

# update friday

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## Senate Has Farm Tax Bill

AUSTIN (AP)- Texas senators have the job now of deciding how much tax break owners of producing farm land should get, if any.

The highly controversial measure was finally approved by the House Thursday after being under consideration three days.

The House and Senate adjourned shortly before noon Thursday until Monday.

The adjournment was hurried by police reports that an anonymous caller said a bomb would explode in the Capitol at 11:30 a.m.

## Congressman Justifies Raise

WASHINGTON (AP)- Rep. E. Kika de la Garza, D-Tex., is going to take the extra \$12,900 in annual pay that Congress begins receiving this weekend. He has children in college and two homes to maintain. He feels he needs and deserves the extra money.

But de la Garza still feels a little uncomfortable when a reporter comes around to ask about it.

"I know it sounds like a lot, and it would be if I lived in Mission," he said of the \$57,500 annual salary that congressmen will now earn.

## Fuel, Food Prices Felt

WASHINGTON (AP)- Higher prices for fuel and food, resulting from the severe winter, may only now be making themselves felt, government economists say.

They said it is unlikely that the winter-related price hikes will be reflected in the Consumer Price Index for January, scheduled for release by the Labor Department today.

"It could reflect a little of the damage to crops, but I doubt that," said one economist. "I don't think fruits and vegetables react that fast."

## Andrus Wants More Gas

WASHINGTON (AP)- Interior Secretary Cecil Andrus says he probably will order natural gas companies to increase production in the Gulf of Mexico after a full-scale investigation of whether the companies have held back gas.

He said Thursday that a preliminary investigation showed a need for a broader probe, but did not determine whether any gas was deliberately withheld by producers.

"If any has been willfully withheld, we will come down very, very hard," he warned.

## weather

West Texas: Generally fair tonight and Saturday. A little cooler most sections Saturday. Low tonight 30 to 42 except near 25 mountains. High Saturday 55 north to 82 south.



By Speedy Nieman

That feller on Tierra Blanca Creek says the best after-dinner speech is when the guy you say, "Waiter, bring me the check!"

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Hard work is usually willing to underwrite the achievement of genius, and frequently supplies capital needed to explore the endless islands of dreams.--Doug Meador

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**HUSTLIN' HEREFORD** doesn't have much slack time as far as community activities are concerned, and things look pretty busy for the rest of the month and for March. Heart Sunday will be observed Feb. 20; the local American Lung Association drive is underway, and the Home Demonstration "Woman of the Year" will be named Monday. Sugarland Mall has a "President's Sale" promotion going through Saturday, and the downtown merchants will have a Washington's Birthday Sale next week. Economist Arnold Paulson will appear here Feb. 25.

The big Miss Hereford Pageant is scheduled March 12, and sports will be in the spotlight as track, baseball, golf and tennis meets are being planned. The World Day of Prayer is to be observed March 4 with the local Church Women United supporting the special day. The annual Water, Inc. meeting is slated at the Bull Barn March 10, and the annual Fine Arts Festival is set March 26-27. And, there are sure to be events we didn't have on our calendar!

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**THE SPOUTING** of profanity and obscenities in films and books has been widely accepted by our society, some of it with a warning as to what you are going to see or hear. However, we're just "old fashioned" enough to believe that no newspaper, radio or television station has the right to thrust profanity or obscenities on its public under the heading of "news."

What brought this to mind was a tv network newscast last week that carried an interview with a gunman who was arrested after holding a hostage for three days. In the interview, the man spouted profanity and obscenities that did not belong on television, or any public report. It seemed every other word of the prisoner was an obscenity or taking the Lord's name in vain.

The man is a proper news subject. His foul language is not!

We feel every child should be encouraged to develop a habit of reading and watching daily news accounts. Most of the time, tv stations do a good job of capsuling the news. But, just because a lot of people use gutter-type language, it should not be condoned in public places, in print, in movies, or on television.

Despite what some porno producers would have us believe in the name of freedom of the press, the country hasn't sunk that low, yet!

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**ARNOLD PAULSON**, leader of the National Organization for Raw Materials movement, will be in Hereford Feb. 25 to outline his proposals for economic solutions. No stranger to Hereford, Paulson has appeared here several times to explain that production of raw materials is the source of all new wealth. He also proclaims that it is the underdevelopment of raw material production that forces the economy as a whole to operate at a loss.

The NORM organization recently established an office in Washington for Paulson to work toward legislation which would provide "full honest parity" prices for all raw materials. Labeled as "The National Economic Stability Act of 1977," the proposals include the termination of all existing farm programs and subsidy payments, replacing them with "Equitable prices" received from the marketplace. Producers would be protected by minimum price laws, and consumers by maximum price laws.

An intriguing proposal in the plan is to have a federal minimum wage, covering all workers including farm labor, which would be tied to the price of a bushel of corn. The minimum wage would adjust itself in accordance with the annual price average of a bushel of corn, as we understand it.

Paulson has an interesting and thought-provoking solution to the economic problems. If you would like to hear his proposals, plan to attend the meeting here next Friday night in the high school auditorium.

# Ag Committee Gears Up Support For Bill

By JIM STEIERT  
Brand Farm Editor

Members of the Deaf Smith County Chamber of Commerce Agriculture Committee met at the Chamber office Thursday for a noon luncheon and discussion session on legislation pending in Austin.

**AG COMMITTEE** members will be among those traveling to Austin to speak on behalf of House Bill 846 on Feb. 28, and the local delegates will have an opportunity to express their support for the legislation again that evening at senate committee hearings.

Jim McMorris, local tax consultant, told those attending the Thursday meeting that House Bill 846 "is the only one down there is Austin that will give any protection or consideration to our area farmers."

McMorris explained that the bill is a property tax code measure which contains water depletion and water well depreciation allowances.

"We're right back where we started from on the matter of ad-valorem taxes unless we get the language on depletion and depreciation included in a bill," said McMorris. "We need as many people as we can possibly get to Austin when this matter comes up Feb. 28. Not everyone will need to testify, but mere presence will be worth a lot," he commented.

**AG COMMITTEE MEMBERS** indicated that most local residents would prefer to fly to Austin for the afternoon hearing and ag committee chairman Charles Schlabbs indicated that individuals wishing to attend the hearings should contact the Chamber offices or get

in touch with him.

Schlabbs also announced the dates for the Chamber ag committee's Washington trip, during which committee members will speak to their legislators on major agricultural issues and make their feelings known concerning the new farm program which legislators hope to formulate.

Agriculture committee members pointed up the need for testimony on the difficult situation farmers face due to increased energy costs, and the fact that agriculture cannot compete with industry for high priced gas.

Schlabbs indicated that the deadline for registering for the Washington trip at the Chamber office is Feb. 23.

**COMMITTEE MEMBERS** also discussed the widespread effects which inclement weather in the east and

drought in the central and western portions of the U.S. could have on the local and the national economy.

"Many eastern industries were forced to shut down during the recent paralyzing cold weather, and those industries have now indicated a willingness to pay \$3-\$4 per thousand cubic feet for gas," Schlabbs commented. "Farmers in this area would certainly have a hard time competing with industry for \$4 gas, but if industry can pay \$4, everyone else will have to. I think we are farther from deregulation now than we ever have been, for the simple reason that Congress will not let consumers pay \$200 a month utility bills," he added.

The committee chairman warned that if the cost of gas situation gets out of hand for local farmers, a "second Pecos" might result. Growers in the Pecos area have already been forced out of business

by extremely high fuel bills for irrigation.

**COMMITTEE MEMBERS** also discussed the fact that snow fall in some areas of the western U.S. is the lowest in 130 years, pointing out that melting snow provides water for irrigation on much of the west coast, and that power shortages are also possible in some areas of the country, because the water is also used to operate hydroelectric plants.

"Energy shortages are becoming a real problem to contend with, and now it looks like nature is working against us to make gas and electricity even more scarce," said Schlabbs.



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## Hutchins Files For School Board

# More Local Political Races Shape Up

Local political contests in the upcoming elections are fast taking shape as another candidate has officially filed for one of the



David Hutchins

posts. He is David Hutchins, 43, who is seeking re-election to his place 4 spot on the Hereford School Board of Trustees.

He is the second man this week to file after Paul Abalos announced Thursday his decision to run again for the place 1 spot on the Hereford City Commission. The local school district employe and restaurant owner said commitments to projects now underway influenced him seek his third City Commission term.

**HUTCHINS**, a local farmer, will be seeking his first elected school board post even though he is the incumbent. He was appointed in June, 1976, to fill the position vacated by Alex Schroeter, who was appointed as county auditor and therefore resigned his school board seat.

The election is set for April 2, which is also the date for the City Commission election and that of the Deaf Smith

County Hospital District Board of Trustees. The last date to file in the city and schools elections is March 2 and March 8 is the deadline for the hospital board election.

Those seeking one of the three open hospital board positions need to submit a petition containing 50 qualified signatures and turn it into Hap Cavness, board secretary, in care of the Deaf Smith General Hospital. Cavness along with board members Isaias Gamez and Tommy Carnahan are going off the board unless they file for re-election.

**CANDIDATES MAY FILE** for city elections at the city clerk's office in city hall and file for school board elections at the district tax office.

The Brand has learned that a petition containing the names of three candidates for the hospital board is being processed today by county officials. They are

incumbent Dr. Cavness, a local dentist; Dr. Gerald Payne, a physician with the Family Medical Clinic; and Eddie Renauer Jr., a farmer here.

Cavness said that the petition contains about 65 or 70 names and that the county clerk and county tax assessor-collector are verifying names as qualified voters here.

Positions open on the City Commission include the following: mayor, now held by Jim Sears; place 1, held by Abalos, and place 2, held by Emory Brownlow.

Seats open on the school board are board president Jim Conkright's place 6 post and Lynton Allred's place 7 spot. Neither has announced for re-election as of presstime today. Their positions are presently involved in controversy as to whether they will be selected through an at-large or place with runoff procedure of voting. Unless a federal judge rules otherwise, the present place with runoff method will be used. A school board suit against the U.S. Justice Department is pending in court.

Although he was unavailable for comment this morning, Hutchins would like to serve on the school board as an

elected official. He said before that he wants to serve the community in the best way possible in an effort to return to it what good it has provided him.

**WHEN FIRST NOMINATED** for the board last year, he said, "I put the student level first in education but I always will have the taxpayer in mind."

He came to Hereford in 1960 when he purchased a farm near Easter, south of here. He has been farming ever since.

He is a charter member of the Easter Lions Club, in which he served as president. As a member of the administrative board of the First United Methodist Church of Hereford, he has maintained active involvement in church functions.

As a member of the Deaf Smith County Chamber of Commerce Agricultural Committee, Hutchins went to Washington D.C. to discuss farm policies with legislators. He has supported heavily the Future Farmers of America and other agricultural related projects such as the livestock show.

His wife's name is Della and they have two children. They are David, a Texas Tech student; and Dana, a Hereford High School student.

## Weather Modification Hearings Expected To Conclude Today

By JIM STEIERT  
Brand Farm Editor

Bruce Bigelow, general counsel for the Texas Water Development Board was expected to have the fate of license renewals for two weather modification groups left in his hands this afternoon as hearings on the renewals drew to a close.

**THE TWDB** counsel will then have 60 days in which to file his recommendations on the renewals to the board, unless another 60 day extension is granted.

During the second day of hearings in the 99th District Court in Lubbock Thursday, testimony was taken from a meteorologist and a Navy weather modification expert, in addition to testimony from the president of Better Weather Inc., one of two groups seeking

weather modification license renewals.

James Welch of Dimmitt, president of the organization, testified that his group was composed of approximately 400 farmers paying \$1.25 an acre for protection from hailstorms through Atmospherics Inc.

Harrell Feldt, attorney for Citizens for Natural Weather, a group of over 2,000 farmers and ranchers opposing the granting of the weather modification licenses, pointedly questioned Welch about the "fairness" of carrying on weather modification activities that might reduce the rainfall neighbors received.

