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## Chamber Begins Banquet At 7

The annual Deaf Smith Chamber of Commerce banquet and meeting gets underway at 7 tonight in the county Bull barn.

As usual, it will feature a well known speaker, include special entertainment and consist of surprising awards presentations. This and more awaits

members of the Chamber and their guests.

Tickets for the event were sold through Wednesday at the chamber office, but latecomers may purchase one of the \$7 entrance passes at the door.

The theme of the event this year is "Staying Free In Century III", which is directed toward maintaining the freedoms this country enjoys as it enters its third century.

The dressy affair begins with a banquet style dinner, and then moves into the program highlighted by a speech from George McKinney of Texas Power and Light Company.

McKinney, an executive with his company, is past president of the following organizations: Rotary, Chamber of Commerce, Industrial Development Foundation, Texas State Recreation Laboratory, Hospital Board, Parent-Teachers Association, Band Boosters and Southeastern Community Development Association.

Also, he has served as a board member of the East Texas Chamber of Commerce, a member of the East Texas Area Council Boy Scouts of America, and a member of the pre-release training team for the Texas Department of Corrections. He is a member of the International Platform Association and is listed with the Dictionary of International Biography and with the Men of Achievement in the International Biographical Center.

Providing the dinner music for the evening is Susie McGee, who joins with the Hereford Chamber Singers as entertainers for the night.

Bill Albright, executive vice president of the Chamber, will introduce guests Donald Hicks, past president of the chamber, is scheduled to introduce honorees.

Joe Shollenbarger, incoming president, will make the traditional president's remarks following by the presentation of the Citizen of the Year award by Cleo Corlis, a chamber committeeman.

As usual, an elaborate setting of decorations is planned along with the catered meal.

Special thanks for the banquet have been directed toward the Decorations Committee of the Chamber Women's Division, the Horizon Club-Campfire Girls, Holly Sugar and The Hereford Brand.

## update thursday

### Compact Car Sales Erode

DETROIT (AP)—Plagued by a year of lagging sales of subcompact cars, the nation's auto makers are receiving early signals that sales of compact models may be eroding as well.

Compacts, sized between subcompacts and intermediates, grabbed a strong 32 per cent of the domestic market last August and September. But their share fell to 24 per cent in December, while bigger models continued to sell at a snappy pace.

And, as the compact market ebbed, inventories of some unsold models have risen to abnormally high levels that could trigger new plant shutdowns.

### Criticism Protested

PARIS (AP)—The French government protested today against official U.S. criticism of its release of Palestinian leader Abu Daoud.

The Foreign Ministry called in U.S. Charge d'Affaires Samuel Gammon to tell him that the criticism, expressed on Tuesday by State Department spokesman John Tattner, "constituted an inadmissible comment on the acts of French courts."

Tattner said the U.S. government was dismayed that the French had rushed the Palestinian terrorist out of the country before requests for his extradition to West Germany and Israel could reach Paris.

### Energy Goal Unrealistic

WASHINGTON (AP)—Energy self-sufficiency in this century is probably an unrealistic U.S. goal and the incoming Carter administration should face up to this as it forges a national energy policy, suggests Sen. Edward M. Kennedy.

The Massachusetts Democrat said he hopes Congress can work with the Carter administration in agreeing "on a basic posture for the United States in its international energy dealings" as soon as possible.

### Blacks Not For Bell

WASHINGTON (AP)—If blacks had known that Jimmy Carter's election would place Atlanta lawyer Griffin Bell at the head of the Justice Department, they would have not backed the President-elect's campaign, according to an NAACP spokesman.

Bell ended two days of testimony before the Senate Judiciary Committee on Wednesday after announcing that the new Carter administration will replace FBI Director Clarence M. Kelley.

Then Clarence Mitchell, speaking for the NAACP, urged the committee to delay action on Carter's nomination of Bell until a full hearing can be held after next week's inauguration.

### Weather

West Texas: Clear and cooler tonight. Sunny and warmer most sections Friday. Low tonight near 20 north to mid 30s southeast. High Friday near 50 north to near 60 south except near 70 Big Bend valleys.

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### A Winter Sunshine

The sun burst forth after a few dormant days today following a foggy, bitter cold morning Wednesday. It was a meeting of the present winter and the summer to come as the bright afternoon

sunshine greeted the glistening icicles hanging off a Hereford residence. Streets still remained dangerously icy today although some were clearing off. (Photo By Bobby Templeton)

## From Amarillo To Houston

# Livestock Show Circuit To Begin Next Week For Local Exhibitors

BY JIM STEIERT  
Brand Farm Editor

Dedicated FFA and 4-H members from Deaf Smith County and throughout the Texas Panhandle will be hitting the stock show circuit next week, and on virtually any weekend until mid-March, there will be a livestock show for them to display their animals in, while harboring hopes of receiving a premium price for their livestock.

ACCORDING TO Marcus Phillips, Hereford High School FFA advisor, the local stock show circuit begins Jan. 19, with the Amarillo Stock Show and Rodeo. Stock show events will continue through Jan. 24.

And while a number of local youngsters are occupied with preparations for the Amarillo show, the deadline for receiving entries for the Hereford Young Farmers Junior Livestock Show will arrive Jan. 17.

Events in the Hereford show are scheduled for Jan. 27-29 at the Bull Barn.

AFTER THAT, the remaining names along the stock show trail for local

youngsters are familiar. There's the rich El Paso show Feb. 5-12, and some local FFA members will exhibit stock in an open barrow show at Uvalde Feb. 5.

Then it's on to San Antonio the following weekend. Capping off the major shows attended by local youngsters will be the Houston Livestock Show and Rodeo Feb. 23-March 6, where grand champion animals frequently bring record-setting premiums.

## Youth Crusade Builds Momentum As Final Nightly Sessions Near

The youth of Hereford have been "finding it" all week long at the Hereford Youth Crusade which continues at 7:30 p.m. today at the St. Anthony's Catholic Church.

The interdenominational event is sponsored through a joint venture of most

### AMARILLO

"We'll be sending 10 steers, 60 barrows and 80 lambs to the Amarillo show," Phillips commented, concerning the local FFA chapter.

MARKET LAMBS are scheduled to arrive at the Amarillo show on Jan. 18, with steers, barrows and beef heifers arriving Jan. 19.

Weighing and sifting of lambs will begin at 9 a.m. Jan. 19, and lamb judging

will begin at 8 a.m. Jan. 20.

Weighing and sifting of steers and barrows will get underway at 9 a.m. Jan. 20.

Barrow judging will be conducted at the hog barn beginning at 8 a.m. Friday, Jan. 21, and junior heifer judging will get underway at the coliseum at 9 a.m.

STEER JUDGING will begin Saturday, (See STOCKSHOW, Page 2)

local churches as a special series of nightly sessions to bring the message of the Lord and his works to more individuals, principally youth. It has been coordinated through an adult organizational committee.

Featured each night have been the preaching of Larry Lea, minister of youth at the Beverly Hills Baptist Church in Dallas, and Johnny Ray Watson, special minister of music. Both have been enthusiastically testifying of their personal experiences and providing inspiration to the gathered crowds.

Sessions have been held throughout the week at various local churches. The final session Friday and Saturday night will culminate the event at the Hereford Bull Barn when much larger crowds are expected to convene.

Any and all interested persons are encouraged to attend the sessions. A Nursery is provided at the First Methodist Church for the final two nights.

Lea says he was converted and called to the youth ministry at Tyler in a mental hospital in 1968. The "miraculous healing of his mind" is an exciting part of his testimony. He graduated from Dallas Baptist College and became a minister of

youth following his education. In the past four years, he has traveled extensively as a teacher, preacher, and evangelist.

Watson, who has received wide acceptance locally, turned toward Christianity in 1972. He has provided inspiration through his music.

He appeared in numerous concerts, including the Billy Graham Crusade in Lubbock. He performed with Andrae Crouch and the Disciples, and has produced an album entitled "The Straight and Narrow Path."

A native of Lorenzo, Watson was an all-state basketball player in high school and was the "most valuable player" at McMurry College in 1970-71.

Youth coordinators of the crusade include Freddy Torres, Roger Owen and Garry Meyer. It has been directed by coordinators Marilyn Paschal and Roy Faubion.

Publicity has been handled by Mac Aipperspach, Bobby Templeton, Andy Wilks, and Forrest Ricketts. John Goodwin serves as a follow-up counselor.

Other members of the organizational committee are Ted Ray Coleman, David Wagner, Lita Kaul, Frank Ford, Bruce Coleman, Garland Solomon, Jim Johnson, and Ted Walling.

## Hospital, Water Districts Hold Elections In Hereford Saturday

Deaf Smith County voters may have had their fill of polls with the elections in 1976, but the new year brings with it an early chance for the electorate to express its feelings once more.

It is the Saturday election involving a decision by local voters to have Deaf Smith County Hospital district board of directors elected by the public or appointed by the county Commissioners Court as is presently done.

Also on the ballot is the election of a director and committeemen of the High Plains Underground Water Conservation District. That election will be held from 7 a.m. to 7 p.m. in the

Hereford Community Center on Park Ave.

The hospital board referendum election will be held from 7 a.m. to 7 p.m. Saturday in the Commissioners Courtroom on the second floor of the courthouse.

Running in the water district election are Ray Gerk of Hereford for director of Precinct 4, Tom Robinson of Hereford for committeeman-at-large from Deaf Smith County, and James Higgins and Garland Solomon for county committeemen from commissioner's precincts 1 and 2, respectively. Gerk replaces Billy Wayne Sisson of Hereford.

The hospital district ballot will ask for a "for" or "against" vote on "providing the office of director of the Deaf Smith County Hospital District shall hereafter be an elective office."

As of Tuesday's absentee voting deadline, five persons had cast ballots, according to the county clerk's office. Anyone residing within the hospital district or confines of the county is eligible to vote for the referendum.

A qualified voter in the water district election is any person with a valid voter registration card and established residency in the district and the county.



## Stockshow

Jan. 22, at 8 a.m. at the coliseum, with grand champion steer selection at 7:45 p.m.

All livestock not in the sale will be released at 3 p.m. on Sunday, Jan. 23, with the 4-H and FFA livestock judging contest set for 8 a.m. Jan. 24 in the coliseum arena.

Concluding the show will be the junior livestock auction sale in the Gouldy arena at 1 p.m. Monday, Jan. 24.

### HEREFORD

With hardly a breathing space in between, Deaf Smith County youngsters will turn their attention from the Amarillo show to the local four-county stock show, which will include contestants from Deaf Smith, Farmer, Castro and Oldham counties.

According to Phillips, local FFA members will be taking part in the Hereford show in a big way.

"We're planning to exhibit 12 steers, 115 barrows and 95 lambs at Hereford, and we're not sure just how many animals local 4-H members will be entering," the FFA advisor explained.

Potential exhibitors in the Hereford show have already been mailed entry cards, and the cards must be returned to the Hereford Young Farmers prior to Jan. 17.

Entry fees have been set at \$7 per calf and \$4 per hog or lamb.

JUDGING WILL get underway at 1 p.m. Jan. 27 with the massive market swine classes.

Lamb judging will begin at 8 a.m. Jan. 28 and steer classes will be judged beginning at 2 p.m. on Jan. 28.

A 4-H and FFA livestock judging contest will be held at 8 a.m. Jan. 29, with the livestock sale scheduled for 1 o'clock that afternoon.

General Superintendents of the Hereford show include Jack Andrews, George Muse and Joe Shultz.

STEER DIVISION superintendents will include Steve Olson, chairman, Gerald Marnell and Kirk Andrews. Also, Roy Carlson and Mike Solomon.

Jimmy Christie will serve as barrow division chairman, and superintendents will include Joe West, Ray Schlabs, Connie Urbaczky, Ed Hammett, Bill Caraway, Bill Dutton, Tom Schlabs and Ted Eiche.

Lamb chairman is Jim Bob Perrin and superintendents are Ronnie and Rocky Andrews, Jerry Stewart, Ronald Johnson and Otis Robinson.

Chairmen of the judging contests are Jay Boren and Robert Pope, and publicity committeemen include Mike McCathern, Lon Conner and Roger Sanders.

### FARTHER DOWN THE LINE

The major emphasis of the livestock

exhibiting season will be over for most local youngsters when the Hereford show concludes, but for a number of dedicated youngsters, the trail will lead on.

"HOUSTON IS another show which normally draws good participation from local exhibitors," Phillips commented.

"The Hereford FFA is planning to send 44 barrows, nine lambs, three steers and a heifer to the Houston show, and prior to the Houston exhibition, some of our chapter members will be showing about five barrows in the open barrow show at Uvalde Feb. 5. And of course, there will be a number of animals owned by local 4-H members which will be exhibited in some of the shows a little farther down the line too. In fact, a person who is really enthusiastic about it could probably keep attending stock shows well into spring," he concluded.

### Quick Moves Made

AUSTIN (AP)—Speaker Bill Clayton hoped to keep up the legislature's rapid pace today by distributing his committee assignments—four days ahead of the original schedule.

Li Gov. Bill Hobby released his committee appointments Wednesday, moments after the Senate had rejected an attempt by Sen. Oscar Maury to allow senators to elect their own committees.

## New Lignite Coal Mining Process Used In Texas

COLLEGE STATION, Tex.

(AP)—Texas scientists hope to retrieve some of the mass deposits of lignite coal in the state this year by using a process that was unknown at the beginning of the decade.

Texas A&M University sits in the middle of a giant triangle of lignite coal deposits that contain the energy equivalent of half the world's known coal reserves, but up until now 90 per cent of the coal has been largely inaccessible.

Dr. Jim Jennings, a petroleum engineer at A&M, said the location of the deposits is widely known, but the problem is in

getting the coal to the surface.

"The power companies here in Texas, I would say, are almost exclusively using the conventional mining of lignite," he said. "But only about 10 per cent can be mined and burned in a plant. The other 90 per cent is below 200 feet."

The recovery process is known as "gasification," in which the lignite coal is burned while it is still in the ground and then the resulting gas is piped to the surface. From there it is transported to nearby plants where it is converted to a usable fuel in the production of electricity.

Jennings said almost all of the

near-surface lignite deposits have been claimed by Texas power companies but the deep deposits have gone pretty much ignored because of the mining problems.

Jennings said gasification experiments have been going on in the United States since early 1972. He said the Soviet Union has used gasification to produce energy for the last 30 years.

If the Texas A&M experiment starting in May is successful, Jennings said the test results and methods will be made available to the public. The \$275,000 experiment is financed by A&M's engineering experiment station and a consortium

of energy-related industries including Alcoa, General Crude Oil, Dow Chemical Co., Shell Oil Co., Phillips Petroleum Co. and Sun Oil Co.

"...With the gasification process, it's estimated we can produce gas at a \$1.50 to \$2 per million BTUs," said Jennings.

"Since 1,000 cubic feet of natural gas produces one million BTUs and already sells for \$2 or more, the economics of the projects looks favorable."

But Jennings doesn't see the project as an answer to reducing natural gas prices.

"I see this as providing a more plentiful supply of energy at today's prices," he said.

## Mexico Has Proven Oil Source

MEXICO CITY (AP)—Mexico announced Wednesday that it has proven oil reserves of 11 billion barrels and will seek to have the figure certified by international experts.

The figure was revealed by Hector R. Lara Sosa, a chemical engineer and deputy director of industrial production for the state-owned oil monopoly Petroleos Mexicanos PEMEX.

"The current administration has decided that the Mexican Petroleum Institute, in collaboration with a specialized firm that enjoys prestige among the most important banks of the world, will certify the figure of 11 billion barrels that Petroleos Mexicanos has noted," Lara Sosa said in a speed delivered to the Mexican Institute of Chemical Engineers in Monterrey and distributed to the press by PEMEX.



