



### SCHOOL BOARD

HEREFORD INDEPENDENT SCHOOL DISTRICT,  
HEREFORD, TEXAS  
SCHOOL TRUSTEE ELECTION  
(ELECCION DE REGENTES ESCOLARES  
DEL DISTRITO ESCOLAR INDEPENDIENTE  
DE HEREFORD, TEXAS)

April 4, 1987 (4 de abril de 1987)

### SAMPLE BALLOT BOLETA DE MUESTRA

Vote for the candidate of your choice in each race by placing an "X" in the square beside the candidate's name. (Vote por el candidato de su preferencia para cada candidatura marcando con una "X" el cuadro al lado del nombre del candidato.)

FOR TRUSTEE DISTRICT II: Vote for one only  
PARA REGENTE DISTRITO II: Vote por uno solamente

JO GARCIA  Only residents of District 2 will have that race on the ballot.

FOR TRUSTEES AT LARGE: Vote for 2 or less  
PARA REGENTES DISTRITO GENERAL: Vote por 2 o menos

- DEMETRIO ZUNIGA
- JOHN FUSTON
- DELIA CASTILLO GRIEGO
- DENNIS NEWTON
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### Friendly Visit

These students at Northwest Elementary School were called to the principal's office for good behavior. They have been selected by teachers as Students of the Month for their respective grades. Receiving certificate and badges for the month of March are, from left, Mary Lozoya, third grade; Roy Lancon, second grade;

Melissa Ramirez, first grade; Jessica Gaitan, kindergarten; and Stella Cabrera, pre-kindergarten. Principal Gary Billingsley and assistant principal Alice Lockmiller are shown congratulating the children for their awards which are based on conduct, academics, attendance and leadership.

### WDIC

decision allows DOE to move forward with its plans.

Gerald McCathern suggested to the WDIC group that local entities urge Congress to pass a resolution declaring that it was not their intent to omit local entities from impacts in the site characterization. The committee agreed that this was a good suggestion.

Jim Steiert asked the committee if Jeff Neff, DOE official, had responded to the group's questions on payments in lieu of taxes. Troy Moore, chairman of WDIC, said he understood that some of the questions were supposed to be answered this month.

All members of the WDIC were present for the meeting. They are Moore, John Fuston, Tom LeGate, Frank Zinser and Dennis Brown. Attorney Rex Easterwood, WDIC legal counsel, was also present. The next meeting has been set for April 16 at 7:30 p.m. in the WDIC offices.

### EXERCISE AND DIET

NEW YORK (AP) — Are the children of overweight parents doomed to lifelong obesity — with all the health risks and psychological burdens attached?

No, according to Health magazine. Regular physical activity and a sensible diet are the best ways for most people to prevent obesity, say medical scientists at the University of Pennsylvania Medical School.

### CITY ELECTION

### SAMPLE BALLOT BOLETA DE MUESTRA

CITY OFFICER'S ELECTION  
CITY OF HEREFORD, TEXAS  
APRIL 4, 1987

ELECCION DE OFICIALES DE LA CIUDAD  
CIUDAD DE HEREFORD, TEXAS  
4 DE ABRIL, 1987

VOTING INSTRUCTIONS: Vote for the candidate of your choice in each race by placing an "X" in the square beside the candidate's name.  
INSTRUCCIONES PARA VOTAR: Vote por el candidato de su preferencia para cada candidatura marcando con una "X" el cuadro al lado del nombre del candidato.

FOR MAYOR (Vote for one)  
POR ALCALDE (Vote por uno)

- SYLVIA Z FLORES
- JIM STEIERT
- WESLEY S FISHER
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FOR AT-LARGE COMMISSIONER, PLACES 5 and 6  
(Vote for one or two)  
POR COMISIONADO EN GENERAL, LUGAR 5 y 6  
(Vote por uno o dos)

- JERRY WALSH
- RAUL H VALDEZ
- PAUL ABALOS
- ED WUERKLEIN
- PAUL HAMILTON
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★ Ballots for residents who live in the area of Place 1 or Place 3 will have the names of the Place 1 or Place 3 candidates. Make sure you have the correct ballot. Other residents will have only the above races of mayor and commissioner at large.

FOR COMMISSIONER, PLACE 1 (Vote for one)  
POR COMISIONADO, LUGAR 1 (Vote por uno)

- SILVANA JUAREZ
- LORAN NIXON
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FOR COMMISSIONER, PLACE 3 (Vote for one)  
POR COMISIONADO, LUGAR 3 (Vote por uno)

- TOM LEGATE
- BOYD FOSTER
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### HOSPITAL BOARD

GENERAL ELECTION  
ELECCION GENERAL

DEAF SMITH COUNTY HOSPITAL DISTRICT  
(DISTRITO DE HOSPITAL DE CONDADO DE DEAF SMITH)

APRIL 4, 1987 (4 de abril de 1987)

### SAMPLE BALLOT BOLETA DE MUESTRA

INSTRUCTION NOTE: (NOTA DE INSTRUCCION)

Vote for the candidate of your choice in each race by placing an "X" in the square beside the candidate's name. (Vote por el candidato de su preferencia en cada carrera marcando con una "X" el cuadro al lado del nombre del candidato.)

Directors, At Large, Vote for 3  
(Directores, En General, Vote por 3)

- JIM HERBERTSON
- RALPH DETTEN
- GERALD G. PAYNE
- OLIVIA DENNING
- THOMAS HYER
- JUNE RUDD
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SAMPLE

## Soldiers search for guerrilla attackers

EL PARAISO, El Salvador (AP) — Government troops searched the mountainous northern region for leftist guerrillas who attacked a key military base and killed at least 43 soldiers and a U.S. military adviser.

Staff Sgt. Gregory A. Fronius, 27, a Green Beret intelligence specialist, was the first American to die in battle in this Central American nation's 7-year-old civil war.

Fronius, of Greensburg, Pa., was killed by mortar fire during the pre-dawn Tuesday raid on the 4th Infantry Brigade garrison at El Paraiso in Chalatenango province, about 40 miles north of the capital of San Salvador.

Fronius had arrived Jan. 6 in El Salvador for a six-month tour and was training Salvadoran troops at the garrison. His body was shipped later Tuesday to Panama, where his wife and child live, according to U.S. Embassy spokesman Pen Agnew.

In Washington, President Reagan said after a state dinner that Fronius' death was "a tragedy" that "should bring home to everyone what we face against communism."

"Those guerrillas were communists," he said. "I hope we realize we have a responsibility to keep communism out of the Western Hemisphere."

The guerrillas' clandestine Radio

Farabundo Marti broadcast a statement from Leonel Gonzalez, one of the five rebel leaders, calling the attack a "total success because we completed the main objective of destroying the forces inside the brigade."

The military said at least 43 soldiers were killed and 35 wounded when the leftists attacked the base at 2 a.m. (3 a.m. EST) behind a barrage of 90mm cannon, mortar and grenade fire.

Soldiers on the scene estimated about 65 troops were killed and more than 100 wounded. Gen. Adolfo Blandon, chief of the armed forces, said the death toll could rise "because of the seriousness of the injuries."

At least eight guerrillas were killed, he said.

Some guerrillas entered the compound carrying explosives during the 2½-hour assault, in which the command post, barracks and officers mess were destroyed, Blandon said. He said 250 soldiers were at the post, and that most of the casualties were in the barracks.

The rebel radio claimed the guerrillas overran the base 10 minutes after beginning their attack and remained inside until about 6 a.m.

Blandon said he did not know the number of attackers. One military

official, speaking on condition of anonymity, gave estimated about 100 rebels took part.

Military officials said an investigation was begun to determine how the attack occurred on the garrison, which is considered one of the army's best and is surrounded by dozens of security posts. Half of the base was destroyed in a 1983 attack.

Troops from the U.S.-trained elite Atlacatl Battalion arrived later Tuesday to patrol the area and reinforce the remaining troops. Military officials said patrols were sent into the surrounding mountains to hunt for the attackers.

Base commander Col. Gilberto Rubio said the guerrillas attacked from the north, east and west. Rubio, who the rebel radio claimed was killed in the assault, had scratches and burns on his face and arms. His right hand was bandaged.

Burns were visible on dead soldiers and at least three bodies were completely charred.

The attack was the largest since a June 1986 guerrilla assault on the army base at San Miguel, 86 miles east of San Salvador. The military said 50 soldiers were killed or wounded there, but the rebels claimed they inflicted 250 casualties.

Fronius was the first U.S. military adviser killed during battle in the

war between the U.S.-backed government and leftist guerrillas, grouped as the Farabundo Marti National Liberation Front.

However, other American soldiers have been killed in El Salvador. Lt. Cmdr. Albert Schaufelberger, deputy commander of the American advisers, was shot to death May 26, 1983 on a university campus in San Salvador.

Four off-duty U.S. Embassy Marine guards were killed June 19, 1985, in a guerrilla attack on two sidewalk cafes in the capital.

At least five CIA employees also have died in El Salvador, one in the crash of a Salvadoran military helicopter last week.

### Soviet claims 15,000 deaths at Chernobyl

WASHINGTON (AP) — A former Soviet factory worker says that hospital workers in Kiev told him 15,000 people have died from radiation poisoning in the Chernobyl nuclear disaster, a published report says today.

The report in the Washington Times quotes Igor Gerashchenko in testimony Tuesday as saying patients listed as released from hospitals actually had died.

The death toll given by Soviet officials and by U.S. doctors who have worked in the Soviet Union following the April 1986 accident is 31.

Robert Gale, a University of California at Los Angeles medical professor who has made several trips to help Soviet doctors, said last year that about 500 people had been hospitalized as of November as a result of the disaster. He confirmed the Soviet's official death toll of 31.

Soviet officials have said they expect a minimum of 5,000 Soviet deaths from cancer eventually may be attributed to the nuclear power plant accident. But U.S. scientists have said they believe this estimate may be as much as 10 times too high.

There have also been projections of up to 1,000 Chernobyl-related deaths in Western Europe over the next 50 years.

Gerashchenko, testifying before the Helsinki Commission headed by Rep. Steny H. Hoyer, D-Md., said he had worked in a Kiev factory that produced nuclear power plant equipment and had "close friends" who worked in Kiev's two largest hospitals, the Washington Times said.

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### SPECIAL COUNTY ELECTION

SAMPLE BALLOT  
SPECIAL ELECTION  
COUNTY SALES AND USE TAX  
DEAF SMITH COUNTY, TEXAS

(ELECCION ESPECIAL PARA LAS VENTAS DEL CONDADO Y USO DE IMPUESTOS) (DEL CONDADO DE DEAF SMITH, TEXAS)

APRIL 4, 1987  
(4 DE ABRIL DE 1987)

SAMPLE BALLOT  
OFFICIAL BALLOT  
(BOLETA OFICIAL)

Instruction Note: (Nota de Instruccion)

TO VOTE COMPLETE THE ARROW POINTING TO YOUR CHOICE LIKE THIS

(PARA VOTAR COMPLETE LA FLECHA AL LADO DE LA PROPOSICION DE SU PREFERENCIA ASI)

"ADOPTION OF A ONE-HALF PERCENT COUNTY SALES AND USE TAX WITHIN THE COUNTY TO BE USED TO REDUCE THE COUNTY PROPERTY TAX RATE."

("ADOPCION DE MEDIO POR CIENTO DE LAS VENTAS DEL CONDADO Y USO DE IMPUESTOS DENTRO DEL CONDADO QUE VA SER USADO PARA REDUCIR EL RATO DE LOS IMPUESTOS EN LA PROPIEDAD DEL CONDADO.")

FOR (A FAVOR DE)

AGAINST (EN CONTRA DE)

BRC 1987 PATENT PENDING



### Artist Of The Month

Mildred Guinn has been named as Artist of the Month by the Women's Division of the Deaf Smith County Chamber of Commerce. Her work will be on display in the board room of the chamber office for the month of April. Guinn enrolled in art classes in September of 1964 when her youngest child started school. She is shown with a portrait and a bust she sculpted of her mother, who died when Mildred was two years of age. The work was accomplished using a wedding portrait of her parents as a reference.

# Lifestyles

## Johnson honored with shower

A postnuptial shower was given for Mrs. Trent Johnson of Canyon Saturday morning in the home of Betty Chaney of Friona. The honoree is the former Keila Kaiser of Eaton, Colo.

Guests were greeted by the bride; her mother, Mrs. Larry Kaiser of Eaton; the groom's mother, Mrs. Wayne Johnson of Hereford; and Mrs. Chaney.

Red carnation corsages adorned with red netting and entwined with white ribbons were presented to the honoree; her mother; the groom's mother; and his grandmothers, Mrs. Opal Dufur of Hereford and Mrs. Cliff Johnson of Friona.

Misty Tucker of Canyon invited guests to sign the bride's book which was placed on a table covered with a floor-length white lace cloth and decorated by the bridal couple's picture and a brass candle holder and candle.

Refreshments consisted of sausage casserole, fruit bowl, miniature cinnamon rolls, punch and coffee. Serving were Pat and Kari Vinton and Sandy Pankey, all of Hereford, and Sondra Nichols and Shirley Fanneman, both of Friona.

The table was laid with white floor-length cloth and white lace patchwork overlay. Appointments included red napkins engraved with the bridal couple's names, a silver

coffee service and crystal punch bowl and serving pieces. It was centered by a large fresh green plant and three crystal candlesticks holding long, red tapers.

Other special guests included the bride's sister, Roxann Kaiser of Eaton, and her aunt, Doris Piper of Paducah. Also, the groom's great-aunt, Mrs. Joe Johnson of Friona, and another aunt, Mrs. Haskell Dufur of Amarillo.

Hosting the morning affair were Hereford residents, Louise Vogler, Omalee Lassiter, Joan Bookout, Bernadette Kaika, Lurline Cawthon, Evelyn Wells, Pat Vinton, Rita Simons, Bobby Roberson and Sandy Pankey. Also, assisting were hostesses, Pat Fleming, Wanda Reeve, Sondra Nichols, Ruth Tucker, Shirley Fanneman, Gail O'Brien, all of Friona.



### Bride Honored Saturday

Mrs. Trent Johnson of Canyon was honored with a postnuptial shower late Saturday morning in the home of Betty Chaney of Friona. Welcoming guests with

the honoree were, from left, Mrs. Chaney; the groom's mother, Mrs. Wayne Johnson of Hereford; and her mother, Mrs. Larry Kaiser of Eaton, Colo.

## Hospital Notes

### PATIENTS IN HOSPITAL

Irene Beliz, Boy Beliz, Thelma Dalmron, Francisca DeLeon, Bette Gallagher, Pearl Garza, Girl Garza.

### Eloyce Graves

R.E. Jackson, Christina Leon, Harvey Manion, Luis Madrigal, Pablito Mireles, Janet Morgan, Girl Morgan.

A.D. Nieman, Ramon Ortiz, Barbara Powell, Cassey Perkins, Frances Steward, Mike Vestal, Carleta Watts, Henry Wedel, J.D. Westberry, Betty Whitson.

## New Arrivals

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Beliz are the parents of a boy, Jose Fidencio born March 31, 1987.

Mr. and Mrs. Elias Garza are the parents of a girl, Valerie Diane born March 30, 1987.

### Farm/Ranch Insurance

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# Ann Landers

## Loneliness may be best

DEAR ANN LANDERS: I'm in my late 40s, average in looks, personality, income and divorced for 12 years. This summer I became involved in a serious relationship, but there are a few things about the man that bother me.

When he walks into the house he immediately tells me about his day, but rarely asks me about mine. Three or four times a week he has dinner at my place but has yet to buy a bag of groceries. When we go out for a meal it is usually Dutch. When we make love it's when he wants to and when I'm not in the mood. Sexually he makes sure he is satisfied even though I may not be (I frequently have to remind him that we aren't through yet).

We were planning a spring wedding but he postponed it until late summer because of something that is important to him but not to me.