"**DO YOU THINK** it is fair and right for your group of 400 farmers to conduct what 3,000 people signing petitions say they don't want you doing above their

lands?" Feldt questioned.

Welch responded, saying that he felt the weather modification efforts were not affecting the neighbors' rainfall, and due to that fact, were not morally wrong.

Dr. Paul Schickedanz, statistical meteorologist for the Illinois State Water Survey presented testimony Thursday afternoon.

The meteorologist stated that his studies of rainfall over the 12 county area involved in the hail suppression activities showed that rainfall had neither decreased or increased.

**SCHICKEDANZ DID SAY**, however, that there had been a 50 per cent decrease in hailfall over Lamb and Hale counties by conservative estimates. Under questioning by Feldt, the meteorologist conceded that a 47 per cent increase in rainfall had been noted in Swisher County, which is also included in the hail suppression target area.

Feldt then pointed out that the studies Schickedanz referred to were prepared for and paid for by Atmospherics president Thomas J. Henderson.

Curtis Smith, president of the Atmospherics operation in Littlefield then testified that his operations had not decreased rainfall.

**SMITH WAS EXTENSIVELY** questioned by Feldt concerning allegations that pilots for the weather modification group had flown cloud seeding missions outside the target area, but Smith denied the

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## 330 Heart Drive Workers Ready for Canvass Sunday

By KERRIE STEIERT  
Women's Editor

The local Heart Association drive will reach its zenith on Heart Sunday, Feb. 20, when more than 330 volunteers will canvass the city for donations.

Under the direction of Marie Griffin, Sunday's collection will begin at 2 o'clock at the Community Center, where volunteer workers will assemble for last-minute assignments. Any interested individual is welcome to help with solicitation for the Heart Association.

The Heart Fund campaign has been waged here since the Heart Ball on Jan. 28, when more than \$3,000 was amassed. Since that time, volunteers have been calling on local businesses and individuals for contributions. Virgil Marsh and Ron Smith have been directing this aspect of the fund drive.

Hereford's Chapter of the Heart Association was established two years ago and Archie Dwyer is president.

Local poster child, for the second year, is Cynthia Noyes, 4-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Leaton Noyes, 504 Schley.

Contributions to the Heart Fund are utilized in life-saving research and education programs sanctioned by the

Heart Association. The percentage of each donated dollar and how it is spent is broken down and printed below:

25 cents for Research--In support of research projects relating to the causes, treatment and diagnosis of cardiovascular diseases.

28 cents for Public Education--In support of educational programs designed to increase the public's awareness of the risk factors and warning signs of cardiovascular diseases.

22 cents for Community Service--To supply materials and equipment for hypertension screenings, CPR training courses and stroke clubs.

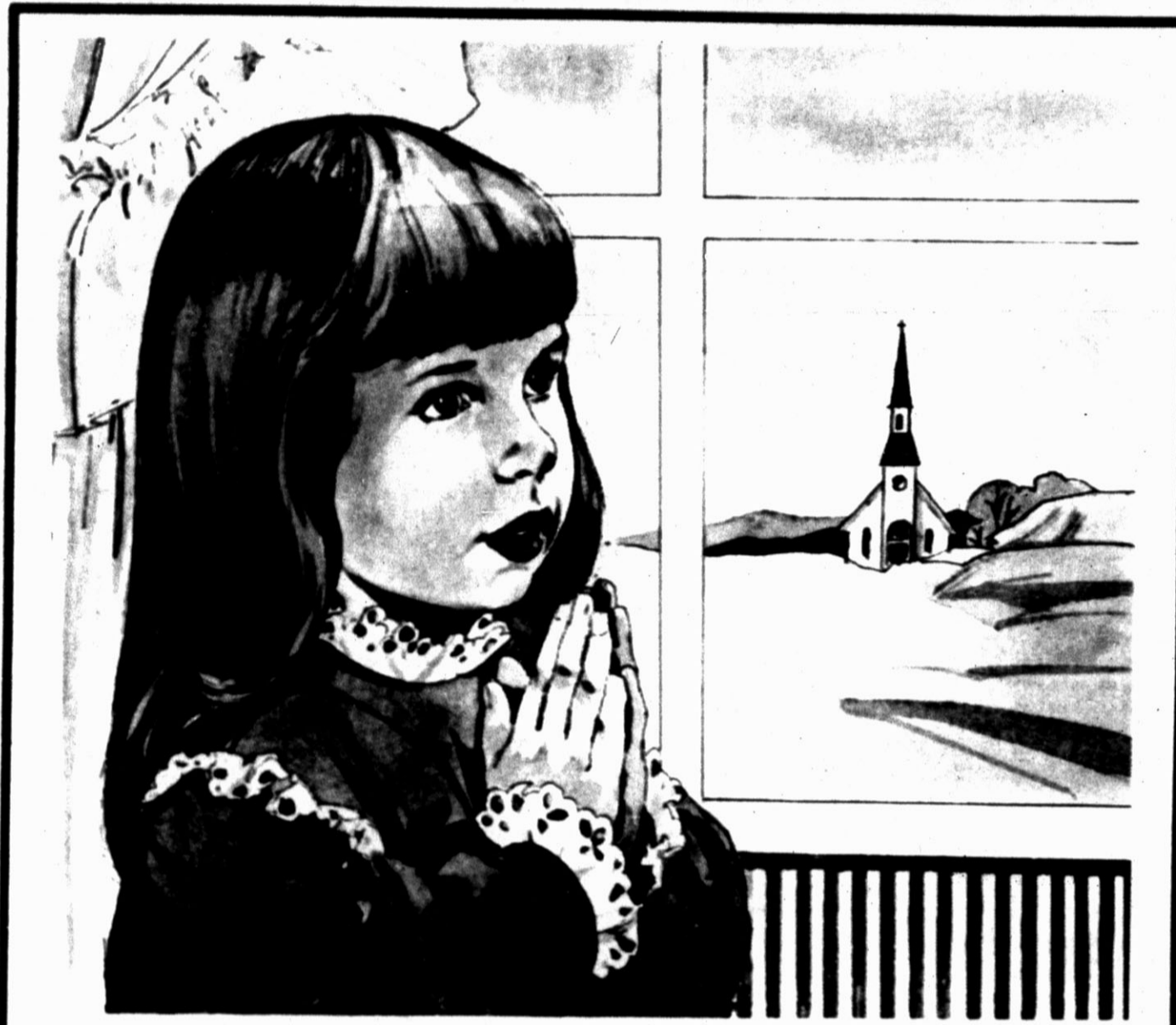
10 cents for Professional Education--To keep the medical community abreast of the latest developments in the treatment and diagnosis of cardiovascular diseases and in the care and handling of the cardiovascular patient.

10 cents for Fund Raising--The cost of supplying training information, educational leaflets and materials to conduct the February campaign.

5 cents for Management and General--Administrative costs, volunteer and staff training, surveys and meeting expenses.

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## OUR PRAYERS ARE ALWAYS SUBJECT TO GOD'S WISDOM



Beginning with childhood, most of us have had the disturbing experience of praying for some specific object or occurrence, only to be keenly disappointed when our prayers were not answered. In the course of our lives, the repetition of such incidents can result in a gradual erosion of faith, and yet in each case the fault lies with us, because of our erroneous assumption that we always know what is best for us and therefore that our judgment is superior to that of the Almighty. On the other hand, we should not attempt to inform God of our genuine needs and problems, for He is already aware of them. At the Church of your choice you will learn that the right way to pray is to thank God for your many blessings and affirm your faith in His infinite wisdom.

"Likewise the Spirit also helpeth our infirmities: for we know not what we should pray for as we ought."  
—Romans 8:26

When praying, don't give God instructions; just report for duty.

—Author unknown

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## Jayroes Celebrate Golden Anniversary

On the occasion of their 50th golden wedding anniversary, Mr. and Mrs. Perry H. Jayroe of 128 Beach will be honored at a reception in the home of their daughter-in-law, Karol Jayroe, 3516 Kileen, Amarillo. The event will be held Sunday at 2-4 p.m.

The couple's children are the late Jimmy Jayroe, Melvin Jayroe of Hereford and Glenn Jayroe of Houston. They have five grandchildren and one great-grandson.

Ima G. Corbitt and Perry Jayroe were married Feb. 19, 1927 at Portales, N.M. They lived in Amarillo 46 years and moved to Hereford 3½ years ago. He is a retired post office employee. The couple are members of the Nazarene Church.

## Sorority Chapter Analyzes Religion

Mrs. Kenneth Ruland, president, called the meeting to order when Xi Epsilon Alpha Chapter of Beta Sigma Phi met Tuesday evening at Carousel Beauty Salon.

Plans were finalized for the march for Heart Drive. JoAn Dwyer sent heart packets to Mrs. Ruland along with the area designated to the group. The area was divided among members and they decided to meet at 1:30 on Sunday to make their drive.

The program for the evening was entitled "religion" and was presented by Mrs. Chick Holbert. Her analysis was centered around love for God, love for your fellow man and love for yourself. Several articles were read and discussed. One that was inspirational was the "Ten Commandments" by Ann Landers.

Other members present were Mes. Ron Davies, Nelson Kendall, Tom Bullard, Jerry Shipman, Coy Mason, Fred Ruland, Gerald Sledge, Jerry Richburg, Bobby Jones, Kirk Owsley and Ilajean Brinkman.



### Cited For Essays

Special guests Thursday afternoon of Los Ciboleros Chapter, DAR, were first place winners of the American History Essay contest. Receiving bronze medals for their entries were, from left, Valerie Andrews, 6th grade daughter of the Joe Edd Andrews; Debra Lee Sava of Dimmitt, 5th grade daughter of the Bill Savas; Laura Downing of Dimmitt, 7th grade daughter of the Trent

Downings; Brendan Wylie, 5th grade son of the Duane Wyllys; and Becky Hughes, 8th grade daughter of the Bob Hughes. Not pictured is Lisa Templeton, a 5th grade student. The essay contest was sponsored by Los Ciboleros in observance of National History Month. Charlotte Clark was project chairman.

## BSP Spring Rush Slated March 1

A spring rush Coke party was planned by members of Kappa Iota Chapter of Beta Sigma Phi Sorority during a meeting Tuesday in the Flame Room of Pioneer Natural Gas.

The party will be held in the home of Donna Warrick, 130 Kingwood, on March 1, it was decided during the business discussion, directed by Kathy Paetzold, chapter president. Appreciation was expressed to Mrs. Paetzold for representing the ritual chapter as Valentine Sweetheart during the BSP Valentine Ball here Saturday night. Also, members planned

to have lunch at Amarillo Saturday after attending a coffee at 9 a.m. in the home of Donna Jones, 205 Centre.

Mrs. Jones gave the program, entitled "Beauty and Culture throughout History." In correlation to this topic, Kathy Johnson lead the group in a discussion of drama and theatre.

The hostesses, Betty Ann Boyd and Carol Turner served cherry pie and ice cream to Mrs. Paetzold, Lynn Carter, Mrs. Jones, Judy Stoy, Mrs. Warrick, Marsha Jones, Mrs. Johnson, Linda Brisendine, Pam Stevens and Lu Griffin.

## Ann Landers Nurse Sends Signals

**DEAR ANN LANDERS:** Would you please print this letter as a service to practical, vocational and registered nurses everywhere? I'm sure many have run into the same problem.

The main responsibility of a nurse is to carry out the doctor's orders and to make the patient as comfortable as possible.

For some mysterious reason, most male patients seem to think we are Playboy bunnies. They talk to us and treat us as if we are there for their looking and feeling pleasure.

When we offer a male patient a backrub, it is not because of a secret desire to work in massage parlor. Backrubs help blood circulation and prevent bedsores when the patients must lie in one position for a long time.

I say a man who is healthy enough to grab a nurse every time she goes near his bed is healthy enough to go home -- and I've told a few just that.

