespoon mustard seed
- 1/2 teaspoon celery seed
- 1/4 teaspoon turmeric
- 1/4 teaspoon ginger
- 1 1/2 cups vinegar
- 1 cup water

Place cucumbers, onions, and green pepper in large bowl. Dissolve salt in 1 quart water, pour over cucumbers and cover. Let stand at room temperature for 4 hours. Drain cucumbers, place in a 6-quart Dutch oven. Heat remaining ingredients in medium saucepan to boiling, stirring until sugar dissolves. Pour over cucumbers. Heat to boiling. Pack in sterilized jars leaving 1/2 inch head space. Seal. Process in boiling water bath for 10 minutes.



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## Cummings Couple To Be Feted

Friends and relatives of Mr. and Mrs. Oliver Cummings are invited to honor the couple at a reception from 2-4 p.m. today in observance of their 63rd wedding anniversary. The reception will be held in the home of Mrs. Cummings' sister, Mrs. B.A. West, 524 E. 15th St.

Serving as co-hostesses will be Mrs. Cummings' other two sisters, Rosa Lee Mullin and Mattie Mullin, both of Oklahoma City.

Annie Mullin and Oliver Cummings were married Aug. 16, 1914 in a local parsonage.

They have lived in Hereford at various times of their lives and settled here permanently 22 years ago.

Residing at 510 Ave. K, Cummings is retired as a grain elevator superintendent. The couple has four daughters and a son, including Ruby Neff of McAllen, Viola Williamson of Alaska, Lois McDermitt of Hereford, Norma Dement of Lubbock and Raymond Cummings of Lander, Wyo. There are 22 grandchildren and 14 great-grandchildren.

Mr. and Mrs. Cummings are members of Central Church of Christ.

## Area Residents Return from Tour

A number of area residents are returning tomorrow from a 21-day escorted bus tour of the Pacific Northwest and Canadian Rockies.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert L. Thompson of Hereford served as escorts during the motor-coach journey. Among the passengers are two of Mrs. Thompson's sisters, Mrs. N. Doyle Hinrichsen of Hagerman, N.M. and Miss Ethel Womble of Hereford.

Others taking the excursion were Frank and Anna Katherine Huckert of Summerfield, Guy and Glenn Walser of Summerfield, Ralph and Marie Sears of Hereford, A.G. and Koma Ratcliff of Dimmitt and Roy and Frances Mosley of Kingsland. Mrs. Mosley is the sister of Mrs. Robert Wagoner, Hereford.

Among the cities visited on the bus route were Colorado Springs, Colo., Salt Lake City, Utah, Lake Tahoe, San Francisco and Seattle, Wash. On the eleventh day of the vacation, the group entered Canada via scenic Victoria.

The ensuing four days were spent in British Columbia and

Alberta before dropping back into the United States Tuesday across the plains of northern Montana. From Sheridan, Wyo. the travelers stayed at Cheyenne and at Denver, where a farewell banquet is being held tonight for the passengers.

The monetary unit of Mongolia is the Tughrig.

## Home Decorating News

By Imogene McGee



HOME FURNISHING is our business. Like any other specialist, we are familiar with the problems that arise in selecting individual pieces of furniture or achieving a pleasing decor in the entire home. Many of you have come to us with questions about decorating...and the chances are that you have a lot of other questions.

That's what gave us the idea of writing this column. We'll take up the questions that are most frequently asked of us, and talk about the various ways in which you can have a home decor which is comfortable to live with and reflects your good taste.

You've probably heard it said that in furniture as in most things "you get what you pay for." There is no substitute for quality. And this is certainly true. A good sofa of quality construction will outlast an inferior one many times, paying for itself in comfort, service, and also in the pride you can have in it. So it is with most furnishings.

However, wise selection and planning can help you create a beautiful interior even with budget limitations. We'll try to help you with that selection and planning in these columns. And whenever you have other questions, feel free to come in and talk them over with us. We'll be glad to help.

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## Along The Frio

MRS. OWEN ANDREWS

Mr. and Mrs. A.T. Jones returned last week from a visit with his daughter, Mrs. Wes Brown, Mr. Brown and their daughter, Mrs. Ron Griffith, Mr. Griffith and family at Park Rapids, Minn. The Jones flew were met at Fargo, N.D. by the Browns. Fishing and travel into Canada were part of the highlights of the trip.

mostly at a sight near Tres Ritos, and returned home together, Wednesday.

Mrs. Richard Thomas of Memphis, Tenn., came this week to visit. She is a house guest of Mrs. Earl Harkins, Mrs. Jim Brooks and Mrs. Kenneth Frye and when she returns home next week she will be accompanied by her son, Todd, who has spent the summer here with relatives of the Taylor and Brooks families.

Among families attending reunions this weekend are the Joe Andrews, attending a Haseloff reunion at Zion Lutheran church near Vernon.

Also the Robert Dobbins family, Mrs. Annie Lee Dobbins and the Edgar Vinson family who will be gathered at Lake Brownwood for a reunion of relatives.

The Harlan Barbers were attending a Franklin family gathering at Colorado City this weekend. Cousins, Iola Chmiel and Ruth Davis of Las Alamos, Cal., came this week to visit the Barbers and to attend the family gathering. Mrs. Barber accom-

panied them to Lubbock to be with another cousin, Oma Dell Ely of Daytona Beach, Fla., who also came to be with the relatives and visit her mother, Mrs. Laura Franklin, Lubbock. Visiting the Barbers the first of this week were his sister, Mrs. Paul Barron, Mr. Barron and son, Wayne, of Lorraine.

Mr. and Mrs. Buck Barnett returned this week from a several days trip, visiting relatives at Gallup, N.M. and then others in northern Arizona. They took a scenic tour to the Grand Canyon and other points of interest in the area.

## New Arrivals

Mr. and Mrs. David McKibben are the parents of a daughter, Cassandra Michelle, born Aug. 10. She weighed 7 lbs. 6 oz.

Mr. and Mrs. Dwayne Schulte are the parents of a son, Jared Roy, born Aug. 10. He weighed 8 lbs. 8 oz.

Mr. and Mrs. Comrade Riojas are the parents of a baby girl. She was born Aug. 11, and weighed 6 lbs. 1/2 oz.

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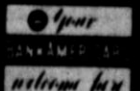
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## Vega News

MARY LOU SPINHIRNE

Monday evening dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Tom Fields were Mr. and Mrs. Bill Tinsley of Irving, Mrs. Margaret Oaks of Redwood, Calif., Mr. and Mrs. Henry Fields of Claude, Mr. and Mrs. Lynn Jones and children of Hereford, Mrs. Robert Wagner of Hereford, and Mrs. Teddy Scott and children of Amarillo.

Ralph Rice of Wildorado is a patient in High Plains Baptist Hospital with a broken shoulder.

Mrs. Bertha McGrew of Boyina, Mr. and Mrs. J.D. Terry and Eugene attended the Terry Family Reunion Sunday at Ralls. About 40 persons enjoyed the day.

Miss Shelly Armitage of Fort Worth is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Bob Armitage.

Mr. and Mrs. Clayton Cook spent the weekend in Clovis, N.M. with Mr. and Mrs. Warren Cook.

Mesdames Zilva Dennis and Zola Baskin of Dalhart have been recent guests of Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Ayers.

Friends of Charles McNeill, former principal of Vega High School, now of West Columbia, S.C., were saddened to hear of the recent death of Mrs. Carolyn McNeill.

Miss Becky Bills of Lubbock is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ed Bills and Ruth.

Teresa and Tommy Boling of San Diego, Calif. and Rhett Cauble of Channing are visiting Mr. and Mrs. Jack Cauble.

S/Sgt. and Mrs. David Williams of Anchorage, Alaska are guests of Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Erwin.

W.L. Wright of Amarillo was the Wednesday luncheon guest of Mr. and Mrs. Pete Kelly.



### To Be Wed

A former resident, Miss Olga Reyes of Huntington Park, Calif., daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Jesus Reyes, 417 Ave. H, will be the bride of Jose Delgado on August 20 in St. Joseph's Catholic Church, Huntington Park. The bridegroom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Delgado of Huntington Park. The bride-elect is a graduate of Artesia High School at Artesia, N.M. and she is now employed as a secretary.

## Police to Be Dunked During MD Carnival

Several city officials, including Hereford police officers, will perch on a dunking board during the Muscular Dystrophy Carnival at Dameron Park Sept. 4, according to the Hereford Elks and Elkettes.

Plans for the carnival were made Wednesday night during a special meeting in BPOE Lodge, 131 E. Second St. Letters asking for the support of local merchants were mailed in hopes of securing donations of money, merchandise and gift certificates.

Games for all ages are planned for the Labor Day carnival, with the dunking board expected to be a feature attraction. City Police, members of the Sheriff's department, volunteer police officers, Judge Sam Morgan, Justice of the Peace Glen Nelson, the Volunteer Fire Department and probation officers have received

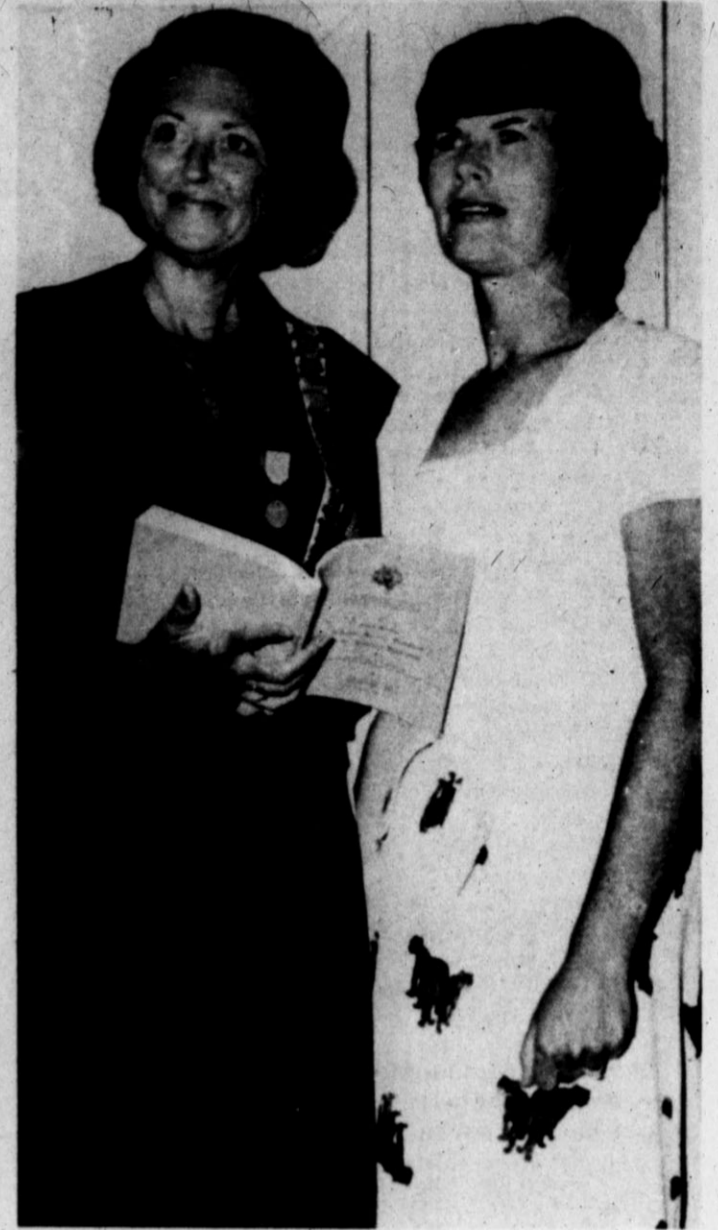
invitations to be the targets of the dunking contests.

Last year's carnival for muscular dystrophy in Hereford reaped \$3,610.14 and it is hoped that this sum will be surpassed this year. Elks, their wives and the Elkettes are now collecting money and other items for the carnival.

Persons interested in making a donation, who have not yet been contacted, are asked to telephone Joyce Walker 364-6721 or 364-3750, Martha Bridges 364-1468 or, after 2 p.m., the Elks Lodge 364-4771. A representative of the Elk organization will come by for the donation, or it may be taken to the BPOE Lodge.

Checks should be made payable to the Muscular Dystrophy Fund.

The Elks express appreciation for all support.



### Orientation Speakers

Mrs. E.S. Brainard of Amarillo, state vice regent of DAR, and Mrs. John Ramp of Canadian, state DAR committee chairman, were keynoters Friday at Hereford Country Club during a DAR orientation. The program, which lasted into the afternoon, was sponsored by Los Ciboleros Chapter of DAR. [Brand Staff photo].

## Red Cross Update

By BETTY HENSON



The Good Neighbor.

LOCAL: Katie Miller reminds us long distance from Santa Fe, N.M., that the Water Safety Instructor Classes will begin Monday August 22 at the City Pool 6:30. If your club, organization or business would like to enroll your members or employees in a first Aid class call the office and arrangements will be made with one of the First Aid Teachers to start a class.

The Uniformed Volunteers held a Workday Tuesday to begin to set up a clothing room for disaster victims. They will be working at various times in completing and maintaining this project. If you have clothing,

dishes or linens you might like to contribute call Nell Culpeper, chairman, or the office.

Here's a special word of appreciation for the members of the United Way Budget Committee for their patience in listening to all of our presentations and making hard decisions. "Thanks." We are making plans for the Health Fair

to be held in September and hope you are making plans to attend. The Youth program will get under way soon. Margaret London, Youth Chairman is planning a Workshop to start the year.

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## Calendar of Events

- THURSDAY**
- Kiwanis Club, Civic Club Center, noon.
  - Hereford Jaycees, Civic Club Center, 8 p.m.
  - Hereford TOPS Club, Community Center, 9 a.m.
  - American Association of Retired Persons, Community Center, 7 p.m.
  - VPW, VFW Clubhouse, 8 p.m.
  - BPOE Lodge in Elks Hall, 8:30 p.m.
- FRIDAY**
- Merry Mixers Square Dance Club, Community Center 8:30 p.m.
  - Kiwanis Whiteface Breakfast Club at Dickies Restaurant, 7:30 a.m.
  - Story hour for children, grades 1-4 at Deaf Smith County Library, 4-4:45 p.m.
  - Community Duplicate Bridge at REC Medallion Room, 7:30 p.m.
  - More than 80 languages and dialects are spoken in the Philippines; National Geographic says.
  - Switzerland has 1,700 ski lifts that can carry one million skiers or summer sightseers an hour.

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## Parents Reminded Of Story Hours

Roberta Seago and Suzy Curtisinger urge local parents to register their children for the story hour program offered by Deaf Smith County Library.

It is essential that a child's address, birthday and parents' names be provided when he or she is registered. Children who are eligible to participate in story hours must be between the ages of 3-6 in order to participate in the preschooler

story hour or in the 1-4 grades for the elementary story hour.

As of Sept. 6, the preschooler story hours will be offered at 9:30 a.m. each Tuesday and at 9:30 a.m. and 3 p.m. each Wednesday. This is a change from the current schedule.

The library staff has also altered its schedule for the 1-4 grade story hour, now to be held at 4 o'clock each Wednesday.

The story hour program offers

an assortment of learning experiences for children, including puppet plays, songs, finger plays, film strips and movies. There will be treats on special occasions and birthdays recognized.

A special puppet show is planned Sept. 6-7 in conjunction with the new story hour schedule.

Further information may be obtained at the library.

## Microwave Cooking: How Worthwhile?

By CECILY BROWNSTONE  
Associated Press Food Editor

There's a sensible feature about the pros and cons of microwave cooking in the August 1977 issue of Redbook Magazine, currently available. Food Editor Elizabeth Alston asked her readers what they really wanted to know about the subject and Redbook's test kitchens provided the answers. We like the piece because Elizabeth and her helpers give praise where it's due; they're also honest about pointing out where the trusty gas or electric range performs better than the microwave oven.

A dozen categories of food are discussed under the head of "What Cooks Well in a Microwave Oven — and What Doesn't." One of the stars in the fruit category is baked apples: "They keep their shape and have a uniform texture throughout with no mushiness." A microwave oven also cuts down dramatically on their cooking time. We tested Redbook's recipe, varying the kind of apple. We used yellow Delicious instead of the McIntosh called for; and we extended the cooking time not only because of our variety of fruit but because our portable microwave oven has a lower wattage than the ovens the Redbook kitchen used. We like the apples served warm or reheated in the microwave oven.

Another winner is a main dish hearty eaters enjoy. It's a combination of shoulder pork chops, sauerkraut and apple plus brown sugar. If you don't

find the shoulder pork chops already cut in your supermarkets, as was our fate, there's a remedy. Buy a small fresh pork shoulder roast (sometimes called a "picnic") and cut the chops yourself. When we did this we found it easy to remove the large bone at the end of the roast before slicing the meat.

One other good point about this Redbook feature: after each recipe giving microwave procedure, there are directions for cooking it the conventional way.

### PORK CHOPS WITH SWEET-AND-SOUR KRAUT

Two 16-ounce cans sauerkraut  
1/2 cup brown sugar, packed to measure  
1 cup peeled, cored, diced McIntosh apple  
4 shoulder pork chops, 1/2 to 3/4 inch thick (about 2 pounds)

Microwave cooking: Put sauerkraut in a colander and drain well, reserving 2 tablespoons of the liquid. In a medium-sized bowl mix all but 1 tablespoon of the brown sugar with the 2 tablespoons sauerkraut liquid; when sugar is dissolved, add sauerkraut and apples and mix well. Arrange chops in an 11 1/2 by 7 1/2 by 1 1/2-inch glass baking dish, placing bones toward center of dish. Cover with sauerkraut and then with clear plastic wrap, leaving one corner folded back. Cook 12 to 15 minutes; sprinkle remaining tablespoon of brown sugar

over sauerkraut. Cook 3 to 4 minutes longer, until sugar is browned and a microwave or instant-reading thermometer inserted in the pork chops reads 175 degrees Fahrenheit. Let stand 5 to 10 minutes. Makes 4 servings.

Conventional cooking: In a heavy, 10-inch skillet heat 1 tablespoon oil over moderately high heat; add pork chops and brown on both sides, turning only once. Sprinkle with 1/2 teaspoon salt and 1/4 teaspoon pepper. Arrange well-drained sauerkraut on top of the pork chops, sprinkle with apple and brown sugar and toss lightly to mix. Cover pan and bring to a simmer over moderate heat; reduce heat to low and cook 30 minutes. Uncover pan and cook 10 minutes longer, until liquid evaporates and sugar caramelizes slightly.

From "Microwave Cooking: How Good? How Easy?" as featured in the August 1977 issue of Redbook Magazine.

MEMPHIS (AP) — The former U.S. Open champion, Cary Middlecott, has some suggestions for golfers playing on hot and humid days.

He suggests: one, wearing light-colored and light-weight cotton clothing. Two, changing your golf shirt between a practice period, if you have one, and teeing off. Three, placing a towel soaked in ice water around your neck. Four, keeping dry towels in your golf bag. Five, wearing a hat or cap to protect your head from the sun.



### Five Generations

Members of the Matilda Garcia Family were reunited recently and five generations of the clan are represented in this picture. At back left are Prissilla Lucero and Bernie Lucero, seated from left Jesusita Griego and Matilda Garcia with Julie Ann Lucero.

## Matilda Garcia Family Holds Reunion Sunday

The Matilda Garcia family met recently at the Knights of Columbus Hall for a family reunion.

Garcia is 85 years old and has three daughters and four sons. They are Frank Garcia, Mrs. Lois Griego, and Mrs. Lucio Blea, all of Hereford; Ben Garcia, and Rudy Garcia, both

of Denver, Colo.; Chris Garcia and Mrs. Robert Almo both of Albuquerque, N.M. He has 50 grandchildren, 76 great-grandchildren and 14 great-great-grandchildren.

A group of 230 family members had lunch and supper followed by a dance which lasted until 12 midnight.

Those tiny loaf pans can often be found in the toy departments of dime stores. They measure 4 1/4 by 2 1/2 by 1 1/2 inches. A yeast-bread recipe that calls for 3 cups of flour will usually fill about 6 of the small pans.


### Hospital Notes

**PATIENTS IN HOSPITAL**  
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Refugio Montano, Jeanne Galley, Delores Robles, Shelly Hacker, Aubrey Bell.

"Let's talk dry cleaning"



BY RICK BLASKE

So many of our friends and customers ask questions about dry cleaning and clothes care that it occurred to use there might be a great many others who had the same problems and questions but just didn't get around to asking them. We wondered if there might be a way we could discuss some of these subjects, like an open forum, and this column is the answer.

We'll appear here each week with a variety of facts and comments about dry cleaning. We'll try to offer tips on how to conserve clothes and get more wear out of them, how to keep them looking better, how to select them for service.

We'll also suggest useful facts about such problems as stains and what to do about them...different fabrics, like the new synthetics, and what you should look for in buying and caring for them...cleaning problems with dyes, shrinkage, and so on. May be along the way we'll even find space to toss in a few personal comments.

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1 very small onion, sliced thin and separated into rings  
Salt and pepper to taste  
Whisk together the salad oil and vinegar in a shallow container. Stir in the remaining ingredients. Cover tightly and chill 24 hours before serving to allow flavors to blend. Remove garlic. Makes about 1 1/2 cups. Adapted from "With Love From Your Kitchen" by Diana and Paul von Welanetz (J.P. Tarcher).

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1/2 teaspoon ground cumin  
Trim excess fat from around chops. Whisk together the remaining ingredients. Arrange the pork chops in a single layer in a shallow container into which they will just fit. Pour the marinade over them. Cover tightly. Refrigerate for 2 or 3 days. Drain. Dry with paper toweling. Fry in hot olive oil until cooked through. Makes 2 servings.

