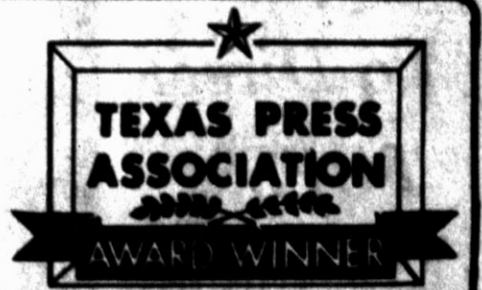


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## School Board Races Draw Most Votes

With local elections just three days off, a total of 257 individual ballots have been cast for the various races as of the absentee voting deadline at 5 p.m. Tuesday.

The voting varied widely as only one vote was cast in the Walcott School Board election and 144 votes were filed in the Hereford School Board races. As it turned out, schools drew the most and the least interest in the county.

The elections are scheduled from 7 a.m. to 7 p.m., Saturday, April 2, at the Hereford Community Center and different rural locations for the County School Board and Walcott School Board races. Residents may vote in the following polling places in the county race: precinct one, Dawn Community Center; precinct two, County Commissioners Courtroom at the courthouse; and precinct four, Ford School. No one is up for election in precinct three.

County school board candidates running are Robert Strain in county precinct one, Grant Hanna in county precinct 2 and L.F. Straffuss in county precinct four.

The Walcott School board election drew the following uncontested candidates: Earnest Brown, Gene Bradley, and Galan Jacks.

The city clerk's office reported that 54 persons absentee voted in the Hereford City Commission races, which include three contested positions. Bartley Dowell and Emory Brownlow are running for mayor; incumbent Paul Abalos and John Matthews are running for place 1; and E. Earl Brookhart, Ed Coplen, and Eugene Barela are in place 2. Barela announced his withdrawal last week although his name will be left on the ballot.

The County Clerk's office reported that 50 persons, voted in the hospital board races and that eight ballots were cast in the county school board races. Running for the Deaf Smith County Hospital Board of Directors are incumbents Hap Cavness and Isaia Gamez, and newcomers Gerald Payne and Eddie Reinauer Jr. Three positions are open so the top three vote getters will be seated in the at-large contest.

The Hereford School Board race drew the most votes so far even though one contested race exists between Mrs. Trini Gamez, David Pruitt, and Bill Walden.

Mack Taubb is uncontested for school board place 6 and incumbent David Hutchins has no challenger in school board place 4.

Fred Fox, schools tax assessor-collector, reported this morning that the absentee voters flooded the office Tuesday afternoon as some 60 persons cast ballots. "In the past, we have had as many as 400 persons vote in a hot race, although this (144 vote count) is fairly good," he said. The count is below average since some 200 to 300 absentee votes are usually cast.

## 'Justice Never Comes Cheap' Says Judge

AUSTIN (AP)—"Justice," says a southeast Texas judge, "never comes cheap."

Then, as if to prove it, Dist. Judge Clarence Cain of Liberty joined several senators, judges and district attorneys in asking a Senate committee to create new courts.

The Intergovernmental Relations Committee was virtually overwhelmed Tuesday with statistics supporting 17 bills to create new courts.

Cain said a judge "has got to be on his toes," but he's also "on the seat of his britches all day long."

"I wouldn't have your job for all the money and tea in China," said Sen. Tom Creighton, D-Mineral Wells.

"Give us a new court, please," pleaded Cain.

The courts would be in addition to 22 created by emergency legislation submitted by Gov. Dolph Briscoe.

One district court was formed from Deaf Smith and Oldham Counties. The 17 bills were sent to a subcommittee that is to combine them in a single proposal.

Sen. A.R. Schwartz, D-Galveston, proposed abolishing a 23rd court in the emergency bill and substituting another court, with an elected judge rather than allowing Briscoe to appoint him.

Briscoe recently nominated J. Ray Gayle III of Angleton as judge of a new district court in Brazoria County, but Schwartz said the appointment was



### Thunderheads Abound

Light and thunderous clouds formed this dramatic scene during the rain and hail storm which hit Hereford over the weekend. The dark thunderheads were a forewarning of the rains to follow. About .75 of

an inch fell Sunday providing some relief to parched crops in the area and settling the dust momentarily. (Photo By Bob Nigh)

### Violent Offenses Down In Most Areas

## Crime Rises Despite Decreases

WASHINGTON (AP)—Violent crime declined in virtually every corner of the country last year, but a surge in thefts in some big cities prevented the over-all national crime rate from falling, the FBI reports.

Preliminary statistics for 1976 show no change from the previous year in the number of crimes reported to state and local police. It marked the first time in five years that the crime rate did not increase.

The number of murders across the country dropped 10 per cent, and a decline in the murder rate was reported in every population category and in all geographic regions.

The FBI issued the report today. Atty. Gen. Griffin Bell called the statistics "an encouraging sign for the criminal justice system and for the public."

But he added, "We must not ease our

efforts in this struggle, because the incidence of crime still remains far too high."

Though the over-all rate held steady and violent crimes declined, stealing rose 5 per cent nationally and by much higher percentages in some cities. In Houston a startling 42 per cent increase in larceny and theft was reported.

The FBI compiles the figures from data submitted by more than 9,000 law enforcement agencies. The statistics cover only the murders, rapes, robberies, assaults, burglaries, thefts and motor vehicle thefts reported to police.

Other studies have indicated that many crimes never are reported to authorities. The FBI keeps no national statistical summary of such crimes as arson, fraud, embezzlement and other white-collar offenses.

The preliminary report includes actual crime figures for 166 cities with 100,000 or more residents and percentages for the national and for various population and geographic regions.

The final 1976 report due in the fall contains the raw figures for the nation and more detail about the nature of the crimes.

Of the seven crimes measured, only the category of larceny and theft reflected an increase. It was up 5 per cent from the 1975 figures. The category includes shoplifting, purse-snatching, thefts of bicycles, and thefts of such items as CB radios and stereo tape decks from automobiles.

## DPS Reports Violent Crimes Drop In Texas; Property Offenses Up

Violent crime in Texas dropped six per cent in 1976 while crimes against property rose by four per cent, according to preliminary figures released by the Texas Department of Public Safety (DPS).

Colonel Wilson E. Speir, DPS director said the preliminary Texas crime report; was compiled from uniform crime reporting data submitted monthly by Texas sheriffs and chiefs of police. The DPS coordinates collection of crime data in Texas in cooperation with the FBI's nation-wide uniform crime reporting program.

Reports of actual offenses were collected from law enforcement agencies representing 93 per cent of the state's

Larceny increased the most—10 per cent—in cities of one million or more. The increase hovered around 5 per cent in smaller cities. Larceny rose 12 per cent in the Northeast and from 1 to 3 per cent elsewhere.

The rise in big-city larceny, and in some locations burglaries and vehicle thefts as well, left some cities with over-all

increases in their crime rates. The figures showed a 15 per cent over-all increase in Houston, 13 per cent in New York, and 20 per cent in San Francisco.

But the over-all rate declined 9 per cent in Chicago and Washington, 8 per cent in Philadelphia, and 1 per cent in Los Angeles and Detroit.

## Applicator Certification Training Slated Tomorrow

A private certification training program will be held as a means by which Deaf Smith County producers may qualify for certification as private applicators. This training will be Thursday at the Bull Barn at 7 p.m.

As an alternative to participation in a training program, self-study materials are available at the county Extension office. To complete the self-study option the person seeking certification must submit a completed questionnaire to the Texas Department of Agriculture.

The single-product, single-purchase, single-use certification for emergency situations will be available as restricted-use pesticides are marketed.

The full implementation of the amended Federal Insecticide, Fungicide, and Rodenticide Act is scheduled for October 1977. On this date, barring any

changes in the law, producers of agricultural commodities must be certified applicators as a requisite to the use of restricted-use pesticides.

## Flu Found

ATLANTA (AP)—A new strain of flu has appeared at Lackland Air Force Base, Tex., and Lowry Air Force Base, Colo., the national Center for Disease Control reported.

The virus, identified as A-Texas, was described as an offspring of the A-Hong Kong variety, variations of which have caused epidemics in the United States since 1968.

However, a spokesman for the CDC said the newest variety of this virus caused only mild illness in the outbreaks.

## update tuesday

### Uranus Rings Discovered

MOUNTAIN VIEW, Calif. (AP)—Scientists say they have made the first major structural discovery in the solar system in nearly 50 years—the cold, mysterious planet of Uranus has rings like Saturn.

Until now, Saturn was the only one of the nine known planets encircled by rings of space particles.

"The possibility of the rings had been vaguely speculated before, but the discovery caught everyone by surprise," Dr. James Elliott, a space researcher at Cornell University, said of the discovery, details of which were announced today at a news conference.