A man wouldn't treat a female doctor or dentist that way. Why is there so little respect for us nurses? -- Insulted

**DEAR IN:** I didn't realize male patients were so lecherous. What do you look like anyway?

A nurse who gets grabbed at so often should check herself out. She must be sending some sort of signals.

**DEAR ANN LANDERS:** Wonderful evenings and afternoons are sometimes spoiled because guests don't know when and how to end a visit.

Please, Ann, in your own effective way, will you write a paragraph or so on graceful and timely departures, whether after lunch, tea, cocktails or dinner? Endless farewells can be deadly, and I have been victimized SO often. Thank you for any help you can give me and others who have experienced agony. -- My Name is

Legion.

**DEAR LEGION:** Your plight reminds me of an old joke. The difference between the British and the Yiddish is that the British leave without saying goodbye, and the Yiddish say goodbye without leaving.

It is strange that some guests can sit four hours without saying boo, then suddenly become downright chatty at the door, or on the porch, or in the driveway.

The classy farewell is brief and speedy. So do your hostess a favor, folks, keep this in mind the next time you make your exit.

**DEAR ANN:** I'm in my late 40's. The problem: My husband's ex-wife. For the past 12 years, no matter where I turn, Betty is in my way.

Whenever there's a wedding, a birth, a death or a serious illness, Betty is the first one on the scene. My in-laws, who are no longer HER family, seem overly friendly to her and "underly" friendly to me.

I've told my husband at least 50 times that Betty makes me uncomfortable. Don't you think he should be willing to leave when we arrive somewhere and she is present?

We've had several fights over this and they got more bitter as time goes on. My husband wouldn't tolerate it for one minute if my ex showed up all over the place. You opinion, please. -- Another Ann

**DEAR ANN:** Obviously your husband's family is fond of Betty and she's going to be a



permanent part of the scene.

My advice is to accept graciously what you cannot change before you find yourself estranged from all members of the family -- including your husband.

Prevention is the best medicine for any disease. The American Heart Association wants to stop heart disease before it starts. By switching to a heart-healthy lifestyle, you can reduce your own risk. Ask your local Heart Association. And give to the Heart Campaign.

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**JERRY SHIPMAN**  
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364-3161

## Free Art Classes Open To Public

Local adults are urged to take advantage of free art lessons being offered here each Thursday by Martha Hughes Neel, artist in residence.

Mrs. Neel, who is involved in an enrichment program in the local school system, teaches sketching from 9-11 a.m. each Thursday and offers watercolor lessons from 7-9 p.m. Thursday evening. All instructions take place at the Community Center and participants are not required to attend all classes.

It is tentatively planned that Mrs. Neel will also offer instruction in oil painting, pastels and portraits. Further information may be made by contacting Mozelle Childers.

Mrs. Neel is a representative of the Artists in Schools program, a national endowment for arts productivity, which is directed by the Texas Commission for the Arts and Humanities. Mrs. Neel was assigned to Hereford Independent School District through the enrichment program for gifted students at Bluebonnet Elementary School.

## Air Force Sergeant Assigned

U.S. Air Force Technical Sergeant Fred W. Reuter, son of Mr. and Mrs. Fred W. Reuter of Grandbury, Tex., has arrived for duty at Lakenheath RAF station, England.

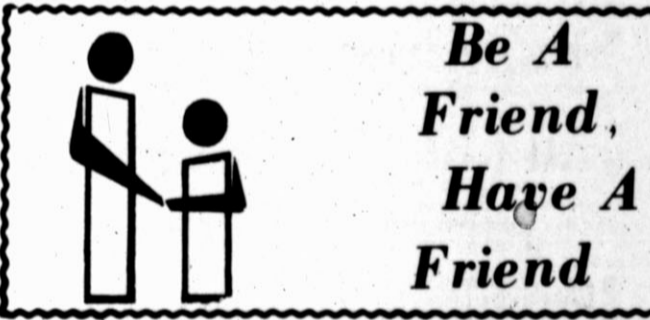
Sergeant Reuter, a jet engine technician with a unit of the U.S. Air Forces in Europe, previously served at Nellis AFB, Nev.

The sergeant is a 1965 graduate of Everman (Tex.) High School. His wife, LuDoris, is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Victor of 1612 Ave. K, Hereford.

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2. Place a large box in his room for toys instead of using drawers and shelves.

3. Sew corners of a top sheet and blanket on the foot end so that the is easier to make.

4. keep chores in line with physical capabilities--i.e., a six-year-old could empty trash, feed the dog, rather than wash dishes or change the aquarium.

5. Delegate responsibility inconjunction with past experience. (Make sure he can count change before he goes to the store alone.)

A feeling of competence is much more likely to develop in a child if his world is geared to his level of coping. Think of ways to make it so!

## Church Holds Recent Banquet

Ralph Reasor, vice president of Wayland Baptist College at Plainview was guest speaker at Avenue Baptist Church last week for a Sweetheart Banquet.

The Rev. Johnny Tims of Frio provided special music for the festivities and Kevin Compton offered guitar selections while Susan Compton lead the group in singing traditional choruses.

Dick Mason, chairman of the church deacons, gave the invocation. The meal was prepared by women of the church. A Valentine motif was used in decorations.

Each of us has a life-long task--to learn to like and respect ourselves as individuals, Ilene Miller, family life education specialist with the Texas Agricultural Extension Service, The Texas A&M University System, says.

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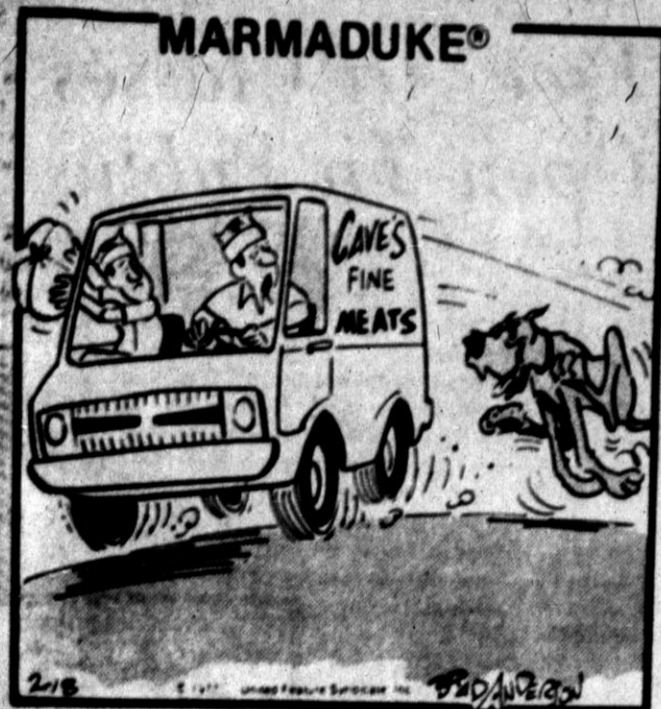
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FRIDAY

- 12:00 NEWS
12:30 EDUCATIONAL PROGRAMMING
12:35 DAYS OF OUR LIVES
1:00 AS THE WORLD TURNS
1:05 CARTOON CARNIVAL
1:10 \$20,000 PYRAMID
1:15 MOVIE
1:30 'Charlie Chan in Honolulu' (1939) Sidney Toler, Phyllis Brooks. The disappearance of jewels leads Chan on a chase in his own backyard.

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- 2:15 GENERAL HOSPITAL
2:30 MATCH GAME '77
2:35 MAGILLA GORILLA
2:40 THE GONG SHOW
2:45 EDGE OF NIGHT
2:50 TATTLETALES
2:55 THE ARCHES
3:00 POPEYE AND BUGS
3:30 LUCY SHOW
3:35 BEVERLY HILLBILLIES
3:40 THE RIFLEMAN
3:45 BAMAIA SPLITS AND FRIENDS
3:50 MISTER ROGERS' FAMILY AFFAIR
3:55 F-TROOP
4:00 GET SMART
4:05 MICKEY MOUSE CLUB
4:10 SESAME STREET
4:15 THE MONKEES
4:20 STAR TREK
4:25 CONER PYLE
4:30 THE REAL MCCOYS
4:35 SUPERMAN
4:40 DEPUTY VAN DYKE
4:45 BRADY BUNCH
4:50 ANDY GRIFFITH
4:55 LOVE LUCY
5:00 ZOOKEE
5:05 PARTRIDGE FAMILY
5:10 NBC NEWS
5:15 CBS NEWS
5:20 NBC NEWS
5:25 DICK VAN DYKE
5:30 ELECTRIC COMPANY
5:35 HOGAN'S HEROES

- 6:30 MARCUS WELBY, M.D.
6:35 ADAM-12
6:40 TO TELL THE TRUTH
6:45 BEWITCHED
6:50 MACNEIL / LEHRER
6:55 SPORTS
7:00 SANFORD AND SON
7:05 'The Will' Convinced that he is at death's door, Fred summons family and friends for a reading of his will.
7:10 DONNY & MARIE
7:15 GUESTS: Ann Mearns, Bert Convy, The Diamond Brothers and Paul Lynde.
7:20 CODE R
7:25 Police Chief Robinson has a potential tumble on his hands when visiting motorcyclists are greeted with hostility.
7:30 GUNSMOKE
7:35 CHANNEL 13 REPORT
7:40 700 CLUB
7:45 CHICO AND THE MAN
7:50 'Matchmaker, Matchmaker' Chico and Della decide that Ed needs some female companionship to smooth off his rough edges.
8:00 WALL STREET WEEK
8:05 ROCKFORD FILES
8:10 'Just Another Polish Wedding' A prison caddy (Isaac Hayes), at Jim's suggestion, goes to work for a former parole officer-turned detective (Lou Gossett).
8:15 ABC MOVIE
8:20 'Dirty Mary, Crazy Larry' (1974) Peter Fonda, Susan George. A speed-crazy racing driver is slowed down by stolen money and a girl who won't leave him alone.

SATURDAY

- 6:30 HUMAN DIMENSION
6:35 WOODY WOODPECKER
6:40 TOM AND JERRY
6:45 MUMBY
6:50 SYLVESTER AND TWETTY
6:55 MR. MAGOO
7:00 PINK PANTHER
7:05 JABBERJAW
7:10 CLUE CLUB
7:15 SCOOBY-DOO / DYNAMUTT
7:20 BUGS BUNNY ROAD RUNNER
7:25 ELECTRIC COMPANY
7:30 POPEYE AND BUGS
7:35 NEWS IN REVIEW
7:40 MISTER ROGERS' SPEED BUGGY
7:45 TARZAN: LORD OF THE JUNGLE
7:50 EXTENSION '77
7:55 SESAME STREET
8:00 THE MIGHTY MOUSE
8:05 MONSTER SQUAD
8:10 KROFFT SUPERSHOW
8:15 BATMAN
8:20 HOT FUDGE
8:25 HECKLE AND JECKLE
8:30 SPACE GHOST / FRANKENSTEIN, JR. / SHAZAM! / ISIS / HOBAB
8:35 ELECTRIC COMPANY
8:40 THE JETSONS
8:45 JOHN, LITTLE JOHN SUPER FRIENDS
8:50 WHAT ABOUT PEOPLE? MISTER ROGERS
8:55 MOVIE
9:00 'Down To The Sea In Ships' (1948) Richard Widmark, Lionel Barrymore. A whaling captain takes grandson to sea, runs afoul of iceberg and dies.
9:05 LAND OF THE LOST
9:10 ODDJOB COUPLE
9:15 FAT ALBERT
9:20 LOS TIEMPOS
9:25 ZOOM
9:30 TIME OUT WITH SCOTT
9:35 MUGGYS
9:40 'Hit And Run' An eighteen-year-old accidentally kills a woman while speeding in his car. When he panics and runs away, Nick and Muggsy track him down. (R)
9:45 AMERICAN BANDSTAND
9:50 ARK II
9:55 PARENTS IN ACTION
10:00 VILLA ALLEGRE

