



Local Ambulance System Still Up in Air



Ambulance Discussion

Medical Services Inc. regional manager Tracy Skeen address Hereford city commissioners and other local governmental officials during a joint meeting Monday night at City Hall. Skeen proposed a replacement ambulance service for the one currently provided by Hereford's two funeral

homes. Deaf Smith General Hospital Administrator Jim Bullard also submitted a proposal. A committee comprised of local officials will meet Friday, then may make recommendations on ambulance funding and operation. [Brand photo by Paul Sims]

By PAUL SIMS
Managing Editor

City, county and hospital district officials Monday night gained little ground while discussing funding and operating an ambulance service replacing the present funeral-home situation.

The officials discussed ambulances in a joint meeting prior to the regular semi-monthly session of the city commission. The only thing accomplished, was the appointment of a committee comprised of two representatives from each governmental body.

The committee will meet Friday to decide on what steps should be taken to replace the funeral-home-operated ambulance businesses, which hope to discontinue service by Dec. 1.

The officials agreed to meet in joint session again next week to take possible action on the matter.

Who should fund the service, particularly after the present fiscal year, surfaced as the main point of dissension Monday. Deaf Smith General Hospital Administrator Jim Bullard and board members Warner Lawson and Frank Zinser Jr. said the hospital district probably would not be willing to raise taxes to fund an ambulance service.

Bullard has stated on several occasions recently that the hospital would be willing to run the service, provided funding is received from the city and county.

City commissioners contended that the hospital district is the natural entity to provide tax funding.

"I think it would be more in your line of business than ours," Commissioner Emory Brownlow told Bullard.

"It's a joint problem. We are not financially able to just jump out and go into it on short notice," Zinser responded.

"Maybe we can do something the first year. But, what about every year after that?" Brownlow asked.

"We're going to be extremely reluctant to take it by ourself," Lawson said.

Mayor Bartley Dowell said it should make no difference to taxpayers if the hospital district alone funds the ambulance service "or if it's 10 percent from the county, 10 percent from the city and 10 percent from the hospital."

"Why have three different groups involved when one group (the hospital) is going to handle it?" Brownlow asked. "It doesn't make any difference who raises its taxes. Do you think it's fair for city taxpayers to help pay for it, then pay county taxes, too? They're paying twice for it."

Bullard said that the enabling state legislation which created the hospital district as an entity separate from the county did not permit a tax rate higher than 50 cents per \$100 valuation.

"If we provided all the funding, we'd be getting close to what we can raise our rate to. Also, we don't want to be the guys that come in and raise everybody's taxes. It's nice to be in the soup with two other groups," Bullard said.

"It might be possible for us to raise our taxes to fund it, but we don't have 22 years experience, like MSI (Medical Services Inc.,

an Oregon company which hops to begin a service in Hereford), and we might not be able to say exactly what our proposal would cost and feel comfortable. We might have to come back and ask the taxpayers for even more money," he said.

Bullard again proposed a hospital-run ambulance service, utilizing three teams of two persons each to handle calls.

City Manager Dudley Bayne interrupted Bullard by saying the meeting was called in order to discuss funding and operation of the service.

"I thought tonight you were going to look at who is going to be responsible and who's going to pay for it," Bayne said.

Bullard said he would like to continue," then proceeded. "Ours would be substantially less than MSI. We'd need \$70,000 to \$80,000 for equipment, which would include about \$12,000 to \$15,000 for communication equipment," Bullard said.

MSI regional manager Tracy Skeen submitted what he called a "rough draft" of a proposal to the commission.

The MSI proposal, which included no cost figures, called for one advance life-support vehicle, two basic life-support units and two paramedics working full-time. Another option would be using one full-time paramedic, but Skeen said that would increase response time by 10 minutes.

Neither option included the utilization of hospital personnel and other local volunteers, even though MSI had said two weeks ago that it would devise a mixed (volunteer-MSI paramedics) system.

"Maybe we'd use some of the hospital personnel in the event of an emergency," Skeen told the officials Monday.

Skeen's proposal also included housing the "front-line" ambulance in a covered garage at the hospital and the paramedic crew inside the hospital.

Local money would be used to purchase equipment, which would be token-leased for \$1 a year by MSI, Skeen said.

He also proposed an ambulance membership plan, in which families could purchase a year's worth of free calls for \$30 to \$40.

"We'll be able to submit figures on what our proposal costs by Monday of next week. We want a 50 percent user fee and 50 percent subsidy," Skeen said.

Pressed about a cost estimate, Skeen said, "We're talking about a system probably in the range of \$85,000 to \$90,000 per entire year, but that's a preliminary figure."

Skeen said that MSI projects around \$44,000 in user fees which would make the average cost of a call around \$80.

"But, if you were to subsidize the entire \$85,000, we would not charge anyone for ambulance service," he said.

Bullard proposed the formation of a committee to decide who should fund the service, who should operate it and whether a hospital service or MSI is more feasible.

"It's going to take some time to go through MSI's proposal to get their dollar amounts and so forth, then compare our proposal (See AMBULANCES, Page 2)

Iranians Release 13 Americans But 53 Others Remain Captive

TEHRAN, Iran (AP) — Ten more Americans freed after being held hostage for 16 days in the U.S. Embassy in Tehran were flown to Europe today to join three others released Monday.

An Iran Air jetliner carrying the 10 landed at Orly Airport in Paris. They then were flown to Frankfurt, West Germany, in a U.S. Air Force hospital plane and taken by car to an Air

Force hospital in nearby Wiesbaden for medical examinations and questioning by U.S. officials. There was no word on whether they would be home in time for Thanksgiving.

According to French security agents at the airport, the Iranian jetliner arrived with one engine smoking.

U.S. Ambassador Arthur A. Hartman said the six men and four women "looked in good shape, considering what they have been through." Hartman went on the bus that carried the released hostages to the Air Force plane.

Also on the bus was Ann McKeown, a former secretary to the U.S. ambassador in Tehran, who left shortly before the siege began. Ms. McKeown, fighting back tears, saw old friends among the released hostages and said they looked remarkably well.

Before leaving Tehran one of the freed

captives, Joan Walsh of Ogden, Utah, told reporters at Mehrabad Airport that the remaining 53 hostages were in "greater danger than we were."

The U.S. government said two women were among the 49 Americans still held in the embassy by students demanding that the United States hand over deposed Shah Mohammad Reza Pahlavi to Ayatollah Ruhollah Khomeini's revolutionary regime for trial. One black man also was believed among them.

The Carter administration renewed its demand for the release of all the hostages and said if Khomeini carried out his threat to put some of them on trial as spies, it would be a "further flagrant violation" of international law as well as a violation of "elementary human rights."

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United Way Phone Calls To Continue

Deaf Smith County United Way, which has raised nearly \$111,000 of its \$148,110 goal, continues its fall fund drive this week with telephone calls to individuals who were unable to contribute through a business.

"Tomorrow night (tonight), we'll call all the individuals we missed—who are not active in a company or whatever," campaign chairman Doug Manning said Monday. "On the 29th, we'll call all the farmers."

"The only hope we've got in reaching it is if we get good response out of farmers and those individuals we call."

Most of the money raised in the drive was received during a festive, one-day drive at Sugarland Mall on Oct. 25. Most businesses were worked prior to that day.

"We still have a long way to go, but we have a chance," Manning said. "A lot of people gave less this year than they did last year, and it's that group we're asking to consider increasing their gift to at least match last year's."

"If anybody would like to give anything, they can still call our office (364-5220.)"

Wheat Prices Highest in Years

WASHINGTON (AP) — Wheat prices at the farm are the highest in nearly five months, according to the latest government figures.

The latest price compiled by the Agriculture Department shows wheat was \$4.01 a bushel for a "moving five-day average" through last Friday.

According to department officials, that was the highest since wheat — using the same formula — hit \$4.08 a bushel last June 27.

The price is computed daily during the work week as part of USDA's operation of the grain reserve program. Under it, grain is stored by farmers for up to three years or until market prices go up enough to trigger its release.

Currently, the price at which wheat is

released — meaning that farmers, if they choose, can pay off government loans and then sell the grain for cash — is \$3.29 a bushel.

Wheat prices rose last spring and triggered release of the stored grain on May 16.

Prices rose further, hitting the mark of \$4.08 a bushel under the five-day formula on June 27 before beginning a downtrend through the summer harvest period.

Harold L. Jamison of the department's Agricultural Stabilization and Conservation Service said Monday the current upturn in prices began last week after the five-day wheat price hovered around \$3.91 on Nov. 9.

Jamison said it was too early to tell

Commission Offers Assistance In School Sidewalk Problems

By PAUL SIMS
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Hereford city commissioners Monday night offered their assistance to concerned parents of West Central Elementary School students who walk on Bradley Street to and from school because there is no sidewalk along the street.

The commission was presented a petition by Ernestina Tijerna, who has led a campaign to have the sidewalk constructed. The petition contained the names of 513 persons, including West Central Principal Robert Ray, who

believe that children walking in the street because there is no sidewalk are endangered by motorists not obeying a 20-mile-per-hour speed limit.

Mrs. Tijerna, accompanied Monday by two parents of West Central students and Texas Rural Legal Aid attorney Bill Beardall, said children are forced to walk in the street during wet weather, and added that Bradley, a county road, is bordered on both sides by drainage ditches.

Mrs. Tijerna appeared last week before county commissioners and school district trustees. Representing the school

board at the commission meeting Monday was James Gentry, who said he supported some type of governmental assistance for the children.

"Between all of us working together, there's got to be a solution," Mrs. Tijerna told the city officials.

After a 10-minute study of a large map behind the commission table, Mayor Bartley Dowell told county commissioners J.F. Maritt, Austin Rose and James Voyles that the county could possibly fill in the ditch on the north side of Bradley and construct a walk.

Dowell also said the county should consider filling in at least part of the ditch on the north side to construct a sidewalk. He said that culverts could be constructed to accommodate drainage.

The purchase of easements along the north side of the street might be another option, the mayor said. City Attorney Earnest Langley, however, said that (See CITY, Page 2)

Brand Deadlines Set for Holiday

The Brand's Thanksgiving edition will be published Wednesday as a combined Wednesday-Thursday issue in order that employees may observe the traditional holiday.

Since the newspaper office will be closed Thursday, advertising deadline for the Friday edition will be 3 p.m. Wednesday. The deadline for classified ads in Friday's paper will also be 3 p.m. Wednesday.

Candidate Wants Pioneer Under Full RRC Jurisdiction

By PAUL SIMS
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Texas Railroad Commission candidate Jim Hightower said Saturday he will support regulations bringing Pioneer Natural Gas Co. under the rate-setting jurisdiction of the commission in the company's rural business.

Hightower was in Hereford before speaking at a Texas Farmers Union meeting in Nazareth.

Although Pioneer, like the state's other gas companies, is under the railroad commission's jurisdiction over city rate increases, it can independently set irrigation costs for farmers. Hightower, who is running against commissioner Jim

Nugent, said he would have opposed Pioneer's 38 percent rural gas-rate increase.

"It is a major problem for the railroad commission to not regulate Pioneer Natural Gas's business with farmers. I will support regulations as a railroad commission so farmers will have the same chance as cities," Hightower said.

"If we can get an independent consumer advocate on there (the commission), we'll begin to hold gas-rate increases in line."

Hightower criticized Nugent for supporting a motion allowing Lone Star Gas Co. to receive a retroactive rate increase last year.

"The motion allowed Lone Star to get a rate increase retroactively—back to when it first began to seek it. That means consumers will be billed for gas again that they've already paid for," said Hightower, a Democrat who was editor of Texas Observer for three years prior to announcing his candidacy.

"In 22 cases since then, every utility rate increase has been administered retroactively."

The three-member railroad commission changed long-standing policy last year and began to make gas rate increases retroactive to the time gas companies appealed city rate decisions to the state agency. But, Hightower

charged, the change in policy was not put on a published agenda—as required by law in most cases—and there is no written record of what happened in commission meetings on the matter.

"I believe it is a violation of the open meetings act, at the very least," Hightower said.

Hightower's familiarity with the Texas Open Meetings Law may have been acquired as a journalist. The Texas Consumers Association presented him a special award for investigative reporting last year and he received the Outstanding Journalism Award from The Texas Farmers Union this year.

"I saw so much ugliness in this agency

when I was looking into it as a journalism that I felt I needed to give it more exposure than what one magazine was giving it. That's why I'm running," he said.

"This is an agency that hurts people. It gouges them on utility bills, allowing state utilities to charge the highest prices in the country for gas. It gouges them on trucking by limiting the number of competitors that get into the trucking business."

"It's too important, too powerful, of an agency to be ignored. We've let the industry that is supposed to be regulated



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Saudis Show Support Of U.S. over Iran

WASHINGTON (AP) - The United States is getting strong support from Saudi Arabia in its confrontation with Iran.

"We appreciate the wisdom of the way the United States is dealing with the situation," Saudi Ambassador Faisal Alhagel said Monday as he left the State Department after a meeting with Secretary of State Cyrus Vance.

The Carter administration is going to great lengths to gain the understanding and support of the Saudis, who wield both religious and monetary influence in the Islamic world. Treasury Secretary G. William Miller will visit Riyadh next week.

Officials say they are counting on the Saudis to head off any adverse reaction among oil producers to President Carter's decision to freeze Iranian assets in response to the Nov. 4 taking of hostages at the U.S. Embassy in Tehran. Some of the smaller producers have voiced fears that their oil revenues might not be safe in U.S. banks.

But Alhagel said the Saudis have accepted U.S. assurances that the Iranian situation is unique and does not affect their assets. "We don't feel it will have any effect on Saudi Arabia in the future," he said.

Poerner Challenges Oil, Gas Companies

AUSTIN, Texas (AP) - Chairman John Poerner of the Texas Railroad Commission said today his fears have

come true in that Texas will produce less than one billion barrels of crude oil this year for the first time in 15 years.

Poerner, however, issued this challenge to oil and gas executives for the 1980s:

"Let's be positive for a change; let's oil up the rigs, dust off the pumpjacks and be prepared to ring in the New Year with a strong theme of 'Domestic Energy for the '80s.'"

The commission routinely set the statewide oil allowable for December at 100 percent.

The allowable, or production factor, is geared to market demand.

The commission, Texas' oil and gas regulatory agency, has maintained a 100 percent allowable each month except three since April 1972.

Poerner said Texas' oil output for 1979 will total approximately 980.4 million barrels. Texas production last year exceeded 1.04 billion barrels.

"Early last spring, I made a prediction, and sadly enough, it has come true," said Poerner.

Committee Warns Against SALT Defeat

WASHINGTON (AP) - The Senate Foreign Relations Committee says rejection of the SALT II treaty would dangerously boost the arms race, leaving the Soviet Union unrestrained and seriously risking the stability of the nuclear balance.

But the committee's minority says the treaty as it stands is neither equitable nor verifiable. They say it is a bad bargain and should be defeated unless substantial changes are made in Senate debate.

The two opposing views reflect the 9 to 6 split by which the panel voted earlier this month to recommend the Senate ratify the strategic arms limitation treaty.

While floor debate can begin anytime after Monday, the actual starting time is unclear because Democratic leaders have said they do not intend to begin debate until ratification chances improve. Treaty supporters have yet to claim they have the 67 votes needed for approval.