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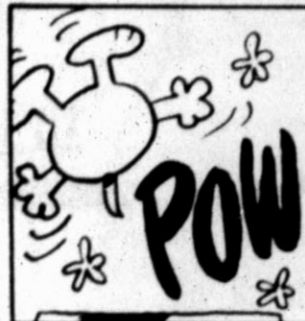
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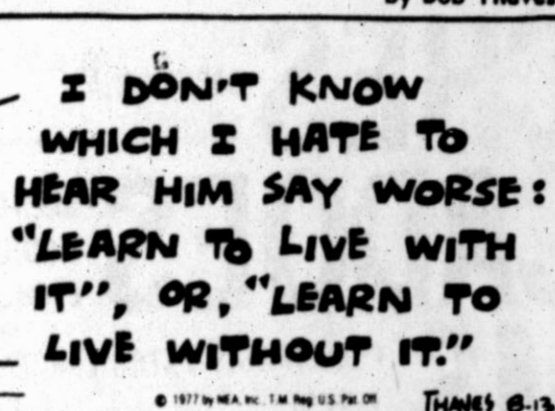
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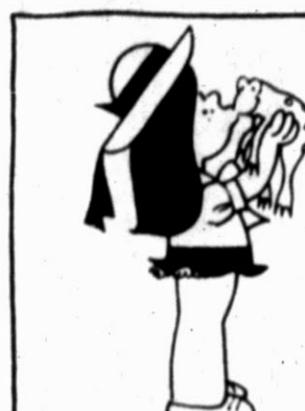
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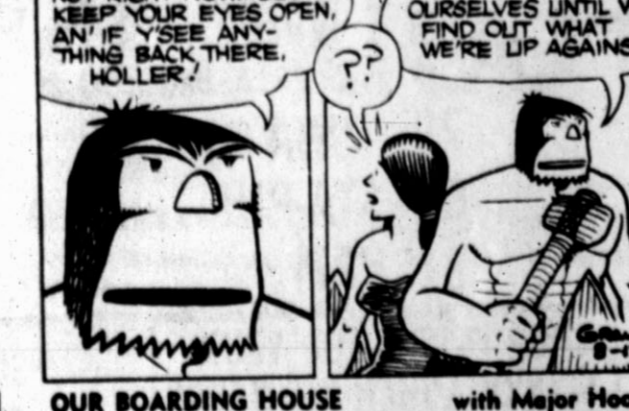


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Crossword puzzle grid with clues and answers.



Television schedule listing programs, times, and networks for Sunday, Monday, and Tuesday.

... we have the right to rear decent children ...

# A Parent's Case Against Porno

By WILLIAM A. STANMEYER

Pornography exploits. Pornography is exploitation. Pornography teaches exploitation. Yet we have otherwise serious lawyers and writers urging that society have no laws to protect its citizens from the harm that a vast majority of citizens correctly perceive will flow from the pornographic flood.

Presumably this defense of moral pollution stems from misunderstanding what pornography is, or blindness to the harm it does, or mistake as to the impact control will have on freedom of speech, or confusion as to law's legitimate role in protecting public morality.

**THE PUBLIC WANTS** the law to restrain pornography. Most "intellectuals" do not. The purpose of this article is to remind the intellectuals why the public is right.

In a Feb. 26 article about children in pornographic films, The National Observer quoted a description of such a movie:

"The film shows the first communion of five girls. A motorcycle gang comes in and crucifies the priest ... in a very bloody way. (and then) they rape the five girls."

This summary scarcely captures the film's savagery or suggests its emotive impact. It does not give the blood and gore up close. It omits the fright and shame of the children, the leer of the attackers, the details of violence against a tortured man and defiled little girls.

Indeed, a detailed account of the film would doubtless be obscene; readers would be outraged, saying, "He didn't have to say all that to make his point." Exactly. Neither did the film producer.

In defining obscenity, the U.S. Supreme Court has said that the basic guidelines are "whether the average person, applying contemporary community standards, would find that the work, taken as a whole, appeals to the prurient interest; whether the work depicts or describes, in a patently offensive way, sexual conduct specifically defined by the applicable state law; and whether the work, taken as a whole, lacks serious literary, artistic, political or scientific value." This is a definition, a workable one, as precise as such phrases as "due process," "the public interest" or "reasonable man" — standards the law uses daily.

**SOME WRITERS INSIST** such a definition will bring repression of Shakespeare or the Bible. This view suggests there is no difference between art and trash — and it says a good deal about their critical faculties and disdain for the public's common sense, not to mention their unfamiliarity with Shakespeare and the Bible.

Pornography debases sex. It reduces the protagonist to a chemical urge and his foil to a function or an organ. She becomes a chattel, a robot, a toy for a moment's fun.

As D. H. Lawrence wrote in *Sex, Literature and Censorship*: "Pornography is the attempt to insult sex, to do dirt on it ... the insult to the human body, the insult to a vital human relationship! Ugly and cheap they make the human nudity, ugly and degraded they make the sexual act, trivial and cheap and nasty."

Contrary to what its purveyors say, pornography is not "telling the truth about sex." Just the opposite. It says: About sex there is nothing private, noble or personal. It robs man of his dignity. Its message is: Man is garbage.

Obscenity presents a graphic, degrading picture of human life and invites the viewer to wallow in it. It plunges him into imaginative preoccupation with autoerotic fantasies wherein he entertains himself by violently and/or sexually feeding, vicariously, on the helplessness or willing-vulnerability of a no-longer-human animal.

"Civil libertarians" would have us believe the only "real" harm the law can guard against is direct, immediate and physical. This unconscious positivism blinds them to other real harms — psychological, attitudinal, moral — that cannot be calibrated but do deeply affect individual

lives and, collectively, can debase the citizenry's spiritual environment.

**TO SAY THAT A BOOK, magazine or play never corrupted anyone is to say that reading or watching a play never improved anyone.** Irving Kristol has pointed out what a curious position this is for college professors: Denying that education can improve anyone, they deny the reason for their own professional lives.

Pornography educates. It teaches: Human beings are mere animals ... the highest value is immediate pleasure ... other people may be used and then discarded.

When mingled with violence, pornography depicts the protagonist harming for the sake of harming ... and enjoying it. Why would anyone want to watch a violent sacrifice such as the crucifixion of a priest and the rape of children? For entertainment.

Why want to watch someone else performing sexual intercourse, save to plagiarize his pleasure through one's own autoerotic fantasy? A person, especially a minor, frequenting such self-debasing "entertainments" will learn that this is what life is all about, that life is not about anything of value.

Civilized society cannot afford to be neutral toward such a perception of life. For education to civility is an effort to make of man something more than a creature of elemental passions and sensations. To civilize is to help people internalize respect for others, sharpen their sense of reality, grasp the difference between the decent and the indecent, desire the noble and eschew the ignoble, control their passions, do what is right even when it costs, stand in awe and wonder at such ultimate mysteries as the utter uniqueness of every other person, love, sex, suffering and death.

Because obscenity rejects each of these educational goals, it is an attack on civilization. By capitulating to obscenity, civilized society denies there is any difference between civilization and barbarism. It is reasonable to assume that a depraved moral outlook can translate into depraved conduct — i.e., more crime. Concern over excessive television violence is well-founded.

**THE FOUNDING FATHERS** were not absolutists. They upheld legal sanctions against libel, indecent speech and conduct, profanity and other abuses of free speech. They knew the difference between liberty and license. They knew freedom can be abused. They did not deem free speech to be solely a question of "rights" of the speaker. They also considered the purpose of speech, which was to foster the politically and morally good society.

It is not always easy to decide what conduct is "reasonable," what process is "due," what material is pornographic. But we must try. What must be balanced is not merely a publisher's asserted "rights" against a prosecutor's zeal, but also the harm to society from a few unwarranted obscenity convictions against the harm to society if every newsstand, TV screen and even schoolbook panders a thousand pictures of perversion.

The absolutists say we cannot draw any line anywhere. This is patent nonsense. In a democracy, why should the minority who cannot distinguish between art and trash dictate the education — through magazines, television and schoolbooks — of the children of the majority, who can tell the difference?

To say the law has no business promoting morality is to exhibit amazing ignorance of Anglo-American history. Nearly every branch of law assumes the existence of a standard of moral good and evil. Besides physical crimes such as murder and theft, the law proscribes "sharp" business practices, "unfair" political campaigning, racial discrimination. Civil-law notions of "fault" in tort and "fiduciary" obligations draw their substance from moral concepts.

**THE OBJECTION DRAWN** from the

Prohibition era is not apt. The law should promote temperance, not abstinence; decency, not sanctity. The law should not — and certainly our laws against pornography do not — try to "make" people be virtuous, but only make it harder to be utterly vicious.

Society is more than an aggregate of individuals. Besides the pornographer's private "right," there is the public right to a decent social environment. As a parent of four little children, I have a constitutional right — recognized by the Supreme Court since 1925 — to train my children to their higher obligations. To rear decent children requires that public entertainments — magazines, movies, TV, etc. — not be utterly indecent. The pornographer arrogates the "right" to teach children to be indecent. Why should a few pornographers dictate the socio-moral environment of the children of millions of parents?

The law guides future generations as they grow into its precursive patterns. The law expresses to the young their elders' experienced judgment about right and wrong, a distillation of the mature community's experience and history. To remove all legal control of pornography is to teach the young that their elders do not know right from wrong; that we do not care how our young entertain — that is, educate — themselves; that civilization and barbarism are the same.

It is captious to object that "some people will do it anyway," so that in moral matters, having failed to obtain 100 percent compliance, the law should abdicate. This is also true of laws against shoplifting and speeding.

The law expresses a standard that most people respect. Without law, the marginal person would be adrift. The fact that some people break the Ten Commandments is not a theological argument for their repeal. Nor is the fact that some people break laws that promote a basic moral standard a legal argument for their repeal.

To the absurd assertion that laws proscribing the raunchiest of sex magazines will lead to censorship of Time and Bonfire of National Geographic, I answer: This didn't happen in the past, when there was more censorship. The Supreme Court would not permit it. The alternative of "anything goes" is far more likely to lead to school-age bookstores cluttered with picture books of homosexual rape and child torture.

**SOME SAY,** "The best way to deal with pornography is to let it run its course; once sated, people will get bored with it."

This is somewhat like saying the best way to deal with the filth in Lake Erie is to let Lake Erie fill up till it can't take any more.

Why should parents have to let their children's moral environment get so corrupt that by comparison Sodom and Gomorrah resemble a Trappist monastery?

The salient issue is: May we draw a legal line somewhere? Or must we draw no lines? Must we tolerate everything, no matter how depraved, how sick?

The public's answer is: We will draw a line, because we have the right to rear decent children in a decent society; and children or no, decent adults have a right to a decent society. And the public is right.

## Today In History

By The Associated Press

Today is Sunday, Aug. 14, the 226th day of 1977. There are 139 days left in the year.

Today's highlight in history: On this date in 1945, President Harry Truman announced the unconditional surrender of Japan. It was the end of World War II.

On this date: In 1784, the first Russian colony in Alaska was founded on Kodiak Island.

In 1848, the Oregon Territory was organized.

In 1900, the Boxer Rebellion in China ended as U.S. Marines helped capture Peking.

In 1935, Congress passed the Social Security Act.

In 1941, during World War II it was disclosed that President Franklin Roosevelt and British Prime Minister Winston Churchill had met at sea and signed the Atlantic Charter.

In 1947, the United States canceled about \$1 billion in debts owed by Italy.

Ten years ago: Former President Dwight Eisenhower left Walter Reed Hospital in Washington after treatment for 10 days for a gastric ailment.

Five years ago: An East German airliner crashed in a suburb of East Berlin, killing 156 passengers and crew members.

One year ago: There was heavy fighting between Christian and Moslem Lebanese in Beirut.

Today's birthday: Circus impresario John Ringling North is 74 years old.

Thought for today: If wishes were horses, beggars might ride — an English proverb.

# Violence Mounts In Spite of Queen

BELFAST, Northern Ireland (AP) — Irish Republican Army IRA guerrillas have answered Queen Elizabeth II's Silver Jubilee plea for peace in strife-torn Northern Ireland with a new round of violence aimed at British soldiers here.

One British marine was killed and three other soldiers were injured Friday in an ambush in Belfast's turbulent Turf Lodge district, a stronghold of the outlawed IRA's radical Provisional Wing.

The attack appeared to be an IRA attempt to restore its credibility among Catholic supporters after failing to carry out a threatened "blitz to remember" during the Queen's Silver Jubilee visit to the rebellious province Thursday and Friday.

It also undermined British claims that troops and police are beating IRA guerrillas in their fight to end British rule in Northern Ireland and unite the Protestant-dominated province with the overwhelmingly Catholic Irish Republic, to the south. Ulster's Protestant majority opposes such a union.

During a tense visit to the University of Ulster at Coleraine Thursday, the Queen defied an IRA bomb threat and appealed to warring Catholic and Protestant militants to "forgive and forget."

"There is not place here for old fears and attitudes born of history, no place for blame for what has passed," she said in a speech.

The IRA considered the Queen's visit to Northern Ireland — her first in 11 years — a reinforcement of British sovereignty in the province. But it failed to unleash its much-heralded "blitz." About 32,000

British troops were on alert during the royal tour.

Street rioting and gun battles wracked Belfast throughout the Queen's visit but Elizabeth stayed out of the city for security reasons.

The 51-year-old monarch, celebrating the 25th anniversary of her reign, left Northern Ireland Thursday night aboard the royal yacht Britannia for a holiday cruise off Scotland.

Friday's violence erupted when a British patrol triggered a guerrilla bomb, injuring two soldiers. British troops poured into the Turf Lodge district and were met by guerrilla sniper fire that fatally wounded the marine and hit another trooper in the chest.

The ambush came on the eighth anniversary of the eruption of sectarian strife between militant Protestants and Roman Catholics in Northern Ireland. Since August 1969, at least 1,774 persons have died in the conflict.

## BUNDLES OF JOY

RAINIER, Ore. (AP) — Loretta McKay, 30, welcomed her third set of twins in six years, a boy and girl, at a hospital recently.

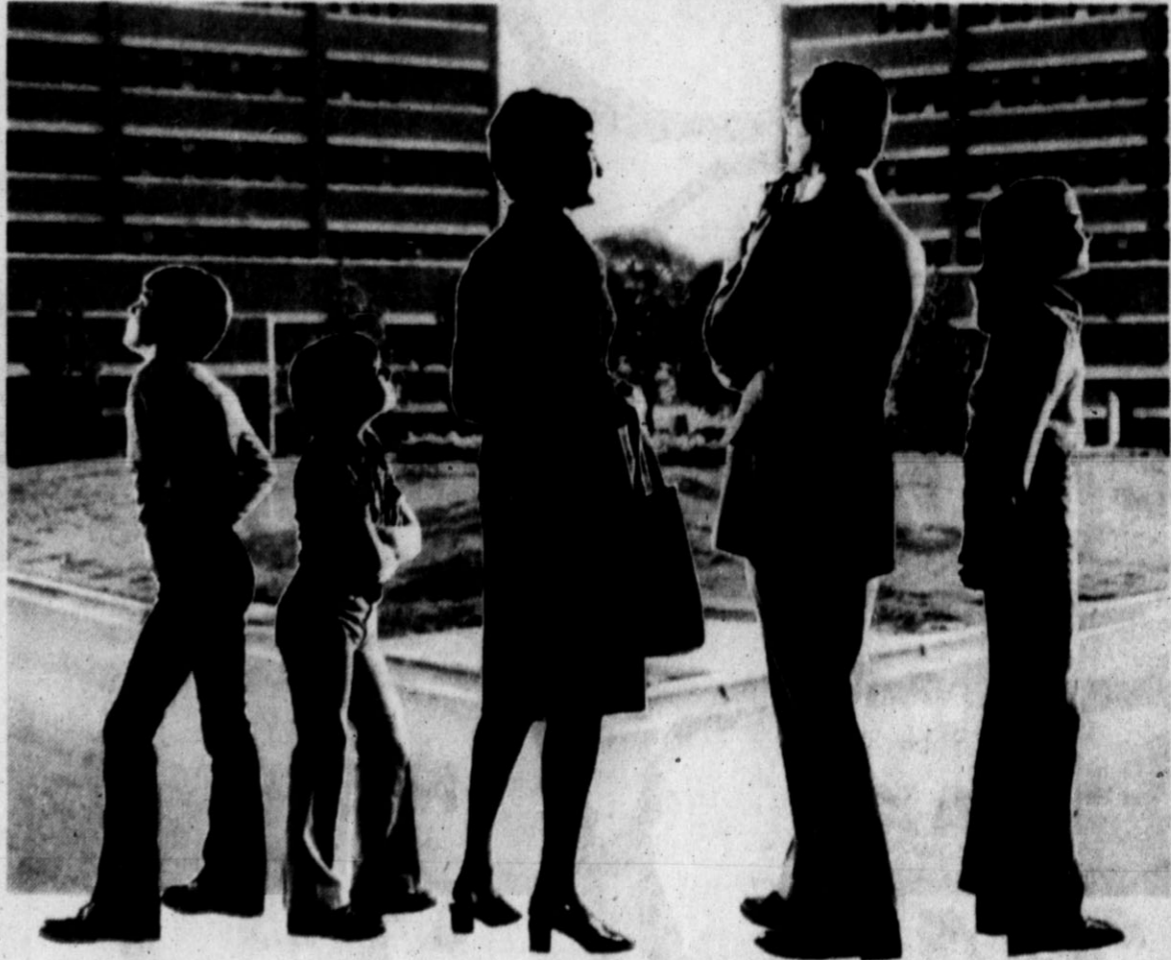
The new arrivals are Tivon Douglas, 6 pounds, and Trudy May, 5 pounds, 12 ounces.

At home were the children of a previous marriage, Trina Marie and Teresa Darlene Higley, who arrived June 3, 1971, and Tonia Sue and Troy Lee Higley, who were born Feb. 15, 1974.

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## Reunions Planned For WTSU Alumni

CANYON--Two class reunions for former West Texas State University students are being planned as part of the 1977 WTSU Homecoming festivities.

J.W. (Ted) Reid, a 1917 graduate, is planning to reunite all students attending the institution during the years 1910 to 1920. The gathering will begin at 7:30 p.m. Oct. 14 in Reid's home at 600 18th St. in Canyon.

Dr. Irby Carruth, member of the WTSU Board of Regents and 1927 class president, will host an open house and dinner for

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members of the class of 1927 at his home at 1100 5th Ave. in Canyon, beginning at 6:30 p.m. Oct. 14.

All WTSU alumni may attend a reception honoring President Max Sherman at 10:30 a.m. Oct. 15, with a lunch following at 11 a.m. The Homecoming Parade will begin at 1:30 p.m., followed by an active alumni reception and Alumni Association annual meeting, which will include election of new directors.

The barbecue picnic will begin at 4:30 p.m., followed by the football game between WTSU and the Drake Bulldogs at 7:30 p.m.

Individuals wishing to attend the 1910-1920 reunion should send their names and addresses to the Alumni Association, West Texas State University, Canyon, Texas 79016.

## Herefordites Attend Camp On Leadership

SAN ANGELO--Steve Fortenberry and Jana Green from Hereford High were among approximately 230 students and advisors from high schools across Texas who attended a leadership training workshop recently on the campus of Angelo State University.

The workshop was sponsored by the Texas Association of Student Councils and students attending were all members of their school student councils.

Participating students and advisors were housed in the university's high rise residence halls and made use of university recreational facilities during their free time.

Sessions in leadership training were conducted to emphasize better communication and understanding between students, faculty and administration and to discuss problems encountered in high school and what student councils may do about them.

Belize, the least densely populated territory in Central America, is also its smallest. The population is about 130,000 in an area of 8,967 square miles, slightly larger than Massachusetts.



Attended Jamboree

William Nelson of Olton, a former Hereford resident, directed a jamboree band at the recent Ninth National Scout Jamboree in Moraine State Park, Pa. Nelson is band director for Olton schools. Above, he works with Scout band members David Monteith, left, of Seattle and Peter Hayes of Washington, D.C. Approximately 28,500 Scouts and leaders participated in the jamboree. Nelson's wife, Judy, was a commissary staff assistant for the jamboree, while the couple's son, Mike, 12, participated as a Scout.

The earth's weight is estimated to be six sextillion, 588 quintillion short tons when it is considered in terms of its own gravitational pull upon its substance. Some 5.7 quadrillion tons of air cling to the 197 million square miles of the earth's surface.

## Tech Facility Spurs Relaxation

LUBBOCK--Texas Tech University will be one of the few schools in the United States to have a recreational facility that projects a student-leisure atmosphere, rather than an athletic-physical education atmosphere, according to Joe MacLean, director of recreational sports.

The planned 126,000 square foot, three level structure is designed to create a relaxed, attractive and multi-purpose facility to encourage more students to use recreational facilities.

"We don't want to create a gymnasium atmosphere, but rather something that is attractive and functional," MacLean said.

The building, planned for completion by 1980 at a cost of \$5.5 million, will offer five multi-purpose courts for basketball, volleyball and badminton, men's and women's carpeted dressing rooms, saunas, a weight room, two multi-purpose rooms for dancing, archery, golf and fencing instructions, an audio visual resource center, a crafts workshop, 13 handball courts, a lounge, sport shop, intramural offices and an open courtyard.

Students are currently using the men's and women's gymnasiums and the intramural gym, a building 48-50 years old, according to MacLean.

The new facility will be connected to the swimming pool, located on the west side of the campus.

According to MacLean, the facility will allow the recreation department to expand into additional activities. The recreation department will be able to sponsor clinics, workshops and special events.

The audio visual center, MacLean said, will provide material on various activities and tape cassettes on aspects of various sports, such as how to serve a volleyball. MacLean said Texas Tech's facility will be the only one he knows of to have an audio visual center.

An exhibit foyer also is included in the plans. The foyer will be for trophy displays and for certain exhibits, such as camping equipment exhibits.

The plans for the facility also allow additional recreation space to be added in the future. Plans include an ice rink as one possible addition to the recreational facility.

The idea for the facility developed after student opinion polls several years ago showed that most students wanted new and larger recreational facilities.

A student-faculty committee, headed by Dr. Robert H. Ewalt, vice president for Student Affairs, toured recreational facilities of other schools two years ago and developed the idea of an "open-leisure" atmosphere.

"We're extremely pleased with the plans. I think they meet the needs of the students and the student input into the project has been good," Ewalt said.

Students, faculty and administration officials discussed the plans for the facilities with the architecture firm of Jarvis, Putty & Jarvis.

The Texas Tech Board of Regents recently approved the plans for the facility. The administration will prepare contract documents and prepare for the receipt of bids on the facility.

## Hereford Students Among WTSU Grads

CANYON --Approximately 350 West Texas State University students graduated in the summer commencement exercises Aug. 13.

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Also: Loenar Hancock of 805 Blevins, master of education; Daniel Pinon of 209 Ave. H, a degree in criminal justice administration; Carolyn Ray of 212 Ironwood, master of education; Vavia Rudd of 103 Douglas, bachelor of science in nursing; Sara Simpson of 219 Hickory, master of education; Nelva Swopes of 1507 Irving, bachelor of science; Rondall Tidmore of 718 Thunderbird, bachelor of science, and Gwen Wolfe of 242 Beach, bachelor of science.