I want this to be a lifetime relationship. I'm not getting any younger and we do have a good thing going. Sign me — Frustrated in Cleveland

DEAR CLEVE: Do you want to spend the rest of your life with a man who is a self-centered freeloader, indifferent to your sexual needs and insistent on getting his way when there is a disagreement? If so, grab this guy.

You say you are not getting any younger? Do you know anyone who is? There are worse things than being alone, and I predict if you marry this bozo you are going to find out what they are.

DEAR ANN LANDERS: A friend of mine was waiting for the light to change when he was hit by a drunk woman in a small 1974-75 car. She

zoomed off into the night but my friend caught up with her at a stoplight, got out of his car and ordered her to move over. The woman opened the door of her car and yelled, "Go get him." Her pit bulldog came roaring out, ready to kill. My friend was able to jump back into his car and slam the door. The woman and the pit bull, no doubt, are still driving around Spokane.

Pit bulldogs can be killer. Two small children were ripped and chewed to death in Portland, Ore., last fall when a pit bull wandered into the yard. Those kids didn't have a chance. Please, Ann, tell your readers that a high fence and a chain are not enough. A census of all pit bulls should be made and strict requirements put on the owners. — Washington Reader

DEAR READER: I'm expecting many letters from readers who will be telling me that their pit bulls are gentle and loving. That may be the case, but I wouldn't trust one around children. German shepherds, too, have been known to go a little crazy and kill youngsters. Meanwhile, I hope the Spokane police find the woman you wrote about and throw the book at her.

DEAR ANN LANDERS: I recently read of a roller coaster that went 100 miles an hour. Is this possible? I say no. My husband says yes. Find out, please. — Charlotte, N.C.

DEAR N.C.: You're right. The fastest roller coaster in the world is in Gurnee, Ill. It goes 66.31 miles an hour. Many promoters exaggerate for commercial reasons. You've got

the truth right here.

DEAR ANN LANDERS: Please tell the woman who wrote about being bored to death by a dinner partner who gave her an "organ recital" that the only thing worse than people who insist on talking about their opinions are tasteless clods who ask about yours. — Grosse Pointe, Mich.

DEAR GROSSED: Well said. I'm with you.

How to—and how much? Find out with Ann Landers' new booklet, "How, What and When to Tell Your Child About Sex." For your copy send 50 cents plus a long, stamped, self-addressed envelope to Ann Landers, P.O. Box 11562, Chicago, Ill. 60611-0562.

## Young Miss USA seeking state representatives

Young Miss USA, American's most prestigious pageant competition, is searching for the 1987 State Representatives to attend this year's national competition. The National Young Miss USA Finals will be held during September in Atlanta, Georgia.

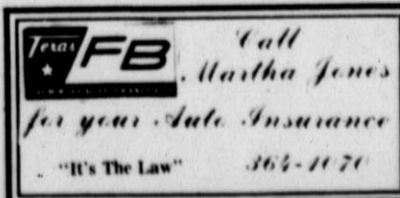
To see if you qualify to be the official representative from your state,

send a photograph, name, age, address and telephone number along with a brief resume to: Young Miss USA, 1146 Pine Croft Drive, West Columbia, S.C. 29163. Telephone number 803-796-7765 or 803-781-6464.

This competition is open to girls ages newborn to age 17 with seven different age divisions. No performing talent is required. Only photographs with self-addressed, stamped envelopes will be returned.



In some parts of the country it is believed that if a butterfly lands on you, you will get a new dress.



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# NOTICE

## The Hereford Texas Federal Credit Union

will be observing New banking hours effective Wednesday, April 1st.

9:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m.

Monday thru Friday

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Hereford Texas Federal  
Credit Union

★ VOTE ★ VOTE ★ VOTE ★ VOTE ★ VOTE ★ VOTE ★ VOTE ★ VOTE ★

**PROGRESSIVE! DEDICATED! QUALIFIED!**

**Elect PAUL ABALOS City Commissioner At Large Saturday, April 4th**

- 25 years resident of Hereford!
- 20 years self employed in the food business!
- 23 years experience in Texas Public Schools!
- Bachelor of Science Degree, Sul Ross University!
- Masters of Education Degree, West Texas State University!
- 40 semester hours Post Graduate work to include: Special Education, Bilingual Education Certification, plus Texas Certified in 1986!

**My Goals Are:**

- To work with all governmental entities in a concerted effort to attract long range and sound new industry to our community.
- To work with the city manager and all other members of the commission to continue the administration of the city within the prescribed budget but at the same time assuring our citizens that no services shall be curtailed.
- To make sure that the existing city ordinances already on the statutes are enforced so that we may beautify our city.
- Close scrutiny of the D.O.E.'s site characterization to make sure that they will adhere to the safety guidelines as they are listed in their project as it pertains to Deaf Smith County.
- As your City Commissioner At Large, I shall at all times keep an open mind and will listen to your questions, your problems and will at all times accept your input on anything that concerns our city.

**I would appreciate your vote and influence in the April 4th City Election.**

Pd. Pol. Adv.

★ VOTE ★ VOTE ★ VOTE ★ VOTE ★ VOTE ★ VOTE ★ VOTE ★ VOTE ★



**Planning Seminar**

Publicity chairmen, Christy Wright, at left, and Melissa Young, look through posters detailing the upcoming "Walk Thru the Bible Seminar" to be held from 9

a.m. until 5 p.m. April 11 at First Christian Church. The public is cordially invited to attend the session covering the Old Testa-

**Seminar to focus on Old Testament**

A "Walk Thru the Bible Old Testament Seminar" will be held at the First Christian Church Saturday, April 11, from 9 a.m. until 5 p.m. The day-long session will focus on the Old Testament, fitting together names, places, and events of 4,000 years of history.

According to Jim Donaldson, minister of evangelism at First Christian Church, "Walk Thru the Bible" creates a fun atmosphere and gives people an overview of the flow of God's Word never before experienced. Even seminary graduates find the chronology, events, and people of the Old Testament falling into place in a new easy-to-understand and easy-to-remember pattern."

Other local churches will participate in this event and everyone is invited. To pre-register, call the church office at 364-0373 or Jan Wilks at 364-1810.

Cost of the seminar is \$20 per individual (adult) or \$35 per couple. High school youth are charged \$15 while children aged 12 and under pay \$7.50.

Only the female mosquito bites. The males are vegetarians.

"This ministry has helped church members all over the world come to know and appreciate the Bible in a deeper way," stated Glenda Keenan, co-ordinator. "It would take years of intensive study to get a grasp on the Old Testament that would equal what this seminar gives you in one day."

The seminars are in demand and are being taught all over the United States, Canada, Australia, New Zealand, Singapore, Spain, England, Philippines and the Caribbean Islands.

**Calendar of Events**

- THURSDAY**  
 San Jose prayer group, 735 Brevard, 8 p.m.  
 Weight Watchers, Community Church, 6:30 p.m.  
 Ladies exercise class, Church of the Nazarene, 6:30 p.m.  
 AA and Al-Anon meeting, 406 W. Fourth St., 8 p.m.  
 Kiwanis Club, Community Center, noon.  
 TOPS Club No. 941, Community Center, 9 a.m.  
 Amateur Radio Operators, north biology building of high school, 7:30 p.m.  
 Story hour at library, 10 a.m.  
 Young at heart program, YMCA 9 a.m. until noon.  
 VFW, VFW clubhouse, 8 p.m.  
 BPOE Lodge at Elks Hall, 8:30 p.m.  
 Summerfield Study Club, 2:30 p.m.  
 Camp Fire Leaders Association, Camp Fire Lodge, 7:30 p.m.  
 National Association of Retired Federal Employees, Hereford Senior Citizens Center, 1 p.m.  
 Bud to Blossom Garden Club, 9:30 a.m.  
 Elkets, 8 p.m.  
 American Association of Retired Persons, Community Center, 7 p.m.  
 L'Allegria Study Club, 10 a.m.  
 Alpha Iota Mu Chapter of Beta Sigma Phi Sorority, 8 p.m.  
 North Hereford Extension Homemakers Club, 2:30 p.m.  
 Bay View Study Club, 2 p.m.  
 Merry Mixers Square Dance Club, Community Center, 8 p.m.
- FRIDAY**  
 Kiwanis Whiteface Breakfast Club, 6:30 a.m.  
 Community Duplicate Bridge Club, Community Center, 7:30 p.m.  
 Garden Beautiful Club, 9:30 a.m.  
 Hereford Senior Citizens governing board 2 p.m. and business meeting at 3 p.m. at Senior Citizens Center.  
 Patriarchs Militant and Ladies Auxiliary, IOOF Hall, 8 p.m.  
 Good Timers Square Dance Club, Community Center, 8 p.m.
- SATURDAY**  
 Mulligan Stew supper, Odd Fellow Hall, 5-8 p.m.  
 AA open meeting, 406 W. Fourth St., 8 p.m.  
 Open gym for all teens, noon to 6 p.m. on Saturdays and 2-5 p.m. Sundays at First Church of the Nazarene.
- MONDAY**  
 AA and Al-Anon Spanish speaking meeting, 406 W. Fourth St., 8 p.m.  
 Odd Fellows Lodge, IOOF Hall, 7:30 p.m.  
 TOPS Chapter No. 1011, Community Center, 5:30-6:30 p.m.  
 Rotary Club, Community Center, noon.  
 Planned Parenthood Clinic, open Monday through Friday, 711 25 Mile Ave., 8:30 a.m. to 4:30 p.m.  
 Ladies exercise class, Church of the Nazarene, 6:30 p.m.  
 Dawn Lions Club, Dawn Community Center, 7 p.m.  
 Ladies Christian Endeavors, 7 p.m. in members' home.  
 Hospital Auxiliary, hospital board, room, 11:45 a.m.  
 Women's American G.I. Forum, Community Center, 6 p.m.  
 Evening Lions Club, K-Bob's Steak House, 7:30 p.m.  
 Order of Rainbow for Girls, Masonic Temple, 7:15 p.m.  
 VFW Auxiliary, VFW clubhouse, 6:30 p.m.  
 Little Miss Hereford Pageant, planning committee.  
 Voice of Democracy Banquet, VFW Post Home, 7 p.m.
- TUESDAY**  
 Hereford Rebekah Lodge, No. 228, IOOF Hall, 7:30 p.m.  
 Problem: Pregnancy Center, 505 E. Park Ave., open Tuesday through Saturday. Free and confidential pregnancy testing. Call 364-2027 for appointment.  
 AA and Al-Anon meeting, 406 W. Fourth St., 8 p.m.  
 Free women's exercise class, aerobics and floorwork, Community Church, 7:30 p.m.  
 Free blood pressure screening, Tuesday through Friday, South Plains Health Providers Clinic, 603 Park Ave., 8:30 a.m. - 5 p.m.  
 Hereford AMBUCS Club, Ranch House, noon.  
 Social Security representative at courthouse, 9:15 a.m. until noon.  
 Kiwanis Club of Hereford-Golden K, Senior Citizens Center, noon.  
 Deaf Smith County Historical Museum: Regular museum hours Tuesday through Saturday 10 a.m. to 5 p.m. and Sunday by appointment only. Museum closed Monday.  
 TOPS Chapter No. 576, Community Center, 9 a.m.  
 Ladies exercise class, Church of the Nazarene, 6:30 p.m.  
 St. Anthony's Women's Organization, Mass at 7:30 p.m. and meeting at 8 p.m. in Antonian Room.  
 Hereford Rider's Club, 8 p.m.  
 Hereford Young Homemakers Club, 7:30 p.m.  
 Alpha Alpha Preceptor Chapter, Beta Sigma Phi Sorority, 7:30 p.m.  
 Hereford Ministerial Association, Hereford State Bank Community Room, 10 a.m.  
 Advisory Board of Hereford Satellite Work Training Center, Caisson House, noon.  
 San Jose Women's Organization, San Jose Catholic Church, 7 p.m.  
 American Legion and Auxiliary, Legion Hall, 7:30 p.m.  
 La Aflatus Estudio Club, 3 p.m.  
 Baptist Women of Summerfield Baptist Church to meet at the church, 9 a.m.  
 Xi Epsilon Alpha Chapter, Barn House, 7 p.m.  
 Toujour Amis Study Club, 7 p.m.
- WEDNESDAY**  
 AA discussion meeting, 406 W. Fourth St., 8 p.m.  
 Noon Lions Club, Community Center, noon.  
 Bippus Extension Homemakers Club, home of Mrs. Clint Homfeld, 2 p.m.  
 United Methodist Women of First United Methodist Church, in Ward Parlor, 9:30 a.m.  
 Credit Women International, Ranch House, noon.

**DATE BOOK**

April 1, 1987

Today is April Fools' Day. It is the 91st day of 1987 and the 13th day of spring.

**TODAY'S HISTORY:** On this day in 1954, the U.S. Air Force Academy was established.

**TODAY'S BIRTHDAYS:** Edmond Rostand (1868); Lon Chaney (1883); William Manchester (1922); Debbie Reynolds (1932); Phil Niekro (1939).

**TODAY'S QUOTE:** "A kiss when all is said, what is it? A rosy dot, placed on the 'i' in loving. 'tis a secret told to the mouth instead of to the ear" — Edmond Rostand

**TODAY'S BARBS BY PHIL PASTORET**

Throwaway cameras are now on the market. What's truly needed is film that self-destructs if your spouse snaps you in your shorts.

People who say you should lift yourself out of adversity by your bootstraps usually have gone through life wearing loafers.

**TODAY'S TRIVIA ANSWERS:** (a) Edmond Rostand wrote "Cyrano de Bergerac."



Peter the Great of Russia, in an attempt to encourage his subjects to adopt a Western look, levied a high tax on beards.

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### Key Club Donation

Hereford High Key Club president Casey Daniel, left, thanks Noon Kiwanis president Lloyd Ames for the \$800 donation to the Key Club for expenses of the Texas-

Oklahoma district convention April 3-5. Key Clubbers and four sponsors from Hereford will attend the convention in Houston.

## Pioneer Round-Up scheduled

The Plainview Business and Professional Women's Club has announced Saturday, May 16, as the date for the 1987 Pioneer Round-Up.

This will be the 59th year the club has sponsored this annual event, according to Helen Harper, president of the sponsoring club.

The Pioneer Round-Up was started as a method of honoring pioneers of this area. This continues to be one of the purposes of the event, but in addition, it has become an entertainment feature for people of all ages in Plainview, Hale County, and surrounding areas.

Mrs. Harper has appointed committees for the Round-Up and chair-

man of each committee is as follows: program, Pat Ray; dance, Helen Burleson; tickets, Charlotte Malone; door, Georgette Masso; concessions, Alice Doyle; registration, Nancy Fowler; parade, Doris Washington; country kitchen, Kristi Widener; housing, Helen Harper; and publicity, Jo Ann Clements.

"Pride in Yesterday" has been chosen for this year's Round-Up theme and activities will be held in the Hale County Agriculture Center on the south edge of Plainview. The

reception will be held in the meeting room at the Center and pioneers will gather for this at 10:00 a.m. on Saturday morning.

The traditional Pioneer Round-Up parade will roll at 2:30 p.m.

The Saturday evening's program will begin at 6:00 when the chuck wagon supper will be served in the large assembly room at the Agriculture Center with the program to follow.

A square dance will conclude the day's activities.

## Mulligan stew supper Saturday

Members of the Hereford Rebekah Lodge No. 228 will be sponsoring a Mulligan stew supper from 5-8 p.m. Saturday in the I.O.O.F. Hall, 205 E. Sixth St.

Tickets for the meal, which will include stew, cornbread, pie, coffee and tea, are priced at \$3 per person. All proceeds from the supper will be used for a scholarship to be awarded to a Hereford High School graduate.

## Gardening tips given during Cultural Extension meeting

Jewell Rogers was hostess to members of Cultural Extension Club when they met recently for a program on gardening given by Marcella McLain of McLain Garden Center.

Edith Hunter voiced a prayer to open the meeting and the hostess read "Ten Commandments for Mothers-in-law."

