

**On the Ball**  
(See Sports, Page 6A)

**Home Tour**  
(See cover page, Section B)

**Legal Services**  
(See Viewpoint, Page 4A)

# Shopping center proposal revealed



## Santa Coming To Town

Santa, shown on the courthouse steps last Monday for the annual Christmas Tree Lighting Ceremony, returns to the same spot at 6:30 p.m.

By SPEEDY NIEMAN  
Editor-Publisher

Plans for a new shopping center to be constructed at Hwy. 385 and 15th Street, on the northwest corner of the intersection, were revealed here Friday by a large food and drug company which has 85 stores in a number of western states.

Papers were signed Friday for the purchase of the land and the first phase of construction is scheduled in the spring, according to Tom Welch, vice president of Smith's Food & Drug Co., with headquarters in Salt Lake City, Utah.

The land was purchased from Donald and Nancy Roberson, former residents who now live in Yuma, Ariz. Welch and Roberson made the announcement jointly in a telephone call to The Brand Friday.

"We still have an interest in Hereford, and we feel like this business proposal will enhance the community," Roberson told The Brand Friday morning.

Welch said the first phase of construction is scheduled in the spring, with completion estimated for the fall of 1985 or the spring of 1986.

"The Shopping center will be anchored by a 46,000-square-foot Smith's Food & Drug Store," said Welch. The store will include a complete food center, fish and meat department, delicatessen, and a pharmacy.

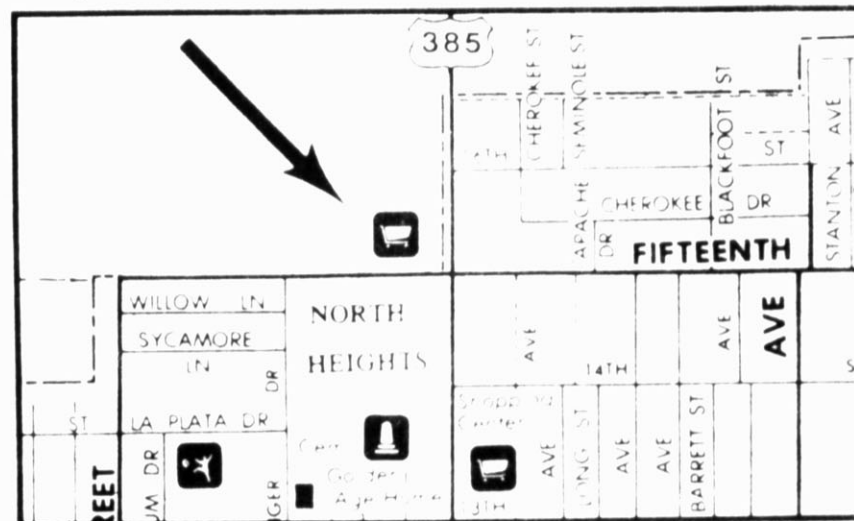
## Highway 385, Fifteenth

Welch said the company is already negotiating with a large non-food company to anchor the other side of the shopping center, as well as a number of other smaller shops. He said Marie Griffin Realtors were "very helpful in locating the site for us."

Smith Food & Drug was described as a privately-held, inter-mountain

western chain of 85 stores located in Utah, Wyoming, Idaho, Colorado, Nevada, New Mexico and Texas. The nearest stores to Hereford at present are located in El Paso and Albuquerque.

Roberson said the old homestead has already been moved from the property. He said his father, T.W. Roberson, established the family home there in the mid 1940s.



### Proposed shopping center

The arrow, top left, shows the site of a new shopping center which has been planned for Hereford.

# The Hereford Brand

Sunday

Dec. 2, 1984

84th Year, No. 108, Hereford, Tx. Deaf Smith County

56 Pages

30 Cents

## Sesquicentennial plans formed

By KIMBERLY THOGMARTIN  
Staff Writer

A "master plan" of events to locally celebrate the Texas sesquicentennial in 1986 has been prepared by the Deaf Smith County Chamber of Commerce.

Mike Carr, executive vice president of the chamber, said Hereford has been approved a sesquicentennial city. It was also selected as one of the towns where the Texas Wagon Train will stop, and the chamber is planning events in conjunction with the train's overnight stay.

In January of 1986, which Carr reminds is "just a little over a year away," a city-wide kickoff breakfast is planned to formally introduce the year's schedule of activities. Calendars and other promotional literature will have been prepared by that time.

The annual chamber of commerce membership banquet, planned for February, will utilize the sesquicentennial theme, and the celebration will be promoted during weeklong observances such as Vocational Education week, Agriculture Week and Business Week.

Beginning in 1985, the sesquicentennial committee will launch a "Leadership Hereford" program. According to the Chamber of Commerce, "this program will be used to make local citizens more aware of both local and state history and current policies."

When the Texas Wagon Train arrives on May 15, 1986, Hereford will stage such activities as a cookout, rodeo, sports activities, dancing and musical concerts. An Oldtimers' bluegrass festival is scheduled as well.

A concert of patriotic selections is one event slated for July 4th, when a celebration centering around the

### By county's chamber of commerce

150th birthday of Texas is planned.

The Town and Country Jubilee will be held in Hereford as usual during the month of August and will feature a sesquicentennial theme and related activities. Bordertown, South Australia, which has been named a "twin city" to Hereford as the two states celebrate anniversaries, is planning a similar event and will send representatives to Hereford throughout the year.

Carr said that besides being a lot of fun, the local celebration will bring a lot of media attention and tourism to

Hereford. Carr said it is an honor to Hereford to be chosen as one of the cities where the Texas Wagon Train will spend the night.

The train, expected to be at least 150 wagons long, will camp at Veterans Park. Carr said at least 3,000 people will be associated with the wagon train.

Bill Johnson has been named chairman of the general sesquicentennial committee, and Carr said volunteers to serve on about a dozen sub-committees are still being sought.

## Beef cattle session scheduled

Marketing and animal health are to be the topics covered during a beef cattle conference scheduled for Thursday at 9 a.m. in Deaf Smith County Bull Barn.

Opening the conference is to be Jack Thompkins of Amarillo Video Livestock Auction. Thompkins plans to provide information on the potential and benefits of video marketing. He is to discuss the processes involved in this type of marketing and ex-

### Thursday in Bull Barn

plain how ranchers and feeders can buy and sell cattle using the services that his companies and other similar companies have to offer.

Also appearing on the morning agenda will be a representative from the Texas Livestock Marketing Association to provide information

on electronic marketing. The TLMA provides cattle marketing using word descriptions of the cattle being sold. It requires the buyer to have a terminal where the descriptions of the cattle being sold. It requires the buyer to have a terminal where the descriptions are printed and bids can be placed on the cattle.

Completing the morning program will be a discussion of Agricultural Commodity Options and how they can be used in buying and selling feeder cattle. Dr. Ernest Davis, livestock marketing specialist with the Texas Agricultural Extension Service in College Station, is to explain this new method of marketing.

Davis is supposed to also give a brief outlook for the 1985 cattle market.

Animal health has been designated as the topic for the afternoon program. Dr. Larry Hollis head of diagnostic services at Texas Veterinary Medical Diagnostic Laboratory in Amarillo, is to provide information on the diagnosis and treatment of various cattle diseases and will provide an update on the latest laws and restrictions on the use of animal health products.

Herd management, nutrition, feed supplements and parasite control are to be addressed by Dr. John McNeill, extension beef cattle specialist, at the close of the conference.

The beef conference is sponsored by the Deaf Smith County Beef Cattle Committee and the Texas Agricultural Extension Service. In addition to the conference program displays and exhibits of livestock equipment, animal health supplies and feeds will be available for viewing.

People wishing to attend the conference or exhibit products or supplies should contact Dennis Newton, county extension agent in Hereford at 364-3573. A \$5.00 registration fee will be charged and will include the noon meal.



That feller on Tierra Blanca Creek says the parent who expects to raise a child successfully by reading books has much to learn.

Be as anxious to help others as you are to accept favors.

Most any man will love his neighbor as himself—if she's pretty enough.—Tribune, Chicago

The Christmas season is upon us and the rash of holiday events will soon become an epidemic.

A sure sign that Christmas is just around the corner is the opening of the Kiwanis Christmas tree sales. Kiwanians are again selling the trees on the Winn's parking lot.

Along with the many company, office and neighborhood parties, there will be a number of events for the public. Today (Sunday) the La Madre Mia Home Tour is scheduled from 2 to 5 p.m., and the Chamber Singers will present their annual Christmas Concert at 3 p.m. in the high school auditorium.

The kids will be eagerly awaiting the arrival of Santa Claus Monday night, when the Women's Division

sponsor the formal opening of the holiday season. Santa and Mrs. Claus will greet the kids; Christmas carols will be sung and the courthouse Christmas tree will be lighted.

With today's edition of The Brand including a special Christmas Shopping section, the paper is being distributed citywide and copies mailed to residents in the surrounding area. Shoppers can find many good Christmas gift ideas and a wide variety of items in Hereford stores. Be sure to look through the special edition and shop Hereford first!

"To love someone is to put doors and windows in one's soul.

"Before one loves, all the walls of his soul are covered with mirrors, and he can see only himself.

"But love opens those walls, and the self that has been trapped inside can escape from its confinement and learn the world of another self.

"Some fear to love because they imagine a danger of being trapped in the mesh of another's soul. But there is a thousand times more freedom there than in the mirrored room of one's own soul."—The Scrapbook



20 shopping days to Christmas

## Local Roundup

### Bagging limit to be considered

A reduction in the coming pheasant season's bagging limit is to be considered at a Texas Parks and Wildlife Service hearing Monday afternoon in Amarillo.

The 2 p.m. gathering is to be held on the third floor of Amarillo's City Hall building, according to Chuck Cosper, area game warden.

Cosper said shortening the season will not be considered; only bagging limits are in question. As now outlined, hunters may shoot no more than three birds per day and possess no more than six at any time during the season.

### Local commissions to gather

Both the Hereford City and Deaf Smith County Commissions have scheduled meetings for early this week.

The city governing body's gathering is slated for 7:30 p.m. Monday in City Hall. In addition to a zoning change request in the Welsh Addition, commissioners are to eye bids on city park land, an Energas proposal and the city's use of Deaf Smith County Jail.

County leaders, meanwhile, are to assemble at 2 p.m. Tuesday to open bids for general construction work for the proposed \$1.55 million jail renovation and expansion project.

### County sent bingo tax share

Deaf Smith County was last week mailed \$1,143.04 as its share of the 2-percent bingo tax collected between Aug. 8 and Nov. 11, according to the state comptroller's office.

In Texas, a total of \$823,905 was sent to the 53 counties and 73 cities which have legalized charitable bingo and levy a local gross receipts tax on the game.

Dallas County pulled in the largest payment - more than \$81,000 - for the most recent period. Houston was second with slightly more than \$41,000.

There is trouble brewing in the bingo business, however. "We're auditing games where the charities don't come out as well as they ought to," stated Bob Bullock, comptroller. "We've suspended 13 licenses so far this year and we're not renewing licenses that are being abused. We're also going to ask the legislature to rewrite the bingo law."

# News Roundup

## State

### GOP blamed for rift

WICHITA FALLS, Texas (AP) — Some Republican leaders say a right-wing group called the Republican Assembly of Texas threatens to splinter the state party.

"Utterly no substance," responded Jim Brandon, an Amarillo lawyer who served as president of the two-year-old assembly. "We're not a confrontation group. We are really trying to build the party."

But Chet Upham, a former state GOP chairman who lost a bitter power struggle with the assembly, says the group is trying to wrest control of the party from conservative mainstream Republicans.

He told the Wichita Falls Times that the assembly has been involved in a grassroots push for two years, running its own candidates for party office against traditional Republicans.

While most mainstream conservatives in the GOP said they think the party will weather the storm, feelings run high on the issue.

"I think ultimately anything that is perceived as radical will not survive," said a West Texas woman who chaired her county's GOP for six years.

### Growth makes plot skyrocket

BUCKINGHAM, Texas (AP) — From a \$12,000 piece of property to one of the hottest chunks of land in Dallas, John Pappas has watched his property grow in value over the past 16 years.

As almost all of his neighbors sold out to developers expanding into the suburbs, Pappas held on.

"I knew someday this would be one hot piece of land," Pappas said. "I'm in no hurry. I'll just wait awhile and let them have it at the square inch."

Pappas is one of three homeowners who have yet to sell their land to the Buckingham Development Venture, the company that plans to replace the community's 155 acres with offices, restaurants, shops and town homes.

Last week, 12 families agreed to sell their property and received between \$500,000 to \$600,000 each. One resident, who requested anonymity, said that price was double what 49 other families had received.

## National

### Officials confer with Congress

WASHINGTON (AP) — White House aides, poring over ways to slash the budget deficit, are taking soundings for President Reagan on whether Congress would agree to hold spending for government programs in 1986 at its current level.

White House Chief of Staff James A. Baker and budget director David Stockman met Friday with influential Republicans in Capitol Hill, capping a week of intensive discussions on fashioning a new budget plan for the 1986 fiscal year which starts on Oct. 1, 1985. The plan is due in Congress early next year.

The talks, some of which were held with the president, have focused on imposing a selective spending freeze that would restrain outlays in 1986 to \$830 billion, the projected sum of expenditures on government programs in the current fiscal year.

Within that total, some programs, like defense and Social Security, would continue climbing, but others would be pared or even scrapped entirely. Interest on the national debt, expected to run at about \$130 billion in 1985, would not be restricted.

### Schroeder tries portable unit

LOUISVILLE, Ky. (AP) — William J. Schroeder, weary but fortified with one of his favorite frozen treats, took two trial runs on a portable machine to power his mechanical heart and "tolerated it very well," doctors said.

The 52-year-old federal retiree from Jasper, Ind., was hooked to the 11-pound, battery-operated pump for 22 minutes Friday afternoon, five days after a Jarvik-7 mechanical heart was implanted in his chest at Humana Hospital Audubon. The portable unit was reattached for an hour Friday night to the air tubes that will be Schroeder's life lines.

The Heimes Portable Heart Driver, developed by West German scientist Peter Heimes, "performed according to expectations and he tolerated it very well," hospital officials said late Friday in a statement.

Schroeder "had two Popsicles while he was on it," the statement said. "All vital signs are good. He is still listed in critical but stable condition."

"His recovery is continuing to progress satisfactorily. He was somewhat more tired today, so his rest and sleep periods are being extended."

### Stenholm reconsiders challenge

WASHINGTON (AP) — Conservative Texas Rep. Charles Stenholm says there will be "gut searches" this week as he decides whether to go ahead with his challenge of Thomas P. "Tip" O'Neill for Speaker of the House.

After meeting with O'Neill on Friday, Stenholm said he was convinced that O'Neill is now more willing to work with conservative Democrats who think his liberal leadership is blocking their legislation and hurting them politically.

"The last thing he asked me is not to run," Stenholm said after reporting on his discussions with O'Neill to eight fellow members of the Conservative Democratic Forum, a group nicknamed "Boll Weevils" which Stenholm co-founded in 1980. They voted 6-2 that he withdraw from the Speaker race, Stenholm said.

"The question is whether a challenge would be constructive or destructive," he said. "It looks today like a challenge would not be constructive."

## International

### African aid helps U.S. image

ADDIS ABABA, Ethiopia (AP) — A few months ago, Americans were denounced as "neo-colonialist imperialists" and U.S. diplomats couldn't get the time of day from officials of Ethiopia's pro-Soviet government.

But the atmosphere has improved dramatically since September, thanks to the outpouring of American relief aid for the more than 6 million Ethiopians afflicted by famine.

"We are getting smiles for the first time," said one American diplomat, who said he was not authorized to be quoted by name. "And people who avoided me before are now coming up to me for a chat."

The state-controlled media has toned down its ideological attacks, given prominence to U.S. delegations, and head of state Mengistu Haile Mariam even had a nice word for President Reagan.

Diplomatic observers in Addis Ababa do not see the new mood bringing about a major shift in bilateral relations or a downgrading of the Ethiopians' close political and military ties with Moscow.

But the change in climate, they maintain, is significant in itself, especially considering the tension last February when four American diplomats were expelled for alleged espionage activities.

## Little progress reported

# Salvadoran talks conclude

By ARTHUR ALLEN Associated Press Writer

AYAGUALO, El Salvador (AP) — Salvadoran government and rebel negotiators concluded a lengthy second round of talks and reported little progress toward ending the nation's five-year civil war and no agreement on a proposed Christmas truce.

After the 12-hour session Friday, President Jose Napoleon Duarte went on government television to reject the guerrillas' proposals, saying they were the same ideas the rebels had been offering for five years. But he agreed to continue the talks.

Rebel representative Ruben Zamora told reporters the leftists had maintained that deep social changes were needed in the country, but he said they had not expected a government response at this round.

Roman Catholic Church officials, who earlier had stressed the importance of making concrete progress at the meeting, looked shaken as they presented the results in a soccer field at the foot of the hill.

Monsignor Arturo Rivera y Damas, the archbishop of San Salvador, read a joint communique which said both sides had agreed to meet again at an unspecified time.

It also said they would agree to allow free movement of traffic in the country during the holiday season, from Dec. 22 to Jan. 3.

No explicit mention was made of a holiday truce or any other concrete gains.

The head of the government negotiating team, Julio Adolfo Rey Prendes, said the government pro-

posed the Christmas truce but the rebels rejected it.

Four representatives from each side, along with church mediators, met at a hilltop religious retreat surrounded by coffee fields about 12 miles south of San Salvador. Thousands of white plastic flags fluttered along the highway from the capital to Ayagualo, a government

controlled town.

About 1,500 journalists and Salvadorans, including mothers protesting the government's failure to account for their missing sons, were kept well away from the retreat.

The meeting was extended several hours beyond an original 4 p.m. scheduled adjournment.

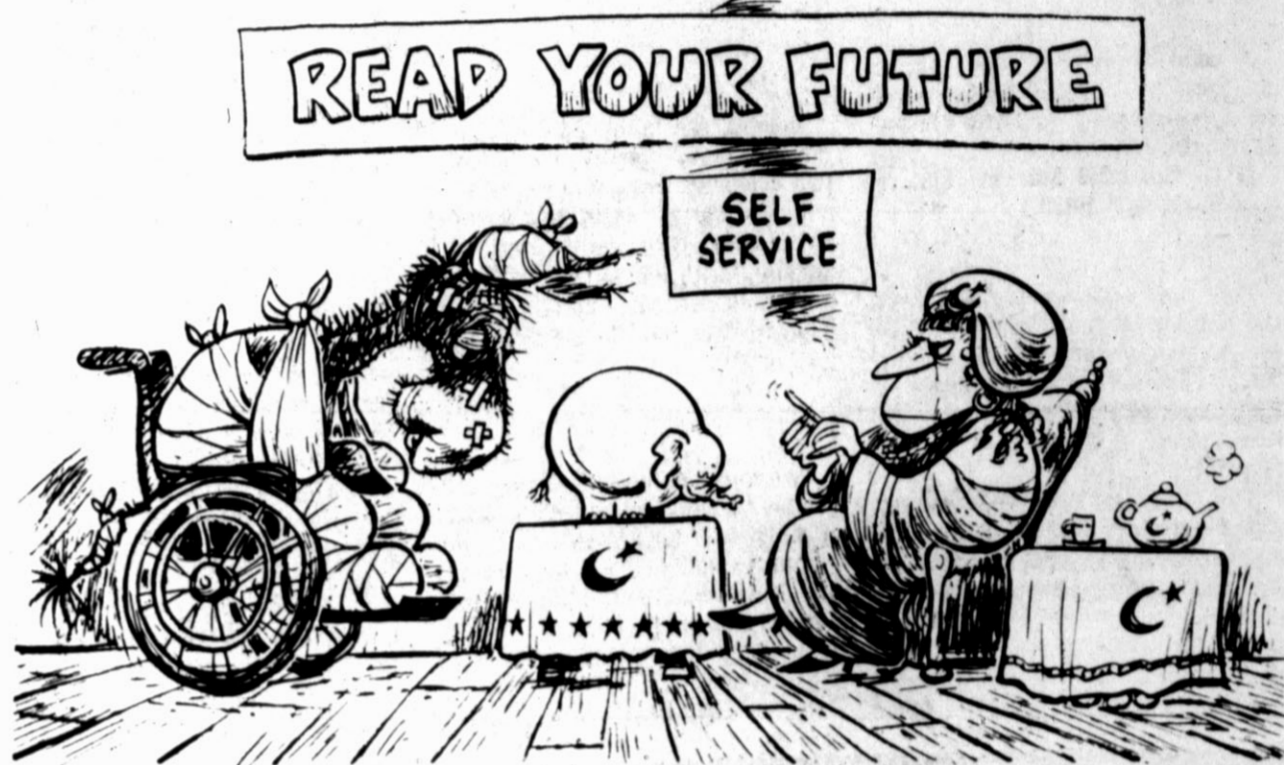
In his comments on television,

Duarte reiterated that peace will not come overnight.

"We will solve our social problems one by one," the president said.

Duarte rejected a rebel proposal calling for an eventual merger of government and guerrilla troops, saying: "In El Salvador by law there is only one armed forces and that is the armed forces of El Salvador."

ETTA © 1984 FORT WORTH STAR-TELEGRAM  
HULME  
NEA



## Cullen Davis collection

# Old art not all it was cracked up to be

FORT WORTH, Texas (AP) — A couple who fished glittering pieces of jade, ivory and lapis lazuli out of Lake Worth watched in disappointment Friday as the fragments thought to be the remains of an Asian art collection brought just \$561.50 at auction.

According to television evangelist James Robison, who said he helped multi-millionaire Cullen Davis smash the collection in September 1983, the art objects were originally worth more than \$1 million.

After the auction the couple said the bids were "better than nothing, but less than we hoped." Since finding the fragments, the couple have declined to reveal their names. The husband is a young Carswell Air Force Base airman on a small salary.

"I won't guarantee any of this stuff, folks," auctioneer Warren Miller said as he began to offer the table of shards at this monthly anti-

que auction. "But it was hauled out of Lake Worth and reportedly it is fragments from the collection of Asian art that Cullen Davis smashed."

In less than 20 minutes, Miller auctioned off 17 lots of fragments, most of them in plastic bags. Bids ranged from a high of \$87.50 for fragments of tiny jade temple bells to a low of \$2 for a small bag of bright pieces of glass and decorated tile.

Bob Smith, who bid \$2 for the glass and tile said he made the purchase "out of curiosity." Four buyers who paid more for larger fragments declined to state their names or their motives.

"Well, maybe we can have installment No. 2 of fragments from the millionaire's art collection," the airman said, shrugging.

The Carswell airman and his fiancée found the smithereens in June while fishing. Two days later the airman took them to the Fort Worth Museum of Science and History

where curator of history Patrick Norris linked the rubble with a story five months earlier in the Fort Worth Star-Telegram.

In the story, the fundamentalist preacher said Davis gave him \$1 million worth of Asian art in September 1982 to save Robison's financially-troubled television ministry.

But Robison said he took the collection back to the Davis mansion after reading Deuteronomy 7:25, an Old Testament verse that calls for the smashing of idols.

Davis has declined to discuss the incident but Robison said the millionaire began to weep and told him "if you can't have it, then I can't have it."

Robison said he and Davis took hammers and "destroyed more than \$1 million worth of jade, ivory and gold — all of it" and dumped it in a lake.

James Rogers, the executive

director of James Robison Evangelical Association said later the rubble was dumped into Lake Worth.

After looking over the fragments, history curator Norris said no one could be certain if it was once the Davis collection.

"However," Norris added, "as Thoreau put it 'Some circumstantial evidence is very strong, as when you find a trout in the milk' or jade in Lake Worth."

On June 7, 1984, two days after the airman took his find to the museum, Emily Sano, curator of Asian art at the Kimbell Museum, inspected the fragments.

"This is decorative stuff, the Asian equivalent of Dresden figurines or Spode vases," Sano said. "It isn't old. It was made early in this century...all of this probably was made in Taiwan."

Since the story of the discovery broke, neither Davis nor Robison has commented publicly on the matter.

## Award tucked into her tutu

# 'Priscilla the swimming pig' honored

By MICHAEL L. GRACZYK Associated Press Writer

HOUSTON (AP) — With an animal of the year award safely tucked into her purple tutu, Priscilla the swimming pig is hoping to make a big splash with a nationwide tour and network television appearances.

The 100-pound porcine female on Friday received the Stillman Award, given to the year's most heroic animal by the Denver-based American Humane Association.

"I'm all choked up," said Victoria Herberta, a 45-year-old housepainter who owns Priscilla. "It's such a thrill."

One day last July, Priscilla, then just a 2-month-old 22-pound piglet, was swimming with Carol Burk "in water up to my chin" in Lake Somerville, according to Ms. Burk, a friend of Ms. Herberta.

Ms. Burk's 11-year-old son, An-

thony Melton, apparently followed, went out too far and began floundering.

"I saw Anthony go underwater and screamed at him to grab hold of Priscilla," she said. "They both went under. Seconds later her ears and nose came to the surface. It was like a miracle."

The Houston Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Animals heard about the incident and promptly nominated Priscilla for the Stillman Award.

"This is quite an event," said Robert O. Shannon, executive director of the Houston organization. "We're very proud of her."

Shannon said that to his knowledge, it's the first time a pig has won the award, which began in 1928.

Priscilla, however, was less than impressed by all the attention she

received Friday. Clad in a purple cape and bikini, she sniffed at the award plaque and squealed in protest as handlers lifted her on a table so her picture could be taken.

Ms. Herberta said the snorting heroine was "probably truck sick."

Patti Mercer of the Houston SPCA, who investigated whether the rescue actually took place, said she's convinced.

"Why would someone want to make up a story about it?" she asked.

She conceded, however, that agency officials "were a little bit skeptical when we first heard about it. C'mon, a pig that swims?"

"But I don't think anyone could fabricate such a story."

Darrell Knabe, an associate professor of animal science at Texas A&M University, said Friday he had "no doubt" a pig could swim.

"You throw them in the water and they'll swim to shore," he said. Knabe, however, said he could not

vouch for the intelligence of the animal when it comes to saving a person's life.

Meanwhile, the Ms. Herberta said she hopes to profit from the pig's heroics with commercial and television appearances. She said Priscilla already has been booked for a spot on a West German television program and a TV crew from Japan is interested.

She's also hoping for an appearance with Johnny Carson on his late night television show.

"I just want to get all the recognition I can," she said. "I would like to take her on a tour of the U.S."

Asked if this all was a gag, she replied: "Not really. It's just something that's taken place and I'm just riding along with it."

## Deaf Smith County

### Crimestoppers, Inc.

# Crime of the Week

Sometime during the early morning hours of Saturday, November 24, 1984, person(s) burglarized Gebos, located at 230 N. 25 Mile Avenue. Stolen in the burglary were Wrangler jeans, shirts, children clothes, belts, flashlights, and hammers.

Anyone giving information leading to the arrest and indictment of the person responsible for the Crime-of-the-Week will receive a \$500 reward. Anyone having information may contact the Crime Stoppers, Clue Line at 364-2583 (364-CLUE).

Any information regarding a felony may be given to the Clue Line. Anyone giving information leading to the arrest and indictment in a felony case may be eligible for a reward. The caller may remain anonymous.

## The World Almanac

### Q&A

- Which of the following novels did John Steinbeck NOT write? (a) "Winter of Our Discontent" (b) "The Grapes of Wrath" (c) "Call of the Wild"
- Who won college football's Cotton Bowl in 1982? (a) Alabama (b) Texas (c) Baylor
- Which state is known as the Equality State? (a) Pennsylvania (b) Wyoming (c) North Dakota

## ANSWERS

1. (a) 9 8 2 1  
(NEWSPAPER ENTERPRISE ASSN.)

## Hereford Brand

THE HEREFORD BRAND (USPS 242-040) is published daily except Mondays, Saturdays, July 4, Thanksgiving Day, Christmas Day and New Year's Day, by the Hereford Brand, Inc. 313 N. Lee, Hereford, Tx. 79045. Second class postage paid at the post office in Hereford Tx. POSTMASTER: Send address changes to the Hereford Brand P.O. Box 673, Hereford, Tx. 79045.

SUBSCRIPTION RATES: Home delivery by carrier in Hereford, \$3.35 month plus tax (\$3.52) or \$34 year plus tax (\$35.74). By mail in Deaf Smith and adjoining counties, \$34 per year plus tax (\$35.74); other areas, \$40 plus tax (\$42.05). THE BRAND is a member of The Associated Press, which is exclusively entitled to us for republication of all news and dispatches in this newspaper and also local news published herein. All rights reserved for republication of special dispatches. THE BRAND was established as a weekly in February, 1901, converted to a semi-weekly in 1948, to five times a week on July 4, 1976. O.G. Niemann Publisher Reed D. Parsell Managing Editor Mauri Montgomery Advertising Mgr. Charlene Brownlow Circulation Mgr.

# Unique Christmas gift ideas suggested

NEW YORK (AP) — 'Tis the week before Christmas — and the shopping list still is far from filled. Some of the more unusual gift ideas, especially for Those Who Have Everything:

His-and-her razors. The Gillette Atra has handles of sterling silver or silver-plate.

"Olive oil gifts are perfect for accomplished chefs and for those who are just beginning to introduce themselves to the kitchen," writes Kathy Gunst, author of "Condiments." She says gift shops and specialty food catalogs are beginning to carry all sorts of clear bottles for the purpose.

A solid brass and wood English desk scale or Oriental lacquered address book from a mail-order house, Carrington Classics. (P.O. Box 1782 Madison Square, New York, N.Y. 10159.)

This year's his-and-her gift from the Neiman-Marcus Christmas Book offers special appeal to wealthy Texas ranchers, if no one else — a Red River Steer Desk for the cattleman and a horse desk for the horsewoman.

The hide of the 7-foot-long, 350-pound steer replica is made of 2,300 inch-long natural wooden tiles grooved together without nails with a side that opens into a desk and is wired for a telephone. The horse desk, made to order to resemble the recipient's favorite horse, is made

the same way.

And only \$65,000 each. The Neiman-Marcus catalog also has something for those who want to spend a little more. It's a necklace of natural yellow diamonds totaling 112 carats and costing \$475,000.

Fur coats or fir trees? Both are included in this year's American Express Christmas catalog.

The fir tree, a Highland Fraser about 6 feet tall and fresh off a mountain in North Carolina, is being offered for the first time this Christmas. It costs \$65, and will be delivered to your door.

The fur coats include a full length black ranch mink with fox trim, for about \$4,000.

Snoopy, the fantasizing beagle of the "Peanuts" family, has adopted two celebrity images in the form of dolls — "Mr. S," sporting a Mohawk haircut and gold chains, and "Boy Snoopy," with braided hair. The foot-high dolls will be available in toy departments and gift stores in time for Christmas.

Two versions of Boy George, the gender bender, are offered as a pair of dolls from L.J.N. Toys — a 12-inch fashion replica and a 14-inch soft image. Both wear the familiar rimmed hat and ribboned braids.

For physical fitness aficionados, a

set of aerobic weights called Heavyhands is offered as a Christmas gift suggestion by AMF American.

Underwear with popular cartoon characters, including Mickey Mouse, Scooby-Doo, the Peanuts gang and the Smurfs is on the market. Called "Showtoons," the garments are available in a new thermal line, described by Hanes, the manufacturer, as the ideal first layer for youngsters dressing for cold weather activities.

For the cat who has everything, a status toy called "The Cat's Meow" is on the lineup of mail-order Christmas gifts. The package consists of a genuine mink tail, whose musky scent is said to appeal strongly to cats.

(Reganomics, 356 East 87th St., Suite 3B, New York, N.Y., 10128.)

The Smithsonian Institution catalog lists pairs of cloisonne ducks for married couples, at \$135. The catalog says the ducks are a "symbol of marital fidelity."

Or a box of 100 marbles, for \$9.

A 7-foot-long radio-controlled blimp that can be controlled from more than 500 yards away is among this year's unusual holiday offerings. The aluminum plastic bag is 2 feet wide and holds 16 cubic feet of helium. Deflated, it weighs 14 ounces. The blimp is listed at \$599.50 in the catalog of Hammacher Schlemmer & Co., which says it "will not blow up or ignite."

Christmas wreaths were too skimpy and they didn't like the artificial kind. They make them from the fresh greenery in their Long Island, N.Y., neighborhood.

(Hampton Greenery, Box 447, Westhampton Beach, N.Y., 11978.)

For the millionaire who has everything, the Sakowitz catalog is offering a slow boat to China for \$5.3 million. For that amount, Santa provides a private yacht, the Sea Goddess II, designed to accommodate the giftee, a special friend, and up to 100 other close friends with a 10-week voyage to China, with food and

beverage included, and a staff of 80 to look after passenger needs.

For those who feel this is a bit expensive, the company offers to recreate Rome's Trevi Fountain in the back yard using cantera natural stone quarried and hand-carved in Mexico. Estimated price is \$2.25 million, subject to landscape conditions and geographic location.



The first ballet tutu was designed for a performance of "La Sylphide" in Paris on March 12, 1832.

## SATELLITE TELEVISION

Perfection is our key to success.

Come see the PRO'S at Barricks for the answers to all your questions about Satellite Television!

SAVE \$500.00



Christmas Special

UNIDEN UST-1000 & 8' SPUN DISH-90° LNA.

Was \$1995.00

NOW! \$1495.00

**Barrick**  
Furniture and Appliance

West Hwy 60

364-3552

Offer Expires Dec. 22, 1984.

INSTALLATION EXTRA

## WILLIAMS & WEBB AUCTION

A FORECLOSURE SALE OF TWO TRACTS OF CASTRO COUNTY REAL ESTATE & IMPROVEMENTS  
EASTER FERTILIZER & STORE  
10:00 A.M. TUESDAY-DECEMBER 4

Property is being sold by U.S. Small Business Administration and said agency reserves the right to enter bidding process.

Sale Location: Property to be sold on the North steps of the Castro County Courthouse - Dimmitt, Texas.

Property Location: Easter Community, located 12 miles south of Hereford, Texas at intersection of Farm to Market Roads 1855 and 2297.

Inspection: Exterior can be inspected anytime. Interior inspection of store building and barn requires an appointment with the auctioneers.

### TWELVE ACRE TRACT:

Legal Description: A thirteen acre (Less one acre out of the Northwest Corner) tract of land out of the Northwest 160 acres of Jose Maria Leal League and Labor No. 3, Castro County Texas, of which a complete metes and bounds description is available from the auctioneers.

Common Description: A tract of land containing + twelve acres of land lying in a basic rectangle less one acre of land out of the Northwest corner. The survey made prior to the removal of the one acre tract on the Northwest corner indicates frontage along Farm to Market Road 2297 is 485.41 feet. The depth of the property is 1,166.57 on each side. This tract of land is fenced on all sides with a four or five wire barbed wire fence on both wood and steel T-posts. The one acre tract not included contains a small shop building and this tract is separated from the remaining twelve acres by a barbed wire fence. The property is very level and has not been worked recently. However, the soil is well suited for growing crops, and this property would make a very nice homestead or headquarters.

MINERALS: The secured party will convey all its mineral interests as they appear. No minerals are represented to be a part of this sale. Additional information may become available through the Auctioneers.

### TWO ONE ACRE TRACTS:

Legal Description: Two one acre tracts of land out of the Northwest 160 acres of Jose Maria Leal League and Labor No. 3, Castro County, Texas, of which a complete metes and bounds description is available from the Auctioneers.

Common Description: This property has a common boundary with the twelve acre tract for a distance of 466.7' along the eastern boundary of the twelve acre tract and the western boundary of the two one acre tracts. Total frontage of these two tracts along Farm to Market Road 2297 is + 186.8' All improvements described below are located on this tract.

Store Building: A complex of buildings comprised of store area and offices containing approximately 3,200 square feet. This building is wood framed with a stucco exterior, composition shingle roof, concrete slab floor w/a tile covering. Plate glass windows provide ample light and the interior finish varies from painted sheetrock to paneled walls. Ceiling tile is used throughout. Four walk thru doors provide access to building interior. Office areas contain some built-in desks and cafe area contains a 6' Hussman Meat Case with remote compressor. There is also a grill hood, a cabinet with a sink, and a lunch counter. Overhead and wall gas heaters provide heat while two ceiling mounted evaporative air conditioners provide cooling. Two island type gasoline pumps are in place in the driveway. It is assumed underground fuel tanks supply these. A chain link and wood fence dog run is on West side of this building.

Tire Repair Shop: a 12'x16' Wood Framed Building with wood siding (Needs Repair).

Anhydrous Bulk Tanks: The two tanks on property at press time are already sold and may or may not be removed by sale day.

Shop Building Slab: a 20'x30' Shop building slab containing the remains of a stucco building with the roof blown away.

Grainery w/Livestock Sheds: a 14'x16' approximately wood floored wood grainery with a 12'x16' livestock shed extension on each side with dirt floors.

Horse Barn: a 45' Long x 42' Wide Classic Style horse barn w/12' Deep stalls on each side of 18' center bay (11 total), wood construction with wood and rolled roofing roof, dirt floor, pipe welded stalls. Also, welded pipe corrals on each side of barn and to grainery above.

Poultry Shed: 1 14'x16' Stucco and corrugated iron chicken house with shed roof, dirt floor and roosts, wire covered windows, etc.

Barn: a 20'x30' corrugated iron covered quonset barn with wood ribs, concrete floor, 12' sliding end door, walk thru door, insulated brooder area in west end, restroom.

Well: A well with a submersible pump services this property with pressure tank being located in main store building.

Terms: (For both properties) Each property will be offered separately or together as Buyer interest dictates. Both Properties are being sold in foreclosure proceedings by the U.S. Small Business Administration, and said agency reserves the right to enter the bidding process. Successful bidder will be required to deposit 20 percent of sale price as determined at auctions sale day with the auctioneers. Balance to be due at closing within 30 days of auction. The Small Business Administration will provide a substitute trustee's deed at closing. Possession to be at closing. Real Estate is being sold subject to any existing real estate taxes due and survey if required to be at buyer's expense.

Please contact Auctioneers for additional information or showing appointment.

FOR FULL DESCRIPTIVE BROCHURE CONTACT THE AGGRESSIVE SELLING TEAM  
806/374-9387 2208 Canyon Drive, Amarillo, TX 79109 TxEO13-0234

*It's getting late!  
Don't forget  
your I.R.A.!!!*

Now is the time to start planning how much you're going to put away for your retirement this year, although you have until April 15th to make your current contribution.

An Individual Retirement Account should be one of your first priorities, when it comes to saving money. As the years continue to pass, it becomes more and more evident that you're going to need more than a social security check to cover your retirement.

It's getting late, so let's get together and work out a program to fit your budget and save you a lot of money on taxes. Your I.R.A. is one thing you can't afford to forget!

"Quality Banking and Lasting Friendship!"



STATE BANK

Member FDIC

Phone 364-3456 / Time & Temperature 364-5100 / Member F.D.I.C.

O.G. Nieman

## Legal Services

When an attorney for the Legal Services Corporation came to Hereford recently to investigate complaints made against the local Texas Rural Legal Aid office, an interesting syndicated news column came to light.

The column, written about a year ago for United Feature Syndicate, was authored by veteran investigative reporter Donald Lambro. He was described by The Washington Post as "a one-man search-and-destroy mission against government waste." The column concerned abuses in the Legal Services Corporation.

Here are some excerpts from that column:

"The Legal Services Corporation's abuses are laid out in a 47-page report being circulated among the Senate Labor and Human Resources Committees members by Chairman Orrin Hatch of Utah. It is a meticulous profile of an agency that has engaged in illegal political and lobbying practices of every description.

"Instead of focusing their resources on providing the poor with legal representation, the report reveals that the \$325 million-a-year bureaucracy has run amok—waging campaigns against legislation and state referendums, and openly lobbying Congress against administration budget proposals.

"Beginning in 1981, LSC organized and funded a variety of 'survival' campaigns against administration plans to cut its budget and restrict the blatantly political activities of its corps of 4,700 lawyers.

"Even before any budget proposals had gone to Congress, and not a dollar had been cut from LSC's then-\$443 million budget, Legal Services lawyers were cruelly turning down pleas for help from poor people in an effort to stir up anger and grassroots opposition to Ronald Reagan.

"In Colorado, Legal Services set up a weekly schedule to bombard the state's representatives with letters. In Texas, \$60,000 was budgeted to mount a grassroots, lobbying campaign on Congress.

"On May 1, 1981, GAO, Congress's auditing arm, issued an opinion that these and other activities violated statutory prohibitions against lobbying. Yet the abuses continued.

"No one knows how much LSC has spent on legislative and political advocacy—certainly it is in the millions of dollars. Tragically, that money could have provided legal assistance to the poor, as Congress originally intended."

## As the Years Turn

75 YEARS AGO

From one and quarter to three inches of precipitation is the bottom and top of reports from points in every section in the Panhandle and West Texas. From Texico to Childress and from Big Springs to Texline a big weather program was pulled off. Rain and snow was the name of the extravaganza musicale with sleet and high kicking winds between acts. Hereford and Deaf Smith County farmers occupied the whole front row and the high priced boxes.

Last week a Brand representative talked with a number of business men and owners of farm lands in regard to opening a score or more farms in the Hereford territory this winter and next spring. It was fully agreed that what was needed most was the presence of more actual farmers, tillers of the soil.

50 YEARS AGO

Case load of the Deaf Smith County relief organization is 297, both on direct relief and work relief. More than 200 have been working this week on nine projects which are under way.

Uncle Sam's check writers in the Agriculture Adjustment Administration can write 60,000 checks daily by working 24 hours a day. And that is what is being done in the AAA.

More cattle will be bought by Uncle Sam on Friday of this week at the stock yards here. Raisers may make sales by delivering the animals there after getting orders at the county agent's office. There were 90 head sold last Friday and Saturday. Purchase price was \$1,031.

25 YEARS AGO

The South Main St. bridge across Tierra Blanca creek was finished Friday afternoon, again opening traffic to one of the most heavily-travelled roads leading into Hereford. Practically ignoring the steel strike which tied up many construction projects in the United States this year, the Ferrer Brothers Construction Company of Seymour finished the job in 60 working days.

Boxing fans in Hereford have seen more experienced fighters in the county Bull Barn, but probably never viewed a more entertaining card than they did Thursday night when Hereford Athletic Club scrappers won four and lost five bouts against boxers from Plainview and Borger.

10 YEARS AGO

Concerned and alarmed by an increasing number of complaints about "abuses" of the Food Stamp Program, Deaf Smith County Commissioner Bruce Coleman has called for a discussion on the matter when the Commissioners Court holds a regular meeting Monday.

The construction of a beef retail outlet in Amarillo by the Pitman Industries of Hereford will complete a new concept in the cattle industry one company handling all phases of beef production from the pasture to the consumer.

1 YEAR AGO

Hereford State Bank has received special recognition as a "High Performance Bank," it was announced Friday by the Bank Administration Institute.

Hereford's hustlin' Whitefaces scored at 61-45 win over the defending AA state champion Dimmitt Bobcats here Friday night and, in the process, snapped at 49 game win streak for the visiting neighbors.

Cotton and pecan harvesting dominated Texas' agricultural picture the past week, says Dr. Zerle L. Carpenter, director of the Texas Agricultural Extension Service. Cotton harvesting made good progress in the South Plains and Trans-Pecos area until the latest cold front brought scattered showers, he said.



Joseph Merlin, a musical instrument maker from Huy, Belgium, wore the first roller skates, in 1760, to a masquerade party in London. He sailed into the ballroom playing a violin.

# Viewpoint

Paul Harvey

## Housing

As I was saying...

Kenilworth-Parkside public housing project in Washington, D.C., two years ago was a disgrace to the community and a danger to anybody who lived there.

Today—just two years later—Kenilworth-Parkside is "something else!"

There's glass in every window and grass over every lawn. Every apartment is heated and air conditioned. The plumbing works. The halls are scrubbed.

And in less than two years teen pregnancies have been cut in half, welfare dependency cut in half and crime reduced by 75 percent.

What in the world happened?

In 1982 residents of Kenilworth-Parkside, endangered, ashamed, got angry and got busy.

Led by an energetic woman, Ms. Kimi Gray, whose five children were mostly grown, residents created a resident management corporation—and the 464-unit public housing project came under private management.

The nearest grocery was miles away, so they cleared a room and started their own grocery. And a beauty salon. Soon six businesses and two joint ventures created 120 paying jobs. A day-care center for children and a job-training center and an in-house training program for any high school student wanting to prepare for college.

Four hundred and eighty have now gone to college or technical vocational schools.

With neighbors helping neighbors, more residents became self-sustaining. Most who'd been paying no rent could pay now. Rent receipts increased 130 percent, from \$36,000 a month in 1981 to \$83,000 a month now.

Administrative costs were reduced by 64 percent the first year and another 60 percent the second year. Kenilworth is now generating enough revenue to pay all of its \$440,000 operating expenses and 90 percent of its half-million-dollar-a-year heating bill.

Kimi Gray will not claim credit. She says there's a "strong self-improvement ethic" among many of Kenilworth.

But having spent some time with Kimi Gray I am convinced that she, personally, was a primary motivator.

And further, that the Parkside example is replicable.

Big government's way was to appropriate much money and command public housing occupants to spend that money for government-prescribed purposes.

So the welfare pimps moved in and the money got sidetracked and the housing deteriorated.

The Kenilworth example requires only small amounts of "seed money"—not enough to attract the pirates—and it leaves the residents free to elect their own leaders and select their own managers and let them manage.

Cicero Wilson of the American Enterprise Institute says this example is just one of several—that privatizing the management of public housing is a first step in developing self-sufficiency for low-income families.

He and I are sorry that the worst examples of public housing have been getting the most public attention.

(c) 1984, Los Angeles Times Syndicate



## Penultimate Word — Doug Manning

### PERSONAL COMMERCIALS

They ought to string Lee Iococa up by his tongue. Don't get me wrong. I think Lee is a remarkable person. I might even vote for him if he ever runs for president.

The reason they should string him up is he started a trend we could do without. He began the current trend of everyone doing their own TV commercials. He made it work. He has a good TV presence and voice. He brought Chrysler back from the edge of the cliff. The result is that everyone is getting in the act.

Some places are much worse than others. I was in Oklahoma City last week. Those folks are nuts. Every furniture store in town has the owner on TV screaming about their latest sale. Every car dealer tries to imitate either Lee Iococa or Bozo the Clown. There is one gal trying to sell video equipment that should be in the funny farm.

The idea is selling by the obnoxious. When a network commercial comes on the relief is so great it makes you want to cheer. Hooray for Mr. Whipple and his Charmin. As silly as squeezing toilet paper is, maybe it beats the heck out of Mathis Brothers and their latest special purchase of furniture.

While I am at it, I may as well take a swipe at my other commercial pet peeves.

There ought to be a law against look-alikes posing as the people they resemble. Charlie Chaplin's Little Tramp tries to sell me an IBM Computer. Is nothing sacred any more?

A guy who looks like Bogart says, "Play it again, Sam", and I am supposed to buy some product. The guys who put these things together were sued recently. Their response was to say they respected these people and wanted to honor their memory. If you believe that, I have some swamp land in Florida I would like to sell.

Radio even gets into the act. A guy who sounds like Johnny Cash with a hangover tries to sell furniture. Perry Mason holds a conversation with my local insurance agent. They can do great things with recordings. No one knows it, but the Mormon Tabernacle Choir is just a boy and a girl with a tape recorder.

I have fussed and fumed at commercials for years. I am now repenting. Mrs. Olson having a pound of coffee in her purse while attending a funeral may seem weird and unlikely but, somehow, I like that better than John Chandler trying to sell me a Ford before they all disappear.

Warm Fuzzies,  
Doug Manning

## Number One — Bootleg Philosopher

Editor's note: The Bootleg Philosopher on his Deaf Smith County grass farm discusses college football this week, somewhat.

Dear editor:

Since I have never been able to figure out a scoring system for a football game where both sides come out winners, where half the college students in the country don't have to leave the stadium every Saturday sad and downcast because their team lost, I have turned my thoughts to who's Number One.

At last count, there have been seven different Number One teams this season. This means students from seven different schools have had a chance, if a TV camera is

around, to hold up one finger and shout "We're Number One!"

As I understand it, the Number One team is picked by coaches and sports writers. The fact they've picked seven different ones in as many weeks seems to imply they can't make up their minds or don't know what they're talking about. It's possible I don't know what I'm talking about either.

However, I have a plan. At the start of the season, pick 20 teams to at one time or another be voted Number One. To qualify a school would have to be paying its coach not less than \$75,000 a year and giving its players at least one car apiece, plus laundry. The Number One slot would be rotated, so that eventually all 20

attained the honor. This would require some teams to hold the title for only half a week, since there aren't 20 weeks in a season.

At the end of the season, all 20 teams would get to play in a bowl. But there are only 18 bowls this year, starting in early December and continuing till you fall asleep. For 18 bowls, 36 teams are of course required. Where you'd get those extra 16 teams would be a problem, unless of course you lowered the standards and brought in inferior universities that don't pay their coaches any more than their professors.

Is that game Saturday being televised? Hope so.

Yours faithfully,  
J.A.

## Economic Growth — U.S. Chamber Voice of Business

By RICHARD L. LESHNER  
President

WASHINGTON — Richard Nixon was fond of saying that Herbert Hoover was a good man who had the misfortune to be president at the wrong time. The statement tells us two things about Mr. Nixon. First, it displays an admirable sense of loyalty to a party elder. Second, we learn that he, like so many others does not fully appreciate the dynamics of economic events.

Herbert Hoover was a fine man. But that is not to the point. The Great Depression is not something destined to occur at a given time on any president's watch. Too many historians treat the Depression like the passing of Halley's comet; something that happens at a given time. But the Depression did not "just happen." It was the direct result of bad economic policy; High tariff barriers thrown up by a protectionist Congress, which shut down much international trade. A dramatic decline in the money supply. And sharply increas-

ed marginal tax rates "to close the deficit."

Santayana warned us about the fate of those who ignore the lessons of history, and the one tragedy of the Depression is that our politicians have not learned that it was the direct result of high taxes, protectionism and failed monetary policy.

President Hoover is not alone in having his policy failures explained away as historical predestination.

In 1980, Walter Mondale explained why he and Jimmy Carter carried only six states with the following statement:

"Events just sort of ganged up on us... economics, inflation, the prime interest rate, unemployment, the hostage situation... none of these made people feel good about what was going on. We happened to be in office and we took the blame."

Truly amazing! Walter Mondale believes that inflation jumped to 13.5 percent in the last year of the Carter/Mondale administration; the prime interest rate climbed to 21.5 percent all by themselves. "It had

nothing to do," he insisted, with the Carter/Mondale policies." Like Topsy, they "just grew." His pathetic, "We happened to be in office and we took the blame," is precisely Nixon's apology for Hoover.

It is, perhaps, only human nature to attempt to fob off responsibilities for failure on something or someone else and fate seems as likely a scapegoat as any.

What is surprising is that many economists today are treating our present economic growth as a similar accident of history.

Just as Hoover's Depression and Mondale's hyper-inflation were accidents of the business cycle, so too, this argument goes, is Reagan's recovery. Just happened.

Nonsense. The present economic growth is the direct result of the 1981 tax cut—which dropped marginal tax rates by 25 percent across the board, accelerated depreciation on business plant and equipment and indexed tax brackets.

One proof of this is that during the

first seven quarters of the recovery, business fixed investment rose by 28 percent and investment in durable equipment increased by 36 percent. The jump in investment is almost three times more rapid than in previous recoveries.

As a nation, we must learn from the policy failures that brought us the Great Depression in the 1930s (high tax rates, protectionism and a sudden tightening of the money supply) and the great inflation of the 1970s (runaway government spending and the tremendous increase in the money supply). If we are to maintain our present economic growth, we must also learn what we did right in 1981.

I fear that too many politicians fail to understand that low-tax and stable monetary policies brought the recovery and that a return to high taxes or a continued shutting down of the money supply could kill the present boom.

This time, let us learn from our successes and keep economic growth on track.

# Sports

## White to start

# 'Pokes need win to keep pace

By RALPH BERNSTEIN AP Sports Writer

PHILADELPHIA (AP) — The Dallas Cowboys need a victory Sunday against the improving Philadelphia Eagles to remain tied for the lead in the National Football League's National Conference East.

The Cowboys and New York Giants fell a half game off the pace, each with 8-5 records, when the Washington Redskins beat the Minnesota Vikings, 31-17, Thursday night to boost their record to 9-5.

Dallas Coach Tom Landry has announced that Danny White will start at quarterback against the 5-7-1 Eagles, who in their last three games have lost by a point to Miami, beat the Redskins and lost by one to the St. Louis Cardinals.

White, who lost his job this season to Gary Hogeboom, will be starting his fourth game. He has completed 76 of 132 passes for 882 yards and three touchdowns. He's had three intercepted.

Tony Dorsett, with 979 yards on 246 carries for a 4.0 average, is the key to the Cowboys' running game.

Joe Pisarcik will be the Eagles' quarterback in place of Ron Jaworski, who suffered a broken bone in his leg and torn ankle ligaments in the St. Louis game and is out for the season. Jaworski was injured on the game's first series, so Pisarcik played virtually all of the St. Louis game.

The last time Pisarcik started a game was four years ago when he was with the New York Giants. Eagles Coach Marion Campbell says he has confidence in Pisarcik. "He's a very fine player and can get the job done."

Pisarcik has completed 33 of 57 passes for 307 yards, most of that against St. Louis (24 of 39 for 226 yards). He threw a 16-yard TD pass to wide receiver Mike Quick in the fourth quarter of the game the Eagles lost with eight seconds left on a field goal by Neil O'Donoghue.

Pisarcik's chief targets are running back Wilbert Montgomery, who has caught 50 passes for 403 yards, tight end John Spagnola (49-505) and Quick (48-833).

The Eagles will count on Montgomery to establish a running game against the Cowboys. Montgomery has carried 160 times for 607 yards, a 3.8 average. He'll be aided by

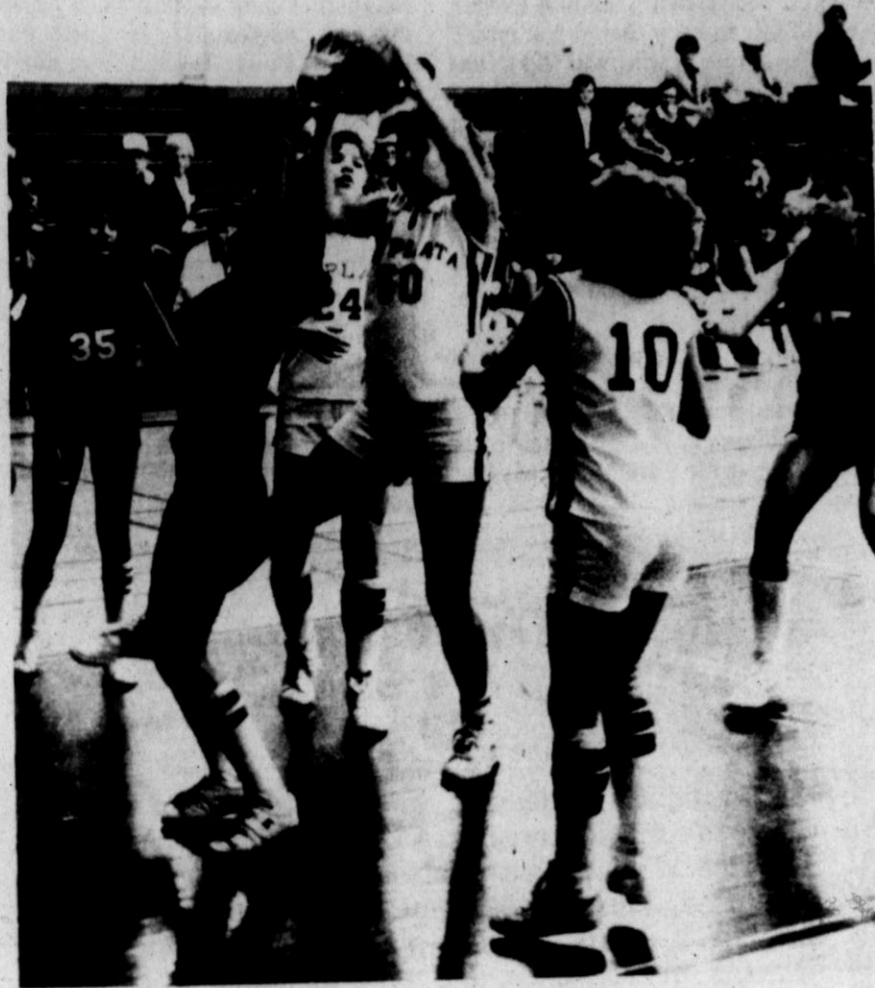
fullback Hubie Oliver (68-239).

Dallas is hurting in the offensive line, where, because of injuries, Landry is forced to use five guards. The Dallas offense, third highest scoring unit in NFL history last year, is down

10 points per game in 1984.

The Cowboys have been living on their defense, led by tackle Randy White who has 9.5 sacks and is se-

(See COWBOYS, Page 9A)



### I've Got This One

La Plata's Shea McGinty (50) takes a rebound away from a Stanton player during action at the Hereford Junior High Basketball Tournament Friday at the HHS gym. Stanton's Irma Carrillo (35) and Corrie Tijerina (45) watch helplessly as La Plata's Wisty Mars (24) and Susan Bell (10) provide backup. Play was to continue through Saturday.

## Gun Club has another shoot

The Hereford Gun Club again will shoot at 1:30 p.m. today at the Gun Club, east Highway 60.

In last Sunday's Brand, an incorrect report published indicated the Club would hold its last shoot of the year a week ago. Information releas-

ed Friday, however, said plans had been changed.

Emphasis of the shoot is on practice while prizes of turkeys, hams and bacon also will be offered. Sunday's shoot is an opportunity to teach children proper gun handling as well.



# It's Party Time!

## 5th Anniversary Special

Saturday, December 8

# 5% Off

any purchase

- ★ Large selection of liquor, beer, and liqueurs plus wines from around the world
- ★ Discounts on quantity purchases
- ★ Discounts on cases
- ★ Discounts for Senior Citizens
- ★ Shop The Store for all your holiday entertainment and gift needs

"You Deserve The Best"

# The Store

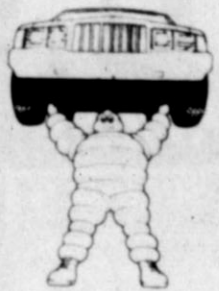
Hwy 385 & 13th

364-7802

## Quality Tires Quality Service

Front End Alignment  
Oil Changes  
Grease Jobs  
Brake Work  
Mufflers

Wheel Bearing Pack  
Computer Balancing  
Truck Flats  
Tractor Flats  
Car Flats



# Charlie's Tire

501 West 1st

364-5033

## "IS IT SO TOUGH YOU CAN DROP A SAFE ON IT?"

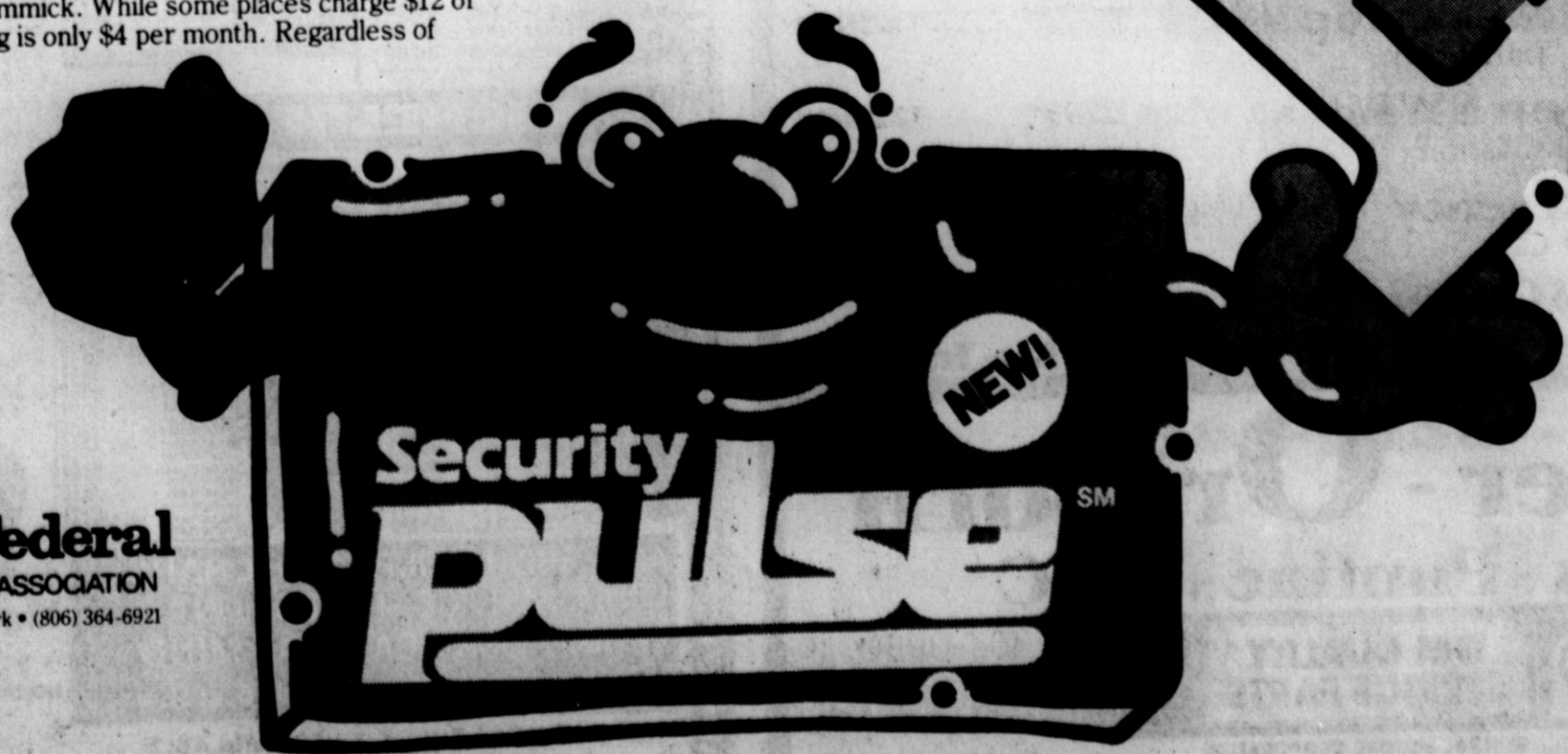
Well, no. You see, we thought at first we needed a gimmick for our new 24-hour Security Pulse. But the fact is, you can get cash 24-hours a day at any Pulse machine across Texas. You can make deposits, transfers and balance inquiries at any Security Pulse machine. And to get a Security Pulse card, you only need to have a Security Checking account.

And that is why we don't need a gimmick. While some places charge \$12 or \$15 for checking, Security Checking is only \$4 per month. Regardless of the number of checks you write. And if you keep at least \$200 in your account, there is no service charge.

So, there's no need for a gimmick. But maybe you have the need for a Security Pulse card. Come by any Security Federal office and we'll get you started!

When You Think About Convenience, Think Security.

**Security Federal**  
SAVINGS AND LOAN ASSOCIATION  
Hereford, Texas: 1017 W. Park • (806) 364-6921



# On the Ball



By DENNIS BALL  
Sports Editor

Please don't curse the boy down there,  
He is my son, you see;  
He's only just a boy, you know,  
And means a lot to me.

I did not raise my son, sports fans,  
For you to call him names;  
He may not be a superstar  
But it's a high school game.

Please don't curse the boys there.  
They do the best they can;  
They never tried to lose a game.  
They're boys — and you're a man.

The game belongs to them, you see,  
And you are just a guest;  
They do not need a fan like you,  
They need the very best.

If you have nothing nice to say,  
Please leave the boys alone.  
And if you can't enjoy the game,  
Why don't you stay at home?

So please don't curse those boys down there.  
Each one's his parents' son.  
And win or lose or tie, you see,  
To us they're number one!

Let's hope it doesn't carry over into basketball season. Some fans' behaviors during football season was bad enough to last for several years to come. Some fathers cursing the players and coaches, some parents getting up at halftime to leave the game because the Herd was trailing on the scoreboard and all the Bob Uecker's trying to officiate the ball game at least 100 yards away from the action. All this while claiming no allegiance to the Whitefaces.

"Hereford is a great football town. The people really get behind the Whitefaces," were comments typical of Hereford residents before the season began and again at season's end.

But no way. Not in between the season's start and its end. After Hereford had just dropped its third game against only one win, comments were of a different type. "I don't know what's the matter with Hereford. They just don't have anything this year. The game tonight? No. I don't think I'll go to watch them get beat."

Try to think of something that hurts a player more than that. Hard to do, isn't it? High school athletes playing high school sports don't need that kind of garbage thrown at them. They're not professionals, they don't make their living at football and they don't try to lose games.

And fans have no right to criticize the players in the manner they so did this season.

"I paid my money, I'll gripe if I want to," right? Wrong. Fans pay a very small amount to watch high-school sports. Fans attending those sports are paying money to support the teams, be it athletics, band, debate, drama or whatever. They're not paying the participants' salaries.

It's like Hereford football coach Jerry Taylor said. The players showed a lot of integrity and character making a run at first place after the first four games, especially when they seemingly would have no fans for which to play.

(See BALL, Page 8A)

## Flutie tops candidates

# Heisman Trophy announced

By JOHN NELSON AP Sports Writer  
NEW YORK (AP) — Teammates Doug Flutie and Gerard Phelan used to talk about what it would be like to play football together at Boston College.

Flutie, along with several others, now has a chance to become a Heisman Trophy winner. Phelan may become the answer to a trivia question.

Flutie and fellow quarterbacks Robbie Bosco of Brigham Young and Bernie Kosar of Miami, Fla., and running back Keith Byars of Ohio State make up the nucleus of this year's top candidates for the Heisman Trophy, awarded annually to the player judged best in the nation.

The award was to be announced Saturday at the Downtown Athletic Club in New York at about 7:50 p.m. EST.

The Boston College quarterback went into Saturday's regular-season finale against Holy Cross today with NCAA all-time records in both passing yards, 10,303, and total yards, 10,537.

"We used to talk about how maybe we'll get a chance to play junior year and if we're lucky we can travel ...," Flutie said of he and Flutie's freshman ruminations.

But the most impressive trip Phelan has taken in his college career was the 48 yards he covered to the end zone a week ago Friday when Flutie found his roommate and wide receiver for a winning touchdown as time expired against Miami. Once Flutie finished scrambling, the pass actually covered about 64 yards and gave eighth-ranked Boston College a 47-45 victory in Miami.

The last 12 Heisman Trophy winners have been running backs, and

Byars, the nation's leading rusher, would like to keep that string intact. Byars, a junior who will lead Ohio State into the Rose Bowl Jan. 1 against Southern Cal, has rushed for 1,655 yards this year, averaging 150.5 yards per game.

If Flutie, Bosco or Kosar win, the Heisman will have been captured by a quarterback for the first time since Pat Sullivan of Auburn won the award in 1971.

Bosco, a junior, is trying to lead BYU to its first national championship, something Kosar did last year as a freshman at Miami. Bosco leads the nation with 3,875 yards passing and has thrown 33 touchdowns.

Brigham Young takes a No. 1 ranking and undefeated season into the Holiday Bowl Dec. 21 against Michigan.

Kosar, who will lead Miami into the Fiesta Bowl Jan. 1 against UCLA, has thrown for 3,642 yards this year and 25 touchdowns. In his two seasons, Kosar has thrown for 5,971 yards, about 1,500 yards ahead of Flutie's record pace.

Going into the Holy Cross game, Flutie, a senior, had thrown for 3,178 yards this season and 24 touchdowns.

Last year's Heisman winner was Nebraska running back Mike Rozier. Running back Herschel Walker of Georgia won the year before.

## Organizational meets scheduled by YMCA

A number of organizational meetings for persons interested in YMCA sports have been scheduled within the next two weeks, according to announcements by Weldon Knabe, general director of Hereford and Vicinity YMCA.

### High School Basketball

The YMCA has scheduled an organizational meeting at 7 p.m. Dec. 11 to set dates and guidelines for the High School Boys and Girls YMCA Basketball League.

The meeting is to take place at the new YMCA facility, 500 15th St. Dates, rules, entry fees and playing locations will be discussed, Knabe said.

Anyone interested in forming a team should be present.

### 3-on-3 Basketball

Dec. 10 has been set as the date for an organizational meeting dealing with men's and women's 3-on-3 basketball leagues.

Meeting time is 7 p.m. at the new YMCA facility.

Rules, playing days, scheduling and deadlines are to be discussed at the meeting. Knabe said that anyone wishing to enter a team or participate in the league should be present.

### Volleyball

A new season in YMCA Coed



At Musicians' Hideaway, we give you more of what you go to a music store for: A Better Sound - At A Better Price. We have this area's largest selection of new and used musical equipment including guitars, amplifiers, drums, electric pianos, synthesizers, PA systems, microphones, and more including all kinds of accessories, by the top names in the music industry.



AND FOR THAT SPECIAL MUSICIAN, WE'VE GOT THE "GUITAR TUNE-UP KIT" for only \$15.95 INCLUDING:

- A Set of Fender Acoustic or Electric Strings (make it sound like new)
- A 6-note pitch pipe (keep it tuned up)
- Guitar polish and polish cloth (protect and shine it up real pretty)
- A String Winder (make re-stringing faster and easier)
- A Dozen Picks with a Pick Pouch (you won't lose those picks as often)

All This In A Convenient Package Worth Over \$24.00. But Now Only \$15.95 At The Store With Service, Repair, Rental & Lessons.