### Fees Made For Prayers

MIAMI (AP)—Despite a couple's plea that people shouldn't have to pay to pray, their synagogue filed suit and now a judge has ordered Nina and Richard Kaufman to pay \$90 in back dues.

"Religion's on trial here," Mrs. Kaufman told the court Tuesday. "You're blackmailed. You can't enter the temple to praise God. I wasn't allowed to go in the synagogue during the Holy Days unless I made that payment."

But Sheldon Mills, executive director of Temple Beth David, said the suit for 1974-75 membership dues involved a contractual obligation, not religion. "Judaism is not a business," he said. But "where it is housed is."

### Masked Women Testify

AUSTIN (AP)—Two masked women told the House Transportation Committee Tuesday night a Selma policeman stopped their car and charged them with speeding when they had been driving between 50 and 55 miles an hour.

The women testified in support of a bill that would limit the revenue from speeding fines to 18 per cent of the city budget of cities with populations under 2,500.

Only three cities would be affected, according to the sponsor of the bill, Rep. Bennie Bock, D-New Braunfels. They are Selma, in Bexar and Guadalupe counties; Nolanville, Bell County; and Aubrey, Denton County.

Selma sits on Interstate 35 between New Braunfels and San Antonio. It has gained the reputation as a "speed trap," but a San Antonio lawyer representing the city told the committee it cannot be a speed trap when the city merely is enforcing the state speed limit.

### Electronic Eye Developed

HOUSTON (AP)—Dr. G. S. Brindley, a University of London scientist, hopes he will soon perfect an electronic eye that will give the blind something better than a guide dog or a long white cane.

Brindley has made two implants of the artificial eye "but there has been no great progress by the patients. Perhaps with more research, more engineering advancements, we will be able to bring some sight to the sightless," he said.

During an interview in Houston, Brindley said his project may provide sight to "those individuals who lost their vision either by injury or disease. But, I cannot foresee an artificial eye ever matching the normal eye.

### weather

West Texas: Fair tonight. Increasing cloudiness Thursday with widely scattered showers mountains. Low tonight upper 20s Panhandle to upper 40s south. High Thursday low 60s Panhandle to mid 80s south.

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Fred Cunningham Jr.  
Susan Lynn Compton

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## Mary Hook To Direct TOPS

The Monday evening chapter of TOPS (Taking Off Pounds Sensibly) elected Mary Hook as club leader during a recent meeting.

Miss Lupe Barrientes was chosen to serve as co-leader.

During the business discussion, members agreed to change their weekly meeting site to the Community Center. The group convenes on each Monday at 6 p.m. and guests are welcome.

The TOPS evening chapter currently has nine members and the average weight loss is 8 lbs. per month. TOPS is a program for sensible weight loss while maintaining nutritional standards.

For further information, contact Miss Barrientes at 364-3260.

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## Reception Slated For Duggan Couple

The children of Mr. and Mrs. W. Q. Duggan of Friona invite interested acquaintances to a reception Sunday afternoon in honor of their parents' fiftieth wedding anniversary.

The reception is scheduled from 2-5 p.m. Sunday at First Christian Church.

Staging the social are the couple's children, including Orene Parsons of Fort Worth, Vilma Brown of Walters, Okla., Willis Duggan and Frances Suttle, both of Hereford.

Lois White and Willis Quayle Duggan were married April 2, 1927 and came to Hereford in 1944. He is retired farmer. The Duggans moved to Friona from Hereford three years ago.

## At The Library

### John Dean's Memoirs Bare Brutal Truths

A perpetrator and victim of Watergate, John Dean records with bitter honesty the infamous stain on the White House in "Blind Ambition," a book being featured this week at Deaf Smith County Library.

Proclaimed as "the most brutally honest memoir in American political history," Dean's book is the personal sketch of a conspiracy that locked the nation. The non-fiction publication stands as testament to the sickening stench of corrupted power.

Also being offered at the library is "Grenelle" by Isabelle Holland, who chooses a fictitious college campus as the setting for her latest novel. Several events, seemingly disjointly, provide clues to an ancient source of fear for the college and town.

Deaf Smith County Library is open free to the public from 9 a.m.-9 p.m. Monday and Thursday; from 9 a.m.-6 p.m. other weekdays and until noon Saturday.

#### BLIND AMBITION

By John Dean

John Dean's dramatic account of his years in the White House is the most brutally honest memoir in American political history. Making no attempt to prettify the sordidness of the Nixon Administration or his own initial enthusiastic contribution to it, Dean takes us down corridors where no other writer has been able to lead us. "Blind Ambition" is both grave and irreverent; it is immediate and concrete, fascinating and frightening.

In July 1970 Dean flew out to San Clemente to be interviewed by Haldeman and Nixon as a possible successor to John Ehrlichman as counsel to the President. On December 24, 1974, Dean was in jail.

In between the first sweet taste and the last bitter sip, the wine had turned to vinegar. Dean had traded on his natural assets to "build his business in the White House." He wanted the President to know that he was not just the only lawyer in town, but the best.

To accomplish this, to attract the attention of Haldeman and Ehrlichman, the tough attendants of the President, Dean had to prove he was as tough as they. "Within my limits, I was tough, too, and it has served me well... but stakes were to be incessantly raised.

Egil Krogh, chosen to head the Plumbers' Unit even though Dean had made his counsel's office the center of the Administration's intelligence operation, told him, "John, I guess there are some people around here who think you have some little old lady in you."

Nevertheless, the Dean office was successful enough to become the logical place for the Watergate principal to bring their troubles, and John Dean entered the councils of the Oval Office as the junior member of the inner circle—the linchpin of the conspiracy.

As he watched the President's advisors train their sights on John Mitchell as scapegoat and then on him, he determined to cut loose. His account of how he managed his lone attack on the most powerful office in the world is a gripping adventure story. From the moment he made his decision to extricate himself until the day the tapes were revealed, John Dean stood alone, buttressed only by the comfort that he was telling the truth, and by the support of his wife and his lawyers.

During those months of pain and loneliness, John Dean came to terms with who he was and might be, and "Blind Ambition" tells an extraordinary story—not only about power, brutality and corruption, but about the fragility of the human soul.

#### GRENELLE

By Isabelle Holland

The disappearance of a religious relic of doubtful validity seemed so minor an event to cause the storm that swept Grenelle campus and shook so many lives.

But then came the anonymous letters with their mysterious portents and threats, the seemingly unrelated disappearance and death of a small boy, and the arrival in the college town of a group of strange young people—presumably students—who joined the swelling turmoil on the campus and added a disturbing element that had never been there before.

But it was not until her own life and that of her niece were threatened that Susan Grenelle—the last to bear the name of the family that founded both the college and the town—saw that an old evil, all the more terrifying for having been hidden, was reaching out to her from the past, and that an ancient enemy from whom she had always fled would, at long last, have to be confronted.

"Grenelle" is Isabelle Holland's fifth novel of suspense—her previous ones were "Kilgaren," "Trelawyn," "Moncrieff" and Darcourt. Critics and readers have praised Holland for her quickly paced and polished novels, each of them capturing, as does "Grenelle," a time, a place and a cast of characters that make totally engrossing, thoroughly entertaining reading.

Mexico's population increased from 42.9 million in 1965 to 60.1 million in mid-1975, according to the Population Reference Bureau.



## Coke Party Tomorrow

Hereford's Panhellenic Chapter reminds high school senior coeds that they are invited to a Coke Party along with their mothers at 3:30 p.m. Thursday at the Community Center. The informal party is being held to promote involvement in college sororities and several active sorority sisters from Texas Tech and West Texas State Universities will be present to volunteer information. Among those expected will be Vicki Payne, standing at left, from Tech, and Kathy McNaney from WT, standing at right. Seated are Linda Webb, president of the local Panhellenic Chapter, left, and Karen Colvin, a sorority member at WTSU. [Photo by Phyl Smith]

## Monthly Council Session Covers Several Topics

The Deaf Smith County Home Demonstration Council was called to order Monday afternoon by Judy Williams, president in the District Courtroom of the Courthouse.

There were 25 present for the monthly council session with Jean Chandler, an extension agent in training, and Sherry Harder and Joyce Shipp, local extension agents, as guests.

Various committee chairmen and club presidents reported ongoing projects of their respective chapters.

Mrs. Harder announced that 54 members of the county's 4-H program are now prepared to give programs and demonstrations to clubs. She reported that a 4-H Retreat was held during the weekend near Canyon with 21 teenagers attending.

Mrs. Harder requested that each HD chapter have three or four volunteers present to pick beans at 1:30 p.m. April 18 at the Bull Barn in preparation for the annual 4-H Bean Supper. The supper, which is a fund-raising project for the local 4-H program, is scheduled from 5-8 p.m. Thursday April 21.