## Paul Harvey News Retouched Portrait of Mayor Daley

City officials in San Diego, Calif., chose not to eulogize the late mayor of Chicago, Richard Daley.

A spokesman referred to Daley as "a man of great courage and a man of great conviction."

My professional activities are home based in Chicago. I knew Dick Daley from the time when he was a county clerk. And I know that he was not very well understood in Chicago and outside the city, hardly at all.

Let me tell you about the Mayor Daley I knew.

Mayor Daley's priorities were his God and his family, and Chicago was an extension of his family.

From a distance Mayor Daley was the consummate machine politician. Chicago was his dynasty.

Admittedly the city flourished under his leadership but the public image apparently remained that of a power-wielding tyrant sitting on a pile of money on the fifth floor of City Hall.

These juicy parcels of half-truth add up to a grotesque distortion of the Daley administration.

Again, Mayor Daley's priorities were his God and his family. Chicago was an extension of his family.

His everyday began with prayer. Like many Roman Catholics of his generation he thought the church was making things too easy—so his daily Mass and Holy Communion in one of three churches was a ritual he intended as a personal obligation and a public example.

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Nor did his personal religion ever diminish his public deference to other religions of his city. Clergy of all denominations had no better friend.

After his church—his family? "Six," his wife of 40 years, and their seven children.

And now—here is where the Daley enigma becomes difficult for outsiders to comprehend—his beloved hometown was an extension of his family.

Daley did not seek any reward beyond the well-being of his personal and political "family."

Chicagoans of all sizes and shapes and colors and convictions were his family, he did

nothing but what he believed was best for the family.

If some members misbehaved, he could be tough—those who threatened to burn the town in 1968 he ordered "shot on sight."

Those who were caught stealing he allowed to be spanked. He patted them on the head and thanked them for the good things they had done but he did not interfere as the prodigals were tucked away in jail.

And those who behaved he rewarded—keeping nothing for himself beyond a modest livelihood and a wealth of pride in his "family."

I have not intended this as a comprehensive audit of his last 21 years.

And if I have tended to retouch the public portrait in his favor it is only to erase some shadows which had been exaggerated by poor lighting.

## Today In History

By The Associated Press

Today is Thursday, Jan. 13, the 13th day of 1977. There are 352 days left in the year.

Today's highlight in history: On this date in 1733, James Oglethorpe and some 130 English colonists arrived at Charleston, S.C., to settle in

what is now the state of Georgia.

On this date:

In 1419, the English captured the French city of Rouen.

In 1813, in the War of 1812, the British blockaded Chesapeake and Delaware Bays.

In 1848, Canada's Vancouver Island was acquired by Hudson's Bay Company.

In 1864, the American composer Stephen Foster died penniless in New York's Bellevue Hospital.

In 1915, an earthquake in central Italy killed 30,000 people.

Ten years ago: Military leaders in the African country of Togo seized power in a bloodless coup.

Five years ago: Army officers overthrew the civilian government in Ghana.

One year ago: Japan indicated it was ready to sign a World War II peace treaty with mainland China.

Today's birthday: Entertainer Ralph Edwards is 64.

Thought for today: Worse than a quitter is the person who is afraid to begin.—Anonymous.

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## Kidnappers Still At-Large Today

DE SOTO, Tex. (AP)—Kidnappers who kicked in a locked door to abduct a 77-year-old East Texas woman from her daughter's South Dallas County home were still at large today.

Lilly Kirkland of Joaquin, in Shelby County, was held for \$100,000 ransom for more than 10 hours after being kidnapped shortly before midnight Tuesday.

She said two men bound and blindfolded her and left her wrapped in a sleeping bag in a wooded area near De Soto.

Criminal investigators from four agencies swarmed the ransom drop area where Mrs. Kirkland's son-in-law, Ted Dunagan, left the money in a

field after he received a final call from her abductors.

"The kidnappers were quite convincing. They said they would kill her if he didn't pay off," said FBI agent Gene Rosenquist.

The money was never touched.

Mrs. Kirkland was found Wednesday about three miles from the drop site. Rosenquist said it was possible the abductors realized the danger in picking up the money and got cold feet.

Mrs. Kirkland was reported to be "tired and sore and cold," but unharmed.

The first book jackets in the United States were made in Charleston, South Carolina, in 1890 by Isaac Hammond

## Obituaries

Graveside services for Francisco Andrade, 81, were held at West Park Cemetery at 2 p.m.

today under the direction of Smith & Co. Funeral Home of Hereford.

Rev. Paul Garcia officiated. Mr. Andrade was found on the floor of his apartment at 137 Main Street Saturday, and was pronounced dead by Justice of the Peace Glen Nelson.

Nelson indicated that the weekend's cold weather might have been a contributing factor in the death, but ruled that Mr. Andrade died due to natural causes. He had reportedly been in poor health recently.

Local officials were unable to locate any relatives following the death.



## HEREFORD BENEFIT ASSOCIATION

Will have their annual meeting,

January 15, 1977

3 p.m. Reddy Room

Southwestern Public Service Building

## SHUGART COUPON

FRIDAY & SATURDAY  
JANUARY 14 & 15  
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400 SUGARLAND DRIVE



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WALLET SIZE  
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99¢

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OFFER  
Extra charge  
for  
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## Gaston's FIRST Sale of the year

SUGARLAND MALL

Ladies'

One Rack Fashionable wearables at a savings!

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\$500

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SPORTS WEAR

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SPORTS WEAR

1/3 OFF

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\$14.90

\$19.90

\$29.90

Values '25"

Values '35"

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Men's Quality...Brand names  
at these terrific savings!

DRESS SHIRTS

2 FOR \$15.00

SPORTS COATS

1/2 PRICE

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1/2 & 1/3 OFF

JEANS Reg. \$25.00 1/2 PRICE

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COATS

Long or Short

1/3 OFF

COORDINATES 1/2 PRICE

Come Save at GASTON'S Sugarland





JOYCE ALLRED  
...with her two sons, Brad and Mike

## Let's Cook

# Resident Within Reach Of Bachelor's Degree

By PHYL SMITH  
Brand Staff Writer

Joyce Allred, one of Hereford's most attractive assets, will be receiving her Bachelor of Arts degree from West Texas State University this spring. Being a graduate of Hereford High School, Mrs. Allred is applying for a degree in education and has just completed eight weeks of student teaching at Stanton Junior High School.

The Hereford native is the daughter of Mrs. C.E. West of Hereford and enjoys sewing and reading. She is active in the Hereford Chamber Singers, La Madre Mia Study Club and Hereford Music Study Club.

Mrs. Allred and her husband, Lynton, reside at 316 Douglas and they attend First Baptist Church. Allred is self-employed at Allred Oil Co. and involved in

community affairs.

The couple has two sons, Mike, 10 and Brad, who is seven years old. They are in the fifth and second grades at Northwest School.

Sand tarts, one of the two recipes Mrs. Allred is sharing, is her husband's favorite cookie.

## SAND TARTS

1 cup butter or oleo  
2 cups flour  
1/2 cup powdered sugar  
2 tsp. Vanilla  
Pinch salt  
1 cup nuts  
Mix well and roll by hand into oblong balls about the size of a

pecan. Bake about an hour at 245 degrees and roll in powdered sugar while hot.

## POUND CAKE

Cream:  
1 cup shortening  
1 1/2 cups sugar  
Add alternately:  
3 eggs  
1 cup milk  
2 cups flour (Sifted with 2 1/2 tsp. baking powder and 1/4 tsp. salt)  
Add:  
1 tsp. vanilla  
1 tsp. lemon or almond extract  
Bake at 350 degrees for 1 hour.

# Speaker Describes White House Brides

Mrs. Glenn Reeve of Friona and her "brides of the White House" dolls were featured guests of Pioneer Study Club during a luncheon Tuesday at Hereford Country Club.

Introduced by Mrs. Herman Ford, the speaker keyed her program to the upcoming Presidential inauguration and illustrated her presentation with a display of authentically-dressed dolls. Mrs. Reeve stated that there have been 18 "genuine" weddings in the White House, although some tourists have conducted "sneak" ceremonies without the knowledge of White House personnel.

Mrs. Reeve has traveled over 5,000 miles in giving her lecture and has conducted extensive research and correspondence in completing her historical display.

The meeting was opened by Mrs. W.C. Hromas, club president. The invocation was given by Mrs. R.L. Wilson. Pledge to the U.S. flag was led

by Mrs. H.E. Miller before Mrs. Calving Goodin directed the pledge to the Texas flag.

A quotation from Abraham Lincoln was read by Mrs. Guy Walser during her federation report.

Helen Patterson was welcomed as a guest, along with Mrs. Reeve. Hostesses were Miss Roberta Campbell, Mrs. John Heard and Bonnie Brumley. Others present were Mmes. Delmar Sigle, J.V. Pickens, Paul Rudd, O.G. Hill Sr., William Wimberly, Frank Ball, A. Petersen and C.P. Cockrell.

Transferred to a map of the United States, the 1,500-mile Great Wall of China would reach south and westward from Washington D.C. past Chattanooga and Memphis, Tenn. and Shreveport, La., and all the way across Texas into New Mexico.

# Society The Hereford Brand Hereford, Texas

## Eastern Star Order Cites Anniversary

The 70th birthday of Hereford's chapter, Order of the Eastern Star, was observed Tuesday evening in the Masonic Temple.

Worthy Matron Audrey Powell delivered a brief history of the local OES chapter, stating that it was organized in 1906. She then presented certificates of term to members present. Florence Fluit and her daughter, Mrs. Jack Brown were recognized for receiving 40-year certificates, their longest membership in the Hereford chapter.

As a courtesy to the chapter at College Station, a 50-year certificate of membership was presented to Mrs. Ellen Lloyd, who now resides at Westgate Nursing Home. A guest who was present for the ceremony

was Mrs. Lloyd's daughter, Susie Howell of Amarillo.

During business it was announced that the diamond anniversary of the Masonic Lodge will be observed during a Past Master's night Jan. 27, in the Masonic Temple. Also, OES members are invited to witness the installation of Rainbow Girls.

OES grand officers of District 2, Section 3, will be honored at a tea here on Jan. 30.

Guests at the Eastern Star meeting were Bob Fitzgerald, Frank Quattrini, Lee Mays, and Mrs. Howell, all of Amarillo. Refreshments were brought for 31 present by Goldie Brown, Mrs. Kenneth Rusher, Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Don George and Mr. and Mrs. Wayne White.

## Dawn Music Club Slates Programs

Mrs. R.T. Stewart was hostess for members of Dawn Music Club in her home at Dawn Tuesday afternoon.

Mrs. Carl Wimberly, club president, opened the business meeting by asking members to repeat the club collect. Plans concerning several upcoming activities were discussed.

Refreshment and program committees were appointed for the monthly birthday party at Westgate Nursing Home at 3 p.m. Feb. 10. Also, it was announced that the club's next meeting on Feb. 8, will be a Federation Day luncheon at Dawn Community Center. Miss Verle Fletcher, district president, will be the guest speaker and the program theme "Family Album of Music" will salute the A Parade of American Music. Guests will be welcome.

The club's annual "husbands' party" is scheduled Feb. 25 in the home of Mrs. Walter Lemons.

Also on the club's agenda is presentation on March 18 of "Hansel and Gretel" by Engelbert Humperdinck, a melodrama "The Miner's Daughter" and "Thirty Minutes With Carmen." The musical will be held in Dawn's Community Center.

At the completion of business, Mrs. H.V. McCabe opened the program about "The Family Worship" by reading Psalm 100 from the King James version of the Bible.

Mrs. R.E. Curtisinger sang "How Great Thou Art" as arranged by Norman Clayton,

accompanied by Mrs. Stewart. Biblical background and selections from the oratorio, "Elijah" by Mendelssohn was given by Mrs. Alfred Smith.

Mrs. Stewart and Mrs. Jim Tilley joined voices to perform "If With All Your Heart," an arrangement by Rob Roy Perry. Mrs. Carl Wimberly accompanied. Florence Jolly's "The Lord Is My Shepherd" and "My Task" by E.L. Ashford were rendered by the club ensemble, including Mmes. R.T. Stewart, H.R. Stewart, J.B. Caraway, Tilley and Curtisinger. Accompaniment was provided by Mrs. Wimberly.

With each of her own keyboard, Mrs. Tilley and Mrs. Stewart performed a piano duet of "Largo" by A. Dvorak, arranged by Lois Von Haupt. The duo also played Mason's "Nearer My God to Thee" as arranged by John Kraus.

Mrs. Stewart and Mrs. Tilley also presented a two-piano composition by Mary Howe of "Sheep May Safely Graze" by Bach.

The program was concluded with the group singing the Hymn of the Month.

Others present included Mrs. Bill Caraway and Melissa, Jimmy and Becky Tilley.

## Heavy Particle

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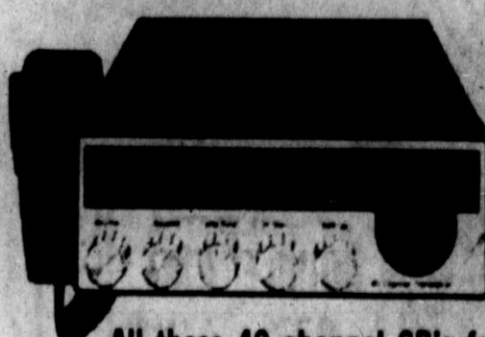
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## Community Fair Open To Public

The public is urged to attend a Community Services Fair next weekend at Sugarland Mall where 30 local service agencies will have displays and booths.

The exhibits will be open to the public from 9:30 a.m. - 5 p.m. Jan. 14 and 15, according to Donna McNutt, project chairman.

Being held for the first time, the community Services Fair will hopefully become an annual event. The Fair is being sponsored by Hereford Family Services Center.

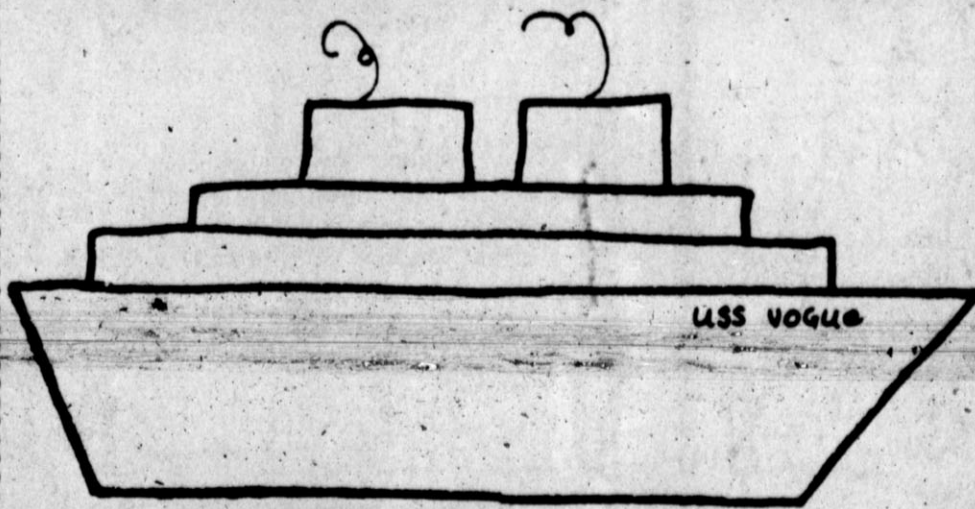
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## Mrs. Henson Elected Red Cross Executive

Betty Henson, a native of Hereford, was elected executive secretary of Deaf Smith County Red Cross Chapter during a quarterly meeting of the Board of Directors. The group assembled Tuesday at the Community Center.