Musicians' Hideaway  
303 Main Downtown Clovis  
"The Most For Your Music Dollar"

# HOW CAN YOU BUY THE RIGHT TIRE IF YOU DON'T HAVE A CHOICE? LOOK TO SHOOK

"YOUR SUPERMARKET FOR TIRES & SERVICES"

<b>BIAS BELTED ECONOMY</b> <b>LEE Thunderbolt POLY WHITEWALL</b> <b>\$23.88</b> SIZE PRICE P165/80D-13 \$23.88 P195/75D-14 26.88 P205/75D-14 29.88 P215/75D-14 30.88 P215/75D-15 31.88 P225/75D-15 33.88 P235/75D-15 35.88		<b>LEE GS-300 Belted DOMESTIC WHITEWALL</b> <b>\$36.88</b> Size Price P195/75R14 36.88 P205/75R14 39.88 P215/75R14 41.88 P215/75R15 41.88 P225/75R15 43.88 P235/75R15 45.88		<b>SUPER SERVICE SPECIALS</b> <b>SHOCKS</b> Save \$5 <b>Heavy Duty Shock Absorbers</b> • Lifetime Warranty • Installation Available <b>\$9.88</b> Each Redeemable on shocks in stock. REG. \$14.88 COUPON EXPIRES DEC. 8, 1984	
<b>Steel Belted Radial</b> <b>LEE Steel Belted Radial WHITEWALL</b> <b>\$37.88</b> Size Price P165/80R13 37.88 P185/80R13 39.88 P195/75R14 42.88 P205/75R14 43.88 P215/75R15 48.88 P225/75R15 52.88 P235/75R15 56.88		<b>LEE ALL WEATHER Steel Radial WHITEWALL</b> <b>\$39.88</b> Size Price P165/80R13 39.88 P185/80R13 43.88 P195/75R14 45.88 P205/75R14 48.88 P215/75R14 53.88 P215/75R15 55.88 P225/75R15 57.88 P235/75R15 62.88 P235/75R15 66.88		<b>ANTIFREEZE</b> Save \$7 <b>Winterize your car!</b> • Check belts • Check hoses • Drain and fill radiator • Add 2 gallons anti-freeze <b>\$15.88</b> Most cars and pickups COUPON EXPIRES DEC. 8, 1984	
<b>MICHELIN MENU</b> BECAUSE SO MUCH IS RIDING ON YOUR TIRES. <b>45.88 XWW DOMESTIC WHITEWALL</b> Size Price P165/80R13 45.88 P175/80R13 66.88 P185/80R13 70.88 P195/75R14 75.88 P205/75R14 79.88 P215/75R14 84.88 P215/75R15 87.88 P225/75R15 90.88 P235/75R15 92.88 P235/75R15 96.88		<b>49.88 XA4 ALL WEATHER DOMESTIC WHITEWALL</b> Size Price P165/80R13 49.88 P175/80R13 69.88 P185/80R13 73.88 P195/75R14 78.88 P205/75R14 82.88 P215/75R14 87.88 P215/75R15 90.88 P225/75R15 93.88 P235/75R15 95.88		<b>ALIGNMENT</b> Save \$4 <b>Professional Wheel Alignment</b> • Set toe-in • Inspect tires • Adjust caster and camber <b>\$17.88</b> Most cars COUPON EXPIRES DEC. 8, 1984	
<b>ARMSTRONG PROWLER</b> <b>33.88</b> Size Price P165/80R13 33.88 P175/80R13 35.88 P185/80R13 37.88 P195/75R14 39.88 P205/75R14 41.88 P215/75R14 43.88 P215/75R15 45.88 P225/75R15 47.88 P235/75R15 49.88		<b>BRAKE SERVICE</b> Save \$40 <b>Front Disc or Front Drum</b> • Front Disc - 2 Wheel Drum - 2 Wheel Drum • Install new shoes and pads • Install new front grease seals • Replace front disc pads • Rotate other components • Turn drums • Bleed and refill system • FILL 174.00 <b>\$59.88</b> Most cars & 1/2 ton trucks 2WD \$109.88 COUPON EXPIRES DEC. 8, 1984		<b>SHOOK TIRE &amp; SERVICE</b> 600 W. 1st • 364-1010 Manager: Mike Castro HOURS: 7:30 am - 5:30 pm Mon.-Fri. 8 am - 12 noon Saturday FOR 24 HOUR SERVICE, CALL 655-7974	

# Pre-Christmas Sale On Good Used Cars

Just In Time To Save You Money For The Holidays!

Model	Was	Sale
<b>1984 Buick Riviera</b> Red/White One Owner, Extra Nice!	\$15500 <sup>00</sup>	<b>\$15000<sup>00</sup></b>
<b>1984 Buick Riviera</b> Beige/Brown Demo With New Car Warranty.	\$18721 <sup>00</sup>	<b>\$16000<sup>00</sup></b>
<b>1981 Buick Limited</b> Beige/Tan One Owner, Low Milage, Extra Nice.	\$8795 <sup>00</sup>	<b>\$8495<sup>00</sup></b>
<b>1980 Olds Regency</b> Marroon One Owner	\$6995 <sup>00</sup>	<b>\$6495<sup>00</sup></b>
<b>1980 Buick La Sabre</b> Red/White	\$5895 <sup>00</sup>	<b>\$5495<sup>00</sup></b>
<b>1979 Buick Limited</b> Cream/Tan One Owner, 52000 Miles, Clean.	\$6495 <sup>00</sup>	<b>\$5995<sup>00</sup></b>
<b>1977 Buick Legal</b> Salmon/Beige	\$1995 <sup>00</sup>	<b>\$1795<sup>00</sup></b>
<b>1976 Buick La Sabre</b> White Loaded, One Owner.	\$1895 <sup>00</sup>	<b>\$1495<sup>00</sup></b>
<b>1975 Chevy 1/2 ton Pickup</b> Red 45000 Miles, Bucket Seats, Extra Sharp.	\$5995 <sup>00</sup>	<b>\$5500<sup>00</sup></b>
<b>1974 Chevy 1/2 ton SWB</b> Green/White 6 cylinder, Automatic Transmission	\$2995 <sup>00</sup>	<b>\$2500<sup>00</sup></b>
<b>1976 Olds 98 Regency</b> Cream/Beige High Milage, Clean, Good Car.	\$1495 <sup>00</sup>	<b>\$1195<sup>00</sup></b>
<b>2-New 1984 GMC Diesel Pickups</b> Loaded, All the Goodies.	<b>\$659<sup>00</sup></b>	<b>Below Dealer Invoice</b>

# Stagner - Orsborn Buick - Pontiac - GMC

142 N. Miles



364-0990

KEEP THAT GREAT GM FEELING WITH GENUINE GM PARTS.



**Legends of Golf**

**Lineup set for Austin tournament**

AUSTIN (AP) — The lineup for the 1985 Liberty Mutual Legends of Golf tournament will include five newcomers in a field that will include 84-year-old Gene Sarazen. The \$500,000 seniors tournament has a field of 52 golfers, paired in 26 teams for the four-day, better-ball match over the Onion Creek Club course. New to the field this year are Lee

Elder, Tommy Jacobs, Mason Rudolph, Harold Henning and Bob Stone, the tournament announced Friday. Sarazen again will be paired with golf teacher Paul Runyan. The Legends is the only tournament in which Sarazen, winner of the U.S. and British Opens, Masters and PGA, still competes. The 1984 tournament was won by

Billy Casper and Gay Brewer. Sam Snead and Roberto De Vicenzo both have won the event twice since its founding in 1978. Snead won that year with Gardner Dickinson and in 1982 with Don January. De Vicenzo won in 1979 with Julius Boros and in 1983 with Rod Funseth. This year's field will include all of

(See LEGENDS, Page 12C)

**\$1,000 at stake**

**Bounty hunt begins Saturday**

The first annual Big Brothers-Big Sisters "Bounty Hunt" is scheduled for Dec. 8 and 9 in Deaf Smith County with \$1,000 at stake.

Ten pheasants will be marked and released just prior to the first weekend of pheasant season, all within a 25-mile radius of Hereford. Licenses to participate in the hunt are \$10 each and are available by mail, at numerous Hereford restaurants and motels and at the Big Brothers-Big Sisters office in Hereford.

The first licensed bounty hunter to present one of the marked pheasants to a Big Brother-Big Sister representative will receive a \$1,000 bounty. A representative will be stationed at the Caison House restaurant during business hours on Saturday and Sunday.

The Bounty Hunt ends at 5 p.m. on Sunday. All proceeds will be used by Big Brothers-Big Sisters of Hereford.

On Saturday morning from 5 to 8, the organization will sponsor a Pheasant Hunter's Breakfast at the Community Center. The menu will include bacon, sausage, ham, scrambled eggs, biscuits and gravy, donuts,

coffee, juice and milk. The meal will be catered by Savage's and will be served buffet style for \$5 a person.

The Big Brothers-Big Sisters movement emphasizes the importance of one-to-one friendship. One mature adult is matched with one child in need of understanding and direction. The friendship consistently produces positive results in the young child, including increased self-confidence and self-esteem.

Big Brothers-Big Sisters works with boys and girls between the ages of 5 and 18 and who are generally from single parent homes, by matching them up with an approved adult who volunteers to spend at least two to five hours a week with them for a period of at least one year, in order to provide friendship, support and guidance at a crucial time in their lives.

The "match" relationship between the two involved is informal. The adult volunteer is allowed to pick his time and places for socializing with his counterpart.

The goal of being a Big Brother-Big Sister is to produce a positive inner and outer change in the child, in-

cluding a strengthened sense of self-worth and improved relationships and performance at home, in school and in the community.

**Steelers need victory today**

By MICHAEL A. LUTZ AP Sports Writer

HOUSTON (AP) — The Pittsburgh Steelers, who have taken it upon themselves to restore respect to the American Football Conference's Central Division, will try to wrap up another divisional title Sunday when they face the Houston Oilers in the Astrodome.

Kickoff is at noon CST. The Steelers are the only Central Division team with a winning record following last week's record-setting 52-24 victory over San Diego.

A victory over Houston coupled with a Cincinnati victory over Cleveland would give the Steelers their second straight title.

(See OILERS, Page 8A)

**The first fifty is the best  
You've reached the top of the hill  
Our best wishes and good luck, Phil  
As you go over .....**



**The Fifties**

**Happy  
Birthday!**

**from the Tierra  
Blanca Gang**



**The Fifty**

**Case in Point No. 1**

**WHO'S RESTING  
ON THEIR LAURELS  
AND WHO'S  
EARNING THEM?**

**ASK US.**

We'd like to prove to you that Case is the most progressive in the field today. And that's because we've made improvements, not for the sake of change alone, but to assist you in meeting the serious challenge of profitable farming here and now.

Case is concerned, not with shadowy future promises, but with genuine, up-front values that are going to help you do a better job than ever before.

A few examples: computer-designed diesel engines with outstanding reliability and fuel economy; advanced electronic monitoring



so you work more confidently and efficiently; four-way selective steering in 4WD models for increased productivity.

In every horsepower class, system for system and feature for feature, innovative design and quality manufacturing make Case a better buy.

Think about it. Who's moving ahead and who's standing still? Isn't it time to take a fresh, new look at the facts? Ask us.



**Case Power & Equipment**

Dimmitt Hwy

364-2015



Entry Blank For The  
Chamber Women's Division  
Annual  
**Christmas  
Decorations  
Contest**

Name \_\_\_\_\_  
Address \_\_\_\_\_  
Phone \_\_\_\_\_

Please Check Square Beside Category You Are Entering And Return Form To Chamber Office By Friday December 10th, 4:00 pm.

Residential      Business  
 Total Home       Total Business  
 Window/or Door       Window/or Door

Previous Winners Must Enter in Different Category  
Judging will be on Dec. 11th  
Winner to be announced Dec. 16th

**Deaf Smith County Bucks To Be Awarded.**



**This  
Christmas,  
Give The Gift  
Of Security**

The world is changing and what may have been "unthinkable" in the past, should now be considered. For Christmas, give your family the security and the peace-of-mind they deserve. Drop by and let us help you select the right form of security your family

**BONDED  
&  
REGISTERED**

Open Mon. thru Sat.  
9 am - 5 pm

**24-Hour  
emergency Service  
364-8738**



We Accept



**LuRay  
Lock & Safe Co.**

813 W. Park Ave.

364-8228

**NBA roundup**

# Dr. J shot in arm for Philadelphia Friday

By The Associated Press

The old pro, Julius Erving, knows the transition is far from over, but he says the new starting role occupied by rookie Charles Barkley may help the Philadelphia 76ers "feel more secure."

Erving ignited a third-quarter burst Thursday night that helped the 76ers blow open a close game and beat the Portland Trail Blazers 126-116 in the National Basketball Association.

Barkley, out of Auburn University, scored 16 points and had 13 rebounds to aid the 76ers. Along with Akem Olatujun of Houston and Michael Jordan of Chicago, Barkley has been one of the NBA's most impressive

rookies this season, but he did not make his first start for the 76ers until Thursday night.

Erving, who scored 11 of Philadelphia's first 13 points in the third quarter, called Barkley's skills "extraordinary."

Erving wound up with 28 points, and Moses Malone had 30 points and 15 rebounds for Philadelphia. Clyde Drexler topped Portland with 26.

In the rest of the league, Houston defeated Atlanta 116-102, Washington downed Detroit 114-106, New Jersey ripped Indiana 123-100, Dallas defeated Seattle 108-98, Milwaukee beat New York 118-100, Utah beat Denver 116-97, the Los Angeles Lakers beat Kansas City 130-121 and Chicago beat the Los Angeles Clippers 104-100.

**Rockets 116, Hawks 102**

Ralph Sampson scored 30 points, and the Rockets steadily pulled away from Atlanta for a rather easy victory. Rodney McCray's dunk shot gave Houston a 15-13 lead with 5:10 left in the first quarter, and the 7-foot-4 Sampson and frontcourt mate Olatujun took over from there. Olatujun had 11 rebounds in the first quarter alone and finished with 13.

Dominique Wilkins scored 31 points for Atlanta.

**Bullets 114, Pistons 106**

Gus Williams and Frank Johnson scored 21 points each to lead Washington to its ninth victory in 11 games. The Bullets held Detroit scoreless for the first 4:48 of the fourth quarter as Washington ran off eight points to take a 91-80 lead. Cliff Robinson had three of his 19 points during the run.

Isiah Thomas led Detroit with 31 points.

**Nets 123, Pacers 100**

Buck Williams scored 19 points in the second quarter as New Jersey raced to a 66-53 halftime lead over Indiana, which lost for the 13th time in 18 games. Williams finished with 23 points, including a pair of baskets in

a 10-1 tear early in the second quarter that gave the Nets a 44-35 lead.

Nets guard Michael Ray Richardson and Pacers forward Bill Garnett both were ejected in the third period for fighting.

**Mavericks 108, Sonics 98**

Dallas led 97-92 with 2:48 to play then hung on behind the offense of Rolando Blackman to beat the Super-Sonics. Blackman scored six of his 23 points in the final two minutes as the Mavericks ended a two-game losing streak.

Mark Aguirre had 26 points for Dallas, and Tom Chambers had a season-high 31 for the Sonics.

**Bucks 118, Knicks 100**

Milwaukee outscored New York 24-5 to take a 44-30 lead with 4:03 gone in the second quarter, and the Bucks thwarted a Knicks' rally by scoring the first 11 points of the third quarter to take a 70-50 lead.

Terry Cummings and Alton Lister scored six points apiece in the first-half run, and Lister ignited the third-quarter burst. Cummings wound up with 22 points, and Darrell Walker paced the Knicks with 20.

**Jazz 116, Rockets 97**

Darrell Griffith score 24 points, and Utah held high-scoring Denver forward Alex English to 11 points as the Jazz snapped a nine-game Rockets winning streak. English had been averaging 31.3 points per game.

Included in Griffith's total were three three-point goals. John Drew had 21 points and Adrian Dantley added 20 for the Jazz. Denver was led by Dan Issel's 24 points.

**Lakers 130, Kings 121**

Los Angeles outscored Kansas City 10-2 during one stretch in the first period to take a 38-30 lead, and the Lakers maintained that pace throughout to beat the Kings behind the 18 points of Kareem Abdul-

**BALL**

The October, 1984, Leaguer, official publication of the University Interscholastic League, presented a question to sports fans that asked what they considered represented the greatest peril to the survival of high school sports. Specialization, overemphasis, officials, coaches or administrators?

"The greatest peril to interscholastic athletics is you, my friend — you the frantic fan," is the Leaguer's answer.

"Specialization and overemphasis can, and are, being curbed; officials trained, coaches and administrators are guided, but you, Mr. Fan, you answer to no one — no one, that is, until a program has been ruined, students penalized, young images shattered, because you didn't control yourself."

It's not a sin to want to succeed, to win. The players and coaches want it just as much as fans do. But fans may, indeed, be hurting a program much more than they are helping it when they scream at participants. Especially when they scream vulgarities.

The thing for the participants to remember is when they hear vulgarities uttered from people's mouths, those people use such language because they don't know how to express themselves in any other way. Wouldn't it be a revelation to some fans to see themselves on film or video tape, just as the players have to view themselves after a game?

Sound is magnified in an enclosed area like the HHS gym. And that's where Hereford High School boys and girls basketball teams will play home games this season.

Maybe basketball fans will take the advice of the poem. Maybe they will stay at home unless they have something good to say. Support our teams.

By The Associated Press  
EASTERN CONFERENCE

Atlantic Division		W.	L.	Pct.	GB
Boston	13	1	.929	—	
Philadelphia	12	4	.750	2	
Washington	11	7	.611	4	
New Jersey	8	8	.500	6	
New York	8	10	.444	7	
Central Division					
Milwaukee	10	7	.588	—	
Chicago	8	9	.471	2	
Detroit	8	9	.471	2	
Atlanta	7	10	.412	3	
Indiana	5	13	.278	5½	
Cleveland	2	13	.133	7	
WESTERN CONFERENCE					
Midwest Division					
Denver	12	2	.857	—	
Houston	12	5	.706	1½	
Dallas	9	9	.500	5	
Utah	8	9	.471	5½	
San Antonio	7	9	.438	6	
Kansas City	3	12	.200	9½	
Pacific Division					
L.A. Lakers	11	6	.647	—	
Phoenix	10	8	.556	1½	
Portland	10	8	.556	1½	
Golden State	6	11	.353	5	
L.A. Clippers	6	11	.353	5	
Seattle	6	11	.353	5	

Late Games Not Included  
Friday's Games

Washington 114, Detroit 106  
Houston 116, Atlanta 102  
New Jersey 123, Indiana 100  
Philadelphia 126, Portland 116  
Dallas 108, Seattle 98  
New York at Milwaukee, (n)  
Denver at Utah, (n)  
Chicago at L.A. Clippers, (n)  
Kansas City at L.A. Lakers, (n)

**OILERS**

Despite their club record 52-point performance against the Chargers, Steeler Coach Chuck Noll won't classify his team as "arrived."

"That never happens," Noll said. "Each week is a different contest. Last week was a good one for us from the standpoint of a lack of mistakes and outstanding execution."

"As far as arriving, you never arrive. That's one thing you learn in this league."

Noll is pleased, however, that the Steelers are learning to play with fewer mistakes.

"What we have been doing is hurting ourselves some with mistakes," he said. "The mistakes have cost us a few ball games. Last Sunday we were able to avoid the mistakes and we played well."

Pittsburgh quarterback Mark Malone had a career-best game with four touchdown passes and 253 yards

passes against the Chargers. Malone hit 18 of 22 passes for an 81.8 percentage, breaking a 10-year single-game record by Terry Bradshaw.

Malone's emergence, after starting the season on the bench, has been a contributing factor in the Steelers' return to playoff contention.

"Mark has had some excellent performances this season," Noll said. "He has a great working knowledge.

**Case in Point No. 2**

## WHY PAY FOR MORE HORSEPOWER TO GET THE LATEST TECHNOLOGY?

### ASK US.

There's no doubt Case leads the way in tractor technology today.

That's as it should be. After all, Case is a specialist in a specialized field. So no matter what the horsepower class, we build tractors with every bit of advanced technology at our disposal — most of it unique to Case.

For example, who else gives you six-cylinder turbo-charged power, electric/hydraulic shifting plus state-of-

the-art electronic monitoring even in a tractor under 100 horsepower, like we do in our new 1896?



Nobody, that's who.

Only Case puts as much thought in the smaller tractors as in the big ones. To you, that means you can get all the productive advantages without paying a premium for horsepower you may neither need nor want.

Whatever size tractor you're buying, make sure that it's all that it ought to be.

Make it Case. We go all out, all through the line. Our value is up front to help you do more here and now.



## Case Power & Equipment

Dimmitt Hwy

364-2015

**Share The Spirit Of The Season...**

As you gather with family and friends to toast the holidays, remember B & B Liquor has the finest selection of beer, wine, and liquor for your entertainment and gift giving needs.

# B & B Liquor

350 N. 25 Mile Ave. 364-4100

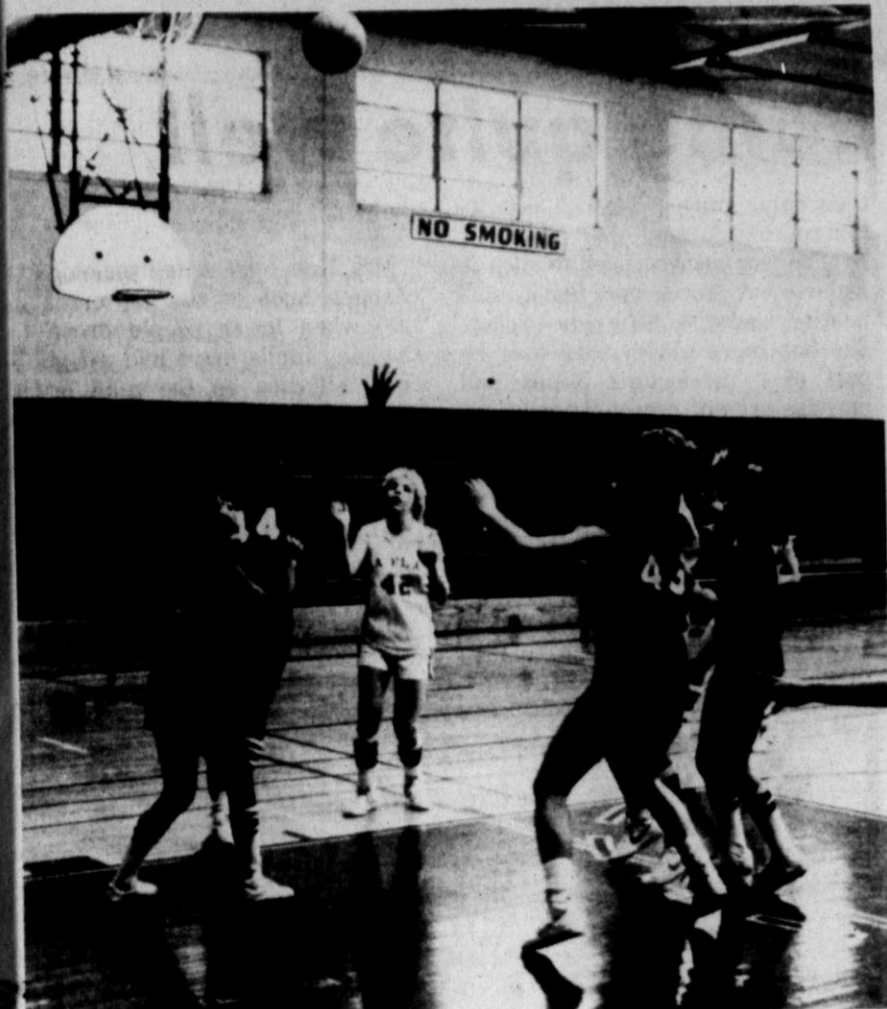
## FROSTY'S MEAT MARKET

220 N. 25 Mile Ave. — 364-6042  
HEREFORD, TEXAS

<p><b>Smoked Turkeys</b></p> <p>\$14.95 ea.</p> <p>All Turkeys will weigh 12 - 14 LBS. before smoking 9 - 11 LBS. after smoking</p>	<p><b>Party Trays</b></p> <p>\$1.50 per person (5 people minimum)</p> <p>Your choice of 4 Meats and 4 Cheeses.</p>
<p><b>Hams</b></p> <p>\$1.89 per LB.</p> <p>Heavy Smoked Hams \$1.99 per LB.</p> <p>(All hams will weigh 14-17 LBS.)</p>	<p><b>Fruit Baskets</b></p> <p>Small (½ peck) Medium (1 peck) Large (½ bushel)</p> <p>\$5.00 and up</p> <p>Your choice of Fruits</p>

<p><b>CHOICE PACK</b> 25 LBS. EXTRA LEAN GROUND BEEF ASSORTED STEAKS OR ROAST</p> <p>\$54.95</p>	<p><b>NO. 1</b> T-BONE STEAK CLUB STEAK ROUND STEAK ROAST GROUND BEEF</p> <p>\$63.95</p>	<p><b>GROUND BEEF PATTIES</b> 12 LB. BOX</p> <p>\$19.90</p>	<p><b>BEEF HALVES</b> 200 TO 250 LBS. LB.</p> <p>\$1.19</p>
<p><b>BEEF DOLLAR SAUER PACK</b> 24 LBS. FAMILY STEAK DORK CHOPS CHUCK ROAST GROUND BEEF PATTIES</p> <p>\$37.95</p>	<p><b>NO. 2</b> SHELOIN STEAK SWISS STEAK CLUB STEAK CHUCK STEAK GROUND BEEF</p> <p>\$65.95</p>	<p><b>GROUND BEEF</b> 20 LB. BOX</p> <p>\$27.80</p>	<p><b>BEEF HALVES</b> CHOICE LB. 250 TO 300 LBS.</p> <p>\$1.29</p>
<p><b>ECONOMY PACK</b> 30 LBS. ROUND STEAK BEEF RIBS CHUCK ROAST PORK CHOPS FAMILY STEAK GROUND BEEF</p> <p>\$50.95</p>	<p><b>NO. 3</b> 40 LBS. ASSORTED STEAK ROAST GROUND BEEF BACON PORK STEAK</p> <p>\$73.95</p>	<p><b>CENTER CUT PORK CHOPS</b> 10 LB. BOX</p> <p>\$19.90</p>	<p><b>BEEF HIND QUARTER</b> LB. 100-150 LBS.</p> <p>\$1.39</p>
<p><b>FAMILY PACK</b> 50 LBS. ROUND STEAK CHUCK ROAST GROUND BEEF PORK CHOPS FRYERS</p> <p>\$78.95</p>	<p><b>NO. 4</b> 24 LBS. 6 LB. BAR-B-QUE STEAK 6 LB. SWISS STEAK 6 LB. FRISE CHOPS (FIRST CUT) 6 LB. GROUND BEEF 3 LB. BOUND STEAK</p> <p>\$51.95</p>	<p><b>CURE STEAK</b> 5 LB. BOX</p> <p>\$14.00</p>	





Go In Please

La Plata's Mindy Bevers seems to be urging a shot into the basket Friday at the HHS gym. Several Stanton players wait underneath the basket for the rebound.

Scheduled for Saturday

# Coetzee finally puts title on line boxing

By TOM BALDWIN Associated Press Writer  
SUN CITY, South Africa (AP) — Fourteen months after winning the World Boxing Association heavyweight crown, South African Gerrie Coetzee is finally getting around to defending his title. Saturday's 15-round bout in this glittery golf and gambling resort throws one of the least-tried heavyweight champions against American Greg Page, the sixth-ranked WBA

challenger who lost his last two bouts. Coetzee, with 29 wins, two losses and a draw, wants to establish his reputation. His September 1983, 10th-round knockout of American Michael Dokes was viewed by some as a fluke. Page, of Louisville, Ky., hopes to salvage his career following defeats by Tim Witherspoon and Dave Bey in his previous two bouts. Both men spent Friday lounging in

their rooms. A steady downpour soaked this holiday spa that offers a variety of activities from sport parachuting to snake- and giraffe-spotting in the surrounding bush.

Coetzee's longtime adviser, Johannesburg businessman Hal Tucker, dismissed suggestions that 14 months of inactivity have slowed the champion.

"He has done the necessary work and he looks and feels good," Tucker said.

"He'll be rusty, anybody would after all that time," retorted Page's manager, Janks Morton.

Also on the card is Ossie Ocasio of Puerto Rico defending his cruiserweight WBA crown against South African cruiserweight champion Piet Crous.

Page, 26, was once considered his division's most promising fighter. He has won 23 bouts and lost three. He and Coetzee both have scored 18 knockouts.

The two sides spent the final days before the fight engaging in name-

calling. Coetzee referred to Page as "a jerk" and said the American is not up to making a run at the title.

Morton says that Coetzee, who goes into the fight with a bruised right thumb and a reputation for suffering cuts, "hurts himself when he looks in the mirror."

Coetzee sought but was unable to arrange a fight since he defeated Dokes. American promoter Don King, who has all the top WBA heavyweights under contract, says fighters ranked higher than Page were previously committed.

Coetzee is reportedly receiving 1.5 million South African rand, which in July and August — when the fight was being contemplated — were worth \$1.2 million.

Since then the rand has plunged. Coetzee's take now is worth just over \$810,000.

More sports,  
11-12C

## COWBOYS

cond in tackles with 91. Free safety Michael Downs leads in tackles with 111 and has intercepted five passes. He's been the key to an effective safety blitz.

Landry says the Eagles would be tied with the other teams for the division lead if they hadn't lost a couple of close games.

"I was impressed with Pisarcik in the St. Louis game, and the Eagles have a very good defense," said Landry.

The Eagles, who need three final victories to have a winning season, still have a mathematical chance for the division lead.

By The Associated Press  
AMERICAN CONFERENCE

	W	L	T	Pct.	PF	PA
x-Miami	12	1	0	.923	416	215
New England	8	5	0	.615	319	282
N.Y. Jets	6	7	0	.462	280	286
Indianapolis	4	9	0	.308	197	342
Buffalo	1	12	0	.077	191	366
Central						
Pittsburgh	7	6	0	.538	321	260
Cincinnati	5	8	0	.385	243	280
Cleveland	4	9	0	.308	186	234
Houston	2	11	0	.154	181	363
West						
Seattle	11	2	0	.846	359	200
y-Denver	11	2	0	.846	293	198
L.A. Raiders	9	4	0	.692	292	228
San Diego	6	7	0	.462	340	348
Kansas City	5	8	0	.385	222	283

NATIONAL CONFERENCE

	W	L	T	Pct.	PF	PA
Washington	9	5	0	.643	367	255
N.Y. Giants	8	5	0	.615	255	250
Dallas	8	5	0	.615	233	240
St. Louis	7	6	0	.538	332	285
Philadelphia	5	7	1	.423	231	251
Central						
x-Chicago	9	4	0	.692	274	195
Green Bay	5	8	0	.385	305	267
Detroit	4	8	1	.346	250	316
Tampa Bay	4	9	0	.308	257	326
Minnesota	3	11	0	.214	255	395
West						
x-San Francisco	12	1	0	.923	370	187
L.A. Rams	8	5	0	.615	269	260
New Orleans	6	7	0	.462	246	300
Atlanta	3	10	0	.231	232	314

x-cinched division title  
y-cinched wild-card playoff berth

Thursday's Game

Washington 31, Minnesota 17

Sunday's Games

Cincinnati at Cleveland

Indianapolis at Buffalo

Dallas at Philadelphia

Denver at Kansas City

N.Y. Giants at N.Y. Jets

Pittsburgh at Houston

St. Louis at New England

San Francisco at Atlanta

Tampa Bay at Green Bay

Detroit at Seattle

Los Angeles Raiders at Miami

New Orleans at Los Angeles Rams

Monday's Game

Chicago at San Diego

Saturday, Dec. 8

Buffalo at New York Jets

Minnesota at San Francisco

Sunday, Dec. 9

Atlanta at Tampa Bay

Cincinnati at New Orleans

Cleveland at Pittsburgh

Green Bay at Chicago

Miami at Indianapolis

New England at Philadelphia

New York Giants at St. Louis

Seattle at Kansas City

Houston at Los Angeles Rams

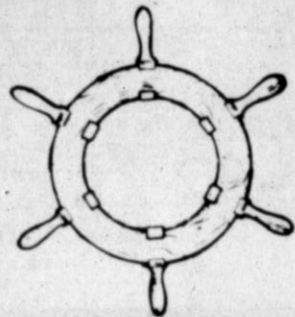
San Diego at Denver

Washington at Dallas

Monday, Dec. 10

Los Angeles Raiders at Detroit

# BOATERS A TO Z CHRISTMAS GIFT LIST



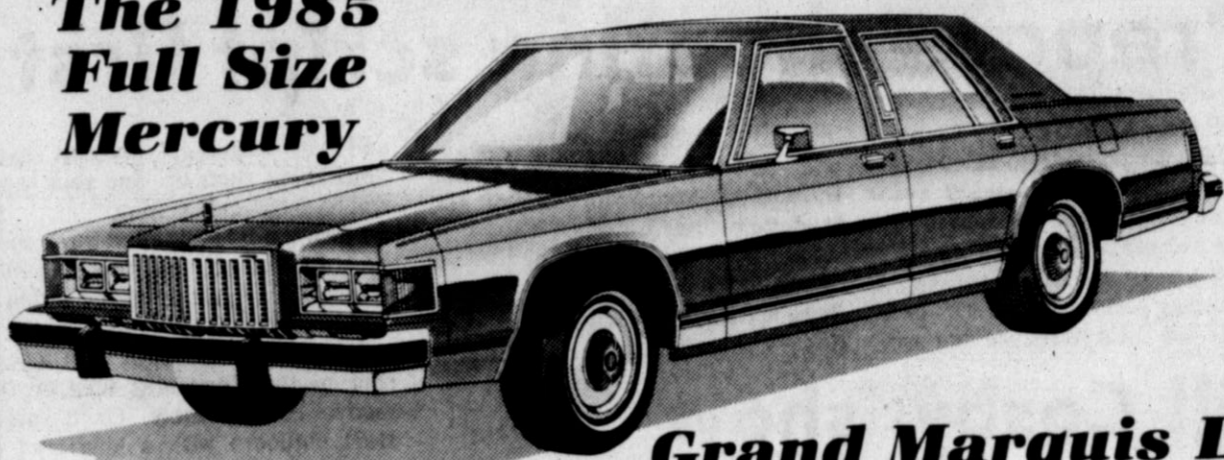
- Anchor & Antennas
- Bilge Pump
- Compass
- Down Riggers
- Extra Propeller
- Fish Finder
- Gloves - Ski
- Holders - Rod, Drink, Anchor
- Instruments
- Jack for Trailer Tongue
- Kit-Clean & Polish
- Lube Gun for Boat & Trailer
- Manuals - Repair, Motor & Outdrive
- Noise Makers - Horns, etc.
- Outboard Motor Oil
- Pickup Campers
- Quick Kill Switch
- Radio's - Am-Fm
- Skis - Water
- Trampoline
- Under Water Lights
- Vest - Boating or Ski
- Wax - Winches
- Extinguisher - Fire
- Yachts
- Zip Sled - Water Sport Fun

# JACK'S MARINE

East Hwy. 60

364-4331

## The 1985 Full Size Mercury



Grand Marquis LS

### Too Many Miles Sale

Due To The Tremendous Response  
of Our 84 Clearance Sale,  
We Have Acquired Some Trade-Ins With Too Many Miles!

	Miles	Retail Value	Loan Value	Our Price
1977 Mercury Grand Marquis	82332	\$2650 <sup>00</sup>	\$1995 <sup>00</sup>	\$1795
1980 Mazda 3 door	69663	\$2825 <sup>00</sup>	\$1975 <sup>00</sup>	\$2195
1978 Buick Riviera	73922	\$4150 <sup>00</sup>	\$2925 <sup>00</sup>	\$3195
1982 Mercury Marquis Brougham	88633	\$8250 <sup>00</sup>	\$6525 <sup>00</sup>	\$6495
1978 Fiat	64222	\$1300 <sup>00</sup>	\$750 <sup>00</sup>	\$895
1980 Ford Courier	85537	\$2950 <sup>00</sup>	\$2025 <sup>00</sup>	\$2395
1977 Mercury Cougar XR-7	92364	\$2100 <sup>00</sup>	\$1375 <sup>00</sup>	\$1895

# HEREFORD

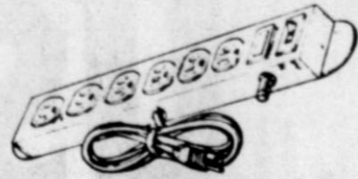


FORD LINCOLN MERCURY

K. Don Spurgin

Barry Bevers

## Gift Giving Specials!

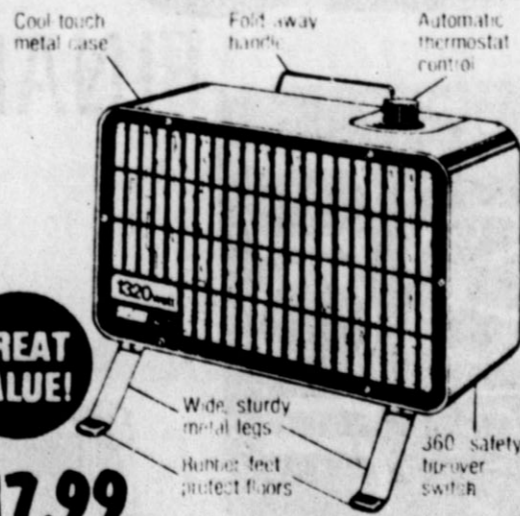


### 6 MULTI-OUTLET CENTER

For use where extra outlets are needed. Just plug in. Safely and conveniently provides added outlets without costly electrical modifications. Ideal for office, workshop, kitchen, garage, laboratory, laundry room, hi-fidelity sound systems, musical instruments and amplifiers. All Centers feature push-to-reset "circuit breaker" that automatically shuts off on any overload; heavy duty 15 amp, 125v grounded receptacles and 6 ft. #14-3 cord & plug. Constructed of heavy gauge steel with durable infra-red baked enamel finish.

**ELECTRIPAK** No. MOC-6C UL-listed six outlet center featuring circuit breaker, "on-off" switch pilot light, heavy duty #14-3 cord. Finish—beige enamel

Reg. \$18<sup>99</sup>  
\$9<sup>88</sup>



**GREAT VALUE!**

\$17.99

### FAN-FORCED RADIANT HEATER

Warmth where you need it! Infinite position thermostat control lets you choose the comfort level you desire. Almond cool touch metal case with brown grille. 360° safety tip-over switch, stay-cool handle and safety plug. 1320 watts, 4505 BTU/hr. UL listed. HR10B



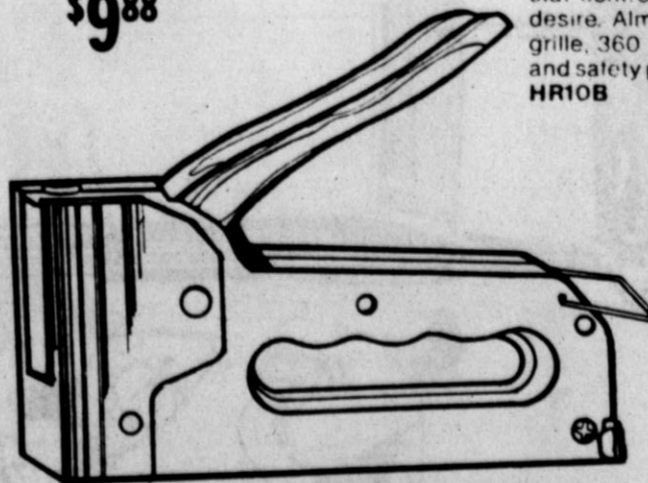
Master MECHANIC®



9<sup>99</sup>

While Supplies Last

**Thermogrip® Electric Glue Gun**  
Auto thermostat. 60-second bond, large capacity. 207MM. QUANTITIES LIMITED



### STAPLE GUN KIT

FIRES 1/4" AND 5/16" NARROW CROWN STAPLES. KIT INCLUDES A STARTER BOX OF 1/4" STAPLES. \$4.99

REG. S.R. \$7.99

# Carl McCaslin LUMBER CO.

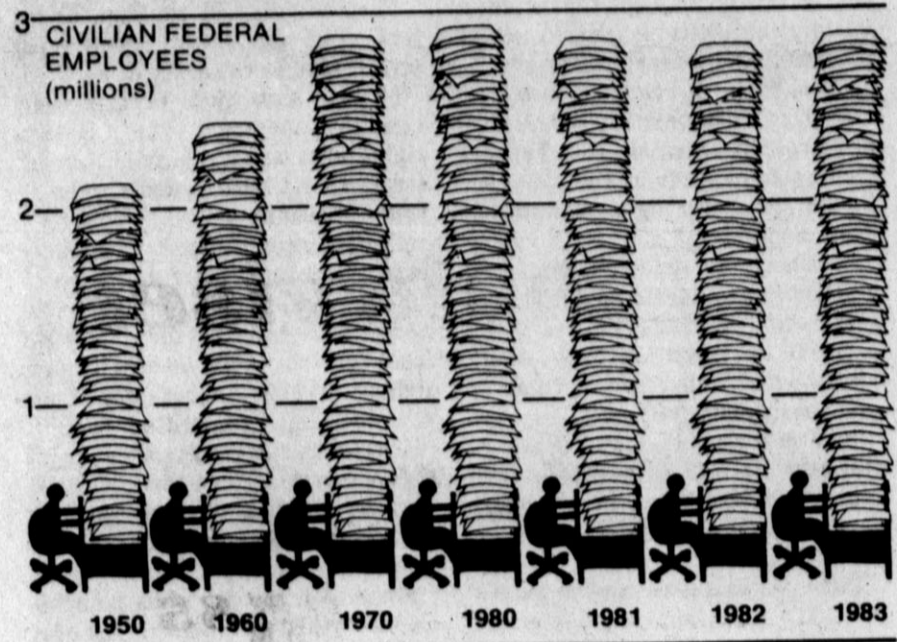
BUILDING HEREFORD SINCE 1939

344 E. 3rd

364-3434

## FEDERAL WORKERS

Ranks are up after brief decline



(Source: U.S. Commerce Department)

The number of civilian federal employees rose by 1 percent in 1983 — after two years of slight decline. The new total of 2.88 million employees was just short of the record high in 1980 of 2.9 million.

## Despite failing venture

# Woman actually doing quite well

NEW YORK (AP) — Lillian Katz has 9,229 gourmet measuring sets on her hands, and she doesn't know what to do with them.

"I'm always out of teaspoons, and I think I'm going to be a sensational item," says Mrs. Katz, 57, president and chief executive of a privately-held mail order house named Lillian Vernon Corp. "We bought 10,000, but we've got 9,229 left. It's a dog."

The five-piece plastic set was, according to Mrs. Katz, the all-time worst seller ever listed in the company's catalogs, some 75 million of which were mailed out this year, including the Christmas season.

Despite the failure of the measuring sets to sell, Lillian Vernon is doing quite well.

"I predict business will be about 10 percent ahead of last year — probably \$110 million," says Mrs. Katz. "We anticipate a lot of very late Christmas business this year because of the election, which takes people's minds off shopping."

Mrs. Katz' was born in Leipzig, Germany, but her family fled to the Netherlands in 1933 to escape the rising anti-Jewish sentiment. Four years later, they moved to America. In 1951, with an initial investment of \$2,000, she tried her hand at the mail-order business. Corporate headquarters is in Mount Vernon, N.Y., thus the company name.

Christmas is the busiest season of the year for the nation's estimated 7,000 mail order houses. About 60 percent of the year's sales is chalked up during the holiday season.

In 1983, the industry sent out nearly 7 billion catalogs throughout the year, and annual purchases totaled some \$44.4 billion.

More and more orders are being placed by toll-free telephone. Some 60 percent were received that way in 1983, according to the Direct Marketing Association of New York, which predicts the number may reach 80 percent within a year.

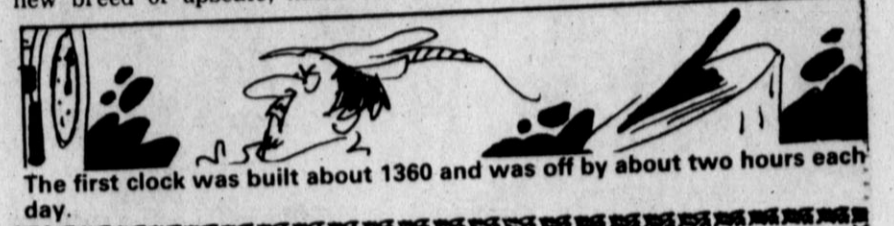
"The most significant change in contemporary life is the continuing rise in the number of working women and the lifestyle changes dictated by

their employment," says an association representative.

"The woman who used to shop in department stores and fashionable boutiques now has little time to shop. She has more money. She may be part of a two-income family and perhaps greater personal needs, but no time to satisfy them. Enter the new breed of upscale, name-brand catalog."

catalog."

Mrs. Katz agrees that sociological changes, such as the gas crisis in 1970 when fewer people drove to shopping malls, have had a significant influence on the mail order business. Another factor cited frequently is the decline in service in some retail stores.



The first clock was built about 1360 and was off by about two hours each day.

**Christmas Cookies & Candies**  
by Beckie and Carol

Call 364-4954 or 364-7260  
To place an order, or inquire about our selection and prices.

Orders May Be Placed Until Dec. 19th

## Prepare shooting script first

ST. PAUL, Minn. (AP) — Preparing a "shooting script" in advance — and sticking to it — is the best way to preserve Christmas memories on film or videotape, says an industry specialist.

A shooting script outlines the kinds of shots you want to record and pro-

duces a visually interesting tape you will want to keep, according to Bob Burnett of Minnesota Mining and Manufacturing Co.

"Professional filmmakers know there are just three kinds of composition — the long shot, the medium shot

and the close-up," Burnett says. "Mix these shots up, and your tapes will be crisp and exciting."

Burnett advises that all three shots should be used, with the long shot coming first to establish the action to take place.

The tape could begin with a long shot of the Christmas tree or the festive holiday table. Or it might start outdoors with a long shot of relatives arriving by car.

Then should come a medium shot, perhaps of a child sitting at the tree unwrapping a present or the lighting of the Hanukkah candles. Burnett defines the medium shot as one which frames the subject from the waste up and gives more specific information.

Then move into a close-up, he says, with the shot framed so that the head and shoulders of the subject appear in the viewfinder.

"The close-up is like an optical window to the soul," Burnett says, "so move in to catch the excitement and wonder on your child's face as he finds a special gift."

This could be followed by the camera pulling back to another medium shot and then cutting to a close-up, perhaps to the relative who presented the toy or to the host making a toast.

Cutting from one sort of action to another is called cross-cutting, a technique setting up visual tension to make the tape interesting, Burnett explains.

To avoid candle or tree light burning an image on the tape, Burnett advises turning on all the room lights for your shots, staying back from the subject when it is lit up and using a telephoto focal length.

## Bill Cosby, show making contributions

NEW YORK (AP) — Bill Cosby and "The Cosby Show" have made major comic contributions. Mr. T and "The A-Team" have pulled their weight. But the unsung hero in NBC's rating turnaround has been its top-rated series, the "NBC Monday Night Movie."

Network television's highest-rated broadcasts this season, "The Burning Bed" and Part 2 of "Fatal Vision," came under the "Monday Night Movie" banner. The films recounted real-life stories — of an abused woman who set fire to her husband and the case of Dr. Jeffrey MacDonald, the physician who was convicted of killing his pregnant wife and two young daughters.

Although a notch below those productions, Monday's NBC movie, "Children in the Crossfire," is another intelligent, fact-based film.

Co-produced by and starring Charles Haid (Andy Renko of "Hill Street Blues"), the production, filmed in Los Angeles and Dublin, concerns an organization that places Roman Catholic and Protestant children from Northern Ireland with American families for the summer.

The film is filled with heartwarming moments.

Two boys who wouldn't dare talk to each other back home become friends in America. They also learn to appreciate their hosts (Julia Duffy and David Huffman) who use the experience to resolve questions about having children of their own.

The boys say their own bond can't carry back across the Atlantic because their friends and relatives wouldn't understand. But the message of this optimistic film is that it can — in a trite but touching reunion scene.

"It takes people to change people," says Fred Chandler (Haid).

Chandler is an intriguing character because he's full of believably human flaws. He's a loud-mouthed cynic who chides his wife (Karen Valentine) about being a do-

gooder. Yet he has the capacity to grow from the family's guests: two girls, one Protestant and one Catholic.

The four young lead performers, all making their acting debuts, are from Northern Ireland. They're quite engaging, precisely because they aren't slick Hollywood actors.

A lot of care and affection went into "Children of the Crossfire." It is an emotionally involving effort — the latest example of NBC's improvement as a moviemaker.

After nine weeks of the season, NBC's beefed-up Monday movie package has averaged a 22.6 rating, ranking third behind the soap operas "Dallas" and "Dynasty." But the TV movies have the added benefit of attracting large audiences for two hours, not one.

NBC's movies have also helped depress the ratings of ABC's "Monday Night Football," which is suffering its worst season with a 16.0 rating and a 31st ranking among 74 programs. In its rise to second place, NBC's gains have become ABC's losses.

# 15% FINANCING

# NEW and USED CARS

**Get the money you need for the car you want.**

Drive away today in the car of your dreams. We can make it happen with an auto loan that's tailored to your budget with convenient terms and affordable interest rates. Just give us a call, and we'll start the paperwork today that will put you behind the wheel of a brand new car tomorrow! We're the financial institution that makes dreams happen.

—330 Schley— 364-1888 —

Hereford Texas Federal Credit Union

**The World Almanac Q&A**

- Per person, the consumption of which of the following meats was highest in 1980? (a) pork (b) lamb (c) beef
- What is the capital of Ecuador? (a) Quito (b) Guayaquil (c) Jivaroan
- Where is President Theodore Roosevelt buried? (a) Arlington National Cemetery (b) Oyster Bay, N.Y. (c) Albany, N.Y.

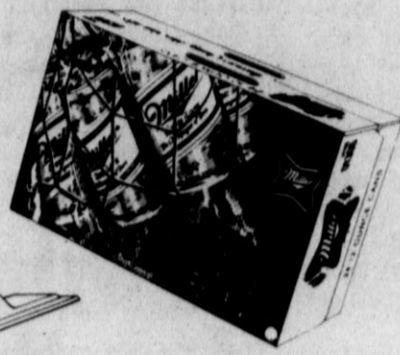
**ANSWERS**

1. (a) 2. (a) 3. (a)



# Clean Up On Our Holiday Specials

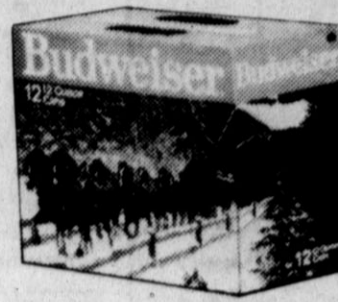
Sale Ends Saturday, Dec. 8th



**Miller**

12 oz. Bottles

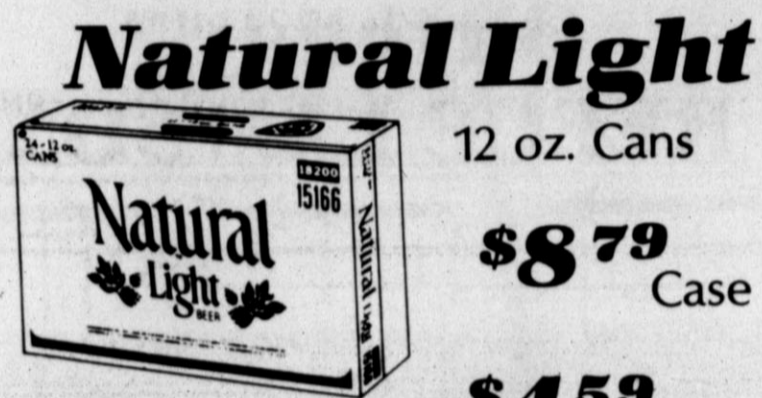
**\$2.69** 6 Pack  
**\$9.97** Case



**Budweiser**

12 oz. Cans

**\$11.25** Case  
**\$5.85** 12 Pak

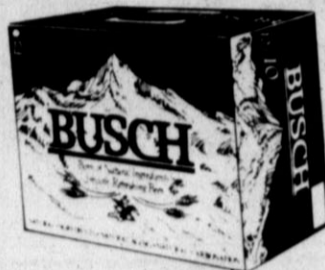


**Natural Light**

12 oz. Cans

**\$8.79** Case

**\$4.59** 12 Pak



**Busch**

12 oz. Cans

**\$8.79** Case  
**\$4.59** 12 Pak



**Coors & Coors Light**

12 oz. Cans

**\$11.25** Case

**\$5.85** 12 Pak

**Imported Beer Special**  
**Check Our Unbelievable Instore Liquor Specials!**

Holiday Gift Wrapping Available

## Mid-Town Beverage Co.

149-C N. 25 Mile Ave.

364-7043

# COWBOY COUNTRY CLUB

THE SOUTHWEST'S **NEWEST** MULTI-PURPOSE INDOOR ARENA

RT. 4 Box 189 Hereford, Texas 79045 806/289-5286 289-5523

**"Built by Cowboys for Cowboys"**



WELCOMES ALL PHEASANT HUNTERS



## RICKY AND THE REDSTREAKS

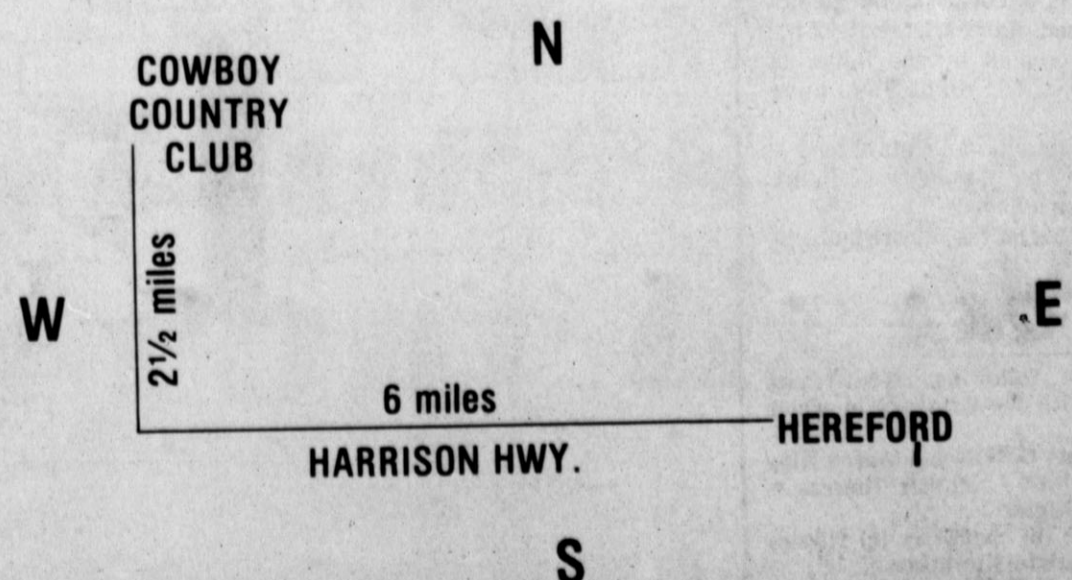
Full Concession Will Be Available  
For Advance Tickets Contact CCC  
289-5286

DECEMBER 7TH & 8TH  
8:00 P.M. TO 12:00 P.M.  
\$6.00 in Advance-\$8.00 at Door

Breakfast Served 4:00 A.M. Dec. 8th

RV Parking Available

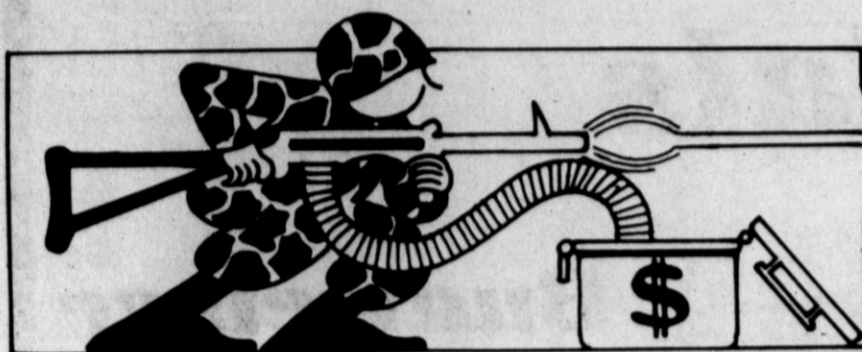
For Reservations Call 806/289-5286



Tickets Available At Mid-Town Beverage Co.  
and the Water Hole!

## THE MILITARY BUDGET

### New weapons get a larger share



#### AUTHORIZED FISCAL-YEAR BUDGET (billions)

	1981	1984	% change
Personnel/retirees	\$68.3	\$75.1	+ 10
New weapons/equipment	\$57.6	\$89.1	+ 54.7
Construction	\$27.7	\$31.7	+ 14.4
Maintenance/parts	\$18.3	\$26.3	+ 43.2
Transport	\$17.3	\$18.8	+ 8.7
Operations/training	\$15.8	\$19.0	+ 20.3
War-reserve stockpile	\$8.3	\$10.8	+ 30.1

(Source: Department of Defense)

NEA GRAPHIC/John Lane

For some time, the Pentagon has claimed that U.S. defense was jeopardized by critical shortages of arms, parts and maintenance. As a result, those areas have been the focus of the Reagan administration's military budget increases.

## Be prepared for holiday guests

Unexpected guests who show up during the holiday season may be warmly welcomed, but they can pose a problem for the unprepared host or hostess.

If you are seeking the title of holiday entertainer of the year, you'll need the answers to some questions about liquid refreshments:

How much to buy? Big bottles or little bottles? Where to store the ice? What kind of cocktail snacks?

To help in such planning, one beverage company has come up with several survival tips for holiday entertaining.

"An important first step would be to ask your liquor store if any unopened bottles of liquor can be returned for credit," says Paul Connor, bartending consultant for

Schweppes. "Thus the holiday host can buy extra bottles to cover any size party and return what isn't needed."

"For guests who ask for exotic drinks, the host could buy a full assortment of miniature bottles of cordials to make Black Russians, Harvey Wallbangers, Brandy Alexanders and the like."

When it comes to mixers, he says, party-throwers should consider buying the smaller, 10-ounce size bottles, which may cost a few pennies more but save money in the long run because the contents are used quicker, before going flat. Mixers can be used for wine coolers and non-alcohol drinks mixed with fruit juice and topped with a wedge of lemon or lime.

Spirits also could be purchased in smaller sizes — such as fifths, which contain 25.6 ounces — rather than quarts or 34-ounce liters.

Having both red and white wines on hand for unexpected parties is another suggestion.

For garnishes, he suggests keeping on hand an abundant supply of lemons, limes, oranges and even frozen seedless grapes, along with olives, cherries, small white onions, Tabasco and Worcestershire sauce.

Small six-pack cans of tomato or

vegetable juice are recommended, but orange juice and grapefruit juice concentrate are easier to store than containers and won't spoil.

Where does the ice go when the refrigerator and freezer are packed full? One simple solution is to put it in the bathtub, the shower or the sink, where the porcelain will keep the ice cold and the melt will run down the drain.

Unsalted cocktail snacks are recommended, because salt tends to make guests thirsty and they may over-indulge, Connor says.

## Speed Limit Has Been Reached

### Happy Birthday, REECE LAWSON!



IKE STEVENS  
508 S. 25 Mile Ave.  
Hereford, Texas  
364-0041

Government Guaranteed  
**13.00%**

AAA Insured Tax Free  
**10.00%**

IRA **14.00%**



**Edward D. Jones & Co.**

Members New York Stock Exchange, Inc.  
Members Securities Investor Protection Corporation

## Holiday diet tips

Family members can help dieters by not making them feel guilty during traditional holiday feasting, according to a medical specialist.

"Concerned relatives should stop expecting overweight persons to be perfect. It's normal for people to overeat during the holidays," says Dr. Neill Cohen, a clinical psychologist of the Institute for Health Maintenance in New York.

"The average American will gain 7 to 12 pounds between Thanksgiving and Christmas. Why is the overweight person the only one made to feel guilty?"

Cohen suggests that families can help by changing the eating habits for everyone at the holiday dinner.

"Turkey is OK," he says. "But get rid of the gravy and make a low-calorie stuffing. Serve lots of raw vegetables and small portions of dessert. Don't put so much food on the table."

"But most of all, the dieter should expect to binge one day without guilt."

The institute, which has 35 clinics nationwide, treats about 10,000 patients, some whose weight classifies them as "medically at risk."

Dr. Sharon Strauss of the Chicago clinic says "for those trying to watch their weight, the period between Thanksgiving and New Year's Day can be a time of desperation."

Miss Strauss, a clinical psychologist and specialist in behavioral medicine, says pressures to "fall off the wagon" are enormous during the five-week holiday period.

"Food and drink are the focus of holiday activity," she explains. "The sole purpose of Thanksgiving is thanking God for plenty of food. This doesn't help the person who is dieting to save his life."

The institute offers several suggestions to help the dieter get through the holidays:

- Create activities for the dieter that don't center around food. For instance, the dieter can set the table, arrange the flowers, walk the dog, entertain the children and guests.

- Revamp recipes by substituting low calorie ingredients for high calorie ingredients. For instance, yogurt for sour cream or natural fruit juices for sweetener.

- Stay out of the kitchen by cooking ahead of time and freezing your food.

- Eat your big meal in the middle of the day so you have the afternoon and evening to digest and burn off calories.

- Don't have high calorie snack food and hors d'oeuvres around the house. Substitute cut up raw vegetables.

- Serve smaller portions.

- Don't measure appreciation of the food you've cooked by the quantity consumed. Rather take note of the pleasure created by the flavor of your favorite dish you have prepared.

- Cook smaller amounts of food — this limits the possibility of future snacking on leftovers.

- Don't eat unless you are hungry.

## Q&A

Match the following Nobel Prize winners with the category in which they won:

1. Kenneth G. Wilson 2. Aaron Klug  
3. Saul Bellow 4. Mother Theresa 5. George J. Stigler

(a) peace (b) chemistry (c) physics  
(d) economics (e) literature

## ANSWERS

1. e 2. b 3. d 4. a 5. c

The Hardest Thing To Do  
Is The Easiest Thing To Do

Sound confusing? Well, think of the hardest thing you have to do. If you're like many people, saving money will be at the top of your list. It just seems to be one of the roughest things to do anymore.

Yet, it doesn't have to be that way. At our bank, the passbook account is an easy way to save money. You simply add to it, in any amount, at any time. Your money is safe and secure — always there when you need it.

Why not resolve right now to deposit a little out of your check each payday. Before you know it, your passbook account will add up to a tidy sum.

For more details come to our bank. We're pioneering new ways of service and security for you and your family.



The First National  
Bank of Hereford

P.O. Box 593

Hereford, Texas 79045

(806) 364-2435

Member FDIC





# HOLIDAY SHOPPER'S GUIDE

---

***Within these pages,  
are great gift ideas for  
everyone on your list!***

---



### Singing For Christmas

During the Chamber Singers annual Christmas Concert today at 3 p.m. in the high school auditorium, this sextet will perform "Take Us Home for Christmas"

accompanied by Linda Gilbert. Members of the group are, from left, Ginger Wallace, Robbie Ames, Terri Laing, Jan Walser, Denise Teel and Susan Shaw.

## Christmas concert today

Religious and secular Christmas carols will be featured during the Chamber Singers Christmas Concert today at 3 p.m. in the high school auditorium.

The second half of the show will feature solos, ensembles and instrumental selections as well as the

children of the Chamber Singers and Santa Claus. Santa will stay after the show for all of the children to visit with.

Included in the repertoire will be "Gloria," "Away in a Manger," "Jingle All The Way," a piano solo

"Joyful, Joyful" by Jan Walser and a sextet performing "Take Us Home for Christmas."

Everyone in the community is encouraged to attend this concert which comes each year as a gift from the Chamber Singers.

### Former members attend dance

Jerry and Karen Askew, former members, were guests at the Hereford Merry Mixers Square Dance Club's regularly scheduled dance Thursday night. Andi Hudgens was another guest.

Freddie McKee called to four squares of dancers.

Frosty and Judy Blaylock, Randy and Janey Allmon, and Ronnie and Nina Brown furnished refreshments.

The annual Merry Mixers Christmas Dinner will be held Dec. 20 at the Community Center.

The Merry Mixers dance on the first, third, and fifth Thursday of each month at the Community Center. Guests are invited to attend.

A French bakery has opened in Peking. With Chinese fortune croissants, perhaps?

## Realtors banquet set for Thursday

Bob Jett, media representative from Lone Star Gas Company of Dallas, will be the guest speaker at the Hereford Board of Realtors banquet set for 7:30 p.m. Thursday at the Hereford Country Club.

Tickets are available from local realtors.

Jett has worked for Lone Star Gas Co. since January 1977. Since joining the company, he has traveled throughout the system speaking to civic clubs and various organizations about the energy crisis and bringing his own special touch of humor to the

subject.

Jett brings a long background of entertainment and public appearances to the company, having worked in radio, television, public relations and professional entertainment since 1954.

He has lived in Dallas since 1960 and is active in the Barbershop Music Society with the world champion Vocal Majority Chorus. He is a native of Mobile, Ala. and holds a bachelor of arts degree in speech and communications from Birmingham-Southern College.



BOB JETT



The Great Salt Lake in northwest Utah is so salty that the human body cannot sink in it.



Roger Banister, the English runner, was the first man to break the four minute mile. He did it in 1954.



*Luzier.*  
Personalized Cosmetics  
Certified Beauty Consultant

"We have our stock on hand,  
No waiting for your order"

Give a gift certificate for Christmas!

126 Greenwood

364-2428

Academy of Dance  
364-0072



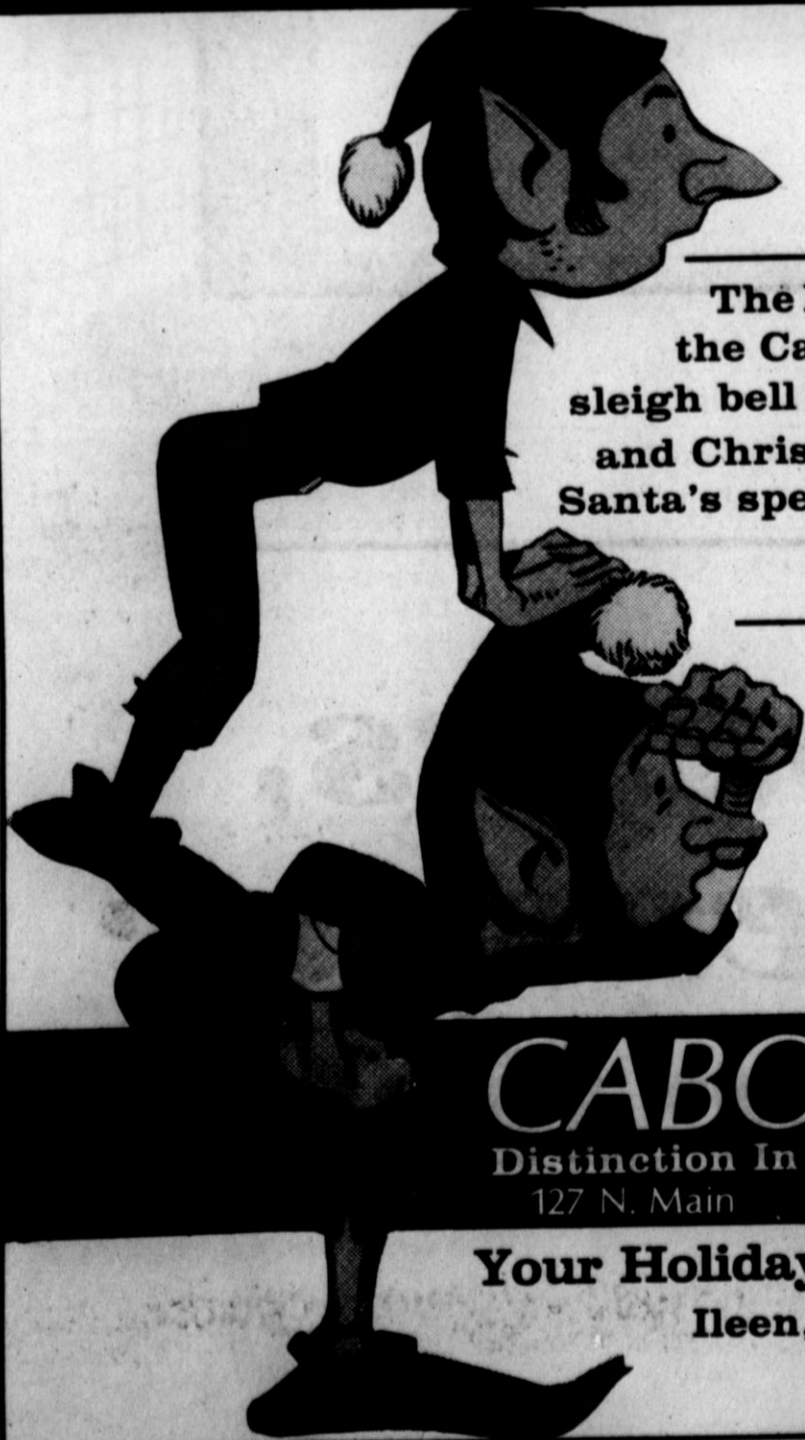
Get Into  
Shape  
For The  
Holidays

**Aerobicise**  
Mon., Tues., & Thurs.  
6:30 PM

or  
**Bodyworks**  
Mon. thru Fri.  
9:00 AM  
Mon. thru Thurs.  
5:30 PM

## Gentlemen's Holiday Gift Guide

"Something Special for You  
At Perfect Prices"



The Holiday Helpers at the Cabochon, with their sleigh bell service, have hints and Christmas Creations for Santa's special selections, and at perfect prices.

### Holiday Hours

Mon., Wed., Fri.  
11:00 AM to 5:30 PM  
Tues. & Thurs.  
11:00 AM to 7:30 PM

Thru Dec. 18, 1984

**CABOCHON**  
Distinction In Gifts And Design.

127 N. Main

364-4700

Your Holiday Helpers Include;  
Ileen, Lynn, Joan, Melanie,  
Donna and Brenda

## Take A Peek At Christmas



## Christmas Open House

Monday, Dec. 3

Featuring Models displaying our best in holiday wear for kids

Refreshments to be served Register for Door Prizes

Girls Fall Dresses 2T thru 14 <b>1/3 Off</b>	Coats Infants, Boys, & Girls <b>1/3 Off</b>	Boys Sport Coats <b>1/3 Off</b>
All Sweaters <b>\$4<sup>00</sup> Off</b>	Group Girls Sportswear <b>1/3 Off</b>	Shoes <b>1/3 Off</b>

Sale Ends Sat., Dec. 8

*Helen's*  
It's all for you.

417 N. Main

364-3221

## Ramirez, Frausto exchange vows Saturday

First United Methodist Church was the site for Saturday afternoon's wedding between Dalia Frausto, daughter of Mr. Antonio Frausto, and Belen Ramirez, son of Mr. and Mrs. Martin Ramirez.

Dr. Weldon Butler, pastor, officiated.

Given in marriage by her brother, Norberto Frausto, the bride wore a designer gown of white lace over bridal satin which featured a high collar, full sleeves and a beaded bodice. The bouffant skirt, accented with rows of tiny ruffles, swept into a full cathedral train.

The bridal veil of illusion, with delicate hand-rolled edgings, was attached to a lace Juliet cap accented with beads and pearls.

Her cascade bouquet of silk rosebuds in shades of lavender, lilac and purple were accented by white silk carnations encircling the rosebuds in a graceful curve. Droplets of rosebuds, greenery and baby's breath complemented with white lace and satin ribbons cascaded beneath the bouquet.

Marisebra Frausto served her sister as maid of honor. Leticia Aguirre was the bridesmaid. Both women wore hyacinth taffeta gowns featuring off-the-shoulder puffed sleeves with a sweetheart neckline.

The attendants carried arrangements of lavender, lilac and

purple silk roses on white lace fans. Lace and satin ribbons, baby's breath and pearls complemented the bouquets.

Frank Olguin served as best man. The flower girl was Jessica Tarango, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Jessie Tarango and niece of the groom. Francisco Ramirez, the groom's nephew and son of Mr. and Mrs. Alex Ramirez, was ring bearer.

The altar of the church was decorated with two side baskets of flowers in the brides colors on top of two brass basket holders. Another basket of flowers adorned the middle

of the altar.

Debbie Scroggins accompanied herself as she sang "The Wedding March," "Colour My World" and "We've Only Just Begun."

A reception followed in the fellowship hall with Mr. and Mrs. Jim Valdez serving the three-tiered cake. The cake was adorned with lilac sweet peas cascading down the sides of the cake and a fountain underneath the cake.

Julie Ramirez and Yvette Martinez served the punch and coffee while Mr. and Mrs. Jim Valdez registered guests.

The bride wore a white taffeta dress with puffed sleeves and a V-neckline accented with a lilac jacket as they left for a wedding trip to Padre Island. The couple will live at 402 Grand St.

The bride graduated from Hereford High School in 1983. The bridegroom is a 1980 graduate of Hereford High School and is presently employed by Triangle Pork Producers.

Out of town guests included Mr. and Mrs. Joe Flores of Canyon, Miss Carmen Aguirre of Canyon and Mr. and Mrs. Ruben Munoz of Crosbyton.



MRS. BELEN RAMIREZ  
...nee Dalia Frausto

## Today in History

Today is Sunday, Dec. 2, the 337th day of 1984. There are 29 days left in the year.