County Extension Agent Joyce Shipp expressed gratitude to the nine women who attended the training meeting March 24 at Dumas with herself and Mrs. Harder. June Cline, state specialist in economics, was the speaker at the informative meeting.

Mrs. Shipp reminded the council of two impending HD assemblies. The District THDA meeting will begin at 9 a.m. tomorrow at Canyon, where Dr. Charles Townsend will be keynote speaker.

Also of interest to extension clubbers will be a PEP seminar at Amarillo's Hilton Inn on April 21. Registration will be at 9 a.m. Dr. and Mrs. John Drakeford will present the program on communications.

Mrs. Shipp announced that the public is invited to a program on spring fashion at 4 p.m. and 7-30 p.m. April 11 at the local library. Sponsoring the presentation will be Butterick and Vogue Pattern Companies.

Terry Johnson was called on to stress the HD goal of increased membership this year. She stated that this year's goal has been set at a total new enrollment of 28 women.

Naomi Brisendine delivered the THDA report and reminded club presidents that delegate nominations for the State THDA meeting are to be made in April or May. These nominees will be considered for appointment during the Council session May 23.

The symposium panels will include Dr. Clyde E. Rush, M.D., Kathryn Acton, RN, director of nursing at Deaf Smith General Hospital and William Young, chairman of the respiratory therapy department of Amarillo College.

Mrs. H.D. Fowler reported that the HD Council has been requested to sponsor the Town Hall Meeting workshop here on May 7. A decision concerning this idea was tabled for further consideration at the next Council meeting at noon on April 25 in Pioneer Natural Gas Flame Room.

This upcoming council meeting will be a covered dish luncheon and all HD members are urged to attend. The main point of business will be reports of the THDA district meeting.

## Mrs. Alston Joins Aggie Mothers Club

Mrs. Fred Alston joined the Aggie Mothers Club as an associate member during the regular monthly meeting Monday at Cason's Steak House. Mrs. Alston's husband, Fred, is a graduate of Texas A&M University.

Mrs. Beryl Fish and Mrs. Walter Hardin, club president, reported on a recent visit with high school principal, Jerry Don George and high school English teacher, Margaret Bell, concerning the English programs in the Hereford School system with respect to students' preparation for college. The club members expressed appreciation for the cordial reception and interest on the part of the school representatives, as well as information shared. The two visitors agreed that the Hereford school officials are alert to present day needs and are continually upgrading the English program to benefit the students.

Mrs. David Beavers, scholarship committee chairman, announced that letters of request for contributions to the scholarship fund had been mailed to local TAMU alumni. Soon after the Easter holidays, Mrs. Beavers, Mrs. Frank Ford and Mrs. Austin Rose Jr., scholarship committee members, will interview eligible high school seniors, to determine the recipient of the annual gift to be presented during the high school awards assembly in early May.

Mrs. Werner Koelzer was elected by the members as club reporter.

Attending the noon luncheon meeting were Mmes J.J. Durham, Lynn Pittard, Hilrey Aven, Eugene Hendon, Bob Hicks, Austin Rose, Jr., Fish, Beavers, Hardin and Koelzer.

DISMISSALS  
Beatrice DeLaPaz and Mari-beth Farley.

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"A basic separates wardrobe for summer could start with a polyester/cotton seersucker blazer, plain pullover T-shirt, wrapped skirt, and vest. Add tucked-front straight-leg pants, Bermuda shorts, striped shirt and a hooded blouson sweat-shirt jacket. For dressier occasions, choose a 'fun' sundress that can double as a jumper.

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# Ann Landers

Extends Apology



**DEAR ANN LANDERS:** I couldn't believe your answer to that nurse who complained about male patients grabbing her every time she went near a bed. She said she was speaking not only for herself but for all practical, vocational, and registered nurses.

Your suggestion, "Check yourself out-- you must be sending some sort of signals," was evidence that you have never been a nurse. Your attitude was shocking, especially when you asked, "What do you look like, anyway?"

I'm a nurse, 52 years old, and here's what I look like: I'm 5'3" and weigh 160 pounds. My mother always said I was "plain-looking but sweet." The truth is I am homely-- have been

all my life-- but it never bothered me. I knew I'd never make it on my looks so I developed other qualities.

The point is this: I still get grabbed at plenty by male patients. And if it happens to me you can imagine what the tall, thin blondes have to put up with. Take it back, Ann. You blew it.-- "The Fat One"

**DEAR ONE:** Here's more for your side:

**DEAR ANN LANDERS:** I am a nurse in a teaching hospital connected with Harvard Medical School (Peter Bent Brigham). I have seen YOU, but you have never seen me.

Your response to the "grabbed at" nurse was appalling. I have heard of male chauvinists, but female male

chauvinists are something else. And YOU-- of all people! Just sign me-- Very Disappointed in Our Ann

**DEAR VERY:** So am I. Please read on:

**DEAR ANN LANDERS:** I was burned up at your answer to the nurse who said too many male patients think back-rubs are "play time" and treat the nurses and aides like Playboy bunnies.

I worked as an aide until my ninth month of pregnancy. Although I looked like a blimp, I was still propositioned, grabbed at, and was the recipient of many obscene suggestions. The "signals" I was sending out were "HANDS OFF," but it didn't make one particle of difference. So please think that one over again.-- Mary Lou.

**DEAR MARRY LOU:** I have-- and I apologize to all the nurses-- vocational, practical and registered-- all aides, the Grey Ladies, the Candy-Strippers, the cleaning women, and female window-washers who work in hospitals. Mea culpa.

**DEAR ANN LANDERS:** I am only 14, but my problem bothers me as much as some of the adults' problems bother them. so will you please help?

Mom and Dad were divorced when I was eight years old. She remarried two years later. I go by my dad's name which is, of course, different from my mom's.

Mom doesn't like it when my friends come over and call her by her old name. When she corrects them her voice has a sharp edge on it-- like "I am NOT Mrs. Anderson. I am MRS. LONGWORTH." Then I get a dirty look from Mom (like it's my fault) and my friends get embarrassed. What can I do about this problem?-- Natalie

**DEAR NAT:** Remind your friends (just as you walk through the front door) that your mother has remarried and her name is now Mrs. Longworth. Even if you are sure they know, a little refresher won't hurt.



BUTCH TREVINO  
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## ANIMAL ORPHANS

These homeless pets are available for "adoption" at the City Animal Shelter.

### MALES

A shaggy white poodle (pictured). Free trim will be given after adoption.

A black Scottie-poo.

A Brittany spaniel.

A small white dog.

A beige shepherd with collar.

A beige shepherd.

A black Scottie-type with long hair and tags.

A gray German shepherd.

A large black and brown dog.

### FEMALES

A light brown and white shepherd and collie breed, nine months old.

A Brittany spaniel which has already had her shots.

A small brown chihuahua, type wearing black collar with diamond-shaped studs. (pictured)

A small fuzzy black dog.

A black chihuahua (slightly larger.)

Black dog.

### THE ANIMAL ACTION

committee has in private custody a large white shaggy male dog with blue eyes and a black patch over one eye. He was wearing a collar when picked up.

The owner's telephone number was lost. This dog is totally deaf and is obviously someone's pet and needs a good home. Call 364-3589, 364-2460, 364-5298 or 364-3150.

A good nutrition rule-of-thumb is to serve liver once a week to help the family keep fit. Liver is rich in iron and supplies many necessary vitamins, explains Gwendolyn Clyatt, consumer marketing information specialist with the Texas Agricultural Extension Service, The Texas A&M University System.

### Square Dancers Plan Meeting

Members of Merry Mixers Square Dance Club are urged to attend a special business meeting at 7 p.m. Friday in the Community Center.

The scheduled business discussion will pertain to all club members, who are invited to dance afterwards at 8 o'clock. Caller for the ensuing dance will be Ralph Alexander.

### WHO'S NEW

Mr. and Mrs. Santry Rush, 2701 A Westhaven, Amarillo, are the parents of a son, Santry Gavin. He was born March 25 and weighed 8 lbs. 6 1/2 oz.

Mr. and Mrs. Ricardo DeLaPaz, 109 East 6th Apt. 3, are the parents of a daughter, Christina Ann, born March 26. She weighed 6 lbs. 11 oz.