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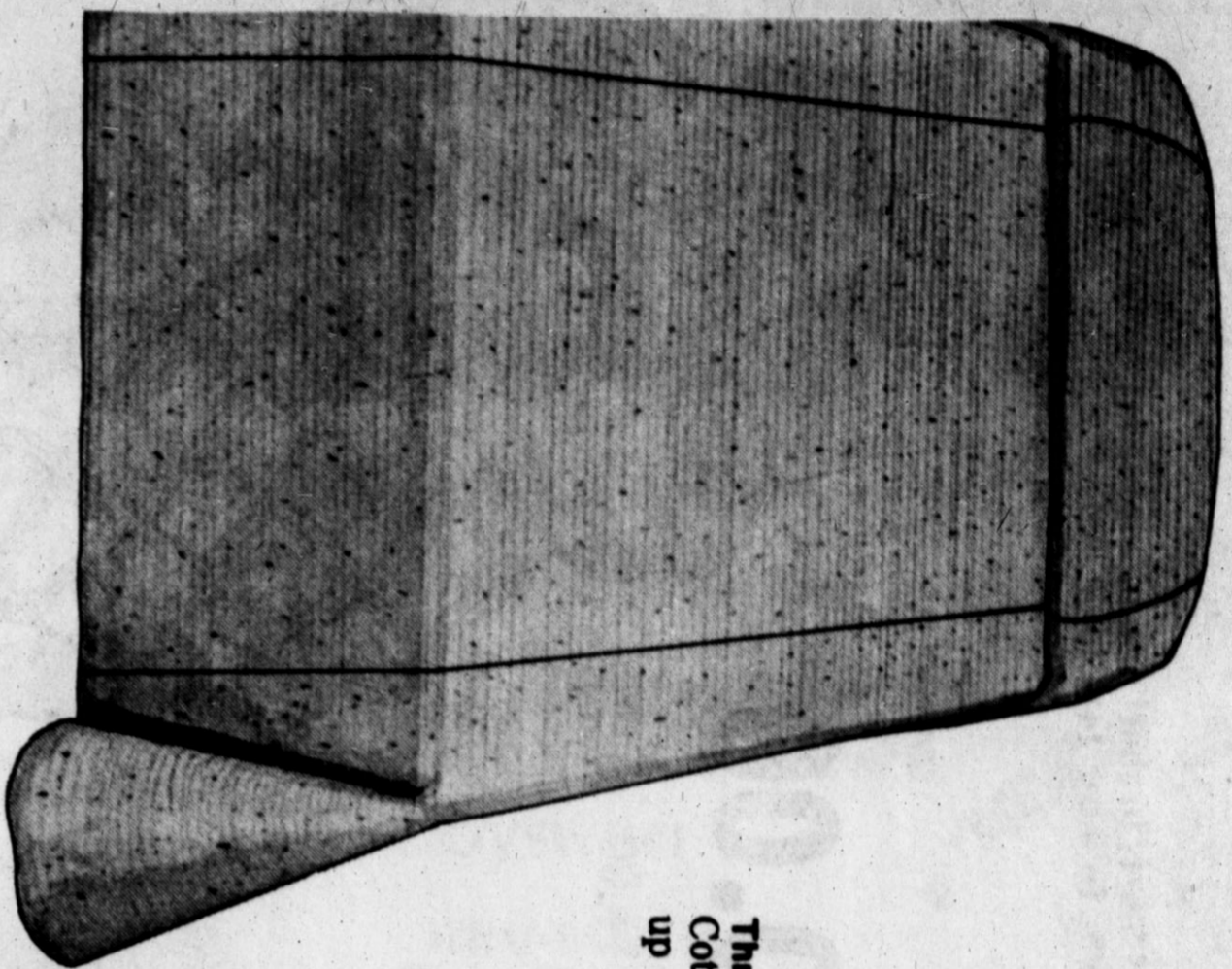
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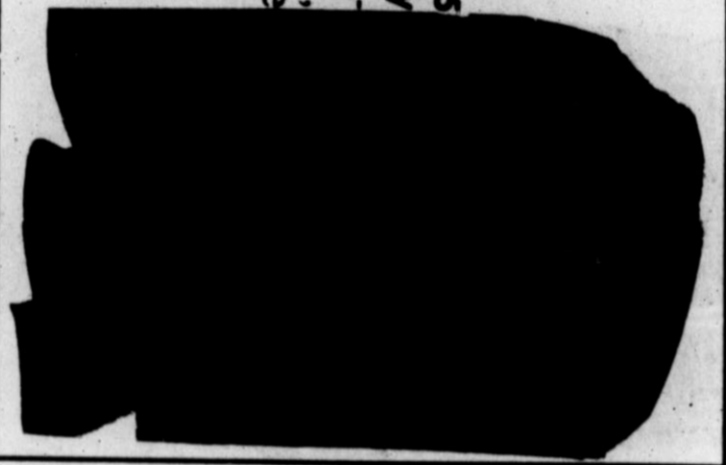
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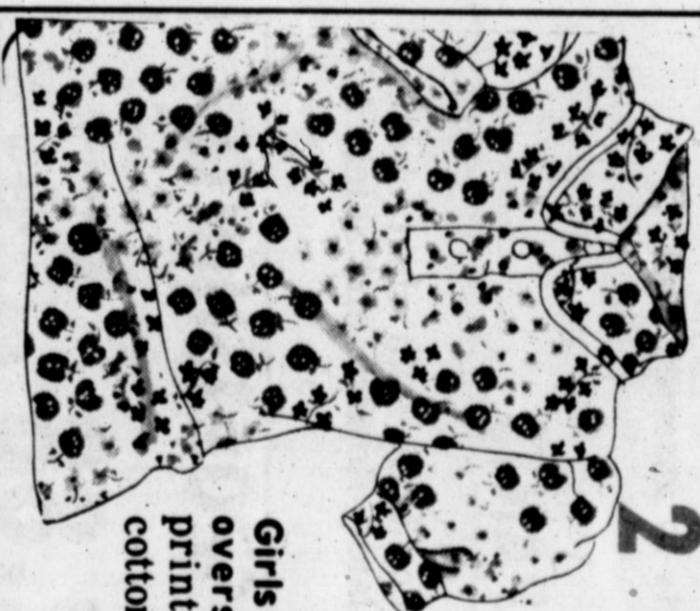
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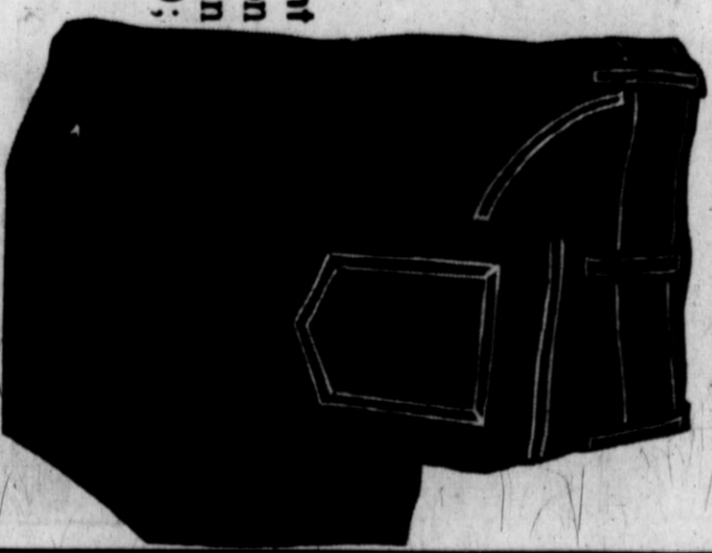
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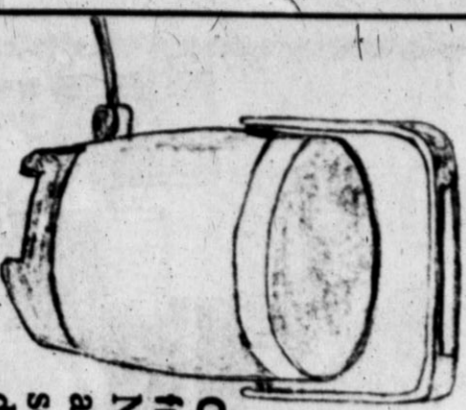
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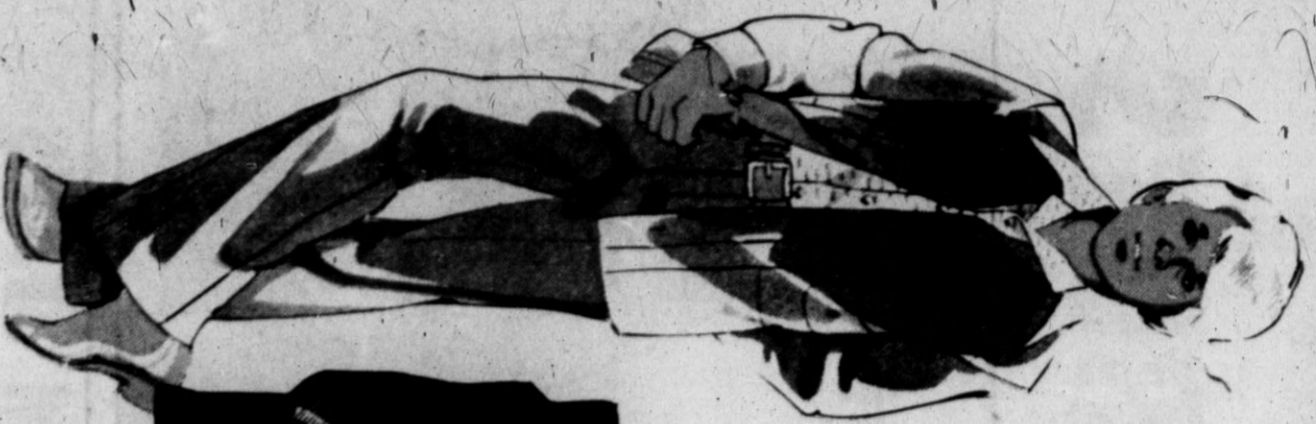
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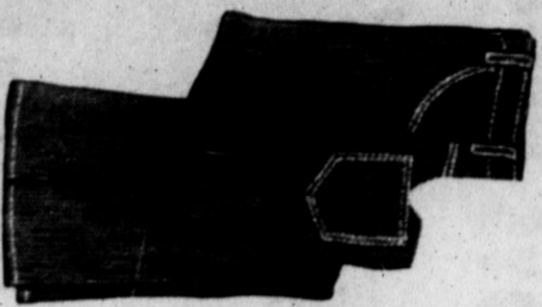
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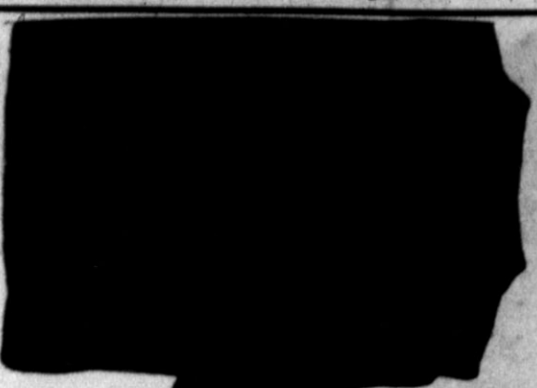
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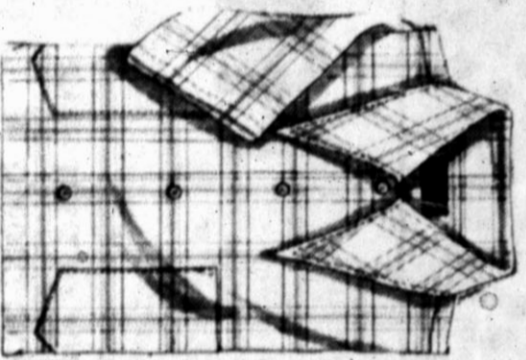
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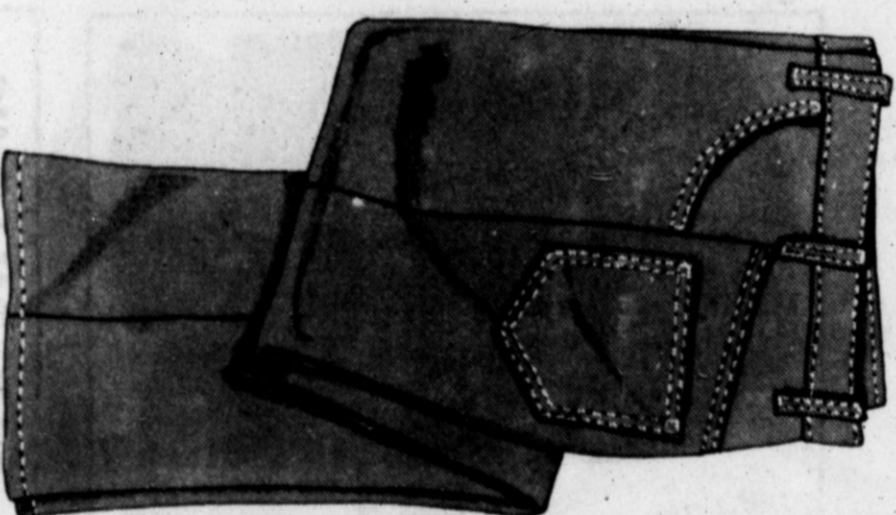


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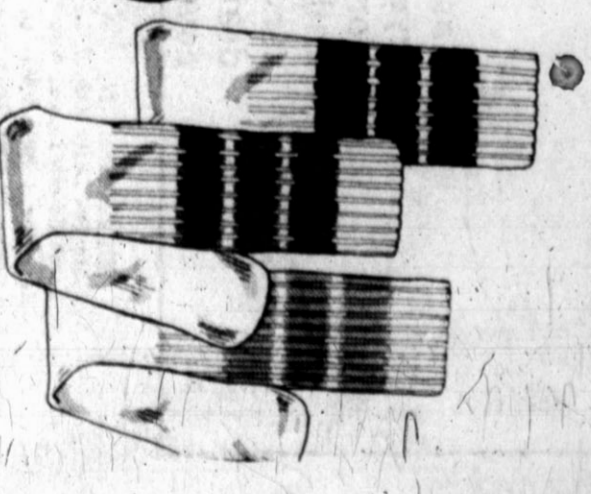
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## Mahon Says Major Step Taken Toward Farm Bill

Congressman George Mahon reports that a major step has been taken by Congress toward the final enactment of a new four-year farm bill which is to become effective for the 1978 crop year.

Senate and House conferees ironed out the differences between the separate measures which has passed both Houses. It is expected that when Congress reconvenes in September, the measure will clear the House and Senate and be signed into law by the President.

The bill contains 260 pages and covers a wide variety of subjects. Of vital interest to West Texas farmers is the following: The target price for cotton, subject to grade and

staple, will be 25 cents per pound with a projected loan rate of 51 cents. The target price for wheat will be \$3.05 per bushel and the loan rate will be \$2.35. For corn the target price will be \$2.10 per bushel. The loan rate will be \$2.00.

The bill contains a special

provision for the 1977 crop of wheat: Target price \$2.90 per bushel with a loan support of \$2.25. A special 1977 provision for corn would allow a target price of \$2.00 per bushel with a loan of \$2.00.

The bill provides limited assistance to sugar beet producers through loans and purchases at a level of not less than 13 1/2 cents per pound.

Mahon said he was providing details of the new farm bill legislation to county ASCS offices.

## Beef Taskforce Feels Checkoff Still Needed

COLLEGE STATION, Tex. (AP) - The Beef Development Task Force still feels a need for a checkoff and research program despite last month's defeat of a similar federal proposal, says a Texas A&M professor.

Dr. Ernest Davis, who had assisted the group in telling producers across the state about the \$40 million beef research and promotion program, said 65 members of the group met here

Thursday to evaluate why the plan had failed to win approval in Texas.

In the June vote, 231,046 cattle producers nationwide cast ballots. But the plan failed because only 56.5 per cent of those voting approved the proposal. A two-third majority was necessary for passage.

The plan called for an assessment on producers equal to three-tenths of one per cent of the value of all cattle sold during

the first three years of the program.

Dr. Davis said the persons at the meeting here discussed various alternatives including proposing another national referendum, just a Texas referendum and a voluntary program.

"There was not a note of a defeatist attitude at the meeting," Dr. Davis said. "The people were expressing a larger need for a unified beef industry."

## Rose Says Water Policy Should Get Thought

DALLAS--The head of Texas' water planning agency said here that a national water policy ought to be combined with a national food and fiber policy and a national energy policy on an equal basis.

James M. Rose of Austin, executive director of the Texas Water Development Board, also urged President Carter to extend the deadline to develop a national policy beyond the current time frame so that congressional hearings can be held.

Rose was one of several state water leaders who testified at the National Water Policy Study Hearing held recently in Dallas.

Option papers prepared by several federal agency staff people were published in the Federal Register July 15, and most of those testifying here declared there just wasn't sufficient time to thoroughly study and analyze the complex set of options.

"As an apparent consequence of the organizational structure of the water policy study group and the speed with which the issue papers were prepared, the effort seemingly lacked clear direction and suffered from insufficient coordination among the task groups," charged Rose.

"The position and issue papers largely reflect federal agency staff level perceptions of administrative and procedural problems," added Rose.

Rose urged that water policy be considered along with national energy and food and fiber policies "because water is a major factor in the production of food, fiber, and energy. An appropriate quantity of suitable quality water is essential if we are to achieve a satisfactory level of employment and economic production at the same time we meet the direct human needs for water and provide adequate water to protect the environment."

Rose called for expansion of the definition of environmental quality in the principles and standards evaluation criteria to include the quality of the human as well as the natural environment.

He charged that the lack of standardized criteria, and the inadequate and inaccurate techniques used by the various federal agencies for measuring environmental impact is hampering and seriously delaying water resource planning and development. He urged that standard indices of environmental measurement be developed and applied uniformly in federal water project planning and evaluation.

## Ag Dept. Proposes Compensation

WASHINGTON (AP) - Several changes in the compensation program for cattle and swine producers whose animals have been exposed to brucellosis have been proposed by the Agriculture Department.

The regulations changes announced could be modified and would not become effective until September.

For the cattle program, the proposal would allow USDA to pay the indemnities at a flat rate based on the class of animal, for cattle exposed to the highly infectious disease and then destroyed even though they do not react.

The present system for non-reactor cattle, which allows payments when funds are available, appraises the cattle on the basis of current market value with the compensation making up the difference between that and the actual sale price of the culled animal. The

Rose said the option papers on water rights, both ground-water and surface, fail to recognize and do not encourage state efforts... there is reflected a great readiness, almost impatience, on the part of the federal government to intervene.

"The development of any national water policy is far-reaching and dead-serious business. At stake is the very economic future of our country. The development process deserves much more than the six months planned for the presidential review. I hope the President will change the time frame for this great undertaking," concluded Rose.

payments have averaged about \$2 per animal while the appraisal costs \$4.

The proposal would allow flat payments of \$50 for graded cattle, \$100 for purebreds, the current maximum payments under the appraisal system.

The swine-program changes would allow payments of \$25 a head for registered breeding stock and \$10 for other breeding animals when the swine are slaughtered after reacting to tests for brucellosis. No payments are made now for the reactors that are destroyed to prevent spread of the disease.

A series of requirements similar to those of the cattle testing and compensation program would have to be met before the indemnities could be paid, a spokesman said.

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# Corn Maturity Line Useful As Guide to Final Irrigation

LUBBOCK--Deciding when to stop irrigating a crop is often tougher than deciding when to start. Both decisions are sometimes made with uncertainty and with a desire for more definite clues.

In the case of corn, the "grain maturity line" can be a guide on when to stop irrigating, but judging grain maturity in corn is a matter of micro-measurements, agriculturists say.

Leon New, irrigation specialist for the Texas Agricultural Extension Service, says grain maturity stages determine whether further irrigation is profitable, and should be closely checked before irrigating.

Corn kernels mature from the outward tip inward toward the cob, he says. As kernel maturity progresses, a definite white-yellow color distinction can be seen. This color separation on each kernel is known as the maturity line, commonly referred to as the starch line.

"The outward portion of the kernel that is mature has reached full weight is yellow and hard while the inner portion toward the cob is white, in the dough stage and yet to mature," New says. "In heavier clay soils such as Pullman silty clay loam, Acuff and Olton loam, growers should irrigate until the maturity line has progressed to 1/2 to 2/3 the inward distance down the kernel."

"In other words, try to have a full profile of soil moisture at this stage of maturity," New advises. "This level of soil moisture is generally adequate of the unmaturing portion of the kernel to mature and to maintain stalk quality. On sandy soils and other instances where individual application amounts have consistently been less, corn should be irrigated until the maturity line has progressed 1/2 to 2/3 the distance down the kernel. This will normally occur around August 15 to 20 for corn planted in mid-April."

New says the maturity line is

also visible on white corn kernels but it is not as distinct as in yellow kernels. To identify the maturity line, one should break a corn ear in two and closely inspect the exposed full kernels. Kernels exposed by the external portion of the ear show the maturity line more clearly.

There are two other methods of identifying corn maturity, both relating to the maturity line. One is denting, and the other is the forming of the black layer.

Denting is the first stage of

maturity, New says. Initial denting occurs as the maturity line forms and begins to move inward down the kernel. It can be identified by the small indentation in the outward or end tips of the kernel after removing the shucks.

New says the formation of the black layer is a signal of full maturity and is visible after the maturity line reaches the inward point of the kernel, near the point where the kernel attaches to the cob. A dark brown line first appears near this point and

later turns black. It can be located by cutting into the tip of the grain.

"After the black layer forms, the kernel can no longer increase in weight," New says. "Irrigation after this stage is of no benefit except to maintain stalk quality."

The maturity line is the most exact identification of the stage of corn grain maturity, he adds, but the three maturity signals can be used together.

It could pay to follow grain maturity and soil moisture

closely this year, especially if dry weather continues, cautions New. An additional furrow irrigation toward the end of

August last year on fields were subsoil moisture had been used boosted corn yields 800 to 1,000 pounds per acre in areas checked in Deaf Smith and Hale Counties.

No significant yield increase is normally expected from irrigation that late, admits New, but it was unusually dry.