Today's highlight in history:

On Dec. 2, 1982, in the first operation of its kind, doctors at the University of Utah Medical Center implanted a permanent artificial heart in the chest of retired dentist Barney Ciark. He would live for 112 days with the device.

On th, William Henry Harrison was elected President.

In 1859, militant abolitionist John Brown was hanged for his raid on Harper's Ferry.

In 1942, a nuclear chain reaction was demonstrated for the first time by a group of scientists at the University of Chicago.

In 1954, the U.S. Senate voted to condemn Sen. Joseph R. McCarthy, R-Wis., for what it called "conduct that tends to bring the Senate into dishonor and disrepute."

In 1961, Cuban leader Fidel Castro declared in a nationally broadcast speech that he was a Marxist-Leninist and would lead Cuba to Communism.

Ten years ago: The U.S. space probe Pioneer 2 transmitted to Earth pictures of Jupiter's south polar region before flying off on a course toward Saturn.

Five years ago: The deposed shah of Iran left a New York hospital and was flown to an Air Force hospital near San Antonio, Texas. That same day, in Libya, about 2,000 demonstrators stormed the U.S. embassy. None of the embassy personnel were injured.

One year ago: The Labor Department reported the nation's jobless rate dropped to a seasonally adjusted 8.2 percent of the workforce in

November, compared with 8.7 percent in October.

Today's birthdays: Actor-playwright Adolph Green is 69. Former Secretary of State Alexander Haig is 60. Actress Julie Harris is 59. Tennis star Tracy Austin is 22.

Thought for today: "History is written by the winners." — Alex Haley, author.

### The World Almanac

### Q&A

1. How many times was tennis player Althea Gibson the U.S. Open and Wimbledon singles champ? (a) one (b) two (c) four
2. Which general's insignia consists of two stars? (a) lieutenant general (b) major general (c) brigadier general
3. What did Frederic Auguste Bartholdi design? (a) Brooklyn Bridge (b) United Nations building (c) Statue of Liberty

### ANSWERS

1. b 2. b 3. c
- (NEWSPAPER ENTERPRISE ASSN.)

## CHRISTMAS SALE!

Dec. 3 thru Dec. 7

All Eva Gabor Wigs  
**20% OFF**

All Dolls  
**20% OFF**

All Hot Curling Irons  
**\$300 OFF**

Laughing Clowns  
**25% OFF**

All Ladies Handbags  
Reduced

Buy-Wise Beauty Supply

212 N. Main

364-6712



## Aggie Moms fund-raiser set Saturday

The Aggie Moms will be conducting their annual scholarship fund-raiser by hosting a booth in the Young Homemakers Bazaar at the Castro County Exposition Building in Dimmitt on Saturday from 8:30 a.m. to 3 p.m.

Items for sale will include home-baked cakes, pies, candy, rolls and other goodies, a beautiful handmade quilt, a stained glass window decoration and sets of the Aggie Game.

Persons interested in any of these things may contact Merle Clark at 364-6656 or Mary Lyles at 364-2120.

### BARBS

Phil Pastoret

A train might not be the swiftest way to go, but at least you'll not be diverted to a landing 300 miles away because the station is fogged in.

If dogs hadn't been invented, think how many people would never get any exercise.



Disease peculiar to political nominating convention-watchers: Motion sickness.

Welcome to Christmas in the city... with our most Exciting, Enchanting and Exhilarating selection of Christmas gifts in years... collected from every corner of the world and presented with appropriate holiday flourish... a Wonderland of marvelous gift ideas.

## Hereford Merchants Association

For directions or shopping information, contact the Deaf Smith County Chamber of Commerce - 364-3333

Of Women's Division

# Drake to be installed as president

By SANDY PANKEY  
Lifestyles Editor

"I make time for what's important to me," emphasized Betty Drake, newly elected president of the Deaf Smith County Chamber of Commerce Women's Division. She will be officially installed during the division's first quarterly meeting of 1985 scheduled in January.

Although Ms. Drake has been employed for six years as a receptionist at the Family Medical Clinic, she finds time to be involved in not only her children's lives but with outside activities of her own.

As president of the Women's Division, Ms. Drake explained that she has several goals to work toward this coming year. "My main objectives are to increase membership, try to get the committees more involved and, hopefully, to organize some sort of July the Fourth celebration in 1985."

Ms. Drake has taken an active interest in the women's organization for over five years serving as chairman of the welcome committee and as a member of several other committees.

She said that the only unsettling aspect of being this year's president is the public speaking. "Addressing a small group of people doesn't bother me but when I must speak to a larger crowd, I am a little nervous."

"I am improving, however, and the one thing that has been a tremendous help is being connected with Camp Fire," Ms. Drake continued. "I began working with the Camp Fire organization in 1973 and have learned to be more outgoing."

Since her two daughters, Lisa and Karen, were Camp Fire members, it was quite natural that Ms. Drake became more involved in their interests. Her daughters began as Blue Birds and have since attained the goal of receiving the highest award in Camp Fire, the Wo He Lo medallion.

Currently, Mrs. Drake is serving as president of the Hereford Council of Camp Fire and was recently chosen as the organization's first recipient of the outstanding leadership award during the Camp Fire's 75th anniversary being observed this

year. She has also held other leadership capacities including being a group leader, committee member, committee chairwoman of training, outdoors and volunteer development, member of the board of directors, counsellor, director of Indian Lore and assistant resident camp director.

Ms. Drake has been active in the national organization and is now a candidate for vice-president of the zone, area including towns in New Mexico, North Texas and Oklahoma.

Her lifestyle is relatively simpler now due to the fact that she and her husband no longer have to pack up and move twice a year. Lee Drake is currently the manager of DeBruyn Producers and has been employed by a produce company since their marriage. Because of his profession it was necessary for the family to maintain two homes, one in Hereford and one in Harlingen, Tx.

"Each January Lee and I would pack up our daughters and son Mark and a few belongings, and go to Harlingen. We would return to Hereford in May," Ms. Drake explained.

"The moves weren't as difficult as it may sound because we owned our own home here and we could leave furniture behind and close up the house. We never had to worry about finding a place to rent in the valley because we had the same landlord each year," she added. "In fact, he would call us and ask what our arrival date would be."

"In 1973 my husband and I decided to quit making the yearly trip and make our permanent home in Hereford," Ms. Drake said. "The children were getting older and it was harder for them to adjust to switching schools. Also, I wanted to get more involved in this community on

a steady bases.

"However, we did miss going to the valley those first few years; it had become a routine pattern."

Adjusting to changes comes easily for Ms. Drake and that will be an

asset to her when she assumes her responsibilities as new Women's Division president.

"I'm looking forward to my tenure as president and hope to do a good job."

from the new  
**JCPenney Catalog**



**Save \$30** AM/FM clock radio with telephone

Now 39.95 Orig. 69.95. AM FM clock radio telephone with detachable handset that automatically mutes radio when lifted. Catalog #XY850-2437A. You'll find it on page 861 of our Fall and Winter Catalog. Phone 364-4205

**The JCPenney Catalog Department**

© 1984 J. C. Penney Company, Inc.



**BETTY DRAKE**  
...Women's Division President



## Health

Lawrence E. Lamb, M.D.  
Anxiety

DEAR DR. LAMB — My doctor says I have nerves and anxiety. He put me on some nerve pills. But I didn't think nerves could cause you to feel this way.

My chest hurts off and on and my stomach rolls and makes noise and makes me feel sick. I sometimes have trouble breathing. When I have chest pains, I'm sure I'm having a heart attack, but the doctors says no.

I'm only 23, female and married and like my job, but I am worried about my health and being able to keep my job because of how rotten I feel. Is it true that nerves can make a person feel this way, or could I really have something wrong with me?

DEAR READER — Yes, nerves or anxiety can cause all of your symptoms and many more. Your trouble with breathing may mean you are hyperventilating, meaning over-breathing. That is common with anxiety.

That does not mean that any of your symptoms are any less real or any less important. It just means that they are not caused by heart disease, stomach disease or lung disease. It means that you have some emotional or psychological factors that are causing you a lot of real discomfort. I think it is important that you have had a good medical evaluation. Understanding that you are in good health may be important in helping you feel less anxious.

But you need some professional counseling. It is important to find out why you feel anxious and to resolve

the basic psychological problem for you.

There are many reasons for anxiety, that is why it is so common. I have discussed these in The Health Letter 19-8. That Anxious Feeling, which I am sending you. Others who want this issue can send 75 cents with a long, stamped, self-addressed envelope for it to me in care of this newspaper, P.O. Box 1551 Radio City Station, New York, NY 10019.

You can also do things that will make you feel better. Don't smoke. Don't use coffee, tea or chocolate. Do exercise regularly. But do let someone help you work through your problems.

DEAR DR. LAMB — I have been suffering with shortness of breath for two months. I have been through angiograms and a cardiac catheterization, and the only thing they found was a weak heart muscle on the left side of my heart. I am taking Lanoxin, Procardia and Lasix. The doctor tells me he feels sure this will strengthen the heart muscle. I would appreciate your comments.

DEAR READER — Shortness of breath is usually the first sign of weakening of the heart muscle. The left ventricular muscle must pump blood to all of your body except your lungs. When it weakens, it is called heart failure. This causes blood to accumulate in your lungs because it can't enter the failing left heart fast enough. The lungs are congested, causing shortness of breath, and that is where the term congestive heart failure comes from.

## Cowbelle luncheon scheduled

The Cowbelles Christmas luncheon will be Tuesday at 11:30 a.m. in the home of Charmayne Klett, 309 Elm.

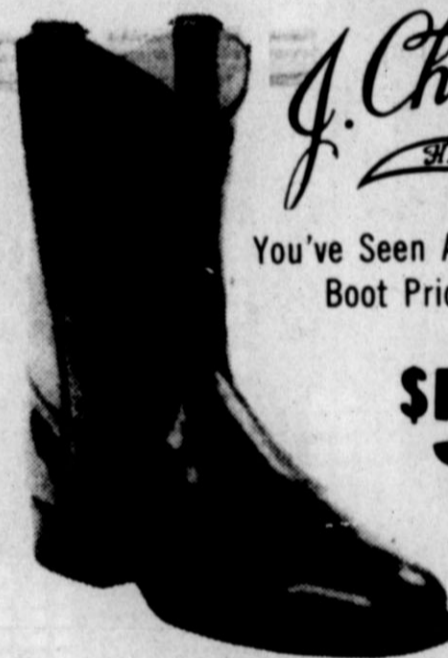
This will be the last meeting of the year and all Cowbelles are encouraged to attend.

The next meeting will be Jan. 15 at 11:45 a.m. in the Hereford Country Club. Anyone interested in joining Cowbelles is invited to come to this first meeting of the new year or call DeeAnne Trotter at 364-1172 for more information.



The coldest city in the world is said to be Ulan-Bator, Mongolia, with an average temperature of 24.8 degrees Fahrenheit!

## Just Out Of The Chute... OUR BRAND SPANKIN' NEW "ROPER BOOTS"



*J. Chisholm*  
HAND-CRAFTED

You've Seen A Comparable Boot Priced At \$76<sup>50</sup>

**\$59<sup>95</sup>**

Check Our Quality and Our Craftsmanship....

1. Fully Leather Lined.
2. Fits True To Size (The competition doesn't)
3. All Leather Outsole. Foot and Upper.
4. Available in Brazos Brown

New Shipment B-D-EE Widths

TEXAS BRAND

Texas-Roper our best selling WORK BOOT with Hypalon Oil resistant Sole Widths B,D,EE



**\$49<sup>95</sup>**

**HARMAN'S**  
Downtown

## SAY Merry Christmas WITH THE NEW PFAFF CREATIVE 1471



The next great advance in CREATIVITY WITHOUT LIMITS

At last, creative computer power in a sewing machine takes the uncertainty out of sewing. Now sew everything quick and easy... and get the exact results you want.

- Create your own stitch designs or choose from 100 built-in stitches.
- Stitch anything you can draw with simple "push-button" instructions.
- Monogram in two alphabet styles — plus create your own letters and script.
- The first true embroidery cross-stitch.
- Exclusive Dual Feed for even feeding of up to 12 fabric layers.
- Automatic needle threader.

A great gift for someone you love — or for you.



**McKnight HOME CENTER**  
226 N. Main, Hereford 364-4051

## Seiko Dress Quartz. Gifts that endure.

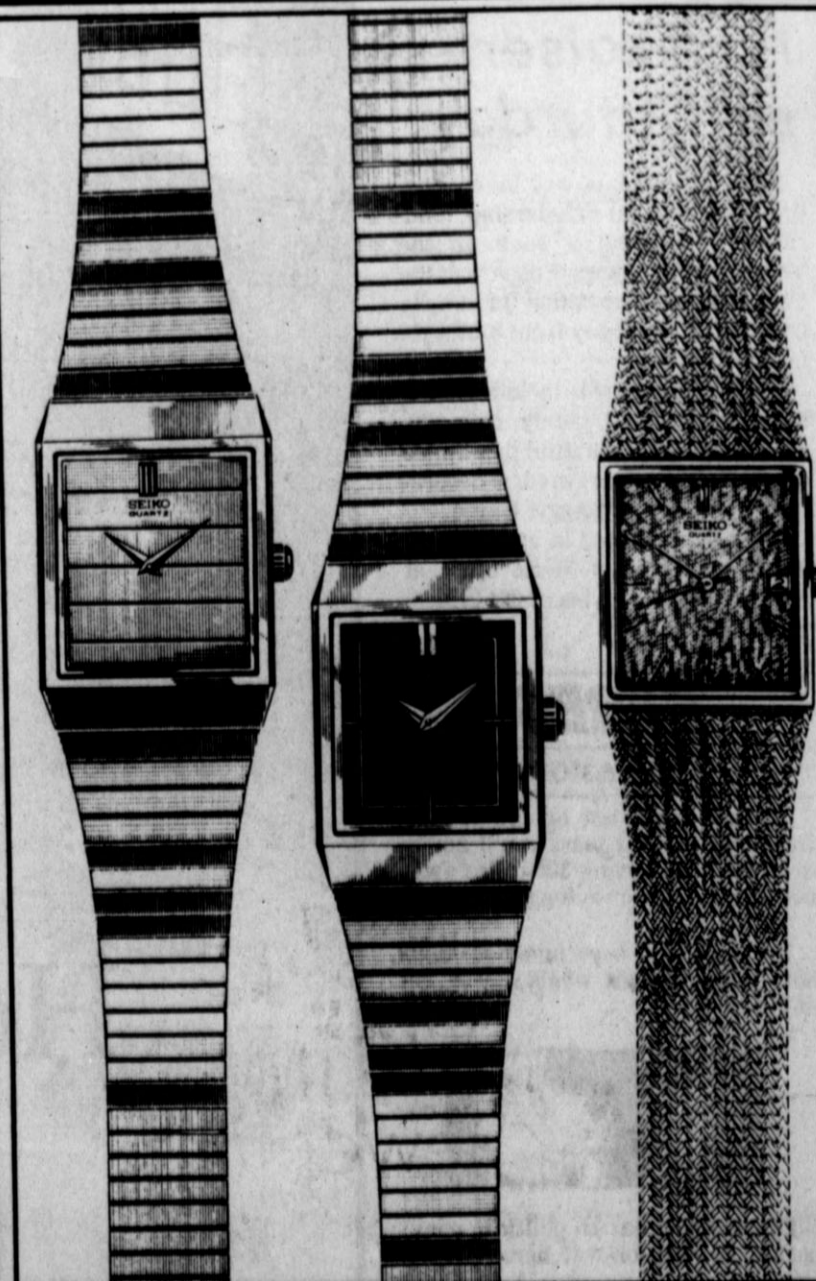
Special. The impressive proportions, rendered ultra-thin. The soft lustre of gold-tone. The quiet authority. Here, three uncommon men's watches, for uncommon friendships. The Continuum, where dial merges into bracelet. The Square-within-a-Square, the black dial outlined in gilt. And the Herringbone, the 3-hand date watch in gilt with gold-tone.

### Cowan Jewelers

217 N. Main  
364-4241



You get the best of Seiko where you see this sign.





# Calendar of Events

## MONDAY

Odd Fellows Lodge, IOOF Hall, 7:30 p.m.  
 TOPS Chapter No. 1011, Community Center, 5:30 p.m.  
 Rotary Club, Community Center, 12 noon.  
 Planned Parenthood Clinic open Monday through Friday, 711 25 Mile Ave. 8:30 a.m. to 4:30 p.m.  
 La Madre Mia Christmas party, home of Lucy Rogers, 7:30 p.m.  
 Women's exercise class, First Presbyterian Church, 8:30-9:30 a.m.  
 Dawn Lions Club, Dawn Community Center, 7 p.m.  
 Hereford CowBelles, home of Charmayne Klett, 11:30 a.m.  
 Ladies Christian Endeavors, members' homes, 7 p.m.  
 Hospital Auxiliary, Hospital Board Room 11:45 a.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, Post Home, 6:30 p.m.

## TUESDAY

Deaf Smith County Historical Museum: Regular museum hours Tuesday through Saturday 10 a.m. to 5 p.m. and Sunday 2-5 p.m. Museum closed Monday.  
 TOPS Chapter No. 576, Community Center, 9 a.m.  
 Al-Anon, Community Center, 5 p.m. and 642 E. Second St. 8:30 p.m.  
 Ladies exercise class, Church of the Nazarene, 6:30 p.m.  
 Avenue Baptist Church single-again share group, 7:30 p.m.  
 Hereford Rebekah Lodge No. 228, IOOF Hall, 7:30 p.m.  
 Free immunizations against childhood diseases, Deaf Smith County Public Health Clinic, 902 E. Fourth, and Texas Department of Health Office, 914 E. Park, 8 a.m. to 12 noon and 1-3:45 p.m.  
 Kiwanis Club of Hereford-Golden K, Senior Citizens Center, 12 noon.  
 Deaf Smith County Board of American Heart Association, Hereford State Bank Community Room, 7 p.m.  
 Hereford Riders Club, 8 p.m.  
 Young Homemakers of Texas, 7:30 p.m.  
 Alpha Alpha Preceptor Chapter, Beta Sigma Phi, 7:30 p.m.  
 Hereford Ministerial Association, Hereford State Bank Community Room, 10 a.m.

Advisory Board, Hereford Satellite Training Center, luncheon at K-Bob's Steak House, 12 noon.  
 Advisory Board of Hereford Satellite Work and Training Center, Caison House, 12 noon.  
 Chamber of Commerce Women's Division, executive board convenes in Chamber board room, 12 noon.  
 San Jose Women's Organization, San Jose Catholic Church, 7 p.m.  
 American Legion and Auxiliary, Legion Hall 7:30 p.m.  
 La Afflatus Estudio Club Christmas luncheon.  
 Baptist Women of Summerfield Baptist Church to meet at the church, 9 a.m.  
 Xi Epsilon Alpha Chapter of Beta Sigma Phi, 7:30 p.m.  
 Toujours Amis Study Club, 7:30 p.m.  
 St. Anthony's Women's Organization social and shower.

## WEDNESDAY

Noon Lions Club, Community Center, noon.  
 Country Singles Square Dance Club, Community Center, 8:30 p.m.  
 Women's exercise class First Presbyterian Church, 8:30-9:30 a.m.  
 United Methodist Women of First United Methodist Church, executive meeting at 10 a.m. in church library, followed by general meeting in Ward Parlor at 10:30 a.m. and covered dish luncheon at noon in Fellowship Hall.  
 United Presbyterian Women's Association, lunch at church.  
 Draper Extension Homemakers Club, 12 noon.  
 Knights of Columbus, KC Hall, 8 p.m.

## THURSDAY

Free immunizations against childhood diseases, Deaf Smith County Public Health Clinic, 902 E. Fourth, and Texas Department of Health Office, 914 E. Park, 8 a.m. to 12 noon and 1-3:45 p.m.  
 Ladies exercise class, Church of the Nazarene, 6:30 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 the library, 10 a.m.  
 San Jose prayer group, new fellowship hall, 735 Brevard, 8 p.m.  
 Al-Anon, Odd Fellows Hall, 8 p.m.  
 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, 2 p.m.  
 L'Allegra 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.  
 Wyche Extension Homemakers Club, 2:30 p.m.  
 Bay View Study Club, home of Mrs. Ralph Futrell, 2 p.m.  
 American Association of Retired Persons, Community Center, 7 p.m.  
 St. Thomas Episcopal Church Bible Study, 506 Sycamore, 7 p.m.  
 Bud to Blossom Garden Club, 9:30 a.m.  
 Merry Mixers Square Dance Club, Community Center, 8 p.m.

## FRIDAY

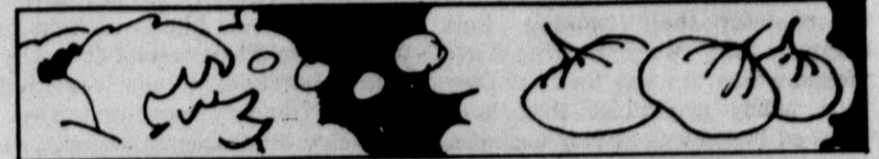
Kiwanis Whiteface Breakfast Club, Savage's Hickory Pit, 6:30 a.m.  
 Community Duplicate Bridge Club, Community Center, 7:30 p.m.  
 Women's exercise class, First Presbyterian Church, 8:30-9:30 a.m.  
 Garden Beautiful Club, 9:30 a.m.  
 Hereford Senior Citizens governing board 2 p.m. and business meeting 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.

# Christmas fund established

Monday is the deadline for making donations to the Foster Children's Christmas Fund which has been established at the Hereford State Bank. Money received will be used to help purchase toys and needed clothing for foster children.  
 The Golden Spread Foster Parent's Association of Castro, Deaf Smith, Parmer and Oldham Counties is making preparations for a special Christmas for the foster children placed in these counties.  
 All donations to the non-profit organization are tax deductible. An

individual or group wishing to help by giving funds may send them to the Christmas chairperson, 137 Ave. B., Hereford or to the Deaf Smith County chairperson, Nancy Mata, 801 Schley

St., Hereford. Donations may also be made at the Hereford State Bank to the Golden Spread Foster Parent's Christmas Fund, P.O. Box 272, Hereford.



It's often believed good luck to dream of onions.

## All Copper Items

# 1/2 Off

Check Our Unadvertised Specials!

THE BRASS SPIKE

421 N. 25 Mile Ave. 364-7122

Ever wonder who you'd call if you had a car accident?

Many of your neighbors would just call their local State Farm agent. Ask any one of them about State Farm claim service, then give me a call.

M.D. Gentry  
 809 N. Lee  
 364-7350

State Farm Mutual Automobile Insurance Company  
 Home Office: Bloomington, Illinois

## Christmas Concert set

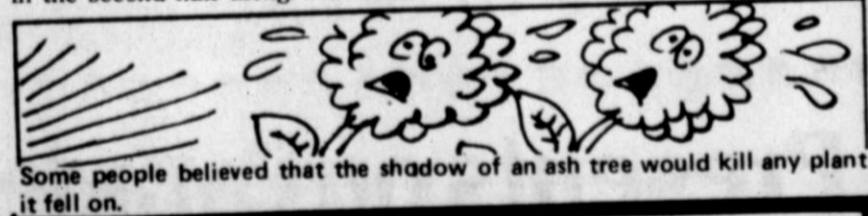
Just two days remain until the Chamber Singers annual Christmas concert set for Sunday at 3 p.m. in the high school auditorium.

The concert will combine religious carols with popular secular tunes including "Jingle all the Way" and "Christmas in the City." Some of the member's children will be on stage in the second half along with Santa

Claus. For the children, Santa will stay after the show for those who would like to talk to him.

During the second half of the performance, members will sing solos, and perform ensembles and instrumental pieces.

Everyone in the community is encouraged to come and enjoy this holiday event which comes at no charge.



Some people believed that the shadow of an ash tree would kill any plant it fell on.

The Total Weight Of All Your Diamonds Adds Up To A Most Impressive Diamond Ring Save 1/3 Now!



3/8 CARAT of diamonds  
**SALE \$699!**  
 Ref. Retail \$1099



3/4 CARAT of diamonds  
**SALE \$899!**  
 Ref. Retail \$1399



1/2 CARAT of diamonds  
**SALE \$599!**  
 Ref. Retail \$899



1/4 CARAT of diamonds  
**SALE \$299!**  
 Ref. Retail \$449

5/8 CARAT of diamonds  
**SALE \$999!**  
 Ref. Retail \$1499

4018  
 1/2 CARAT of diamonds  
**SALE \$499!**  
 Ref. Retail \$749

ONE CARAT of diamonds  
**SALE \$799!**  
 Ref. Retail \$1199

4019  
 ONE CARAT of diamonds  
**SALE \$799!**  
 Ref. Retail \$1199

Cowan Jewelers

217 N. Main

364-4241

# Stockstill interiors

"Quality Products, Excellent Service"

## DECORATOR FABRICS

For Upholstery, Draperies, Bedspreads, and Pillows

## WINDOW TREATMENTS

Mini-blinds, Pleated Shades, Vertical Blinds, and Woven Woods by Kirsch, Graber, and Flexalum

Free Measurement and Installation

## WALL COVERINGS

Vinyls, Grasscloth, Satins and Mylars

## CARPET AND VINYL FLOORING

SERVICES: CUSTOM DRAPERIES & BEDSPREADS  
 INTERIOR DESIGN  
 CUSTOM UPHOLSTERY  
 FURNITURE REFINISHING

HOURS: 9 a.m. - 6 p.m. Monday - Friday  
 9 a.m. - 12 noon Saturday  
 603 S. 25 Mile Ave.  
 806-364-5575

Ask for a FREE copy of "Window Shopping" by Kirsch

# Business venture lucrative for two women

By LISA BALL  
Staff Writer

While many women simply receive thanks for their cooking, Lois Lemons and Mary Herring have found a way to make their number-one hobby profitable: they have opened their own catering business, Something Special.

In May of 1983, the women began catering functions either in their own homes or wherever a group was meeting.

"We got started when our church (First Baptist) asked us if just once we would cater dinner at the church on Wednesday night," Herring explained. "We did, and continued to do it. We decided that if we could do all of that, then we could do catering on our own."

"We're still catering the church dinners," she laughed.

With very few worries, the two teamed up and launched their business. The name of the service came from Herring's daughter.

"We were talking one day," Herring recalled, "and I told her we wanted it to be something special for the people who use it. She told me right then that we should call it Something Special."

Herring and Lemons first started working together on the benevolence committee at First Baptist. For almost ten years they have prepared meals for bereaved families.

"We really enjoy working together and laughing at our mistakes," Lemons said. "We've also enjoyed the people, they have all been very gracious."

Both women love to cook, and most of the dishes they prepare are from recipes they have collected over the years. They have tried all of the recipes they use. Although it may seem too great a chore to try so many recipes, the two women view it quite differently.

"I love trying new recipes," Lemons said.

Combinations of food are not set. The women simply ask the people what they would like to eat and go from there. They cater full meals, salad luncheons, showers and rehearsal dinners just to name a few.

"We've been cooking so long, we pretty much know what goes together and what foods look pretty together," Herring said.

Something Special does not serve exotic food, just food that is different from what the restaurants in town offer.

"We know most of the people we cater for, and know what they like," Herring said. "And that helps a lot."

"People use us because they want something different than what is available in town," she added.

Each prepares half of the meal in her own home. They use all of their own dishes and serving pieces, thus cutting down on operating expenses. The business usually caters one or two functions a week and sometimes two in one day.

"It's really easier when they're close together," Herring said.

Although the two wanted to be in business for themselves, they also wanted to have time to do other things. As a result, they do not force themselves into a hectic schedule. The maximum number of groups they will cater for in a week is three.

"We didn't want to be tied down," Herring said. "My six children are scattered all around, and when I want to see them I want to be able to go then."

Their husbands give them tremendous support. They frequently go with them, wash dishes, do errands, and most of all, eat the leftovers.

When the women use their own homes for catering, it is primarily for working people who do not have time to prepare their homes for company.

"Our homes have a special atmosphere," Herring said.

"It really is more homey here than other places," Lemons added.

Aside from keeping busy with the catering, Lemons is a member of the Hereford Garden Club, a 42 club, and enjoys ceramic painting and sewing. She is a member of WMU at church and is involved in a Sunday School class.

"If I have a hobby, it's cooking," she said. "I really love to cook and try new recipes."

She and her husband also enjoy sports and entertaining friends.

Herring is involved in bridge clubs and is a member of La Madre Mia Study Club. She, too, is active in WMU and Sunday School. She enjoys reading and entertaining.

They shared some of their favorite recipes that they use for catering and which are also good for the holidays. The sweet potato casserole is especially good for the holidays, according to Lemons. The mixed vegetables go well with any meat.

### SWEET POTATO CASSEROLE

3 C cooked and mashed sweet potatoes  
1 C sugar  
1/2 C butter, melted  
1/2 C milk  
2 eggs, beaten  
1 tsp. vanilla

Mix well all ingredients and spoon into two quart casserole dish. Cover with topping.

### TOPPING

1/2 C brown sugar, firmly packed  
1/4 C flour  
2 1/2 Tbsp. butter, melted  
1/2 C chopped nuts

Combine all ingredients. Mix well and sprinkle on top of potatoes. Bake at 350 degrees for 25 minutes.

### MIXED VEGETABLES

2 packages frozen mixed vegetables, cooked and drained  
1 C cheese, grated



Mary Herring, left, and Lois Lemons ...deciding on recipes for a catered dinner

1 C mayonnaise  
1 C celery, chopped  
1 small onion, chopped  
1 stick butter or margarine  
1/4 pound crushed crackers

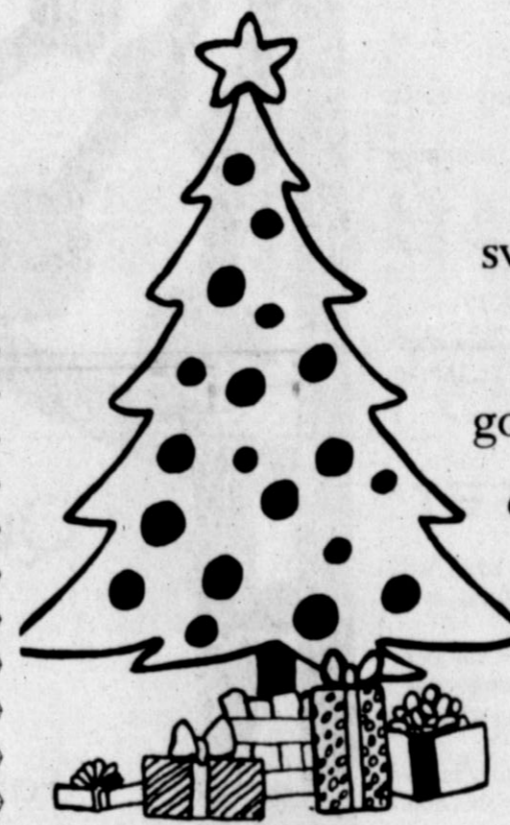
Mix cheese, mayonnaise, celery and onion. Spread over vegetables in casserole. Mix oleo and crackers. Spread on top. Bake at 350 degrees for 30 minutes.



In 1810 there were 366 newspapers in the country.

## Gift Suggestions from

THE *Vogue*



isotoner gloves and slippers  
sweaters luggage jewelry  
belts and buckles fragrances  
gown and robe gift certificates  
color analysis make up kit  
FREE Gift Wrapping

Men's Night  
Dec. 11th  
7 to 9 PM

## Presents on Parade

Make everyone's  
Christmas dream  
come true.

Choose From Very  
Fine Selections of;

Flatware  
Brass Crystal China  
Gift Boxes & Trays  
Baskets Candles Jewelry  
Kitchen Accessories

..... and a wide selection of  
other unique gift items

Gift Certificates  
FREE Giftwrapping



## The Bells Are Ringing at.....

One Rack  
Fall & Winter Merchandise  
**30% OFF**

*Louise's*  
Sugarland Mall

CHARGE IT (MOST STORES)

## PICK UP A SALE-PRICED COLOR COMPUTER 2 TODAY!

Get Started with a 16K  
Standard BASIC Color Computer

Reg. 119.95 **9995** Less TV  
26-3134

as seen on TV

Create Vivid Color Graphics with  
Exciting Sound Effects and Music

- Write Your Own Programs in the Easy-to-Learn BASIC Language
- Use Our Program Pak™ Cartridges for Education, Budgeting, Games and More
- 16K Extended BASIC Color Computer 2 Now \$139.95 (26-3136, Reg. \$159.95)
- 64K Extended BASIC Color Computer 2 Now \$199.95 (26-3127, Reg. \$259.95)

## Kerr Electronics

311 N. Main 364-5500

## Campos, Murillo united in marriage Saturday

Adelina Reyes Murillo became the bride of Baldomero Campos, Jr., in a Saturday afternoon ceremony in San Jose Catholic Church with Father Joe Bixenman, pastor, officiating.

The bride is the daughter of Raul and Francisca Murillo and the bridegroom is the son of Nieves Campos and the late Baldomero Campos.

The arch in the entrance of the church was decorated with greenery and pink carnations. White bows were placed on the side of the church pews.

Shella Gonzales served as maid of honor and Joseph Martinez of Clovis, N.M. was best man.

Bridesmaids were Alice Martinez, Verlin Murillo, Rosa Sustaita, Mona Escamilla, Alicia Arellano, Marylou Serna and Griselda Morales.

Groomsmen were Demetrio Zuniga, Jr., Ronnie Rico, Frank Ramirez, Tommy Coronado, Hector Mendoza, Porfirio Zuniga, Jr. and Joe Martinez.

The bridesmaids wore long pink dresses and carried a fan flower with pink bows. The maid of honor wore an ivory dress with an ivory headpiece and carried ivory fan flowers.

Flower girls were Jennifer Campos, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ted Campos, and Linda Murillo, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Raul Murillo. Robert Murillo, son of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Murillo, was ring bearer.

Nancy Beltran and Albert Garza provided the music.

Numerous individuals presented presents to the couple. Included in this presentation of gifts were Mr. and Mrs. Ismael Ramirez, a rosary and Bible, Mr. and Mrs. Jessie Castillo, a laso, Mr. and Mrs. Ramon Zepeda, cushions, Esperanza Ramirez of Amarillo, coins, and Sylvia Davila of Crystal City, a bouquet.

Also, Messrs. and Mmes. Ted Campos, cake, Jessie Murillo, knives, Balentin Murillo, champagne, Gary Olivas, brass champagne glasses, and Pablo Murillo, guest album.

Photography was provided by Mr. and Mrs. Robert Murillo, Mr. and Mrs. David Casarez, Mr. and Mrs. Jose Luis Morales, Luis Alberto Fernandez and Lorenza Cisneros.

Leading the wedding march were Mr. and Mrs. Juan Garza. Those participating in the wedding march

were Manuel Segovia, Ramona Antiveros, Ramiro Guillen, Richard Tijerina, Ester Galvez, Martin Galvez and Marina Ybarra.

Also, Messrs and Mmes. Juan Sustaita, Arturo Lucio, Jessie Castillo, Jr., Jimmy Carrasco, Lupe Ortiz, Ciro Casarez, Gilbert Maldonado, Santos Barrientos, Gilbert Carrasco, John Martinez, Elario Garcia, Juan Gonzalez, Antonio Garcia, Freddie Garcia, George Castillo and Domingo Diaz.

Given in marriage by her father, the bride was attired in a formal length gown of taffeta and bridal illusion. It was designed with a sweetheart neckline which was trimmed with lace and seed pearls and

fitted natural waistline.

The chapel-length skirt was fashioned with tiers of bridal illusion trimmed with matching lace and the hemline of the skirt was enhanced by a deep lace trim and matching lace appliques. The fitted lace sleeves formed a point at the wrist. The cathedral-length veil of bridal illusion was decorated with matching lace and was attached to a heavy lace headpiece trimmed with seed pearls.

She carried a nosegay of crystal flowers and white satin ribbon steamers.

A reception followed in the latin Ballroom with Mr. and Mrs. Pablo Murillo and Janie registering guests.

Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Galan and Lupe served the cake, punch and meal.

The couple will reside at 508B Whittier after Dec. 3.

The bride is a 1982 graduate of Hereford High School. She attended West Texas State University and Amarillo College. While in high school, she was involved in band, VOE and MAYTA.

The bridegroom served in the U.S. Army and earned his honorable discharge. He is currently employed by Excell Corp. in Friona.

The population of the city of New York dropped from 7,895,653 in 1970 to 7,071,639 in 1980.



Mrs. Baldomero Campos, Jr.  
...nee Adelina Murillo

### WHERE THE WORK WILL BE Key industries foresee job surge

PROJECTED JOB INCREASE, 1982-1990

10%                      20%                      30%

Business/professional services

Plastic products

Computers

Health care

Construction

Restaurants/retailing

Banking

Transport equipment

Steel



(Source: U.S. Bureau of Labor Statistics)

NEA GRAPHIC

In the past decade, a record 20 million jobs were created in the United States while Europe lost 2 million. Continued U.S. job growth is expected between now and 1990, with the greatest occurring in service industries.

A hurricane is a rotating storm system with a minimum sustained surface wind of 74 miles an hour or more. Hurricanes are spawned east of the international dateline. Typhoons, which have the same criteria, develop west of the line. When a hurricane's winds drop below 74 mph, it becomes a tropical storm.

Don't forget the  
Sharp Microwave Oven  
for  
the holidays!



When you purchase one of our Sharp Microwave Ovens in stock for Christmas, we'll give you a Bacon/Meat Rack absolutely free. That's a \$19<sup>95</sup> value just for you.

Be sure and visit The Kitchen Shoppe for all your holiday baking and cooking utensil needs. We also have a complete selection of small appliances.

## Western Auto

241 N. Main

364-1355

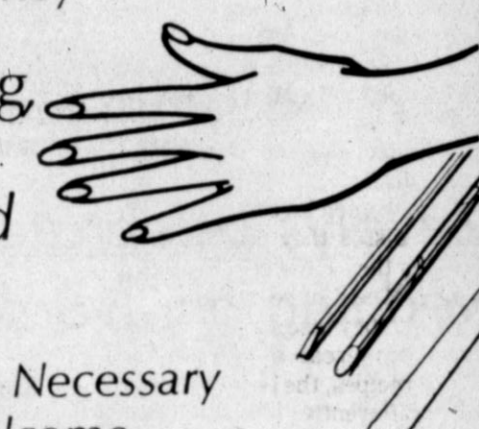
## Christmas Special

### Sculptured Nails

### \$40.00

Now Thru January 3  
by Cynthia Villegas Reyna

Also, Nail Dusting,  
Nail Piercing,  
Manicures and  
Pedicures



No Appointments Necessary  
Walk-Ins Welcome

Call Today! 806-364-5050

## A Touch Class

West Park Ave.

# Tuesday December 4



Anthony's Allegiance Club Members

## FAMILY SHOPPING NIGHT

### 7:00 PM until 10:00 PM

Tuesday, December 4



- ★ Free Gift Wrapping
- ★ Special Family Shopping Hours
- ★ Extra Savings for Allegiance Club Members
- ★ Preview our Holiday Gift Guide
- ★ We Accept

We will be closed from 6 PM to 7 PM to prepare for this special Family Shopping Night. Our doors re-open promptly at 7 PM. If you are an Anthony's Allegiance Club member, be sure to be here! Mark **Tuesday, December 4th** on your calendar. Bring the family. Finish your Christmas shopping early. These special hours are just for you! If you are not an Anthony's Allegiance Club member, come in to sign up...and start saving today!



We're Just Around the Corner Serving You!

# ANTHONY'S

Sugarland Mall 9-8

Downtown 9-7



MR. AND MRS. DARYL ZEVELY  
...observes anniversary

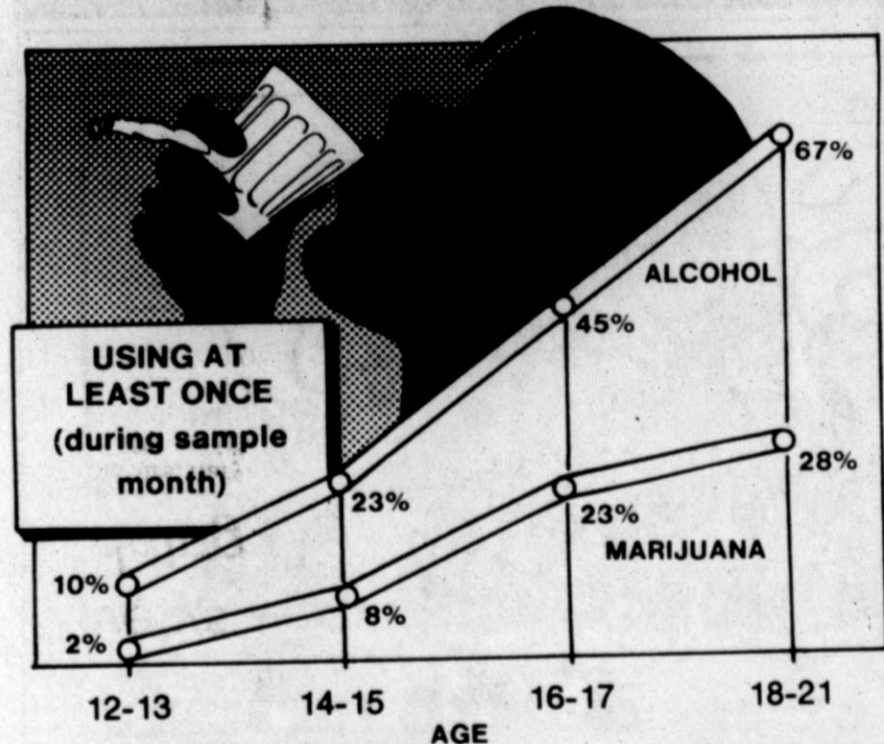
### Zevelys celebrate silver wedding anniversary here

Mr. and Mrs. Daryl Zevely observed their 25th wedding anniversary Nov. 27 with their children, and relatives and friends from Texas, North Carolina and Oklahoma.

The couple has three children, Ann Zevely of Canyon, Scott Zevely of Waco, and Mr. and Mrs. Clay Zevely of Bethany, Okla.

### DRUGS AND YOUTH

Use increases with age



(Source: National Institute of Drug Abuse) NEA GRAPHIC

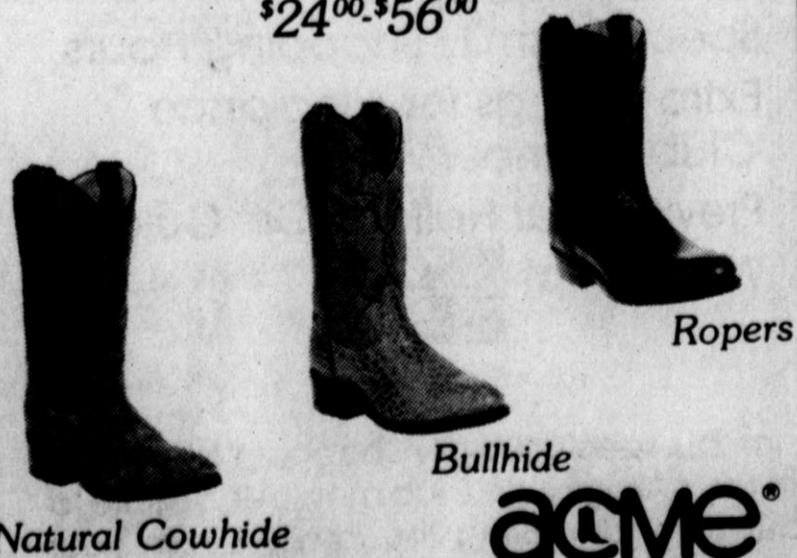
How many young Americans drink liquor or smoke marijuana? About two-thirds of the 18- to 21-year-olds polled for a U.S. study said they had used alcohol in the past month. More than one in four of them had used marijuana. Younger teens also admitted in large numbers to drinking; and to smoking marijuana.

### Acme Boots

Made to last for kids.

Children's Western boots designed and built for the way kids play.

Infants Size 4 thru Kids Size 6  
\$24.00, \$56.00



Natural Cowhide

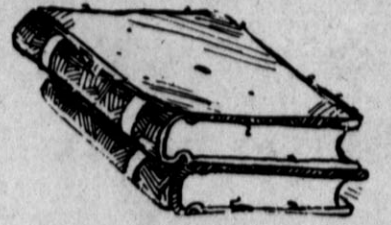
acme

Open Thursday Till 7:00

WEST TEXAS  
WESTERN  
STORE

Happy Hi-Way  
in Canyon  
East Hi-Way 60,  
Hereford

## Between the Covers



By DIANNE PIERSON  
Library Director

Contemporary novels of supernatural and fantasy are featured this week at the Deaf Smith County Library. The novels featured are "Wild Animals" by Peter Straub and "The Talisman" by Stephen King and Peter Straub.

For the fans of Peter Straub's "Ghost Story," "Shadowland," and "Floating Dragon," "Wild Animals" is an omnibus collection of his first three explorations into the supernatural. For those who have never read him, it promises a delightful, shivery treat. "Wild Animals" brings together Staub's never-before-published second novel, "Under Venus," and his expertly crafted next two novels.

"Under Venus" tells the story of an expatriate composer who has been

living with his wife in Paris and now returns to his Midwest hometown, where his music is to be performed by the local orchestra under his baton. Other events in the town supersede the concert and suggest that maybe one can't go home again.

"Julia" explores another line between the past and present—the connection between the living Julia and her dead nine-year-old daughter, Kate. Here the question is who—or what—is the beautiful young child who resembles Kate and dangerously enchants Julia.

"If You Could See Me Now" returns to the Midwest to explore once again the hold that a malign past can have over an entire town. A widower's obsession with a memory brings back from the dead the vengeful spirit of a drowned girl.

Also available this week is "The

Talisman" by Stephen King and Peter Straub. Jack Sawyer, twelve years old, is about to begin a most fantastic journey, an exalting, terrifying quest for the Talisman—for only the Talisman can save Jack's dying mother and defeat the enemy who is out to destroy them both. But to reach his goal, Jack must make his way not only across the breath of the United States but through the wondrous and menacing Territories as well. The Territories lie as firmly in the imagination as Atlantis or Oz.

As Jack makes his way westward toward the redemptive Talisman, a dual array of heartstopping encounters challenges him at every step—from a terrifying period when he's held captive in an Indiana home for wayward boys that is run by a sadistic religious fanatic, to sudden and murderous attacks by enemies

of Queen Laura in the Territories. Stephen King and Peter Straub have combined their talents to create an unforgettable epic of fantasy, adventure, and resounding triumph.

Also available this week is "The Lives of Rachel" by Joel Gross, "The Art of Corporate Success" by Ken Auletta, and "Getting Older, Growing Younger" by Barbara Cartland.

LIBRARY EVENTS:  
10:00 a.m. - Thursday morning Pre-school story hour

\*\*\*Friendly reminder\*\*\*The Friends of the Library are beginning to collect books for their Book Sale which will be held in October 1986...remember through the year to bring these donations to the Deaf Smith County Library. Thanks!!!

Michigan has two names, the "Great Lake State" and the "Wolverine State."

it's never too early  
TO START YOUR CHRISTMAS SHOPPING



Good Selection  
DONOVAN -  
GALVANI  
OF DALLAS  
SPORTSWEAR  
\$35.00



2-PIECE  
LEISURE SUIT  
VELVETY  
SUPER-FLEECE  
GREAT FOR  
LOUNGING  
AND ACTIVE WEAR  
(Jogging-Walking)  
\$35.00

Short Gowns Coats  
Long Gowns  
Shadowline  
Lingerie

MENS & LADIES \$20.00  
«ARIS»  
SOTONER  
Gloves



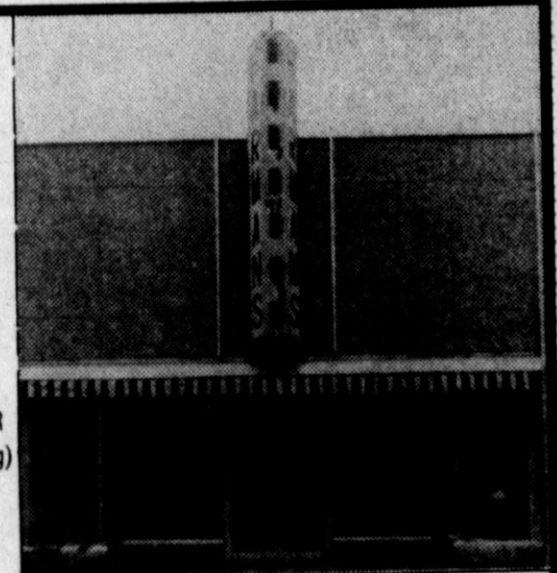
Ladies  
VELOUR POLAR  
Boots  
\$12.00

Smart Time  
Dusters



Vinyl sidewall  
and outsoles

A GREAT IDEA  
GIFT CERTIFICATE



NEW FALL TIES  
Patterns Galore  
Harman's 1984  
Men's Suits  
Large Selection  
Dress & Western  
Tailored  
Regular & Longs



Slacks  
By HIGGINS



CAMEL-HAIR  
SPORT COATS  
\$139.95

Wide Wale  
CORDUROY  
BLAZERS  
One look that's always  
in style! Cotton/poly  
corduroy. Regular  
and long sizes.  
\$69.95

Fur Collar  
Pile-Lining  
\$79.44



RESISTOL  
best all-around

Western Fur Felts



Large Selection  
SHIRTS BY  
campus  
\$10.99 to \$15.99

22x44  
Large  
BATH  
TOWLES  
\$3.44

V-Neck Style  
V-FIBRE  
PULLOVERS  
\$21.50



Men's  
POLAR - BOOTS  
\$11.00

Men's - Boy's

Hanes  
UNDERWEAR

Wrangler

MEN'S SHIRTS  
\$18.95 & \$19.95

HARMAN'S

# La Madre Mia's Annual Home Tour slated today

A variety of decorating tastes are shown in the three homes selected for La Madre Mia's Annual Home Tour scheduled from 2-5 p.m. today.

Homes to be on view to the public include the Harlan Barbers' house at 110 Rio Vista Drive; the John David Bryants' home at 112 Kingwood; and the Tim Gearn's residence located on West Harrison Hwy.

Tickets are priced at \$2 per person and may be purchased from any club member or at the doors of the homes to be toured. A door prize will be given away and refreshments of hot tea, coffee and cookies will be served at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Gearn.

Georgia Sparks, home tour chairman, explained that proceeds for the event go to various community projects, local organizations and to assist needy families.

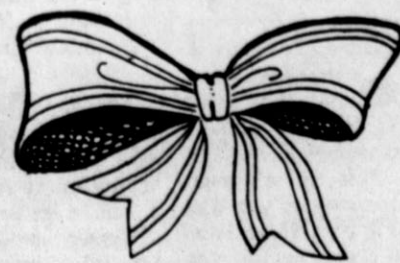
La Madre Mia club members are Joyce Allred, Carolyn Baxter, Frances Berry, Jeri Bezner, Ruth Black, Francyne Bromlow, Beverly Bryant, Janis Faulkner, Sarah Hazelrigg, Mary Herring, Sharon Hodges.

Also, Gladys Merritt, Bettye Owen, Lucy Rogers, Carrell Ann Simmons, Jenna Simons, Tricia Sims, Mysedia Smith, Sparks, Debbie Tardy, Betty Taylor, Pat Walsh, Marlene Watson, Mary Beth White and Judy Williams.



French and English antiques, dating from 1820 to the early 1900s, are uniquely displayed throughout the Tim Gearn's home located on West Harrison Hwy. The energy efficient home was designed to maintain low heating and cool-

ing costs while encompassing high modern ceilings of the interior design in all living areas and master suites. Keith Anne Gearn, at left, is shown discussing La Madre Mia's Annual Home Tour with tour hostess, Mary Herring.



Antiques of every size and description can be found throughout the John David Bryants' home on 112 Kingwood which has been remodeled with country relics. One unusual feature of the residence is a Country Store located in the back of the house. Beverly Bryant, at right, is describing some of the collectible items for Bettye Owen, club president.

# Hospital staff reviews Home Health Care

(EDITOR'S NOTE: The following article was submitted by Doris Morgan, RN Home Health director at Deaf Smith General Hospital.)

The medical community has really been supportive of this Home Health Care service and deserves much of the credit for its success.

Now that their Home Care Service is nearing its first anniversary, staff members at Deaf Smith General Hospital reviewed the accomplishments of their newest department.

Hospital administrator, Jim Bullard, when asked whether the service has benefited the hospital, answered, "Definitely, yes. Part of our long-range goal has been to expand our health delivery system into the community. Along with our ambulance service, Lifeline and our educational programs, home health

provides one more way of supporting this effort.

"With greater emphasis placed by Medicare on decreasing hospital length of stay, home health has become an integral part of the national health delivery system because it is one of the most cost-effective health care alternatives," Bullard added. "Our own area is no exception; the hospital's Home Care Service is currently averaging about 150 visits a week."

Kaye Hansard, RN nursing supervisor for the service, has previously worked for several private agencies before coming to DSGH. She was asked how a hospital-based service differs from a private agency and responded, "The advantages of providing home health in a hospital are tremendous. Services can be coordinated much more effectively, and

the resources we have available right here in the hospital assure that each patient will have right here in the hospital the expertise of a highly professional multi-disciplinary team. I definitely feel that the hospital provides the ideal setting for home health."

Annette Morgan, home care secretary, said she has been especially impressed by the community support offered to the hospital-based program. In helping to coordinate community services for home care patients, she works closely with other agencies.

Morgan commented, "One of the really special groups is the HERO Club. They provide holiday treats for our patients and really brighten up a lot of lives. We also work closely with

Senior Citizens, DHR and Good Shepherd. They have all proved to us many times, that in Hereford, there are always wonderful people willing to help others."

Dr. Gerald Payne was enthusiastic about the care his patients receive. "The Home Care Service is a valuable adjunct to the medical care we provide. I have seen several of my patients make remarkable progress with the nursing care and therapy they receive in the home."

Hospital employee, Karen Zinser, has had personal experience with home care and praised the concept, saying that it is difficult to understand the importance of such a service until one has been on the receiving end.

She explained, "They certainly saw my mother through her time of need. She was able to remain at

home for many months confident of receiving quality nursing care. I just can't express what this means to a family."

Mrs. George Suggs added, "It is so important to know that you can call the nurses at any hour. They are competent, but even more important, you know that they really care. We are fortunate to have this service in Hereford."

Arvella Lauderback, office manager at Family Medical Clinic is in a unique position to judge the value of the home health program, through her experience as a facilitator of health care and through personal experience.

She noted, "Of all the government-funded programs, home health care is one of the best. The provision of care for the ill and shut-in elderly is a 'must' in today's society. Not only do

the nurses provide professional services but their assurance and education regarding medicines, diets, etc., gives the patient a sense of security that enables them to recover in their own home with confidence.

"Our family learned this firsthand when services were provided while my mother was recovering from heart surgery," Lauderback added.

Dr. Tim Revell summed up the advantages of the program, "Since our Home Care Service was established, I think our delivery system to the patients has been greatly improved. The patients have more contact with their physicians due to the fact that medical problems are recognized earlier and the patients are not allowed to deteriorate. This has resulted in better health and fewer hospital days for those patients involved."



## Discussing Plans

Monty Jenkins, RN at Deaf Smith General Hospital, is discussing plans for home care with Mr. and Mrs. J.O. Robinson. Ongoing

care is coordinated by hospital nursing staff, physicians and home care staff.

**Hardwood Floors**



# Carpet Furniture

**Accessories  
Lamps  
Rugs**

**Custom  
Stained  
Glass**

**"Something Special for You  
At Perfect Prices"**

**Custom Orders Welcome!**

# CABOCHON

**Distinction In Gifts and Design.**


Monday & Friday 11:00-5:30      127 N. Main 364-4700

**Holiday Hours**

Mon., Wed., Fri. 11:00 AM to 5:30 PM  
Tues. & Thurs. 11:00 AM to 7:30 PM  
Thru Dec. 18, 1984 Reopening February 1985

## Polly's Pointers

Polly Fisher  
Old newspapers



**DEAR READERS** — A morning breakfast treat and a good way to recycle newspapers lead off our Pointer roundup today. — POLLY

**DEAR POLLY** — If you run out of milk for your morning cereal, put a dab of ice cream on the cereal, then add cold water. Dee-licious!

Recycle newspapers on chilly mornings by making "kindling knots."

Place about three sheets of newspaper together flat, then roll tightly from corner to corner (kitty corner). Tie the roll into a knot. Wood placed over a couple of these "knots" usually starts burning quickly, especially if you also add a couple of sticks of kindling wood.

Keep a box in your closet all year round. When you are tempted to throw something out, put a price tag on it as a yard-sale item and throw it in the box instead of the trash. When sale time comes around, you'll be ready with a number of items already tagged and ready to sell. — EL

**DEAR EL** — This is a great timesaver and a sure way to get that yard sale organized in a jiffy! Besides, if a few weeks later you decide you can't live without that particular item, it's still there in the box for you

to retrieve. Your Pointer earns you a copy of the Pointer of the Week award, a copy of Polly's book "Polly's Pointers: 1081 Helpful Hints for Making Everything Last Longer." Others who would like this book can order it for \$6.50. Make check payable to POLLY'S POINTERS and send to POLLY'S POINTERS, Box 1216, Dept. 55, Cincinnati, OH 45201. — POLLY

**DEAR POLLY** — If you have a swivel rocker that squeaks, spray the underside with a vegetable cooking spray. — HELEN

**DEAR POLLY** — To close a stuffed turkey, just dampen a slice of bread and place it on top of the stuffing at the bird's opening. As the turkey cooks, the bread gets hard and holds the stuffing in. Keeps the stuffing from drying out, too. — OLGA

**DEAR POLLY** — I had a blue stain in my toilet bowl from the blue cleaner I placed in the toilet tank. After trying many remedies unsuccessfully, I put a tablet of foaming denture cleanser in a cup of water, then poured it into the toilet bowl. After several days of doing this, the stain is almost gone. — MRS. A.V.

Smoking can be detrimental to your well-being — especially if the boss catches you blowing smoke rings when you should be toiling.



What this country needs is a pizza mix that won't glue your dentures together.

"Come In and Get Acquainted  
With the Girls"

Joyce Duggan      Janice Brownlow  
Rhonda Banner      Gayle McElhaney  
Kay Paulk      RueFord      Cindi Hicks

**DECEMBER SPECIAL!**

# Perms

**\$27<sup>50</sup>**

Dec. 3rd-8th Only!

## JJ's Hair Fashions

1013 W. Park Ave.  
364-1013

# Oh, What Fun It Is To Shop At Betty's...



We're going to make shopping at Betty's even more enjoyable by offering \$5<sup>00</sup> off with any \$25<sup>00</sup> purchase (excluding Sale Shoes). So, come in today and see our great selection of shoes in a variety of styles, colors, & sizes.

Be sure to clip the coupon for the extra savings!

**\$5<sup>00</sup>**      **COUPON**      **\$5<sup>00</sup>**



**\$5<sup>00</sup> Off With any \$25<sup>00</sup> purchase**  
(Excluding Sale Shoes)

Offer Not Valid Without Coupon  
Coupon Good Thru Dec. 24th

**\$5<sup>00</sup>**

# Betty's Shoes

319 N. Main      364-1211

# 'Tis The Season For .....

## Culinary Delights

RECIPES COMPILED BY SANDY PANKEY, LISA BALL

**EDITOR'S NOTE:** Beginning in today's edition of the Hereford Brand, holiday recipes will be featured in Wednesday and Sunday issues throughout the holiday season.

**PARTY CHEESE BALL**  
 8 oz. cream cheese  
 8 oz. Cracker Barrel mild cheese  
 8 oz. sharp Old English cheese (in jar)  
 1 Tbsp. chopped pimento  
 1 Tbsp. chopped green pepper  
 1 Tbsp. finely chopped onion  
 2 tsp. Worcestershire sauce  
 1 tsp. lemon juice  
 Dash of cayenne pepper  
 Dash of salt  
 Finely chopped pecans

Combine softened cream cheese and other cheeses, mixing until well blended. Add rest of ingredients except pecans. Mix well. Chill. Shape into 1 large ball, or several logs, or small balls. Roll in chopped pecans.

**RICH FRUIT SALAD**  
 1 can Eagle Brand milk  
 1 large ctn. Cool Whip  
 1/4 c. lemon juice  
 1 tsp. almond flavoring  
 1/4 c. nuts  
 1 can cherry pie filling  
 1 large can pineapple, drained  
 1 can coconut

Fold all ingredients together.  
**SMOTHERED PHEASANT**  
 4 chicken or pheasant breasts  
 1 can cream of chicken soup  
 1 pkg. Lipton onion soup mix  
 1 small ctn. sour cream

Salt, pepper and brown breasts. Mix canned soup, soup mix and sour cream. Also 1/2 can of water. Pour this over meat. Cover and bake in preheated 350 degree oven for 1 hour.

**GERMAN CHOCOLATE SHEET CAKE**  
 2 sticks butter  
 2 C sugar  
 1/2 package German chocolate, cut in small pieces

1 tsp. soda  
 2 C. flour  
 2 Tbsp. cocoa  
 1 C water  
 1/2 C buttermilk  
 2 eggs

Put the flour and sugar together in mixing bowl and set aside. Put butter, cocoa, German chocolate and water in pan. Place over heat and bring to boil. Then pour over the flour and sugar mixture. Mix well. Dissolve soda in buttermilk, add to other mixture with the eggs. Mix all together well. Pour into well greased and floured baking pan, 9x13x3. Bake at 400 degrees for 30 minutes or until done.

Leave cake in pan and pour icing over it, while cake is still warm.

**ICING**  
 1 stick butter  
 1 C nuts  
 1 Tbsp. cocoa  
 1 tsp. vanilla  
 1/2 package German chocolate, cut in small pieces  
 1 box powdered sugar  
 6 Tbsp. milk

Heat the butter, chocolate, cocoa

and milk until chocolate is melted. Pour over powdered sugar in bowl. Mix well. Add vanilla and nuts. If too thick to spread, add small amount of milk until desired consistency to spread well and hold shape. Cut into squares to serve. Makes 24 or more servings.

**FRUIT CAKE COOKIES**

2 pounds dates  
 1/2 pound candied cherries  
 1/2 pound candied pineapple  
 1/2 pound toasted almonds  
 1/2 pound Brazil nuts or pecans  
 1 1/2 C sugar  
 2 eggs  
 1 C butter  
 2 1/2 C flour  
 1 tsp. soda  
 1 tsp. salt  
 1 tsp. cinnamon

Chop fruit and coarsely chop nuts. Cream butter, add sugar and beat in eggs. Stir in flour, soda, salt and cinnamon. Add fruits and nuts. Mix well. Drop on ungreased cookie sheet.

Bake at 400 degrees for eight to ten minutes or until golden brown. Do not overbake.

### Nominations being accepted for 'Woman of the Year'

The deadline for submitting nominations for the Women's Division "Woman of the Year" has been set for Dec. 15. The Deaf Smith County Chamber of Commerce office is now accepting names for the coveted award.

The submitter doesn't have to be a member of the Women's Division but the nominee must have been active in the organization for the past year. Individuals are requested to submit a list of accomplishments and participation in civic activities for the nominee.

However, if persons do not have a complete list of the nominee's community involvements, they are encouraged to go ahead and turn her name in as the committee will further research the woman.

The "Woman of the Year" will be announced during the Women's Division first quarterly meeting scheduled in January.



The earth rotates on its axis more slowly in March than in September.



Photo By Stephanie Futrell

## Be At Your Holiday Best!

The right hair cut can make all the difference in how you look. Let us give you the perfect style to complement your features and lifestyle. You'll be the center of all attention!

## Headlines

341 N. Main

364-8006

### Discover A Difference

For the gift that really is an extraordinary gift.

### Holiday Hours

Mon., Wed., Fri.  
 11:00 AM to 5:30 PM  
 Tues. & Thurs.  
 11:00 AM to 7:30 PM  
 Thru Dec. 18, 1984

Ceramics, Plates, Trivets, Flatware, Trivets, Carpet, Furniture, Custom Stained Glass, Hardwood Floors, Copper and Brass Accessories, Baskets, Toys, Crystal, Linen, Leather, Candles, Pottery, Glass Accessories, Copper and Brass, Carpet, Furniture, Toys, Custom Stained Glass, Lamps, Christmas Wreaths, Linen, Lamps, Hardwood Floors, Leather, Candles, Pottery

"Something Special for You At Perfect Prices"

Custom Orders Welcome!

Have a Blessed Holiday Reopening Again February 1985

**CAROCHON**  
 Design in Gift and Design.  
 127 N. Main 364-4700

### The Tasteful Gift to Give



### Russell Stover Candies

At this special time of year, remember all your friends and family with our favorite assortments. Express your sentiments with our finest chocolates and butter bons now available in colorful, free gift wraps.

- Especially For You 2 1/4 lb.
- Chocolate Covered Nuts 1 lb. & 2 lb.
- Assorted Chocolates (open box shown) 1 lb., 2 lb., 3 lb. & 5 lb.
- Gift Box 1 1/2 lb. & 2 1/4 lb.

(shown clockwise)

Pangburn's Millionaires also available

**McDowell Pharmacy & Gifts**

336 N. Main 364-1313



**Giving Magazines**

Thelma Lamm, left, and Peppy Blocker, right, both members of the Pilot Club of Hereford, distributed magazines in the library of King's Manor Thursday afternoon. Mildred Guthrie, hostess for King's

Manor, received the magazines and helped to arrange them. As a service project, Pilot Club members bring magazines to the home once a month as well as to the Senior Citizens.

**Copper enameling program presented**

Joy Braly of Tulia gave a program on "Copper Enameling" when members of the Hereford Art Guild met Tuesday afternoon in the Art Room of the Hereford Community Center.

Ms. Braly, a sister of Audrey Rusher who is a member of the guild, explained that she became interested in copper enameling when she went to Lubbock in 1972 for instruction.

The speaker exhibited several pieces of her ware which was made over a period of years. Her major accomplishment was a 12x16 picture done by placing several small enameled pieces on a plywood back. This was made after going to Chama and riding the train into the mountains and enjoying the color, which helped to inspire the making of the picture.

Carrie Mae Doak presided at the

business meeting requesting the reading of the minutes and a financial report. The December meeting of the Guild will be a Christmas party and gift exchange of Christmas tree ornaments in the home of Carmen Angel.

The exhibitor for the meeting was Leota Cook. Her exhibit included a picture of blue bonnets and one of roses.

Annie DeLozier and Eunice Petersen served refreshments to 14 members and two guests.



Ty Cobb, the greatest batter of all time, had a lifetime batting average of .367.

**New Arrivals**

Mr. and Mrs. William Howard Adams Jr., are the parents of a son, Chance Wayne, born Nov. 25. He weighed 9 lb. 8 1/4 oz.

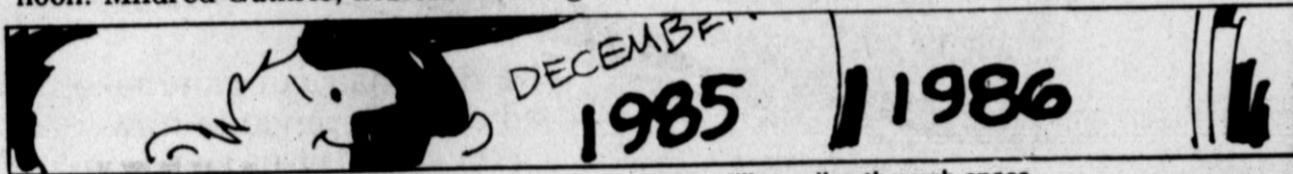
Mr. and Mrs. William Edward Talley are the parents of a son, Paul Bryant, born Nov. 25. He weighed 7 lb. 13 1/2 oz.

Mr. and Mrs. Don Wayne Long are the parents of a son, Elijah Joel, born Nov. 26. He weighed 8 lb. 2 1/2 oz.

Mr. and Mrs. William Gregory Goyne are the parents of a daughter, Brandi Celine, born Nov. 27. She weighed 6 lb. 6 oz.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Alvarado Martinez are the parents of a son, Roy Keith, born Nov. 28. He weighed 7 lb. 7 1/2 oz.

Mr. and Mrs. Don Weemes of Hobbs, N.M. are the parents of a daughter, Erica Nicole, born Nov. 17. She weighed 8 lb. 1 3/4 oz. Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Tommie Weemes of Hereford.



**BERNINA-GRAM**

Due to the recent strength of US currency on Swiss Markets, we are able to offer tremendous savings on GENUINE SWISS QUALITY BERNINA sewing machines. FREE \$500<sup>00</sup> Cabinet with Purchase of Bernina 930

Bernina 910	Reg. \$1139 <sup>95</sup>	NOW \$979 <sup>95</sup>
Bernina 801	Reg. \$999 <sup>95</sup>	NOW \$949 <sup>95</sup>
Bernina 802	Reg. \$899 <sup>95</sup>	NOW \$849 <sup>95</sup>

All machines carry a 20 year parts & labor warranty, plus FREE sewing instructions!

**BERNINA**

Sewing Center 419-B Main 364-5042

**Make It An Izod Christmas For All The Men And Ladies On Your Shopping List**



**Christmas List**

- |                 |             |
|-----------------|-------------|
| 1. Sweaters     | 4. Warm-Ups |
| 2. Vests        | 5. Shirts   |
| 3. Sweat Shirts | 6. Jackets  |

**The Sports Stop**

411 N. Main

364-5402

**Christmas**

**Dreams Come True**

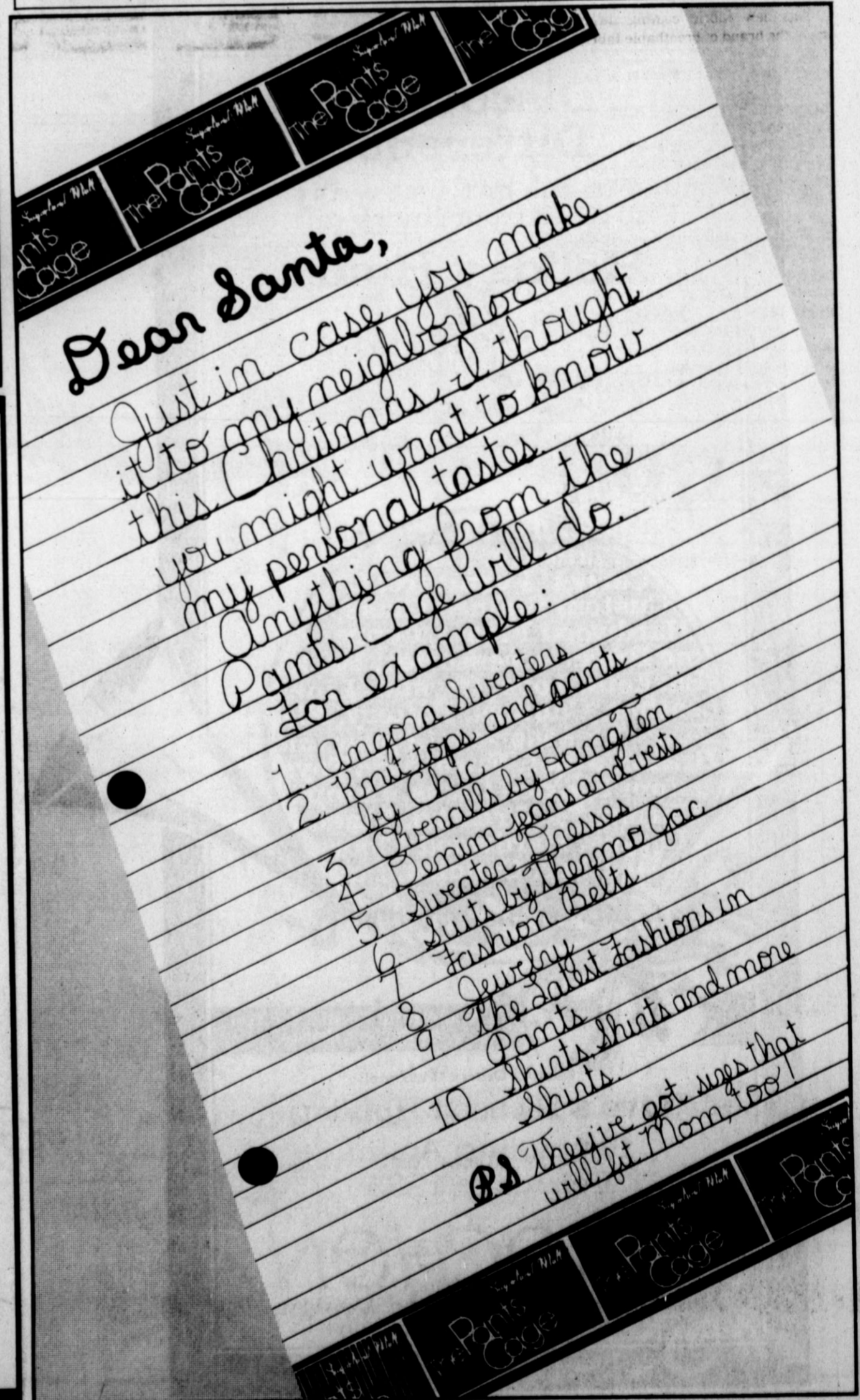
Boys & Girls Holiday Sleepwear (in Bright Holiday Colors)

**20% OFF**

Boys & Girls Holiday Sweater & Vests

**20% OFF**

**Grandma's Korner Too**  
Sugarland Mall





# Louise's Latest

By LOUISE WALKER  
County Extension Agent  
WE SHOP THE SALES

Americans overwhelmingly pay less than the full price for the vast majority of their general merchandise purchases, but we do it at discount stores just one-third of the time. That's because major department stores have also gotten into off-price retailing. Sears, J.C. Penney and Montgomery Ward generate 54 percent of the discount volume on the strength of heavily advertised sales. Department stores draw 9 percent and the remaining 37 percent is attracted by specialty discounters, catalog showroom firms, and full-line discount chains such as K-Mart and Wal-Mart.