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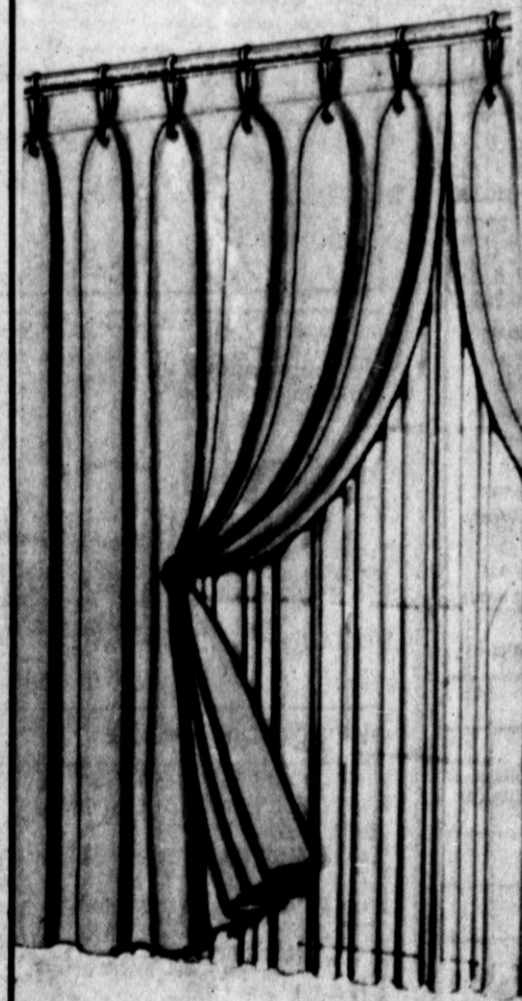
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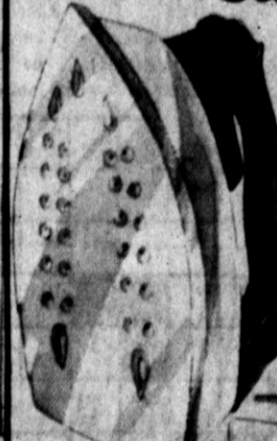


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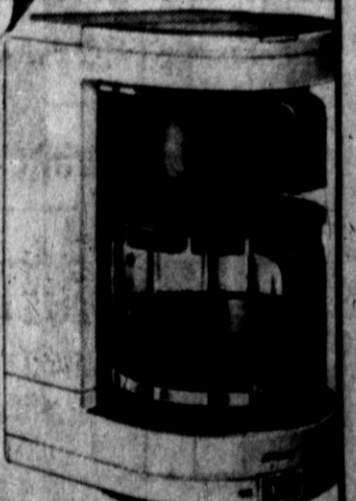


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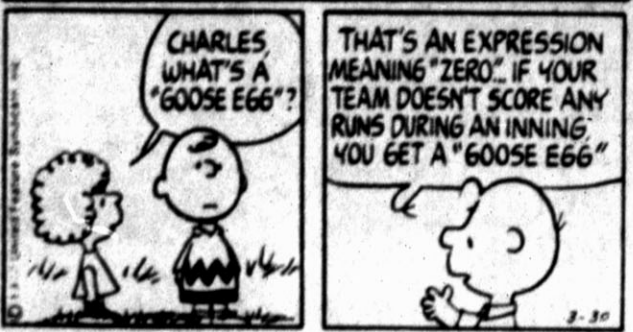
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Comics & Television Schedules

By SUNYA

Comic Rodney Dangerfield, with his Catskill background, should be more than aware that if the "big lie" is repeated often enough, people begin to believe it.

As the cards began to fall, it became a little clearer to us why the attitude of "if there isn't something to worry about I'll find something" is so much a part of this man, for Death and the Sun were his first two cards.

humor. When things are bad he sees the sun at the end of the tunnel, but when things are too good, he worries.

We saw that he felt he was stagnating by spending so much time in his New York club, and though the severance is painful (5 of Swords), he must look for new worlds to conquer -- implicit in the 9 of Pentacles. Opening for the second time at the Tropicana really does mean putting Dangerfield's behind him, for he can't be two places at one time.

The 4 of Cups gave us the key to his method of coping with the above problems -- he will have harmony at a price, but he will have to be a magician to retain his independence. He will have to be the twin people of Gemini to manage to



bankroll his creativity into the enormous success he desires in the Ace of Pentacles.

Poor Rodney! For a while he will truly feel he don't get no respect, for we see that his travelling and change of home base (NY to Vegas) affect his emotional life adversely. On the one hand he has the outer trappings of success, but his inner self is in chaos. Again the Death and the Sun syndrome appears. Everything within this man is analysed by him as he sits in judgement on himself.

We who do not perform find it hard to realize that the nervous system is involved in most comedy. The Lovers (Virgo) with the two choices could mean a nervous collapse for another man, but not for Rodney D., as he has always had the strength to put mind over matter, and now we see maturity, in the guise of Temperance, lead him into the future with the 6 of Cups.

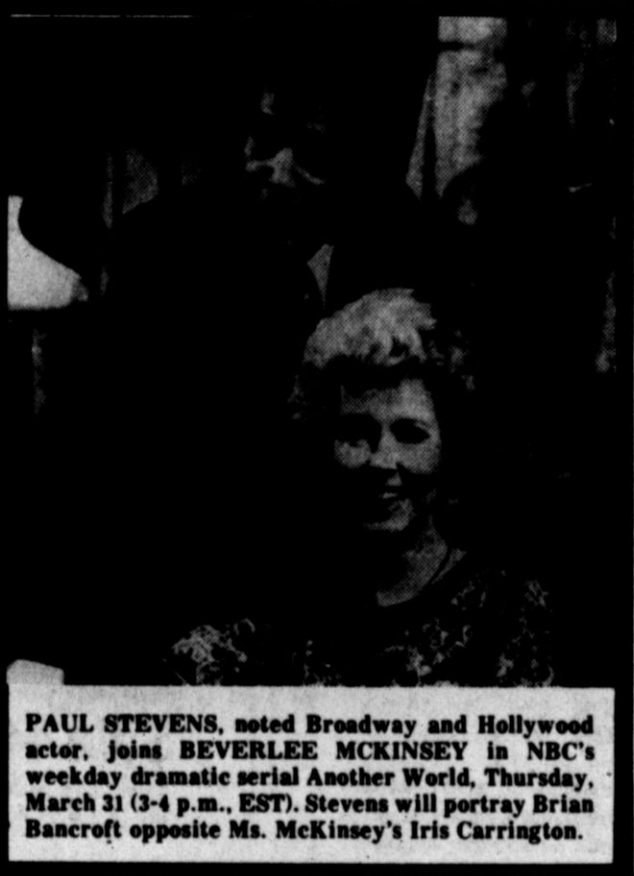
He is a true King of Cups; a philanthropist who tries to solve the chronic problems of people's dishonesty with themselves with humor. When he suffers personally, few know of it, for he rarely mentions his needs. Luckily, the 9 of Cups now appears to grant him his wish -- whatever it may be. We would assume that he, like almost everyone else, needs, with the 2 of Cups, to put to use the basic earthy knowledge of the Empress (Taurus) to allow the inventive side of the Hierophant to bring his home and career together for the satisfaction and joy of the coupling of the 9 of Cups and the 10 of Pentacles.

We respectfully submit, Mr. D., that no one works as hard as you do... in all areas of your life... without earning a lot of respect.

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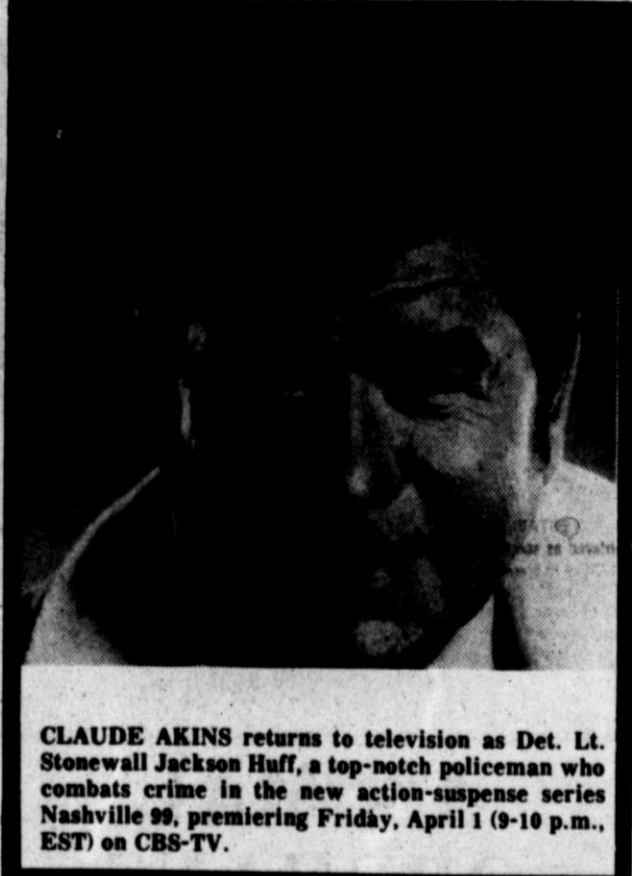


THURSDAY



PAUL STEVENS, noted Broadway and Hollywood actor, joins BEVERLEE MCKINSEY in NBC's weekday dramatic serial Another World, Thursday, March 31 (3-4 p.m., EST). Stevens will portray Brian Bancroft opposite Ms. McKinsey's Iris Carrington.