## Malnourishment May Exist Even in Midst of Plenty

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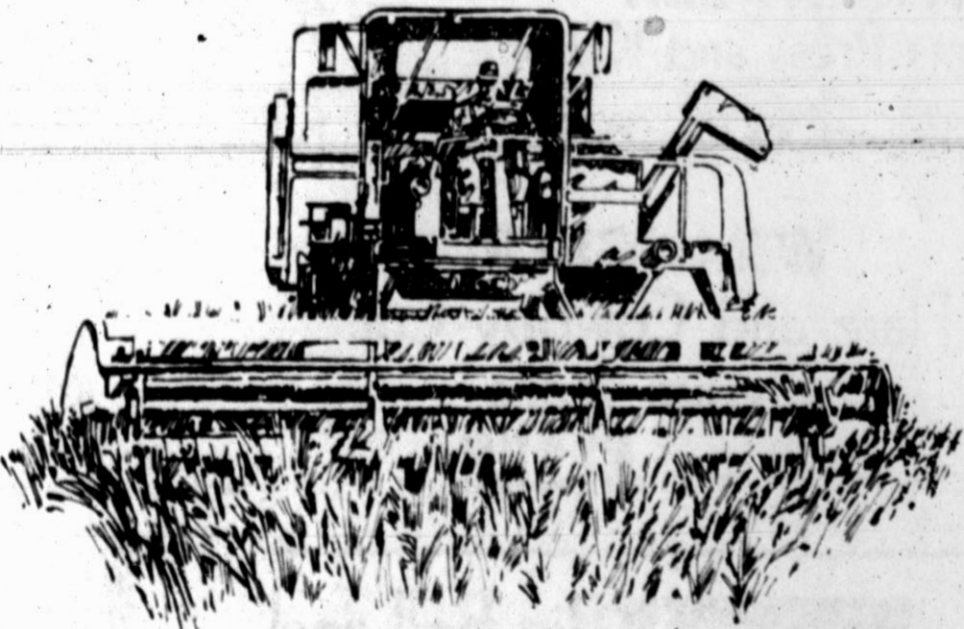


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## Rural Electric Leaders Favor Load Management

Almost 700 Texas rural electric leaders and ladies gathered in Houston August 3-5 for the Association of Texas Electric Cooperatives' 37th annual meeting. Speakers and delegates alike expressed concern for maintaining the quality and vitality of rural Texas life agreeing that old-fashioned moral integrity and adequate supplies of electricity are key ingredients.

The meeting's theme--Energy Management: Key to the Future--reflected the belief that load-management programs coupled with conservation and foresight in planning for future energy needs would help meet the demands for power.

Highlights of the meeting included addresses by Texas' new Commissioner of Agriculture, Reagan Brown, and State Comptroller Bob Bullock, "one of the most colorful and controversial men in Texas politics today."

Others were Lieutenant Governor Bill Hobby, Dr. Gail Dunning, a counseling psychologist from Greenwood, Nebraska, and Owen Hallberg, president of the American Institute of Cooperation, as well as several Texas rural electric leaders.

"Americans just have to be

more careful with existing energy supplies while other sources are being developed," TEC General Manager Jim Morriss observed. "It's like what the waitress told the customer who wanted more sugar for his coffee: 'stir up what you've got. We've got to start doing more with our energy than we have in the past,'" Morriss said. Technical programs, like load management, to spread energy usage more evenly over given periods of time as well as diligent efforts by rural electric and their members are just some ways to make better use of our energy, he said.

In an effort to exert more control over power costs or just to have enough power to go around, load management is an increasingly important concept in the electric utility industry. Many cooperatives pay rates to their wholesale power suppliers based on their largest demand for power at any given time within a given period. So if a rural electric can get its members to shift some of its electric usage from periods of heavy demand to other times, the wholesale power rate can be lowered--and ultimately, the members' rates as well.

Three Texas rural electric

leaders--Leonard Herring of Denton County Electric, James Hull of Deaf Smith Electric, and Alton Rollans of Concho Valley Electric--told of their cooperatives' pioneering efforts with load management.

Herring said his co-op is trying to save its members money by asking them to raise the thermostats on their air conditioners when an expected period of peak electricity demand approaches. Concho Valley Electric is studying a variety of "peak-shaving" techniques in anticipation of a new contract with its wholesale power supplier, according to Rollans. And Deaf Smith Electric is studying methods of allocating irrigation power over an entire 24-hour period by remote control. "We turned to the only way we knew to serve everyone who wanted and needed electricity--voluntary load management," Hull said.

Fears were expressed by Lieutenant Governor Hobby that Texas is being discriminated against in natural gas pricing. "It's proposed that new supplies of natural gas at higher rates be averaged with low-cost gas currently under contract to provide relatively lower gas costs in the Northeast than in the producing states," Hobby claimed.

Agriculture Commissioner Brown worried that northeastern industry could take fuel needed by Texas agriculture. "Could our state's largest and most important industry ever be shut down for lack of fuel or for fuel available at such a high price that its use is economically unfeasible?" he wondered. Brown said his primary concern as Commissioner is to see that agriculture becomes profitable for farmers and ranchers. "The American work ethic was founded and still thrives on the farm," Brown said, "but many Americans have misconceptions about farmers. Many of our fellow countrymen look at farm legislation as a 'free ride' for the farmer. They think he's getting paid for not growing crops, rushing to the bank with their tax dollars. The truth is, after production costs have been paid, at least 84 per cent of the farm families of this country have very little, if any, cash left to pay for housing, clothing, off-farm food purchases, education, and other items of family expense."

Comptroller Bullock told the group that he has gained notoriety just by doing his job--collecting the state sales tax. "Some of the people we've 'raided' complain that we're picking on innocent taxpayers.

Actually, we're just collecting the sales taxes consumers have paid that have not been passed on to us. In other words, those businesses are pocketing your tax money--but not if we can help it," he said.

While frustrations like dishonesty, inflation, increasingly shoddy products, and a growing disregard for the principles on which our nation was founded eat away at society, rural America has become the last bastion for our moral strengths, Dr. Dunning emphasized in the meeting's windup address. He cited rural electric as the most natural place for practicing real democracy in this era of ever-increasing bureaucracy because of their closeness to their members. There's hardly a rural electric member anywhere who doesn't know at least one employee, the manager, or one--if not five or six--of the directors," Dunning said. "And as huge conglomerates increasingly dominate American business, cooperatives serve as a last bastion of real people's capitalism."

## Roast Purchases Ending

WASHINGTON (AP) - The Agriculture Department is ending its unusual program of buying frozen boneless beef roasts exclusively for school lunches and other feeding activities. It's going to a combination of roasts and hamburger meat.

Assistant Secretary Carol Tucker Foreman said that the combination program will start next week with 38,000-pound lots. Twenty-five per cent of each unit must be roasts.

The ground beef must come from the chuck and round portions left after the roasts are cut from the carcass, although it may be supplemented by beef from any wholesale cuts.

The meat must come from carcasses graded either Choice or Prime, the top two grades.

With bids still out on the final segment of the roast program that began June 14, USDA has spent about \$2.15 million for more than 1.86 million pounds.

Ms. Foreman, a designation she prefers, said that the new program should encourage broader participation in the bidding by meatpackers and processors, because most portions of a carcass could be used.

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By Jim Steiert

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I think this year's report may be better than anything I've had to show in recent years though. Why am I so sure?

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There's no need to tell you Boss. You already know she doesn't have "strong" legs like some of us who stumble around down here.

But her pace and purpose are much more certain, and she gives so much of herself in everything she does that I must admit, I have to run hard just to stand a chance of keeping up with her.

I watched my lady disdain pain before she came to me. I saw her cast aside misgivings about the future and set a determined course for what she wanted in life.

And best of all, Boss, I watched her, clad in white, as she walked to my side a year ago tonight, ready to pledge her life to our partnership.

She brought her determination into our marriage, and has made my life the better for it.

She gives a special warmth to our home. We enjoy the feeling of working together to solve the problems that confront us.

I never doubt that she is behind me in whatever I do, and it makes my work easier knowing that she understands when I fail.

I know she's brought about changes in me, changes for the better.

Why, Boss, she's even got me planting flowers in the front yard...And You know how I used to feel about that!

So, Boss, if I seem a little proud of the past year, I think You can see why I feel I have good reason.

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## Lenders Serving More Farmers; Average Loan Amount is Higher

COLLEGE STATION—A recent survey of agricultural credit conditions in Texas shows that money lenders are serving more farmers and ranchers and that the average loan amount has increased.

Dr. Wayne Hayenga, economist in management for the Texas Agricultural Extension Service who conducted the survey noted that over a quarter

of the 149 lenders responding were serving more clients and 65 per cent were serving the same number of customers.

"Interest rates declined for farm loans for the fourth straight semi-annual period."

Interest rates for feeder cattle loans are down from 8.74 per cent to 8.26 per cent and farm and ranch operating loans are down from 8.64 per cent to 8.45 per cent from last November.

"If these interest rates do change, they are predicted to go up. However, most of the lenders expected the rates to remain stable," says Hayenga.

According to requirements for feedlot loans, which show only 30 per cent of these loans hedged on the futures market, cattle prices are expected to get better. On the other hand, the

demand for the dairy cattle loans will probably remain the same or decrease slightly.

"An increase in forward contracts made by crop farmers indicate a rising security consciousness," points out the economist. "Fifty-seven per cent of the contracts were made on an acreage basis in contrast to 43 per cent of the contracts made on a quantity basis."

About half of the money lenders preferred to have one-half of the farmer's crop in a forward contract. One-fourth of the lenders responding to the survey asked that one-third or two-thirds of the crops be put into forward contracts.

"Predictions among lenders indicate that farm earnings will stabilize through the next year. The majority of the lenders expect ranch earnings to be higher during the next year than in the past six months. But all agreed that spending from both farmers and ranchers will go up," adds Hayenga.

More farm loans are being refinanced by 34 per cent of the lenders, and 63 per cent indicated they would accommodate the same number of loans. The demand for refinancing of ranch loans was expected to

remain about the same by 71 per cent of the lenders. However, about half of the lenders expect the loan demand for farm operating expenses and machinery to increase.

Although only 17 per cent of the money lenders have used the Small Business Administration Agricultural Loan Program, 37 per cent indicated they would be using this guarantee program in the future.

Of the banks responding to the credit survey, 72 per cent would like to pursue new farm

and ranch loans; a small percentage indicated they are presently reducing the number of loans due to fund shortages.

"Reasons for lenders not serving loans included lack of equity, inadequate cash flow for debt service, and high risks of certain enterprises," notes Hayenga. "Lenders also stressed the need for good farm records, with 65 per cent now receiving projected cash flow statements or operating budgets from their borrowers."

## Vegetable Production Up

WASHINGTON (AP) - Production of fresh-market vegetables and in the major producing states during the spring is estimated at 60.7 million hundredweight, a 3 per cent increase over 1976, the Crop Reporting Board says.

The 14 vegetables alone, however, have come in about the same volume, 42.3 million hundredweight, according to the report. A preliminary forecast for the summer put vegetables and melons at 64.6 million hundredweight, up from 64.3 million last summer. Major states' harvests account for about 90 per cent of the total.

Scotland occupies the northern 37 per cent of the island of Great Britain plus the outlying Hebrides, Orkney and Shetland island chains. Three quarters of the population of more than five million is in one-tenth of the land area, the industrial lowlands just north of the English border. Scotland was a separate kingdom from 1018 until 1707 when it united with England as the United Kingdom.

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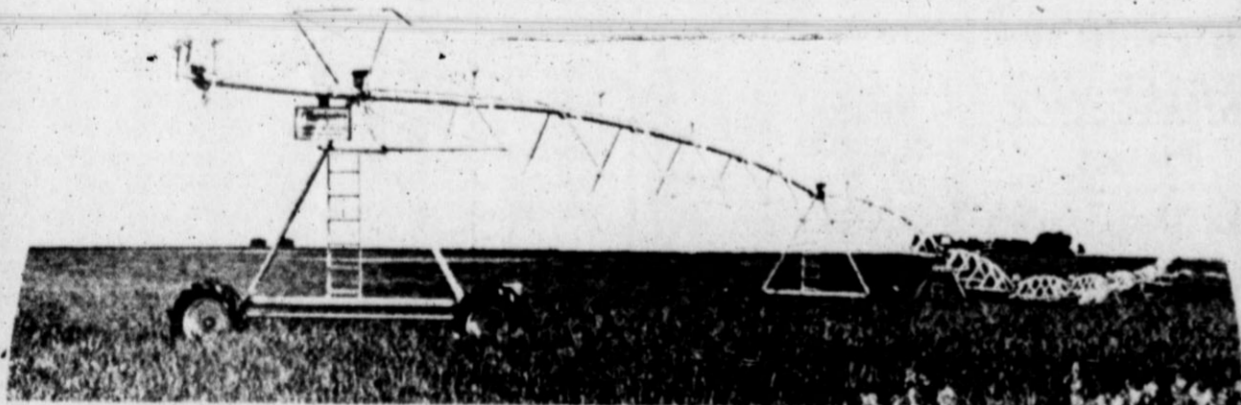
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## Texas Crops Report

# Moisture Still in Short Supply Over Many Portions of State

COLLEGE STATION (AP) - Texas crops and ranges withered under the hot summer weather, with only isolated showers bringing relief to a few locations.

Harvest operations are progressing well over South Texas, with the sorghum harvest also moving throughout the Blacklands and North Central Texas.

Dr. Daniel C. Pfannstiel, director of the Texas Agricultural Extension Service, says crops in eastern sections, but crops as peanuts and beans need rain. In western sections, irrigated crops are doing well but those on dryland need rain.

The hot, dry weather along with disease and insect problems are causing many ranches to shed nuts, noted Pfannstiel.

Most livestock are in good shape.

Stock water is getting short in many counties and some water being hauled. Also, some ranchers have started supplemental feeding due to the lack of forage for grazing.

Land preparation is active in the High and Rolling Plains for fall wheat crop, with some planting starting.

Reports from district extension agents showed the following conditions:

**PANHANDLE:** Spotted rains will boost crop and ranges, but a general rain is still needed. Some corn is being cut for silage. Cotton is fruiting well. Ranges are below average.

**SOUTH PLAINS:** Irrigation pumps are operating at full speed. Dryland cotton needs rain. Harvesting of potatoes, onions and cucumbers continues. Ranges are drying out rapidly. Alfalfa is being prepared for the fall winter crop. Some alfalfa is being irrigated for a third cutting.

**ROLLING PLAINS:** A general rain is still needed. The cotton crop looks quite good. Some harvesting of hay, fruit and vegetables continues. Land is being prepared for fall seeding of small grains. Pastures are dry, with range fire hazards increasing.

**NORTH CENTRAL:** A few showers have helped the crop situation but more rain is still needed. Pastures especially need rain. The sorghum harvest has been active and is past the halfway point. Hay yields are below normal. The pecan crop looks good. Pastures are

generally below average.

**NORTHEAST:** Corn, sorghum and cotton are maturing rapidly. Sorghum harvest is about to start. Peanuts and soybeans need rain. Some fall vegetable gardens are being planted. Pecans are falling. Armyworms are increasing in some pastures. The sale of stocker cows and calves has been active.

**FAR WEST:** Dryland crops are beginning to suffer from lack of moisture. Irrigated cotton is setting a heavy crop. Pecan crop looks good. Harvesting of alfalfa hay continues. More livestock are moving to market.

**WEST CENTRAL:** Most crops, particularly cotton and peanuts, would benefit from rain. Early sorghum is being harvested. The peach harvest is winding down in Gillespie County. The peach crop looks good although insects are causing some damage. Grazing conditions are declining and stock water is getting low in some locations. Cattle are being treated for hornflies and stomach worms.

**CENTRAL:** Hay yields have been down. Corn and sorghum yields have generally been better than expected. The sorghum harvest is about 90 per cent complete. Dryland peanuts need rain. Scab disease, black aphids and webworms are infesting some pecan trees.

**EAST:** Corn is drying for harvest and cotton bolls are popping open. Peanuts, pastures and ranges need rain. A good peach harvest is about complete. Pecans are dropping due to insects, disease and the dry weather. Some second hay cuttings have been completed by yields are down. Cattle marketing continues to increase.

**SOUTHEAST AND UPPER GULF COAST:** Corn, sorghum

and rice yields are generally good. Cotton is maturing rapidly. The late crop of watermelons is coming in in Waller County but producers are only getting a penny a pound. Most peanuts and soybeans need rain.

**SOUTH CENTRAL:** The corn harvest is gaining momentum while the sorghum harvest is 50 to 95 per cent complete. Some cotton harvesting is also getting started. Peanuts, hay crops and ranges need rain. Some fall vegetable gardens are being planted. Some livestock feeding has started.

**SOUTHWEST:** The sorghum harvest is nearing completion. Soybeans and peanuts are making good progress. The pecan crop looks good. Planting of fall vegetables is active.

Livestock are in good shape.

**COASTAL BEND:** Most of the sorghum crop is in, with corn 60 per cent harvested and cotton about 15 per cent harvested. Corn and sorghum yields have been good. Rice harvesting is also active. Soybeans and peanuts need rain as do pastures and ranges. Hornflies and gulf Coast ear ticks are infesting some cattle.

**SOUTH:** Moisture is short but conditions are ideal for harvesting crops. Most of the sorghum is in and the cotton harvest is about 35 per cent complete. Fall vegetable planting continues. Spraying and irrigation of citrus orchards continue. Pastures and ranges are declining. Hornflies and Gulf Coast ear ticks are light to moderate in livestock.



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## Cutback in Wheat Expected Despite So-Called 'Food Gap'

WASHINGTON (AP) - The grain-exporting countries of the world would have to increase their production of crops at a rate of 4 per cent a year just to bridge the statistical gap between the food available in developing countries and what all people need, a food-oriented "think tank" says in a recent study.

The present long-term growth rate for grain production in the United States, Canada and Australia is about 2.5 per cent, the paper from the International Food Policy Research Institute says.

But the world-hunger scenarios are not that simple, Assistant Agriculture Secretary Dale E. Hathaway emphasized in a speech last week for agricultural economists meeting in California.

The paper, too, said such growth, which it called unlikely, would just be the starting point for getting the food where it's needed.

Hathaway came to his job of overseeing USDA's international and domestic commodities programs from the institute, where he was executive director. He "made a major contribution to the report" on world food consumption, according to the introduction.

Neither his speech nor the research paper pointed out one of the "on the other hand's" involved in keying production directly to consumption.

That's the fact that the department will be announcing that it wants U.S. grain farmers to cut back not just growth but overall production next year of wheat and possibly feedgrains.

Producers' prices are too low to sustain profitable production, Hathaway noted.

Without the set-aside that Secretary Bob Bergland has been talking about since before he was sworn in, the taxpayers are liable to end up owning the excess, without much relief to either farmers or the hungry in other nations, USDA maintains.

It takes only a slight change in supply or price to push the undernourished out of reach of food, however, the institute noted.

Hathaway will be administering the set-aside program, which under pending farm legislation would impose substantial penalties for growers who don't cooperate. He also will administer the first official U.S. grain reserve the measure establishes.

The institute cites reserves one of three policy changes necessary "to come to grips with the problem of inadequate food supplies and large numbers of underfed people in developing countries."

But its reserves would be on a worldwide basis - an approach advocated, without action, since the 1974 crunch between world food supplies and demand.

The second change is a better balance in developing nations' domestic policies, which tend to favor either farmers or consumers but not both. The third is protection, as those countries develop their agricultural machine, for small farmers and landless laborers.

The fact that the United States, through bumper harvests, now has a 1.2-billion-bushel wheat surplus and that world grain stocks have almost returned to the late-1960s level "makes it important to move towards establishing a global reserve before circumstances operate to dissipate them," the institute said.

Hathaway detailed an array of political complexities between nations and between different kinds of farmers.

## Mexican Labor Needlessly Imported For Melon Harvest

EL PASO, Tex. (AP) - Mexican labor was needlessly imported to help Presidio, Tex., farmers harvest crops this summer, according to the director of the Governor's Office on Migrant Affairs (GOMA).

Rogelio Perez said Thursday a better coordination among migrant agencies could have supplied all the labor needed to work the Presidio area farms.

He estimated there are 475,000 migrant farm workers in Texas, which he said is the "largest supplier of migrants for the country."

President Carter recommended in June the importation of about 800 farm workers from Mexico to help in the Presidio harvest.

Perez blamed Preid's Motivation Employment Training Association for not notifying other migrant-service agencies of the need for farmworkers.

"They didn't tell us," Perez said. "If we had known, we would have gotten the workers. There are a lot of unemployed in the lower valley."

Perez told a meeting of the GOMA coordinating council that four of 36 agencies that offer services to migrants in Texas are not members of GOMA. He called for a coordination of services.

Migrant workers can find out where farm labor is needed by consulting the Texas Employ-

ment Commission, he said.

"But they don't go because there's too much red tape. Services now are fragmented. They have to go to so many different agencies to get everything they need. There is no umbrella to offer all services," he said.

More and more farmers are switching to mechanized harvesting, decreasing the need for migrant labor, Perez said.

"There will always be migrants. But we need to give them an alternative. We need to provide educational services so they will have something else to turn to. Today there is an 80 per cent school dropout rate among migrants."

Jerome Vacek of Corsicana's Community Services, Inc., said mechanization is driving many migrants from South Texas to other parts of the state for permanent jobs.

Mexican nationals with work permits are also found across the state, he said.

"Pass workers are everywhere. People don't know how much work they do and how necessary they are."

"In the coastal rice producing communities they are working everywhere, but you never see them: You don't see them on main street. They work and disappear into their communities."

"In some lower valley communities they live in shacks in colonies with no running water or electricity. Dysentery is a big problem. They get their water from the canals," Vacek said.

Gov. Dolph Briscoe told the council that GOMA is a catalyst for statewide efforts to serve migrants.

Migrants can be "participating citizens in the economy of their state," Briscoe said.

Under one GOMA program, 300 migrant youths are housed in university dorms while their parents work. The young people are taught English, writing and other subjects when not performing community service work.

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## Grading Charges Recommended

WASHINGTON (AP) - Congressional auditors are recommending that the government return to charging cotton and tobacco farmers for grading their products, something that hasn't been done for 40 years.

The move would earn the federal treasury about \$11.2 million a year - the value of the grading services it now provides free for cotton and tobacco. Producers of other commodities pay a total of about \$48.5 million a year for Agriculture Department grading services.

The General Accounting Office, recommending the fees, said the services would cost farmers about 81 cents per 100 pounds of tobacco.

