

# Eight Teams Clash In Hereford Basketball Tourney

After an absence of many years, Hereford returns to the basketball tournament scene this season when the first annual Deaf Smith C of C Invitational gets underway at 3 p.m. today in La Plata Gym and continues through Saturday.

The eight-team tourney bracket includes some strong teams in the Panhandle-South Plains area, with four games on tap each of the three days. Tournament passes, good for all games, are available at \$5 for adults and \$1.50 for students, and single-game tickets will be

priced at \$1.50 and \$1.

First-round games today match Dumas against the Hereford JV at 3 p.m., Brownfield vs. Levelland at 4:45, Morton vs. Canyon at 6:30, and Hereford vs. Vernon at 8:15. (See tournament bracket on sports page).

Morton, a strong AA squad, has been tabbed as the team to beat, but the Indians have been matched against a highly-rated Canyon Eagle team in one of the opening conflicts. Levelland and Brownfield both have strong AAA teams this season.

Vernon had all its starters back this season, and the Lions are 3-0 coming into the tourney despite the loss of several key players due to injuries.

Coach Barry Arnwine, tourney director as the host school, feels the tourney will provide great basketball action for local fans. The Hereford junior varsity was entered this season to fill out the bracket, but another team will probably be added next year.

Arnwine announced this week that the Whitefaces had lost the services of Archie Crim, 6-3

junior, who withdrew from school to move to Haskell with his family. Crim and Mike Hull, 6-6 center, were the only returning starters on the team. Crim will not only be missed on the cage squad, but also on next year's football team, where he was a starting end.

The Whitefaces will have only three games under their belts going into the tournament, all on the road. The Herd cagers had lost games at Borger and Canyon, and played at Levelland Tuesday night.

Probable starters for the Herd

varsity tonight include Hull at center, James Mays (6-0 Jr.) and Kelly Kitchens (5-10 soph.) at guards, and Paul Trolinger (6-2 Sr.) and Steve Cornelius (6-1 Sr.) at forwards. Mays and Trolinger are returning lettermen.

Morton has been a AA basketball power for several seasons. Coach Ted Whillock's crew recorded a 26-4 season last year and still finished third in the district race behind Dimmitt and Friona. The Indians have everyone back and are aiming for the playoffs. Mike Williams

averaged 23 points a game last season, along with 15 rebounds per outing, and should be one of the tourney's outstanding players.

The Canyon Eagles finished last season with a bang, winning 11 of the last 15 games, and four of those starters are back for Coach B.B. Kendrick this season. The Eagle attack is led by John Johnson, Ken Cooper and Mike Flynn.

Vernon's Lions came within one game of making the playoffs last season and have all the starters back. Coach Geary

Coker had problems, however when he lost top scorer and rebounder Pat Harris with knee surgery. Two other starters also had injuries but were expected back in action in December.

The Brownfield Cubs had a 16-13 mark last year, and look for an improved season with three starters back and one part-time front-liner. Coach Leon Pope looks for improved defense and better depth on the squad. Scott Jackson leads the regulars as he averaged in double figures in both scoring (See, TOURNEY, Page 12A)



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### 'Tis The Season

Christmas trees are appearing in Hereford homes and youngsters are writing letters to Santa Claus and dreaming of what the jolly old gentleman will be bringing them on Christmas Eve. Jason Jones

has visions of St. Nick and expects him to deliver a Lone Ranger set on that magic day. Jason is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Calvin Jones of 205 Centre.

## City Tables Motel Tax Use, Water Well Bids

BY SPEEDY NIEMAN  
EDITOR—PUBLISHER

Two of the major items on the agenda ran into problems and were tabled when Hereford City Commission met in a regular session Monday night.

A discussion on the use of funds from a motel occupancy tax was tabled after several motel owners and operators appeared at the meeting and were granted a request to have the matter placed on the agenda again at the next meeting on Dec. 15. The commission had approved a 3 percent hotel-motel room tax at its last meeting, to become effective Jan. 1.

BIDS WERE opened for the drilling of three water wells in the city, but acceptance of the low bid was tabled pending further study on the legality of the firm's bid.

In action taken at the meeting, commissioners approved the appointment of Woodrow McDermitt as the new Municipal Court Judge; approved a zoning change request, and approved an amendment to the city's retirement system contract.

The commission had also been scheduled to consider the revision of the utility rate ordinance, specifically on limiting the 100 percent pass-through costs of Pioneer Natural Gas Co. City Mgr. Dudley Bayne said this item was not included on the agenda, however,

because the city had not received replies from the gas company concerning the matter.

The commission went into closed session to discuss the appointment of a new city judge to replace Jim Neill, who has announced his intention to retire on Jan. 1. They came out of the session and voted the appointment of McDermitt,

who will probably start working with Judge Neill before Jan. 1.

MCDERMITT, 58, has been associated with the dry cleaning business for several years and was formerly in the music business. He first came to Hereford in 1932, left for a period of time, and has resided here the past 22 years. (See, COMMISSION, Page 2A)

## Motel Owner Raps C of C, Commission

Protesting the passage of a motel room tax at the last city commission meeting, four motel owners and operators appeared at the regular commission session Monday night to voice opposition and request that the city rescind the action.

Mayor Jim Sears explained that the commission could take no action on a request to rescind the measure, since it was not listed on the agenda as required by state law. However, the commission tabled a discussion on how the funds from the room tax were to be used and agreed

to put the request on the next agenda meeting for consideration.

The commission had approved the 3 percent room tax, allowable under state law, at its last meeting in November and the tax was to start Jan. 1. Officials of the Deaf Smith County Chamber of Commerce had appeared to request the action, asking that the tax funds be used for the advertising and promotion of the city to attract industry and promote tourism.

