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Seats up for grabs Tuesday

By JOHN BROOKS
Managing Editor

A heavy turnout of voters for the absentee voting period could be a prelude to a large turnout on Tuesday for the primary elections in Deaf Smith County.

Texas voters will elect one person in each party for the November general election in several races, including governor.

In Deaf Smith County only two races are contested, both on the Democratic ballot.

Precinct Two Commissioner Austin Rose Jr. will face Lupe Chavez. The winner of that race will be challenged by Larry Malamen in the general election.

Precinct Four Commissioner Johnny Latham is unopposed in the Democratic primary, but will face Ken Rogers in November.

The other contested race is for the unexpired term of county tax assessor-collector. Margaret Perez, Eileen

Behunin and Betty Lou Martin will meet in the Democratic primary.

Perez was appointed last year to fill the unexpired term of the late Nell Miller. Both Perez and Behunin have worked in the office before; Martin works for the Hereford Independent School District.

Democratic incumbent Vesta Mac Nunley and Republican Kyla McDowell are unopposed in the primaries, but will face each other in November for the county treasurer's seat.

Those local races and hot races up and down the statewide ballot in the Democratic and Republican primaries have evidently fueled voter interest. Taking advantage of the new "no excuses" absentee balloting period that ended Friday, an estimated 910 persons voted early. There were, unofficially, 688 ballots cast in the Democratic primary and 222 in the Republican primary.

The statewide ballot features gubernatorial races in both parties, each seeking to fill the seat to be vacated by Bill Clements. There are seven candidates listed on the ballot in each party.

With State Treasurer Ann Richards, Attorney General Jim Mattox and Railroad Commission Chairman Kent Hance seeking the governor's chair, there are races for those offices. State Comptroller Bob Bullock is running for lieutenant governor to replace the retiring Bill Hobby.

A race drawing interest in this area is for commissioner of agriculture. Incumbent Jim Hightower is facing six opponents in the Democratic primary. The winner there will face one of three Republicans in November.

Locally, both parties will be electing new county chairmen. James McDowell is the only listed candidate for Republican chief, replacing Connie McGill. Loyd Newton has announced

Here are the voting locations for the primaries on Tuesday:

- DEMOCRATS**
- Box 1: Bull Barn
- Box 2: Commissioners Courtroom
- Box 3: Hereford Junior High
- Box 4: Hereford Community Center
- Box 5: Palo Duro Baptist Church
- Box 6: Ford Community Bldg.
- Box 7: Dawn Community Bldg.
- Box 8: Walcott School
- Box 9: Simms Community Bldg.
- REPUBLICANS**
- Precincts 1,7: Bull Barn
- Precinct 2: Courthouse
- Precincts 3,8: Hereford JH
- Precincts 4,5,6,9: Hereford Community Center

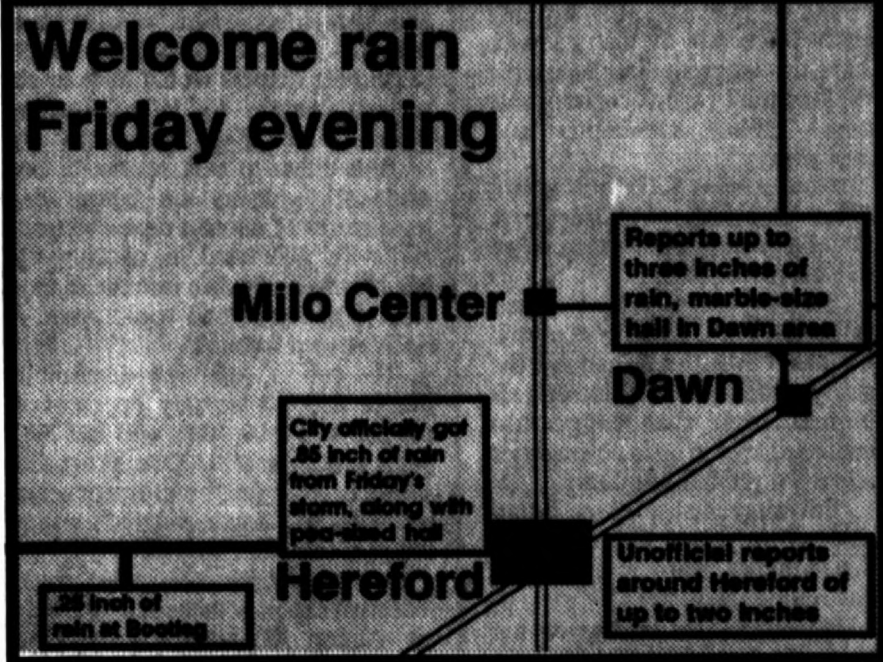
as a write-in candidate for county Democratic chairman.

Persons voting in the Republican primary will be able to vote at five locations this year. In the past, all Republican primary votes have been cast at Hereford Junior High. Persons in Precincts 1 and 7 will vote at the Bull Barn; in Precinct 2 at the courthouse; in Precincts 3 and 8 at Hereford Junior High; and in Precincts 4, 5, 6 and 9 at the Hereford Community Center. Precinct conventions will be held at each of the polling places following the closing of the polls and completion of poll workers' duties.

Democrats will vote at Box 1, at the Bull Barn; Box 2, commissioners' courtroom; Box 3, Hereford Junior High; Box 4, Hereford Community Center; Box 5, Palo Duro Baptist Church; Box 6, Ford Community Building; Box 7, Dawn Community Building; Box 8, Walcott School; and Box 9, Simms Community Building.

Following the polls' closing at 7 p.m. Tuesday, Democrats will hold their precinct convention. They will be held at the same place where you voted.

Democrats will also be voting on three non-binding referenda. They include limitations on trial by jury; the right of the legislature to nominate and elect judges; and insurance reform.



Right on time first severe storms hit

By JOHN BROOKS
Managing Editor

It is already that season, the time of the year when heavy rain, hail, flash floods and tornadoes could strike, when violent weather begins its siege all across Texas.

This week has been declared Severe Weather Awareness Week by Gov. Bill Clements. In his proclamation, Clements pointed out that "Texas set an unfortunate record" in 1989 with 86 counties named disaster areas in one single declaration, one of three weather-related disaster declarations last year.

The week came just in time for 1990. The first severe storm watches and warnings of the season were issued Friday as a storm system erupted over the Texas Panhandle, dumping heavy rains and some hail. Straight line winds caused some damage in the Umbarger and Canyon areas.

Hereford officially received .85 of an inch of rain from the storm Friday night. The rain started lightly, about 5:30 p.m. Friday.

By 6 p.m., heavy rain and light, pea-sized hail was falling. The storm prompted the issuance of a severe thunderstorm warning for eastern Deaf Smith and Oldham counties and the posting of a severe thunderstorm watch for most of the panhandle until 11 p.m. Friday.

In two separate batches, heavier rain and more intense hail fell.

Unofficial reports ranged from about two inches of rain around Hereford to three inches of rain in the Dawn area. An observer at Dawn said hail, up to marble size, covered the ground.

The storms were set up by the classic West Texas wet-weather pattern. A dry line crossed the region from the west, a low pressure system was centered in southeastern New Mexico, and moisture from the Gulf of California was filtering across the region.

More storms were expected Saturday night and Sunday. Forecasters called for a 50 percent chance of thunderstorms, a few possibly severe, for Saturday night, and a 30 percent chance of thunderstorms for Sunday. The north-south dry line that crossed the region Friday evening was expected to back up to the west on Saturday, then set off storms again.

Everything is set in case the storms do become worse. The first testing of tornado sirens in the city was held 10 days ago. The tornado warning system will be tested once a week through the spring and summer, weather permitting. The sirens are not tested if conditions could be mistaken for the

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Boulter ready for RRC seat

Former U.S. Rep. Beau Boulter (R-Amarillo) made a campaign visit to Hereford Friday in his race for a seat on the Texas Railroad Commission. Boulter faces Ted Lawson of Odessa in the Republican primary.

"I feel very confident about the primary race," said Boulter, who expects to garner more than 60 percent of the votes. Boulter said he has not done much spending on the primary, saving his campaign funds for the fall.

"The party feels this is an important race. If we expect to show this is a two-party state, we have to win some down-ballot races," Boulter said. "The Railroad Commission regulates oil and gas but should also play a leading economic role."

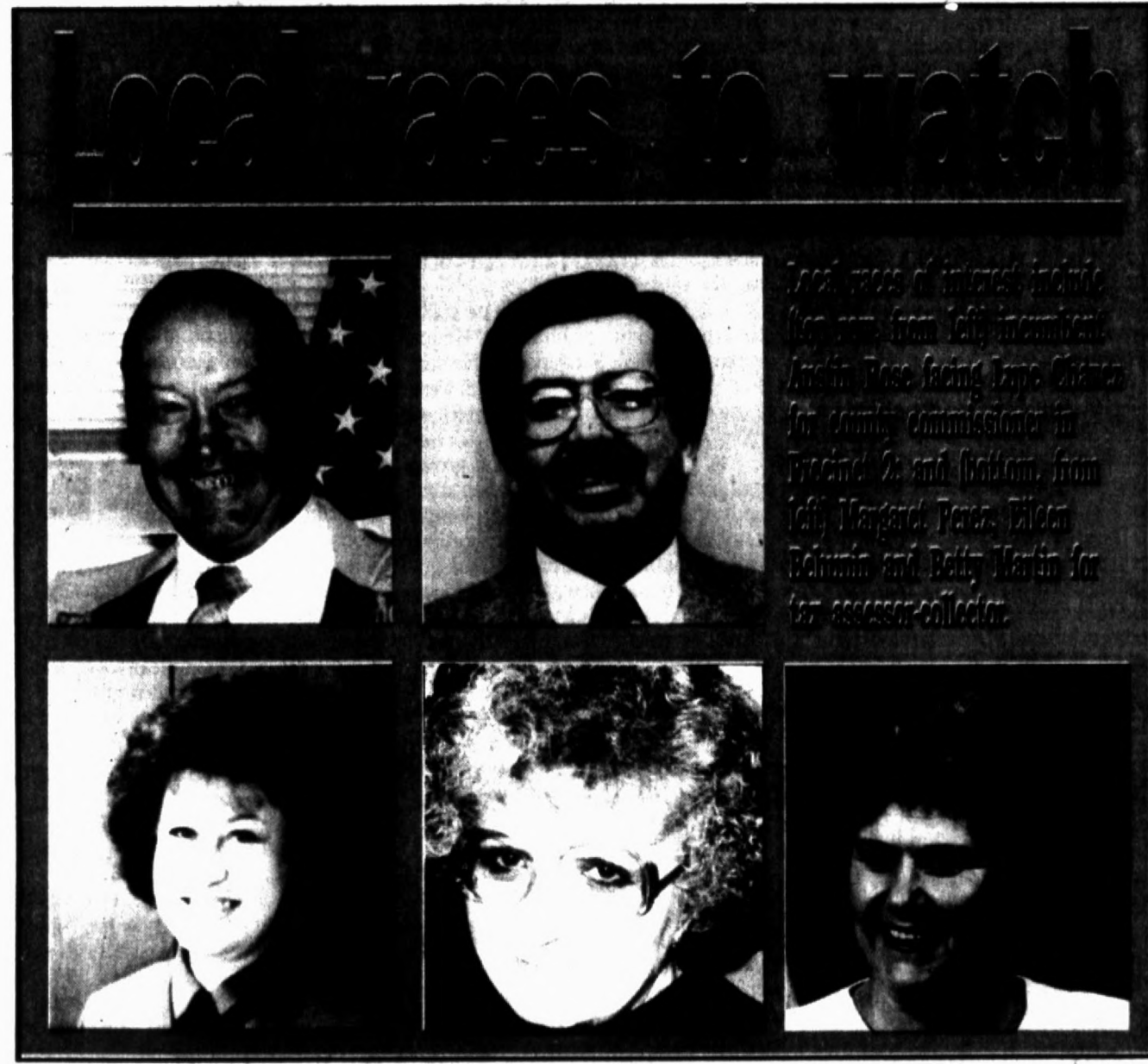
Boulter said Kent Hance, who supports him, had done a good job as Railroad Commissioner "and I want to complete the work he started on deregulation of the trucking industry." Boulter said he favored a marginal well production credit for oil and gas stripper wells, and a exploration and development tax credit. He said he would oppose unnecessary rules against oil and gas toxics which are not posing problems.

First elected to the U.S. Congress in 1984, he was re-elected with 65

percent of the votes in 1986. He drew 2 million votes in losing the U.S. Senate race in 1988. He graduated from the University of Texas and the Baylor University Law School. He and his wife, Rosemary, have three children.



BEAU BOULTER



Hodges wins county bee

Heather Hodges, 12, captured the Deaf Smith County Spelling Bee championship here Friday afternoon by correctly spelling "whimsical" and "weight" in just the 17th round of competition.

Chris Lyles, an 8th grader, was runnerup after missing on the word "whimsical." Heather is a 6th grader at West Central Elementary, and she was the junior bee champion last year. Finishing third was this year's junior champ, Anna Witkowski.

Heather received \$100 in cash--\$50 from First National Bank and \$50 from The Hereford Brand as champion, and Chris earned a \$50 bond from AmWest Savings as the runnerup. Speedy Nieman, county bee director, made the presentations. Heather is the daughter of Steve and Sharon Hodges, and Chris is the son of Evelyn and Charles Lyles.

The county bee is sponsored by The Brand. Heather will advance to the Regional Bee at West Texas State University April 7. The regional competition is sponsored by The Amarillo Globe-News and WTSU. The county and junior champs will be presented awards at region.

The Regional champion will advance to the national finals in Washington, D.C., winning an expense-paid trip for two. Other prizes will be awarded at the regional bee.

Bera Boyd served as announcer for the county bees, with Eloise McDougal and Jane Coplen as judges.

Other school winners in the county finals Friday were Natalie McWhorter,

Josh Liscano, Sue Ann Sanford, Shawn Lance, Andrea Cepoda, Connie Tena, Aimee Alley, Tyler Merrick, Jessica Polk, Rene Valdez and Richard Drager.



HEATHER HODGES and CHRIS LYLES
...County spelling bee champion, runner-up

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Hightower draws fire, opponents

AUSTIN (AP) - For a guy holding a low-ranking state office, Agriculture Commissioner Jim Hightower enjoys a high profile.

Democrats put him on their national convention podium. President Bush's son endorsed one of his Republican rivals. GOP lawmakers tried to abolish his job. The Texas Farm Bureau unsuccessfully urged Texas Rangers pitcher Nolan Ryan to run against him, then sponsored six farmers to challenge him instead.

He has even been blamed for the coming invasion of killer bees.

Through it all, Hightower has relied on his trademark sense of humor.

"There's an old East Texas saying that a lie is halfway around the world before the truth can get its boots on. We're getting our boots on early because they're gonna be telling a lot of lies," he said.

After the Dallas Times Herald reported that an apparently bogus news release had blamed Hightower for failing to stop killer bees moving up from Central America, he quipped, "I'm going to have to start wearing a pest strip on my lapel as I go around, just to get through this election."

Other criticism has been more serious.

Republicans and conservative Democrats have accused the self-proclaimed populist of using the agriculture job to promote his own political future rather than the work of Texas farmers and ranchers.

The Dallas Morning News, in a copyright story, said seed and grain dealers gave Hightower's campaign \$6,600 last fall when their chief regulator visited them in tandem with a consultant who solicited the political contributions.

Hightower said he was unaware of the solicitations and would have stopped them had he known about it. He also said the lobbyist who made them doesn't work for his campaign.



HIGHTOWER

"I don't want any kind of contribution brought to me under any kind of duress," he said.

Adopting the nickname "Whole Hog," Hightower first was elected in 1982. He quickly became a leading Democratic spokesman against President Reagan's farm policies with such lines as, "Reagan's idea of a good farm program is 'Hee Haw.'"

One of the few white politicians to back Jesse Jackson's presidential bid in 1988, Hightower talked of challenging Republican U.S. Sen. Phil Gramm this year.

Instead, he opted to seek a third term, saying he wants to keep pushing innovative economic development efforts that include alternative crops and direct marketing.

His department has encouraged farmers to plant everything from Christmas trees to wine grapes. It started a "Taste of Texas" national promotion to help small producers sell everything from smoked sausage to hot sauce. It helped Panhandle grain farmers start a flour mill at Dawn.

"It's a philosophy of economic development at the grassroots level," he said. "We've been able to turn loose the enterprise of, really,

thousands of Texas producers in a way that demonstrates that this new agricultural model actually works."

But he has made enemies along the way.

When the U.S. Department of Agriculture balked at European demands for beef free of artificial growth hormones, Hightower moved to establish a state program to certify such meat for export. That brought cries from the White House and the Texas Farm Bureau, which charged that he abandoned traditional ranchers.

"Hightower is either perpetrating the biggest fraud in Texas political history, or he has become the comic sidekick for the European Economic Community in the growth promotant dispute," said S.M. True, Farm Bureau president.

Hightower's aggressive stance on pesticide regulation won praise from farm workers. It also brought efforts to turn his elected post into an appointed job. Conservative legislators and Republican Gov. Bill Clements lost that battle, but they did create a new pesticide regulation board on which Hightower is but one member of nine.

Looking for a big name to put

before voters, Republicans urged former Dallas Cowboys running back Walt Garrison to run. The Farm Bureau asked Ryan. Neither did.

When Republican state Rep. Rick Perry, whose family ranches in West Texas, entered the race, Hightower responded, "I thought they were talking about (retired pitcher) Gaylord Perry."

Besides Perry, Republican hopefuls are Gene Duke, who has a cotton seed business in Brownfield, and Stafford consultant Richard McIver.

All six Democratic primary challengers paid their \$3,000 filing fees with contributions from the Farm Bureau's political arm. They are Neal Burnett of Plainview; Dan Pustejovsky, Hillsboro; Dan Krenek, Rosenberg; John Earl Smith, Quemado; Paul McDaniel,

Weslaco, and Clyde Chandler, Rosebud. All are farmers and ranchers.

"The incumbent commissioner has no practical farming or ranching experience," said Farm Bureau official Vernie Glasson. "As we see it today, it is an anybody-but-the-incumbent campaign."

His lack of farming experience is a criticism all Hightower's challengers make.

"Antelope meat and Christmas trees (are) well and good. But while you spend all your money, time and energy on these small, insignificant amount of crops, the mainstream agriculture is suffering," Chandler said.

"Texas farmers and ranchers deserve to have one of their own as agriculture commissioner," said Perry, a former Democrat who expects to spend \$2 million to \$3 million on the race.

"Hightower spent an inordinate amount of time in 1987 and 1988 outside Texas, campaigning for Jesse Jackson and Mike Dukakis and preparing to run himself against Phil Gramm. Those were not the activities Texans had in mind for their agriculture commissioner," Perry said.

Duke said Texans want a commissioner "who has a well-rounded background in agriculture, has a love for the industry, has worked in or studied some segment of almost every phase of the industry and has the consumers' interests at heart."

Hightower says the race is a referendum on the department's future.

"We've carved out a pretty clear identity, I think, in the public mind," he said. "Basically all I've heard from the folks who are running against me is that I'm a friend of Jane Fonda."

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Surprise for grandfather

First National Bank President Don Graham got a floral surprise last week to help him celebrate becoming a grandfather for the first time. Some friends arranged the tribute and ribbons proclaiming the arrival of Regan Graham Pierson, son of Mr. and Mrs. Graham's daughter and son-in-law in Lubbock.



DIAPERS

And if everyone switched to cloth tomorrow, there would be chaos. There are not enough cloth diapers nor cloth diaper services in the country to accommodate them. In environmentally hip Washington, D.C., 400 people are on the waiting list for the one diaper service in town.

The National Association of Diaper Services, after years of decline, reports a 38 percent increase in business last year and a 13 percent rise the year before. The disposable diaper giants, however, say they see no blip yet on their sales screen.

The debate has produced, strange bedfellows. The six most active environmental groups and Procter & Gamble Co. and Kimberly-Clark Corp., the disposable diaper manufacturers who control 75 percent of the market, agree that biodegradable diapers are not the answer.

The environmentalists called for a boycott of degradable diapers in mid-December, saying their use only assuages the conscience of consumers who use them. Even biodegradable diapers don't decompose in landfills, they say, because there is not enough moisture or oxygen.

Taking an opposing view is the National Association of Corn Growers, based in St. Louis. Cornstarch is used in the degradables and this could open up a market of 150 million to 300 million bushels a year business for the nation's corn farmers, according to spokesman Tim Draeger.

So far, the only state to enact any legislation has been Nebraska, which passed a law last session requiring the use of biodegradables by 1993. Nebraska, it might be noted, is the nation's third-largest corn producing state, just behind Iowa and Illinois.

Draeger argues that if the biodegradable diaper technology were improved, it would mean America would be less dependent on foreign oil. "We are in the infancy of this technology," he says. "We are at the Model-T level. We have to learn to walk before we can run."

Ms. Wirka says that's plain silly. The amount of "foreign oil" in diapers is negligible and that the so-called degradables also use some.

The Cincinnati-based P&G, with a \$1.65 billion slice of the disposable pie—compared to Kimberly-Clark's \$840 million—has taken a much higher profile in its fight to keep baby's bottom in Pampers and Luvs, its products.

Although close-mouthed about the money it is spending on the diaper wars, P&G is sponsoring two well-publicized

projects, one in Seattle demonstrating that plastic diapers can be recycled and another in St. Cloud, Minn., showing diapers can be composted. The Seattle project is reputed to be a \$500,000 venture.

"If you could throw that kind of money at every segment of the trash problem in America, we wouldn't have a trash problem," says Jeffrey Tryens of The Council for Policy Alternatives, a Washington-based environmental group. "It's just good PR for Procter and Gamble."

Wirka, however, thinks the St. Cloud project may have some merit, although she says, "That recycling project is just bogus."

Procter & Gamble is in a difficult position. They are always the target here and they are applying their corporate good guy image on something that is economically very dubious. I'm more willing to say that the composting project is a more fruitful use of their resources."

P&G, it should be noted, has been a leader in recycling plastic bottles for its products, selling refills for the same plastic bottle and marketing concentrates in smaller bottles where the consumer just needs to add water. Its soaps are also biodegradable.

Since the diaper wars started making the nightly news shows, politicians have gotten bolder. Tryens says he called a meeting about a year ago, inviting legislators, lobbyists, environmentalists and others concerned about the issue.

"At that time, nobody even considered discussing a statewide ban," he says. "The feeling was that no respectable politician would even propose such legislation and that it just wouldn't fly."

Yet, one year later, the state of Vermont is proposing just such legislation as part of a much larger environmental bill. If passed, no disposable diapers would be sold in Vermont after 1993.

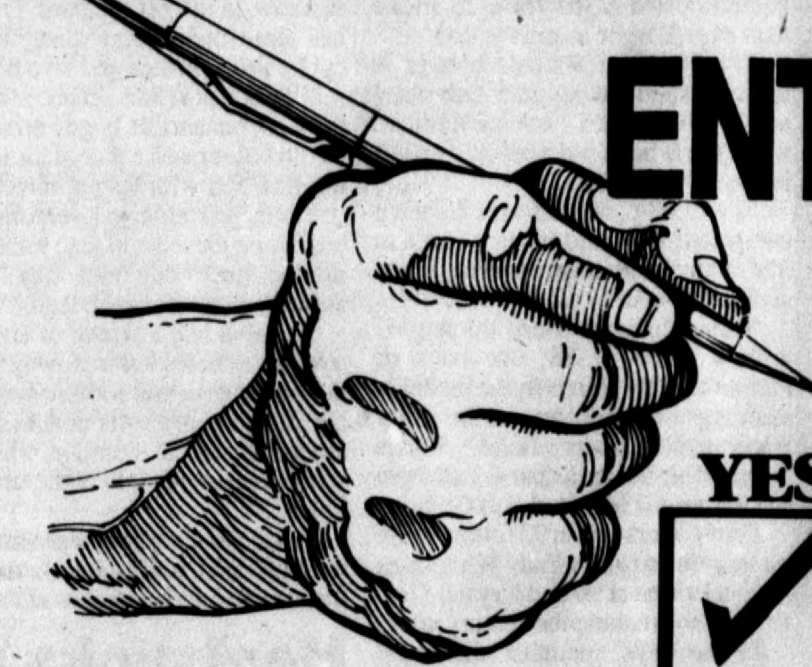
Nancy Alexander of New Haven, Conn., is one who's profiting by it all. She started her own cloth diaper service in January and says clients are flocking to her door.

"I've always wanted to go into my own business and this just sort of fell into my lap," she says. "What's more is that all of my clients treat me like I'm some kind of a hero."

One of her clients with a newborn baby said her 4-year-old was watching her change the baby with a disposable diaper and had a quizzical look on her face.

"What is it?" asked the mother. "Why don't they invent a diaper you could just wash and use over and over?" asked the child.

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O.G. Nieman

Loving Hereford

We received what we thought was a unique "Letter to the Editor" this week. Because of the message and the season, we would like to reprint it in this column today:

Dear Editor:

It's the holiday season and a time to be thankful for many things... our families, friends and living in the United States of America and Hereford, Texas.

We take so many things for granted in our town and nation and perhaps sometimes we spend too much time on the negative and not enough time on the positive.

I'd like to take time out to tell you some things I love about Hereford, Texas and its people.

I love... the Circle K Kiwanians' little flower garden spots in town... being able to go "downtown" in five minutes... going to Jack & Jill Grocery, and being treated as a valuable customer, whether I have one article or 50... driving up to Pac & Sac and having the gas turned on before I pay...

Attending Hostile Herd football games in the fall and yelling "HERD, HERD, HERD" at the end of the Mighty Maroon Band performance... Mike Carr and the hustlin' Chamber of Commerce... the Deaf Smith County Museum and Library and their willingness to help and let the community use the facilities... going Xmas shopping in our local shps with merchants only too willing to help you with your selections—never too busy to visit a minute and truly appreciating your business...

Having your trash picked up once a week, rain or shine... calling Family Medical Clinic and getting to see a doctor (that day) when you are ill... the many people involved in the hanging of Xmas decorations and lights all over town (what a job!)... the Hereford Credit Union for taking a chance on the community and a young person's dream of that "first car"... the lights at the lending institutions, with each tiny twinkly light reflecting a sense of "peace"...

The generosity of the people and the merchants all year long... the young people and their contributions in civic areas, their accomplishments in both the academic and athletic arena... a dentist—Dr. Stan Fry, for going to his office on New Year's Day for an abscessed tooth... the fall season here with its great weather... the "personal touch" of KPAN and The Hereford Brand... Hereford High School and the maroon mum "H" on the south end of the football stadium...

Our new school superintendent... the friendliness of the people on the street in their cars or on the sidewalk all over town... Mr. B's landscaping at Northwest School... the green, green grass at Save 'N Gain Grocery... our beautiful courthouse and the "Texas" star.

Yes, I love Hereford and admit to having "maroon" blood... wouldn't it be great for each of us to give every visitor and newcomer a transfusion of Hereford blood? What a blood drive that would be!

I love Christmas and I love Hereford, Texas.
Best wishes, Betty Ferguson Martin

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Throughout my campaign as a candidate for the office of Deaf Smith County Tax Assessor - Collector, I have run on a platform based on my past service to this community and my genuine desire to serve you again in the future.

To some, this may have sounded like the traditional political rhetoric we have all grown accustomed to, but I feel my past service (both civic and professional) and the attitude I've exemplified in providing this service are assets which will benefit this office.

As a former retail merchant in Hereford, I obtained 20 years of practical business experience in balancing large annual budgets, while maintaining organization, economy and efficient operating procedures.

I enjoyed my tenure in business, but now I would like to serve you in the capacity of Tax Assessor - Collector.

I am confident I can fulfill the duties and requirements of this office, and I would appreciate your consideration of my qualifications, as well as my eagerness to serve, when you cast your vote March 13th.



Betty Lou Martin
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Thornton needed miracle to save job

An AP Sports Analysis
By DENNE H. FREEMAN
 AP Sports Writer

DALLAS (AP) - They wouldn't have touched John Thornton in Las Vegas.

Odds-makers in London have posted odds on the birth of royalty, but they'd shirk at putting Thornton on the books.

They have a phrase for a longshots like Thornton. Call him "off the board."

Thornton's chances of being the new basketball coach at Texas A&M University rank, well, let's try 1 million to 1; which would have approximated the Aggies' chances of winning the Southwest Conference Post-Season Basketball Classic this week at Reunion Arena to earn them a spot in the NCAA Tournament, make the Final Four at McNichols Arena in

Denver by winning four straight games, and win the national title by winning two in Colorado.

To save Thornton's job all the Aggies had to do was win nine pressure-packed basketball playoff games in a row. A pure impossibility.

Remember when Michigan won the national title last year with an interim coach? That's what Thornton had to do, only he had to pull off a miracle with a lot less talent than the loaded Wolverines had on their NCAA championship club.

Nobody came out and said the Aggies needed a big showing in the conference tournament to save Thornton's job. Nobody had to.

Thornton replaced the fired Shelby Metcalf as interim coach during the midseason, and no athletic department official jumped forward and said "the

job is yours next year, Big John - relax."

It's common knowledge the Aggies want a big-time coach for what they are planning as a rocket move into big-time basketball with a new 16,000-seat arena.

The days of playing in that drafty, old barn, G. Rollie White Coliseum, are numbered.

Athletic director John David Crow said as much on the day he fired Metcalf. New arena. New coaching philosophy.

Texas coach Tom Penders has brought the Aggies into college basketball's 20th century. The success of the Longhorns with their flashy run-and-gun style of play has awakened the sleeping maroon giant in College Station. There is no bigger motivator to the Aggies than success in Austin.

The Aggies have overtaken the 'Horns in football, winning six straight, but Crow and the rest of the A&M officials see the Penders-led Longhorns as one of college basketball's national darlings. It hurts.

Crow has been scouting coaches. For example, he was in Jonesboro, Ark., to check out Tim Floyd, the well-respected University of New Orleans coach. Idaho coach Kermit Davis has talked to Crow at least twice.