The action came as a result of a letter of resignation of Genevieve Miller, who had served as executive secretary for 11 1/2 years. Lee Umsted, board president, conducted the election of Mrs. Henson.

Other business included a report on aid for fire victims by Don Dougherty, disaster chairman. Also, a nominating committee was appointed to suggest a new slate of board members for the coming year.

John Gilliland announced that a series of first aid classes will be initiated here soon. Also, Audine Derrman familiarized the board members with current local Red Cross activities.

Mrs. Henson, who will assume the position of executive secretary immediately, is the wife of Dale Henson and has five children, including Jim, Don, Kenny, Norman and Dulene. She is a member of First Christian Church, a lapidary club and a cake-decorating club. She and her family reside at 703 Miles.

The daughter of Mr. and Mrs. O.H. Calpepper, Mrs. Henson attended local schools.

In outlining upcoming Red Cross events, she stated that the local chapter will have an exhibit in Saturday's Community Services Fair at Sugarland Mall. Also, Mrs. Henson stressed that the Deaf Smith County Red Cross chapter will celebrate its 60th founder's day in April.

Other board members who attended Tuesday's session were W.J. Albright, Henry Kaper, Jim Tilley and Mmes. Clinton Jackson, Clarence Betters, Merlin Kaul, Tony Huffman, Wayne Lady, Glenn Anderson and Joyce Blasingame.

## Mrs. Nixon Analyzes Sculpture

Alpha Iota Mu Chapter of Beta Sigma Phi met recently at the Reddy Room of Southwestern Public Service Co.

"The Art of Sculpture" was the title of the program given by Mrs. Les Nixon and Mrs. Bud Thomas presented a program on "Cultural Music."

The group made plans for a social to be held in February and various fund-raising projects were discussed.

Mrs. Ken Glenn, hostess, served refreshments to Miss Betty Barnett and Mmes. Floyd Neill, Eldon Koch, Eldon Howell, Joel Williamson, Bob Nigh, Bob Goss and the advisor, Mrs. Max Sipe.

## Couple Return From 'Rosy' Trip

BY KERRIE STEWART  
Women's Editor

Three busloads of tourists, including several local couples, recently joked, sang and ate their way across the Southwest enroute to the extravagant Rose Parade in Pasadena, Calif.

Among the travellers who took the jaunt were Delight and Hank Williams, Susie and J.O. Robinson and Alice and Robert Thompson, all of Hereford.

Nearly residents who took the tour were Mr. and Mrs. Louis Wink of Umlinger and Mr. and Mrs. Richard E. Friemel of Canyon.

In relating the group's adventures on the ten-day trip, Mrs. Williams said that it was a tour-up as to which sight was the most memorable—the Rose Parade or dazzling Las Vegas.

SEIZING THE NEW YEAR'S parade for the first time, Mrs. Williams commented, "The floats are so impressive. We were allowed to view them at close range after the parade. The fragrance is lovely and each flower is placed in a tiny vial of water to keep it fresh."

Mrs. Williams was particularly awed by the fact that each Rose Parade entry is made entirely of natural materials, including flowers, foliage, petals and seeds. Having grandstand seats at the parade, members of the bus tour had clear view of the parade's Grand Marshal, Roy Rogers and his wife, Dale Evans, as well as the Osmond family.

A BONANZA OF the journey was that it gave the travellers a chance to make new friends and to get better acquainted with familiar faces. Mr. and Mrs. Williams got special pleasure from the cleverness of the Robinson couple, who were on a honeymoon-type trip; and the Thompsons, who served as host and hostess on one of the buses.

Mrs. Williams also was surprised to "bump into" past acquaintances, including Vivian Seigler of Amarillo, a former Hereford resident, and a woman who had attended the same grade school.

"We had so much fun while travelling," she recalled. "Our bus driver displayed such a melodious voice during the

sing-alongs. We started each day with a devotional service," she added.

THE GROUP BOOPED in the fantasy atmosphere of Disneyland, which Mrs. Williams described as "just super." Her favorite site of the Anaheim playground was the Tiki Room, where Polynesian entertainment is offered.

Champaigne flowed and bubbles glistened on New Year's Eve during a dinner-show starring Lawrence Welk and his Champaigne Music Makers. Another highlight of California was a "delicious" meal at Knotts Berry Farm, where all food products are raised. The menu included fresh rhubarb sauce with salad, "the best fried chicken I've ever tasted," mashed potatoes and cream gravy, fresh cooked cabbage, buttermilk biscuits and homemade boysenberry pie.

Mrs. Williams confessed that the meals, including dinner in Jaarez, Mexico, were so delectable that her husband had gained 10 pounds during the holiday vacation.

IN GLITTERING LAS VEGAS, the escort bus tourists heard Roy Clark in concert at The Frontier. Mr. and Mrs. Williams then went to The Stardust to see its famous floor show and "an amazing magician," who performed several feats.

When asked which region had the friendliest populace, perky Mrs. Williams replied that everyone was "extremely hospitable," whether a member of the tour or a resident of one of the tour locations.

She explained that the three buses were peopled with individuals of every age, and denomination, though most were from Oklahoma or Texas.

Although many of the tour participants were visiting the western coast for a second or third time, Mrs. Williams stated that the trip was unforgettable because "it was so well-organized." She explained, saying, "There was no worry about where one was to spend the night or eat dinner. All accommodations were already paid for and there was enough time for individual spree."

## At We's End

By Erma Bombeck

Maya's a real winner. The other night she said, "You know that blue dress you bought a few years ago that was two sizes too small that you were going to die down to? Well, I saw it the other night on the mother on Happy Days."

"What's that supposed to mean?" I asked.

"It means that dress has been in and out of style five times since you bought it."

"I didn't want to mention it," I said lowering my voice, "but there's something weird about that dress."

"Like what?"

"You'll think I'm crazy."

"Trust me."

"Okay, the truth is that dress is shriveling."

"You're crazy."

"I knew you'd say that. You didn't believe me when I had that fake fur coat that grew in the closet every summer."

"That was different," said Maya.

"No it wasn't. You saw me in it every single October. I put it away knee-length, but when I got it out again, it was always back to my ankles."

"I've never heard of a dress shrinking before."

"I didn't say 'shrinking,' I said 'shriveling.' There's a difference. You know how I've been watching my weight?"

How many pounds would you say I've lost since I bought this dress?"

Maya thought a moment. "Three hundred and seventy-two."

"Whatever. Well, I get the dress out every year and try it on. I tell you it's getting smaller."

"Can you wear it at all?" asked Maya.

"Of course I can wear it. From one angle I actually look like Joey Heatherton."

"What angle is that?"

"Flat on my back with my arms outstretched."

"Look! Why don't you just get rid of the dress? You can't wear it and you're not going to. You just have to face up to that."

I jerked it out of her hand. "This dress is my Zanadu, my Miss America, my Pillsbury bake-off, my Academy Award, my Reader's Digest Sweepstakes—don't you understand, Maya? It's my dream!"

"You know something? Mrs. Walton was wearing that same dress the other night."

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## Ann Landers Repeats Column



DEAR READERS: I am happy to repeat this column at the request of readers from Phoenix, Montgomery, New Orleans, Springfield and Nassau.

### THE TEN COMMANDMENTS OF HOW TO GET ALONG WITH PEOPLE

1. Keep skid chains on your tongue; always say less than you think. Cultivate a low, persuasive voice. How you say it often counts more than what you say.
2. Make promises sparingly and keep them faithfully, no matter what it costs.
3. Never let an opportunity pass to say a kind and encouraging word to or about somebody. Praise good work, regardless of who did it. If criticism is needed, criticize helpfully, never spitefully.
4. Be interested in others; their pursuits, their work, their homes and families. Make merry with those who rejoice; with those who weep, mourn. Let everyone you meet, however humble, feel that you regard him as a person of importance.
5. Be cheerful. Don't burden or depress those around you by dwelling on your minor aches and pains and small disappointments. Remember, everyone is carrying some kind of a load.
6. Keep an open mind. Discuss but don't argue. It is a mark of a superior mind to be able to disagree without being disagreeable.
7. Let your virtues, if you have any, speak for themselves. Refuse to talk of another's vices. Discourage gossip. It is a waste of valuable time and can be

extremely destructive.

8. Be careful of another's feelings. Wit and humor at the other person's expense are rarely worth it and may hurt when least expected.

9. Pay no attention to ill-natured remarks about you. Remember, the person who carried the message may not be the most accurate reporter in the world. Simply live so that nobody will believe them. Disordered nerves and bad digestion are a common cause of back-biting.

10. Don't be too anxious about the credit due you. Do your best and be patient. Forget about yourself and let others "remember." Success is much sweeter that way.

DEAR ANN: I could kiss you for your advice to "Mother Of Two Pluses and One Minus."

I am a middle child. My older sister (according to my parents) was "brilliant, sensitive and creative." My younger sister was "honest, sweet, kind and good." I was "moody, belligerent, willful and unmanageable." Mother called me "stupid" so often I thought it was my given name. My school work and social life were a disaster because of the emotional turmoil at home.

We are all grown now and here's the picture: My younger sister weighs nearly 300 pounds. My older sister dislikes my parents so intensely that when they come to visit, I'm the only one who will meet them at the plane and give them a place to stay. Neither of my sisters will have them over for a meal.

Do I like my parents? No. Do I forgive them? Yes. But it took many years of costly therapy. It's obvious who the losers are. And also quite sad... The Middle One

DEAR ONE: Many psychologists are coming to the conclusion that children who have had to cope with unhappiness develop into more resilient, productive adults than those who had a comfortable, carefree childhood. Your letter supports that theory.

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### Rebekah Lodge Holds Meeting

Peggy Lemons, Vice-Grand, presided at the regular meeting of Hereford Rebekah Lodge No. 228 Tuesday evening in I.O.O.F. Temple.

Reports were made on several members who are ill and family members.

The semi-annual report was read by Lydia Hopson and adopted by the Lodge. Plans were made for new officers to be installed Tuesday, Jan. 18, by a team from Friona. All members are urged to come and bring a dish for the salad supper to follow.

A team from the Hereford Lodge will travel to Friona Monday to install new officers of Friona and Dimmitt Lodges.

Six members braved the icy streets and cold weather to attend the Tuesday meeting. Lydia Hopson was hostess for the evening.

Play is more than just fun. It provides the child with opportunities to explore the world, try alternative roles, and test new skills, says Debby Johnson, family life education specialist with the Texas Agricultural Extension Service. The Texas A&M University System.

## Newcomer's Club Has Full Agenda

Members of Hereford Newcomer's Club met Tuesday at Caison's Steak House for their monthly luncheon meeting.

Linda Gillis, first vice president, presided over the meeting in the absence of Patti Brock, president. The club will take part in the Community Service Fair Saturday at Sugarland Mall, 9:30 a.m. - 5 p.m. and members will be co-hostesses at the Women's Forum Jan. 31.

A Valentine Progressive Dinner will be held for members Feb. 11 at 7:00 p.m. Details will be presented and reservations taken at the February luncheon. Linda Kirkpatrick was announced as the new club secretary. Guests at the meeting were June Arnett, Vicky Blaske and

Janet Buse and Kendra Plummer and Sue Barrett were introduced as new members.

Guest speaker was Miss Donna McNutt, Caseworker for Hereford Family Service Agency. Miss McNutt related the services offered by the agency and told of courses to be offered to parents in the near future. She also expressed a desire for volunteers from the club to assist in several areas of the agency's services.

Other members present were Susie Short, Jane White, Shirley Hazlett, Suzzi Marquis, Star Christie, Carol Gage, Sandra McMurtry, Marja Bralten, Helmi Robinson, Margaret McClelland, Linda Kirkpatrick and Mardel Robison.

## Red Cross Tea Planned Sunday

In appreciation for her dedication as executive secretary of the local Red Cross Chapter, Genevieve Miller will be honored at a reception from 3-4 p.m. Sunday in the Clinton Jackson home, 208 Centre. Friends are welcome.

Mrs. Miller resigned from her Red Cross position following 11½ years of service in community safety programs and during disaster relief. She has worked to coordinate the efforts of the Uniformed Red Cross Volunteers, who will serve as hostesses during the tea Sunday.

The tea will also be in recognition of the 60th birthday of the Deaf Smith County Red Cross Chapter.

Coming to this county as a young teacher, Mrs. Miller is the widow of H.H. Miller and is the mother of Audri Beach of Columbus Ohio, Jon Miller of Austin and Dion Miller of Denton, plus four step-children.

Completing her Red Cross duties on Dec. 31, 1976, Mrs. Miller was hired as postmaster of Dawn community upon the resignation of Mrs. R.A. Frye. She is also attending night classes at West Texas State University.

A former secretary of the local United Way drive, Mrs. Miller is a volunteer worker at Westgate Nursing Home. She is a member of Beautiful Saviour Lutheran Church at Amarillo.

## WHO'S NEW

### BIRTH ANNOUNCED

Mr. and Mrs. John Cornelius of Goodwell, Okla., are the parents of a son, John Keith, born Dec. 17, 1976. The infant has a sister, Melissa Dawn, 23 months old.

Maternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Elliott of Texhoma, Okla. Paternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Guy Cornelius Sr. of Hereford.

Great-grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Gus Berry of Texhoma and Mrs. L.A. Ashlock of Hereford.

Measurements of the moon's atmosphere indicate that air pressure there is less than one one-hundred-billionth of that on earth.

## Calendar of Events

### THURSDAY

Mothers of Twins Club to assemble at Dimmitt, 3:45 p.m.

Bippus Home Demonstration Club, home of Mrs. Jimmy Bradley, 2 p.m.

Annual Chamber of Commerce Banquet at the Bull Barn, 7 p.m.

Book Review of Gypsy Rose Lee at Deaf Smith County Library, 10 a.m. Public invited.

St. Anthony's Women's Organization, Antonian Room, 8 p.m.

La Madre Mia Study Club, home of Mrs. Craig Smith, 8 p.m.

Hereford Riders Club, Community Center, 8 p.m.

Calliopean Study Club, home of Mrs. Wesley Gulley, 8 p.m.

Kiwanis Club, Civic Club Center, noon.

Hereford Jaycees, Civic Club Center, 8 p.m.

Hereford TOPS Club, Community Center, 9 a.m.

Hereford Senior Citizens, old Central School, 7 p.m.

Westgate Birthday Party, 3 p.m.

The Hereford Senior Citizens will meet at 6 p.m. NOT 7 p.m.

### FRIDAY

Sweet 'n' Fancy Decorating Club, Community Center, 9:30 a.m.

Community Services Fair at Sugarland Mall today.

Hereford Garden Club, home of Mrs. D.N. Garner, 337 Centre, 3 p.m.

Cultural Home Demonstration Club, home of Mrs. M.H. Wiseman, 2:30 p.m.

Kiwanis Whiteface Breakfast Club, Dickies Restaurant, 6:30 a.m.

Story hour for children, grades 1-4, at Deaf Smith County Library, 4-4:45 p.m.

Community Duplicate Bridge at St. Thomas Episcopal Church, 7:30 p.m.

Garden Beautiful Club, home of Mrs. V.O. Hennen, 9:30 a.m.

### MONDAY

El Llano Study Club, home of Mrs. Pete Caviness, 8 p.m.

Film Fun for Everyone, Deaf Smith County Library, 4 p.m.

Palo Duro Home Demonstration Club sponsoring program on handicapped children at Community Center, 7 p.m.

Order of Rainbow for Girls, Masonic Temple, 7:15 p.m.

Combined meeting of Happy Hustlers, Showmanship and Win 4-H Clubs, Community Center, 7:30 p.m.

Rotary Club, Civic Club Center, noon.

Odd Fellows Lodge, 100F Hall, 8 p.m.