Oponents of the pact hope to kill it by

a delaying action and by pushing it into the uncertain political currents of a presidential election year.

In its final report on SALT II, released Monday, the committee majority relied heavily on the proposition that the treaty is a useful and balanced step toward deeper cuts in SALT II and that attempts to improve SALT II by reopening negotiations would be counter-productive and risky.

New Labor Boss Wants One Union

WASHINGTON (AP) - The AFL-CIO's new president, Lane Kirkland, says the Teamsters, United Auto Workers and other disaffiliated unions belong under one labor roof. But his strident call for reunification is turning some outcast unions off.

"To borrow from the New Yorker's alleged view of the world: Everything outside the AFL-CIO really is Hoboken," Kirkland, 57, said Monday after his election as only the second federation president.

That did not go over very well in Hoboken.

"I think he was arrogant as hell," said a UAW official, who declined to be named. "I don't think his comments will help affiliation very much."

"We would rather be wooed than booted," said Rozanne Weissman, spokeswoman for the National Education Association, which also is independent of the AFL-CIO.

Kirkland, who succeeded retiring George Meany, 85, as leader of the 13.6-million-member labor federation, vowed in his acceptance speech to pursue a goal that Meany was unable to achieve during his 24-year reign, a united labor front.



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in Austin. The city joined in last year's fight, spending \$1,600 of the total amount of \$53,000 put up by cities in investigating and fighting the increase.

Commissioners, in other business: --issued \$35,000 in certificates of obligation as payment to the contractor of the new city hall for work done in October.

--accepted a \$3,920 bid from Dale Weatherford of Hartley for sodding of the new city hall lawn.

--purchased five Mercury Marquis for the police department from Orval Watson Ford, who submitted a \$30,251 bid.

--bought a 12,000-gallon fuel-storage tank for the police department from White's Pump Service and Supply of Lubbock at a cost of \$10,947, which includes installation.

--met in executive session on the purchase of water rights for the city, but took no action after convening back into open session.

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another candidate—they've got one in Nugent.

"I'm opposed to deregulation for major oil companies, but not for independent producers. Deregulation is going to cost consumers \$25 billion in the next two years, for exactly the same amount of oil."

Hightower said his journalist's background particular qualifies him for the railroad commission "because this is a policy-making position and what the public needs there is an advocate who knows how to ask the right questions."

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asked why a proposal submitted by local physician Dr. Bill Patton had been discarded.

"We need to study every aspect of this thing," Watson said. Dr. Patton's proposal, which utilized local paramedics and equipment, was the result of a lengthy chamber of commerce investigation into the ambulance service.

John Gililand, a paramedic and director of Gililand-Watson, also attended the meeting. No one from Hereford's other funeral home, Smith & Co., was present.

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Katherine Koob and Charles Jones, both communications officers.

The State Department said the four women freed today were Elizabeth Montagne, Calumet City, Ill.; Terri Tedford, South San Francisco, Calif.; Miss Walsh, and Lillian Johnson, Elmont, N.Y. It said the six blacks were David Walker, Waller, Texas; Lloyd Rollins, Alexandria, Va.; Wesley Williams, Albany, N.Y.; Neal Robinson, Houston, Texas; James Hughes, Langley AFB, Va., and Joseph Vincent, New Orleans.

Like the trio freed Monday, they were put on display by their captors at a news conference at the embassy Monday night. Miss Johnson said they "were not harmed at all" but she underwent "a lot of interrogation, believe me — at rude hours of the evening."

Co-Defendant Testifies

BROWNSVILLE, Texas (AP) — Scott David Minnick says he thought he was going fishing on South Padre Island with his uncle in a February outing that ended with both men being charged with attempted capital murder.

Minnick testified Monday he took his fishing poles from Pasadena when he followed his uncle, S.J. Wilburn, to the South Texas resort community Feb. 11.

"I just didn't know what he was doing," said Minnick, a co-defendant with Dr. Archie Herman Burkhalter in the Feb. 15 shooting of John Hensley. "He (Wilburn) said he was going to pick up some dope. He didn't want me involved at all."

Burkhalter is accused of hiring Wilburn and Minnick to kill Hensley, who married the physician's ex-wife Oct. 30, 1978.

Hensley survived a rifle bullet that pierced his eyes as he unlocked his car outside his condominium. He was blinded by the attack.

Wilburn was convicted in July and sentenced to life imprisonment in the case.

State District Judge Darrell Hester said after testimony

ended in the case Monday that he would give the jury its charge today and schedule closing arguments in the afternoon.

Hester said he expected jury deliberations to begin Wednesday morning.

Burkhalter's lawyers had called eight witnesses before resting their case at mid-morning Monday. The doctor did not testify.

Three employees of Pasadena Memorial Hospital, which Burkhalter owned until this summer, testified Monday that

a call between 11 p.m. and 7 a.m. went through a nurse's station. The switchboard was closed those hours, they said.

Telephone company records indicate the hospital received calls cxx before 7 a.m. from two South Padre Island motels the morning of the shooting.

Defense lawyer Warren Burnett has said Burkhalter could not have received those calls.

Minnick was the only witness in his defense. He denied ever talking to anyone about "doing a deal" on someone at South Padre Island, as one state witness has testified he said.

Under cross-examination from Assistant District Attorney Joe Hendley, Minnick was unsure and later corrected himself on questions about a red and black Cadillac his uncle drove to South Padre Island.

Wilburn was arrested in the car, which was equipped with gun mounts and portholes in the trunk. The back seat had been removed to allow someone to lie down in the trunk and fire a weapon unseen, police witnesses have said.

Minnick initially said he first saw the car when he followed his uncle to South Padre Island. He then said he remembered taking the red car for repairs in Pasadena earlier.

Hendley asked him about the morning of the shooting.

"You both got in the red-and-black car, didn't you?" Hendley asked.

"No, sir," he said.

"You drove the red-and-black car to the South Padre Marina and parked it beside the white Mercedes diesel, didn't you?" the prosecutor asked.

"No, sir," he answered.

"Then Jay entered the trunk and he fired the shot from the trunk. Isn't that right?" Hendley asked.

"No," Minnick said.

He said he waited for his uncle at a motel parking lot and then followed Wilburn when he returned 15 to 20 minutes later.

The 21-year-old high school dropout kept driving when his uncle was stopped by police on the mainland side of the causeway to South Padre Island.

Minnick said Wilburn had told him to keep on going if he was pulled over.

Minnick was arrested late in the day in Refugio and returned to Cameron County by a Texas Ranger and Hendley.

700 Cattle Lost

ABILENE, Texas (AP) — The Triangle Cattle Co. ordered about 20 cowboys on horseback to criss-cross the brushy prairies north of town today in search of cattle lost in a wild, predawn stampede.

About 700 head of cattle, possibly spooked by wild dogs, thundered through fences and galloped along a busy highway where passing vehicles struck some of them Monday.

Two persons — a truck driver and a passenger on a bus — suffered minor injuries.

At least 11 cattle were killed on the highway.

State troopers, animal control officers and sheriff's deputies helped cowboys round up cattle until about 10 p.m. Monday.

Triangle manager Walter Wilmon said between 300 and 350 head were rounded up and the rest remained at large today.

"We're sending about 20 cowboys back through the brush and pastures, but it'll take a week to gather them all up — if we're lucky," he said.

"We figure a bunch of wild dogs stampeded them," Wilmon said. "They get to chasing the cattle and having a lot of fun. The cattle resent it. It terrifies them and they'll stampede. They broke down all the fences."

He said he has hired a rifleman to stand guard over the cattle all night from now on in hopes of keeping the wild dogs away.

The escaped animals spread out along a 10-mile stretch of Interstate 20 north of this West Texas city after the stampede. Some were herded successfully into trailers by officers using squad cars instead of horses.

Bob Warren, maintenance supervisor for the state highway department, said his crews carried 11 dead cattle to the dump Monday. He estimated they weighed 300 to 500 pounds each.

A group of six cattle were struck and killed by an 18-wheel truck driven by Lester Bassham of Winter Haven, Fla., who was tossed out of his vehicle by the impact.

"A bunch of cattle came right across the road at 4:40 a.m. I swerved to miss them and almost turned over," said Bassham, who was treated for a back injury.

A Trailways bus en route from Midland to Dallas, driven by Bob Lovett of Dallas, struck and killed five cattle. A passenger, Tennie Mae Williams of Dallas was treated for an eye injury. Lovett and 11 other passengers escaped injury.

A small foreign car driven by Don Alvin Robertson of Hawley, Calif., struck and killed a calf about 5:40 a.m. on U.S. 277, police said. Robertson was not hurt.

Krueger Blasts Clements' Diplomacy

COLLEGE STATION, Texas (AP) — Gov. Bill Clements ought to leave diplomacy between the United States and Mexico to the federal government, Ambassador at large to Mexico Bob Krueger said Monday.

"Any time the governors of border states can talk about common problems, it can be beneficial — but I have had Mexican officials tell me the oil spill can't have been too bad when your own governor of Texas said 'what oil spill?'"

There is a temptation in Mexico to assume the actions of state governors reflect national policy," Krueger said.

"Sometimes it's not clear where areas of responsibility lie. But the constitutional responsibility for relations between countries lies with the federal government."

Krueger, a former Democratic Texas Congressman recently appointed by President Carter as U.S. coordinator for Mexican affairs, made the remarks at a press conference before an appearance at Texas A&M. He said the runaway oil well off

Mexico's Yucatan Peninsula that stained Texas beaches this summer will play an unimportant role in the long-term relationship between the two countries.

Krueger also said his appointment was an indication of the new emphasis the United States is taking in relations with other countries in this hemisphere.

"There is no country with whom the United States has a more important relationship than Mexico," he said. "There are far more areas of accord than discord."

Krueger cited cooperation in the policing of narcotics traffic and a recent joint scientific agreement between the two countries for the development of a wild, rubber-producing desert bush.

During a five-year period, more than two out of every five American families change their homes, The Conference Board notes. Although many only move down the street or around the block, one out of five moves to a different state.

Residents Leave Due to Vapor

KNOXVILLE, Tenn. (AP) — Some 500 persons, including 146 hospital patients, returned early today to their homes and hospital beds, after a leaking tank truck forced residents in a half-mile downtown area to scramble for safety, authorities said.

"It was extremely dangerous because the vapors were hanging close to the ground," Assistant Fire Chief Charles Hansard said. "One spark and there's no backing up to correct your mistake."

The evacuees were allowed to return early today after hazardous materials crews plugged a leak in one of two 1,000-gallon tanks aboard the truck.

Police said the truck owned by Holston Gases Inc. was approaching the Gay Street Bridge when its driveshaft broke, knocking a plug off a pump at the bottom of the tank.

Between 200 and 600 gallons of the quickly vaporizing fuel spewed from the quarter-inch hole over the next five hours. Mayor Randy Tyree ordered police and firemen to use force if necessary to evacuate everyone within a half mile radius.

Assistant Fire Chief Bob Cannon said 300 residents in apartment buildings and 150 student nurses were forced to leave. Most went to friends' homes but a few were sent to an emergency shelter at a nearby coliseum.

East Tennessee Baptist Hospital moved 146 patients from its east wing, about 50 yards from the spill, to its west wing.

Police Investigate Local Burglaries

Burglaries, seemingly on the increase in Hereford, Monday continued to plague police, who investigated the theft of several tools from Boyd Machine & Supply, 1306 Park Ave.

According to police, several hundred dollars worth of tools were stolen during a break-in at the machine shop.

Police investigated three burglaries and two attempted break-ins over the weekend.

McGee Furniture, 511 N. Main, reported Monday that a shoplifter had stolen a jewelry

box and perfume decanture, each valued at \$42.

A man was arrested for driving while intoxicated Monday night after his car struck the bridge on S. Main, and a passenger was charged with public intoxication.

A juvenile allegedly stole a jar of pickles from Nifty Food Store, 618 Ave. K Monday.

Officers investigated three minor traffic accidents and issued seven citations Monday. Police issued 34 traffic tickets over the weekend.

McBrayer Active In Doctor Group

KANSAS CITY, Mo. — Dr. D.E. McBrayer of Hereford has completed continuing education requirements to retain active membership in the American Academy of Family Physicians, the national association of family doctors.

The requirements call for members to complete a minimum of 150 hours of accredited continuing medical study every three years. Members become eligible for re-election at the end of the third year following their election to membership.

The academy, the country's second largest national medical association, was the first national medical group to require members to keep up with medical progress through continuing education.

The academy, founded in 1947 and headquartered in Kansas City, as instrumental in the establishment of a new primary specialty in family practice in 1969. The new specialty is expected to increase the numbers of family physicians available to serve the public in the future.

The academy's continuing education program is the foundation of eligibility for family doctors now in practice who apply for certification in the new specialty.

The academy formerly was called the American Academy of General Practice.

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buying easements to construct a sidewalk would be "expensive."

Rose said he had first looked into the problem about four years ago.

"I told them, if they'd get an easement north of that barditch, I'd build them a sidewalk," Rose said.

Though the means was not decided on, it was agreed that something would be done to alleviate the problem. "We'll do something to help you," Fisher told Mrs. Tijerina.

Gentry, after Dowell presented the alternatives, said, "If there's anything the school can do to help, we'll do it." Commissioner Wes Fisher asked, "In what way?"

"He'll furnish the kids," City Manager Dudley Bayne said jokingly.

Mrs. Tijerina said that since she started her campaign, state highway patrolmen have shown up on Bradley St. during the times when children are walking or parents are driving students to school. But, she added, the troopers have overenforced the area.

"They're stopping everybody and

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control of three seats on the agency." Hightower said he is getting an early start on next year's primary because he cannot compete with Nugent financially.

"I'm running against big money, utilities and the oil companies. I'll be outspent three to one by Nugent, but I have more money now than any consumer candidate of the railroad commission has ever had. The most ever spent by a consumer candidate was \$75,000, but I'm starting with \$100,000.

"I know where my vote is. I'm going to be well targeted, well-focused on people I'm trying to reach. Right now, one of the

Ambulances

to theirs," Bullard said.

"We're not going to settle anything here," said Brownlow, agreeing that a committee should be formed.

Brownlow and Wes Fisher were appointed as the city's representatives on the committee. Zinser appointed Lawson and Jerry Smith, while County Judge Glen Nelson named commissioners Austin Rose and J.F. Martin.

Charles Watson, of Gililand-Watson Funeral Home, said that "nobody has consulted us for advice about this thing," and

Iran

Sadegh told The Associated Press it had not been decided whether any of the hostages would be tried. But "if there is going to be a trial," he continued, "it will be carried out by the country's legal courts, either the special revolutionary tribunals (which have sentenced more than 600 persons to death by firing squad) or the ordinary courts. There will be no trial by the students in the embassy compound.

"Even if some of the Americans are tried and found guilty and sentenced to death for spying," he added, "the imam (Khomeini) is empowered under Islamic law to pardon them."

Iranian Foreign Minister Abolhassan Bani Sadr in a CBS interview Monday said the remaining hostages could not be released for two months — until after a new Iranian government is installed — unless the United States surrendered the

areas I'm concentrating on is the Amarillo, Castro and Swisher area because utility gouging is a hot issue here."