Thornton knows he's not exactly the front-runner for a permanent post. Call his office and who answers? Well, Thornton did on a day recently before the Aggies left for Dallas and the SWC Tournament.

"I'm the interim coach, and the interim secretary, and the interim everything," Thornton quipped.

Thornton has the job he's always wanted, but he didn't want it the way he got it.

When Metcalf was axed after 27 years with the school, it left Thornton numb. He took the job, but he wasn't overjoyed to have it.

For one thing, he knew he'd probably have to win every game to please the gang that got Shelby.

"I've made a pact with myself not to worry about it, and I'll have some kind of a statement when it (the season) is all over," Thornton said. "I do love this job."

Thornton admitted he has thought about what happened at Michigan last year.

"Oh, it's been in the back of my mind," he said before the SWC Tournament started on Friday. "I'm going to live no matter what happens, but nobody can keep me from dreaming."

That's right, John.

It's America. Land of the long shots.

Unfortunately for Thornton, it's also the land where the odds always even out.

Favorites win in SWC

By DENNE H. FREEMAN
 AP Sports Writer

There were no surprises in the quarterfinals of the Southwest Conference postseason basketball tournament.

Defending champion Arkansas rolled to an 84-61 victory over Southern Methodist behind Todd Day's 25 points and a career-high 22 for Oliver Miller.

The victory gave the Hogs a chance for revenge at 6 p.m. today in the

semifinals against Baylor, which upset Arkansas earlier in the year.

Baylor downed Texas Christian 72-62.

Day said he was happy to get another shot at Baylor.

"I'd prefer to play Baylor because they embarrassed us there (in Waco) and I want to drive it to them and send them home," he said.

Baylor's Julius Denton, who scored 25 points against Texas Christian, said, "It's going to be a dogfight. I'm sure Arkansas has a score to settle. That's fine with us."

Texas and Houston did the expected Friday night in advancing to their 8 p.m. semifinal showdown tonight in Reunion Arena.

The Longhorns (21-7) bounced the

Texas Aggies 92-84 and Houston (24-6) outlasted the Rice Owls 90-81 with both games going as expected.

Texas finished third and Houston was second in the SWC regular season. The Cougars won both games against the Longhorns.

Lance Blanks scored 27 points and Texas dominated the offensive boards in beating the Aggies for the third time this year. Tony Milton was high for Texas A&M with 26 points.

Texas coach Tom Penders said, "We had a lot of put back baskets. We only shot 37 percent from the field but won by eight points. That should tell you something."

A&M coach John Thornton agreed lack of rebounding killed the Aggies, saying, "It was the key to the game."

"Texas gets a lot of credit for its offense but they play great defense and don't get credit for it," Thornton said.

Penders quipped "Well, we don't talk about our defense a lot although we have great pride in it. It's hard to recruit kids if you tell 'em we play defense all the time."

Carl Herrera scored 25 points and had 12 rebounds as Houston subdued Rice. The Owls were led by Brent Scott who had 19 points and 11 rebounds.

Houston coach Pat Foster said even though the Cougars have 12 straight victories, "Arkansas is still the best team. We're playing awfully well, but until they lose there are the best."

The championship finals are set for 3 p.m. on Sunday.

Herd JV netters rip Plainview

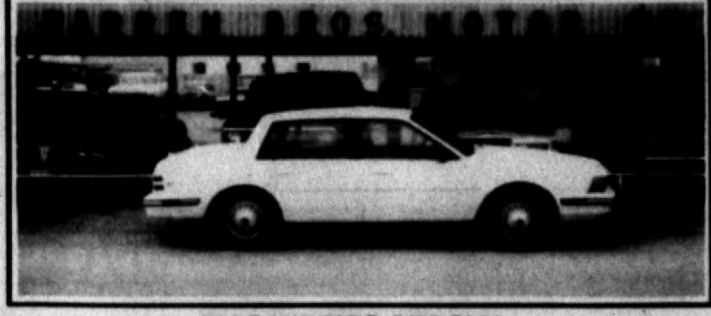
Members of the Hereford Whiteface junior varsity and junior high tennis teams took a 26-5 dual-match win Thursday at Plainview.

Herd tennis coach Luis Zavala said the match provided the younger players in his program some much needed competition.

"We played everybody two or three matches and some of the kids played four or five," Zavala said. "This gave us a chance to get them on the court and work with them a little more in practice."

- TENNIS RESULTS**
 Herd JV at Plainview
- Boys' Singles**
 Jason Pastzold, Hereford, def. James Plainview, 8-3.
 Gibson, Plainview, def. Bobby Perales, Hereford, 8-2.
 Wesley Chumley, Hereford, def. Sprull, Plainview, 8-1.
 Stacey Sanders, Hereford, def. Pitts, Plainview, 8-3.
 A. Perry, Hereford, def. Flipend, Plainview, 8-3.
 Chris Lyles, Hereford, def. Price, Plainview, 8-6.
 Josh Tice, Hereford, def. Flipend, Plainview, 8-1.
 Perry, Hereford, def. Bodeker, Plainview, 6-3.
 Jason Cole, Hereford, def. Garcia, Plainview, 6-3.
 Gibson, Plainview, def. Pastzold, Hereford, 6-3.
- Boys' Doubles**
 Pastzold-Perales, Hereford, def. Gibson-Ward, Plainview, 8-5.
 Andrew Tijerina-Lyles, Hereford, def. Garcia-Dunlap, Plainview, 8-6.
 Tice-Cole, Hereford, def. Cumby-Hernandez, Plainview, 8-3.
 Tijerina-Lyles, Hereford, def. Edwards-Gregg, Plainview, 8-6.
 Tice-Cole, Hereford, def. Bodeker-Price, Plainview, 8-6.
 Sanders-Chumley, Hereford, def. Odem-Pitts, 8-1.
 Sanders-Tijerina, Hereford, def. Aguillar-Schneider, Plainview, 8-2.
- Girls' Singles**
 Kara Sandoval, Hereford, def. Momen, Plainview, 9-7.
 Michelle Berend, Hereford, def. Pitts, Plainview, 8-2.
 Carey McElroy, Hereford, def. Cook, Plainview, 8-3.
 Bri Reinsauer, Hereford, def. Miller, Plainview, 8-4.
 Melissa Berend, Hereford, def. Edwards, Plainview, 8-0.
 Emily Fuston, Hereford, def. Jones, Plainview, 8-3.
 Sherry Fuston, Hereford, def. McGavick, Plainview, 8-3.
 Stringer, Hereford, def. Garcia, Plainview, 7-5.
 Lori Wagner, Hereford, def. Gors, Plainview, 6-3.
 Jeffers, Plainview, def. Brooke Weishaar, Hereford, 9-8.
- Girls' Doubles**
 Fuston-Fuston, Hereford, def. McGavick-Jones, Plainview, 8-3.
 Wagner-Gors, Plainview, def. Stringer-Wagner, Hereford, 8-3.
 Pitts-Jeffers, Plainview, def. Gomez-Weishaar, Hereford, 8-3.
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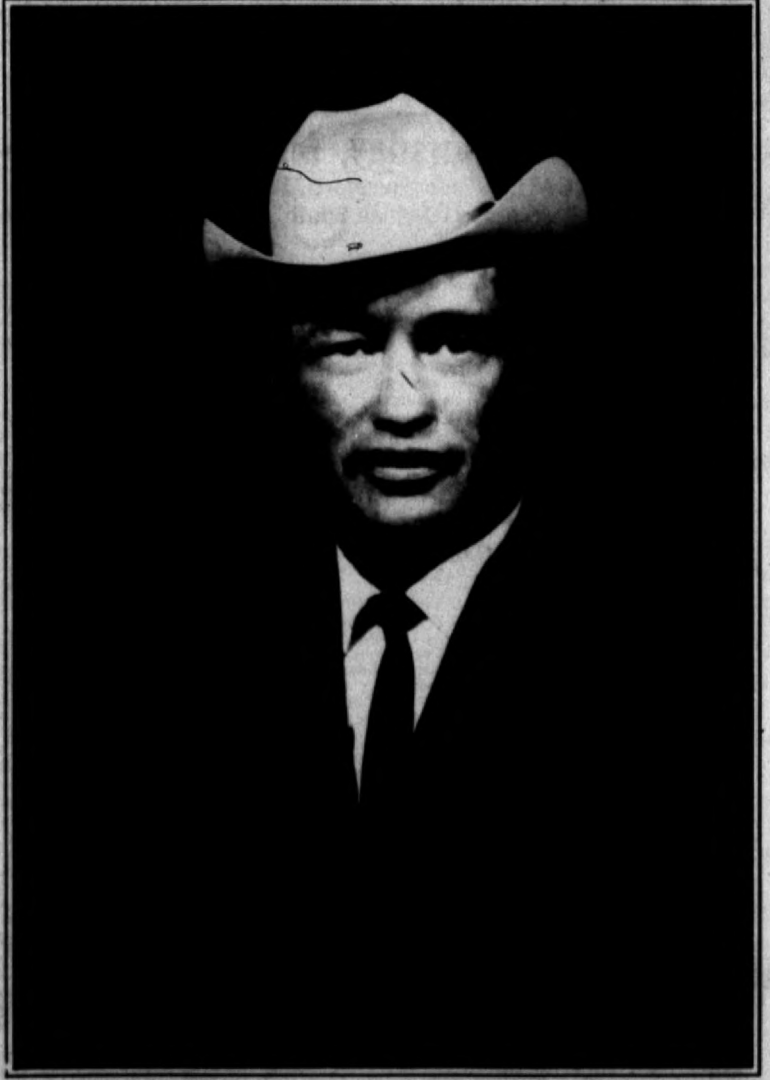
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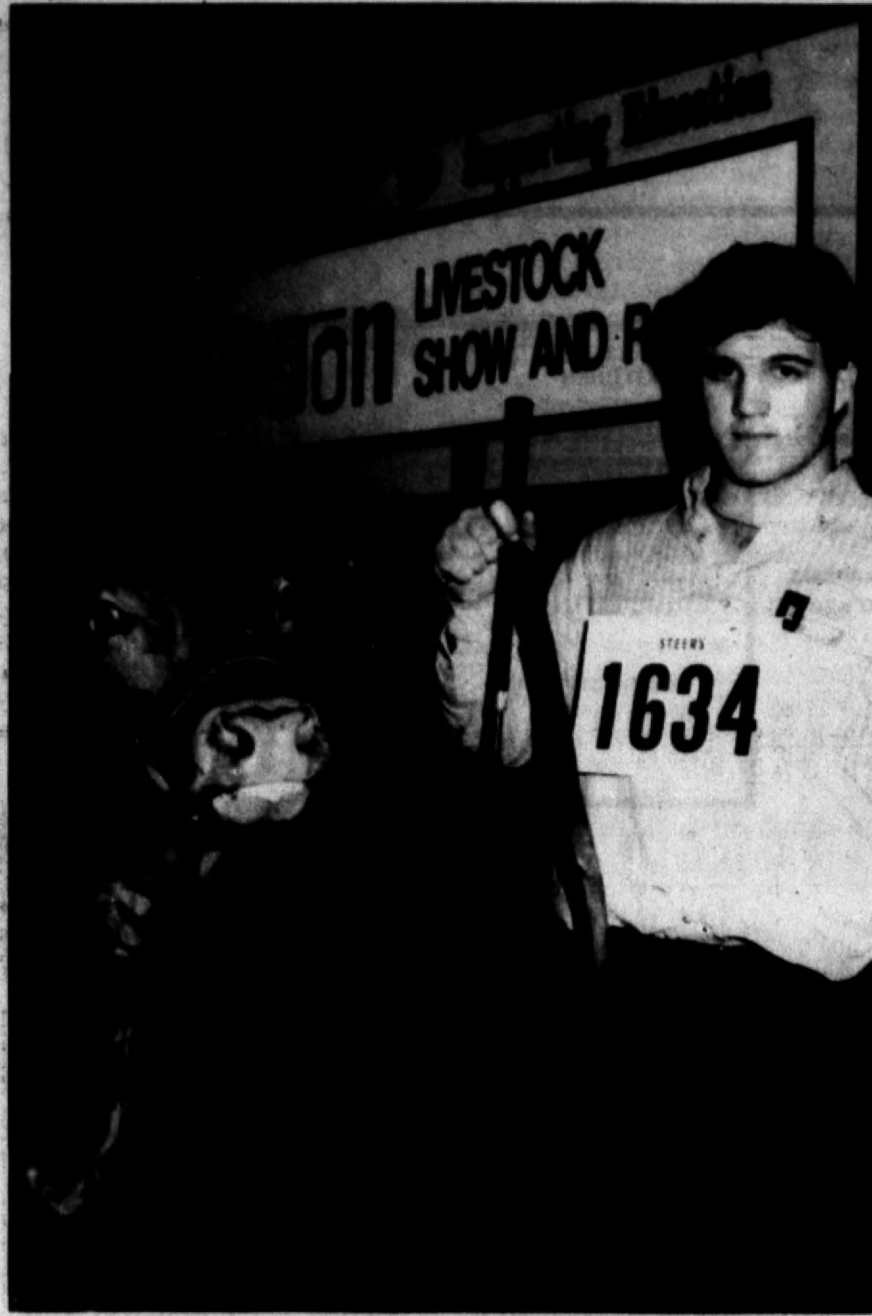
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Farmer Mac to debut soon

WASHINGTON (AP) - The new Federal Agricultural Mortgage Corp., called Farmer Mac for short, is tuning up for its grand entry in the financial market later this year.

Farmer Mac was created a little more than two years ago by the Agricultural Credit Act of 1987 as a secondary market for agricultural real estate loans.

But it has taken time to organize, to work out the kinks and follow the instructions Congress laid down, Farmer Mac officials said Wednesday.

Start-up procedures included the initial sale of \$20 million in voting common stock to banks and other lenders. Rules and operating specifications are still being honed.

John R. Dahl, chairman of the board, said after the corporation's second annual stockholders' meeting that underwriting standards and other guides must be developed meticulously to ensure integrity.

Dahl said Farmer Mac has a "very strong foundation" and that all the deadlines specified by Congress have been met.

The aim of Farmer Mac, he said, is to "accomplish the goal that Congress set out for us ... to increase the availability of capital, to allow agricultural borrowers and rural housing borrowers an opportunity of more places to go to look for credit."

Hopefully, Dahl added, these borrowers also "will have the benefits of competition and competitive interest rates."

But Dahl and Henry D. Edelman, the corporation's president and chief executive officer, could not offer a firm timetable or identify those in line for actual "pooling" operations.

Banks and other lenders can convert long-term assets - in this case real estate mortgages - by selling the loans on the secondary market. At that point, those who buy the mortgages package or pool the loans and then sell loan-backed securities to the public.

Meanwhile, the original lenders are able to increase their cash and are able

to make more loans to agricultural borrowers.

Farmer Mac will share the risk of the farm real estate loan business by guaranteeing returns on the securities.

Other federal agencies such as the Federal Home Loan Mortgage Corp. (Freddie Mac), Federal National Mortgage Association (Fannie Mae) and Government National Mortgage Association (Ginnie Mae) serve a similar function for their clientele.

Dahl, a rancher from Gackle, N.D., said in an interview after the meeting that "we've come a long way" in getting Farmer Mac on solid ground. But he said there is no way to estimate the corporation's eventual impact on the nation's agricultural credit market.

"There's no history involved here," he said. "There's a lot of enthusiasm for Farmer Mac, and I wish I could tell you that we're going to do a billion dollars in business, or something. But there's no way we can predict this."

But what can be predicted, Dahl added, is that "we're going to do everything we possibly can to come up with the kind of program that Congress envisioned agriculture needed."

There has been some concern among other financial authorities that demand for Farmer Mac's secondary market services might fall short of expectations.

Dahl said he wasn't aware of any major threat to Farmer Mac, at least not in the formative stage.

"There are some that are hesitant about Farmer Mac," he said. "And there have been some things in the (news) media from time to time. But I think those are based on perceptions more than fact ... nothing's 100 percent, I'd be the first to say that."

Also, Dahl said there has been "some impatience" about Farmer Mac not being in business yet.

"But we need this program developed with quality and with integrity," he said. "We're here for the long pull."

College ag numbers up

WASHINGTON (AP) - The Agriculture Department says college enrollments in agricultural subjects have increased for the second straight year after declining for a decade.

A survey of university deans also showed starting salaries of agricultural graduates have also improved, depending on the specialty, the department said Monday. For most, the informal survey showed beginning salaries in a range of \$18,000 to \$32,000 per year.

John Patrick Jordan, administrator of the department's Cooperative State Research Service, said career opportunities for graduates in food and agricultural sciences are producing excitement among prospective students.

"The enrollment turnaround being reported in the last two years indicates that college students are recognizing this fact in greater numbers," Jordan said.

Nationally, enrollments in agriculture peaked in 1977 and steadily dropped until 1987 before gaining the last two years.

Although the USDA agency did not report national figures for agriculture enrollments, there were a number of examples:

-Purdue University in West Lafayette, Ind., enrollment last fall jumped 10 percent to 1,891 undergraduates. By September, 96 percent of Purdue's graduates last May had jobs or were continuing studies in graduate or professional schools.

-Ohio State University in Columbus reported last fall's agriculture enrollment of 1,500 undergraduates was about the same as a year earlier, which was up 10 percent from 1987 enrollment.

-Iowa State University in Ames showed 2,110 undergraduates last fall, up from 1,964 two years before.



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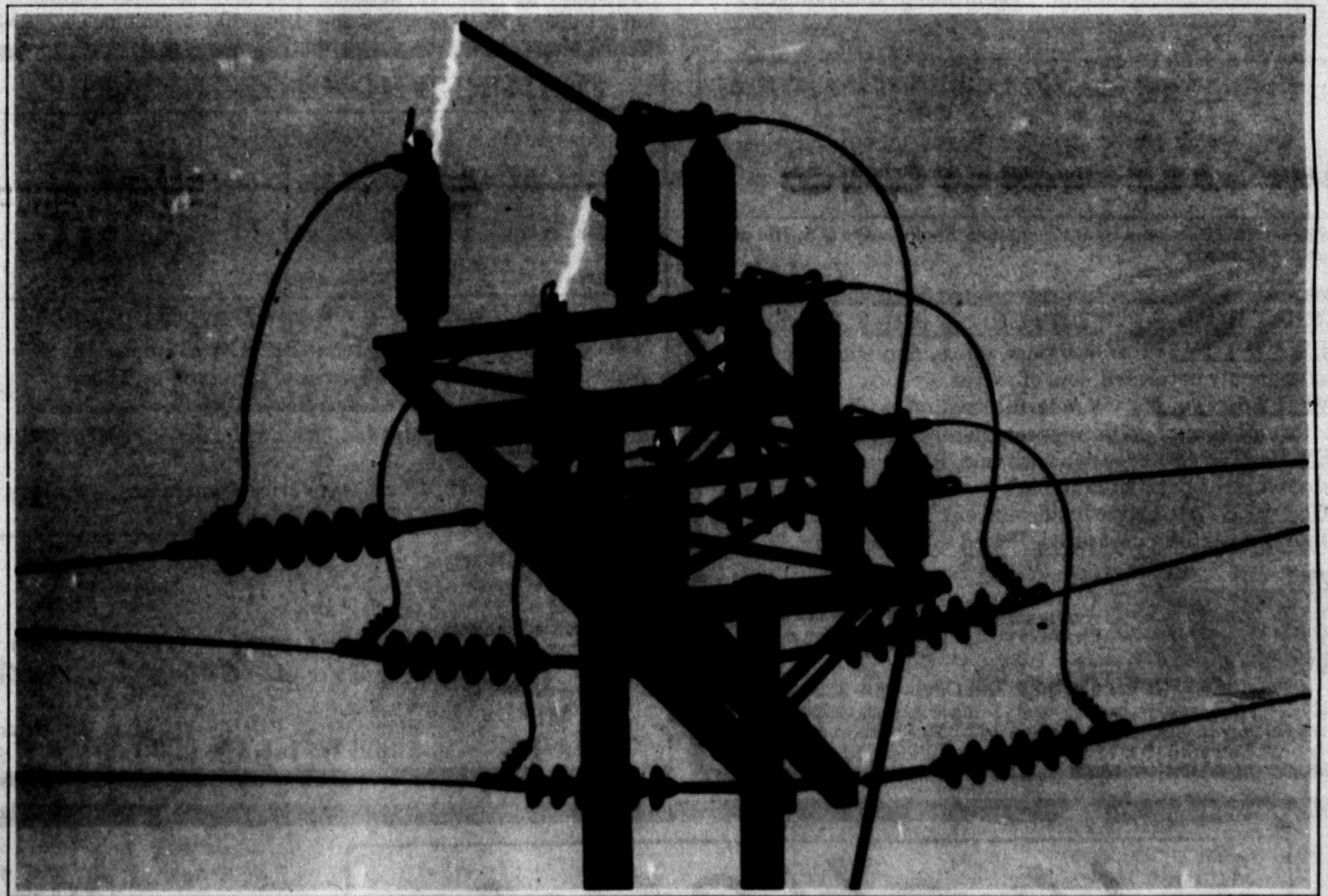
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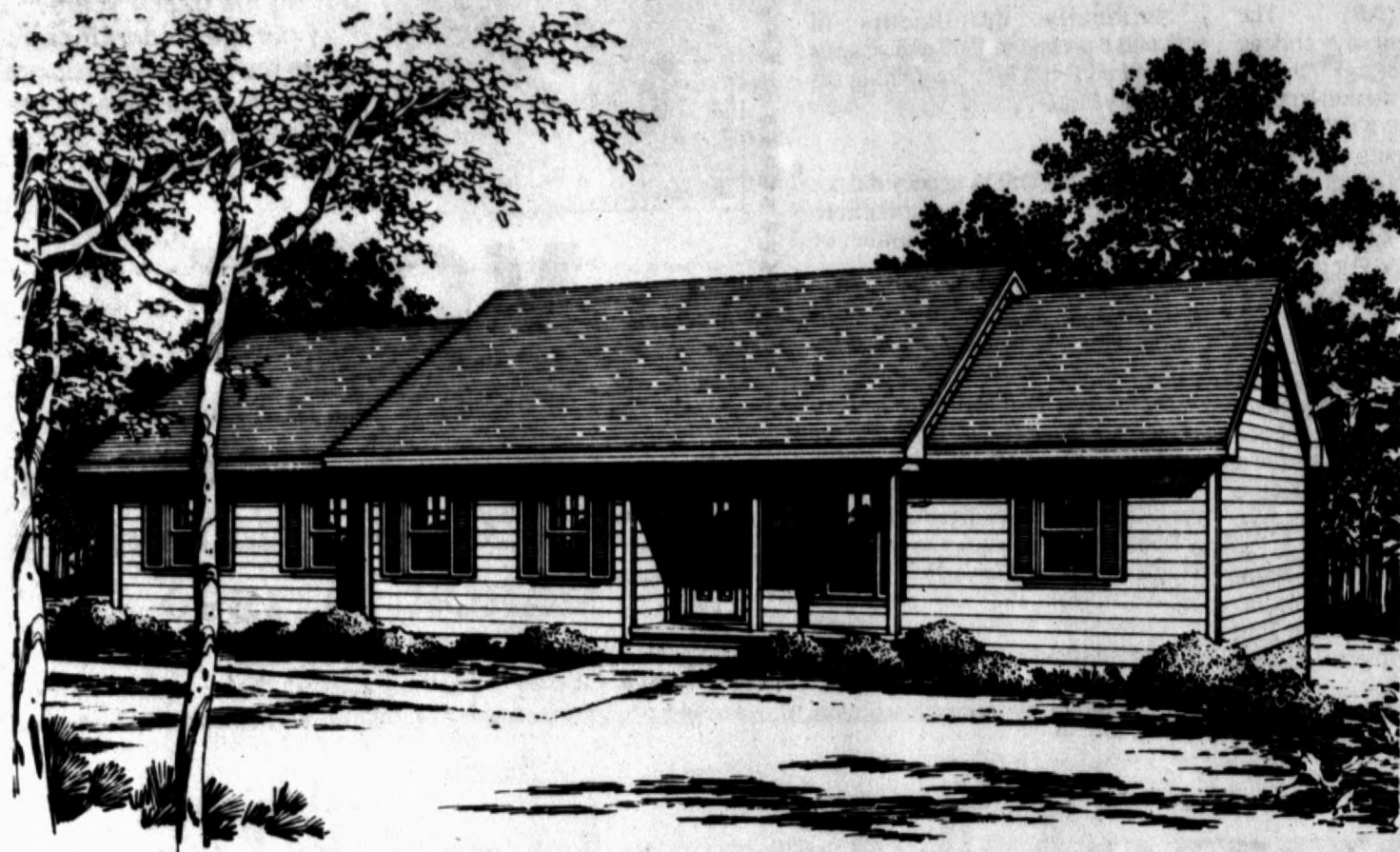
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There are two identical bedrooms at the other end of this plan, both of which are serviced by a central full tub bath. Closets are spacious and a disappearing stair leads to attic storage.

The spacious master bedroom suite is shown with a full tub as well as a separate shower stall, along with two lavatories, commode and sky lite.

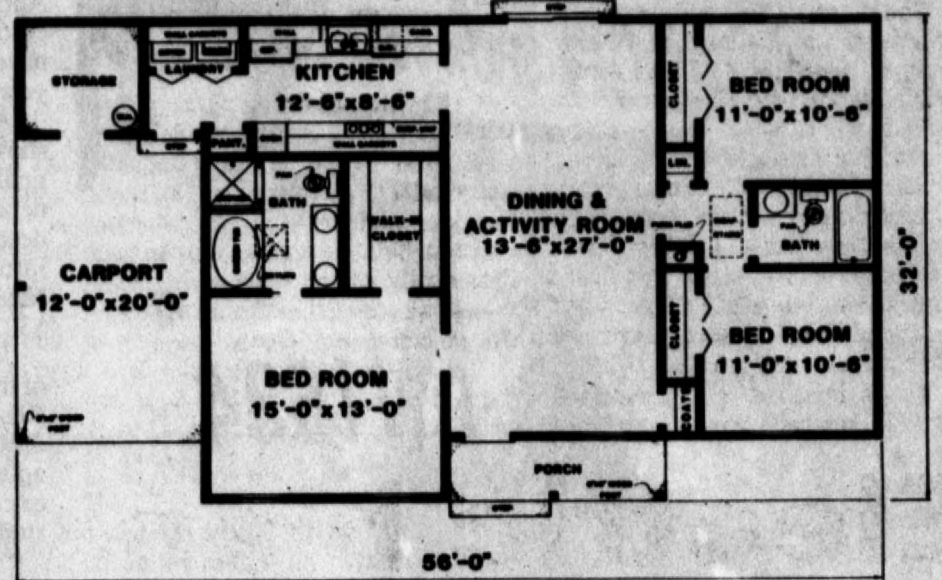
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The cottage exterior is drawn for horizontal wood construction and includes a small porch, shut-

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This is a computer generated plan.

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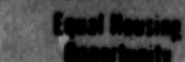
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New roof can be a crowning glory

By POPULAR MECHANICS
For AP Newsfeatures

The crowning glory of an old house restoration is a new roof of wood shakes or shingles.

The standard roofing material of colonial times continues to be used today in many parts of the country. Originally, the type of wood used was dependent on what was available locally. For example, red cedar was plentiful on the West Coast, swamp cedar in the mid-Atlantic states, white cedar in New England and cypress in the South. Today, you'll still find a variety of woods used to make wood shakes or shingles, such as red and white cedar, white pine and oak.

If it's installed and maintained properly, you can expect a wood roof

to last a long time. Although 25-30 years is a good minimum, we've seen some 70-year-old roofs that are still functioning properly. Understanding what's involved for installation and maintenance will go a long way in helping you decide if a wood shake or shingle roof is the right choice for you.

One of the secrets of a successful wood-roof application is adequate ventilation. Because of the nature of the product, air must be able to circulate underneath it to prevent moisture buildup and its resultant rot. Historically, an open-sheathed roofing system was used, which accomplished this objective very nicely.

Today, this is still the preferred method of installation. But keep in mind that the rough, uneven nature of

shakes demands some extra protection. When installing shakes, the open sheathing should be interwoven with the felt paper so the tips of the shakes are up underneath the felt. This provides extra protection from driving winds and rain, but still allows adequate ventilation at all times. The felt paper interweave is usually not necessary with shingles, since they lie flat. If an open-sheathed roof isn't a practical option for you, the shakes or shingles should be attached to horizontal furring strips that allow an inch or so of air to move between the bottom of the shingles or shakes and the plywood or solid sheathing.

Another important factor is allowing for the natural expansion of wood. If space is not left for this and the shingles or shakes are butted up close together, you're likely to get a failure, or crack,

in the nail line. Usually, leaving 1/4-inch of space or keyway between each shingle, and about 1/2-inch of space between shakes, is enough to allow for any movement.

When actually fastening shingles, the shingle, ideally, should hang on its nails. The nailheads should be driven so they are just flush with the shingle surface. Don't dimple it or sink the nails in, as you run the risk of punching a hole which will allow the shingle to lift right off the roof. Two nails should be used per piece, placed about 3/4-inch from each side, 1-inch above where the next butt line for the next row will be. Covering the nailheads like this helps prevent them from rusting and staining the roof surface. The seams should line up for three courses, preventing water from wearing a channel or path in the

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By READER'S DIGEST
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When you turn down the thermostat to save energy on those cold winter nights, one way to stay warm and cozy is with an electric blanket.

Here are some tips on using and troubleshooting electric blankets: Proper Use

- When the power to the blanket is on, don't fold the blanket, lie on it, cover it, place a heavy object on it, or tuck its wired parts under the mattress. (You can feel the wires inside the blanket.)

- Place the temperature control unit where it will receive normal air flow. It will not operate properly near a warm radiator or on a cold windowsill.

- Blankets can usually be laundered by hand or in a washing machine, but not dry cleaned. Check the blanket's label. Use lukewarm water with mild soap. Be sure to disconnect the cord from the blanket before washing.

- To set the temperature, turn the heat control to High, then lower it slowly to a comfortable level.