Evening Lions, K-Bob's Steak House, 7:30 p.m.

TOPS Evening Chapter, Property Enterprises, 6 p.m.

Square dance lessons at Community Center, 7:30 p.m.

Greenvalley 4-H Club, Dawn Community Center, 4:30 p.m.

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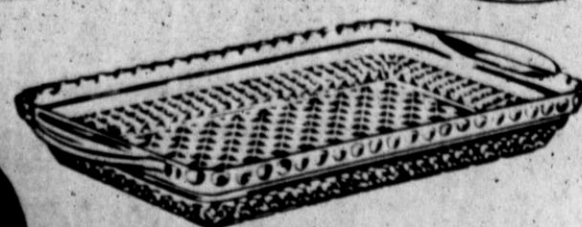
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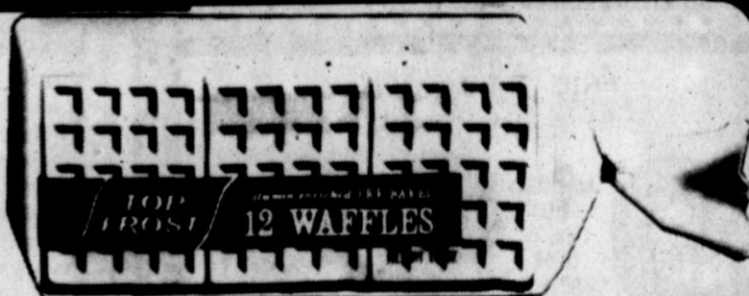
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## Bob Nigh Buff Statistics

All the adverse publicity and controversy surrounding the West Texas State University athletic program hasn't affected the Buff basketball team since the conference play began last week.

The Buffs currently share the league's top spot with Bradley after opening the conference slate with a convincing 77-69 win over New Mexico State. Bradley is also 1-0 after downing pre-season co-favorite Southern Illinois 65-58.

The Buffs got a 27-point outburst from All-Valley guard Maurice Cheeks in the opener, with Reed Addison contributing 17 points of his own.

Valley statistics released this week show the Buffs on top in field goal shooting with a .654 percentage (34-52), as well as having the top scorer (Cheeks, who is tied with Bradley's Roger Phegley) and top field goal percentage man (Cheeks, 11-13 for .846 per cent).

Ron Ekker's club boasts five players who are averaging in double figures over the season.

as they head into a regionally televised clash against the University of Tulsa this Saturday.

Eugene Smith tops the club on the year with a 15.6 scoring average, while Cheeks is second with a 14.1 standard. The other Buffs averaging more than 10 points per contest are Addison (13.3), Melvin Jones (10.7), and Brad Schreck (11.5).

Counting conference play only, four of the five are scoring in double figures with Cheeks' 27.0 topping the group. Addison's 17.0 mark is second best, while both Jones and Schreck are hitting at a 10.0 clip.

Smith hit only six points in the opener for a 6.0 average.

Indiana State does own a slim 43-41 win over the Buffs, but since the Sycamores aren't officially competing for the conference title, the loss doesn't count in the standings.

The Buffs, 7-5 on the year, will play a warmup to the Hurricanes clash with a stopover in Oklahoma City to take on the Chiefs tonight. OCU has four players hitting in double figures with Ernie Hill leading the way with a 12.1 standard.

Ample support is added by Clydell Tucker (11.1), Mark Gwaltney (10.4), and Greg Krause (10.0). The fifth OCU starter, Sidney Gracey, sports a 9.1 average.

Ekker is optimistic in the wake of the opening win.

"We could be 10-2 as easily as 7-5, but I feel we're playing well. I think that was a pretty impressive win over New Mexico State, especially after what they did against Wichita State (89-67 win). We are in a pretty good position."

Following Saturday's clash at Tulsa, the Buffs have important back-to-back games with pre-season picks Southern Illinois and Wichita State, both at home next week (January 20 and 22).



## Prexy Demands Resignations

MIDLAND, Tex. (AP) - Midland College President Dr. Al G. Langford, charging a basketball player now at Oklahoma State was given an "A" in a three hour physical education course he didn't take, has demanded the resignations of three school employees including the athletic director.

OSU is currently investigating the matter.

In a copyrighted story Wednesday the Midland Reporter-Telegram quoted Langford as saying Athletic Director Chester Story, assistant basketball coach J.D. Mensaco and tennis coach Neill McClung were involved in giving Ricky Daniel the needed grades and credits in order to be eligible to play basketball at the Big Eight school.

The newspaper said Daniel played for Midland College last year. He was recruited from Kentucky by Oklahoma State and sent to Midland for a year before going to OSU. But it was discovered that Daniel didn't have the grade point average to play at the NCAA school.

"When we found out Ricky didn't have the required grade point average, I called Oklahoma State and informed them," Story told the Reporter-Telegram. "They decided to send him to summer school here so that he could raise his grade point average and paid his way. At first, I thought he was going to come on and get his three one-hour courses. Then, Oklahoma State asked if he had to come. I said no. He enrolled and received credit for the courses."

The Reporter-Telegram said since McClung and Mensaco needed, their resignations were sought as well.

"It was wrong, very wrong, judgment on my part," said Story. "I didn't think of the ramifications. I thought we were helping a kid but it wound up costing three men their jobs."

## Y Needs Officials

Claude Huard, director of the Hereford area YMCA is in need for several officials to call basketball in the men's league on Sunday afternoons.

Four games will be played each Sunday afternoon. Interested officials may contact Huard at the YMCA office at 413 E. 6th or by calling 364-6990.

The newspaper quoted Harvey Griffin, assistant athletic director at Oklahoma State, as saying he knew nothing about the arrangement Story alluded to in his account. Griffin said there would be no official comment by school officials until they had time to study the matter. He added that whatever games Daniel played in would probably have to be forfeited if the charges are true.

Story and mensaco will take the basketball team to Clarendon Thursday for a Western Junior College Conference game. But it will be their last as coaches. Story indicated someone else will be appointed to coach the team by the time the Chaparrals go to South Plains for a game Monday.

Guy Strong, basketball coach at Oklahoma State University, said he talked with Daniel Wednesday and "told him he would not be able to play any more" after the allegations were made.

## Ponies Nip Horns; Capture SWC Lead

By DENNE H. FREEMAN  
AP Sports Writer

Southern Methodist edged a last second bullet and the Baylor Bears caught one smack between the eyes Wednesday night, giving the Mustangs the Southwest Conference basketball leadership by a half game over Arkansas.

SMU outlasted Texas 74-73 as the victorious Mustangs watched helplessly as the Longhorns missed a free throw and three field goal attempts by the losers in the last six seconds.

Baylor Coach Carroll Dawson suffered what he called "the hardest loss I've had since I've been a coach here four years" when Texas A&M senior Steve Jones canned an arching 30-foot jump shot with two seconds left for a 60-59 victory.

SMU is not 4-0 just a shade ahead of 16th ranked Arkansas which is 3-0 in league play and idle Wednesday night.

Baylor tumbled to 3-1 while

the defending SWC champion Aggies improved their ledger to 2-1.

In other games, Houston 1-1 blasted cross-town rival Rice 106-56 behind Otis Birdsong's 25 points and Texas Tech 2-2 stayed alive in the league race with an 87-68 victory over Texas Christian.

"It's tough on the coaches when it goes down to the wire like it did tonight," said SMU Coach Sonny Allen.

T.J. Robinson made a free throw with 17 seconds left for a 74-71 lead but Texas' Gary Goodner was fouled as he sank a basket with six seconds to go. Goodner, a poor free throw shooter, tried a jump for his charity toss and it missed everything.

However, Texas stole the inbound pass and shot three times and missed before the final buzzer.

"Goodner hadn't made a free throw all year why did you think

he was going to make this one?" queried Texas Coach Abe Lemons. "He tries but he just can't shoot free throws."

Asked why he didn't go to his bench in the latter part of the hard fought game, Lemons replied "Because I'm a rookie and I don't know a player when I see one. All I know is our first team beat our second team 47-12 in a scrimmage the other day."

Dawson had the post-game shakes after the Aggie victory. "I still can't believe Jones made those last two shots," said Dawson.

Besides the winning 30-footer, Jones, the only senior on the A&M team, canned a 20-footer with 1:02 to go.

"The smartest thing we did was make Steve look like that last shot was lucky so the other teams won't point for us," said a delighted A&M Coach Shelby Metcalf. "Steve is our only senior so he knew he had to lead us."

Asked if A&M was championship material, Metcalf said "no, we're too young. We're starting three freshmen."

Mike Russell scored 29 points in Texas Tech's romp over TCU which Red Raider Coach Gerald Myers graded "good, because we've been on the road."

Allen said "I remember a couple of years ago when Texas went 1-11 and still won the championship. I hope the same thing holds true and we can win the conference after going 1-7."

In games Saturday night, Arkansas is at Rice, Houston is at TCU, SMU is at A&M and Texas Tech is at Texas in the television game.

## Sports Shorts

By The Associated Press

TORONTO (AP) - Three months before their first American League game, the Toronto Blue Jays have set a record.

The expansion club announced Wednesday it has passed the 7,100 mark in season ticket sales, becoming the most successful first-year club in major league baseball history.

The Kansas City Royals held the previous mark of 6,805, set in 1969 when they joined the American League.

CINCINNATI (AP) - Pitcher Pat Zachry, National League co-Rookie of the Year in 1976, has signed his 1977 contract with the Cincinnati Reds.

Zachry, who shared rookie honors with San Diego pitcher Butch Metzger, had a 14-7 record with a 2.74 earned run average, the best among Reds starters. He also won one game each in the National League playoffs and the World Series.

The Reds still have five starters unsigned.

## Amateur Athletic Structure Wanted

NEW YORK (AP) - Amateur athletics in the United States should be run by a new central organization composed only of the various national bodies, the President's Commission on Olympic Sports recommended today.

Noting that "incessant organizational squabbles waste time and talent and threaten the fundamental rights of athletes" to compete, the 22-member commission called on Congress to create the new organization on the structure of U.S. Olympic Committee.

The two-volume, 613-page report, which took 18 months and \$1 million to compile, was submitted to President Ford and President-elect Carter earlier this week and was outlined at news conferences today here and in Los Angeles.

"United States sports organizations are fragmented, not bound by common purpose or any effective coordinating system," the report noted. "No clear policy or direction in amateur sport, physical fitness can be or has been maintained."

The panel, which included four U.S. senators and four members of the House, said the new USOC "is proposed as the highest congress of a representative, vertically integrated American sports system, with appropriate checks and balances built in."

The commission said if its recommendations were implemented, disputes similar to one between the Amateur Athletic Union and the National Collegiate Athletic Association would be solved.

## Vols Upset Wildcats

By ALEX SACHARE  
AP Sports Writer

Ray Mears has coached 387 college basketball victories, but the latest one was something special.

"In the 14 years I've been at Tennessee, this has to be one of the biggest victories," said Mears after his Vols invaded 23,300-seat Rupp Arena at Lexington, Ky., Wednesday night and posted a 71-67 overtime upset of No. 2-ranked Kentucky.

The loss is likely to cost Kentucky its high ranking, as third-rated Cincinnati - which trailed the Wildcats by just nine points in this week's Associated Press poll - raised its record to 11-0, routing Dayton 84-61 before the largest college basketball crowd in Ohio history, 17,009, at Cincinnati.

"Anyone who places the University of Kentucky in front of us is not knowledgeable about basketball," said Cincinnati Coach Gale Catlett. "And I said that before Kentucky lost tonight."

But Catlett was looking beyond Kentucky.

"I'd like to play San Francisco on a neutral court right now," Catlett said of the top-ranked Dons, who are 17-0. "We beat them last year 89-88 at

Cincinnati with three of our guards sick with the flu."

Only one other Top Twenty team was in action - No. 17 Clemson, which edged Duke 80-73 in overtime in an Atlantic Coast Conference clash.

"This may be the worst game we've played this season," said Kentucky Coach Joe Hall, whose team dropped to 2-1 in the Southeastern Conference and 9-2 over-all. "We shot 26 per cent in the first half, and when you can't buy a basket that magnifies your other mistakes."

Tennessee led 32-28 at intermission, fell behind by seven points with 7:30 to play and climbed back ahead only to have Kentucky reserve Truman Clayton sink a 12-foot jumper with nine seconds to go, tying the score 61-61 and sending the game into overtime.

A layup by Bernard King sent Tennessee ahead to stay 67-65 with 2:28 left in the extra period, then Mike Jackson clinched the victory with two free throws with 39 seconds left.

## SMU Probation Lifted By NCAA

DALLAS (AP) - Southern Methodist is off probation and football Coach Ron Meyer says that's the way it's going to stay.

"Our objective is to stay off probation," says Meyer. "In fact, it's something that we insist on."

SMU president Dr. James Zumbege got the news in Miami Beach Wednesday that the Mustangs' two-year probation in football and a one-year basketball penalty had been lifted by the National Collegiate Athletic Association.

The probation excluded the Mustangs from post-season and television appearances.

Meyer said "We are quite pleased. It's always good to have a clean bill of health."

Former SMU football Coach Dave Smith gave dollars for

tackles which caught the eye of the NCAA. Meyer came from

Nevada-Las Vegas last year to replace Smith and the Mustangs, stripped bare of talent, posted a surprising 3-8 record including a closing victory over Arkansas.

The Southwest Conference is in the midst of recruiting a rich Texas schoolboy football crop and the announcement couldn't have come at a better time for Meyer.

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# New Mexico Natural Gas Rates Double In 3 Years

BY LARRY CALLOWAY  
Associated Press Writer

SANTA FE, N.M. (AP)—Natural gas rates for the ordinary New Mexico household have nearly doubled in three years, and nobody knows what they'll be by next winter.

Consumer cries about the extra \$20 to \$30 a month to keep the home fires burning have reached the legislature, which convenes next week. Some legislators are pledging to do something about utility bills, but they don't know what.

They can't do much about the extra cold weather, which adds to the problem this winter, or

about the international energy market.

But some believe they can use a little persuasion at the wellheads, since New Mexico is a producing state.

Maybe they can impose some tax increases at the expense of Arizona and California—since that's where 75 per cent of the gas from New Mexico's 10,000 wells goes, or maybe some state price controls.

The problem is the tangled system of wellhead pricing. And it's directly reflected in the history of Gas Co. of New Mexico's cost-of-gas adjustment factor on monthly consumer bills.

The state's major gas utility, serving 200,000 homes, passes wellhead price hikes on to consumers through the gas-cost adjustments line on bills.

In January 1974 the adjustment was an addition of eight cents per thousand cubic feet. Today it's 80 cents per thousand cubic feet.

For a small household using 25,000 cubic feet in January, the extra cost three years ago was \$2. This month it will be \$20.

Except for a small addition to pay for the Grants pipeline, the base rates haven't changed—about \$19.53 for 25,000 cubic feet.

So what cost the consumer

\$21.53 in January 1974 will cost \$39.88 this month.

And if it hadn't been for a little prelegislative restraint on the part of the well owners and some fine legal points, that January bill might have been \$50.38.

Gas Co. sells a little over 100 billion cubic feet of gas a year in New Mexico. So each one cent of the gas-cost adjustment factor brings in \$1 million.

The utility collects it and takes the heat, but the well owners get all the money.

Three years ago Gas Co. was paying 28.5 cents per thousand cubic feet mcf for gas at the wellhead. The latest average

price is \$1.05 per mcf.

That's why consumer bills have gone up, apart from the colder weather this year.

But why have the wellhead prices gone up for gas from the same old wells?

The Philosophical answer given over the years by Gas Co. is if New Mexico wants to keep its gas in the state, consumers will have to pay more.