Nugent, who can usually be seen wearing a cowboy hat and boots said the commission could be called "the Texas Railroad Commission and Nugent is the engineer."

He said he opposed deregulation—and they probably will cost him the Texas oil vote.

"I don't care. If you lined up all the oil people in Texas, they'd fit in the town of Hereford. The oil industry doesn't need

checking licenses," she said. "That's harassment instead of them trying to help."

"We didn't tell them anything," Rose said. "They read it in the paper and decided to go out there."

Ray told the commission that the troopers were not enforcing the speed limit. "They had 15 cars stopped out there. Parents taking their kids to school were getting their licenses checked."

The commission, also during Monday's lengthy regular meeting, voted to include Hereford with other cities in an investigation of a forthcoming rate-increase request by Southwestern Public Service Co.

Bayne said that 80 percent of the cities serviced by the electric company already had joined the investigation.

"Public Service is going to ask for a new rate hike either in December or, at the latest, in January," Bayne said. They have said that before submitting the request to the Public Utilities Commissions, that they'll present it to the cities. If we don't agree with it, it'll be protested

The four women members of the embassy staff and six blacks were freed today in compliance with Khomeini's order last weekend to release female and-black Americans found not guilty of spying.

Another woman and two black Marine sergeants were freed Monday and flown to Wiesbaden. They were reported in good mental and physical condition.

The three released Monday reported there had been seven women and 10 blacks among the captives in the embassy, two women and one black more than were freed. The State Department confirmed that two women and a black man were still held and identified them as Elizabeth Ann Swift, a political officer,

Delegates Attend Meeting

Northern Zone District I Texas Garden Club meeting held in Dumas at the Dumas Inn convened Nov. 15 with local delegates from the Bud To Blossom Garden Club Mrs. Jess Robinson, Northern Zone Chairman; Mrs. Wayne Potter, Mrs. Joe Reid, delegates; and Mrs. Richard Wakely, alternate. Hereford Garden Club members attending were Mrs. O.G. Hill Sr., Northern Zone secretary and Mrs. John Jacobsen, delegate.

The meeting was called to order by Dumas Garden Club president, Mrs. J.N. Weaver, and business was conducted by Mrs. Jess Robinson, Northern Zone Chairman. The District business was conducted by Mrs. Carroll Anderson of Lubbock, District I Director.

During the business sessions, the Spring District convention was discussed. It is scheduled for Nov. 18-19 in Amarillo at the Hilton Inn.

Karen Dally of Houston received the District I scholarship from Texas Tech in horticultural. An upcoming project to update the wild flowers of Texas Panhandle was discussed and Mrs. Jess Robinson was elected to serve

from the Northern Zone on the District I nominating committee.

A program given by Mrs. F.G. Collings on drying and arranging flower was presented followed by a luncheon. The meeting was then adjourned.

Additional clubs present were Paramount Garden Club, South Amarillo Garden Club, Amarillo

Garden Club and the First African Violet Society of Amarillo.

Also in attendance was Berger Garden Club, Hereford Garden Club and Bud To Blossom Garden Club, Phillips Garden Club, and Tulia Garden Club with Dumas Garden Club acting as hostesses.

Westway EH Club To Donate to Trip

Westway Home Demonstration Club met in the Deaf Smith County Library Heritage Room Thursday with Joan Bookout as hostess. Roll call was answered with something I made for Christmas.

A guest, Mrs. Ioni Reeves was introduced.

During the business session the club decided to give a donation to Carla West for her trip to Washington. The club will also be giving four gift certificates to four winners at the Food Show held Nov. 17.

It was reported that the Tasting Bee for council will be held Nov. 26 at the Community

Center. Grace Covington, Hospital Auxiliary member informed club members of Christmas items to make for the gift shop. The 1979-80 slate of officers were elected. They are Joan Bookout, president; Grace Covington, vice president; Leta Kaul secretary; Diane Perkins, treasurer; Terri Johnson, council delegate and parliamentarian; and Virginia Wheeler, reporter.

Those members present were Joan Bookout, Wilma Bryan, Grace Covington, Terri Johnson, Leta Kaul, Virginia Wheeler and Joyce Aycock.

Legion Auxiliary Dinner Tonight

The Hereford Post of the American Legion and the American Legion Auxiliary will host their annual Thanksgiving dinner in the Legion Hall tonight beginning at 7:30 p.m.

A Thanksgiving program will follow the dinner with the Rev. George Belford, pastor of the First Presbyterian church, as featured speaker. Rev. Belford is a veteran of the Viet Nam war. He served several years as Chaplain in the armed service and is a member of the American Legion, serving his second year as post chaplain.

The dinner will consist of traditional turkey, dressing and all of the trimmings. Members will furnish vegetables, salads and desserts. The turkey will be provided by the Legion and prepared by the Auxiliary.

The Thanksgiving dinner has been an annual event of the American Legion and Auxiliary since World War II. Prior to that, the Legion staged annual banquet on Armistice Day to honor World War I veterans.

Members of the Legion and

Auxiliary are looking forward to the Christmas season, and the less fortunate. A box will be set up to receive gifts and donations for the Gift Shop in the V.A. hospital on December 10-11. Each patient in the hospital on these days will receive a gift for families at home. Packages are gift-wrapped and mailed to the individuals, compliments of the American Legion Posts and Auxiliaries over the District. Hereford has several other clubs and organizations who contribute to this project, whom they express their appreciation.

In 1348, Black Death (bubonic plague) reached Venice, rapidly spreading to the rest of Europe by 1349. An estimated one-fourth of the European population was killed.

If the edges of crepes are too crisp and tend to crack, the pan may be too hot or the batter too thin. If the batter is too thin, mix in one or two tablespoons of flour.



Employee of Month

Deaf Smith General Hospital recently gathered for a noon luncheon in the board room with Betty Hammock chosen as "Employee of the Month." Mrs. Hammock has been employed by D.S.G.H. since 1970 as an LVN in the Obstetrics department. Mrs. Hammock is married to Bob Hammock and is the mother of three children and she has four granddaughters. [Brand photo by Denise Smith]

Joyce Shipp Receives Superior Service Award

COLLEGE STATION — Joyce Shipp, Deaf Smith County Extension agent, until her recent transfer to Tyler County, received the prestigious Texas Superior Service Award in ceremonies at Texas A&M University Friday (Nov. 16).

The award was presented during the Headquarters Staff Conference of the Texas Agricultural Extension Service.

Mrs. Shipp was cited "For dynamic leadership, untiring service and personal dedication in planning and implementing educational programs resulting in improved health and a better way of life for families of Deaf Smith County."

In announcing the award, Dr. Daniel C. Pfannstiel, Extension director, said that during the past eight years as the Deaf Smith County Extension agent, Mrs. Shipp's outstanding leadership, managerial ability, dedication, and expertise in the Deaf Smith County Extension program has made it one of the outstanding programs in District I and the entire state.

Mrs. Shipp's leadership with the family living committee has brought a new image to

home economics through outstanding programs in health, foods and nutrition, family clothing, housing and management," Pfannstiel said.

As a result of her leadership, the Deaf Smith County family living committee has sponsored two county-wide health fairs reaching more than 1,500 people.

The family living committee also sponsored an adult sitter clinic in 1978 at the county general hospital. Mrs. Shipp conducted the program with three registered nurses, the hospital administrator and a minister. The 21 women who completed the two-day course were certified as adult sitters. They can now sit with parents in the hospital or home and receive pay for their services.

As a member of the Deaf Smith Chamber of Commerce,

The largest historic landmark in the United States is the old city of Savannah, Ga. Founded in 1733 by Gen. James Oglethorpe, on the Savannah River 18 miles upstream from the Atlantic Ocean, Savannah was the first planned city in what is now the United States.

Mrs. Shipp was instrumental in planning and conducting a special event called "Women's Emphasis Days." More than 190 women took part in the activity.

A special "Homemaker's College" was held for Extension Homemaker Club members and agents as a result of Mrs. Shipp's leadership and planning. The one-day affair drew about 180 people. Extension specialists taught courses in health, foods and nutrition, clothing, housing and management.

Prior to her employment with the Extension Service Mrs. Shipp was a home economics teacher in Lubbock and Hermleigh.

She received her B.S. and M.A. degrees from Texas Tech University. She transferred to Tyler County in October.

Hospital Notes

PATIENTS IN HOSPITAL

Eva Arellano, Jerline Bartels, Marie Bilbrey, Cynthia Bishop, Beth Clark, Eva Cocanauer, Mary Fisher.

Frances Guynes, Sharon Kinsey, Boy Kinsey, Manuela Mancha, Lorenzo Martinez, Harry McCauley, Gayle McCutcheon, Peter Morales, Carla Sargent.

Martha Simons, Vichi Taylor, Boy Taylor, Sherrita Traylor, Boy Traylor, Peggy White, Debbie Castillo, Curtis Guldedge, Wendy Lee, Girl Lee, A.T. Jones.

Carmen Landin, Angelyn Ottsen, Earl Thomason, Janice Gress.

Public Invited To Tasting Bee

Favorite holiday recipes from local Extension Homemakers will be prepared and served on Monday, Nov. 26, during the annual Tasting Bee at the Community Center.

The public is invited to attend the buffet dinner from 11:30 a.m. - 1:30 p.m. in the banquet room of the Community center. Cost for the general public will

be \$2 per plate. EH club members will be admitted at a price of \$1 per person.

Cookbooks featuring recipes from the Tasting Bee fare will be on sale at \$1 each. Proceeds will go to the Extension Homemakers Council.

The Council will convene immediately after the Tasting Bee.

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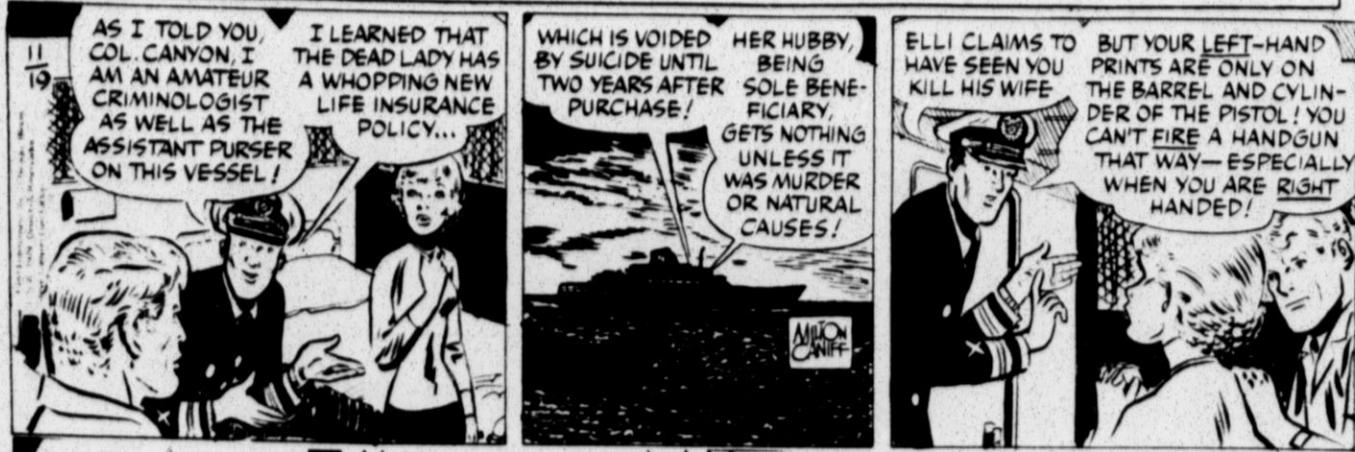
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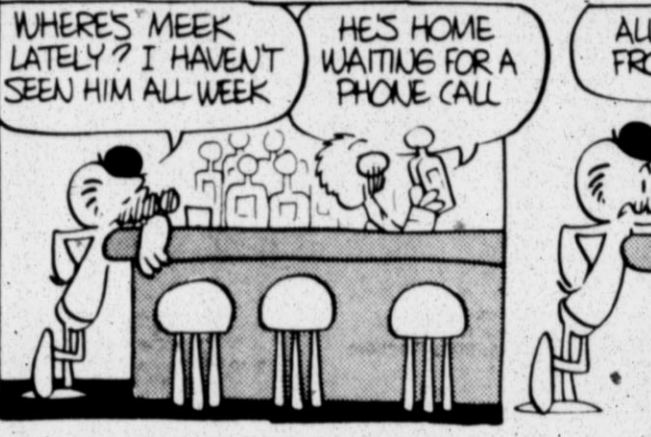
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- Othello villain
- Metric foot
- Backward
- Sullen
- Organ stop
- Sound of a dove
- Thrust into
- Invite
- Fixed
- Family member
- Unrestrained pleasure
- Confederate States Army (abbr.)
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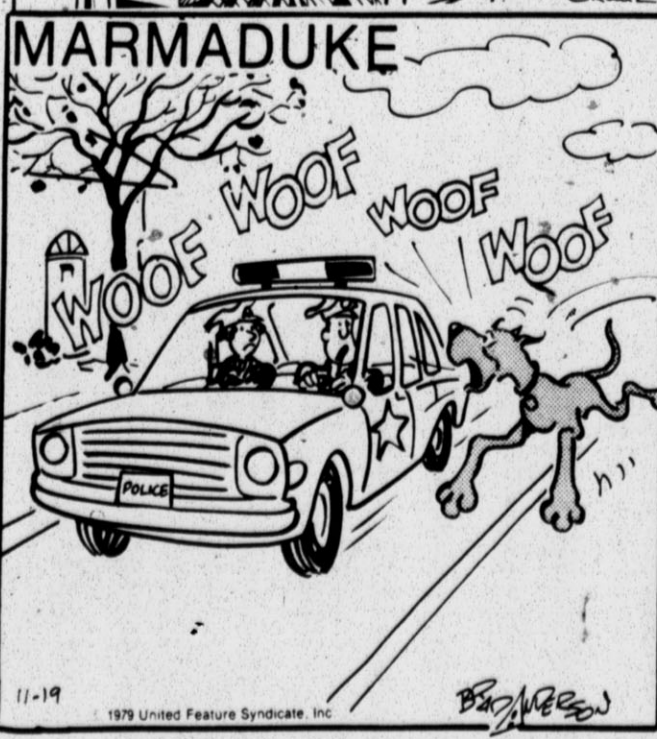
- Roman date
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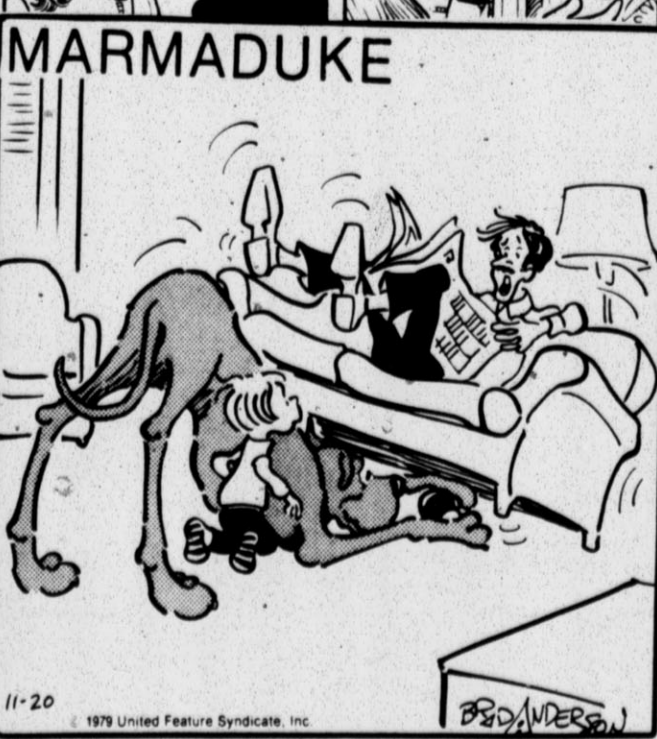
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"I know...we forgot to wave 'hello' when we passed!"