- Electric blankets are mothproof. Don't store them with moth balls, flakes or crystals.

- Electric blankets are available with either one or two controls. Dual control models, for double beds and larger, are basically a pair of single

control blankets sewn together with one control for each half. When setting up a dual control blanket, make sure the control units are on the proper sides of the bed. Look at the bottom of the controls. One will be marked with a message such as, "This unit controls label side." This means there is a cloth label sewn on the side of the blanket that is controlled by that unit, while the other side is controlled by the other unit.

Troubleshooting
- If the blanket fails to heat, current is not flowing through the elements. Unplug the power cord and check the outlet with a lamp you know is working. If there is no power, check for a blown fuse or tripped circuit breaker in your home's main service panel. (Be sure there are not too many appliances on the same circuit as the blanket.)

- If the power is OK and the blanket still doesn't heat, unplug the blanket and check that all connections are tight. A control cord may have pulled out of a blanket plug.

- If the blanket still doesn't heat, or if it overheats, has hot spots, or repeatedly blows a fuse or trips a circuit breaker, then the heating element, one or both control units, or the power control cords may be faulty. Take the blanket to an authorized

service shop for repairs using identical parts from the same manufacturer. If the blanket is out of warranty, you may be better off buying a new one.

- If the cord causes a shock, have the cord or the entire control unit replaced.

- If the blanket causes shock,

unplug it and look for a pin or metallic object stuck in it.

(Need help on a home repair or improvement project? Write Reader's Digest, P.O. Box 700, Pleasantville, NY 10570-7000. Suggestions and tips will be offered in future columns.)

Questions, answers can help your home

By POPULAR MECHANICS
For AP Newsfeatures

Q. - We bought our home in 1985 and plan to add several new electrical circuits and to install new light fixtures and ceiling fans into already existing circuits. The problem is that all circuits, switches, light fixtures, receptacles and appliance connections were wired with aluminum wiring components.

We know we must replace failed switches and receptacles with ones that are approved for use with aluminum wiring, but we don't know what to do about installing new copper-wired fixtures in existing circuits. A friend warned us that connecting copper to aluminum wiring could create a fire hazard. Is this true?

A. - Aluminum wiring is a potential fire hazard. Between 1965 and 1973 about 1.5 million homes were wired with aluminum, which at the time was approved by the National Electrical Code. Later it was found that dangerous overheating in 15- and 20-amp circuits, at some connections between aluminum wires and outlets, switches, fixtures and appliances resulted in fires.

Correcting the problem does not require rewiring the house. You can replace switches and outlet receptacles that are unmarked, or marked AL-CU, with devices that are marked CO-ALR. Or, you can use existing switches and outlets, provided you attached short copper pigtailed to the ends of the aluminum wires and to the devices (aluminum-to-aluminum splices are an exception). It's also necessary to connect light fixtures and appliances with copper pigtailed.

Because of the potential for a fire, it is important that copper wire pigtailed be attached to aluminum wires with specially designed connectors (Wire-Nuts can be used, however, at copper-to-copper connections, such as light

fixtures). The Consumer Product Safety Commission recommends using a compression-type crimp connector with heat-shrink insulation. These are called Copalum Compression Connectors. They, and the crimping tool used to install them, are made by AMP Inc., Copalum Program, MS 140-13 P.O. Box 360B, Harrisburg, PA 17105.

Q. - Several years ago, we had a furnace installed and started getting a great amount of dust every time it was on. When we had it checked out we discovered that a return air duct had been laid over the dirt floor in the crawl space with no cap, and all the dust was being brought into the house. Other than taking the ducts down to remove the dirt, is there anything we can do?

A. - All warm-air furnace systems must have a filter in the return duct to trap dirt and dust in the airstream. The filter prevents airborne particles from getting into the air. There could be several ways the airstream that enters the room picks up the particles. The filter may be dirty, it may not be the correct size or it may not have been installed properly so particles slip past it. Or, you may not even have a filter. If none of the above cause the problem, you should consider installing an electrostatic filter in the return duct. These filters are effective in removing dust and dirt from the air.

We've assumed you've replaced the missing end cap on the return duct, but you should also seal the joints between the sections with duct tape. Also, a portion of the return duct in the crawl space should be insulated as an energy-saving measure.

(For further information on any home problem, write to Popular Mechanics, Readers Service Bureau, 224 West 57th Street, New York, NY 10019. Phone: 212-649-3127.)

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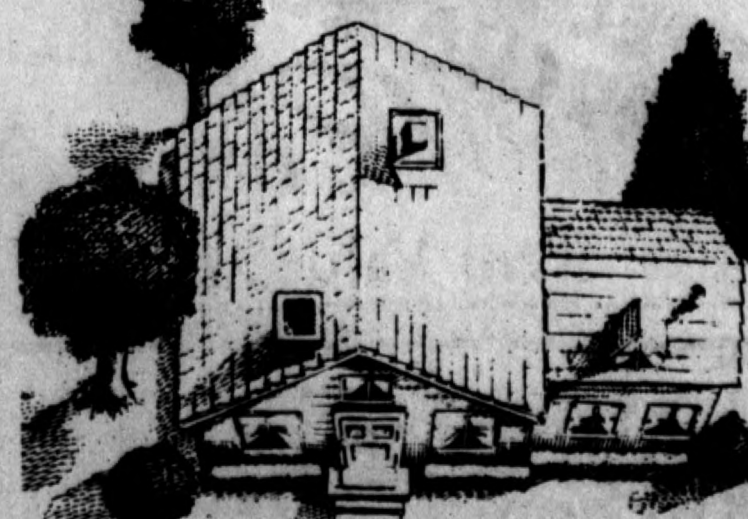
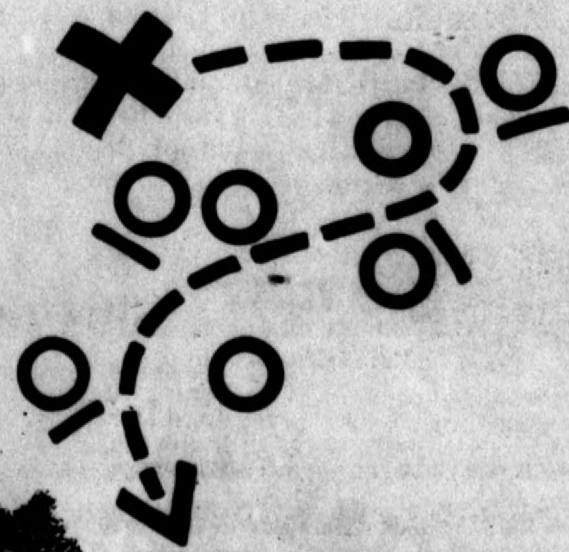
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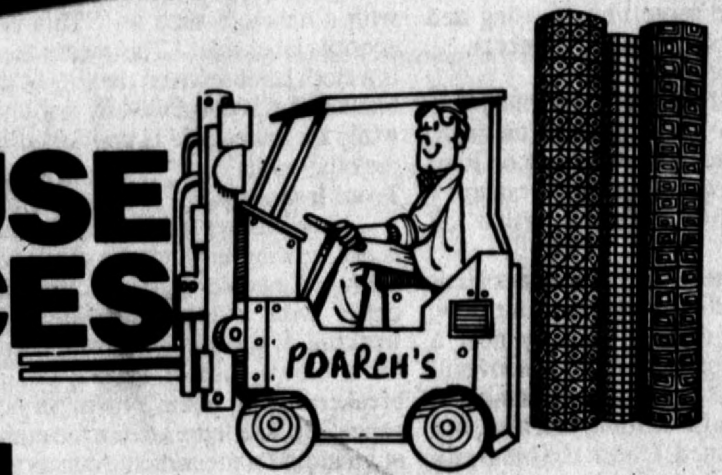
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Lifestyles

BRANDED Women

By Sandy Stagner

"You can do it, Sandy!"

I bet Speedy Nieman has said those five words to me at least a couple of hundred times over the past 17 years. Because we have worked so long together, he no longer verbally tells me that, I get the message with just a look from him.

When I walked into the Hereford Brand office for the first time back in the early 1970s, I had no idea the parttime job I was applying for would turn into a career. But here I am still hanging around the office.

My first position for the paper consisted of selling Christmas ads for three weeks. A few days passed and I was very discouraged that I wasn't doing well. Speedy, apparently sensed this and told me, "You can do it, Sandy!" I did much better just knowing someone had confidence in me when I had none in myself.

On my last day of employment, Speedy approached me about a permanent position that was opening up at the paper. (This man was a glutton for punishment.) He thought I might be a good typesetter. After three months, he realized my typing skills were very limited and I wasn't going to get any better.

You'd think that after trying me at two totally different jobs (with me failing at both), he'd give up on me. On the contrary, he suggested that I become a staff writer. Sure, I thought. I couldn't compose a letter much less use a camera and I told him so. He just patted me on the shoulder and said with a smile, "I bet you can do it!"

I didn't want to let my boss down so I tried really hard. After all, here was a man that had a great deal of faith in me and I didn't want to disappoint him. The rest is history, as they say, and here I am a lot older and much wiser.

Gosh, thinking back, Speedy has put up with a lot from me. I wonder if he remembers some of the stupid stunts I've pulled.

One morning Speedy asked me to go photograph Tierra Blanca Creek since it had rained several inches during the night. I took some pictures and while walking back to my car I found a snapping turtle. I brought it back to the office and hid it in my desk. I was planning to take it home to my son. To make a long story short, I forgot the turtle and it escaped during the

night. Unfortunately, Speedy found it the next morning. Without asking any questions, he knew who the culprit was. He picked up the turtle and handed it to me never saying a word.

On more than one occasion I have gone to take pictures for him and forgotten to put film in the camera. He never uttered a word but I knew by his facial expression that I had better be more conscientious.

I have also ruined some of his film as I was developing it. You simply do not turn on the light while you roll undeveloped film on the spool. Although I know he probably could have killed me, all he said was "horse feathers". This is his version of cussing and I have never heard him say anything worse.

Speedy and I had a battle of the wills that lasted a couple of years. He kept hinting to me that some day the Brand was going to be computerized and I had better get prepared for it. It went in one ear and out the other. I simply wasn't going to use a word processor, the thought terrified me. Guess who learned and guess who said, "Sandy, you can do it!"

I've also done some really dumb things when I was pasting up the newspaper. I have completely left out an entire sports section in a Sunday's newspaper. Thank goodness Speedy caught my mistake before the paper was published. As he was checking over my pages, he casually remarked, "Sandy, I know you don't like sports but don't you think there are people who do? Why don't we put some sports stories in this week's publication." He made his point and I have since been more careful when pasting up the paper.

Let's face it, Speedy has the patience of a saint. And I have always appreciated him, but more so as the years go by. I hope by his example, I have become more professional and more tolerant.

I didn't write this column to get in my boss's good favor. But when I found out that he had been named Citizen of the Year, I realized he was not only respected and admired by me but by the community.

So, congratulations, Speedy, for the honor that was bestowed on you and thank you for giving a very shy, inexperienced girl a chance so many years ago.



PATRICA GAUTHREAUX, SCOTT FRANK

The only boxer to win two titles in one Olympic meet was Oliver L. Kirk of the U.S. who took both bantam and featherweight titles in 1904.

Wedding date set

Patrica Nan Gauthreaux of Amarillo and Scott Lee Frank of Irving plan to exchange nuptials May 19 in the Hudspeth House in Canyon.

The bride-elect is the daughter of Robert and Nan Gauthreaux of Hereford and the prospective bridegroom is the son of Logan and Dee Frank of Garland.

Miss Gauthreaux received a bachelor of business administration degree from West Texas State University and is currently employed at Corporate Systems in Amarillo.

Frank received a bachelor's degree in computer science from WTSU and is presently employed at Partners in Dallas.

Reception planned today

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Lemons will be honored at a reception from 2-4 p.m. today at the Hereford Senior Citizens Center, 426 Ranger Drive. The event is being held to honor the

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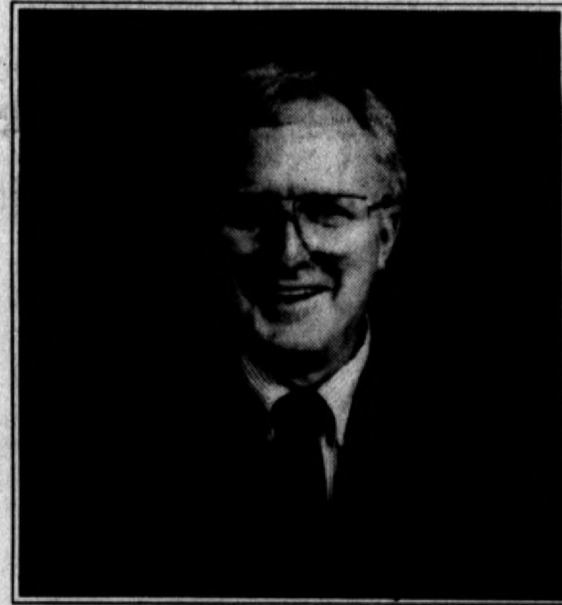
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Doug Manning, Worship Leader



Abundant Life

BY BOB WEAR
It Could Be Worse

The living experience is a very real challenge to all of us, and it is rather difficult sometimes. When everything is considered, the general experiences are about the same for all of us. There are some good days and some not so good, but, in many ways, we actually control the degree of difficulty which we may experience.

We can make living much more difficult than it should be, but we must not do this. It is very foolish to make troubles worse than they should be. We can do this by exaggerating them in our own view of them. We must never permit them to dominate every other aspect of our life, but try to see them and deal with them as part of the whole. There will be some help for us in the realization that our troubles "could be worse". This will not be the total solution, but it will be helpful.

"In troubling events, we may find comfort, though it be only in the negative admission that things might have been worse." -Barr. This view

will be effective as one of our coping skills, because it should relieve some of the pressure that we are feeling. When this has been done, we will be able to maintain a better balanced perspective of the whole situation. This will strengthen our chance for satisfactory solutions.

In admitting that a difficult situation could be worse, we are not dodging it, but putting ourselves in a more desirable position to deal with it. This will enable us to be realistic; not pretending that a situation is better than it actually is; nor assuming that it is worse than it is.

When a difficult situation develops that might be accepted, because we have no other choice, and this happens, sooner or later to most of us, if we can sincerely admit that "it could be worse", the burden becomes a little easier to bear.

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Fourth grade students at Shirley Intermediate School recently celebrated Dime To Shine in recognition of Texas Independence Day on March 2. The youths will be making contributions to help construct an entrance to the Washington-on-the-Brazos State Park. The park is the site that founding fathers gathered from across the territory in 1836 to deliberate, debate and ultimately, declare independence from Mexico. The Dime To Shine campaign will conclude May 15. Pictured are, from left on back row, Twiggy Guerrero, Marisa Solis, Chris Briones, Martin Garcia, Joe Garcia, Monica Reyes and Rebecca Drager. On front row, from left, are Janet Cortez, Marselino Ruiz, Shane Rodriguez, Jackie Palacios and Monica Castillo.

Local student named DAR Good Citizen

Russell Backus of Hereford High School and Kara Schulte of Dimmitt High School have been named the DAR Good Citizens for their respective schools for the 1989-90 school year. The competition is sponsored by the Los Ciboleros Chapter of the Daughters of the American Revolution with Mrs. Austin Rose as the chapter regent.

Backus is the son of Fritz and Connie Backus of Route 5, Hereford, and Schulte is the daughter of Lester and Beth Schulte of Route 2, Hereford.

The faculties of the two high schools annually choose the outstanding students to be recognized as the DAR Good Citizens. Criteria for selection include dependability, service, leadership and patriotism. Included in the entry is an essay "Our American Heritage and My Responsibility to Preserve It" to be written by each student without benefit of reference material in a single sitting under the supervision of a faculty monitor.

Honors and awards garnered by Backus during his high school years include the following: three-year member of National Honor Society and an executive board member of NHS as a senior; president of the HHS Key Club as well as being a board member his sophomore and junior years; Key Club Sophomore of the Year; president of the sophomore class; member of Fellowship of Christian Athletes; three-year varsity baseball player; two-year varsity football player; two-year varsity basketball player; all-district baseball team as a junior; all-district, all-South Plains, Globe News Super Team and all-state team in football as a senior; and all-district basketball team as a senior.

Backus plans to attend Hardin Simmons University in Abilene and to play college football for them. His ambitions include graduating from college with a degree in accounting or industrial engineering.

A four-year student at Dimmitt

High School, Schulte was active in band, basketball and track as a freshman and served as historian of the Future Homemakers of America and was class treasurer. The title "Most Likely to Succeed" was an honor she won that year.

As a sophomore, she continued her active participation in basketball and track and was chosen to represent her school at the Hugh O'Brien Youth Leadership Seminar. She was an Academic All-American, Sophomore of the Year and was inducted into the National Honor Society after being ranked ninth in her class.

Historian of the DHS Student Council, as well as membership in the Spanish Club, the Key Club, the Castro County 4-H Council, NHS and the varsity basketball and track teams were the highlights of her junior year. She was again chosen as an Academic All-American as well as receiving the "I Dare You" award.

This year, Schulte is a member of the Fellowship of Christian Athletes and Future Homemakers of America, president of the Key Club, secretary of the DHS Student Council and NHS, and president of the senior class at DHS. She is also co-captain of the varsity basketball team.

Schulte's plans for the future include attending Texas A&M with a major in political science and/or international relations. She hopes to work for the foreign service after graduation.



RUSSELL BACKUS



KARA SCHULTE

Between the Covers

BY REBECCA WALLS

I would like to take this opportunity to tell you a little about a unique organization of which you may become a member. This organization is the Friends of the Deaf Smith County Library.

The Friends group has been instrumental in helping the library to gain equipment that would not have been able to have been purchased otherwise. Its volunteer helpers and financial support have also enabled the library to offer special programs for the community. Some of these programs have been babysitting clinics, discussion groups, book reviews, tutor training for the adult literacy program, and special speakers such as John Erickson, Dan True, Sam Brown, and Jodi Thomas. The Friends have also supported and sponsored special services such as the books on tape collection, family film, distribution of any publicity that is sent telling about special programs coming to the library.

This Friends group has also been instrumental in getting damaging library legislation reversed before it was too late. Legislation that comes through the federal, state, and local levels is determined and voted on by private citizens. This library's vote within the Texas Panhandle Library System (TPLS) comes through a lay representative or private citizen. The librarian has no vote.

It has been a general concern that our nation's knowledge is stored in its public and private libraries and that this knowledge should be available to any and everyone. In order for today's libraries to continue to provide for the information need of its communities the community must show its support. This support can be shown by expressing suggestions for services and

materials you would like to see offered by the library and through financial support. It is a very important that, you as a concerned citizen and library supporter, make yourselves known and a good way to do this is by becoming a member of the Friends group. Out of 6,000 current library card holders there should be a thousand or more friends members.

To become a Friends member all you need to do is come by the library or send your membership fee to: Deaf Smith County Library, 211 E. 4th, Hereford, Texas, 79045.

You may also contact the Friends

officers and pay your dues to them. They are Kim Moore, president; Nancy Hays, vice president; Betty Jo Carlson, secretary; and Carmen Angel, treasurer.

Membership fees are individual membership—\$2 per year, family membership—\$5 per year, organization and business membership—\$10 per year and lifetime membership—\$100.

Some titles of interest coming out this week are: Hell Ranch: the Nightmare Tale of Voodoo, Drugs & Death in Matamoros, by Clifford L. Lindecker, Nobody Lives Forever by Edna Buchanan and Bitter Sweet by LaVyrle Spencer.

Improve educational standards for youths

Letters to legislators now can mean more jobs and a better economy. The reason: According to the U.S. Census Bureau, by the year 2000—if current trends continue—70 percent of the U.S. population won't have the reading skills needed to get jobs.

Between now and 2010, the National Science Foundation estimates, the nation will be short over 700,000 scientists and engineers. Lack of technologically-skilled workers could cripple U.S. industry, essentially knocking the nation out of global competition, says experts in our nation's capital.

Fortunately, help for America's educational system is coming from a surprising source. Defense industry contractors, reports the Electronic Industries Association (EIA), are joining roundtables, task forces and advisory committees to ensure schools

are pursuing a curriculum that will both prepare and interest students in technical fields. Companies are opening up their facilities and releasing their people to work with the schools. Many defense firms provide teachers, equipment, on-site labs and summer jobs for students. Some have even "adopted" schools, helping them improve their science and math teaching.

The defense industry can't win the battle against decreasing educational standards alone, however. The impetus for improving America's educational system must come from the local and state levels, experts say, with individuals and groups demanding action and creating reform. Everyone has a role in overcoming the crisis, says EIA—no one can be a spectator. Technical competence and U.S. competitiveness are everybody's business, most would agree. You can let legislators know how you feel on this issue by writing them at the U.S. Senate, Washington, D.C. 20510 and the House of Representatives, Washington, D.C. 20515.

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Answer: Any change in the number of persons living in the household of an SSI recipient should be reported to Social Security. Your benefit might be reduced; however, under some circumstances it might even increase. Call Social Security and explain your particular situation. Someone there will evaluate your case and decide how your payment amount will be affected.

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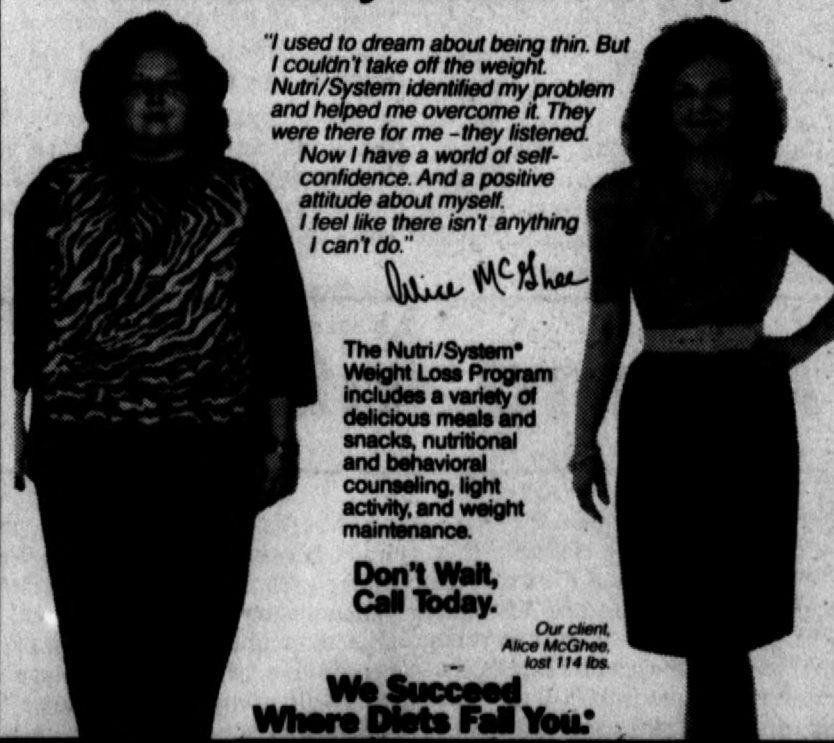
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MRS. BRIAN WHITAKER
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Former Hereford resident, Melissa Kay O'Rand of Amarillo, and Brian Ray Whitaker, also of Amarillo, were married Saturday afternoon in 10th Ave. United Methodist Church in that city.

Officiating for the marriage was Jim Bozeman, retired pastor, and Robert Clark of Springfield, Colo.

The bride is the daughter of Mrs. Eddie O'Rand of Amarillo and the bridegroom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Whitaker of Springfield, Colo.

The church altar was decorated by a seven-branch candelabrum, a 15-branch candelabrum and a cross and heart candelabrum accented with greenery and mauve colored bows. Bows also decorated every other pew.

Laurie Kahlich served her sister as matron of honor and Keith Whitaker was his brother's best man.

Bridesmaids included the bride's sister-in-law, Donnie O'Rand of Hereford, Julie Simons of College Station and Shelley McCracken of Hereford.

Groomsmen were the groom's cousins, Jeff and David Whitaker, both of Amarillo, and Gary Paige of Springfield.

Guests were escorted by the bride's brother-in-law, Chris Kahlich of Amarillo, and the bride's brothers, Rodney O'Rand of Amarillo and Mike O'Rand of Hereford.

Ashley O'Rand, daughter of Mike and Celia O'Rand, served as flower girl. Ring bearer was Glenn Kahlich, son of Chris and Laurie Kahlich. Candles were lit by Britt O'Rand and Elizabeth Jeffers.

Principal wedding selections included "He Has Chosen You for Me", "The Lord's Prayer" and "The Wedding Song." Thelma Stollabarger of Springfield played the piano as she sang.

Given in marriage by her brother, Jeffery O'Rand, the bride wore white satin and lace wedding gown fashioned with a Victorian style neckline and puffed Victorian lace sleeves. The skirt swept into a double cathedral-length train.

Her white tulle net veil was attached to the back of a beaded halo headpiece accented with delicate beaded flowers. She carried a cascading arrangement of mauve and white roses with accents of silver and beads.

She also wore her sister's pearl earrings.

Attendants were attired in mauve taffeta dresses with drop yoke fitted

bodices. Each dress also featured three tiers in the back.

Julie Jeffers of Amarillo invited guests to register at the reception held in the church fellowship hall.

The bride's sister-in-law, Rose O'Rand of Amarillo, served cake, and punch and coffee were poured by Celia O'Rand of Hereford, the bride's sister-in-law.

Presiding at the groom's table were Christi Whitaker and Kathy King.

The refreshment table was covered with a white lace cloth and a mauve underlay. The five-tier cake, which featured a flowing fountain, was connected with stairways decorated with greenery and mauve roses. Precious Moments bride and groom figurines topped the cake.

The bride is a 1986 graduate of Hereford High School and is currently employed by Terry Harris Insurance and Financial Planning in Amarillo.

The groom, a graduate of Springfield High School in Springfield, Colo., is presently employed by Texas Department of Corrections.

Parents, council to meet

The 4-H Parent Leaders Association and 4-H County Council will meet on Monday instead of Tuesday as previously announced. The meeting will be held in the Banquet Room of the Community Center and will begin at 7 p.m.

Plans will be made for several upcoming events. Each member of both of these organizations is urged to be present for the meetings.

Educational programs conducted by the Texas Agricultural Extension Service serve people of all ages regardless of socio-economic levels, race, color, sex, religion, handicap, or national origin.

Changing diapers promptly can usually prevent rash

Diaper rash can be as frustrating for parents as it is painful for babies. Prompt diaper changes and proper cleansing can help prevent irritating rash, says the Texas Medical Association.

Diaper rash occurs when the skin is exposed to too much water, which breaks down the skin's protective layers and causes natural oils to be lost. Friction between the diaper and the wet skin results in chafing. Once damaged, the skin can be attacked by yeast in the stool, leading to an infection and a more severe rash.

With many mothers working outside the home, parents often must rely on disposable diapers and trust that caregivers will follow proper diapering procedures. If necessary, parents should discuss diapering with the caregiver and ask that diaper changes be recorded on a daily log.

To help prevent diaper rash, follow these steps:

-Change diapers promptly when the baby urinates or has a bowel movement.

-Wash the diaper area gently with mild soap and warm water and dry with a soft towel. Avoid using too much soap or wipes containing alcohol, which can dry and irritate the skin.

-If you use disposable diapers, talk with your doctor about which ones to use. Babies may tolerate one type better than another. Disposable diapers sometimes contain alcohol and perfume that can irritate the skin. If diaper rash occurs frequently, consider switching to cloth diapers, which allow the skin to breathe. Avoid using plastic pants as much as possible.

-If you use cloth diapers, wash them in boiling hot water with a mild soap. Boiling or soaking them in an antiseptic solution removes the infectious agents in the stool. A second rinse may be necessary.

Mild diaper rash can be treated in non-crawling infants by exposing the buttocks to warm, dry air for an hour or two. Lay the baby down on

soft towels with a waterproof sheet underneath, perhaps next to a sunny window. Clean up any urine or bowel movement immediately, and wash the diaper area with warm water.

With crawling and walking children, try using cloth diapers without plastic pants and apply a bland ointment containing zinc oxide. If the rash does not go away after a week or if open sores are present, call your doctor.

The Texas Medical Association is a professional organization of more than 29,000 physician and medical student members. It is based in Austin and has 117 component county medical societies around the state. The Association represents more than 80 percent of the state's physicians.



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Hints from Heloise

DEAR HELOISE:

You once published the address one could write to stop junk mail from being sent. Foolishly, I did not clip it. May I have the address? — Mrs. Burnice Agler, Napoleon, Ohio

Of course you may! Also, I would like to take this opportunity to let my readers know that the Direct Marketing Association has a new address.

To request a DMA consumer service or informational booklets, write to Consumer Services Dept., Direct Marketing Association, 11 West 42nd St., P.O. Box 3861, New York, NY 10163-3861.

Be sure and clip this address or copy it down in your directory. They do a wonderful job! — Heloise

RECYCLING, ONE STEP FURTHER

Dear Heloise: Along with the bags I keep in my garage with recyclables, I keep a bag I fill with clean egg cartons, plastic foam meat trays, juice cans, toilet paper and paper-towel tubes and other items suitable for children's crafts.

When the bag is full, I take it to our local Head Start program or a day-care center. It is so little trouble to save these things, and they are delighted to have them. Best of all, it helps our environment. — Mimi Michael, Conover, N.C.

It sure does, and you get a big Heloise hug for helping. — Heloise

SQUEAKY SHOES

Dear Heloise: I have several pairs of good shoes that have started to squeak when I walk in them. Do you have a suggestion that I might try to alleviate this irritating noise? — Rosalyn Schoppa, Friendswood, Texas

The squeaky noise is usually caused by moisture in the inside soles. Try shaking some talcum powder in the shoe before and after wearing to absorb the moisture and quiet the shoes. — Heloise

PLASTIC BUBBLE CONTAINERS

Dear Heloise: I have a 6-year-old daughter who is constantly putting quarters into those stand-up machines in grocery stores and shopping malls to get a 3-cent toy in a plastic bubble container.