The agency said that in 1976 - the period used for the figures in their report it cost an average of \$277 to produce a bale of cotton, for which the farmer received about \$300.

It cost an average of \$68 to \$76 to produce a hundredweight of tobacco, which returned between \$111 and \$115, the auditors said.

They concluded that charging producers for the grading services thus would increase production costs by three-tenths of 1 per cent.

USDA reports for July show average prices of \$289.92 for a 480-pound bale of cotton and \$88.70 for 100 pounds of tobacco.

The administration at USDA declined to take a position on the GAO report. The department recommended the same thing in 1965, 1967 and 1970; no action was taken by Congress on

any of those proposals.

Cotton was classed by government inspectors on a reimbursable-fee basis from 1914 until Congress made it free in 1937, two years after tobacco grading also became free.

At the time, the GAO report says, free tobacco-grading services were authorized because only that commodity was heavily taxed and because many believed taxes on cigarettes discouraged consumption and thus hurt returns to growers.

Free cotton-classing services were authorized, it continued, to encourage farmers to join groups carrying out quality-improvement programs.

Now, however, the auditors maintained, neither reason justifies the free services.

Tobacco consumption continues to rise in the face of higher taxes and anti-smoking campaigns. The cotton-improvement programs of the now well-established promotion program groups "generally consist of following normal farming practices," the report said.

"This special treatment of cotton and tobacco producers... is consistent with the practice of charging for grading other commodities and with the government's general policy of charging fees for special services," the GAO said in its report to Congress.

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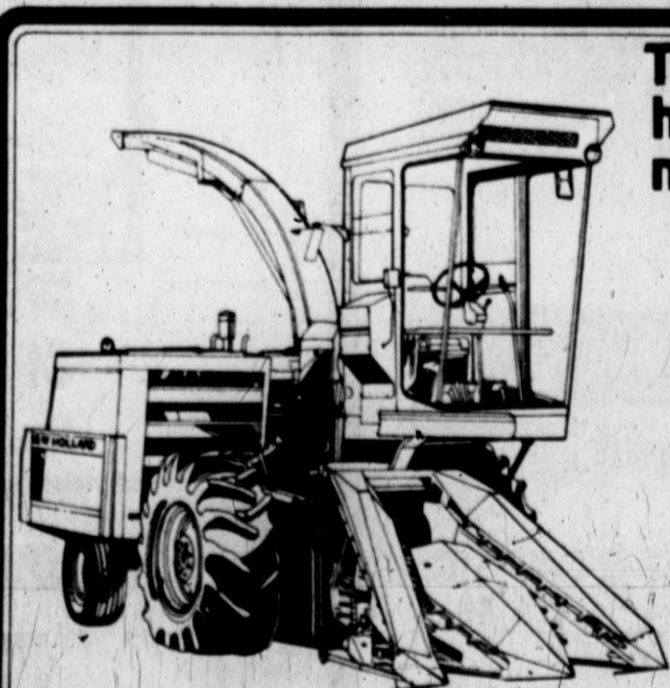
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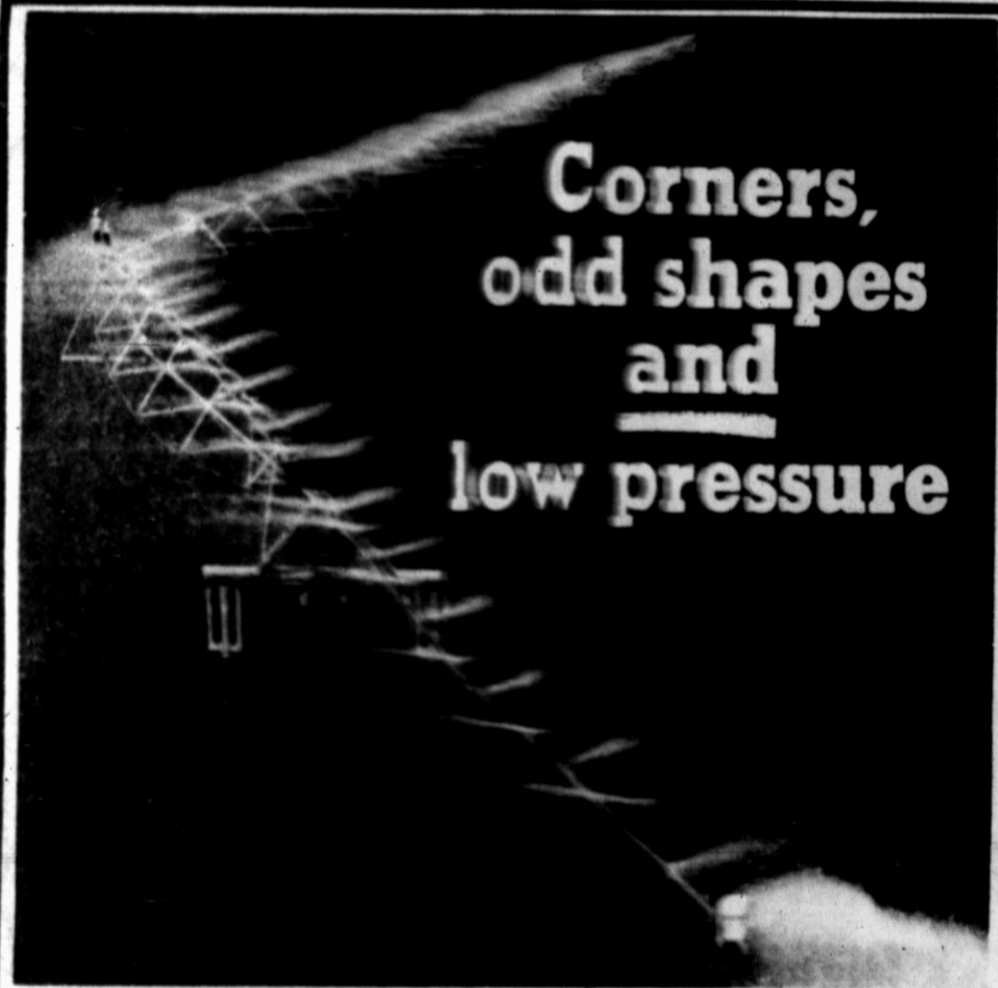
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# ICA Delegates Renew Effort To Preserve Free Enterprise

Delegates attending the Independent Cattlemen's Association 3rd annual convention renewed their efforts to preserve free enterprise.

The delegates, voting the last day of the 4-day convention held in Austin's Municipal Auditorium Aug. 4-7, gave their board of directors the authority to affiliate with a national organization, the Independent Food and Energy Producers, Inc.

T.A. Cunningham of Goliad was re-elected to his fourth term as ICA president. He will also serve as president of the Independent Food and Energy Producers, Inc. ICA 2nd Vice President Roy Wheeler of Pleasanton is vice president of agriculture for the new food and energy organization and Dick Ray of Tyler, supervisor of exploration and oil operations for R.W. Fair and the Fair Oil Co., is vice president of energy.

Cunningham said concern for the right to maintain free markets for independent food and energy producers (nation) wide and desire for a strong national alliance to study

various energy issues prompted formation of the Independent Food and Energy Producers, Inc. He said more than 40 groups nationwide had expressed an interest in membership to the organization.

During convention activity Saturday, he and association delegates received a telegram from the Meat Promoters of Montana. The Meat Promoters praised the cattlemen's association for assistance in fighting beef imports at recent hearings in Texas, South Dakota and New York and said that producers in Montana, North Dakota, Wyoming and South Dakota were interested in the goals of the Independent Food and Energy Producers, Inc.

"Realizing that food and energy are the two most critical issues facing our nation today the Meat Producers of Montana support the exciting program being offered to food and energy producers to unite their resources and support each other," the telegram said.

"Agriculture can help the energy industry and energy can

help agriculture. We are vital to each other and to the nation."

Along with Cunningham, re-elected to the executive board by acclamation Saturday, Aug. 6, were Dr. C.E. Payne of Bryan, 1st vice president; Roy Wheeler of Pleasanton, 2nd vice president; John Nelson of Hempstead, secretary; and Bill Whitehead of Sonora, treasurer.

Texas Gov. Dolph Briscoe and U.S. Rep. Bob Krueger also spoke to conventioners about food and energy problems. Briscoe expressed "extreme concern" about President Carter's energy program just passed by Congress. He said that the philosophy behind the Carter program is wrong and he charged it is based on a "can't do, can't win attitude of defeatism...and a feeling that we cannot be self-sufficient in energy supply."

The governor told the delegates that lack of a sound national energy policy is "the one cloud that hangs over this state."

"Had today's policies prevailed in the last century, we would never have made it to

become an industrial power," said Briscoe. "We would still be an agrarian society." He lashed out at federal intervention in this state's policies and said, "We don't need federal help to get the job done. We have enjoyed about all the federal help we can stand."

The governor praised ICA's work on the state and national level.

Krueger, who addressed the final session of the ICA convention, said he has introduced legislation that would require all forms of meat to be included in the import quotas, labeling of foreign meat in American grocery stores, and legislation that sets mandatory inspection of foreign packing plants twice a year.

Krueger said that the House-passed energy bill will lead to a seven cent per gallon tax increase and allocation of Texas natural gas to other states. Krueger, a New Braunfels congressman and a U.S. Senate candidate, is a leader in the unsuccessful fight for gas price deregulation and against other key features of the

Cartier administration's energy plan.

Also addressing the convention on important agricultural concerns were State Sen. Bill Patman, State Rep. Joe Hubenak, Independent Food and Energy Producers Vice President Dick Ray, and

Speaker of the Texas House of Representatives Bill Clayton.

In other convention action, delegates adopted numerous resolutions pertaining to federal minimum wage, state inheritance tax revision, beef exports, right to work, land use and property taxes.

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# The Hereford Brand-Sunday, August 14, 1977-Page 5C Brown Predicts Tightening Of Grain Warehouse Space

AUSTIN—The prospect of much of this year's grain going into storage under government loan programs will make it especially important to reserve warehouse space prior to next harvest season, Texas Agriculture Commissioner Reagan V. Brown has announced.

"Experience at the onset of the mid harvest this year, when some problems were

encountered in finding storage space because of the oversupply of wheat, bears this out," Brown commented. "We expect storage space to be at a premium next year."

In addition, Brown said pre-harvest consultations between the farmer and warehouse operator are advantageous to both in determining their individual needs.

### TEXAS CATTLE FEEDERS

(As of 4 p.m. 8-12-77)  
Trade: Active. Volume: 2,000  
Steers-40.00-40.50  
Heifers-38.00-38.50

### LOCAL CASH GRAIN 8-12-77

Corn-3.16  
Wheat-2.04  
Milo-2.84  
Soybeans-4.28

### DRESSED BEEF-PORK

Beef-Amarillo reports no sales. All prices choice yield grade 3 unless otherwise noted.  
Midwest-Trade slow with demand light. Steer beef steady for 600-800 lb., ranging 63.-63.25.  
Heifer beef steady at 61.75 for 500-700 lbs.

### GRAIN FUTURES

CHICAGO (AP) — Futures trading on the Chicago Board of Trade Friday:  
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# All-Day Dove Hunts Okayed

AUSTIN—All-day shooting for mourning doves and half-day hunting for whitewings has been set by the Texas Parks and Wildlife Department.

Jim Dunks at the P&WD said mourning doves during both

North and South Zones seasons may be hunted from 30 minutes before sunrise to sunset. The North Zone dove season is set for September 1 - October 30; South Zone, September 24 - November 6 and Dec. 31, 1977 - Jan. 15, 1978.

Exception to the all-day hunting hours is in those counties with a concurrent whitewing and mourning dove season September 3, 4, 10 and 11, when the two species may be hunted from noon to sunset. Shooting hours during the

September 10-18 teal-only season are from sunrise to sunset. Rails and gallinules may be hunted from 30 minutes before sunrise to sunset, September 1 - November 9. The later starting time teal hunting is to give hunters ample

light to distinguish teal from other species of waterfowl which might be moving through Texas in early September. Officials at the U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service notified Dunks late August 4 of the framework for shooting hours of migratory

game birds. Litigation involving shooting hours prevented the U.S.F. & W.S. from providing Parks and Wildlife Commissioners with such frameworks at their July 22 meeting. The commission will set other waterfowl seasons Aug. 31,

# Outdoorsmen Affected By State Legislation

AUSTIN—Texas legislators in the 1977 session passed 88 bills which in one way or another affect the Texas Parks and Wildlife Department, legislation ranging from an increase in nonresident hunting license fees to a bill which raises fees for certificates of title on boats.

All of the new laws will affect outdoorsmen in varying degrees. Two nonresident hunting license fees go into effect September 1—a general nonresident license for \$100.75 and a small game nonresident license which sells for \$37.75. The

general license is valid for hunting any species of game which legally may be taken in the state and is required to hunt deer, turkey, elk, antelope, bear, javelina and aoudad only in those Panhandle counties where there is a season. Nonresident fishing license fees will increase to \$10.50 September 1. Citizens of the Republic of Mexico who are traveling in Texas with a visa and fishing in coastal waters require no fishing license.

Resident fishing license fees will post a modest 25-cent increase in September. Fifty cents of the \$4.50 resident license will go to license sales deputies. Exempt hunting licenses for Texas residents also increase slightly—from 25 cents to \$1.25. These licenses are for Texans under the age of 17 or over 65 years of age.

The Parks and Wildlife Department also was given authority by the legislature to construct or accept and maintain artificial reefs in state coastal waters and make it an offense to damage markers or signals on the reefs.

Inland fishermen in Texas will be prohibited from collecting and transporting as bait fish black bass, crappie, catfish except bullheads, walleye, striped bass and their hybrids, trout, white bass or northern pike. Game fish taken illegally and confiscated by P&WD wardens now may be donated to charitable institutions, hospitals or needy persons. In past years, native bass, catfish and hybrid sunfish were available free from P&WD fish hatcheries to landowners for stocking in private ponds. Now the legislature has given the department authority to charge for such stockings.

Parks and Wildlife Commissioners are considering rates for such fish as proposed by the department's inland fisheries staff. Game wardens now have authority to remove without a warrant illegally placed nets, seines, trawls, traps or other fishing devices from the state's inside waters. New laws give the P&WD's law enforcement division the right to hold as evidence such illegal fishing devices. And the devices can be destroyed if the person charged with illegal fishing is found guilty. They would be returned if the owner is found innocent.

A separate piece of legislation authorizes wardens to seize electricity-producing devices used to take fish illegally, devices used in "telephoning" fish. The right to commission deputy game wardens was given the Parks and Wildlife Department. Such wardens would serve at the will of the department's executive director and be commissioned for a period of no more than four years. Deputy game wardens may enforce state game and fish laws within a geographical area prescribed by the department. The law specifies that no deputy game warden may operate on the coastal waters, bays or estuaries of the state. The

Senate Bill 624 limits the number of redfish or red drum to 10 per day and 20 in possession for sport fishermen as of September 1 and limits commercial fishermen to 200 pounds of redfish per day. And come Oct. 31, 1978, Parks and Wildlife Commissioners will have authority to close bays to commercial fishing of redfish if it's determined that more than 90 per cent of the redfish quota from a specific bay has been harvested. A special \$50 red drum license was approved by the Texas Legislature which is valid from October 1 of one year through September 30 of the following year. The fee is in addition to regular commercial fishing license fees.

wardens will serve without compensation. During upcoming special archery seasons this year bow hunters may have a shotgun in their possession as long as they have shot no larger than size number four in general law counties and size number six in regulatory counties, and the gun is not used for taking deer, turkey or javelina. This provision 'should give archers the opportunity to hunt upland game birds during bow season. In order to make the turkey bag limits uniform across the state, legislators approved a bill which makes it illegal to take more than two turkey gobblers in one open season.

This will affect hunters in those counties under general law. Counties under the regulatory authority of the Parks and Wildlife Department have had a two-turkey bag limit for the past few years. Turkey tags on hunting licenses sold this year will specify that two be used for the fall season and the third for spring seasons where authorized. And another bill requires that such tags remain on the turkey until it reaches its final destination. "Final destination" is defined much the same as for deer—a commercial processing plant, permanent residence of the hunter or permanent residence of any other person receiving a dead wild turkey.

Hunters and fishermen are not the only outdoorsmen affected by laws of the 65th Texas Legislature; several bills were passed having to do with recreational boating. Senate Bill 1052 makes it illegal for political subdivision to charge a fee for the inspection of boats used on public waters. A similar bill raises fees for the issuance of certificates of title on boats to \$3.50 as of Aug. 29, 1977. Previous legislation set the fees at \$2 and lowered them to \$1.50 as of Sept. 1, 1977. In their first year of issuing certificates of title for boats—1976-77—the Parks and Wildlife Department ran up losses of some \$212,000.

Duplicate boat registration decals, the "TX" hull numbers, will cost boaters \$1 in September. They had been free in the past. Operators of boats who are involved in accidents which result in an injury, death or damage to property in excess of \$100 value must file an accident report with the Parks and Wildlife Department. Previously the minimum property value was \$50. On Aug. 29, 1977, veterans of the U.S. armed forces who have a disability resulting from their service will be admitted to state parks free of charge with a permit issued by the P&WD. The Veterans Administration defines such disabilities as loss of use of the lower extremities of a 60 per cent disability rating. The veteran must be receiving compensation from the United States Government because of the disability.

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**WILDLIFE INDICATORS**  
LUBBOCK--There are various techniques that personnel of the Texas Parks and Wildlife Department use to predict the upcoming hunting season but, nature has her own indicators including an abundance of certain species of wildlife. "We are seeing an abundance of grasshoppers and rabbits this year and if sportsmen will recall, every year that these two species are numerous, the hunting is good," said Ted Wheelis, Lubbock regional law enforcement supervisor. "There are very dry spots across the Panhandle and South Plains but some areas have had too much rain at one time." Wheelis continued. An over-population of grass hoppers might be bad for farm crops and the family garden but for game birds, it is a summer feast. Every species of bird including quail and turkey are finding plenty of the juicy hoppers this summer and the insects will be around until the first hard frost. Ample numbers of cottontail rabbits mean plenty of food for the predators such as coyote and bobcat and less trouble for the farmer and his chickens. Reports have been received concerning the rabbits and their destruction of gardens in some areas. A barking dog and a tight fence could be the only answer as fall approaches and vegetables ripen. P&WD predictions using the conventional methods of survey lines and aerial counts will be forthcoming soon.

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## Real Estate Firm Adds Free Service

Beverly Lambert, a member of Griffin Real Estate & Investments of Hereford, has been named coordinator for Nationwide Find-A-Home Service, it was announced Friday by Marie Griffin.

Nationwide specializes in finding homes for transferees or anyone moving to a new city. Mrs. Lambert joins more than 500 Realtor members of Nationwide who operate some 1,100 offices in the U.S. and Canada. They handle many thousands of "out-of-town" home buys annually.

Nationwide members review the needs of individual transferees and, at their request, put them in touch with Realtors in the city where they're moving—at no extra cost or obligation.

According to Mrs. Lambert, Nationwide coordinators are better able to assist transferees because they have firsthand knowledge of the neighborhoods and home listings in their city.

As a coordinator, Mrs. Lambert will receive referrals from other Realtor members, prepare market analyses and information packets on this area and schedule home visitation for prospective Hereford residents.

The Nationwide service can save people much time and trouble spent moving to a new city, says Mrs. Lambert. For questions concerning the free service, interested citizens can contact her a Griffin Real Estate & Investments.

### NEW DAY FOR ROSES PARADE

PASADENA, Calif. (AP) — The Tournament of Roses Parade will be held here on Monday, Jan. 2, 1978, instead of the traditional New Year's Day, according to Harrison R. Baker Jr., president of the sponsoring Tournament of Roses Association.

This is the 13th time that the parade has not been held on Jan. 1 because the date falls on a Sunday, Baker reports.

## Duck Hunting Cutback Proposed by U.S. F&WS

WASHINGTON (AP) — Citing widespread drought across the northern prairies, the U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service on Wednesday proposed increasing the restrictions on duck hunters in some states for the 1977-78 waterfowl hunting seasons.

The restrictions follow predictions that fewer ducks will fly south this autumn because the drought dried up thousands of potholes on which the birds traditionally nest.

Most goose populations, however, are believed to be in fairly good shape, primarily because they nest farther north and were less affected by the drought.

The service proposed an abbreviated duck hunting season in the Mississippi and

Central flyways, five days shorter than allowed last fall. But no reductions were proposed for the Atlantic and Pacific flyways.

Not all proposals would increase the restrictions on hunters. A special wood duck option will be allowed in some southern states to permit hunters to increase the kill of locally-abundant populations of wood ducks.

Some northern states will be permitted to divide their states into zones, with the gunning season set for each zone instead of being imposed statewide.

The season for greater snow geese also will be lengthened from 30 days to 60 days in the Atlantic Flyway.

Atlantic brant will continue to receive total protection, and

shooting of canvasbacks and redheads will be prohibited in many areas where the birds congregate.

The special teal and scaup seasons again will be permitted in states in the Atlantic, Mississippi and Central flyways, with states rejecting special seasons being permitted bonus scaup and teal during the regular seasons.

Under the special wood duck option, the states of Virginia, North Carolina, South Carolina, Georgia, Florida, Kentucky, Arkansas, Tennessee, Louisiana, Mississippi and Alabama may select a special nine-day season in early October in which no special restrictions would be imposed on the bag and possession limits for wood ducks.

The move would permit hunter to kill four of five woodies daily.

In addition, the daily bag limit on Canada geese will be increased from three to four in Delaware, part of Pennsylvania and the Delmarva peninsula portions of Maryland and Virginia.

The harvest quota on Canada geese will be increased to 35,000 birds in Wisconsin and Illinois, an increase of 7,000 birds over the quota imposed last year.

The U.S. Fish and Wildlife Service sets the framework under which states select their gunning seasons. The proposals are subject to change, with the final regulations expected to be issued next month.

## Shooting Sports Added As Project for 4-H'ers

COLLEGE STATION—Shooting Sports has been added as a new 4-H project area in Texas, announces H.T. Davison, 4-H and youth specialist with the Texas Agricultural Extension Service.

This program comes about as a result of a request from

volunteer adult leaders across the state. Two training programs for volunteer leaders have already been conducted by Extension specialists and other people who are experts in the field, notes Davison.

"Shooting is a sport, and in many cases, people who are

actively involved in shooting do not hunt," points out Davison.

"In fact, there are more participants engaged in target shooting than in any other phase of shooting sports. 4-H will offer an all-around program in shooting sports, including BB and air rifle marksmanship, 22 rifle marksmanship, and shotgun target shooting."