During the business meeting, reports of committees were given

and Jewell Hargrave gave the council report. It was announced that Wilma Goetsch would be a delegate to the District T.E.H.A. spring meeting April 2 in Stratford.

The next regular meeting will be April 10 in the home of Bertha Dettmann.

The hostess served refreshments to Nell Pope, Vernis Parsons, Fannie Townsend, Winnie Wiseman, Mary R. Spinhrne, Byrdie Fellers, Mildred Lewis, Hunter Hargrave and McLain.

# Abundant Life

### OUR TOLERANCE

By Bob Wear

TOLERANCE IS a good word, and expresses a good and necessary attitude and practice in human relationships. Of course, it must be understood and practiced within the right context. There are self-evident limitations that must be understood and respected. "Tolerance" cannot be absolute, because this view of tolerance brings chaos and eventual loss of the freedom that the wise practice of tolerance makes possible.

TO THE EXTENT that "tolerance" and the beautiful idea that the word conveys are abused and distorted, everybody loses; lawlessness flourishes, unjustified rebellion against rightful authority increases, and everything solid and decent in the human experience is threatened. SOME THINGS and some actions

cannot be tolerated without destroying the element in human society which makes tolerance possible. It is not the purpose of this writing to include these things and these actions, because most people know what they are. It is the responsibility of all people who really care about the good life to study and carefully consider "toleration" and how to make it work for the well-being of all persons.

THE DISPOSITION to grant to others the right to their own beliefs, practices, opinions and habits is essential to the common good. This attitude does not require us to agree with them, and it does not destroy our right to pursue the course of life into which our beliefs and practices lead us. If we do not care for certain religious or political views and practices, we have the right to say so; but not with the spirit of intolerance or

bigotry. We have the privilege to hold to our views and choices, and we must extend the same privilege to others; and others must extend the same privilege to us. This time-tested procedure is essential to our survival as a free society.

APPLYING the Golden Rule to our thinking and action; "do unto others, as you would they should do unto you"; will help preserve "toleration" as a strong support of our freedom.

### Bankruptcies

In 1985, there were 57,067 businesses that failed, compared to 52,078 in 1984, an increase of 9.6 percent. A study by the Dun & Bradstreet Corporation found that the increase in bankruptcies was due largely to failure of small service companies, as well as the hard times in farming and the energy industry.



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Administrator

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# We believe that Jim Steiert is the Best Choice for Mayor!

We believe that Jim Steiert would represent the city of Hereford well as a mayor. Although we are ineligible to vote for him on Saturday, April 4, we encourage our city friends to do so. Signed:

Cliff Hutson  
Joe West  
Mike Higgins  
Roy Carlson  
Shirley Carlson  
Paul Jones  
Hilton Higgins  
Dan McWhorter  
Danny G. Jones  
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Jimmy Christie  
Richard Schlabs  
Charles Schlabs  
Geraldine Schlabs  
Joan Strafuss  
Carl Strafuss  
Janette Carnahan  
Becky Hysinger  
Brenda Yosten  
Nick Yosten  
Della DeHart  
Thurman Atchly  
Brian Urbanczyk  
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Arnold Powell  
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Ted McWhorter  
Robbie Blakely  
Lisa Blakely  
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Mark Urbanczyk  
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Brenda Meiwes  
Freddie Maxwell  
Dennis Schilling  
Shelly Schilling  
Tom Schlabs  
Joyce Schlabs  
Denise Marnell  
Bill Caraway  
Becky Caraway  
Leander Reinart  
Steve Gallagher  
Sherry Blackwell  
Harold Dillehay  
Noble Brown  
Wayne Friemel  
Floyd Hartman  
Harold Artho  
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Robert Stow  
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John Wilson, Jr.  
Edwin Dillehay  
Harold Sides  
Richard Golden



We, the undersigned voters, endorse and support the candidacy of Jim Steiert for Mayor. We plan to vote for Jim and encourage you to help us by doing the same on Saturday, April 4.

Rick Auckerman  
Georgia Auckerman  
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Tim Revell  
Debbie Fetsch  
Katheryn Weemes  
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Gwen Hacker  
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Kelly Trotter  
Gayland Ward  
Ray Schlabs, Jr.  
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Kevin Urbanczyk  
James Higgins  
Helen Higgins  
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Louis Woodford  
Ivan Block  
Francis Block  
Virginia Woodford

## It's Time For A Change!

# Vote for Jim Steiert on April 4th.

**Keith Anderson limits Levelland to one hit**

# Herd continues to roll forward, 10-0

By GARY CHRISTENSEN  
Sports Editor

The Hereford Whiteface baseball machine continued to roll forward Tuesday, shutting out the Levelland

Lobos 10-0 in a District 1-4A game played in Hereford.

The victory put the Whitefaces at 4-0 in the district, and coupled with Canyon's 7-4 victory over Dumas, the

Herd stands alone in first place. Canyon, Dumas, and Pampa are tied for second place with 3-1 district records.

Pampa is Hereford's next oppo-

nent - Saturday at 4 p.m. in Pampa. Next Tuesday, Hereford plays another road game, against Lubbock Estacado at 6:30 p.m.

Hereford players who helped lead their team to the 10-0 win over Levelland included Keith Anderson, who pitched a one-hitter, and Bobby Medina, Keith Herrera, and Michael Phibbs, each of whom had two-run hits.

Anderson struck out the side in the first inning, and had six strikeouts for the game. He walked only one batter, and Levelland managed only one hit, a single in the fifth inning.

Anderson faced 17 batters in the game which ended after five innings because of the 10-run rule. The win was the fifth for Anderson against one loss.

The Whitefaces moved out to a 4-0 lead in the bottom of the first inning. Herrera began the inning with a

walk, and Phibbs doubled.

Herrera scored on a wild pitch, and in that same play, Kyle Streun reached first base. Streun stole second base and McCracken walked, loading the bases.

Medina stroked a two-run single to make the Herd's lead 3-0. With McCracken at third base and Medina at first base, Medina attempted a steal.

The Lobo catcher overthrew the second baseman, and McCracken scored on the error, giving Hereford a 4-0 lead.

In the Hereford second inning, a two-base error by Levelland put Paul Maes at second base. Later in the inning, Maes scored on a sacrifice fly by Robby Collier, and Hereford had a 5-0 lead.

The Whitefaces loaded the bases in the third inning when Medina, Anderson and Maes all walked. Medina stole third base before Maes

was walked.

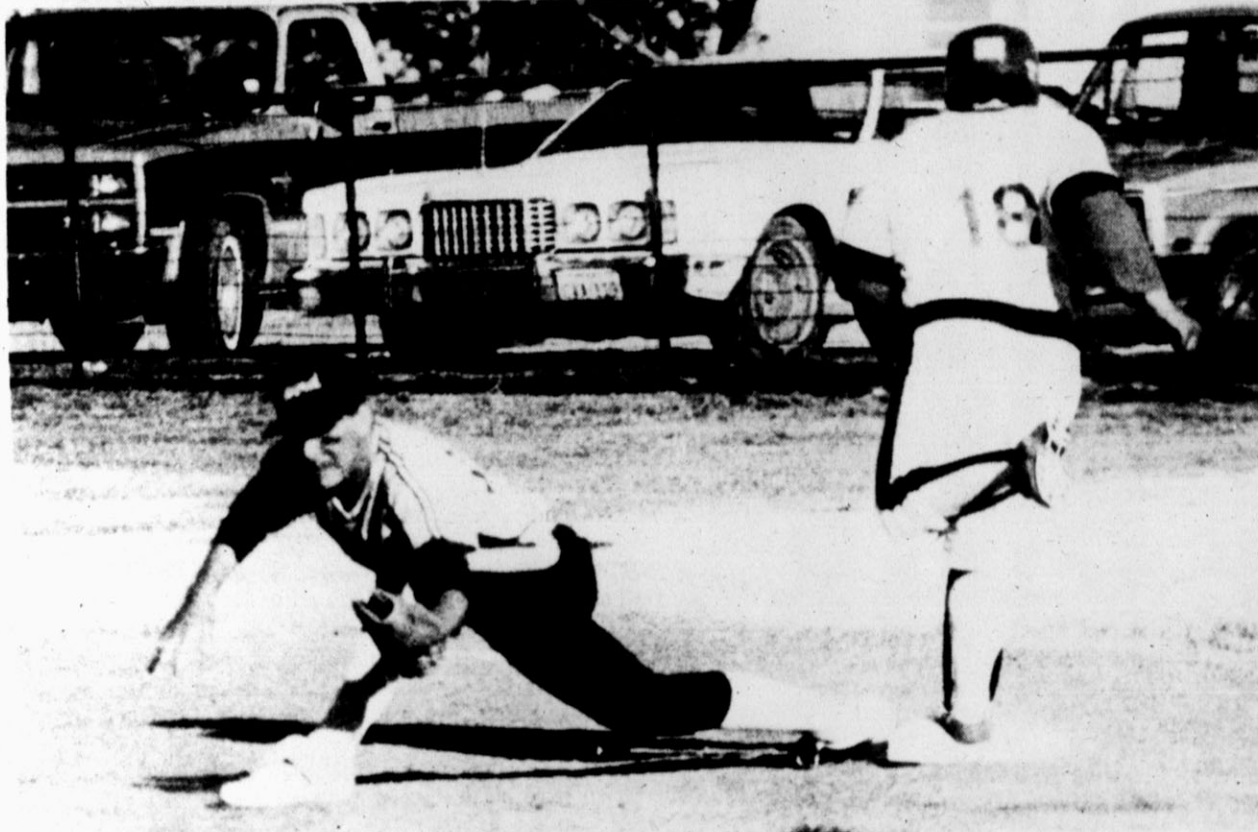
Herrera's turn to bat came up, and he hit a single to drive in Medina and Anderson. Phibbs then lined a two-run double to score Maes and Herrera.

Collier then hit an RBI single to give the Herd a 10-0 lead after three innings of play. Neither team scored the rest of the way, and the contest ended after five innings because of the 10-run rule.

"We hit the ball well again. We got the critical hits," Hereford Coach T.R. Sartor said.

"Anderson and Medina are doing a heck of a job," Sartor added, referring to Anderson's 5-1 record and Medina's 4-0 record, as well as their outstanding earned run averages and strikeout totals, and low number of walks.

Levelland	0	0	0	0	0	0
Hereford	4	1	5	0	x	-0



**Double Play**

Hereford first baseman Kyle Streun catches a throw from a teammate to complete a double play in the fourth inning of Tuesday's District 1-4A game against

Levelland. The Whitefaces beat Levelland 10-0 to stay undefeated at 4-0 in the district. (Brand photo by Gary Christensen)



**Anderson Pitched One-Hitter**

Keith Anderson pitched a one-hitter to help lead the Hereford Whiteface varsity baseball team to a 10-0 win over Levelland Tuesday. He struck out the side in the first inning, finished with six strikeouts, and allowed only a fifth inning single in the Herd's victory. Anderson's season record is now 5-1. (Brand photo by Gary Christensen)

**1-4A standings**

Team	District	Overall
HEREFORD	4-0	11-3
Canyon	3-1	12-4
Dumas	3-1	5-5
Pampa	3-1	7-4
Lubbock Estacado	1-2-1	6-9-1
Lubbock Dunbar	1-3	8-8
Levelland	0-3-1	2-9-1
Borger	0-4	6-6

**SCORES**

Saturday, March 21: Hereford 7, Borger 1; Dumas 4, Lubbock Dunbar 1; Pampa 13, Levelland 8; Canyon 8, Lubbock Estacado 5.  
 Tuesday, March 24: Hereford 14, Lubbock Dunbar 8; Lubbock Estacado at Levelland, game suspended after 6½ innings because of darkness, tied 9-9 (game will be completed only if necessary); Canyon at Pampa, postponed; Borger at Dumas, postponed.  
 Thursday, March 26: Dumas 2, Borger 1; Canyon 7, Pampa 1.  
 Saturday, March 28: Hereford 4, Canyon 2; Dumas 12, Levelland 5; Pampa 7, Lubbock Estacado 3.  
 Monday, March 30: Lubbock Dunbar 3, Borger 2.  
 Tuesday, March 31: Hereford 10, Levelland 0; Pampa 4, Borger 1; Canyon 7, Dumas 4; Lubbock Estacado 14, Lubbock Dunbar 4.

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**NBA standings**

By The Associated Press

**EASTERN CONFERENCE**

**Atlantic Division**

	W	L	Pct.	GB.
y-Boston	53	20	.726	—
x-Philadelphia	40	32	.556	12½
Washington	36	35	.507	16
New York	22	50	.306	30½
New Jersey	21	50	.296	31

**Central Division**

	W	L	Pct.	GB.
x-Atlanta	48	23	.676	—
x-Detroit	40	25	.613	1½
x-Milwaukee	43	30	.589	6
x-Chicago	37	36	.507	12
Indiana	36	35	.507	12
Cleveland	27	46	.370	22

**WESTERN CONFERENCE**

**Midwest Division**

	W	L	Pct.	GB.
x-Dallas	49	24	.671	—
x-Utah	40	32	.556	8½
x-Houston	37	36	.500	12
Denver	32	41	.438	17
San Antonio	26	46	.361	22½
Sacramento	23	49	.319	25½

**Pacific Division**

	W	L	Pct.	GB.
y-L.A. Lakers	57	15	.789	—
x-Portland	44	28	.611	13
Golden State	37	34	.521	19½
Seattle	36	38	.486	22
Phoenix	26	45	.366	30½
L.A. Clippers	12	59	.169	44½

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National League West preview

# Dodgers have healed from 1986 injuries

By BEN WALKER  
AP Baseball Writer

Who wins the National League West always depends on the Los Angeles Dodgers. If they're good, they win. If not, the division is weak and someone else takes a turn on top.

Well, it's bad news for Houston, Cincinnati, San Francisco, San Diego and Atlanta. Pedro Guerrero & Co. are healed, improved and ready to wrap up the West.

The 1981 World Series winners won only 73 games last season and finished fifth, its worst since divisional play started in 1969. The last time the Dodgers won fewer games was in 1958; in 1959, they rebounded to win the World Series.

"I can't see us winning less than 90 or 92 games," predicts right fielder

Mike Marshall, who was among last year's wounded.

That should hold off defending champion Houston, whose pitching will not repeat, and San Francisco, which has improved but not enough. Cincinnati, which finished second under manager and part-time player Pete Rose, would be lucky to finish there again. San Diego, which added new Manager Larry Bowa but lost Kevin McReynolds and Terry Kennedy, and Atlanta, minus Bob Horner, won't score enough.

So, for 1987, make it: Los Angeles, Houston, San Francisco, Cincinnati, San Diego and Atlanta.

**Los Angeles Dodgers**  
Injuries crippled Los Angeles in 1986. So did inconsistent pitching — despite Fernando Valenzuela's first

20-game season — and a major league-leading 181 errors.

Manager Tom Lasorda must have thought he was a marked man after Guerrero, Marshall, Bill Madlock, Mike Scioscia and Bob Welch suffered injuries.

Guerrero's loss was the most damaging. He batted 320 with 33 home runs and 87 RBI in 1985, but ripped up a knee last spring and spent more than half the season on the disabled list, accomplishing little (246, five homers, 10 RBI) when he returned.

Now, he says, "I'm ready to go."

Valenzuela (21-11, 3.14 earned run average) was the bright spot on a pitching staff that saw Orel Hershiser decline from 1983 and a 2.03 ERA to 14-14 and 3.85, although seven losses were by shutout. Welch (7-13) had a bone spur removed from his right elbow and tired Tom Niedenfuer (6-6, 11 saves, 3.71) needed relief in the bullpen so the Dodgers acquired lefty Matt Young (13 saves) from Seattle. They also got starter Tim Lear (14-14) from Milwaukee for Greg Brock.

If Steve Sax (.332, 40 stolen bases) keeps getting on base for Franklin Stubbs (23 HR) and Marshall (19 HR), there will be plenty of runs.