DORELL JONES, owner-operator of the Chateau Inn Motel, presented a lengthy statement of protest at the meeting, and three other motel operators made brief remarks in opposition to the room tax. The others were Hubert Stoerner, K-Bar Motel; Herschel King, Plains Motel, and W.H. Goettsch, Elm Courts.

After claiming that motel owners were being discriminated against and had not received "proper notification" of the impending action, Jones was highly critical of the actions of the chamber of commerce. He claimed it appeared "to be a clandestine action on the part of the directors and officers of the chamber in snowballing the city commissioners' into passage of the measure."

Jones concluded his remarks by announcing that an estimated \$250,000 expansion program by the Chateau Inn had been halted, "due to a lack of cooperation and confidence in the chamber of commerce officers, and the unpredictable actions of the city commissioners, under pressure and without an in-depth study into taxation and other serious matters concerning the welfare of business conditions in Hereford."

He said a news release had been prepared for Dec. 1 to announce the expansion plans, which included construction of a 20-by-40 room for displays and recreation, and a restaurant on the upper level over the new room and swimming pool. He added that the pool was to become the only indoor pool in Hereford. Jones said the upper level was planned in white brick and glass, giving the restaurant a skyline view and having a frosted glass floor over the pool area. He said the plans "have not been scrapped—they will be reconsidered at a future date pending city hall and C of C action."

JONES STATED that the president and board of directors of EckJo House, Inc., doing business as Chateau Inn Motel, had approved expansion plans in early November and were to be publicly announced Dec. 1.

As secretary-treasurer of EckJo House, Inc., Jones said he notified board members of the "hasty decision in passing the motel tax, and the

## \$4 Million Building Mark Now In Sight

Construction totals for 1975 in Hereford are rapidly approaching the \$4 million mark following the issuance of the city building permit report for November.

BUILDING permits for the month of November in Hereford showed a total of \$635,625 in erection of new and remodeled structures.

With the addition of November's figures, the 1975 construction total has climbed to \$3,973,926, outdistancing last year's totals for the first 11 months by \$1,964,476 and placing the city only \$26,074 short of the \$4 million mark.

November's figures compare with a total of only \$41,100 in construction during the same month last year. The overall construction total for 1974 was \$2,215,000.

Issuance of permits for the construction of six four-plex residential structures was the largest factor in November's healthy overall construction totals.

THE SIX four-plex structures are valued at \$75,000 each and are being built by David P. Merchant and Grover Ridgeway, with Porter Crawford serving as contractor.

Single-family residential construction permits also added to the overall total. Builders and individual values included: W.T. Carmichael-\$39,000 and Mike Ferguson, \$41,000.

A permit for a steel storage building valued at \$40,000 was also issued to Lynton Allred.

Other building values and their builders included:

--\$1150 Jim Rakestraw, metal building.

--\$10,500 Jim Hastings, mobile home move-in.

--\$10,000 Charles Hastings, mobile home move-in.

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## UW Campaign Still Approaching Goal

The United Way campaign in Deaf Smith County is still climbing slowly toward the 100 percent goal, it was reported Wednesday by drive chairman Speedy Nieman.

A compilation of contributions and pledges this week showed a total of \$58,870, according to treasurer Gayle Cotten, and this total represents 98.7 percent of the goal of \$59,600.

Contributions continued to "trickle" in over the Thanksgiving holiday period, and the drive is now just \$730 short of the goal. Directors and officers of the UW

board here were confident the goal will be reached, since some cards have not been turned in by prospects.

RAYMOND WHITE, president of the local board, appealed for firms and individuals who have not contributed to help complete the drive this week. Contributions can be turned in at The Hereford Brand office, or mailed to The United Way, Box 1371, Hereford.

Nieman expressed his appreciation to the division chairmen and volunteer workers for their work in the drive. "Our

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## Wieck Wins \$100 In Grid Contest

KENNETH WIECK will be \$100 richer when he returns from his honeymoon this week.

Wieck captured the season-long Brand Football Contest, sponsored by local merchants and wins the \$100 first prize. Runner-up honors, and a \$35 cash award, goes to Charley Hill of Dimmitt, and the \$15 prize for third place goes to Mrs. R.D. Hubble of Hereford.

Wieck was wed Saturday to Deborah Ann Ramaekers of Umbarger, and the couple left for a honeymoon in Colorado. Wieck probably won't be too surprised, however, as he was leading the contest going into the final week.

THE FINAL week's winners of cash prizes included Mary Ann Schulte, \$15; Billy Hackleman, \$10, and Cliff Follis, \$5.

All missed four of the games and the places were determined by the tie-breaker scores. The Cowboy-Giant game served as the tie breaker, with 17 points being scored. Ms. Schulte won first with a guess of 23 points, followed by Hackleman with 26 and Follis with 28.

Wieck almost picked up some weekly contest money, too, as he and Marvin Hall also missed four games the final week. They were not as close on the tie-breaker score, however. Those who missed five games included Bullet Adams, Joe Don Cummings, Charley Hill, and E.H. Loerwald.

Wieck won the season's contest with 74 incorrect selections for 12 weeks of the game. Each contestant who entered all 13 weeks was allowed to toss out the worst score.

HILL WON second place money with 79 "misses"—just four behind the first-place winner. Mrs. Hubble missed 82 games to take third place. Next in line, but receiving only honorable mention, were Dave Hopper, Jim McDowell Jr. and Jim Clark with 84 wrong picks. Missing 85 of the games were B.F. Cain, Patricia Elliott, and Cory Riggins.

A total of 111 persons entered the contest every week, or at least 12 of the 13 weeks. The contest drew from 150 to 200 entrants each week, but 111 stayed with the game all season.