When I pack lunches, I always want to carry extra mayo or ketchup and these containers do the job nicely with their snug lids. I use them for extra salt and pepper by just poking holes in the top when ready to use, then I discard them after using.

Now at least I get a little something extra for that quarter. — Eve McConnell, La.

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Proclamation signed

Mayor Wes Fisher recently signed a proclamation claiming March 11-16 as Girl Scout Week. Witnessing the event were Daisy Scout Jessica Stubbs, Brownie Scout Christine Cabezuella, Brownie Scout Lenzy Ham and Junior Scout Katie Bone. All Hereford Girl Scouts will be attending services together today at First United Methodist Church.

Red Cross Update

BY BETTY HENSON
Red Cross
Executive Director

The uniformed-volunteers hosted a birthday party for Westgate residents recently with cake and punch served by Alice Gilleland, Margaret Gamez, Nell Culpepper, Hope Torres, Mildred Brown, Ruth King and Rose Mary Davila.

A CPR class will begin Tuesday, March 13, from 7 p.m. - 10 p.m. at the Red Cross office. Cost for the class

will be \$10.

The board of directors will meet Tuesday at noon in the Red Cross office.

A blood pressure screening will be held Tuesday, March 13, at the Hereford Senior Citizens from 1:30

p.m. - 3 p.m.

A cholesterol screening will be held Saturday, March 17, at the Community Center.

The Deaf Smith County Chapter of the American Red Cross is a United Way Agency.

Ann Landers

DEAR ANN LANDERS: I read with interest your response to the woman in Torrance who wrote about morning people and night people. You called them "larks" and "owls". You certainly revealed yourself when you said, "I'm an owl, and I don't give a hoot who knows it."

I can't imagine why anyone would brag about such a thing. It's people like you who can't get up on Sunday morning and go to church or see to it that their children have a hot breakfast and are properly dressed for school.

I do believe in internal clocks and am aware that metabolism can be a factor in energy output, but an awful lot of it is just plain habit, and habits can be broken.

You'll get my respect when the rest of the world decides to crawl out of bed at noon too.—A Lark in Sioux Falls

After 12 years of hating to hear the alarm go off and dragging around half dead until noon, I asked to be put on the swing shift. Ann, it improved my life 100 percent. I could just die of happiness.

I get exactly the same amount of sleep that I used to get, but I no longer arrive at the job sleepy and cranky. I now clean house, cook and do laundry after work. It's heaven not to have to get up and run for the bus. Too bad I didn't catch on to the lark-owl syndrome years ago.

I'll bet if you publish this letter, a lot of people will see themselves, and it just may change their lives. —Denny in Sacramento

DEAR DENNY: I'm sure you're right. Thanks a million.

DEAR ANN LANDERS: May I say a word to those people who try to beat the train to the crossing? I am a former fireman and engineer who has been on duty when the train has hit cars and trucks. It's God-awful to see a vehicle on the tracks and know you are going to hit it.

I have worked with both steam and diesel engines. A steam engine can

weigh anywhere between 265,000 pounds and 450,000 pounds. How foolish to try to pit a 4,000-pound car against those huge locomotives.

Just remember, if you win the race to beat a train to the crossing, you are lucky, but if it's a tie you could be dead wrong.—R.E.F., Cincinnati

DEAR CINCINNATI: I can't imagine anyone being so foolish, but we read about this sort of insanity all the time. Thanks for a grim reminder.

Gem of the Day from Dereke Bruce, Taipei, Taiwan: In order to keep a true perspective of one's importance, everyone should have a dog that will worship him and a cat that will ignore him.

Lonesome? Take charge of your life and turn it around. Write for Ann Landers' new booklet, "How to Make Friends and Stop Being Lonely." Send a self-addressed, long, business-size envelope and a check or money order for \$4.15 (this includes postage and handling) to: Friends, c/o Ann Landers, P.O. Box 11562, Chicago, Ill. 60611-0562. (In Canada, send \$5.05.)

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Harder speaks to club

The North Hereford Extension Homemakers Club met recently with Beverly Harder presenting a program on "Who's Minding Our World".

Members met in the home of Naomi Brisendine and Edith Higgins presided over the meeting. Roll call was answered by comments given on "What positive character traits would you like to see our youth regain?" Some of the answers given were respect for parents and manners. Members discussed the problems of children yesterday and today. They felt there should be more Christian morals taught to the youths.

Opening exercise was given by Marcella Hoffman, program chairman.

Members present were Hoffman, Martha Lueb, Evelyn Crofford, Higgins and Peg Hoff.

The next meeting will be in the home of Edith Higgins on April 5.

LONDON (AP) - Luciano Pavarotti says a diet to reduce his substantial girth has melted away 80 pounds.

But when pressed at a news conference Wednesday he refused to say how much he weighs.

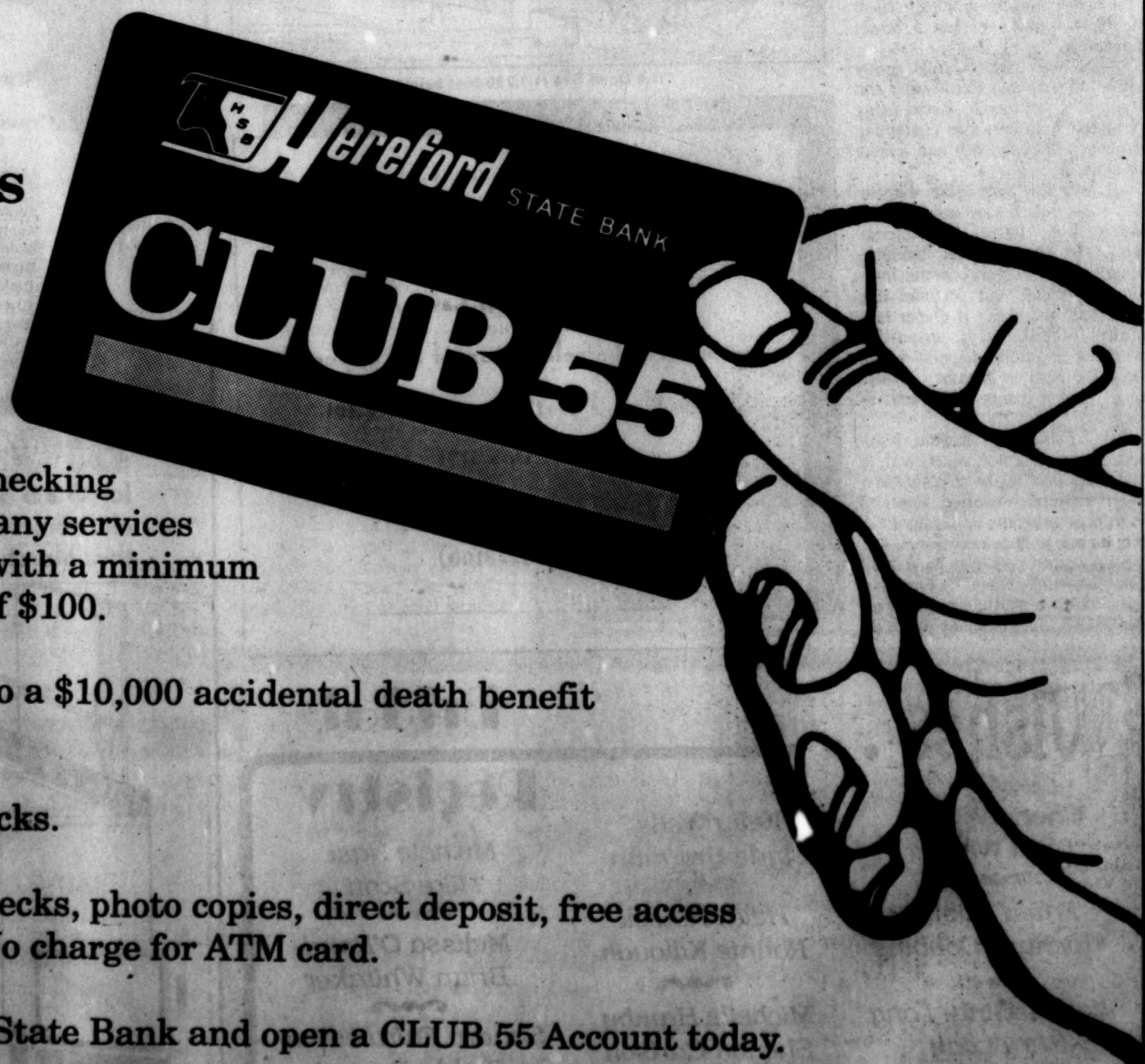
"I have lost 80 pounds and so I am 80 pounds less than I was," Pavarotti said with a broad smile. Asked how he did it, Pavarotti replied: "Very simple. I don't take alcohol, sugar or fat. Just 1,800 calories a day. It's brilliant."

To laughter, he said: "Tonight, I will have a beautiful piece of salmon with vegetables, a piece of bread, strawberries, mineral water and lemon and coffee. What do you want more?"

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Extension News

BY BEVERLY HARDER
County Extension Agent

Nutrition Month, is observed during March. Many health-conscious consumers want to enjoy the taste of eating right while either maintaining their normal weight or losing extra pounds.

The magazines, media and advertisements are filled with diet plans and commercial weight loss programs which may or may not be effective.

People with an extra two to five pounds from overeating can probably drop the weight just by cutting back on extra calories and getting on an exercise program such as walking a mile or two each day.

Following the low-fat recipes from a magazine diet plan may help some people. But, if you're already 20 to 30 pounds overweight and have added even more over the winter months it's time for a significant diet change.

Although a fad diet may help in the short run, research indicates that 95 percent of the people who go on them regain the weight within a year.

Before choosing a diet book, class or plan in hopes that it will help you with significant and permanent weight loss. Ask yourself the following questions:

What's the source of the diet? Is it a reliable health organization?

How is the effectiveness of the diet documented? Be wary of testimonials by "successful" clients. Ask for figures on long-term maintenance as well.

Are sensational claims made for the diet? Does it make sense that you can lose 10 pounds overnight or "eat all you want" and still lose weight?

Is the program supervised by qualified personnel, such as a physician or a registered dietitian?

Along with calorie reduction, does the diet include instruction in behavior and lifestyle modification to help maintain the weight loss?

Is this a one-food diet or a liquid diet? In addition to being boring, these diets omit necessary nutrients and can be a danger to your health.

Is the diet nutritionally balanced? It should include foods from the major food groups of meat, poultry and fish;

fruits and vegetables; dairy products; and grains and cereals.

What is the cost of the diet? If you have to buy special foods, devices, supplements or books, will it be worth it?

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Ask Dr. Lamb

DEAR DR. LAMB: I am a 47-year-old male and the doctor has diagnosed my condition as chronic prostatitis. I've been in treatment a year without much relief. My main symptom is frequent urination. I've undergone kidney studies, had my bladder examined inside and all the tests. I have been taking Geocillin, Proliprim, Cipro, Doxycycline and metronidazole.

My urologist tells me there is not much more he can do. Also he states some cases of prostatitis do not respond to treatment. I feel very frustrated. Any help will be appreciated.

DEAR READER: Unfortunately you have a fairly common, but poorly understood, condition. There is such a thing as chronic bacterial prostatitis. Frequency of urination, need to urinate at night and chronic pain between the legs is common. The difficulty in treating chronic bacterial prostatitis is that it is hard to achieve a high level of antibiotics inside the chronically infected prostate. Even

with 12 weeks of therapy, less than 50 percent of these patients are cured. A daily maintenance dose of medicines is given, such as sulfamethoxazole-trimethoprim or Macrobid.

There is also a form of chronic prostatitis that does not appear to be caused by a bacteria, or at least the cause has not yet been identified. In these cases, antibiotic therapy is of little or no value. A trial of antibiotic therapy, as you have evidently had, is worth trying. If the symptoms warrant, some urologists then prescribe anti-inflammatory medicines such as Motrin or Indocin, which sometimes give dramatic results.

Dr. Lamb welcomes letters from readers with health questions. You can write to him at P.O. Box 19622, Irvine, CA 92713. Although Dr. Lamb cannot reply to all letters personally, he will respond to selected questions in future columns.

Sheep will not drink from running water.

Couple to wed

Margie Haley of Canyon and Casey Jones of Hereford plan to wed April 20 in Westway Baptist Church.

The bride-elect is the daughter of Glenn and Ellen Haley of Canyon and the prospective bridegroom is

the son of Ronnie and Wanice Jones of Route 5, Hereford.

Miss Haley is a student at Canyon High School. Jones, a 1989 graduate of Hereford High School, is employed by Hereford Grain Corp.



Concerteens presented

Members of the Concerteens were presented by their fathers at the recent Lincoln Mayorga concert sponsored by the Hereford Community Concert Association. The young women, who are daughters of CCA members and are junior and senior Hereford High School students, assist at CCA concerts. Picture are, from left, back row, Donna Grotegut, Camille Betzen and Tanja Chavez; third row, Vaavia Rudd and Jeri Ann Parker; second row, Dawn DeBord and Jeri Renee McConnell; and front row, Brenna Reinauer and Terri DeBord.



MARGIE HALEY, CASEY JONES

When a fiddler crab's front claw breaks off in a fight, a small claw grows in its place. The other front claw grows to be a big one.

YOUR EYES

RELUCTANT READERS

In many instances, subtle vision deficiencies make it difficult for an individual to read. Rather than addressing the problem, the person simply minimizes the amount of reading he or she does. For example, suppose a child takes an inordinate amount of time to do simple reading homework assignments. The child may express

impatience when any kind of reading takes more than a few minutes. After special testing, it may be found that the child cannot focus on small print. The child may not know that this is a vision defect.

Special testing is required to identify the inefficient skills that make some adults and some children reluctant readers. Often the optometrist will begin by having the patient read a short passage. This exercise may reveal that the reading process requires an excessive amount of effort.

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Calendar of Events

MONDAY

AA meets Monday through Friday, 406 W. Fourth St., noon, 5:30 p.m. and 8 p.m. For more information call 364-9620.
 Spanish speaking AA meetings each Monday, 406 W. Fourth St., 8 p.m.
 Ladies exercise class, First Baptist Church Family Life Center, 7:30 p.m.
 Odd Fellows Lodge, IOOF Hall, 7:30 p.m.
 TOPS Chapter No. 1011, Community Center, 5:30-6:30 p.m.
 Rotary Club, Community Center, noon.
 Planned Parenthood Clinic, open Monday through Friday, 711 25 Mile Ave., 8:30 a.m. to 4:30 p.m.
 Ladies exercise class, Nazarene Church, 5:30 p.m.
 Civil Air Patrol-U.S. Air Force Auxiliary, Community Center, 7 p.m.
 Masonic Lodge, Masonic Temple, 7:30 p.m.
 Easter Lions Club, Easter Clubhouse, 8 p.m.
 Deaf Smith County Republican Women's Organization, Hereford State Bank Community Room, noon.
 Hereford Music Study Club, 1:30 p.m.
 Beta Sigma Phi City Council, Southeastern Public Service Reddy Room, 8 p.m.
 Sweet 'n' Fancy Cake Decorating Club, Community Center, 7 p.m.
 Valedictorian Study Club, 8 p.m.
 Deaf Smith County Historical Museum: Regular museum hours Monday through Saturday 10 a.m. to 5 p.m. and Sunday by appointment only.

TUESDAY

TOPS Chapter No. 576, Community Center, 9 a.m.
 Ladies exercise class, Church of the Nazarene, 5:30 p.m.
 Kids Day Out, First United Methodist Church, 9 a.m. until 4 p.m.
 St. Thomas Episcopal Church Recovery Group, open to the public, 7:30-8:30 p.m. For more information, call the church office at 364-0146.
 Hereford Rebekah Lodge No. 228, IOOF Hall, 7:30 p.m.
 Hereford Counselors Association, brown bag lunch, Stanton building, noon.
 Problem Pregnancy Center, 505 E. Park Ave., open Tuesday through Friday. Free and confidential pregnancy testing. Call 364-2027 or 364-7626 for appointment.
 Free women's exercise class, aerobics and floorwork, Community Church, 7:30 p.m.
 Free blood pressure screening, Tuesday through Friday, South Plains Health Providers Clinic, 603 Park Ave., 8:30 a.m. to 5 p.m.
 Hereford AMBUCS Club, Ranch House, noon.
 Social Security representative at courthouse, 9:15 a.m. to 11:30 a.m.
 Kiwanis Club of Hereford-Golden K, Senior Citizens Center, noon.
 Hereford Fine Arts Association, Community Center, 7 p.m.
 Lone Star Study Club, 2:30 p.m.
 Order of Eastern Star, Masonic Temple, 8 p.m.
 Westway Extension Homemakers Club, 7 p.m.
 Pioneer Study Club, 10:30 for business meeting and luncheon follows.
 Pilot Club, Community Center, 7 a.m.
 Parents Against Chemical Abuse, Community Center, 7:30 p.m.

WEDNESDAY

Noon Lions Club, Community Center, noon.
 Young at heart program, YMCA, 9 a.m. until noon.
 Play school day nursery, 201 Country Club Drive, 9 a.m. until 4 p.m. Call 364-0040 for reservations.
 Al-Anon, 406 W. Fourth St., 5 p.m.
 Bippus Extension Homemakers Club, 2 p.m.
 United Methodist Women of First United Methodist Church, Ward Parlor, 9:30 a.m.
 Credit Women International, Ranch House, noon.
 Wesley United Methodist Church Women, 7:30 p.m.
 Cultural Extension Homemakers Club, 2 p.m.

THURSDAY

La Madre Mia Study Club, home of Georgia Sparks, 7:30 p.m.
 Ladies exercise class, First Baptist Church Family Life Center, 7:30 p.m.
 Immunizations against childhood diseases, Texas Department of Health office, 914 E. Park, 9-11:30 a.m. and 1-4 p.m.
 Al-Anon, 406 W. Fourth St., 8 p.m.
 San Jose prayer group, 735 Brevard, 8 p.m.
 Weight Watchers, Community Church, 6:30 p.m.
 Kids Day Out, First United Methodist Church, 9 a.m. until 4 p.m.
 Ladies exercise class, Church of

the Nazarene, 5:30 p.m.
 Kiwanis Club, Community Center, noon.
 TOPS Club No. 941, Community Center, 9 a.m.
 Amateur Radio Operators, north biology building of high school, 7:30 p.m.
 Story hour at Deaf Smith County Library, 10 a.m.
 Hereford Toastmasters Club, Ranch House, 6:30 a.m.
 Bud to Blossom Garden Club, 9:30 a.m.
 Elketts, 8 p.m.
 L'Allegra Study Club, 10 a.m.
 Alpha Iota Mu Chapter of Beta Sigma Phi Sorority, 8 p.m.
 North Hereford Extension Homemakers Club, 2:30 p.m.
 Wyche Extension Homemakers

Club, 2:30 p.m.
 Bay View Study Club, 2 p.m.
 Merry Mixers Square Dance Club, Community Center, 8 p.m.
 Red Cross Uniformed Volunteers, noon luncheon.
 VFW, VFW Clubhouse in Veterans Park, 7:30 p.m.
 BPOE Lodge in Elks Hall, 8:30 p.m.
 Hereford Study Club, 7:30 p.m.

FRIDAY

Kiwanis Whiteface Breakfast Club, Caison House, 6:30 a.m.
 Community Duplicate Bridge Club, Community Center, 7:30 p.m.
 Ladies exercise class, Nazarene Church, 5:30 p.m.
 Patriarchs Militant and Ladies

Auxiliary, IOOF Hall, 8 p.m.
 Dawn Extension Homemakers Club, Dawn Community Center, 2 p.m.

Women, 11 a.m.
 Open gym for all teens, noon to 6 p.m. on Saturdays and 2-5 p.m. Sundays at First Church of the Nazarene.
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Medical advances in the field of radiology now give doctors enhanced ability to diagnose many of the illnesses for which you might seek treatment.

But if you're a mother-to-be and need to undergo an X-ray test, you probably will be concerned about the safety of your unborn child. This same concern holds true for women who find out they're pregnant after undergoing one or more radiologic procedures.

It is true that extremely high levels of radiation from X-rays can be harmful to an unborn child. But the radiation exposure that a fetus receives from most standard X-ray procedures is not significant enough to cause birth defects or other harm.

Some people believe that a fetus is exposed to the same amount of

radiation from an X-ray procedure as the mother. However, this is a misconception.

If you are pregnant, the amount of radiation that your unborn child receives depends upon several factors. These include:

1. The total amount of radiation emitted by the X-ray unit.
2. The distance between the organ or area of your body being X-rayed and your uterus.
3. The amount of tissue between the X-ray machine and your uterus.

One standard unit of measurement that radiologists use to quantify the amount of radiation an X-ray dose delivers is called a milliroentgen (mil-i-vent-gen), or mR. Each year, the average U.S. citizen is exposed to about 300 mR (equivalent to about 12 standard chest X-

rays) from our living environment.

To illustrate the difference in the amounts of radiation a mother-to-be receives from an X-ray procedure as opposed to what her fetus receives, here is an example: If you are pregnant and you have a standard chest X-ray taken, the exposure to your skin is about 20 mR. Of this exposure level, your fetus receives only 0.03 mR -- a barely measurable amount.

At present, it is the consensus of radiation physicists and geneticists that only radiation doses of 10,000 mR or greater may cause birth defects.

Of all X-ray procedures performed today, only some CT (computerized tomography) scans and angiography -- a diagnostic test in which

X-rays are taken of your arteries after a special dye has been injected into them--approach this level.

The only type of cancer believed to be associated with X-ray exposure to the fetus is leukemia, a disease characterized by the cancerous growth of blood cells. Again, however, the risk is exceedingly small if the dose does not exceed 10,000 mR.

Modern X-ray equipment, film and techniques are designed to produce high-quality images at the lowest possible radiation exposure to you. If you are pregnant, your condition should not necessarily deny you the benefit an X-ray test might provide. Discuss this issue with your doctor to see if the benefits outweigh the possible risks.



SHERRY VERMILLION

Vermillion visits Mexico

Sherry Vermillion, a cadette Girl Scout from troop 288, was among eight Girl Scouts from the Texas Plains Girl Scout Council who attended "Our Cabana" in Cuernavaca, Mexico last summer.

"Our Cabana" is a world center of the World Association of Girl Guides and Girl Scouts and is attended by Girl Scouts all over the world. When they arrived, the girls were split up and immediately began meeting the other Girl Scouts at the international friendship gathering.

A typical day at "Our Cabana" included a 7 a.m. wakeup, breakfast at 8 a.m., field trips, lunch, crafts, swimming, supper and evening programs that featured skits and sing-alongs.

During the field trips, the girls wore their uniforms. They climbed up and down pyramids, watched a ballet folkloric performance, visited Aztec Museum, toured cathedrals dating from the 1500s, walked through Castillo De Cortez and saw the Shrine of Our Lady of Guadalupe.

At the end of our Cabana, a fiesta was staged with music, food, pinatas, dancing and pin-swapping.

The girls earned \$900 needed for the trip in various ways and were also assisted by the Texas Plains Girl Scout Council. It was the first time in 25 years the opportunity was offered by the council.

Dyslexia topic of training

Dyslexia was the topic of a program presented to extension homemaker representatives Monday.

Delores McChristian presented the program with emphasis on recognizing dyslexia. Medical, educational and long term problems were presented along with characteristics of dyslexia.

The educational method to help overcome dyslexia were presented and were also demonstrated.

The leader training is a method whereby the program participants will present the information to their clubs during March and April. Attending were Jewell Hargrave, Mariellen Homfeld, Jo Lee, Wilma Gotche, Johnnie Messer, Carol Odom, Maudette Smith and Beverly Harder.

Educational programs conducted by the Texas Agricultural Extension Service serve people of all ages regardless of socio-economic levels, race, color, sex, religion, handicap or national origin.

Secret pals revealed at meeting

Nouvelle Ami Study Club met recently in the home of Laurie Paetzold when members revealed the secret pals for the year with a gift.

The meeting was opened with roll call and Paetzold, secretary, gave a difficult word for each member to spell.

Missy Wilcox, president, discussed old business and plans for the next meeting. In April, officers will be installed and a catered dinner is planned for the event.

Kim Stiney presented a program on "Accessorizing Scarfs" with a video and demonstrations.

Refreshments were served by co-hostess, Susan Deloe, to Mickie Baulch, Lynette Butler, Charlotte Collier, Nicolyn Cook, Deloe, Emily Knight, Jodi Meyer, Katie Nelson, Lauri Paetzold, Laurie Paetzold, Stiney, Shawney Sparkman, Kim Wilcox and Missy Wilcox.

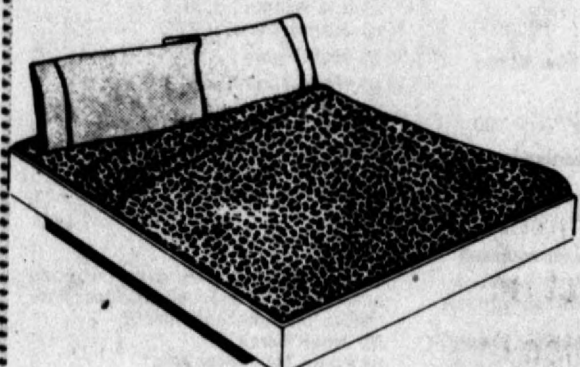
INDIANAPOLIS (AP) - Travel writer Stephen Birnbaum has developed this axiom of travel in Eastern Europe: The softer a country's currency, the harder its toilet paper.

The 52-year-old author also said at a conference on tourism this week that the biggest mistake Americans make is not researching their destinations.

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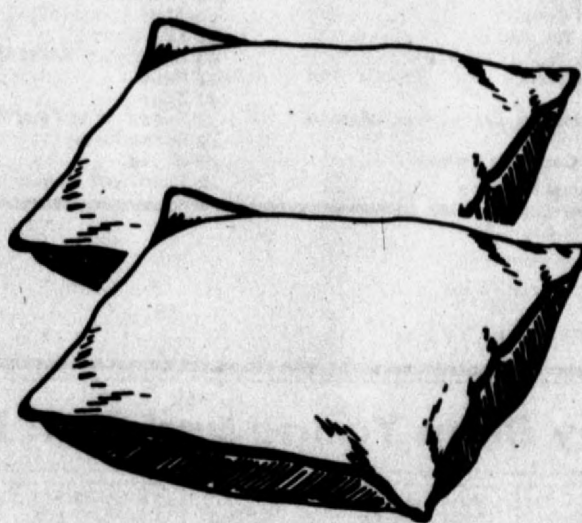
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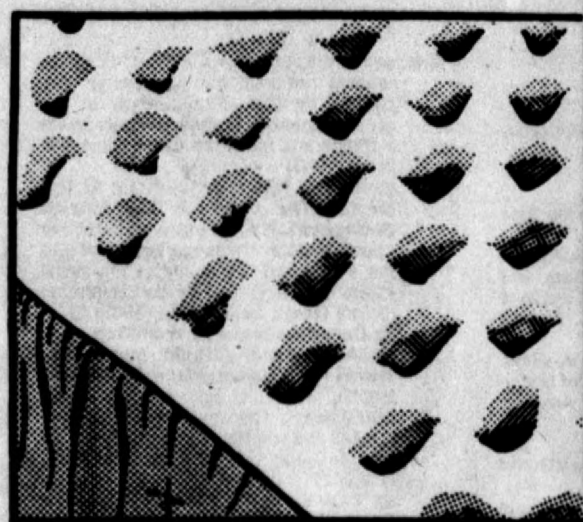
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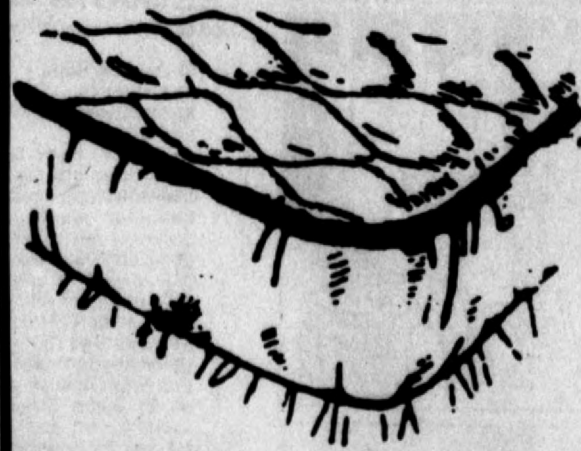
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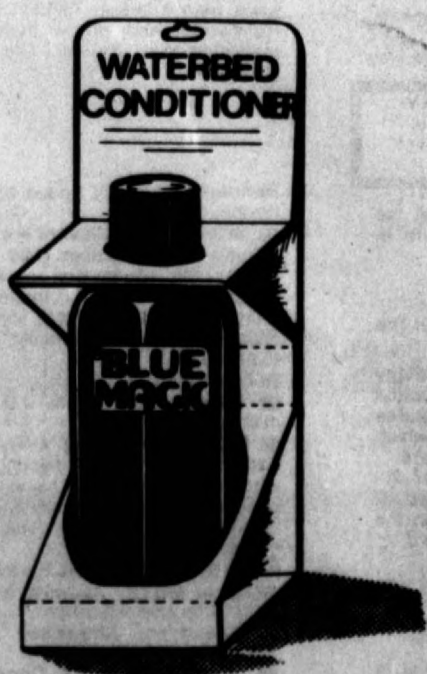
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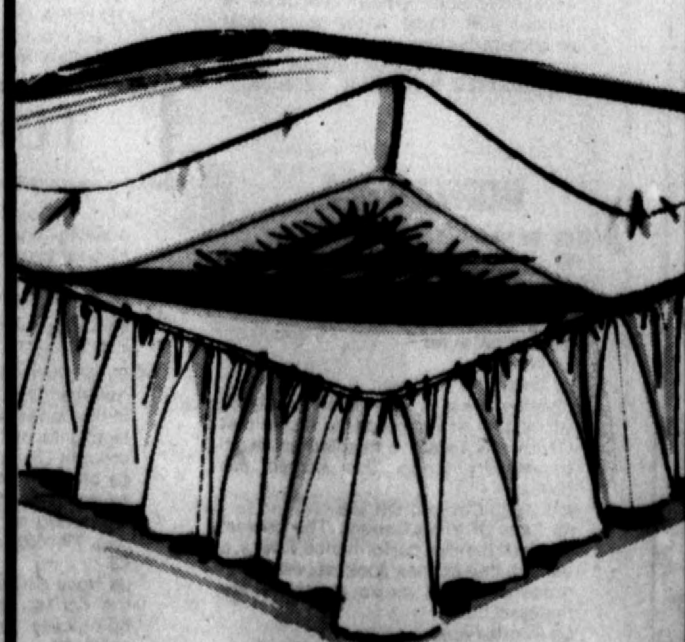


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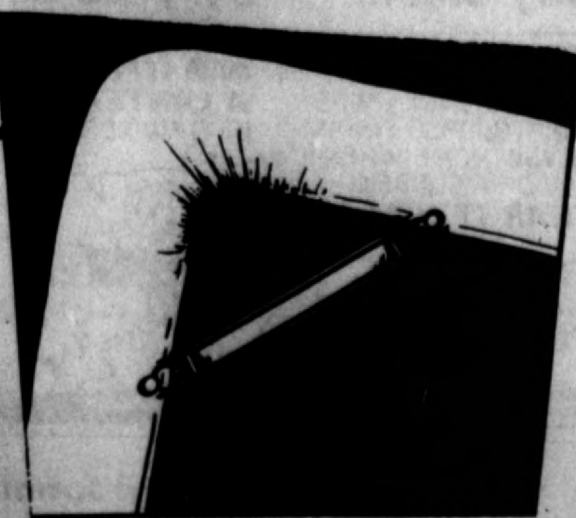
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Art work on display

Matthew Van Horn has a selection of art work on display at the Deaf Smith County Library. His interest in art began at an early age and he hopes to pursue art as a career. He explained how relaxing painting is and how he enjoys putting his feelings on canvas.