The Texas Agricultural Extension Service, the parents organization of 4-H, has agreed to cooperate with the National Rifle Association in a shooting sports pilot project, says Davison. Twenty-one counties are involved in this program, and instructors from each county have already received training at the Texas 4-H Center in Brownwood. This training was mainly to help instructors learn how to teach. County leaders were encouraged to return home and organize a shooting sports program which

would offer many various opportunities for youth

"There will be a number of competitive activities for young people in shooting sports," says Davison. "These will include county, district and state rifle marksmanship contests and state trap and skeet competition. Other activities likely to evolve include light 22 caliber rifle matches, silhouette shooting and air rifle matches."

"Emphasis will be placed on helping the individual youngster learn how to shoot and to seek out those activities which he or she best enjoys," contends Davison. "The intent of the program is to help people learn about and enjoy the sport of shooting. It is a sport that an individual can enjoy throughout his lifetime."

Local county Extension agents have information on organizing a 4-H Shooting Sports Club.

## 'Big Fish' Award Planned For NHF Day

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The fishing contest is one of several events being held by the Corps of Engineers in support of National Hunting and Fishing Day to be observed the fourth Saturday in September. On that day a dozen or more key lake project offices throughout the District will hold open houses in recognition of the contributions made by the wildlife-oriented public toward conservation.

NHF Day was originated by the National Shooting Sports Foundation five years ago and is supported by the National Wildlife Federation, Izaak Walton League, and similar organizations. Support from the sporting public has come chiefly from hunters and the Corps Big Fish Contest was instituted for the express purpose of involving the fishing public in the support of "their day."

Each lake in the Tulsa District will offer one or more "Big Fish" certificates, with the species awarded at each lake to be determined by the local Corps project office. Prospective entrants may call the project office at the lake whose contest

they wish to enter for details on the program for that lake.

Entries must be for verifiable catches of designated species which have been caught at that particular lake. Frances Dunn, coordinator of the Corps NHF Day Program, says your catch may be verified by a sworn statement of a baitshop owner, Wildlife Department personnel, club official, Corps personnel or other cooperating agency or a xerox copy of an official record.

Entries for each lake must have been taken legally at that lake between September 26, 1976 and September 23, 1977, not on NHF Day. Each entry must list the name of the species, the name of the lake in which the fish was caught, the weight of the fish, and the date. Bring the information to the NHF Day open house program serving the lake where you caught your fish or mail it to the Corps project office for that lake before NHF Day, September 24, 1977.

Certificates will be awarded for a wide variety of species, and if prizes are donated by the interested public, they also will be presented, Dunn said. Winners will be announced following NHF Day. If public support for the contest is sufficiently great, "Biggest Fish" awards encompassing the District as a whole will be made, she added.

The hurricane season runs from the start of June through the end of November, according to the National Weather Service.

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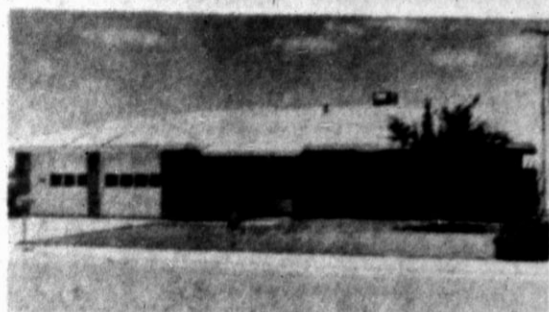
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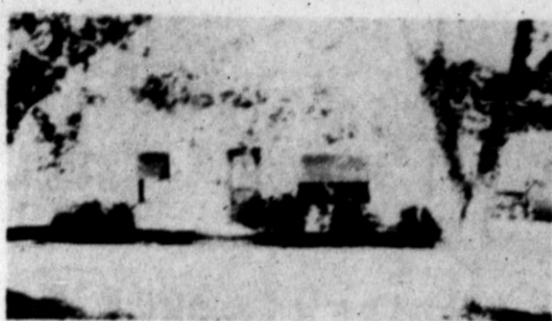
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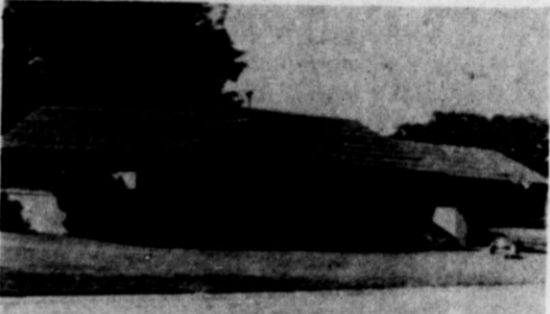
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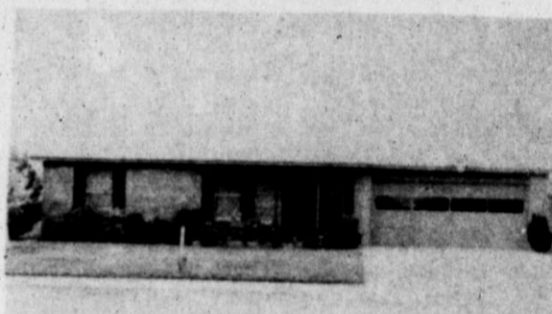
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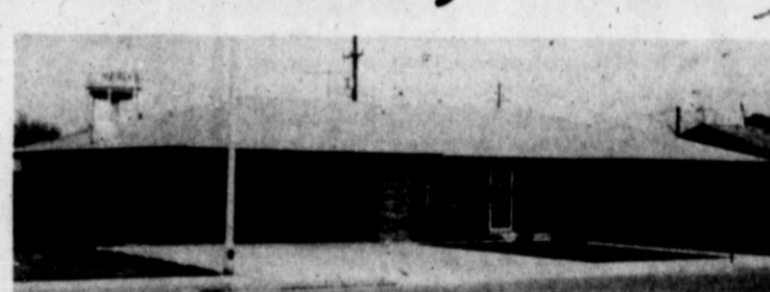
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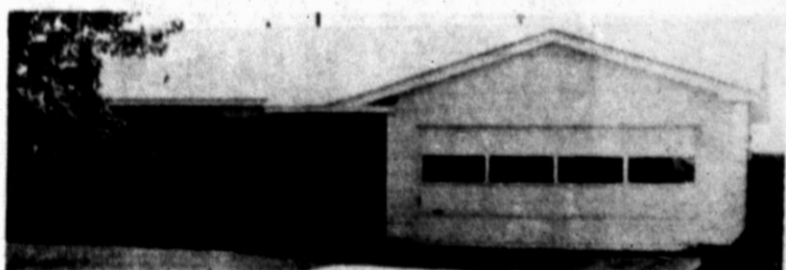
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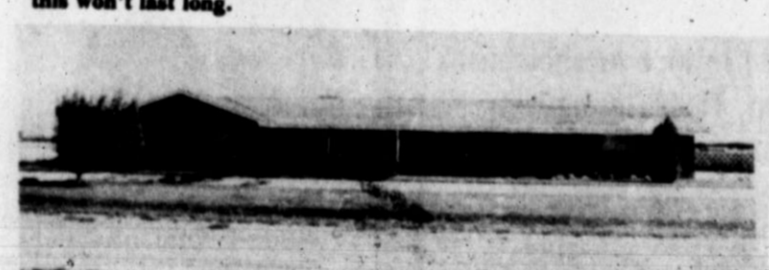
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# Coffee, Oil Stocks Are Piling Up

NEW YORK (AP) - There's still enough resiliency in the market place for the mass of men to exert some influence over prices, and that they have. As a result, an awful lot of coffee and oil is piling up in the United States.

Coffee roasting by American concerns is down more than 20 per cent from a year ago. Wholesale prices continue to fall. And prices on the futures markets suggest the drop might continue for many more months. Supplies of oil, expected earlier this year to be running low about now, are close to overflow levels. Some gasoline prices have been lowered a bit. A shortage of winter heating oil now seems very unlikely.

Had the voices of despair prevailed it might never have happened. Instead, retail customers adapted themselves to the

realities, reducing demand to less than the forecasts.

U.S. roastings of green coffee through early July amounted to only 8.44 million bags of 132 pounds each, compared with 11.125 million bags roasted in the same period of 1976.

Price drops are even more impressive. Folger Coffee Co. is now wholesaling vacuum-packed ground roasted coffee at \$3.48 a pound, of 95 cents a pound less than it charged as recently as May 12.

General Foods, the largest domestic coffee roaster, retains its price of \$3.71 a pound, but officials concede the trend is toward lower prices and that almost nothing is likely to interrupt the trend.

Ross Barzelay, president, told shareholders at the annual meeting last month that only another frost in Brazil, plus

political difficulties in other producing countries would prevent further price declines.

The spot, or immediate delivery, price of Brazilian green coffee on the New York market fell to \$2.05 a pound this week, about \$1.50 a pound lower than what was being obtained in mid-April, and only 60 cents higher than the level a year ago.

The futures markets indicate a continuation of the downward trend. Green coffee for delivery next month was quoted at \$1.87 a pound in New York this week, down more than \$1.50 since the highs of last April.

The chief ingredient of the new market mix is the reluctance of consumers to pay the extraordinary prices that prevailed just a few weeks ago, as high as \$4.19 a pound in one

New York-area chain in June.

Two other factors might be at work also. Analysts say they detect a long-term decline in per capita consumption in the United States. Another: Retailers, anxious to pacify customers, have lowered prices at the expense of profit margins.

The oil situation is perhaps more complex and less understandable. Forecasts of increased demand were overly bullish, for reasons that analysts attribute partly to conservation efforts, partly to more efficient usage by new cars.

In addition, supplies from the North Sea, Mexico and now the Alaskan North Slope have been added to Mideast supplies, resulting in crude oil inventories that are sharply higher than 1976 levels.

As a consequence, wholesale gasoline prices have come down a bit, and analysts anticipate further declines, although minimal in comparison to the abrupt fall in coffee prices.

From the shopper's point of view there seems to be a lesson in the tale of these two prices:

The consumer still can exert some power, however small, if he is willing to make the effort.

Chinese philosopher Confucius' name comes from an Anglicized version of his family name, Kung, together with his formal title, fu-tz, meaning "honored sir."

Syracuse, in southeastern Sicily, was founded by Greek settlers in the 8th century B.C. To cut calories, try serving fruit cobbler with plain yogurt instead of cream or ice cream.

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**GARAGE SALE.** Monday and Tuesday 8 a.m. - 5 p.m. 3 year old Kirby Vacuum, television, toys, clothes and miscellaneous. 244 Centre St. 1A-32-1p

**GARAGE SALE.** Monday and Tuesday. Table, organ and things. 324 Avenue J. 1A-31-2p

**GARAGE SALE.** 223 Fir. Saturday and Sunday. 1A-31-2c

**GARAGE SALE** Friday through Sunday. 428 N. Jackson. Furniture, heaters, dishes, clothes and miscellaneous. 1A-31-sp

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### 2. FOR SALE Farm Equipment

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**FOR SALE:** One owner 1968 Bel Air Chevy 4 dr. P.S.; A.C.; A.T. 307 rebuilt engine (22,000) Good condition far better than average. \$700. Phone 364-1539. S-3-32-tfc

1968 Chev. Impala two door hardtop. New 327 engine. Call after 7 p.m., 258-7580. 3-31-Sp

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1972 Chevrolet Pickup, 1/2 ton, long wide box, V8, automatic, 84,000 miles. \$1550.00. 2 wheel trailer, \$50.00. Phone 364-1266. Ask for Don. 3-30-5c

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1975 Honda 550 Four. Low mileage, excellent condition. Call 364-1794. 3-27-tfc

1976 Mercury Marquis 2 door. Loaded. Take up payments \$268.50 month. Pay off \$6,700 or acquire own financing. 258-7576. 3-26-tfc

For Sale: 1977 Lincoln Continental Town Coupe, loaded, CB Radio. Phone 364-6801; after 6 p.m. 364-5017. 3-Th-S-260-tfc

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Two bedroom Westchester mobile home. Includes appliances. Small equity. Take up payments. Lot 29, Summerfield after 7 p.m. 4A-28-5p

1975 Winston II trailer home. 14x70. Good condition. Contact Installment Loan Department at First National Bank. 4A-26-tfc

**5. FOR RENT**

For Rent: S.W. 1/4 sec. 4, Blk. K8, one 8" elec. well, 4 mi. No., 3 W., 1 No., 1/2 W., Hereford. Phone 806-655-3124 at night after Aug. 22. 5-37-5c

2 bedroom duplex, partially furnished, deposit, water and gas paid. \$170 monthly. Call 364-4370. 5-32-5c

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Trailer spaces for rent. Countryside Mobile Home Park, 364-0064 or 364-1760. 5-11-tfc

**6. WANTED**

Wanted: Janitorial work. Have references. Phone 364-3973. 5-6-242-tfc

WANTED: Roto-tilling yards and gardens. Also complete lawn seeding. Call Harvey J. Manion, 357-2342. 6-167-tfc

I would like to buy your old retired lawn mower. Call 364-2612. 6-28-5c

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 6-48-tfc

WANTED: 12x50 or 12x60 ft. mobile home in good condition. 357-2552. James or Doris Dobbs, Summerfield. 6-197-tfc

**7. BUSINESS OPPORTUNITIES**

HEALTH FOOD PLANT. Can net \$6,000 per week. Sell one fourth interest for \$75,000. 806-364-0484. 7-30-5c

**8. HELP WANTED**

TRUCK DRIVER WANTED. Must have local references. Best driving job that can be found. Only top drivers need apply. Retirement program, paid holidays, group hospitalization, plus highest pay scale. Call 364-6352 for appointment. 8-32-3c

Need dependable man to run small feed mill and do maintenance work in small feed yard. 258-7549 between 1 and 5 p.m. 8-32-5c

Need several dependable couples for part time janitorial work on contract. Call 364-6555. 8-32-1c

Wanted: Car wash manager. Full time employment. Need married, age 30-45, mechanically inclined. Apply in person at Rainbow Car Wash, 417 North 25 Mile. 8-31-2c

Help Wanted: LVN part time. Immediate opening. Apply in person at Prairie Acres, 201 E. 15th, Friona. 8-215-tfc

WANTED: Mechanic with tools. Orval Watson Ford Garage. Call 364-2727. 8-9-tfc

WANTED: Waitresses (two) willing to work. Rheingold's Restaurant, Umbarger, Texas. 806-499-3546. 8-28-tfc

Persons needed to address envelopes and insert circulars in their home. Must have good handwriting and be willing to work at least 20 hours per week. Respond in your own hand writing to Box 673, Hereford, Texas 79045. 8-22-tfc

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Want to do wallpaper hanging. Experienced. References furnished. Jimmie Middleton, 258-7715 or Pat Nelson, 258-7337. 9-222-tfc

**10. NOTICE**  
**Hereford Lions Club**  
 meets each  
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**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 1:00 p.m. until 5 p.m. Monday through Friday.  
**A UNITED FUND AGENCY**  
 10-1-tfc

**TO VEGA AREA RESIDENTS**  
 For subscriptions or renewal to Hereford Brand and news items, call Mary Lou Spinhrne, 267-2660. 10-190-tfc

**11. BUSINESS SERVICE**

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**13. LOST & FOUND**

LOST: From 210 Juniper. Grey poodle wearing red collar. 364-4481 after 5 p.m. 13-30-3c

Two Lost Dogs. Miniature Schnauzers. Grey and white. Lost in vicinity of West 15th. "Casey" and "Snitzel", females. REWARD. 364-2818. 13-30-tfc

LOST: Female Doberman pinscher. Family pet. Answers to "Jessie" Reward. 364-2224 weekends and after 3:30. 13-31-3p

LOST: Reward for Australian and Blue Heeler Cross female. 276-5388 anytime. 13-28-5p

**14. CARD OF THANKS**

The American Legion Auxiliary wishes to take this opportunity to express our appreciation to everyone who helped in any way to make our Harvest Dinner a success.  
 Sincerely,  
 Ladies of the American Legion Auxiliary  
 14-32-1c

**God Bless You**  
 We would like to express our thanks and appreciation to friends, neighbors and relatives and pallbearers and honorary pallbearers for the flowers, food and those who served it; the cards, contributions, visits and the many courtesies shown the family on the death of our loved one. And a special thanks to my grandson, Jay West, for the use and hospitality of his home.  
 Mrs. Lewis West, Odie, Jay, Wanda, Bill and Dixie, Elsie and Robert and families.  
 11-15-tfc

This is to express my heartfelt thanks and appreciation to the doctors and nurses at Deaf Smith County Hospital for their loving care and courtesies during my husband's illness over the past several years.  
 Mrs. Lewis West  
 14-32-1p

The family of Elizabeth Skypala would like to thank everyone who was so kind and helpful during her illness and recent death. We would especially like to thank Dr. Rush, Dr. Carruth, Dr. Perales and the wonderful nurses in the Intensive Care Unit at the hospital. Also everyone for the masses and prayers, the food, flowers, cards, visits, and donations to her memorial fund. May God bless each of you abundantly.  
 Norbert Skypala  
 Mary & David Sims & family  
 Christine & Jim Marnell & family  
 Kathy & Mike Margrave  
 Greg Skypala  
 14-5-32-1p

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**NOTICE TO PUBLIC**  
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- U.S.D.A. CHOICE BEEF BONELESS **CHUCK ROAST** LB. **99¢**
- U.S.D.A. CHOICE BEEF **ARM ROAST** LB. **89¢**
- U.S.D.A. CHOICE BEEF CENTER CUT **CHUCK ROAST** LB. **79¢**
- U.S.D.A. CHOICE BEEF BONELESS **SWISS STEAK** LB. **\$1.19**
- OSCAR MAYER **SLICED BACON** 1 LB. PKG. **\$1.69**
- OSCAR MAYER ROUND OR SQUARE SLICED **BOLOGNA** 8 OZ. PKG. **69¢**
- OSCAR MAYER BEEF REG. OR THICK SLICED **BOLOGNA** 8 OZ. PKG. **69¢**
- CLAUSSEN'S WHOLE KOSHER **PICKLES** 1 QT. **99¢**
- CLAUSSEN'S NEW KOSHER **PICKLE SLICES** 24 OZ. JAR **99¢**

- GOOCH'S HICKORY SMOKED SLAB **SLICED BACON** LB. **\$1.29**
- LEAN FRESH - GUARANTEED 73% LEAN **GROUND BEEF** LB. **79¢**
- HEAVY GRAIN FED - 8-10 LB. AVG. **BEEF BRISKET** LB. **89¢**



U.S.D.A. FREEZER BEEF 1/2 Average Lb. **82¢**  
250 Lb.

CALIFORNIA  
**Vine Ripened TOMATOES**  
**3 \$1**  
LBS.

- THOMPSON SEEDLESS **GREEN GRAPES** LB. **49¢**
- COLORADO MOUNTAIN GROWN **CORN** 3 EARS **35¢**
- CALIFORNIA GREEN **ONIONS** 2 BUNCHES **25¢**
- CALIFORNIA LARGE **BELL PEPPERS** LB. **49¢**
- CALIFORNIA LEGRAND **NECTARINES** LB. **39¢**
- CALIFORNIA SUNRISE **ORANGES** 4 LBS. **\$1.49**
- LARGE PERSIAN **TANGY LIMES** LB. **49¢**

ARMOUR VIENNA **Sausage** 3 5 OZ. CANS **\$1**

BORDEN'S **Ice Cream** 1/2 GAL RD. **99¢**

20 OFF LABEL DETERGENT  
**JOY** 32 OZ. BTL. **99¢**

**TOTAL GROCERY SAVERS**

- PINK FABRIC SOFTENER **STA-PUF** 1 GAL. BTL. **89¢**
- CLEANSER **SOFT SCRUB** 13 OZ. BTL. **69¢**
- PARSON'S LEMON **AMMONIA** 28 OZ. BTL. **39¢**

**THRIFTY GROCERY BUYS**

- COLORADO PAPER TOWELS **BRAWNY** JUMBO ROLL **59¢**
- SCHILLING BLACK **PEPPER** 4 OZ. CAN **89¢**
- LAUNDRY DETERGENT **TIDE** GIANT SIZE. **\$1.19**

Enjoy **Coca-Cola** ENJOY REFRESHING **COCA COLA** 32-OZ. RETURNABLE BOTTLES PLUS DEPOSIT **23¢**

DOUBLE LUCK **GREEN BEANS** NO. 303 CAN 4 CANS **\$1**

NORTHERN ASSTD. BATHROOM **TISSUE** 4 ROLL PKG. **79¢**

HONEY BOY CHUM **SALMON** TALL CAN **\$1.39**

CHICKEN OF THE SEA CHUNK LIGHT **TUNA** 6 OZ. CAN **65¢**

ARMOUR'S POTTED **MEAT** 5 3 OZ. CANS **\$1.00**

KELLOGG TOASTED **MINI-WHEAT** 13 OZ. BOX **59¢**

ROACH & ANT BOMB **HOT SHOT** 11 OZ. CAN **\$1.39**

INSECT BOMB **HOT SHOT** 11 OZ. CAN **\$1.39**

CARNATION **TATER POPS** 2 LB. PKG. **59¢**

MORTON MEAT **POT PIES** BEEF, CHICKEN, TURKEY 4 8 OZ. BOXES **\$1.00**

MINUTE MAID PINEAPPLE **JUICE** 6 OZ. CAN **35¢**

SHURFINE GRANULATED **SUGAR** LB. BAG **589¢**

SHURFRESH SWEET CREAM QTRS. **BUTTER** 1 LB. BOX **\$1.19**

SMALL FOOD STG. BAGS **BAGGIES** 80 COUNT **39¢**

HEAVY DUTY LAUNDRY DETERGENT **SUPER SUDS** GIANT BOX **69¢**

EDDY ARNOLD **PORK & BEANS** 300 CANS **4 \$1**

FOR BETTER BAKING **BAKE-RITE SHORTENING** 3 LB. CAN **\$1.19**

**HEALTH & BEAUTY AID SAVINGS**

- NON-ASPIRIN PAIN RELIEF **DATRIL** 100 CT. BTL. **\$1.59**
- 4-WAY **NASAL SPRAY** 1/2 OZ. BTL. **89¢**
- ROLL-ON DEODORANT **ULTRA BAN** 1.5 OZ. BTL. **99¢**
- NON-GREASY **VITALIS** 7 OZ. BTL. **\$1.39**
- TWIN INJECTORS **SCHICK** 4 CT. PKG. **79¢**
- SCHICK DE PLUS PLATINUM **BLADES** 5 CT. PKG. **49¢**
- 25 OFF LABEL - SHICK TWIN **SUPER II** 9 CT. PKG. **\$1.99**

WE ACCEPT FOOD STAMPS

# THRIFTWAY

PRICES EFFECTIVE AUGUST 14-20, 1977

# JOGGING SUITS FOR THE FAMILY

## MENS

Acrylic jogging suits with zip front. In assorted colors in sizes S-M-L-XL.