### Weather

Date	Hi	Lo
Dec. 3	75 est.	28
Dec. 2	75	28
Dec. 1	69	28
Nov. 30	46	29
Nov. 29	56	45

(courtesy of KPAN)

Card Project Underway See Page 2-A

That feller on Tierra Blanca Creek says man does not live by words alone, if though he has to eat them now and then.

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A father: Someone who carries pictures where his money used to be.

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WE HOPE TO SEE the United Way campaign hit its goal this week. In fact, we know it will. A man called us Wednesday morning to assure us of the goal, saying he'd make up the difference if the final tally didn't hit the 100 percent mark!

Men-like that make Hereford the best hostin', hospitable place in the world!

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THE HEREFORD JAYCEES are to be commended for working with the city's Christmas lighting program this year. The club members put in a lot of manhours installing the lights and decorations, and will have another job in taking them down and placing them in storage. The club is paid for the project, but the hourly pay is probably less than a \$1 an hour. The retail business committee of the chamber sponsors the

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# Project Christmas Card Seeks Donations

By KERRIE WOMBLE  
Women's Editor

December 17 has been chosen as the final day that cash donations can be made to project Christmas Card, which expresses Seasons Greetings while providing benefits for Deaf Smith General Hospital.

The project is an annual plan whereby money, ordinarily spent on sending Christmas cards locally, is used in a more worthwhile manner. A deposit can be made at various locations in the city by signing one's name to a provided form, specifying how the name should appear in the joint greeting, to be included in The Brand's special edition on Dec. 25.

Stations where deposits can be made are Hereford State Bank, First National Bank, Safeway, Ideal, Thriftway, Taylor & Sons, Deaf Smith General Hospital, Park Avenue Florists, Flowers West, J.J.'s

Hair Fashions and Armour Foods.

More than \$51,000 has been collected during the history of Project Christmas Card dating from 1956-1974. Proceeds from this year's drive will be used to defray costs of a complex infant life support unit, to be placed at the hospital.

In addition to scholarships for students interested in pursuing health careers, Project Christmas Card has provided numerous equipment for the hospital here. Local residents have supplied funds resulting in the following gifts to Deaf Smith General Hospital:

In 1956, furniture for the children's wing was purchased with drapery for the obstetric floor being bought the following year. A surgery table for the operating room and an islette were obtained in 1958.

More than \$1,600 was used to improve the hospital kitchen in 1960 and the '61 campaign provided a delivery table and

light. The ensuing two years concentrated on the purchase of a cardiac monitor and defibrillator.

A portable respirator, dental equipment and a hospital intercom system were funded by Project Christmas Card from 1964-66. In 1967, Medical Auxiliary members collected money to buy a cardiac monitor with defibrillator, plus an infant resuscitator.

Further additions have included an anesthetic machine for obstetric patients, an emergency radio communication system, a portable transport crib and croup tent. Improvements in the hospital's recovery room were supported by Project Christmas Card, as was the purchase of deliver room incubators, a fetal monitoring system and a cryostat.

In 1959, PCC profits were given to Hereford Community Center to defray costs of new furnishings. The yuletide campaign has also raised funds for

scholarships, given to local high school youth interested in health careers.

This season's goal is the collect enough funds to purchase an infant intensive care unit for the hospital. Directing the current drive are Mrs. Millard Nobles and Mrs. Clyde Rush, co-chairmen. Assisting them are members of the Hospital and Medical Auxiliaries.

A project spokesman stated, "Project Christmas Card was begun to demonstrate the Christmas spirit of sharing. You and your friends simply deposit the money normally spent of greeting cards and postage to sent them locally and your names will be signed to a joint Christmas greeting in The Brand.

"You need spend no more—just in a better way. Money will be appreciated by residents of this community who constantly receive benefits made possible by Project Christmas Card.



### Sticking Up For Yuletide Project

Jennifer Johnson and her mother, Mrs. Howard Johnson, lent their support to Project Christmas Card recently by posting signs advertising the seasonal campaign. Several city locations are now taking deposits for the fund-raising project, which is entering its 20th year. Proceeds will be used to purchase an infant intensive care unit.

# Messiah Performance Is Scheduled For Sunday

The Messiah, a musical oratorio by Handel, will be performed Sunday at 7 p.m. in the Hereford High School auditorium.

OTHER orchestra members include: First Violin—Ray Jenkins and Rebecca Rudd.

Second Violin—Margaret Scales and Becky Friemel.

Viola—Sylvia Coatney and Bette Stewart.

Cello—Royce Coatney and Blake Allen.

String Bass—Inez Wyrick.

Flute—Kay McMenamy, Jeannie Haire.

Oboe—Jan Wilks.

Clarinet—Tom Wine.

Bassoon—Barbara Scott.

Trumpets—David Ritter and Ken Barber.

harpichord, with Jan Walser accompanying soloists on the instrument.

French Horn—Mitzey Bogan.

Trombone—Joel Valdez and Joel Fuhrman.

Timpanie Mike Pittard.

Soloists will include Jane Gulley, soprano; Sylvia Huckert, Alto; Bill Braudt, tenor and Forest Reel, baritone.

Rev. Gene Brink will give the scripture reading and invocation during Sunday night's services.

Joe Flood will be recording the performance, and according to McFarland, donations to be used for the cutting of a record will be accepted during the offering.

The Messiah was performed here last year for the first time in several years, and is scheduled to be produced annually during the Christmas season.

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program, and contributions from merchants are needed for continuing maintenance and costs.

SEVERAL MOTEL owners were at the city commission meeting Monday night to protest the motel room tax recently approved. All four said they thought the 3 per cent tax would hurt their businesses.

Dorrell Jones, Chateau Inn, went much further than that. He apparently believes that the chamber "railroaded" the measure and that the commission succumbed to the pressure of the group. We uphold his right to state his beliefs, and we might be against the issue if we owned a motel.