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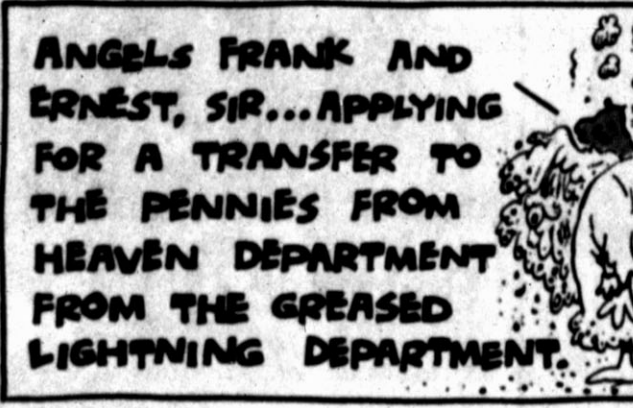
CLAUDE AKINS returns to television as Det. Lt. Stonewall Jackson Huff, a top-notch policeman who combats crime in the new action-suspense series Nashville 99, premiering Friday, April 1 (9-10 p.m., EST) on CBS-TV.

EEK & MEEK



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7:15 IRON SHIPS AND DEAD MEN
7:20 CBS MOVIE
7:25 NOVA
7:30 LOVE, AMERICAN STYLE
7:35 THE ROCK
7:40 KINGSTON: CONFIDENTIAL
7:45 NOT
7:50 EIGHT COLUMNS ACROSS THE TOP
7:55 GOSPEL CRUSADE
8:00 THIS IS THE LIFE
8:05 NEWS
8:10 SOUNDSTAGE
8:15 A SANTANA FESTIVAL
8:20 STAR TREK
8:25 NEWS
8:30 MOVIE (CONT'D)
8:35 TONIGHT
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Crossword puzzle grid with clues for Across and Down.



OUR BOARDING HOUSE

Crossword puzzle grid with clues for Across and Down.



## Obituaries

FRED J. CUNNINGHAM JR.

Funeral services are pending in Edinburg, Tex., for Fred J. Cunningham Jr., 23, a former resident of Hereford.

The son of former Hereford School superintendent Fred J. Cunningham Sr., the deceased was reportedly shot and killed while driving back to school at Sul Ross State University in Alpine. Reports indicate that he picked up a hitchhiker, who in turn shot him and made off with the vehicle.

Mr. Cunningham's body was found this morning by Del Rio, Tex., authorities.

Cunningham Sr. is presently president of Southmost College in Brownsville, but resides in Edinburg.

Susan Lynn Compton, 22, of Hereford, died Tuesday at High Plains Baptist Hospital in Amarillo following a brief illness.

Services are pending with Kiker Funeral Home of Colorado City.

The daughter of Mr. and Mrs. L.S. Compton of 227 Aspen, she was born April 22, 1954 at Odessa. After graduation from Loraine High School at Loraine in 1972, she attended Howard Junior College at Big Spring and West Texas State University at Canyon. She was a graduate of the ROTC program at WTSU,



**SUSAN LYNN COMPTON** where she was a member of Scabbard and Blade.

Miss Compton was employed in Hereford as secretary in the district attorney's office. She was a member of the Avenue Baptist Church, where she taught Sunday School.

In addition to her parents, she is survived by two brothers, David of Casper, Wyo. and Kevin, a student at Texas Tech University, Lubbock; a sister, Kim of the home; and her grandparents, Mrs. Lynne Compton of Loraine and Mrs. Eva Starnes of Sweetwater, Tx. In lieu of flowers, the family suggests memorial donations to the youth department at Avenue Baptist Church.

## Lapidary Exhibit Planned At Library

Plans for a special exhibit at the County Library were discussed by members of Deaf Smith Lapidary Club Monday night in the Community Center. Jack Nunley presided.

The lapidary display will be featured at the local library during the month of May and further decisions concerning the exhibit were tabled for the club's next meeting, April 25.

It was announced that representative of The Wagon Wheel Rock Yard at Canyon will present the club's program at the April 25th meeting.

In other business, members discussed the trip to Goodnow Gems, Inc. of Amarillo on March 19. The lapidarians agreed that the trip was valuable and interesting.

The history and future of turquoise was discussed during the first part of the program by Bob Davis of Amarillo, who

displayed several turquoise jewelry sets. For door prizes, he gave five pieces of polished turquoise to members present in a drawing.

In the second segment of the program, Archie Scott of Canyon demonstrated the art of silversmithing. He constructed silver ring sets to illustrate his presentation.

Other guests in attendance were Charles Brown, Mrs. Bob Davis, Mrs. Archie Scott and children and Mr. and Mrs. Delbert Ruland and Becky.

Members present were Messrs. and Mmes. Clarence Botts, Sam Morgan, Bud Newell, Dale Henson, Jake King, Nunley, Preston Gee, Joe Williams, Cecil Lady and Keith Simmer.

Also attending were Betty and Jeff Mercer, Weldon Roberson, Ruby Boyd and Bert Brown.

## Realtor Course Enrollment Urged

With all housing market indicators seemingly set on go in Texas, the staff of the Texas Realtors Institute is urging enrollment in the Amarillo Villa Inn April 4-8. The session offers Course 1, 3 and 4R.

Don Mason, Amarillo Realtor and builder and past president of the Texas Association of Realtors and a strong education advocate, reminds everyone that Course 1 "is one of the most important courses being taught. It's open to the public. It gives the student a compact look at the nuts and bolts of residential real estate marketing, real estate law, appraisal, financing, professional standards and construction. Whether the student is seeking in-depth personal and practical knowledge or whether the man or woman is planning to make real estate a career, Course 1 is great."

Tony Meeks of Ausin, TAR's education director, emphasizes that the "entire format is carefully planned with lectures running a full 50 minutes, with appropriate breaks and good, clear study materials. Approved by the Texas Real Estate Commission, the Institute is like a traveling college. We look for sites that are convenient to students, and we screen and select the faculty with a lot of care. The members of the faculty are real estate executives who not only are tops in the real world of real estate but who are really good at getting that knowledge to the student."

Course 4R is a special program offered to graduate level students, also approved by TREC. The curriculum offers a look at advertising, public relations, listing, selling and financing in a dynamic way.

Among the Amarillo teachers will be Reese Henry of San Antonio, this year's association president. Joining him will be

## Doctor Not Held Liable For Funds

AUSTIN (AP) - The Texas Supreme Court ruled today that a doctor who left the Panhandle town of Booker after practicing there only five weeks is not financially liable for the cost of building a clinic expressly for him.

Without writing a new opinion, the court said it found no reversible error in a decision of the Amarillo Court of Civil Appeals.

According to case records, Dr. Neal K. Suthers went through medical school on scholarship funds raised by the people of Booker, who had been without a doctor since 1943.

A condition of his scholarship contract was that he practice in Booker for 10 years after obtaining his license or else repay the scholarship, plus interest and a 50 per cent penalty.

Based on that promise, the voters created a hospital district, which issued bonds and built a \$140,000 clinic. Suthers was licensed in 1973,

stayed in Booker five weeks, then left for Oklahoma.

State District Court Judge Granger McIlhenny of Wheeler ruled that not only must Suthers repay the scholarship fund \$15,816 -- which Suthers agreed

to do -- but he also owes the hospital district \$110,000 plus interest and the residents of the district \$1,000.

The appeals court, however, struck down the part of the judgment obligating Suthers to

pay money to the hospital district and its residents.

It said the contract between Suthers and the scholarship fund -- a non-profit corporation -- created no obligation to a third party, the hospital district.

## Silent Prayer In Texas Public Schools Said Constitutional

AUSTIN (AP) - Atty. Gen. John Hill said Tuesday that proposed legislation to allow silent prayer or meditation in Texas public schools would not violate the state of U.S. constitutions.

The opinion was asked by Sen. Oscar H. Mauzy, D-Dallas, chairman of the Senate Committee on education which is considering the bill.

The bill, by Sen. Walter Mengden, R-Houston, says that each classroom "may conduct a brief period of silent prayer or

meditation with the participation of all consenting pupils... No disciplinary action may be imposed on any nonconsenting pupil."

The attorney general said "it is well established that public schools may not be utilized for the establishment of religious exercises for students," and pointed out various court decisions.

However, the attorney general said, a 1976 decision by the U.S. Supreme Court upheld a

Massachusetts' law because there was "lack of any mandatory direction to students to meditate or pray" which showed "a legislative purpose to maintain neutrality."

The opinion said that in view of the 1976 decisions "it is our opinion that both the United States and Texas Supreme Courts would probably hold that the Senate bill does not on its face violate the First or Fourteenth Amendments in the U.S. Constitution or the Texas Constitution."