### SHOPPING FOR SKI WEAR

Mark off the following items on your checklist when selecting and buying skiwear this winter. First, measure height, chest or bust size and the inseam length of the leg from crotch to ankle to find the correct size for a one-piece suit, jacket or pants. Sizing for children's one-piece suits is based on height. Next, try the suit on over all the clothing you will be wearing, including thermal or regular-ski underwear. Bend, sit, kneel and try all activity positions to check that clothing will not pull or bind.

### A CLOTHING PRICE FORMULA

What does clothing really cost? The true cost of a garment is its price plus the cost for up-keep, such as dry cleaning or laundering, and any other needed expense such as alterations. Divide this total cost by the number of times you wore the garment or expect to wear it, and you have the cost-per-wearing. An estimated cost-per-wearing is a good figure to use when shopping for clothing. Investing more money in clothes that will receive maximum wear will help you save on clothing costs.

### NEW WATERPROOF, BREATHABLE FABRIC

The latest in all-weather clothing is "bion-coated" fabric that is waterproof, yet breathable. Developed by Biotex Corporation, bion-coated fabric has been tested in ski jackets and found to keep skiers dry and comfortable.

This new fabric coating differs from the brand of breathable fabrics now found in clothing for sailors, skiers, and joggers. The brand now in use contains a thin sheet of Teflon-like material sandwiched between a fabric and a lining.

Bion-coated fabrics are also breathable and waterproof. Winter skiers can look for the first Bion-coated one-piece ski suits under the Robert John label. Next year Biotex will make available Bion-coated tents, running suits and rugged outerwear such as hiking jackets, mountain climbing and foul weather gear.

The coating material was developed by a chemical engineer working on polyurethane materials to make the idea wound dressing for

surgical incisions, cuts and burns. He came up with a wound dressing by changing the basic molecular structure of polyurethane film and then realized it had many other uses. The wound dressing, when sprayed on as a fabric coating, produced a breathable, waterproof fabric.

### SEWING CORDUROY AND VELVETEEN

Corduroy and velveteen are winter and holiday season favorites. For best results sewing these pile fabrics, begin by basting because they have a tendency to slip during

stitching. Use a longer than average stitch. On heavy, wide-wale corduroys, lessen the pressure on the pressure foot of your sewing machine. Pin-baste with the pins close together at right angles to the fabric in the seam allowance only. Finish seams by hand or machine overcasting. Avoid machine-worked buttonholes on velveteen because the machine attachment will mark the pile. But you can make any kind of buttonhole with corduroy. For bound buttonholes in all pile fabrics, cut the lips on the bias.

## Red Cross Update

By BETTY HENSON  
Executive Director

A CPR class will finish Thursday, Dec. 6 at 6:30 at the Red Cross office. The class will finish on Friday, Dec. 7 at 6:30. Ruth Romero will be the instructor for this class. Those interested in taking this class should call the office at 364-3761 to register for this class.

The fitness swim at W.T. Activities pool will be held Dec. 6, Thursday,

and Dec. 20. Please call the office for car pooling information.

Toys are being accepted at the High School office, Social Services office and the Red Cross office for the Toys for Needy Families program. Volunteers are needed to help with repair of toys and to help deliver toys on Christmas Eve.

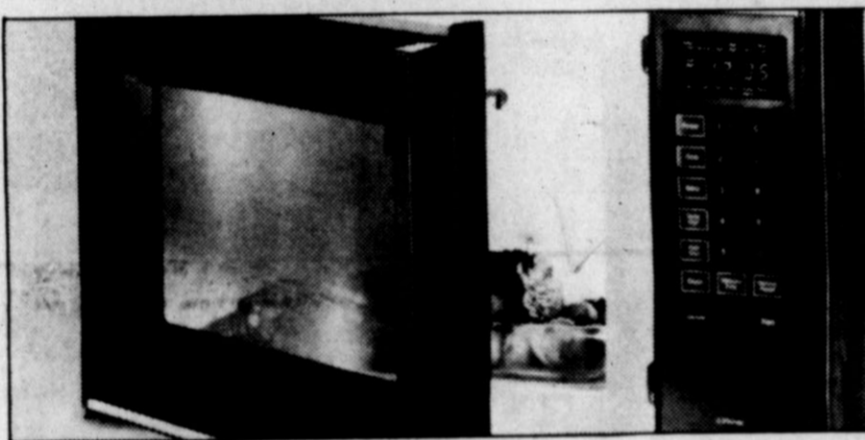
The Deaf Smith Chapter of the American Red Cross is a United Way Agency.



The earliest jigsaw puzzle was a dissected map of England and Wales appearing in 1767.

The rarest breed of dog is the Chinese fighting dog. Only 23 specimens are known to exist, all in California.

from the new **JCPenney Catalog**



Save \$80

Now 269.95

The JCPenney  
Catalog  
Department

© 1984 J. C. Penney Company, Inc.

Microwave oven  
with touch-control

Orig. 349.95. Touch-control microwave with temperature probe lets you cook by time or temperature. Has lighted digital timer and readout, temperature hold-button, and one-recipe memory 700 watts peak power. 1.3 cu. ft. oven capacity. Cookbook included. Catalog #DR863-C2515A. You'll find it on page 107 of our Pre-Holiday Sale Catalog. Phone 364-4205



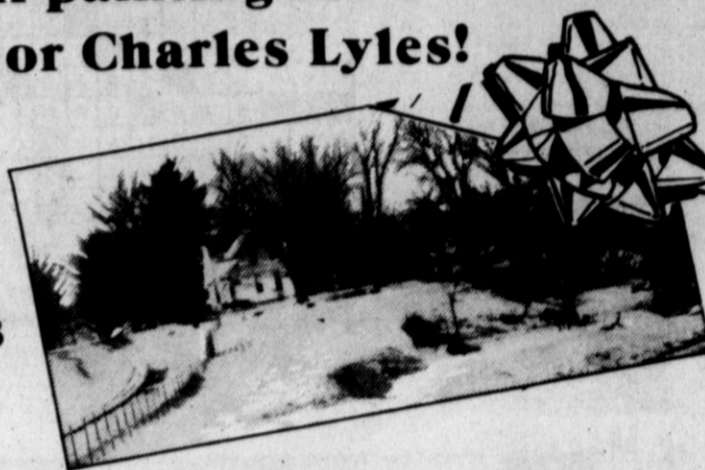
Nutmeg hung around the neck was believed to ward off diseases.

The year 1934 saw the production of an immensely strong synthetic fiber later patented under the name nylon. It was first used as bristles for toothbrushes.

The world's largest art gallery can be found in Leningrad, USSR. The 322 galleries of the Winter Palace cover a span of 15 miles.

Give an original oil painting for Christmas by  
**Jean Lyles or Charles Lyles!**

FREE  
Gift Wrapping  
Gift Certificates



Register for classes beginning in January

Oil Paints    Watercolor    Brushes  
Instruction Books    Frames



**Texas Gallery**

Hwy 60 West

364-5571

Everything Elegant  
For The Unique Bride!

# CABOCHON

Distinction In Gifts And Design

# Bridal REGISTRY



Brass  
Crystal  
China  
Sterling Flatware  
Stainless Flatware  
Pottery  
Linens  
Porcelains  
Glassware

Also...  
Very Special  
Gifts For The  
Wedding Party!

Something Special  
For You At  
Perfect Prices

Holiday Hours

Mon. Wed., Fri., 11:00 AM to 5:30 PM  
Tues. & Thurs. 11:00 AM to 7:30 PM

Thru Dec. 18, 1984  
Reopening February 1985

127 N. Main

364-4700

## SPECIAL CHRISTMAS GIFTS

Our gifts are guaranteed to spread lots more than holiday cheer, because our Christmas gifts are as special as they are practical.

- Jewelry
- Daniel Green House Shoes
- Dearfoams for Children & Ladies
- Shoes for Special Holiday Occasions
- Plus much more!

**Betty's  
Shoes**

319 N. Main

364-1211

# CROSSWORD

Release in Papers of Saturday, December 1

- ACROSS**
- 1 Less than one
  - 5 Prophecy
  - 11 Green minerals
  - 12 Expenditure
  - 13 One
  - 14 Summary
  - 15 Most hackneyed
  - 17 Almond
  - 18 Weeds
  - 19 Rock growth
  - 21 Gums
  - 24 Wander
  - 25 Accustomed
  - 26 Three (Ger.)
  - 27 Scandinavian goddess
  - 28 Turn
  - 30 Woody
  - 33 Portuguese coin
  - 34 Vice president (sl)
  - 35 And others (2 wds.)
  - 37 Egyptian deity
  - 40 Possessive
  - 41 Jack Tar's drink
  - 42 Totals
  - 43 Noun suffix
  - 45 Hare
  - 47 Acrobat's garment
  - 50 Church part
  - 51 Indigenous
  - 52 Rose oil
  - 53 Endured
  - 54 Russian ruler
- DOWN**
- 1 Sillier
  - 2 Prepares to publish
  - 3 Network
  - 4 Bone
  - 5 Alley
  - 6 Tourist attraction

Answer to Previous Puzzle

O	L	D	O	N	E	S	D	A	M	E	
O	A	R	C	A	L	L	Y	V	E	S	
N	B	A	C	O	L	O	M	N	I	S	T
A	S	Y	L	O	M	O	A				
	O	L	I	O	O	M	E	G	A		
E	R	E	C	T	T	H	R	O	N	E	S
O	H	N	O	O	T	I	S	A	N	Y	
L	O	A	I	R	E	D	C	R	E	E	
I	N	C	I	S	O	R	T	E	E	S	T
C	E	T	T	E	S	A	A	R			
	S	R	O	D	R	O	V	E	R		
S	C	R	E	E	C	H	E	S	O	L	E
O	P	A	L	H	E	L	A	I	S	E	
W	A	F	F	O	R	E	L	D	E	L	

- 38 Oriental
- 44 State (Fr.)
- 46 Containers
- 47 Mae West role
- 48 Last queen of Spain
- 49 Scarlet
- 52 In
- 39 Fast aircraft (abbr.)
- 41 Rub scratchily
- 42 Walls
- 30 16. Roman
- 31 Still
- 32 Body injuries
- 36 Related
- 37 Treasurer
- 29 Babylonian deity
- 22 Celtic sea deity
- 23 River island
- 25 Chinese river
- 26 506. Roman
- 27 Jump
- 28 Scandinavian goddess

## Concert scheduled Dec. 8

All interested individuals are invited to attend a gospel rock concert free of charge beginning at 7:30 p.m. Saturday Dec. 8 at the Hereford High School auditorium.

The two bands that will be playing are "Lazarus" and "Power and Light," both of Amarillo.

Monty Smith of Hereford, one of the concert coordinators, explained that the groups will be performing original music, some of which they have recorded. "This particular kind of music offers an alterantie to secular rock music."

## BARBS Phil Pastoret

How come economic downturns bottom out, but not until the seat of your pants is worn through?

People who plan expanded budgets are just little folk who never gave up playing with balloons.



The prime rate is what banks charge for enough money to buy a steak of the same designation.

One egg scrambled in butter with milk added contains 95 calories, while a chocolate milkshake weighs in with 355 calories.

Campers can enjoy the great natural wonders of the U.S. Virgin Islands by staying at Cinnamon Bay, part of the Virgin Islands National Park on St. John. The park features colorful shorelines, an underwater snorkeling nature trail and unusual wildlife and foliage. There are several alternatives for campers. Forty tents are already in place. There are also two group tent sites, with eight tents each, forty cottage units and ten bare tent sites. All are located within a five minute walk to the beach. Each ten by fourteen foot tent has a floor and a nylon screened door. It comes equipped with camp cots, pads, linen, picnic table, grill, propane stove, gas lantern, ice chest, water container and cooking/eating utensils.

Perhaps camping is not your idea of a vacation. Whether it is or not our travel consultants at HEREFORD TRAVEL CENTER look forward to working with you to make your next vacation one you will never forget. We take all the hassles out of travel and leave all the fun to you. Have you ever considered giving a gift of travel at Christmas that you can share with your special someone? Just imagine their delight as they open an envelope with airline tickets for two to a romantic get-away spot. No trip is ever too small or too big for us to handle. We are located at 144 W. 2nd, 364-8813. Do you enjoy reading this column? Please let us know. Open: Mon.-Fri. 9:30-5:30, Sat. 9-12.

Visitors to Cinnamon Bay Campground generally arrive in the islands via Herry S. Truman Airport on St. Thomas.



## Flower Sale

From left, Sue Ramirez of McLain Garden Center, Roberta Caviness, Spencer Caviness, son of Mr. and Mrs. Brent Caviness, Billie Ham and Loraine Anthony, Pilot Club members, prepare, the poinsettias which are being sold by the Pilot Club of Hereford. The flowers are \$10

each and may be picked up at the Christmas tea at the E.B. Black House Dec. 9 from 3 to 4 p.m. All of the proceeds from the sale of the poinsettias, ordered through McLain's, will go toward future activities of the Pilot Club.

To correct an error — amounting to three extra days over a 400-year period — in the length of the present 365-day year (366 for leap year), three of every four centesimal years (those ending in 00) were made common years, not leap years. The year 2000, for instance, will be a leap year, while 1600, 1700 and 1800 were common years.

*The*  
**EL DORADO**  
HANDMADE BOOT

We are the only distributor in the entire Northern Panhandle area offering the Eldorado Boot. It is the ultimate in western footwear, entirely handmade with Full Leather Sole and Fully Lined Leather Stack!

Regularly \$220.00  
Now Thru December 21st  
Hours: Mon. - Fri. 8 a.m. to 6 p.m. **\$149.00**

"The Friendliest Shop In Town."  
**THE COBBLER**  
337 N. Miles  
Unsurpassed In Professional Boot & Shoe Repair

## Holiday Specials!

23701 **Extra-Capacity Washer**  
2 Speed, 5 Cycle  
**\$349<sup>95</sup>**

65701 **Dryer**  
Wrinkle Guard  
**\$259<sup>99</sup>**

**Electric Range**  
**\$339<sup>99</sup>**

**Microwave Oven**  
3 Stage Memory  
**\$289<sup>99</sup>**

**SEARS**  
421 N. Main 364-3854

## FINAL CLEARANCE sale

selected items

- Dresses Lingerie
- Jr. Tops & Blouses
- Missy Tops, Blouses and Pants
- Large Tops, Blouses & Pants

Fran Ambold Owner  
**MODE O'DAY**  
Sugarland Mall

Bill Blass Someone for Christmas & Put Ralph Lauren In Their Stocking!

The Gift That Says You've Got Impeccable Taste!

Sugarland Mall **ETCetera!** Sugarland Mall

## Christmas '84: Stressless shopping

PASADENA, Calif. (AP) — The holiday season is known as a time of good will, happy family reunions and joy to the world, but it also can kindle angry outbursts, sweaty palms, queasy stomach and tension headaches.

Described as "shopping anxiety" the symptoms stem from the chaos of last-minute Christmas gift shopping, according to a California psychiatrist.

"Even though many of us today lead very busy lives, we often feel compelled to find the perfect present for everyone on our list," says Dr. John Balog, director of the Lifestyle Dynamics counseling center in Pasadena.

Fortunately, he adds, a little advance planning can alleviate most of the anxiety, like scheduling shopping trips for early in the morning or during the dinner hour, when department stores are likely to be less crowded.

"Plan in advance which departments you'll need to visit," Balog advises. "And don't deviate from your intended route."

"Take an hour or so well before making any Christmas purchases to list all the friends and family members for whom you'd like to buy gifts. Think carefully about their lifestyles, work habits and leisure activities."

"Next, jot down appropriate gifts (always include several back-up possibilities) and the amount you'd like to spend. If your memory isn't great, it helps to keep a running list of the gifts you gave during the past years."

Another good practice is to shop throughout the year, says Balog, who suggests carrying a copy of your list with you whenever you travel.

"There's no rule that says you must shop for Christmas gifts when

everyone else does," he says, adding that by shopping during vacation trips, especially abroad, "chances are you'll be saving money, not to mention loads of time, and be feeling a lot more relaxed."

Mail-order shopping offers another easy, relaxed method of buying gifts. Last year, Americans bought more than \$44 billion in merchandise that way.

"Shopping by mail-order catalog is probably the most stress-free method of getting your holiday gifts assembled," says Douglas D. Anderson, president of the Brookstone Co., a major mail-order firm.

"Some companies add special services to make shopping even easier,

like gift-wrapping and guaranteed Christmas delivery. And, as long as you allow time, you can make necessary exchanges or returns by mail."

Other alternatives to the hustle and bustle of stressful department store shopping are available.

Museum and zoo gift shops offer a relaxed environment for scouting out reproductions of native jewelry, sculptures, books, puzzles, slides and stationery.

But if circumstances force a delay in Christmas shopping until the 11th hour, there are steps that can be taken to make the situation more bearable.

Some department stores offer per-

sonal shopping services, which can do everything from selecting gifts to seeing that they are wrapped and sent to the people on your list.

### Q&A

1. Where is the volcano Awu located?  
(a) California (b) Indonesia (c) Japan
2. Where was actor Jackie Gleason born?  
(a) Miami (b) Brooklyn (c) Hollywood
3. Who was the NBA rookie of the year in 1967?  
(a) Rick Barry (b) Earl Monroe (c) Dave Bing

### ANSWERS

1. b 2. c



Vickie Parker, Wesley Wilson

## Couple to wed

Mr. and Mrs. Bobby Hill announce the engagement of their daughter, Vickie Ann Parker of Odessa to Wesley William Wilson, son of Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Wilson of Hereford.

The couple plan a Jan. 11 wedding in Odessa.

The bride-elect graduated from Crane High School and attended

Odessa Junior College. She is presently employed by Melton-Reynolds and Associates in Odessa.

The prospective bridegroom graduated from Hereford High School in 1976 and attended West Texas State University. He is currently employed by J and J Electric in Odessa.

The royal house of Swaziland traces back 400 years, and is one of Africa's last ruling dynasties. The Swazis, a Bantu people, were driven to Swaziland from lands to the north by the Zulus in 1820. Their autonomy

was later guaranteed by Britain and Transvaal. Independence came in 1968, but in 1973 the king repealed the constitution and assumed full powers.

**CHRISTMAS SALE!**

**Give Dad A Cap!**  
\$5.00 ea.

**20% Discount on Shell Jewelry**

**Ladies Handbags 1/2 Price**

**Handmade Cabbage Patch Dolls on Sale \$30.00**

**10% Discount on all Sweatshirts**

**One Rack of T-Shirts 1/2 Price**

**Over Five Hundred Transfers To Choose From**

**T-Shirt Corner**  
901 East 1st  
364-1773

**Hours**  
Tues.-Fri. 10:00-5:30  
Sat. 10:00-5:00

## Christmas Clearance



30% Off

All Sales Final

Christmas Gift Certificates Available

Susan's

220 N. Main

364-4122

Figure Perfection Salons International

## Pre-Christmas Special

### 2 For 1 Down Payment

Bring a friend to Pat Walker's and receive a 2-person down payment for the price of one. Enjoy this personalized program for as little as \$15.00 a week per person. Our trained professionals will show you a sensible approach to healthful eating habits and our Symmetricon Unit will tone and firm your body tissue as it gently provides the exercise you need to lose weight and inches in just the right places.

Offer expires Sat., Dec. 15, 1984

FIGURE PERFECTION SALONS INTERNATIONAL

407 N. Main 364-8713

Rick Hutson  
517 E. Park  
Upside Down Ad  
364-2205

**Home Owned-Home Operated**

Terrie Hutson

---

We Have Over 200 Books of Wallpaper To Choose From.

LD Brinkman Carpet	Wilson Art	Ceramic Tile
Bruce Hardwood Floor	Dura Beauty	Iron Rock
Plastic Laminate	Huntington Pacific	

---

**Mini 50% off**    **Verticals 25% off**

**Blinds**

**Number 1 In Your Consumer Guide.**  
(Pre Mixed Colors Only)

Cellutone Oil Base Interior	\$25.12	\$18.50
Interior or Exterior (Oil Base)	\$28.20	\$19.99
Effecto Marine Grade	\$12.99	\$7.99
Pro Hide Latex (Flat) 5 Gallons	\$13.92	\$10.99
Pro Hide Plus Latex (Flat)	\$17.98	\$11.99
Vapex Latex (Flat)	\$17.94	\$10.99
Pro Hide Plus (Flat)	\$26.38	\$20.99
Permalize (Oil Base)		

**Interior**

**Exterior**

**Paint**

**1 Gallon**

**Pratt & Lambert**

**Paint Sale!**

Here Are Just A Few  
Of Our Special In Store Savings!

# Ann Landers

## Appeal to Supreme Court



**DEAR ANN LANDERS:** If a man had committed a rape or embezzled a million dollars he would have been better off in some states than the individual about whom this story was reported. Please read the enclosed newspaper article -- dateline, Helena, Montana--and express your opinion.

The state law says that the theft of items valued at more than \$150 is a felony. The boots were valued at \$178. But Brian Barker stole only one boot--the right one. His left leg is missing.

A jury convicted Barker of a felony. His attorney claimed in appealing to the Montana supreme court that he should be charged with a misdemeanor because half of \$178 (remember, he took only one boot) would bring the cost of the stolen merchandise below the felony level.

The supreme court walked all over that argument Thursday, upholding the conviction and a 10-year sentence. But wait, here's the

kicker: Justice Frank Morrison Jr., writing for the majority, said, "Barker hasn't got a leg to stand on."--Horrified In Bozeman

**DEAR BOZ:** While Justice Morrison's choice of words was unfortunate, to say the least, I can understand why the owner of the store would consider the remaining boot of no value. Therefore, Brian Barker's theft put the shopkeeper \$178 in the red.

The 10-year sentence, however, seems unduly harsh. The only avenue left to Barker's attorney is to appeal the case to the United States Supreme Court. I would say the chances that the Supreme Court would hear the case are mighty slim.

**DEAR ANN LANDERS:** This is to "Torn and Agonized," the man whose children are upset with him because he wants to remarry.

I disagreed with your advice to "go for it." I know what I am talking

about because my parents are in the middle of a divorce and it is tearing up the whole family.

When the divorce is final, my father will move his new wife and her two children into a nice new home. The day he does that we will stop talking to him.

It's bad enough to see your father around town with a woman who is not your mother, but the pain of seeing him with children who are replacing you and your sisters and brothers is impossible to describe.

Dad tells us he loves us, but how can we believe him? A man who loves his children doesn't leave them.

Of course we want him to be happy, but how can he be happy if we write him out of our lives -- and we certainly intend to do just that.

Why don't men who take second families realize what they are doing to their children's lives? Or don't they care?--Suffering Thru The Mess In New York

**DEAR SUFFERING IN NEW YORK:** The breaking up of a family is never easy, and when children are involved, it is doubly painful.

Please don't stop speaking to your dad. Do your best to maintain a relationship completely separate from that with your mother. Perhaps you can see him when his stepchildren are with THEIR father. That would be the ideal arrangement, for a while at least. Later you might get to know and like them. Peace is better than war and friends are better than enemies.

Do you feel awkward, self-conscious -- lonely? Welcome to the club. There's help for you in Ann Landers' booklet, "The Key to Popularity." Send 50 cents with your request and a long stamped, self-addressed envelope to Ann Landers, P.O. Box 11995, Chicago, Illinois 60611.

The United States declared war on Germany and Italy Dec. 11, 1941.

## Couple announce intent to wed

Mrs. Janice Noblett of Hereford and Robert Welch of Raton, N.M., announce the engagement and approaching marriage of their daughter, Pamela Janine Welch of Las Cruces, N.M. to Gary Daniel Liggan of Las Cruces, son of Mrs. Ida Leyba of Santa Fe, N.M. and Daniel Liggan of Houston.

The couple plan to marry Dec. 23 in the E. B. Black House in Hereford.

The bride-elect graduated from Santa Fe High School in 1979 and has attended New Mexico State University where she majored in photography and advertising. She was recently employed by Professional Reprographics of Las Cruces as an art design and layout director.

The prospective bridegroom graduated from Santa Fe High School in 1978 and served in the United States Navy for five years as a photographer specialist. He recently attended New Mexico State University as a photography major and was employed there as a campus photographer.



Some have believed sleeping with an owl feather is soothing.



Use cold water in your waste disposal to rinse away food. It saves energy and also solidifies grease, to make it easier to grind and flush away.

# CHRISTMAS is coming for YOU at the NEW Gaston's



<b>Arrow Shirts</b> Men's Department	<b>Brass Galore</b> Gift Department	<b>ST. John Knit Suits</b> Ladies' Department	<b>S.A.S. Shoes and Sandles</b> Ladies' Shoes	<b>Sweaters Pull-Over Cardigan Beaded</b> Ladies' Department	<b>Handbags Dress and Casual</b> Ladies' Shoes
<b>Ultra Suede Sport Coats</b> Men's Department	<b>Glassware by Culver</b> Gift Department	<b>Ultra Suede Suits</b> Ladies' Department	<b>Harbor Town Cuff Boots</b> Ladies' Shoes	<b>Furs Coats and Jackets</b> Ladies' Department	<b>Dolls Hand-Made Musical Clowns</b> Gift Department
<b>London Fog Coats</b> Men's and Women's Departments	<b>Teddy Bears To Cuddle With</b> Gift Department	<b>Sweaters by Lord Jeff &amp; Jantzen</b> Men's Department	<b>Jewelry Costume and Real</b> Accessories Department	<b>Jantzen Sportswear</b> Mens & Women's Departments	<b>Crystal Night Lights</b> Gift Department
<b>Gold Toe Socks</b> Men's Department	<b>Knack Suits</b> Men's Department	<b>Velour Jogging Suits</b> Ladies' Department	<b>Isotoner Gloves</b> Accessories Department	<b>Calvin Klein Underwear</b> Lingerie Department	<b>Vanityfair Robes and Gowns</b> Lingerie Department
<b>Jockey Underwear</b> Men's Department	<b>Cologne For Men</b> Men's Department	 Sugarland Mall		<b>Merona Sportswear</b> Men's and Women's Departments	<b>Hanes Hose</b> Ladies' Shoes

# Christmas drastically different in California

LOS ANGELES (AP) — Carolers in snowy climes may be trilling 'It's Beginning to Look a Lot Like Christmas,' but in Southern California, where temperatures are usually balmy this time of year, the holiday spirit sings a slightly different tune.

No bundled shoppers braving the winds of winter here. Beverly Hills' fabled Rodeo Drive bustles with buyers, but they don't need coats and hats. And that ever popular East Coast gift, the woolen muffler, is a

purchase only for those mailing gifts out of state. Lightweight cashmere sweaters are more popular in these parts.

In downtown Los Angeles, the jingle of cash registers and Christmas bells is often drowned out by automobile horns honking as shoppers vie for parking spaces. Like everything else in Southern California, Christmas comes in a car, and Santa Claus probably uses a freeway to make deliveries.

As in other parts of the country, gift giving seems more lavish each year. But there's one thing Southern Californians can't buy — an authentic white Christmas.

"It just doesn't seem like Christmas without snow," is the refrain heard throughout the holiday season from transplanted Easterners who have never adapted.

They snicker at the sight of palm trees strung with colored lights. Some sink into a funk which lasts un-

til the last candy cane is gone. Others pack their bags and head for ski resorts or fly back to the frozen places they once called home.

But true Southern Californians — the ones who were born here — have an easier time.

"I can't imagine a Christmas with snow," says one Beverly Hills resident. "Christmas to me means sunshine — that's how it's always been."

Such sunworshippers often spend Christmas in Palm Springs, basking in the higher temperatures of that desert resort.

"They've brainwashed us into thinking Christmas comes with snow," complains one Los Angeles native. "I really don't miss the snow until everyone starts talking about it."

But wait. There is snow! Look up beyond the palm trees in the sunny sky over the Beverly Wilshire Hotel and you'll see it fluttering down. It may even take several minutes before you realize the truth. It's plastic.

After all, this is the land of Hollywood special effects. "The big attraction of our Christmas luncheon is the artificial snow," says Vivian Rugoff, who organizes the annual event at the

Beverly Wilshire.

"People see the flakes coming down on their hair and clothes and they just go bananas," she says. "It's plastic, but it looks very real."

The feat is accomplished by hotel employees who are stationed on the

roof above the hotel's main driveway and sprinkle the flakes on arriving guests.

"We have Santa Claus and carolers too," says Ms. Rugoff. "But it's the snow that gets to them. People really love it."

## What really is Christmas?

NEW YORK (AP) — What is Christmas?

It is the time when people's hearts ring like bells. And legend says that oxen kneel in their stalls at midnight in memory.

Christmas is the anniversary of one kind of faith and selflessness. It is the natal date of a lonely Jewish carpenter who in 33 short years of breath stamped an undying conscience on this world and promised all men life everlasting through belief.

He died a radical upon a cross for what He taught, bleeding slowly to death from the agony of nail and spear wounds. Few listened to His message in His day. He died a minor gadfly to a Roman world.

One of many martyrs to many faiths, time has raised Jesus Christ to a gigantic stature, so that today more than 600 million people, one-fourth of all mankind, celebrate His memory.

What is Christmas?

It is His spirit and His philosophy — that "it is more blessed to give than to receive."

Today the celebration of His birth, as is His death, is crossed with old pagan ceremonials. But His spirit and His example inflame the day.

Sometimes religious leaders get cross with Santa Claus and say he takes the honors that belong to Jesus. But no one who has read the life of Christ could ever think of Him as being jealous. Santa is just Him with a beard on.

What is Christmas?

It is the time of letting go of hide-bound prejudices and having the courage to be sentimental and good. It is the time when men take down a cold unfeeling star from the sky and make it a warm and stirring beacon on a tree.

Mainly, the grownups say, "Christmas is for the kids." But they themselves enjoy it most, although often they are oddly ashamed to acknowledge it. In December their crust of foolish sophistication — the crust they grow to protect themselves from disappointment — wears thin. They light a silent candle to an old belief, that most men really do wish each other well but don't know quite what to do about it.

What is Christmas? Is it a season when they can cast away their

mutual doubts and really do something for one another.

The Jews, who regard Jesus as only a prophet, have their own festival this time of year. It is called Hanukkah, the Festival of Lights. It lasts eight days. On each day they light another candle, give another gift.

The other day a Jewish friend of mine, whose children go to a public school and love the festival of

Christmas, told me the plight of his young daughter.

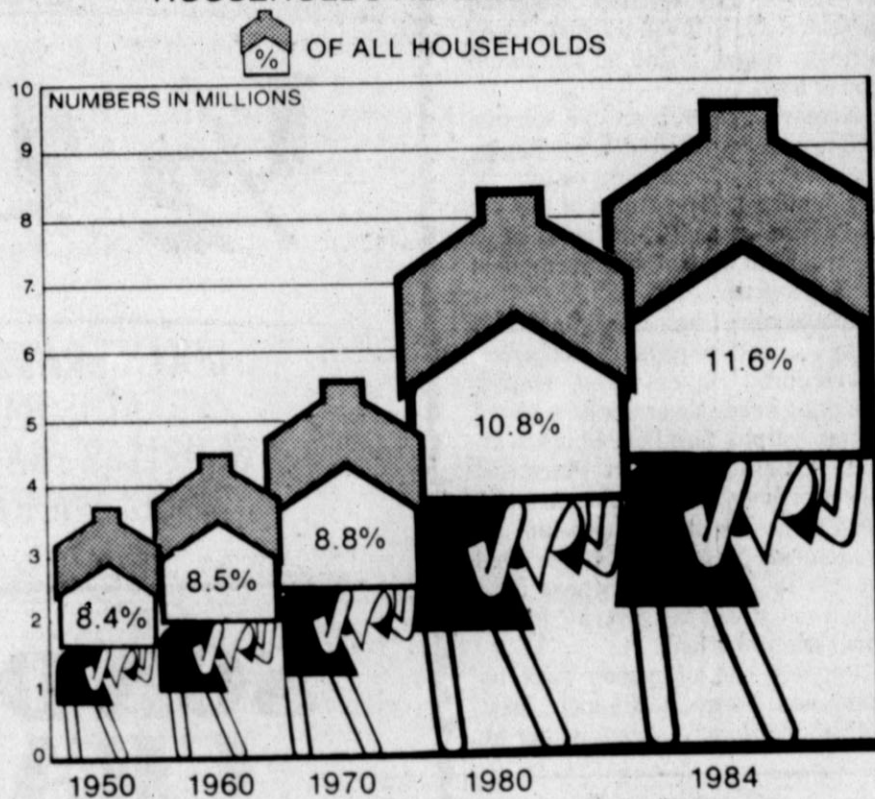
She came to her father and said: "Daddy, I was chosen to be an angel in our Christmas play, but do I have the right to play it?"

And her father, knowing her problem, said:

"Honey, be their angel." I think that is Christmas — and America.

## HEAD OF THE HOUSE

HOUSEHOLDS HEADED BY WOMEN



(Source: U.S. Census Bureau)

NEA GRAPHIC

In the past three decades, households headed by women have grown sharply. This reflects not only the increase in the number of single or divorced women, but also the fact that single women are no longer commonly expected to live with their parents.



The U.S. and France are the world's largest producers of apples.

*Shopping*  
**j. Winston**

**COATS** Quality design, fabric and workmanship

Solid wools, camel's hair and tweeds... the longer fashionable length. Elegant. From 235

**SUITS** Flattering updated classics — can be accessorized for business or social dates. Jacket and shirt can be worn separately. An investment in your business future. From 200

**DRESSES** Simplicity is the key... one and two pieces that enhance your natural charm and beauty. Business, social or holiday. From 100

**SKIRTS** Classic and timeless straight, dirndl, pleated designs that will be flexible as a basic foundation. Works well with jackets, blouses and sweaters. From 125

**BLAZERS** Single and double breasted. Impeccably tailored; classic wool tweeds, solids and gabardine. Made for you and goes with everything. From 125

**SILK BLOUSES** Simple, elegant, sophisticated and feminine without being frilly. Perfectly suited for business and social occasions. From 65

**SHIRTS** Comfortable, durable and finest quality. All cotton and blends go beautifully with suits, pants and skirts. From 32

**TROUSERS** Fabulous fit and superb style — wool flannels, tweeds, and gabardine. Can be worn with blazers, blouses and sweaters. From 62

**BELTS** Soft and subtle leathers, a fantastic array of colors... unusually crafted buckles of elegant designs including Alexis Kirk. An excellent way to update your wardrobe... a perfect gift. From 15

**SCARVES** The softness of silk will feel as good as it looks. Classic designs in subtle color. From 7

**FUR TRUNK SHOWING**  
NOVEMBER 27, 28, & 29

**HANDBAGS** Earthy leathers, etc., and if you haven't seen the new multi-colored, textured Elephant Walk bags, this alone will be worth your visit. j. Winston bags will complement your business and social needs. From 40

**SWEATERS** Vests, cardigan pullovers in wools and cotton, and of course cashmere. Great colors. Also, hand knitted selections with delicate embroidery and crochet. From 25

**GIFT ITEMS** The latest in note cards, pens, sachet, potpourri and unusual frames for 'that favorite photo'. Antique reproduction hat boxes, excellent for storage or adding that finished touch to room decor. From 6

**SPORTSWEAR** Khaki pant, pull on pant in cord and cotton. Striped and solid knit shirts... long and short sleeve. Great rich colors... cozy comfort for a 'more' than casual look. From 25

**j. Winston**

WOMEN'S FASHION  
MORE THAN TRADITIONAL  
2701 Paramount  
358-2457



JESUS IS THE LIGHT THAT SHINES  
E-0502



### INSPIRATION & FAITH

Precious Moments figurines make sharing one's feelings of faith a joyous gift-giving experience. The sculptures serve as messengers of God's Word and of your special sentiments. Each has an inspirational saying and you're sure to find one that's appropriate. Experience the warmth of Precious Moments collectibles. We invite you to visit us and see these heartwarming subjects.



236 N. Main

364-6223

© 1975 through 1984 Jonathan S. David, Inc.  
All Rights Reserved Worldwide.  
Licenses: Enesco Imports Corp.



# A Christmas carol retold



## Bows For The Tree

Jessica Hill, left, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. David Hill, and Brienne Malamen, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Larry Malamen, started to decorate the Christmas tree at the courthouse Monday afternoon in preparation for the Lighting Ceremony Monday, Dec. 3 at 6:30 p.m. The Chamber Singers will perform and Mr. and Mrs. Santa Claus will make their appearance, handing out candy canes to all of the children.

On Christmas morning, 1843, in a rundown factory district of London, a window suddenly flew up in the second-floor flat of a drab brick building otherwise occupied only by a few scraggy offices and a wine merchant's cellar.

"What's today?" cried the lone tenant to a small boy in the street below.

"Today? Why, Christmas Day." "Christmas Day," exulted the wan-cheeked, needle-nosed old man at the window. "I haven't missed it after all."

Ebenezer Scrooge, fiction's most famous regenerate villain, had come to terms with Christmas and had not missed it after all.

At almost the same hour on that very same morning in a more respectable section of London known as Regent's Park, an upstairs window flew open in the neat red-brick dwelling that stood at No. 1 Devonshire Terrace. A fair, smiling young man, his eyes agleam with "a moist and oystery twinkle," leaned out to greet the postman.

His name was Charles Dickens and he had not missed Christmas either.

The morning mail brought the jubilant news that "A Christmas Carol," the ever-delightful chronicle of Scrooge's ghostly conversion, had sold out all 6,000 copies on its first day of publication and a second and third edition already were on the presses.

The bearer of these glad tidings was rewarded with "a glass of whisky and a cheery blessing." The recipient rewarded himself by celebrating the remainder of the Christmas season in a bubbling, boisterous fashion that would have once again set to "winking" the amazingly agile toes of old Mr. Fez-

ziwig. Like Scrooge reborn, Dickens felt "light as a feather, happy to be an angel, merry as a schoolboy, giddy as a drunken man." At 31, with little formal schooling, but with "Pickwick Papers," "Oliver Twist," "Nicholas Nickelby," "Old Curiosity Shop" and "Barnaby Rudge" already behind him, he was at the height of his creative powers.

And although he didn't realize it then, this versatile writer, who

yearned all his life to be a great actor, had just penned a masterpiece in miniature.

"The Carol," as Dickens always referred to it, was written in less than a month, to satisfy his creditors. He was deeply in debt.

To get back on his feet, Dickens published "The Carol" as a private venture on a commission basis, risking all the losses in hopes of pocketing most of the profits.

The idea for a ghost story about

Christmas first occurred to him in a railway carriage en route to Manchester for a speech in mid-October. The plot fascinated him, but the writing did not come easily.

The numerous strikeouts, crossovers and margin jottings in the original manuscript, which is put on display every Christmas season in New York's Pierpont Morgan Library, indicate that he worked harder on this slender volume than any other previous work.

## Making unusual wreath

Instead of the usual wreath of pine needles, pine cones and holly berries, why not welcome the Christmas season with something a bit different?

Here are directions for a simple-to-make, inexpensive dyed straw wreath. All of the supplies can be purchased from any supermarket or flower shop:

Use a sink or container large enough to hold the wreath and fill it with enough boiling water to submerge it. After soaking the wreath for several minutes in clear, boiled water, remove it and add an entire bottle of a dye, such as Rit Dye. Stir to mix well, then place wreath in dye solution, weighing down wreath so it will not float, using a heavy object inside an aluminum pan or bowl.

Remove wreath from dye solution and transfer it to bathtub. Let dry by standing up against side of tub. Or dry outdoors. Trim stalks of flowers and wheat to about 12 inches and dye them scarlet, using the same method as with wreath.

To assemble: arrange branches of Baby's Breath on right and left sides, overlapping layers and ending blooming areas several inches above center bottom. Use florist pins to attach elements to wreath. Place five pieces of wheat on each side on top of Baby's Breath in an open-fan arrangement, pin in place. Place dyed flowers in layers over wheat until blooming area is several inches above center bottom.

Roll one end of ribbon back on itself and form a 3½-inch loop. Gather over-lapped area together by

wrapping tightly with wire. Next, form six loops beneath first one (or three bows forming one half of bow at a time); gather and secure each loop beneath first loop by wrapping tightly with wire. Run florist pin

through wire on back and attach bow to center bottom of wreath.

Twist a small piece of wire together to form a hanging ring and attach to top back of wreath with florist pin.

Fairy tales for grownups: Once upon a time someone returned a book sent on approval before the grace period for not paying ran out.

## COMPLETE Stock Liquidation Sale!

# 1/2 Off!

DOLLS-BRASS-CANDLES  
-WREATHS-BASKETS-ART  
SUPPLIES-FRAMES-BOOKS-  
NEEDLEWORK KITS-etc.

## SONDRA'S CRAFT CORRAL

Sugarland Mall

## Christmas Open House

Sun., Dec. 2  
1:00 - 5:00 p.m.

Thru  
Mon., Dec. 3  
1:00 - 6:00 p.m.



tweedle dee  
"INFANTS TO JRS."

1601 4th Avenue  
Canyon, Texas



801 N. Main 364-8461

Come and see our Xmas delights!

ENTIRE STOCK  
**25% OFF** All Sales Final  
Infant, Boys, Girls, Teens & Jrs.

P.S. Santa Claus will be here Sunday.

## Christmas Ideas

### For Your Bathroom or Bedroom:

- |                |                    |                 |
|----------------|--------------------|-----------------|
| Shell Pictures | Bathroom Scales    | Throw Pillows   |
| Cotton Jars    | Night Lights       | Bath Sponges    |
| Trinket Boxes  | Pictures           | Shower Curtains |
| Bath Lounges   | Double Terry Robes | & Rings         |

### Small Ideas For Stocking Stuffers:

- |                        |                      |
|------------------------|----------------------|
| Candles                | Bath Beads           |
| Scented Drawer Sachets | Shell & Flower Soaps |

### For Your Bed:

- |               |                          |
|---------------|--------------------------|
| Mattress Pads | Sheets & Blankets        |
| Pillows       | Bedspreads or Comforters |

### Bridal Selections For:

- |                  |                |                |
|------------------|----------------|----------------|
| Robin Baldwin    | Lisa Dirks     | Susett Edwards |
| Joseph Diller    | Kurt Claussen  | Don Hall       |
| Christie Artho   | Debbie Boazman | Mollie Parker  |
| Barry Jossierand | Andrew Wingert | Paul Smith     |

Linen Trends

409 N. Main  
364-3946



## Yuletide Specials

1 Group  
**Boots**  
\$39<sup>95</sup>

Reg. up to \$98<sup>00</sup>

Large Selection  
**Childrens Boots**  
1/2 Price

Mens Holiday  
**Sport Coats**  
20% Off

All Leather  
**Coats & Vests**  
1/2 Price

Wolverine  
**Work/Sport Boots**  
20% Off

All Thermal  
**Tops & Bottoms**  
20% Off

**Moon Boots**  
20% Off

**Resistol Hats**  
20% Off

We also carry Bailey Hats

Lots & Lots of Gift Ideas! Gift Certificates Available!



Downtown Hereford



# Holiday Gift Sale



## Health Lawrence E. Lamb, M.D. Acne medicine

**DEAR DR. LAMB** — My dermatologist has recommended Accutane for four months and probably never have to take anything again, which sounds terrific. I'm 26 and the doctor says that without Accutane I'll probably have cystic acne until I'm in my 40s. I've had this problem since I was 13 and I'm fed up with the embarrassment, cost, pain and scarring.

The doctor says I could take Accutane for four months and probably never have to take anything again, which sounds terrific. I'm 26 and the doctor says that without Accutane I'll probably have cystic acne until I'm in my 40s. I've had this problem since I was 13 and I'm fed up with the embarrassment, cost, pain and scarring.

**DEAR DR. LAMB** — Accutane is a very useful medicine in the treatment of cystic acne or those cases that cannot be managed by more conventional means. Certainly, not everyone needs Accutane, but some — and you sound like one — can benefit from it.

Yes, Accutane does have side effects. The most common problem is excessive dryness, which can affect the eyes, mouth, nose and moist membranes.

Accutane may cause birth defects. That is why it is not recommended for women who may become pregnant or who are pregnant. Women should avoid pregnancy until at least a month after Accutane has been discontinued. There are no reported problems of birth defects caused by males using Accutane. Since you are male, I think you can forget about that.

I have discussed the conventional treatment and the use of Accutane in treating acne in a new issue of The Health Letter, Special Report 29, Controlling Acne, which I am sending you. Others who want this issue can send 75 cents with a long, stamped, self-addressed envelope for it to me in care of this newspaper, P.O. Box 1551, Radio City Station, New York, NY 10019.

Accutane may also increase triglycerides and affect blood fats. You may need to stay on a low-fat diet. These and other effects are temporary and will disappear after treatment is stopped.

**DEAR DR. LAMB** — How much vitamin A can a 16-year-old girl tolerate? She takes One-A-Day vitamins and supplementary C. She has acne, so I want to give her more vitamin A. Her acne is not serious enough to be treated by a dermatologist.

**DEAR DR. LAMB** — You are making at least two mistakes. Additional vitamin A will not help her acne. That is an old idea that went out of acceptance 20 years ago. The new vitamin A derivatives for skin peeling, or those

found in Accutane, are not the same thing at all. Therefore, you needn't push vitamin A, but you should give your daughter the advantage of some medical help to control her acne.

The second mistake is that too much vitamin A can be toxic. Just 10,000 units (3,000 retinol equivalents) taken on a regular daily basis can induce vitamin A toxicity in infants and children. In adults, 50,000 units (15,000 retinol equivalents) on a daily basis can result in toxicity.

If your daughter is on a balanced diet, she is getting vitamin A from her food. Each eight-ounce glass of milk contains 10 percent of her daily requirements. The vitamin supplement provides the total daily recommended allowance.

**DEAR DR. LAMB** — For the last three years I have been bothered with a continual burning in my chest. My doctor suggested an upper barium test, which proved that I had a hiatal hernia. He advised a bland diet, which did no good. Is surgery necessary for this condition?

**DEAR DR. LAMB** — About half of the population over 40 has a hiatal hernia, also called a diaphragmatic hernia. In this condition, a small portion of the stomach tends to slide through an enlarged opening in the diaphragm. You can have such a hernia and not have symptoms. And you can have the symptoms you mention and not have a hiatal hernia.

The constant burning is probably from a leakage of stomach contents into the lower esophagus. This area is not protected with the same thick mucus covering that is inside the stomach and it is easily irritated by the stomach's acid contents. This symptom is often referred to as heartburn.

Antacids and measures to prevent stomach acid do help relieve the symptoms. Occasionally the burning is caused by bile that flows backward into the stomach and then leaks into the lower esophagus. Not all antacids help this problem.

You can do a lot to control such symptoms by modifying your lifestyle. Don't lie down until your stomach has had time to empty; sleep with the head of your bed elevated, and don't wear anything tight around your waist. Avoid anything that increases pressure inside your abdomen. That definitely includes large meals. Alcohol, even one cocktail or a glass of wine with dinner, makes the symptoms worse.

I have discussed the various things you can do to help yourself with this problem in The Health Letter Special Report 18, Hiatal Hernia and Heartburn, which I am sending to you. Others who want this issue can send 75 cents with a long, stamped, self-addressed envelope for it to me in care of this newspaper, P.O. Box 1551, Radio City Station, New York, NY 10019.



**20% to 25% off  
Holiday sweaters  
for boys and girls.  
They're all on sale!**

We've got the looks they'll love for the holidays and the cold months to come. And we've got them all at savings! Lots of classic and contemporary styles for big and little boys and girls. Everything from casual favorites to dressy looks for holiday parties and a visit to Grandma's. Traditional pullovers, many prettied with embroidery and appliques, for girls. Traditional and sporty styles plus layered-looks for boys. In easy-care acrylic and acrylic blends. Wool blends and 100% wool, too. We show just a sampling. Be sure to come in and choose from all in store.



**20% off  
Sheer luxury:  
Our Sheer Caress®  
pantihose  
Sale \$2**

**Reg. 2.50.** Underscore any dress with Sheer Caress® pantihose for top-to-toe beauty. Ultra sheer nylon, with sandalfoot for showy shoes. Cotton panel. In shades to complement your every color mood. Regular sizes in short, average, long. Queen size in short or tall. **Reg. 2.75 Sale 2.20**  
**Control Top Sheer Caress®** in regular sizes. **Reg. \$3 Sale 2.40**  
Queen size Control Top. **Reg. 3.50 Sale 2.80**



## Suddenly It's Christmas!



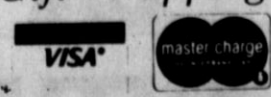
Lovely Selections in Lingerie for her Christmas. Every woman loves the feminine look.

Estee Lauder & Aramis gift sets- also Funky Jackets for the Jrs.



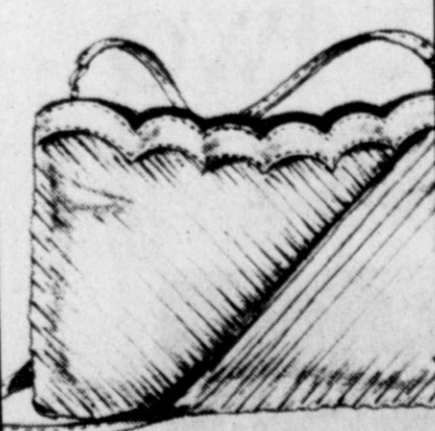
Little's has many other timely Gift Suggestions including a new shipment of LeRoy sweaters-cardigans & slip-ons.

FREE Gift Wrapping



## Save \$11 Lovable lambswool-blend sweaters

**Sale 14.99 each** Orig. \$26. Cuddly, cloudlight, so very soft. Our pet pullovers in a blend of lambswool with angora. Plus a touch of nylon for that special stay-in-shape quality. The tie-neck style looks just terrific with a blazer and the cowl-neck makes it beautifully over whatever you're into! Whichever you choose, you'll reach for it again and again. They go great for anything from dress-up to lolling about on a lazy Saturday. In bold colors, soft pastels, and white. It's likely you'll want more than one. For yourself, and for gifts. Misses' sizes S.M.L.



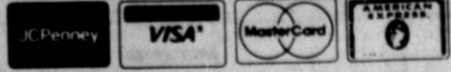
**25% off  
All vinyl handbags.  
Easy-to-handle  
at our sale prices.**

Clutch 'em, shoulder 'em. Grab them while they're on sale...all vinyl handbags in store, at 25% off! Here's just a sampling.

**Sale 5.25**  
**Reg. \$7.** The clutches for 85. With scalloping, snakeskin textures, knot tricks, and more. We show just one. They're all lined, with plenty of compartmented stow-away space, and have a detachable shoulderstrap. Oversized clutch bag, **Reg. \$10 Sale 7.50**



**Sale \$9**  
**Reg. \$12.** The swinging hobo style, hot fashion item. Its soft slouchy shape can't be beat. And its roominess accommodates all of your busy-day essentials.

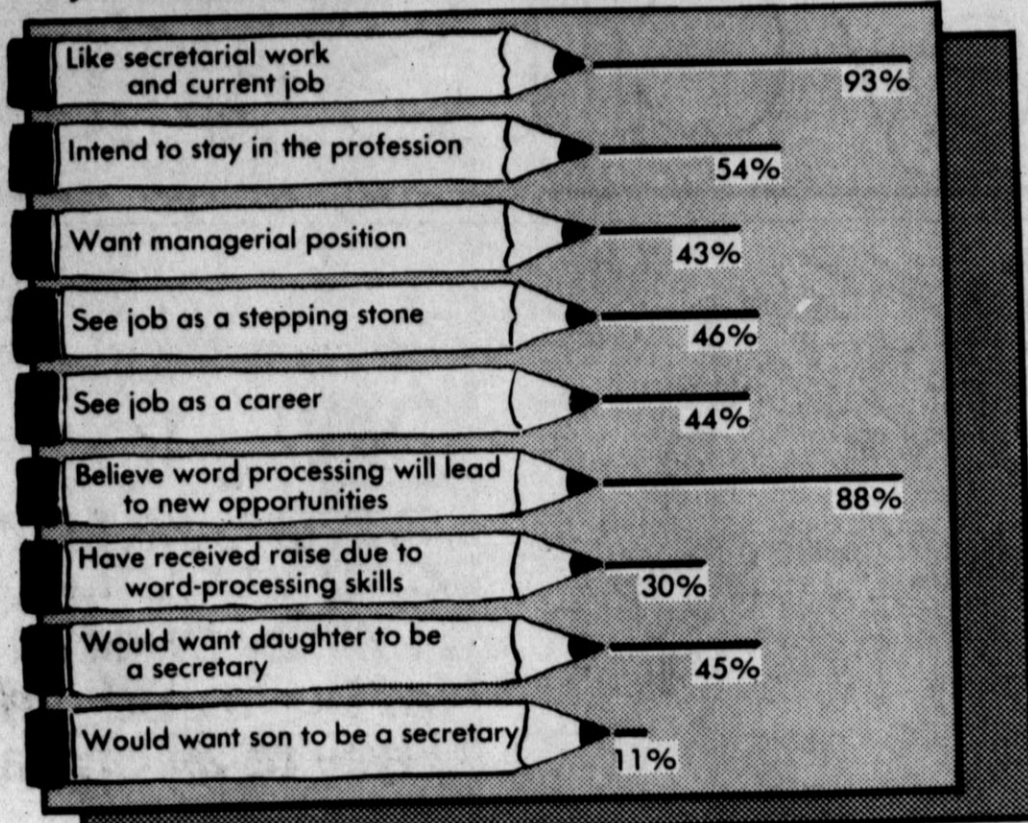


Intermediate markdowns may have been taken on originally priced merchandise shown in this ad. Reductions from originally priced merchandise effective until stock is depleted. Sale prices on regularly priced merchandise effective through Dec. 2.

JCPenney  
SUGARLAND MALL

## HOW SECRETARIES RATE THEIR JOBS

*They like the work — but not always the future*



(Source: Kelly Services, Inc.)

NEA GRAPHIC / Marilyn Post

Most secretaries like their work, according to a recent poll. Yet only about half of them plan to stay in the field and most wouldn't advise their children to enter it.

## Fruitcake part of holiday tradition

CLAXTON, Ga. (AP) — With its green pineapple and red cherries, the fruitcake has become a part of America's Christmas celebration, symbolizing fellowship and high spirits.

"There's a holiday connotation," says Albert Parker, president of Claxton Bakery Inc., which produces six million pounds of the holiday treat each year. "People give gifts and fruitcake is a perfect gift item."

Each September, the company increases its workforce from about 25 to 100 to meet the holiday demand, says Parker's son, Dale, a company vice president.

The elder Parker began baking in 1910 when he was 11 years old, working for an Italian immigrant who had settled in Claxton. Parker bought him out in 1945, and began concentrating on fruitcake production.

"He took the basic recipe and developed it," Dale Parker recalls. "The product became good and people began to ask for it."

Claxton's sales skyrocketed after 1952 when 1,000 Civitan clubs around the country started selling the company's fruitcakes in their fund-raising campaigns.

"The main secret was making a good quality product at a price that would let the clubs make money," Albert Parker says. "Club after club started selling it."

Today, 80 percent of the company's sales are through groups such as the Civitan Club, which helps mentally retarded children, Dale Parker says.

"That's the real backbone of our organization. That's how it became so popular," he adds, noting that direct and mail order sales account for only 20 percent of Claxton's business.

Albert Parker's two other sons, Mid and Paul, and daughter, Betty, also work at the bakery, which is located on a downtown street in this eastern Georgia town of 2,700 that bills itself as the "Fruitcake Capital of the World."

"We have a family operation," Dale Parker explains. "We all can pitch in and do anything in the business."

The company prides itself on the quality of the ingredients that go into its cakes, the "world's best fruit and nuts," according to Albert Parker, 68.

Claxton buys cherries from France, pineapples from Mexico, raisins, walnuts and almonds from California and pecans from the Southern states, he notes.

Claxton Bakery tries to avoid getting so big that it can't give its customers personal attention, Dale Parker says. But that hasn't prevented the company's reputation from spreading far and wide.

"Most of our sales are in North America, but we ship throughout the world," he says. "We've had mail addressed, 'Fruitcake City, Georgia,' and for some reason, it makes it here."

## Hanukkah celebrated

It happened more than 2,000 years ago, but Jews around the world still celebrate the event every year, usually some time in December.

This year, Hanukkah begins on Dec. 19.

It was in the year 165 B.C. that Judah Macabee and his followers defeated three Syrian generals and recaptured and rededicated the temple at Jerusalem.

The Jews had been ruled by Syrian invaders under King Antiochus IV, who commanded them to worship "foreign" gods and burn a sacrifice

to Zeus on a Jewish altar in Jerusalem.

Instead, Mattathias Macabee, a Jewish priest, fled to the mountains with his five sons and led a three-year rebellion that eventually overthrew the Syrians. The Macabees ruled until 37 B.C.

Symbol of the holiday, known as the Feast of Lights or Feast of Dedication, is the menorah, a candelabrum with branches for nine candles, lighted in increasing numbers during the eight days of Hanukkah. The menorah symbolizes

the story, as related in the Apocrypha, that after cleaning the temple of Syrian idols, the Jews found only one small cruse of oil with which to light their holy lamps. But somehow, the cruse provided oil for eight days.

It is also traditional for the children to receive little gifts each day of the holiday and for contributions to be made to the poor.

San Bernardino County in California is the largest county in area in the United States.

## Christmas Gift Ideas!



**Brass Hat Racks**  
\$30<sup>00</sup> & \$40<sup>00</sup>

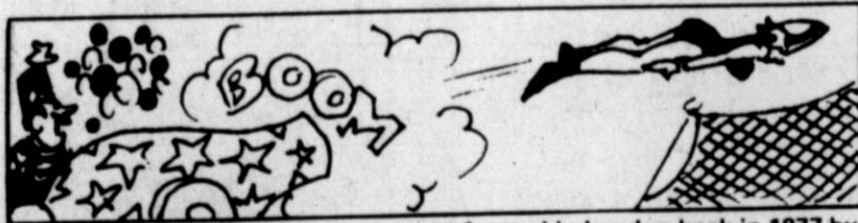
**Mens Work Coats**  
\$24<sup>95</sup>

**Mens Dress Shirts**  
\$5<sup>00</sup>

**Material**  
\$1<sup>00</sup> - \$3<sup>98</sup> yard

# L&B Enterprises

202 N. Main 364-8505



The first human cannonball act was performed in London back in 1877 by Zazel, billed as "the beautiful lady fired from a monstrous cannon." She did her act every day for two years without mishap and earned about \$600 a week.

For Christmas,  
**LOSE UP TO TEN POUNDS IN JUST TWO WEEKS.**



(As seen on network television)

## DIET CENTER®

Call Nan Gauthreaux  
801 N. Main  
364-8461



**HAGGAR**

# SUITS

sale

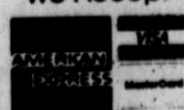
Haggar® 2 Piece Washable Suit

sale **59<sup>97</sup>**

Reg. \$85. Haggar® combines classic suit styling with total machine washability to make this 2 piece suit a winner! The 100% polyester keeps its shape no matter how many times you toss it into the wash. Coat in sizes 36-46; slacks in sizes 32-42. Choose from brown, navy, tan, or grey.



We Accept



# ANTHONY'S

Sugarland Mall 9-8

Downtown 9-7



# Seventy heroin addicts out on street

HOUSTON (AP) — Seventy Houston heroin addicts may go back to their drug addictions because a public clinic has closed its doors, a doctor says.

The head of clinical research for the Texas Research Institute of Men-

tal Sciences, Dr. Jack Gordon, said the clinic, which closed Friday, was treating 324 drug-addiction patients, but at least 70 could not afford to pay for treatment elsewhere.

"There's a possibility that some of them will go back to heroin now and,

with that, to some kind of illegal activity to support it," Gordon said. "That's the tragic part."

The Texas Department of Community Affairs informed the clinic two months ago that its funding would be cancelled, Gordon said.

Since then, the clinic, which has been providing methadone treatment and counseling for heroin victims the past 12 years, has scrambled to place patients in private treatment programs, many of which charge between \$25 and \$50 for the

daily methadone doses.

"I'm afraid these people are now going to be basically on their own," Gordon said. "We were planning to continue our program but there's been a tightening of money all the way around ..."

The clinic, which was the only public facility of its kind in Houston, was required by state and federal regulations to provide both psychotherapy and vocational counseling, Gordon said.

## Holiday Gift Sale



**\$3 to \$5 off**  
**Comfort-first casuals**  
**a man just can't**  
**wait to put on!**

**Sale 8.99**

**Reg. \$12.** The Towncraft® shirt takes the route to the country, too. In rugged heavy-weight cotton flannel. Yarn-dyed plaids. Sizes S,M,L,XL. Tall men's MT,LT,XLT. Reg. \$14 **Sale 10.99**

**Sale 12.99**

**Reg. \$17.** Really big on warmth! Our Big Mac® shirt of extra-heavyweight cotton flannel. In lots of update yarn-dyed plaids. Sizes S,M,L,XL. Tall men's MT,LT,XLT. Reg. \$19 **Sale 14.99**

**Sale 9.99**

**Reg. \$15.** Headed right for gift-wrapping. The Classic Directions® flannel shirt. Cotton/polyester in yarn-dyed plaids. Sizes S,M,L,XL

**Sale 15.99**

**Reg. \$20.** Easy-going partner. Par Four® jeans with elasticized backwaist. In a blend of polyester/cotton. Waist sizes 32 to 42.

**Sale 19.99**

**Reg. \$26.** Give him comfort in the stretch. Action Master® Jeans for Men®. In cotton/Fortrel® polyester with E.S.P. for extra stretch performance. Waist sizes 32 to 42.



**Sale 13.99** each  
**Stafford® and**  
**Gentry®:**  
**his essential**  
**dress shirts.**

**Reg. \$18.** The Stafford® dress shirt. Tailored with the careful attention to detail he'll appreciate any season. Box-pleated back, placketed sleeves. Cotton/polyester in solids, stripes, plaids and fancies. Men's sizes 14 to 17.

**Reg. \$18.** The Gentry® dress shirt. Featuring the fitted look a young man prefers. With single-needle tailoring, back shoulder pleats, placketed sleeves. Stripes and fancies in polyester/cotton. Men's sizes 14 to 17.



**\$4 and \$5 off**  
**Sweaters on top of**  
**his most-wanted list**

**Sale 17.99**

**Reg. \$22.** Classic argyle designs decorate the front of this crewneck pullover. He'll like it to layer over a shirt. Choose from three patterns in a blend of acrylic/nylon. Men's sizes S,M,L,XL.

**Sale 18.99**

**Reg. \$24.** Treat him to texture this holiday season. With a pullover of acrylic/brushed mohair. Looks great in jacquards, geometrics or stripes. Men's sizes S,M,L,XL.

**Sale 18.99**

**Reg. \$24.** He'll go wild over a woolly crewneck pullover dotted all over. In a jacquard knit of wool/acrylic/polyester. Men's sizes S,M,L,XL.

**Sale 15.99**

**Reg. \$20.** Saturdays® crewneck pullover has the look he can wear with ease any day of the week. In color combos to complement his cold-weather wardrobe. Acrylic/wool geometric knits. Men's sizes S,M,L,XL.

**\$5 to \$7 off**  
**Gifted garb for young guys**

**Sale 20.00** Reg. \$27. Lemon Twist® fleece top with rubber-look trim. Choice of styles, colors. Polyester. Men's sizes S,M,L,XL. Sergio Valente™ woven top. Reg. \$27 **Sale 20.99**

**Sale 23.99** Reg. \$30. Chams de Baron® fleece top. Polyester/cotton with polyurethane trim. Choice of styles. Men's sizes S,M,L,XL.

**Sale 26.99** Reg. \$34. Cotler® jeans with a wealth of zip pockets, pieced legs. In distressed, washed cotton canvas. Men's sizes.

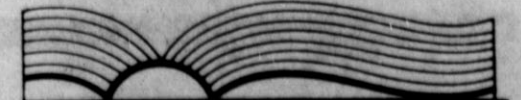


Intermediate markdowns may have been taken on originally priced merchandise shown in this ad. Reductions from originally priced merchandise effective until stock is depleted. Sale prices on regularly priced merchandise effective through Dec. 3.

# JCPenney

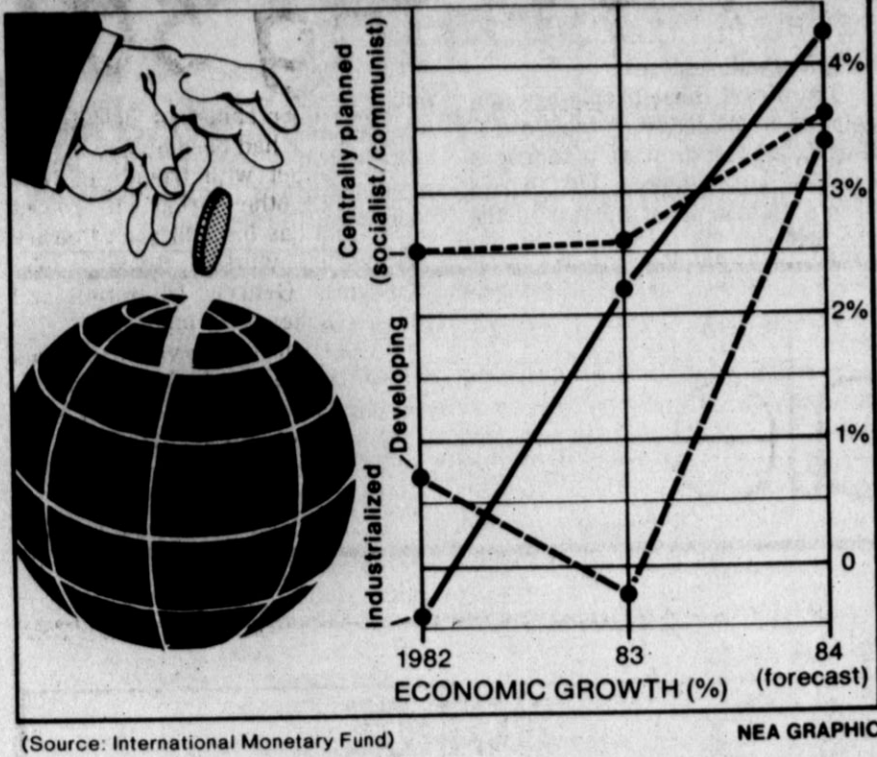
SUGARLAND MALL

**Christmas Catalog 364-4205**  
 The Christmas Catalog has those last minute, hard-to-find gifts. Plus more than 1500 toys. Order by phone and get speedy home delivery, too.



## RECOVERY BROADENS

Growth ahead for world economies



(Source: International Monetary Fund)

NEA GRAPHIC

The world economic outlook is brightening with the help of the U.S. recovery. The American recovery, which began in 1982, is having a global impact. It is strengthening trade in industrialized nations, and promoting growth in developing and centrally planned economies.

Researchers say

## Drug may treat baldies

WASHINGTON (AP) — Good news for the half of the male population losing hair: A treatment for baldness shows promise.

A drug called minoxidil, used to control high blood pressure, was applied twice a day in liquid form to the scalps of 91 men and five women in a year-long study. Eighty-one had an increase in the number of hairs.

"I'm very optimistic," said Dr. Thomas Nigra, chairman of the dermatology department at Washington Hospital Center.

"This is a therapy, not a cure," he told a news conference Friday. "You must continue to use it or your hair will fall out."

The center is one of 28 across the country testing the drug on 2,200 people for the Upjohn Company. Next year, if the results are favorable, Upjohn will apply to the Food and Drug Administration for permission to market minoxidil, a process that takes nine months to a year at best.

The drug was used to treat male pattern baldness, by far the most common kind, and Nigra said the results were "cosmetically acceptable." At least 27 of the people doubled their hair in the year-long test; none lost hair, he said.

Nigra said male pattern baldness — which affects 25 percent of males by age 25 and 50 percent by age 50 — has been accepted as part of normal life because nothing could be done for it.

"The treatment has been left to charlatans and quacks and these people have preyed on the emotional needs and hopes of patients," he said. "But we really haven't had anything to offer and perhaps, in the near future, we will."

Minoxidil has been used by doctors since 1979 to treat hypertension after combinations of other drugs have failed or produced unacceptable side effects. One of the side effects of minoxidil, doctors noted, was hair growing on all parts of the body and that led to the study of its use for baldness.

Upjohn's Jan Aufderheide said "the company remains cautiously optimistic" about the drug as a baldness medication. She said the data, being collected at the firm's international headquarters in Kalamazoo, Mich., won't be analyzed until some time next year.

Words of caution from Nigra: "This is only a progress report at one year."

## Pesticide report gets committee adoption

AUSTIN (AP) — A Senate subcommittee has recommended a jail sentence for people who violate state law designed to protect Texans from chemicals such as the cancer-causing pesticide EDB.

The Subcommittee on Public Health recommended Friday that the penalty for violation of the Texas Food, Drug and Cosmetic Act be a Class A misdemeanor, punishable by a fine of \$2,000, one year in jail, or both.

Another recommendation would allow the state attorney general to sue to stop violations of the act.

Assistant Attorney General Clyde Farrell told the subcommittee a bill based on that recommendation would go so far as to authorize anyone who feels harmed by chemicals to sue. "It would make each individual in the state a private attorney general," Farrell said.

Seven recommendations adopted by the subcommittee on a 4-0 vote were worked out by the subcommittee staff, state health department, state attorney general's office and Texas Pesticide Project, a citizen's lobbying group.

EDB, or ethylene dibromide, is a common pesticide that was registered in 1948. It has been used by injection into the soil to protect citrus, soybeans, cotton and other crops from root worms. EDB also has been used to fumigate stored grain and for treating harvested citrus and tropical fruit to prevent the spread of fruit flies.