- 6:30 NEWS
6:35 THE RIFLEMAN
6:40 STUDIO SEE
6:45 Youngsters make a TV program, ride in a hot air balloon and visit a basement aquarium big enough for scuba diving.
6:50 BIG VALLEY
6:55 CANDID CAMERA
7:00 BEWITCHED
7:05 BEVERLY HILLBILLIES
7:10 ONCE UPON A CLASSIC
7:15 'David Copperfield' (Part 7) David and Dora are having a difficult time getting married. David receives an ominous letter from Mr. Micawber.
7:20 EMERGENCY!
7:25 'Family Ties' BeSofo frets over the upcoming visit of his hyper-critical mother-in-law, while Drs. Brackett and Early vie for a coveted working assignment in Hawaii.
7:30 BLANSKY'S BEAUTIES
7:35 'Nancy's Cover-Up' Ordered to have her showgirls perform topless, Nancy threatens to quit.
7:40 MARY TYLER MOORE
7:45 'Ted is asked by a local newspaper to write a story on "Freedom Of The Press," he asks Murray to ghost write it.
7:50 MUSIC-HALL AMERICA
7:55 RIVALRY OF SHERLOCK HOLMES
8:00 'The Secret Of The Fox Hunter' William Drew of the Foreign Office becomes involved in the most dangerous mission of his life when Count Krempstein arrives in England.
8:05 POPI GOES THE COUNTRY
8:10 'Power Play' Fish cuts off the kids allowances, but Victor turns up with an unexpected sum of cash.
8:15 BOB NEHWART
8:20 Bob strikes up an acquaintance with a fellow depositor in a bank line. Later, the man, a bank robber, holds Bob hostage.
8:25 DOLLY
8:30 'Bob Lobo' (1970) John Wayne, Jennifer O'Neill. A former Civil War officer flees a Texas town from carpetbaggers and settles an old score with a wartime traitor. (R)
8:35 STARKY & HUTCH
8:40 'Huggy Bear And The Turkey' Huggy Bear's detective business has a domestic problem which turns into a deadly double-cross.
8:45 ALL IN THE FAMILY
8:50 NASHVILLE MUSIC
8:55 STRAUSS FAMILY
9:00 'Adele' Johann marries again

SUNDAY

- 6:30 THE CHRISTOPHERS
6:35 PUBLIC POLICY
6:40 DUSTY'S TREEHOUSE
6:45 GOSPEL SINGING
6:50 JUBILEE
6:55 FAITH FOR TODAY
7:00 AMAZING GRACE BIBLE CLASS
7:05 TREEHOUSE CLUB
7:10 REVIVAL FIRES
7:15 JAMES ROBINSON
7:20 RELIGIOUS TOWN HALL
7:25 CARTAL EYE
7:30 LARRY JONES
7:35 LARRY JONES MINISTRY
7:40 ALL THE KING'S CHILDREN
7:45 FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH
7:50 DAY OF DISCOVERY
7:55 NEWSWORTHY
8:00 GENE WILLIAMS
8:05 REX HUMBARO
8:10 BIG BLUE MARBLE
8:15 DIVINE PLAN
8:20 ENGLISH 101
8:25 JERRY FALWELL
8:30 JUNIOR ALMOST
8:35 ANYTHING GOES
8:40 ORAL ROBERTS
8:45 RIVER OF LIFE
8:50 ENGLISH 101
8:55 JERRY FALWELL
9:00 ADVENTURES OF GILGAN
9:05 GOOD NEWS
9:10 IT IS WRITTEN
9:15 EARTH SCIENCE 117
9:20 HOUR OF POWER
9:25 ANIMALS, ANIMALS, ANIMALS
9:30 AMERICAN RELIGIOUS TOWN HALL
9:35 LET THE BIBLE SPEAK
9:40 EARTH SCIENCE 117
9:45 JOHNNY GOMEZ
9:50 HERE COME THE BRIDES
9:55 FACE THE NATION
10:00 Guest: Rep. Thomas 'Tip' O'Neill, Jr. (D-Mass.), Speaker of the House of Representatives.
10:05 FIRST METHODIST CHURCH OF FORT WORTH
10:10 ENGLISH 102
10:15 FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH
10:20 MEET THE PRESS
10:25 ISSUES AND ANSWERS
10:30 GARNER TED ARMSTRONG
10:35 ENGLISH 102

- 6:30 CHALLENGE OF THE SEXES
6:35 Woman competes against man in water-ski slalom, basketball and demolition derby.
6:40 POINT OF VIEW
6:45 HUMANITIES 101
6:50 THE BIBLE
6:55 NCAA BASKETBALL
6:55 Indiana vs. Purdue
7:00 VIRGIL WARD CHAMPIONSHIP FISHING
7:05 HUMANITIES 101
7:10 REVIVAL FIRES
7:15 NBA GAME
7:20 Teams To Be Announced.
7:25 WALLACE WILDLIFE
7:30 A THIRD TESTAMENT
7:35 Dietrich Bonhoeffer, Lutheran pastor/rudite theologian and middle-class German, was able to generate hope at a dark moment in history, comforting and heartening many.
7:40 ERNEST ANGLE
7:45 THE WORLD TOMORROW
7:50 DAYTONA '500'
7:55 Live coverage of the Championship Stock Car Race from Daytona Beach, Florida.
8:00 DAVID WADE COOKING SHOW
8:05 FAMILY AT WAR
8:10 'The Things You Never Told Me' 1944-Margaret Porter still has not told her husband about her love affair with Michael, but it is now time for the decision.
8:15 GOSPEL LIGHTHOUSE
8:20 MOVIE
8:25 'Blondie Goes Latin' (1941) Penny Singleton, Arthur Lake. Blondie, Dagwood and Mr. Dithers leave for a business trip to Latin America.
8:30 NASHVILLE ON THE ROAD
8:35 NBA GAME
8:40 The Boston Celtics battle the Golden State Warriors at the Oakland Coliseum arena, Oakland, California. Half-time will feature Red Auerback and Jimmy 'The Snake' Snyder.
8:45 JEANNE WOLF WITH...
8:50 'Henry Fonda' Fonda looks back on a career of embodying the ideal American in stage and screen productions from 'The Grapes Of Wrath' and 'Young Mr. Lincoln' to 'Mister Roberts' and his acclaimed one-man show 'Clarence Darrow.'
8:55 JUST PASSING THRU
9:00 FRIENDS OF MAN
9:05 WIDE WORLD OF SPORTS
9:10 CROCKETT'S VICTORY
9:15 HAPPY HUNTERS
9:20 NBC RELIGIOUS SPECIAL
9:25 'Beyond Niagara' Alexander Scourby narrates this examination of Canada's historical, cultural and religious development.
9:30 VOYAGE TO THE BOTTOM

ACROSS 1 Work at 48 Grider Jimmy 4 Siphons 9 School organization (abbr.) 12 Poverty-war agency (abbr.) 13 Sleep noisily 14 Rowing blade 15 Plug 16 Old picture card 17 Greek letter 18 Horse 19 navigator 20 Pigsty 21 Weather bureau (abbr.) 22 Go aboard at depot 23 400, Roman 27 French article 28 Italian lady 32 Predatory birds 35 Cloud typ 36 Feas 37 Hamite 38 Between (Fr.) 39 Musical syllable 40 Spanish article 41 Most nervous

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one knows where he is or whether he's alive or dead. (2) STAR TREK MOVIE (CONTINUED) 10:35 TONIGHT Host: Johnny Carson. Guests: Robert Klein, Maggie Kuhn, Lawrence Welk. (2) MARY HARTMAN, MARY HARTMAN 10:45 GUNSMOKE MOVIE 11:00 MOVIE 'Tarzan And The Slave Girl' (1950) Lex Barker, Denise Darcel. The people of a jungle village are suffering from a strange disease. 'Alexander Nevsky' (1938) Nikolai Cherkassov. Directed by Sergei Eisenstein. The epic of a Russian national hero's defeat of the Teutonic invaders in the 13th century. (2) LUCY SHOW 11:30 (2) WYATT EARP 11:45 SPORTS SCOREBOARD 12:00 MIDNIGHT SPECIAL Host: Electric Light Orchestra. Guests: Santana, Mary MacGregor, Don Mc Lean and George Miller. (2) MUSIC HALL AMERICA DRAGNET MOVIE (2) JOULEY TO ADVENTURE 12:30 NEWS 1:00 S.W.A.T. 'Criss Cross' An ex-Senator assists in a police investigation of his electronics warehouse robbery in which two policemen were slain. (R) and finds fresh vitality and inspiration, but his marriage causes him to change his religion and nationality. (2) REX HUMBARO 8:30 GRAMMY AWARDS Live from the Hollywood Palladium, the 18th annual show to honor outstanding artistic and technical achievements in the recording world. Andy Williams is host. (2) PORTER WAGONER 'The Tunnel Killer' Capt. Evers, posing as an ex-con, infiltrates a Mexican arms deal and finds himself organizing a five million dollar bank heist that he has to go through with. (2) HIGH CHAPARRAL (2) MEETING OF MINDS Charles Darwin, Emily Dickinson, Galileo and Attila the Hun discuss creativity, love, faith and man as a warlike being on this program written and moderated by Steve Allen. 9:30 THE LESSON 10:00 ABC NEWS 10:05 WRESTLING MOVIE 'The Sun Shines Bright' (1953) Burt Lancaster, Lee Remick. A rambunctious temperance leader sets out to reform a wild cowboy in the old West. 11:00 MOVIE 'International Animation Festival' A classic cartoon from Walter Lantz; a visual poem about the life and work of Toulouse-Lautrec; a folk tale about the legendary Rainbow Bear; and a story of how Santa Claus is robbed by bad guys. 11:30 WORLD CHAMPIONSHIP TENNIS 11:30 IRONSIDE 12:00 SOUNDSTAGE 'Judy Collins And Leonard Cohen' Selections include 'Both Sides Now', 'Hey, That's No Way To Say Good-bye', 'Suzanne' and 'Bird On The Wire.' 12:30 MOVIE 'House Of Horrors' (1946) Bill Goodwin, Virginia Grey. (2) NEWS



### 'Back Room' Open Again

Members of the chamber's Hereford Hustlers participated in a ribbon-cutting ceremony for a new business at Sugarland Mall Wednesday. Pat's Back Room, located in the rear of the Tree House, was officially opened for business with owner Pat

Lawson helping cut the ribbon. Left to right are John Bryant, Lynn Brisendine, Sherry Hoover, Charlie Bell, Mrs. Lawson, Irene McKinster, chairman of the Hustlers; and Melvin Jayroe.

### Hearings

allegations. Bill Alexander, research assistant with the TWDB was called by Jerome Kirby, attorney for the weather modification firms. Alexander monitored Atmospheric's efforts in 1975, and testified that he had no documented proof of flight rule violations by the company, and had

received only one unconfirmed violation report.

Dr. Pierre St. Amand, the U.S. Navy's top weather modification expert, was also called by Kirby to testify on inadvertent weather modification.

St. Amand testified that particles such as ammonia produced by cattle manure

could affect rainfall over long periods of time, as ammonia vapor encourages the concentration on ice in clouds, enhancing hail production and reducing the chances for rainfall.

BIGELOW FACES the difficult task of making a recommendation on the highly emotional issue following the conclusion of the hearings today.

## Letter To The Editor

Dear Editor:

Recently, the Hereford High School government classes held a Student in Government Day. The purpose of this special day was to get the students interested and involved in government at the local level. A

special election was held at the high school, and the winning students were allowed to visit and observe their respective offices for half a day.

The Social Studies Faculty sincerely thanks the following people who made this day a

## Rudd Named 1977 GM Family Leader

Colleen Rudd, Hereford High School, has been named 1977 General Mills Family Leader of Tomorrow. The student won the honor by scoring highest in the school in a written knowledge and attitude examination administered to high school seniors here and throughout the country December 7. The Family Leader will receive a certificate from General Mills, sponsor of the annual Search for Leadership in Family Living, and will now be considered for state and national honors.