However, we think he is "off base" in terming the action a "clandestine" move on the part of the chamber. He is putting the rap on some fine men, who we believe are attempting to serve the best interests of the community—with no rewards except knowing they have helped make this a better place to live, work and play.

If blame is to be placed on the chamber or commission, it would be in not giving the motel owners ample notice of the intent to discuss the tax at the commission meeting. And, we have to believe it was unintentional, not a "clandestine" action.

Nothing was ever mentioned about considering a lesser tax, so we asked Jones about that possibility Tuesday. While he was very vocal in his opposition to the act, Jones said he thought motel owners might be receptive to a 1 per cent tax.

The commission had planned to discuss the use of such tax funds Monday night, but this discussion was tabled after motel owners asked for the issue to be put on the commission agenda Dec. 15. A chart had been prepared, however, to show approximate revenues from such a tax.

The form listed seven motels in the city with 227 total rooms. Room rates ranged from \$7 to \$12, and \$8 to \$14 for doubles. Projected revenue per year, based on 100 per cent occupancy at single-room rate, would be \$789,312. Applying the 3 per cent tax on this total, the revenue to the city would be \$23,679. On 80 per cent occupancy, the total would be \$18,943.

### Blaze Damages Herf's Drive-In

Fire units were summoned to Herf's Drive-In on North 385 early Tuesday morning to extinguish a blaze which caused extensive damage at the local business.

According to reports, the fire was apparently ignited by a compressor on a cooler and spread through a storage room.

Seven units of the Hereford VFD responded to the call.

Monday afternoon fire units were called to the Robert Veigel farm 10 miles north and one mile east of Hereford, where they extinguished a gas fire in a workshop.

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corporation halted the expansion project pending the economic impact on the motel business in Hereford.

Jones told commissioners that "it was a sad day for the Chateau Inn. It was a blow to the motel and Hereford as the expansion would certainly have given the construction industry a shot in the

### United Way--

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division chairmen have done an excellent job in making this a successful drive, and most of their workers have followed through in returning pledge cards and contributions," he said.

"The drive would not be near completion without some great support from firms who emphasized the payroll deduction plan. Community-wide participation is the key—the annual drive would be no problem if we could get across the fair share idea to all citizens," he added.  
DIVISION CHAIRMEN this year included Bill Johnson, Lanny Crump, Mike Patrick, Bartley Dowell, Nicks Fariss, Andrew Kershen, Robert Mayfield, and R.C. Hoelscher.

The United Way of Deaf Smith County provides funds for the following agencies: Campfire Girls, Scouts, Deaf Smith Kids, Inc., Red Cross, Salvation Army Children's Rehabilitation Center, Big Brothers-Big Sisters, Council on Alcoholism, and the USO.

economic arm, as well as employment in the labor market."

In his presentation to the commission, Jones claimed that 95 percent of the motel business comes from commercial truckers and vegetable brokers. "Most of our business comes from these fine people and less than 5 percent comes from tourists. If the truth were known, they probably got on the wrong road or would not be here in the first place."

He added that "it is my opinion if a good fairy gave us \$100 million, Hereford could not be made a tourist attraction." Saying that motel owners were not given proper notification on such tax action, Jones said the "chamber of commerce talks out of both sides of their mouths."

He said the retail business committee of the chamber presented a request for support from the Deaf Smith County Taxpayers and Users Association on July 15. "The chamber refused pending an in-depth study of school taxes, and in four months the study has not been completed. Why rush headlong into a motel room tax without in-depth study?" countered Jones.

"THIS CAN ONLY point to the C of C being involved in a maneuver to railroad a discriminatory act against Hereford motels while they were most vulnerable, because of lack of time to defend themselves."

He pointed out that a \$18 room already has a 3 percent state tax, which amounts to 54 cents, and a city room tax would add another 54 cents.

### CB Radio

#### Thefts Continue

Burglars are continuing to cause grief for local residents, particularly CB'ers and according to a spokesman for the Hereford Police Department the problem will most likely continue until officers get some help from the local populace.

"CB RADIOS and stereos continue to be the favorite targets of thieves. According to the police spokesman, owners of such equipment would be doing officers a big favor if they would keep the serial number and a description of the radios and stereo units filed away in a safe place.

"There's hardly any chance for recovering such items unless we have serial number and description to identify them with," said the spokesman. also important for residents to lock their vehicles and pay attention to noises at night. Residents could help themselves a lot simply by noticing who's around at what hours."

Burglars struck the Jim Culppepper home on Progressive Road Nov. 25, carting away over \$2000 worth of items including a stereo, vacuum cleaner, sewing machine and camera.

Monday night, burglars struck at the offices of Burk Inman Trucking, taking two CB radios from trucks.

A CB RADIO and air impact wrench were also stolen from Big T Pump Co.



### Building Is Booming

Construction in Hereford continued to boom in November as the total figure on building permits for the year approached the \$4 million mark at the end of the month. Single family residential

structures continued to head the list of construction projects locally. Here, workmen put up brick at a new home located on Liveoak.

# DWI Cases Head List In District Court

Driving while intoxicated convictions continued to head the list of cases in both county and district court for the week ending Nov. 28 while four bad check cases were prosecuted in Justice of the Peace court.

Those convicted in district court and their sentences were:—Juan Flores, felony DWI, sentenced to two years in county jail, probated, \$500 fine plus court costs.

—Elezar Joseph Mendiaz, felony DWI, sentenced to two years in county jail, probated \$500 fine plus court costs.

—Gregory Zepeda, probation violation, probation revoked, sentenced to two years in county jail.

—Roland Hernandez, probation violation, probation revoked, sentenced to three years in the state penitentiary.

—Thomas T. Williams, unauthorized use of a vehicle, sentenced to three years in the state penitentiary, probated, fined \$500 plus court costs.