A report by the Senate subcommittee staff said the National Cancer Institute as early as 1973 reported that rats and mice exposed to EDB had developed cancer.

Ten years later, the federal Environmental Protection Agency took steps to curtail the use of EDB, and the Texas agriculture department began its own tests in 1983 and found high levels of EDB in grain and flour products sold in Texas.

Subcommittee chairman Carlos Truan said public hearings "showed that state agencies lacked the statutory authority to respond when federal agencies like the EPA dawdled and delayed over setting national standards for pesticide residue in food products."

Truan, D-Corpus Christi, said the subcommittee also discovered a loophole in state law that prevented the state health department "from removing a processed food product

from grocers' shelves when it contained the same amount of harmful pesticide residue as the raw agricultural commodity from which it was made."

"If the Legislature adopts our recommendations, Texas will move to the front ranks of the states which have equipped themselves to deal quickly and effectively with carcinogens and toxic substances which show up in the food supply," Truan said.

This year the health department adopted maximum levels for EDB, and the subcommittee began its review.

Its other recommendations include:

- Giving the state health commissioner broader authority to act in emergency situations relating to food products.
- Changing tolerance, or maximum levels, in the act, if necessary.
- Sharing of test results among federal and state agencies.

Doug Henning

## Magician describes his faith

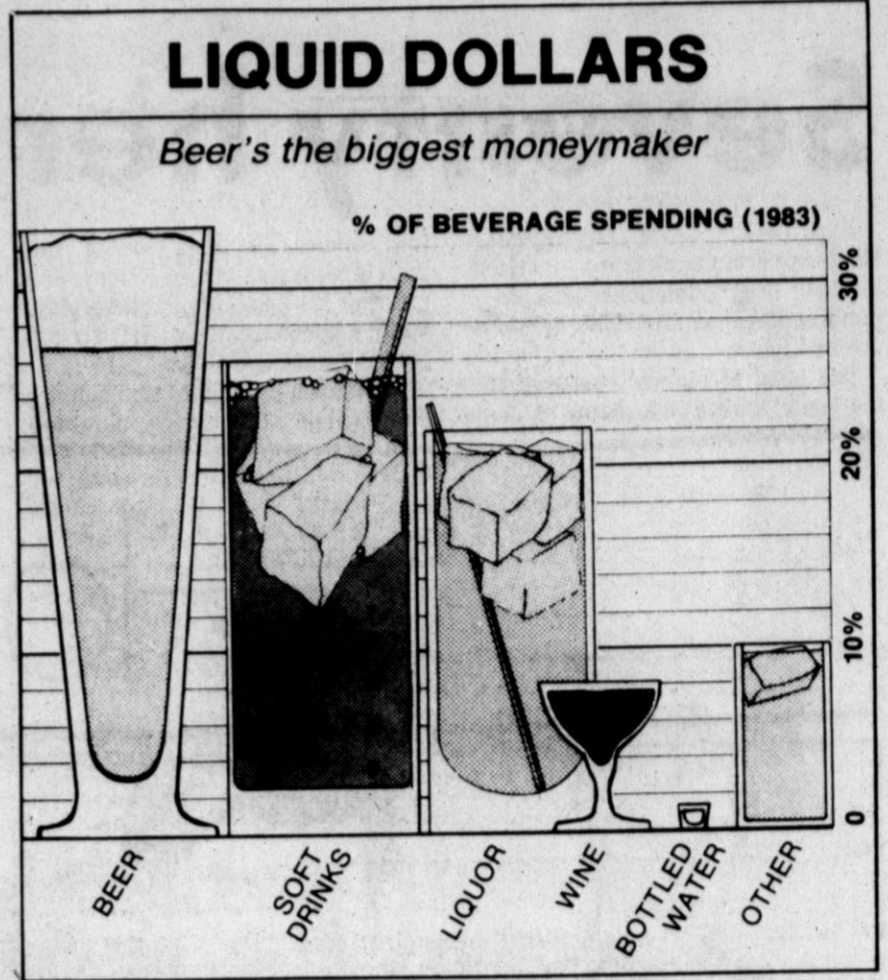
NEW YORK (AP) — Master magician Doug Henning says that as he progressed in his art, "I went from being an atheist to being an agnostic," always seeking fame and money, and then to feeling "very close to God," seeking to evoke love and wonder.

"I had a spiritual awakening," he recounted in an appearance on the Christophers' nationally syndicated television program.

He said magic "brings out wonder and renews our wonder for life." Of his own change, he said, "Now wherever I look in the world it's with a sense of wonder because I can see the majesty of God everywhere. That's what the real wonder is."

WASHINGTON (AP) — The Seventh-day Adventist Church says its general conference in New Orleans next June will vote on whether to ordain women to the ministry.

"It is clear that Scripture teaches equality of men and women" says



(Source: Cornell University Cooperative Extension)

NEA GRAPHIC

In the beverage business, beer is the big moneymaker. Americans spend more than 33 percent of their beverage dollars to drink beer. Soda is first, though, in terms of quantity consumed.

church President Neal C. Wilson. "But we must face the question of whether that equality is one of both status and functions."

NASHVILLE, Tenn. (AP) — A Southern Baptist leader says Election Day turned out to be "black Tuesday" for anti-gambling forces with more states adopting some form of legalized gambling than in any single year in American history.

Larry Braidfoot of the Southern Baptist Christian Life Commission

says the results stemmed from heavy promotional campaigns by the gambling industry, with no hearings or airing of the facts.

He predicted a bigger tide of gambling initiatives.

Gambling proposals were approved this fall in five of seven votes about it, with lotteries OK'd in California, Oregon, West Virginia and Missouri, and Missouri also approving pari-mutual betting. Casino gambling was defeated in Hot Springs, Ark., and Pueblo, Colo.

**Pre-Need**

**Qix Counseling**

FUNERAL DIRECTORS OF HEREFORD

105 Greenwood 364-6533

## Hereford Rapid Rental

1005 W. Park  
364-3432

TV's Rent To Own Microwaves Appliances

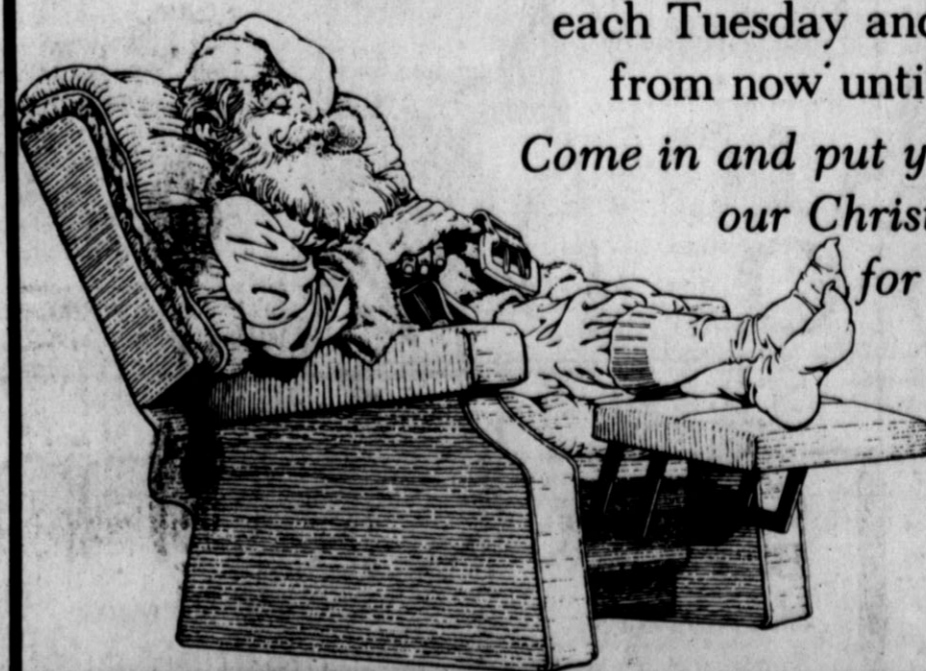
First Weeks Rent FREE!  
On Any New Rental thru  
the Month of December!

Rent to Own Any New  
Console TV or VCR  
and Get 52 FREE  
Overnight Movie Rentals!

Your VHS Home Movie Rental Store!  
Over 470 Movies in Stock  
and Current Releases Each Month!

We will be giving away  
ONE FREE OVERNIGHT MOVIE RENTAL  
each Tuesday and Thursday  
from now until Christmas!

Come in and put your name in  
our Christmas package  
for a chance to win!



**FARMERS  
LIKE YOU  
DESERVE  
SPECIAL  
INTEREST**

Wherever you farm, whatever crops you raise, you have a lot in common with other growers—a tough row to hoe. That's why Case wants to give you something more: the special interest you deserve. Now, through December 31, 1984, we're making it easier than ever to own a new Case tractor, with special financing that's 3 ways better.

**1. 8.8%—GUARANTEED**  
Buy any new Case tractor before the end of the year and we'll finance it for up to 60 months at 8.8% A.P.R. That's 8.8%, guaranteed. You could save thousands of dollars compared to fluctuating rates offered by our competitors. Or...



**Case Power & Equipment**

Dimmitt Hwy

364-2015

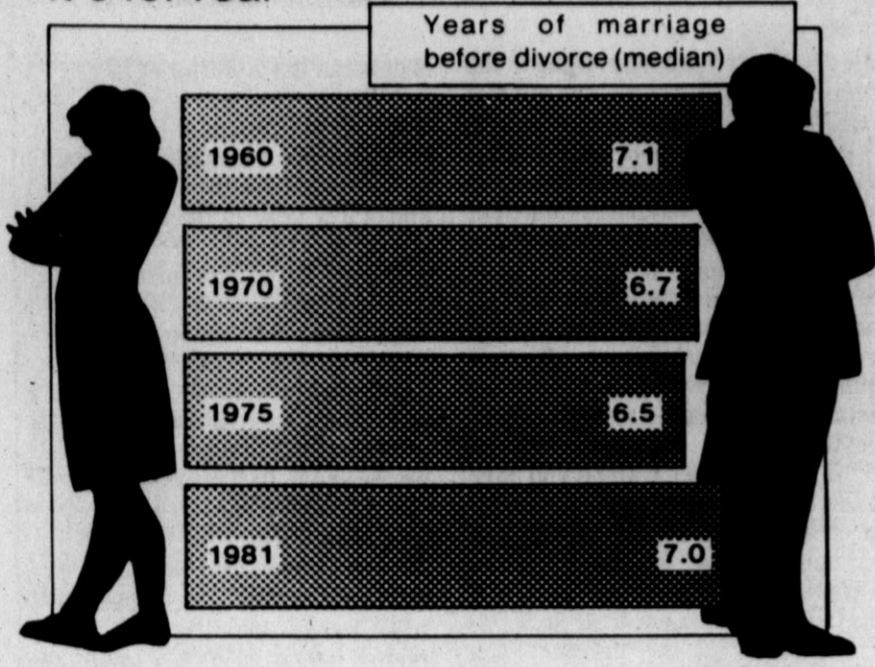
**2. FORGET INTEREST 'TIL SEPTEMBER 1, 1985**

Pay no interest at all on your new 94 or 96 Series tractor until June 1, 1985. On a new 90 Series model we'll waive interest until September 1, 1985. Or...

**3. GET CASH BACK**  
Instead of special financing you can opt for a cash rebate of up to \$7,000 on 90 Series and most 94 Series tractors. See us today and get the special interest you deserve. We'll give you all the details on how you get great savings now, and farm more efficiently for years to come with a new Case tractor financed through J I Case Credit Corporation. Hurry, time's running out!

## THE 'SEVEN-YEAR ITCH'

It's for real



There really is a "seven-year itch" among married couples. What's more it's been around for decades. For Americans, the statistics indicate the median length of marriages that end in divorce is about seven years.

## Acupuncture adopted by Senate committee

By JACK KEEVER Associated Press Writer

AUSTIN (AP) — A Senate committee has recommended that the state regulate acupuncture although one member said he was concerned that the recommendation would give "carte blanche" to every doctor in Texas to "practice this new form of medicine."

Although acupuncture was originated in China 5,000 years ago, the practice was not commonly recognized in the United States until after President Nixon's visit to China in 1971.

Acupuncture includes the practice of puncturing the skin with stainless steel needles, most about the thickness of a strand of human hair, to relieve pain, prevent illness or cure disease.

Bills to regulate acupuncture in Texas failed to pass the Legislature in 1981 and 1983, and the Senate Committee on Health and Human Resources — at Lt. Gov. Bill Hobby's direction — began work on a report to the 1985 Legislature.

The State Board of Medical Examiners took it on itself, according to the Senate committee's report, to regulate acupuncture, but Attorney General Jim Mattox held this year that four of the board's regulations were unconstitutional.

Left standing was a rule requiring that a person practicing acupuncture be either a licensed physician or be sponsored by one. The committee report said the rule "is overly restrictive and does not adequately protect the public's health and safety."

The committee report also said "physicians in Texas can practice acupuncture without any specialized training or demonstrated competency."

"Our dilemma is that all expertise in this lies outside the area of medicine," Sen. Hector Uribe, D-Brownsville, said Friday.

Uribe said, "By adopting this report, we're saying that the practice of acupuncture is the practice of medicine," and "we could be giving carte blanche to every physician in the state of Texas to practice this new form of medicine."

The report, which was adopted without objection, concluded that "acupuncture is not being regulated adequately in Texas and that major improvements need to be made in the delivery of acupuncture services."

The committee's recommendations include:

- Limiting the practice of acupuncture and establishing educational requirements.

- Requiring acupuncturists to pass a state-approved examination.

- Improving the availability of training opportunities in acupuncture, especially for medical students.

- Improving procedures for verifying training and education of acupuncturists.

Committee chairman Chet Brooks, D-Pasadena, suggested that the staff

work with the Board of Medical Examiners, which regulates physicians, in considering new rules that "would require some degree of proficiency" to practice acupuncture. This proposal would become part of the committee's recommendation.

Brooks' committee also adopted without objection staff recommendations to register or certify opticians, who are not now regulated in Texas despite legislative efforts that go back nearly 30 years.

The recommendation said it should be understood that registration or certification would include competency testing and standards for education and training.

An existing state agency would administer the registration law, if the committee's recommendation is approved by the Legislature.

"I don't think these are very radical recommendations," Brooks said of the optician proposals.

Willie Morris

## Writer reflects on turning 50

By RON HARRIST Associated Press Writer

JACKSON, Miss. (AP) — Author Willie Morris, best known for his colorful reflections of boyhood in the Mississippi Delta, accepts the half-century mark in his life with a touch of wonder.

For Morris, the Yazoo City native whose career has ranged from fiery weekly newspaper editor who took to task graft-hungry Texas politicians to youngest-ever editor-in-chief of Harpers Magazine, still has the soul of a teen-ager.

"I really see myself as a kid, still trying to hit that old curve ball," Morris said after a gathering of "good old boys" at an Oxford restaurant helped him ring in his first 50 years. "I just don't know what my old mother and father, long dead, would think about their little boy being 50."

"But it doesn't hurt," Morris said. "I don't think it's any great deal. Anyone with a little luck and a penchant for life will reach this most curious age."

Had his black Labrador retriever, Pete, been alive, Morris probably would have spent his birthday roaming the rolling hills near his home on the campus of the University of Mississippi. But Pete, the honorary mayor of Bridgehampton, N.Y. and the author's constant companion, died months ago.

So Morris spent part of his birthday alone, taking a drive in his weathered car for a time of quiet reflection.

"I had my radio on, listening to National Public Radio, and they were playing this beautiful concerto. I listened to the music and enjoyed it," Morris said. "But when it was over the announcer identified the concerto as 'Scenes from Old Age' and that brought a slight Mississippi smirk."

Morris left Yazoo City at age 17, attended the University of Texas and was a Rhodes scholar at Oxford University. Returning to Texas to pursue a journalism career, he later migrated to New York and at age 32 became the eighth editor-in-chief in the 117-year history of Harpers.

He now serves as writer-in-

residence at Ole Miss, a position that affords him time to inspire students, charm social clubs with his tales of yesteryear, to write and to exchange visits with lifelong friends in the literary community.

He has a long list of books and magazine essays to his credit, the best known being his autobiography, "North Toward Home." Among his other works are "The Courting of Marcus Dupree," "Good Old Boy," "Yazoo," "The Last of The Southern Girls," and "James Jones: A Friendship."

Morris said "North Toward Home," published in 1967, brought him more personal pleasure because "it apparently struck a cord in this country and it was my first book. It apparently is being read by the younger generation."

"I was doing some reflecting, something one does when one grows older," he said. "It's not the grandiose things that over the years matter so much, it's the elemental ones like family and friendships — a sense of community reality."

"I feel myself fortunate to live in this place because Oxford and its people gives one a feeling of serenity."

Morris said he never regretted his decision to return South after leaving Harpers, and "the past five years at the university have really gone by quickly. I've enjoyed my association

with the university and with Larry Wells and Dean Faulkner Wells."

Wells and his wife, the niece of the late Mississippi author William Faulkner, are owners of the Yoknapatawpha Press in Oxford and have published some of Morris' works.

"I had a neighbor on eastern Long Island, Truman Capote, now departed, who once told me, 'all Southerners come home sooner or later, even if it's in a box,'" he said. "I was highly reluctant to wait that long. I'm glad I came back when I did."

The author said that despite the distance, he had been able to stay in close contact with friends in New York and other areas. In recent years, he has brought such literary names as William Styron, John Knowles, George Plimpton and James Dickey to the university.

During one of his visits with his "dear old Yankee buddies," Morris said he was asked by novelist Phillip Roth and playwright Arthur Miller about the possibility of becoming editor of another magazine.

"I told them I enjoyed running Harpers but that was not for me," he said.

### NOTICE

The Texas Parks and Wildlife Department is announcing a public hearing to be held in Amarillo on Dec. 3 to receive public comment regarding the 1984 bag limit for pheasants. The hearing will be held at Amarillo City Hall, 509 East 7th Street in the City Commission Chamber at 2 p.m. Recently completed surveys indicate a decline in the pheasant population. The department will consider the public's comments in making a final determination on the bag limit for the season which begins on December 8th and concludes on December 23rd 1984. All interested citizens are encouraged to attend the public hearing.

# STEVENS

CHEVROLET—OLDSMOBILE

HEREFORD, TEXAS

Your Full-Service Chevy-Olds Dealer.

615 N. 25 Mile Ave.  
364-2160



are great Christmas gifts for everyone. Mark our words.

# 10% OFF

Entire Stock

Casey's Books & Records  
Sugarland Mall

# TRUCKLOAD

## Sofa & Chair SALE

Choice of Colors!

We've Just Received A Full Truckload Just In Time for Christmas

As Low As

Recliners **\$144**

Children's Recliners **\$59<sup>95</sup>**

3 Pc. Living Room Sets **\$570**  
(Sofa, Loveseat, Chair)

2 Pc. Living Room Sets **\$556**  
(Sofa and Chair)

# Barrick

## Furniture and Appliance

West Hwy 60 364-3552

—Easy Terms—  
No Monthly Payments Until February 1985

### The World Almanac

#### Q&A

1. How many miles long is the Caspian Sea? (a) 760 (b) 497 (c) 360
2. Who was the American League home run leader from 1962 to 1964? (a) Mickey Mantle (b) Roger Maris (c) Harmon Killebrew
3. Whose original name is Alphonse D'Abruzzo? (a) Al Capone (b) Alan Alda (c) Al Pacino

#### ANSWERS

1. a 2. b 3. c  
(NEWSPAPER ENTERPRISE ASSN.)

# Judiciary in 'crisis,' officials claim

By JENNIFER JONES Associated Press Writer

OKLAHOMA CITY (AP) — Oklahoma's judiciary is in a crisis and is experiencing a turnover rate of about 25 percent, the administrative director of the Oklahoma Judiciary says.

"That's fairly high when you talk about professions," said Charles Ferrell, administrative director of the Oklahoma Judiciary, the agency charged with assisting the Supreme Court and the chief justice with administering the state court system.

Oklahoma's district judges rank 43rd in the nation when it comes to salaries, with associate district judges in the small counties and the 54 special judges ranked 50th, Ferrell said.

Ferrell said the state's trial judges last received a salary increase, other than cost of living adjustments, in 1976.

Ferrell said special district judges earn \$36,900 annually, with associate

district judges earning between \$36,900 and \$44,000 and district judges earning \$49,280. Salaries are higher for the Oklahoma Supreme Court justices and judges of the courts of appeal, but only the chief justice tops \$60,000. The chief justice earns \$61,000, Ferrell said.

The National Center for State Courts said the earnings of the Oklahoma Supreme Court justices place them 31st among the 50 states and the salaries of the Oklahoma Court of Appeals judges place them 28th, the Tulsa World reported in a copyright article last month.

Gov. George Nigh said he tends to agree that the judiciary is in crisis.

"I think our judges as well as our teachers and state employees are underfunded," Nigh said.

Last fiscal year, 18 of the state's trial judges resigned and six retired. Six of those judges were among the state's 71 district court judges. Since July 1, Ferrell said four judges transferred to higher paying

judgeships, eight resigned and five retired, for a total of 17 of the state's 202 trial judges.

"At the rate we're going, we're going to do be doing real good this year," Ferrell said of the recent turnover rate, including the announcement last week of an associate district judge's resignation after three months in the position. Mike Speegle, Oklahoma County associate district judge, was appointed to the position three months ago, after serving the county as a special judge for two years.

District, associate and special district judges "could be termed the workhorses of the judiciary," Ferrell said, with some of the district judges logging 1,500 miles a week carrying out their administrative duties and conducting court.

Special district judges are generally assigned traffic and small claims cases, Ferrell said, while associate district judges handle a high volume of civil and criminal cases. Because there are only 71 district judges for the state's 77 counties, associate district judges also share the burdens of district court judges. District court judges handle felony and major civil cases, Ferrell said. There is one associate district judge per county.

The problem in the judiciary, Ferrell said, is money.

A district judge who has served on the bench for eight years can be equated with a partner in a law firm, Ferrell said. But while the average law firm partner earns \$80,000, a district judge with eight years experience earns less than \$50,000 in Oklahoma.

Other figures indicate the consumer price index has risen 50.2 percent since 1978, but Oklahoma's judicial salaries have increased an average of 5.8 percent, Ferrell said.

In 1982 and 1983, Ferrell said the Oklahoma Judiciary received less than 1 percent of the total statewide appropriations.

"My concern is that our experienced judges are leaving the bench and we're going to have less experienced people becoming judges," Ferrell said. "The quality of litigation could decline substantially."

"In the judiciary, we feel we have a crisis." The impact will be felt by the public and practicing attorneys, he said.

The public, Ferrell said, wants quality judicial practices but may not understand why a judge wouldn't be satisfied with a salary of almost \$50,000.

"Judges have children to educate,

they've devoted time to their (own) education, and they could step right out on the street and double their income," Ferrell said.

With a projected shortfall of \$121 million facing the Legislature when it convenes in January, Ferrell said "it's going to be very difficult for the Legislature and governor to single out judges and give them a raise and nobody else. State employees, teachers, they all want a raise."

Speegle said he understands the Legislature's dilemma when it comes to deciding who should get a raise, but said he was discouraged after serving as a judge for two years without receiving a raise.

"I wanted to be a judge but there have been no raises in about three years. The state is in a bad financial position and no one can wave a magic wand and come up with a lot of money," Speegle said. "But I expected some kind of raise in the two-year period I was here."

His resignation, submitted to Gov. George Nigh on Wednesday, will be effective Dec. 31. He said he will return to private practice.

"The No. 1 thing is the salary,"

Speegle said. "The main thing is the financial part of it. I like the job just fine."

Speegle said he realizes that \$44,000 a year "sounds like that should be a lot of money and that anyone should be able to get along on that. But the legal training we have to go through and the other things we have to do — practicing for several years to be a judge — that are required to get where you are, the salary doesn't justify what it takes to get there."

"If you like the job and if you have a family, it's really hard to make it," says Speegle, who has three children at home. "But you can't blame anyone for it — you can't say it was his fault or her fault or their fault."

The plight of the judiciary has caught the attention of the Oklahoma Bar Association, which approved a resolution calling for better judicial salaries at the close of its annual meeting Nov. 2.

"We think we're in a crisis situation — it's increasingly difficult to attract and maintain quality members of the judiciary," said Paul Vassar, immediate past president of the

Oklahoma Bar Association.

"The numbers speak for themselves," he said.

"Members of the judiciary who remain will tell you the morale is down and it's a very difficult situation," Vassar said.

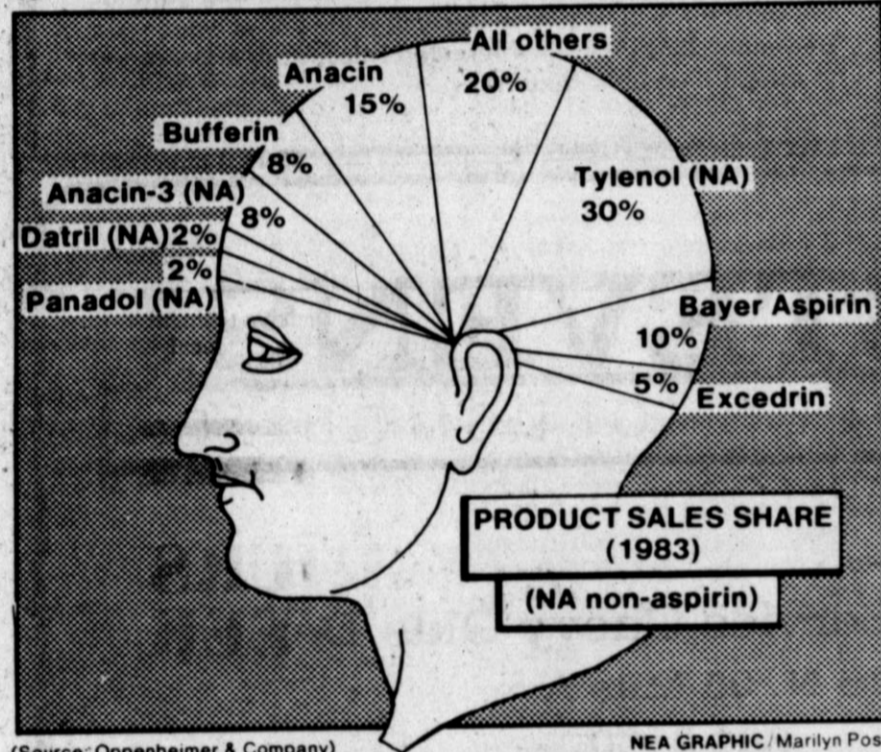
The bar association also approved a resolution asking that a blue ribbon commission be appointed by the governor, the Oklahoma Supreme Court chief justice, the speaker of the state House of Representatives, the president pro tempore of the state Senate and the president of the Oklahoma Bar Association to study the issues facing the judiciary, including salaries and distribution of judges across the state, Vassar said.

"It wasn't too long ago people made a career of being a judge. It's not happening now because the turnover is so great," Vassar said.

**Homeowners Insurance**  
Good service/Good price.  
Jerry Shipman  
801 N. Main St. 364-3161  
State Farm Fire and Casualty Company  
Home Office: Bloomington, Illinois

## TOP PAIN RELIEVERS

Tylenol leads over aspirin-based products



(Source: Oppenheimer & Company) NEA GRAPHIC / Marilyn Post

When Americans get headaches, cash registers ring. Sales of non-prescription pain relievers topped \$1.4 billion last year. Tylenol led with 30 percent of all sales.

## To Protestant clergy

### Celibacy offers appeal

By JEFF BARNARD Associated Press Writer

GRANTS PASS, Ore. (AP) — Sometimes the idea of a celibate Protestant clergy appeals to the Rev. Donna Lowman-Pritchard, pastor of United Methodist churches in Cave Junction and Wilderville.

"You wouldn't spread yourself too thin with a commitment to another person," she says. "But I can tell you, thank God for Martin Luther."

With that she laughs and slaps the knee of her husband, the Rev. Joe Lowman-Pritchard, who is associate minister at the Newman United Methodist Church in this southern Oregon city.

Luther set the precedent of a married clergy during the 16th-century Protestant Reformation that split off from the Roman Catholic Church, in which celibacy still is a requirement for the priesthood.

The Lowman-Pritchards are one of 10 clergy couples in the Oregon-Idaho Annual Conference of the United Methodist Church, which includes several hundred such couples across the country.

"The United Methodist Church has recognized the increasing importance of women in the ministry," said Mrs. Lowman-Pritchard. "They are trying to realize that two-career clergy can be a way of speaking to the community about two-career couples."

Like many married couples, the Lowman-Pritchards met in school, in their case at the Liff School of Theology in Denver.

After being ordained about a year ago, she was posted at Cave Junction and he was assigned to churches in Greenville and Taylorsville, Calif.

Continuing their courtship long distance, they were married last May. Lowman-Pritchard transferred to the church in Grants Pass and moved into the Cave Junction parsonage with his wife.

"I looked long and hard at it when we were apart," Lowman-Pritchard said. "I am much happier this year. First of all, I am married to Donna. Whether we are in the ministry or do other things, I think that is what the relationship will be."

Other clergy couples warned them to be careful about bringing the job home.

"There can be some tension because a congregation starts relating to the male as the pastor and the female as the associate. That can be difficult in a marriage," Lowman-Pritchard said.

Mrs. Lowman-Pritchard is glad they serve different churches.

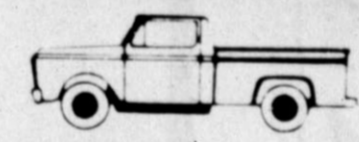
"The people who know me knew me before Joe and I were married," she says. "It's very nice for me to come to activities at his church and not be the pastor. I don't feel the pressures to be the pastor's wife that I might get if I were in another profession."

**Kelley's**  
Employment  
Agency  
Full Service Agency  
364-2023

## Christmas Gift List

- Stereos
- Chrome Box Rails
- Radar Detectors
- Sliding Rear Window Glass
- Pickup Accessories
- CB Radios & Accessories
- Running Boards
- Seats & Seat Covers
- Crossover Tool Boxes
- Custom Wheels
- Custom Grilles
- Bumpers & Grille Guards

## Pickup Corner



Main & Hwy 60  
364-2571

# Why Rent Telephone Equipment?

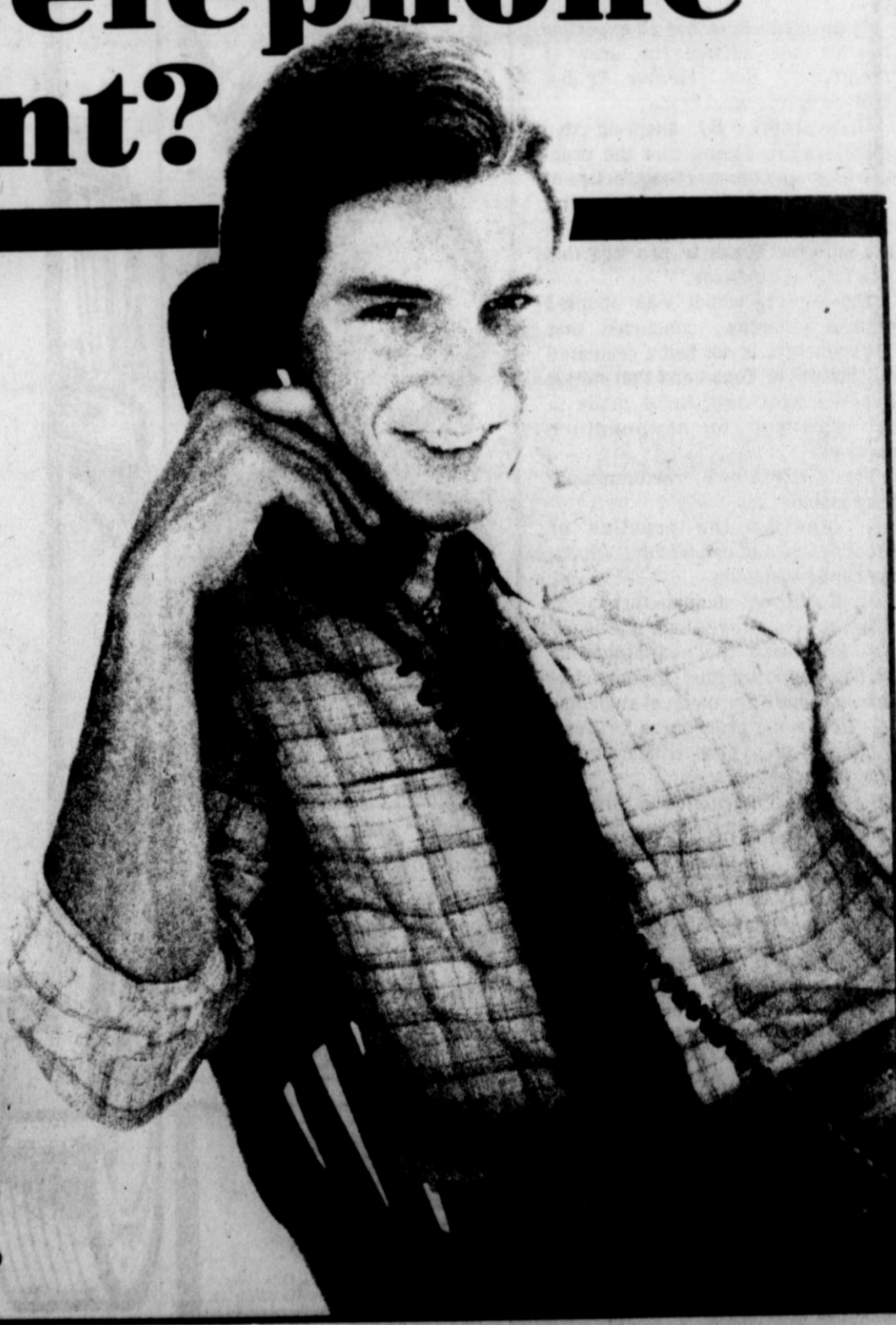
You now have the opportunity to own a TELEPHONE SYSTEM, and we have the SERVICE and EQUIPMENT for everything from a simple single line RESIDENTIAL telephone to the most complex BUSINESS system.

- \* We have a no down payment financing plan available to all qualified buyers.
- Why not give us a call and we will gladly give you a quotation on the cost of a telephone system for your business or single telephone for your home.
- \* With Approved Credit



## W.T. SERVICES inc.

A fully owned subsidiary of West Texas Rural Telephone Co-op  
Dimmitt Hwy 364-3331



# West Texan leaves stage for police

By JANICE JOHNSTON Odessa American

ODESSA, Texas (AP) — Having played bit parts in the Italian Opera and a Clint Eastwood movie, John McAhon says he hasn't missed too much in his 40-year life.

But that's not to say the Odessa Police Department training officer has fulfilled all his dreams.

"It's weird, maybe, but my biggest desire was always to be a major league catcher," he says.

His interests in radio broadcasting, television, the movies, photography, firearms and martial arts took sideline seats 16 years ago. That's when McAhon chose a career in law enforcement over his other pursuits.

"He's unique, in that he does several things and does them well," said a friend, television station

KTPX News Director Rick Wells, 39. Wells said he became acquainted with McAhon through attending St. John's Episcopal Church, where both men are lay readers.

"He was one of the first people I met when I moved here. He's honest and very sincere, and that's something I respect about him the most. You can trust what he says," Wells said.

The hobbies took root years earlier, when McAhon lived in or visited 29 states and 15 foreign countries in 17 years, as a result of his father's military career.

"Home is where we happened to be," McAhon said, adding that those years gave him new insights into other cultures.

As a teen-ager in Rome, for instance, McAhon visited an Italian family. They invited him to return

the following summer.

The family had a friend who sang solo tenor in the Italian Opera. The friend invited McAhon backstage following an opera performance, gaining McAhon an opportunity to perform Giuseppe Verdi's "Aida" along with other singers the next evening.

"I said, 'Great! But I don't know the words,'" McAhon said. "So the next night, they fitted me with a helmet, spear and cape, and pinned inside the cape was the libretto.

"My knees were shaking. It's a little bit unusual for a 16-year-old kid to sing with any opera. It was something else — probably a once-in-a-lifetime experience," he recalled.

McAhon then returned to his family in Stuttgart, Germany, to begin a 2-year stint as high school disc jockey for the Armed Forces Network.

Hosting a show called "The Kids Next Door," McAhon played requests from fellow students and announced youth activities. When he left, the producers took the show off the air. "They said they couldn't replace me."

Living in Germany, surrounded by historical areas, McAhon also nurtured an interest in photography. That interest surfaces even in his police work — he was asked to compile a slide presentation for the Odessa Police Department, McAhon said.

The police officer said he originally wanted to major in instrumental music and minor in vocal music, but "I couldn't quite cut the mustard" at music schools.

Instead, he enrolled as a speech and drama major and finished with a journalism degree at New Mexico

State University in Las Cruces, where he acted as disc jockey for both campus and commercial radio stations.

His last semester turned out to be productive for his career: He studied hard enough to be named valedictorian at Las Cruces Police Academy at the same time he finished college, and turned to police work as his full-time job.

After working 8½ years in Las Cruces, he moved first to Crane and from there to the Odessa police force.

While in Las Cruces, McAhon reported to cast calls for television series and movies being shot in the area. He said he won over other applicants to appear in the television series "Cannon" with William Conrad and "Cimmaron Strip" with Stuart Whitman, Warren Oates and Telly Savalas.

McAhon's role in the second movie was to play "a bad guy gunman type. A desperado, an outlaw."

"I find it humorous myself," he said, explaining the role was ironic in light of his police work today.

He also won a part in the Clint Eastwood movie "Hang 'Em High," playing a lynch mob participant who held the noose around Eastwood's neck.

"Unfortunately, they shot the scene with a zoom lens. I probably couldn't pick myself out of the crowd anymore, it was so far away." Another hobby — the martial arts — recently netted McAhon a chance to perform at Winwood Mall.

The holder of a black belt in the Tae Kwon Do discipline, the blindfolded McAhon used a 200-year-old Samurai sword to split a watermelon placed on another black-belt holder's

stomach.

McAhon's friend, Wells, has seen him "do the watermelon thing." Wells called it a "frightening performance. If you know either one of the people, and someone makes a mistake, you could lose a friend. I don't understand how they do it."

But while McAhon said such per-

formances are fun, he attributed his greatest success to his two children and to his wife of 10 years, Catherine.

"I have to give her credit for being my motivational force," McAhon said.

"Without someone to support you, it really doesn't mean anything to do all this."

## BIG SELLERS

The top 10 corporations of 1983

	SALES CHANGE FROM 1982
1. Exxon	-9%
2. General Motors	+24%
3. AT&T	+7%
4. Mobil	-9%
5. Ford Motor	+20%
6. Texaco	-14%
7. IBM	+17%
8. Sears, Roebuck	+20%
9. Du Pont	+6%
10. Phibro-Salomon	+11%



# Holiday Savings!

OPEN 24 HOURS  
7 DAYS A WEEK

**Mrs. Baird's Wheat Bread**  

**75¢**  
 1½ lb. Loaf

**Tostitos Chips**  
 12 oz. Reg.  
**\$1.59** Reg. \$2.09  
 Regular & Nacho Cheese  



**Mrs. Baird's Pies**  
**3/\$1.00**  
 All Flavors

**Del Monte Catsup**  

**99¢**  
 32 oz.

**Bakery Fresh French Bread**  

**49¢**  
 Loaf

**Pepsi & Diet Pepsi**  

**\$1.59**  
 6 Pack 32 oz. Returnables

**Downy Fabric Softener**  
 64 oz.  
**\$1.29**  


All Large Boxes of  
**Pampers Diapers**  
**\$8.99**  


**Lettuce**  

**45¢**  
 Head

**Recipe Flour**  

**79¢**  
 5 lb.

**Chunk Tuna**  
 6.5 oz. Water or Oil  
**29¢**  
  
 w/one certificate

Northern  
**Bathroom Tissue**  
  
**69¢**  
 4 Rolls  
 w/one certificate

**Crisco Shortening**  
  
**\$1.99**  
 3 lb.  
 w/one certificate

**Pleasmor Homo Milk**  
  
 ½ Gallon  
**49¢**  
 w/one certificate

**Ground Beef**  
 73% Lean USDA Choice  

**\$1.09**  
 Lb.

**Boneless Bottom Round Steak**  
 USDA Choice  

**\$1.69**  
 Lb.

**Jack & Jill FOOD CENTER**  
 YOUR STORE FOR SAVINGS  
 IN THE 80'S

# Coast Guard rescues American ship

MIAMI (AP) — A U.S. Navy-chartered ship was under tow to Florida today after it broke down and drifted into Cuban waters, where it was rescued without incident as the aircraft carrier Nimitz raced to the area, officials said.

The 105-foot Seaward Explorer, which broke a propeller shaft, was rescued by crewmen from the Coast Guard cutter Reliance, who put out a fire and took the boat in tow, said Chief Petty Officer Bob Baeten.

"The cutter arrived on the scene and observed the Seaward Explorer being assisted by a small Cuban boat," Baeten said Friday. "Shortly after arriving on the scene, they observed smoke."

No injuries were reported, he said. The ship was expected in Miami on Sunday or Monday.

The crippled vessel had drifted to within eight miles of Cuba's northeastern coast, about 480 miles from Miami, Pentagon officials said. Cuba claims 12-mile territorial waters.

The nuclear-powered Nimitz was put to sea on an emergency basis from the U.S. Virgin Islands 700 miles away from the disabled vessel, said a Defense Department official who spoke on condition he not be identified.

The 93,000-ton aircraft carrier left so quickly that 1,000 of its 5,200 crew members, who were ashore on liberty at Charlotte Amalie, St. Thomas,

were left behind, the official said. As the Nimitz, the closest Navy vessel to the scene, headed for Cuba as a precaution, it was joined by the nuclear-powered cruiser Arkansas. The Seaward Explorer, owned by

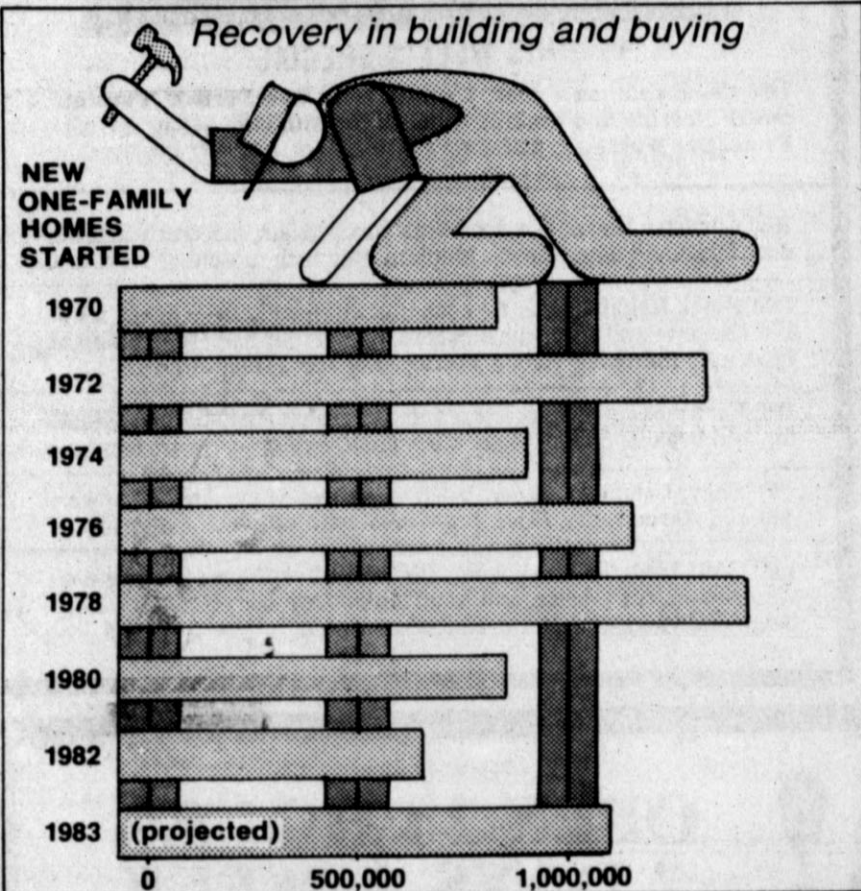
Seaward Services of Miami, had developed engine trouble as it traveled between Cuba and the Bahamas. Pentagon officials said they did not know the mission of the ship and its five civilian crew members, but a

Cuban diplomat in Washington who spoke on condition of anonymity said it was doing oceanography research. Pentagon officials who spoke on condition they not be identified said Friday that the Cuban boat had at-

tempted to tow the Seaward Explorer into Cuba about noon but a tow line snapped, but Baeten said he had no such information.

## HOUSING BOOM

Recovery in building and buying



(Source: U.S. League of Savings Institutions) NEA GRAPHIC

The upturn in the U.S. economy has led to an increase in home building. Housing starts, which declined sharply during the recession, rose from 660,000 in 1982 to more than 1 million in 1983.

## Seat belt law initiated

ROCHESTER, N.Y. (AP) — Starting today, adult New Yorkers who fail to buckle up could face financial consequences far more severe than a \$50 fine if they are injured in a crash and sue other drivers for damages, insurance experts say.

The first mandatory seat belt law for adults in the nation took effect today, and insurance experts say juries may decide that anyone who doesn't wear a seat belt should bear part of the responsibility for his own injuries.

That risk of losing out on liability claims hasn't received the publicity of the \$50 fine for failing to wear seat belts, but it could have a much greater impact, the experts say.

For example, a jury that awards someone \$1 million after a collision could then take away half the award after finding that the victim was half responsible by not wearing a seat belt.

All drivers and front-seat passengers in automobiles and light trucks in New York now must use seat belts. Children under age 10 riding anywhere in the car must also

be buckled up. Children under age 4 must be restrained in federally approved child safety seats.

"This is perhaps the most important piece of highway safety legislation ever enacted in this state," said Edward Sheridan, executive deputy commissioner of the state Department of Motor Vehicles.

State officials say that if the rate of seat belt usage climbs to 50 percent — it was previously estimated at about 14 percent — 300 to 400 lives could be saved annually and up to 70,000 injuries prevented. Such compliance could also save New Yorkers up to \$250 million annually in lost wages, health care costs and related expenses.

But insurance company officials have been warning motorists that if they are injured while not wearing seat belts, the new law allows judges or juries to reduce damage awards.

In implementing the law applying to adults — New York and many other states already had such laws for children — New York joins more than 30 countries and 10 Canadian provinces. A similar law takes effect in New Jersey on March 1.

### It's Time To Think About Christmas Banquets

With Christmas around the corner, be reminded that our banquet room facilities and our custom catering service is available. Book your party today!

**Don't Forget!**  
Order your holiday turkeys & hams.  
We also custom smoke turkeys & hams.

## Savage's Hickory Pit

501 N. 25 Mile Ave. 364-9010

### Wrap up Your Christmas List...

This Week Only!

**Hondo Ropers**  
Brick Water Buffalo  
Reg. Price '118'  
CHRISTMAS SPECIAL!  
**\$79<sup>95</sup>**

**Sanders Boots**  
Sharp Looking Calf Skin  
14" Tops U-Toe  
Reg. Price '165'  
JUST IN TIME FOR CHRISTMAS!  
**\$94<sup>95</sup>**

**Goose Downs Comfy**  
The Breeze & Deluxe Breeze Model  
Reg. Price '109'  
Put Yours On Lay-A-Way For Christmas!  
**\$84<sup>95</sup>**

**Ropers**  
The Chisholm Roper  
It looks like the other one but its a little better and a lot cheaper!  
**\$59<sup>95</sup>**

We Have Lots of Gift Items Here Are Just A Few:  
PENDLETON SHIRTS, WILD RAGS 8-COLORS, BILLFOLDS, BOOT BAGS, KEY RINGS, SUPER MATCHES, BOOT JACKS, CLOTHES BAGS AND MANY MORE ITEMS TO CHOOSE FROM!

**Here Are Some CHRISTMAS SPECIALS Just For You!**

**BOOTS & SADDLE WESTERN WEAR**  
364-5332 513 N. 25 Mile Ave.

**JAMES SELF** NEW YORK LIFE  
**New York Life Insurance Co.**  
Ask me about: MediCare Supplements  
148 N. Main 364-1244

**SILKWOOD**  
MERYL STREEP KURT RUSSELL CHER  
Her truth was too dangerous to be told. Oscar-nominated.  
**cinemax** WE TAKE YOU TO THE STARS.  
SAT. DEC. 1 7PM  
**Hereford Cablevision**  
126 E. 3rd 364-3912

# Stepper looks back on her career

By KERI GUTEN San Antonio Light  
SAN ANTONIO, Texas (AP) — She sits in her easy chair in suburban San Antonio and through a veil of cigarette smoke that somehow enhances the illusion, brings alive the far reaches of the world of the 1930s and '40s.

Her memory is flawless. Her hands dance and her eyes flash with remembrance as she conjures images of serene Japanese gardens, solemn yet magnificent Buddhist temples, Argentinian gauchos herding cattle through the middle of a sleepy town, Mexican plazas bursting with color and crowded with people conducting business.

Her name is Russell Meriwether Hughes Jr., but she was known throughout the world as La Meri — a simple enough calling card to pack some of the most famous (and infamous) theaters in the world for her elaborate solo, ethnic-dance performances.

"New York dance critic Walter Terry called her 'the greatest ethnic dancer of our time.' She was a gutsy thing who took on the art dance of the world and prospered," says John Igo, former arts critic and an English professor at San Antonio College. "She had a staggering gift, and that was the ability to mimic the experts."

La Meri was once the "big, blond, blue-eyed American lady who picked up native dances with the speed of light," but her dancing days are over, and she's moved back home to San Antonio, the city of her childhood.

At 86, she fights retirement. Her first attempt, starting 10 years ago in Cape Cod, failed miserably. Tired of showing dogs, she was lured out of retirement by members of a local theater. She taught dance and also helped start an annual, summer, ethnic-arts festival.

She's hoping to make her retirement stick this time, but she has her

doubts.

It's plain and simple — she misses dancing.

"If I had the physical capabilities and could find a good dance partner, I'd go dancing every night," she says with a smile that dimpled her cheeks. "I don't really miss these things because I had them when I was young enough to enjoy them, but I miss my energy."

"I don't feel old on the inside — not at all. But I get up and skip across the room and tumble over a dog, and it's ridiculous. I am continually astonished and irritated to death at getting old."

She looks much younger than she thinks she does, and she blames her performer's vanity for her critical eye. Her hair is snowy, her voice gravelly from too many years of smoking cigarettes, her mind amazingly quick and sharp. A dancer's trimness persists, and she still carries herself with a dancer's poise — back straight, neck arched, hands punctuating her words.

"I always thought dancers who died in their 40s were damn lucky because they're finally resting," she said, exhaling a big puff of smoke. "This drive is a blessing and a curse. It's not tragic, but it's an incubus on your back."

"It's tough to just cut it off. My brain works just fine; it's a pity you can't transplant brains," she mused. "I would like to give all I've learned to someone young enough to enjoy it."

La Meri was born to dance, despite the pronouncement by her first dance teacher that "this 10-year-old was hopelessly awkward." La Meri didn't believe it, and by age 12, she choreographed her first dance solo for a San Antonio church show.

From this success, she continued with her dance lessons, adding Spanish as her first ethnic dance and performing in a series of recitals in San Antonio.

Other lessons in voice, violin and acting gave her the foundation needed to launch her career. The Texas Rio Grande Valley was her first conquest, then the world, starting with South America in 1928, Africa and Arabia in 1929, Europe in 1930, Australia and New Zealand in 1936, India and the Orient in 1937.

La Meri's repertoire includes traditional dances from India, Java, Burma, Thailand, Arabia, Morocco, China, Japan, Spain, Mexico, the West Indies, Peru, Ecuador, Panama, Chile, Argentina, Venezuela, Colombia, Hawaii, Tahiti, Samoa, Maori and the Philippines as well as American Indian dances.

She could be the United Nations of dance — all by herself. And when she danced solo in the magnificent costumes made countries she visited, she was a goodwill ambassador like no other.

"I had the grandiose philosophy that I would try through my dancing to stop interracial hatred," she said. "I have a great many faults, but bigotry was never one of them. I thought if people could see how beautiful and naive these dances were, they would see the people were that way, too. What I did was a drop in the bucket."

Her knowledge is preserved in five books she wrote on various dance art forms. Her Spanish dance book is still considered the textbook on the subject.

Her autobiography, which carries a foreword by the late New York dance critic Terry, not only captures La Meri's vivacious personality but also reveals the evolution of ethnic dance, an art form that has rivaled but never outshone either ballet or modern dance.

"Dancing Out the Answer," published in 1977, also explores a time long before television linked the world by satellite, a time when performers like La Meri were the ones who brought the world together through dance, drama and song.

Her contemporaries were some of the world's best artists — author Pearl S. Buck, dancers Ruth St. Denis, Ted Shawn, Martha Graham, composer Maurice Ravel. But mastering not one style, but a world full of them — all with complete authenticity and always in their purest form.

She never performed a dance that didn't first meet the approval of a native audience — her fiercest critics.

"I was looking for authenticity, maybe that's why they kept giving me more," she said. "They knew if a dance I did wasn't acceptable to the natives, I wouldn't do it. I wasn't trying to jazz anything up. Now some of my movements are updated, but I won't change them. I won't misrepresent anything."

La Meri said she coined the phrase "ethnic dance." To her, it always meant culture regardless of race, creed or color.

"I have this ability to get on the same wavelength with people," she said. "This God-given inside mechanism is what made me an ethnic dancer."

She also has insatiable energy and curiosity, both characteristics that saw her through the long hours of learning, performing and traveling.

As a solo performer, she traveled with few people but tons of baggage. Wherever she went — and it was

always by train or steamer — six tons (67 pieces) of luggage went with her. Much of it was in costumes and props, but she also had to carry curtains and floors because some stages were just too primitive.

Guido Carreras, a Tuscan baron who had managed the great dancers Nijinsky and Anna Pavlova, traveled with her as her manager and in 1931 became her husband. They separated in 1944. They had no children. Other companions for her world tours were Olivia Matteson, a friend who still lives in San Antonio, and her sister, Lilian.

Her mother followed her to New York and became the shining example of what a stage mother ought to be.

Although La Meri inherited her mother's fierce temper, she got her wit and humor from her father Russell Meriwether Sr., after whom she was named.

"I was a pappy's gal," she says. "He had the humor and wit that made everything seem better. No matter how bad anything was, I'd laugh."

And she didn't mind one bit being named after her father. "Who knows, maybe they wanted a boy, though I was never made to feel like one," she said. "I was proud to be a junior."

Although born in Kentucky, La Meri moved to San Antonio in 1910 and says she's happy to be back. Her old family home is now the Catholic Student Center of San Antonio College.

"San Antonio is still a laid-back, relaxed town, although it's grown so much," she said. "I'm amazed how many old friends are still left over from my old days."

She's been invited to teas but insists she is not "the crystal-chandelier type who likes formal gatherings." She'd much rather "sit back and exchange wisecracks."

Her wisecracking led to some of her most renowned works, such as her tour de force "Swan Lake" performed in the dance idiom of India.

"After seeing 'Swan Lake' in New York, I went to the Russian Tea Room and ran into dance critic Anatole Chujoy and told him the performance had no more sense of pantomime and ballet than I did cooking a roast," she said. "After I ranted and raved a bit more, he suggested I do it in Indian. I said they'd hang me from the nearest sign post."

"But he pushed me, and I finally did it as a thumb-the-nose gesture at ballet. It drew crowds, and they liked it — even Martha Graham liked it. To my dying day, I won't understand why."

She went on to choreograph ethnic

dance to other famous works — Rimsky-Korsakov's "Scheherazade," Vivaldi's "Four Seasons," Debussy's "Iberia," even Bach concertos — and they were all not only well-received but left Indian dance firmly entrenched in New York City.

For her contribution to dance, La Meri received the coveted Capezio Dance Award in 1972. In 1973, the governor of Texas cited her with ceremonial honors for her artistic achievements.

"Fame is not something I ever strived for," she said matter-of-factly. "You work for work and to make it perfect. You perform the best you can, and you hope the audience will play ball with you."

And they did, but no longer are performers doing what La Meri did at the height of her career.

"It's sad that no one is still doing a variety of ethnic dances because I

think the average public can learn quite a lot from justapose dancing," she said. "They could see the interrelationships there and not just the theories. A picture is worth a thousand words and that goes for dancing, too."

La Meri gave her costumes to Duquesne University in Philadelphia, but many of her personal letters and other papers reside in the archives of the San Antonio Library. Someday the international dolls she collected on her world tours may be placed there, too. But for now they're on display in her living room.

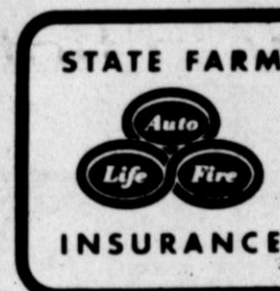
"I've had a full life with no regrets," she said. "I'm so damned old, and have been looking death in the face for so long that I don't care if I'm remembered or not. But I hope what I have done and my books will help someone by cutting the little shorter. I hope that I have been useful."

**Pheasant Hunters Lunch**  
**Saturday**  
**11:30-1:30**  
**December 8th**  
**Community Building at Easter**

**Hot Delicious Bar-B-Q**  
**& All the Trimmings**  
**\$5<sup>00</sup> per plate**  
**Sponsored by the**  
**Lions Club of Easter**



*"Good service,  
good coverage,  
good price—  
That's State Farm  
insurance."*



**JERRY SHIPMAN**  
801 North Main  
364 - 3161

*Like a good neighbor,  
State Farm is there.*

State Farm Insurance Companies • Home Offices, Bloomington, Illinois

## Tax proposals

### Regan says plan 'fair'

NEW YORK (AP) — "They're fair," said Treasury Secretary Donald Regan in describing his tax proposals, knowing that what makes sense and justice to some will be considered outrageous by others.

Among the former are millions of individual taxpayers who would find their liability decreased by an average of 8.5 percent, and in the case of the poorest, by almost a third.

And among the latter are those who have become accustomed to investment tax credits, accelerated depreciation, lower taxes on capital gains, tax shelters, writeoffs for business entertainment and the like.

The sense of elation and anger is accentuated by surprise and even a degree of confusion, since the Reagan administration generally has been associated with the philosophy that incentives to business mean benefits to all.

The Treasury proposal would take away many of those incentives, some of them designed to make the private sector stronger and more able to rebuild the nation's weakened industrial power.

Among the disgruntled: —Venture capitalists, who take great risks in financing new companies in order to earn great capital gains, which under the Regan proposal would be taxed at a higher rate.

—Real estate promoters who design projects as tax writeoffs, some structuring their schemes to produce tax deductions several times the investment, rather than as economically sound businesses.

—Manufacturers who have earned tax deductions by making expensive investments in plant and machinery, the better, it is claimed, to improve

their productivity and strengthen their ability to compete.

—Individual borrowers who have found it better to spend than to save, in view of the tax-deductibility of all interest payments, which would be limited under the Treasury's proposals.

Some such taxpayers claim that to remove tax incentives is to dull the edge of entrepreneurship, new-business formation, creativity and innovation, all deemed necessary for private-sector growth.

Since private-sector growth is a tenet of the administration's economic doctrine, they may feel confused and even betrayed. But not all business people are likely to agree. Instead, they feel such tax breaks are unfair.

Service companies — those not engaged in the production of manufactured goods — have long argued that tax incentives for investments in machinery, followed by tax deductions for depreciating that machinery — exclude them.

Existing real estate operators have wondered how government, through tax breaks unavailable to them, could finance new competition, especially of structures that might never stand on their own as viable financial entities.

Sound business people have also wondered about the justice of tax-deductible "business" lunches at which no business is conducted, and of the increasing tendency to avoid taxes by structuring executive income as benefits.

But those who enjoy and benefit from tax incentives do have a fairness argument. If the taxation ground rules are to be changed, how does Washington propose to protect those who structured affairs according to the old rules?

## A Word of Appreciation

We would like to express our appreciation for the quick action of the Hereford Police Dept. for the apprehension of the burglar caught inside our shop.

Thank you.

**Jay &  
Gennelle Ward**  
**T-Shirt Corner**



**All**  
**Free Standing Fireplaces**  
**In Stock Reduced To**  
**1981 Invoice Prices**

**Here are just a few examples:**

36" Zero Clearance Fireplace w/ glass doors ..... **\$300<sup>00</sup>**  
Carousel Wood Burning Stove Glass Enclosed ..... **\$630<sup>00</sup>**

Sale Starts Wed., Dec. 5th

Hours: Mon. thru Fri. 8-12 1-5.

If your schedule conflicts with our hours, please feel free to call for an appointment

**R&R Fireplace Corner**

519 E. Park

364-0788

# China reshaping state-run economy

By JEFF BRADLEY Associated Press Writer

PEKING (AP) — Leader Deng Xiaoping calls it "socialism with Chinese characteristics," but for the world's most populous Communist country, it's like another revolution.

"In the past we used to eat from the same iron rice bowl, but that's been smashed and replaced with porcelain," said Peking factory worker Zhang Yaoming, 38, describing how Deng's invocation to work hard and get rich has eclipsed the late Chairman Mao Tse-tung's egalitarianism.

From now on, under reforms adopted Oct. 20 by the Communist Party Central Committee, the nation's 1 million urban businesses will compete in the marketplace even if "only the best survive."

The urban reforms come five years after Deng began dismantling rural communes and permitting farmers to contract their own plots of land to make money, a transformation that has enabled some peasants to acquire cars and telephones.

City dwellers, crammed in tiny apartments and living on fixed wages, watched while millions of peasants built multi-story brick villas thanks to a 130-percent increase in income since 1978.

Deng seeks to raise living standards in a dash toward a modernized, consumer society, steamrolling past leftist opposition which may outlive him and haunt his successors.

Moscow has signaled its disapproval of the departure from Soviet-type central planning. The official Soviet Communist Party newspaper Pravda contended that China's reforms would undermine Communist ideology and lead to unemployment and inflation as in the capitalist world.

But the 80-year-old Deng is in a hurry to show China can absorb "some capitalism."

That belief got him purged from high office in 1966 and 1976, but he emerged in 1978 as the overall leader of what now is a nation of 1 billion people.

Deng wants to quadruple national output by the end of the century and raise annual per capita income to the equivalent of \$800, from \$160 last year.

His blueprint is a far cry from

Western-style capitalism: the state still runs most major industries and controls the land.

But within this framework, go-getters from the chicken farmer to the factory manager can prosper.

China has attracted \$8 billion in foreign investment, most of it in the past five years. Cheap labor and a potentially vast domestic market lure investors into braving a quagmire of legal, financial and bureaucratic hurdles.

"To survive the new competition, we need advanced technology and advanced management," said Zhu Tanlin, director of the Peking People's Machinery Plant. Reforms at the factory include a bonus system, floating wages, management's right to hire and fire and a two-year contract for factory boss Zhu instead of a job for life.

A key change is that Chinese businesses will now pay taxes and keep profits to reinvest or use for

employees instead of handing over all proceeds to the state.

For the inefficient, the new system means penalties unknown when everybody earned the same. The government says unprofitable factories will be closed, mediocre managers fired and lazy employees deprived of bonuses or dismissed.

The reforms include reducing from 120 to 60 the industries run by state planners. The list of farm products for which the state sets quotas and

prices has been slashed by two-thirds to 10.

The five-year delay in taking the plunge in the cities reflects high risks, especially in price reform.

The idea is that market forces will boost demand for the best products, encourage output and help determine realistic prices.

But the party says price reform will happen gradually, starting with higher raw material and mineral costs which industries should absorb.

Real incomes will be protected, the party says, and the role of intellectuals and technicians rewarded.

For old-style Communists, Deng's whole package is too much.

In a barrage of defensive statements, Deng and his backers implicitly acknowledge opposition, especially from party and government officials appointed during the Cultural Revolution who fear losing their sway over contracts, jobs and housing.

Items Available At TG&Y Family Centers Only.

## Have Yourself a TG&Y Christmas

### Wrap up your Christmas for less! It's our holiday sale & clearance.



**\$10** Tops Compare at \$29 to \$52  
**\$13** Bottoms Compare at \$34 to \$66  
**\$16** Jackets Compare at \$68 to \$96

**Famous Maker Coordinates:** now you can have an entire outfit for less than \$40! Long or short sleeve blouses or sweaters, skirts, trousers, walking shorts, blazers or sweater jackets. Sizes 4-16. Not all styles available in all stores.



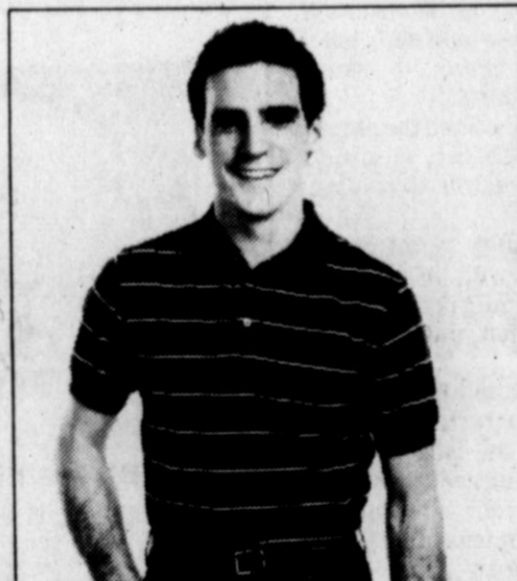
**\$9** each Compare at \$24 to \$42  
**Ladies' Name Brand Shirts,** now you can wrap one up this Christmas for less. Long sleeve woven shirts in regular or oversized styles. Assorted fabric blends in several solids, stripes, plaids and prints. Sizes 4-16. Not all styles available in all stores.



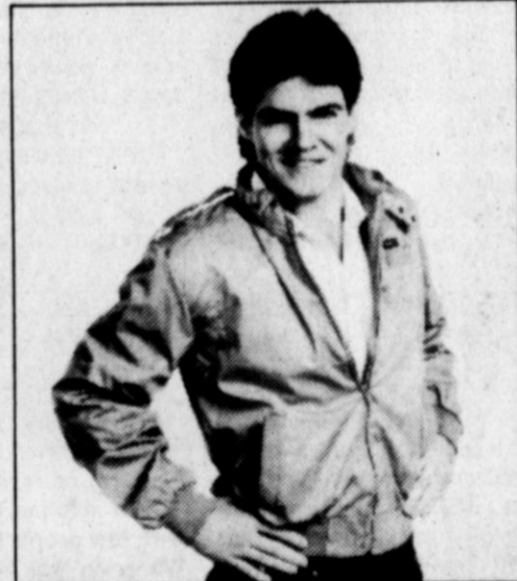
**30% off** Entire stock Jr./Missy long sleeve Woven Shirts  
**Junior or Missy Tops,** a perfect gift idea priced right for Christmas. Choose from an assortment of solids, plaids and stripes, sizes 5/6 to 18. **Reg. 7.99 to 17.99** Not all styles available in all stores.



**\$15** Reg. 24.99  
**Save \$10 on a Junior/Missy Corduroy Blazer.** 2-button front in brown, navy, berry or tan. Sizes 3-13 or 8-18.



**\$9** each Reg. 11.99-13.99  
**Save \$3 to \$5 on Men's Short Sleeve Knit Shirts.** Polyester/cotton blends in stripes or solids. Sizes S-XL. Styles may vary.



**\$15** Reg. 19.99  
**Men's Designer Jacket** now \$5 off. Popular throat-latch styling in assorted heather colors. Sizes S-XL.



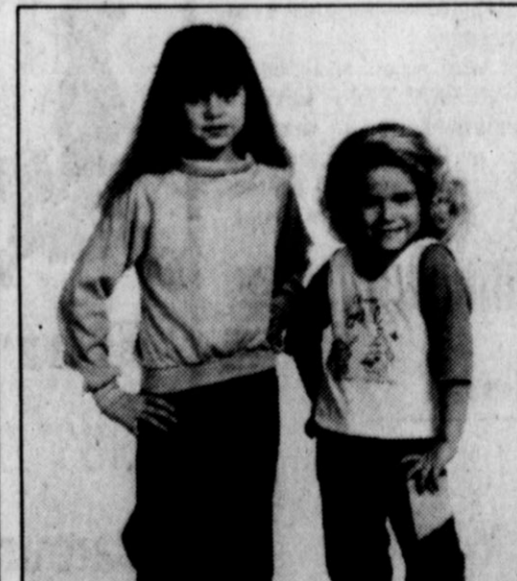
**\$9** each Values to \$20  
**Men's Fashion Jean or Casual Pant,** rear pocket design jean or assorted style pant. Selection may vary by store.



**30% off** Jr./Missy Skirts Reg. 10.99-16.99  
**Save now on an assortment of Jr./Missy Skirts.** Styles include twill, polyester gabardine and more. Sizes 3-13 or 8-18.



**\$15** Compare at \$50-\$60  
**Ladies' Famous Maker Jogging Suit.** Knit or velour styles. Sizes S-M-L. Not available in all stores, styles may vary by store.



**\$5** each  
**Girls' Knit Top** Sizes 4-6x or 7-14  
**Long Sleeve Knit Top** in several styles.  
**Girls' Denim Skirts,** our entire selection. Sizes 4-6x or 7-14, **now \$6.**



**\$8** Girls' Fashion Pant Sizes 7-14  
**Girls' Fashion Pant** in polyester/cotton blends. Several styles to choose from. **Girls' 4-6x, now \$6.**

Not available in all stores. While quantities last. Sorry, no rainchecks.

A HOUSEHOLD INTERNATIONAL COMPANY

# TG&Y Family Centers

Copyright 1984 TG&Y Stores Co.

TG&Y insists upon your satisfaction. If you are not happy with what you purchase, return it with your sales receipt. We will cheerfully exchange it or fully refund your money. If for unforeseen reasons advertised merchandise is not available, we will be glad to offer you a like item of comparable quality and value when possible. Most advertised items are reduced from our everyday low prices. Some merchandise is in limited quantities and available only while supply lasts. We reserve the right to limit quantities. We will be happy to accept your personal check, MasterCard, Visa or cash. We want you to be glad you shopped TG&Y.



### Letters to the Editor

Dear editor:

Because THE HEREFORD BRAND does such an excellent job of reporting and publicizing activities of local clubs and individuals, I am hesitant to complain about THE BRAND's policy of printing women's names without a courtesy title.

Years ago, in a P.E. class, when I first was addressed by my last name only, I did not like it. I still don't. To me, it is a masculine form of address, which is lacking in respect when applied to a woman.

A friend told me that she was unhappy to see her own name printed this way, but she was furious to see her mother's so treated. She felt that her mother's years alone rated more respect.

In an article in which both a woman and her husband are featured, using last names only can be confusing. While reading such articles in THE BRAND, at least twice I've had to read to the next pronoun to learn whether the name referred to the husband or the wife. I blame this lack of clarity, not on the writer, but on THE BRAND's policy.

My guess is that this is a result of some of the cacophony of the militant feminists of the NOW (National Organization of Women) persuasion.

I hope local women, who prefer to see a woman's name in print preceded by a courtesy title or her given name, will let you know about it.

Sincerely yours,  
 Mary E. Williamson  
 Rt. 4, Hereford, Tx.  
 364-1933

Dear Mrs. Williamson:

Hooray for your stand! The Brand arbitrarily started this policy when it was changed in the Associated Press stylebook. Personally, I have never liked it and agree that it can be confusing in articles where only last names are used.

I, too, hope local women will let us know about their preference. We may change back to using the courtesy title anyway.