The technical answer is that Gas Co. purchase contracts have always been tied, although sometimes indirectly, to the maximum federally regulated price for new gas from new wells.

The Federal Power Commis-

sion regulates only gas that crosses state lines and most of the gas that Gas Co. buys never leaves the state.

The FPC new-gas maximum increased from 28.5 cents per mcf in January 1974 to 52 cents in January 1975, to 69 cents in January 1976.

Then last July the FPC lifted the lid—\$1.43 for new gas with an automatic increase of one cent every three months.

Gas Co. contracts back in 1974 had "favored nations" clauses that guaranteed the utility would pay to all the highest price it was paying to any one well owner. Since the

company was buying and selling some interstate gas, this price for years was the FPC maximum for new gas.

When the regulated price took the first big jump, the company found some loopholes in the contracts and declined to pay it. The producers sued, lost in district court and appealed.

Last June the company and producers settled out of court.

Gas Co. paid 38 per cent of the claims and conceded new contracts.

The complicated new contracts generally give the producers the right through a highest-price averaging formula

to claim the FPC maximum, low \$1.44 per mcf.

But Gas Co. used some legal technicalities to keep the price under the new contracts at \$1.05 per mcf when the producers asked for new prices. So far the producers haven't contested the move in court.

If it were set at the FPC price, the gas-cost adjustment factor would likely have to be about \$1.21 this month, according to Gas Co. testimony last fall.

That would mean the bill for 25,000 cubic feet of gas, which was \$21.53 three years ago, would be \$50.38, instead of the \$39.88 it is now.

## Jap Steel Once Again Punishes America

By ROB WOOD  
Associated Press Writer

HOUSTON (AP)—Pete Leger remembers when Japanese steel in the form of bombs, bullets and torpedoes punished Americans during World War II.

Now, Leger laments, Japanese steel is punishing the United States again.

Leger takes it personally. He's a steelworker out of work—one of 3,000 men laid off in the Houston area.

"There is nothing the company can do about it," Leger said. "They would like to be operating at a maximum rate and working all of us. But what can they do when the Japanese are flooding our markets, selling steel below cost, underbidding

American companies by \$200 a ton?"

Leger hasn't drawn a paycheck in six months, not since the day he was laid off at the Armco Corp. plant near Houston.

Leger is 53 years old. He has a wife, a son in college, two young grandchildren orphaned when their parents were killed in a traffic accident, and

regular monthly expenses that continue to climb in the funnel of inflation.

His standard of living has dropped from "fairly decent to barely existing, and it's getting rougher all the time."

Leger is one of the hundreds of Armco workers who joined the unemployed ranks because of a cutback in production.

The idled workers have been

receiving unemployment checks and special subsistence payments from the company—about one-half of their regular salaries.

For many, however, the time limits on the benefits have expired. And, after six months off the job, the steelworkers lose their medical insurance.

Leger admitted he was no expert in foreign affairs nor international trade, "but tell me why our government can't put a quota on the steel imports? Tell me why the Japanese can send in all of this cheap priced steel, while Americans are out of work?"

Vernor Walker, 35, has 13 years seniority at Armco, and said, "it's a hell of a shock to realize you're unemployed after all those years for your family."

"It's about time Congress stepped in and took care of the American workers who have been paying the taxes that keeps the government going. The company can't do anything. They are losing money, too, because of the foreign steel coming in shipload after shipload, day after day," he said.

William Verity, board chairman of Armco, said the dumping of foreign steel on the U.S. market already has idled 3,000 workers at Armco and other companies in the Houston area.

## Republicans Enjoy Large Bank Balance For Campaign Debts

WASHINGTON (AP)—The Republican party has a healthy bank balance and a \$1 million trust fund to pay any leftover bills of a campaign in which President Ford's organization appears to have shortchanged itself.

A party official said \$1.8 million raised by the Republican National Committee and earmarked for the Ford campaign went unspent because nobody asked for it.

"If we'd known they weren't going to use it, we could have

spent it on congressional campaigns," the official said.

In addition, the Ford campaign apparently spent substantially less than the law allowed in public funds.

The final accounting is not yet complete, and there may still be campaign bills to be paid. Final reports on the expenditures of both President Ford and President-elect Carter are due by Jan. 31.

The reports of unspent Republican campaign funds came Tuesday amid maneuver-

ing over selection of a new GOP national chairman on Friday.

Ford had endorsed James A. Baker III, his former campaign manager, to take over the party chairmanship, but Baker withdrew on Monday, saying it was clear his candidacy would not contribute to Republican unity.

It was evident that rival Republicans were prepared to challenge Baker's management of the Ford campaign because of the money that went unspent in the close contest with Carter.

But William Greener, spokesman for the President Ford

Committee during the campaign, said that was not a factor in Baker's decision. Greener said no campaign task went undone for lack of funds. He said there was a tendency to hold down spending because of the rigorous limits imposed by the new campaign finance system. "One thing was certain, we weren't going to overspend," he said.

He also said there was no dissatisfaction at the White House with the way Baker managed the campaign and its budget.

With Baker out, there still are at least seven entries in the competition for the chairman ship. The list: former Sen. William E. Brock III of Tennessee; Robert Carter, now co-chairman of the national committee; Arthur Fletcher, a White House aide; Buehl Berentson, a former director of Senate and gubernatorial campaign operations, and three state chairmen, Richard Richards of Utah, Thomas Milligan of Indiana and Kent B. McGough of Ohio.

In addition, Frederick K. Biebel of Connecticut may be entered when the 162-member GOP national committee meets on Friday.

## Taxes Take Bigger Chunk Of Paychecks

BY EDMUND PINTO  
Associated Press Writer

WASHINGTON (AP)—If your salary is just keeping up with inflation, your spending power actually isn't keeping pace because federal taxes take bigger and bigger bites of your earnings.

That is the conclusion of a new government study which notes that income tends to rise to keep up with inflation. But the bad news is that taxpayers are moved to constantly higher tax brackets while, at the same time, the inflation erodes the real value of tax exemptions, credits and standard deductions.

The study said this problem may continue to plague American taxpayers through 1981 if there is no change in tax law and if inflation grows at an annual rate of 5 to 6 per cent between 1977-81 as forecast by the Congressional Budget Office and the executive branch.

The report by the Advisory Commission on Intergovernmental Relations recommends changes in federal and state tax laws to soften this impact. One solution set forth is to tie the amounts allowed for personal exemptions, the standard deduction and some credits directly to each year's rise in the Consumer Price Index, the inflation indicator.

### OLD MASTERS

NEW YORK (AP)—For the first time a group of master drawings from the renowned collection of the Fitzwilliam Museum of Cambridge University is on display in the United States. The drawings range from 16th through 19th century works and include sketches by Leonardo, Raphael, Rubens, Rembrandt, Titian and Degas. The collection of 125 drawings will be on display at the Pierpont Morgan Library here until February 1977. It will also be seen in Ft. Worth, Tex., Baltimore, Md., Minneapolis, Minn., and Philadelphia, Pa. The exhibition is sponsored by Sir Peter Ramsbotham, Ambassador of Great Britain.

Reptiles eat little in relation to their body weight. They get most of the heat they need from outside their bodies — by basking in the sun, for instance.

As inflation rose, so would those tax return items that lower a person's taxes.

Similar proposals have been made by a number of congressmen and senators. Several countries, including France, the Netherlands, and, since 1974, Canada, already are using this type of a tax system.

The commission said that such a revision of U.S. law, known as indexing, would work to wipe out any unintended tax increase caused by heavier than normal inflation.

The report said the country since 1972 has been experiencing an average annual inflation rate of 9.6 per cent, "a clear departure from the historically mild 2-3 per cent for the U.S. since 1950." The rate for 1976 was around 6 per cent.

The report gave this example of how inflation distorts income taxes. A married couple with

two children, who file jointly, have an income of \$10,000 and take the standard deduction, had a 1975 federal tax bill of \$709.

Assuming an annual 7 per cent inflation rate and that the couple's income grew to keep pace, the couple's 1978 income will go up 22.5 per cent to \$12,250, but their tax will go up 58.7 per cent to \$1,125.

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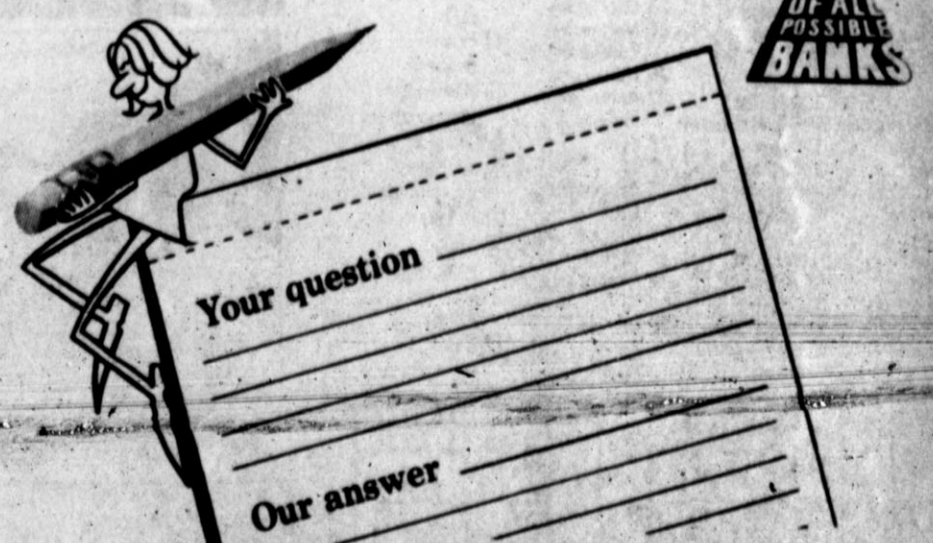
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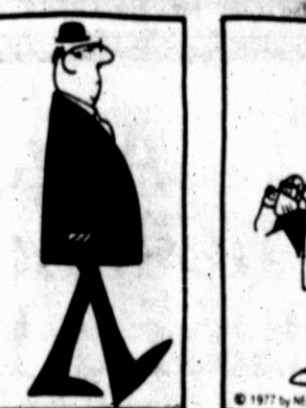
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## TV Star Scene

Bob Hope, Ethel Merman and the latest darling defector of the dance set, ballerina Natalia Makarova, will join Steve Lawrence and Eydie Gorme in their tribute to Cole Porter set for the spring on ABC... Marshall Brickman, Woody Allen's partner in two screenplays, "Sleeper" and his latest unreleased venture, is developing two series for next season. One project, The Aquarians, concerns a group of college students, while the other will be set in the future, somewhat like "Sleeper."

Ren Paillette may get to graduate from the class on Welcome Back, Kotter and get a series of his own next season. One Kotter episode set for this season is a spinoff for the new show, which would deal with Horshack's adventures after he leaves school... Mary Tyler Moore is leaving her series next spring, but she will return in two specials for CBS during the '77-'78 season and star in a new series for '78-'79.

The ever-popular Grinch will have a new special next season, with Ted Geisel (the real Dr. Seuss) producing, as he did "The Grinch That Stole Christmas"...

Bo Svensson, Donna Mills, Frank Converse and an unnamed Abominable Snowman will all star in an NBC TV movie entitled "Snow Beast." Producer Douglas Cramer calls it "Jaws in the snow."

An airdate has been set for "Johnny, We Hardly Knew Ye," the two-hour NBC film adapted from a section of the best-selling book about President John F. Kennedy. Paul Rudd stars as Kennedy in the film dealing with his 1954 run for Congress... The roster of stars lined-up for Best Sellers: "The Rhinemann

Exchange" keeps growing. Latest additions include Larry Hagman, William Prince, Werner Klemperer, Vince Edwards, Bo Brundin, Jeremy Kemp, Claude Akins, John van Dreelen and John Hoyt.

James Whitmore's engaging performance as Harry S. Truman in the film version of his theatrical production of "Give 'Em Hell, Harry" will air on NBC Jan. 20... Bob Newhart takes a more serious turn on TV when he narrates "The Parenthood Game," a special presenting an authentic, close-up look at the way untamed creatures in different parts of the world raise their young. It airs Jan. 27 over NBC.

Robert Perault, who recently joined the cast of All My Children, is quite an accomplished stage actor. Among his credits are "Equus," The Royal Shakespeare Company's production of "Sherlock Holmes," plus varying roles at the prestigious American

Conservatory Theatre in San Francisco and the Off-Broadway La Mama Theatre Company in New York.

January 19 is the eve of the presidential inauguration, and CBS has set up quite a show. Hank Aaron, Jack Albertson, Bette Davis, Shirley MacLaine, Paul Newman, Sidney Poitier, Jean Stapleton, Lily Tomlin and Jeanne Woodward are just some of the stars set to host the Inaugural Eve Gala. Of course, Jimmy Carter will also be on hand.

TWO HUWS -- I am very confused. I watched "Masterpiece Theater" and "How Green Was My Valley" and I always thought that the part of Huw was played by Roddy McDowall. Please explain. Roddy was in the Hollywood movie version. You were watching a production which was transplanted to PBS.

## Thursday



DAVID HEDISON guest stars as a handsome playboy with a romantic interest in Betty Jones, series co-star LEE MERIWETHER. His sister is murdered on Barnaby Jones, Jan. 13 (10-11 p.m., EST) on CBS.

## Friday



REDD FOXX, as junkman Fred Sanford, gets a great idea to enter a REDD FOXX look-alike contest. How can he lose? Foxx plays the dual roles on Sanford and Son, Jan. 14 (8-9:30 p.m., EST) over NBC.