From the ranks of all school winners in the state, a State Family Leader of Tomorrow will be selected through judging centered on test performance and will receive a \$1,500 college scholarship. The second-ranking student in the state will receive a \$500 scholarship. Encyclopedia Britannica Educational Corporation will present "The Annals of America," a 20-volume reference work, to the state winner's school.

Representing every state and the District of Columbia, the 51 General Mills Family Leaders of Tomorrow will gather in Colonial Williamsburg, Virginia, in April for an expense-paid educational tour there and in Washington, D.C. During the tour, personal observations and

interviews will be conducted to select the All-American Family Leader of Tomorrow, who will receive a \$5,000 college scholarship. Second, third and fourth place national winners receive scholarships increased to \$4,000, \$3,000 and \$2,000, respectively.

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## THE ABUNDANT LIFE

By BOB WEAR

### Fool's paradise



"A STATE OF DELUSORY happiness" is a "fool's paradise". In my area of service as guidance counsellor, most of the people who come to me have just left, or they are trying to find the way to leave some type of delusory happiness, which, to them, has become a nightmare of distress.

They now realize that they have been deceived, or that they have deceived themselves. They have foolishly "accepted as true or real that which is actually untrue or unreal."

THERE ARE MANY WAYS of entering "fool's paradise", and one of the most common and most deceitful of all is the notion that there can be freedom without restraint: the misconception that we are free to do as we please, to throw off all controls, restrictions, and restraints.

This is one of the very worst delusions found in human thought. Everything that is dependable and authentic shouts the falseness and destructiveness of this way.

It is actually the most oppressive enslavement known to mankind. The truth is that the only productive, useful, and enduring freedom is found in our submission to the best known standards and limitations, with full and cheerful acceptance of all established responsibility.

HEARTACHE AND confusion are found increasingly among those who choose to leave the good life for a fling in "fool's paradise".

There are many, and all of them pitiable in the harvest they are reaping from the bad seed they have sown.

The way back from this trip into "fool's paradise" is unbelievably difficult. The astronomical loss of human resources, because of this widespread evil, is one of the biggest tragedies of present-day life. The individual loss is but a small part of the total loss.

Our social structure is weakened, there is great financial loss, and other incalculable loss; loss too great to measure.

SOME OF THEM are guilty of immorality. There are those who have been living with someone, but not legally married. Some of these have been discarded by their partner, some have come to their senses and want to try to re-establish a decent life, and some have other problems, naturally associated with this unhappy kind of relationship.

Then, there are the unwed mothers, some just children, who are left with the stigma and burden of an illegitimate child.

OTHERS THOUGHT that they could use dope and booze and successfully escape the world of reality. They entered "fool's paradise" by the destructive road of hallucination, by deliberately deranging their mental capacities. Some never find the way back, but some do.

WE CANNOT HAVE REWARD without labor, not for long; a strong society without morality; a satisfactory life without character; public integrity without private integrity; orderly society without obedience to law; or a strong economy without thrift and industry.

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## Sul Ross Students Honored

Two Sul Ross State University students from Hereford have been named to the Dean's List for the 1976 fall semester.

They are: Alan E. Cornelius, son of Guy Cornelius, Jr.; and Charles David Duvall, son of Charles Duvall.

Cornelius is a senior majoring in physical education and Duvall

is a senior majoring in physical education also. These students are among 250 students named to the list by the University's Academic Affairs Office. In order to qualify, students must have maintained a 3.0 or better grade point average for the semester. Sul Ross is located in Alpine, Tex.



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MARTIN'S SOUND CENTER Corner of I-40 and Georgia Amarillo, Texas 1-138-tfc

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

WE BUY AND SELL USED FURNITURE BARRICK FURNITURE WEST HWY 60 PHONE 364-3552 1-1-tfc

Refrigerated box car for sale. Call 364-3786. 1-161-tfc

Oat hay for sale. 364-0505. 1-158-tfc

For Sale--Two good divans. 364-1264. 1-165-3c

SHAKLEE PRODUCTS Clyde & Lee Cave Authorized Distributor 364-1073 107 Ave. C 1-95-tfc

Nearly new electric double oven range. Self cleaning ceramic top. Gold color. Call 364-1438. 1-162-5p

Avocado color gas range 36". \$65.00. Call 364-1096 after 6:30 p.m. 1-163-5p

1976 Kawai studio piano. Lifetime guarantee. \$200.00 and assume payments of \$45.00, low balance. Phone 258-7286. 1-160-tfc

BABY PARAKEETS and Finches 364-1017. 1-97-tfc

KIRBY VACUUM CLEANER COMPANY OF HEREFORD

602 Star 364-0422 Hereford's only authorized Kirby Sales and Service. Bud Hansen, owner. 1-160-22c

1975 15' Larsen 85 HP Johnson motor. Power shift dilly trailer. \$250.00 Assume payments of \$97.00 month, low balance. 258-7286. 1-160-tfc

Set of Howe platform scales. 8 x 16 and will weigh 8,000 pounds. \$650.00. 364-6121. 1-160-tfc

Control hunger and lose weight with New Shape Diet Plan and Hydrex Water Pills. At Edwards Pharmacy. 1-164-21p

FOR SALE OR TRADE for equal value. 3 bedroom house of furniture. 364-4108. 1-164-5c

110 pound set barbells. Two dumbbells. Like new. Call Bob at 364-2030 8-5 weekdays, 364-5490 after 5 and on weekends. 1-166-tfc

ROUGH OAK. 2'x4'x6'. Haygrazer \$1.20 bale. Hobart 400 AMP welder, diesel engine. Westinghouse. Hobart 200 AMP welders. 364-0484. 1-166-2c

Mediterranean living room suit, solid maple end table and twin bed. All good condition. Call 364-2164 after 5 weekdays or all day weekends. 1-165-3c

1-A GARAGE SALE

GARAGE SALE: Bluewater Gardens office. 612 Irving. Saturday and Sunday. A lot of miscellaneous. 1A-165-2c

GARAGE SALE. Moving--Saturday 9 to 6. 215 Douglas. 1A-166-1c

2. FOR SALE Farm Equipment

STANHAY PRECISION PLANTERS See them at ROARK IMPLEMENT VEGA, TEXAS 2-166-30c

STEEL STORAGE. pressure tanks. 500 to 30,000 gallons. DIESEL trucks, semitrailers TA. Reefers. Vans. Flats. Cattle. Tankers pressure, vacuum. 364-0484. 2-166-2c

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1977 International tractor with a Formula 90 Cummins. 10 speed Road Ranger. 806-938-2584. 2-164-5p

See Us For Mayrath Grain Augers Also have parts in stock DAVIS IMPLEMENT 409 EAST FIRST Phone 364-2811. 2-1-tfc

See Us For PARTS SWEEPS CHISELS FOR Graham (home) Plows DAVIS IMPLEMENT 409 E. First Phone 364-2811. 2-33-tfc

Want to buy good used farm tractors - any make. Odis M. Hill. 364-5127. 2-121-tfc

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Major items include: 1. Grain storage barn, 20' sidewalls, 88'x96' w.i. or w.o. 40' Butler leg w.i. reducer and motor & 80' screw conveyor (6" enclosed auger w.i. 6 gatts.) 2. Elevator- Feed Mill- 45' Butler leg, overhead hopper scales, silage conveyor, grinder & tanks. 3. 1000' Prestressed concrete feedbunks--24' lengths w.i. standards for neck cable. 4. 90' 12" enclosed auger (w.i. Gates and drop). 5. Set of Fairbanks-- Morse scales w.i. recording beam 20,000 # cap'y. 6. Used lumber, posts, corrugated steel siding, and much more.

CALL TRIP BRADEN 335-1261 or 353-0454 nights 2-165-10c

For sale: Electric Zimmatic, double brush external collector ring, electrical monitoring system, heavy duty gear boxes, one H'P high torque motors. Call 806/364-2964 after 6 p.m. 2-141-tfc

Three used 455 Olds irrigation motors, newly rebuilt. Call 364-5174 after 6:30 p.m. 2-163-10c

For sale - 2 Waterman Hydrants, 12 x 8. Call 578-4563. 2-163-5c

NEW CUMMINS--DIESEL SALES & Parts Representative Oglesby Equipment Co., Inc. 2-1-tfc

3. VEHICLES FOR SALE

1974 Ford Pinto, 30,000 miles. Sacrifice. MUST SELL. Phone 258-7286. 3-160-tfc

1972 Monte Carlo, like-new. Assume payments \$83.00 monthly, low mileage. 1964 El Camino, recently rebuilt 350, \$450.00 258-7286. 3-160-tfc

1969 Impala, 1964 Galaxie wagon, two wheel camper. Call 364-0178. 3-166-tfc

1973 2 door Pontiac Luxury Lemans. White and gold. 50,000 miles. 364-4407 after 5:30. 223 Fir. 3-166-tfc

1975 Chevrolet 1/4 ton custom deluxe, power steering, automatic transmission, air conditioning. 364-9658. 505 Grand Ave. 3-166-2c

1965 Mustang. Rebuilt engine. Rebuilt transmission. Good tires. After 7 p.m., 326 Ave. E. 364-5018. Robert. 3-166-2c

FIFTY TON Fairbanks Scale. Concrete batching plant. Mixers. AC14D 4WD loader. Elevator. Feedmill machinery. 364-0484. 3-166-2c

'74 Dodge Club Cab, 318, 3 sp. A/C \$2,450. Phone 364-5220. 3-164-5c

1965 Plymouth, as is. 364-0650. 3-164-5c

1973 Monte Carlo. Call 364-3757 after 6 p.m. 3-165-5p

1975 Dodge one ton club cab truck. - 1976 Dodge club cab truck. Contact First National Bank, 364-2435. 3-103-tfc

1973 Plymouth III. 1974 Plymouth station wagon. Call First National Bank, 364-2435. 3-103-tfc

1968 Vista Cruiser station wagon. Good motor. Can be seen at 821 Blevins. Price \$595.00. 3-164-5p

FUNNY BUSINESS

By Roger Ballen



Clean 1973 Ford Galaxie 500, 4 door, air conditioner, radio and heater. 364-4030 days. 3-151-tfc

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

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

NEW & USED CARS now for sale at JOHN OSBORN BUICK PONTIAC, GMC'S new location 221 North 25 Mile Ave. 3-8-tfc

For Sale -- Low mileage older model car. Call 364-2919. 3-162-tfc

1974 Cadillac, extra clean, low mileage. 901 Sioux. 364-3865. 3-162-5c

Must sell 1976 Grand Prix SJ. loaded, low mileage. 364-2408 after 6 or weekends. 3-162-5c

1975 1066 International, 2,000 hours, Cab, air conditioned, heater, radio and duals. 18,438 rigger fully weighted. 364-3325. 3-156-tfc

1975 Gran Torino Elite. 364-1146 or 364-5274 after 6 p.m. 3-164-5p

3-A FOR SALE RV'S & CAMPERS

1972 model 31' Sovereign International Airstream. Loaded, complete. Might trade for equity in real estate. 364-1160 after 5 p.m. 3A-152-tfc

Make it easy to stock your RV for summer fun. Visit JACK'S MARINE for chemicals, light bulbs, accessories. East Hwy 60, 364-4331. 3A-160-13c

4. REAL ESTATE For Sale Or Trade

541 acres, partly irrigated. 251 acres pasture, 290 acres farmland. Near Wildorado. Call 352-1315, Amarillo. 4-166-5p

MONTHLY TERMS AVAILABLE ON YOUR CHOICE OF PROPERTY Contact James Gentry at First Realty of the Southwest about spacious, restricted YUCCA HILLS NORTH

FOR SALE BY OWNER 3 bedroom, 2 bath custom built brick home. 3000 sq. ft. living area, fireplace, basement, 3 car garage, sprinkler system, tennis court. 2 lots, beautiful landscaping, ideal location. Like new inside and out. 113 Hickory Call 364-2677 4-138-tfc