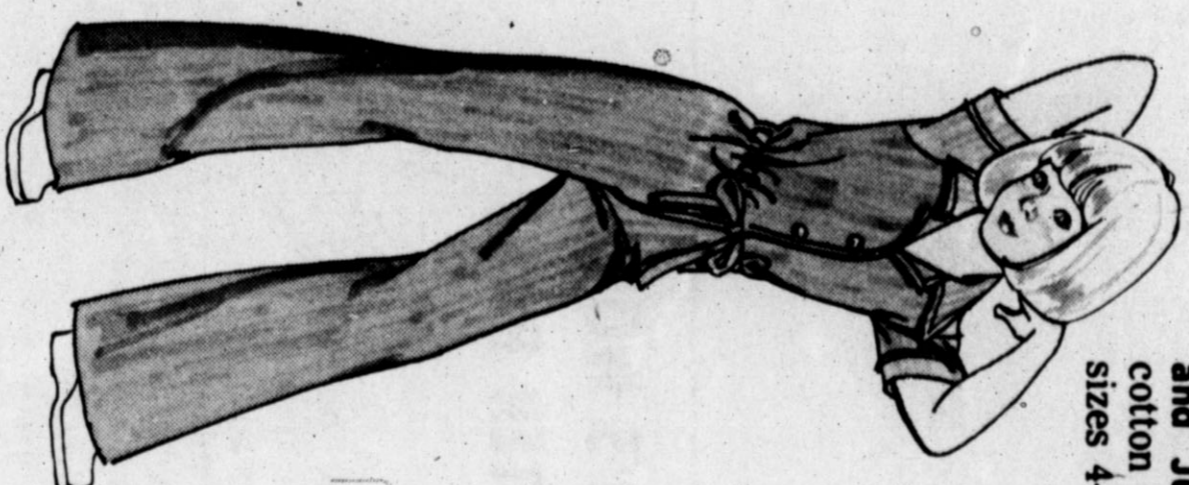
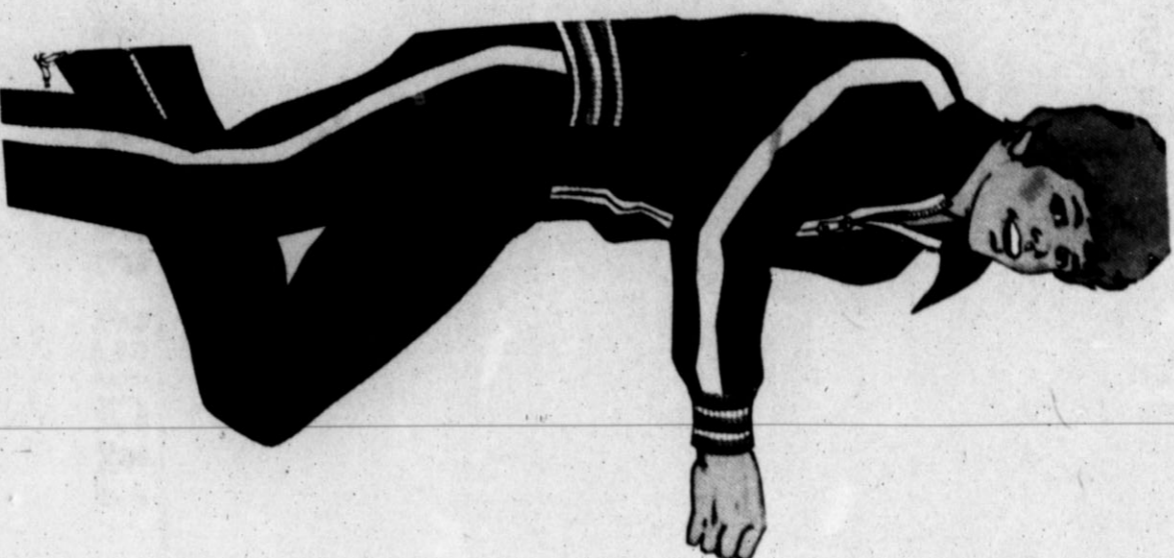
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## BOYS & GIRLS

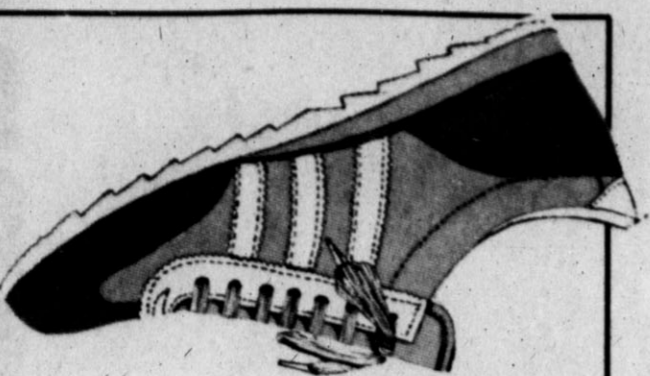
Boys and Girls Jogging Suits of Acrylic in assorted colors. Boys and girls sizes.

**13.00**



Choose From a Wide Selection of Girls Dresses and Jumpsuits in polyester and Polyester - cotton blends. Great styles and colors, too. In sizes 4-6x and 7-14.

# 1/3 OFF ENTIRE STOCK GIRLS DRESSES & JUMPSUITS



## ATHLETIC SHOES

**SPECIAL 7.99**

Mens, Boys, and Youths nylon - leather athletic shoes. Vinyl covered padded collar. Molded rubber outsoles. Mens 6½ - 12; Boys, 2½ - 6; Youths, 10-2. Blue only.

CHARGE IT !! OR ASK  
ABOUT OUR CONVENIENT  
LAYAWAY PLAN

# JCPenney

**SUPER BUYS ON JUNIOR SLEEPWEAR**

**3.99**

Juniors 100 Per Cent Nylon Stretch Knit Baby Dolls or Long Gowns. Sleeveless style in assorted patterns and colors. Sizes S-M-L.



**1/3 OFF ENTIRE STOCK**

**JUNIOR DRESSES**

**& PANTSUITS**

Choose From Our Entire Stock of Junior Dresses and Pantsuits in assorted styles, fabrics, and colors. In junior sizes 5-15. All at one-third off.



**BIKINI PANTIES**

**2 FOR 77¢**

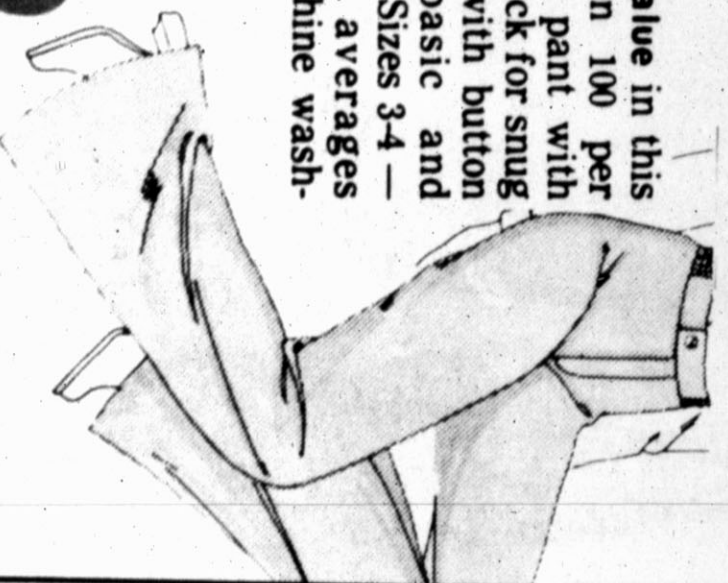


Bikini Panties of 100 per cent acetate in assorted colors. Double fabric crotch. S-M-L.

**JCPenney**

**WOMEN'S WOVEN POLYESTER PANT**

An excellent value in this textured woven 100 per cent polyester pant with set in elastic back for snug fit. Fly front with button tab. Great basic and fashion colors. Sizes 3-4 - 17-18 Petites, averages and tall. Machine washable.



**6.99**

**LADIES SWEATERJACKETS**

**18.99**

Orig. \$28. Ladies Sweater-Jackets of 100 per cent acrylic with leather accents. Button - front with self - belt. Assorted colors. Sizes S-M-L.



**JCPenney**

**GIBSON'S**  
**DISCOUNT CENTER**  
 To Reserve The Right To Limit Quantities  
 A Member Of  
**Sandra**  
 CORD  
 Gibson's helps senior citizens over 65 fight inflation 10% discount on all items in store except groceries, sale items, gasoline and tobacco products.



**Zoro**  
**ANTI-FREEZE**  
 1 gal  
**2.99**

**Spirited**  
**CHARCOAL**  
 10 lb.  
**.99**

**Others**  
**CAMP FUEL**  
 1 gal  
**1.29**

**5**  
**OIL FILTERS**  
 Single Stage  
**1.69**

**5**  
**OIL TREATMENT**  
 5 oz  
**97¢**

**STP**  
**OIL TREATMENT**



**Quaker State**  
**OIL**  
 30W & 20W 1 qt.  
**2 for 99¢**

**BIG**  
**BUYS**  
**ON SCHOOL**  
**SUPPLIES**



**Turf Magic**  
**SUPER LAWN FOOD**  
 40 lb. Bag  
 K-4-4 5x lbs  
**3.97**



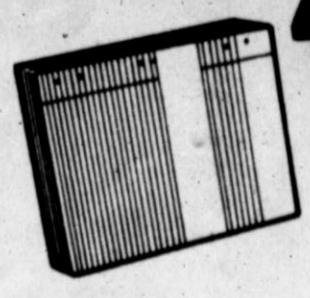
**These Fertilizer-**  
**COW MANURE**  
 Processed  
 40 lb.  
**89¢**

**White Supplies Last**

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SALE PRICES GOOD MONDAY, AUGUST 15, 1977  
 THROUGH SATURDAY, AUGUST 20, 1977

**BACK TO SCHOOL**  
**BONRANZA**  
**OF VALUES**



**FILLER PAPER**  
 200 Sheet  
**49¢**

**PALMOLIVE**  
 Palmolive Liquid  
 22 oz  
**69¢**



**Bacon**  
 1 lb. Bacon  
**\$1.15**



**BREAD**  
 1 1/2 lb. Loaf  
**\$1.15**

**GLADIOLA FLOUR**  
 5 lb. Bag  
**59¢**

**MILK**  
 1 gal  
**1.29**

**Pure Cane SUGAR**  
 5 lb.  
**89¢**



**BONDERS**  
**ICE CREAM**  
 1/2 gal. Round  
**99¢**



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**the Sandra Corp**  
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**Hand Lotion**  
 5 oz. **93¢**

**Shampoo**  
 5 oz. **127**

**Crest Toothpaste**  
 7 oz. Reg. Or More **107**

**Colgate MIP Toothpaste**  
 9 oz Super Size 18¢ Off Label, TV **99¢**

**Polish Remover**  
 1 1/2 oz. **47¢**

**Gibson Alcohol**  
 16 oz. **23¢**

**Shaving Cream**  
 11 oz. **89¢**

**Nice & Easy Hair Spray**  
 169

**Listerine Mouthwash**  
 32 oz 30¢ Off Label **137**

**Deodorant**  
 3 oz. **129**

**Frost & Tip**  
 Single Application **337**

**Disinfectant Spray**  
 14 oz. **147**

**Big Buys On School Supplies**  
 167

**Final Net Hair Spray**  
 157

**Toilet Bowl Cleaner**  
 16 oz. **59¢**

**Twin Blades**  
 Trace II Cartridge **167**

**TIME TO GET GOIN' BACK TO SCHOOL**

**Capitol 1 Blank Cassettes**  
 3 pak C 30 **197**  
 3 pak C 60 **197**

**Tapes**  
 Reg. 67 **577**  
 Reg. 57 **497**

**Lod. Tape Case**  
 TA 124 Holds 24 **397**

**Famous Mr. Coffee**  
 Deluxe Automatic Coffee Brewing System **2687**

**LP Albums**  
 Reg. 57 **467**

**Rival Crock-Ette**  
 Mini - Cook Pot **997**

**Presto Burger**  
 Broils An Extra Juicy Hamburger In Just 60 Seconds **997**

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**Calculators**  
 With Memory as. E70 **1997**

**Electric Deep Fryer**  
 Presto Fry Baby **1597**

**Presto Skillet**  
 A serving or two in a jiffy or 2 **2197**

**Color IT Instant Camera**  
 COLOR IT INSTANT. COLOR IT BEAUTIFUL. COLOR IT EASY. **5497**

**Kodak EK6 Instant Camera**  
**5497**

**Color IT Instant Camera**  
 Get color prints so beautiful you have to see them to believe them. Easy-to-use, zooming, circle focusing means you don't have to fuss with the camera. Between 4 and 25 feet. Also has zone symbol focusing in feet and meters. Correct exposure is automatic with the new Kodak Tonic shutter and a self-  
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**DISCOUNT CENTER**  
 The Sandra Corp.  
 To Receive The Right To Local Discount Center  
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**Nice'n Soft**  
 Toilet Tissue  
 79¢

**THE SKIN MACHINE**  
 Battery Powered  
 By Gilmer  
 Cleansing Brush  
 Two Brushes  
 99¢

**SPIN SPIN**  
 Paper Towels  
 49¢

**pretty-power**  
 Styling Dryer  
 760 Watt  
 Dual Fan System  
 179¢

**Electric Alarm Clock**  
 Shatterproof Lens- Sweep Second Hand  
 Modern Design  
 Dependable Accuracy  
 No. 27191  
 99¢

**Electric Hair Clippers**  
 Model no. 45-15  
 79¢

**BATH TOWELS**  
**HAND TOWELS**  
**AND WASH CLOTHS**  
**20% OFF**  
 69¢

**Glorox Bleach**  
 Liquid  
 79¢

**Thread**  
 225 yds. reg. 39¢  
**5/\$1.00**

**SHEET**  
**PILLOW CASES**  
**20% OFF**  
 69¢

**BACK TO SCHOOL MATERIAL SALE**  
 Now you can sew yourself a fabulous fall wardrobe at big savings! Select great fashion fabrics here!

**One Group 100's Polyester**  
 reg. 1.97 **77¢**

**These Fabrics Good Only In Fall, Handled Gorgeously Shows**  
 reg. 2.97 **\$1.59**

**2.49**  
 reg. 3.97

**SCHOOL DAYS CAN BE SAVINGS DAYS**

**\$3.97**  
 TRACK SHOES  
 Boys and Girls  
 V-B-N-150

**\$5.97**  
 SPORT JOGGERS  
 Boys and Girls  
 also 2 1/2-12  
 P-7000 NW 7000

**20% OFF**  
 Boys and Girls  
 SHIRTS

**LET'S GO BACK TO SCHOOL**

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**Back to School BONITZA OF VALUES**

**ONE RACK OR TABLE OF BARGAINS**

**1/2**  
 Boys' N  
 Price Or Better

**JEANS**  
 Boys' N  
 \$7.97

**JEANS**  
 Boys' N  
 \$5.97

**BRIEFS**  
 Boys and Girls  
 No. 468, No. 469  
**39¢**

**\$1.67**  
 2 to pkg. reg. 1.97  
**\$1.97**  
 2 to pkg. reg. 2.97

**SUMMER CAPS**  
**20% OFF**  
 69¢

**KNEE HIGHS**  
 Boys Action White with Striped Top  
**2/77¢**  
 No. 479  
 also 4-6 1/2 - 6-8 1/2 3 to pkg.  
**\$1.17**

**SCHOOL DAYS CAN BE SAVINGS DAYS**



# LET'S GO BACK ...to School

**ELMERS GLUE**  
SCHOOL or Regular

1 oz. **.37**



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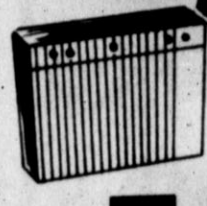
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**19¢**

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STENO BOOKS

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**3/89¢**



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**NOTE BOOK**  
FILLER PAPER

200 ct.

**49¢**

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THEME BOOK  
no. 4590  
5 1/2" x 7 1/2"

**4/99¢**

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THEME BOOK  
4 Subject no. 4598

**2/99¢**

**BIG PENS**  
-Black/Blue/Red  
-NIBBON/MAIL

**3/39¢**

New Cover  
3 RING BINDER

**119**



# BACK TO SCHOOL SALE



Also  
Or Gibson's  
Star Brand  
**PENCILS**  
no. 2

**2/5¢**



Smart Mail  
**BIG CHIEF**  
TABLET  
no. 9199

**3/89¢**

Bunny Sash  
**GRAYOLAS**

64 ct **89¢**

Scotch Brand  
MAGIC TRANSPARENT  
TAPE

**33¢**

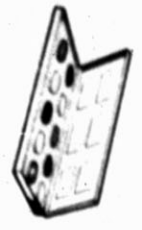


Flurry Smith  
**GRAYOLAS**

**29¢**

Prange  
WATER COLORS

no. 2  
**99¢**



THE DATA CENTER

By Mail **999**

YOUR  
CHOICE

**29¢**

- no. 1776 Red/White/Blue Pencil Pkg.
- no. 1229 PENCILS Crayons
- no. 2408 Super Pak Erasers
- no. 477 Red/White/Blue Pencil
- no. 7008 Mustang Pencils
- no. 3540 Padgrove Pencils
- no. 77 Gibson Spa. Pencils

Get Ready  
for  
BACK TO  
SCHOOL

THE ORGANIZER

By Mail **999**



# The Hereford Brand


A member of most families in the Hereford trade area

# COMICS

full color  
fun for  
everyone

SUNDAY, AUGUST 14, 1977

**PEANUTS**  
featuring  
"Good ol'  
Charlie Brown"  
by SCHULZ



DIRECTOR OF EVERYTHING



WHAT'S THIS?



THIS IS SNOOPY'S SUPPER

YOU'RE KIDDING!



YOU TAKE THAT RIGHT BACK, CHARLIE BROWN, AND YOU GIVE HIM SOME MORE MEAT!



AND STIR IT UP BETTER! MIX IT AROUND!



AND ADD A SPRIG OF PARSLEY TO MAKE IT LOOK MORE APPETIZING...



JUST WHAT I'VE ALWAYS NEEDED... A CONSUMER ADVOCATE!

**beetle**  
by mort walker



LOOK ALERT OUT THERE, BEETLE!



THIS WHOLE TEAM IS ASLEEP ON THEIR FEET



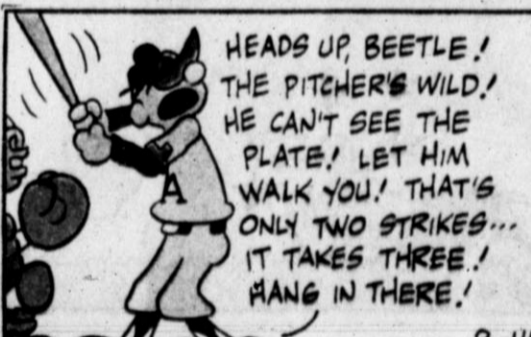
COME ON! LET'S HEAR SOME CHATTER OUT THERE!!



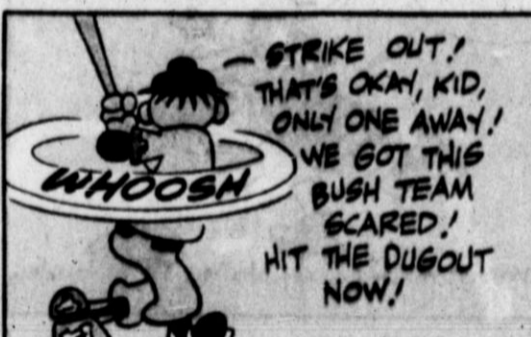
PUT IT BY HIM! HE CAN'T HIT IT! NO HITTER UP THERE! CHUCK IT IN THERE!



AT A WAY! LET'S GO GET 'EM, GANG! STICK IT TO 'EM! HUSTLE! HUSTLE!



HEADS UP, BEETLE! THE PITCHER'S WILD! HE CAN'T SEE THE PLATE! LET HIM WALK YOU! THAT'S ONLY TWO STRIKES... IT TAKES THREE! HANG IN THERE!



STRIKE OUT! THAT'S OKAY, KID! ONLY ONE AWAY! WE GOT THIS BUSH TEAM SCARED! HIT THE DUGOUT NOW!

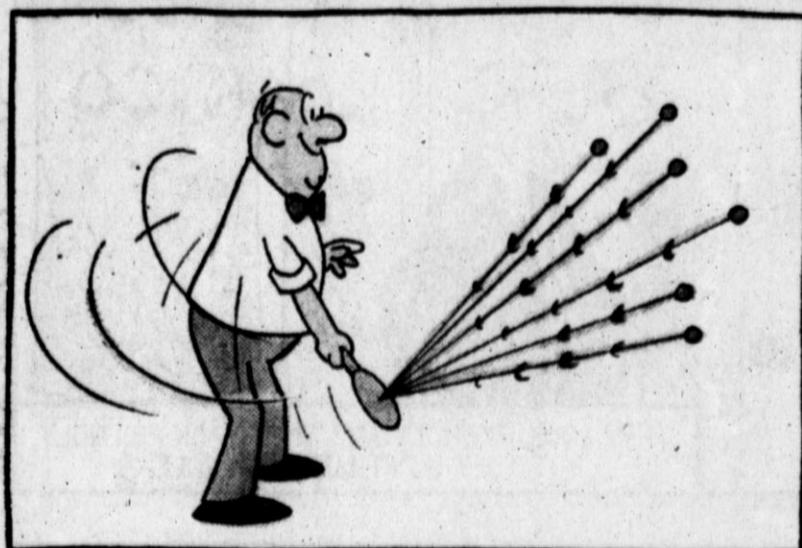


LET'S SEE THE WATER BUCKET, KID! PASS THE CUP THIS WAY! AT A BABY, WAY TO GO...

EITHER HE UNDERDOES OR OVERDOES EVERYTHING!