## THURSDAY

DAYTIME MOVIE 1:00 <b>THE PROUD AND THE DAMNED</b>	but not to get married without parental consent, Erin and her boyfriend decide to elope.	no inkling of who set him up.	SHERLOCK HOLMES 10:15 <b>STAR TREK</b>
EVENING 6:00 <b>NEWS</b> 6:30 <b>DEWITCHED</b> 7:00 <b>VILLA ALEGRE</b> 7:30 <b>MARCUS WELBY, M.D.</b> 8:00 <b>ADAM-12</b> 8:30 <b>TO TELL THE TRUTH</b> 9:00 <b>DEWITCHED</b> 9:30 <b>MACNEIL/LEHRER REPORT</b> 10:00 <b>BUNCO</b>	Investigators Gordon and Walker uncover a "college for con artists" complete with tape recorded lessons and on-the-job training. 7:00 <b>WELCOME BACK, KOTTER</b> "Sweatgate Scandal" The Sweatshops are blamed for a school break-in. To clear their names and possibly find the true culprit they become the school newspaper's investigative reporters and uncover some shady dealings at Buchanan High School. 10:00 <b>THE WALTONS</b> Old enough to fall in love,	11:00 <b>MY THREE SONS</b> "Case: Democracy Vs. Tyranny" Judge Walter Franklin is charged with three counts of first degree tyranny by his two children and housekeeper. 11:30 <b>LOVE, AMERICAN STYLE</b> 11:55 <b>MANN</b> 12:00 <b>STREETS OF SAN FRANCISCO</b> "Monkey Is Back" The investigation of a series of slayings reveals only one slender clue—all the victims were the same age. 12:30 <b>BARNABY JONES</b> Betty Jones' weekend with a handsome playboy is interrupted by the murder of his wealthy cousin. 1:00 <b>MOVIE</b> "The Yellow Rolls Royce" (1965) Rex Harrison, Ingrid Bergman. 1:30 <b>NEWS</b> 1:55 <b>SPIRIT OF '76</b> 2:30 <b>THE GOODIES</b> "The New Office" 3:00 <b>HI DOUG</b> 3:30 <b>NEWS</b> 4:00 <b>NEWS</b> 4:30 <b>NEWS</b>	10:15 <b>MOVIE (Cont.)</b> 10:30 <b>TONIGHT SHOW</b> Host: Johnny Carson. 10:55 <b>MARY HARTMAN, MARY HARTMAN</b> 11:00 <b>GUNSMOKE</b> 11:15 <b>MOD SQUAD</b> 11:30 <b>LUCY</b> 11:55 <b>MOVIE ELEVEN</b> "Sherlock Holmes And The Spider Woman" (1944) Basil Rathbone, Nigel Bruce. 12:00 <b>WYATT EARP</b> 12:15 <b>THURS. NIGHT SPECIAL</b> "A Portrait Of Jacqueline Kennedy" Onassis... Peter Lawford is the host of this show with guests Evelyn Lincoln, Cecil Stoughton, Kenneth O'Donnell and fashion designer Halston. 12:30 <b>TOMORROW</b> Tom Snyder's guests are song stylist Hildgard and 93-year-old Eubie Blake, jazz ragtime pianist. 12:55 <b>DRAGNET</b> 1:00 <b>NEWS</b>

## FRIDAY

<b>DAYTIME MOVIE</b> <b>1:00</b> <b>11</b> "Charlie Chan On Broadway"	With members of the Shipyard and Johnson Ice Follies and even sells admission tickets and popcorn. <b>11</b> <b>GUNSMOKE</b> <b>11</b> <b>WASHINGTON: WEEK IN REVIEW</b> <b>11</b> <b>700 CLUB</b> <b>7:00</b> <b>11</b> <b>CHICO AND THE MAN</b> "Minority Of One" Ed is obnoxious at a meeting of the Barrio Better Business Bureau and finds himself elected president of the group. <b>11</b> <b>WALL STREET WEEK</b> <b>8:00</b> <b>11</b> <b>ROCKFORD FILES</b> "The Birds, The Bees And T.T. Flowers" (Part I) Rockford uncovers a land development conspiracy when an old friend is whisked from his three-acre plot in the valley by two white-coated men in a green van. <b>9:00</b> <b>11</b> <b>ABC FRIDAY NIGHT MOVIE</b> "Fantasy Island" (1976) Bill Bixby, Eleanor Parker. Three people, at \$50,000 each, live out their most compelling fantasies while on a glamorous island paradise. <b>11</b> <b>SONNY AND CHER</b> Guests: Don Knotts, Farrah Fawcett-Majors and Debbie Reynolds. <b>11</b> <b>MY THREE SONS</b> <b>11</b> <b>DOCUMENTARY</b>	<b>SHOWCASE</b> "Winners And Losers: An Essay On Poverty" An examination of the causes and effects of poverty on America's 25 million poor. <b>8:00</b> <b>11</b> <b>LOVE, AMERICAN STYLE</b> <b>11</b> <b>BIBLE</b> <b>9:00</b> <b>11</b> <b>SERPICO</b> "The Party Of Your Choice" Serpico investigates a macabre homicide and uncovers a sex scandal involving a New York mayoral candidate. <b>10</b> <b>EXECUTIVE SUITE</b> <b>11</b> <b>MOVIE</b> "A Place In The Sun" (1951) Elizabeth Taylor, Montgomery Clift. <b>11</b> <b>NEWS</b> <b>11</b> <b>JIMMY SWAGGART</b> <b>9:00</b> <b>11</b> <b>AGRONYKIS AT LARGE</b> <b>10:00</b> <b>11</b> <b>ACTS 29 PLUS</b> <b>11</b> <b>VISIONS</b> "Prison Game" A contestant in this game show has murdered her husband. Is it the Puerto Rican housewife (Edith Diaz), the bored suburbanite (Jessica Walter) or the middle-aged working class wife (Carla Williams)? <b>11</b> <b>STAR TREK</b> <b>10:15</b> <b>11</b> <b>MOVIE (CONT'D)</b> <b>10:30</b> <b>11</b> <b>TONIGHT SHOW</b> Host: Johnny Carson.	<b>10</b> <b>MARY HARTMAN, MARY HARTMAN</b> <b>10:45</b> <b>11</b> <b>GUNSMOKE</b> <b>11:00</b> <b>11</b> <b>MOD SQUAD</b> <b>11</b> <b>LUCY</b> <b>11:30</b> <b>11</b> <b>MOVIE ELEVEN</b> "Tarzan And The Mermaids" (1948) Johnny Weissmuller, Brenda Joyce. <b>11</b> <b>PBS MOVIE THEATRE</b> "Potemkin" (1925) Sailors tired of being bullied, of bad rations and of the condescending attitude of the ship's officers, mutiny and take control of the Russian battleship, Prince Potemkin. Directed by Sergei Eisenstein. <b>11</b> <b>WYATT EARP</b> <b>11:45</b> <b>11</b> <b>SPORTS SCOREBOARD</b> <b>12:00</b> <b>11</b> <b>MIDNIGHT SPECIAL</b> Paul Anka is the host and guest performers are Elton John, The Carpenters, Frankie Valli and The Four Seasons, The Bee Gees, Joan Baez, the late Jim Croce, Herman's Hermits, Chubby Checker, Bill Haley and the Comets, Helen Reddy and Peter Frampton. <b>12</b> <b>MUSIC HALL AMERICA</b> <b>11</b> <b>DRAGNET</b> <b>1:00</b> <b>11</b> <b>S.W.A.T.</b> "The Steel Plated Security Blanket" Thieves planning a beauty contest jewelry heist first rip off an armored car. <b>11</b> <b>NEWS</b>
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### Zeroing In On Problems

George Mahon and Secretary of Agriculture designate Bob Bergland of Minnesota discuss problems of agriculture in Mahon's Washington office. Bergland will resign his House seat when he is confirmed by the Senate as Secretary of Agriculture.

## Voters In Magic Triangle Will Make Choices In Water District Election

By JIM STEIERT  
Brand Farm Editor

Voters in the Magic Triangle area of Deaf Smith, Castro and Parmer counties will choose two directors and 14 county committeemen for the High Plains Underground Water Conservation District No. 1 in an election to be held Saturday.

Elections will be held only in Director's Precincts Three and Four. Bailey, Castro and Parmer Counties are included in Precinct Three and Deaf Smith, Armstrong, Potter and Randall counties are listed in Precinct Four.

The election is being held to elect two members to the district's board of directors, each of whom will serve a two year term. Some 14 county committeemen who will serve

four year terms will also be elected.

Any person possessing a valid voter registration card and residing within the district and within the county where a vote will be taken is eligible to vote.

Election judges at each of the polling places will have maps depicting the commissioner's precinct within each county included in the district's boundaries.

The names of all candidates will be listed on a ballot for each county, or voters may write in a candidate of their choice. Tom Robinson of Hereford is the candidate for committeeman-at-large from Deaf Smith County and Hereford residents James Higgins and Garland Solomon are candidates for the county committeeman from commissioners precincts One and Two respectively.

The Hereford Community Center will be the polling place for Deaf Smith County, and Mrs. Clinton Jackson will serve as the presiding judge.

One committeeman-at-large will be chosen in Castro County, in addition to one county committeeman from commissioner's precincts One and Two.

The candidate for the at-large post is Frank Wise of Dimmitt while Jackie Clark of Dimmitt is the Precinct One candidate.

W.A. Baldrige and Clyde H. Dameron of Dimmitt are candidates for the Precinct Two post.

Castro County polling places include the American Legion Hall in Nazareth where Mrs. Leo Ehly will serve as presiding judge; the city hall community room in Dimmitt, with Noel Gollehon presiding judge; and City Hall in Hart, with Percy Hart presiding judge.

Three county committeemen will be chosen by Parmer County residents. Candidates include Dalton Caffey of Friona, at-large; Troy Christian of Farwell, Commissioner's Precinct Three; and Ronald Elliott of Muleshoe, Commissioner's Precinct Four.

Parmer County polling places will include the county courthouse in Farwell, with Mrs. Albert H. Smith as presiding judge; Horn Insurance Agency in Bovina with Aubrey Brock as presiding judge; and the fire station in Friona, with J.L. Witten serving as presiding judge.

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### Agriquotes . . .

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## Mahon Meets With Bergland

WASHINGTON, D.C., Congressmen George Mahon met this week with Secretary of Agriculture designate Bob Bergland to discuss future appointments to USDA policy positions and other matters of importance to American agriculture. The Congressman stressed to Secretary-designate Bergland the importance of having people in key positions in the Department of Agriculture who understand the special problems of Texas agriculture.

Bergland and the West Texas Congressman also conferred about particular provisions to be included in the new farm bill to be written by Congress this year. Mahon emphasized the

need for a farm program which will provide greater stability in agricultural markets and assist the farmer in obtaining an adequate return on his investment.

Mahon pointed out to Bergland the need for retaining the disaster provisions of the present farm program, as well as seeking ways and means to improve their administration.

Bergland, a Member of the House and a member of the House Committee on Agriculture, will resign his House seat when he is confirmed by the Senate as Secretary.

Bergland is regarded by his colleagues as an able, sincere, and well informed friend of agriculture.

## Farmers Must Submit 1976 Wage Reports By January 31

Farmers and crew leaders who hire farm workers have until January 31 to send 1976 wage reports and social security contributions to the Internal Revenue Service, according to Jim Talbot, social security district manager in Amarillo.

A farm worker paid \$150 or more in cash wages by an employer in 1976 is covered by social security according to Talbot. A worker who did farm work for an employer on 20 or more days during the year—figured on a time basis rather than a piece-meal basis—is also covered even if he is paid less than \$150 during the year.

Employers send in annual wage reports for farm employees on a form available at Internal Revenue Service offices. The form is mailed to farmers and crew leaders who have IRS employer identification numbers.

A farm crew leader is generally considered to be the employer of his crew members if he supplies the workers to the farmer, pays them, and is not an employee of the farmer by written agreement.

If none of these requirements is met, either the farmer or the crew leader may be the employer. The person with final control over the crew leader may be the employer.

## Tax Form Due From Farmers

Farmers who have not filed their 1976 declaration of estimated Federal income tax must file and pay that tax by Monday, January 17. The sole exception to this rule is if they file their income tax return and pay the total tax due by March 1, the Internal Revenue Service indicates.

Farmers are defined as those persons who earned at least two-thirds of their 1976 gross income from farming.

IRS Publications 225, "Farmer's Tax Guide," and 505, "Tax Withholding and Declaration of Estimated Tax," provide additional information and are available free at local IRS offices.

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## Hightower To Speak At Water Inc. Meet

LUBBOCK—U.S. Rep. Jack Hightower will be one of the featured speakers at the 10th Annual Membership Meeting of Water, Inc.

The meeting has been set for Saturday, Feb. 19, in Lubbock with more than 300 Water, Inc., members and guests expected for the yearly gathering. Hightower will headline a program that addresses the unique water problems of the High Plains as Water, Inc., completes a decade of work toward meeting the area's future water needs.

Water, Inc., President J.W. Buchanan said of the annual meeting, "This is the one opportunity for all of our members to gather and show their support for the Water, Inc., cause. With the legislature in session and a revision of the Texas Water Plan likely, it is important for residents of the High Plains to steadfastly

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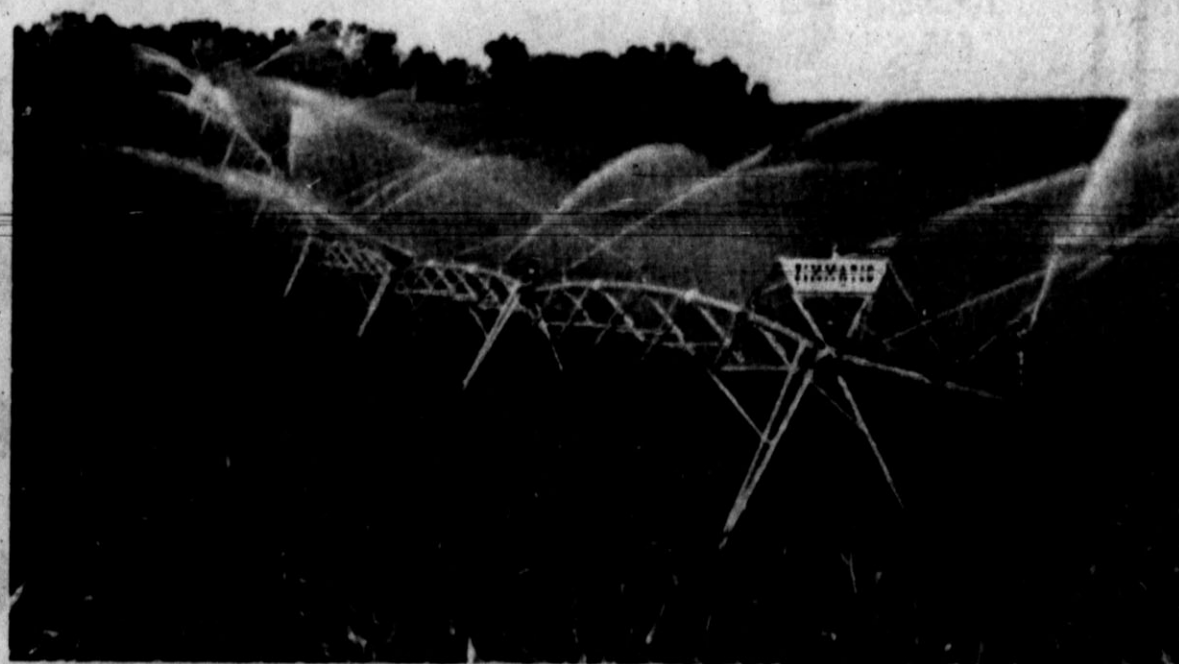
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COLLEGE STATION—Texas must spend more on agricultural research if the state is to move ahead and become No. 1 in agricultural income, a goal set by Governor Dolph Briscoe, a state representative told scientists with the Texas Agricultural Experiment Station here Jan. 5.

Joe A. Hubenak of Rosenberg, chairman of the agriculture and livestock committee, emphasized that California spends \$9.69 for every federal dollar designated for agricultural

research, while Texas supports research with only \$1.69 for each federal research dollar.

Hubenak, also a member of the Southern Legislative Conference Committee on Agriculture and Rural Development since 1974, has served in the Texas legislature since 1968.

The Burleson County native told almost 500 agricultural scientists who are participating in the annual Experiment Station professional conference at Texas A&M University that

the total success of food and fiber efforts of the future are keyed to agricultural scientists and Extension educators.

Hubenak, who served as chairman of the interim study committee on the imported fire ant problem, said "we are looking to Experiment Station scientists to help solve this critical problem, as well as other current concerns such as the livestock industry's animal health problems, including brucellosis."

America's future can be as bright as its citizens permit it to be, Hubenak said, emphasizing that there is a strong need to return to an orderly society. "The crime rate has risen rapidly during the past decade, and law and order should have a high priority with civil obedience rather than disobedience the goal," he said.

Other important challenges in which every citizen has a role include the challenge of environmental improvement.

working to meet the challenges of such mass communication impacts as television violence on today's youth; making government more responsive to its citizens, and returning patriotism and restoring unity of purpose to important places in today's society, Hubenak said.

"These challenges cannot be legislated at the state or national levels, but every concerned citizen can help meet these high goals," said Hubenak.

Another conference speaker, Dr. Daniel C. Pfannstiel, director of the Texas Agricultural Extension Service, said the Texas Agricultural Experiment Station and the Extension Service are "partners in progress."

Pfannstiel said "our unique land-grant university system—wherein research is conducted on a continuing basis by the state experiment stations and the research results are being taken as rapidly as possible to

the people by the state Extension service—is a major reason why this nation has the most efficient and productive agricultural plant in the world."