Sincerely,  
 O.G. Nieman, Editor

**MUSEUM GETS GRANT**  
**NEW YORK (AP)** — The Henry Luce Foundation Inc. recently awarded \$2.5 million to the Metropolitan Museum of Art toward the creation of the study center in the Museum's American Wing.

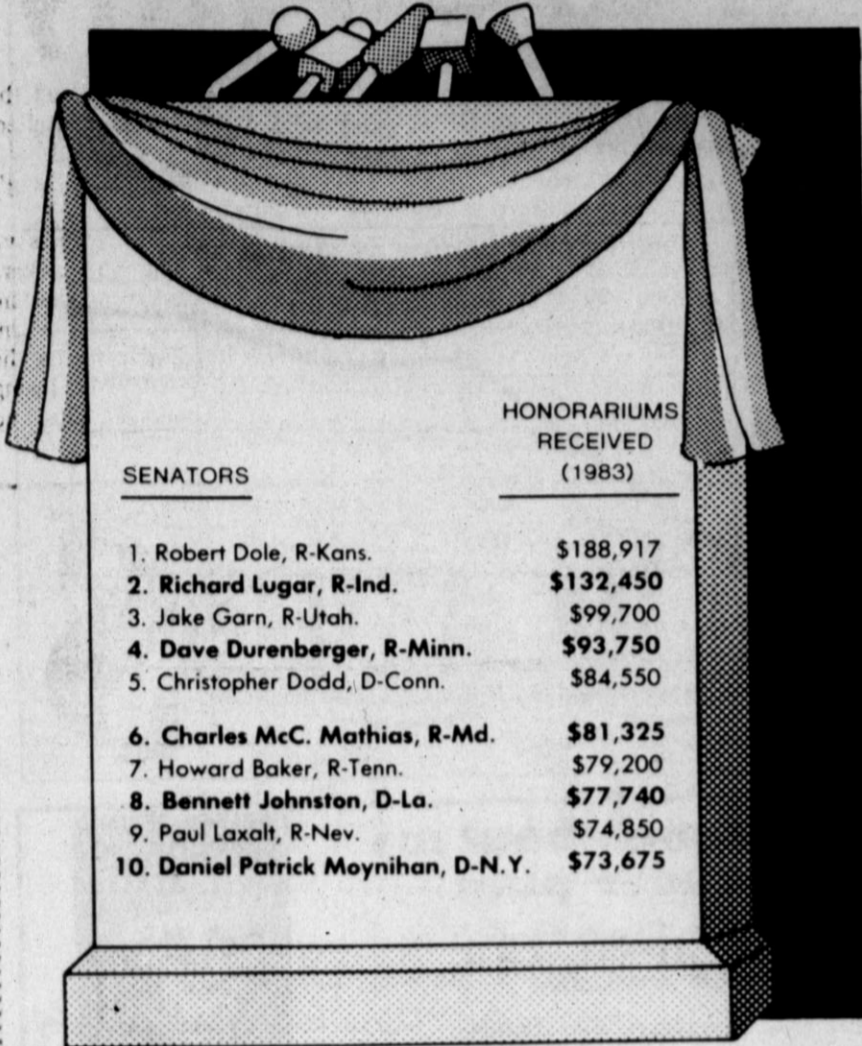
The center is the final major component in the building of the new wing, which opened in 1980. It will make room available for some 8,000 objects.

The new facilities are tentatively set to open in the fall of 1985.



## SENATE'S TOP 'MOONLIGHTERS'

They earned most in speaking fees



SENATORS	HONORARIUMS RECEIVED (1983)
1. Robert Dole, R-Kans.	\$188,917
2. Richard Lugar, R-Ind.	\$132,450
3. Jake Garn, R-Utah.	\$99,700
4. Dave Durenberger, R-Minn.	\$93,750
5. Christopher Dodd, D-Conn.	\$84,550
6. Charles McC. Mathias, R-Md.	\$81,325
7. Howard Baker, R-Tenn.	\$79,200
8. Bennett Johnston, D-La.	\$77,740
9. Paul Laxalt, R-Nev.	\$74,850
10. Daniel Patrick Moynihan, D-N.Y.	\$73,675

(Source: U.S. Senate)

NEA GRAPHIC Marilyn Post

## Lawmakers told crunch means spending cuts

AUSTIN (AP) — State universities and junior colleges will face 10 percent to 15 percent cuts in their budgets next year unless the Legislature raises taxes, according to a budget analyst.

"It's a process of elimination," Jim Oliver, director of the Legislative Budget Board, told new members of the Legislature who were convened Friday in Austin for an orientation session. "Higher education is all that's left to cut."

Such large cuts would make it almost impossible for some University of Texas campuses around the state to operate effectively and would lead to layoffs of non-academic personnel, UT officials said.

Oliver said \$640 million must be cut at the Dec. 12 budget board meeting to keep the state budget within projected revenues of \$26 billion for the next two years.

The budget board, which includes Lt. Gov. Bill Hobby and House Speaker Gib Lewis, recommends expenditures to the Legislature.

Oliver said key lawmakers on the budget board have ruled out — at

least for now — cuts in state funding for public school districts, highways, prisons, mental health, and the Department of Human Resources.

Prisons and mental health are under federal court orders that dictate expensive improvements. Lawmakers also raised taxes this summer for public education and highways and appear reluctant to retreat from those commitments.

Oliver said those decisions force the \$640 million in cuts to come from higher education.

Gerald Hill, UT lobbyist, said the cuts would hurt UT medical branches and senior colleges experiencing fast growth in enrollment, particularly in Arlington and San Antonio.

Oliver said a tuition increase would help the revenue problems, but would not be the state's salvation. Rep. Wilhelmina Delco, an Austin Democrat, is expected to carry a bill to raise tuition at state colleges.

Two members of the budget board, Sen. John Traeger of Seguin and Rep. Jim Rudd of Brownfield, disagreed over whether the Legislature will pass a tax bill because of pressure from constituents and state agencies.

"The speaker and myself have promised we will deliver to the floor of the House an appropriations bill without new taxes," said Rudd, chairman of the House Appropriations Committee.

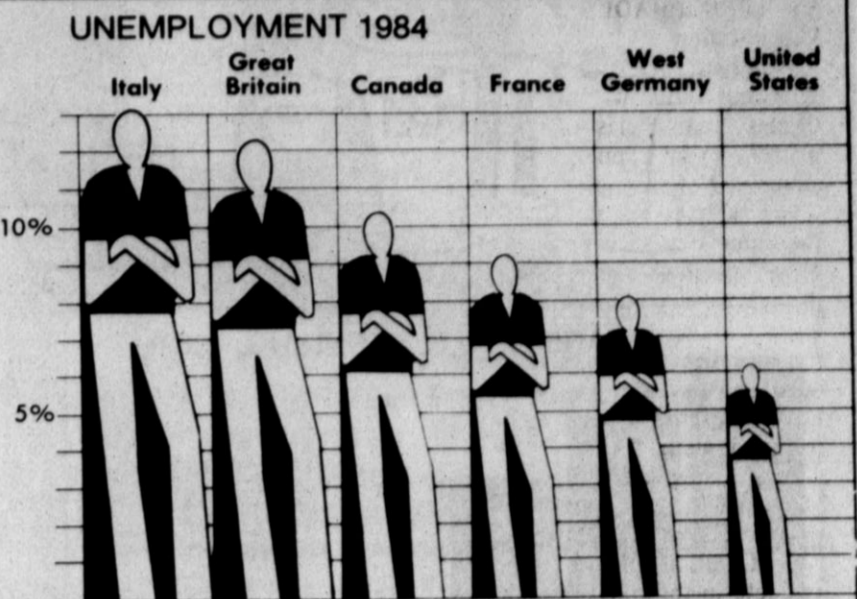
But Traeger, a 22-year veteran of the Legislature and a member of the Senate Finance Committee, said a tax bill is inevitable.

"We're not going to get out of the session without a tax bill," he said. "You won't believe the weeping, wailing, and gnashing of teeth you're going to hear from every agency and good cause in the state."

He said the easiest way to get new revenue would be to increase the sales tax to 4½ percent. The tax was raised from 4 to 4½ percent in the summer special session.

## THE WEST'S JOBLESS

U.S. is lowest in unemployment



When should a woman Dingo?



When she's active, adventurous and stands on her own two feet. Her confidence shows — right down to the great-looking Dingo boots she wears.

Reg. \$50<sup>00</sup>  
Now \$35<sup>00</sup>

your **dingo** store

Open Thursday Till 7:00 p.m.

**WEST TEXAS WESTERN STORE**

Happy Hi-Way in Canyon  
East Hi-Way 60 Hereford



From Texas papers

## Editorial viewpoints offered

By The Associated Press

Here is a sampling of excerpts from editorials around the state:

### MEXICO NEEDS REGULATION

It was the worst kind of dream imaginable, and it came true. One moment, families were going about their daily business. Minutes later, more than 300 were dead.

The tragedy in Tlalneantla, a northern suburb of Mexico City, is difficult to absorb. ... It is frightening to watch these scenes, shown again and again on television. But it also is comforting to know that, because of strict industry and federal regulations, such an explosion is unlikely in this country. ... The government has set stringent procedures for the handling of volatile materials, so that even if a fire occurs, it is easily contained. Sadly, such is not so in Mexico. ... Perhaps now, after this great tragedy, a move will be made in Mexico to strengthen regulations. AND there will be no more catastrophes.

—El Paso Times

### RIGHT TO WORK

In the interpretation of results from the recent election, a pretty strong case can be made that one thing the outcome reflected was a reaffirmation of the right to work principle for American workers.

Reed Larson of the National Right to Work Committee is quick to state that case. He said that "working Americans buried Big Labor's hand-picked presidential candidate in a coast-to-coast electoral landslide. By giving an estimated 47 percent of their votes to President Reagan, union members also dramatically underscored the injustice of Big Labor's forced-dues-financed campaign for Walter Mondale."

—Tyler Morning Telegraph

### INCREASE ABUSE PENALTY

It may become necessary for Texas and other states to increase the severity of penalties for child

abuse, even to requiring the death penalty in flagrant cases involving physical and sexual assault.

Most jurors have no compunction about assessing the death penalty in flagrant cases like one reported in Houston in which a 6-year-old girl was raped by friends of her father, who was said to be a participant and instigator of the heinous crime.

Sexual assaults on small children have become commonplace across the nation and must be stopped. No penalty for such acts could be worse than the crime itself. ... The state Legislature will be derelict if it does not closely examine this issue and act accordingly.

—Baytown Sun

### TAPS FOR TIP?

White-maned Thomas "Tip" O'Neill has become a caricature of the Democratic Party over the years. The image of the hulking congressman from Massachusetts is especially easy to equate with the years of free spending and big government associated with a bygone era. Now the speaker of the House is taking on an even more frazzled look and it's reflecting on his party.

Though nothing is likely to come of it, a movement is afoot to oust O'Neill as the speaker of the House. ... (His opponents) would like vision and strategy that once again puts them in a role of leadership in the nation's government, rather than one of reacting to changes that have passed them by.

—Waco Tribune-Herald

### MORE RAIN!

Remember when 1984 was considered to be in the running for the driest year in Abilene's history? This year did feature one of the driest springs ever, but — thank goodness! — 1984 now is destined for nothing worse than mediocrity as far as the weather is concerned.

The city has received 18.04 inches of rain as of this month. During 21 of the 98 years in which annual rainfall records have been kept, the city

received less than 18 inches of rain. Thus, 1984 has seen more rain than a fifth of the years in nearly a century.

... It would be tempting, of course, to call upon city officials to relax conservation measures now that Lake Fort Phantom Hill has risen. While the lake has risen, we must think ahead — put something away for a sunny day, so to speak.

—Abilene Reporter-News

### BEACH TRASH AID

The occasional visitor to island beaches has an easy answer for the obvious trash problem: Stop beachgoers from spreading the filth around by fining them a bundle, set up more trash barrels and send more cleanup crews out more often. Unfortunately, doing all those things wouldn't provide a solution.

... Beach litter is costly. There is the obvious cost involved in cleaning it up. Most of that cost falls on coastal taxpayers; that's unfair and should be changed. The state should pick up more of the tab.

—Corpus Christi Caller

The Lutheran Church of America is the largest of the three major Lutheran bodies in the United States. The others are the Lutheran Church-Missouri Synod and the American Lutheran Church.

**PROPERTY ENTERPRISES** 364-6633  
205 S. 25 MILE AVE.  
HEREFORD, TEX. 79045

**A FULL SERVICE AGENCY WORKING FOR YOU!**

AVIS BLAKEY  
VIRGIL SLENTZ

MARK ANDREWS  
JOHN FAULKNER

## Your Money Can Add Up in A Hurry In A Hi-Plains Savings Account!

So, whether you're a small or large investor, make the most of your money and let our savings experts show you how easy it is to watch your money add up in a hurry today!

	Rates Compounded Daily	Yield
★ 90 Day	9.375	9.745
★ 6 Month	10.0	10.426
1 Year	10.25	10.70
18 Month	10.75	11.250
IRA		
18 Month	10.75	11.250

Yield if principal and interest were to remain on deposit for 1 year at this rate. Rate may change at maturity.

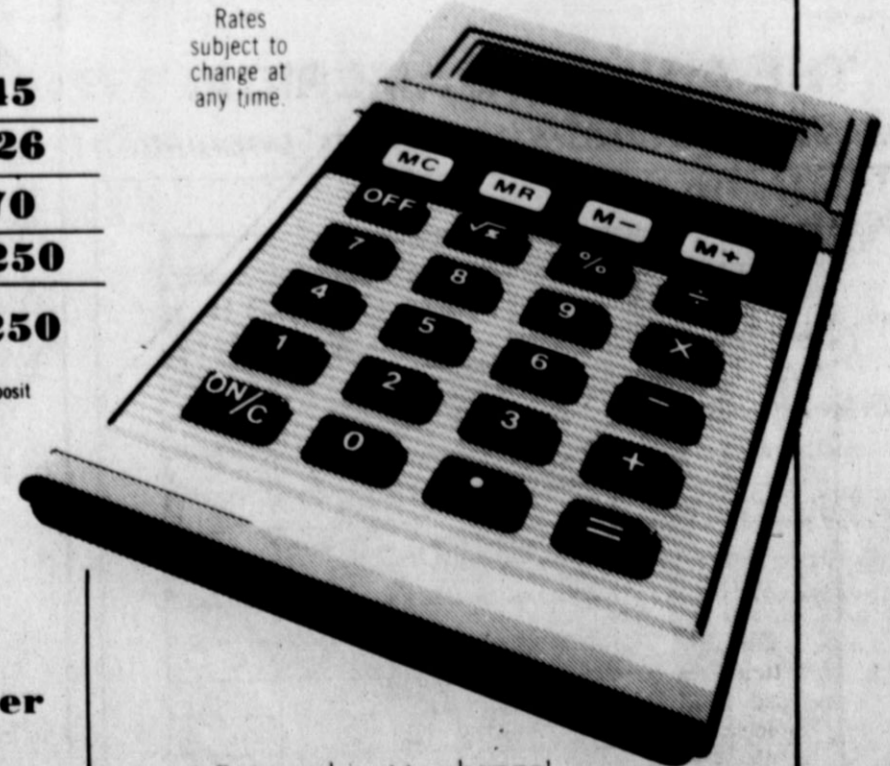


### Hi-Plains Money Maker

\$2,500.00 to \$24,999.99	10.25%
\$25,000.00 to \$49,999.99	10.50%
\$50,000.00 and up	10.75%

May be withdrawn at any time without penalty

Rates subject to change at any time.



Rates subject to change!



Home Office:  
119 East 4th  
Hereford, Texas  
364-3535



**Hi-Plains Savings**  
and Loan Association

Branch Office  
3rd & Bedford  
Dimmitt, Texas  
647-2189



**The Perfect Gift For The Man In Your Life!**

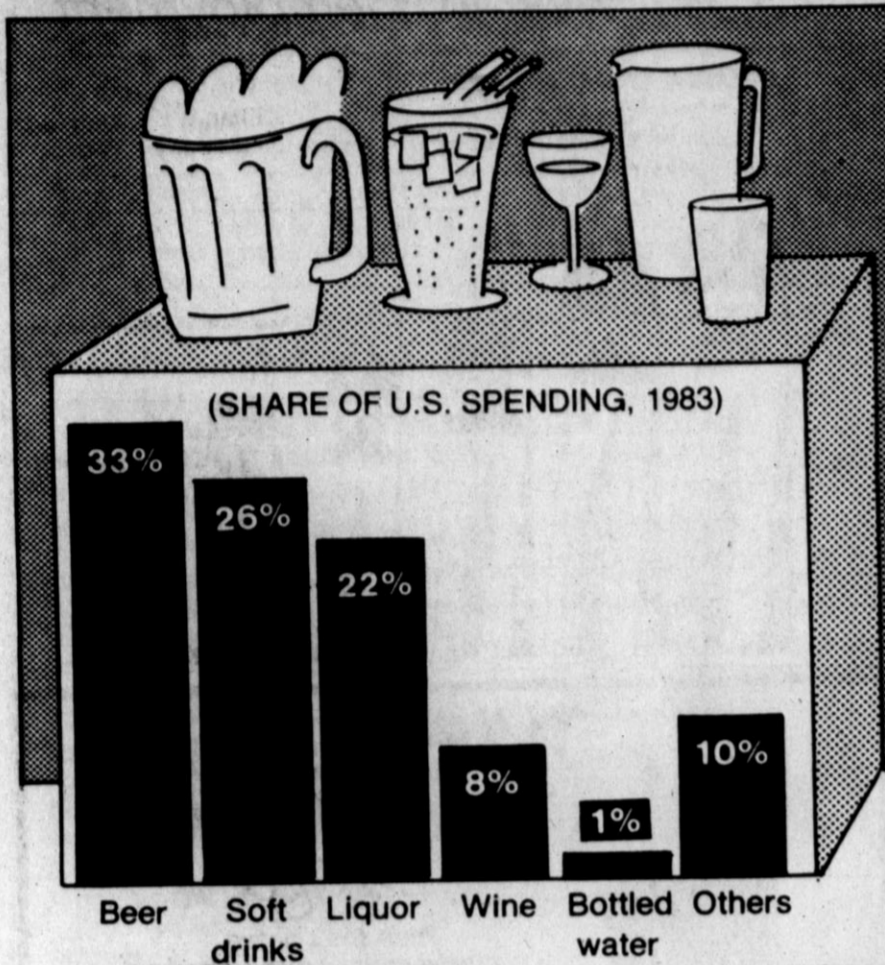
Ear Protectors  
Re-Loading Supplies  
Guns and Knives

Shot Gun Shells  
Pheasant & Duck Loads

**Bill Bradley Photography, Etc.**  
904 E. Park Ave.  
364-2610

## BEVERAGE SPENDING

### Beer takes the biggest gulp



(Source: Beverage World Magazine)

NEA/Moffitt Cecil

What's the favorite drink of Americans? It's beer, according to a new survey. The biggest share of U.S. spending on beverages last year went for beer. Next came soft drinks, liquor, wine and bottled water.

## Battle of Midwest accented by events

By JOHN CUNNIFF AP Business Analyst

NEW YORK (AP) — The battle of the industrial Midwest was accented recently by two events that seem to carry different messages.

In the first, from Peoria, Ill., Caterpillar Tractor Co., in its own way as American as Coca-Cola or Ivory Soap, announced tentative plans to reduce U.S. capacity by transferring some operations abroad.

The goal, said Cat, maker of those bright yellow earthmoving behemoths so familiar at construction sites, was to lower costs and reduce excess capacity.

The other event was disclosure of tentative plans by Mazda Motor Corp., a Japanese automaker, to assemble compact cars at an empty Ford Motor Co. plant near Detroit, joining three other Japanese car-makers with U.S. facilities.

One leaves, the other comes. But the two events are part of the same, larger story that is still unfolding and which, unfortunately, presents more questions than answers.

The fate of Caterpillar, for many years the world's most respected name in heavy earthmoving equipment, may involve U.S. labor and management practices, the dollar, and the trade deficit. In short, competitiveness.

For now, the dollar is the predominant issue. The extraordinarily high price of the dollar in relation to other currencies means that many American goods cannot compete abroad.

Some cannot compete even within U.S. borders, a sorry condition displayed in the balance of trade deficit. For this year alone that deficit will exceed \$100 billion for the first time ever.

A high-priced dollar makes imports relatively inexpensive, and therefore attractive, while making exports relatively more expensive and unattractive.

When this happens, some American companies seek to resolve the problem by moving operations abroad. That is, they export jobs. Cat, for instance, is likely to lay off American workers and hire European personnel.

But if such a problem exists, why should the Japanese switch some of their manufacturing operations to the United States, even to the embattled Midwest, the heartland of heavy manufacturing?

Again, because of the dollar — but more indirectly.

Because the U.S. automotive industry became damaged by Japanese imports, the United States and Japan agreed to quotas. And those quotas have helped the U.S. industry overcome the high-priced dollar problem.

The Japanese have decided in effect that they must come within U.S. borders if they are to sell all the automobiles they wish to sell. In effect, they have decided they must export Japanese jobs to the United States.

But why should all this be necessary? Why is the dollar so high?

The obvious answer is that it is such a good investment. Interest rates are high in the United States, and liking that, foreign investors ship their money to the United States. They invest in dollars, and up goes the price.

The dollar is so high because of high interest rates. But why are interest rates high? Most likely, in part at least, because of the U.S. budget deficits.

Every now, then

## White House blushes

By HARRY F. ROSENTHAL Associated Press Writer

WASHINGTON (AP) — The words of 18th Century French poet Jacques Delille ought to be chiseled into the walls of the Oval Office where every president can see them. For ready solace, if for no other reason.

Roughly translated, Delille said, "We can choose our friends, but fate chooses our relatives."

Every few years, it seems, fate's choice causes the White House to blush in embarrassment.

It happened to Lyndon Johnson when he was president, and to Richard Nixon, and to Jimmy Carter, and now to Ronald Reagan. This time, however, the embarrassment seems self-inflicted.

Right now, the first family set to involve Reagan's closeness, or lack of it, with the son he and his first wife, Jane Wyman, adopted.

Michael Reagan and his stepmother, Nancy, don't seem to get along. She and the president have not set eyes on Michael's daughter in the 19 months of her life as the president's youngest grandchild.

Although the distance between the California Reagans and the White House Reagans has been obvious for some time, it didn't reach critical mass until last week when Mrs. Reagan told a columnist that "there is an estrangement and has been for three years."

Michael responded by saying he was "shocked and hurt" and "it appears to us that Nancy is attempting to justify the fact that Dad and her have not seen their newest grandchild once since her birth."

The White House not-for-attribution machinery churned out a whisper that the 39-year-old stepson was in need of guidance, the bureaucratic way of saying he was

out of line. "That's defamation of character to put that out," Michael then claimed. "I'm like one of the guys in the Cabinet they're trying to ease out."

Family fights, whether they are in the apartment next door or in the nation's best-known house, are painful to observe. And, in the Reagans' case even more so.

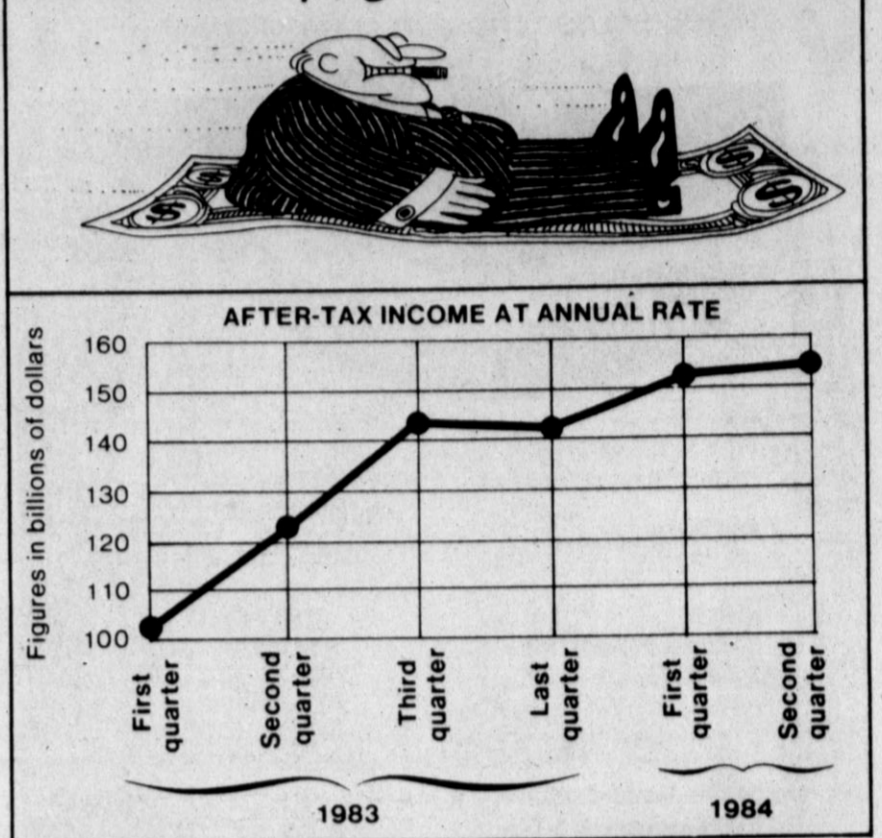
The president is the apostle of traditional family values, using his office as a pulpit to preach togetherness. And his wife has been an activist in the same cause through her well-publicized work with the Foster Grandparents' program and in her campaigns against drug abuse.

So it seems incongruous to learn that Ashley Reagan, the granddaughter, has never been cuddled by either grandparent.

If this airing of the Reagan dirty linens is discomforting, it shows at the least that the president and his wife have the same family problems as many other Americans.

EDITOR'S NOTE — Harry F. Rosenthal has been covering presidents — and their families — since the administration of Harry S. Truman.

## Income is up, growth rate is down



**Ask me about my cancer plan!**

Family Cancer Plan Insurance Company

Hereford, Tx 79045  
Phone: 806-364-3180

Agent Nicky Walser

**Longhorn Sign Co.** *Mobile Shop!*

Painted • Plastic • Wood Carved • Lighted  
Truck Lettering • Screen Printing • Logos

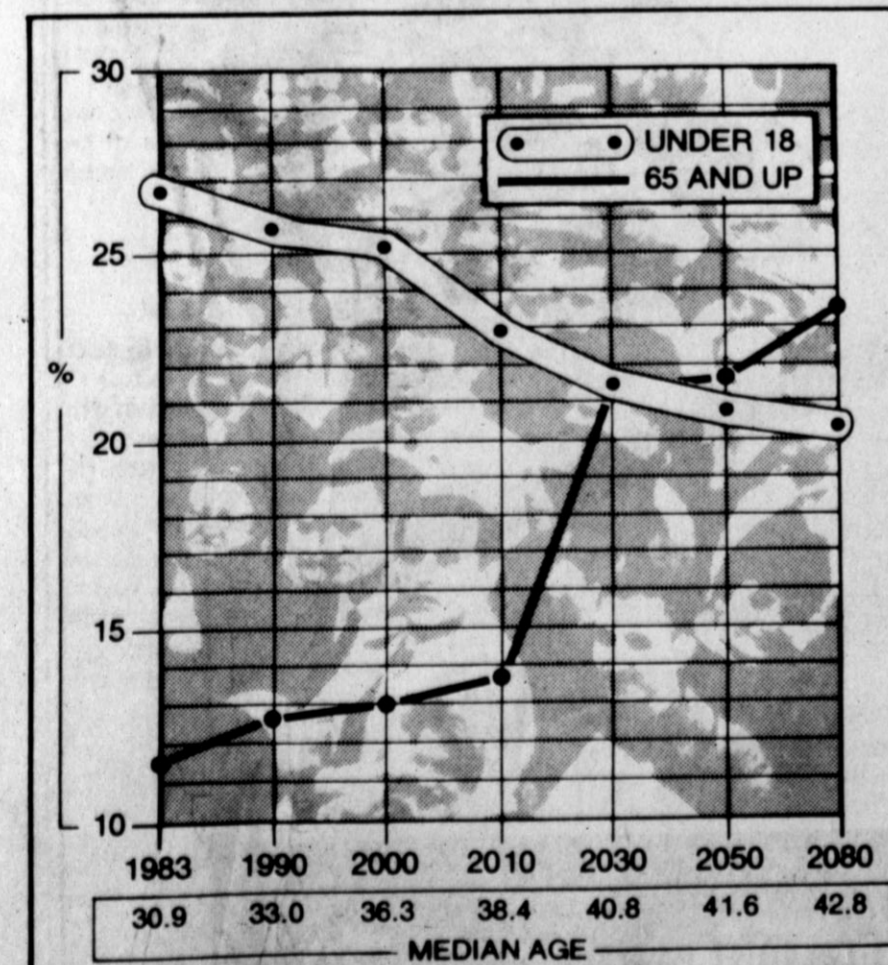
*Fast Service!*

Tom Verner: Owner  
Amarillo, Texas

**FREE ESTIMATES**  
CALL TODAY  
**PHONE:** Hereford (806) 364-9051 Amarillo (806) 379-5102

## THE AGING OF AMERICA

Census Bureau foresees an 'older' population



(Source: U.S. Census Bureau)

NEA GRAPHIC

The U.S. population is aging fast. From 1790 to 1950, the "average American" was under 30 — but by 2080, the median age will have increased to 42.8 and the over-65 group will make up nearly one-quarter of the population, almost double its current share.

**Give a gift that keeps on giving all year long!**

**A Gift Subscription from the Hereford Brand**

Bring this coupon coupon in or phone in. We will send a Christmas card to inform them of their lasting gift.

**SUBSCRIBE NOW!** CALL 364-2030  
ONE YEAR SUBSCRIPTION or Mail to: The Hereford Brand  
**\$34.00** Plus Tax 313 N. Lee, Box 673  
OUTSIDE ADJOINING Hereford, Texas 79045  
COUNTIES  
**\$40.00**  
NAME \_\_\_\_\_  
ADDRESS \_\_\_\_\_  
PHONE \_\_\_\_\_  
WITH COUPON PAYABLE IN ADVANCE



**ALL-SWC announced**

**Wacker wins games, coaching honor**

By DENNE H. FREEMAN  
AP Sports Writer  
DALLAS (AP) — Texas Christian Coach Jim Wacker, who turned the hapless Horned Frogs into the most improved football team in NCAA Division I, has been named The Associated Press Southwest Conference Coach of the Year in balloting by his colleagues.

TCU posted an 8-3 regular season, best by the Horned Frogs in 25 years, and got their first bowl invitation (Bluebonnet) since they played in the Sun Bowl in 1965.

The Horned Frogs were 1-8-2 in Wacker's first year at the TCU helm after building Southwest Texas State into a national small college power.

"That (Coach of the Year) really is an honor and it's more of a reflection of my staff than what Wacker does," Wacker said. "Another reason you get those honors is players play like

crazy. Those are the people responsible. For TCU I'm thrilled.

"We've been fortunate enough to turn it around. It (the award) was very gracious of the other coaches."

Wacker added, "I went out on a limb and said we have to win five or six games this year. I was taking a risk. I had my neck on the chopping block. But we went 8 and 3 and won six in a row. I'm proud."

Kenneth Davis, TCU's junior running back, was named The AP's SWC Offensive Player of the Year with his 1,611 yards rushing. Davis scored 15 touchdowns and averaged 7.6 yards per carry, best in the nation.

Davis, a junior from Temple, Texas, finished second rushing nationally.

The Defensive Player of the Year was Texas safety Jerry Gray, of Lubbock, a senior who had six interceptions.

Southern Methodist landed seven players on the mythical first team of offense and defense while TCU had six.

The first team Mustangs included quarterback Don King, running back Reggie Dupard, tackle Dale Hellestrae, guard Andrew Campbell, center Chris Jackson, defensive lineman Jerry Ball, and linebacker Anthony Beverley.

Besides Davis, the Horned Frog first team contingent included wide receiver James Maness, tackle James Benson, tight end Dan Sharp,

and defensive backs Sean Thomas and Byron Linwood.

Other first teamers on offense included wide receiver James Shibest and guard Marcus Elliott, both of Arkansas, and placekicker Jeff Ward of Texas.

Other defensive first teamers were linemen Ray Childress of Texas A&M, T.J. Turner of Houston, Ervin

Randle of Baylor, linebacker Dwayne Jiles of Texas, defensive

backs Kevin Wyatt of Arkansas and Audrey McMillian of Houston.

The punter was John Teltschik of Texas.

Newcomer of the Year on offense was TCU's Tony Jefferey and Newcomer of the Year on defense was Arkansas' Tony Chericco.

**Easy Two**

Susan Gage gets a layup for La Plata's eighth graders in Friday's junior high tourney action. Theresa Brown arrives on the scene a little late for Stanton.

**NHL roundup**

**Visitors not welcome**

By BARRY WILNER  
AP Sports Writer  
Home ice wasn't so sweet for National Hockey League teams. In fact, the road continued to be rather kind to two of them — the St. Louis Blues and Edmonton Oilers.

None of the visiting teams lost Friday night in NHL action. St. Louis, Edmonton and the New York Islanders, each of which has struggled away from home this season, were winners, while Toronto and Montreal managed road ties.

**Blues 5, Red Wings 3**

St. Louis was 9-27-4 on the road last season. This year, the Blues are 7-6-1 in away games, joining Edmonton, Los Angeles and Philadelphia as the NHL's only above-.500 road squads. They're also only one point behind first-place Chicago in the Norris Division.

"Any time we go on the road we're going to play a tight game," said Wickenheiser, who scored a shorthanded goal and one into an empty net. "At home, other teams like to entertain their fans. That's what hockey is — entertainment."

**Oilers 4, Whalers 2**

Edmonton scored its third straight road win to go 8-2-2 away from Northlands Coliseum and 18-3-3 overall. The Stanley Cup champions trailed 2-1 after two periods, then Wayne Gretzky set up Krushelnyski's tying goal and the winner by Jari Kurri 3:15 later. Krushelnyski clinched it with 4:22 to go.

The Whalers are 2-8-2 in their last 12 games and have been outscored 52-29 in that stretch.

**Islanders 5, Jets 2**

Billy Smith stopped 47 shots and the Isles made the most of their 22 at goalie Brian Hayward. Flatley's linemates, John Tonelli (a goal and three assists) and Brent Sutter (a goal and two assists) helped the line total nine points. The Islanders were 2-7-1 away from Long Island entering the game.

**Canadiens 2, Sabres 2**

All the scoring came in the second period as Montreal prevented former Canadiens Coach Scotty Bowman

from tying Dick Irvin's all-time coaching victories mark of 690. Bowman has been on hold since Nov. 16 as the Sabres have gone 0-4-2.

**Maple Leafs 3, Rangers 3**

Leafs Coach Dan Maloney gambled by lifting goalie Allan Bester, who made 37 saves in a superb effort, with 1:50 left. The strategy paid off when Vaive put a wrist shot between the pads of goalie Glen Hanlon to produced the tie.

Reijo Ruotsalainen had two goals for New York, 1-7-1 in its last nine games. Toronto had lost four straight.

**Hockey**

By The Associated Press  
WALEAS CONFERENCE

Patrick Division

	W	L	T	Pts.	GF	GA
Philadelphia	14	4	4	32	100	58
NY Islanders	13	8	1	27	113	95
Washington	9	8	5	23	81	73
NY Rangers	8	11	2	18	79	93
New Jersey	7	12	2	16	68	87
Pittsburgh	6	12	3	15	75	96

Adams Division

Montreal	13	5	4	30	84	67
Boston	11	10	1	23	81	71
Quebec	11	11	1	23	86	90
Buffalo	9	10	4	22	87	81
Hartford	8	11	3	19	70	91

CAMPBELL CONFERENCE

Norris Division

Chicago	11	11	2	24	97	90
St. Louis	11	9	1	23	81	76
Minnesota	8	10	5	21	84	93
Detroit	6	13	3	15	81	99
Toronto	4	15	4	12	71	110

Smythe Division

Edmonton	18	3	3	39	126	71
Calgary	14	8	1	29	113	85
Los Angeles	11	9	3	25	102	87
Winnipeg	11	8	2	24	90	79
Vancouver	4	19	2	10	76	153

Late Game Not Included  
Friday's Games

St. Louis 5, Detroit 3  
Edmonton 4, Hartford 2  
Montreal 2, Buffalo 2, tie  
Toronto 3, N.Y. Rangers 3, tie  
N.Y. Islanders at Winnipeg, (n)

**Share holiday spirit with beautiful Christmas cards!**

Share the love and warmth of Christmas with friends and family near and far. Hallmark Christmas cards tell so much about how you feel. Shop from our large selection of unique designs.



Also Leanin Tree Box Cards (Western Style)

McDowell Pharmacy & Gifts  
Hallmark  
336 N. Main 364-1313

Having Trouble Finding A Turkey? Maybe we can help during our

**Great Turkey Give-Away**

We will be giving away a turkey everyday (except Sundays) now until Christmas. Be sure to register in the meat market.

Drawings will be held at 5 p.m. everyday in the meat market.



YOUR ONE-STOP

**Holiday SHOP**

**Flower Kids Doll**  
12<sup>88</sup>  
Reg. \$16<sup>88</sup>

**Tree Lights**  
100's  
5-Way flasher  
Clear & Assorted  
4<sup>88</sup>

**Boy's Bicycle**  
20 Inch Hot Wheel  
74<sup>88</sup>

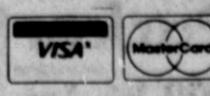
**Christmas Bows**  
25 Count Bag  
59<sup>c</sup>

**Girl's Bicycle**  
Pink & White  
20 Inch  
74<sup>88</sup>

**Radio with Headset**  
7<sup>88</sup>

**Lighted Religious Pictures**  
12" X 16"  
11<sup>69</sup>  
**Boy's Bicycle**  
10-Speed  
109<sup>88</sup>

"Serves You Better Saves you More"  
**M.E. Moses Co.**  
Sugarland Mall



**Bridal Registry The Funny Farm**

Sugarland Mall  
364-5812

Carol Maloney  
bride elect of  
Terry Scolley

Dalia Frausto  
bride elect of  
Belen Ramirez

Donna Reinart  
bride of  
Bryan Reinart

Mendy Rogers  
bride elect of  
Ed Wandling

Christie Artho  
bride elect of  
Barry Josseland

Rhenalea Beck  
bride of  
Curt Beck

Melanie Peeler  
bride elect of  
Trace Taylor

Carri Thompson  
bride elect of  
Russell Yearwood

Lisa Osburn  
bride of  
Clay Osburn

Winter convention covenes

# Baseball trades figure unlikely at meeting

By JOHN NELSON AP Sports Writer

HOUSTON (AP) — The annual winter cotillion of baseball's owners and general managers may be limited to slow dances this year, some of them say, because it's becoming more and more difficult to find suitable partners for major deals.

"We've been trying for a week to do something," San Diego Padres General Manager Jack McKeon said, "but it takes two to tango."

The same tune was on the mind of new Montreal General Manager Murray Cook.

"We finished in fifth place," he said. "I think that's an indication that some things need to be done."

Baseball's yearly winter convention convenes Monday in Houston and runs through the end of the week. The interleague trading deadline is 6 p.m. EST Friday, but if the general trend continues, there will be little swapping to fill those five days.

Action appears likely on several other fronts, however.

Owners will be trying to unite their efforts on negotiating a new Basic Agreement with the Major League Players Association. The current agreement, which ended the seven-week players' strike of 1981, expires on Dec. 31.

Commissioner Peter Ueberroth, who took office on Oct. 1, would like to address what he considers the gravest problem facing the financial health of major league baseball — television's "superstations."

Also on the agenda will be the prospect of expansion, perhaps to as many as six cities, four in the National League and two in the American League. No action will be taken on this issue, however, until the matter of a new labor agreement is settled.

In addition, the problems of violence on the field, drugs and gambling will be discussed.

Last year in Nashville, Tenn., 34 players changed hands in 16 separate transactions. That was slightly up from the year before when only 22 players were involved in eight deals at the Honolulu meetings.

Many baseball people suspect that the introduction of free agency has slowed winter trading. Clubs wait to see where the free agents land before they attempt to strike other deals. Some statistics support the theory.

During the 1975 meetings, there were 23 transactions involving 64 players. In 1976, the first year of the free-agent re-entry draft, there were 14 trades involving 39 players. The trend since 1976 has been generally downward, with a few exceptions.

"There are some pretty big free agents hanging out there," Oakland A's President Roy Eisenhardt said, "and they usually have a tendency to clog up club's plans."

Among the most highly sought free agents are National League Cy Young winner Rick Sutcliffe, reliever Bruce Sutter, designated hitter Andre Thornton and outfielders Fred Lynn and Lee Lacy.

Sutcliffe's agent, Barry Axelrod of Encinitas, Calif., said Sutcliffe probably will attend the convention and might meet with representatives of the California Angels and Atlanta Braves. Sutcliffe already has met with Kansas City and San Diego, and Axelrod continues to stay in touch with the Chicago Cubs, for whom Sutcliffe played last year.

Sutter, who apparently has ruled out his old club, the St. Louis Car-

dinals, appeared close to a deal last week with the Braves. Thornton is being heavily wooed by the Baltimore Orioles.

"I'd like to know where we are

## Four finalists selected in Lombardi vote

HOUSTON (AP) — One of four collegiate players, Pittsburgh's Bill Fralic, Clemson's William Perry, Texas' Tony Degrate or Southern Cal's Jack Del Rio, will be named winner this week of the 15th annual Lombardi Award, symbolic of the nation's outstanding lineman.

The finalists were selected by a 217-member national selection committee of coaches and sports writers. The winner will be announced at a benefit dinner Thursday night at the Shamrock Hilton hotel.

The award is named in honor of former Green Bay Coach Vince Lombardi, who died of cancer. Proceeds from the \$125-per plate dinner go to the American Cancer Society.

Fralic was a finalist for the award last year when the honor went to Nebraska's Dean Steinkuhler, who became a first-round choice of the National Football League Houston Oilers.

Fralic, a 6-5, 285 offensive tackle, is called by Pitt Coach Fogge Fazio "one of the best players at his position in college football history."

Fralic, a senior from Penn Hills, Pa., finished eighth in the Heisman Trophy voting in 1983 in addition to his runnerup role in the Lombardi balloting.

Degrade, a senior defensive tackle from Snyder, Texas, has been a steady force for the Longhorns this season.

"Last year going against him was like trying to block an oak tree," Texas Coach Fred Akers said. "In 1984, the tree was year older and stronger."

Degrade leads the Longhorns in unassisted tackles, tackles for losses, sacks and forced fumbles.

Perry is nicknamed "The Refrigerator" because of his 6-3, 315-pound frame and is the Tigers' strongest player with a bench press of 465 pounds.

Despite his size, Clemson Coach Danny Ford says "Perry is one of the most mobile players at his position in the nation."

Perry, a nose guard from Aiken, S.C., is Clemson's all-time leader in sacks and tackles behind the line of scrimmage.

Del Rio is a 6-4, 235 outside linebacker from Hayward, Calif.

"He is the most dominant defen-

sive player in the Pac Ten and the most aggressive, intense one I've ever been around," USC Coach Ted Tollner said.

Ohio State's Jim Stillwagon won the first Lombardi Award in 1970 followed by Walt Patulski, Notre Dame; Rich Glover, Nebraska; John Hicks, Ohio State; Randy White, Maryland; Lee Roy Selmon, Oklahoma; Wilson Whitley, Houston; Ross Browner, Notre Dame; Bruce Clark, Penn State; Brad Budde, Southern Cal; Hugh Green, Pittsburgh; Kenneth Sims, Texas; Dave Rimington, Nebraska and Steinkuhler.

with the free agents, too," McKeon said, "but that won't stop me from going ahead and doing what I can to strengthen our ballclub. We can't count on getting any of them, but if

## Dutton signs new pact with Cowboys

DALLAS (AP) — Dallas Cowboys tackle John Dutton, considering retirement at the beginning of the season, says he wants to play for at least another year.

"I had planned to stop, but I feel that I can still contribute," Dutton said. "When I feel like I can no longer contribute to anything and that I am harming something, then I will quit. I know I can do it at least one more year."

Dutton began his career in 1974 in Baltimore and was traded to the Cowboys in 1979.

"I wasn't sure how long it would last when I got to Dallas," Dutton told the Dallas Times Herald. "I wasn't sure I could come in and do the job they wanted me to do at that point. Things were pretty much up in the air in my life."

"I still wanted to play football. But I didn't know if the instinct was still there, that if I wanted to go through all this punishment with my body and even if I wanted to work that hard anymore."

Then Dutton got hurt in 1981 when he was leg-whipped or kicked in the right thigh during a game with the Buffalo Bills. The injury later required surgery.

These days, Dutton shares his position with Don Smerek and for the first time in his six-year career has not missed a single assigned down.

we're lucky enough, fine."

Also hindering winter trading in recent years has been the proliferation of player contracts containing no-trade clauses. Also, under the Basic Agreement, players who have been in one league for 10 years and with one team for five may veto any trade.

"I think a lot of clubs have learned that the complexity of a transaction now does involve a lot of groundwork, prior research, contractual review, getting loans paid off and the like," Eisenhardt said. "With the increasing legal and financial complexity of transactions, clubs don't feel as though they have to do everything at the winter meetings anymore. The tradition is changing."

Among the off-field issues before owners, probably the most important is what to do about the financial havoc cable television is causing, according to Ueberroth.

Major league attendance was off by more than 800,000 last year, and Ueberroth says Triple A attendance fell by 12.1 percent. At the same time, the commissioner says the penetration by satellite-delivered "superstations" of other teams'

markets has hurt local television ratings, thus hampering a team's ability to make money from television contracts.

"Basically, it's unfair," Ueberroth said, "and it's one insidious reason that I don't think owners can work together now. It's unfair territoriality."

The increase in these superstations was one reason the baseball was losing money, Ueberroth said at a recent briefing in New York.

"It's not the end of the world, but those losses have some manifestations that are bad," he said. "For instance, there are seven major league teams for sale today. People around here tell me that's a condition that's never existed before."

The Cleveland Indians, Pittsburgh Pirates and San Francisco Giants

are up for sale in their entirety. Four other clubs — Texas, Cincinnati, Seattle and Oakland — reportedly also have offered to sell minority shares. The A's deny any part of their club is up for sale.

The meetings officially begin Monday with the major league draft of minor league players not protected on a team's 40-man roster. Ueberroth, attending his first winter meeting, follows with his opening speech.

### LEGENDS

them, plus Arnold Palmer, Miller Barber, Tommy Bolt, Doug Sanders, Jack Burke Jr., Mike Souchak, Ken Venturi, Dave Marr, Bob Rosburg and Orville Moody.

The tournament is scheduled for April 25-28.

**G.E.D. Testing**  
 GED Testing will be held at the Hereford Independent School District Administration Building, Dec. 12th and 13th, 1984 at 8:30 A.M. both days. Allow 1½ days for testing. For further information call: **Robert L. Thompson 364-0843**

**Every Santa Needs A Little Help**

Office & Computer Furniture  
**15% Off**  
 Calculators Sharp QS Line  
**5% Off**

Computer Supplies      Brief Cases  
 Desk Pen Sets          Pen & Pencil Sets  
    Cross - Quill

**Gift Certificates Available**

Litho-graphics  
**Litho-graphics**  
 Printing & Office Supply  
 621 N. Main                      364-6891



**Morgan STORAGE BUILDINGS**  
**Rent or Own**

• Bank Financing Available  
 "The convenience of storage in your own backyard."


LTD Portable Buildings  
 221 N. 25 Mile Ave. Hereford  
 Tucumcari N.M. 364-7713      Logan N.M.

**Walker's Detail Has Moved To**  
**Parker's Texaco**  
 800 W. 1st

Car Wash	\$15 <sup>00</sup>
Car Wash & Wax	\$30 <sup>00</sup>
Detail Car Wash, Wax & Buffing	\$49 <sup>95</sup>
Long Lasting Car Finish	\$125 <sup>00</sup>
Oil Change & Grease (Texaco Oil) 5 Quarts & Oil Filter	\$16 <sup>95</sup>
Other Brands Oil	\$18 <sup>95</sup>

Full Service      Flats Fixed  
 Free Pickup & Delivery      Mechanic Work Done  
 New Management!

**Parker's Texaco**  
 800 W. 1st      364-5044



**HONDA ATC FOLLOW THE LEADER**



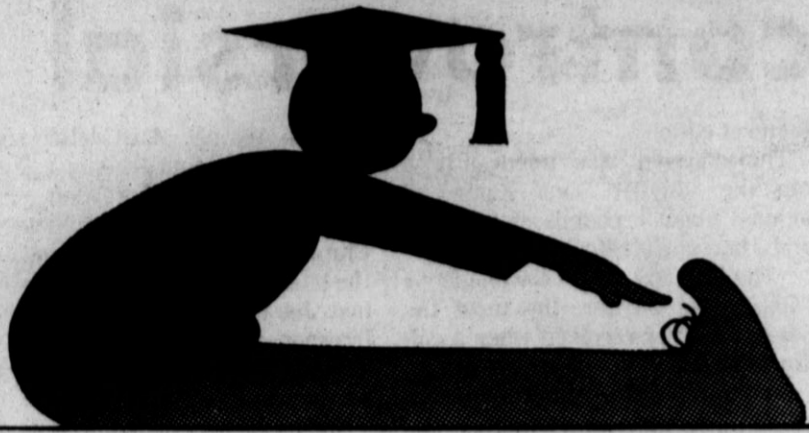
ATC<sup>70</sup>  
 ATC<sup>110</sup>  
 ATC<sup>125M</sup>  
 ATC<sup>200M</sup>  
 ATC 250SX      BIG RED<sup>™</sup>      ATC<sup>200S</sup>

**A THREE-WHEELER FOR ALL REASONS**

Nearly a decade and a half ago, Honda "invented" three wheeling with the ATC. We've been leading the way ever since. For 1985, the ATC line has been further refined and has grown even larger, ensuring that there's a machine for every type of activity whether it's recreational, utility, all-out racing or a convenient blend. There's also a Honda ATC for every level of riding ability from beginner to pro. So, if you're thinking three-wheeling, you needn't think any further than ATC's. You see, Honda just doesn't know how to rest on its laurels.

**Ask About Our Christmas Layaway Program!**  
**Pro Sports Center**  
 1001 Park Plaza      364-5811

## KIDS AND FITNESS



PERCENT OF STUDENTS (grades 5-12)

<b>Enrolled in:</b>	
— Community phys. ed. program	81.8
— School phys. ed. classes	80.3
<b>Take part in appropriate year-round physical activity</b>	58.9
<b>Regularly exert themselves during exercise</b>	41.0

(Source: U.S. Department of Health and Human Services)

NEA GRAPHIC

Children in America don't get enough exercise. So reports a new federal study. Most do take part in some type of physical activity program. But only about half exert themselves regularly, or participate in the kind of year-round exercise that promotes good health.

### Mulligan's Stew

## Accenting negatives

By HUGH A. MULLIGAN AP Special Correspondent

MIAMI (AP) — With the year on the wane, pundits and pollsters seek to cure the postpartum depression that follows every election by accentuating the negative.

They seek out the worst dressed men and women, the worst actress and actor, the most tiresome turkeys of the year on stage and film, the senator or representative with the sorriest attendance record.

Now entering the lists of the least comes Golf Digest seriously seeking, albeit in a good-natured way, the worst golfers in the land.

Let me say that here is indeed a commendable quest, a most unwanted list worthy of posting in every post office alongside the FBI's current gangland favorites.

Here are some nominations for the most terrible trophy.

There is that tiresome foursome of Freddy and Frieda Farfairways and Edith and Archie Botchbunker.

The Farfairways enjoy a wide-ranging game in anyone's fairway but their own, are notorious for hitting any ball found anywhere with a promising lie, regardless of brand name and number, and have been seen on several occasions favoring both the front nine and the back nine with their random hooks and slices while playing a short par three.

The Botchbunkers stomp into a sand trap like a camel patrol charging across the dunes in pursuit of a band of hashish hijackers. Their footprints on the sands of time suggest Godzilla turned golfer and their wedge shots silver the green with furious sand storms.

Naomi and Ned Noisesome are familiar characters around every golf course. He has a chronic smoker's cough that stampedes even the listless Canada geese into frantic flight from the fairways, but can be depended upon for a maxgross megaton blast whenever anyone is poised to putt. His ordinary throat clearings can cause even the most sang-froid competitor to whiff a tap-in.

Naomi's special effects depart-

ment includes gunning the golf cart when an opponent is trying to finesse a delicate chip around a low bush, putting the ball wash into a vigorous scrub cycle while others are stretched back to tee off and whistling all the latest tunes from her daughter's punk rock album when there is a rare lull in her incessant chatter.

Finally, there is your humble correspondent, who only yesterday ravaged yet another reconvered orange grove with a tee shot on a short par three that will live in legend. Launched into a towering orbit, the ball described an improbable parabola and wound up 20 yards directly behind me.

Old-timers on duty in the wicker chairs on the verandah never had witnessed such a lie. Honestly.

It was one of those rare occasions when the warning "fore," really signified aft.

## Who pays for it?

# Transplants raise questions

By MICHAEL HOLMES Associated Press Writer

AUSTIN (AP) — Implanting artificial hearts into human beings raises many tough questions, from which patients are chosen for surgery to who pays for it, says a Houston physician who edited a new book on issues raised by Barney Clark's heart surgery.

"It's an emotionally charged problem. The heart as an organ has been revered in poetry and literature throughout the ages. Even Mrs. Clark said, 'I wonder if Barney will love me as much,'" said Dr. Margery W. Shaw.

Clark, a Seattle dentist, was the first person to receive a permanent artificial heart. It was implanted at the University of Utah Medical Center on Dec. 2, 1982, and Clark lived for 112 days while the device pumped 12.9 million times.

The book Ms. Shaw edited — "After Barney Clark: Reflections on the Utah Artificial Heart Program" — will be published this month by the University of Texas Press.

The volume is a collection of presentations made during a conference held after Clark's death to discuss medical, ethical, legal, scientific, economic, political and religious questions raised by that operation.

As the book is being released, doctors in Louisville, Ky., are monitoring the progress of William J. Schroeder, who this week became the second person to receive an artificial heart.

Ms. Shaw said neither she nor others anticipate complete agreement on the issues such operations raise.

"I think there is not. There is a division not only in heart research — but in fetal research, animal research, in questions on the right to die, the right to refuse treatment — where we would not expect a consensus in our diverse, heterogeneous population," she said.

"People tend to be afraid of the unknown. This (research) is certainly embarking into the unknown."

Ms. Shaw, who holds both medical and law degrees, is director of the

Health Law Program at the University of Texas Health Science Center in Houston.

The book cites many questions left from the Clark operation, including:

— Which people will be chosen to receive artificial hearts?

— To what should they consent before surgery is performed?

— How should the success of the experiments be measured?

— How should the research be funded?

— What role should government play, considering that taxpayers are a major source of money for the research?

— How much privacy should be accorded patients who undergo such operations and their families?

— When should treatment be stopped, and who should make the decision?

In the book, Ms. Shaw writes that mankind faces these issues because of technological advances.

"Our recent brain development has propelled us into a cultural evolution that has outstripped the capacities of our physical selves. Our vital organs break down, but our brains compel us to fix them, to renovate them and to replace them," she wrote.

"Technology and innovation are part of our inner drives. It should come as no surprise to anyone that, sooner or later, an artificial heart would be implanted in the chest of one of our fellow human beings."

However, she wrote, those involved in the research must face up to the sensitive problems it brings up.

"We need to consider the selection of recipients, the just allocation of scarce resources, the economic costs, and other sociological and ethical issues," she wrote.

In an interview this week, Ms. Shaw said the questions about artificial hearts follow questions raised by other forms of medical research, including the huge costs of such projects.

"When people talk about the costs of the research, I'm always reminded of insulin research for diabetics. It was very expensive; not everyone could get it at first. Today, we're down to 10 cents a dose," she said.

"Society has always accepted these start-up costs reluctantly. I think there will be acceptance over time."

Noting that the operations on Clark, and now Schroeder, have been front-page news worldwide, Ms. Shaw said continued public debate over the questions is inevitable. She also said many physicians seem to

agree that such debate is a good idea.

"It's a dramatic subject. It's emotionally laden. Anything that's dramatic and reaches the front pages encourages a whole lot of discussion," she said.

"I think any thoughtful, concerned, reflective medical scientist will agree that all of these topics should be addressed in the open, should be subjected to public opinion."

"This is the way our democracy works. We don't do it in a closet and announce it when all our successes are in."

The Federal Reserve System consists of the Board of Governors, the 12 District Reserve Banks, the Federal Open Market Committee, and the system's member banks. Several advisory councils help the board meet its various responsibilities.

### Get The Drunks Off The Road

Consider this: Since 1941, including World War II, Korea, and Vietnam, 519,264 Americans were killed in combat. Since 1941, 1,788,400 Americans were killed on our highways. Many of them killed because of drunk drivers. If you can't do anything about acid rain, taxes, the budget, inflation, or interest rates, you can do something about drunk driving. Press your judges. Press your legislators. Two more things: Don't drink and drive. And take the car keys away from friends who want to.

Thanks! La Plata Agency

Dr. Milton Adams  
Optometrist  
335 Miles  
Phone 364-2255  
Office Hours:  
Monday - Friday  
8:30-12:00 1:00-5:00

**Top Properties** Inc. Equal Housing Opportunity  
Highway 60 & Main 364-8500



Top Properties, Inc. is proud to announce the association of Bob Crozier.

He has been active in Real Estate sales for two years in residential, commercial and farm and ranch. Previous to this, he has had twenty years experience in sales to farmers. Bob would like to represent you in your real estate needs.

## "I KNOW HCR IS THE GREATEST!"



**NEW LISTING** - Beautiful 3 bedroom, 2 bath home with large enclosed patio room, five walk-in closets, new carpeting and interior paint, adjacent to city park with tennis courts. 2200 sq. ft. Only \$54,000.  
**COMMERCIAL BUILDING** - downtown location, 200 blk Main St. Property for sale at a very reasonable price, owner may also consider lease.  
**EASY TO BUY** - 3 or 4 bedroom, 1 1/4 bath home with an easily assumable FHA loan, nice neighborhood for children.  
**TEN ACRE TRACTS** - Buy your own place in the country west of town. Small down and monthly payments. Located on highway and water is furnished. Selling fast!  
**LUXURIOUS COUNTRY HOME** - features sunken formal living room and skylights throughout, a special indoor patio, and separate dining area, a richly decorated 2600 sq. ft. home with 3 bedrooms and 2 baths. Located 10 minutes from Hereford on highway.  
**WHY PAY MORE RENT?** - Special low interest loans are available for first time home owners. Lets discuss owning a home now!

Whether selling or buying, call on the professionals at HCR.

GLEN PHIBBS - 364-4670  
HENRY REID - 364-4666  
Mobile No. - 578-4666  
WAYNE SIMS - 364-2774



**HCR**  
364-4670

## PROPERTY FOR SALE

MLS Equal Housing Opportunity

New listing on Sycamore St. Northwest Hereford for only \$39,500. 3 bedroom, all brick.

Almost new everything on Mimosa St. Beautiful 3 bedroom, 2 1/2 bath, new carpet, new appliances, new roof, sprinkler system, shop. \$89,500. One of the nicest in town.

3 bedroom on Ave. E, \$25,000. Possible owner financing.

2 bedroom brick home of Blevins for only \$29,500. 95% loans available, or FHA, VA.

220 Cherokee, 3 bedroom, 1 1/4 bath, large den, real sharp.

Over 2400 sq. ft. on Mimosa, large gameroom, lots of extras, \$85,000, 9 1/4% assumable loan.

Owner anxious to sell on Beach Street. \$45,000, 3 bedroom, 1 1/4 bath, corner Ben Franklin fireplace.

2 homes on Willow Lane, both in mid fifties. Sharp, excellent location, financing available.

New listing on Ave. K-3 bedroom, 2 story, lots of room for big family. Only \$39,500.

Two new homes on Brevard Street, \$37,000; 5% down, 11 1/2% loans available to first time home buyers, now is your chance to own a new home-REASONABLY!

Over 3000 sq. ft. & 17 acres, pens for livestock, \$78,500! West of Westway 3 miles.

North of TAGCO-4 bedroom brick home, basement, truck shop, all on 3.78 acres, \$85,000

Mobile home, 2.73 acres, large shop, concrete basement, north of town, \$35,000, owner financing.

Real estate, insurance or professional offices, 4 offices, reception area & coffee room, \$69,900 or lease for \$600 per month. Located on Hiway 385. Call Mark.

Small building for fast food business or small retail on Park & McKinley. For sale or lease.

Large trucking firm, shop, over 3,000 sq. ft. home, all on 8 acres. \$165,000. Terms available, possible owner financing. Call Mark Andrews.

Commercial land off Park Ave., directly south of new Security Federal offices. 262 Front feet.

Old L&B Enterprises building for lease-\$1250 per month plus taxes & insurance. Approx. 17,000 sq. ft.



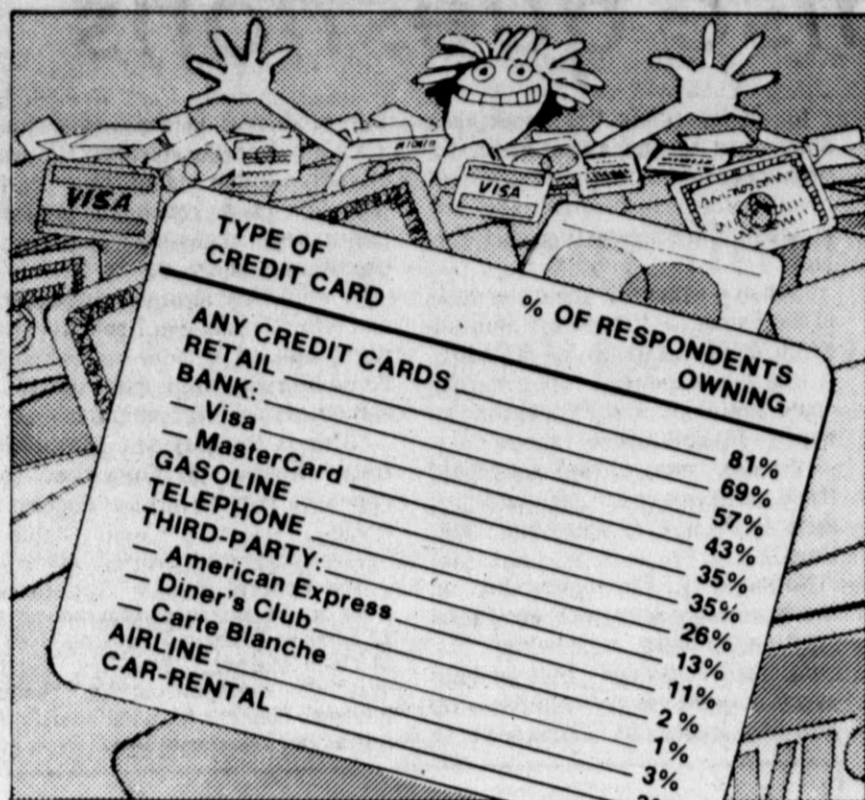
364-6633

Real Estate & Insurance  
205 S. 25 Mile Ave.

MARK ANDREWS 364-3429  
AVIS BLAKEY 364-1060  
TED WALLING 364-0000  
DON T. MARTIN 364-0825  
ANNELLE HOLLAND 364-4740

## POPULAR PLASTIC

Credit is in the cards



(Source: MONEY Magazine, Americans & Their Money)

Four Americans out of five own some kind of charge card. These range from bank cards to credit cards geared to specific purchases. Third-party general purpose cards, backed by independent firms, charge no interest, but require full payment immediately.

### AP new analysis

## Regan's proposal may be ahead of its destiny

By MIKE FEINSLBER Associated Press Writer

WASHINGTON (AP) — If Donald Regan came to your front door, the chances are good that he'd be able to sell you on the idea that the American tax system has been patched up too often and ought to be replaced with a new model that he just happens to have.

He brought that sales pitch to the White House, but so far he hasn't been able to register with his No. 1 client, Ronald Reagan.

"There can be no question in anyone's mind that the present tax system is too complicated," says Regan, who worked on Wall Street before he joined Reagan's Cabinet as secretary of the Treasury.

"It's unfair, and it retards saving and investment and economic growth," Regan said.

His tax plan would cut tax rates, but also diminish the exemptions, deductions and exclusions that make the tax system complicated and, in his view, unfair.

Even before he put the plan out last week, those whose fortunes would be harmed started raising Cain. All were not greedy fat cats, either.

Take charities. Regan would limit charitable deductions, which is expected to draw complaints from charitable organizations that they'll get fewer gifts.

City and state officials will protest Regan's proposal to eliminate the deductibility of state and local taxes;

the real estate and housing industries will be unhappy over his proposal to limit the deductibility of mortgage interest; sellers of luxury cars and boats won't like his proposed limits on how much interest taxpayers can deduct.

And so it goes. Every proposed change has its enemies.

Consequently, it would take a heavy expenditure of the president's political capital to get any broad tax revision through Congress. Such an effort might be worthwhile if the tax changes would help solve the problem created by \$200 billion deficits, but it won't. It is, in fact, designed not to.

Regan promised in running for re-election that taxes would be increased only "over my dead body." So Regan's tax plan is designed to neither increase nor decrease government revenues.

But many in Congress believe solving the deficit problem is more important than fixing the tax code.

Even the president seems wary of his Treasury secretary's plan.

Regan told a news conference that "tax reform is an idea whose time has come." But the initial reaction suggests it is an idea whose time is not yet.

EDITORS NOTE — Mike Feinsilber covered the battle over the tax reform act of 1969, at its time the biggest revision of the income tax since its inception.

## Popular in Dallas, though

# Drive-in critic controversial

By SUSANA HAYWARD Associated Press Writer

DALLAS (AP) — Joe Bob Briggs is the most sexist, most bigoted syndicated drive-in movie critic in America.

OK. So he's the only one.

"... We knew it was only a matter of time before the bimbo ripped all her clothes off and ran around acting like a goose that's been wired up for brain research," one typical review said.

Those were the tamest words Joe Bob had for Bo Derek's latest movie "Bohlo." He's infuriated women, angered Mexican-Americans and been called a racist, a jerk, and worse. He's also one of the most popular columnists in Dallas.

If a woman is insulted when he calls her a "bimbo," a Hispanic offended by the word "Meskin" or a black by the term "Negro" in his weekly column, Joe Bob figures they're just wimps.

Yet the Dallas redneck, a character said to be the creation of Dallas Times Herald columnist John Bloom, is read in some 50 newspapers now around the country.

"There ain't no sensitive subject. Just sensitive people," says Joe Bob, who claims to hail from mythical "Frontage Road, Texas, dirt mining capital of North America."

He's come a long way from that nowhere place.

In March, the column, which has run in the Times Herald since January 1982, was picked up by the Los Angeles Times Syndicate.

Some 50 newspapers with an estimated readership of 4 million

people now read "Joe Bob Goes to the Drive-In," according to syndicate officials.

Joe Bob's crusade is to save drive-in movie theaters from extinction, claiming they're being closed in "Communist cities of the United States."

"We've lost about 750, but I don't think it's any cause for alarm. We still got 3,500 left," he said, responding to written questions. Bloom says Joe Bob only responds to written questions.

Pictures of Joe Bob have shown only the back of a head. Bloom said the secrecy is part of Joe Bob's mystique.

Bloom, a soft-spoken 31-year-old intellect, denies that he creates Joe Bob's columns, telling questioners that he couldn't possibly be Joe Bob because he's college educated and drives a foreign car. Joe Bob, 19, flirted with college for just two weeks and drives a 1972 Oldsmobile Toronado, he said.

If heads roll, blood spills and cars collide, it's Joe Bob's kind of movie. And it better be showing at a drive-in.

"Brian de Palma is making flicks about bimbo killers again. I have to admit, I been disappointed in Brian lately," wrote Joe Bob, chastising the movie director for "going indoor on us" with the movie "Body Double."

He's been called a communist, a racist, offensive and, of course, sexist.

"But what we got here is 26 breasts, including four full-screen, wide bodied garbazona closeups. One vampire. One sardine imitation. Two porno scenes. One bimbo slapped around. Two motor vehicles chases ... Two dead bodies. One Supremo power-drill scene. One attack dog. Three gallons blood."

Offensive or not, Joe Bob has clearly struck a nerve.

"Obviously we thought it would be a lot of fun," said Times Herald managing editor Kerry Slagle. "But we had no idea it would turn out to be such a phenomenon ... It's one of the most popular features of the paper."

Los Angeles Times Syndicate promotions manager Michael Carmack said company officials decided to pick up the column because it was "enough off-the-wall that it might really work."

They were right. The Cleveland (Ohio) Plain Dealer yanked Joe Bob's column, which runs every Friday in a magazine section, for two weeks in late September.

"It was not run because of a number of complaints ... that basically he's a sexist pig," said Robert Snyder, the newspaper's

features editor.

The decision was apparently a mistake. Snyder soon came up against about 8 pounds of fan mail and a barrage of telephone calls.

"The first day we got 450 telephone calls," said Snyder, the most the paper has ever received when a column was pulled.

Snyder stopped counting letters after 1,000 but he estimated the newspaper was deluged with a total of 4,500 letters from Joe Bob supporters.

The Plain Dealer "surrendered" and Joe Bob was reinstated — although "offensive" words are edited out.

Dr. Greg Getz, a professor of sociology at Texas Wesleyan College in Fort Worth who researches the sociology of film, said one explanation for the huge popularity of Joe Bob could be that "people like to be offended."

"A possible analogy is (sportscaster) Howard Cosell. Some people are so offensive that they generate a constituency," said Getz.

And many apparently just think he's funny. For whatever reason, Joe Bob has amassed a herd of devotees.

"They took votes on me in Cleveland, Shreveport, San Francisco, Denver and Seattle. I usually win about 94,500 to 17. I could run stronger if they'd put me up against (Walter) Mondale," said Joe Bob.

Bloom, a former "legitimate" movie critic who now writes a regular column on the Times Herald's Metro page, attributes the success of the drive-in movie critic to his honesty.

"Joe Bob is a redneck, an intelligent one," said Bloom. "He's honest about bigotry and prejudice. Therefore, you can't hate him as much as a person who's secretive about it."

In Joe Bob's column, everyone is fair game. One might even say he doesn't discriminate.

"Joe Bob's opinion is that we're all handicapped. That's why he makes fun of everyone," said Bloom. "You name the group, he's done it."

Among those groups are Mad Mothers against Drunk Driving, or MADD, whose organization letters Joe Bob turned around to create the fictitious group "Drunks Against Mad Mothers" — or DAMM.

Sometimes, people want to join his groups. A 14-year-old boy from Cleveland wrote to Joe Bob: "I have always wondered if there is an age limit for being in DAMM. Because, Joe Bob, I am 14-years-old and like to drink and it makes my mother very mad."

Joe Bob answered responsibly: "Sorry, but you wouldn't qualify for

Drunks Against Mad Mothers until you reach the legal drinking age."

And then, there's hate mail.

One letter to the San Francisco Chronicle read: "We are appalled at the offensiveness of your new columnist, Joe Bob, and are shocked at the irresponsibility and disrespect to our community in choosing to publish it."

The letter was signed by 27 people, most of them doctors, psychiatrists, attorneys and counselors at family-oriented clinics.

"Joe Bob loves hate mail because it always comes from stuffy organizations and stuffy people," Bloom said.

There's nothing stuffy about the people Joe Bob looks up to. His heroes are Charles Bronson, Arnold Schwarzenegger, Clint Eastwood, and Ralph the Diving Pig, a paddling porcine at Aquarena Springs in San Marcos, Texas.