ALLEY OOP

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"How many times have I told you not to play fetch in the house!"

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- Component of atom
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 - Chemical compound
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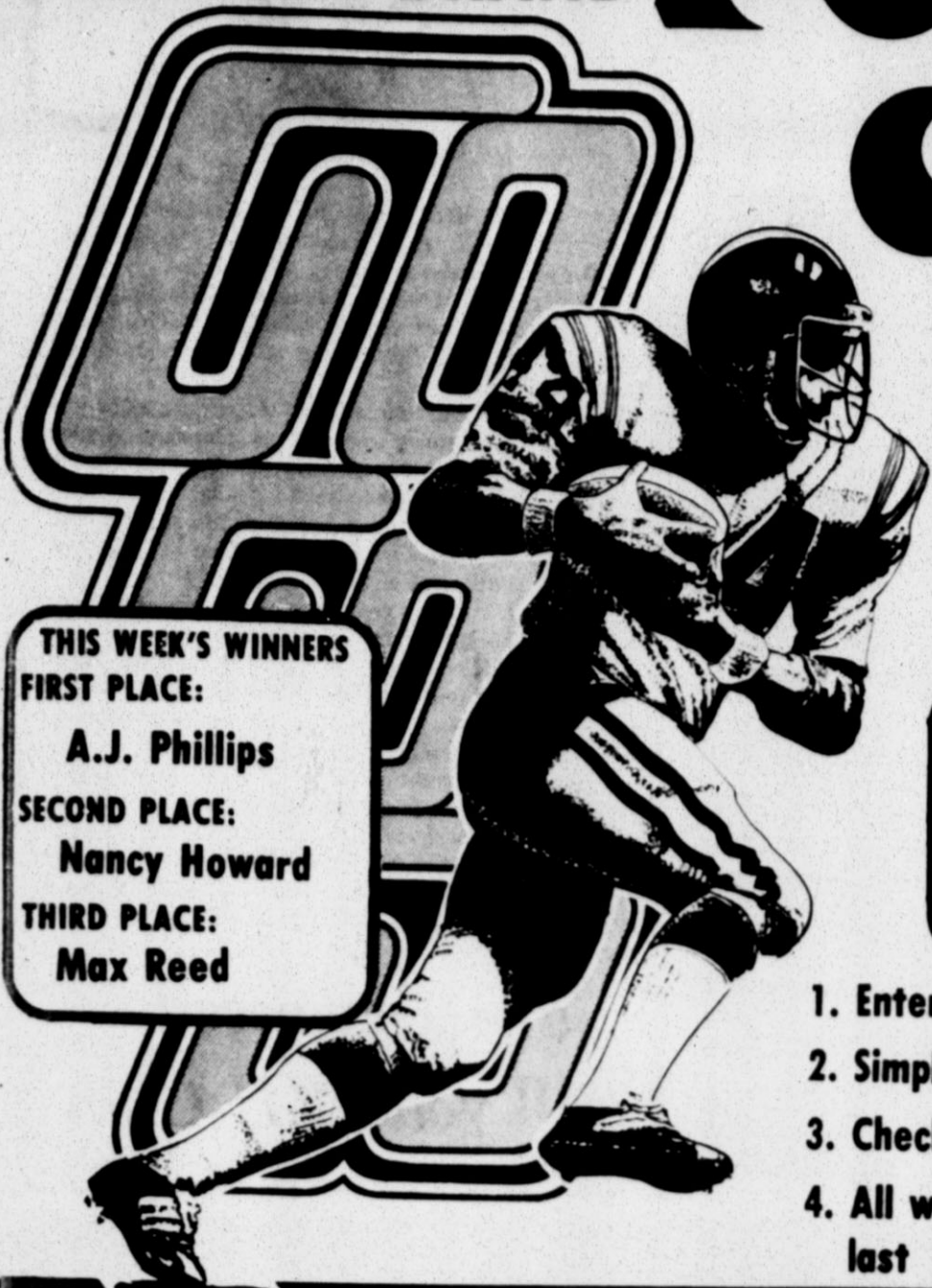
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- Chinese philosophy
- New Deal project (abbr.)
- Coral reef
- Hobgoblin
- Heir
- Belonging to us
- School organization (abbr.)
- Plated with tin
- Light refractor
- As well
- Smells
- Important
- Italian volcano
- Slaps
- Lectern
- Pandemonium
- English princess
- Look closely
- Species of deer
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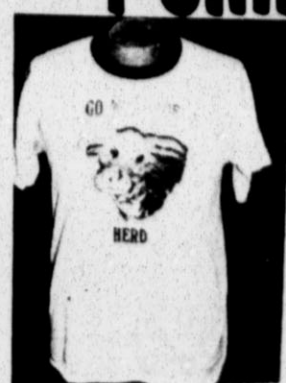
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Girls Lose Opener to Palo Duro

Whiteface Cagers Open Season Tonight at Amarillo

Whiteface Girls Host Amarillo

Hereford's varsity girls opened the season against Palo Duro here Saturday night and absorbed a 47-20 defeat. Coach Larry Sowers attributed "first-game jitters" to the one-sided defeat, pointing out that his young team didn't have

a scrimmage session before the opener. Hereford stayed with the big Palo Duro team the first half, trailing by only 10-7 and 19-17 after the first two periods. Palo Duro pulled away in the second half, however, limiting Hereford

to just three points in the entire second half. Hereford's scoring was distributed with Beverly Nixon and Cathy Lane tallying 4 points each. Palo Duro was led by Tony Folsom with 18 and Valerie Wells with 14.

Sowers said he was not too disappointed with the game. "We have good effort but our shots just weren't falling. We've been shooting a lot better than that in practice. We've got four sophomores on the varsity and two of them start, so we've got to get some experience."

The Whiteface JV against some measure of revenge by taking a victory in the preliminary contest Saturday night. The Hereford team won by eight points.

The teams play again tonight, hosting Amarillo High. The JV game is set to start at 5:30, followed by the varsity clash at 7:30. The team travel to Pampa Saturday night.

Rubbing It In?

WASHINGTON (AP) — The Washington Redskins have made the National Football Conference East as tight as it can be, but a last-second field goal against Dallas may come back to haunt them.

"The Redskins have no class," said Dallas defensive end Harvey Martin after Washington won 34-20 Sunday.

Coach Jack Pardee and Redskins players justified the field goal because of the closeness of the NFC East, with Dallas, Washington and Philadelphia all tied for first with records of 8-4 with four games to play.

Alabama Still No. 1, Buckeyes Gain Prestige

By HERSCHEL NISSENSON
AP Sports Writer

Ohio State, which completed a perfect regular season by defeating Michigan 18-15 on Saturday, continued to chip away at No. 1-ranked Alabama's lead today in The Associated Press college football poll.

The Rose Bowl-bound Buckeyes received 18 of 65 first-place votes and 1,214 points from a nationwide panel of sports writers and broadcasters to move within 24 points of Alabama.

The Crimson Tide, 30-0 winners over Miami, Fla., received 32 first-place votes and 1,238 points. Last week, Alabama led Ohio State 34-14 in first-place votes and 1,262-1,218 in points.

The top six teams — Alabama, Ohio State, Nebraska, Southern California, Florida State and Texas — held onto their positions but Arkansas slipped past Oklahoma into the seventh spot while the Sooners dropped to eighth, a reversal of last week's ratings.

Nebraska, which defeated Iowa State 34-3, received four

first-place votes and 1,157 points to nose out Southern Cal. last weekend. The Trojans had 10 ballots for No. 1 but only 1,151 points.

It was a good weekend for Florida State, which accepted a bid to the Orange Bowl and then walloped Memphis State 66-17. The Seminoles received 1,019 points.

The remaining first-place ballot was split among Texas, Arkansas and No. 9 Houston. Texas whipped Texas Christian 35-10 and received 959 points, Arkansas earned 865 points for a 22-10 triumph over Texas A&M and Houston, which wasn't scheduled, polled 811 points. The Cougars are 37 points behind Oklahoma, which polled 848 following a 24-22 decision over Missouri.

Unbeaten Brigham Young held onto 10th place with 705 points for a 27-0 victory over Utah.

The Second Ten consists of Pittsburgh, Purdue, Clemson, Washington and Auburn, tied for 14th. Michigan, Baylor, Tulane, South Carolina and Penn

State. Last week, it was Pitt, Purdue, Michigan, Clemson, Auburn, Washington, Wake Forest, Temple and Tennessee, with Baylor and Tulane tied for 20th.

South Carolina and Penn State returned to the Top Twenty by defeating, respectively, Wake Forest 35-14 and Temple 22-7. The losers fell out, as did Tennessee, which lost to Mississippi 44-20.

The AP Top Twenty
By The Associated Press
The Top Twenty teams in The Associated Press college football poll, with first-place votes in parentheses, records and total points. Points based on 20, 19, 18, 17, 16, 15, 14, 13, 12, 11, 10, 9, 8, 7, 6, 5, 4, 3, 2, 1.

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|-----------------------|------|-------|
| 1 Alabama (32) | 10-0 | 1,238 |
| 2 Ohio St. (18) | 11-0 | 1,214 |
| 3 Nebraska (4) | 10-0 | 1,157 |
| 4 So. California (10) | 9-0 | 1,151 |
| 5 Florida St. | 10-0 | 1,019 |
| 6 Texas (13) | 8-1 | 959 |
| 7 Arkansas (13) | 9-1 | 865 |
| 8 Oklahoma | 9-1 | 848 |
| 9 Houston (13) | 8-1 | 811 |
| 10 Brigham Young | 10-0 | 705 |
| 11 Pittsburgh | 9-1 | 652 |
| 12 Purdue | 9-2 | 598 |
| 13 Clemson | 8-2 | 487 |
| 14 Washington | 9-2 | 376 |
| 15 Auburn | 8-2 | 374 |
| 16 Michigan | 8-3 | 352 |
| 17 Baylor | 7-3 | 215 |
| 18 Tulane | 8-2 | 184 |
| 19 South Carolina | 7-3 | 124 |
| 20 Penn St. | 7-3 | 93 |

All Players In Action, Says Decker

Hereford's young and inexperienced Whiteface cagers open the 1979-80 season tonight at Amarillo, and Coach Bobby Decker plans to take a look at his entire squad during the contest.

"I want to see everyone playing under game conditions, so all 12 players will see action tonight," Decker stated. Probable starters for the contest will be Darrell Polk (6-4), Mike Fraser (6-0), Ernie Suarez (5-9), Jeff Hazelrigg (5-11) and Bennie Graves (5-11). Suarez is the only returning letterman for the Herd.

The Herd had a scrimmage session against Portales here Friday, and Decker was happy with the results. "I can see some potential when we get everyone playing together." Several football players had their first workout during the scrimmage session against Portales.

While it is definitely a "rebuilding year" for the Whiteface cagers, Decker and his squad hope to improve on last year's record of 8-22.

The Herd cagers will host Pampa Saturday night in the first home game. The sophomores play at 4 p.m., with the JV clash set for 5:30 and the varsity at 7:30 p.m.

SAM SHOOTS AGE

COAL VALLEY, Ill. (AP) — Sam Snead, one of the greats of golf, set a PGA tour record in the Quad Cities Open. The 67-year-old West Virginia sharpshooter shot his age in the second round, posting a 67.

Never one to do things by halves, Sam topped that in the final round. He shot a 66 to break his own two-day record. "There are not many guys my age still playing tournament golf," Snead said.

Bowling

HUSTLIN' HEREFORD MEN'S LEAGUE

HIGH 3 GAME TEAM — Ins. Specialist 3211; High Game Team Ins. Specialist 1152.

HIGH GAME IND. SCRATCH — Jerry Schleich - 266.

HIGH SERIES IND. SCRATCH — Jerry Schleich - 712.

HIGH SERIES IND. HDCCP — Alvin Ruckman - 686.

SPLITS CONVERTED — Bill Bankton 5-7; Randy Barrett 2-9; Jim Simon 4-5; 5-10; Wallace Hill 4-9; 3-10; 3-6-7; L.V. Watts - 3-6-7-10.

STANDINGS

| | | |
|----------------------|--------|--------|
| Hereford State bank | 38 | 10 |
| Boat World | 32 1/2 | 15 1/2 |
| Pizza Hut | 27 | 21 |
| Ins. Specialist 25 | 23 | 23 |
| Ralph Owens Trucking | 23 1/2 | 24 1/2 |
| First Nat. Bank | 22 | 26 |
| Warren Bros. | 22 | 26 |
| Waloo Int. | 21 | 27 |
| Amstar | 21 | 27 |
| Ten Pins | 20 1/2 | 27 1/2 |
| Kiwanis | 17 1/2 | 26 1/2 |
| Bob's Vending | 14 | 30 |

EARLY BIRD LEAGUE

HIGH GAME — Bertie Pope 192; Joan Milton 185.

HIGH SERIES — Bertie Pope 509; Joan Milton 478.

SPLITS — Bertie Pope 2-7; Sue Straskulic 6-10.

Star of the Week — Bertie Pope

STANDINGS

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|--------------------|--------|--------|
| Brandon & Clark | 25 | 19 |
| B&R Welding | 25 | 19 |
| ESP's | 22 1/2 | 21 1/2 |
| L&B Enterprise | 22 | 22 |
| Tagco | 22 | 22 |
| Boots & Saddle | 21 | 23 |
| Dimmitt Super Mkt. | 19 1/2 | 24 1/2 |
| Gilliland-Watson | 19 | 25 |

HEREFORD MILLWORKS TWO AND ONE SCRATCH

HIGH GAMES — Men - Scott Pope 9; Jerry Schleich 259; Joe Risher 258; Butch Davis 227; Lowell Risher 225.

Women - Jettie Watts 201; Carolyn Fowler 199; Betty Risher 196; Liz Warren Joyce McBride 180.

HIGH SERIES — Men - Jerry Schleich 957; Scott Pope, 930; Butch Davis, 840; Melvin Fowler, 824.

Women - Liz Warren 680; Beverly Schleich, Jettie Watts 679; Betty Risher 672; Carolyn Fowler 601.

Bowlers of the week - Carolyn Fowler - 53 pins over Avg.

Scott Pope - 84 pins over avg.

Melvin Fowler - 104 pins over avg.