**Houston Astros**  
Mike Scott, a.k.a. The Right Scuff, probably would have gotten Houston into the World Series if the Astros hadn't blown Game 6 of the playoffs to the New York Mets. But, after winning 96 games and finishing 10 lengths ahead of Cincinnati, the fired-up Stros made no major moves in the off-season — often a bad move.

Scott, the Cy Young winner, will be hard-pressed to duplicate 18-10 with

major-league bests of a 2.22 ERA and 306 strikeouts. Nolan Ryan, now 40, is being limited to 100 pitches per game while he recovers from an ankle fracture. Watch Jim Deshaies (12-5).

Relievers Dave Smith (33 saves) and Charlie Kerfeld (11-2, seven saves) helped Houston to a team ERA of 3.15, second to the Mets. Then again, good pitching is expected at the Astrodome, the worst batters' park in baseball.

Glenn Davis (31 HR, 101 RBI), Kevin Bass (311, 20 HR, 79 RBI) and Bill Doran (.276, 42 SB) form a strong young nucleus and NL Manager of the Year Hal Lanier instilled a winning attitude that had been missing.

**San Francisco Giants**  
Manager Roger Craig brought split-fingered fastballs, excitement and victories to San Francisco, transforming the Giants from 100-game losers into contenders who finished third.

Mike Krukow (20-9, 3.05) led the third-best pitching staff in the league, and Craig converted Scott Garrelts from a reliever into a starter with good results (13-9, 3.11). Craig has similar high hopes for young Roger Mason and Randy Bockus.

The Giants, however, need to hit more. Chris Brown (.317, seven homers, 49 RBI) and Jeffrey Leonard (.279, six homers, 42 RBI) can provide offense if they stay healthy and show more desire. First baseman Will Clark (.287, 11 HR, 41 RBI) and second baseman Robby Thompson (.271, seven home runs, 47 RBI) were fine in their first full seasons.

The Giants got Eddie Milner (.259, 15 HR, 18 SB) from Cincinnati, hop-

ing he can end their on-going search for a consistent leadoff man.

**Cincinnati Reds**  
Pete Rose has managed to get Cincinnati winning again. Enthusiasm and emotion can carry the Reds only so far, though, and this year will be a test.

Center fielder Eric Davis (.277, 27 HR, 71 RBI, 80 SB) at age 24 may be the game's next superstar and 35-year-old Dave Parker (.273, 31 HR, 116 RBI) is still a force. Third baseman Buddy Bell (.278, 20 HR, 75 RBI) joins with Rose, Ron Oester and rookie Barry Larkin as Reds' infielders raised in Cincinnati.

How well the Reds do depends on their pitching. Tom Browning slumped from a rookie 20-game winner to 14-13. Mario Soto continued to have arm problems and went 5-10 and John Denny was released after a poor year. On the positive side, Ted Power became an effective starter after struggling as a reliever. Bill Gullickson went 15-12 and John Franconi continued as a bona fide stopper (29 saves). Frank Williams (4-3 in 64 games) was obtained in the Milner trade for middle relief.

Rose, 46 next month, is coming off his worst season (.219). The all-time hit leader is ineligible to play until May 15 and even then probably won't activate himself, perhaps waiting until September to end his career with a hit.

**San Diego Padres**  
Since reaching the World Series in 1984, the Padres have been going downhill fast. Now, after firing fiery Dick Williams following the 1985 season and easy-going Steve Boros during the winter after a fourth-place finish, San Diego went back to

Plan A — hiring rabble-rouser Larry Bowa.

Bowa guided the Padres' Class AAA team to a championship last year in his first season of managing, but he doesn't have much to work with in San Diego.

Kevin McReynolds and Terry Kennedy, who combined for 38 home runs and 153 RBI, have been traded away. In return, San Diego got some young prospects, all-purpose Kevin Mitchell and pitcher Storm Davis.

Tony Gwynn is great (.329, 14 HR, 59 RBI, 37 SB) but Steve Garvey, Rich Gossage and Garry Templeton are getting old.

**Atlanta Braves**  
The tandem of Manager Chuck Tanner and General Manager Bobby Cox did not promise instant miracles last season, and there were none. Atlanta finished last for the first time in six years.

Prospects for significant improvement are slim because of weak pitching. Rick Mahler (14-8, 4.88) was the best starter and Paul Assenmacher (7-3, seven saves, 2.50) emerged as a quality reliever. Bruce Sutter, the \$10 million man, will miss the entire season with continued arm problems. Rookie Steve Ziem (15-7 in the minors) may help.

Dale Murphy remains one of baseball's most consistent power hitters (29 HR, 83 RBI), aided by homer haven Atlanta-Fulton County Stadium. Murphy is shifting from center field to right this season to make room for Dion James, obtained from Milwaukee as a leadoff hitter.

Atlanta's biggest moves during the winter were not re-signing free agents Horner (27 HR, 87 RBI) and Doyle Alexander (11-10 overall).



Serve By Hansen

Kevin Hansen, the No. 1 boys' singles player on the Hereford High School tennis team, serves the ball in a match against Tim Harmon of Clovis Tuesday. Hansen defeated Harmon, 4-6, 6-3, 6-2, and also teamed with Conrad Rodriguez to win a doubles match. Hereford defeated Clovis 16-2 in the dual match. (Brand photo by Gary Christensen)

## Hereford netters beat Clovis 16-2

Hereford High School's tennis team won 16 of 18 matches against Clovis Tuesday afternoon in Hereford, including all nine girls' matches.

The HHS tennis team will play in the Lubbock team tournament this Friday and Saturday, and then in the Amarillo Relays tournament on April 10-11.

Hereford girls' winning singles matches over Clovis opponents Tuesday were Lana Kosub, Misty Stokes, Tiffany LeGate, Lori Reinauer, Bridget Baker, and Dana Zinser.

Victorious girls' doubles teams were Stokes and Baker, Kosub and Reinauer, and Zinser and Wendy Connally.

In boys' singles matches, winners for Hereford were Kevin Hansen, Conrad Rodriguez, Jason Bodner, Matt Coplen, and Brian Thomas. Hansen and Rodriguez won a doubles match, as did Coplen, and Justin Flood.

- 6-0, 6-2
- BOYS' SINGLES**
1. Kevin Hansen, Hereford, def. Harmon, Clovis, 4-6, 6-3, 6-2.
  2. Conrad Rodriguez, Hereford, def. Urban, Clovis, 6-7, 6-1, 6-4.
  3. Hicks, Clovis, def. Brad Allred, Hereford, 6-1, 0-4, 7-5.
  4. Jason Bodner, Hereford, def. LaFata, Clovis, 6-3, 4-6, 6-1.
  5. Matt Coplen, Hereford, def. Denton, Clovis, 6-0, 6-2.
  6. Brian Thomas, Hereford, def. Robertson, Clovis, 6-3, 6-1.
- GIRLS' DOUBLES**
1. Misty Stokes & Bridget Baker, Hereford, def. Stagner & Bruce, Clovis, 6-4, 6-3.
  2. Lana Kosub & Lori Reinauer, Hereford, def. Ochs & Wiltout, Clovis, 6-0, 6-2.
  3. Dana Zinser & Wendy Connally, Hereford, def. Rodriguez & Smith, Clovis, 6-2, 6-2.
- BOYS' DOUBLES**
1. Harmon & Hicks, Clovis, def. Brad Allred & Jason Bodner, Hereford, 6-3, 6-4.
  2. Kevin Hansen & Conrad Rodriguez, Hereford, def. Urban & LaFata, Clovis, 6-2, 6-1.
  3. Matt Coplen & Justin Flood, Hereford, def. Robertson & Denton, 6-2, 6-2.

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**Ralph Sampson returns to Houston lineup**

**Lakers defeat Rockets, 111-96**



**Co-ed "AA" League Champions**

The St. Anthony's (Knabe) team claimed the YMCA co-ed "AA" volleyball league title Tuesday night by defeating San Jose (Fields) in the playoff championship match, 15-13, 15-7. Members of the team are: front row from left, Frankie Bezner, Weldon Knabe, and Darwin Manning; back row from left, Cindy Knabe, Cindy Baker, and Ben Gear.

INGLEWOOD, Calif. (AP) — Houston's Ralph Sampson returned to the court after missing 27 games due to arthroscopic surgery, and, although the Los Angeles Lakers prevailed, he showed how he could spark the Rockets.

Wearing a brace on his left knee, Sampson entered Tuesday night's NBA game late in the first period, hit his first shot, pulled down five rebounds and passed for two assists in five minutes of playing time in the first half.

His final tally of four points, six rebounds and three assists in a total of 11 minutes on the court couldn't overcome the 21-point performance of Earvin "Magic" Johnson, who led

**Co-ed volleyball titles decided Tuesday at 'Y'**

Co-ed volleyball league championships were won Tuesday night at the Hereford and Vicinity YMCA by the St. Anthony's (Knabe), Nazarene (Stengel), and Church of Christ (Minchew) teams.

St. Anthony's (Knabe) won the co-ed "AA" championship by beating San Jose (Fields), 15-13, 15-7.

Nazarene (Stengel) won the co-ed "A" championship with a 15-5, 9-15, 11-3 win over Avenue Baptist (Frazier). In a semifinal match also played on Tuesday, Nazarene (Stengel) defeated St. Anthony's (Schumacher), 15-11, 15-3.

Both semifinal matches as well as the championship match were played Tuesday night in the co-ed "B" league.

Church of Christ (Minchew) beat First Methodist (Langehenning), 15-8, 9-15, 11-9, in one of the semifinal matches, and in the other semifinal battle, Templo El Jordan defeated First Methodist (Wymore), 15-9, 15-9.

Church of Christ (Minchew) emerged as the league champion by winning two close games, 18-16, 15-13, over Templo El Jordan.

the Lakers to a 111-96 victory. But Houston Coach Bill Fitch thought Sampson's play was the best part of the Rockets' game.

"When he was out there and got those five rebounds in five minutes was the only time we were able to run," said Fitch, whose team clinched a Western Conference playoff berth because of a loss by the Phoenix Suns.

Fitch acknowledged that Sampson was not fully ready, and Sampson agreed.

"I'm not 100 percent yet, but I'm not worried about it. A few more games and I'll be there," he said.

"It didn't hurt tonight, but I'm going to wait until tomorrow to see how stiff and sore it is. Your skills bounce back faster than anything else will," he said.

"Sampson will create trouble when he comes back," said Lakers Coach

Pat Riley, who remembered all too well how the Rockets, with Sampson and Akeem Olajuwon, eliminated Los Angeles from the playoffs last season.

"Houston — they tore our hearts out last year and we're never going to let that happen again," Riley said.

Byron Scott finished with 20 points for the Lakers and James Worthy had 17 while Kareem Abdul-Jabbar put in 16. Johnson also had 13 assists.

"The last three games have been three of our best defensive games of the season," Riley said. "We're using our quickness and we're closing people out. It's about as good as we can play. In the last eight to 10 games, Earvin has played some of the best basketball he's ever played."

Houston was led by Robert Reid and Jim Petersen with 16 points each. Rodney McCray put in 15

points and Steve Harris added 12 before fouling out. Olajuwon had 11 points and 14 rebounds for the Rockets.

Houston, behind 60-48 at halftime, scored the first eight points of the third quarter to get within four. The Rockets later got as close as 77-72 with 3:04 left in the third quarter.

The Lakers, leading 88-80 going into the fourth quarter, started the final period with a 14-6 spurt, putting the game away with six minutes to play.

"When we were four and five points down in the third quarter it meant that we had narrowed the gap," said Fitch. "But after being five points down at 77-72 our ball handling got to be atrocious. We made two straight turnovers. In the playoffs our backcourt is going to have to play much better offensively and defensively."



**Co-ed "A" Volleyball Champions**

The Nazarene (Stengel) team won the YMCA co-ed "A" volleyball league championship Tuesday night by defeating Avenue Baptist (Frazier) in the title

match, 15-5, 9-15, 11-3. Team members are: front row from left, Lori Page and Cathy Bunch; back row from left, Richard Stengel, Davis Ford, and Dave Hill.

**Nuggets knock off**

**San Antonio, 111-106**

DENVER (AP) — Denver Nuggets Coach Doug Moe wants more than victory, he wants victory with flair.

"There was just no atmosphere and the game certainly didn't create any," Moe said Tuesday night after the Nuggets bumped the San Antonio Spurs 111-106 in NBA action, moving a step closer to a playoff berth.

"That's probably the poorest game we've had lately," Moe continued. "Both teams were flat. It was a very poor game to say the least."

San Antonio Coach Bobby Weiss also saw the game has a poor effort.

"We couldn't seem to get a handle on things," Weiss said. "I believe offensive rebounds killed us real bad. The playoff picture looks like we're not out of it mathematically but Denver needs to get in a terrible slump and we would need to get super hot."

Bill Hanzlik put the Nuggets ahead to stay at 22-21 with a short banker in the first period.

The Spurs had led 21-20 on the hot shooting of Jon Sundvold before Hanzlik's shot.

T.R. Dunn hit a layup and after Sundvold's sixth basket of the period, Hanzlik contributed a three-point play on which he was fouled and Danny Schayes came in with two free throws that gave Denver a 29-23 first-period lead.

The Nuggets, 32-41, continued to add to their margin and held a 92-76 lead going into the fourth quarter. They pushed their lead to 24 points at 104-80 on a run led by Blair Rasmussen.

The Spurs were able to trim the final margin to a deceptive five points at the end, finishing off with a flurry of three-pointers by Johnny Moore, who had three of them, and Johnny Dawkins.

Alex English had 18 points for

Denver, Walker 17 and Lafayette Lever and Hanzlik 15 each.

Moore topped all scorers with 21 points for the Spurs, followed by Sundvold and Dawkins with 16 each.

**Walling, Garner to platoon**

**again at Astros 3rd base**

By MICHAEL A. LUTZ  
AP Sports Writer

KISSIMMEE, Fla. (AP) — Houston's Denny Walling and Phil Garner plan to once again play out their own version of platoon at third base this season.

Their act at the position last season was the second most productive performance in the National League behind Philadelphia's Mike Schmidt.

Walling and Garner contributed 202 hits and 98 runs batted in as the Astros won the National League's Western Division title.

Schmidt drove in 119 runs on 160 hits and 37 home runs and won the National League's Most Valuable Player Award.

Now, Walling and Garner are back for more an encore.

"I don't know many managers in the big leagues who wouldn't take that kind of production at third base," Walling said.

Walling was one of the Astros who had a career-best season, hitting .312 and driving in 58 runs on 119 hits and 13 home runs.

Garner hit .265 on 83 hits and 41 RBIs and had 9 homers.

"We've done a fine job at third base," Walling said. "We work good together, but there's also competition when we're going for ground balls."

"We play for a coke now and then, but if he's in the game I root for him and he roots for me when it's my turn."

It was Walling's home run on Sept. 25 that gave Mike Scott the only run he needed when he pitched a no-hitter that clinched the NL Western Division title.

Walling ranked sixth among NL pinchhitters with a .387 average.

"With men on base in front of me like (Billy) Doran and (Billy) Hatcher causing havoc and All-Stars (Kevin) Bass and (Glenn) Davis behind me, I saw a lot of pitches to hit," Walling said.

"I don't see any reason for that to change."

Walling produced in every category whether as a starter or off the bench.

"I pinch-hit in the crucial situations, came in late in games and played defense and I sprayed the ball to all fields," Walling said. "All I want to do now is do the same thing this year."

Walling also expects the Astros have another outstanding year.

"I expect the Reds and Dodgers and Giants to be strong but I also expect us to have the same kind of year," Walling said. "We've got the basic same lineup and our younger players have matured."

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National League East preview

# Mets predicted to repeat division title

By BEN WALKER  
AP Baseball Writer

The only race in the National League East this season is for second place.

If any World Series champion is capable of breaking the repeat jinx and winning again, it's the New York Mets.