Total fines assessed in district court during the week ending Nov. 28 amounted to \$1500 with fines for the year totaling \$20,560.

Convictions and sentences in county court included:

—Manuel Orocco, DWI, sentenced to 15 days in jail, one year's probation, \$150 fine plus court costs.

—Roger Rocha, DWI, sentenced to 15 days in jail, one year's probation, \$150 fine plus court costs.

Benito G. Villarreal, Eusebio Alejandro Melchisedec Jackson, Guadalupe Mendez and Stanley West were all convicted of DWI, sentenced to 15 days in jail and one year's probation and fined \$150 plus court costs.

—Roger Franklin Pickins, DWI, sentenced to 30 days in jail and 1 year's probation, \$100 fine plus court costs.

—Roberto C. Tijerina, DWI, sentenced to 15 days in jail and one year's probation fined \$250 and court costs.

Walter Gwynne Owen, DWI, sentenced to three days in jail, fined \$500 and court costs.

Manuel Sanchez DeLeon, DWI, sentenced to three days in jail, fined \$500 and court costs.

Miguel Juarez, DWI, sentenced to 15 days in jail and one year's probation, fined \$50 and court costs.

Total county court fines assessed for the week ending Nov. 28 were \$2,450 with the year's total at \$35,475.50.

In bad check cases prosecuted in Justice of the Peace court, Juan Martinez was fined \$9 plus court costs and J.C. Pankey, Carol J. Padilla and Mrs. Conrado Perez were all fined \$25 plus court costs.

Total fines assessed for the week amounted to \$84 with total fines on bad checks for the year at \$1249.

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--\$200-J.L. Kerby, alter and repair storage building.

--\$200-Joe Arango, enclosure garage.

--\$1000-C.R. Branden Jr., alter and repair residence.

--\$8500-Emilio Romero, residence move-in.

--\$750-Richard Layman, storage.

--\$6100-Joe R. Perez, mobile home move-in.

--\$6000-Gerald Hodges, residence add-on.

--\$3000-Inman & White, alter and repair office.

--\$8000-Paul Abalos, residence add-on \$7000-Louie S. Baros, residence move-in.

--\$225-Joaquin Enrique Gallegos, storage building move-in.

--\$3000-Virginia Walker, mobile home move-in.

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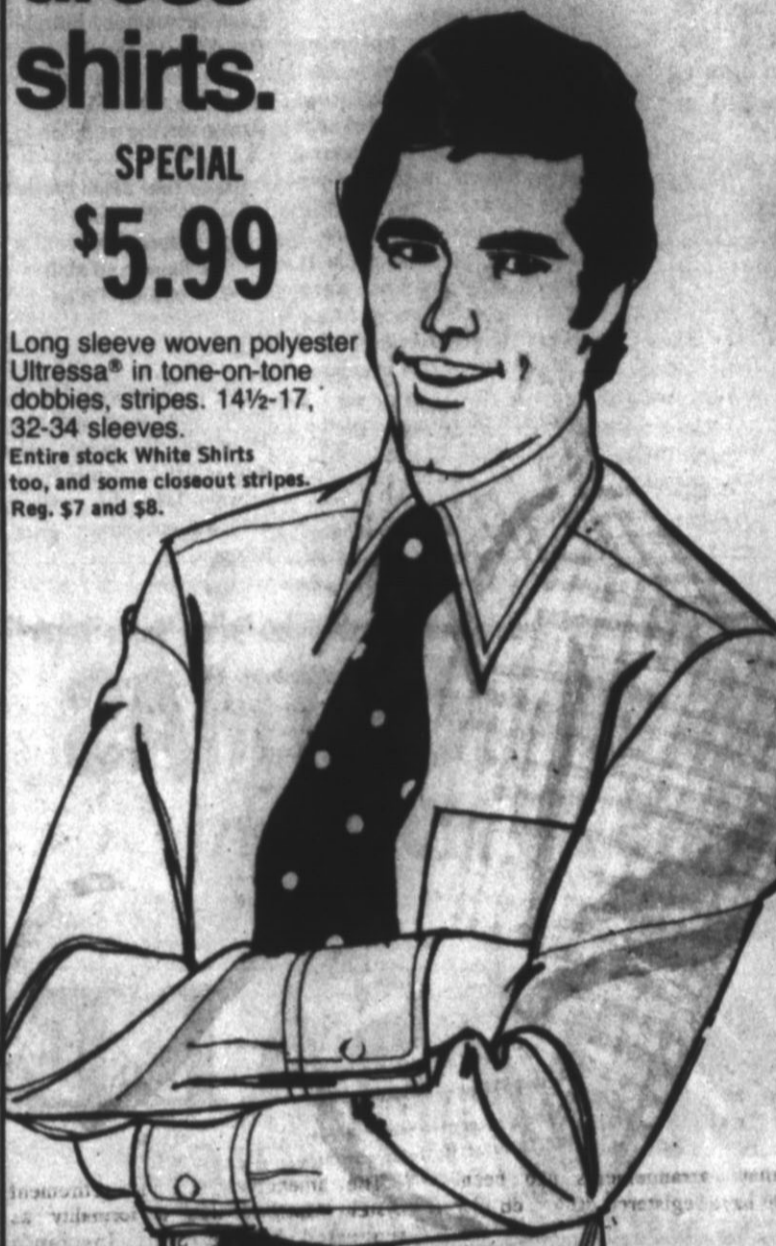
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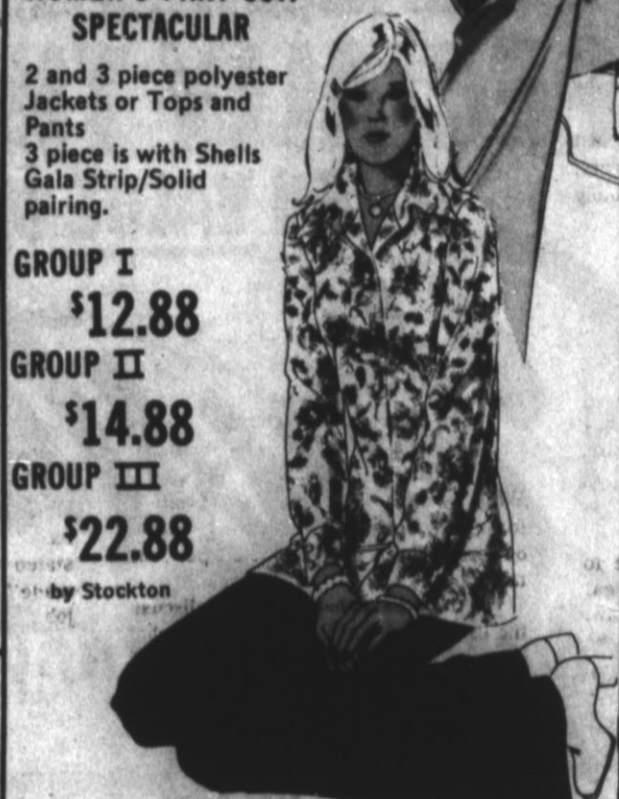
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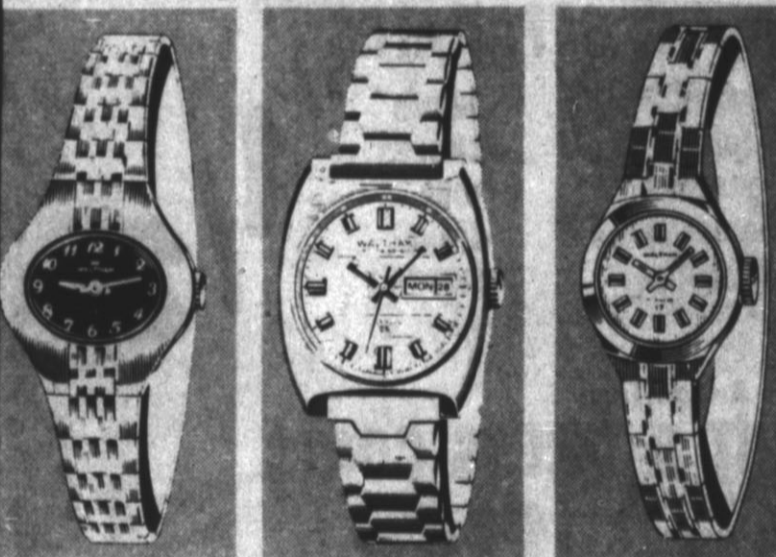
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ER78-14	12.75	51.00	38.25	2.51
FR78-14	13.50	54.00	40.50	2.68
GR78-14	14.25	57.00	42.75	2.88
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Men's 25-jewel self-winding calendar watch has luminous dial and markers. Stainless steel case and band.