Precious Moments displayed

Approximately 30 selections of Precious Moments figurines are on display at the Deaf Smith County Library. Leslie and Lori Curtsinger, eighth graders at Hereford Junior High, have been collecting the figurines for two years. They have received many of them as gifts.

The word "business" comes from Anglo-Saxon *bisigian* meaning "to occupy, to worry, to fatigue."

Experts predict world power shift

World economic power is shifting away from the United States and Western Europe and toward the Pacific Rim nations, in the opinion of many experts. In fact, no less an authority than John Naisbitt predicts in his new book, *Megatrends 2000*, that these nations will dominate the global economy by the year 2,000.

Robust economies, healthy foreign exchange reserves, favorable international trade positions and domestic savings rates that provide tremendous capital resources for investment, are turning formerly underdeveloped nations into tomorrow's economic powers.

The economic energy of the Pacific Rim is a response to market need rather than carefully constructed economic theory. An excellent illustration of the way in which economics in the Pacific Rim are transforming themselves to fill needs posed by growth is provided by Taiwan, the Republic of China (ROC).

Taiwan's economy has experienced spectacular growth in recent years. Throughout the 1980s, the country's economy grew at an average annual rate of 8.5 percent, compared to a 2.8 percent 1988 growth rate in the United States. Per capita income increased from \$48 to about \$7,300 today. Taiwan has foreign exchange reserves of \$73 billion and is one of the biggest foreign investors in Asia.

The ROC achieved this growth by pursuing a development policy that encouraged private savings and investment and aggressively promoted exports. The Taiwanese have one of the highest savings rates in the world. It is estimated to be as high as 40 percent of annual income.

This high rate of savings was stimulated to some degree by the government's control of interest rates, maintained through strict regulation of banks and other financial institutions. But, such stringent control of the formal financial structure sparked development of a "curb" market, an informal financial system that supported development even where the nation's banks, could not. For decades, this informal network has provided the frugal Taiwanese with a profitable channel for investment of those billions of dollars they have been saving and filled a void left by the ROC's

banking institutions.

This "curb" market has played an essential role in fueling Taiwan's economic growth. Some specialists estimate that it accounts for investment amounting to perhaps \$4 billion.

The largest and most important player in the informal financial system is the Hung Yuan Group. This company holds real fixed assets valued at \$2.2 billion. Hung Yuan conducts world trading operations in gold, currencies, money market instruments and futures. Today, it owns department stores, China Cable & Wire, Oceanic Beverages—one of the Asia's largest juice producers—and hotels.

Organization such as Hung Yuan have filled a tremendous gap in Taiwan's financial structure. They have served as a conduit for investment funds stimulating entrepreneurship and industrial development that otherwise might have been stifled by the overly stringent

control of Taiwan's formal banking system. Institutions such as Hung Yuan have become the true investment bankers and venture capitalists of Taiwan.

The success and importance of the "curb" market has not been lost on the Taiwan government. It is moving to liberalize the formal financial structure to make it more responsive to current economic needs.

The challenge for Taiwan in restructuring its economy is to smoothly integrate the formal and informal financial systems. The country cannot afford to lose the investment expertise of organizations such as Hung Yuan or jeopardize the billions of dollars invested in the informal system. Hung Yuan, for example, has applied under a new law for licenses to operate as part of the formal financial structure.

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MR. AND MRS. HORACE LAFEVER

Reception planned

Mr. and Mrs. Horace Layton LaFever of Hereford will observe their 50th wedding anniversary with a reception Saturday, March 17.

Hosting the event will be the couple's daughters, Lou Ann LaFever of Hereford, and Sue Hill of Lubbock and her husband, Jim. Assisting will be their grandchildren, Christina, Sandra and Jason

Hill, all of Lubbock.

Horace LaFever and Mildred Wilson were married March 23, 1940, in Goodlett, Texas. A retired automobile mechanic, Horace LaFever is the son of the late W.E. and Viola LaFever of Quanah. His wife is a homemaker and the daughter of the late John and Amanda Wilson of Childress.

Birthday reception to honor former Hereford resident

Former Hereford resident, Wallace Shelton of Canyon Lake, will be honored with a birthday reception from 2-4 p.m. Sunday, March 18, at the Hereford Senior Citizens Center, 426 Ranger.

All friends and family of the honoree, who will be celebrating his 90th birthday, are invited to attend. The family requests no gifts.

The celebration will be hosted by Shelton's children: Nora Summers of Hereford; Buddy Shelton, Floyd Shelton, and Dorothy Franklin, all of Amarillo; Linda Warren of San Antonio; Shirley Adams and Reva Weatherly, both of Canyon Lake, Texas; and Bobby Shelton of Fort Worth. Also, assisting will be the honoree's grandchildren.

Shelton moved from Hereford to Canyon Lake in 1988. While residing here, he was a member of the Elks Lodge, Odd Fellows Temple, and Rebekah Lodge. He served as a reserve deputy with the Deaf Smith County Sheriff's Department and was a volunteer



WALLACE SHELTON

with the Hereford Fire Department. He had been employed as a dispatcher by the City of Hereford until his retirement.

Annual sausage dinner set

The 20th annual German sausage dinner sponsored by St. Ann's Catholic Church in Bovina will be held Sunday, March 10, in the parish hall located on the east side of the church according to Dora Rejino and Mary Rose Brito, publicity chairman.

The meal will be served from 11:30 a.m. - 2 p.m. and will feature traditional German sausage with all the trimmings including dessert and drinks.

Tickets are \$5 for adults and \$2.50 for children under six. Advance tickets can be purchased from any church member.

Coordinators for this year's activities are Liz and Wayne Jesko, Mary and Ben Mesman. Knights of Columbus will cook the sausage and St. Ann's Society will be serving guadalupanas

and preparing drinks. The Sacred Heart Society will prepare the parish hall and CYO will help serve the dinner.

Proceeds from the event will be used to purchase items for St. Ann's Catholic Church and the C.C.D. program.

Most rabbits are nocturnal creatures, preferring to eat and play from dusk until dawn. During the day they rest and sleep.

The art of quilting, still popular today, has been practiced for thousands of years. Soldiers of the Middle Ages wore quilted coats and hoods under their armor.

Accent on Health

Each spring, summer, and fall, millions of Americans feel their noses start to tickle as tiny, dry particles (called pollen) are released by trees, weeds, and grasses and are scattered by the wind. This seasonal reaction to pollen is commonly called "hay fever".

People who suffer from hay fever are allergic to the microscopic pollen grains made by plants for reproduction. A single plant can produce over a million pollen grains, which when airborne, can travel on wind currents for up to 400 miles.

Among the most significant pollen producers are ragweed, sagebrush, redroot, pigweed, and Russian thistle (tumbleweed). Different plants have different pollinating periods, which is why symptoms can occur in the spring, summer, or fall.

The symptoms of pollen allergies are familiar to many people: sneezing; runny nose; itchy eyes, nose and throat; and watering eyes. People who are not sensitive to pollen, develop no reactions. The mucus in the nasal passage just moves the pollen grains to the throat where they are swallowed or coughed out.

But for those people with hay fever, the presence of pollen grains on the mucus membranes of the nose causes a chain reaction resulting in the release of histamine, the chemical that causes a drippy nose, itching, and other irritation.

To treat pollen allergies, doctors usually recommend either avoidance of pollen, drugs to relieve symptoms, or allergy shots. Because pollen can travel hundreds of miles, complete avoidance of pollen is impossible. But staying inside, especially in dry weather, and using an air conditioner are helpful to reduce contact with pollen grains.

Medications called antihistamines help reduce most symptoms of hay fever sufferers. Unfortunately, most of these drugs cause drowsiness, an undesirable side effect for those who need to be alert during the day.

For long-term reduction of symptoms, doctors often recommend allergy shots or immunotherapy. These shots help increase the tolerance to a particular pollen. A drawback of this type of treatment, however, is that an individual must visit his or her doctor regularly for the shots.

If you suffer from hay fever, don't put off visiting your doctor. He or she will probably be able to suggest ways to relieve your symptoms and may refer you to an allergy specialist, a doctor who specializes in treating people with hay fever and other allergies.

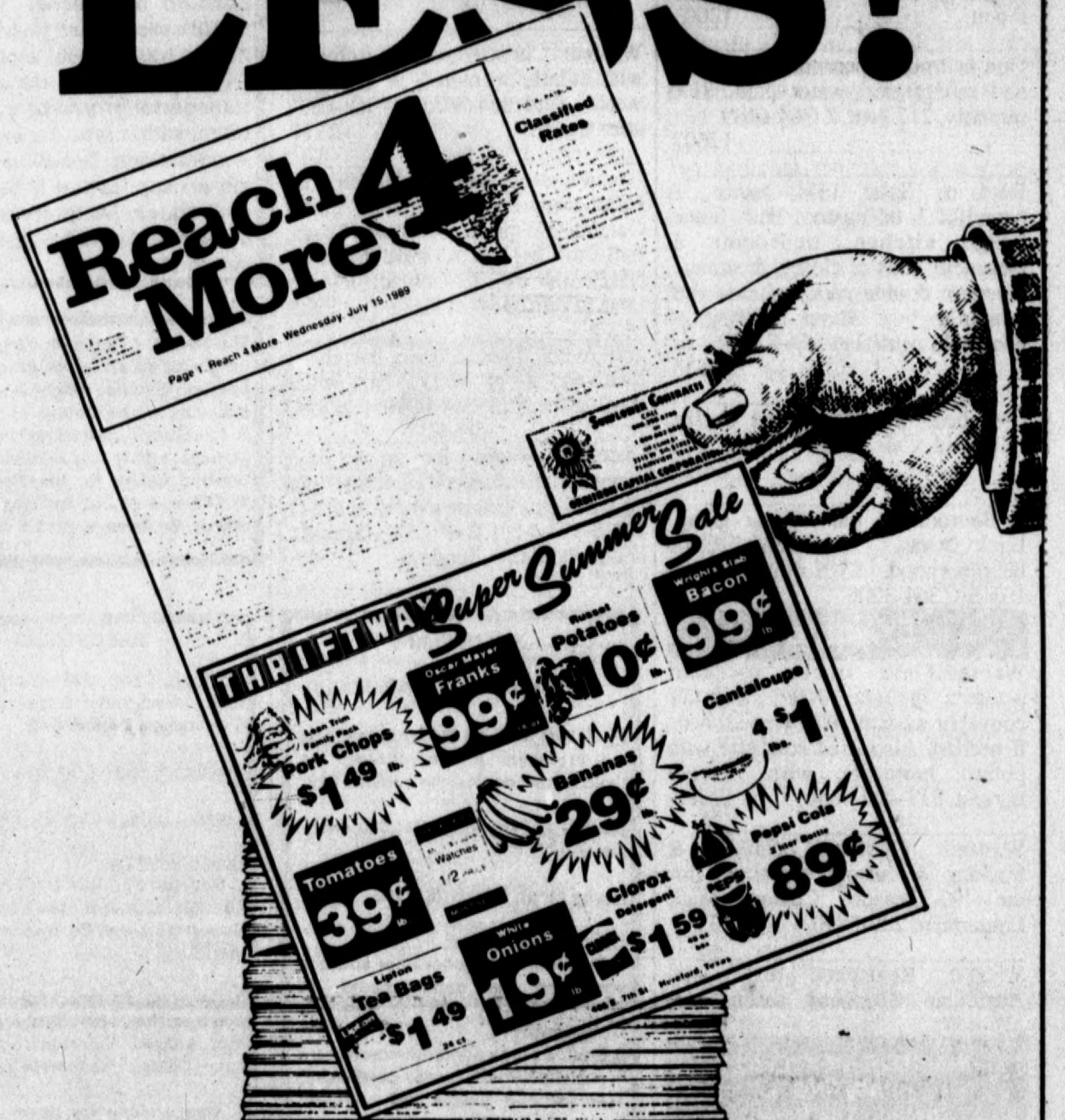
EL PASO, Texas (AP) - Singer Freddy Fender doubts the death of one of his band members is drug-related but says the tragedy stirred memories of his own previous struggle with drugs and alcohol.

Fender, 52, said Wednesday he suffered a deep loss in the death of bass guitarist Johnny Garcia, who collapsed and died on Sunday. The cause of death is under investigation.

"I am a recovering alcoholic and drug addict and it's my commitment to other drug addicts and other drunks to help them, because it's going to help me ... If there is any person that is anti-drugs and anti-booze, it's me," Fender said.

Fender, best known for his country western hit "Wasted Days and Wasted Nights," saw his career plummet when he drank heavily and used drugs.

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In this 12-page section, you will see the many talents of our students. They have been asked to design an advertisement for participating businesses. They have been asked to write editorials or draw an editorial cartoon on the topic "Energy and the Environment." The editorial cartoon at left was drawn by Lexi Sciumbato, an eighth grader at Hereford Junior High School. Of the literally hundreds of cartoons and editorials judged, it probably best sums up the concerns of our children about

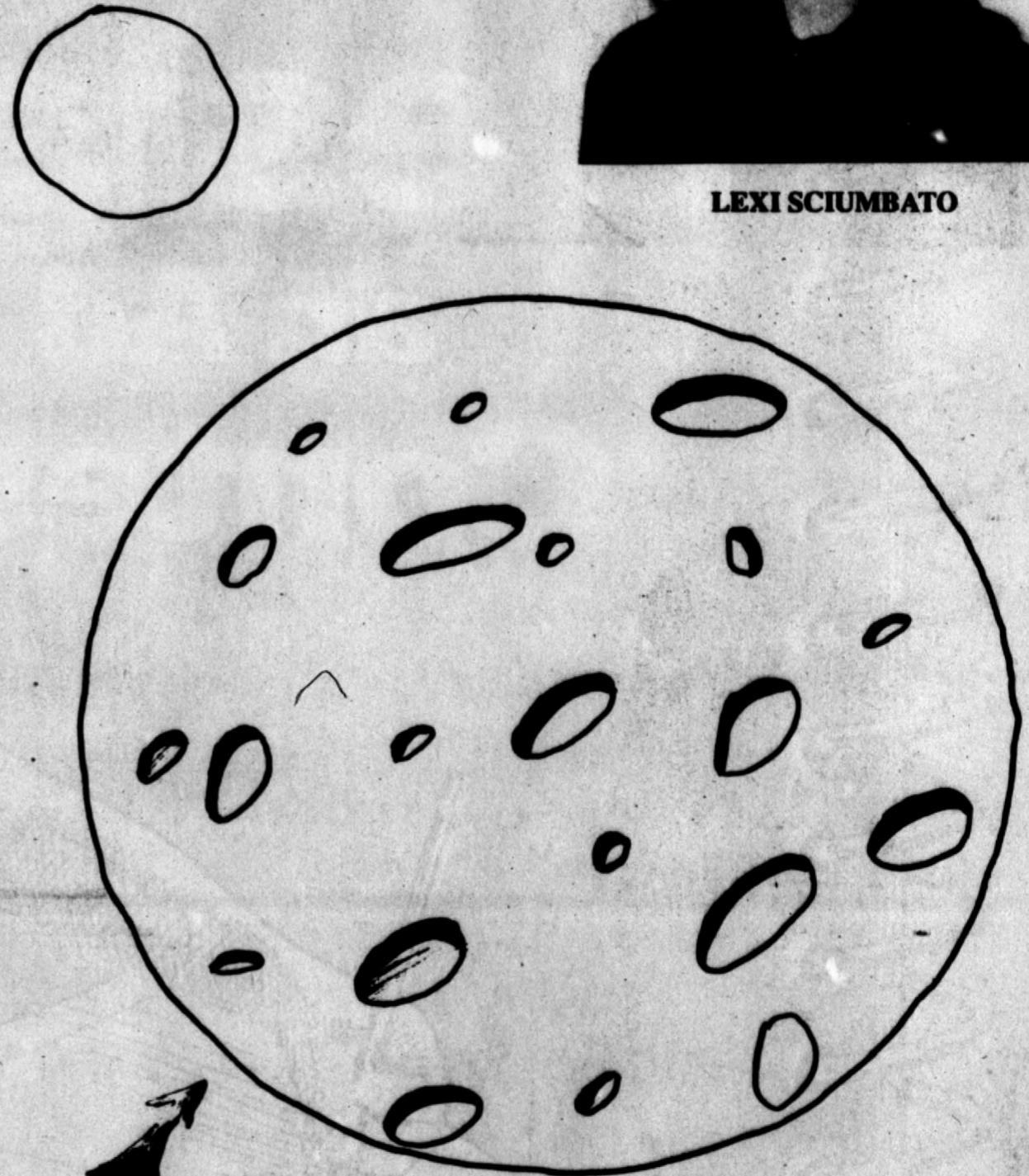
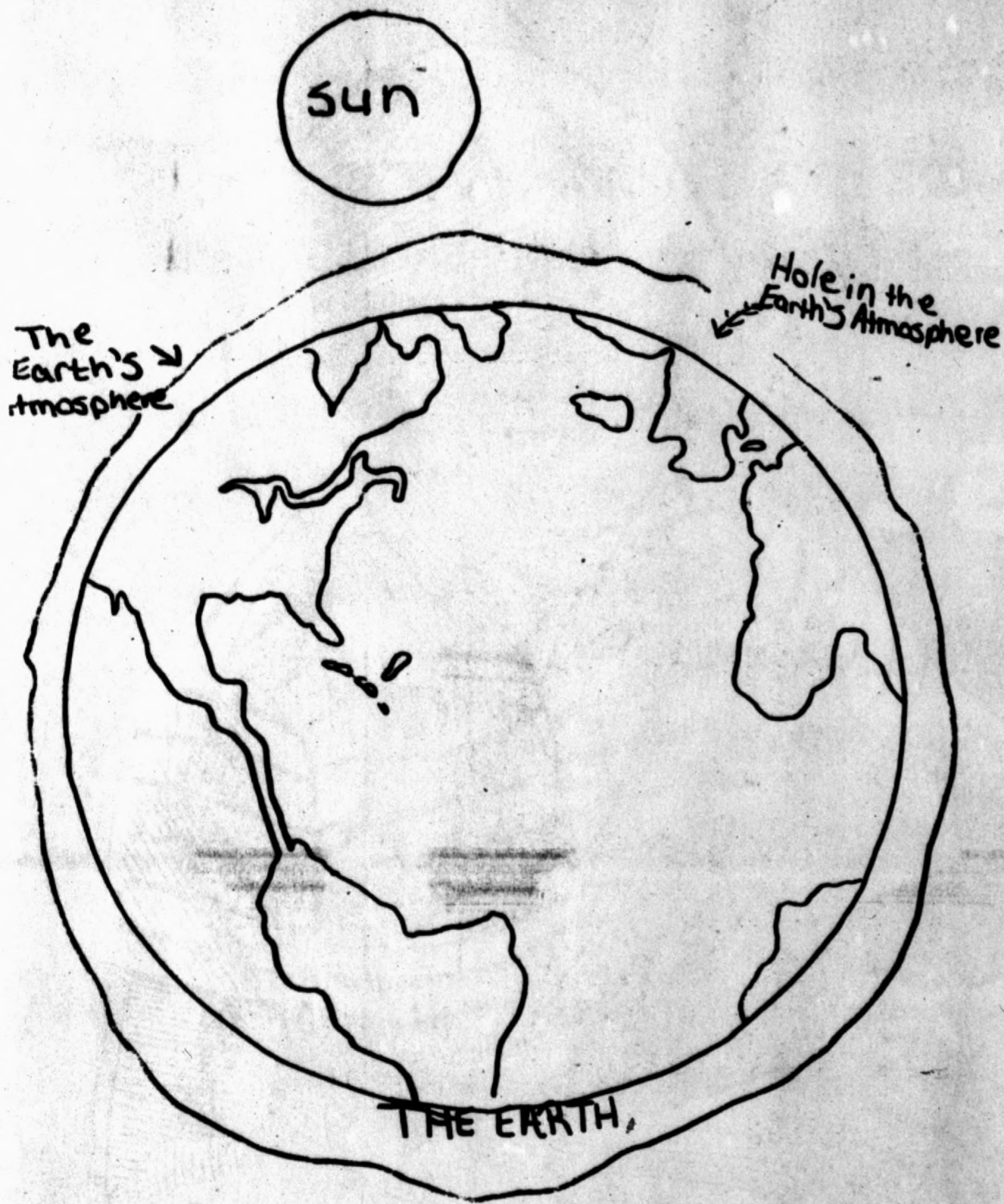
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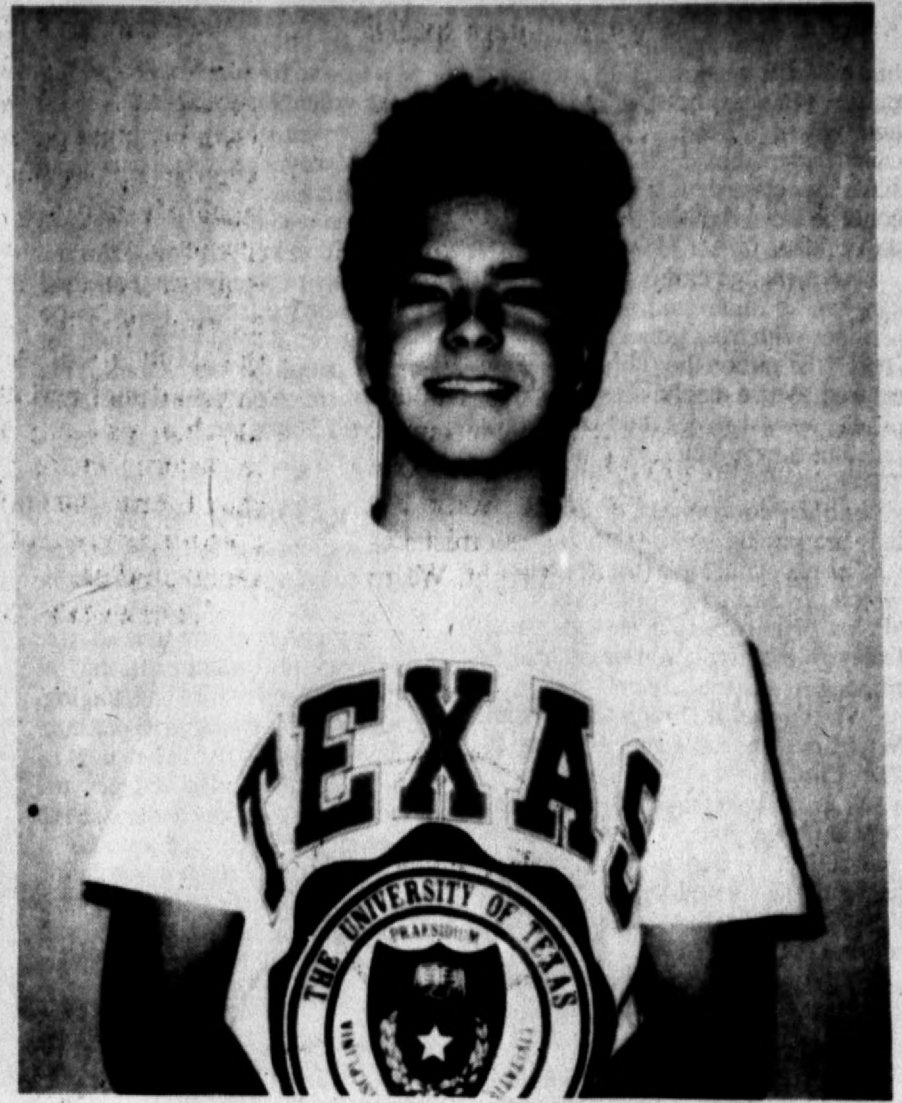
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By EDDIE MONTOYA
 Global Warming. How can we save our world from turning into a desert planet? For every tree that is cut down and burned, a deadly gas is released called carbon dioxide. It is trapping the sun's rays close to the earth. Our earth could be a desert planet within the next thirty years.

Trees change carbon dioxide into oxygen so man and animals can breathe. With trees gone, they cannot absorb the carbon dioxide and release oxygen. Worse than this, trees are not usually very slowly cut down, one by one, but they are cut in big amounts. This causes much carbon dioxide to go into the atmosphere, especially if they are burned.

Aerosol can have fluorocarbons which destroy the ozone layer. This allows heat from the sun to travel freely to the earth, and more heat is trapped in the atmosphere.

Who can help? How can they help? What are some answers? We must do something soon!

Who can help prevent the problem? We can. Everyone who understands can help. One person alone can not solve this problem. Many people have dedicated their lives to saving our environment.

Something to remember is to save. Save ourselves and the earth. S-A-

A is for action in trying to make our earth cooler.

V is to vote for people who can help stop the greenhouse effect.

E is for educating ourselves on helping to prevent as much as we can of the greenhouse effect.

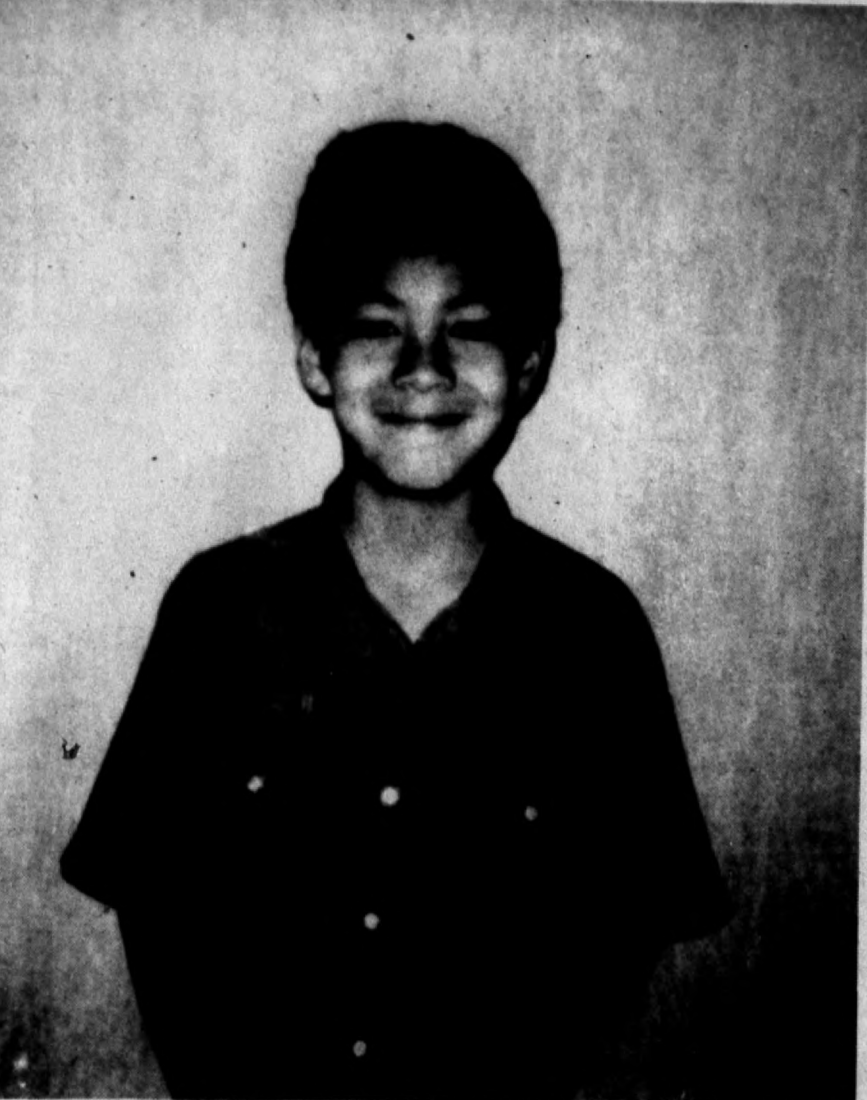
How can we help? Like I just said, S-A-V-E. Support, Act, Vote, Educate. Once we have voted for someone and they're in office, pester them to do something. Send them letters, and get groups of people to send letters. This may get them to do something about it. This will help a lot.

By KENNETH BROWN
 Our society needs to get serious about recycling our renewable resources.