## Turrentine Attends Land Bank Meeting

George Turrentine of Hereford, has just returned from Houston where he represented the Federal Land Bank Association of Hereford at the annual stockholders meeting of the Federal Land Bank of Houston. The meeting, held at the Houston Oaks Hotel, was attended by members of 66 Federal Land Bank Associations in Texas. About 600 persons were in attendance.

George W. Cunningham, President, in his report to the

stockholders, stated that while the demand for new loans declined in 1976 from the historic high of the past three years, the growth of the Bank in 1976 were highly satisfactory.

This year's annual meeting was dedicated to Charles C. Thompson of Colorado City, Texas, who has served on the Board of Directors of the Federal Land Bank of Houston for 34 years and as Chairman the past 25 years. Thompson, a prominent banker, attorney,

farmer and rancher, has announced his retirement as of the end of 1977.

Speakers for the meeting included William S. May, President of The Federal Land Bank of Wichita, Kansas, and Dr. Anson R. Bertrand, Dean of the School of Agriculture at Texas Tech University in Lubbock.

The Federal Land Bank of Houston makes long-term loans on farms and ranches throughout Texas and currently has

34,000 loans for more than \$1.2 billion outstanding.

The Federal Land Bank Association of Hereford makes and services loans in this area. Members of the Board of Directors are President, Ira Scott, Vice President, Frank J. Bezner, George Turrentine, J.R. Hickman and Clint Homfeld. Others attending the meeting from this area were Mr. and Mrs. Woodrow B. Wilson.

## Martinez Ends Phone Training

Jose P. Martinez of Hereford completed training recently at Texas A&M University that will help improve telephone service.

He participated in a key systems installation and repair course of Telecommunications Training Division, Texas Engineering Service. EES is part of

the Texas A&M University System.

Trainees received a week of intensive work and study in proper installation and trouble clearing methods for relay and transistorized key telephone systems. The training under Instructor Marvin Moss required each student to install one of each of the key system types with two central office lines and dial and manual intercom on each.

Trainees also had to detect and remove instructor-placed problems.

The course is one of many conducted in fully-equipped division labs at the Research and Extension Center in Bryan.

Other EES divisions provide similar training that helps make life better for the people of Texas. The specialized programs benefit water and wastewater plant operators, municipal inspectors, law enforcement officers, firemen and others.

Martinez, of 315 Dayton, is an installer-repairman with West Texas Rural Telephone Cooperative in Hereford.

The first game warden in the United States was William Alden Smith of Grand Rapids, Mich. He was appointed on March 15, 1887, "to enforce the statutes of this state for the preservation of moose, wapiti, deer, birds and fish."

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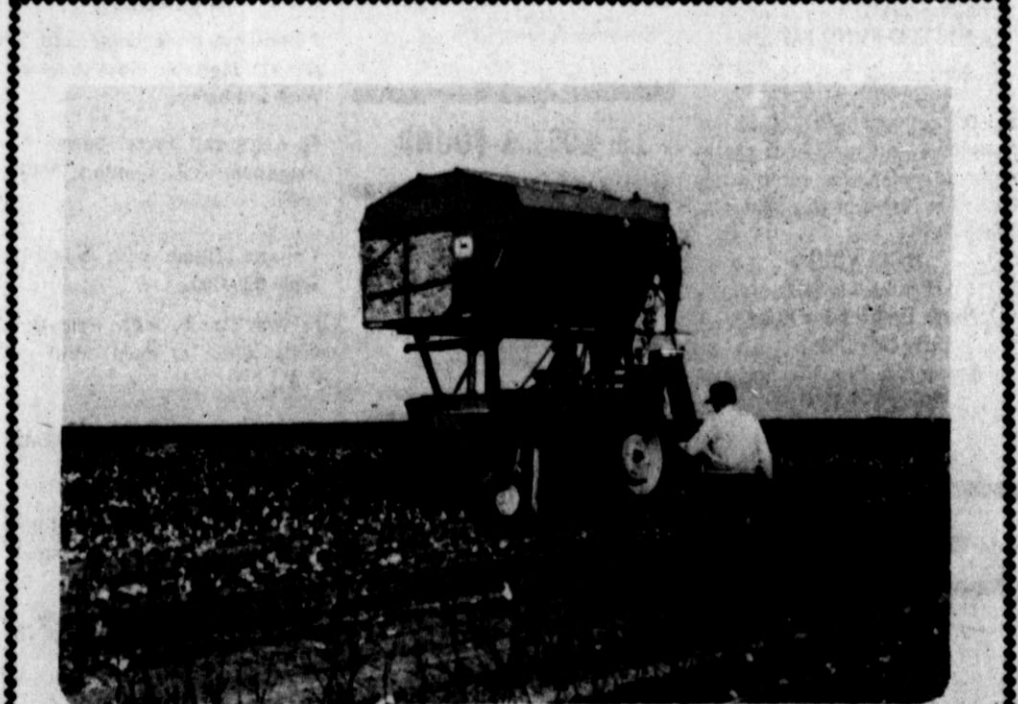
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Reg. 10.99 **8.87 Set**

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1-191-Sc

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

**Notice of Public Hearing on Proposed Uses of Revenue Sharing Funds**

The Deaf Smith County Commissioners Court will hold a hearing on Proposed Uses of Revenue Sharing Funds for entitlement period 8 at the Commissioners Court Room in the Courthouse at 2 p.m. on Monday April 11th, 1977. At least one public hearing on the proposed uses of the county's revenue sharing funds must be held to afford citizens an opportunity to provide comments on such proposed uses.  
Total entitlement \$179,946.00  
Proposed uses:  
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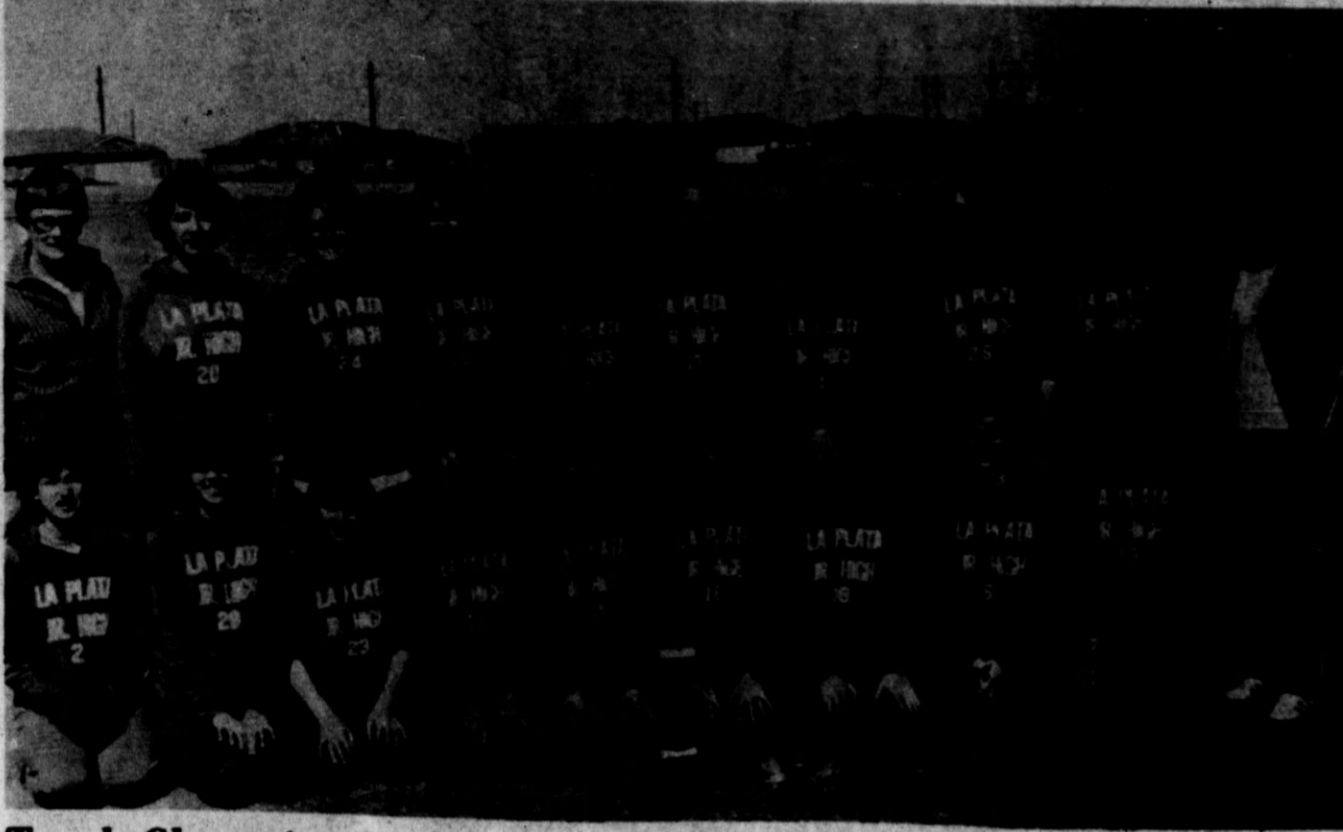
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### Track Champions

The La Plata 9th [above] and 7th [below] grade girls track teams captured first places in the Imp Relays at Dumas last weekend. Coaches Martha Emerson [L.] and Kathy McMannis are shown with the 9th graders as the two teams show off their teams and relay trophies.