I can show you approximately 90 homes priced from \$20,000 to \$100,000. Let me make it easier for you to find yours. Call now for appointment. Wilma Taylor, REALTOR. Carnahan Griffin, 364-1251 or 364-4207. 4-166-2c

Irrigated 800 acre Sherman County farm. 4 wells with 3850 gallons water. Government official says they believe will have good water yet in year 2000. Absentee owner needs to sell. Possession immediately. Call 806-396-2502 morning or evening. 4-164-5c

Brick, 3 bedroom, 2 baths, fence fireplace, new carpet and drapes. 2,080 sq. ft. double garage. Northwest. Call after 6:00 p.m. 364-3969. 4-163-5p

Four large bedrooms, 2 full baths, large closets, all carpeted, fenced backyard. Call 364-2129 after 5 p.m. for appointment. 4-160-22p

Three bedroom, 2 bath, 1900 sq. ft. Northwest. Woodburning fireplace. Call 364-1251 or after 5. 364-4616. REALTOR. 4-160-tfc

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Do you know that you can own your own 1977 mobile home with no down payment and just \$103.00 per month including insurance, set-up and tie down?? Call 258-7286 Hereford. 4-107-tfc

Three bedroom for sale by owner. One bedroom rental apartment. 364-5044. 4-165-5p

For Sale: Two bedroom house to be moved. Call 1-285-2729. 4-165-5c

FOR SALE: House to be moved. 578-4351 or 289-5850. 4-1-tfc

One of Hereford's Best Homes. Swayze built. Has all the extras. Call for appointment after 5 p.m. 364-1510. REALTOR. 4-164-tfc

HOUSE FOR SALE BY OWNER IN FRIONA (The Charlie Short House) 4 bedroom brick home, 2 1/2 baths, large utility, large recreation basement, den and kitchen combination with fireplace. Formal living and dining room. On corner lot. 150x150. For appointment call 247-3350 or 247-3677, or call Charlie Short, 267-2110 Vega, or 426-3332 Wildorado. 4-142-tfc

4-A MOBILE-HOMES FOR SALE

Dealer Repo. Large 2-bedroom carpeted furnished beautiful mobile home. Assume payments \$103.00 258-7286, Hereford. 4A-34-tfc

Dealer Repo. Assume payments on 14 wide 3-bedroom mobile home. 258-7286, Hereford. \$126 per month. 4A-34-tfc

5. FOR RENT

2 WEEKS FREE RENT (Limited time) 1 1/2 baths. Carpeted. Utilities paid. Playground. NEW laundry facilities. 20 min. drive to Hereford. Rent starting at \$147 mo. Saratoga Gardens 1300 North Walnut Ave. Friona, Texas Call collect 247-3666 5-Th-F-S-155-12c 8-17-tfc

FARM FOR LEASE: Approximately 1000 acres cultivated, 1000, grass. Inquire by letter, Box 673 CT, Hereford. 5-166-5p

Two bedroom unfurnished apartment. No pets. 364-5111. 5-166-5c

SELL OR LEASE 680A. Near Hereford's top markets. Oceans water for alfalfa, silage, grains, vegetables. 364-0484. 5-166-2c

One bedroom furnished house for couple or single person. No pets. Deposit required. See at 907 South McKinley or call 364-3786. 5-161-tfc

2 one bedroom houses, furnished or unfurnished. Rent (as is) monthly or will remodel on lease. Call 364-0789. 5-158-tfc

Three room furnished apartment with new carpet. Clean. Bills paid. Carport. Single lady or couple. By appointment only. 364-2256. 5-162-tfc

NOW LEASING--Move your family into warmth and comfort. Two bedrooms, fireplace central heat and air, double carports. Sycamore Lane Apartments, Call 364-2791. 5-97-tfc

FURNISHED one and two bedroom apartments. Inquire in person. 112 Ave. H. Apt. 36. 5-155-tfc

For rent: mobile home for a working couple. Furnished, carpeted. (Countryside Park) 364-0064. 5-158-10c

Will pay cash for a mobile home 7 years or older. Call 364-0064 or 364-1760. 6-162-6c

WANTED: Custom farming any type, also Herbicide application and incorporation. High Plains Custom Farming. Call 364-7043. 6-161-Tu-F-tfc

Need young single woman to share three bedroom house and expenses. Phone 364-6056. 6-145-tfc

6. WANTED

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

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

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Wanted: nice lady companion for elderly lady, especially nights. Call 364-2280. 8-159-5c

Medically trained people needed to complete insurance exams, this area. We train. Car and good handwriting required. Excellent income potential. Write Mr. Davidson, E.M.S.I., 111 W. Mockingbird Lane, Suite 560, Dallas, Tex. 75247. Phone 214-638-3629. 8-164-5c

Two ladies with car three hours a day, five days a week. \$75.00. Call Stanley Home Products. 364-6570. 8-164-3c

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Infant care in my home. Do you play bridge? Work part time? Find yourself in a bind when your regular sitter is ill? I do drop-in child care in my home. Prefer infants, will consider older child. Reasonable rates. LVN. Call 364-2134. 9-162-5p

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ALCOHOLISM INFORMATION For information on alcoholism, referrals for help, counseling, on programs on the subject of the disease of alcoholism, call 364-4540 from 8 a.m. 'till 12:00 1:00 p.m. until 5 p.m. Monday through Friday. A UNITED FUND AGENCY 10-1-tfc

Lions Club meets each Wednesday, 12 Noon Civic Club Center (Jim Hill)

GENERAL ELECTRIC Authorized sales and service. Expert service on all major brand appliances. Taylor Furniture & Appliance 603 Park Avenue, Hereford. Phone 364-1561 10-25-tfc

11. BUSINESS SERVICE

WEDDING PHOTOGRAPHY-Modern and custom poses, prompt, efficient service, plus reasonable rates. Lanny Smith 364-3953, any day of the week. See at 401 Sycamore. 11-43-tfc

TEX--MEX DITCHING Phone 364-4907 All your ditching needs Turn key job Free estimates 11-35-tfc

Singer approved dealer. Sales and service on all sewing machines and vacuums. Phone 364-4051, 226 North Main. 11-30-tfc

FRANK WESTER CEMENT CONTRACTOR 107 BRADLEY Residential-Commercial Turnkey Job Straight finish Phone 364-5169. 11-39-tfc

ELECTRICAL CONTRACTING GRANADA ELECTRIC CO. Larry Granado--712 Stanton Industrial\*Commercial\* Residential Licensed, bonded & insured 364-2947 -- 364-6102 Mobile phone 364-4741, ask for Unit 3309 11-101-tfc

KELLY ELECTRIC Virgil Kelley Electrical Contractors Residential-Commercial All bids & wiring competitive Ph. 364-1345- Nights 364-1523 or 364-5929. P.O. Box 30 11-15-tfc

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Up to Date on Tax Law Changes  
4 Years Experience  
8 a.m. to 5 p.m.  
364-6482  
11-130-tfc

For seeding new lawns and rotor tilling, cleaning alleys. Call Ryder's Lawn & Garden, 364-3356.  
11-151-22c

Piano tuning and repair in Hereford and surrounding area. Free estimates on work. 364-1777.  
11-89-tfc

**12. LIVESTOCK**  
For sale: 5 registered Charolais cows, 3 bulls and 2 Holstein cows. Call 364-0438.  
12-141-tfc

STOCKER CATTLE for sale. Pasture wanted, for stocker cattle. Western Feed Lot, 364-2723 or 258-7549.  
12-37-tfc

**13. LOST & FOUND**  
LOST: Men's brown framed eye glasses. \$5.00 reward for return. 364-4494.  
13-165-3p  
LOST: Missing -- two steers with horseshoe type brand open side up, left hip. 364-6121.  
13-160-tfc

**THE WORLD ALMANAC'S Q&A**  
There are specific names for groups of animals. Match up the group name to the correct animal.  
1. muster of  
2. bed of  
3. yoke of  
4. gang of  
5. mob of  
(a) elks  
(b) oxen  
(c) kangaroos  
(d) clams, oysters  
(e) peacocks  
ANSWERS:  
(1) (c) (2) (a) (3) (d) (4) (e) (5) (b)

## State-Line News

By MRS. C.L. HUTCHINS  
News Correspondent

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Allen attended last week the Annual Winter Montana State Picnic, held in Mesa, Ariz., for four days. This is held for all local residents who are spending the winter in Arizona and surrounding states who have previously lived in Montana.  
The Allen's were met in Mesa, Ariz., by other relatives her brother and wife, Mr. and Mrs. H.E. Shierson of San Diego, Calif., and her sister Mrs. Gladys Ramberg of Drummond, Mont. who had previously flown to California to visit with her brother and wife the H.E. Shierson's.  
Enroute back home Mr. and Mrs. Earl Allen accompanied by her sister Mrs. Gladys Ramberg, the group visited in Yuma, Ariz., with Allen's sister and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Evan Robertson for two days. The Allen's and their guest arrived home Thursday.

Johnston, Gina Burnett, Curtis Allen, Mark Harrison, Barry Allen, Lor and Eddie Riley, Bernadette Flores and Debbie, Angie and Isabel Aryjo.  
Mrs. N.A. Brown and her son and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Brown, returned home Saturday afternoon from Temple where Mrs. N.A. Brown underwent a series of medical tests at the Scott and White Clinic. We are happy to report she had a good health record and her local family physician will give her treatments for her eyes.  
Mrs. Ralph Lofton and her daughter, Mrs. Charles Gunnels of Clovis, were in Tucumcari shopping Monday afternoon.

Randy Stup of Clovis visited Saturday afternoon in the home of his uncle and aunt Mr. and Mrs. Johnnie Foster.

C.L. Hutchins, was overnight guest in the home of Rev. and Mrs. Bob Fulling and children Rusty and Shannon, in Clovis Sunday night.  
Hutchins drove to Roswell Monday for eye tests and later transacted business at Buco Sert Quarter Horse Ranch. He returned home Monday night.

Carl Hawkins and Jim Box of Portales were Sunday afternoon guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Louis Sorensen. The group enjoyed games of "42" and visitation.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Marion Potts and daughters, Becky and Monia Ann, were in Lubbock Wednesday visiting the Texas Tech Campus where Miss Becky Potts is planning on attending this fall semester.

Mrs. Rosalie Colwell of Hereford, former resident, is leaving Wednesday for Elsinore, Calif., where she will visit her brother Mr. and Mrs. Ernest King, and another brother Mr. and Mrs. Grady King who resides in Hamlet, Calif. before she joins a group to go on a camping outing.  
Mrs. Colwell plans on returning back home about the first of March.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Brown left Sunday morning with a group from Hereford to attend the West Texas Rural Telephone Convention held in Houston for three days.

J.M. Blackburn of Spokane, Wash. flew to Denver, Colo. transacting business Wednesday. Then J.M. flew to Amarillo to visit from Friday through Sunday with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Barney B. Blackburn, who are residing in the home of their son, Mr. and Mrs. Austin Blackburn while B.B. Blackburn is recuperating from a recent long illness.

Richard Kaylor was rushed to the clovis Memorial Hospital Monday night about 11 a.m. by his pastor, the Rev. Francis Hoagland, suffering from a heart condition. His condition has improved and he is back home.

Mr. and Mrs. Barney Blackburn spent the weekend at their ranch in the Broadview community. Friends who called in the Blackburn home Sunday included: Mr. and Mrs. Foster Stephens and Harry Donahay of Clovis; Mr. and Mrs. Short Matlock and Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Queener of Grady; G.R. Stout, Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Tate, Mr. and Mrs. Darrell Duke and daughter Sheryl, Mr. and Mrs. Buster Seals, Mr. and Mrs. Earl Allen and her sister Mrs. Gladys Ramberg of Drummond, Mont. and Rev. and Mrs. Leonard Jennings of Clovis. Each friend wished Barney a speedy recovery and glad he was able to be home for the weekend.