## THE BORN LOSER

by Art Sansom



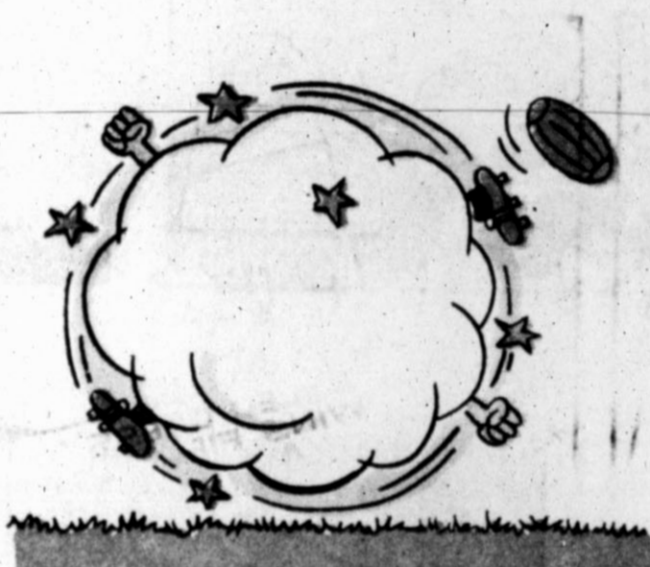
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# ANDY CAPP

by Smythe



# CARNIVAL



# Prince Valiant

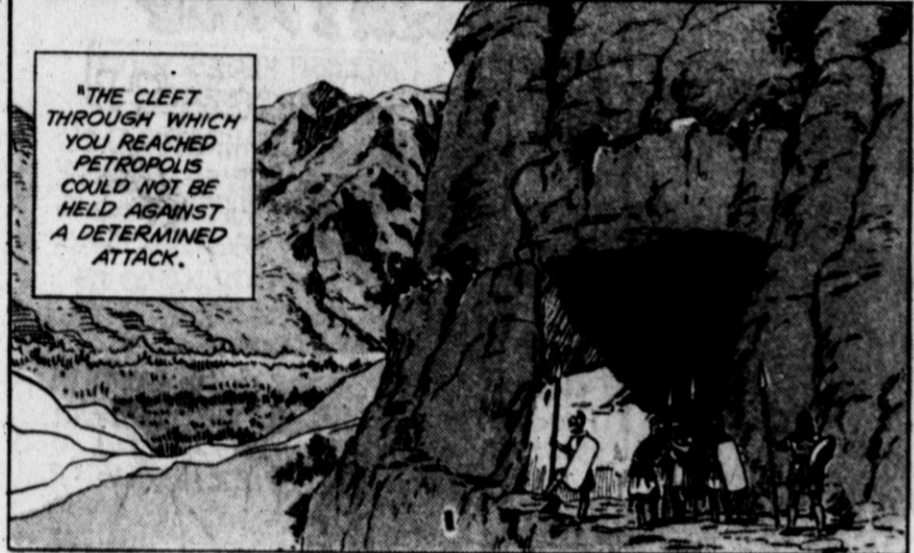
by Hal Foster

Our Story: "WE HAVE BEEN AT PEACE SO LONG WE HAVE FORGOTTEN THE ARTS OF WAR, BUT YOU, QUEEN ALETA, HAVE DEFENDED YOUR KINGDOM TIME AND AGAIN AGAINST GREAT ODDS."

NEXT DAY ALETA IS TAKEN ON A TOUR OF THE TINY KINGDOM, NOTING THE RIVER AND THE MANY CANALS, ESPECIALLY THEIR DEPTH.



THE RIVER ENTERS THE VALLEY WITH THUNDERING FALLS. "NO ARMY CAN GET PAST THAT TORRENT," SAYS QUEEN HYPATIA. "I WISH THE OTHER ENTRANCES TO OUR VALLEY WERE AS WELL PROTECTED."



"THE CLEFT THROUGH WHICH YOU REACHED PETROPOLIS COULD NOT BE HELD AGAINST A DETERMINED ATTACK."



"AND HERE, WHERE THE RIVER LEAVES OUR KINGDOM, IS A DAM TO HOLD BACK WATER FOR OUR IRRIGATION SYSTEM. PERHAPS WE SHOULD HAVE ERECTED A FORT INSTEAD."



IT IS JUST AT THIS TIME THAT PRINCE VALIANT COMES ACROSS A SURVIVING MEMBER OF ALETA'S DEFEATED BODYGUARD.

NEXT WEEK - The Wounded Warrior 8-14

# DICK TRACY

by Chester Gould



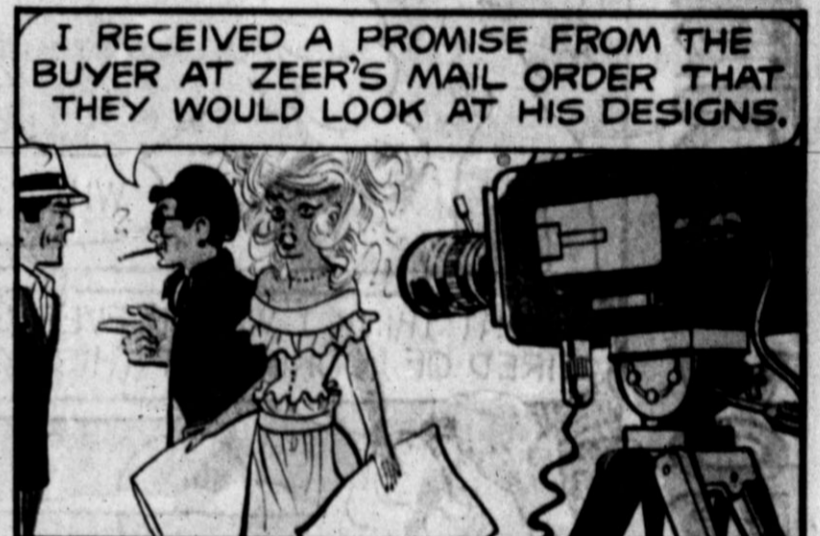
I BELIEVE THE BEST THERAPY FOR OUR DRESS DESIGNER, DADE PLENTY, IS KEEPING HIM AT THE DRAWING BOARD.



WELL, IF THIS KIND OF PUBLICITY DOESN'T INSPIRE HIM, THEN - THERE'S NO HOPE.

I AGREE, PERFUME.

JAILED DRESS DESIGNER WINS FIRST PLACE FOR DESIGN

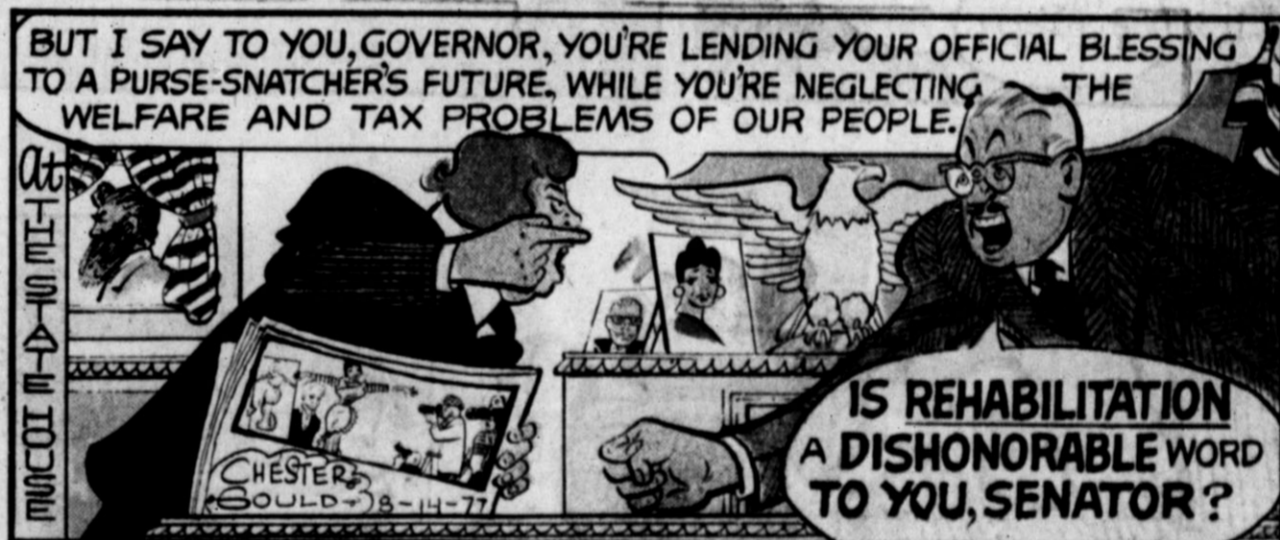


I RECEIVED A PROMISE FROM THE BUYER AT ZEER'S MAIL ORDER THAT THEY WOULD LOOK AT HIS DESIGNS.



THE GOVERNOR IS BEING CRITICIZED FOR HIS PART IN THE REHABILITATION OF YOUR COUSIN, BUT HE'S STANDING PAT.

WHEN I LOOK BACK ON DADE'S PAST, I'M REALLY AMAZED.



BUT I SAY TO YOU, GOVERNOR, YOU'RE LENDING YOUR OFFICIAL BLESSING TO A PURSE-SNATCHER'S FUTURE, WHILE YOU'RE NEGLECTING THE WELFARE AND TAX PROBLEMS OF OUR PEOPLE.

IS REHABILITATION A DISHONORABLE WORD TO YOU, SENATOR?

CRIMESTOPPERS TEXTBOOK

MALE - 18 YEARS - OPENED ANHONY'S BOTTLED CAR WRECKED CAR

MURDER

IN 1976, ALCOHOL FIGURED IN 8,000 TRAFFIC DEATHS OF YOUNG MOTORISTS! DRIVE, HAVE FUN, BUT - DON'T DRINK!

Dick Tracy

# JOHNNY WONDER

by Dick Rogers

8 ACROSS

5 ACROSS

7 ACROSS

8 ACROSS

9 ACROSS

10 ACROSS

11 ACROSS

12 ACROSS

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CAN YOU SEE WHAT'S WRONG WITH THIS PICTURE?

ANSWER: THE SCREW HAS NO SLOT IN THE HEAD WHICH TO TWIST IT INTO THE WOOD

ONCE UPON A TIME...

THE MONTH WE CALL AUGUST WAS ONCE CALLED SEXTILIS, WHICH MEANS SIXTH. IT WAS THE SIXTH MONTH IN THE OLD ROMAN CALENDAR. SEXTILIS WAS RENAMED AUGUST IN THE 8th CENTURY TO HONOR THE ROMAN EMPEROR AUGUSTUS. AUGUST IS NOW THE EIGHTH MONTH IN THE YEAR.

THIS WEEK'S TOP PRIZE QUESTION:

SILVER TARNISHES FOR ALMOST THE SAME REASON THAT IRON GETS RUSTY. TARNISH IS A FORM OF CORROSION. IT IS CAUSED WHEN OXYGEN IN THE AIR CHEMICALLY COMBINES, OR JOINS, WITH THE SILVER METAL, COVERING IT WITH A DARK-COLORED FILM. THE SULFUR IN SUCH FOODS AS EGGS AND CABBAGE ALSO CAUSES SILVER TO QUICKLY TARNISH. TO MAKE SILVER LOOK SHINY AGAIN, WE MUST USE A SILVER POLISH TO REMOVE THE TARNISH.

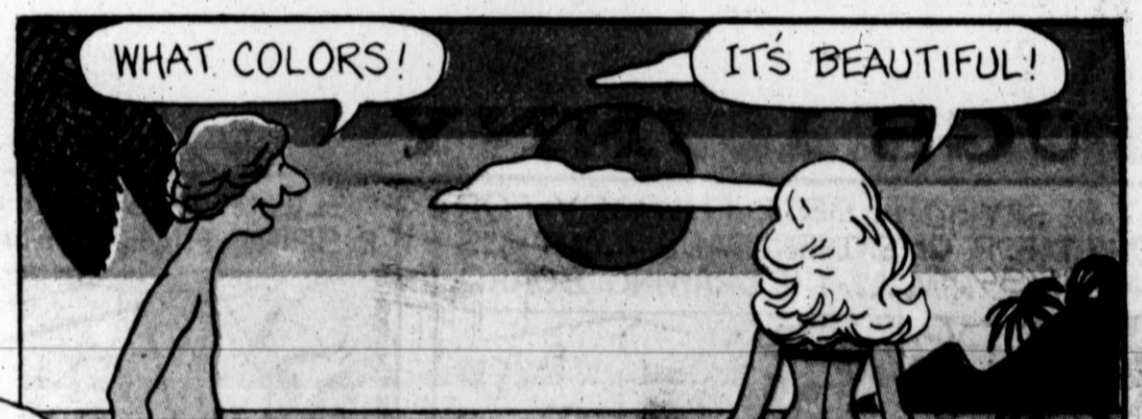
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Boys and Girls, Win one of these valuable prizes for the question answered here each week. Send your age and question to: Johnny Wonder (c/o this newspaper) P. O. Box 1335 (SUNDAY) Santa Cruz, Calif. 95061

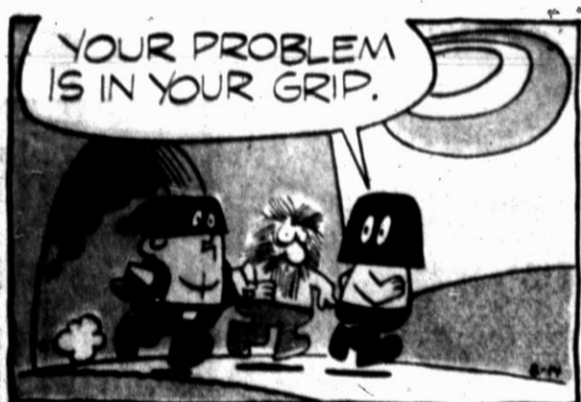


**DOG GONE AWAY**  
 MUFFIN! HERE'S YOUR BOYFRIEND!  
 From WASHINGTON, D.C. DEBBIE KREISS writes: My dog, MUFFIN (who is a mutt) has this boy-friend dog, (who is a dachshund) PRINCE, that comes scratching at the door around 8:00 every night, so we open the door and PRINCE comes in and plays with Muffin until 9:00!

MERRY WORLD



**SHORT RIBS**



**EEK & MEER**  
 by Howie Schneider



# PATTERNS



1483  
8-18

**Separates**  
Add a loose-fitting shirt, T-Shirt with scoop-neckline and pants with patch pockets to the wardrobe. Printed Pattern 1434 with Photo-Guide is in Sizes 10 to 16. Size 12, 34 bust, shirt 1 1/2 yards 45-inch; T-Shirt, 1 yard; pants 2 1/2 yards.

1434  
10-16



## Toasty Warm

Sew a warm gown for chilly nights. Two separate patterns. No. 1483 with Photo-Guide is in Sizes 8 to 18. Size 10, 32 1/2 bust; 4 1/4 yards 45-inch. No. 1484 with Photo-Guide is in Sizes 4 to 12 years. Size 6; 3 yards.

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1484  
4-12 yrs.



1305  
10 1/2-24 1/2

**Sew-Simple**  
The simplicity of this style makes it an easy-wearing dress. No. 1305 with Photo-Guide is in Sizes 10 1/2 to 24 1/2. Size 12 1/2 (35 bust); 3 1/2 yards 45-inch.

**TO ORDER** Send \$1 each plus 25c for postage and handling with name, address, pattern number and size to PATTERNS (name of paper), P.O. Box 4989, Chicago, Ill. 60690.

# Polly's Pointers

**DEAR POLLY** — For economy's sake I keep a two-pound coffee can with a lid on my counter near the sink to hold garbage. A bread wrapper is inserted inside and the ends turned over the top of the can. I am saved the cost of bags and wobbly stands. — MRS. E.J.



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**DEAR POLLY** — After a wedding or anniversary cake is cut, there is always a lot of frosting left on the cake plate. I use this in my next batch of cookies to cut down on the sugar and shortening used. This makes delicious cookies. Try it. — LYDIA.

Send your helpful hints to Polly's Pointers in care of this newspaper.

**DEAR POLLY** — I find those mesh bags that onions come in make great containers for moth balls. The holes let the moth balls work. After putting them in the bag I make a knot in the top and then put a wire tie around the top. The loop at the top of the mesh can be large enough so it will slip on a rod or coat hanger. — MILDRED.

**DEAR POLLY** — I have learned to avoid planting tomatoes near sweet smelling plants and that way avoid those long green worms. — ISABELLE.

**DEAR POLLY** — To make a neat and inexpensive address book that is easy to add to or take from, I use a ring such as a shower curtain ring. I cut leaflets from white paper or thin cardboard, each 4 1/2"x1 1/2". Punch a hole about half an inch from each edge and snip corners at this end. Write the addresses on them and slip them on the ring alphabetically. A decorative card can be used for front and back. — MARGARET J.



**DEAR POLLY** — Mine is a Pointer to be filed for use next Christmas. Those who have artificial Christmas trees but would like the scent of a real one could do as we do. We spray our tree heavily with pine-scented air freshener. — DIANA.



**DEAR POLLY** — When your house plants get tall and spindly, cut off about four inches at the top and put these cutting in a vase with a few artificial flowers to use for a centerpiece. Put water in the vase. — LILLIAN (Polly's note — Often such clippings will root, and can then be planted in soil to make more plants.)

**DEAR POLLY** — Those net bags that often come around frozen turkeys are great to use for hanging and drying onions in the fall. — FLO.

**DEAR POLLY** — When your iron skillets look white inside, grease them with a spray-on product that keeps food from sticking, or rub in salad oil. — M.B.



2618

## Car-Coat Style

This car-coat sweater is quick and easy to knit in a simple pattern stitch. No. 2618 has knit directions for Sizes 38 through 50.

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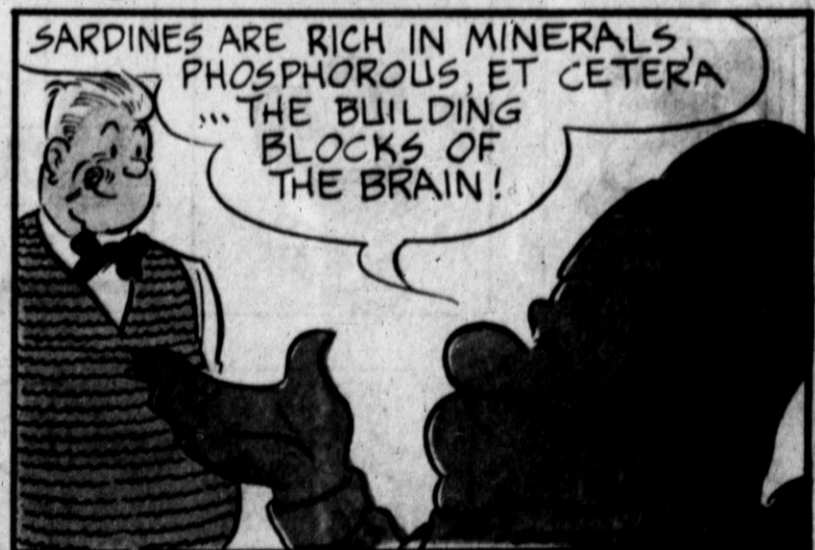
# BUGS BUNNY



# OUR BOARDING HOUSE



# by Les Carroll



BUSTER MISSED HIM WITH THE OTHER FOUR CANS!

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# BLONDIE

by YOUNG, and RAYMOND

HEY, HERB... ARE YOU GONNA MOW YOUR LAWN? YEP

LET'S DO IT TOGETHER... WE'LL MOW MY LAWN FIRST, THEN WE'LL DO YOURS

HEY, THIS IS A GREAT IDEA! IT'S MORE FUN THIS WAY!

WE SHOULD'VE THOUGHT OF THIS YEARS AGO! YEH!

WELL, THERE YOU GO... YOUR YARD IS ALL FINISHED... NOW LET'S DO MINE

I'LL GO OVER TO MY HOUSE AND MAKE US A PITCHER OF LEMONADE

SOUNDS GOOD

WHAT'S TAKING HIM SO LONG?!

BLONDIE... WHERE'S DAGWOOD? HE'S TAKING A NAP

Z

WHUMP

I'LL EXPLAIN IT TO YOU LATER!

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# BARNEY GOOGLER and SNUSEMYTH

by YOUNG and LAMMILL

WHAT MAKES ME DOG TIRED IS---

-- HAVIN' TO SWEEP AROUND THAT OL' TIRED DOG

♪ OL' BULLET, ♪  
WOULD YE MIND TROTTIN' OUTSIDE SO'S LOWEEZY CAN SWEEP HER FLOOR? PURTY PLEASE, WIF SUGAR ON IT---

GIT!! AFORE I WRING YORE WUTHLESS NECK!!

SOMETIMES YOU GOT TO TALK CHINESE TO OL' BULLET... SWEET AN' SOUR!!

# nancy

by ERNIE BUSHMILLER

OH, BOY... THIS IS MY BIG DAY

I HOPE THE KIDS ENJOY MY PARTY TODAY

THEY'LL BE ARRIVING SOON

OH, DEAR... I HOPE THEY DON'T BREAK OUR NEW, EXPENSIVE VASE

I BETTER HIDE IT IN A SAFE SPOT

THE ATTIC IS A GOOD PLACE

I'LL LEAVE IT UP HERE ON THIS OLD COUCH

NOW I DON'T HAVE TO WORRY

BOING-GG

# Dennis Menace

by Hank Ketcham

Cash On Hand

WHERE ARE YOU GOING JOEY? OVER TO DENNIS' HOUSE. WHY ARE YOU RUNNING? 'CAUSE I GOT MONEY IN MY POCKET!

AN' I LIKE TO MAKE IT JINGLE!

HEAR THAT JINGLE? THAT'S MONEY!! HOW MUCH HAVE YA GOT? I GOT THREE! THREE DOLLARS?

NO, NOT THAT MUCH. THREE CENTS?

MORE THAN THAT! I GOT THREE MONEYS!

DON'T YA KNOW HOW MUCH THEM COINS ARE WORTH? Uh... NO.

WELL, THE QUARTER IS TWENTY-FIVE CENTS, AN' THE DIME IS TEN CENTS, AND THE NICKEL IS FIVE CENTS!

HOW MUCH IS THAT ALL TOGETHER? I DUNNO, BUT I KNOW HOW WE CAN FIND OUT!

HOW? WELL, GO TO STORE AN' SEE HOW MUCH CANDY IT'LL BUY!