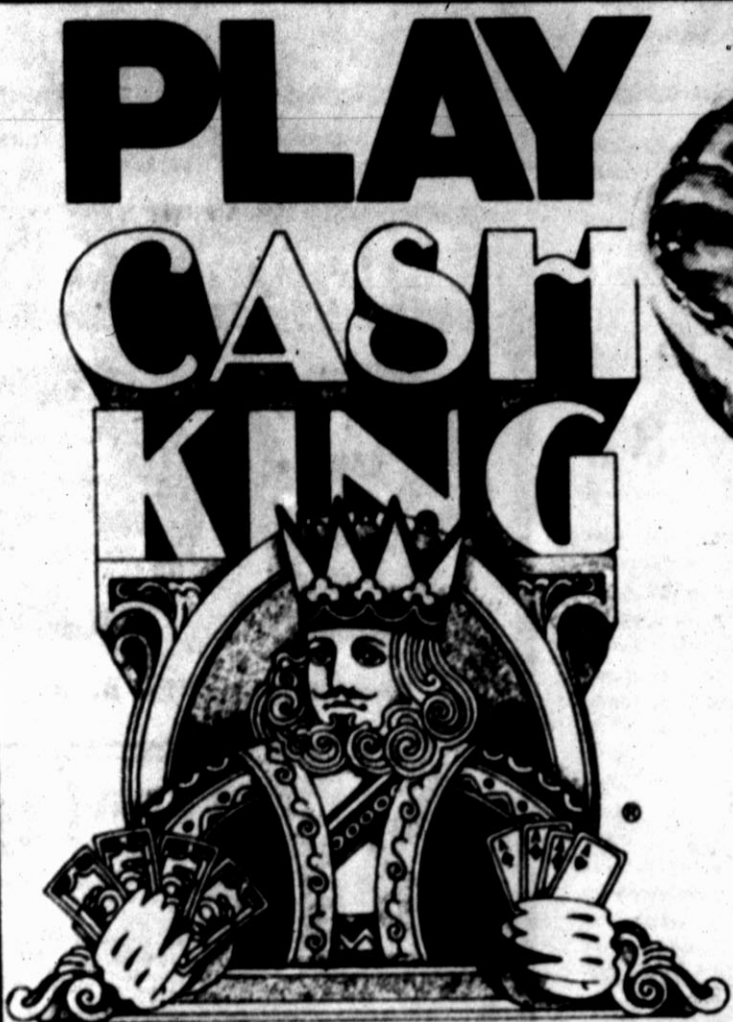
Extension relates to the notion of "extending" useful information to people and encouraging its practical application, explained Pfannstiel.

The research scientists assemble new technology, and Extension then gets that technology to the people."

Research on the adoption

process has shown that only a few people pick up a new idea and run with it at first. For example, research indicated that some 12 to 15 years elapsed before the majority of corn producers were using hybrid seed, after it was demonstrated that hybrid corn had a clear advantage.

"Thus, with new needs by new audiences, the Extension education job must be ongoing."



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# Cornhusker Champ Will Celebrate Inauguration

WASHINGTON (AP) - The National Cornhusking Champion of 1935 says he's so happy that a fellow farmer is becoming president that he's spending \$250,000 to help celebrate Jimmy Carter's inaugural.

Elmer Carlson of Audubon, Iowa, is hoping that as many as 6,000 people will attend each of the three inaugural parties he's throwing in a Washington hotel ballroom next week.

Carlson, who grew wealthy in the hybrid seed and fertilizer business, is a Democratic

activist and twice an unsuccessful candidate for Congress. He says he spent about \$10,000 of his own money during the fall campaign for Des Moines newspaper ads that urged Iowa farmers to vote for a fellow tiller of the soil.

"We can appreciate the work they (the Carters) had to do, coming from a boondocks like Plains," he says.

Despite his efforts on Carter's behalf Carlson has been overlooked by those who compiled the inaugural commit-

tee's invitation lists. But unlike others who say they were snubbed, he's not letting it bother him.

"The ground is frozen out here anyway, so I'm going down to Washington for the inauguration," he said. Carlson has an 1,800-acre farm that produces wheat, corn and soybeans.

He's got detailed plans for each night of the inaugural festivities. The first night's party, next Tuesday, will feature beer, peanuts, popcorn and music by "Warren

Covington and the Clambake Seven."

Things really heat up Wednesday night, inauguration eve, when Carlson has engaged the Duke Ellington Orchestra, led by Ellington's son, Mercer. The Tommy Dorsey band is the featured attraction on the big night itself.

Carlson's parties will feature a decor of hay, cornstalks and "peanut waterfalls," which are described as streamers of peanut vines, hanging from the chandeliers.

Carlson says he knows that Carter himself will have his hands full making it to each of the six official inaugural parties. The official parties are open, for \$25, only to people who received invitations. So Carlson's not counting on the President-elect's attendance. "At least he could send Billy though," Carlson mused.

Few spiders live more than two years, and the males, who die soon after mating, rarely survive even one.

## Agriquotes . . .

The aim of the farmers in this country, if they can be called farmers, is not to make the most they can from the land which is, or has been cheap, but the most of the labour, which is dear; the consequence of which has been much ground has been scratched over and none cultivated or improved as it ought to have been. Whereas a farmer in England, where land is dear and labour cheap, finds it to his interest to improve and cultivate highly that he may reap large crops from a small quantity of ground - George Washington.



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**FREE TWO WEEKS RENT**  
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Carpeted. Utilities paid.  
Laundry Facilities.  
**PLAYGROUND SARATOGA GARDENS**  
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5-Th-F-S-14c

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## 6. WANTED

**WANT TO BUY:**  
Old gold rings, watches, old class rings, etc.  
**Spangler's Diamonds**  
Sugarland Mall  
Phone 364-0070  
6-48-tfc

**WANTED: CUSTOM FARMING.** Call Dwight Shirley 364-6087.  
6-93-tfc

Wanted: Custom farming, all types. Call Mike Solomon. 364-6880.  
6-119-tfc

**WANTED: Roto tilling yards and gardens.** Also complete lawn seeding. Call Jay Manion at 357-2382.  
6-S-118-tfc

## 8. HELP WANTED

Wanted: Legal Secretary. Shorthand preferred. Equal opportunity employer.  
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8-138-tfc

Opening for manager retail fertilizer outlet. Full time position. Hereford area. Seeking sales oriented person with farm background. Desire individual with college degree and potential for advancement. Contact Monsanto Company at 364-4422 or reply to Box 662, Hereford, Texas 79045.  
8-137-Sc

Wanted: someone to work day shift. Immediately lady in Tulia, Texas. Call 364-0505.  
8-139-tfc

Wanted: teacher would like baby sitter for 7 week old infant. My home or yours. 364-1697.  
8-139-3p

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Would you like to earn \$8 to \$10 per hour part time or full time calling on established Fuller Brush customers? Call 894-5879 or write Box 1074, Levelland, Texas 79336.  
8-131-22c

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8-17-tfc

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8-134-10c

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8-137-5c

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Found: small male brown dog  
with black mouth, ears, feet. No  
collar, no tags. 364-1848.

13-139-2c

FOUND: Two months old 2  
months old 2 female puppies to  
give away. Part Husky. Call  
364-2047.

13-140-tfc

LOST 8 head 450-650 lb. mixed  
steers at Westway, branded  
ACN on right hip. Call David  
Cox 289-5340.

13-140-3c

LOST: Big black and tan  
German Shepherd dog. \$5.00  
reward. 364-5375.

13-136-5c

**PUBLIC**  
**NOTICES**  
"BECAUSE THE PEOPLE  
MUST KNOW"

Advertisement for Bids  
West Texas State University  
will accept sealed bids in the  
office of the Vice-president for  
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Friday, February 4, 1977 for the  
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Land North of the City of  
Canyon, Randall County, Texas,  
at which time the bids will be  
opened and read aloud in a  
public meeting. Complete  
Specifications, Terms and  
Conditions of Bid, and Bid  
Sheets may be secured from the  
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Financial Affairs in the  
Administration Building. Arrangements  
to inspect the  
anticipated well site may be  
made through the Office of the  
Vice-President for Financial  
Affairs or the Office of the Dean  
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State University reserves the  
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serve the best interest of the  
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sealed and clearly marked  
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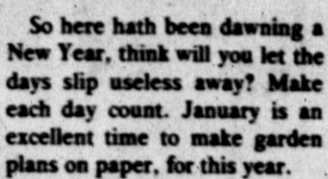
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**WANT**  
**RESULTS**  
**USE**  
**WANT**  
**ADS**

Hereford Lodge  
849  
7:30 P.M.  
STATED MEETING  
SECOND MONDAY  
Leroy McDonald WM  
W.A. (Bill) Phipps, Sec.

By The Garden  
Gate With Glad

By GLADYS MANJEOT



So here hath been dawning a  
New Year, think will you let the  
days slip useless away? Make  
each day count. January is an  
excellent time to make garden  
plans on paper, for this year.

Gardeners should have a plan  
for gardening and also a  
landscape plan for all the  
grounds. In connection with the  
plans, it would be helpful to  
keep a note book, in which to list  
plantings, date, and time when  
they started bearing. Also, note  
those plants: shrubs and trees,  
which have not done as well as  
hoped for.

Check list and mark those  
which proved satisfactory, and  
the varieties which appealed to  
you as you have seen them  
growing in other gardens. This  
will be of benefit in deciding  
what plants you will continue to  
grow; those which you want to  
try; and the new introductions  
which you plan to experiment  
with for the new planting  
season.

Study the new catalogues not  
only of seeds, but those of trees,  
shrubs, evergreens, fruit trees,  
roses, perennials and annuals.  
After you have completed this  
study, make a trip to a nursery  
and look over stock which is  
being shown, and ask questions  
which will be helpful in making  
final plans for plantings.

Stored bulbs, corms, tubers  
and rhizomes should be exami-  
ned, (if stored or left in garden-  
covered with soil) to see how  
they are as to moisture, dryness  
and general condition. If dry,

sprinkle carefully, and if there  
are cuttings in sand boxes, test  
soil for moisture and water if  
necessary, (sparingly) with  
tepid water.

If you do not know the  
difference in those listed, the  
following are definitions which  
should be kept with garden  
information.

**BULBS** are made up of  
closely packed, fleshy-scale  
leaves attached to a comparatively  
small basal plate of solid  
tissue, example-Tulip, Narcis-  
sus and Lily.

**CORMS** are similar in  
appearance to bulbs, differing  
in being solid through out with  
small bulbs ultimately forming  
on the top-examples: Gladiolus  
and Crocus.

**TUBERS** may be swollen  
roots, as in the Dahlia, Begonia,  
and Cyclamen, or swollen stems  
as in case of the Jerusalem  
Artichoke and the potato.

**RHIZOMES** are thickened  
shoots that grow underground  
or along the soil surface,  
producing roots on the undersides  
and leaves above the  
ground-examples: Bearded Iris  
and Solomon's Seal. When  
these shoots are short and  
stubby, as in Cannas, they are  
**ROOTSTOCKS** which are storage  
organs full of food enabling the  
species to survive unfavorable  
climates.

**BULBILS** are the little bulbs  
that form on the aerial stems of  
lilies and other plants: bulblets  
are those that form under-  
ground, example Gladiolus.

**INFORMATION:** Perhaps you  
are not acquainted with  
Solomon's Seal. I was not and  
went to my flower encyclope-  
dia. This is the information I  
found, so will share it. There are  
two kinds of Solomon's Seal:

Solomon's seal- (Polygona-  
tum; (Polygona) tum) Hardy  
herbaceous perennial plants  
which are found wild in various

parts of Europe and in North  
America, chiefly. They belong  
to the Lily family, Liliaceae.  
Polygatum is derived from  
poly, many, and gonu which is a  
knee joint. The name alludes to  
the jointed rhizomes of the  
plants. These would be akin to  
cane. They grow about 3 ft. tall,  
have arching, leafy stems and  
may bear drooping, white and  
green-flushed flowers. Plant is  
invaluable for cutting for indoor  
decorations and for planting  
shady borders. Is especially  
lovely if grown in groups,  
spaced among trees. Thrives in  
ordinary soil and should be  
transplanted or planted while  
roots are dormant, preferably in  
the fall. If planted in spring,  
blooms will be deferred the first  
year, if however they do happen  
to bloom, the blooms will not be  
of the best quality, therefore not  
as beautiful. Propagation is  
done by digging up portions of  
the rootstock, and planted in  
good soil. Can also be raised  
from seed.

**SOLOMON'S-SEAL...** False or  
smilacina (Smilacina) is a hardy  
herbaceous flowering perennial  
grown in North America, Asia,  
Japan etc. There are 25 known  
kinds, but only two or three are  
common. The name is a  
diminutive of Smilax, which we  
are well acquainted with. It too  
is in the Lily family, and the  
most popular kind grown in  
Sracemosa, which bears lovely  
white flowers. Shoots of the  
Smilax is similar to the  
Solomon's Seal, hence the  
common name. However they  
are not as stalky as the  
Solomon's Seal. Leaves are  
terminated by feathery spikes of  
the small white flowers.

**IT IS ADVISED** that all  
gardeners acquaint themselves  
with names, and terminologies  
related to gardening. These  
definitions of bulbs, etc. should  
be in our notebooks, for

reference:

In the editorial of the Texas  
horticulturist magazine, is the  
following information, which  
will be of interest of members of  
the Horticulturist Texas Society.  
The first annual meeting of the  
T.S.H.S. (which was organized in  
1972 and published first issue of  
The Texas Horticulturist in  
1974) will be held in the Texas  
A&M Research and Extension  
Center in Dallas on Saturday,  
March 26. The meeting is open  
to members and the general  
public. It is estimated that  
approximately 1,000 will attend  
this initial conference.

Several special interest ses-  
sions will be conducted  
concurrently in that delegates  
may select the area of greater  
interest.

A general session will feature  
a top-flight internationally-  
known horticulturist who will  
present a program of interest.

The president of T.S.H.S.,  
extends a warm welcome to all  
persons interested in starting  
the 1977 gardening year off  
right, to attend.

**BOTTLE GARDENING** for  
busy bodies... these shut in  
days.

All you need to turn a dull  
dark corner of your home into a  
bright colorful spot is a  
waterproof container, tap water  
and cuttings of some favorite  
plants. (If you do not have  
plants, perhaps your neighbor  
will share.)

Beverage bottles, vases,  
canning jars, fish bowls and  
aquariums, make good contain-  
ers. Many save attractive  
bottles, also colorful ones, and  
this would be an excellent time  
to use them.

Use cuttings from many  
plants with thick stem, such as  
geranium, myrtle, Coleus,  
Danish Ivy, Spider plant,  
begonia, or hibiscus.

**FIRST:** Clean bottles or vases  
(thoroughly) inside and out. Use  
hot water and detergent. Add  
tap water when containers are  
cleaned and dried. In selecting  
cuttings, make a clean cut on  
the branch or stem you want to  
use and remove the lower leaves  
so that none will be in the  
waterline.

Put cuttings in the water and  
arrange them in a way they will  
be attractive, and as you like  
them best. An attractive  
cord-would be good to fasten  
bottles- for hanging.

Change water about once a  
month and wash the container  
with hot water and detergent to  
kill any algae or bacteria. Also,

scrub the plant stems carefully  
and make a fresh cut on the  
stem to improve water uptake.  
Turn the container about once  
a week to make sure all angles  
of the plants get sufficient  
sunshine. Use care in place-  
ments relative to sunlight.. full  
sunshine is not good for tender  
plants.

When stems start deteriorat-  
ing, replace them with fresh  
ones. Cuttings which develop  
roots can be planted in pots.