## NFL Expands Regular Season

By BRUCE LOWITT  
AP Sports Writer

PHOENIX (AP) - The National Football League will have a more expensive and expansive look in 1978. "Money," NFL Commissioner Pete Rozelle said with a wry smile Tuesday night, pinpointing the primary reason why the league voted to expand its regular season from 14 to 16 games while cutting the preseason schedule from six to four games and widening the

playoff field from eight teams to 10 with two more wild card clubs. In addition, the league gave Tampa Bay and Seattle, its two newest teams, permanent homes. It placed the Buccaneers in the National Conference Central Division with Minnesota, Chicago, Detroit and Green Bay, and put the Seahawks in the American Conference West with Oakland, Denver, San Diego and Kansas City. Furthermore, the NFL disclosed a complex yet balanced scheduling system to prevent

inequities and announced that the college player draft would be held May 3-4 in New York. The votes on the 16-game schedule, the revised schedule formula and the placing of Tampa Bay and Seattle were 21-7, the minimum needed for approval. The addition of the two wild card teams was a unanimous 28-0 vote. "Money, and not just television money, was the determining factor in adding two more games to the schedule and two more teams to the playoffs," said Rozelle. "One of the basic reasons for expanding the regular season was the fact that a number of clubs have had difficulty selling the preseason games," he said, identifying Philadelphia and New England as two of the most vocal proponents of the 16-game season and a four-game exhibition slate.

The playoff change is the first since the NFL merged with the old American Football League in 1970, creating the current two-conference, six-division layout with eight post-season berths. And not since 1961, when the NFL went from a 12-game schedule to 14, has there been a regular-season change. Those two changes not only will increase revenues from tickets, but could come close to doubling the income from television. The current contract with the three networks, which brought the NFL about \$60 million last year, expires after the 1977 season. A \$100 million price tag for 1978 and beyond is not beyond speculation.

## Cardinals Welcome Youngblood Trade

By HERSCHEL NISSENSON  
AP Sports Writer  
What can Joel Youngblood do for an encore? Youngblood has been a member of the St. Louis Cardinals for one day. He has had one at-bat, seen one short pitch...and slammed one home run. The 25-year-old outfielder, who failed to hit a homer in 57 official at-bats with the world champion Cincinnati Reds last season, was traded to St. Louis Monday. Tuesday, he socked a 375-foot homer in the ninth inning, giving the Cards a 1-0 exhibition triumph over the Houston Astros. Meanwhile, Bob Forsch, Al Hrabosky and Mike Sutton blanked the Astros on five hits. Gary Nolan, who still is with the Reds, probably wished he were elsewhere Tuesday. The Texas Rangers roughed him up for 11 runs and 15 hits in four-plus innings as they pounded the Reds, 13-5. Elsewhere, Boston's Jim Rice and Cleveland's Bill Melton boosted their spring home run totals to six apiece. Rice, who has four in his last three games, cracked two and drove in five runs as the Red Sox trounced the Minnesota Twins 9-2. Melton settled for one in the Indians' 6-4 victory over San Francisco. Randy Elliott, the Giants' rookie sensation, went 2-for-2 a single and double and boosted his amazing spring batting average to .659 on 25 hits in 38 at-bats. On the mound, Kansas City's Paul Splittorff allowed one hit in six innings as the Royals blanked the Chicago White Sox 4-0. Ken Holtzman surrendered two hits in six innings of the New York Yankees' 3-1 decision over the Toronto Blue Jays, and Phil Niekro yielded three hits in six innings as the Atlanta Braves defeated the Baltimore Orioles 3-0. Philadelphia's Tug McGraw pitched out of a bases-loaded, none-out jam in the bottom of the ninth-inning, preserving the Phillies' 2-1 triumph over the

New York Mets. California's Frank Tanana was touched for four runs and 12 hits in seven innings but batterymate Ike Hampton homered twice and the Angels pounded the Seattle Mariners 12-4. Detroit got home runs from Mickey Stanley, Ben Oglivie, Rusty Staub and Willie Horton but the Pittsburgh Pirates ripped rookie Bob Sykes for six runs in the third inning and defeated the Tigers 8-6. Dave Cash's two-run homer in the eighth inning lifted the Montreal Expos over the Los Angeles Dodgers 6-5, and the Chicago Cubs edged the Oakland A's 9-8 when Bruce Senter doubled in the 10th inning and scored on a single by Joe Wallis. In other training camp developments: Red Sox placed centerfielder Fred Lynn on the disabled list because of a torn ankle ligament. He is expected to be

out of action until the third or fourth week of April. Pitcher Mark Fidrych of the Tigers was scheduled to be examined at a Detroit hospital today for possible cartilage damage to his left knee. The Giants signed pitcher Jim Barr to a two-year contract, while Cincinnati third baseman Pete Rose, who has been demanding a \$400,000 salary, told the Reds if he is not signed by opening day, his price will go up \$25,000 every 30 days.

## Schuler To Try To Mend Rice Program

By MICHAEL A. LUTZ  
AP Sports Writer  
HOUSTON (AP)-New Rice University basketball Coach Mike Schuler is 36 years old as he begins trying to do a job only three other men in the school's history have accomplished-compile a winning career record. At the progression rate of Rice coaches-three in the past five years-Schuler could be 47 by the end of next season. Not even Bob Polk, among the top 20 winningest college coaches in the nation during a long career spent mostly at Vanderbilt, could turn Rice's basketball program around. Polk, who retired at the end of the past season, had a career record of 338-194 before coming to Rice but in three seasons posted a 17-63 record with the Owls. Schuler, who formerly was head coach at Virginia Military Institute VMI, figures he'll have better luck. "I feel I have the traits and qualities to give Rice a fine program and I will welcome the opportunity to work under a man with the class and reputation of Homer Rice athletic director. Rice acknowledged that Schuler has a late start in recruiting but also expressed confidence in Schuler. Rice also

said the school's facilities hopefully will be upgraded in due time but he's not concerned with facilities at this point. "I believe in people, that's what makes a program go," Rice said. "I can't revert to what has happened in the past. I can only see what this program can be. I believe we are getting the right kind of people in here so we'll have an upgrading type of progress." Schuler formerly was an assistant under Bobby Knight at Army and also was an assistant at Ohio University. Schuler will inherit a team with no seniors on the team. The 1976-77 Owls won their first six games of the season and then won only three more games for a 9-18 overall record and 3-14 in the Southwest Conference. Rice has promised no immediate expansion of basketball facilities but said "We certainly hope in the future to put more money into the program." Schuler said he's heard negative reports about Rice's tiny Astry Gym. "It's not like playing at the Astrodome or the Summit, but they're better than I thought," Schuler said. "We want to make it a difficult place for the visiting team to play. I mean we want to get some people in the gym to

cause some excitement." Schuler said he will be allowed to hire one full time and one part time assistant. Bob Stevens, an assistant under Polk, remains at Rice and Schuler said he'd be glad to talk with Stevens if he's interested in the assistant's job. COLLEGE STATION, Tex. (AP)-Southern Methodist University golfer LeAnn Casaday, Kyle O'Brien and Theresa Hession finished in the top three spots in individual standings to give SMU first place in the 54-hole Texas A&M Women's invitational gold tournament. SMU finished with a point total of 955, compared with 974 for Texas A&M. Then came Lamar with 984, Oklahoma State at 999, Oklahoma at 1,030, Texas Christian at 1,048, Temple Junior College at 1,085, and Texas Tech at 1,117. Other final scores included Stephen F. Austin at 1,127, Sam Houston State at 1,228 and Midland College at 1,269. LUBBOCK, Tex. (AP)-Head football coach Steve Sloan greeted 17 of last season's top 24 players as Texas Tech opened spring football training Tuesday. The returnees included eight offensive starters.