STANDINGS

| | | | |
|-------------------|---------|---------|----|
| Roberts Ragarms | 8 | 105 | 59 |
| Frogs Team | 104 1/2 | 66 1/2 | |
| Kens Killies | 86 1/2 | 74 1/2 | |
| Jerry Bowlers | 85 | 91 | |
| Melvin Maniacs | 80 | 87 | |
| Mace Maggots | 74 | 96 | |
| Lowells Leftovers | 69 1/2 | 88 1/2 | |
| Geoffers Gophers | 50 1/2 | 102 1/2 | |

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Bufs' Moore Gets Player of Week

TULSA, Okla. (AP) — As West Texas State hangs up its Missouri Valley Conference football championship title, it can thank defensive players like linebacker Larry Moore.

Moore, a sophomore, led several young players the Buffalos' to a 5-0 record this year. Saturday, in the Buffs' 28-18 win over Drake, Moore had eight unassisted and 12 assisted tackles, including four for 36 yards.

Today he was named Valley defensive player of the week.

Moore, a 6-foot-1, 233-pounder, was a mainstay in the team's defense, which led the conference in rushing defense (159.3 yards per game) and total defense (282.5 yards) during the season. He is one of 10 sophomore starters on the team, which loses only eight seniors

from its full roster.

"We were calling a lot of stunts, and I just happened to be there," Moore said of his effort Saturday. "This is a super feeling. That's the reason why I came to West Texas State."

"I wanted to go somewhere where I could win something, and I am looking forward to winning two more championships."

Others nominated for the defensive honor were Drake linebacker Rick Rozenboom and Southern Illinois defensive back Oyd Craddock.

Wardell Wright, Drake full-back, was named Valley offensive player of the week Monday. In Saturday's game against West Texas, he rushed for 116 yards on 24 carries and had one touchdown.

Rams Top Falcons, Tie For NFL West

LOS ANGELES (AP) — The six-time division champion Los Angeles Rams are 6-6 and tied for the National Football Conference West lead with New Orleans, but Rams' Coach Ray Malavasi is still counting his blessings.

"With all the injuries we've had, I just feel fortunate to be in the position we are in right now," Malavasi said after Monday night's 20-14 Ram victory over NFC West foe Atlanta. "I feel we can win the division, just like I felt at the beginning of the season."

The loss dropped the Falcons to 4-8, putting them two games off the lead with just four contests remaining. However, in what is the NFL's weakest division this season, there are no foregone conclusions.

Atlanta Coach Leeman Bennett refused to concede anything, saying, "As far as the race is concerned, we're still not out of it."

One of many Los Angeles reserves pressed into a starting role, quarterback Vince Ferragamo, guided the Rams to the important victory over the Falcons.

Making his first NFL start, the third-year pro out of Nebraska passed for two first-half touchdowns and set up the clinching score — an 11-yard run by Cullen Bryant — in the final quarter.

"I hope to do better next week," said Ferragamo, the apparent Rams' starter the rest of the season since Pat Haden is out with a broken finger.

Ferragamo himself had been sidelined for the past month, recuperating from a broken hand suffered in a game against Dallas.

"I thought I played well at times," he said after completing nine of 22 passes for 171 yards against the Falcons.

Ferragamo hit Preston Dennard with a 29-yard touchdown pass early in the first quarter, connected with Billy Waddy on a 40-yard scoring play in the waning moments of the first half, then set up Bryant's tally with a 18-yard toss to tight end Terry Nelson midway through

the final period. As it turned out, the Rams needed all three scores. Atlanta quarterback June Jones III, starting in place of the injured Steve Bartkowski, put the Falcons back in the game with two second-half touchdown passes.

Jones, hitting on just two of nine throws and suffering two interceptions in the opening half, found Wallace Francis with a 15-yard scoring pass late in the third period to cut the Rams' lead to 14-7. He connected with Francis again on a 33-yard touchdown play with 4:11 left in the contest to bring the Falcons within striking distance at 20-14.

But Jones, trying to pass in the closing moments of the game, fumbled away the Falcons' last chance. He finished with 11 completions in 24 attempts for 181 yards.

The Rams' Wendell Tyler and Atlanta's Bubba Bean both topped the 100-yard mark in rushing, as Tyler picked up 111 yards on 21 carries and Bean gained 104 on 17 carries.

Hereford Brand SPORTS

Cash Winners For Grid Contest Listed

The pro football games proved to be the downfall of many entrants in last week's Brand Football Contest, but A.J. Phillips, 247 Elm, emerged with only two incorrect selections to take the top cash prize.

Nancy Howard, 431 Western, and Max Reed, Rt. 1, Vega, took second and third-place prizes as each of them missed three of the 26 games. The runners-up were determined on the basis of the tiebreaker total score (42) in the San Diego win over Pittsburgh, 35-7.

Jerry Collier and Jeff Loerwald also missed three games, but they were not as close on the tiebreaker total.

The contest, sponsored by local merchants, comes to an end in two weeks. Look for the special contest pages in today's Brand. Follow the simple rules and enter this week...you could be a cash winner!

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awarded at the end of the contest. All persons who have won cash awards this year will compete on the final week for the grand prizes—\$100 for first place, \$35 for second and \$15 for third.

Sports World

To most people, the Dallas Cowboys conjure up visions of a whirring machine — cold steel, nuts and bolts, flashing lights, operating with the unerring precision of a computer.

"Don't believe it," said the Cowboys' star quarterback Roger Staubach. "We're flesh and bones like everybody else. We make mistakes. We pay for it and we hurt."

"Right now, we're in trouble. We can't look back on what we've done in the past. We've got to get it together. No computer is going to save us. We have to do it physically."

George Blanda, a quarterback who became famous for his place-kicking, completed 37 passes for Houston in a game against Buffalo in 1964.

Pro Roundup

National Football League At A Glance

By The Associated Press American Conference

| Team | W | L | T | Pct. | PF | PA |
|-------------|---|---|---|------|-----|-----|
| New England | 8 | 0 | 0 | .887 | 221 | 221 |
| Miami | 7 | 0 | 0 | .875 | 222 | 172 |
| Buffalo | 6 | 0 | 0 | .800 | 203 | 209 |
| N.Y. Jets | 5 | 7 | 0 | .417 | 246 | 286 |
| Baltimore | 4 | 8 | 0 | .333 | 192 | 276 |

| Team | W | L | T | Pct. | PF | PA |
|------------|---|----|---|------|-----|-----|
| Houston | 9 | 3 | 0 | .750 | 285 | 250 |
| Pittsburgh | 9 | 3 | 0 | .750 | 301 | 195 |
| Cleveland | 8 | 4 | 0 | .667 | 289 | 277 |
| Cincinnati | 7 | 10 | 0 | .417 | 256 | 316 |

| Team | W | L | T | Pct. | PF | PA |
|-------------|---|---|---|------|-----|-----|
| Denver | 9 | 3 | 0 | .750 | 230 | 187 |
| San Diego | 9 | 3 | 0 | .750 | 305 | 204 |
| Oakland | 6 | 6 | 0 | .500 | 266 | 249 |
| Green Bay | 6 | 6 | 0 | .500 | 270 | 281 |
| Kansas City | 5 | 7 | 0 | .417 | 184 | 203 |

| Team | W | L | T | Pct. | PF | PA |
|--------------|---|---|---|------|-----|-----|
| Dallas | 8 | 4 | 0 | .667 | 260 | 225 |
| Philadelphia | 8 | 4 | 0 | .667 | 221 | 221 |
| Washington | 8 | 4 | 0 | .667 | 242 | 211 |
| N.Y. Giants | 5 | 7 | 0 | .417 | 189 | 229 |
| St. Louis | 3 | 9 | 0 | .250 | 231 | 252 |

| Team | W | L | T | Pct. | PF | PA |
|-----------|---|----|---|------|-----|-----|
| Tampa Bay | 9 | 3 | 0 | .750 | 241 | 178 |
| Chicago | 7 | 5 | 0 | .583 | 235 | 209 |
| Minnesota | 5 | 7 | 0 | .417 | 182 | 258 |
| Green Bay | 4 | 8 | 0 | .333 | 182 | 229 |
| Detroit | 1 | 11 | 0 | .083 | 169 | 275 |

| Team | W | L | T | Pct. | PF | PA |
|---------------|---|----|---|------|-----|-----|
| Los Angeles | 6 | 6 | 0 | .500 | 222 | 226 |
| New Orleans | 6 | 6 | 0 | .500 | 259 | 263 |
| Atlanta | 4 | 8 | 0 | .333 | 222 | 270 |
| San Francisco | 1 | 11 | 0 | .083 | 224 | 339 |

| Team | W | L | T | Pct. | PF | PA |
|--------------|----|---|---|-------|----|----|
| New England | 50 | 0 | 0 | 1.000 | 21 | 21 |
| Washington | 34 | 0 | 0 | 1.000 | 20 | 20 |
| Buffalo | 19 | 0 | 0 | 1.000 | 12 | 12 |
| Cleveland | 90 | 0 | 0 | 1.000 | 24 | 24 |
| Chicago | 23 | 0 | 0 | 1.000 | 13 | 13 |
| Philadelphia | 16 | 0 | 0 | 1.000 | 13 | 13 |
| Minnesota | 14 | 0 | 0 | 1.000 | 7 | 7 |
| Houston | 42 | 0 | 0 | 1.000 | 21 | 21 |
| Denver | 38 | 0 | 0 | 1.000 | 28 | 28 |
| Kansas City | 24 | 0 | 0 | 1.000 | 21 | 21 |
| Seattle | 38 | 0 | 0 | 1.000 | 24 | 24 |
| Tampa Bay | 31 | 0 | 0 | 1.000 | 3 | 3 |
| San Diego | 35 | 0 | 0 | 1.000 | 7 | 7 |

| Team | W | L | T | Pct. | PF | PA |
|-------------|----|---|---|-------|----|----|
| Los Angeles | 20 | 0 | 0 | 1.000 | 14 | 14 |
| Chicago | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0.000 | 0 | 0 |
| Houston | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0.000 | 0 | 0 |

| Team | W | L | T | Pct. | PF | PA |
|--------------|---|---|---|-------|----|----|
| Buffalo | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0.000 | 25 | 25 |
| Cleveland | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0.000 | 0 | 0 |
| Washington | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0.000 | 0 | 0 |
| St. Louis | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0.000 | 0 | 0 |
| New Orleans | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0.000 | 0 | 0 |
| Minnesota | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0.000 | 0 | 0 |
| Philadelphia | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0.000 | 0 | 0 |
| Kansas City | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0.000 | 0 | 0 |
| Los Angeles | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0.000 | 0 | 0 |
| Miami | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0.000 | 0 | 0 |
| Oakland | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0.000 | 0 | 0 |

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| Buffalo | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0.000 | 25 | 25 |
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| Washington | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0.000 | 0 | 0 |
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| New Orleans | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0.000 | 0 | 0 |
| Minnesota | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0.000 | 0 | 0 |
| Philadelphia | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0.000 | 0 | 0 |
| Kansas City | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0.000 | 0 | 0 |
| Los Angeles | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0.000 | 0 | 0 |
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1. FOR SALE Miscellaneous

Table models and consoles rebuilt color televisions. Tower T.V., 248 Northwest Drive. 1-90-22c

One bedroom suite, two double beds, one single bed, one recliner, one rocker, miscellaneous. 364-4384. 1-99-3c

Men and ladies yellow gold wedding bands \$300. Call 357-2300. 1-90-tfc

RCA console stereo with AM/FM radio. Call 364-3439 after 6 p.m. 1-93-7c

Green and gold sofa, commode, 2 end tables, coffee table, real good condition. Phone 364-8114 days; 364-2926 after 6 p.m. 1-95-tfc

FOR SALE: Used bathroom fixtures, good condition. 121 E. Bedford, Dimmitt, Texas Phone 647-3194. 1-95-10c

1972 two horse Hale trailer. For information, call 364-0481 or 364-1312. 1-100-5c

Used couch and chair for sale. Call 364-7215. 1-100-2c

New jogging treadmill machine. \$175.00. Call 364-3577 after 5:30 p.m. 1-100-2c

Harvest gold electric range with Corning Ware top, self cleaning, and microwave oven. Less than 1/2 original price. 364-5563 after 6 p.m. 1-98-3c

For Sale: Repossessed Compact Vacuum and attachments. Compact Vacuum Center, 130 East 5th. 364-5820. 1-80-tfc

KERR ELECTRONICS RADIO SHACK is now open at our new address at 311 North Main. Phone 364-5500. Christmas toys now in. 1-53-tfc

BIG JIM'S FURN. & APPL. 111 Arched St. (Mission Rd) Phone 364-1873

Plenty of stoves and dining room suites, lots of other furniture. Specials on living room suites. 1-111-tfc

McKNIGHT SEWING CENTER 226 North Main Phone 364-4051
Singer authorized dealer
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SHAKLEE PRODUCTS
Clyde & Lee Cave
Authorized Distributor
364-1073
107 Ave. C 1-25-tfc

Blue Bird dress. Size 7. New. 511 Ave. H. 1-74-tfc

SOUTHWEST CARPET "HOUSE OF DECOR" Floor Vinyls -- Wall Papers--Formica. 711 South 25 Mile Ave. 364-1763. 1-83-22c

TO GIVE AWAY: Large male dog. Phone 578-4332. 1-100-3p

FOR ALL YOUR HEALTH & LIFE INSURANCE NEEDS
Please Call
STEVE NIEMAN
Representative for
Southern Life Insurance
Call 1-655-7735
364-6957
1-655-9156 nights 1-18-tfc

Color TV's - portables and consoles \$79.95 up; BW \$19.95 up. Phone 364-6898. 622 South Avenue K. 1-79-tfc

CALL YOUR LOCAL USED COW DEALER FOR DEAD STOCK REMOVAL
364-0951
Seven days per week 1-1-tfc

New hand tools. Dirt cheap. Frank Pannell, 327 West First. Phone 364-2861. After 5:00, 364-2412. 831-Blevins. 1-83-tfc

We repair and sell used appliances. **DOUG'S APPLIANCE SERVICE.** 364-8114. 511-513 Park Ave. 1-207-tfc

Baled cane for sale. Call 357-2344. 1-78-tfc

O'Keefe & Merritt white gas range. Call 364-2490 and 364-2388 after 5 p.m. 1-99-5c

Flute for sale. Gemeinhardt. Call 364-5698. 1-97-5c

Dry land baled cane. Call 499-3460. 1-97-5p

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Portraits, banquets, seniors, weddings (wedding plans start at \$50) Everything in photography. Sims Studio. 364-8082. 1-54-tfc

Trundle bed (which is 2 twin beds). \$200.00. Like new. 364-8230. 1-100-5c

Whirlpool no frost refrigerator. Excellent condition. White. \$175.00. 364-7322. 1-100-3c

What to give for Christmas? Beautiful unique hand made purses. Many styles and fabrics. By Olga Tannahill. 364-2533, 123 Beach. 1-94-22c

Two celery green velvet swivel rocker recliners. One year old. 364-6087. 1-96-tfc

An Educational Tour of Washington, D.C. is being conducted by Lakeland Tours March 31-April 1-2. The Tour director is Leona Miller. The deadline for the first deposit is Nov. 27, 1979. For more information call 364-4793 after school. 1-96-10p