Mrs. Jimmy Schell visited with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Elton Green, Star Route, Clovis Monday.  
Elton and Polly had just returned from a winter vacation

to Hawaii and reported having a wonderful vacation.

Mr. and Mrs. Johnnie Foster visited Thursday in Clovis in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Carl Osborn.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Lofton visited Saturday afternoon in Clovis with Mrs. Dezzie Garrett and her daughter Mrs. Jessie Sorrows and Mrs. Owida Davidson.

Later in the evening the Loftons were dinner guests in the home of her sister and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Stockton in Texico.

Mrs. Ralph Burnett and Mrs. Eddie Harrington attended the Curry County Farm Bureau Women's planning committee Monday when the group met at a local restaurant with County Chairwomen Helen Kelly presiding. Plans were made for the coming year's activities. Mrs. Burnett is vice-chairman.

The Grady-Broadview 4-H Club held election of officers recently in the Grady Community Center.

Elected to serve during the upcoming year were: Jay Lynn Blackburn, president; Phillip Borden, vice-president; Lisa Blackburn, secretary; Lane Grau, treasurer; Jerry Dean Isler, reporter; Sheryl Duke, historian; William Dale Rush, Chaplin. Debbie Blackburn will be council representative while Kemp Northcutt and Denise Riey will serve as Recreation Leaders.

Thursday dinner guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. C.L. Hutchins included friends Joe Thrasher and Paul Wolfolk of Clovis.

Mr. and Mrs. Johnnie Foster returned home Thursday from Lubbock after having spent the past ten days in the home of their daughter and family, Mr.

## Hall Of Fame Committee To Convene

The honoree selection committee of the Cowgirl Hall of Fame will meet at Tulia next week to begin preparation for naming the 1977 Hall of Fame inductees.

Georgia Sparks of 506 Westhaven, is chairman of this committee, which also includes Betty Keith of Sunray, Mrs. Dick O'Daniel of Tulia, Graddy Tunnell of Plainview and Mrs. Bob Fuller of Lubbock.

Residents are welcome to nominate deserving women to be inducted into the Hall of Fame and Western Heritage. Deadline for nomination is March 1. The chosen honorees will be officially inducted into the Hall of Fame on the evening of Saturday, May 14 during the Cowgirl Rodeo here.

Presently there are nine inductees enshrined at the Hall of Fame. Six of these women are living.

## Hospital Notes

PATIENTS IN HOSPITAL

Carmen Arango, 507 Ave. K; Lois Austin, Friona; James Baker, 116 N. Texas; Imelda Bernal, Box 1305; Cecelia Brorman, Route 1; Joe Brown, Route 5; George Byrd, 133 Ave. F.

Annie Chavez, Box 1208; Faust Collier, Route 2; Susie Farris, 612 Irving; #121; Clara Fry, Star Route; Callie Gilbert, 1209 Park Ave.; Juanita Gucvara, 840 Irving.

Lucille Guinn, 108 Irving; John Hall, 112 Ave. J; Gussie Jones, 218 Ave. A; Bernadette Kalka, Box 683; Deborah McCarley, 212 Cherokee.

Naomi Murrell, 432 Ave. H; Jesus Quintero, Box 747; Thomas Sparkman, Route 2; Ruth Tarr, 304 16th; Loyd Vaughn, 213 Ranger; Anibal Villarreal, Box 2188; and Mary Wilson, 114 Juniper.

DISMISSALS  
Gloria Alvarez, Lisa Cagle, Sandra Brookhart and Beverly Larkin.

and Mrs. Frank Wyatt and son Dennis.

Mrs. Wyatt is recuperating now from having major surgery at her home. Mrs. Johnnie Foster has been confined to her home the past week with a respiratory infection; however Ruby is showing good improvement.

Arthur Coffman observed his 74th birthday Feb. 7th. Visiting in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Coffman included his sister Mrs. Letha Bailey of Broadview and a niece Mrs. Avon Bold of Grady. The group enjoyed refreshments of birthday cake baked by Mrs. Bold and coffee during the afternoon.

Dub Sanderson and Francis Decker returned last Friday from Golden City, where Sanderson checked on crops on his farm while Decker was transacting business buying cattle in the area.

The Plains Baptist Association monthly "Youth Rally" was held Tuesday evening 7 p.m. in the Forrest Height Baptist Church in Clovis, with Rev. Wayne McLemore, pastor in charge of arrangements.

Tommy Norvell a student of E.N.M.U. and Baptist Student Union was the guest speaker. His "Jesus' First Miracle" found in John 1:1-10.

Refreshments were served by the Forrest Height ladies consisting of hors d'oeuvres, assorted cookies and float punch to approximately 150 guests.

Rev. Richard Clymer and Mrs. Howard Dunchan took cars with the following local youths attending: Delinda Duncan, Schree Rucker, Tommy Clymer, Danny Duncan, Deborah Allen, Mike Cross, Jimmy Lambert, and Jerry Hultman.

Mrs. Paul Harrison and Mrs. Jimmy Schell were in Amarillo Thursday visiting with Mrs. Harrison's niece, Mrs. Darrell

Campbell, who is a medical patient in an Amarillo hospital.

Mrs. Nelse Pearce was a medical patient in the Clovis Memorial Hospital Monday having a series of medical tests. Her many friends wish her a speedy recovery.

Rev. Richard Clymer visited Monday with Rance Ford, grandson of Roy Ford who underwent surgery recently in the Clovis Memorial Hospital and was re-admitted due to complications. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Garry Ford of Wyoming.

Miss Inez Short, Broadview postmistress, visited Saturday afternoon in the home of Rev. and Mrs. Bob Fulling and children Rusty and Shannon in Clovis.

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FRIDAY: Grilled cheese sandwich, hot vegetable soup, creamy cole slaw, french fries, cookie sliced bread and milk.

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### WARRANTY DEEDS

Jerry Dickerson et ux to Medercraft, Inc., All of Lot 1, Block 4, Ralph Owens Addition to the City of Hereford.  
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J. Lynton Allred et ux to D.C. Kinsey, All of Lot 16, Block 8, Westhaven Addition to the City of Hereford.  
Francisco Gamez et ux to Citro Casarez Jr. et ux, All of Lot 14, Block 6, Womble Addition to the Town of Hereford, Deaf Smith County, Texas.

### MARRIAGE LICENSES

C.C. Johnson and Sheila T. Rosborough, Feb. 9.  
Damon Levi Hayes and Dana Lorane Holland, Feb. 10.  
Carmen Apodaca and Elsie Mecielia Blea, Feb. 10.  
David Lee and Peggy Jo Stubblefield, Feb. 11.  
Ronnie Dale Satterfield and Sherrie Denise Wells, Feb. 14.  
Roy Dale Messer and Anna Marie Hauser, Feb. 15.  
Michael David Hoffman and Tommi Lynn Wiibanks, Feb. 16.

### VEHICLE REGISTRATIONS

Lawrence Ward Trucking Inc., 1977 Ford; Jim Garner, 1977 Chev.; Frank McCown, 1976 Kawa; Bill Warrick, 1977 Chev.; Balco Leasing Co., 1977 Chev.; Colville and Wilson, 1977 GMC; Guy Ford, 1977 Chry.; Baldomero Guerrero, 1977 Merc.; Perfecto Mancha Jr., 1977 Buick.

Dion O. Miller, 1977 Buick; Ink Spot Printing Co., 1977 GMC; Richard D. Kirkland, 1977 Buick; W.C. Trucking, 1977 White F/L; Mrs. Grace M. Goss, 1977 Olds; Clark and Sons Builders, 1977 Chev.; Cris Enterprises, 1977 Chev.; Orval Watson Ford Sales 1977 Ford.  
Orval Watson Ford Sales, 1977 Merc.; Technical Consultants, 1977 Chev.; D.C. Martin, 1977 Pont.; Robert L. Duke, 1977 Ford; Jesse Martinez, 1976 Ford; Roy Carter, 1976 Ford; Luis Valela, 1977 Ford; H.E. Owen, 1977 GMC; James L. Voyles, 1977 Buick; Tony Calkins, 1977 Pont.  
Guadalupe S. Gamboa, 1977 Dodge; Perfecto Esparza, 1976 Ply.; B&J Cattle Co., 1977 GMC; Jay Taylor Cattle Co., 1977 Ford; Brorman Bros. Inc., 1977 GMC; Elov Valdez, 1977 Buick; Don Oppliger, 1977 Chev.; C.W. Cawthon, 1976 Matador; James A. Davis, 1977 Ford.  
Elwyn Mitchell Bell, 1976 Pont.; Royce Waldrip, 1977 Chev.; Claude McMurtrey, 1976 Honda; R.R. Ranch, 1976 Ford; Richard G. Montgomery, 1977 Pont.; Roberts Appliance In., 1977 Linc.; Ellis Lemons, 1977 Ford; David Sellers, 1977 Pont. Jim Fisher, 1977 Merc.; J.P. Taylor, 1977 Ford; Dorothy Lee Renfro, 1977 Cad.; Cleo Seely, 1977 Olds.; Arnold Daily, 1977 Merc.; Ralph G. Battey Jr., 1976 Ford; Edger Bleeker, 1976 Ford; Dan Janosek, 1977 Ford; Gordon R. Cook, 1977 Ford; Eusebio S. Marquez, 1977 Chrys.; Ronald R. Welty, 1976 Datsun.

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# 'Apparent' Peace Found Between NFL Factions

BY BRUCE LOWITT  
AP Sports Writer  
NEW YORK. "Dear Mr. Dorsett:

"Greetings from the Commissioner of the National Football League. You are now subject to the draft."

Tony Dorsett, Ricky Bell and hundreds of other collegians can expect to be tapped on their collective shoulders next April and offered millions of dollars, thanks to the arrival Thursday of labor peace in the NFL.

For three years the league and the players union had conducted business as usual: the business of playing football without a basic labor agreement. And the NFL might well have been content to continue in that fashion had not the long arm of the law reached in.

It had grabbed and shaken

the league before. In two federal court rulings, the standard player contract the Joe Kapp case and the Rozelle Rule on option compensation the John Mackey case were illegal. Still, the game went on.

But last year a federal court ruled in the Yazoo Smith case the NFL conducted it, was illegal, a restraint of trade and all that. Thus, the system by which the league replenished itself each year was suddenly very much in jeopardy, and only a labor agreement containing some sort of draft would save it.

Further, Rozelle decreed, until a draft was conducted, teams couldn't talk contract with potential rookies, and without the draft, there was the threat of lawsuits from those rookies and their agents and the prospect of a money war similar to the multi-million-dollar bash

between the NFL and the American Football League a decade ago.

Those fears apparently have now been allayed. The "apparently" is included because the agreement between the representatives of the NFL management Council, the owners' bargaining agent, and the NFL Players Association has to be ratified by all the owners and union members.

Sargent Karch, executive director of the NFLMC, and Ed Garvey, his counterpart with the NFLPA, announced the "agreement in principle on a collective bargaining agreement that includes... a modified draft."

The Associated Press has learned that draft is set for April, that it will involve eight to 10 rounds instead of the 17 of past years and that it will contain a time-limit of some-

where between six weeks and three months on talks between the teams and drafted collegians.

In other words, a player drafted by a team but unable to come to terms with the club would, after a specified time, become a free agent, eligible to deal with other teams.

Both sides were mum on any specifics— including the length of the agreement hammered out after extended talks at the union headquarters in Washington and the Management Council offices in New York. The owners and player representatives are scheduling meetings for next week to obtain formal approval of the agreement.

Also in the agreement are subjects like the Rozelle Rule; Rozelle's arbitration powers; minimum salaries; preseason and postseason pay; pensions, and the owners' payments into the pension fund. And according to some sources, it also contains a provision for expanding the regular season from 14 to 16 games and shrinking the preseason from six to four.