His favorite movie is "The Texas Chainsaw Massacre," a low-budget cult horror film made in Texas by a bunch of unknowns.

Among the regular characters appearing on the column are "Wanda Bodine," "Cherry Dilday" and the unidentified "high sheriffs" who often censor Joe Bob when he uses "the f-word."

"Anything new and different tends to be suppressed until it becomes popular," said Bloom. "This column, from week to week, was on the verge of being suppressed or killed forever. It was only after it became popular that they left it alone."

**Health insurance helps guarantee you against an uninsurable loss.**



**STEVE NIEMAN**  
Gililand • Nieman  
Southland Life  
203 E. Park 364-2666  
Serving the needs of people one at a time.

## BARBS

Phil Pastoret

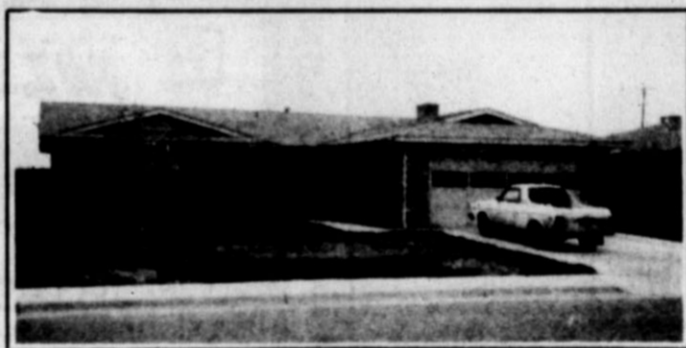
Considering the popularity of left-hand gloves among the pop music crowd, one question: What's done with the right-hand glove of the pair?

Everything on the menu when you pick it up.



Look at it this way: Auto recalls aren't all bad. They reduce the traffic flow by millions of vehicles till they fix the jalopies.

(NEWSPAPER ENTERPRISE ASSN.)



### THROW OUT THE ASPIRIN

No more headaches over which home to buy. We have the RIGHT one. RIGHT size - 3 bedrooms, 2 baths; RIGHT price - in the fifties; RIGHT location - NW Hereford. Assumable loan for the RIGHT buyer. Lovely, well-cared for home. Call for details.



### THE OPPORTUNITY MAY NEVER RETURN

to buy a house this size at a price this Seller may take. Absentee owner says get this sold. Take a look at this pretty four bedroom home on Kingwood, then make your own deal. Two living areas, big country kitchen, fireplace. Make your appointment today.

PLEASE CALL ONE OF OUR STAFF FOR INFORMATION ON THE NEW LOW INTEREST RATE LOANS AVAILABLE IF YOU HAVE NOT OWNED A HOME IN THE PAST THREE YEARS.

Betty Gilbert 364-4950 Marvin D. James 364-8651 Marilyn Culpepper 364-4009  
Juanita Phillips 364-6847 Beverley Lambert 364-2010 Don C. Tardy 578-4408

**Don C. Tardy Company**

REAL ESTATE - INSURANCE  
803 W. 1st 364-4561  
Equal Housing Opportunity

**Top Properties**  
TOPS IN SALES & SERVICE!  
Equal Housing Opportunity

Highway 60 & Main 364-8500

### HOMES

- 104 Quince  
Three bedroom, two bath home with two separate living areas. Isolated master bedroom.
- 300 Sunset  
Nice traditional home with custom features. Fireplace in master bedroom and living area. Spacious rooms with abundant storage.
- 127 Northwest Drive  
An immaculate home with storage building, nice patio, free standing fireplace.
- 313 Sunset  
Large newly redecorated, four bedroom home with three living areas. Two isolated bedrooms with full baths.

### RENTAL PROPERTY FOR SALE

- 300 E. 7th - Duplex  
Rental income of \$550.00 per month
- 307 Ross - Triplex  
Rental income \$610.00 per month

### FOR RENT

- 701 Seminole - \$400.00
- 146 Ranger - \$300.00

EQUAL HOUSING OPPORTUNITY OFFICE 364-8500

Carol Sue LeGate 364-3527 Tommy Bowling 364-5638  
Sharon McNutt 364-2754 W.L. Davis, Jr. 364-2334  
Bob Crozier 647-2466

Melvin Jayroe - Broker

## REAL ESTATE

**BEAUTIFUL ESTATE** located in Yucca hills. 5 bedrooms, 3 bath, basement, barns and outbuildings on 6.5 acres with all steel perimeter fencing. Call for details and make appointment to see this one.

**OLDER HOME**, excellent location at 505 Schley and moderately priced. 2 bedroom 1 bath. New roof and outside recently painted.

**COUNTRY LIVING** located in Yucca Hills, 3 bedrooms, 2 baths, with basement and many extras you will want to see.

**EXCELLENT LAYOUT FOR COUNTRY LIVING**... 3 bedroom, 1 1/4 baths, large enclosed patio, basement, 5 acres, 10 stalls for horses, barns and many other extras located 2 miles north of 15th St. on Ave. K. Price reduced and 10 3/4% interest first year of loan.

**AT 326 AVE. J**, 3 bedroom, 2 bath home with 1300 sq. ft. living area, also 2 car garage and concrete storm cellar. Priced to sell quick on FHA or VA at \$32,000.00.

**EXCELLENT COMMERCIAL PROPERTY** approx. 12 acres, nice house and several outbuildings on Hwy. 385 just south of railroad overpass.

**NEW COMMERCIAL STEEL** building with front office. Excellent location at 815 South 25 mile avenue. 3,000 sq ft. call us for more information.

**COMMERCIAL PROPERTY** in good location near railroad track with good warehouse.

**SEVERAL MOTOR FUEL STORAGE** tanks and related pumps located on the above property. Can be bought separately or with the real property.

Real Estate IS selling. We need your listings. Call about listing your property with us.

**Lone Star Agency, Inc.**

REAL ESTATE AND INSURANCE  
601 N. Main St. Hereford, Tex.

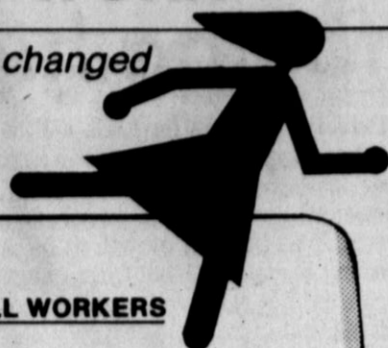
806-364-0555



Jim Mercer.....364-0418  
John D. Bryant.....364-2900  
Ken Rogers.....364-4350  
Lloyd Sharp.....364-2543  
Brenda Parks.....364-3577

## WOMEN AT WORK

Job choices have changed



### WOMEN AS % OF ALL WORKERS

	1980	1981
Accountants	16.4	38.5
Bank officials	12.2	37.5
Bank tellers	69.3	93.5
Bookkeepers	83.4	91.1
Bus drivers	9.8	47.2
Buyers/purchasing agents	17.7	43.6
Cashiers	78.4	86.2
Lawyers/judges	3.3	14.1
Physicians/dentists	6.8	14.4
Registered nurses	97.6	92.6
Sales clerks	53.7	71.2
Secretaries/typists	96.7	98.5
Teachers (college)	21.3	35.2
Teachers (all other)	71.6	70.6

(Source: Bureau of Labor Statistics)

NEA GRAPHIC

The erosion of traditional barriers is making more jobs available to women. This means, for example, big increases in the percentages of lawyers and bank officials who are female — as well as the percentage of bus drivers.

## Many make Top 500

# Texas boasts growing firms

By MICHAEL HOLMES Associated Press Writer

AUSTIN (AP) — Texas has the second-highest number of companies on Inc. Magazine's list of the nation's 500 fastest-growing private firms, and an economic development official says the state has what it takes to keep that number growing.

"Businesses are doing well in Texas for all the classical economic reasons," says Harden Wiedeman, who heads the governor's office of economic development.

"We have an outstanding business climate. Our tax burden is very low. We have extremely high productivity per worker. We've got a very favorable climate," he said.

In its December issue, Inc. put 38 Texas companies on its list of the top 500 growth firms. Texas ranked only behind California, which had 86 companies. Virginia placed third with 32, New York fourth with 31 and Florida and Ohio fifth with 26 each.

Wiedeman attributed California's lead to the fact that it has the largest population of the 50 states. But noting that Texas is growing fast, he said he expects the number of Texas firms on the list to increase in coming years.

"We have a few advantages they

(California) don't. I think you'll see us even with California," he said.

The Inc. list is composed of privately held companies that are at least five years old and had 1979 sales of at least \$100,000 but less than \$25 million.

Gemcraft Homes of Houston, a homebuilding concern, ranked 19th and was the highest-placed Texas firm. The magazine said Gemcraft recorded a 5,080 percent increase in sales from 1979 to 1983, a compound annual growth rate of 168 percent.

Dalsat, a Plano company which does systems engineering, consulting and manufacturing for satellite communications, was 24th. Its sales increase was 4,320 percent with a compound annual growth rate of 158 percent.

Small and medium-sized firms are the key to the economic future, Wiedeman said, because national studies consistently show that such companies are the ones that will create the most jobs.

"I think the most recent business research indicates that somewhere around 70 to 80 percent of the new jobs will be created in small to medium-sized firms," he said.

"Look at the Fortune 1,000 (list of largest companies) in the last decade. There has actually been a net loss of jobs. Real growth has come out of the small firms. These Inc. 500 companies are the superstars of the job-creators."

Wiedeman said the state is working on areas in which help can be provided to increase the odds that start-up companies succeed.

Among other things, officials are looking at ways in which the creation and distribution of venture capital can be improved. "Not by the state getting in the business, per se, but by making wealthy investors or banks not in the venture capital game before aware of technology growth opportunities," he said.

"We're proud of those Texas companies (on the Inc. list) and we will be working to see that more Texas companies are on that list in the future. That entrepreneurial spirit is

absolutely vital to the future of this state," Wiedeman said.

According to Inc., the top Texas companies, their hometowns and rankings were:

Baker Communications, Houston, 157; Commonwealth Savings Association, Houston, 52; Creel Morrell, Houston, 327; Dalsat, Plano, 24; Eastway Delivery Service, Houston, 367; Ella Contracting, Houston, 26; G&H Transportation, Houston, 106; Garey Construction, Austin, 404; Gemcraft Homes, Houston, 19; Genesee Stampings, Arlington, 386; Hall Real Estate Group, Dallas, 128; Harvin C. Moore, Houston, 246; Healthcare International, Austin, 444; Houston Art Glass Enterprises, Houston, 319; Incepts, Dallas, 491; International Metric Supply, Dallas, 468; National

Title, Houston, 447; PCI, Austin, 381; Paulsel Lumber, Fort Worth, 186; Petroleum Well Services, Sour Lake, 413; Salazar Construction, Corpus Christi, 382; San Antonio Developers, San Antonio, 392; Setpoint, Houston, 366; Sunbelt Distributors, Houston, 203; Telecheck Southwest, Houston, 441; Telecommunications Specialists, Houston, 295; Tescos, Georgetown, 71;

Texas Drug Reps, San Antonio, 301; Thacker Jewelry, Roaring Springs, 67; Vanguard Groups International, Houston, 137; Videoland, Carrollton, 105; Visible Changes, Houston, 423; W-B Supply, Pampa, 354; Walker Exploration, Houston, 39; Webb, Murray & Associates, LaPorte, 415; Weekley Homes, Houston, 308; Yantis, San Antonio, 340; and ZZZZX Technologies, Houston, 266.

## Pride of town

# Corrigan has unique city hall

By KEN PELLIS The Lufkin Daily News

CORRIGAN, Texas (AP) — City officials like it when passers-by look twice at the Victorian-style house in the heart of downtown: They think there is something to see.

"You bet it's the pride of Corrigan," councilman Juanita James said of the nine-month-old edifice that serves as Corrigan's city hall.

The Allan Shivers Library and Museum in Woodville was the model for the front exterior only.

"We brought this Victorian style into the lobby. But somewhere you have to stop and it becomes a functional office building," said City Manager Pee Wee Drake.

Appreciated now, city hall was a sore subject with many residents in the late 1970s, according to Mrs. James, who campaigned on the need for a building.

The city government conducted its daily business at two small offices in the Citizens State Bank Building, while holding meetings at the city housing authority or Polk County sub-courthouse, she said.

"We needed something for these big companies to relate to," said Mrs. James, noting the arrival of Champion International and Louisiana-Pacific plants in the 1970s.

But many residents opposed a building on cost grounds.

The city already had some of the property — a vacant lot on Ben Franklin Street — it later would use.

In September 1981, voters passed a \$250,000 bond issue, but the margin of approval was so slim — 29 votes — and the subject so controversial that the city council decided not to issue the bonds, according to Drake.

Drake credited Mrs. James with taking the lead role in carrying the cause and soliciting funds. Mrs. James said that Drake and City Secretary Thelma Stanford helped her with the backing of the city council and segments of the community.

The breakthrough came in June 1982, when Mrs. R.L. Rothe contacted Frank Barringer, a Corrigan native who had made a fortune in Houston real estate and other business ventures, according to Drake.

Mrs. Rothe's late husband had been close to Barringer, and Barringer had an added interest in the city since he was planning to move there from Houston upon retirement.

Barringer began the building for the city and spent about \$65,000

before leaving, returning to Houston in September 1982 for personal reasons, according to Drake.

After Barringer's departure, city hall advocates found themselves in a better position than in the 1970s. The thinking was, "We had this thing sitting here, and why aren't we doing something?" Mrs. James said.

In September 1983, voters overwhelmingly approved a \$65,000 bond issue and businesses, foundations and citizens gave the rest of the money or materials needed. Mrs. James said the structure is valued at \$250,000.

Inside, six patterns of wood panels cover the walls. The donor, Champion International, reportedly suggested the variety. "This is an advertisement for them," said Drake. Or it will be when the acknowledgement is in place.

Some work is still to be done. The city wants to convert an upstairs room into a kitchenette, and some painting remains, for instance.

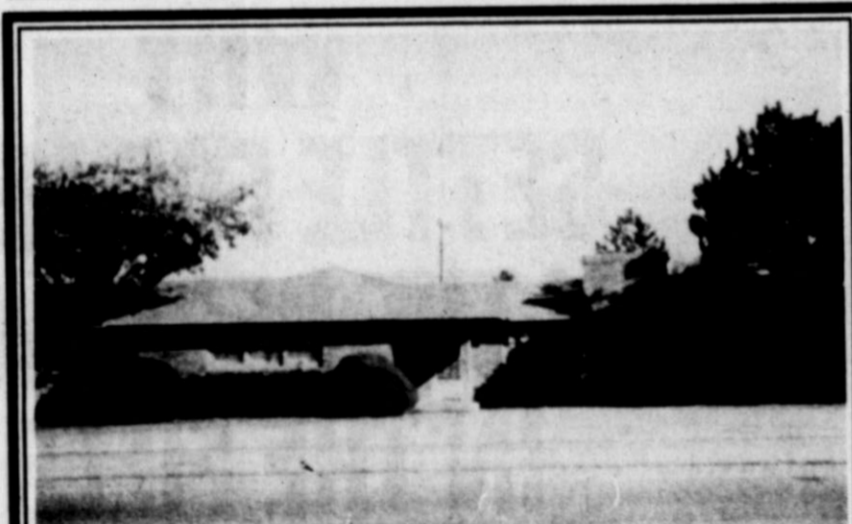
The flagpole is still to be dedicated to Mrs. James' late husband, John Warford James, who supported her efforts.

And there is the job of installing the building plaque that reads "R.L. Rothe Memorial Municipal Building" — the name designated by Barringer.

This last may be the biggest immediate need. As Mrs. James said: "People just don't believe this is a city hall."

**A.O. THOMPSON ABSTRACT COMPANY**

Margaret Schroeter, Owner  
Abstracts Title Insurance Escrow  
P.O. Box 73 242 E. 3rd Phone 364-6641  
Across from Courthouse



## OPEN HOUSE

138 N. Texas

Sunday, December 2nd

3 pm - 6:30 pm

- 2 Bedroom, 2 Bath
- New Roof
- Approx. 2,000 Sq. Ft.
- Full Sprinkler System
- Completely Redecorated
- Lots of Fruit Trees

**ERA-Marn Tyler, Realtors**

Equal Housing Opportunity

Kay Cotten - 364-4412  
Joyce Wartes - 364-4404

**364-0153**

1100 W. Hwy 60

TEXAS LAND MLS

Clarence Betzen - 364-0866  
Marn Tyler - 364-7129

- COUNTRY HOME** - about 1 mile out. Nice 3 bedroom, 2 bath, basement, large living room, carport, shop, good condition. Only \$35,000.
- WILL OWNER FINANCE** - 3 bedroom, large house, nice carpet, eating bar in kitchen, cute floor plan, free standing fireplace, 1668 sq. ft. \$30,000. 223 Ave. I.
- OWNER WILL PAY ALL CLOSING COST** - 3 bedroom, 2 bath, brick/siding home, recently repainted interior, new carpet, 2 car garage. 521 Ave. G.
- PRICE REDUCED** - 3 bedroom, good location, cathedral beam ceiling, fireplace, sprinkler system in front and back, 2 car garage. 226 Cherokee.
- NEED MORE ROOM?** - See this 4 bedroom, 2 1/4 bath, isolated master bedroom, storm windows, very large home, excellent location. 312 Centre.

**Charlie Hill — Real Estate**

Farms & Ranches  
1500 W. Park  
P.O. Box 1386 Hereford, Texas 79045  
Office: 806/364-5472 Res.: 806/364-0051

## For Sale

- 320 Ac. - 2 irrigation wells, 1 submergible. 1.5 miles U.G. tile. Good improvements. Minerals 1/2 of what seller possess. Castro County.
- 125 acres, 2 wells, 1 mile U.G. tile, barn, nice little farm. Minerals 1/2 of what seller possesses. Deaf Smith County.
- 160 Ac. - Dry land. Minerals 1/2 of what seller possess. Castro County.
- 470 acres, 4 wells, 1.75 miles U.G. tile, lays good, pavement on two sides, house, fences good, minerals 1/2 of what seller possesses. Deaf Smith County.
- Approximately 15,000 head feedyard. Complete in every facet of operation. Some excellent options. Castro County.
- 440 acres, 2 wells, 1.5 miles U.G. tile. Minerals 1/2 of what seller possesses. Deaf Smith County.
- 11.5 Ac. - House, garage, well house with submergible and storm cellar. Ready to move into. South Avenue K.
- 4 - 160 acre tracts, 1 well each, 1/2 mile U.G. tile each. Good land. 3 out of 4 on pavement. Minerals 1/2 of what seller possesses. Deaf Smith County.
- 9,600 sq. ft. Warehouse, 400 sq. ft. office on corner Dairy Road and Progressive Road.
- 370' by 300' lot South Main.
- Approximately 3,350 sq. ft. home on Star Street. Very nice.
- 105,000 sq. ft. lot with complete chain link fence. A 3000 sq. ft. all metal shop with 12x20 office and 1800 sq. ft. 2 bay stucco shop within Hereford city limits.
- 266 Ac., 2 irrigation wells, 2 miles U.G. tile. 40x60 shop with very nice office. Submergible and 3 U.G. fuel tanks. Owner finance with 40% down. Will Split. Three options. 1 mile North, 1/2 mile west of Hereford, Texas. Minerals 1/2 of what seller possess.
- 160 acres, S.W. of Bootleg. Part grass, part farmland, minerals 1/2 of what seller possesses.
- 324 Ac. - 3 irrigation wells, 2 miles U.G. tile, 1 sprinkler. Nice home, barn with cold room and shop. Minerals 1/2 of what seller possess. Deaf Smith County.
- 320 Ac. - 1 irrigation well, (2 sprinklers negotiable), minerals negotiable. Dalhart area.
- 314 acres, 2 wells, 1 mile U.G. tile, some improvements on pavement. Minerals negotiable. Parmer County.
- 120 acres, 2 wells, 1/4 mile U.G. tile, minerals negotiable. Parmer County.
- 640 acres, 6 wells, 2 miles U.G. tile. Minerals negotiable. Parmer County

The above three tracts are same owner. Buy one or all.

Subject to sale, withdrawal or error.

# Farm

## To some chemicals

### Pests developing immunities

By JIM DRINKARD Associated Press Writer

WASHINGTON (AP) — The world's pests, from flies to fungi, are developing their own genetic arsenals to counter man's pesticide assault, and the result is a growing threat to public health and world food supplies, scientists say.

Since man first took up chemical warfare against pests early this century, new strains have emerged that are immune to even repeated heavy doses of the most available pesticides—more than 600 species of insects, fungi, bacteria, weeds and rodents by 1980. And the resistance is growing.

The problem is contributing to new outbreaks of malaria, once thought nearly eradicated, and to crop devastation in local areas around the globe. It drew nearly 200 scientists and policymakers here this week for a National Academy of Sciences international symposium on how to counter the worrisome trend.

"Unquestionably, the phenomenon of resistance has come to pose a serious obstacle to man's efforts to increase his agricultural production and to reduce or eliminate the threat of diseases transmitted by various organisms, said George Georgioui, an expert in the field from the University of California-Riverside.

"A new approach must be adopted — one in which these chemicals are thought of as finite resources rather than disposable commodities," wrote two of the symposium's participants, Michael Dover of the World Resources Institute in Washington and Brian Croft of Oregon State University.

Sales of pesticides have grown rapidly since farmers experienced spectacular success with DDT and other early synthetic entrants in the market. The industry grew from \$8.1 billion worldwide in 1972 to \$12.8 billion last year.

But frequently some of the target pests have genetic traits that enable them to withstand the onslaught. When they reproduce, more and more of their offspring retain the chemical-resistant characteristics. The problem grows graver when pests acquire resistance to multiple pesticides.

Here are some examples cited by the scientists:

— Cotton-growing in southern Texas and northern Mexico was nearly wiped out a decade ago when pesticides, heavily applied to halt cotton pests, also destroyed the natural enemies of those pests. The destructive tobacco budworm became resistant to nearly every chemical farmers threw at it; with natural predators gone, it flourished, causing nearly total losses for many cotton farmers.

— On New York's Long Island, the Colorado potato beetle has developed resistance to nearly every insecticide approved for use on potatoes. Growers are forced to spray up to 10 times per season, pushing costs for chemicals alone as high as \$300 an acre and causing pesticide contamination of groundwater.

— Fifty-one of 60 species of malaria-carrying mosquito have developed resistance to the three major insecticides relied upon to control them — DDT, lindane and dieldrin. The resistance has shown up in 84 countries, and replacement chemicals are far more expensive — outside the public health budgets of many developing countries. Reported malaria cases have begun to rise.

Because developing new pesticides to take the place of those rendered ineffective by pest resistance is increasingly difficult and expensive, man can no longer count exclusively on chemical solutions to the problem.

many at the symposium agreed. But scientists, industry and government are at odds over how to proceed.

Dover and Croft suggested a strategy that includes new joint programs involving the chemical industry and government in monitoring pesticide resistance and research on pest management. They also proposed a new role for federal regulators to help minimize the risk that chemicals will be misused in a way that abets resistance.

They see hope in new methods of pest control that replace some chemical use with the use of natural predators and pest-resistant crops, and called for a new tax on pesticides to finance research, monitoring and user education.

Others, including Danish scientist Johannes Keiding, told of the need for assessing the risk that resistance will develop before pesticides are put to use. Such work already is being done in some areas by the World Health Organization and the United Nations Food and Agriculture Organization.

"A lot may be done to make the introduction and use of new pesticides more intelligent and avoid big blunders," Keiding told the symposium, citing work on the cattle tick in Australia, rice pests in Japan and the housefly in Denmark.

Still others are optimistic that the young science of genetic engineering will hold some answers to pesticide resistance.

## Expert claims

### Farmers facing higher costs

COLLEGE STATION — Farmers will once again have to deal with rising production costs in 1985.

"Production cost rises will generally exceed the inflation rate next year," according to Dr. Forrest Stegelin, economist with the Texas Agricultural Extension Service, The Texas A&M University System. "These increases in input costs will virtually offset any increase in market receipts."

Stegelín said he expects manufactured fertilizer prizes for all forms of nitrogen, phosphates and potash to be up 6 percent by spring. However, there may be regional declines in prices due to a decline in the outlook for farm crop prices and a decline in the demand for farm goods.

The economist said he foresees a continued moderation in prices of ag chemicals for 1985. "While the demand remains strong of ag chemicals, prices have declined due to the demise of patents as companies try to protect their market share from free market infringement," Stegelín noted.

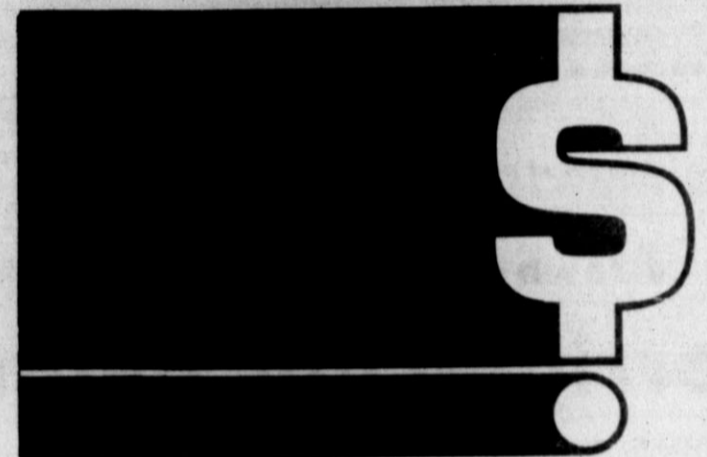
Petroleum prices for fuels will be up about 4 percent by this time next year, the economist said. Seasonal variations will depend on heating needs. A 3-4 percent growth in farm demand is expected, but farm usage is so minimal relative to total usage of fuels that farm prices will parallel wholesale or rack prices, Stegelín added.

"Farmers and ranchers can expect rebates and sales incentive programs from the farm machinery industry which is bulging with large inventories of all items," Stegelín

pointed out. "It's too bad the farmer is burdened with high real interest rates for operating loans."

The economist advised farmers to expect heavy price discounting for large four-wheel drive tractors and hefty price increases on some models of front-wheel drive assist tractors touting fuel efficiency and improved manageability in field conditions. Prices also are expected to be up nearly 10 percent on small horsepower tractors, many of which will be imports.

FGL Commodity Services cordially invites you to **LEARN HOW TO TRADE COMMODITIES PROFITABLY!**



For anyone trading or thinking of trading in the Commodity Markets, these could be the most informative, most profitable meetings you'll ever attend! We're so sure you'll agree that you're invited to the first meeting, free! Meet and learn from Curtis Muegge or Gary Otte, and put their experience to work for you! If you decide to attend the second and third meetings, the total cost is only \$50 (\$15 for spouses). We guarantee you total satisfaction, or your fee will be cheerfully refunded.

Mark your calendar for these three important meetings:

Call today with your reservations! Attendance must be limited by available space.

Monday - Wednesday  
December 3-5 7:00 PM Nightly  
Knights of Columbus Hall  
Country Club Rd.



## Your Money Counts

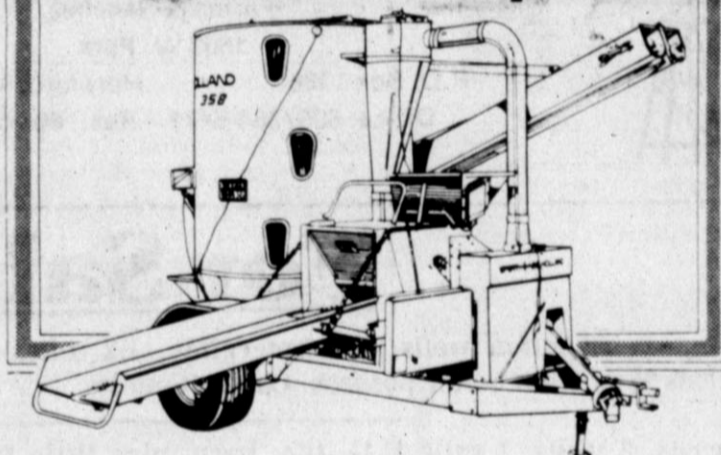
by Rick Roberts, C.P.A. JOINT OWNERSHIP

There is a wide divergence of opinion among estate planners as to how much, if any, family property should be held in joint names. Some recommend none. Others say that joint ownership, with the right of survivorship, is appropriate for passing title of a residence, and small savings or checking accounts, as long as substantial amounts of money are not involved. One thing agreed upon by all is that joint ownership should never be considered as a substitute for a will. There are bound to be assets that are not jointly owned. Both owners could die simultaneously or there could be a last-minute inheritance that would not be covered by a joint-ownership arrangement. In any of these circumstances, the law could distribute the property in a manner that may have not been desired by the co-owners.

When you want to know how spreading your income and investments among your family might help you at tax time, or for future distribution, it's good to know that you have private financial experts on hand to turn to. At RICK ROBERTS, CPA, 138 Third, Suite A (384-7325), we welcome your tax or other financial questions and will take whatever time is needed to do a professional job for you. Stop in to discuss your needs, or call for an appointment. Our office hours are Monday thru Friday 8:30-12 and 1-5. Have a nice day.

A safe-deposit box held in joint names does not make its contents jointly owned.

Handle roughage smoothly.



If you're in the market for a new grinder-mixer, check out the Model 358 from Sperry New Holland. It's a modern farm feed processor. The special tank design practically eliminates bridging, no matter what material you're grinding. The "358" features a 125-bushel tank, 21-inch hammermill, 540- or 1,000-rpm drive and mechanical or hydraulic drive. The "358" is available with power bale feeder, plain feed chute or loading auger. An optional dual remote-control hydraulic unloading auger is also available.

Ask about our low finance rates!



**New Holland**  
S. Hwy 385 364-4001

## Cut requested

WASHINGTON (AP) — A major financial group, the Independent Bankers Association of America, wants the administration to rescind part of its program designed to help bail out farmers who can't pay off big debts.

The program was announced on Sept. 18 by President Reagan. One of the plan's features is a commitment by the Farmers Home Administration to guarantee most of a farmer's remaining operating debt if the lender first writes off 10 percent of the original loan.

But the association says it told Agriculture Secretary John R. Block on Tuesday that the debt forgiveness feature "should be rescinded before it discredits the entire loan guarantee concept."

A statement submitted to Block by Thomas H. Olson, chairman of the association's agriculture-rural committee, was made public on Wednesday. Olson is also president of Lisco (Neb.) State Bank.

## Case in Point No. 3

**WHY SETTLE FOR LESS THAN THE BEST BACKING IN THE FIELD?**

**ASK US.**

Case builds machines to last. But if there's anything more important than the dependability of the tractor you buy, it's the dependability of the people you buy it from.

Take Case special financing programs. Our low rate is fixed for the agreed term of the contract. It doesn't change. Now some competitors call it "bargain" merchandising. We call it simple integrity. Compare!

And we stand ready to back your new Case tractor

with a full package of re-sources, including our computerized network for fast,



sure parts and service support — nation-wide. Our optional Tailored

Owner Protection System (TOPS™), covers you for up to 48 months or 4000 hours on all major systems, even air-conditioning. Only you know how you'll use your new tractor, so you pay for only the coverage you need.

Who else gives you so much value up front and backs it so aggressively? Check all the makes and claims. Once you do, we think you'll go Case. Why settle for less?



**Case Power & Equipment**

Dimmitt Hwy

364-2015

**Cattle Insurance For Winter Pasture Call Today**

Office  
Ken Rogers 578-4350 John David Bryant 364-2900 364-0555

**Lone Star Insurance**



# Farm work among most hazardous

COLLEGE STATION -- Agricultural work is among the most hazardous of occupations.

Dr. Gary Nelson, safety engineer with the Texas Agricultural Extension Service, Texas A&M University System, said the agricultural environment is hazardous for a number of reasons.

First, unlike other industries which usually employ safety experts or assign part-time safety respon-

sibility to a supervisor, farm managers must set up their own safe operating procedures without the advantage of corporate guidelines, resources or training in safety.

In addition, each farm or ranch has unique hazards associated with ground cover and landscape features such as hills, gullies, brush, trees, ponds, ditches and nearby roads.

Each farm or ranch also is different in the type and age of machinery and facilities used,

Nelson pointed out. Although some improvements have been made in most new agricultural equipment, no occupation has a higher exposure to the variety of machinery and their moving parts than does agriculture.

A fourth factor affecting agricultural injury rates is the labor force itself. A significant portion of the part-time farm labor force is supplied by the farm family, including wives and children. Often this labor force is relatively inexperienced in

recognizing and coping with agricultural hazards.

General industry can exercise management control over a large group of workers, Nelson said, but the majority of farms and ranches have no employees outside the owner's family. And no safety regulations apply to family operated farms.

"In no other industry do wives and children get involved in the operation of complex mechanical equipment

associated with severe injury potential as in farming and ranching," Nelson pointed out.

Furthermore, hired farm labor is frequently migratory and relatively unskilled. Such brief periods of employment and language barriers can hamper successful long-term safety training.

Another factor related to farm and ranch safety is the variety of stresses associated with agriculture. Medical experts have contended that agriculture is the occupation with the highest level of general stress in the United States. Extra long work hours, particularly at different seasons of the year, plus the responsibility that goes with managing a farm or ranch, can create severe stress, Nelson said.

Shouldering all the responsibility for planning and managing his business, operating and maintaining

a wide variety of hazardous equipment, and usually providing most of the required labor while dealing with many stressful uncertainties can take a heavy toll on farmers and ranchers, Nelson said. Uncertainties include weather conditions, disease and pest conditions, and economic conditions, particularly ever-fluctuating commodity prices and interest rates.

"These unique features of agriculture produce an environment which is loaded with opportunities for severe injury as well as unique stresses which tend to divert a farmer's or rancher's attention away from safety," Nelson said. "However, recognizing that agriculture is a high hazard industry, special attention must be given to safety education and accident prevention if injuries are to be reduced."

## To avoid calving problems

### Weight rather than hip width said key

COLLEGE STATION -- A cattleman's best bet in avoiding calving problems is to select replacement heifers that are the heaviest rather than to use hip width measurements.

A recent study on the Jake Kalina farm in Wharton County confirms this. The study was a part of the Integrated Livestock Management Program of the Texas Agricultural

Extension Service, Texas A&M University System.

In the study, hip and pelvic area measurements were taken in a group of yearling Brahman-cross heifers to determine if there was any relationship between the two measurements,

according to Dr. L.R. Sprott, extension beef cattle specialist, who conducted the study along with Wharton

County Extension Agent Glenn Avriett. The study showed no relationship between the width at the pin bones and the internal pelvic area and only a slight relationship between the width at the hooks and the pelvic area, Sprott said.

Since research has shown that heavier heifers usually have the largest pelvic areas, Sprott advised producer to use that guideline in selecting replacement heifers. The heifers should then be bred to bulls that have sired calves of light birthweights so as to avoid calving problems.

Alfalfa has become the "queen of forages" for many Texas producers because it is a high quality, nutritious forage in demand by livestockmen. However, the potential for this crop is still being studied in southern part of the state due to past problems with cotton rootrot and alfalfa weevils.

That was the purpose of a 1983 demonstration on the Brian Fink and Cannonade Ranch in Gonzales County. The demonstration was a part of the Integrated Livestock Management Program of the extension service.

Four varieties of alfalfa were planted—Baron, Florida 77, Cimarron and WL 318—and fertilized with 400 pounds of 5-10-10 per acre. Balan herbicide was incorporated into the soil several weeks prior to planting to take care of weed problems. Plots

were irrigated with an overhead sprinkler.

The Baron variety was the top producer on a dry matter basis, yielding 10,323 pounds per acre from four clippings, said Dr. David Bade, extension forage specialist, and Gonzales County Extension Agent Orval Wright, who conducted the study. Yields of the other varieties were as follows: Florida 77—9,701 pounds, WL 318—6,386 pounds and Cimarron—5,913 pounds.

The Baron variety also averaged tops in crude protein at just over 17 percent but had the lowest level of phosphorus—about 0.24 percent.

The most promising thing about the demonstration, according to Bade, is that neither cotton rootrot nor alfalfa weevils were observed in any of the varieties during the first year. The new varieties do not have resistance to either rootrot or weevils but may persist longer due to better overall vigor and new methods to control weevils. The demonstration is being continued to study persistence, the specialist noted.

Cotton rootrot is a fungus disease that often has been a problem in alfalfa. And the alfalfa weevil, which has been the crop's chief pest, can now be controlled with an insecticide, says Bade.

## Office reports

### Diller saves irrigation

Hereford farmer Ralph Diller saved at least one full irrigation by implementing the use of a soil moisture monitoring system, the local office of the Soil Conservation Service announced this week.

The SCS and the Texas Agricultural Extension Service conducted experiments with soil moisture monitoring systems during the past growing season on Diller's farm, where a variety of crops are grown. A neutron soil moisture probe and gypsum blocks were used to monitor soil moisture during the experiment.

Diller told SCS he saved about six inches of water on furrow-irrigated corn and sugar beets and four inches of water on the same crops watered with a sprinkler system. According to the local SCS office, that converts to a savings of about \$23.40 an acre

on furrow irrigation, and a savings of \$15.60 an acre for crops watered with sprinkler irrigation.

Diller told the SCS he believes the soil moisture monitoring devices will become essential equipment for irrigated cropland farmers. The most important thing, according to Diller, is keeping accurate records of the readings from the monitoring device.

Jerry Walker, an engineer with the SCS office in Amarillo, said that during a "dry down" period, moisture readings will be about two days behind what the actual soil moisture is. If the soil is fairly wet, Walker said, the reading is direct.

For more information on the soil moisture monitoring services, call the local SCS at 364-0533. The office is at 315 W. Third St. in Hereford.



## THANK YOU

Rural Route 5 Customers

- For Your Patience - (You Put Up With Me)
- For Your Perseverance - (You Hung In There)
- For Your Persistence - (You Never Gave Up)

I'm retiring at the effective close of business December 3, 1984 -- 39 years of Civil Service is ENOUGH!

You folks have been just great to me. Thank you for making these last years my BEST YEARS -- God Bless each of you.

Billy D. Hutson  
Rural Letter Carrier - USPS. (Ret.)

## agrifacts

Presented By: WHITEFACE AVIATION CORP.

BLACK LAYER IS STILL AN INDICATOR OF CHOICE FOR CORN MATURITY, says a University of Illinois extension agronomist. As corn producers know, that's the area near the tip of all mature kernels which turns dark, indicating the stoppage of photosynthate - or food - into the kernel. An ear showing black layer in at least 75% of the mid-section kernels is considered mature. Moisture loss then becomes the determinant for the time between maturity and harvest. Here the most important role is, of course, played by the weather, with some hybrids giving up moisture more slowly than others. The most rapid moisture loss of all will follow frost-kill followed by warm, dry weather. And, the cob, the Illinois scientists says, usually contains more moisture than the grain until both cob and kernel dry to below 20 percent.

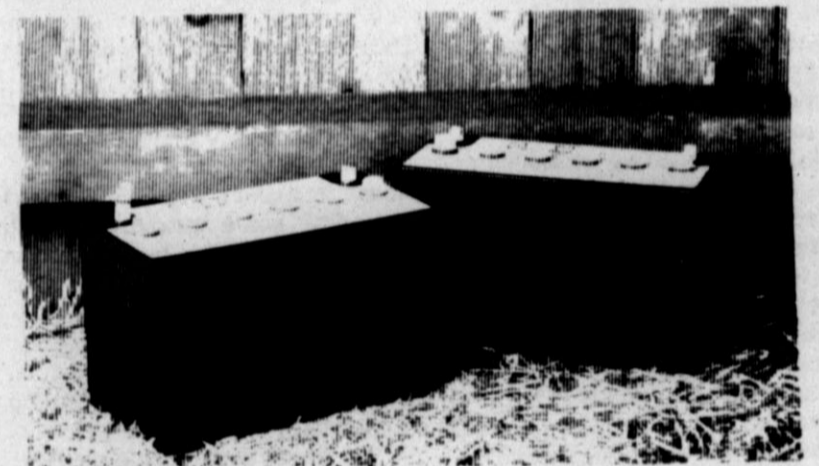
Aerial Spraying  
364-1471

## BEST IN THE FIELD

# PARIS

R.O.U.N.D.U.P.

### Buy one battery at regular price



### Get a second battery at 1/2 price

See us today.  
Offer ends November 30.

Case Power & Equipment

364-2015

Dimmitt Hwy



# INSULATE NOW!



FOR YEAR-ROUND ENERGY SAVINGS



When you're ready for insulation, we're ready to handle your needs. We have roll, batt, and blown insulation suitable for any application. And, whether you choose to install it yourself or have us install it, you're sure to save money. Not to mention what you'll save on energy bills!



Drop by soon for an estimate.

## Forrest Lumber Inc.

S. HWY 385 364-6002



## Remember Last Winter!



Protect Your Investment This Winter With Pasture Cattle Insurance

## PLAINS

Insurance Agency

205 E. Park Ave.

364-2232

In north, central Texas

# Frost halts forages' growth

COLLEGE STATION, Texas (AP) — A heavy frost over northern and central sections of Texas this week ended the growth of warm-season forages that had provided some grazing for livestock after the October rains.

The slightly-later-than-normal frost and mild fall weather following last month's rains had enabled livestock to get some additional green grazing from pastures and ranges, said Dr. Zerle L. Carpenter, director of the Texas Agricultural Extension Service, The Texas A&M University System.

At the same time, additional cuttings of hay were being harvested to boost short supplies that had resulted from a poor harvest during the summer months.

Good growing conditions also enabled small grains (wheat and oats) to get off to a fast start this fall, Carpenter said. Many early planted fields are providing good grazing for livestock, and these grazing prospects have brought a resurgence in the stocker cattle business. Many farmers with small grains either buy stocker calves or lease their land to cattlemen to graze stockers over about a four-month period. During this time the calves put on 200 to 300 pounds of weight so that they are ready to go into feedlots in the spring.

Cattlemen have also been busy trimming down their herds to reduce the number of head to overwinter, Carpenter said. This is a particular concern in areas where hay supplies remain short.

On the farming front, cotton harvesting operations have remained stalled over most of western Texas and the plains due to damp weather. While recent freezing temperatures were a boon to cotton farmers, they need open weather to get their crop in.

Soybean harvesting continued active along the Upper Coast while harvesting of peanuts and vegetables continued in full swing in Southwest Texas (Uvalde area). Some vegetable harvesting also was active in the Rio Grande Valley, where the sugarcane harvest was making excellent progress.

Harvesting of a short pecan crop continued over the state. This year's crop is estimated at less than 20 million pounds compared to more

than 80 million last year, Carpenter said.

Reports from district Extension directors showed these conditions.

**PANHANDLE:** Cotton farmers are looking for open weather to get on with harvest operations. A little grain sorghum also remains to be harvested, and about 10 percent of the sugar beet crop remains in the field. Wheat continues to make good growth and provide grazing for cattle although recent low temperatures have slowed progress.

**SOUTH PLAINS:** Damp weather continues to hamper cotton harvesting; about 30 percent of the crop is in. A little grain sorghum and about 30 percent of the sugar beets also remain to be harvested. Wheat continues to make excellent progress and is providing good grazing for cattle.

**ROLLING PLAINS:** Rains have boosted wheat fields but continued to delay cotton harvesting. Wheat grazing prospects are the best in recent years, and large numbers of stocker cattle continue to be shipped into the area. However, recent cold, wet conditions have caused above average health problems in stockers.

**NORTH CENTRAL:** Rains once again delayed wheat and oat planting. Early fields of wheat and oats are providing grazing, and fall vegetables are making good progress. Harvesting of a short pecan crop continues.

**NORTHEAST:** Warm-season grass growth has ended with the first killing frost of the fall. The frost and damp conditions have also hampered harvesting of the final cutting of hay. Clovers, ryegrass and wheat are making good growth. Greens and cole crops are in production. Harvesting of a light pecan crop is at the halfway point.

**FAR WEST:** The recent frost brought an end to green grazing on pastures and ranges; however, wheat is making good growth and providing some grazing. Damp weather continued to hamper cotton harvesting in some locations. Most livestock are in good shape.

**WEST CENTRAL:** Rainy weather continued to slow cotton harvesting. This week's freeze will speed up harvesting if open weather prevails. A little wheat is still being planted; early fields are furnishing good grazing. Ranchers anticipate heavy

feeding of livestock this winter due to short ranges.

**CENTRAL:** Most small grains have been planted; early fields are providing good grazing. Rust disease is showing up in some wheat and some fields need nitrogen fertilizer. Lice and blackleg problems are increasing in cattle. About half the pecan crop has been harvested; yields are short.

**EAST:** Freezing temperatures have halted warm-season grasses. The final hay cutting is about complete. Winter pastures are making good growth and providing grazing for livestock. The pecan crop is fair and is about 80 percent harvested.

**UPPER COAST:** Soybeans are still being harvested; recent rains have hurt the crop in both yields and quality. The quality of the second cutting of Lemont rice also was poor. Wheat fields are making good growth; geese are causing some damage. Cattle sales remain active as producers are reducing herds for the winter season.

**SOUTH CENTRAL:** The season's first frost has slowed forage growth, and cattlemen are stepping up supplemental feeding. Most small grains have been planted, with early fields making good growth and providing grazing for cattle. Harvesting of a poor pecan crop continues.

**SOUTHWEST:** Harvesting of peanuts, cabbage, spinach, pickling cucumbers, carrots and hay remains in full swing. Morning dew is causing severe white rust disease in spinach. The pecan crop is in; yields and quality were poor. Small grains are making good growth and starting to offer some grazing. However, ranchers are culling herds sharply to reduce overwintering numbers.

**COASTAL BEND:** A few farmers are still planting wheat and oats while others are getting cropland ready for spring planting. Some hay making continues; hay supplies remain short in some locations. Cattle are in fair to good shape with winter approaching. A short pecan crop is about 65 percent harvested.

**SOUTH:** Hay making continues, with good yields. Sugarcane harvesting is making excellent progress and yields also are good. Peppers, cabbage and cucumbers remain in light supply while other vegetables continue to make good progress.

# GRAND OPENING

## WILHELM SATELLITE

### DEC. 3 -- DEC. 8

**REGISTER FOR PRIZES TO BE DRAWN FOR ON CHRISTMAS EVE!!!**



STS MBS-SR  
• Built-in remote control  
• Dish and motor drive  
• Installation with the STS MBS-AA  
• Air conditioner

**GRAND OPENING SPECIAL 'COMPLETE' Satellite Systems**

**Priced From \$1290<sup>00</sup>**

**Expert Installation and Financing Available**

Quality Performance...Value Priced!

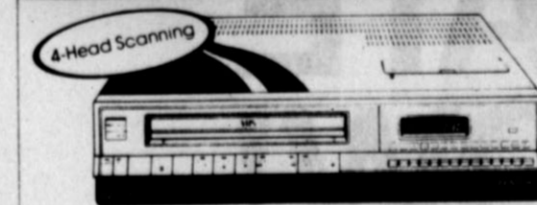
**ZENITH CUSTOM COMPACT COLOR TV**

Famous Zenith Picture Quality  
**19" Zenith COLOR TV**

- Super Video Range Tuning with Picture Set Fine Tuning
- Zenith Chromecast with Picture Tube
- Decimetric 100% modulated 2 1/2" channel
- Simulated American Walnut cabinet

**GRAND OPENING SALE PRICE \$349<sup>00</sup>**  
Model Z1900W

**ZENITH VHS VIDEO RECORDER**  
the Smart Deck



**ZENITH VR2000**  
A Value Packed Video Recorder with Deluxe Features

- 4-Head Scanning for superb picture quality
- 14-Day programmable auto-record
- Electronic Tuning
- Automatic front self load
- Optional wireless Remote Control

ZENITH THE QUALITY GOES IN BEFORE THE NAME GOES ON

**SHARP MICROWAVE PRE-HOLIDAY SALE!**

**BEAT THE CHRISTMAS RUSH BUY NOW!**

**SAVE NOW ON A SHARP CAROUSEL MICROWAVE OVEN**

**SHARP MICROWAVE OVENS START AS LOW AS \$199<sup>00</sup>**

**MOVIE RENTALS -- VCR & DISC**  
Over 2,000 Titles Available

# WILHELM SATELLITE

601 Main

Friona

Ph. 247-3003

## Pak-A-Sak

385 & Park Ave.

### Beer Specials

<p><b>Lite Beer</b> By Miller 24 12 oz. Cans Suitcase <b>\$10<sup>49</sup></b></p>	<p>Regular or Dark <b>Lowen Brau</b> <b>\$2<sup>99</sup></b> 6 Pack 12 oz. Bottles</p>
<p><b>Milwaukee's</b> Best <b>\$1<sup>89</sup></b> 6 Pak 12 oz. Bottles</p>	<p><b>Budweiser</b> <b>\$5<sup>49</sup></b> 12 Pak 12 oz. Cans</p>
<p><b>Mrs. Bairds Fruit Pies</b> <b>3 For \$1<sup>00</sup></b></p>	<p><b>Fountain Drinks</b> 32 oz. Jumbo <b>49¢</b> All Flavors</p>
<p>Haggen Dazs <b>Ice Cream</b> <b>\$1<sup>99</sup></b> Pint asst. Flavors</p>	<p><b>Flour Tortillas</b> (From Cactus Bakery) 10 Pak <b>\$1<sup>39</sup></b></p>
<p><b>Burritos</b> Beef &amp; Bean <b>2 For 98¢</b></p>	<p><b>Coke</b> <b>\$1<sup>39</sup></b> 2 Liter Btl.</p>

# Dealers somewhat optimistic about buyout

DALLAS (AP) — Farm equipment dealers say a merger between two major suppliers will be good for the industry but they expect their ranks to dwindle.

"This is the greatest thing that could happen to International Harvester's agricultural line," said John Rykken, an executive with International Harvester. "We can't go wrong now backed by an \$18 billion dollar company."

Tenneco Inc. earlier this week announced it had acquired the financially-troubled Harvester. The

sale means a shotgun marriage with Tenneco's J.I. Case farm tractor and construction equipment company.

About 800 dealers and marketing managers gathered at the Dallas Convention Center Wednesday for a briefing by executives of Tenneco, Harvester and Case.

"We wanted to bring people from Case and International Harvester together to expose them to the management of both companies," said Joe Macrum, spokesman for Tenneco.

Though the dealers view the sale

as positive, some are forced to be realistic.

"There's a lot of these guys who won't be here next year," predicted Brian Fuller, an International Harvester dealer from Renville, Minn., concerned about what will happen to overlapping dealerships.

Most of the dealers interviewed outside the special meeting, which was closed to the public, said they were buoyed by the prospects of a merger that could create a lean, tough competitor for industry giant Deere & Co.

"I think it's going to be a shot in the arm," said Ed Skeele, from the dairy-farming town of Cortland, N.Y.

But Harvester's 1,700 dealers would triple the size of the Case network. Some dealers and company officials said Tenneco may need to eliminate some franchises.

"There is excess capacity in the market and excess inventory at the sales level," Macrum said. "Some consolidation is essential. But whatever happens, it will be handled fairly and equitably."

Macrum, who estimated there is a 12-month inventory of unsold farm equipment, called the oversupply "the largest single problem" facing the industry.

Macrum said no changes would be made until after the 60-day Justice Department review process.

Eugene Arnold has been in the farm equipment business for 44 years. Across the street from his Harvester dealership in Litchfield, Minn., is a Case dealership.

"He isn't just going to fold up," Arnold said. "And I'm not going to buy him out."

Dealers leaving the meeting said

many of their questions remained unanswered.

"They didn't answer our questions because they don't have the answers," said Wade Alderman of Alderman's Inc. in Lennon, Mich.

Like Harvester, Case is struggling to survive in a depressed farm economy.

"I think it's better to have one viable company than two cripples," said 67-year-old Eugene Nelson, a Harvester dealer from Litchville, N.D.

Case had a pre-tax operating loss of \$68 million last year. Harvester has posted annual pre-tax losses of about \$300 million in recent years.

## Late winter or early spring

# Windbreak tree planting still to come

COLLEGE STATION — Trees can provide a lot of protection for those gusting winter winds, and the tie to plan windbreaks is at hand. However, actual planting won't be until late winter or early spring.

"A windbreak planting can provide a comfort and protection zone," pointed out Dr. Michael Walterscheid, forestry specialist with the Texas Agricultural Extension Service, Texas A&M University System. "Windbreaks also can be planted for livestock protection, wildlife habitats, Christmas tree production, fruit and nut production, and aesthetics."

Properly designed windbreaks will provide full protection from wind to a distance of 10 times the height of the tallest trees and provide some protection out to 20 times the height of the tallest trees.

Density of windbreaks is also important, Walterscheid said. A moderately dense windbreak acts as a filter and allows for less turbulence on the inside of the windbreak. Not

only do windbreaks affect wind velocity, but they can reduce mid-day summer temperatures up to 5 degrees out to 20 times the height of the windbreak.

To begin preparations for a windbreak, mow or plow the site in early fall to help reduce weed competition, the specialist suggested. If there is a chance of erosion, sow a cover crop during the winter, leaving a 2-foot-wide strip for the tree planting. Plow and disk the site again two to three weeks before planting. It is important to conserve soil moisture so seedlings will get off to a good start.

"When planting the windbreak, remember to keep trees 100 feet from the nearest structure and extend it beyond the farmstead 100 feet," Walterscheid said. "If the windbreak is for livestock, it must be fenced for protection."

Many older windbreaks were

planted with up to 10 rows of trees, which took lots of space, he noted. However, research has shown that three rows of trees can be just as effective. Two rows should be conifers such as pine or juniper; the other can be hardwoods such as oak.

Never mix hardwoods in the row with conifers or mix various species of hardwoods in a row because of varying growth rates and crown shapes, Walterscheid cautioned. Conifer rows should be at least 15 feet apart and hardwood rows should be 20 feet from the conifers.

Trees for windbreak plantings are available from the Texas Forest Service. Landowners in the northwestern half of Texas should obtain trees from the Lubbock nursery; landowners from the southeastern part of Texas should order trees from the Alto nursery. Trees from the Alto nursery will be

available for planting in late December while Lubbock nursery trees will be available in March.

Walterscheid added that using a drip irrigation system will increase tree survival and growth. More information on planning and planting windbreaks is available from county offices of the extension service or the Soil Conservation Service, he noted.

## BARBS

Phil Pastoret

Pioneering in the '80s: Being forced to shake the salad dressing because the stuff you bought isn't emulsified.

The jolt you get from a drink doesn't come from the libation. It comes with presentation of the check.



"Come unto Me, all ye that labour and are heavy laden and I will give you rest." Matt. 11:28

Sunday Services: 9:45 a.m. Sunday School  
Worship Service 11 a.m.  
Wednesday Night 7 p.m.  
Sunday Evening Service 7 p.m.



**Grace Gospel Church**

Pastor Evelyn Tallant Ave. K & 13th St.  
Church No. 806-364-6258 806-364-7892

## Christmas Trees

Fresh Oregon Cut Trees  
Living Colorado Blue Spruce  
Austrian & Mondell Pines  
Trees Custom Flocked

SPECIAL LITES  
and  
DECORATIONS  
FOR YOUR TREE  
or  
WREATHS

Open  
Sunday  
Dec. 2nd  
1:30  
to 5:30



## FIREWOOD

Pinon - Pine - Oak  
We Can Deliver



**Poinsettias**  
\$4<sup>95</sup> to \$18<sup>95</sup>

Also  
Cyclamen  
Christmas Cactus

Norfolk Pines

Combo Pots  
Red & White Poinsettias

FRESH  
FIR GARLAND  
and  
WREATHS

We Can Decorate To Suit Your  
Needs With Foil & Bows

Free Gift Delivery In Hereford

Complete Yard and Garden Supplies!

**McLain Garden Center**

"Let Us Help Beautify Your Home"

1302 West Park Ave.

364-3300

901 East 1st.

**T-SHIRT CORNER**  
Custom Order T-Shirt's & Cap's  
T-SHIRTS - TRANSFERS - CUSTOM LETTERING

SHOP T-SHIRT CORNER FOR QUALITY & VALUE

Hereford, Texas

364-1773

## ATTENTION: PHEASANT HUNTERS!

Big Brothers / Big Sisters  
of Hereford, Inc.

Will Sponsor a Pheasant Hunter's Breakfast

Saturday, December 8th  
from 5:00 AM to 8:00 AM

at the  
Hereford Community Center

### MENU

Bacon, Sausage & Ham  
Scrambled Eggs  
Biscuits & Gravy  
Donuts  
Coffee, Juice & Milk  
(Catered by Savage's)



Served Buffet Style - \$5<sup>00</sup> per person -

Proceeds to Benefit BB/BS of Hereford, Inc.

## Case in Point No. 4

# WHO GIVES YOU A CHOICE? (THERE IS A CHOICE.)

## ASK US.

When you're in the market for an under 100 horsepower General Purpose tractor, look to Case first.

For good reason. We offer five basic models from 43 to 85 PTO horsepower (32 kW to 85 kW) ... all with rugged dependability and Case-built, fuel efficient diesel engines.

And there's a great deal more — a wide selection of standard and optional features to give you the tractor for the job at hand.

For example, add the comfort of a Case wide-visibility cab — an outstand-



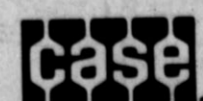
ing choice. Or opt for the convenience of a power shift transmission. Another option:

traction-boosting Mechanical Front Drive that opens a new world of productivity — fair or foul.

Our total performance package also includes two performance-matched loaders.

The fact is, Case gives you a choice because you need a tractor that meets your needs.

Stop in and ask how you can get a great little tractor to work for you.



## Case Power & Equipment

Dimmitt Hwy

364-2015

# Television Schedule

SUNDAY

- AFTERNOON**
- 12:00 (2) Flipper  
 (3) NFL Football: Pittsburgh at Houston  
 (4) News  
 (5) Church Triumphant  
 (6) MOVIE: 'Sherlock Holmes in Dressed to Kill' Holmes finds that a music box holds the key to plates stolen from the Bank of England. Basil Rathbone, Nigel Bruce. 1945.  
 (7) NFL Football: Teams To Be Announced  
 (8) Super Bouts of the 70's  
 (9) News/Sports/Weather  
 (10) Standby... Lights! Cameral Action!  
 (11) Kung Fu Theatre  
 (12) 'That's My Boy' The shy, anemic son of a former All-American swimming champ becomes a football hero. Dean Martin, Jerry Lewis, Polly Bergen. 1951.
- 12:30 (2) Gentle Ben  
 (3) MOVIE: 'Paradise, Hawaiian Style' An airplane pilot in Hawaii can barely get his shuttle service off the ground because of his amorous escapades with the island beauties. Elvis Presley, Suzanna Leigh, James Shigeta. 1966.  
 (4) Taking Advantage  
 (5) Money Week  
 (6) MOVIE: 'California Passage' A

- saloon owner is framed for a stage-coach robbery by his partner. Forrest Tucker, Adele Mara. 1950.  
 (7) Wild World of Animals  
 (8) Rex Humbard  
 (9) Top Rank Boxing from Las Vegas, NV  
 (10) Week In Review  
 (11) Round Cero  
 (12) Avengers of the Reef  
 (13) Para Gente Grande  
 1:15 (1) Kung Fu  
 (2) Phil Arms Ministries  
 (3) MOVIE: 'The Truth About Spring' A fisherman realizes his daughter is not meeting any eligible males, so he welcomes aboard a young lawyer. Hayley Mills, John Mills, James MacArthur. 1965.  
 1:30 (1) In Touch  
 (2) Freeman Reports  
 (3) MOVIE: 'Ski Bum' A young ski bum gets involved in the exploitation of a big business and is betrayed by those he thought he could trust. Zalman King, Charlotte Rampling, Joseph Mell. 1971.  
 (4) MOVIE: 'In Harm's Way' A Navy man captures Japanese-held islands in the days following the Pearl Harbor attack. John Wayne, Kirk Douglas, Patricia Neal. 1965.  
 2:30 (1) MOVIE: 'Promise Her Anything' A young widow sets out to find a husband for herself and a father for her baby. Warren Beatty, Leslie Ca-

- ron, Robert Cummings. 1966.  
 (2) MOVIE: 'Thoroughly Modern Millie' Two young girls come to New York to realize their ambitions: one to be an actress, the other to be a stenographer and marry the boss. Julie Andrews, Mary Tyler Moore, Carol Channing. 1967.  
 (3) MOVIE: 'Orca' A killer whale is out for revenge when a shark-hunting seafarer captures and kills his pregnant mate. Richard Harris, Charlotte Rampling, Keenan Wynn. 1977. Rated PG.  
 (4) Joshua's Confusion  
 (5) Wagon Train  
 (6) NFL Football: Los Angeles Raiders at Miami  
 (7) Study the Bible  
 (8) News Update  
 (9) Marlboro del Caribe Horse Race  
 (10) Livewire  
 (11) Your Money  
 (12) Contact  
 (13) MOVIE: 'Doctor Doolittle' A lovable doctor talks to animals. Rex Harrison, Anthony Newley, Samantha Eggar. 1967.  
 (14) To Be Announced  
 (15) Evans and Novak  
 (16) MOVIE: 'Under Nevada Skies' Roy sets out to find his best friend's murderer. Roy Rogers, Dale Evans. 1947.  
 (17) Dr. D. James Kennedy  
 (18) Worldvision

- (1) Footy: The World's Roughest Game  
 (2) News/Sports/Weather  
 (3) To Be Announced  
 (4) Emmet Otter's Jug-Band Christmas  
 (5) You Can't Do That On TV  
 (6) Cover Story  
 (7) Jacques Cousteau  
 (8) Newsmaker Sunday  
 (9) Out of Control  
 4:30 (1) MOVIE: 'A Gift For Heidi' Set in the Swiss Alps, a young girl receives a very special gift one day. Sandy Descher, Douglas Fowley. 1959.  
 (2) News  
 (3) ABC News (CC)  
 (4) Jerry Falwell  
 (5) Capital Cities Special  
 (6) 3rd Annual Legendary Pocket Billiards Stars  
 (7) News/Sports/Weather  
 (8) Mi Secretaria  
 (9) MOVIE: 'Daffy Duck's Movie: Fantastic Island' Daffy finds himself on a tropical island where his wildest dreams come true. Animated. 1983. Rated G.  
 (10) NICK ROCK: Video to Go  
 (11) Hitchcock Hour  
 (12) CBS News  
 (13) Wild World of Animals  
 (14) News  
 (15) CBS News  
 (16) Inside Business  
 (17) Temas y Debates  
 (18) Mr. Wizard's World  
 (19) Too Close for Comfort

- (20) Camp Meeting USA  
 (21) Kemy & Dolly: A Christmas to Remember  
 (22) Flutie: College Football  
 (23) News/Sports/Weather  
 (24) Siempre en Domingo  
 (25) MOVIE: 'Silkwood' (CC) A plutonium plant employee turned union activist exposes the unsafe working conditions which may have cost her her life. Meryl Streep, Cher, Kurt Russell. Rated R.  
 (26) Stage: A Christmas Carol  
 (27) Movin' On  
 7:30 (1) NFL's Greatest Moments  
 (2) Lancer  
 (3) In Touch  
 (4) MOVIE: 'Fort Apache, the Bronx' A veteran cop battles crime and corruption in one of New York's toughest precincts. Paul Newman, Ed Asner, Rachel Ticotin. 1980.  
 (5) MOVIE: 'Escape from Alcatraz' A tough, clever convict is determined to break out of the prison that is said to be escape proof. Clint Eastwood, Patrick McGouhan, Robert Blossom. 1979.  
 (6) Jim Bakker  
 (7) Ninth Annual Circus of the Stars  
 (8) Super Bouts of the 80's  
 (9) Week In Review  
 (10) Greatest American Hero  
 (11) In Search of...  
 (12) Bridget Loves Bernie  
 8:30 (1) In Search of...  
 (2) Changed Lives  
 (3) Robert Schuller  
 (4) News  
 (5) Super Bouts of the 70's  
 (6) News/Sports/Weather  
 (7) Curious Case of Santa Claus  
 (8) Bob & Carol & Ted & Alice  
 (9) Switch  
 (10) Sports Page  
 (11) First and Ten  
 (12) Rock Church Proclaims  
 (13) NBA Basketball: Chicago at Los Angeles Lakers  
 (14) Make Me Laugh  
 (15) Day of Discovery  
 (16) Boys' Choir  
 9:45 (1) News  
 (2) Kenneth Copeland  
 (3) SportsCenter  
 (4) Inside Business  
 (5) MOVIE: 'A Night in Heaven' A married but frustrated teacher risks everything for a night of passion with one of her students. Christopher Atkins, Lesley Ann Warren, Robert Loggia. 1983. Rated R.  
 (6) By Design: Milton Glaser  
 (7) Kung Fu Theatre  
 (8) History of Forward Pass  
 (9) Jerry Falwell  
 (10) News  
 (11) Contact  
 (12) MOVIE: 'The Student Prince' The young heir to a European throne in the 19th Century falls in love with a barmaid. Anne Blyth, Edmund Purdom, John Ericson. 1954.  
 (13) Fraggle Rock  
 (14) Free of Charge  
 (15) Knight Rider Michael must find antidote for a lethal poison that was consumed by a beautiful young dancer but was actually meant for him. (60 min.)  
 (16) NBA Basketball: New Jersey at Philadelphia  
 (17) Hardcastle and McCormick (CC) The Judge and Mark discover two children on their doorstep one stormy night with only a note asking Hardcastle to take care of them. (60 min.)

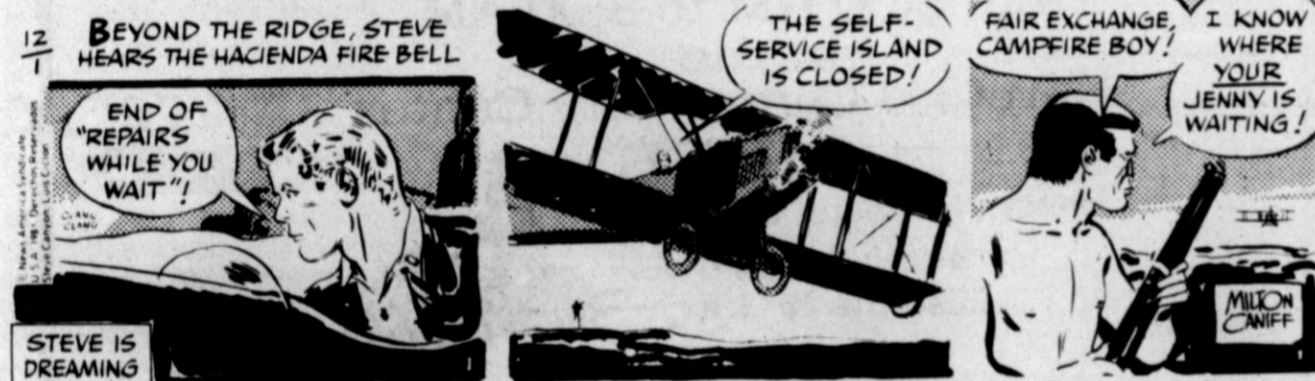
- (18) Jim Bakker  
 (19) College Football '84: Teams to Be Announced  
 (20) News/Sports/Weather  
 (21) El Show de R. Barral  
 (22) Stage: A Christmas Carol  
 (23) Solid Gold  
 11:15 (1) Open House  
 (2) John Osteen  
 (3) Style With Elsa Klensch  
 (4) MOVIE: 'Independence Day' An independent, talented photographer dreams of rising above the limits of her small hometown. Kathleen Quinlan, David Keith, Frances Sternhagen. 1982. Rated R.  
 12:00 (1) Small World  
 (2) Good News  
 (3) Tales from the Darkside  
 (4) News Update  
 (5) Pellicula: 'Asi Era mi Madre'  
 (6) Tennis Magazine  
 (7) Dr. Gene Scott  
 (8) MOVIE: 'Ship of Fools' Diverse personalities from different backgrounds are forced to share close quarters on a passenger ship. Vivien Leigh, Simone Signoret, Lee Marvin. 1965.  
 (9) Waltons  
 (10) Health Week  
 (11) Sunday Sports Page  
 (12) Blackwood Brothers  
 (13) News and Times of Grizzly Adams  
 (14) Newsmaker Sunday  
 (15) Motoworld  
 (16) Boys' Choir  
 (17) Best of 700 Club  
 (18) Charlie's Angels  
 (19) Kenneth Copeland  
 (20) Money Week  
 (21) Curious Case of Santa Claus  
 (22) Wrestling TNT  
 (23) CBS News Nightwatch JIP  
 (24) The Movies  
 (25) Sports Latent  
 (26) MOVIE: 'Orca' A killer whale is out for revenge when a shark-hunting seafarer captures and kills his pregnant mate. Richard Harris, Charlotte Rampling, Keenan Wynn. 1977. Rated PG.  
 (27) Boys' Choir  
 (28) CMESat  
 (29) Jim Bakker  
 (30) News/Sports/Weather  
 (31) Siempre en Domingo  
 (32) By Design: Milton Glaser  
 (33) Puttin' on the Hits  
 (34) SportsCenter  
 (35) Crossfire  
 (36) Satellite Maintenance  
 (37) MOVIE: 'Give Us Wings' Eager young boys are hired by a crop dusting company. Wallace Ford, Victor Jory, David End Kids. 1940.  
 (38) News Update  
 (39) MOVIE: 'Silkwood' (CC) A plutonium plant employee turned union activist exposes the unsafe working conditions which may have cost her her life. Meryl Streep, Cher, Kurt Russell. Rated R.  
 (40) News  
 (41) SportsCenter  
 (42) Puttin' on the Hits  
 (43) ABC News (CC)  
 (44) 700 Club  
 (45) Larry Jones Ministry  
 (46) MOVIE: 'The Survivor' The understated true story of the Nazi massacre during W.W.II and the British machine gunning of 100 British soldier captives. Gary Wagner. 1966. (60 min.)