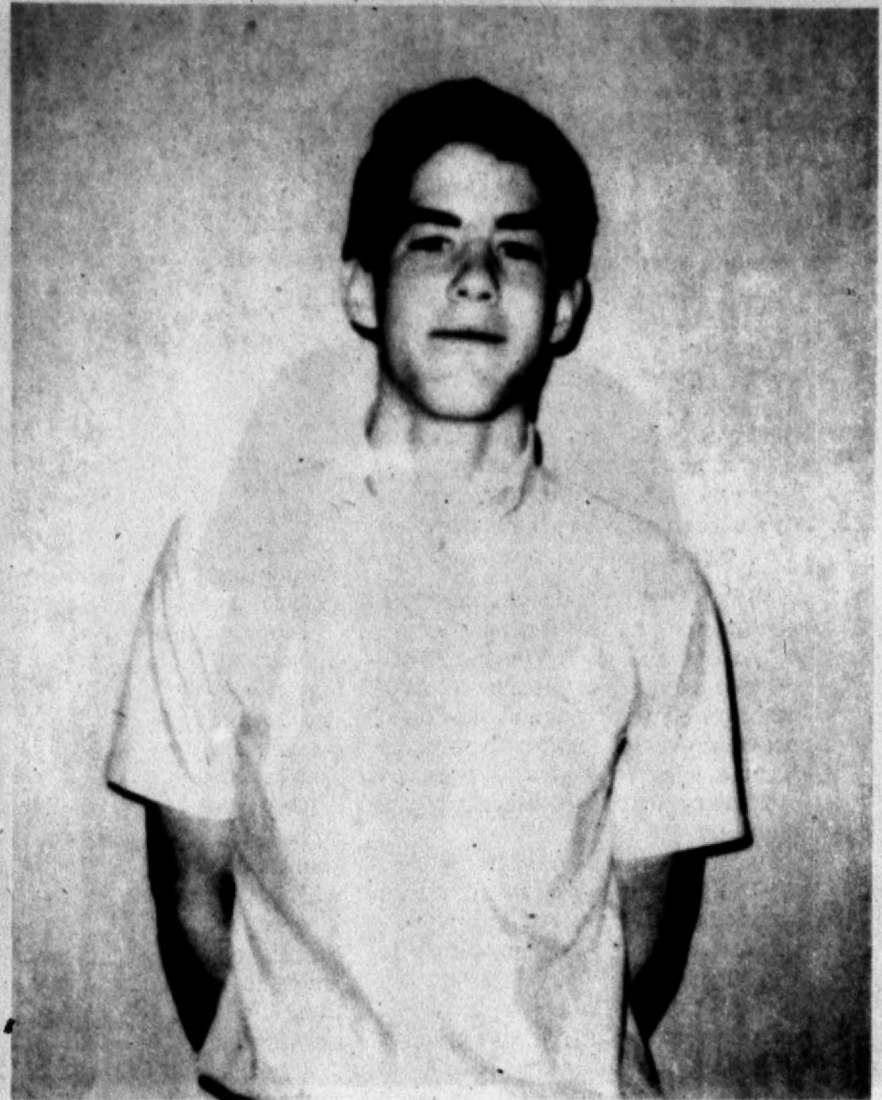
By recycling, we are able to save money on the manufacturing of materials used for packaging. Recycling also help us save our non-renewable resources. The use of recycled products also reduces the amount of waste products disposed of each year. It reduces the amount of pollution on the highways and in the air caused by littering or burning trash that can not be recycled. By recycling we can reduce the number of landfills because there is less trash to throw away.

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By RYAN P. MANNING

Lots of people today are using plastics. The problem with it is we can't dispose of it. We can't burn it or it will cause more air pollution. We can't bury it or it won't decompose. So, what do we do with it?

One way is to watch for scams. Many companies say they use biodegradable plastic. They can't because there's no such thing. Another thing overwrapped products. Individually-wrapped cheese is overwrapped. Some products have up to five wrappers. You can tell if what box you're buying has been recycled by opening the flaps. If the paper is gray it has been recycled. If it's white it's new paper.

When you leave the grocery store you're usually asked, "Paper or plastic?" Neither is very good. You should try to have a cloth bag you can use over and over. Why? Paper and plastic are hard to dispose of. Paper is also harmful because, when you burn it, it lets carbon dioxide into the air which causes global warming.

Now for a problem in Hereford. You probably know our incinerator was shut down a few months ago because of air pollution. Well, now they're burying the trash, which is just as bad. If you bury it some of it won't decompose, like plastic soft drink or milk bottles. Neither way, burning or burying, is very good. In some places they're dumping trash into the ocean. That doesn't work either.

There is another way--recycling. Recycle aluminum cans instead of

throwing them away. Look at the back of things to buy to see if they are recyclable. Scientists are saying, "If we don't recycle things, by the turn of the century we'll throw our trash in a pit in our back yard."

To some it may not seem like much of a problem, but it's there and it's what may destroy the earth. Try to buy recyclable products. You may not think you can make a big difference, but if everyone pitched in we would last a lot longer.

By ANDREW CARR

Global warming--words that bring fright to many. Global warming is a result of the greenhouse effect. Carbon dioxide traps heat which causes the global warming trend.

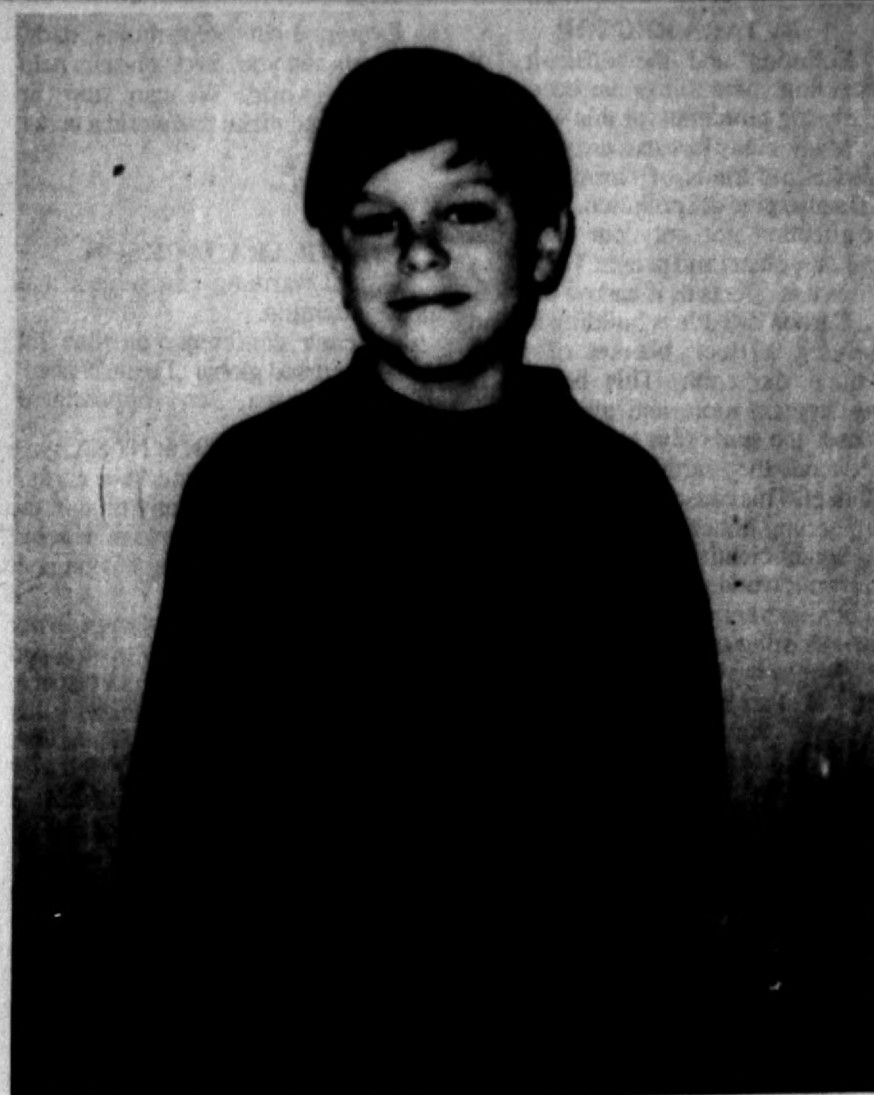
Soon the human race could be extinct because of the deforestation of the tropical rain forests. Trees live on carbon dioxide. We breathe in oxygen and breathe out carbon dioxide. Trees let off oxygen. To live we need oxygen.

Fewer trees and more sunlight probably cause breathing problems and skin cancer. One way to save trees is when you are at the super market. If they ask you for paper or plastic most people would say paper. But paper isn't any better because paper is made from trees. The best would be to use cloth or mesh bags.

Leakage of energy also contributes to the global warming trend. A good way to stop this is to insulate your house. This will be easier on your bills and you will probably be helping to save the world.



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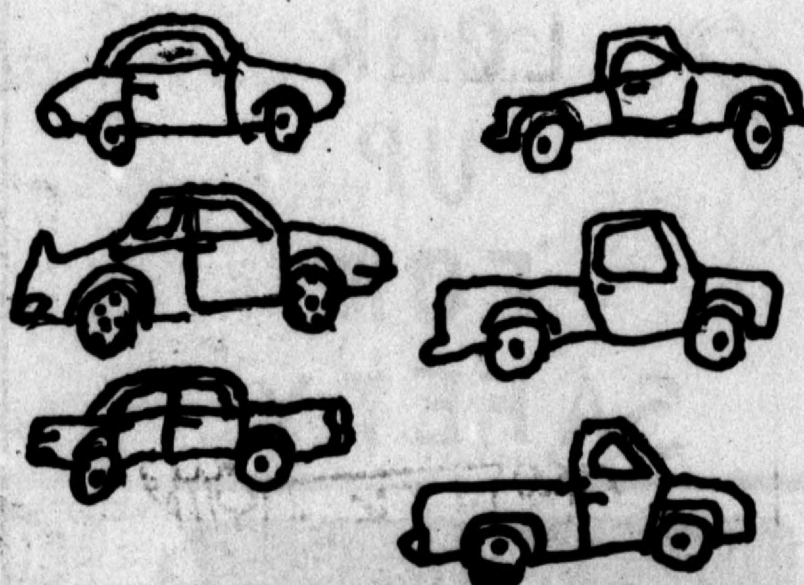


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By TARA RECTOR
 Pollution and the difficulty of recycling some things are becoming really big problems for this world. Many, many factories are giving off smoke and kinds of harmful gases. Cars also give off pollution. Pollution is affecting not only our earth but animals, plants and people. One of the gases that affects us is carbon dioxide. Carbon dioxide is building up and forming a thick blanket of gases around the earth. This blanket is building up more and more, which causes the sun's rays to get captured between the earth and the thick blanket. This causes our world to heat up, getting hotter and hotter. Some scientist say within about 30 years our world may get so hot people, plants and animals will have a hard time existing on earth. People have thought of a way to dispose of chemicals. They dump them into the oceans. This does not help. It is killing the animals in the oceans. Recycling some things is a problem, too. Plastic can not be recycled very easily. Why do things have to be wrapped so many times. There are so many kinds of plastic wraps that are on each microwave dinner, for example. They are harmful when burned and are very hard to recycle. People have come up with some solutions. At supermarkets people are starting to take tote bags instead of using plastic bags. People have also started to make more products out of a material that can be recycled.

Everyone can help: moms, dads, scientists and you. Everyone can help save our world. We can stop air pollution and make this world a better place!

By CLARA JACKSON
 Global warming is a subject that needs attention.

A Senate conference on June 23, 1988 discussed global climate change. James Hansen, an appreciated atmospheric scientist at NASA, gave a frightening statement. "The earth is warmer in 1988 than any time in the history of instrumental measurements. The greenhouse effect is changing our climate now."

Because gases in the lower atmosphere heat up, they get trapped as they are radiating back into space. There are many greenhouse gases that warm our planet, making life possible. Although nature is responsible for most of the greenhouse gases, much of the buildup is man-made. Most scientists agree that if greenhouse gases were to rise and all other factors remain identical, the earth will heat up.

One statistic seems to show a strong case for global warming. The six warmest years since record keeping began 100 years ago have all been in the 1980s.

This problem demands our attention. Can we sit by and let global warming ruin our lives and our world?



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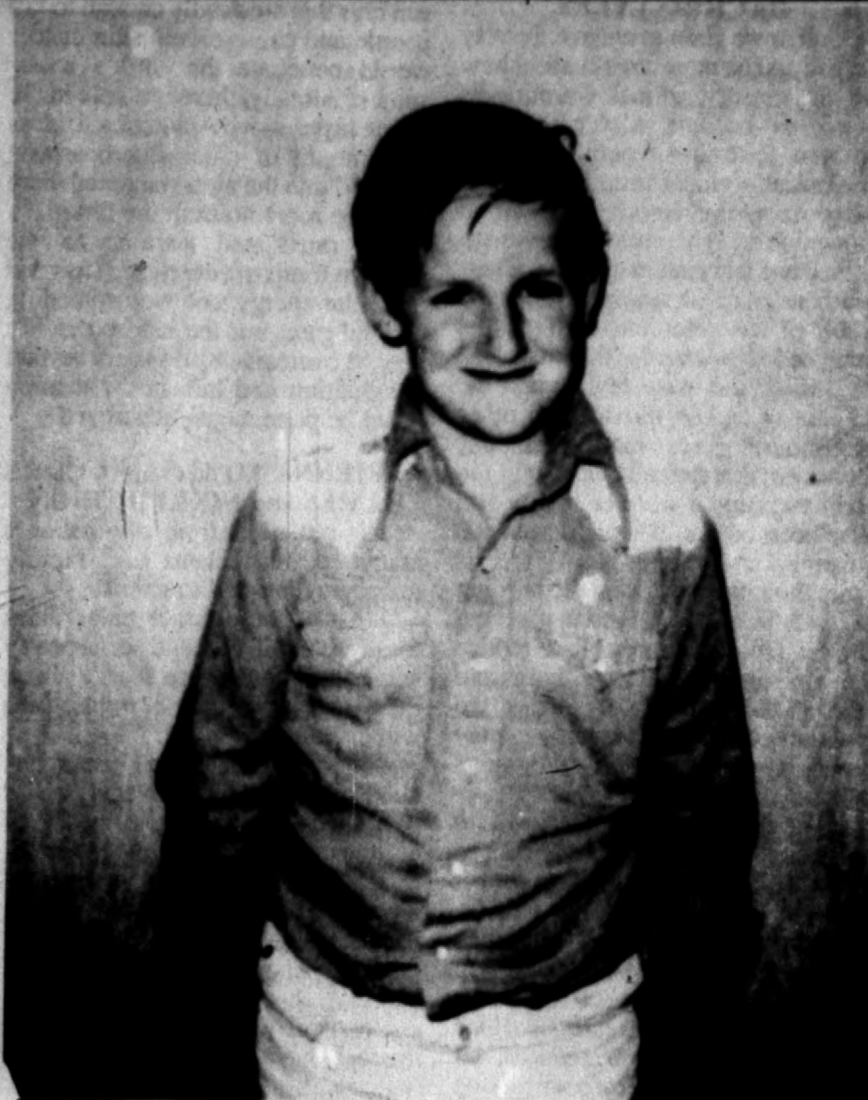
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By CHRIS LYLES
Unless we learn to change the way we live and be more careful about how we use energy, global warming is going to become a very serious problem for future generations.

Basically, global warming happens when excessive amounts of carbon monoxide and greenhouse gases such as methane and man-made chlorofluorocarbons enter the atmosphere. As the result of the greenhouse effect, the earth becomes warmer than usual.

During the past few years the amount of carbon dioxide and other greenhouse gases in the air has increased dramatically, causing the earth to become warmer than it has ever been before. This is due to the clearing and burning of forests throughout the world and the burning of fossil fuels such as natural gas, coal and oil. Unless we are able to reduce the amount of fuels we burn and control the clearing of forests the problem of global warming may become so serious that natural disasters may occur.

It is theorized that if the earth continues to heat up, the polar ice caps may melt and raise sea levels so that coastal areas such as Florida, Washington, D.C., and the Los Angeles basin will be flooded.

In addition to natural disasters, man-made chlorofluorocarbons which are released from refrigerators, air conditioners and spray cans are making holes in the ozone layer. This can be very dangerous to us because the ozone layer filters out harmful rays from the sun. Without the ozone layer,

sun rays that are deadly enough to kill people and cause severe skin cancer would penetrate the earth's atmosphere. Already, there is a hole in the ozone layer above Antarctica. Unless the amount of chlorofluorocarbons released into the air is regulated there could be more holes in the future.

We must start learning to use different forms of energy, such as wind and solar energy, and stop spreading harmful gases into the atmosphere. We may be overcome by disasters beyond imagination and human civilization could be permanently destroyed.

By BRIENNA TOWNSEND, COREY JAMES and NIKKI HUTSON

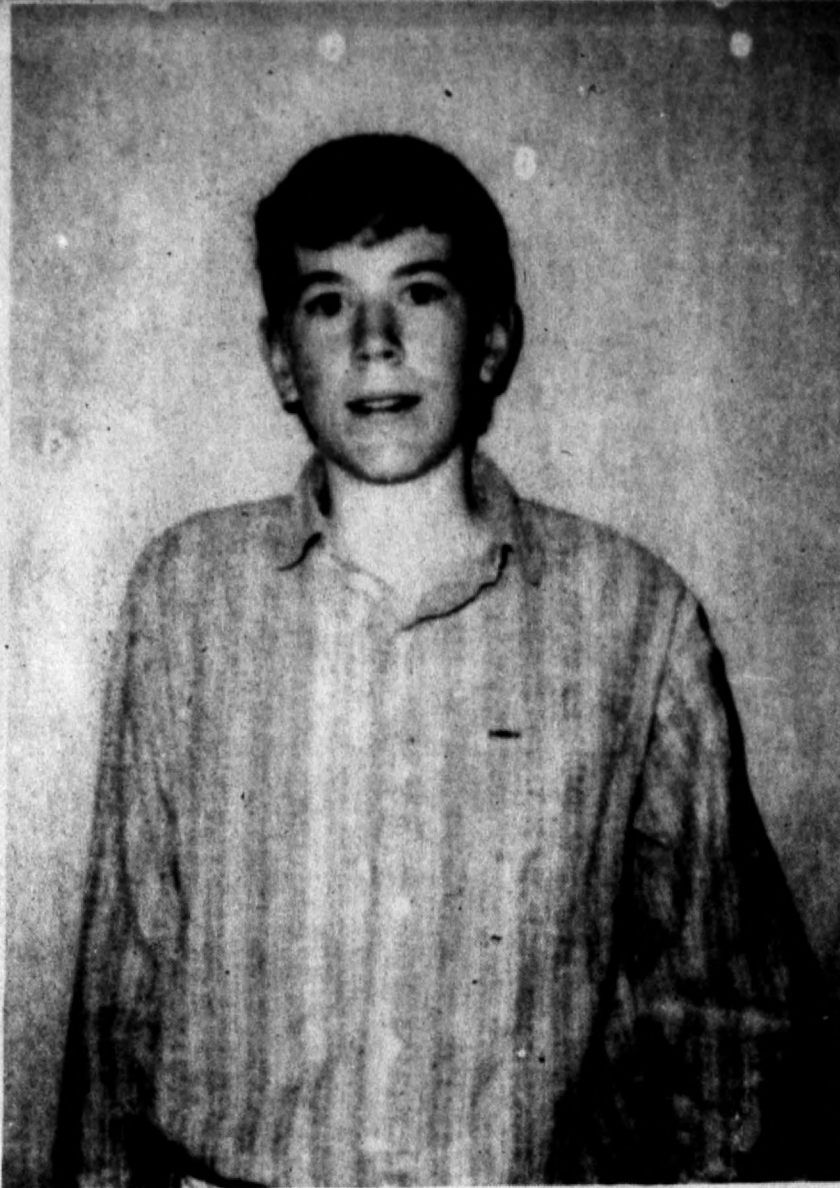
Air pollution from our nation's many power plants is rapidly destroying our environment.

Most of these power plants burn fossil fuels (oil, coal and occasionally natural gas) to produce energy. Since these fuels are non-renewable, they will eventually run out.

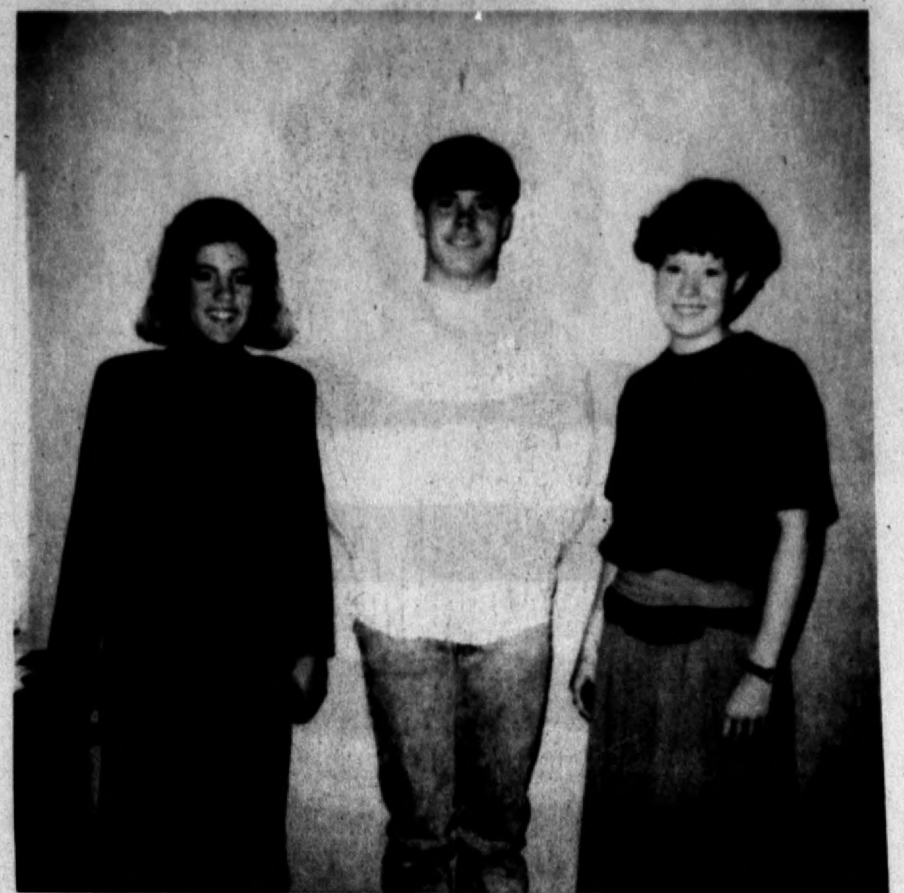
A good alternate energy source is nuclear energy. Nuclear energy was once thought of as the energy source of the future. Now, because of politicians and special interest groups who have misinformed the public, nuclear energy is "on the back burner."

Safe disposal of nuclear waste is possible, but some who feel that nuclear energy is not in their best interest have distorted the facts. Officials should present the facts about nuclear energy to the public so that we can make a logical decision.

Nuclear energy is, and will be, the safe energy for the future.



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By ANGELA BRUMLEY

The first native Americans lived in harmony with nature and depended on Mother Earth for survival. To abuse or question nature was considered a shameful sin, and the Indians believed such a sin could bring the fury of the gods upon their people.

Unfortunately modern man chooses not to follow the Indians' example. He views nature as a mere object to be used to further his development at his convenience. Seldom does he stop to consider the consequences of his actions or the future earth he may be creating for his children.

Today's world is plagued by countless problems ranging from pollution to the greenhouse effect, and all of them are caused by man.

During this summer's choking drought, evening news reports warned of the "greenhouse effect" and gave conflicting reasons and illustrations to emphasize their point. It seemed impossible to the American citizen that peasants burning trees in Brazil could be responsible for the lack of rainfall and blistering heat in their own towns.

Such skepticism is what has initially caused this crisis.

Peasant farmers use the traditional slash-and-burn farming methods, blindly destroying our precious rain forests in the process. Just how precious is a rain forest? More than half of the living things on earth live in rain forests. At the rate of one species per second, it would take 20 days to name all of the known species that inhabit a rain forest. No scientist

can predict exactly what will happen to the food chain and to man if even a few of the species are destroyed.

The lush plant life produces huge amounts of oxygen and absorbs carbon dioxide. The rain forests were formerly called the "lungs of the earth." But man has almost destroyed the lungs, and in the process is endangering the whole body of the earth.

No one has any easy answers to these and other problems that torment the earth. But as conscious inhabitants of this world we have an obligation to do everything we can to save our planet.

Farmers in Brazil and other areas that use the slash and burn method need to be educated in other ways of cultivating the land. Our own schoolchildren in the United States must be taught to "Give a hoot--don't pollute."

Countries that are contributing to the destruction of our environment in other areas should take initiatives to stop their actions that are detrimental to nature.

All of these proposals are costly and time-consuming. But stop and consider the consequences if we choose not to take advantage of the bargains of conservation and education now. Think back to the Indian who believed that abusing the environment could mean the destruction of his people. If we abuse Mother Nature now, might not she abuse us in the future?

By KARON HARDER

People want to know where the money has gone. They also want to know why the land is so trashed. The cause is on the store shelves. The answer is "overpackaging."

Many things are overpackaged. Heavy metal tools which do not need any protection hang on the store shelf in a fancy eye-catching cardboard-and-plastic package. Toothpastes that come in pumps are also overpackaged. When the paste is gone you still have the pump as big as when you started. Why not make them refillable?

Batteries are another example. They are packaged in a cardboard-and-plastic container. They used to be packaged in dispensers that were sent to the store. You could buy as many as you needed. Today, you have to buy from two to eight even if you need only one battery.

Cassette tapes and toys that are wrapped in cellophane and then in a cardboard or plastic container are also overpackaged. Why the cellophane?

While some things do need to be packaged for protection, to keep the product dry or for handling, others are packaged just for the eye to see. These are overpackaged.


To solve this problem we can demand products that are packaged without waste. We can also write companies and tell them that we don't want to pay for fancy packaging. We can let them know that we want to save the earth for people and not just trash.