"They have the best pitching in the majors. That is where you have to look when you talk about winning pennants," Manager Davey Johnson says, and they have added Kevin McReynolds to the most potent offense in the league.

The Mets also possess something that often escapes World Series winners the following season — a hunger to keep winning.

The Mets are the most hated team in baseball. Their confidence and cockiness produces an endless stream of curtain calls, high-fives and scrapes, all glorified on highlight videos flashed across the Shea Stadium scoreboard between innings.

It also produced a team that took over first place on April 23, went on to win 108 games and left the rest of the NL East behind in a cloud of dust — back 21½ games, the largest margin since divisional play started in 1969.

The Philadelphia Phillies improved, finally signing free agent catcher Lance Parrish. But the Phillies, like the St. Louis Cardinals, who went flat after winning the World Series, must rely on shaky pitching.

There will be one other race in the NL East this season — last place. The candidates: Montreal, Chicago and Pittsburgh.

In 1987, it looks like New York, Philadelphia, St. Louis, Montreal, Pittsburgh, Chicago.

**New York Mets**

The Mets continue to have more trouble off the field than on, prompting General Manager Frank Cashen to write his players during the winter and tell them to cool it.

Dwight Gooden, Ron Darling and

Tim Teufel were placed on one year's probation for their part in a fight with Houston police; Gary Carter's name was connected to an alleged vitamin scheme and Darryl Strawberry's marital problems hit the papers.

How will this affect the Mets? It might reinforce their "us vs. everyone else" syndrome and make them even better.

The Mets' Big Four of Bobby Ojeda (18-5, 2.57 earned run average), Gooden (17-6, 2.84 in an inconsistent season), Darling (15-6, 2.81) and Sid Fernandez (16-6, 3.52) is intact. Rick Aguilera (10-7) will step into the rotation, and Roger McDowell (14-9, 2.22 saves) and Jesse Orosco (8-6, 2.1 saves) form a righty-lefty bullpen team that added Gene Walter (57 games) for middle relief.

World Series MVP Ray Knight (.298, 11 home runs, 76 RBI) talked himself into being a disgruntled free agent and went to Baltimore. Howard Johnson and rookie Dave Magadan will fill third base, and McReynolds (288, 26 home runs, 96 RBI, all career bests) was acquired from San Diego to replace Knight.

Keith Hernandez (.310, 83 RBI), sparkplugs Wally Backman and Lenny Dykstra (the so-called "Wanny Backstra" combination batted over 300 with 44 stolen bases), Carter (24 HR, 105 RBI) and Strawberry (27 HR, 93 RBI) power the offense.

**Philadelphia Phillies**

Mike Schmidt, the 1986 NL Most Valuable Player, says the Phillies have five MVP candidates this season — himself, Parrish, Von Hayes, Juan Samuel and Glenn Wilson. Unfortunately for Philadelphia, none of them are pitchers.

Give the Phillies credit. When most teams were avoiding high-priced free agents, Philadelphia identified its biggest need and signed Parrish (22 HR, 62 RBI with Detroit). He'll help cut the Phillies' league-leading 23 passed balls and inability to stop runners from steal-

ing. Schmidt, at age 37 (.290, 37 HR, 119 RBI) had been saying this would be his final season, but now says he won't decide until Sept. 1. The decision will depend on how well his knees and the Phillies do.

Hayes (.305, 19 HR, 98 RBI), Wilson (15 HR, 84 RBI) and Samuel (16 HR, 78 RBI, 42 stolen bases) can hit and so can Mike Easler (a .300 hitter). The Phillies got DH Easler from the New York Yankees for Charles Hudson and hope he can get more balls in left field than get him.

Ah, but pitching. The Phillies ranked seventh in the league and even invited former ace Steve Carlton to camp hoping he could help. He couldn't.

Shane Rawley (11-7) is trying to come back from surgery. Bruce Ruffin did well as a rookie (.94) and Don Carman was 10-5 with a 3.22 as a starter-reliever. Steve Bedrosian was best in the bullpen with 29 saves.

**St. Louis Cardinals**

In 1985, St. Louis streaked around the bases bragging that "speed never slumps." Last season, the Cards discovered that you can't steal first base.

Willie McGee, Tommy Herr, Vince Coleman and Jack Clark all struggled as St. Louis sunk to 79-82. McGee, the 1985 NL MVP when he batted .353 with 56 stolen bases, faded to .256 with 19 steals. Herr declined from .302 and 110 RBI to .252 with 61 RBI. Coleman dipped from .267 to .232 and Clark was injured for more than half the season.

John Tudor (21-8, 1.93 ERA) pitched well (.13-7, 2.92) but did not get run support. Danny Cox (.12-13) needs more consistency and 6-foot-6 rookie Joe Magrane may make the lefty-dominated rotation. Todd Worrell (36 saves, 2.08) was NL Rookie of the Year, but Jeff Lahti, part of St. Louis' bullpen-by-committee in 1985, has not recovered from arm problems that limited him to four appearances.

**Montreal Expos**

The Expos, once projected as the Team Of The 1980's, could become the club of the '90s — as in 90 or more losses.

Andre Dawson and Jeff Reardon are gone, and Tim Lincecum may leave.

The pitching staff is in shambles. Injuries may keep Bryn Smith, Charlie Lea and Joe Hesketh out of action. Floyd Youmans, 22 (13-12) and Neal Heaton (7-15), acquired from Minnesota for Reardon, are the only two sure starters. Tim Burke (9-7) will try to make up some of Reardon's 35 saves.

Montreal cannot replace free agents Dawson (.284, 20 HR, 78 RBI), who signed with the Cubs, and Raines (.332, 70 stolen bases), who is unsigned but says he will not return.

The Expos do have the hardest-hitting left side of the infield, shortstop Hubie Brooks (.340, 14 HR, 58 RBI) before being injured halfway through 1986) and third baseman Tim Wallach (18 HR, 71 RBI).

Another bright spot — the retractable roof over Olympic Stadium is almost ready. One reason for the dome was to block out cold weather in case the Expos reached the World Series — using that logic, Montreal could have waited another decade.

**Pittsburgh Pirates**

Last season, under enthusiastic new Manager Jim Leyland, Pittsburgh compiled the best record in spring training, fueling some misguided optimism. When the season started, the Pirates went 64-98, the worst in the majors.

Pittsburgh may be getting younger, but necessarily better.

Ace Rick Rhoden (15-12, 2.84) was traded to the Yankees for Brian Fisher, Doug Drabek and Logan Easley, a trio of young pitchers for a patchwork pitching staff anchored by soon-to-be 38-year-old Rick Reuschel (9-16).

Johnny Ray (.301) and Tony Pena (.288) hit well, Jim Morrison (.23 HR, 88 RBI) was a major surprise and Barry Bonds (16 HR, 36 SB) may get better.

**Chicago Cubs**

Since winning the NL East in 1984, the Cubs have added Dawson and Shawon Dunston to their lineup. Then, why is Chicago so bad?

Rick Sutcliffe (5-14), Dennis Eckersley (6-11), Steve Trout (5-7) and Scott Sanderson (9-11), were all signed to big-money, multi-year con-

tracts after 1984. General Manager Dallas Green admits that was a mistake.

Age has caught up with Cubs. Ron Cey was traded away, and Chicago is looking to deal Gary Matthews (21 HR).

Ryne Sandberg (.284, 14 HR, 76 RBI, 34 SB) and Dunston (17 HR, 68 RBI) are solid. Leon Durham (20

HR) needs to be more aggressive and Keith Moreland (79 RBI) will struggle at third base.

The Cubs hope an injection of youth, including pitchers Jamie Moyer, Drew Hall and Greg Maddux and outfielders Rafael Palmeiro, Dave Martinez and Chico Walker will help. Maybe, but not for a long time.



Winners Of Co-ed "B" Title

The Church of Christ (Minchew) team won the championship of the YMCA co-ed "B" volleyball league Tuesday, beating Temple El Jordan in the championship match, 18-16, 15-13. Team members are: front row from left, Dianna Brown, Brenda Rusher, and Kim Leonard; back row from left, Kyle Minchew, Rusty Rusher, and Kirk Minchew.

## Mavericks defeat Clippers

DALLAS (AP) — Mark Aguirre says the Dallas Mavericks didn't want the Los Angeles Clippers to slip up on them as the team approaches the 50-victory mark for the first time in franchise history and prepares for the playoffs.

So Aguirre did the best he could to make sure the Mavericks didn't get upset by scoring 36 points to lead the Mavericks to a 118-102 NBA victory over the Clippers Tuesday night.

The victory was the 49th of the season for the Dallas as the Mavericks finished their best month ever, 12-4, and moved to 25 games over .500 for the first time ever.

"This was a good victory for us," Aguirre said. "We didn't want a team like Los Angeles to slip up on us. We have only nine games left (in the regular season) and we have to play them one at a time."

The victory gives the Mavericks a chance to win their 50th game Friday night in a home game against the Golden State Warriors, a position

Mavericks coach Dick Motta likes to be in.

"Going for that 50th victory is going to be important," Motta said. "It's a milestone. I like to compare it as running the four-minute mile."

Mike Woodson, who scored 22 points for the Clippers, said he thought Los Angeles played well.

It was "by far our best game here this year," Woodson said. "We were in the game until the middle of the fourth quarter. But Dallas is playing well right now."

Los Angeles coach Don Chaney said he was able to see some positive signs even in defeat.

"At this point in the season, you just strive for the development of your younger players," Chaney said. "We played very aggressive tonight and hung in there until late in the third period. We played hard for three quarters, and just seemed to fold. We don't have the bench Dallas does, and that hurt us."

If there is any team in the Western

Conference who can beat the Los Angeles Lakers in the playoffs, it is Dallas, Chaney said.

"Dallas is so strong, they can go to 12 players and all of them can maintain a high level of play," Chaney said. "If they keep playing with this same type of intensity, they might just knock off the Lakers."

Dallas grabbed a 28-27 lead early in the second quarter and held a 54-49 halftime lead.

But they couldn't put away the lowly Clippers until midway through the third period when they took a 91-77 lead.

It was the third straight loss for the Clippers, 12-59, who have the worst record in the NBA. They have lost 15 of their last 17 and are 3-34 on the road.

Rory White scored 23 points to lead the Clippers.

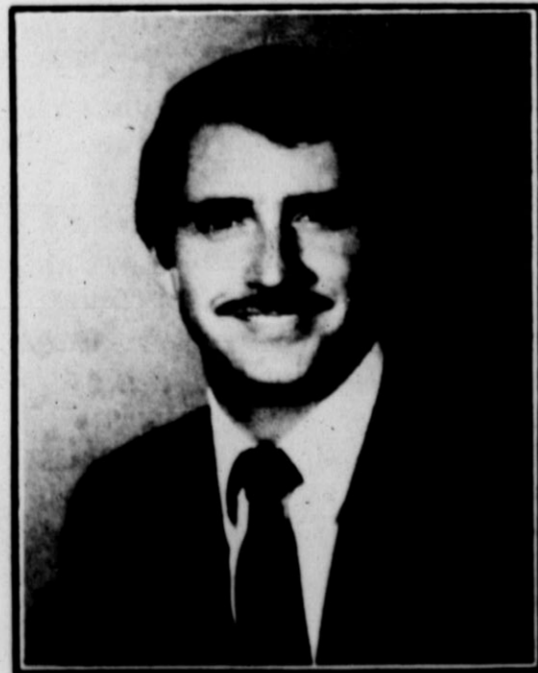
Guard Derek Harper had 17 points and six steals for Dallas. The six steals gave him 154 for the season.

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# Effort to gain fed grain payment 'scam'

BILLINGS, Mont. (AP) — A general partnership's efforts to obtain federal grain deficiency payments on a wheat farm north of Miles City was described Monday by a federal official as "a scam."

"It is a scheme and device to defeat the intent of the law," said Tom VonGarlem, assistant deputy administrator for the U.S. Department of Agriculture.

"Thirty-one people put up ten dollars each to buy 25,000 acres of growing wheat," VonGarlem said.

"This is a scam if there ever was one."

Last week, VonGarlem's office denied second-half deficiency payments and demanded the return of the first-half payments, which together total about \$900,000.

He noted the decision can be appealed to Agriculture Department officials in Washington, D.C.

VonGarlem works in the state and county operations' division of the U.S. Agricultural Stabilization and Conservation Service in Washington.

The former business manager of Ag Management and Associates, a general partnership from Amarillo, Texas, said in Billings on Monday that the partners all put in the same amount of money, and he will appeal the decision.

"He (VonGarlem) didn't like the idea of each partner putting up only ten dollars," said Billy Rutherford, who flew into Billings on Sunday. "But each partner is liable for any and all money borrowed, and the rules said that the amount each part-

ner contributed must be the same amount."

Rutherford contended that Sen. John Melcher, D-Mont., had "exercised what power he had to get Ag Management's USDA-ASCS farm program snapped up by Washington for a thorough review to see if there could be government loopholes that could prevent Ag Management from receiving their already-earned and qualified-for ASCS government payments."

Last week, USDA announced it had determined that the partners had not met the capital-contribution requirements when they received deficiency payments and were not qualified for the program.

That ruling means that the partners have to return the first payment of \$460,000, said Everett Snortland of Bozeman, the state ASCS director.

Melcher, responding to Rutherford's comments, said, "When payments approach a million dollars, the Department of Agriculture better be sure they have acted under the law. Rutherford's outfit does not qualify for each of the partners to receive up to \$50,000."

"We wrote the law," Melcher said. "In writing the law, we never heard of Rutherford or his proposal for bringing his umbrella group to receive up to \$50,000 apiece out of the Treasury. He got scrutinized because the payment approached the \$1 million mark. I expected the department to look at it."

VonGarlem said that his agency would pursue "normal civil action" to try to collect the debt. No criminal proceeding is expected, he said.

Deficiency payments are made to grain growers in the federal farm program and are based on the difference between the federally set target price and the loan price or market price, whichever is higher.

For the 1986 crop, the wheat deficiency payment was \$1.98 a bushel, with a \$50,000 per person limit.

The USDA determination ruled that Ag Management "is not a general partnership as it relates to 'person' determination for payment

limitations." Rutherford, of Claude, Texas, said he stepped down as business manager of Ag Management last Thursday and terminated the partnership's lease with John Hancock Insurance Co., which owns the Crow Rock Ranch in Garfield and Prairie counties north of Miles City.

Ag Management was operating the farm, which was sold in 1983. Ag Management took over operation of the farm in April of 1986.

## Corn stockpile causing reduction of corn crops

WASHINGTON (AP) — Farmers plan to cut back sharply on corn plantings this spring, reflecting overloaded world granaries, lagging exports and participation in government acreage programs.

An Agriculture Department report said Tuesday that an annual survey showed corn farmers may reduce plantings to 67.6 million acres, a 12 percent cut from 76.7 million acres last year.

The department's Agricultural Statistics Board said the survey of more than 70,000 farmers in early

March also showed 1987 reductions of some other major crops, including soybeans, sorghum, barley, rice, sweet potatoes, winter wheat and "other" spring wheat.

Increases were indicated for spring-planted durum wheat, oats, cotton, sugarbeets, peanuts, tobacco and dry edible beans.

According to USDA records, if farmers follow through with current plans, 1987 corn plantings would be one of the smallest acreages in 15 years, since 67.1 million acres were

planted in 1972. The corn acreage dropped to 60.2 million acres in 1983, a year of drought and massive government acreage cutbacks.

The indicated 1987 corn acreage also was held down by many farmers signing up in the department's long-range conservation reserve under a special bonus arrangement designed to attract fragile, highly erodible Corn Belt land into the program, thus keeping it out of crops for 10 years.

"Actual acreage planted may vary from intentions because of further adjustments to the 1987 farm program, the effects of weather, availability of production inputs, changes in market conditions prior to planting, and the indications from this report," the agency said.

Soybean plantings were indicated at 56.9 million acres, down 7 percent from last year and the smallest acreage since 1976.