JV Golfers

These 12 players compose the Hereford JV golf team. Pictured are, front row l to r: Bill Roberson, Mike Hacker, Jeff O'Rand, Miles Goforth, Keith Pagett, and Richard Brandon. Top row l to r:

Kenny Shore, Jim Lyles, Tony Albracht, Don Shaw, Greg Pagett, and Robert Holder. Lyles, Albracht, both Pagetta, and Goforth will accompany the varsity to Lubbock this weekend.

## Yeoman's Recruiting 'Legendary'

HOUSTON (AP)—Bill Yeoman is legendary for discovering unheard of football players from the backwoods of small Texas towns and turning them into All-Americans.

But Yeoman has done a lot to destroy his image during the current recruiting season.

Armed with the Southwest Conference and Cotton Bowl championships, Yeoman has signed three of the state's top blue chip prospects, including the No. 1 plum, Odessa quarterback Darrell Shepard, to national letters of intent— and made it look easy.

"The recruiting of Shepard was one of the most uneventful I can remember," Yeoman said, "considering he was the one everyone wanted. He's an outstanding young man with a

mind of his own and certainly he's a gifted athlete.

"But we never felt like we were out of the picture despite reports to the contrary. He wanted to come here and he stuck to his guns, although a lot of people attempted to get him to change his mind."

Yeoman also inked bluechip linemen prospects Hosea Taylor of Longview and Alvin Ruben of Baytown Lee.

Despite his current success, Yeoman is full of stories about the ones the Cougars signed that nobody wanted.

"There's a long list of young men who got away," Yeoman said. "And there are a lot we got late in the year and by accident who turned out to be super football players."

Yeoman recalled that UH signed three players from Brazosport one year, but the coach told Yeoman the best athlete in school still was unsigned.

"It was baseball season and this kid was playing a double header that day," Yeoman said. "And then he was going to high jump in a track meet."

"I sent Chuch Fairbanks then a UH assistant coach down there and the kid got five or six hits in the doubleheader and then put on his track uniform and high jumped 6-2 3/4, which wasn't all that bad in those days."

"That's how we signed Bo Burris, one of the best quarterbacks we ever had." Yeoman has an even more far-fetched story about how the Cougars signed the player who later became Houston's all-time leading rusher.

"A bread truck delivery man at the athletic dorm told us about a kid at Hallsville," Yeoman said. "We had no film on the school's team, but we got one from a team Hallsville played. He noticed this running back who made a couple of real cute moves. And he was valedictorian of his class. We signed him."

And after the player finished his career at Houston, the Dallas Cowboys decided Robert Newhouse might also be a good prospect.

## Baseballers 'Beat' Clovis

BY BOB NIGH  
Brand Sports Editor

The Hereford High School baseball team got its first taste of action against outside competition Thursday afternoon as they traveled to Clovis to meet the Wildcats in a scrimmage.

The scrimmage was conducted on a six-outs per inning format, with all other situations game like and the bases cleared after each three outs.

"I was relatively pleased with our play," Herd coach Rick Stewart said following the workout. "We hit pretty well, but not as well as I'd like."

Things did turn out well for the Herd as they outscored the host Wildcats 9-7, although they had an edge with one more time at bat.

Richard Moya and Chris Hill each collected two hits for Hereford to lead their offensive showing. Kent Herring and Paul Garcia added solo hits, each pushing across a pair of runs, and Roy Martinez added another safety.

Three different Whitefaces saw action on the mound, with Hill going three innings, and Martinez and Moya one each.

Hill faced the Clovis top nine, and gave up six hits, while registering one strikeout and one base on balls. Martinez struck out four and walked none during his stretch, giving up one hit, while Moya set the Wildcats down in order on three infield outs.

"Our pitching will carry us for awhile at the start, but our

hitting must improve as we go down the line," coach Stewart said.

"I feel that we have a solid nucleus and should be competitive for the first time in a long while," he added.

A total of 14 players made the trip to Clovis Thursday, including seniors Mitch Guinn, Herring, Martinez, and Moya, juniors, Mike Culp, Mitch George, Greg Henington, Donald Johnson, Richard Waters, Garcia, and Hill, and sophomores James Dudding, Anthony Potet, and Paul Torres.

In addition coach Stewart expects senior Jim Lawson and junior Kent Ellis to join the squad following the basketball season.

Others on the current roster include junior Ricky Matchett, and sophomores Kevin Bunch, Greg Dement, Larry McNutt, Wendell Turner, and John Wagner.

Another scrimmage is tentatively on tap for the Herd next Tuesday afternoon at home against Canyon, but coach Stewart will probably change the workout to a later day in the week due to the Lubbock-Hereford basketball game in Hereford Tuesday evening.

The baseballer's regular season schedule opens March 1 when the Borger Bulldogs come to town.

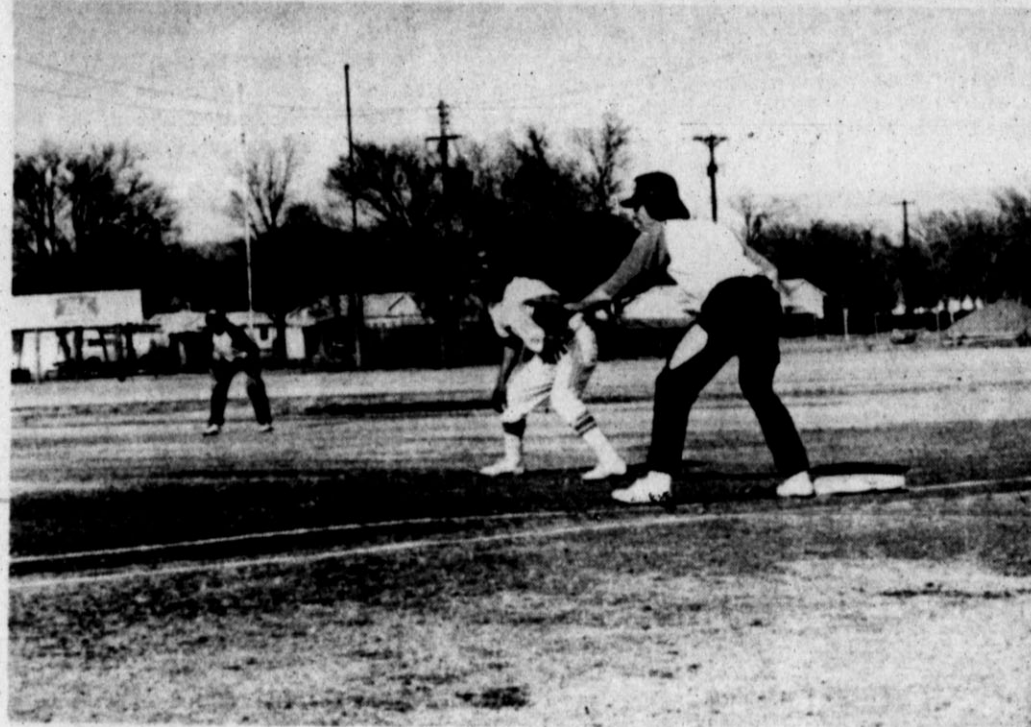
The team will participate in two tournaments this year, with the Pampa tourney beginning March 4 and the Hereford tourney March 17-18-19.

The club is holding a charity golf tournament on ice-covered Lake Nesmith Saturday. The organization says the proceeds will go to an Akron center which trains the handicapped.

Par on the nine-hole nine course will be 32, he said.

KANSAS CITY (AP)— Running back Walter Payton of the Chicago Bears has been named the National Football Conference Offensive Player of the Year by Kansas City's 101 Committee.

Payton amassed 1,390 yards, including 311 in one game, during the 1976 National Football League season. He will be among six NFL honorees at the committee's salute to pro football Feb. 25.



Leading Off

Herd third baseman Richard Moya takes a lead off first base after gaining the initial hit for Hereford in their scrimmage against Clovis Thursday afternoon. The Whitefaces gained a 9-7 edge over the Wildcats in their first action against outside competition. [Photo By Bob Nigh].

## Romero, Perez To Square Off

Hereford Lions Club announced that a tag team match has been signed as the main event at the Bull Barn this coming Saturday night.

What they may have signed is one of the roughest feuds in professional sports.

Ricky Romero, the fiery 224-pound Super-Mex of pro grappling, will team up with 228-pound Canadian Reggie Parks against hefty Tank Patton and Alex Perez. Patton, 315-pound Tampa-based former footballer, and user of the controversial claw hold, partners self-styled "Texican" Perez, winner of 136 fights but loser in a "hair" match to Romero.

Perez and Patton, who seem to like no one, have had several violent meetings with Romero. Romero's partner, Parks, recently won the International Championship in a televised bout, and is a fine competitor in the classic tradition.

Cyclone Negro returns. The Venezuelan heavyweight, 250-pound former South American boxing and weight lifting champion, was a fine amateur wrestler as well.

He was decorated by his government for his accomplishments, has held many wrestling honors, and possesses the hardest head in professional

wrestling.

He also has been called professional wrestling's meanest man.

He will square off against agile speedster Jerry Kozak, 218 pounds and a top contender for the junior heavyweight championship.

Kozak, originally from Canada, is now an American citizen living in Amarillo.

Newcomer Doug Somers, 245-pound protege of newly crowned world champion Harley Race, will make a second appearance at the Bull Barn against El Bracero, 220-pound matman from Mexico City.

In last week's wrestling action, Somers demolished

Minnesota's Randy Brewer with a figure four leg lock. El Brachero won by disqualification over toughie Super Destroyer, while Big Nick Roberts systematically broke down the defenses of Oscar Bustamante to win with an elbow smash, body slam and press.

In last week's main event, Lord Alfred Hayes beat Teddy Dibiasi into the ring in the third and deciding fall, while Diabiasi failed to meet the ten count outside the ropes. He had been besting Hayes on the floor, but missed a punch and hit the ring post.

Wrestling action this coming Saturday night begins at 8 p.m. in Bull Barn.

## Aggies Hold Off Rice Owls, 79-61

HOUSTON (AP)— Texas A&M basketball coach Shelby Metcalf says the Aggies played their latest game without so much emotion and that helped his nerves.

The Aggies, hoping to finish in the first division and gain a home court advantage in the upcoming Southwest Conference tournament, held off a second half Rice rally and defeated the Owls, 79-61, Thursday night.

It was the only game of the night involving SWC teams and the Aggies held on to fourth place with the victory.

Arkansas has already won the regular season championship and will get a bye to the finals while the second through fifth place teams will have the home court advantage in the first round games Feb. 26. The four winners will advance to The Summit here to continue the tournament.

The Aggies quickly moved ahead of Rice and led 41-22 at the half and led by 22 early in the second half.

However, the Owls, paced by Elbert Darden, who scored 21 points, began chipping away at the Aggie lead and twice cut it to seven points, the last time at 66-59 at Alan Reynolds' jumper with 6:09 to play.

Then the Owls went cold and didn't score for nearly six minutes. In the meantime, the Aggies were scoring 11 points to win going away.

Steve Jones led A&M with 20 points and Wally Swanson added 19 for the Aggies, now 8-6 in the conference play and 12-12 for the season. Rice, in eighth place, is 2-12 in league play and 8-16 for the season.

Asked if he was nervous, Metcalf replied, "I stay nervous. This is the first game we've played without emotion for a long time. That helped. We've played some close ones recently."

Rice Coach Bob Polk said the Owls had too many bad things happen to them in the first half. "If you can't pass and catch better than that, you're in trouble," Polk said.

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**SPORTS SHORTS**  
By The Associated Press  
ATLANTA (AP)— Free agent pitcher Wayne Granger has signed with the Atlanta Braves, the National League club announced Thursday.  
The 33-year-old reliever pitched in 27 games for the Montreal Expos last year, finishing with a 3.66 earned run average. Granger pitched under Braves Manager Dave Bristol at Cincinnati in 1969.  
AKRON, Ohio (AP)— Akron Kiwanis is making golf into a winter sport.

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