FIREWOOD FOR SALE
Call 364-6030
FIRST NATIONAL FUEL 1-83-20c

For Sale: Baled Sucrose Hay. Excellent quality. Contact Foster Hill 364-4217 or O.G. Hill Jr. 364-1871 or 578-4681. 1-96-5c

For Sale: Antique bedroom set, consisting of dresser, desk and chair, bedstead, mattress and springs. Contact Mrs. O.G. Hill, Sr. 364-0034. 1-96-5c

Like new: 10 speed bike and floor model sun and heat lamp. Make nice Christmas gifts. Call 364-1072. 1-96-tfc

Gold Beauty Pleat drapes with quilted valance with silk braid trim and lined. Like new. 78" wide and 44" long. Long yellow sheer drape. Lined. 76" wide x 86" long. 364-1666. 1-96-tfc

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HAVING A GARAGE SALE? Advertise it in the Hereford Brand for best results. For a minimum charge of \$2.00 your ad will go into 4,500 homes. Call by 3 p.m. the day before it is published or before 3 p.m. on Friday for Sunday's issue. 1A-198-tfc

LOOKING!! for Christmas Gifts?? Visit **K-BAR MOTEL** for items from the Orient. E-Hwy 60. 1A-82-22p

If you have delivery problems, call your carrier, or call **The Brand** circulation department 364-2030 between 6 and 7 p.m. Tuesday through Saturday. Sunday paper is delivered Saturday afternoon. **THE HEREFORD BRAND 364-2030**

2. FOR SALE Farm Equipment

16 ft. gooseneck trailer with half top. Call 364-6345. 2-98-5c

1955 Ford with 20 ton Tulsa wench mounted. Frank Pannell 327 West 1st. Office 364-2861; home 364-2412 after 5 p.m. 1-99-5c

454 4-row John Deere all purpose header. Soy bean and milo. Vega, 267-2367. 2-98-10p

Old Scratch Cattle Oiler and Delouser Sales & Service. Contact Charles Thomas. 276-5575. 2-29-tfc

WANT TO BUY a 4010-4020 diesel tractor or John Deere P.K. offset. 364-2946. 2-96-22c

See Us For **PARTS SWEEPS CHISELS FOR GRAHAM (HOME) PLOWS DAVIS IMPLEMENT** 409 E. First Phone 364-2811 2-33-tfc

See Us For **Mayrath Grain Augers Also have parts in stock DAVIS IMPLEMENT** 406 EAST FIRST Phone 364-2811 2-1-tfc

3. VEHICLES FOR SALE

NEW & USED CARS now for sale at STAGNER-ORSBORN BUICK, PONTIAC, GMC 211 North 25 Mile Ave. 3-8-tfc

302 Ford motor and transmission. \$375.00. Excellent condition. 357-2352. 3-94-5p

WALKER'S USED CARS AND TRUCKS WE BUY, SELL OR TRADE 400 West First Phone 364-2250 3-41-tfc

FUNNY BUSINESS by Roger Bollen



1975 Blue Camaro for sale. Call between 9 a.m. and 5 p.m. at 364-5551 for Brenda. \$3,000.00. 3-94-5c

1978 Gold-Wing Honda. Blue and gold trim with fairing, lowers and safety bar. Just like new. Only 3,600 miles. 364-2275. 707 East 15th. 3-91-22p

'77 Bonneville Braugham 2 dr. white with green velour interior. All power and all extras. 364-5147 after 4 p.m. 3-96-5p

1952 Chevrolet winch trunk for sale. New paint and Texas plates. Call 364-5413. 3-96-5p

1978 Kawasaki 1000 motorcycle. \$3,000 or best offer. 364-4393. 3-99-5p

1975 Ford L.T.D. Station wagon. P.S., brakes, air conditioning, cruise control, luggage rack, FM stereo, rear seats. \$1850.00. Nights 364-0408. 3-96-5c

1977 Ford blue Mustang. 1978 Dodge red pickup. Call Installation Loan Department, First National Bank. 364-2435. 3-99-5c

1976 Buick Riviera. Vinyl top, cruise control, all power with tape deck and moveable steering wheel. Very nice. Call 364-3714. 3-100-5p

1975 Chevrolet Camaro. low mileage, good condition, new tires and extras. \$3400.00 or best offer. 364-7679 or see at 1209 East Park Ave. 3-73-tfc

1962 Chevrolet shortbed 1/2 pick-up. Good condition. New brake drums and battery. Call 364-2736 or 364-1774. 3-94-5c

1978 Plymouth Sapporo. 11,000 miles. Super car. \$5695. Call 364-6788. 3-94-tfc

1979 Ford LTD. 4 dr. hardtop, silver metallic exterior, red vinyl interior, power steering, power brakes, cruise control. AM-FM radio. Phone 364-0250 day; 364-1033 night. 3-83-tfc

MILBURN MOTOR Company We pay cash for Used Cars 136 Sampson Phone 364-0077 3-33-tfc

For Sale: 1974 Cutlass Supreme one owner, fully equipped, clean. 364-2136 Sunday and after 6 p.m. 3-89-tfc

1978 Blazer in excellent condition. Buy equity and take up payments. 289-5333 after 6 p.m. 3-96-5c

1954 Chevrolet pickup 6 cylinder. Runs, needs some work. \$200.00. Overhauled 230 6 cylinder \$300.00. Call Joe at Ernie's. 364-6301. 3-98-5c

1979 Camero Berlietta. AM A-Track, air, power steering, power brakes, headers. Call Mike's after 5. 364-7616. 3-97-5c

1973 GMC Sierra, 77,000 miles. P.B., P.S., air conditioning, sunfighter, storal toolbox, 100 ga. auxiliary gas tank, steel belted radials, sun burst chrome wheels, fiberglass whip C.B. antennas. \$2,000.00. 364-2901 or 364-2198. 3-99-5c

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1975 Chev. Caprice Est. Wag. 1972 GMC 1/2 ton pickup 1972 Chev. pickup 1972 Ford Pinto 1972 Maverick 1973 Ford Torino 1971 Chrysler 1965 Imperial 1970 Catalina Call 364-6132 or see at 103 New York. 3-99-5c

4. REAL ESTATE For Sale Or Trade

FOR SALE BY OWNER: 3 bedrooms, 2 full baths, two car garage with electric opener, storm cellar, storage building. Near Bluebonnet School. Buy equity and assume payments with low interest. Phone 364-1163 after 5 p.m. 4-69-tfc

HGME FOR SALE BY OWNER. Very nice brick house. Fenced back yard. All carpet. Has den and central heat. Call 364-5020. 4-88-tfc

NORTHWEST HEREFORD, new listing. Very well cared for 3 bedroom. Features lovely den with fireplace, nice master bedroom with good closet space. 1500 sq. ft. Priced in low \$40's. **FAMILY HOMES REAL ESTATE.** 364-5501. S-W-4-99-2c

Save5. Assumable 8 1/2 percent VA loan. Urgent out of town owner must sell immediately. Large two story home on oversized 100x200 lot (Approximately 2,000 square feet) Extras include garage, enclosed patio, concrete pad and trailer hook-up for extra income. All this surrounded by large trees and good neighborhood. Located 206 Avenue B. Excellent terms. You can't find a better deal. Contact owner - 303-945-6927 or inquire 1606 Cooper Glenwood Springs, Colo. 81601. 4-97-11c

Clean 1969 Chevrolet C-50 4 speed, 2 speed axle, 16 ft. bed and hoist. 364-4447. 3-99-5c

1972 Nova. 4-door, 6 cyl., automatic, air, 26,000 actual miles, new tires, good economical car. \$1175.00. 364-5975. 3-96-tfc

1966 Chevrolet pickup. LWB. Call 364-0366 after 5 p.m. 3-97-10c

For Sale: 1975 Chev C 65 truck with 366 V8 engine. 9000 lb front axle. 5 speed with 2 speed 18,500 lbs. rear axle. 20' flat bed with hydraulic lift and hoist. 1971 Totem 6 wheel trailer with 16' tilt bed. Can be seen at Oswalt Division. East Hwy. 60 or call 364-0250. 3-25-tfc

1972 Chevrolet 1/2 ton pickup. A-1 condition, new tires. \$1500.00 firm. Do not call if not interested. 364-5483. 3-99-5c

1970 blue Chevrolet Impala. 400. Good rubber. Make good work car or kid's school car. 364-2490 or 364-2388 after 5 p.m. 3-99-5c

1978 Honda 450. 2500 miles. Small carrier and windshield. \$1500.00. Call Mike McCathern. 364-7820 or 364-7878 after 6 p.m. 3-92-10c

1969 Chevrolet station wagon for sale. \$400.00. 364-2559. 3-97-5c

1969 Dodge Coronet 4 Door. Radio, air, power, brakes, power steering, radial tires. Saves gas. Excellent \$700.00. 364-1874. 3-97-5p

Convenience Apartments has vacancy for adult couples and single adults. Furnished. Carpeted, new water heaters, new cook stoves. Only 2 short blocks from Main Street. Bills paid. Deposit required. No pets. Shown by appointment only. 364-5191 days; 364-2553 nights. 5-94-tfc

1/2 acre lot for mobile home. Fenced, water furnished. Sam Nunnally. 364-4298. 5-246-tfc

FOR RENT: Business buildings. Large and small. Some remodeling to fit tenant's needs. Tele 364-1103-9 a.m. to 5 p.m. 5-60-tfc

Lovely two bedroom house, den, living room. No children or pets. \$250.00. \$100.00 deposit. Phone 364-1730 after 6 p.m. 5-94-tfc

For Rent - one bedroom apartment, good location, bills paid, partially furnished. Call 364-2777 after 5 p.m. 5-67-tfc

For Rent: La Fogata, 133 Main Street. All occasions. Call 364-9086. 5-79-22c

Trailer space for rent. 203 Funston. Call 364-0210. 5-92-tfc

Two bedroom 1 1/2 baths apartment. No children or pets. Furnished - \$225.00. Unfurnished - \$275.00. \$100 deposit. Thunderbird Properties. 364-8421 after 5 p.m. 5-83-tfc

For Rent: 2 bedroom, small family, close to Aikman Elementary \$225 monthly plus \$100 deposit. 364-0410. 5-89-2c

Large 2 bedroom furnished apartment. Very particular - rather have families. One year lease. Water only paid. \$300 month. Sam Nunnally. 364-4298. 5-89-tfc

LOW RENT FOR NEEDY FAMILIES! Nice one, two and three bedroom apartments. Pleasant surroundings, central air and heat. Laundry facilities. 24 hour security. CALL COLLECT. Saratoga Apartments. 247-3666, Friona, Texas. 5-238-tfc

Two bedroom house in country for rent. Call 578-4521. 5-97-5c

Two bedrooms, 1 bath house. 2 1/2 acres. 10 miles West on Harrison Hwy. Rent \$275/month and \$100.00 deposit. 5-97-5c

Two-bedroom furnished brick apartment, utilities paid, prefer older couple or young couple with no children. No pets. Laundry room available. \$300/month plus \$100.00 deposit. Call 364-7820 day or 364-7878 after 6 p.m. 5-97-10c

FOR SALE OR RENT: Two bedroom unfurnished house. 1 1/2 baths, deposit required, no pets. \$250.00 month. 1-655-7239, 1-655-9242, Canyon. 5-97-5c

Offices for rent, Excellent location. Call 364-8223. 5-187-tfc

CHEAP RENT For someone who needs a small one room office and who would be in it 8 hours a day. Would have to take phone message for two other phones. Ideal for one person bookkeeping service. Sam Nunnally. 364-4298. 5-62-tfc

DIAMOND VALLEY MOBILE HOME PARK F.H.A. Approved Lots 700 Block of Ave. G&H. Office-415 North Main Ph. 364-1483; Home 364-3937. 5-56-tfc

Furnished office for rent-\$100. Two furnished offices, private entrance - \$225. Answering service available - \$25. Contact Agri-Science Center 364-5422. 5-43-tfc

FOR RENT: Large 3 bedroom apartment. Refrigerated air. Phone 364-2222. 5-243-tfc

FOR RENT Luxury Apartments Northwest Hereford

Large 2 and 3 Bedrooms, Refrigerated Air, Carpeted 1 1/2 & 2 Baths, Fireplaces, Dishwasher, Disposal. Lots of storage. Garages. Call for immediate showing.

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Up to \$220 weekly taking short phone messages at home. 743-762-3137, extension 514. T-89-5-4c

NEEDING SCHOOL BUS DRIVERS. See Eldon Owens at School Bus Shop. 8-16-tfc

Older couple needed to manage apartments. No children, no pets. Contact Margaret. 364-0101. 8-100-tfc

Self-lock storage. 364-8448. 5-131-tfc

Two bedroom unfurnished apartment. Sugarland Quads. Deposit required. \$215.00 monthly. 364-4370. 5-92-tfc

6. WANTED

Wanted: Used Dearborn stove and bee honey. Call 258-7741. 6-98-5c

Want farm to hunt pheasants for 8 responsible men. All of us are professional agricultural people. Please contact Larry Killgo. 622-0870, Roswell, N.M. 6-99-5c

WANTED: Custom combining soy beans, sunflowers, corn or milo. 30" or 40" rows. Have JD row crop heads. Joel Williamson. 258-7562 or 578-4657. 6-50-tfc

Would like to rent farm land North of Hereford. Contact Ed Hammett. 578-4569. 6-96-22c

WANTED TO BUY Old gold rings, watches, old class rings, etc. Spangler's Diamonds Sugarland Mall Phone 364-0070 6-50-tfc

WANTED: Dirt Hauling, sand, gravel, trash and yard levelling. 364-0553. 6-52-tfc

7. BUSINESS OPPORTUNITIES

\$356.00 weekly possible in only two hours work daily at home. Start immediately. Free. Enterprises, Box 2238, Hereford. 7-92-tfc

Family fun Business. Ice cream-sandwich-game parlour. Modest investment, fantastic potential. If you enjoy working with young people, this is for you! #4982 Call 364-0555. Lone Star Agency. 7-95-5c

CRAFTS American Handicrafts-Merribee wants retail dealer. Write C. Hudson, 2617 W. 7th, Ft. Worth, Tx. 76107, or call 817-335-4761. 7-96-5p

8. HELP WANTED

Lady to work part time and be able to teach classes. Apply in person. Bernina Sewing Center, 419 North Main. 8-97-5c

Amarillo Daily News and Globe Times distributor for entire town of Hereford. For details contact Amarillo Daily News, Amarillo. 1-376-5881 or Red Carpet Inn, 364-0540. Ask for David McCaskill. 8-94-tfc

NEED librarian. Pick up applications at County Clerks office at the courthouse. An equal opportunity employer. 8-51-tfc

OPEN SHOP IN THE CLASSIFIEDS FOR MORE PROFITABLE RESULTS

9. SITUATIONS WANTED

Professional window cleaning. Residential or business. 364-2264 or 364-8297.

9-207-tfc

Will do sewing and alterations. 276-5598 after 6 p.m.

9-80-22c

Would like to do baby sitting. Northwest Hereford area. Call any time. 364-8087.

9-93-8c

Bookkeeping, secretary or general office work needed. Can furnish references. Call 364-2575.

9-93-tfc

State licensed child care. Hereford Day Care, Inc. 215 Norton. 364-1293; 410 Irving. 364-5062. 6 months through 9 years.