Total wheat plantings, which include winter wheat seeded last fall for harvest later this year, were shown at 64.8 million acres, down 10 percent from a year ago.

Winter wheat plantings were reported at 48.2 million acres, down 11 percent from 1986, and other spring wheat was shown at 13.5 million acres, down 11 percent. Durum wheat, at 3.14 million acres, was up 5 percent from last year.

Other crops surveyed included: —Cotton plantings, 10.4 million acres, up 3 percent from last year.

—Sorghum, 11.8 million acres, down 23 percent.

—Barley, 11 million acres, down 16 percent.

—Oats, 15.7 million acres, up 7 percent.

—Rice, 2.32 million acres, down 3 percent.

—Peanuts, 1.61 million acres, up 3 percent.

—Tobacco, 608,000 acres, up 2 percent.

—Dry edible beans, 1.84 million acres, up 10 percent.

—Sweet potatoes, 94,000 acres, down 4 percent.

—Sugarbeets, 1,249,000 acres, up 1.3 percent.

## Foreigners own under 1 percent of U.S. farmland

WASHINGTON (AP) — Foreigners continue to own just under 1 percent of U.S. agricultural land, a slight increase from the level of a year ago, according to an annual report by the Agriculture Department.

The department's Economic Research Service said Monday its 1986 year-end analysis of reports under the Agricultural Foreign Investment Disclosure Act found 12.4 million acres of agricultural land in foreign hands, 369,000 acres more than reported in 1985.

Of the land owned by overseas interests, 52 percent was forest land, 17 percent cropland, 26 percent pasture and other uses, with the rest

unreported. Corporations held 79 percent of the foreign-owned land, with the balance held by individuals, partnerships, institutions and other entities.

As in the past, many of the owners are from the United Kingdom, Canada, West Germany, the Netherlands Antilles and Switzerland. Those countries combined to account for 70 percent of the total, the agency said.

Maine continued to have the heaviest concentration of foreign ownership, with such holdings accounting for 10 percent of the state's privately owned agricultural land — mostly timberland.

## Group wants support for conservation

WASHINGTON (AP) — A national conservation group, the American Farmland Trust, says it will try to convince Congress that more money should be spent on ways to help farmers cut production expenses.

The AFT, as the non-profit Washington-based group is known, said in its April newsletter that a task force will try to sell the House appropriations committee on the idea that funds should be provided for research into "low-input agriculture" techniques.

"Before the end of World War II, when chemical fertilizers and pesticides became readily available, most landowners practiced a simplified version of what we now call low-input farming," the report

said. "The urgent need to reduce costs and reliance on outside suppliers has prompted many farmers to consider the idea once again."

Low-input methods reduce but do not eliminate the use of expensive chemical fertilizers and pesticides. It lessens the need for those items "by incorporating sound conservation practices to reduce soil erosion and water runoff, discourage pests and weed growth, and preserve the soil's natural nutrients," the report said.

It added: "Past experience shows that the concept works, but the idea needs further development and refinement before today's farmers will widely accept it."

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# Clements drops push to abolish ag post

AUSTIN (AP) — Gov. Bill Clements is abandoning, at least temporarily, a controversial proposal to abolish the elected post of state agriculture commissioner.

Clements on Tuesday endorsed a series of economic development moves recommended by a blue-ribbon task force that he said are crucial for the state.

The proposals — ranging from creating a department of commerce to relieving small business of regulatory burdens — were recommended in January.

But Clements backed off from one of the most-discussed proposals from that group, a plan to convert the elected state agriculture commissioner's job to a post filled by gubernatorial appointment.

"After taking the pulse of various people, I find that is probably not a viable condition," Clements told his weekly news conference. "I don't think the task force has withdrawn its recommendation. I haven't changed my position either. But I don't think that's a viable suggestion."

The proposal, first offered with other economic development recommendations Jan. 23, pitted the state's only 20th century Republican governor against Democrat Jim Hightower, a self-proclaimed populist who has transformed a once-sleepy office into one with national visibility.

According to the authors of the

original plan, allowing the governor to appoint the agriculture commissioner would make for better state-federal relations and allow efficient coordination of federal and state farm programs.

on issues where they disagree and to work together on issues where they agree, such as working with Mexico," Welch said.

Clements insisted he never intended to challenge Hightower.

"There was never any effort on anyone's part to replace Mr. Hightower. I have explained that to him," the governor said. "He is an official elected by the people of Texas, and it would be very improper for anyone to consider that we were talking about displacing him per se."

Turning to the economic development proposals he does endorse, Clements said improving the economy and creating jobs is "rightfully on the minds of many Texans. People are bemoaning the condition of the economy."

## For farm exports

# Trade analysis shows grim results

WASHINGTON (AP) — A new trade analysis by the Agriculture Department continues to offer grim tidings on agricultural exports, a mainstay of the U.S. farm economy. In 1986, the report released Monday

showed that the value of farm exports dropped 10 percent to \$26 billion, while the actual quantity of commodities shipped declined 9 percent to 108.7 million metric tons. "Rising grain production in impor-

ting countries cut overseas demand and U.S. exports," said the report by the department's Economic Research Service. "The (Soviet Union) accounted for the largest drop by cutting its purchases of U.S. grain 11.6 million tons."

report said. The rise was attributed mainly to higher coffee prices, unfavorable U.S. weather and strong consumer demand.

"Imports from Mexico soared 40 percent to \$2 billion because of increased volume in vegetables, coffee and live cattle," the report said.

The report added: "As world grain and oilseed stocks grew, prices fell, further reducing the value of exports. However, high-value exports generally performed better than bulk exports, possibly reflecting overseas response to the weaker dollar."

Department officials had anticipated the decline. Previous reports for the fiscal year that ended last Sept. 30 put U.S. farm exports at \$26.3 billion and the total volume at 109.6 million tons.

A metric ton is about 2,205 pounds.

The USDA's most recent forecast for the 1987 fiscal year that began last Oct. 1 is an export value of \$26 billion and an increase in export volume to about 114 million tons. No forecast is usually made for the calendar year.

Agricultural imports in calendar 1986 were shown at a record \$21.1 billion, up \$1.1 billion from 1985. The

Prices of most bulk commodities weakened in calendar 1986, the report said. World prices for primary commodities, excluding oil, fell about 7 percent in the first 11 months of 1986. Food prices dropped even more sharply.

"Of the products important to U.S. agricultural trade, only prices for coffee and soybean meal averaged above 1985 levels," the report said.

Despite the overall farm export picture, the value of shipments to the European Economic Community last year increased for the first time since 1980, rising 1 percent to \$6.6 billion.

Even so, the value of some farm shipments to the EEC continued to decline in 1986, the report said. Competition cut U.S. cotton sales and EEC self-sufficiency in grains continued to grow.

## Commodity prices same as last year

WASHINGTON (AP) — An Agriculture Department report shows that farmers, on the average, in March got about the same price for commodities they produce as they did in February and a year ago.

Higher prices for lettuce, cotton, cattle and tomatoes were offset by lower prices for milk, hogs, strawberries, eggs and sweet corn, which held the preliminary March reading at the revised February average.

Food grains, livestock feed grains and oilseeds showed little change during the month, the report said. Corn and wheat were down 1 cent per bushel each while soybean prices were unchanged.

The all-beef cattle price has continued to increase since January,"

the report said. "Calves were at the highest price level since November 1980. Hog prices dropped after showing small gains in February."

No new figures were reported to show what happened to prices paid by farmers to meet expenses. The most recent average computed in January showed farm expenses running 0.6 percent higher than last October but 1.2 percent below a year earlier.

In a related report, USDA said the March 1 inventory of corn was estimated at 8.25 billion bushels, up 25 percent from 6.59 billion bushels a year earlier. Wheat stocks were put at 2.25 billion bushels, down fractionally from March 1, 1986, and the soybean inventory, at 1.38 billion bushels, was up about 1 percent.

## Diversification confab Saturday

The Texas Department of Agriculture is sponsoring a MAP Diversification Conference in the Classroom Center on the West Texas State University campus from 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. on Saturday, April 4.

MAP stands for Making Agriculture Profitable and that is what this conference will key in on. In the midst of the crisis in agriculture there are farmers and ranchers who have diversified and moved into direct marketing and processing with excellent results. At the MAP conference some of these people will tell you how they accomplished their successes.

There will be five presentations on such topics as raising beans and other vegetables, marketing specialty beef, buffalo and exotic game, growing grapes, seed, nursery stock and catfish, and exporting honey and pecans. There will be "How to" presentations in processing opportunities such as flour mills, beef jerky, tortillas, and a grit mill. There will also be presentations on financing, grants, promotion, organizing co-ops, selling to restaurants, and other business opportunities.

There is no registration charge and no advanced registration. Lunch is on your own. Materials will accompany each presentation. For information contact the TDA office in Amarillo at 806-358-7285.



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**Says falsely accused man**

**Apartment was bugged**

DALLAS (AP) — Lenell Geter, a black engineer wrongly sent to prison for an armed robbery conviction, says his apartment was electronically bugged earlier this year.

Geter reported the alleged bugging incident in a sworn affidavit filed in federal court March 18 in connection with his damage suit filed against Dallas County prosecutors and police in Greenville, Garland, Plano and Balch Springs.

The suit was filed by Geter and five other black engineers who claim the defendants engaged in "police conspiracy" and "police perjury" against the six engineers.

Several of the defendants filed a countersuit claiming defamation of character.

Geter was arrested and convicted and sent to prison in October 1982 on charges accusing him of robbing a fried chicken restaurant in Balch Springs.

The 29-year-old E-Systems engineer was sentenced to life in prison and served 16 months in prison before authorities determined another man was the robber. The conviction was eventually dismissed.

The case drew national publicity and was the subject of a recent made-for-television movie.

In the affidavit filed in federal court last month, Geter said he found "a small silver diaphragm" or microphone concealed in a textbook and attached by a thin wire to a "round blue plug-like object."

Bruce Bierman, an electronics expert from San Francisco, said in a companion affidavit that the object was an electronic bug similar to those often used by police officers.

"While the components are easily acquired, their use and construction in this manner is consistent with electronic surveillance techniques used by police and other investigative agencies," Bierman said in the affidavit.

A lawyer who represents some of the defendant's in Geter's suit denied that his clients had anything to do with the bugging.

"I find any insinuation that my clients would be party to this type of conduct is repugnant and insulting to their integrity," said James Scuro.



About 95 percent of all Americans marry at least once by the time they are 40 years old.

**COMICS**

**PEANUTS by Charles Schultz**



**STEVE CANYON by Milton Caniff**



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**THE BORN LOSER by Art Sansom**



**FRANK AND ERNEST by Bob Thaves**



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**TELEVISION SCHEDULE**

**WEDNESDAY**

- EVENING**
- 6:00 **Hardcastle and McCormick**
  - 6:05 **News**
  - 6:10 **MacNeil/Lehrer NewsHour**
  - 6:15 **Jim and Tammy**
  - 6:20 **Barney Miller**
  - 6:25 **SportsCenter**
  - 6:30 **Cuna de Lobos** Gonzalo Vega, Diana Bracho
  - 6:35 **Can't on TV**
  - 6:40 **Airwolf** (1985)
  - 6:45 **Too Close for Comfort**
  - 6:50 **James at 16** Lance Kerwin
  - 6:55 **Sanford and Son**
  - 7:00 **Hollywood Squares**
  - 7:05 **Wheel of Fortune**
  - 7:10 **Jeffersons**
  - 7:15 **Dating Game**
  - 7:20 **Speedweek**
  - 7:25 **El Precio de la Fama** Otelia Medina, Hector Bonilla
  - 7:30 **Dangerouse**
  - 7:35 **Gimme a Break!**
  - 7:40 **(MAX) The Big Break**
  - 7:45 **Honeymooners**
  - 7:50 **Specials**
  - 7:55 **Highway to Heaven**
  - 8:00 **Live from the Met** Agnes Baltsa, Jose Carreras (1987)
  - 8:05 **Perfect Strangers**
  - 8:10 **Camp Meeting USA**
  - 8:15 **MOVIE: Prime Time 55 Days at Peking, Part 1** \*\*\* In the 1900s, Chinese people's resentment against the infiltration of Western ideas erupts into violence against missionaries and foreigners. Charlton Heston, Ava Gardner (1963) NR
  - 8:20 **Roxie**
  - 8:25 **La Gloria y el Infierno** Otelia Medina, Hector Bonilla
  - 8:30 **Donna Reed**
  - 8:35 **Riptide**
  - 8:40 **MOVIE: The Only Game in Town** \*\*\* A Las Vegas chorus girl, waiting for her married lover to divorce his wife, meets a gambler. Warren Beatty, Elizabeth Taylor (1968) PG
  - 8:45 **Vietnam: The Ten Thousand Day War**
  - 8:50 **(MAX) MOVIE: The Sterile Cuckoo** \*\*\* An innocent college boy gets in over his head when he becomes romantically involved with a kookie girl who is afraid of the world. Liza Minnelli, Wendell Burton (1969) PG Profanity, Mature Themes.
  - 8:55 **(HBO) MOVIE: Back to the Future** \*\*\* When a teenager is inadvertently thrown back to 1955, he must correct the skewed course of history, including the courtship of his own parents. Michael J. Fox, Christopher Lloyd (1985) PG Profanity, Violence
  - 9:00 **News**
  - 9:05 **Jim and Tammy**
  - 9:10 **News**
  - 9:15 **Houston Knights**
  - 9:20 **I Spy**
  - 9:25 **Fall Guy**
  - 9:30 **The Rocket Pilots**
  - 9:35 **(MAX) MOVIE: The Money Pit** \*\*\* When a young couple needs a new home in a hurry, they find a beautiful mansion in the country that isn't quite the bargain it seems to be. Tom Hanks, Shelley Long (1986) PG
  - 9:40 **(HBO) Barbra Streisand: One Voice** (1986) NR
  - 9:45 **Best of the Three Stooges**
  - 9:50 **American Snapshots**
  - 9:55 **Fishin' Hole**
  - 10:00 **Noticiero UNIVISION**
  - 10:05 **Hardcastle and McCormick**
  - 10:10 **News**
  - 10:15 **Bodywatch** (1987)
  - 10:20 **Dwight Thompson**
  - 10:25 **Honeymooners**
  - 10:30 **El Vidente**
  - 10:35 **Route 66**
  - 10:40 **Alfred Hitchcock**
  - 10:45 **Late Show starring Joan Rivers**
  - 10:50 **(HBO) MOVIE: Lucas** \*\*\* When a pretty girl moves to town, a small and bookish boy decides to try out for the football team in a touching, funny attempt to win her love. Corey Haim, Keri Green (1986) PG13
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  - 8:00 **Wild America** (1983)
  - 8:05 **Our World** (1986)
  - 8:10 **Camp Meeting USA**
  - 8:15 **MOVIE: Prime Time 55 Days at Peking, Part 2** \*\*\*
  - 8:20 **The Wizard**
  - 8:25 **Major League Baseball's Greatest Hits**
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  - 8:40 **Riptide**
  - 8:45 **MOVIE: The Sun Also Rises** \*\*\*
  - 8:50 **The Woman in White** Jenny Seagrove
  - 8:55 **(MAX) MOVIE: Mischief** \*\*\* Four high school companions find their small-town lives are changed when a street smart kid from Chicago shows them the ropes of love, sex and life. Doug McKean, Catherine Mary Stewart (1985) R Profanity, Nudity
  - 9:00 **News**
  - 9:05 **Jack and Mike**
  - 9:10 **Simon and Simon**
  - 9:15 **My Three Sons**
  - 9:20 **MOVIE: I'm Going to Be Famous** A famous author and a leading Hollywood sex symbol offer auditions to young hopefuls. Dick Sargent, Roslyn Kind
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**Crossword**

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- House pet
- Air (comb. form)
- Journey
- Small car
- Having ridges
- Roman bronze
- Actor
- Malden
- Rampart
- Trolley
- Over (poet.)
- 8 Range of sight
- Never (poet.)
- 9 Decoration
- Songstress Adams
- 10 Travel on horseback
- 15 Bauxite, e.g.
- 11 Dregs
- 16 Farm agency (abbr.)
- 17 Even (poet.)
- 18 Rounded lump
- 21 Long time
- 19 Fire-stirring rod
- 24 Undertone
- 20 Soul (Fr.)
- 26 — beans
- 22 Thing in law
- 27 At what time
- 23 Verve
- 28 Mist
- 25 Possess
- 29 Not original
- 27 Cries
- 30 Antique car
- 30 Inflammation
- 31 Former
- 33 Breakfast food
- 32 Cross in a church
- 34 Fades
- 35 First person
- 36 Strange (comb. form)
- 38 Baseball player
- 37 Singer
- 40 Unlawful
- 39 Bandleader Ar-naz
- 41 Sgt.
- 42 Stinging plant
- 44 Jubilant
- 46 Army Transport Service (abbr.)
- 47 Crossbar
- 48 Great success
- 50 Make into leather
- 52 Striking effect
- 56 Compile
- 58 — Kong
- 60 Poverty-war agency (abbr.)
- 61 De — again
- 62 Napoleon's island
- 63 Hockey great Bobby
- 64 Toboggan
- 65 Supper, e.g.
- 66 Nautical rope

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- Confine

Answer to Previous Puzzle

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43 Landing boat

45 Former nuclear agency (abbr.)

47 Lizard

48 Female birds

49 False god

51 Throat-clearing word

53 Pillage

54 Ethereal

55 Ripped

57 Bushy clump

59 Basketball group (abbr.)



**Student of Month**

Senior Tim Alexander, left, accepts the Student of the Month award from Noon Kiwanian Paul Hamilton. Alexander, the son of David and Mary Alexander, received the best actor award in District 1-4A (North Zone) competition for his leading

role in "Othello" recently. He has accepted a scholarship to Amarillo College and was an escort for the Miss Hereford pageant at which he portrayed Philip Micheal Thomas of "Miami Vice."