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## Barbs

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## Chamber Honors Albright, McKinney With Bull Awards

# McCaslin Named 'Citizen Of The Year'

By BOBBY TEMPLETON  
Brand News Editor

A founding member of the Hereford Rotary Club and a businessman here for

### update friday

#### Cabinet Appointees Approved

WASHINGTON (AP)—President-elect Carter's nominee for defense secretary, Harold Brown, is the second Cabinet appointee to win a preliminary stamp of approval from a Senate committee.

And the Senate Foreign Relations Committee was expected to vote approval today of Cyrus R. Vance as Carter's secretary of state.

Brown won unanimous approval Thursday from the Senate Armed Services Committee. Carter's choice for agriculture secretary, Bob Bergland, was approved by the Senate Agriculture Committee on Tuesday.

#### BULLETIN

WASHINGTON (AP)—The Senate Foreign Relations Committee today endorsed Cyrus R. Vance to succeed Henry A. Kissinger as secretary of state.

#### Republican Choice Not Easy

WASHINGTON (AP)—Republicans are electing a new party chairman and you can't tell the candidates without a program. With seven entries and no consensus, after President Ford's embarrassing attempt to promote his former campaign manager for the job, the GOP National Committee will settle down today to make its choice.

It will conclude weeks of inconclusive maneuvering during which Ford's chosen candidate, James A. Baker III, withdrew five days after the President endorsed him, saying he wanted to avoid a divisive fight.

#### Dental Price Fixing Charged

WASHINGTON (AP)—The Federal Trade Commission today charged the American Dental Association with price fixing and other unlawful practices that allegedly prevent patients from benefiting from competition.

The commission said that ethical codes observed by the ADA and its local chapters violate federal antitrust law by barring advertising and "by preventing price competition."

The FTC said the dental group, through its professional codes, "has eliminated competition among dentists in the United States."

#### Hughes Will Supported

LOS ANGELES (AP)—A Howard Hughes attorney says he's unwilling to label as phony a Hughes will that would make a multimillionaire of former gas station manager Melvin Dumar, even though he says Dumar admitted being the mystery man who delivered it.

Harold Rhoden, attorney for the will's executor, former Hughes aide Noah Dietrich, said Dumar still hasn't told how he obtained the will, but has agreed to testify in the Las Vegas, Nev., court, where it was filed for probate.

"I want to bring him to the witness stand, where he knows that if he lies it will mean time in prison," Rhoden said Thursday. "It's no crime to lie to the press or to your lawyers."

#### weather

West Texas: Fair north portion and partly cloudy south tonight. Increasing cloudiness, windy and colder north and fair and warmer south Saturday. Low tonight upper 20s north to mid 30s south. High Saturday upper 30s Panhandle to 60s south except near 70 Big Bend valleys.

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over 50 years were some of the clues given by Lions Club president Clete Corlis as he announced the winner of the 1976 citizen of the Year award before a large crowd at the annual Deaf Smith Chamber of Commerce banquet held Thursday night in the county Bull Barn.

The news that Carl McCaslin, founder-owner of McCaslin Lumber Co. here, was named for the award climaxed the evening event which included the recognition of numerous chamber officials, entertainment by the Hereford Chamber Singers and a humorous speech by George McKinney, an executive with Texas Power and Light Co. in Dallas.

**MCCASLIN, WHO WAS BORN** June 3, 1899 in Jasper Mo., joyously received his award along the side of his wife Clarice, whom he married on July 3, 1940. Attending the banquet were several of his children.

He has served in almost every civic capacity possible having been president of the Rotary Club and active in the Lions and Kiwanis. He was Masonic Lodge president from 1951-53, a member of the Hi-Plains Savings and Loan Association board and a member of the Hereford Country Club board of directors.

The American Legion member is a trustee at the Presbyterian Church of Hereford. He moved here when the population was only 2,500 and continued to grow with the town, Corlis said.

During the banquet numerous plaques were presented, but a special highlight came toward the end of the meal when Hereford Bull Awards were presented to both McKinney and Bill Albright, Chamber Executive vice president. He is leaving on Jan. 31 to accept the position of Big Spring Chamber of Commerce executive vice president.

**OUTGOING PRESIDENT** Donald Hicks was given a scrapbook of his experiences while in office and a plaque from incoming president Joe Shollenbarger. Also recognized were retiring board of directors including Arturo Gonzales, Jim McDowell, Calvin Goodin, Andrew Kershen, and Bud Eades. Plaques were presented to each.

Hicks expressed faith in the year to come and noted that 1976 was a good one despite the slump in the economy. He said that the year was successful due to the cooperative effort of all connected

### Youth Crusade Continues

The Hereford Youth Crusade climaxes with sessions at 7:30 p.m. tonight and Saturday night in the Deaf Smith County Bull Barn.

Crusade coordinators expect a large crowd at their effort "to win youth for Christ." The theme is "Come Find It."

Sessions have been held each night this week in the following churches: First United Methodist, First Assembly of God, First Christian, and St. Anthony's Catholic.

Speaking the final two nights will be Larry Lea, pastor of youth ministry at the Hollywood Baptist Church in Dallas, and special music minister Johnny Ray Watson.

### Water, Hospital District Elections Saturday

## Hospital Election Draws Views

The election Saturday to determine whether Deaf Smith County Hospital District Board of directors should be appointed or elected has drawn diverse opinions from two present hospital directors.

**VOTERS ARE SCHEDULED** to go to the polls for the first time this year Saturday to decide a referendum called for through a petition drive initiated originally by Dr. Hap Cavness, hospital director for one year. He successfully got 250 signatures on a petition which forced the county commissioners court to call the election as authorized by the enabling legislation creating the district about five years ago. The court is now responsible for appointing board members in staggered terms.

Also on the ballot is the election of a director and committeemen of the High Plains Underground Water Conservation District. That election will be held from 7 a.m. to 7 p.m. in the Hereford Community Center on Park Ave.

with the chamber.

Shollenbarger concurred that the economy tended to dampen spirits a bit but said, "1977 promises to an exciting and challenging year for all of us."

McKinney provided much laughter in the Bull Barn as he delivered his speech. He characterized generations of the past by their teenage music, which he said always seemed to bewilder the parents. As he sang parts of lyrics of zany love songs, memories of long ago returned to many present.

"Even though youth run away from the cops and disrupt the classrooms, they grew up to be responsible adults," he said. Also, the guest speaker explained that parents get their revenge on their own kids by putting them down but their youthful days were much the same.

"KIDS IN THE UNITED STATES have a better opportunity than 90 per cent of the people on Earth," McKinney said. "I'm glad to be in this country."

Describing a need for decisiveness, he said "Americanism is taking care of yourself" as opposed to socialism when the government takes care of you and communism when comrades are the caretakers of each other.

He encouraged the involvement of people with specific functions to contribute to a successful Chamber of Commerce. "The chamber's purpose is to help build a strong economic base."

The active civic leader in Dallas said that once the economy is strong every other institution such as the church and school board get benefits.

**BILL DEVERS**, director of the Hereford Chamber Singers, announced the trip the group is to make to Romania next summer and said an album and tape is being recorded in February to help fund it. As usual, the singers thanked the crowd, who acknowledged the performance with a standing ovation.

Albright introduced guests. Rev. Dewitt Seago delivered the invocation. Susie McGee gave the dinner music and master of ceremonies was Earnest Langley.

Special thanks were given to the decorations committee of the Women's Division, the Horizon Club Campfire Girls, Holly Sugar, Kester's Jewelry, Hereford Brand, Hereford CowBelles, Hereford Hustlers, J.E. Simpson, and K-Bobs.



GEORGE MCKINNEY



### Chamber Award Winner

Carl McCaslin, center, receives the "Citizen of the Year" award from Clete Corlis, Lions Club

president. Enjoying presentation at left is Mrs. Clarice McCaslin. (Photo By Bobby Templeton)

## Army Enlistment Leads Local Native To Movies

By BOB NIGH  
Brand Staff Writer

When Hereford native Miguel A. Gutierrez joined the United States Army four years ago he probably expected to see lots of action in training, but it's doubtful if he expected to be doing his thing before a camera.

Gutierrez, 24-year-old son of Mrs. Zolia Gutierrez of Hereford did just that recently when he was part of a group of 38 soldiers from the 25th Infantry Division stationed in Hawaii to be chosen to perform as extras in a movie.

### Firearms Taken From Pickup

City police are seeking the individual or individuals who took three firearms from the vehicle of a local resident sometime late Wednesday night or Thursday morning.

Dennis Hicks of 107 Douglas told investigating officers that two rifles and a shotgun were taken from his 1976

**THE OCCASION** was the filming of the last two-hour segment of "Once An Eagle," a movie by Universal Studios which has been seen on television as a continuing series the past several weeks.

The GI's played both American and Japanese soldiers before the cameras as the studio wrapped up the nine-hour movie. Each soldier was paid a daily wage of \$35 plus lunch, with the only drawback being that each had to take four days leave to participate.

**BUT, THE 12-13-HOUR** workdays, which began at 6 a.m., were worth it, and as one soldier put it, "this is such an

experience that I would consider doing it even if I wasn't getting paid for it."

Before the actual filming could begin the GI's had to perform their usual infantry chores of pitching tents and setting up camp so that the background could look authentic.

Life on the set was reportedly hectic as the camera crews moved from foxhole to tent to truck shooting short segments, which would eventually be pieced together into one movie.

"ONCE AN EAGLE" documents the fictional career of Sam Damon, a private in WWI, who rises to the rank of Brigadier General in WWII. Sam Elliott, star of the recent hit movie "Lifeguard" portrayed Damon.

Being the star Damon was of course the center of attention, but his warmth and friendliness through the ordeal impressed the soldiers.

"Sam is really terrific," one GI stated. "He never fails to stop between scenes to chat with us."

Elliott, in turn, had high praise for the soldiers. "These guys are great. They've got enthusiasm for the work, and they follow directions easily and quickly. To me their presence is refreshing," he said. Chase Newhart, an assistant director on the set, echoed the star's praise, saying "Because of their ability to follow instructions, they saved us a lot of time in filming out here."

And, all in all, the GI extras considered playing soldier for Universal the "detail of a lifetime."



Miguel Gutierrez

Chevrolet pickup while it was parked in the driveway of his home.

Taken in the theft were a Winchester Model 94 30-30, a Remington Model 66 22 automatic and a Remington Model 1100 12 gauge automatic shotgun.

Total value of the firearms was set at approximately \$364.

to hold yearly elections.

Cavness said no problem would exist with people running. "We always have time folks to serve on the city board, and no problem, should exist with the hospital board."

Again he emphasized that he has no fuss with the way the hospital has been operated, but that he believes in the democratic and process and sees the election as the best method of selection.

When questioned about politics on the board, he said "politics are already involved with the commissioner court."

Both men hope for a good turnout of voters since this is not a widely discussed election. They agreed that no small percentage of the voters should determine it.

One county commissioner expressed pessimism with the possible turnout and said he didn't want the issue to be decided by just the petition signers, who would naturally vote for the election.



# Judge Rules Ma Bell Should Not Charge For Some Assistance Calls

HOUSTON (AP)—A state judge has ordered Southwestern Bell Telephone Co. not to charge customers for certain directory assistance charges.

State District Court Judge William N. Blanton ruled Wednesday the telephone company may not charge "where a number is not available in the most recent directories."

The order signed by Blanton also prevents Southwestern Bell from charging for information calls "where no telephone number exists, the telephone has been disconnected or where the number desired is unpublished."

Blanton said he suspected he did not have jurisdiction "to do this but it is sometimes very difficult to get a message across to a bureaucracy."

"It is like getting a mule's attention sometimes you have to hit him over the head," the judge said.

Bryan D. Coleman and Marion Ackerman, both Houston lawyers, had filed the suit on behalf of all residential and commercial customers of Southwestern Bell.

Private line customers will be given 100 free directory assistance calls a month, but then charged 20 cents for each

additional such call. Business and customers with multiple lines will have a limit of 35 free calls each month.

James M. Shatto, Bell's attorney, argued that the

judge's order was contrary to a recent ruling by the Texas Public Utilities Commission PUC.

"The complete jurisdiction in this matter comes before the

Commission," Shatto said. "Everyone was given an opportunity to appear at the hearings. Apparently the plaintiffs in this matter chose not to."

The two attorneys had asked for the temporary restraining order pending a hearing on a temporary injunction. A hearing on the injunction will be held Jan. 21.



## Osborn Honored

Members of the Hereford Volunteer Fire Department gathered recently for an awards dinner and election of officers to head the department during 1977.

HIGHLIGHTING THE event was the awarding of the coveted "Fireman of the Year" trophy.

Ron Osborn, who served as Hereford's fire chief during 1976, was selected as the recipient of the award, following at-large balloting by the entire membership of the volunteer fire department during the month of December.

Osborn and his wife, Barbara, were honored during the annual awards dinner, and Osborn was also re-elected to another term as fire chief for 1977.

ALSO RE-ELECTED to the fire department's officer slate were Max Stipe, assistant chief, and Reuben McGilvary, secretary.

Among newly-elected officers were Randy Laing, treasurer, and Ronnie Bell, three year pension trustee.

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## Bulls Awarded

Joe Shollenbarger, president of the chamber (left), presents a Hereford Bull Award to George McKinney, right. Chamber executive vice president Bill Albright was given the award also. McKinney is with the Texas Power and Light in Dallas and was the night's guest speaker.

## Pick Nursing Home With Care, Effort

COLLEGE STATION— Finding a nursing home which provides the services and atmosphere a person needs and prefers takes time and effort, as well as information, Vivian Blair, family life education specialist-aging, says.

"Considering that a nursing home becomes a person's home and community for as long as he remains there explains how necessary and worthwhile the search can be.

"It helps to plan ahead for the future of older members of your family as well as your own later years. Advance planning makes one better able to locate the right nursing home care at the right price— or to find suitable alternatives to nursing home care. It also enables one to accept the decision to enter a nursing home in the event it becomes necessary," she said.

Mrs. Blair is with the Texas Agricultural Extension Service, The Texas A&M University System.

Explore the alternatives to nursing home care in your community or area. There are increasing services available such as visiting nurses, homemakers and home health aides. These services enable a person to remain in his own home longer, she pointed out.

"When an older person needs help with dressing, shopping, meal preparation and personal chores, and when these needs cannot be filled by his family or community services, then nursing home care could be needed. It is also needed when the older person requires medical attention which the family cannot provide at home or when keeping him at home severely upsets family life.

"The decision should be discussed among family members—including the patient. Consult your physician. Always consider the patient's needs and preferences. After all, his lifestyle may be changed. Everyone, regardless of age or degree of health, has a right to influence his own fate. Consider

family needs. No one needs to feel guilty about a loved one moving into a nursing home if all alternatives and consequences have been carefully weighed and if the nursing home is chosen with care," she said.

The specialist pointed out that contrary to general belief, only five per cent of all people 65 years of age or older reside in nursing homes or similar institutions. But if you live to be 65, there is one chance in five that you will die in a nursing home.



BOB WEAR

## Wear To Speak At Dinner

B.M. Bruckner, Sr. announces that the guest speaker for the annual dinner of The Buckner Mack Truck Co. will be Bob Wear, a well-known after-dinner speaker from Hereford Texas.

All employees and their spouse from the Amarillo and Lubbock Firms will be honored Saturday night, Jan. 15, at The South Park Inn in Lubbock.

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## THE WORLD ALMANAC'S Q&A

1. What U.S. state is divided into 2 parts by the Straits of Mackinac?
2. Big Bill Broonzy (1893-1958) was a (a) rodeo champion (b) blues singer and guitarist (c) U.S. Olympic medalist in wrestling.
3. The trophy of the Queen's Plate, a Canadian horse race, is a plate. True-False.

## ANSWERS:

1. Michigan 2. (b) 3. False

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