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### LADIES' NYLON TRICOT SLEEPWEAR

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# Design Of Freedom To Assemble Stamp

The U.S. Postal Service today disclosed the design and provided further philatelic details about the 9-cent Freedom to Assemble regular postage stamp being issued in connection with new postage rates which go into effect on December 28.

The Freedom to Assemble stamp, in the new Americana Series, was placed on sale November 24 in Washington, D.C. There will be no first day of issue ceremony. The stamp is being issued to sheet form only.

The 9-cent denomination meets the rate to be used in mailing postcards. The vignette of the Freedom to Assemble stamp depicts the dome of the U.S. Capitol in Washington. "Right of the People Peaceably to Assemble" appears up the left side and across the top of the stamp. At the upper right is "USA 9c."

The stamp is the second in the Americana Series to proclaim one of the freedoms mentioned in the Bill of Rights. An 11-cent Freedom of the Press stamp was issued November 13 in Philadelphia. Two other freedoms will be the subjects of future stamps in the Americana Series.

Stamps in the Americana Series have a common design and feature subjects related to the history and culture of the United States. The principal

element of design commonality is the arrangement of the lettering along the side and around the bottom or top of the stamp.

The Freedom to Assemble stamp was designed by Walter Brooks, of Norwalk, Connecticut, who also designed the Freedom of the Press stamp as well as the San Juan commemorative of 1971.

The image area is .75 x .87 inches or 19.05 x 22.09 millimeters and there are 100 stamps to a pane. The stamp will be printed in green ink on gray paper stock on the Cottrell press, and there will be one plate number.

Orders for first day cancellations should be addressed to "Freedom to Assemble Stamp, Postmaster, Washington, D.C. 20013." Eighteen cents should be included to cover the necessary first class postage or collectors should affix a one-cent stamp to their covers and remit nine cents. A check of money order, instead of cash, should be used for remittance and orders must be accompanied by self-addressed envelopes. A filler of postal card thickness helps to assure clear cancellations and to prevent damage to envelopes.

Orders must be postmarked no later than December 10, rather than November 24 as previously announced. Collec-

tors should be aware that the processing of first day cancellation requests may be delayed because of the annual heavy Christmas mail volume.

day cancellations for two other new regular stamps has been extended to December 10. The stamps and issue dates are: —13-cent Liberty Bell coil, Allentown, PA November 25, 1975. —13-cent Eagle and Shield, Juneau, AK December 1, 1975.

The deadline for ordering first

## Obituaries

### CHARLES DIGBY

Funeral services for Charles Digby, 66, of Hereford were held Monday afternoon in Rose Chapel of Gilliland-Watson Funeral Home with the Rev. J.L. Bozeman, pastor of Temple Baptist Church, officiating.