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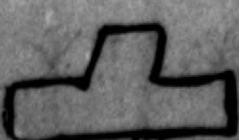
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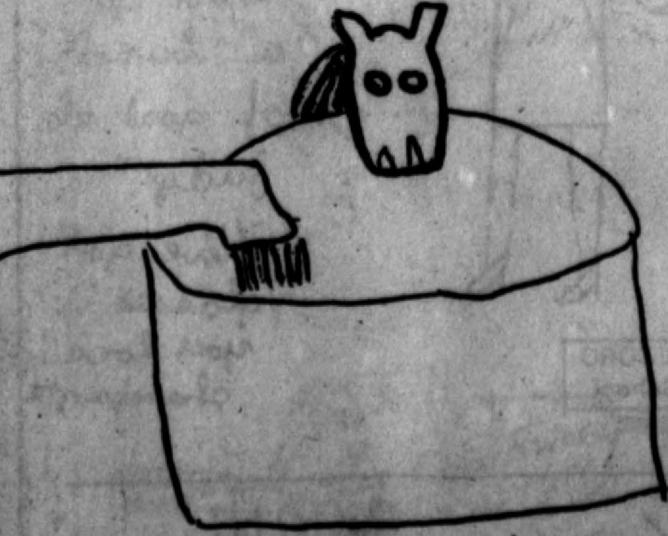


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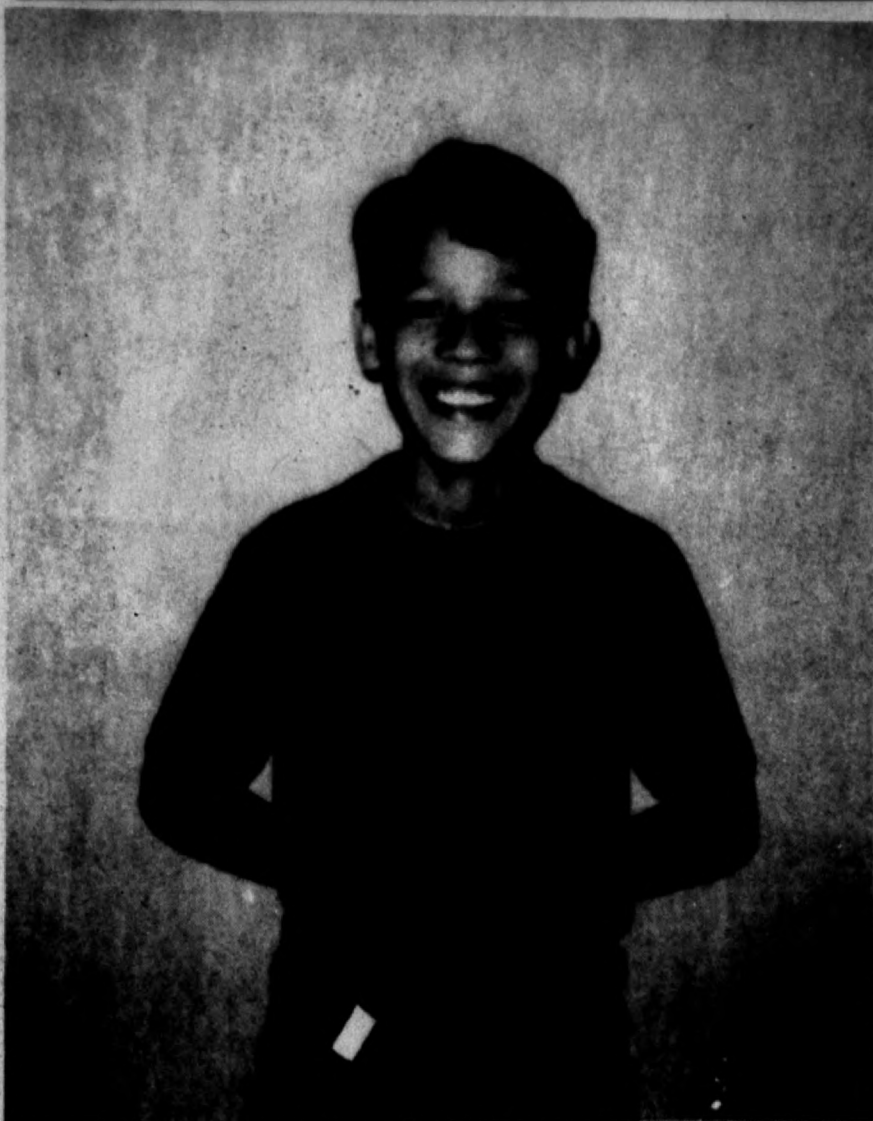
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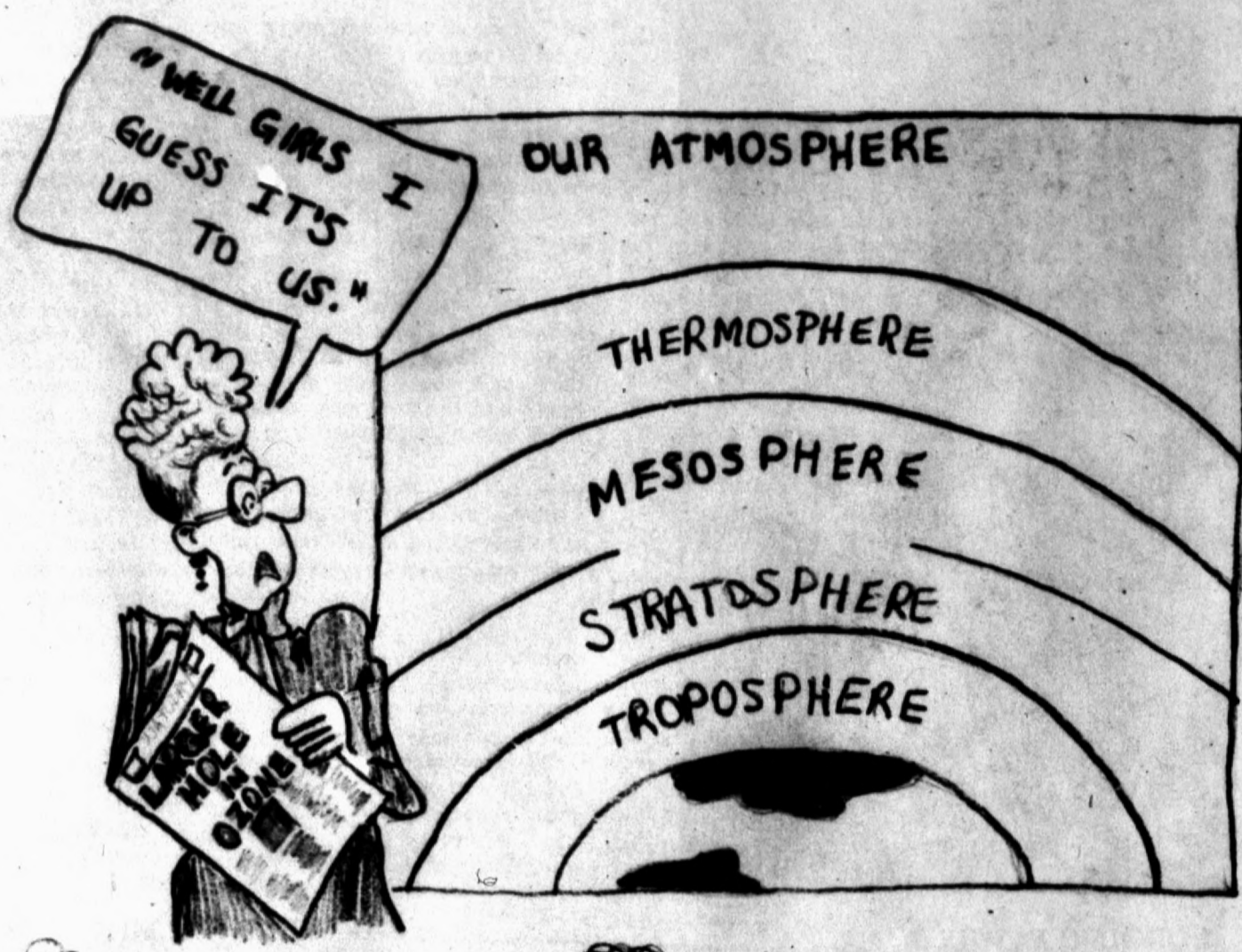
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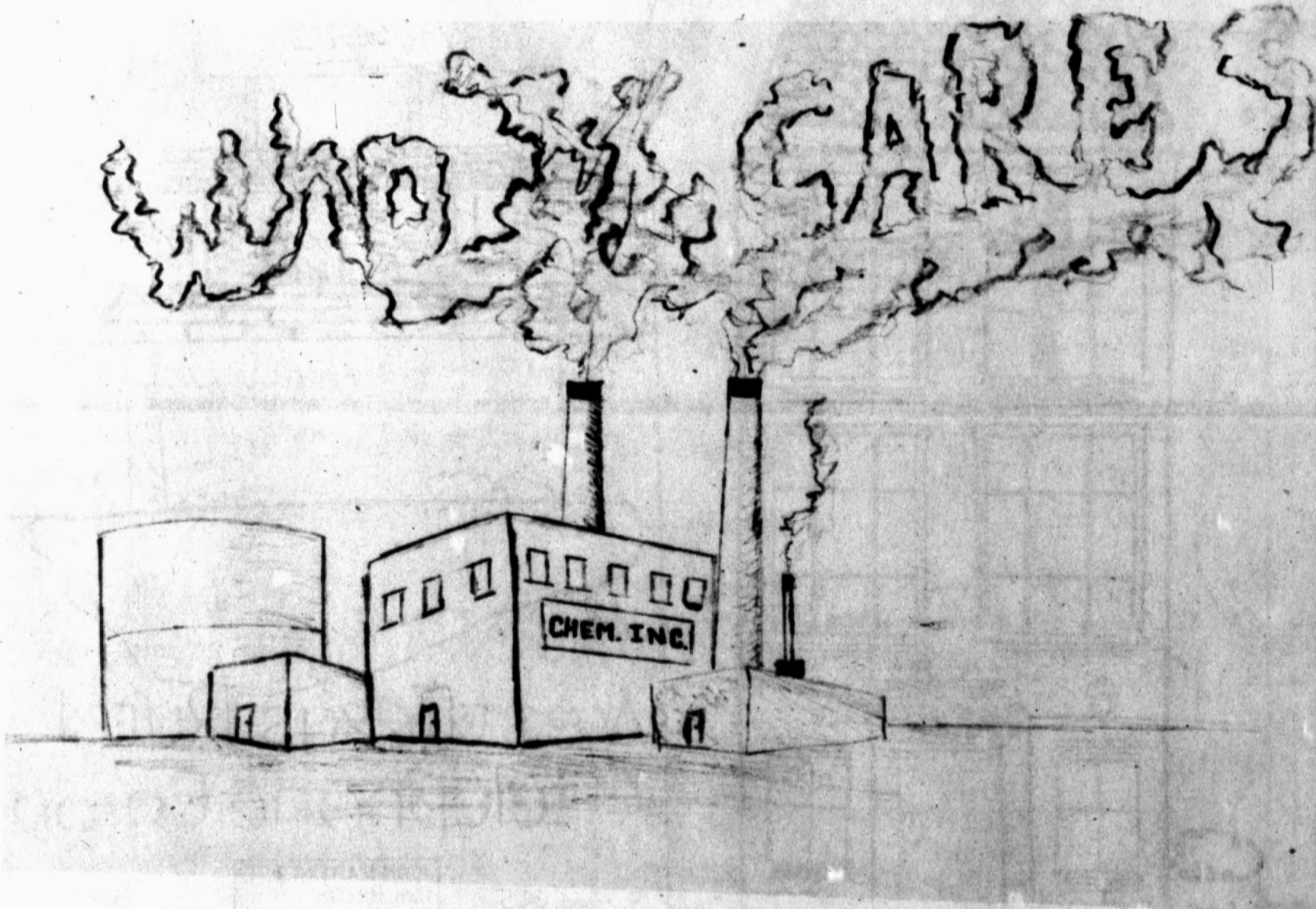
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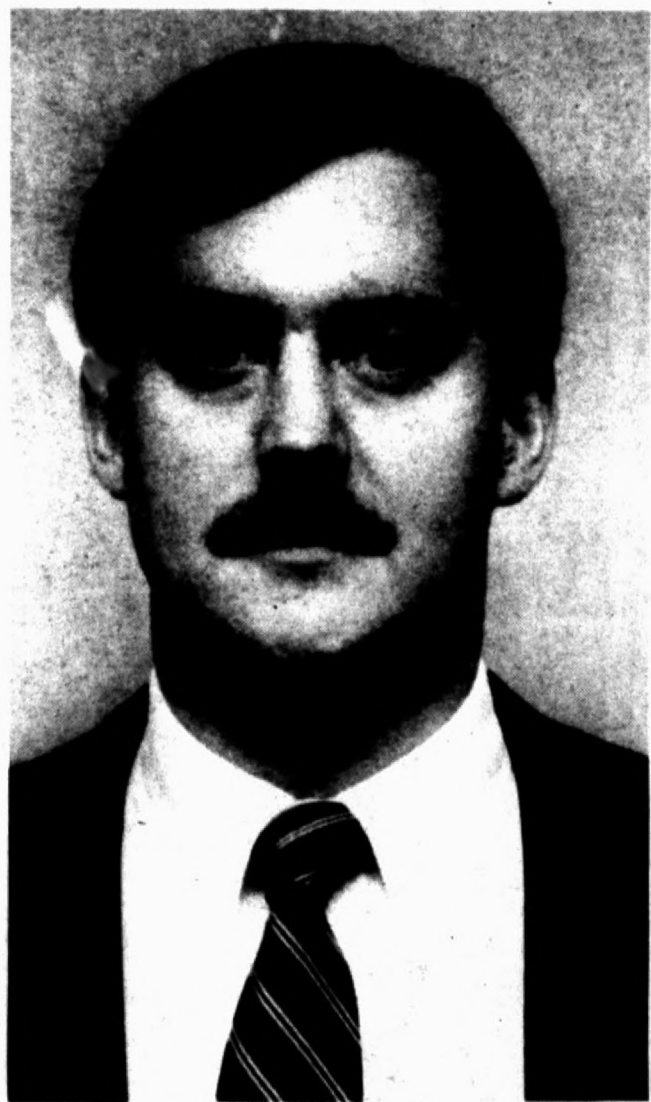
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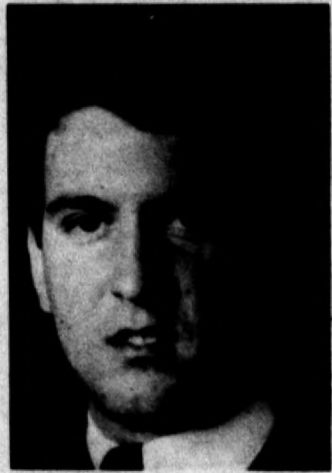
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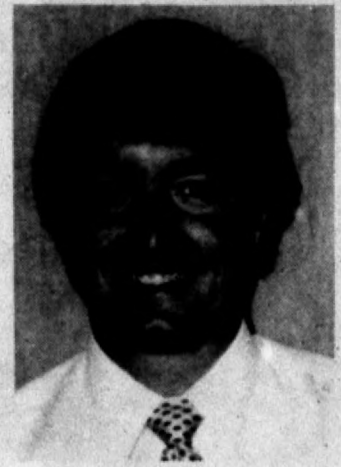
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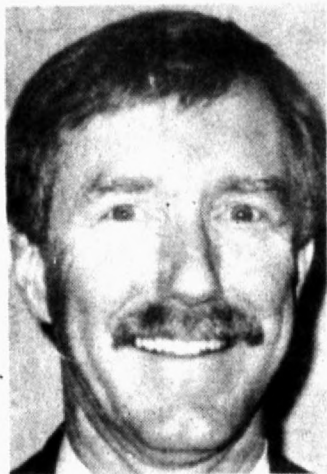
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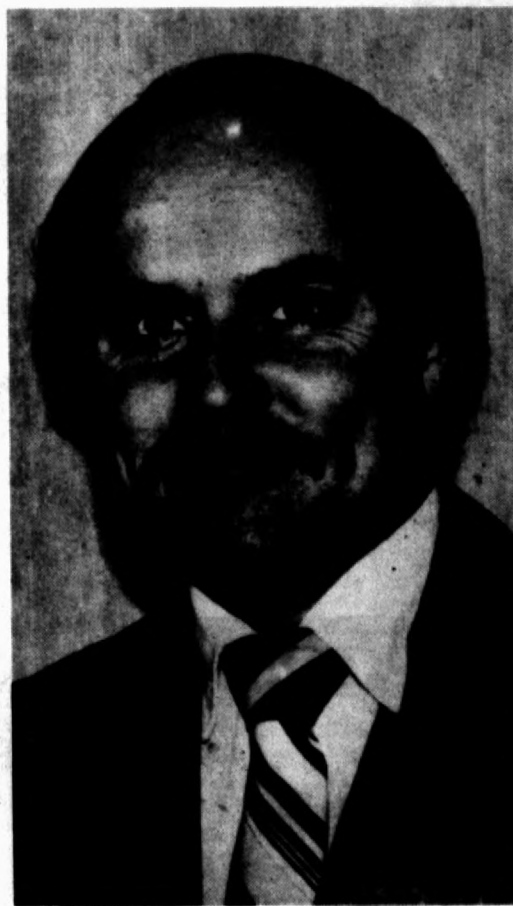
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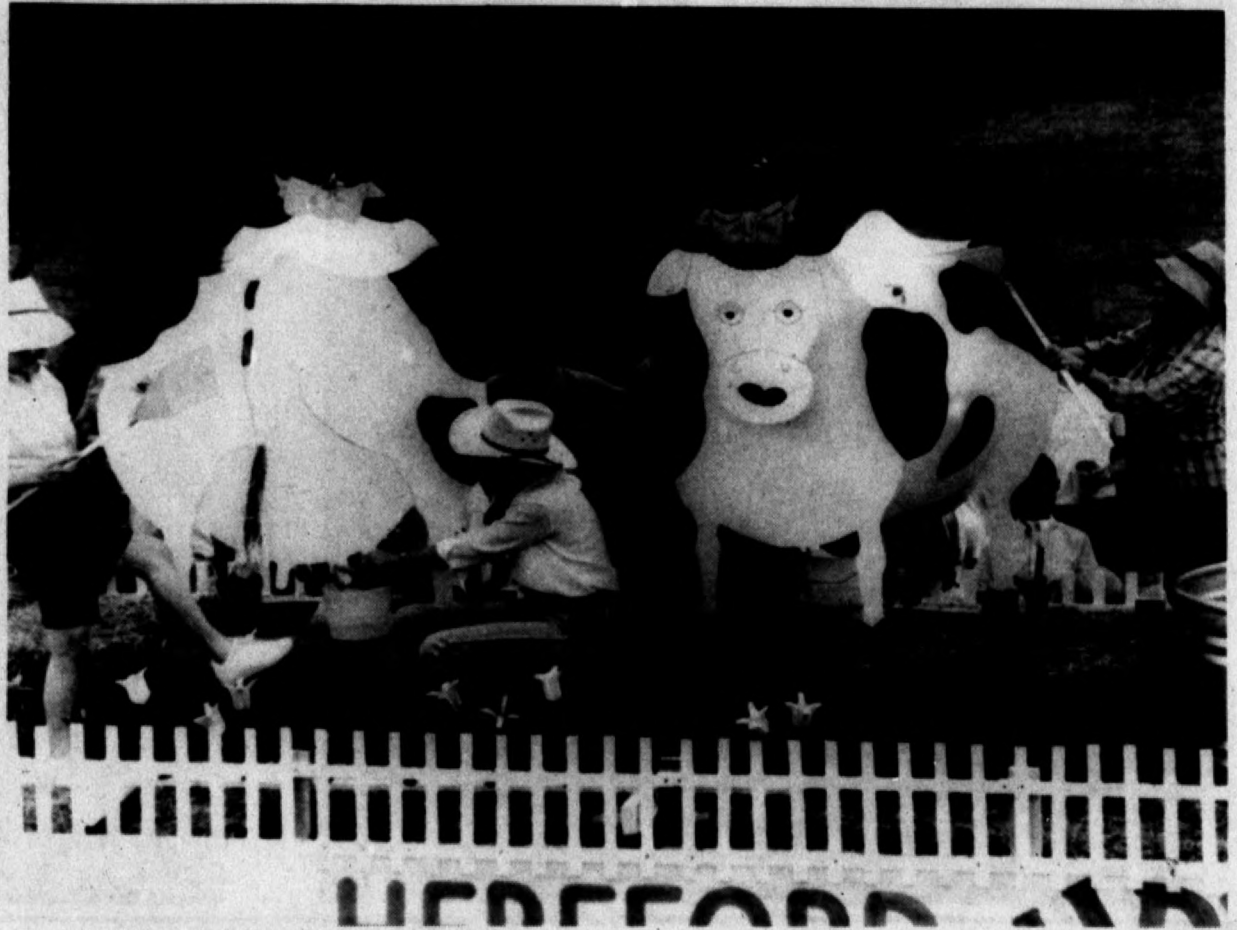
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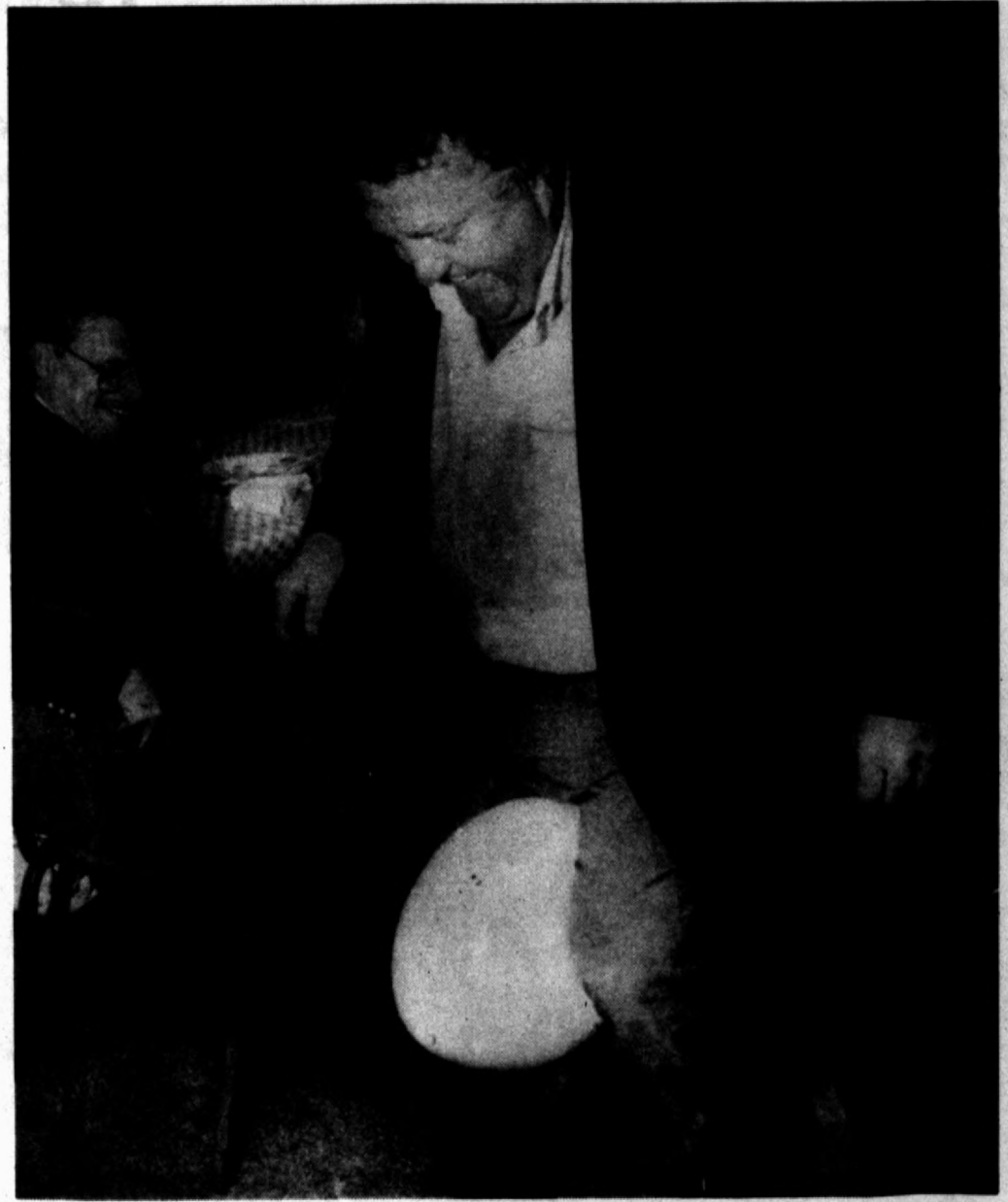
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Fun Breakfast

HHS athletic director Don Cumpton earned the "Bull Chip of the Decade" at one Chamber breakfast. Games, at right, are part of the program.



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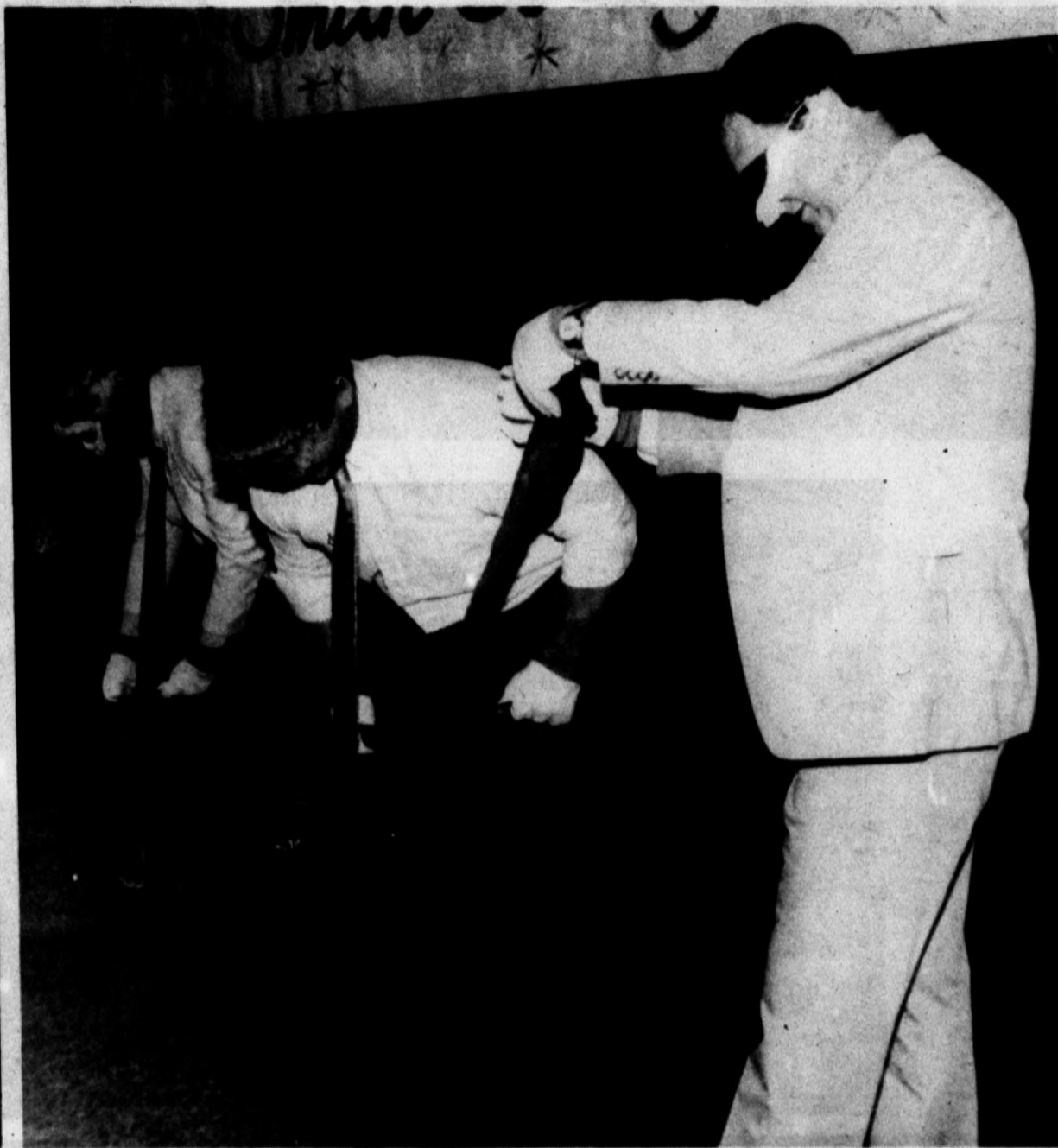
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Committees play big role . . .

The Chamber's Retail Trade Committee is shown during a planning session, and the Hustler committee conducted many business openings in 1989

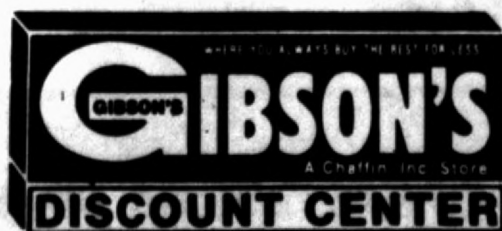


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... in various community projects and activities

Chamber manager Mike Carr and Mayor Wes Fisher chop weeds on vacant lot to illustrate cooperation between city and chamber in clean-up project, and the Hustlers are shown at another ribbon-cutting

How It Functions . . .

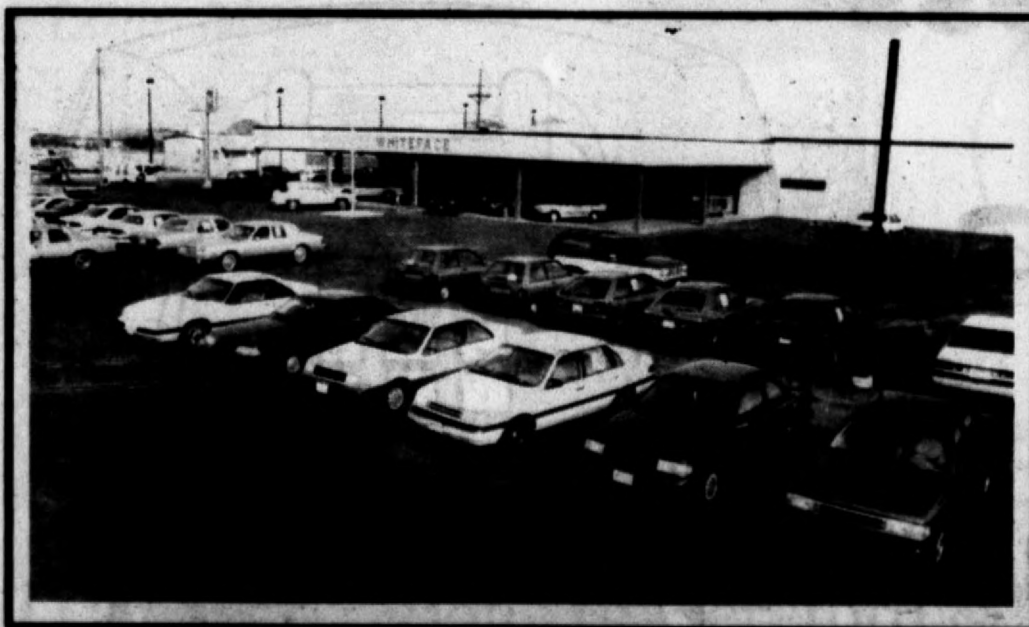
Our Chamber of Commerce functions through working committees which are the backbone of the organization. Money, planning, inspiration and guidance are useless unless the members work vigorously on the committee of their choice.

Careful study is made of the community needs and an action blueprint, the program of work, is designed. The goal of the program is always to create more dollars for more people and to improve the economic welfare of all.

Every member has a voice in determining the policies and projects and every member is needed to work on an active committee to get the job done.



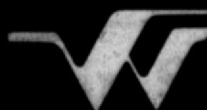
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Committee chairmen . . .



Burl Miller

AGRIBUSINESS
Chairman Burl Miller
Vice Chairman Bob Beville

Coordinate efforts with Economic Development to help initiate and promote new or expanded growth.

Work toward increasing active membership recruitment among farmers.

Promote an Annual Field Day to promote local awareness of cattle feeding industry.

Unite Agribusiness Committee with Water Committee in order to better represent membership.

Actively pursue the possibility of developing an Agriculture-Cattle Industry Research Forum Seminar to publicize the latest data available. Utilize local experts and speakers when possible.

Establish and maintain liaison with state and national leaders and inform them of local agriculture situations.

Attend, support and promote the



Buddy Peeler

Deaf Smith County Livestock Show.
 Develop a stronger understanding between the retail merchants and agriculture.

Continue to sponsor and promote the Hereford Farmers Market.

RETAIL BUSINESS
Chairman Buddy Peeler

Develop a stronger understanding between the retail merchants and agriculture.

Actively support a program to improve courtesy and service.

Evaluate other towns to determine new ways to improve our shopping strengths and weaknesses.

Support and utilize the newly formed Newcomers Program to familiarize new residents of our shopping area.

Unite all local retail areas to promote Hereford as regional retail center.

Assist in coordinating retail



Mauri Montgomery

promotions in Deaf Smith County.
 Work to improve city with additional Christmas decorations.

Conduct seminars on various aspects for all local businesses.

BEAUTIFICATION
Chairman Mauri Montgomery

Focus on and evaluate various aspects of the community that have an impact on the appearance of the city. Determine priorities for current year but also provide a longrange goal of improvement to be coordinated with the city, county and school.

If you have suggestions on how the Chamber—and Hereford—can grow, call the Chamber at 364-3333.



Speedy Nieman

MEMBERSHIP
Chairman Speedy Nieman, Terry Bromlow

Seek to increase involvement of all present members in adding to membership by promoting a more active involvement of individuals.