**Volunteers present program**

Volunteers from the Deaf Smith County Museum have presented a program featuring Indian artifacts to 58 classes in the Hereford Schools.

The artifacts were loaned to the DSC Museum by Panhandle Plains Museum in Canyon. These artifacts included a deerskin, clothing made of deerskin, a buffalo skull, hide, and various articles created out of buffalo hide, a cradleboard, papoose, and several Indian toys.

Volunteers presenting the programs included Judy Detten, Sylvia Castillo, Kathy Guseman, Cherry McWhorter, and Lisa Albiar. Approximately 1,150 students have seen the educational programs, and many more programs are planned throughout the year.

**TODAY'S BARBS**

BY PHIL PASTORET

Recall when getting dressed for church involved a little bit more than putting on a clean pair of jeans?

Dream the impossible dream. Expect to slice a bagel in two without risking at least a lacerated finger.

**Senior Citizens Opportunities**

Activities scheduled this week (April 2 through April 8) at the Hereford Senior Citizens Center includes the following:

THURSDAY - Oil painting class 9 a.m., advanced oil painting 1 p.m., choir 1 p.m., NARFE 1 p.m.

FRIDAY - Beginners line dance 10 a.m., advanced line dance 1 p.m.

MONDAY - Beginners line dance 10 a.m., devotional 1 p.m., advanced line dance 1 p.m.

TUESDAY - Stretch and flexibility 10-10:45 a.m., Beltone hearing aid 1-4 p.m.

WEDNESDAY - Ceramics 1:30 p.m., Young at heart program at YMCA, \$2 charge, 9 a.m. until noon.

**Lunch Menus**

THURSDAY - Pork roast, sweet potatoes, buttered spinach, cottage cheese with chopped fresh vegetables, lemon ice box dessert.

FRIDAY - Fish filets, corn grits with cheese, brussels sprouts, jellied tomato salad, peach cobbler, french bread.

MONDAY - Beef stew, sliced peaches, cake, cornbread.

TUESDAY - Stuffed baked potato day, topping as desired, smothered steak, seasoned green beans, fruit.

WEDNESDAY - Chicken with gravy, mashed potatoes, seasoned green peas, sliced tomatoes, banana pudding.



Make your own peanut butter at home. Combine two cups roasted nuts and a tablespoon of oil. Add a half teaspoon of salt unless salted nuts are used. Process in a blender or food processor until soft.

**DR. GOTT**

**Maines Brothers Band in concert April 11**



Peter Gott, M.D.

**Tracking down throat problem**

DEAR DR. GOTT - My family doctor tells me that my problem is caused by stress. I'm not a hypochondriac, so I find this hard to believe.

The problem is my throat. I have a tight feeling in it, as if my air were being cut off. A thyroid test showed only a slight change and no medication was prescribed because my doctor is sure that the problem is just stress. What do you suggest?

DEAR READER - Your problem may or may not be stress-related. Ask your doctor to refer you to a throat specialist for clarification. If you have a physical problem, such as a constriction or spasm in your throat, you will need treatment.

However, if stress is the problem, by causing a temporary contraction of the throat muscles, you'd be helped by counseling or other methods to help you deal more effectively with stress.

DEAR DR. GOTT - My friend has been told that she has atrophy and inflammation of the cerebellum. She has very poor balance, walks with difficulty, has pain in her legs and falls a lot. A neurologist likened her disease to muscular dystrophy, but said that she has a "no-name" disease that eventually will put her in a wheelchair. Have you ever heard of this type of illness?

DEAR READER - Cerebellar atrophy is an unusual neurological disorder. The cerebellum is at the base of the brain and controls coordination. When this tissue malfunctions, patients develop difficulty carrying out the ordinary motor skills we all take for granted, such as walking and balancing.

Cerebellar degeneration or atrophy is suspected when someone grows clumsy, but has no weakness and no alteration in higher brain functions, such as thought, judgment and intellectual ability. The diagnosis is often substantiated by a CT (computed tomography) scan of the brain; this may show shriveling of the cerebellum.

The cause of the disease is unknown and it is untreatable. Nevertheless, patients with this condition can continue to lead productive, relatively independent lives as long as they have help and support from people around them.

DEAR DR. GOTT - I have been diagnosed as having progressive pigmented purpura. The capillary bleeding, which had caused red circles under the skin, has advanced from my feet and ankles to my upper thighs, with a few appearing on my underarms. What could cause this? Could a massive dose of aspirin be responsible?

DEAR READER - Purpura is spontaneous bruising without injury. It can result from a deficiency in clotting factors, including the tiny blood cells called platelets, and from abnormalities in the walls of capillary blood vessels, permitting blood to leak into surrounding tissues (as is seen with scurvy).

The Maines Brothers Band, one of West Texas' most popular entertainment attractions, will be returning to Plainview soon.

The Lubbock-based country-and-western band will be in concert Saturday, April 11, at 7:30 p.m. in Harrah Memorial Auditorium.

The band's appearance here is jointly sponsored by Wayland Baptist University and KKYN Radio. Tickets are priced at \$5 per person

and may be purchased in advance at the Student Admissions Office, Gates Hall Room 104, at Wayland.

Tickets may also be purchased at the door the night of the concert if seating is available.

The concert marks the second appearance in the last four years at Wayland for the Maines Brothers Band. The group was a featured Homecoming attraction in November 1983.

After a successful debut on the Mercury/PolyGram recording label with the LP "High Rollin'" the group is now enjoying additional success with its second PolyGram release, "The Boys Are Back In Town."

The latest LP includes the Top 25 single, "Everybody Needs Love."

**Military Muster**

Navy Petty Officer 3rd Class John C. Layton, son of John E. Layton of Hereford recently returned from a six-month deployment to the Western Pacific aboard the guided missile destroyer USS Henry B. Wilson, homeported in San Diego.

During the cruise, he visited ports in the Republic of the Philippines, Singapore, United Arab Emirates, and Australia.

**POLLY'S POINTERS**

DEAR POLLY - If you take animals outside in cold weather, save your old sweaters or sweatshirts to make warm jackets for them.

For small animals, cut off the sleeves to the desired length, then slip the wrist part over their heads and ears. Cut out two holes for the two front legs. Slit a small portion down the center of the underneath part as needed.

For larger dogs, slip the neck over the dog's head (just as when putting it on a human). Cut off the long sleeves and slip the dog's front feet into them. Again, slit down the center from the bottom of the sweater as needed to fit. These sweaters or sweatshirts will cover the whole body and the animal can still move. I've used thermal underwear, too. -L.W.

DEAR L.W. - Many people don't realize that animals suffer in bitter cold weather, and this simple protection can make them healthier and more comfortable. This is especially important for older animals, who may feel the cold more acutely or have arthritis problems that are aggravated by the cold.

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**Balloon Express**  
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Regular Gas Only 10 Gal. Minimum      Price Good April 2nd & 3rd  
Hours: Mon.-Sat. 7a.m.-9 p.m.  
Sun. 9 a.m.-9 p.m.



**Elect JERRY WALSH**  
City Commissioner  
At Large  
April 4th, 1987

**JERRY WALSH KNOWS**

- The importance of our agriculture and cattle industries and the hundreds of jobs that depend on them.
- Hereford's industrial base is being threatened by "site characterization" for a Nuclear Waste Dump
- Hereford has many benefits to offer new, safe industry
- We need a united community with a city government responsive to all its citizens
- He is qualified to help this community with:
  - 17 years management experience with Frito-Lay
  - A Masters Degree in Finance and Marketing
  - Service on the Executive Committee of the Private Industry Council of the Panhandle Regional Planning Commission

**Jerry Walsh will represent and work for the interests of our local industry and the hundreds of families that depend on it. He stands for a clean, growing and united community with a city government responsive to the needs of all its citizens.**

Pol. Adv. Pd. by the Committee to Elect Jerry Walsh

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Call Steve Nieman, CLU or B.J. GILLILAND Gilliland-Nieman and Associates, Inc. 205 E. Park Ave. 364-2666 1-184-tfc

**CAR IN SHOP**  
FRIENDS GOING TOGETHER  
We now rent Volkswagen Vans, Pickups, Cars. Daily, weekly and monthly rentals available.  
**WHITEFACE**  
Phone 364-4804

Alligator men's shoes, brown, genuine skins, size 11 1/2 loafers. Never been worn; received for Christmas but too small. Regularly priced at \$600 to \$700 but asking only \$225. Call 364-6957 or 364-2030. 1-tfc

Kings Manor Methodist Home Child Care Center now has openings for pre-school children in full-time care. We offer an excellent program and a qualified, caring staff. Hot meals and nutritious snacks are provided. Call 364-0661 or come by 400 Ranger for more information. 1-138-tfc

Noah's Ark all breed pet grooming. 364-8311. 241 North Main. 1-143-tfc

Shaklee, vitamins, cleaning products, cosmetics. Clyde & Lee Cave, 107 Avenue C. 364-1073. 1-100-tfc

Forever blinds 50% of Levolor products, 30% off Nanik Wood-Mini, & Verticle & Optix Blinds. 364-7960 for appointment. 1-47-tfc

Men and boys hair cuts \$5.00 Call Minnie at Billie's Beauty Shop, 364-6441. 1-183-tfc

Have several rebuilt consoles and portable color TV's. Want to buy some used VCR's. Tower TV, 248 Northwest Drive. 1-187-5c

For Sale High rise intake 650 Holly, HD Torch Cart, sunfighter & Pick up tool box. 364-6362. 1-189-a6c

60 sq. yds gold plush carpet. Very good condition. Can be seen on floor. Make an offer! Call 364-4730 evenings and weekends. 1-190-tfc

Special Antique Edison Console phonograph. Fifty records, original oil can, grease jar and instruction book included. Due to age, the silk screen is gone. Otherwise in extra good condition. \$350.00. Call 364-0352 before 12 noon and after 6:00 p.m. Will explain what makes it special. 1-191-tfc

For sale: Secretarial desk, 2 desks with credenzas, May be seen at 242 East 3rd Street No. 9. Call 364-8686. 1-180-tfc

4 reconditioned washers. 14 ft. Sears refrigerator in good condition. 364-8370. 1p189-tfc

Browning automatic 12 gauge shot gun. Excellent condition. Call 364-0870. 1-191-5c

**Garage Sales**  
Garage Sale: Upholstery sewing machine, upholstery & drapery steamer, cook stove, refrigerator, air compressor, toys, clothes & lots of misc. Thursday, Friday & Saturday. 505 Union. 1A-191-2p

Garage Sale: Friday & Saturday, 8:30 a.m. 204 Hickory. Pots, Pans, lamps, party perk. boys' bicycle, large men's clothing, etc. 1A-191-3p

Garage Sale. Sorry about last week, weather permitting we will have the sale this Thursday, Friday & Saturday. Office furniture, clothes & many odds & ends. 505 Union. 1A-191-2p

Moving sale - Everything goes, dishes, linens, Xmas Dec., furniture, tools. April 2-3-4 8:00 a.m. - 6:00 p.m. 102 Centre St. No early lookers, please. 1A-191-3p

**Farm Equipment**  
6020 gallon capacity trailer tank. 4 compartments. Excellent rubber. \$3,000. Call First National Fuel, 806-364-6030. 2-147-tfc

Good used structural pipe 2 1/2" 50 cents. 2 1/2" 60 Cents. Call Bernie, 806-794-4299 after 6 p.m. 2-189-tfc

Shop made float. JD 100 beet thinner. Call 364-8804. 2-189-5p

**KIT 'N' CARLYLE** by Larry Wright  
GEE, I THOUGHT WAKING HER UP AT 3 A.M. AS AN APRIL FOOL PRANK WAS A GREAT IDEA.  
LARRY WRIGHT  
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**ATTENTION FARMERS**  
We are FmHA Farm Advocates We Can Help!!  
Call Richard or Nell Finney 995-2100 W-S-2-186-4p

**Cars for Sale**

For sale, 1979 Chevy Van. Clean, dependable. Reasonably priced. Call 364-2924 after 5 p.m. 3-190-tfc

'78 GMC Sierra Classic 15, Rebuilt 350 engine, automatic power and air, sliding rear windows, like new tires, tilt steering wheel, wire wheel covers, customized grill, chrome bumpers. Will consider trade or financing to responsible parties. No dealers, please. Call Charlie at 364-8311 or 364-1152. 3-186-tfc

'72 Ford dump truck, flat bed \$700. Riding lawn mower tractor \$1250. Also like new kerosene heater. \$125.00 Call 364-3214. 3-187-5p

For Sale: 1979 Chev. Luv pickup. Has alot left to give. Good condition. Call: 364-3164. 3-188-5p

For Sale: 1982 Ford Pickup F150-XLS. Long wide bed, air, electric windows and door locks, dual tanks, tool boxes, Michelin tires. 364-1317 after 6 p.m. 3-191-tfc

1981 Toronado XST Package. Excellent condition. Low mileage. Call 364-0870. 3-191-5c

**NEW & USED CARS**  
Now for sale at STAGNER-ORSBORN BUICK-PONTIAC-GMC 1st & Miles 3-8-tfc

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

**NEED TO RENT A CAR??**  
We have rent cars available at WHITEFACE FORD LINCOLN MERCURY, INC. 200 West 1st. Phone 364-2727. 3-250-tfc

1975 Olds 98 Loaded. Real good. 289-5500 or 289-5896. 3-132-tfc

For sale, 1979 Buick 2 dr. Price reduced. Call after 5:30. 364-4056. See at 133 Mimosa. 30-tfc

**Real Estate for Sale**  
Owner is ready to sell. Take a look and make an offer. Three bedrooms, luxury features including built in microwave, large master bedroom and bath. Covered patio. Interested? Call for an appointment. Don Tardy Co., Realtors, 364-4561 or 1-800-251-HOME Ext. 364. 4-188-5c  
Money paid for houses, notes, mortgages. Call 364-2660. 4-97-tfc