Mr. Digby died Saturday. He was born in Bell County and had lived in Hereford since 1940.

A farmer and a veteran of World War II, Mr. Digby married Lucille Isbell in 1956 at Carrizozo, n.m.

He is survived by his wife; two daughters, Mrs. Virginia Fowler of Amarillo and Mrs. Janet Amyotte of Euless; a brother, Barney of Hereford; two sisters, Mrs. Thelma Woolley of Waco and Mrs. Georgia Sullinger of Arkansas Pass; and four grandchildren.

### MRS. J.C. NORTHINGTON

Services were conducted in Altus, Okla., Tuesday afternoon for Mrs. J.C. Northington, 77, a resident of that city and the mother of Mrs. Richard Montgomery, 137 Mimosa.

The Rev. Keith Wiginton officiated in Tims Chapel of Memories. Interment was in Altus Cemetery.

Mrs. Northington died Sunday at Jackson County Memorial Hospital, Altus.

Surviving her are three daughters, including Mrs. Montgomery, and two grandsons, Mauri and Jay Montgomery, both of Hereford.

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### ICT Student

Employed as an assistant to Dr. H.A. Caviness, a local dentist, Diane Ward has been chosen as Industrial Cooperative Training student of the week. She is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy W. Ward of 223 Fir and is a senior student at Hereford High School.

### Lodge Elects New Officers

Members of Hereford Rebekah Lodge 228 elected officers during regular session Tuesday evening in IOOF Hall with 14 members present.

Named to serve in office were Mrs. Merl Bridges, noble grand; Beatrice Cox, vice grand; Mrs. R.E. Curtinger, recording secretary; Mrs. Jim Loving, financial secretary; Ada Holla-

baugh, treasurer.

Several persons were reported on the sick list. There were 19 visits to these ailing persons since the meeting last week.

Frances Parker was hostess during the fellowship period which followed business.

## Sorority Opens Sales Project

A new fund-raising project was launched Tuesday evening by members of Kappa Iota Chapter of Beta Sigma Phi Sorority in the home of Mrs. Don Childers, who led the business discussion.

Members will be selling gift items, including Bicentennial paraphernalia, as a ways and means project.

Remaining business concerning the recent benefit bridge tournament was concluded and members reviewed other service projects. Kappa Iota Women will travel to Girlstown at Whiteface this week to deliver Christmas presents.

Plans for the upcoming Christmas party, slated to start at 7 p.m. Dec. 13, were finalized. It was decided that appetizers will be served and gifts exchanged in the Temple Abney home, before having dinner at Caison Steak House. Dancing will follow the banquet.

Leaves of absence were granted to Mrs. George Muse and Mrs. Johnny Hopkins, who are moving from this community.

"Reach to Recovery" was the program given by Mrs. B.E. Kendall, who was introduced to Mrs. Nelson Kendall. The guest speaker explained the volunteer program designed to

help post-operative patients who have had mastectomies (surgical removal of the breast).

Mrs. Childers and Mrs. Joe Paetzold served cheese balls, crackers, ham hors d'oeuvres, apple nut cake with whipped cream, pecan tarts and homemade eggnog.

Mrs. Gary Royal of Stratford was greeted as a guest by members present, who included Mmes. Abney, Chuck Boyd, Tom Carter, Butch Grover, Calvin Jones, Nelson Kendall and Sparky Stephens.

Also, Mmes. Carl Thorell, Dwight Turner, Johnny Wall, Lynn Brisendine, Bill Johnson, Dan Warrick and Thomas Stoy.

The next meeting is scheduled Jan. 6 with Mrs. Tom Carter serving as hostess.

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## Letter To The Editor

Mr. Editor:

How much does the average resident know about Hereford? In nearly every category that comes to mind (except recreation, and, perhaps, hospitality to newcomers), Hereford excels.

Consider our outstanding school system, with the high school band winning first divisions at contest for 13 consecutive years, usually also winning "SWEEPSTAKES". All of the other school bands and choirs have done nearly as well. Our football team has won or been a contender for district nearly every year since entering "AAAA", playing much larger schools.

Hereford's civic clubs, women's clubs, and related organizations are all outstanding. To my personal knowledge, the Lions, Rotary, and Kiwanis have all had district conventions here in recent years. They are all top clubs in their districts. One month recently, the two Hereford Kiwanis clubs ranked first and second in the Texas-Oklahoma district. The High school Key club (sponsored by Kiwanis) is the finest in the Texas-Oklahoma district.

Our newspaper and radio station win top honors every year in their fields. Our

Chamber of Commerce is one of the very few "accredited" chambers in the nation. Many of our cattlemen, farmers, and businessmen are known and respected nationally.

Recently, Hereford had two finalists in the same "Miss Texas" Pageant. When and where has that happened before? Incidentally, we have a local resident who was a finalist in the "Miss Iowa" pageant a few years ago, also.

Hereford's Board of Realtors is acknowledged by the Texas Association of Realtors as one of the state's finest, although one of the smallest. The Hereford Cowbells chapter is outstanding. The new Jaycee club is just great, with many new time-consuming projects. Kids, Inc., is growing by leaps and bounds with several new ball parks underway, the introduction and tremendous response to girls softball, and with the possibility of basketball and with other sports in the offing.

Hereford excels in the arts, having numerous highly talented artists of every type. The Hereford Chamber Singers were declared to be "the finest choir I've ever heard" by the spokesman for the Texas Choir Directors in San Antonio.

And what about Kings Manor? I've been told often by knowledgeable people that it is the finest home of its type, anywhere.

This year we hosted a national finals rodeo for the cowgirls, and Hereford was selected as the home for the "Cowgirl Hall of Fame". This should become a tremendous tourist attraction.