9-69-tfc

10. NOTICE

CURTIS MATHES SHOWROOM
SEE WHY NOT HAVE THE BEST New TVs & Combs RENT BUY
249 25 Mile Ave. 364-1007
CALL TODAY

Hereford Lions Club meets each Wednesday 12 noon, at the COMMUNITY CENTER

11. BUSINESS SERVICE

LEMONS HAY SERVICE
Alfalfa hay, custom swathing, cubing, Hesston stacking. 364-2907 or 289-5672.

11-24-tfc

McKIBBEN ROOFING
Wood & Composition Home repair, painting & fence building. Call 364-6578 or 364-8095.

11-75-tfc

R&O PLASTERING. Plaster, siding, stone, stucco, tile, acoustic ceilings. Call for free estimate. Aristeos Rios, 806-373-0306, Amarillo or Ralph Ocon 364-8230, Hereford.

11-90-23p

GROUND COTTON BURRS. ALFALFA HAY
Front-end loader work. Manure Spreading. Bermea Brothers Ed 247-3648; Jess. Mobile 265-3698 Friona.

11-272-tfc

RENT-AMERICA OF HEREFORD
Rutherford TV's (By Curtis Mathes) Electrophone Stereos Whirlpool Appliances Rental-Buy
Open 9 A.M. 364-5077
Closed Sundays & Holidays
GARY & PEGGY BETTS
709 Seminole
11-87-tfc

WILL DO Custom combining soy beans, sunflowers, corn or milo. 30-40' rows. Have John Deere row crop heads. Call Don Howard 364-7043 or 578-4631.

11-50-tfc

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*New Construction
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Siding Cabinets Concrete
1-352-4064 1-352-6269
Bushland
11-91-22p

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Home Repair-Carpentry
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Fred Ruland, 364-0857
119 Sunset Drive, Hereford
11-176-tfc

J. COCKER REALTORS, 711
South 25 Mile Avenue. 364-8660
a.m. or p.m.
11-83-22c

HUBERT D'S DIRT & PAVING
Driveways, seal coating
parking lots, sand,
Caliche & gravel.
Dump truck loader & blade work
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11-74-22c

BOBBY GRIEGO DRAGLINE SERVICE
TAILWATER PIT CLEANING
LOADER DOZER
Phone 364-2322
Mobile Phone 375-4541
11-136-tfc

SOUTHLAND LIFE INSURANCE POLICYOWNER
For insurance counseling and policy services, please call **STEVE NIEMAN**
Representative for Southland Life Insurance
Call 1-655-7735
364-6957
1-655-9156 nights
11-18-tfc

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Residential-Commercial
All bids & Wiring competitive.
Ph. 364-1345
Nights 364-1523
or 364-5929
P.O. BOX 30
11-15-tfc

If you have a business service that everyone is not totally aware of - let it be known. We have people coming to our office wondering who to call to get milk delivered, where they can get photos made, where they can subscribe to area newspapers, etc. Advertise it in the **HEREFORD BRAND** and spread the word to 4500 homes.
11-83-tfc

COMFORT CHECK INSULATION. Cellulose and fiber glass insulation. New and remodeled homes. Call Gregg Black for free estimate. 364-2777; 364-2040.
11-71-22c

PIANO TUNING \$23.00 Wayne Huff Piano Service. Phone 655-4241. 2707 3rd Ave. Canyon. 11-272-tfc

Professional window cleaning. Residential or business. 364-2264 or 364-8297.
11-207-tfc

S.W. CARPET "HOUSE OF DECOR" 711 So. 25 Mile Ave. 9:30-5:30 Wallpaper-Floor Vinyls-Formica 364-1763-Bill Clark, Installer.
11-89-tfc

12. LIVESTOCK
Two young and gentle horses for sale. Ready for wheat pasture. Call Robert Davis. 578-4482.
12-95-10c

WANTED: Pasture for pre-conditioned calves by month or on gain basis. Ray Polan. 276-5595 days; 364-8314 nights.
12-100-tfc

170 head of Top Cross bred heifers with lush pasture until April 1, 1980. Along with barn full of hay. For more information call 505-762-6487.
12-100-5c

LEGAL NOTICE

BID NOTICE
The Commissioners Court of Deaf Smith County will open bids for repairs to the west entrance doors of the Courthouse at 10 A.M. November 26, 1979. The Commissioners reserve the right to reject any and all bids. Specifications may be obtained at 242 E. 3rd. Hereford, Texas.
96-5c

NOTICE TO ALL PERSONS HAVING CLAIMS AGAINST THE ESTATE OF MOLLY JO SCHOFIELD, DECEASED

Notice is hereby given that original Letters Testamentary upon the Estate of Molly Jo Schofield, Deceased, were issued to me, the undersigned on the 19th day of November, 1979. In the proceeding indicated below my signature hereto, which is still pending, and that I now hold such Letters. All persons having claims against said estate, which is being administered in the County of Deaf Smith, are hereby required to present the same to me, at the address below given, before suit upon same are barred by the general statutes of limitation, before such estate is closed, and within the time prescribed by law. The address of Mike Ted Clark is 814 West Park Avenue, Hereford, Texas 79045.
DATED this 19th day of November, 1979.

Mike Ted Clark,
Independent Executor of the Estate of Molly Jo Schofield, Deceased, No. 2907, In the County Court of Deaf Smith County, Texas
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The Speaker Reports



by Bill Clayton

AUSTIN—With the recent passage of Proposition 3, the Family Farm and Ranch Security Program, many persons interested in entering agriculture may now have a chance to do so with the assistance of the State of Texas.

The Family Farm and Ranch Security Program establishes a guaranteed loan program for the purchase of farm and ranch land by persons at the entry-level of agriculture. It will aid persons who otherwise would be unable to meet the high price of agricultural land. Those persons interested in the program should remember, however, that it is a program in which the state guarantees the loans but is not actually the lending institution. The actual loans will come from a normal lending institution, such as a bank, Farmers Home Administration, etc.

The loan guarantees will be issued to qualified borrowers through the sale of \$10 million in general obligation bonds of the State of Texas. A nine-member advisory council appointed by the Governor will review all applications and make recommendations to the Agriculture Commissioner. According to a staff member of the Agriculture Department, the Governor could make his appointments and have the council functioning within the next year.

Until the council is appointed, all interested persons should put their names on a waiting list that the Texas Department of Agriculture has begun for information concerning the program. As soon as the application forms are prepared they will be sent to those people whose names appear on the list.

To be eligible for a loan guarantee, the applicant must be a U. S. citizen and a Texas resident for five years; have a net worth of less than \$100,000, excluding the value of residential homestead; intend to use the land for farming or ranching purposes; and have the necessary education and training in the type of farming and ranching they wish to pursue.

The World Almanac



1. Great Sitkin and Little Sitkin are (a) breeds of dogs (b) tributaries of the Yukon River (c) two volcanoes in the Aleutian Islands
2. The longest river in Canada is the (a) St. Lawrence (b) Mackenzie (c) Nelson
3. The largest desert in the world is the _____

ANSWERS
1. c 2. b 3. Sahara

Manhattan Residents Work To Prevent 'Robbing' Developers

JANE TRICHTER, who represents the area. The committee maintains that though some buildings in the district are already landmarks, there is nothing to stop the owners of other East Side edifices from making alterations.

Creating a new historic district on the East Side would shield the entire area with one ruling, they say, faster and easier than considering buildings individually.

They say speed is of the essence. Ms. Rich said the commission finds new building alterations every week, some bordering on desecration.

Canadian women gained their first limited federal franchise in 1917 with the passing of the Wartime Elections Act. The act gave the vote to women who had close relatives in the armed services.

LEONARDO DA VINCI conceived the idea of contact lenses in 1508 but his theory wasn't tested until 1890.

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HEALTH

Nervous tension a factor

Lawrence E. Lamb, M.D.

DEAR DR. LAMB — I am having recurrent "acute esophagitis" attacks. I take some medicine which relieves it but there's still some burning sensation in my chest and even in my shoulders. Antacids provide only temporary relief. I feel as though my throat, breastbone and shoulders are on fire. Is there a special diet or exercise program that can be followed to relieve this condition? I am 45, healthy, active and in good physical condition. My main problem is my job. It's frustrating, nerve-racking, tension-producing job. In fact, each morning I feel the burning sensation as soon as I come to work. This may sound silly but do you think this condition could be caused by nerves? I'd appreciate anything you could tell me about esophagitis.

DEAR READER — Your association of the symptoms with arriving at work is pretty good evidence that nervous tension is a factor in producing your symptoms.

Esophagitis means that the doctor thinks you have inflammation of the esophagus. That irritation or inflammation can be caused by a reflux of acid from your stomach back into your lower esophagus. In many ways it's closely related to having an ulcer.

Most people who have acid conditions, including ulcers, have great trouble in getting satisfactory, persistent medical help unless they correct their personal situations which aggravate their condition. This frequently is a job situation. It can also be aggravated by coffee and cigarettes.

You should eliminate all coffee, tea and colas. If you smoke, you should stop. I favor frequent eating of small meals and avoiding spicy and acid foods.

An exercise program such as walking or jogging might help because it may help you to relieve nervous tension and relax. But do it right and safely. I'm sending you The Health Letter number 13-4, A Perspective On Jogging Deaths. Other readers who want this issue can send 75 cents with a long, stamped, self-addressed envelope for it. Send your request to me, in care of this newspaper, P.O. Box 1551, Radio City Station, New York, NY 10019.

DEAR DR. LAMB — I have a problem which cannot be discussed with my physician friend. For years my good wife has been unable for emotional and physical reasons to fulfill our sex life. For years I have been masturbating regularly; usually as a part of my Sunday morning shower. At age 70 this is still an enjoyable experience except for the feeling that I am a loner in this act and it might be doing me physical and emotional harm. Is it harmful?

DEAR READER — No, it's not a shred of evidence that such sexual activity is harmful in any way to the man. There's also no evidence that it causes any emotional ailments unless a person has a tilt reaction because of the masturbation by married men is not uncommon. It's just part of the total picture of sexual behavior.

There are situations such as you describe in which normal marital sex is not possible. In that case your behavior pattern would be entirely normal, and perhaps preferable to the emotional and other problems that could develop if you were to find sexual expression in some other way outside the marriage.

DEAR DR. LAMB — Can you tell me anything about albumin in the urine? How does it get there and what can be done to get rid of it? I'm 36 years old and gave birth to my third child three months ago. All through my pregnancy I had to go to the hospital every week for two urine tests.

My delivery was fine and fast (15 minutes). Our beautiful son is fine. When I went back to the doctor for my six weeks check-up, the albumin was up, he said to 3 plus, the highest ever. When I asked the doctor what I should do about it he just said nothing can be done. I'm quite baffled by the whole thing.

I am overweight but have no known illnesses. Is there anything I can do to get rid of the albumin? Also does the albumin cause any illness? My three children are all under five years of age and I would like to be able to enjoy watching them grow up without having to worry about myself.

DEAR READER — Albumin is one of the normal blood proteins. We all have it. A tiny amount of it leaks out through the kidneys into the urine. This is usually such a small amount that it can't be measured. The amount can be increased in the presence of an infection in the urinary tract or a variety of disorders of the kidney.

You should also know that some people can have increased amounts of albumin in the urine without having any important disease. Some people tend to have this simply with standing. We call this orthostatic albuminuria, meaning albumin in the urine because of standing upright.

It might be helpful to collect your urine while you've been lying in bed for several hours. You could do this by first emptying the bladder, then going to bed and then collecting the urine when you first get up. This specimen could be compared to one obtained while you've been up and around for quite a while. The difference in the amount of albumin in the urine should provide a good clue as to whether it's related to just posture or not.

In any case, unless you can define what's causing the albuminuria, there's not much point in doing anything about it. Just remember that it is a normal blood protein. It's probably a good idea to check in with your doctor regularly until the cause of the albuminuria is solved, such as a postural factor, or until the problem disappears.

I'm sending you The Health Letter number 12-12, Your Kidneys and How They Work. It will give you a better understanding of the whole problem. Other readers who want this issue can send 75 cents with a long, stamped, self-addressed envelope for it. Send your request to me, in care of this newspaper, P.O. Box 1551, Radio City Station, New York, NY 10019.

POLLY'S POINTERS

Polly Cramer
Remove pattern dye

DEAR POLLY — I have a problem removing dye from a tablecloth after the embroidery work has been completed. Hope you know of a solution that can be mixed with the wash water to remove this dye. — CINDY

DEAR POLLY — I presume yours is a stamped cloth and wish you had mentioned the colors used for the embroidery. Have you tried using a dry cleaning fluid on these marks? Apply anything tried with an eyedropper so the fluid goes only on the marks. A bleach or peroxide and water solution might be carefully applied. If this does not work, a commercial color remover could be applied to the stained areas. Follow directions on the package. Thoroughly rinse out anything you try. — POLLY

DEAR POLLY — When I transplant flowers or vegetables from indoors where they were started to out-of-doors, I water them well and then cover them with brown paper bags that are left on during the day but removed at night. This keeps the hot sun from wilting the plants, as the brown paper seems to be a good non-conductor of the sun's heat. Repeat for the first three or four days. — HELEN

DEAR POLLY — Store earrings for pierced ears in a bobbin box and keep a pair of tweezers in the back compartment to use when removing the earrings from the box. — BARBARA