**SEE THE SUNDAY BRAND REAL ESTATE PAGES FOR MORE DETAILED LISTINGS**

For sale by owner, large 3 bedroom, 2 bath country home on 12 acres with hwy frontage, 4 miles from Hereford city limits. House has over 2200 sqft. additional 1000 sqft building also included in price. Price reduced. 578-4565. 4-66-tfc

For sale or rent: extra nice house. Assumable loan. Possible trade. 123 Centre. Call 364-6164. 4-167-tfc

Country home quarter section. Lots of trees, big barn, 3 irrigation wells, fully allotted. Call Don C. Tardy Co., Realtors, 364-4561 or 1-800-251-HOME (4663). 4-178-5c

Great value, good starter home. 3 bd, 1 bth, possible owner financing. \$25,000 HCR Real Estate, 364-4670. 4-183-tfc

By Owner-Unique 3-2-2, 1720 sq. home-fireplace-gas range and water heater-Kitchen Aide dishwasher-gas a/c and heat-4 ceiling fans, miniblinds-attic exhaust, fan-storage building-nice yard and more. Shown by appointment. Call 364-8077. 4-185-20p

**EXCELLENT MOVE-IN CONDITION**  
Northwest Hereford 3-2-2, large isolated MB, All custom made window treatments. Mature landscaping-fruit trees and garden space. Large outside storage By owner-realtor 364-1354. 4-188-20c

**HOUSE FOR SALE BY OWNER**  
Located 202 N. Texas 364-3177 By appointment only 4-152-tfc

For sale or lease. 1,218 sq. ft. brick home. 3 bedroom, 1 1/2 baths, laundry room, nice large rooms, well arranged. Newly painted, carpeted, papered, very clean. Nice family or starter home priced \$37,000 negotiable on closing costs, assumable loan. Lots of extras including landscaping, mini-blinds, dishwasher. Call 364-7125 evenings for an appointment to see. 4-176-tfc

Beautiful 3 bedroom 2 bath has vaulted ceilings and fireplace in the den and is in "move right in" condition. 5-203-tfc

2 bedrooms and 1 bath with central heat & air cond. Extra large covered patio. Priced to sell. 5-87-tfc

In the 30's, 3 bedroom, 1 bath, living room and separate den with woodburner. Recently repainted. 5-178-tfc

Owner will pay all closing costs for qualified buyer. 3 bedrooms 1 1/2 bath, new carpet, paint and blinds. Priced in the 30's. 364-0555 Lone Star Agency, Inc. 4-178-tfc

Brick home, original owner. Over 1700 sq. ft. Beautiful ash wood and recently redecorated. Must see to appreciate. 212 Ironwood. 364-3106. 4-185-10c

Five acres, water well, Hwy 385 frontage. Ideal for mobile home, orchard, horses, etc. \$500 down, \$150 monthly. 1-806-655-1415 nights. 4-187-20p

Duplex, 2 bedroom, 1 bath each side. Washer & dryer hookup. Fenced backyard. Good rented history. Call evenings & weekends. 364-4730. 4-190-tfc

3 bedroom brick house, fenced back yard, attached garage 1 1/2 bath. Washer, dryer hookup. \$400 per month. Air conditioned and has central heat. Call 364-2524. 4-190-tfc

Listings Wanted, I have buyers for all types of property, Gerald Hamby, Broker, 364-3566. 4-189-5c

Stop! Pay attention! Limited Offer! If you have good credit, you can now own your own home with payments comparable to rent and receive up to \$3000 cash back. Call for details. 364-2660. 4-189-20c

By owner: 2 bedroom brick, corner lot. 1 two-thirds bath. Shop building in back. By appointment 364-3776. 4-189-tfc

4 bedroom, 2 bath, full brick, \$2,500 down and owner financing. HCR Real Estate, 364-4670. 4-173-tfc

For Sale Or Lease Nice 3 bedroom, Family home, new carpet, paint. Very landscaped yard, lots of extras good "starter" home. We have outgrown. Call 364-7125 for information or appointment. 4-174-tfc

Sparkle describes this 3 bedroom, 1 1/2 bath, 1 car garage home. Fresh paint inside and out. Good carpet and miniblinds. A large storage building is a bonus. Located in nice block of Ave. G. Call Don Tardy Co., Realtors, 364-4561 or 1-800-251-HOME Ext. 364. 4-188-5c

309 Sunset, Hereford. 4 bedrooms, 2 baths brick home. 2812 sq. ft. Priced for quick sale. John Bingham Land Company, Friona, Call 247-3909. 4-189-10c

**Mobile Homes**

You've got credit with us! Low, low down repos. Good, bad and no credit welcome. 806-381-1352, call collect. 4A-113-tfc

Abandoned home. Take up payments. 806-381-1352, call collect. 4A-113-tfc

1983 Redman 14x80, Hardwood, 3 bedrooms, 2 baths, cathedral ceiling, extras, underpinned. Must sell. Equity and take up payments. 364-2175. 4A-180-20p

1&2Bd Mobile homes for sale 1-3 thousand dollars. no down pmt. owner will carry. Payments less than rent. Call 364-2660. 4A-189-20c

**Homes for Rent**

Unfurnished apartment. Nice, large 2 bedroom apartments, 1 1/2 baths. Refrigerated air, renter pays only electric bills. We pay cable TV, gas, water, trash \$275.00 per month. \$100.00 deposit. 364-8421. 5-129-tfc

Nice two bedroom apartment. Unfurnished. Rent starts at \$210. Deposit \$170. No pets allowed. Call Griffin Real Estate at 364-1251. Equal Housing Opportunity. 5-203-tfc

Saratoga Gardens, Friona low rent for needy families. Carpet, laundry facilities. Rent starts \$265, bills paid. Collect 247-3666. 5-87-tfc

**MOBILE HOME PARK**  
Also warehouse bldg. on rail spur, dock high, 9,000 sq. ft. Also store front bldg. 419-B Main St. Doug Bartlett, 364-1483; home 364-3937. 5-178-tfc

1,2,3 and 4 bedroom apartments available. Low income housing. stove and refrigerator furnished. Blue Water Garden Apts. Bills paid. Call 364-6661. 5-68-tfc

Tidy 3 bdrm, 2 bath house. Nice area rent reduced! Call 364-2660. 5-102-tfc

Have vacancy in convenient apartment. Furnished. Carpeted. Wall heaters. Bills paid. For couple or single adult. No children, no pets. Deposit. \$175 per month. 364-3566 of-fice. 5-135-tfc

Unfurnished apartment at 208B West 5th. Available after February 13th Call 364-0701. 5-157-tfc

Three bedroom house. \$350 per month; plus \$100 deposit. Good payment record required. Call Glen Phipps, Lone Star Agency 364-0555. 5-163-tfc

2 bedroom furnished mobile home. \$300 per month; \$75 deposit. Bills paid. Call 364-4694. 5-174-tfc

Nice 3 bedroom at 419 Avenue E. Fenced yard, patio, garage. \$350 per month plus \$150 deposit. Call Ricky or Mark 364-6633. 5-177-tfc

Furnished trailer house for rent. Bills paid. 364-2131. 5-178-tafc

2 bedroom unfurnished duplex. Ref. stove, hookup for washer and dryer. No pets. 364-7393. 5-181-tfc

2 bedroom, 1 1/2 bath, ceiling fan, evaporative cooler, oversized attached garage. Fenced backyard. Washer-dryer hookup. No pets. \$275 per month plus deposit. 364-1864. 5-183-tfc

2 bedroom 'brick home, double garage with electric lift. Fully carpeted, small fenced backyard, storage house. Call 364-5191. 5-186-tfc

Efficiency apartment. \$175 per month, call 364-0739. 5-187-5c

Need extra storage space? Rent a mini storage, 2 sizes available. 364-4370. 5-53-tfc

2 bedroom duplex available immediately. Northwest, West Central and LaPlata School Districts. Call Don Tardy Company Realtors. 364-4561. 5-65-tfc

2 bedroom furnished or unfurnished apartment. Stove and refrigerator. Fenced patio area. Laundry room facilities. Water and cable furnished. 364-4370. 5-145-tfc

Lease or lease purchase. 22 Yucca Hills. 3 bedroom, 2 bath. \$525 per month. Available March 1, 1987. Call Top Properties, Inc. 364-8500 or 364-3527. 5-166-tfc

2 bedroom unfurnished apartment. Freshly painted. Stove and refrigerator. Carpet. Water furnished. 364-4370. 5-166-tfc

2 bedroom apartment at 510 Knight. Call 364-2170. 5-179-tfc

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Nice, large one bedroom apartment. Has carpet, stove, refrigerator, washer-dryer connection. Water and electricity furnished. 364-4370. 5-180-tfc

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Sycamore Lane Apts. Nice 2 bedrooms two blocks from new shopping center. Fresh paint, fireplace, kitchen appliances, fully carpeted. Gas and water paid. \$250 or \$285 month plus deposit. 12th month free with year's lease. Call 364-4901. 5-185-tfc

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For rent: Large 2 bdrm 510 Sampson \$250 per month, 2 bdrm 806 S. Texas \$150 per month, 1, bdrm efficiency furnished bills paid \$175 per month, 208 Roosevelt 1 bdrm water and gas paid \$200 per month. Days 364-3566 nights 364-1534.

5-186-tfc

Freshly remodeled 3 bedroom brick homes, new carpet, paint. Have garages. Close to schools. 364-3209.

5-188-5c

Self-lock storage. 364-8448.

5-95-tfc

One bedroom apartment at 508 Knight Available March 1. Call 364-2170 evenings.

5-163-tfc

Clean, one bedroom apartment. \$185 per month plus electricity, and deposit. For single or couple. 372-9993.

5-180-tfc

2 bedroom house with garage. No pets, no children. Washer/dryer hookup. Water furnished. Call 364-4164.

5-184-tfc

Large 2 bedroom, one bath house with garage. Nice location, near Park Avenue. 364-3209.

5-188-5c

Lease purchase or option. 3 bedroom, 1 bath newly remodeled. \$300 per month; \$150 deposit. Children welcome. For more information call Lucy Chavez after 7:00 364-0056.

5-188-5p

1,2 and 3 bedroom apartments. Starting at \$185 per month, bills paid. Call Kirk or Clark Andrews, 364-3803 or 276-5604.

5-188-tfc

Unfurnished 2 bedroom. Clean. Wired for washer and dryer. 413 Barrett.

5-189-3p

For rent with option to buy - very nice 3 bedroom mobile home at \$275 a month. Non furnished. Has stove. No pets. Located at 713 Avenue H. Ask for Veronica 258-7299.

5-189-10p

2 bedroom house with stove and refrigerator. \$180 per month. Call 364-5982 after 5 p.m.

5-189-tfc

Nice 2 bedroom house, stove and refrigerator furnished. Plumbed for washer/dryer. Must have references. 310 West 6th after 5:30 p.m.

5-190-tfc

3 bedroom, 2 bath at 518 Irving. Call 364-3770.

5-190-tfc

Sale or rent: Cute, newly remodeled. 2 bdrm home, attached garage, fenced back yard, see at 113 ave. 1 or after 6:00 276-5818.

5-190-5p

Immaculate apartments - 2 BR, fully furnished, carpets, drapes, air cond., central heat, shower, tub, dishwasher, washer-dryer connection, garbage disposal. Huge back yard, off street parking. 1 block S. of high school. Pay your own bills. Year lease preferred. 364-8823.

5-191-tfc

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5-191-tfc

**ELDORADO APTS.**  
1-2 bedrooms  
Furnished/unfurnished.  
Conveniently located to shopping center.  
364-4332 or  
364-2926 5-97-70p



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Two small offices with reception rooms located on Hwy 385. Rent \$100 per month. You pay bills. 364-5191 5A-182-tfc



**Business Opportunities**

Laundry for sale. Call 364-7350 7-183-tfc



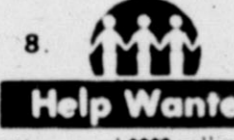
**Situations Wanted**

I will do tree removal. Call Bill Devers for free estimates. 364-4053 after 5 p.m.

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Looking for a new or used Butane Tank. Please call 364-0611 and leave a message. Thanks.

5-165-tfc



**Help Wanted**

Part time-good \$\$\$ selling memberships in new buying service. Fun, pleasant, high prestige position. Need 2 reps in Hereford. Reply to P.O. Box 673, XYZ, Hereford, Texas 79045.

8-187-5p

Pizza Hut Delivery: Drivers wanted, part time evenings. Must be 18 or older. Good driving record. Have own vehicle with proof of insurance. Must have basic knowledge of city streets. Come by Pizza Hut, 1304 West 1st. \$3.35 + 50 cents a trip.

8-190-5c

Accepting applications for oilfield positions. All phases of drilling, construction and production. Some positions offer training. 1-817-860-9911.

8-190-5p

Excellent income taking short phone messages at home. For info. call 504-649-7922 Ext. 7679A.

8-191-1p

Typists. \$500 weekly at home. Information? Send self-addressed, stamped envelope Frank Smith, Box 2883-E, Roswell, N.M. 88201.

8-191-5p

2 ladies in Hereford and surrounding towns, 3 hours, 5 days, can earn \$125.00 weekly. Stanley Home Products, Mildred Booker, 3641 Doris Dr. Amarillo 79109, 352-6830.

8-189-6c

**JOB OPENING THE 22ND JUDICIAL DISTRICT ADULT PROBATION DEPARTMENT IS TAKING APPLICATIONS FOR THE POSITION OF SECRETARY-BOOKKEEPER.**  
POSTING DATES: MARCH 30, 1987  
THRU APRIL 3, 1987 AT 5:00 P.M.  
QUALIFICATION FOR APPOINTMENT  
EDUCATION: Successfully completed at least two (2) years of College or University classes in Bookkeeping and Secretarial courses, or if a high school graduate, must have two (2) years experience in bookkeeping and secretarial work full time at paid employment for a Bank, Loan Company, Business or other related area. Be able to type at least fifty words per minute as graded by an accredited College or University and be able to operate an adding machine suitable to the Chief Probation Officer.

**WE ARE AN EQUAL OPPORTUNITY EMPLOYER**  
APPLICATIONS ARE AVAILABLE AT THE PROBATION OFFICE, ADDRESS LISTED BELOW  
HAROLD N. WHEELER, CHIEF ADULT PROBATION ROOM 204 COURTHOUSE HEREFORD, TEXAS 79045

8-189-3c

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**Legal Notices**

**NOTICE TO CREDITORS**  
Notice is hereby given that original Letters Testamentary for the Estate of Clara C. Gillentine, Deceased, were issued on March 30, 1987, in Docket No. 3558, pending in the County Court of Deaf Smith County, Texas, to: James M. Gillentine.  
The residence of the Independent Executor is in Hereford, Deaf Smith County, Texas, the post office address is: James M. Gillentine 507 Star St. Hereford, Tx. 79045  
All persons having claims against this Estate which is currently being administered are required to present them within the time and in the manner prescribed by law.  
Dated the 30th day of March, 1987.  
James M. Gillentine, Independent Executor of the Estate of Clara C. Gillentine, deceased 181-tfc

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CATTLE FUTURES		GRAIN FUTURES		METAL FUTURES	
CATTLE FEEDER (CME) 40,000 lbs. cont'd exp. 8/1	Apr 62.25 62.25 62.25 62.25 22 48 50 50 20,911	CORN (CBT) 5,000 bu. cont'd exp. 8/1	May 187 187 187 187 1 242 149 53,578	SILVER (CME) 5,000 Troy oz. cont'd exp. 8/1	Apr 471 471 471 471 1 103 633 126,177
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Aug 65.60 65.60 65.60 65.60 15 66 80 58 2,456	Sept 185 185 185 185 1 201 157 11,181	WHEAT (CBT) 5,000 bu. cont'd exp. 8/1	June 446 446 446 446 1 103 633 126,177	June 446 446 446 446 1 103 633 126,177	
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