Initiate involvement of the formation of Senior Citizens Committee.

Conduct a vigorous sustained campaign to enroll every reputable individual, firm or corporation in Deaf Smith County's program of quality growth.

Develop and implement a systematic program to contact prospects and to maintain communications and good relations with members.

Review annually the membership support of each member to identify those members whose business growth would indicate their ability to increase their fair share investment in the Chamber.



Terry Bromlow

TOURISM

Study possibility of creating a Tourist Information Center for summer months.

Support and promote the National Cowgirl Hall of Fame.

Work with City regarding the signs left on stores after going out of business.

Pursue efforts to coordinate plans with Santa Fe to improve Highway 60 right of way. Initiate and promote an ongoing city-wide clean-up with special emphasis on Highways 385 and 60.

Attract more conventions and meetings in Hereford.

Provide assistance in conducting local tours.

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Lewis McDaniel

INDUSTRIAL DEVELOPMENT
Chairman Lewis McDaniel

Coordinate efforts in community to work together with all entities involved in industrial development.

Actively seek the development of agricultural related industry.

Investigate funding methods that could increase budget for additional staff or create joint venture with city or county.

Initiate a monthly update meeting to keep public informed.

Maintain a trained team to meet with industrial prospects.

Maintain liaison with other industrial development agencies.

Coordinate the cooperation of the Hereford Industrial Foundation and the Deaf Smith County Industrial Development Corporation.

Coordinate efforts of Chamber with the Economic Development Council.



James Self

SPORTS
Chairman: James Self
Liaison: Scott Keeling

Develop a complete recreational plan for the area and encourage city, school and county cooperation and involvement in programs.

Work on development of a Chamber of Commerce Sports Calendar to help promote all sports programs.

Coordinate all activities with the Hereford Booster Club whenever possible.

Assist other sports and recreational groups when aid is needed.

Provide assistance for any play-off games.

Sponsor the Annual Super Sports Weekend in March.

Sponsor the Deaf Smith County Open Tennis Tournament in June.



James McDowell

LEGISLATIVE AFFAIRS & TRANSPORTATION

James McDowell

Create a new local awareness of the importance of the legislative system. Encourage more involvement in the candidate process by promoting a "Write Your Congressman" campaign.

Monitor local, state and national issues which have an effect on the local economy and recommend policy positions on legislative issues.

Conduct such activities as voter registration and "Get-Out-And-Vote" campaigns.

Represent the Chamber membership in communicating with local, state and national officials in matters pertaining to legislation.

Provide an open forum for local candidates to discuss issues and answer questions.



Sharon Pennington

Transportation:

Serve as a focal point and action agency on all matters of passenger and freight transportation including air, rail and highway.

Promote a program of continuing improvement in Hereford streets and county roads; study traffic problems including possible loop and truck routes and recommend solutions.

Promote the development and use of Hereford Airport

HEALTH-SAFETY

Chairmen: Sharon Pennington and Ken Varner

Promote the use of local services provided by Deaf Smith General Hospital. Educational programs to inform public of future plans of action for the hospital.

Actively support a program to encourage the availability of adequate professional resources for the



Ken Varner

community.

Promote or initiate an Agriculture Equipment Safety Seminary.

Initiate a "Meet the Doctor" program by encouraging local physicians to speak at civic clubs and other functions.

Support and promote programs designed to improve the health and safety of the community.

Initiate a program of informing the community on the problems of alcohol and drug abuse in industry and with the youth in our community.

Create a Speakers Bureau to promote all areas of health and safety.

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Donna West

LEADERSHIP HEREFORD
Chairman Donna West

Develop and initiate a program of education to promote an overall awareness and knowledge of Hereford and Deaf Smith County for our local residents.

Inform all agencies and governmental units of the importance of this program and to utilize these graduates of these programs.

Topics to be included in this program are:

- (A) Community History.
- (B) Deaf Smith County Chamber of Commerce
- (C) Education
- (D) Medical
- (E) Community Services
- (F) Government
- (G) Economy - Part 1
- (H) Economy - Part 2, local industry
- (I) Cultural Affairs
- (J) Law and Justice
- (K) Communication Skills



Bill Harris

HUSTLERS
Chairman Bill Harris

Continue efforts to visit local industry management and plan visits to headquarter office when possible.

Act as official host for Deaf Smith County Chamber of Commerce.

Work toward increasing the size of the Hustler organization during 1989.

Assist in special projects for the community.

Visit all new business and professional offices as soon as possible.

Assist Membership Committee in sustained campaign for new members and help conduct membership drives.

Provide greeters for conventions and meetings held in Hereford.

Continue conducting "ribbon cuttings" and welcome for all new businesses in Hereford.

Promote and maintain a positive attitude in the community.



Larry Malamen

HUMAN RELATIONS
Chairman Larry Malamen

Initiate the formation of this new committee which will be structured to promote better communications and understanding among all segments of our community.

FUN BREAKFAST
Chairmen: Charlie Bell and John Stagner

Support and produce bi-monthly Fun Breakfast for Chamber members, guests and friends.

Coordinate the Breakfast not only as membership meetings, but also as a means of promoting Hereford.

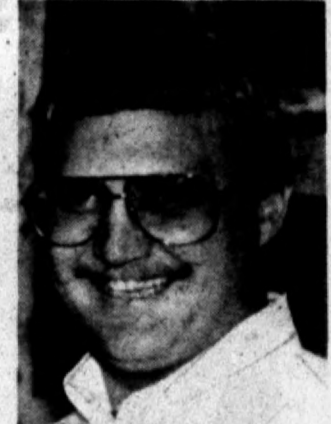
Use the Breakfast as a means of increasing involvement in community activities.

TOWN & COUNTRY JUBILEE

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Charlie Bell



John Stagner

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- 1918-24 D.L. McDonald
- 1929-30 T.E. Seigler
- 1930-31 John P. Slaton
- 1932-33 W.E. Dameron
- 1934 A.O. Thompson
- 1935 R.H. Hopkins
- 1936 Jesse Stanford
- 1938 A.H. Streu
- 1939 Miles Robertson
- 1940 D.H. Alexander
- 1941 W.E. Dameron
- 1942 R.L. Thompson
- 1943-44 H.A. Close
- 1945-46 Wayne Evans
- 1947 Homer Brumley
- 1948 Francis Hardwick
- 1949 Henry Sears
- 1950 O.L. Bybee
- 1951 Bruce Wooddell
- 1952 J.R. Allison
- 1953 Paul Harvey
- 1954 Tom Alderson
- 1955 Ralph Hastings
- 1956 Townsend Douglas
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- 1958 Marcus Latham
- 1959 J.R. Johnson

- 1960-61 C. Palmer Norton
- 1962 Clint Formby
- 1963 Maurice Tannahill
- 1964 Austin Rose Jr.
- 1965 Wayne Thomas
- 1966 Raymond White
- 1967 Neil Cooper
- 1968-69 Earnest Langley
- 1970 Virgil Marsh
- 1971 Charles Hoover
- 1972 Melvin Jayroe
- 1973 Jim Conkwright
- 1974 Roy Faubion
- 1975 R.W. Eades
- 1976 Donald Hicks
- 1977 Joe Shollenbarger
- 1978 O.G. Nieman
- 1979-80 Ken Rogers
- 1981 Tom Burdett
- 1982 Bill Johnson
- 1983 Bob Sims
- 1984 Bobby Owen
- 1985 Rex Easterwood
- 1986 Bill Harris
- 1987 Mike Bowles
- 1988 Larry Malamen
- 1989 Rocky Lee

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1989 Super Sports Weekend

Larry Wartes and Cuby Kitchens keep an eye on the runners during the 1989 track meet, part of the Super Sports Weekend sponsored by the sports committee of the Deaf Smith County Chamber of Commerce, while Marc Haney is almost exhausted from all of the activity. This year, the events begin Friday and will continue through next weekend with two track meets, baseball, and golf and tennis events scheduled. Volunteers from throughout the community help make the Super Sports Week a huge success.



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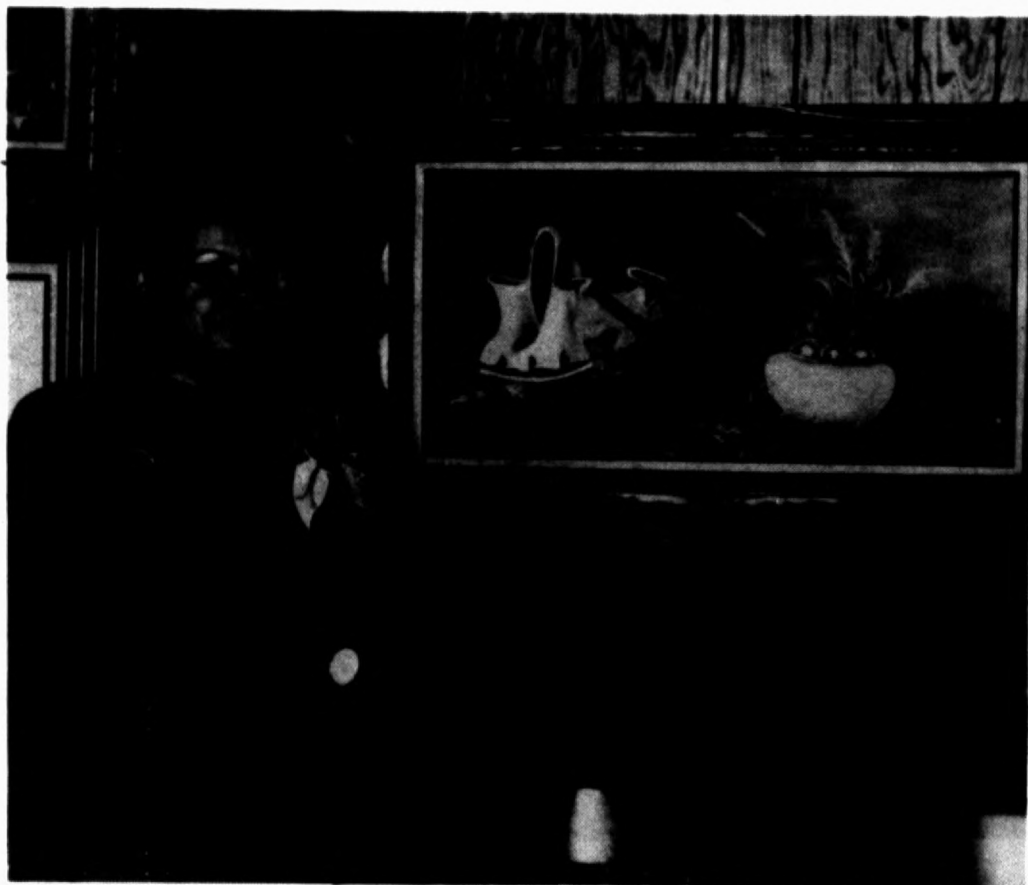
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Chamber displays feature local art

Betty Gresham was one of many local artists featured during 1989 at the Deaf Smith county Chamber of Commerce office. A variety of works of all types by many local artists and craftsmen have been displayed in the board room, showcasing the varied, great talents of residents of Deaf Smith County.

What It Does . . . Our Chamber of Commerce is a service institution and an action organization. It provides a medium through which people can take effective action for the progress of the community.

It helps to create job opportunities through stimulation of industrial and commercial growth, for established and new firms.

It seeks the improvement of community facilities . . . streets, highways, parks, schools, and marketing facilities.

It brings conventions, sales meetings, and other gatherings to our cities, thus bringing more money into the area.

It works toward developing the agriculture and agricultural industry of the area.

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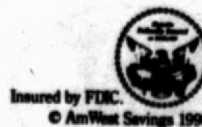
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- Cooperates with retail organizations and associations on retail promotions.

FOR THE SERVICE ESTABLISHMENT . . .

- Works for an ever increasing population, assuring additional customers and income.
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FOR THE PROFESSIONAL MAN . . .

- Works continuously for growth of the area, business expansion and population increase to assure the professional man a prosperous place in which to make a living.
- Seeks better transportation services to make the area more accessible and convenient.
- Conducts an over-all program which is keyed to improve the economic income of the professional man's patients and clients for his ultimate benefit.

FOR THE FARMER, RANCHER . . .

- Encourages and promotes sound agricultural programs and practices with major attention to soil conservation and livestock programs.
- Frequently coordinates planning of agricultural agencies and sponsors joint efforts in the improvement of techniques for more income from farm and ranch.

FOR THE HOTEL, MOTEL, RESTAURANT OPERATOR . . .

- Works to attract and service conventions, trade shows, conferences and sales meetings which bring new money into the economy. National surveys indicate that more than 40 per-cent of the convention dollar is spent in hotels, motels and restaurants.
- Works to expand the tourist business.
- Brings in sports and amusement attractions with large crowds.

FOR THE HOME AND PROPERTY OWNER . . .

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- Cooperates with church, cultural and entertainment groups to provide a more interesting and meaningful life for residents and visitors.

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- The goal of our Chamber of Commerce is to promote the commercial, industrial, civic, cultural and general interest of our cities and region. To accomplish this, action committees explore every avenue and possibility. These committees usually include those working in the areas of industrial development, agriculture, aviation, athletics, conventions, memberships, citizenship, traffic and transportation, area development, publicity, highways, urban development, civic affairs, retail promotion, and water resources.
- Every individual, firm and profession derives direct benefits in a growing, stable economy. Such an economy is the result of our Chamber's efforts.

*Deaf Smith County
Chamber of Commerce*

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Highlights of 1989's banquet

In picture at left, Rocky Lee accepts the chamber president's gavel from 1988 president Larry Malamen. At right is Margie Daniels, the 1988 Citizen of the Year. The 1989 Citizen of the Year will be presented at tonight's banquet by the Hereford Lions Club.



*Helping people
when the need is greatest!*

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*The world's best
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working relationship
it has with Hereford
and the Deaf Smith
County

Chamber of Commerce.

By working together
we all share in
the benefits
of growth and
economic
development.

SPS

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PUBLIC SERVICE COMPANY

THRIFTWAY

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MR. & MRS. EARL YARBROUGH
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MINERVA GARZA
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\$100 WINNERS
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VIRGINIA DAWSON
 KERMIT, TEXAS
DEBBIE SITZ
 PANHANDLE, TEXAS
LINDA CONTRERAS
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VINCENT SANDLIN
 PADUCAH, TEXAS
CHARLES FRIDAY
 IOWA PARK, TEXAS
JESSIE M. NAVARETTE
 CARLSBAD, NEW MEXICO
\$50 WINNERS
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 PAMPA, TEXAS
CARLIE JENKINS
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PRIZE VALUE	TOTAL PRIZES	ODDS TO WIN		
		ODDS FOR 1 STORE VISIT	ODDS FOR 12 STORE VISITS	ODDS FOR 24 STORE VISITS
\$1000.00	40	1 in 57,331	1 in 4,482	1 in 2,201
\$500.00	100	1 in 22,226	1 in 1,770	1 in 835
\$200.00	200	1 in 11,000	1 in 807	1 in 403
\$100.00	265	1 in 8,439	1 in 665	1 in 332
\$50.00	497	1 in 4,406	1 in 354	1 in 177
\$25.00	1,061	1 in 2,158	1 in 166	1 in 83
\$1.00	27,921	1 in 60	1 in 5	1 in 2
TOTALS	40,092	1 in 57	1 in 4	1 in 2

Odds to win each of the grocery product prizes based on probability are one-in-eight (every eighth can win). Odds to win sweepstakes prizes are dependent upon number of entries received. These prize quantities and odds to win are effective February 20, 1990. See updated odds to win posted in participating stores weekly after 30 days. The promotion is scheduled to be completed on April 2, 1990, however, the game actually ends upon distribution of all game tickets. This promotion is available in 83 participating Affiliated Food Stores located in Texas, Colorado and New Mexico.



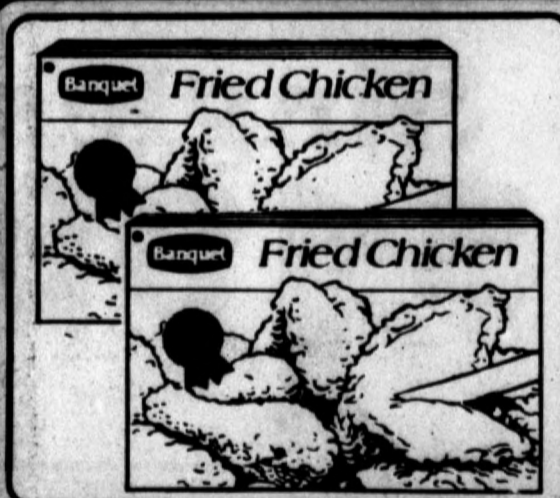
PILGRIM'S PRIDE FRESH SPLIT
Fryer Breasts
\$1.39
 LB.



CALIFORNIA
Navel Oranges
\$1.29
 4 LB. BAG



ASSORTED BATH TISSUE
Cottonelle
 WITH COUPON ON PAGE 3
3 \$2.49
 FOR 4 ROLL PKGS.



BANQUET REGULAR FRIED
Chicken
\$1.99
 28 OZ. BOX



ABSORBENT HI-DRI PAPER
Towels
59¢
 JUMBO ROLL



SHURFINE SALTINE
Crackers
69¢
 16 OZ. BOX



CAMPBELL'S TOMATO
Soup
3 \$1
 10.7 OZ. CANS

Pepsi Cola
\$1.09



Huggies Diapers

SMALL, MEDIUM OR LARGE

CONV. PKG.

\$999

WE BELIEVE IN



BETTY CROCKER ASSORTED SUPERMOIST LAYER

Cake Mix

18 OZ. BOX

79¢

BETTY CROCKER ASSORTED RTS Frosting 16 OZ. CAN \$1.19

FRANCO-AMERICAN
Canned Spaghetti
89¢
26.5 OZ. CAN

GALANTE HOT, MED. OR MILD
Picante Sauce
\$1.29
16 OZ. JAR

BEST MAID WHOLE
Dill Pickles
\$2.29
48 OZ. JAR

BETTY CROCKER SHARK BITES OR BERRY BEAR
Fruit Bites
\$1.99
5 OZ. PKG.

A TRADITION SINCE 1850
Gold Medal
ALL PURPOSE FLOUR

60% OFF
Cascade
FOR VIRTUALLY SPOTLESS DISHS

DAIRY SPECIALS

KRAFT AMERICAN
Singles
\$1.99
12 OZ. PKG.

ALL PURPOSE
Gold Medal Flour
5 LB. BAG
\$1.09

60% OFF LABEL
AUTO DISH DETERGENT
Cascade Powder
65 OZ. BOX
\$2.99

KRAFT REG. MILD/HOT SHREDDED
Velveeta
\$1.79
8 OZ. PKG.

KRAFT 100% NATURAL HALFMOON COLBY, COLBY JACK OR
Cheddar
\$2.29
10 OZ. PKG.

PILLSBURY CINNAMON
Rolls
\$1.39
9.5 OZ. CAN

AMERICAN BEAUTY ELBO RONI, SPAGHETTI, RONI MAC OR
Thin Spaghetti
24 OZ. PKG.
\$1.29

HEALTH
REVILON FLEX

JIF CREAMY OR CRUNCHY
Peanut Butter
28 OZ. JAR
\$3.49

ASSORTED MICROWAVE POPCORN
Pop Secret
3 PACK CTN.
\$1.79

RAGU FRESH ITALIAN OR GARDEN STYLE PASTA SAUCE OR ASSTD. TRADITIONAL
Spaghetti Sauce
28-30 OZ. JAR
\$1.89

NUPRIN
PAIN RELIEVER
Nuprin
\$2.99
60 CT. ST.

BANQUET REGULAR



Fried Chicken

\$1.99

28 OZ. BOX

ASSORTED VARIETIES BANQUET FRIED Chicken 28 OZ. BOX \$3.59



Banquet

CHICKEN, TURKEY, BEEF OR MAC. & CHEESE

Banquet Pot Pies

2.79¢

7 OZ. BOXES FOR



PATIO ASSORTED

Mexican Dinners

\$1.49

13 OZ. BOX



ASSORTED VARIETIES

Banquet Dinners

\$1.39

10-12 OZ. BOX



BANQUET TURKEY OR SALISBURY STEAK

Family Entrees

\$1.99

28 OZ. BOX



CHUN-KING ASSORTED

Egg Rolls

\$1.19

7 1/4 OZ. BOX



ASSORTED VARIETIES

Patio Burritos

2.79¢

5 OZ. PKGS.



BANQUET LASAGNA

Family Entrees

\$3.29

28 OZ. BOX



WELCH'S

Grape Juice

89¢

12 OZ. CAN



FRUIT DRINK

Bright & Early

2 \$1

12 OZ. CANS



MINUTE MAID REGULAR OR PINK

Lemonade

99¢

12 OZ. CAN



ASSORTED

Bacardi Mixes

\$1.49

10 OZ. CAN



REGULAR

Five Alive

\$1.39

12 OZ. CAN



MINUTE MAID ASSORTED FROZEN

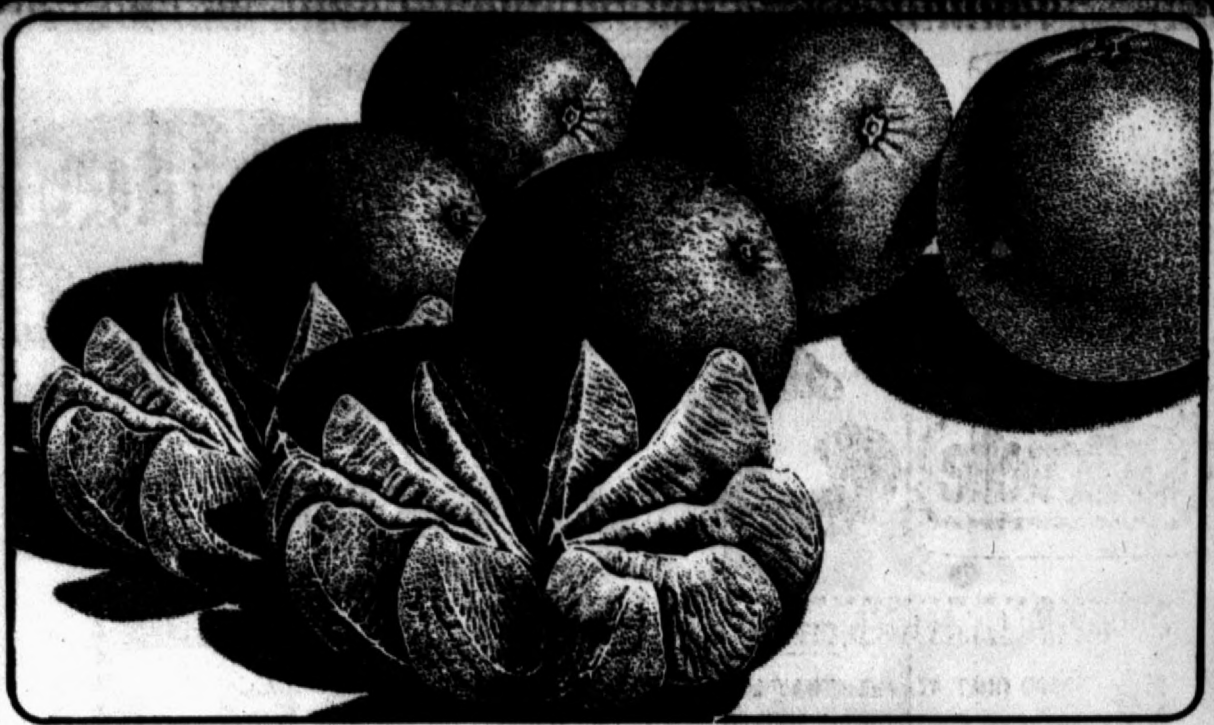
Orange Juice

\$1.49

10-12 OZ. CAN



FROZEN



CALIFORNIA NAVEL

Oranges

\$1.29

4 LB. BAG



SNO-WHITE

Cauliflower

89¢

HEAD



GARDEN

Fresh Broccoli

59¢

LB.



FRESH & CRISP

Carrots

399¢

1 LB. BAGS



GARDEN FRESH GREEN

Onions

4 \$1

BUNCHES

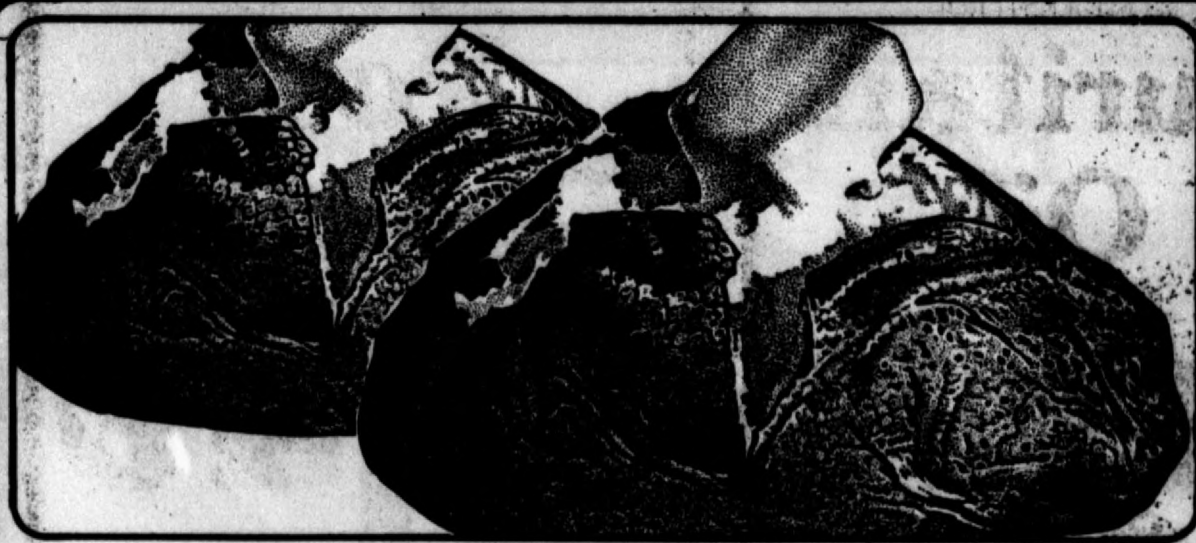


THOMPSON

Seedless Grapes

\$1.09

LB.



U.S. NO. ONE BAKING

Potatoes

3 \$1

LBS.



WASHINGTON FANCY RED

Delicious Apples

5 \$1

FOR



40% OFF LABEL

Tide Detergent

39 OZ. BOX

\$1.99

TIDE'S IN...DIRT'S OUT

ASSORTED BATH TISSUE

Cottonelle

3 \$2.49

4 ROLL PKGS.

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- BUY 3 COTTONELLE 4-PACKS**
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- THE #1# WILL BE SUBTRACTED FROM YOUR GROCERY BILL.**

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COLOR SAFE

Vivid Bleach

\$2.99

64 OZ. BTL.

Puritan Oil

NO CHOLESTEROL

48 OZ. BTL.

\$2.99

Post Toasties Corn Flakes

BREAKFAST CEREAL

18 OZ. BOX

\$1.49

HORMEL

Deviled Spam

3 OZ. CANS

2 \$1.49

KOTEX PANTY LINERS

Light-Days

26 CT. BOX

\$1.49

FROZEN SPECIAL

MINUTE MAID ASSORTED

Orange Juice

10-12 OZ. CAN

\$1.49

CHICKEN, TURKEY, BEEF OR MACARONI & CHEESE

Banquet Pot Pies

7 OZ. BOXES

279¢

BEAUTY

ASSORTED SHAMPOO OR CONDITIONER

Flex

15 OZ. BTL.

\$1.88

DOW

Oven Cleaner

16 OZ. CAN

\$1.89

SCENT I OR II

Carpet Fresh

14 OZ. CAN

\$2.19

Ocean Fish Flavor

Purina Cat Chow

20 LB. BAG

\$1.79

Lubriderm

Lotion

6 OZ. BTL.

\$1.59

Schick

Slim Twin Razors

SCHICK SLIM TWIN DISPOSABLE

10 CT. PKG.

\$2.89

STAIN REMOVER

Spray 'n Wash

22 OZ. BTL.

\$2.09



BONELESS SKINLESS
Fryer Breast
\$2.69
LB.



PILGRIM'S PRIDE FRESH SPLIT

Fryer Breast
\$1.39
LB.



GOOCH'S GERMAN OR MESQUITE
Smoked Sausage
\$1.29
12 OZ. PKG.



RUEBEN BRAND SELECT LEAN CORNED
Beef Briskets
\$1.99
FOR ST. PATRICKS DAY!
LB.



JIMMY DEAN REGULAR OR HOT
Pork Sausage
\$1.69
1 LB. ROLL
\$3.35 (2 LB. ROLL)



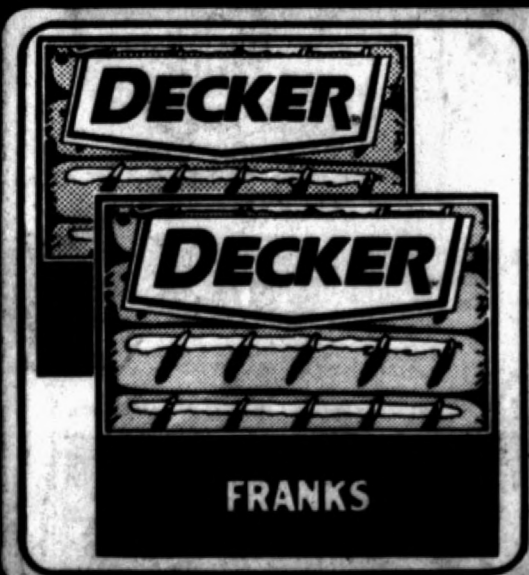
JIMMY DEAN
Mini Burgers
\$2.49
9.6 OZ. PKG.



DECKER QUALITY
Cooked Ham
\$1.99
10 OZ. PKG.



DECKER QUALITY SLICED
Decker Bacon
\$1.49
1 LB. PKG.



DECKER QUALITY
Meat Franks
99¢
12 OZ. PKG.

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