DEAR POLLY — Baking soda is the best thing I have found for removing the film left off pots and pans after cooking noodles or sea food. It removes the film and cleans the pan without marring the surface as other abrasives do. — PAM

| LOCAL CASH GRAIN | |
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| CORN - 5.14 | on 17 lbs and up with 17-20 lbs 65.25-67.00, 17-22 lbs 78.00 special trim, 20 lbs and up 56.25. Picnics were weak with 8 lbs and up 1.00 lower than Friday's late trading at 44.00. Hams were steady for 14-20 lbs and over 20 lbs steady to 7.50 lower but 14-17 lbs 89.00, 17-20 lbs 86.00, 20-26 lbs 76.00-77.50, 26 lbs and up 54.50-55.50. Bellies were steady to 1.50 lower at 32.50-33.75 for 10-12 lbs, 43.75-44.00 for 12-14 lbs, 43.75-44.00 for 14-16 lbs, 36.50-37.50 for 18-20 lbs, 33.50 for 20-25 lbs. |
| WHEAT - 4.07 | |
| MILK - 4.40 | |
| SOYBEANS - 5.80 | |
| TEXAS CATTLE | |
| FEEDERS TRADE - | |
| TRADE - Active | |
| VOLUME - 12,000 | |
| STEERS - 69.00 to 70.00 | |
| HEIFERS - 66.50 to 67.00 | |
| [As of 11-19-79] | |
| BEEF - The beef trade was light with demand light. Choice yield grade 4 steer beef 1.00-2.00 lower. All prices choice yield grade three unless otherwise stated. | |
| MIDWEST - Choice 4 steer beef was 1.00-2.00 low at 92.25-93.25 for 600-900 lbs. Choice 3 heifer beef was 1.00 lower at 100.25-101.25 for 500-700 lbs. | |
| PORK - The fresh pork cut trade was moderate to slow with demand moderate to light. All prices untrimmed unless otherwise stated. Loin was not well established on 14-17 lbs and steady to 2.00 lower | |

| CATTLE FUTURES | |
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| CHICAGO (ARB) - Futures trading on the Chicago Mercantile Exchange Monday | |
| Open High Low Close Chg | |
| LIVE BEEF CATTLE | |
| 40,000 lbs.; cents per lb. | |
| Dec. 70.25 70.50 69.25 69.25 -1.50 | |
| Jan. 72.12 72.37 71.17 71.17 -1.50 | |
| Feb. 73.40 73.95 72.70 72.70 -1.50 | |

| GRAIN FUTURES | |
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| CHICAGO (ARH) - Futures trading Monday on the Chicago Board of Trade | |
| Open High Low Close Chg | |
| WHEAT | |
| 1,000 lbs.; dollars per bu. | |
| Dec. 4.35 4.36 4.32 4.32a -0.04 | |
| Mar. 4.54 4.56 4.52a 4.52a -0.04 | |
| May 4.81 4.81 4.80a 4.80a -0.01 | |
| Jul. 4.53 4.54 4.51 4.51 -0.03 | |
| Dec. 4.62 4.63 4.61 4.61 -0.04 | |
| Mar. 4.77 4.77 4.76 4.76 -0.05 | |
| Sales Fr. 28,900 | |
| Total open interest Fr. 57,471 net 542 from Thur. | |
| COBBIN | |
| 1,000 lbs.; dollars per bu. | |
| Dec. 2.70 2.71a 2.68a 2.70a -0.03 | |
| Mar. 2.87 2.88a 2.86 2.88a -0.04 | |
| May 2.94 2.95a 2.93a 2.95a -0.01 | |
| Jul. 2.98 2.98a 2.97a 2.97a -0.02 | |
| Sep. 3.08 3.11 3.07a 3.11a -0.02 | |
| Dec. 3.11 3.15 3.11 3.14a -0.02 | |
| Sales Fr. 29,900 | |
| Total open interest Fr. 182,881 net 67 from Thur. | |
| 1,000 lbs.; dollars per bu. | |
| Dec. 1.48 1.48 1.48a 1.47a -0.04 | |
| Mar. 1.61a 1.61a 1.60a 1.60a -0.01 | |
| May 1.70 1.70 1.68a 1.68a -0.02 | |
| Jul. 1.73 1.73 1.73 1.73 -0.04 | |
| Sep. 1.73 1.73 1.73 1.73 -0.04 | |
| Sales Fr. 703 | |
| Total open interest Fr. 1,653 net 38 from Thur. | |
| SOYBEANS | |
| 1,000 lbs.; dollars per bu. | |
| Nov. 6.72 6.72a 6.66 6.67a -0.06 | |
| Jan. 6.87 6.87a 6.83 6.83a -0.04 | |
| Mar. 7.14 7.14 7.07 7.08a -0.07 | |
| May 7.34 7.34 7.29a 7.27a -0.07 | |
| Jul. 7.48 7.48 7.43 7.43a -0.05 | |
| Aug. 7.53 7.53 7.50a 7.51 -0.02 | |
| Sep. 7.55 7.55 7.53 7.56 -0.02 | |
| Nov. 7.61 7.63 7.57 7.56 -0.08 | |
| Sales Fr. 26,400 | |
| Total open interest Fr. 118,310 net 726 from Thur. | |

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Aggie Officials Upset At Drill-Team Charge

COLLEGE STATION, Texas (AP) — Texas A&M University officials say they are "astounded" that the U.S. government thinks the Fish Drill Team and other university organizations are closed to females.

The government made its position clear Monday, charging in a test case on women's rights that the Texas school has discriminated against women students by barring them from the drill team and three other organizations.

The Justice Department sought to join a private class action suit filed last May by Melanie Zentgraf, a member of the Texas Corps of Cadets.

The department's proposed suit marks the first time that the government has tried to enforce Title IX of a 1972 law forbidding sex discrimination by schools which receive federal aid.

James Bond, representing Texas A&M, said that he has not seen the Justice Department's motion. Bond said Justice Department lawyers had been at A&M because they would have to represent Corps Commandant Col. James Woodall, one of the plaintiffs in the suit, since he was a regular Army officer.

Bond said it now appears Woodall has been dropped as a plaintiff so the Justice Department could enter on the side of Miss Zentgraf. Bond said "this type of activity is incredible and leaves us all bewildered."

Bond said he was "astounded that the Department of Justice has seen fit to reach an agreement with the plaintiffs to have Col. Woodall removed as a defendant in the pending lawsuit."

Bond said A&M has filed a reply to the suit denying all allegations. "Texas A&M is proud of its female contingent in the Corps and is dedicated to its growth and success."

The government contended otherwise. "Every female who has evidenced an interest in the Aggie band has been actively discouraged or dissuaded from joining the Aggie band by band and/or faculty members," the Justice Department said. "Other than a desire to keep the Aggie band all-male, there is no reason for the current effective restriction of the Aggie band to males only."

Assistant Attorney General Drew S. Days III, head of the civil rights division, said excluding the women from the band and other organizations "deprives them of an opportunity to participate in activities at the heart of university life at Texas A&M."

The government's suit seeks a court order barring sex discrimination by Texas A&M and requiring the university to remedy the effects of past alleged discrimination.

Clements Proud About Candidates

AUSTIN, Texas (AP) — Gov. Bill Clements says he is proud Texas has two "long-term" candidates in the Republican presidential race, and he is not going to take sides.

The other organizations are called the Fish Drill Team, the Ross Volunteer Company, and Parsons' Mounted Cavalry. The organizations are open to the 2,200 Texas A&M students enrolled in the Corps of Cadets. There are about 30,000 students enrolled at the university. No females presently perform in any of the groups named.

Texas A&M admitted females about 20 years ago and they now constitute about one-third of the student body. Women were admitted to the Corps of Cadets earlier this decade and there now are some 60 women in the corps.

The Fish Drill Team is a precision drill team for freshman cadets, the Ross volunteer company serves as an honor guard for the governor of Texas, and the Parsons' Mounted Cavalry consists of juniors and seniors, and represents Texas A&M in agricultural and equestrian events.

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However, if for some reason, both John Connally and George Bush are eliminated from the race, Clements said Monday he "might" consider a "favorite son" role at the 1980 Republican convention. "I might," he told a news conference during a recess of the national Republican Governors' Conference. "But, as long as two Texas candidates are in the race, I am not going to take an active part and I am not going to take a stand between them. As a "favorite son," candidate at the 1980 Detroit convention, Clements would be able to keep Texas' 80 delegate votes separate until it was decided which way to cast them. Clements told the conference that he thought most of the governors at the meeting wanted to "maintain their flexibility. It's too early to get committed."

Clements said he concurred with former President Gerald Ford that the current situation in Iran "is the most serious crisis since World War II."

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Paul Harvey News

Playboy on TV

You've heard by now that Hugh Hefner of Playboy magazine plans to put his naked playmates on television.

He plans a series of television shows called "Electronic Playboy—a TV version of his girlie magazine—to be released on cable television next year.

He intends to make Playboy Enterprises a major supplier of TV programs.

Subsequently, the programs will be available on video tape or video disc which you can purchase for frequent replay—a video version of the magazine, a new one each month.

The major challenge of this era of accelerated change for a professional observer is to keep his intellectual arteries sufficiently pliable to accept and adapt to inevitable change—without losing all sense of direction.

A Commerce Department survey seeks to explain the significant audience for television's daytime soap operas and titillating quiz contests. It concludes that "Americans apparently like a little sex in their entertainment diet, but not too much."

How much is "too much"? With our highest court unable to define pornography, we've let it all hang out on the newsstand. Why not on TV?

The dictionary defines prurience as "lustful itching desire..."

Iitch. I am not opposed to sex or desire. But I am offended—and if I were a woman I would be enraged—in the manner in which exploiters of pornography for profit degrade the female for the erotic stimulation of the male.

Though the Supreme Court has never been able to define hard-core pornography, Justice Potter Stewart once said, "I know it when I see it."

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that nobody will be forced to watch Hefner's television programs.

And you can watch the near-nudity on some programs already on television and wonder if it is not hypocritical to resist removing the seventh veil.

I don't know. I resist the notion of censorship because I would not know whom to trust with the responsibility and because the history of censor-

ship militates against it.

But I am opposed to putting garbage on television for the same reason that I would oppose open sewers in our streets.

It can be argued that what's in those sewers is "natural" and "normal" and "everybody does it" and that it's "not dirty."

But everywhere in the world where that sewage flows unconfined it breeds disease.

Family-Farm Thoughts 'Myth'

NEW YORK (AP) — The family farm, in which the dutiful contributions of mother, father and many children add up to a wholesome, hearth-centered and somehow profitable way of life, is a myth, says Walter Russell.

Soap operas depict it as fact. Politicians rapturously defend it. Many millions believe religiously that it is a fortress of basic American values. The Agriculture Department gives it official recognition.

"It is my opinion," says Russell, "that the 'family farm'—that whole image—has never existed, and certainly not since the Great Depression." It's a myth, he says again. "It's a perception."

Is such talk mere braying? Who is this man Russell?

He was born on an Iowa farm that has been in his family for more than a hundred years. He holds a doctorate in agronomy and once was a U.S. Agriculture Department scientist.

Now vice president of Openheimer Industries, he helps manage hundreds of thousands of farm acreage for the Kansas City-based agricultural services company.

There do exist families seeking to operate acreage in the manner many people perceive as traditional, says Russell. But their life is hardly idyllic and their efforts are unprofitable, he says.

"The system doesn't lend itself to accepting modern technology," he explains. "To be competitive today you must accept more technology and capital management..."

"The type of farming envisioned as the traditional family farm is done for tradition, not for good economic reasons. They might grow cotton, for instance, because the land always was in cotton."

Time marches on, and in farming it marched swiftly. Much of U.S. agriculture, says Russell, is made up of three categories of farms.

First, he lists the uneconomic family operation in which the husband and wife might hold part-time jobs elsewhere. They operate little acreage. They farm because of tradition and perhaps for enjoyment.

Next is the family team, perhaps made up of two brothers or a father and son or a father, son and uncle who manage perhaps

600 to 1,000 acres, half of which might be rented. They're a business.

And then there is the tightly help group, perhaps made up of family members, that operates thousands of acres. It is highly leveraged and very economic. It is a business, and good business practices govern.

"They use all the fiscal tools," said Russell. They study markets and they know how to market their goods. They raise crops, they sell and buy land, they buy and sell cattle, they run custom feed lots.

That is the reality, says Russell. "There is nothing wrong with preserving tradition, but you cannot have economy using the traditional methods. You can't do what your grandfather did."

The decline of inefficient, smaller farms is documented by the numbers. In 1964 about 205,000 farms accounted for one-half of all farm product sales. A decade later half of all farm sales came from 100,000 units.

Staten Island Youth Loses Monopoly Title

NEW YORK (AP) — When Angelo Repole realized he couldn't come up with \$1,300 to pay the rent on Park Place, he got up from the table and ran sobbing to the men's room.

Angelo wasn't only bankrupt, he had just missed out on a chance to become the United States Monopoly champion.

The 10-year-old Staten Island youth wheeled and dealt for nearly two hours with the four men in the competition before losing his bid to unseat defending champion Dana Terman, 23, of Wheaton, Md.

Angelo's mother, Marti, remained nearby throughout the competition to help with such problems as she could — like removing the green bubble gum that burst on her son's face.

Angelo blew bubbles throughout the match, staged in the plush Palace Restaurant. All the contestants wore tuxedos, prompting bystanders to comment that the scene reminded them of a high-stakes baccarat game in a Las Vegas casino.

Texas Joins Suit Against Montana

HELENA, Mont. (AP) — Texas, which claims to have led the nation in energy production for 50 years, has suggested that a new roustabout in the field, energy-rich Montana, is not being a good neighbor in an energy-hungry nation.

The allegation underlies written "friend of the court" arguments submitted by Texas with the Montana Supreme Court. Texas has joined a lawsuit against Montana by several midwestern and southern coal-using electric utilities who claim Montana's tax on coal production is unconstitutional.

A state district court in Helena ruled against the utilities earlier this year, and they have appealed to the Montana Supreme Court.

Stuart Fryer, assistant attorney general for Texas, argues that Montana's tax violates the "supremacy clause" of the U.S. Constitution because, he claims, it frustrates national energy policy to increase the use of coal.

The supremacy clause states that federal laws take precedence over state laws when the two are in conflict.

Montana law requires 30 percent of the market value of coal, measured as it leaves the mine, to be paid as a tax to the state. Montana's coal severance tax is the highest in the nation.

Fryer began his argument by noting that Texas has provided one-fourth of the energy ever produced in America, mostly in the form of oil and gas.

He said that this historic ready availability of energy in Texas has also made the state the leader in energy consumption.

Those two facts put Texas in a pinch when Congress began passing legislation requiring conversion from petroleum to coal in reaction to the Arab Oil Embargo and other "events of this decade (which) have altered the course of energy production and consumption," Fryer said.

The object of all the congressional action, he said, is to de-

crease the amount of petroleum consumed in the United States, and since exotic energy sources are only distant solutions and nuclear power has hit the rocks, coal remains the only immediate substitute for oil.

To say that this switch in energy sources has affected Texas is "a gross understatement," Fryer said, citing a federal study showing Texas will bear half of the total national cost of oil-to-coal conversions.

He said Texas is now in an "ironic, but difficult position" of selling less oil and gas to places outside its own borders because of federal allocation demands, while at the same time it is forced, by federal demand, to buy more coal from the outside.

"Texas' position in the federal scheme as well as the enormous impact made upon Texas by the federal decision to move coal to the forefront of energy policy compel the state of Texas ... to submit its views on the Montana coal severance tax," Fryer said.

A winter storm watch was posted for tonight in the Texas Panhandle as a cold front bringing up to three inches of snow was expected to blow into the region.

Showers and thundershowers rolled across the northeast last night and early today, bringing light rainfall as far east as Central Texas. Some patches of fog were reported in southeast Texas, with pre-dawn visibilities in the Houston area reduced to less than two miles.

Pre-dawn temperatures ranged from the 40s in the mountains of far West Texas to the 50s in the Panhandle and the 60s and 70s over the northeast and south.

The forecast called for mostly cloudy skies and warm temperatures with scattered showers and thundershowers. High temperatures were expected to reach the 60s in the northwest, the 70s in the northeast and the 80s in the south and southwest.

at the next tournament in 1981," the champion said.

Terman said he has been playing the Parker Brothers game since he was 8, and professes to be a "games fanatic." He said he is also a master duplicate bridge player, a chess and backgammon expert, and plays a "fair" hand of poker.

The other regional challengers were David Ulmer, a 22-year-old Los Angeles banker who said he prepared by playing the game against a computer at the University of California; Steve McCue, a 31-year-old psychotherapist from Kansas City, and Rick Saylor, 23, an auto parts salesman from Fort Wayne, Ind.

Terman will represent the United States at the World Monopoly Championship next April in Bermuda. At the last world championship in Monte Carlo, he placed sixth in a field of 19 national champions.

The prize for the world champion is a free trip for two anywhere in the world.

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