## Texas Relays Get Underway

AUSTIN, Tex. (AP)-Men and women track stars with all-around ability were entered in the first events Wednesday of the 50th Texas Relays. The men's decathlon-10 events-and the women's pentathlon-five events-were scheduled for Wednesday and Thursday, with the 10,000-meter run also planned for Thursday. Ten thousand meters is the equivalent of six miles. The preliminaries and the finals in some field events and the preliminaries in running events are set for Friday morning. The main sessions will be held Friday night and Saturday afternoon. Freshman Johnny Jones of Texas, a member of the United States' gold medal 400-meter relay team at the 1976 Olympics, will be one of the busiest performers. Jones is listed as the anchorman on Texas' 440, 880 and mile relay teams, which means if the Longhorns make the finals in each event, he will run six baton races. In addition, he is the featured runner in the 100-meter dash

Saturday afternoon. Joining him in that nine-man race will be teammate Raymond Clayborn who, like Jones, played football, and former Longhorn sprint star John Lee. The other entries in the 100 are Ed Preston of Arkansas State; Clifford Wiley of Kansas; Rice-ex Zoe Simpson; former Texas Christian sprinter Bill Collins; Kansas-ex Larry Jackson; and Colorado-ex Raymond Pryor. All have run 100 yards faster than 9.5 seconds, and most are close to 10 seconds for the 100 meters. Jones tied the college 100-yard dash record of 9.21 seconds earlier this year. Fifteen seven-foot high jumpers and eight 17-foot pole vaulters are entered in the field events, including Earl Bell of Arkansas State, who has cleared 18-7-14. Glenn Davis, who holds Army career records for yards rushing, total yards gained and scoring, also holds the Cadet career record for interceptions with 14.

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### Mayfield Hired By Oil Firm

AMARILLO, Tex. (AP)—Gene Mayfield, who resigned recently as head football coach at West Texas State, landed a new job Tuesday.

He was hired by Mesa Petroleum Co. in Amarillo as its director of employe services.

Mayfield had two years to go on his contract at West Texas State in neighboring Canyon when he stepped down during a school crisis over financing its sports program. He had held that job for six years and his teams posted a 24-39-2 won-lost-tied record.

West Texas State chose Bill Yung, former defensive coordinator at Baylor, as his successor.

Before moving up to the college ranks, Mayfield coached Littlefield, Borger and Odessa Permian schoolboy teams, taking the Odessa eleven to a state championship.

### Sports Shorts

Al Jackson, new pitching coach for the Boston Red Sox, has been in the air freight business 15 years, operating out of three New York area airports. He led New York Met pitchers with 13 complete games and a 13-17 record in 1963.

Skip Lockwood, New York Mets relief ace, is a four-handicap golfer now living in Cos Cob, Conn. But during the baseball season he plays no golf.

**FBI IS HALTED**

NEW YORK (AP) — When St. John's visited Tennessee for the Volunteer Classic, the New York school's coach, Lou Carnesecca, was visited by two FBI agents. One was a former classmate, the other a former Carnesecca pupil. The FBI agents were directed to the St. John's dressing room but were refused admittance by students' manager Ed Manetta. Even after the agents identified themselves, Manetta snapped: "Not even the FBI can disturb a Lou Carnesecca team meeting!"

**PANCHO TO FLORIDA**

HALLANDALE, Fla. (AP) — Frank (Pancho) Martin, one of the most successful trainers operating on the New York racetracks, will send a string of Sigmund Sommer's thoroughbreds to Florida this winter for the Gulfstream Park meeting here, according to officials at the seaside track.

Martin saddled his 114th winner of the 1976 New York season that includes Aqueduct, Belmont and Saratoga, when Turn and Count won the \$53,700 Roamer Handicap at Aqueduct the Saturday before Christmas. It was the Sommer-Martin combination's first stakes winner in New York since Thanksgiving Day, 1974.

The loss of popular Manny Sanguillen by trade to the Oakland A's means that Duffy Dyer and Ed Ott will share catching duties for the Pittsburgh Pirates this year.

Major league attendance set a new high last year with more than 31 million fans paying their way.

Six of the 12 National League teams will have new managers this season.

Apprentice jockey Steve Cauthen, 16, rode in 189 races in January and had 63 winners. At that rate he would ride a record 756 winners in 1977. Four of his January wins came in two Sundays of racing in California.

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### Motocross Winners

Roger Hamilton, Kevin Cardinal, and Kris Cardinal [L to R] display the trophies they won at the Plainview motocross track last Sunday. Hamilton was also awarded the high point season trophy for the just completed winter season. Racing begins again in Hereford this Sunday at "The Course."

## Geiberger To Defend Greensboro Golf Title

By BOB GREEN  
AP Golf Writer

GREENSBORO, N.C. (AP) — Al Geiberger, whose father is believed to have died in a jet crash in the Canary Islands, changed his mind and will defend his title in the \$235,000 Greater Greensboro Golf tournament.

"I had a long talk with my brother over the telephone," Geiberger said, "and he convinced me my father was my greatest booster and supporter -- had been all my life -- and that he would have wanted me to play."

Geiberger originally planned to return to the family in Santa Barbara, Calif., to set up a memorial service for his father, Ray. After the telephone conversation with his brother, however, Geiberger told tournament officials Tuesday night he had changed his mind and would defend the championship he won last year.

"There are no remains," Geiberger said. "All we know is that he was on the Pan Am 747 and that he isn't listed among the survivors. All we could do is have a memorial service."

Wally Armstrong, whose wife's parents died in the same crash, did withdraw from the 72-hole tournament that starts Thursday.

Geiberger, winner of two titles and more than \$194,000 last season, is almost certain to be the sentimental choice in this old event with Ray Floyd and Hale Irwin other top candidates for the \$47,000 first prize.

Floyd, the current Masters titleholder, and Irwin each had a chance to win each of the last two tour events and both appear to be moving to the top of their form.

Also in the 156-man field is 64-year-old Sam Snead, who won this tournament a record eight times when it was played at the Sedgefield Country Club. The tournament moved to the hilly new location this year, the hilly

6,984-yard par-72 Forest Oaks Country Club.

Among the other standouts are Australian Graham Marsh, who scored his first American victory last week, former Greensboro champion Tom Weiskopf, South African Gary

Player, Johnny Miller, J.C. Snead, Dave Hill, Lee Elder and veterans Billy Casper, Gene Littler and Miller Barber.

Portions of the final two rounds Saturday and Sunday will be televised nationally by NBC.

## Nettles Missing From Camp

DUNEDIN, Fla. (AP)—The American League's home run king is missing.

Third baseman Graig Nettles, apparently angered by the New York Yankees' refusal to renegotiate the three-year contract he signed last year, failed to show up for Tuesday's exhibition baseball game against the Toronto Blue Jays and was promptly slapped with a fine of \$500 a day.

Nettles checked out of the Tampa hotel where the team is staying during a week-long trip to Florida's west coast and reportedly returned to the Yankees' Fort Lauderdale training camp. A club spokesman said Tuesday night there had been no contact with the third baseman.

Nettles, who signed a three-year contract for a reported \$420,000 last summer, was known to be unhappy because the Yankees refused to renegotiate with him while doling out millions of dollars to sign free agents Reggie Jackson and Don Gullett.

Last Friday, Nettles engaged in a shouting match with owner George Steinbrenner and that evening he was the only Yankee who failed to show up at a party Steinbrenner hosted at the headquarters of his American Shipbuilding Co. in Tampa.

"A contract is a contract and we expect him to honor it," said Gabe Paul, the club president. "He will be fined \$500 a day for every day he does not show up."

unless he shows just cause for his absence."

Nettles played last season without a contract until July. When he signed, the terms made him one of the highest paid players on the club. After the signings of Jackson and Gullett, Nettles said he felt his contract should be renegotiated because of his role in helping the Yankees win the American League pennant.

Nettles batted .254 last season but he hit 32 home runs and drove in 93 runs. He has seen action in only six exhibition games because he underwent surgery to remove a wart from his hand.

COLLEGE STATION, Tex. (AP)—The Sun Bowl champion Texas A&M Aggies opened spring training drills Tuesday with seven offensive starters and three defensive starters returning from last year's 10-2 season.

The Aggies have a total of 31 lettermen returning from last year. There were 100 candidates on hand when head coach Emory Bellard opened spring drills.

"We have a lot of work to do. In some areas we're not as far along as we have been at this time in the past because of the lack of experience," Bellard said.

DALLAS (AP)—The University of Texas tennis leads the Southwest Conference with a 26-1 record.

The conference championship will be determined after the conference tournament to be held April 21-24 at the HEB Tennis Center at Corpus Christi. The champion will be determined by adding points gained in the tournament with points gained during regular season competition.

In conference play, Texas is 3-0, Houston 2-0, SMU and TCU 2-0, Arkansas 3-3, Texas A&M and Texas Tech 1-3 and Baylor is 0-6.

University of Houston pitcher Billy Blum turned in an "iron man" performance as he gave up only one run in pitching 14 of 13 innings against Texas Christian in a Southwest Conference baseball game Tuesday.

The Cougars defeated TCU, 2-1.