## Comics

### PEANUTS by Charles M. Schultz



### STEVE CANYON by Milton Caniff



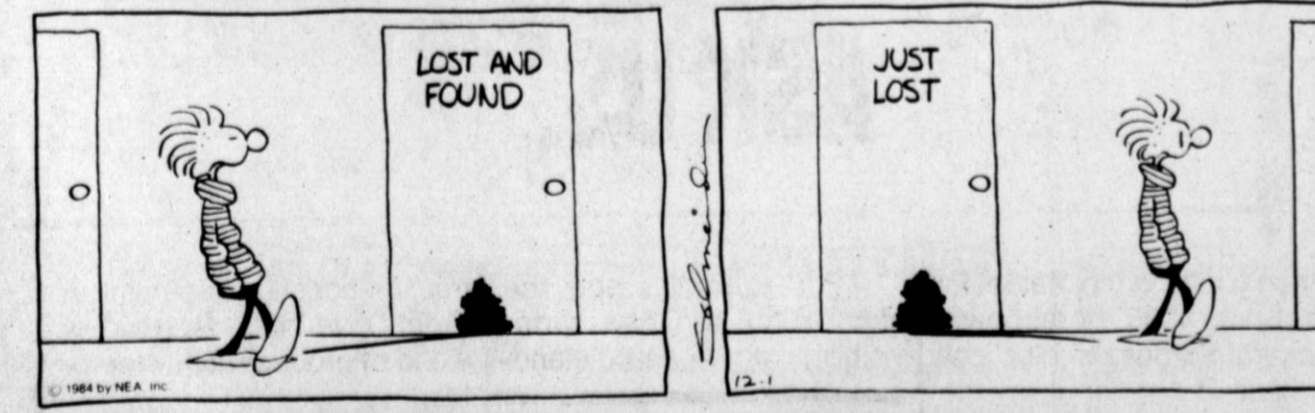
### THE BORN LOSER by Art Sansom



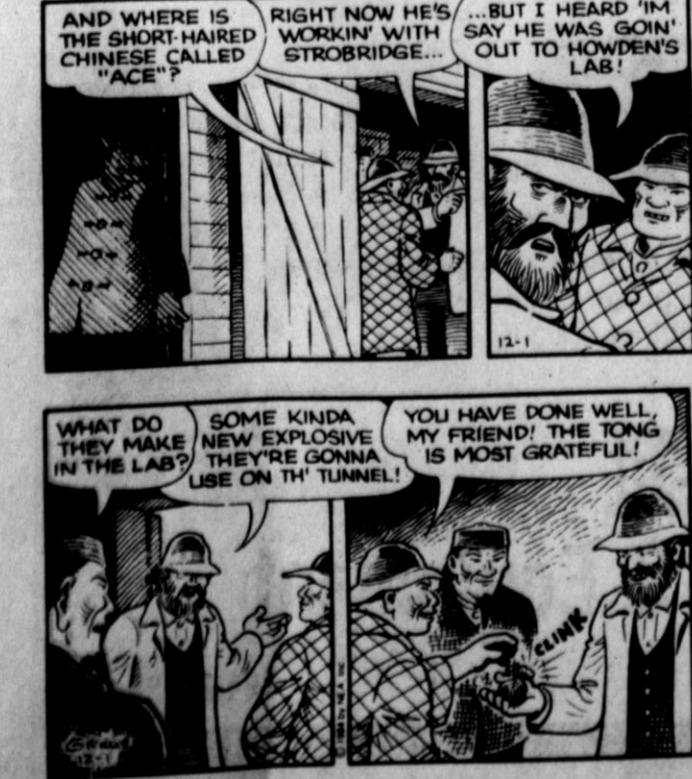
### FRANK AND ERNEST by Bob Thaves



### EEK & MEEK by Howie Schneider



### ALLEY OOP by Dave Graue



### MARMADUKE by Brad Anderson



### EVENING

- 6:00 (1) Silver Spoons  
 (2) Best of World Championship Wrestling  
 (3) Ripley's Believe It or Not (CC) Tonight's program features an experimental version of sheep shearing that uses drugs to make the wool peel off and the journey of the ashes of D. H. Lawrence. (60 min.)  
 (4) Good News  
 (5) 60 Minutes  
 (6) SportsCenter  
 (7) News Update  
 (8) Leonela  
 (9) Reggie Jackson's World of Sports  
 (10) Virginian  
 (11) Voyagers  
 (12) Sports Sunday  
 (13) Bill Cosby Show  
 (14) Punky Brewster Henry tries everything, including opera, to get Punky to go to sleep.  
 (15) Expect a Miracle  
 (16) MOVIE: 'The Student Prince' The young heir to a European throne in the 19th Century falls in love with a barmaid. Anne Blyth, Edmund Purdom, John Ericson. 1954.  
 (17) Fraggle Rock  
 (18) Free of Charge  
 (19) Knight Rider Michael must find antidote for a lethal poison that was consumed by a beautiful young dancer but was actually meant for him. (60 min.)  
 (20) NBA Basketball: New Jersey at Philadelphia  
 (21) Hardcastle and McCormick (CC) The Judge and Mark discover two children on their doorstep one stormy night with only a note asking Hardcastle to take care of them. (60 min.)

### EVENING

- 6:00 (1) Here Come the Brides  
 (2) Gomer Pyle  
 (3) Jim Bakker and Friends  
 (4) Barney Miller  
 (5) SportsCenter  
 (6) Moneyline  
 (7) Leonela  
 (8) You Can't Do That On TV  
 (9) Radio 1990  
 (10) Rituals  
 (11) M\*A\*S\*H  
 (12) Andy Griffith  
 (13) Wheel of Fortune  
 (14) Father John Bertolucci  
 (15) Rainbow Brite  
 (16) Three's Company  
 (17) NFL's Greatest Moments  
 (18) Crossfire  
 (19) Fraggle Rock  
 (20) Dangermouse  
 (21) Dragnet  
 (22) Entertainment Tonight  
 (23) Cisco Kid  
 (24) TV's Bloopers and Practical Jokes  
 (25) MOVIE: 'Harper' A private detective, hired by a wealthy woman to find her missing husband, finds the husband dead. Paul Newman, Julie Harris, Janet Leigh. 1966.  
 (26) Call to Glory Raynor's surprise visit to Vietnam leaves Vanessa bitter and then worried when he is captured by the North Vietnamese. (60 min.)  
 (27) Camp Meeting USA  
 (28) Greatest American Hero  
 (29) Scarecrow and Mrs. King  
 (30) Monday Night Match-Up  
 (31) Prime News  
 (32) Cosas de Casados  
 (33) MOVIE: 'Heart Like a Wheel' The first woman dragracing champion is torn between her family and racing. Bonnie Bedelia, Beau Bridges, Hoyt Axton. 1983. Rated PG.  
 (34) Nanny

### EVENING

- 6:00 (1) Here Come the Brides  
 (2) Gomer Pyle  
 (3) In Touch  
 (4) College Basketball: Indiana at Notre Dame  
 (5) Moneyline  
 (6) Leonela  
 (7) You Can't Do That On TV  
 (8) Radio 1990  
 (9) Rituals  
 (10) M\*A\*S\*H  
 (11) Andy Griffith  
 (12) Wheel of Fortune  
 (13) Three's Company  
 (14) Crossfire  
 (15) Braingames  
 (16) Dangermouse  
 (17) Dragnet  
 (18) Entertainment Tonight  
 (19) Gentle Ben  
 (20) A-Team  
 (21) MOVIE: 'Miracle on 34th Street' An old man who professes to be Santa Claus brings new meaning to Christmas for everyone around him. Maureen O'Hara, John Payne, Edmund Gwenn. 1947.  
 (22) Three's A Crowd (CC) Jack experiences jealousy and competition when Vicky's old boyfriend arrives in town and opens a restaurant close to the Bistro.  
 (23) Camp Meeting USA  
 (24) Bugs Bunny's Christmas  
 (25) Prime News  
 (26) Chespirito  
 (27) MOVIE: 'Kiss Me Goodbye' A widow about to remarry is haunted by the outspoken ghost of her late husband. Sally Field, James Caan, Jeff Bridges. 1983. Rated PG.  
 (28) Bloodlines: 1915  
 (29) Wrestling TNT  
 (30) Hawaii Five-O

### EVENING

- (31) NFL's Greatest Moments  
 (32) Lancer  
 (33) In Touch  
 (34) MOVIE: 'Fort Apache, the Bronx' A veteran cop battles crime and corruption in one of New York's toughest precincts. Paul Newman, Ed Asner, Rachel Ticotin. 1980.  
 (35) MOVIE: 'Escape from Alcatraz' A tough, clever convict is determined to break out of the prison that is said to be escape proof. Clint Eastwood, Patrick McGouhan, Robert Blossom. 1979.  
 (36) Jim Bakker  
 (37) Ninth Annual Circus of the Stars  
 (38) Super Bouts of the 80's  
 (39) Week In Review  
 (40) Greatest American Hero  
 (41) In Search of...  
 (42) Bridget Loves Bernie  
 8:30 (1) In Search of...  
 (2) Changed Lives  
 (3) Robert Schuller  
 (4) News  
 (5) Super Bouts of the 70's  
 (6) News/Sports/Weather  
 (7) Curious Case of Santa Claus  
 (8) Bob & Carol & Ted & Alice  
 (9) Switch  
 (10) Sports Page  
 (11) First and Ten  
 (12) Rock Church Proclaims  
 (13) NBA Basketball: Chicago at Los Angeles Lakers  
 (14) Make Me Laugh  
 (15) Day of Discovery  
 (16) Boys' Choir  
 10:00 (1) News  
 (2) Kenneth Copeland  
 (3) SportsCenter  
 (4) Inside Business  
 (5) MOVIE: 'A Night in Heaven' A married but frustrated teacher risks everything for a night of passion with one of her students. Christopher Atkins, Lesley Ann Warren, Robert Loggia. 1983. Rated R.  
 (6) By Design: Milton Glaser  
 (7) Kung Fu Theatre  
 (8) History of Forward Pass  
 (9) Jerry Falwell  
 (10) News  
 (11) Contact  
 (12) MOVIE: 'The Student Prince' The young heir to a European throne in the 19th Century falls in love with a barmaid. Anne Blyth, Edmund Purdom, John Ericson. 1954.  
 (13) CBS News  
 (14) Sports Tonight  
 (15) Puttin' on the Hits  
 (16) ABC News (CC)  
 (17) 700 Club  
 (18) Larry Jones Ministry  
 (19) MOVIE: 'The Survivor' The understated true story of the Nazi massacre during W.W.II and the British machine gunning of 100 British soldier captives. Gary Wagner. 1966. (60 min.)

### MONDAY

- (20) MOVIE: 'Deserter' A renegade soldier becomes a one-man war of revenge. John Huston, Richard Crenna, Chuck Connors. 1971.  
 (21) Hawaii Five-O  
 7:30 (1) NFL's Superstars  
 (2) Dos Mujeres en mi Casa  
 (3) 700 Club  
 (4) MOVIE: 'Children in the Crossfire' Four children from both sides of the conflict in Northern Ireland experience a life-changing six week holiday with two American families, perhaps finding the only peace they'll ever know. Charles Haid, Karen Valentine, Julia Duffy. 1984.  
 (5) NFL Football: Chicago at San Diego  
 (6) Jim Bakker  
 (7) Lifestyles of the Rich and Famous  
 (8) Kate & Allie Allie and Charles have a battle of the wicket when Chip's birthday arrives, and each wants to give him the most expensive present.  
 (9) Motorcycle Racing: Seattle Supercross  
 (10) Freeman Reports  
 (11) El Maleficio  
 (12) Gumshoe: The Consultant  
 (13) MOVIE: 'It Happened at the World's Fair' Two broke bush pilots find themselves in charge of a seven-year-old Chinese girl at the Seattle World's Fair. Elvis Presley, Joan O'Brien, Gary Lockwood. 1963.  
 8:30 (1) Newhart Dick is elated when an admirer wants to set up a fan club for him.  
 (2) Grandes Series: Cuando Renace el Amor  
 (3) Prophecy Digest  
 (4) News  
 (5) Cagney and Lacey Cagney and Lacey race time as they try to solve a major crime before the statute of limitations runs out. (60 min.)  
 (6) 1983 Masters of Aerobics  
 (7) Evening News  
 (8) Olivia Newton-John in Concert  
 (9) Cover Story  
 (10) Oned Line  
 (11) MOVIE: 'Strategic Air Command' A tale of a baseball player who is called back to Air Force duty and is instrumental in the development of the U.S.'s air defense system. James Stewart, June Allyson, Barry Sullivan. 1955.  
 9:30 (1) Together: Boones  
 (2) Jerry Seinfeld  
 (3) 3rd Annual Legendary Pocket Billiards Stars  
 (4) Seeing Stars  
 (5) Bill Cosby Show  
 (6) News  
 (7) Lester Sumrall Teaching  
 (8) WKRP in Cincinnati  
 (9) Moneyline  
 (10) News In Paperback  
 (11) Gong Show  
 (12) Anything for Money  
 (13) Best of Groucho  
 (14) Tonight Show Guest host Joan Rivers' guests are Sandy Duncan and Lucille Ball. (60 min.)  
 (15) Introduction to Life  
 (16) Love Boat  
 (17) Barney Miller  
 (18) SportsCenter  
 (19) Sports Tonight  
 (20) Pellicula: 'Carne de Orca'  
 (21) MOVIE: 'Carne de Orca'  
 (22) Coming Attractions  
 (23) Interior Design  
 (24) Make Me Laugh  
 (25) Entertainment Tonight  
 (26) Burns & Allen  
 11:00 (1) News  
 (2) Jim Bakker  
 (3) Simon & Simon  
 (4) Mazda SportsLook  
 (5) Newsnight

### TUESDAY

- (6) Who's the Boss? (CC) Tony and Angela use false identities in order to land dates with interesting new social prospects.  
 8:00 (1) AfterMASH  
 (2) 700 Club  
 (3) Billy Graham  
 (4) Barbara Walters Special (PREMIERE)  
 (5) Jim Bakker  
 (6) Cher: A Celebration at Caesar's  
 (7) MOVIE: 'Bill: On His Own' A mentally retarded man, whose courage and determination earned him a life outside institutional walls, tries to adjust to life in Iowa after his guardian moves to California. Mickey Rourke, Dennis Quaid, Largo Woodruff. 1983.  
 (8) Top Rank Boxing  
 (9) Freeman Reports  
 (10) El Maleficio  
 (11) ARTS Playhouse: Reith  
 (12) Miss World Pageant  
 (13) Sabor Latino  
 (14) Remington Steele Laura and Remington are hired by veteran film stars Dorothy Lamour, Lloyd Nolan and Virginia Mayo after they experience a series of odd accidents and receive ominous notes. (60 min.)  
 (15) MOVIE: 'Dr. Strangelove Or: How I Learned to Stop Worrying and Love the Bomb' In this satire on cold war politics, psychotic General Jack D. Ripper initiates a nuclear attack on Russia. Peter Sellers, Sterling Hayden, Slim Pickens. 1964.  
 (16) Paper Dolls (CC) Wesley attempts to seduce Colette and Grant fights to make the Ferrier Cosmetics acquisition a reality. (60 min.)  
 (17) Mike Adkins  
 (18) Evening News  
 (19) Not Necessarily the News  
 (20) APBA Off-Shore Powerboat Race  
 9:30 (1) Celebrity Chefs  
 (2) Zola Levitt Live

- (3) HBO Video Jukebox  
 (4) Crummet's Corner  
 (5) Bill Cosby Show  
 (6) News  
 (7) Lester Sumrall Teaching  
 (8) WKRP in Cincinnati  
 (9) Moneyline  
 (10) News In Paperback  
 (11) Gong Show  
 (12) Anything for Money  
 (13) Best of Groucho  
 (14) Tonight Show Guest host Joan Rivers' guest is James Caan. (60 min.)  
 (15) Hart to Hart  
 (16) Lahayes on Family Life  
 (17) Love Boat  
 (18) Barney Miller  
 (19) SportsCenter  
 (20) Sports Tonight  
 (21) Pellicula: 'Cupido Contrabandista'  
 (22) Make Me Laugh  
 (23) Entertainment Tonight  
 (24) Burns & Allen  
 (25) MOVIE: 'Fathom' A woman par- achute jumper is hired to recover a piece of equipment lost in the Mediterranean. Tony Franciosa, Raquel Welch, Ronald Fraser. 1967.  
 (26) Jim Bakker  
 (27) Fall Guy  
 (28) Mazda SportsLook  
 (29) Newsnight  
 (30) Bloodlines: 1915  
 (31) Radio 1990  
 (32) Dr. Gene Scott  
 (33) Love That Bob  
 (34) Late Night with David Letterman Tonight's guest is Dick Cavett. (60 min.)  
 (35) Nightline  
 (36) MOVIE: 'Lilith'  
 (37) College Basketball: Indiana at Notre Dame  
 (38) Wrestling TNT

Get plugged in  
**HBO & Cinemax**  
 Hereford Cablevision  
 126 E. 3rd 364-3912

# Entertainment

ABC debuting lemons

## Network misses comedy track

By FRED ROTHENBERG AP  
Television Writer

NEW YORK (AP) — With comedy making a comeback this season because of programs that are realistic, meaningful and, most importantly, funny, ABC offers two sitcom pilots tonight that are farcical, insignificant and stupid.

"Never Again," about three single friends, and "Mr. Mom," about a newly housebound husband-father, are the kinds of programs that have given ABC a No. 3 rating on merit.

In announcing that "Never Again" and "Mr. Mom" would be given tryouts, an ABC official noted that comedy was experiencing a renaissance, but the network was, once again, on the wrong laugh track.

Broad, lowbrow humor has not been working. The successful comedies this season have mirrored audiences' real-life experiences. Families watching "The Cosby Show" on NBC often recognize themselves in Bill Cosby's hilarious interchanges with his kids.

Both thought good

## '2010,' 'Killing Fields' eyed

By BOB THOMAS Associated Press  
Writer

"2010" is a commendable followup to the classic that launched the modern space era in films. Like Stanley Kubrick's "2001: A Space Odyssey," it benefits from the vision of one creative force, rather than a committee.

In a remarkable tour de force, Peter Hyams not only wrote, directed and produced, he also photographed "2010." What a gamble for the moguls who run MGM-UA. Happily for the company's troubled fortunes, the gamble succeeds — artistically at least.

It is nine years after the spacecraft Discovery suddenly went quiet in its orbit among the moons of Jupiter, commander David Bowman apparently a casualty of the failed mission. Dr. Heywood Floyd (Roy Scheider), suffering guilt over his role in the failure, urges the government to send a mission to investigate the inexplicable black monolith floating around up there.

The only immediate solution is to hitch a ride aboard the Soviet spacecraft Leonov which will be ready before the American craft. American and Russian scientists blast off together at a time when their governments are in crisis situation over Central America.

There's no need to spoil the suspense by outlining the adventures. They offer surprise and excitement — also occasional shock. After all the "Star Wars" and "Star Treks," it's no longer possible to dazzle with special effects. Hyams wisely maintains "2010" on human scale, portraying the astronauts and

cosmonauts as fallible individuals, not superheroes.

Like its predecessor, "2010" is based on the work of the renowned science fiction author, Arthur C. Clarke. He is an astute storyteller, but this reviewer has never been able to fathom his metaphysics. The floating fetus, the enigmatic monoliths and the warring apes may contain logic on the printed page but they are perplexing on film.

With firm jaw and steel nerves, Roy Scheider is ideal for this kind of adventure. John Lithgow, who seems incapable of a less than compelling performance, is marvelous as the fear-of-flying astronaut. Bob Balaban, third member of the American team, has the best individual scene, floating in space as he tries to regain contact with the infamous HAL 9000.

Keir Dullea, the long-lost David Bowman, makes a reappearance, and his scenes are the most mystical of all. Especially good are the Russians, including those authentic ones from "Moscow on the Hudson," Elya Baskin and Savely Kramarov.

"THE KILLING FIELDS" places a human story — the devotion of two newsmen, one American, the other Cambodian — against the panorama of the cruelest of wars. The result is a powerful, gut-wrenching film that ranks in the top of the 1984 product.

The source is a 1980 New York Times Magazine article, "The Death and Life of Dith Pran," in which Times Cambodia correspondent Sydney Schanberg wrote movingly of his experiences during the final

agonies of that once-peaceful country. Central to his story was Dith Pran, his dedicated assistant for three years.

When the Khmer Rouge swept into barbaric control of Cambodia in 1975, Schanberg and Pran were among those who took refuge in the French embassy at Phnom Penh. Since he was an intellectual and a Cambodian who worked for the Americans, Pran was targeted for extinction. Schanberg left the country fearing his friend would soon be dead.

But Pran produced almost superhuman powers of survival. His efforts to escape from the Khmer Rouge provide the most compelling portion of "The Killing Fields."

The producer is David Puttnam, who has set a high, uncompromising standard with "Midnight Express" and "Chariots of Fire." The director is Roland Joffe, making his feature debut after a career in British theater and television. He shows remarkable talent for staging war scenes with total realism and without loss of the human factor.

Bruce Robinson wrote "The Killing Fields," drawing from interviews with Schanberg and Pran and journeys to Southeast Asia. The script is admirably constructed except for one flaw: The guilt that Schanberg feels for having abandoned his friend to almost certain death is not fully explained; the events indicate that Schanberg did everything possible to save Pran.

"The Killing Fields," it is safe to say, will be listed in most major categories when the Academy Award nominations are announced next year.

women and considers every night Christmas. He's young and shallow.

Mitch Franklin (Allen Garfield) is divorced, reluctantly, after 26 years, but is anxious for a reconciliation. He's a neurotic, middle-aged sad sack — sort of a Woody Allen without any of the comic, everyman charm.

"Mr. Mom" is even more juvenile. Based on the hit movie that starred the marvelous Michael Keaton and was wacky enough to be funny, the TV show is just silly.

So is the main character, Jack Butler, the car company executive who becomes househusband. Barry Van Dyke, the son of Dick Van Dyke, looks more like a plastic game-show host than a beleaguered family man whose life has taken a sad turn.

Role reversal, in which males are taking over the childraising and housekeeping functions, is a theme of this TV season (CBS' "Charles in Charge" and ABC's "Who's the Boss?"). But only in "Mr. Mom" has the male of the species lost his dignity.



## Billboard's Top Ten

By The Associated Press

The following are Billboard's hot record hits as they appear in next week's issue of Billboard magazine. Copyright 1984, Billboard Publications, Inc. Reprinted with permission.

### HOT SINGLES

1. "Out of Touch" Daryl Hall & John Oates (RCA)
2. "Wake Me Up Before You Go-Go" Wham (Columbia)
3. "I Feel For You" Chaka Khan (Warner Bros.)
4. "The Wild Boys" Duran Duran (Capitol)
5. "All Through the Night" Cyndi Lauper (Portrait)
6. "No More Lonely Nights" Paul McCartney (Columbia)
7. "Sea of Love" Honeydrippers (Esparanza)
8. "Penny Lover" Lionel Richie (Motown)
9. "Cool It Now" New Edition (MCA)
10. "We Belong" Pat Benatar (Chrysalis)

### TOP LP'S

1. "Purple Rain" Prince & The New Power Generation (Warner Bros.)—Platinum (More than 1 million units sold.)
2. "Born in the U.S.A." Bruce Springsteen (Columbia)—Platinum
3. "Private Dancer" Tina Turner (Capitol)—Platinum
4. "Volume One" Honeydrippers (Esparanza)
5. "Big Bam Boom" Daryl Hall & John Oates (RCA)
6. "The Woman in Red" Soundtrack" Stevie Wonder (Motown)—Platinum
7. "Can't Slow Down" Lionel Richie (Motown)—Platinum
8. "Sports" Huey Lewis & The News (Chrysalis)—Platinum
9. "Arena" Duran Duran (Capitol)
10. "Like a Virgin" Madonna (Sire)

### COUNTRY SINGLES

1. "Chance of Lovin' You" Earl Thomas Conley (RCA)
2. "Nobody Loves Me Like You Do" A. Murray & D. Loggins (Capitol)
3. "She's My Rock" George Jones (Epic)
4. "Why Not Me" The Judds (RCA-Curb)
5. "I Love Only You" Nitty Gritty Dirt Band (Warner Bros.)
6. "World's Greatest Lover" The Bellamy Bros. (MCA-Curb)
7. "Does Fort Worth Ever Cross Your Mind" George Strait (MCA)
8. "America" Waylon Jennings (RCA)
9. "The Best Year of My Life" Eddie Rabbitt (Warner Bros.)
10. "Too Good to Stop Now" Mickey Gilley (Epic)

### ADULT CONTEMPORARY SINGLES

1. "Penny Lover" Lionel Richie (Motown)

2. "No More Lonely Nights" Paul McCartney (Columbia)
3. "Sea of Love" Honeydrippers (Esparanza)
4. "All Through the Night" Cyndi Lauper (Portrait)
5. "Do What You Do" Jermaine Jackson (Arista)
6. "After All" Al Jarreau (Warner Bros.)
7. "All I Need" Jack Wagner (QWest)
8. "Wake Me Up Before You Go-Go" Wham (Columbia)
9. "Out of Touch" Daryl Hall & John Oates (RCA)
10. "Valotte" Julian Lennon (Atlantic)

### BLACK SINGLES

1. "Solid" Ashford & Simpson (Capitol)
2. "Cool It Now" New Edition (MCA)
3. "I Feel For You" Chaka Khan (Warner Bros.)
4. "Friends-Five Minutes of Funk" Whodini (Jive-Arista)

364-2037  
★★★★★ STAR THEATRE DOWNTOWN

**TERROR IN THE AISLES**  
Nightly 7:30 Ends Thurs.

**THE PARTY ANIMAL**  
Nightly 9:30 Ends Mon.

RENT MOVIES & PLAYERS  
MOVIES 1.00 THEATRE PLAYERS 5.00 HOURS

DINNER THEATRE  
Reservations 1-40 & Grand  
372-4441

**Country Squire**  
Vicki Boyle  
starring in

**"Ready When You Are C.B."**

Give Country Squire Gift Certificates for Christmas.

Spend New Year's Eve with Us!

Meryl Streep is Karen Silkwood, a nuclear plant employee. She knew the truth...but never had the chance to tell it.

**SILKWOOD**

SUN. 7PM  
**HBO**  
DECEMBER 2

**Hereford Cablevision**  
126 E. 3rd 364-3912

Here's a good time...and a good value!



For student  
Gimme a Break  
Card-holders only!

"You deserve a break today"®...so stop in and join in the fun! Just bring in your McDonald's GIMME A BREAK card, and we'll give you a FREE dessert item with any purchase, all during the month of November.

And, your GIMME A BREAK card is still good at McDonald's for all kinds of fun, money-saving offers throughout the semester. Watch for details!

Get a FREE dessert item with any purchase during November...and a lot of fun all semester long!

The GIMME A BREAK CARD...for the good times and good values at McDonald's.

McDonald's  
1112 West First  
Hereford, TX 79045



## Golden Gift Ideas For Christmas

- Diamond Rings
- Diamond Ear Studs
- Diamond Pendants

- Gold Chains
- Gold Earrings
- Gold Bracelets
- Gold Necklaces
- Sterling Silver

**Reece's Gold & Silver**  
213 N. Main

# WANT ADS DO IT ALL! BUY - SELL RENT - TRADE

**THE HEREFORD BRAND**  
 WANT ADS DO IT ALL!  
 YOU WANT IT YOU GOT IT  
**CLASSIFIED**  
**364-2030**  
 ADDRESS: 313 N. LEE

**CLASSIFIED ADS**  
 Classified advertising rates are based on a minimum of 20 words. One day is 11 cents per word. \$2.20 minimum. Rates below are for consecutive issues, no copy change, and apply to solid ads only.

**NO CAPTION TIMES, RATES**

1 day, per word:	11	Min.	2.20
2 days, per word:	19		3.80
3 days, per word:	27		5.40
4 days, per word:	35		7.00
5th day		<b>FREE</b>	
10 days, per word:	67		13.40
monthly, per word			23.00

Classified display rates apply for special paragraphing, captions, bold type or larger type: \$2.50 per column inch; \$1.96 for consecutive issues. Monthly rates \$1.86 per column inch. Deadline for classifieds is 3 p.m. daily for the next day's edition. 3 p.m. Friday for Sunday's edition.

**CASH IS REQUIRED ON ADVERTISEMENTS UNDER \$10.00.**

**LEGALS**  
 Advertising rates for legal notices are \$3.50 per column inch for the first time the advertisement runs, and \$3.00 per column inch for consecutive issues. For advertising news and circulation, call 806-364-2030.

**ERRORS**  
 Every effort is made to avoid errors in Classified Ads and Legals but we will not be responsible for more than one incorrect insertion. Advertisers should call attention to errors immediately after the first insertion and in case of errors not the fault of the advertiser, an additional insertion will be given.

**LEGALS**  
 Advertising rates for legal notices are \$3.50 per column inch for the first time the advertisement runs, and \$3.00 per column inch for consecutive issues. For advertising news and circulation, call 806-364-2030.

**1. Articles for Sale**

**MADEN STEEL BUILDINGS.**  
 Carports, storage or shop buildings. Delivery or on site construction. Toby Turpen, 364-6362. 1-219-tfc

**BETA & VHS Movies for Rent** at McKnight Home Center, 226 N. Main, 364-4051. New titles Arriving Daily. 1-36-tfc

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

**WE ARE Distributor of** Amarillo Daily and Amarillo Globe News. Call 364-1346. 1-20-tfc

**ART SHOW & SALE**  
 Sunday, December 2nd.  
 1:30-5:00  
 Carrie Mae Doak,  
 219 Avenue E.  
 W-TH-S-1-105-3c

**FULLER BRUSH PRODUCTS** Call Jessie Fuller, 364-8668 or 364-8788. S-1-157-tfc

**FIREPLACE SCREEN**  
 Custom made black wrought-iron fireplace screen with doors and attractive decor. Fits 25 high X 36 wide opening. Very well made. Price negotiable. Call 364-4957. tfc

**CALL US for** All Types of Health and Life Insurance  
**STEVE NIEMAN, CLU** or **B.J. GILLILAND** Plains Insurance  
 205 E. Park Ave.  
 364-2666 364-8030 home  
 1-212-tfc

**SAVE 50 PERCENT** Selected Group of Drapery Fabrics over 100 patterns Regular \$3.92-\$19.96 yard. Stockstill Interiors  
 603 So. 25 Mile Ave.  
 364-5575 1-88-c

**SHAKLEE**  
 Food supplements, cleaning products, cosmetics. Clyde & Lee Cave, 107 Avenue C. 364-1073. 1-75-tfc

**VERTICALS & MINI** blinds by Levolor. Verosol pleated shades. Fit any window. 1/2 price. Independent dealer. For appointment, call 364-7960. 1-22-22p

**The Perfect Christmas Gift!!!**  
**REDI SMOK** electric meat smoker/cooker. Nothing beats that tender, delicious flavor of real wood smoking. Smoked turkey or ham for Christmas-the perfect treat, and you can do it yourself. Smoke steaks, hamburgers, game or fish for year-round pleasure. The perfect gift for family, friends, employees or self. See the **REDI SMOK** electric smoker at **Arrow Sales**  
 409 E. Hwy. 60  
 or Call 364-2811 S-1-108-4c

**LAMPS, LAMP PARTS, ALL LIGHT BULBS.** House of Shades and Lamp Repair, 2613 Wolfelin Village, Amarillo, Texas 79019. S-1-172-tfc

**FOR THE FINEST IN CARPETS** for your home or business, contact Simmons Carpets, 149 North 25 Mile Avenue, 364-5932. S-Tu-Th-1-105-tfc

**WILL BUY and sell guns.** 364-0811. S-1-4-tfc

**21 cubic foot Almond Refrigerator, built-in ice maker, tempered glass shelves, meat & fruit storage & crisper.** \$599.00. 364-4051. 1-76-tfc

**Westinghouse 30" Electric Range, Almond Color, Speed-Broil, Automatic timing, lift-off black glass oven door, reg. price \$580.00, Now \$399.95.** 364-4051. 1-76-tfc

**SUBSCRIBE to the Lubbock Avalanche Journal.** Call 364-7578. 1-88-2c

**THE DOG HOUSE**  
 Dog grooming by Terry West. South Hwy 385, (next to Cashway Lumber) Call 364-5464. 1-96-5p

**Upright piano in good condition.** Call 364-1346 after 4 p.m. 1-103-5c

**16x7 Fiberglass garage door with accessories.** Call 364-5033. 1-104-tfc

**For Sale: A.K.C. Chihuahua's.** 2-7 wk old boys. 1-10 month old girl. Shots. 1-5 yr. old girl - Shots. 364-4537 1-104-5c

**Refrigerator/freezer, side by side with ice maker.** For Sale. Call 647-4674. 1-104-5p

**FOUR cushion reversible gold couch in real good condition.** Call 364-5066 after 6 p.m. 1-105-5c

**Ladies 14 carat gold wedding set with approximately 1/2 carat diamond.** Will sell to highest bidder. Can be seen at First National Bank, ask for Randy or Steve. 1-105-tfc

**THE BALLOON EXPRESS**  
 has balloons available for your Christmas parties and banquets, also balloon bouquets for birthdays, get-well and other occasions. Phone 364-8220 Monday through Sunday. Clown delivery available... 1-108-5c

**FRANK'S SWAP SHOP**  
 South Kingwood  
 Prices are not as high as they used to be.  
 Youth bed, Topper for LWB pickup.  
 Camper, not self-contained, sleeps 8, has stove and refrigerator. Potatoes, lettuce. Depression glass and milk glass. Jewelry, tools. 9N Ford tractor, brand new. Super M tractor, M tractor, very nice. 8 track tapes, brand new. Welding rod-below wholesale. 1961 Metropolitan-collector's item, lots of miscellaneous too numerous to mention. 1-105-tfc

**ATTN: Pheasant Hunters:** I have some lodging in Hereford. Large groups welcome. Call 276-5291 days; 364-4113 nights. 1-105-tfc

**Give-Away**  
 Free Xmas Puppies to good homes.  
 Call 364-0637  
 After 5:00 p.m. 1-106-3p

**LARGE side by side G.E. refrigerator/freezer with ice maker.** Harvest gold. \$150. Large Spanish style (imported from Juarez) hand made dining room table, 8 chairs and china cabinet. Spanish styled living room set, gold crushed velvet. Call 364-4032. 1-107-3c

**MATCHING sofa love seat, chair and ottoman, excellent condition, \$350.**  
 Zenith color TV \$400. Two lamps. 364-7092 after 6 p.m. 1-107-2p

**MEMBERS of Naomi Hare Circle** have Corsicana Fruit Cakes to complete holiday entertaining. Perfect gifts and can be shipped anywhere in the world. Gladys Willoughby, 364-3769. 1-108-1c

**Lady's white gold diamond wedding band, size 6 1/2.** Paid \$395, asking \$125 or best offer. Call 364-2458. 1-108-1p

**At Texas Gallery** we have porcelain dolls, finished or in greenware. Also wigs, eyes, resses, etc. 1-108-5c

**FREE: Mixed breed puppies to give away.** 364-7637. 1-108-3p

**FOR SALE: Story and Clark Player Piano, 36 rolls music.** Interested parties only, by appointment. New burglar alarm system. Power failure? Automatically converts to battery. 364-0248. 1-108-1p

**Great Christmas Gift**  
 Stereo System consisting of reel to reel, record player, 8 track, stereo receiver and speakers. \$1000 value, will sacrifice for \$500. Call 364-5774. 1-108-1p

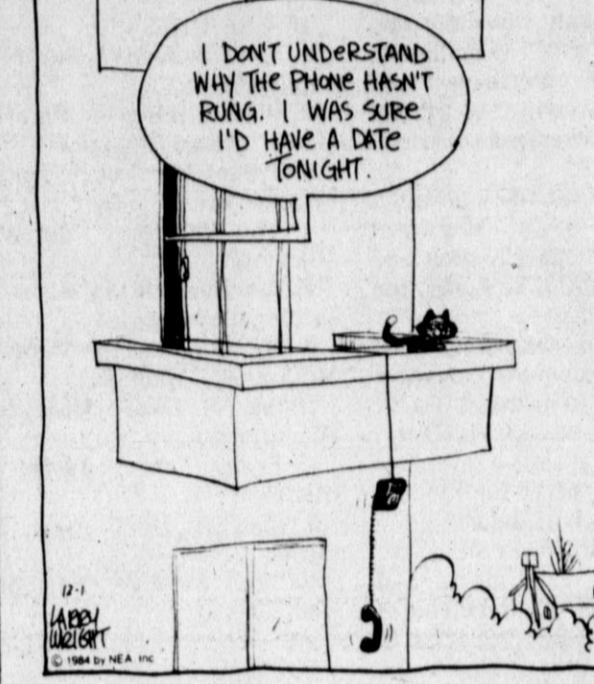
**FOR SALE: 15" wheels for Ford Ranger or Bronco II.** Also Womens skis with step-in bindings with boots and boot tote. Call 364-0458 after 5 p.m. 1-tfc

**Ceiling fans, carpet, and linoleum.** HIGH quality, LOW prices! Order ceiling fans now for great Christmas gifts! 364-1394. 1-99-tfc

**Southwestern Bell Trim Line Touchtone, yellow wall phone with 15 ft. cord.** Have changed kitchen colors. 364-4142 after 5 p.m. 1-104-tfc

**For Sale: New Kirby vacuum-used twice \$350.** Also antique small desk bookcase. \$55. Ph. No. - 364-8517. 1-104-5p

**KIT 'N' CARLYLE** ©by Larry Wright



**FEEDER PIGS** For sale. Call Ronnie Andrews at 276-5240 or 364-4741. 1-105-5p

**Garage Sales**  
**GARAGE SALE.** 510 Sampson. Saturday 8-5; Sunday 1-5. Lots and lots of miscellaneous items. 1A-107-2p

**Come one, come all!!!**  
 Garage Sale - Saturday Dec. 1, 1984 - 8:00 - 2:00 212 Higgins - lots of goodies. 1A-107-1p

**Farm Equipment**  
**BUY-SELL-TRADE**  
 New and Used farm equipment.  
 The "Honest" Trader  
 M.M.T. Treinen  
 Phone Days 806-238-1614  
 Bovina  
 Nights 806-238-1450 Bovina 2-207-tfc

**USED Structural oilfield tubing.** Large light wall pipe. Reasonable. Bernie, 806-794-4299. 2-86-tfc

**NEWHOLLAND HAYLINER 315WIRE.** SP188 GEHL THREE ROW ENSLAGE CUTTER. HESTON10 STACKHAND. SP14" IHC WINDROWER. STEEL STORAGE TANKS. SEMITRAILERS. 364-0484. 3-104-5c

**For Sale: 3 each aluminum pipe, also plastic pipe.** 276-5239. 2-108-5c

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

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

**FOR SALE: 1983 Ford Ranger pick-up.** Dual fuel tanks, long bed, air conditioner. Call 364-0458. 3-tfc

**WALKER'S USED CARS AND TRUCKS**  
 WE BUY, SELL OR TRADE  
 400 West First  
 Phone 364-2250 S-3-183-tfc

**1980 T-BIRD EXCELLENT CONDITION**  
 LOW MILEAGE. LOADED WITH EVERYTHING. CALL 364-2135. 3-90-tfc

**Suzuki 4-wheeler.** '79 Chevy Pickup. Call 258-7654. 3-108-5p

**DOUBLE SHARP**  
 1977 Cougar. New paint, motor and interior. See at Polynesian Apts, No. 2 on South Texas. 3-108-1p

'82 Ford 3/4 ton, loaded, 4 wheel drive.  
 '82 GMC 3/4 ton. Loaded, 4 wheel drive.  
 '81 Ford 1/2 ton. Call 364-6936. 3-108-1c

**RV's for Sale**  
 '82 Winnebago, low mileage 21' model 621, fully equipped \$20,000. After 5:00 P.M. 364-4417. 3A-60-tfc

**FOR SALE**  
 AUTOMOTIVE WAXES-POLISHES-CLEANERS-COMPOUNDS-PROTECTIVE DRESSINGS WIRE WHEEL CLEANERS-DEODORIZERS AUTOMOTIVE POLISHING SYSTEMS  
 112 MILES AVENUE 364-1662 3-88-tfc

'79 Tornado. 74,000 miles. \$6100. 364-5654 or 364-6633. 3-90-tfc

1974 Buick Lesabre. One owner. Power and air. Good condition. 305 Sunset after 4 p.m. 3-103-20c

Nice 1978 Buick Lesabre Cruise, tilt, 56,000 miles \$3,300 1979 Plymouth Horizon Am/FM, Auto Trans. Factory air 55,000 miles. \$2,300-364-0305. 3-104-5p

**YD25 HOBBS CABLEDUMP. WHITE T/220CUMMINGS. PROPANE. BUTANE. GASOLINE. SEMITRAILERS. REEFERS. VANS. FLATS. 75LWB 4WD CHEV PICKUP. 70CHEV LWB. 364-0484. 3-104-5c**

1982 Honda CM 250 Custom \$850. 3500 miles. Call after 3 p.m. 364-5922. 3-105-5p

1980 Chev. Citation 4 Dr. Automatic, A/C, PS, PB, new tires. Excellent condition. See at 223 Fir or call 364-4407 after 5 p.m. 3-105-tfc

1977 Chevy Stationwagon. In very good condition, will sell real cheap. 364-8737. 3-106-5p

Cotton trailer \$125. Datsun Motor \$100. 1973 Chev. Pickup \$1100. Call 364-1850. 104 Hermocillo. 3-106-3p

1978 LTD II \$1200. Phone 364-7531. 3-106-10c

**SLICK!** 1978 Thunderbird, Diamond Jubilee Edition. Fully loaded. Runs good. \$3000. Call 364-0305. 3-106-5p

1976 Dodge Colt. Good condition. Gets over 30 MPG. \$1295. 1970 Chev. 4 dr. 350 engine. Runs good. Good school or work car. \$300. Call Roy 364-8319 after 6 p.m. 3-107-2p

1978 Mercury Zephyr. Low mileage. 364-8215. 3-108-1p

1982 Pontiac T-1000. 5 door, air conditioned, less than 17,000 miles. Call 364-7318 after 2 p.m. 3-108-5p

**For Sale: Motorcycles**  
 1982 RM 125 Suzuki  
 1980 Kawasaki Enduro  
 Both In Excellent Condition  
 See at 428 N. Jackson. Fri-S-3-107-4p

3 bedroom, 1 1/2 bath brick home on 5 acres with well. HCR Real Estate, 364-4670. 4-91-tfc

**SELLER PAYS CLOSING COSTS.** New low interest loans for VETERANS or buyers who haven't owned a home for 3 years. Brick, new inside paint, below appraisal. Call Betty, 364-4950, 364-4561. Realtor. 4-103-tfc

2100 Ft. living area. Northwest Hereford. Near schools. Central heat, air, fireplace, sprinkler system. Many extras. Call 364-5517 after 4 p.m. 4-103-20c

**FOR SALE BY OWNER**  
 Three bedroom, two baths brick home. Large den with fireplace. Call for appointment. 364-8440. 229 Ironwood. 4-105-10p

Owner must sell 2-story house on 160 ft. x 150 ft. lot. Corner of 4th & Lee? Owner will finance with \$7,500.00 down. Stan 364-1561 or 1186. 4-90-20c

**Mobile Homes**  
**"FREE HOME PROGRAM"**  
 Receive Certificate of Deposit equal to purchase price of home. For more details, call Harold Lane, collect 806-763-9310. 4A-90-21c

1981 Medallion 14x82. 3 bedrooms, 2 baths, central air and heat, fireplace, all appliances, some furniture. \$17,500. Call 258-7577. 4A-102-15c

**FREE**  
 120 Channel TV Satellite Dish with every new mobile home. Siesta Mobile Sales, Canyon Expressway & McCormick Rd. Amarillo 622-1188. 4A-107-2c

**BEAUTIFUL** One owned, 3 bedroom, 2 bath with solid oak kitchen, refrigerated air. 1280 sqft and only \$99.00 down. Call Harold Lane, collect at 806-763-5310. 4A-108-21c

**CORONADO ACRES**  
 5.3 miles south on Hwy 385  
 5 acre tracts, now with water.  
 Owner financing. Low down payment. Phone 364-2343, if no answer, call 364-3215. Office: 110 East 3rd. 4-49-tfc

**Mobile Home Park**  
 N. Hwy 385 Hereford, Texas 79045  
 A.F. HUCKERT 806/364-0084

**HCR Real Estate**  
 715 S. 25 Mile Ave.  
**364-4670**  
**ESTATE FARM**  
 Needs to be liquidated. close to Hereford on Hwy with irrigation. 5-78-tfc

**220 acres.** Good fence, big brick home. One mile off hwy. \$150,000.  
**\$275 PER ACRE**  
 1/4 section dry land, 4 miles on paved road.  
**\$500 PER ACRE**  
 1 1/2 section good level, good irrigated land on Hwy. 5-78-tfc

**\$700 PER ACRE**  
 Good irrigated land with improvements 2 miles from Hereford on Hwy.  
**10 ACRE TRACTS** on Hwy. \$149 down and \$149 per month.  
**WE HAVE MANY MANY MORE**  
 Office 364-4670  
 Glen Phibbs 364-3281  
 Wayne Sims 364-2774  
 Henry C. Reid 364-4666 or 578-4666 S-4-59-tfc

**ENJOY COUNTRY LIVING**  
 A space for your mobile home at Summerfield Manor, Summerfield, Texas. Norman and Cathy Brown. Call 357-2326. S-5-96-tfc

**HEREFORD'S FINEST**  
**TOWN SQUARE APTS.**  
 Luxury Town Homes  
 2 and 4 bedrooms  
 Carpet, drapes, disposals  
 Jenn-Aires, dishwashers  
 Fireplaces in 4 bdrm apts.  
 Garages, Children and Pets Welcome.  
**MASTERS APTS.**  
 1,2,3 bedrooms  
 Carpet, drapes, disposal  
 Fireplace, Dishwasher  
 Carport, Children over 12  
 No Pets. Carl and Teena  
 Simpson, Mgrs. 364-0739

**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

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

2 bedroom furnished mobile homes. Call Countryside Mobile Park, 364-0064. 5-78-tfc

Two-one bedroom houses. Call 364-1113 or 364-2805. 5-85-tfc

For Rent: large house at 121 Centre. 289-5837; 364-2357. 5-92-tfc

**ON SIGHT DELIVERY** - storage buildings for rent. Solid floor, water proof, door locks. LTD Portable Buildings 364-7713; after hours 364-0119. 5-97-tfc

Three Bedroom unfurnished house central location with fenced back yard and double garage. \$350 rent. \$200 deposit. references required. Phone 364-3167. 5-104-tfc

**APARTMENT FOR RENT.** FURNISH STOVE, REFRIGERATOR. UTILITIES PAID. \$240.00 MONTH. NO PETS. SOME GENERAL REPAIRS FOR PART OF RENT. 364-0484. 5-104-5c

ATTN: Pheasant Hunters: I have some lodging in Hereford. Large groups welcome. Call 276-5291 days; 364-4113 Nights. 5-105-tfc

NICE 3 bedroom home in northwest area. Has basement, double car garage, lots of storage, fenced backyard. References, deposit, no pets. 364-4672. 5-107-tfc

NICE clean 2 bedroom house with garage. References, deposit, no pets. Call 364-4672. 5-107-tfc

NICE 2 bedroom home. Deposit and references required. Call 364-6766. 5-108-3c

1 Bdrm. furn Apt. for rent. \$225 a mo. \$75. deposit. All bills paid. Call 364-5960 or come by 109 E. 6th. 5-108-5p

For Rent: 3 BR, on 101 Beach, \$395.00 per month, Deposit & references Required. Call Realtor 364-6633. 5-108-tfc

Have a vacancy in convenient apartment. Furnished, carpeted. Wall heaters. Bills paid. For couple or single adult, No children, no pets, deposit. 364-2553 residence; 364-5191 office. 5-127-tfc

**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

**Self-lock storage.** 364-8448. 5-95-tfc

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

**FURNISHED APARTMENTS**  
 One and two bedroom furnished apartments for rent \$200 and \$250. \$100 deposit. Call for information. 364-4332. 5-74-tfc

# Stop Looking - It's All in the WANT ADS

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

We pay cash for mobile homes, regardless of condition. Prefer 1965 to 1975 models. 364-0064.

Waitress needed. Apply in person after 4 p.m. at the Great American Food and Beverage, 628 West 1st.

**ARE YOU 55+ AND LOCKED OUT OF A JOB?** Contact your nearest Community Action Agency or Call Herschel Allen, TPCAC, Amarillo, (806)372-2531

Additions, remodeling, cabinet work. Free estimate. Call Bill McDowell, 364-8447 after 5 p.m.

**SMALL ENGINE REPAIR SERVICE**

Factory Authorized Sales & Service Center. Factory Trained Mechanics on Duty.

Briggs & Stratton  
Tecumseh  
Kohler  
Wisconsin  
See us for all your air cooled engine needs - engine sales, short blocks, parts or repair services.  
Arrow Sales  
409 E. First Street  
Hereford 364-2811  
11-22-4tc

FOUND at Cowboy Country Club, set of keys. Identify at the Hereford Brand.

LOST: Spare tire and wheel for Chevy pickup. 364-0866. S-W-S-13-103-3c

**REWARD!**

LOST: College Chemistry book and spiral note book. Return to Hereford Brand or call 364-0218.

## Death penalty to expand

AUSTIN (AP) - A bill to expand the death penalty to cover mass murderers and those who kill a series of people has a good chance of becoming law next year, legislators say.

Although the American Civil Liberties Union has said it will oppose the legislation, Rep. Patricia Hill said Friday she sees widespread support for the measure.

"I think chances for passage are really good. There's been great support from the public and members of the Legislature," said the Republican from Dallas, where six people were slain in a nightclub last summer.

Ms. Harris, Rep. Tony Polumbo, D-Houston, and House Speaker Gib Lewis all told a news conference that the bill is needed.

"These people out there that kill and then kill again and again, they're very dangerous people," Polumbo said.

Joining the lawmakers in urging passage of the bill was Rider Scott, the Dallas County prosecutor who won conviction of Abdelkrim Belachheb in the June 29 slaying at the Dallas club.

"I can say easily he is the most dangerous of individuals that I have tried during my stay with the Dallas County district attorney's office. This individual, however, under current Texas law, could not for the wasting of six lives be assessed the death penalty," Scott complained.

The capital punishment law now allows the death penalty only for those convicted of killing a public safety officer or prison guard, of committing murder for hire, or of killing while committing the crimes of kidnapping, burglary, robbery, aggravated sexual assault or arson.

Those who murder several people at once or over a period of time aren't covered unless they committed one of the other crimes in the process. They could be executed if the bill becomes law.

"What it says is that I could murder someone and take a dime and receive capital punishment. But if I didn't take that dime and murdered another person, then I'm not even eligible for the capital punishment," Polumbo said.

"Evidently, what it is saying is that the dime is a worse crime - robbery - than the second murder. And that's horrible," he said.

"That is a tragedy we hope that this bill will correct," Scott added, noting that Belachheb will be eligible for parole in 20 years.

Lewis, who said the expanded death penalty would be one of five priority anti-crime measures offered during the 1985 session, said mass murder wasn't considered when the Legislature wrote the current death penalty law. Those lawmakers tried to make certain they met the specific requirements set down by the U.S. Supreme Court, he said.

Also, he said, mass murders and serial killings, such as the 150-plus slayings to which Henry Lee Lucas has confessed, appear to be a relatively new phenomenon.

"In the last 10 years, there's been (incidents such as) Dallas, where an individual walked into a lounge and took the lives of several individuals; the Lucas situation where a man roamed throughout the state of Texas and throughout the entire Southeast and randomly took lives," Lewis said.

Henry Ford unveiled his Model A car in 1927. The roadster was priced at \$385.

A nuclear chain reaction was demonstrated for the first time Dec. 2.

SARATOGA GARDENS, Friona Low rent for needy families. Carpet, laundry facilities. Rent starts \$265, bills paid. Collect 247-3666.

Used trampoline needed for a foster family. Helps the children emotionally and physically. If anyone is interested, in donating or selling one, please contact 364-6957.

South Hills Manor is taking applications for experienced Med-aides and LVN's. Phone 647-3117. 1621 Butler Blvd., Dimmitt, Texas.

## Child Care

**REGISTERED CHILD CARE.** Balanced meals, large fenced yard, lots of toys, near playground. Will take drop-ins. Available during football games. Call 364-4430. 9-51-tfc

Registered Child Care - Christian home. Two openings. Nutritious meals & snacks. Large fenced yard, swings. Experienced. Marcy Varner-364-0205 9-94-10p

## LICENSED TO CARE

For Children Ages 6 months-12 years  
Excellent program by trained staff  
Two convenient locations  
215 Norton 248 East 16th  
364-1293 364-5062

## Announcements

**NEED HELP?** Operation Good Shepherd. 364-0382. People helping people. 10-237-10c

**DRINKING A PROBLEM?** 24 hour hotline. 364-2141. Alcoholic Anonymous. Every Thursday 8 p.m. at 205 E. 6th. 10-133-tfc

## Personals

Amarillo Agency for Women. Free walk-in pregnancy tests. Referrals. Call collect 1-373-6005. 4415 South Georgia No. 211. 10a-259-tfc

## Business Service

**KELLEY ELECTRIC**  
Virgil Kelley  
Residential-Commercial  
All bids & wiring  
Competitive  
Ph. 364-1345  
Nights 364-1523  
or 364-5929  
P.O. BOX 30  
11-15-tfc

**GRAVE MARKERS**  
When choosing a monument for a loved one, you can save money by calling Perry Ray, 364-1065 after 6 p.m. 11-215-tfc

**EXTERIOR and interior house painting.** Christian, clean and neat. Experienced. Reasonable rates. Free estimates. 364-4322. 11-237-tfc

## Our insulation

STOPS the cold and rodents with a punch!  
Watch your utility bills go down and eliminate pests and rodents at the same time!  
PEST CONTROL INSULATION tackles both problems!  
Free estimates!  
**Comfort Check Insulation**  
George Bullard 364-6014

**CUSTOM BLADE PLOWING AND DISCING.** Tim Hammond, 289-5354. 11-23-22p

**PIANO TUNING \$30.** McBrayer-Day Baldwin, Douglas Rittenberry. The only complete refinishing rebuilding shop in the Panhandle. Visa, M.C. 352-2739 or 655-7321. 11-87-22p

**J&P BUILDERS**  
Remodel, repair, construction. Free estimates. Jim Manning 364-5783; Pat Hagemeier 364-6062. 11-89-tfc

**RILEY'S DITCHING-BACKHOE SERVICE.** Septic tanks, water, gas, sewer lines. Sewer and drain services. Burnia Riley, 578-4381. 11-94-22p

**ON SIGHT DELIVERY** - storage buildings for rent. Solid floors, water proof, door locks. LTD Portable Buildings. 364-7713; after hours 364-0119. 11-99-tfc

**LURAY LOCK & SAFE COMPANY,** 813 West Park. 364-8228. Monday through Saturday. Lock, safe repairs, sales, service. 24 hour emergency service. 11-103-tfc

**KIRBY SALES & SERVICE** 513A East Park Avenue, 364-0422. "We service most makes." 11-105-tfc

**COMPUTERIZING YOUR COMPANY???** Complete systems analysis and/or custom programming. Call Edwin Geiger, 364-7378. 11-108-10c

**Blown-In Insulation** For Attics & walls Call 364-6002. 11-62-tfc

**PIANO TUNING \$32** including new sales tax. We do service calls, repairs. HUFF'S OF CANYON, 655-4241. 11-65-tfc

**WEED mowing, alley cleaning, tree topping and hedge trimming.** C.L. Stovall, 364-4160. 11-71-tfc

**HEREFORD WRECKING COMPANY**  
New & Used Parts  
We buy scrap iron & metal  
First & Jowell  
Phone 364-0580  
Nights 364-4009  
S-11-60-tfc

**HEARING AID BATTERIES**  
Sold and tested at THAMES PHARMACY  
110 South Centre  
Phone 364-2300  
Week days 8:30-6:30 p.m.  
Saturdays 8:30-2:00 p.m.  
S-11-tfc

**ROTO-TILLING**  
Robert Betzen 289-5500. S-11-56-tfc

**BUILDING repair and remodeling.** Robert Betzen, 289-5500. S-11-156-tfc

**ROWLAND STABLES**  
We cater to good horse 840 Avenue F. Ph. 364-1189. Stall rental and boarding. We take care of your rest up race horse. S-11-199-tfc

**JOE GARCIA CEMENT CONTRACTORS**  
Straight finish, turnkey, job. Free estimates. Storm shelters, stucco and plastering. 364-1497. 410 Blevins. Mobile 578-4641. S-11-30-tfc

**CUSTOM TYPING, BOOK-KEEPING PROFESSIONAL TAX PREPARATION**  
Fees by hour or job Call 364-0276 for appointment  
SHEFFY OFFICE SERVICES, INC. 11-108-20c

**Low ENERGY Level**  
Dieting a Bore  
Feel Great  
Try the NUTRITIONAL way of life GUARANTEED  
Call Jim & Shelly at 364-6270 11-105-5p

**RENT TO OWN!** New RCA TV's & VCR's, Whirlpool Appliances. NO CREDIT CHECK!  
VHS Home Movie Rental \$2 FREE overnight movie rentals with any new TV or VCR Rented.  
Hereford Rapid Rental 1005 W. Park 364-3432

**SAVE TAX WITH AN IRA**  
Call Steve Nieman, CLU or B.J. Gilliland, Gilliland-Nieman and Associates, Inc. 205 E. Park Ave. 364-2666 1-164-tfc

**BUY SELL RENT TRADE**

**Livestock**  
WANTED: Wheat pasture for light steers or yearlings. Neal Lemons 289-5672 or 364-6613. 12-62-tfc

**YOUR wheat and beet pasture is valuable - turn it into dollars.** Your pasture bill will be paid on the first day of preceding month. Please call Mike Solomon, 364-6880 or mobile 578-4667. 12-66-tfc

**HAY GRAZER,** good round bales for sale. \$70 per ton. Call 289-5808 after 7 p.m. 12-81-tfc

**BALED CANE FOR SALE.** 357-2344. 12-97-tc

**Round sorghum bales,** \$90 per ton. 647-4674. 12-104-5p

**FOR SALE:** Nine Polled Hereford Heifer Cows. Call 289-5510. 12-108-5p

**Lost & Found**

**THE HEREFORD BRAND**  
WANT ADS DO IT ALL!  
YOU WANT IT YOU GOT IT  
CLASSIFIED  
364-2030  
ADDRESS: 313 N. LEE

## Business Opportunities

**COLORADE CONCRETE ELEVATOR.** FINEST QUALITY GLUTEN, PROTEIN WHEAT, PINTO BEANS. HEALTH FOODS. CAN NET \$6,000.00 WEEK. LEASE PURCHASE OPTION. 364-0484. 7-104-5c

## LOCAL ROUTE FOR SALE

Servicing motels with name brand, natural fruit juices. Can make \$300 per week or more. No selling required. No special vehicle needed. Requires \$10,000 cash and the qualifications to handle large sums of money. Route expands automatically with no further investment. Write, including name, address and telephone to New American, P.O. Box 360247, B'ham, AL 35236 or call toll free 1-800-521-4849 between 9am and 4p, CST. Mon-Fri. S-7-103-2p

Office Space for lease, attractive building excellent location - 201 E. Park ave. 2146 sq. ft. INQUIRE 205 E. Park ave., 364-2232. 5-62-tfc

## Help Wanted

**NEED A CAREER?** Let us help. Set your own hours, set your own income. Training and management support. Call or come by our office and talk to Marn Tyler about your career in Real Estate. 1100 West Hwy. 60. 364-0153. S-8-100-tfc

**WE DON'T EVEN OWN A TYPEWRITER!**  
The front desk receptionist we retain will be personable, well groomed, dependable and people oriented. She has to be organized, capable of booking our patrons' appointments by the score. Most importantly, she has to want to advance because "Counselor" is the next step upwards.  
Our work environment is a pleasant one with highly motivated, caring associates. The pay and benefits are just good plus.  
If you think we are made for each other, call now and let's talk it over.  
364-8713  
Over 30 years, the largest, most prestigious women's figure salon

### Roswell Livestock Auction Special Cow Sale

**Friday Dec. 7th 11 A.M. MST**  
**Roswell Livestock Auction, Roswell, N.M.**  
**Expected to sell 1400 Springer Cows, Bred Heifers and Cow-Calf Pairs. Also, 50 Breeding Age Bulls.**

Early Consignments include:

- 225 Brangus and Black-Whiteface Heifers, weight 800-850 lbs., bred to Longhorn bulls, begin calving Feb. 1st.
- 150 Charlois, Angus and Black-Whiteface Cows, 6-year-old and younger.
- 55 4 to 6-year-old Hereford Springer cows.
- 124 crossbred heifers; includes 60 Brangus, Balance Braford type, Calf-hood vaccinated, bred to Longhorn bulls, begin calving Feb. 15th.
- 70 Brangus heifers, Calf-hood vaccinated, bred to Longhorn bulls, begin calving Feb. 15th.
- 76 Braford heifers, Calf-hood vaccinated, bred to Longhorn bulls, begin calving Feb. 15th.
- 40 six-year-old Hereford and Black-Whiteface Springer cows.
- 14 young Brangus pairs.
- 35 nice second-calf crossbred cows.
- 45 reputation older Brangus Springer cows bred to Brangus bulls.
- 36 4 to 7-year-old Brangus cows, bred to Hereford bulls, 30 calves on the ground.
- 30 3-year-old Hereford cows, 1/2 calved out.
- 42 5-year-old Black-Whiteface cows, bred to Beef Master bulls.
- 25 3 and 4-year-old Brangus cows, bred to Brangus bulls.
- 27 3 to 7-year-old Brangus cows, bred to Brangus bulls.
- 35 Black-Whiteface cows, 5 to 7-year-old bred to Beef Master bulls.
- 24 Charlois cross cows, bred to Beef Master bulls.
- 25 Angus cows, bred to Brangus and Beef Master bulls.
- 30 Brahma cross cows, 5 to 7-year-old, bred to Brangus or Beef Master bulls.
- 15 Hereford and Black-Whiteface cows, 3 to 5-year-old.
- 25 5-year-old crossbred pairs, calves out of Simmental and Limousin bulls.
- 30 5-year-old crossbred cows, bred to Limousin or Simmental bulls.
- 200 older ranch cows, preg. tested, ideal to put on fields and calve out.
- 2 registered Beef Master bulls, 3 and 4-year-old.
- 10 coming 2-year-old Brangus bulls.
- 11 coming 2-year-old Braford bulls.
- 4 2-year-old Simmental bulls.
- 6 2-year-old Brangus bulls.

For more information, contact Larry Wooten, 505-622-5580  
Dick Moore, Auctioneer, 505-359-0950

Friday  
Nov. 16, 1984

# The Hereford Brand

10 Pages

20 Cents

★ Hustlin' Hereford,  
home of Russell S. Hunter  
84th Year, No. 98, Hereford, Tx. Deaf Smith County

## Event may signal more pesticide woes

By KIMBERLY THOGMARTIN  
Staff Writer

If Thursday's public hearing in Lubbock is any indication, the Texas Department of Agriculture's proposed pesticide safety regulations may be causing yet another rift between farm owners and the migrants who work on their land.

Testimony from Hispanics who have suffered with the new regulations and farm health.

They maintain a half-hour hearing on the new regulations and production and thus forcing farmers out of business and opening them up to liability lawsuits.

Out in the hall, two farmers who asked not to be identified said after two hours of testimony they had not heard anything that changed their minds.

"All we need is enforcement and education," claimed a landowner from Plainview. "We already have the Texas Herbicide Law. With all the money they've spent on these new regulations, they could have educated the people about the ones we have. I think these hearings are an exercise in futility."

The Plains farmers sitting next to him agreed, saying he is most worried about the potential for lawsuits. "That's where the farmer is going to get hit with more expense. The applicators will take out more liability insurance, and we will have to pay for it."

Those testifying in favor of the regulations announced Oct. 19 after a year-long study, included health care workers, a Catholic deacon and church publications editor and a victim of pesticide poisoning who made his way to the stage on crutches.

Gary Graham, a former deputy sheriff and emergency county technician from Sherman County, told the estimated crowd of 700 that he suffered brain and nerve damage and loss of motor skills after he helped rescue two victims of a crash-landed crop dusting plane.

"Lack of adequate regulations has cost my family more than \$152,000," he told the gathering. "My concern is that it doesn't cost you, or anybody else."

Leroy Behnke, who introduced himself as a "permanent deacon" in the Amarillo and Lubbock area and editor of a Catholic newspaper, explained that pesticide regulation was planned that pesticide regulation was planned to him a moral issue.

"Farm owners and laborers are at

### TDA hearing

odds in this issue," he claimed. "Both sides need to settle down."

Behnke said the pesticide issue is just like any other in that moral principles "must be given the highest priority."

Contrasting the family farmer, who "might be inconvenienced," with the farm worker, who "might be incapacitated," Behnke said it boils down to a matter of "hassle versus health."

Referring to Graham as "a genuine hero," the ecumenical leader said he was "embarrassed to be a part of this group that wouldn't applaud that man."

Behnke also mentioned Monday's decision by the Deaf Smith County Commissioners to ban the use of 2,4-D during the cotton growing season.

"Nobody seems to be upset about that," he claimed. "And that was cotton that was hurt. But try to pass a law that protects people and everybody gets upset."

State Sen. Bill Sarpalus testified shortly after the 2 p.m. meeting got underway, stating his position that the regulations "have probably gone too far."

Sarpalus said the prior notification clause will be difficult to enforce. "If I were a farmer and wanted my neighbor's farm, what would keep me from tearing up the postcard and then suing him?" Sarpalus suggested.

The Democratic senator from Canyon claimed the matter should have been dealt with in the Texas Legislature. "I don't believe it is the intent of the constitution to allow any agency, or a commissioner to make laws."

Sarpalus later added that he did not make his appearance "to totally criticize the agriculture commissioner (Jim Hightower)." He said he and Hightower have worked together on several causes that would benefit the farmer.

Lubbock area farmer and agribusinessman Randall Conner, discounting claims that farmers are not concerned with the safety hazards pesticides pose, said, "No group in Texas is more interested in the safe use of pesticides than the farmer himself. He is closest to them. The farmer cannot afford to miss chemicals."

Conner claimed farmers "are look-

(See HEARING, Page 2)



Received More Than \$43,000  
At the 19th annual Founders' Day program Thursday night, it was

revealed King's Manor Methodist Home has received \$43,188 this year.

## Donations to King's Manor announced

By REED PARSELL  
Managing Editor

Announcement of donations and a pictorial visit to China highlighted the 19th annual Founders' Day program of King's Manor Methodist Home, Inc.

Around 300 people gathered in the Lamar Guest Room Thursday night for the yearly King's Manor dinner and business meeting. Presenting a slide show on The People's Republic of China was William P. Wright Jr., an Athlete businessman.

Donald Hicks, outgoing president of King's Manor, proclaimed \$43,188 had been given this year to help support the facility for elderly citizens. Of that total, nearly \$15,000 was collected at the annual barbecue. Last year, slightly less than \$42,000

### Thursday evening at annual dinner

in donations were accumulated. About \$13,000 was collected in 1982. According to Hicks, the barbecue raised around \$5,000 when it debuted five years ago.

"Why are we here tonight?" asked master of ceremonies Earnest Langley shortly after the festivities began. "Because we feel a sense of love and affection for those who live here."

Prior to Wright's presentation, the gospel numbers were sung by the Summerfield Quartet. Lynton Allred, an old friend of Wright's, then introduced the guest speaker.

"He has always been a community-minded person and

always one to put the needs of others first," Allred said about Wright. "He has become enthusiastic with everything he has ever seen and everything he has ever done." His interest in photography began a few years ago, Allred claimed.

Wright then explained his wife Alice had taken many of the slide photographs to appear on Mitchell show. The couple and son Mitchell travelled to the Orient in August of 1983. Mr. Wright performed research on Red Crown Cranes for the Chinese government and International Crane Foundation.

For a long time prior to a law change seven years ago, the Chinese

government supported a "war on birds," as it was felt they ate too much grain, Wright said. The Red Crown crane was one of the birds to be shot.

The photos of Peking and Shanghai in 1977 is to drop its arms and Great Britain and fall under Chinese rule.

Meanwhile, King's Manor officers for 1985 were decided Thursday. Bartley Dowell is to replace Hicks as president while Virgil Walker is to be succeeded by Bob Armatage as vice president. Bobby Boyd is to have his secretary-treasurer seat filled by B.F. Cain.

## Legal aid investigator visits gathering

By SPEEDY NIEMAN  
Editor-Publisher

A brief discussion with a TRLA investigator, formal election of new directors, and reports on various committee projects highlighted a regular monthly meeting Thursday of the Deaf Smith County Chamber of Commerce board.

Wendell Wylie, a staff attorney and investigator for Legal Services in Corp., Washington, D.C., was introduced to board members by Bob Owen, president. Wylie made a brief statement concerning his visit to Hereford and answered questions posed by several directors.

Wylie explained that office had Texas Rural Legal Aid office and priorities on the cases it handled and one of his determinations would be to see if those are being followed. He said he would report his findings to the LSC board in Washington and a report would be issued on those findings.

Owen said more than 3,800 signatures were signed to petitions asking for an investigation into the activities of the TRLA office. He also told directors that Rep. Kent Hance helped arrange the visit by the investigator, and that Hance and State Sen. Bill Sarpalus had representatives in Hereford for the hearings.

In other business, directors were informed about plans for the Nov.

### County chamber of commerce board

29th Fun Breakfast, a check and shopping seminar on Nov. 27, and holiday city lights on Dec. 3. Santa Claus and Mrs. Claus, assisted by Boy Scouts, will distribute candy to the kids in the courthouse square ceremony on Monday night, Dec. 3.

The Women's Division is also making plans for the annual Christmas Lighting Contest for homes and

businesses. Owen announced that new officers for the chamber will be elected at the December meeting of the board. Owen briefly discussed plans for a leadership program next year to recruit civic leaders.

Directors attending the meeting included Owen, Rex Easterwood, Bob Sims, James Arney, Gary Phipps, Rose Griffin, John Stagner, Irene McKinster, Danny Boyer, Charlie Bell, Joe Reinauer Jr., John Hays and Mrs. Lauderback.

## Property of commission to be sold

By REED PARSELL  
Managing Editor

Property on which the recently defaulted Hereford Cattle Commission operated is to be auctioned off Tuesday, Dec. 4 at Deaf Smith County Courthouse.

Notice of the trustee's sale was posted earlier this week by Carole Byers, substitute trustee for Hi-Plains Savings and Loan Association.

According to David Ruland, Deaf Smith County clerk, the loan HCC had with Hi-Plains was for \$1.2 million. The financial institution would not comment if or how much money is due or how many months delinquent HCC is in paying the

### Hi-Plains takes over by default

premises.

There are other possible explanations for Hi-Plains assuming ownership of the property. Ruland explained this morning. The fear of insolvency, he said, is one of 17 or more stipulations listed on the trust agreement.

Ruland explained Hi-Plains does not need to yet give the exact time of the auction. The trustee's sale notice states bids are to be sought between 10 a.m. and 4 p.m.

The cattle commission was shut down voluntarily on Tuesday of last week by its five owners. Operations

of the year-and-a-half-old company were halted so a financial investigation could be made by the Packers and Stockyards Association of Fort Worth.

A marketing specialist with PSA, Bill Butler, last week told the Associated Press an audit is to be made. Its purpose is to determine why money is missing from custodial accounts set up for deposits and withdrawals made by both buyers and sellers.

The problem reportedly surfaced

(See CATTLE, Page 2)

## Local Roundup

### Waterfowlers helped Thursday

When the count is finished, the Texas Waterfowlers Association will probably be at least \$1,000 richer as a result of Thursday night's duck hunt.

Spearmen Jim Stewart sold about 100 permits attended the annual duck hunt. The event and proceeds were at least \$1,000 above last year's donations.

Jim Stewart, Keith Bestcher, Ed Coplen and Tonya Kleinfelder won deer prizes, the team received guns and Kleinfelder a video cassette recorder.

The association will lease additional waterfowl wintering habitat in Coahuila County with a portion of the proceeds, Stewart said this morning.

### Police look into two vandalisms

Police investigated two incidents of vandalism Thursday at Bowling's Bowl, 110 N. 25th Ave., with one of them valued at \$225.

Matthew Brewer, 18, 1, and the passenger-side window of her 1980 Ford was broken sometime between 9:15 and 9:25 p.m. A box containing 54 cassette tapes was subsequently taken out of the car.

The other vandalism occurred outside the bowling alley involving another broken window. Police looked into one case of burglary, harassment, theft and trespassing. Four arrests were made, including one each for driving while intoxicated and drunk in control of a motor vehicle.

WATERFOWLERS' BOWL: 25 (normal); 24 (record); 22 (1984)  
GROWING: 20 (normal); 19 (record); 18 (1984)  
OUTLOOK: Fairly cloudy tonight with a 50 percent chance of showers. The low is to be in the upper 50s and winds are reported to be 5 to 10 miles per hour from the south. Thursday should have a 50 percent chance of precipitation, or high in the middle 50s and a 50 percent chance of showers or rain in the afternoon.

# We Reach Thousands Every Evening! Won't You Join Us?

Subscription Rates	Local	3 Months	6 Months	1 Year
The Hereford Brand	3.35 plus tax	10.00	20.00	34.00
364-2030	Other Areas	4.00 plus tax	12.00	40.00