These are just a few of many, many areas in which Hereford is outstanding. I doubt if many of us realize what truly excellent community it is. However, we are sadly lacking in recreational and youth-oriented facilities. And it's hard to understand.

Nothing could be more important, and no area has more potential to do what it wants. Since we don't have natural lakes, parks, and so forth, recreational facilities here would have to be created. Its particularly discouraging to people from areas which have these things, and to local residents without the means to travel elsewhere. Consider a fatherless family with little money, what do they do for recreation here? They can't afford to go anywhere else.

And I hear often that hospitality to our newcomers is poor, that we are sometimes cold and indifferent. If true, this is inexcusable. Let's correct these things for balance so that our community will be wholly excellent as it can be.

Let's make this a New Year's resolution.

Respectfully yours  
Gene Campbell

Perform a Death  
Defying Feat!  
Have your blood pressure  
checked Dec. 13.

## Country Club Party Caps Holiday

Hereford Country Club's annual directors party, a primary event of the Christmas season, will begin at 8 p.m. Friday at the club with a buffet banquet.

All members are welcome to the gala yuletide affair. Host couples will be the directors for 1975, who are Messrs. and Mmes. Ed Reinauer Jr., R.J. Metz, Richard Ottesen, Marcus Hoelscher, Pete Caviness, Don T. Martin and Wayne Phillips.

Also, Messrs. and mmes. Ross Latham, Bill Griffin, Gerald Payne, Joe "Putt" White, Jake Webb, Jack Carrothers, Kenny Gearn and John Smith.

## Auction Conducted By Club

An annual Christmas auction sale to raise money for regular projects was held by members of La Plata Study Club when they met Tuesday evening in the home of Mrs. Ansel McDowell.

The brief business meeting was conducted by Mrs. Don Taylor.

Refreshments were served to members present. They included Mmes. Doug Bartlett, Jay Boston, Jack Brown, Emil Dettman, Marvin Hall, Charles Kelley, J.D. Neill, Frank Prowell, A.J. Schroeter and Raymond White.

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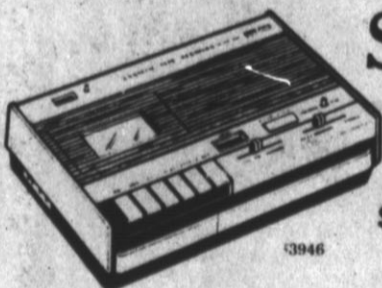
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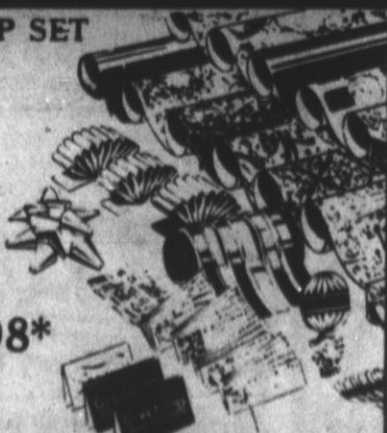
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# Privacy Act Will Guard Information

By Jim Talbot  
District Manager  
Amarillo Social Security Office

People must be told why they are asked to give information to the Social Security Administration and other Federal agencies under a law that became effective in September.

The intent of the law—the Federal Privacy Act—is to safeguard information about individuals kept in Government records and to inform people of their rights when they are asked to give information, according to Jim Talbot, social security district manager in Amarillo,

Texas. Social Security routinely gets information from people in administering retirement, survivors, and disability insurance, Medicare, the supplemental security income program, and black lung benefits.

"Under the Privacy Act," Talbot said, "people asked for information must be told the statutory authority for the request, whether giving the information is voluntary or mandatory, why the information is needed, how it will be used, and the effects of not providing it."

A fact sheet explaining the law generally is given to people before starting an interview in social security offices, he said.

The Privacy Act restricts Government use of social security numbers. Any Federal, State, or local agency that asks for an individual's social security number must cite its authority for the request, say whether giving the number is voluntary or mandatory, and tell how the number will be used, according to Talbot.

The law also assures people of greater access to Government records of information about themselves, he said.



## Books Would Be Nice

Sheri Stice, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Bob Stice, 329 Centre, said she wouldn't mind if Santa Claus left some new books at her house. She looks through a large selection at one of the local toy departments.

Perform a Death Defying Feat!  
Have your blood pressure checked Dec. 13.

## The Clod Kicker

By Roy Faubion

"Who does that fellow think he is, anyhow?"

Now there's a question that we hear quite often. Probably, it is a question we use more than we think, in one form or another. It certainly is a handy question. We use it when of our acquaintances announces for political office, for surely he has never demonstrated that he could be effective in government.

We ask the question when someone rudely butts in line when we are waiting to buy tickets for a show, even though we ask the question rather quietly, just under the level that he can hear us. The question is really handy when a supervisor of ours corrects our behavior, but of course we don't dare ask it until he is gone, out of range of earshot.

It seems to me that we are not

really asking a question, for it would not really set too well with us if someone told us who he is, what his right to do certain things is, and what his qualifications are. We are, in fact, offering a judgement of a person in question. And, the judgement is negative. It is a rather "chicken" type of release valve for us. We make the question express our feelings, even though the target does not hear us (hopefully). We then satisfy our own feelings by telling ourselves that we behave in a gentle manner (knowing that we really did not have the nerve to do otherwise).

Maybe we ought to ask one other question immediately after the first. "What kind of person am I?" Now there's one that deserves an answer. And, if you're like me, you really will avoid all the answers, until someone makes you face them squarely. But, it's a valid question, and deserves an honest effort on our part.

Next time the question comes from us, "who does he think he is, anyhow?", let's stop a moment, and think about what we have just said, and why.

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## VA Questions, Answers

**EDITOR'S NOTE:** Veterans and their families are asking thousands of questions concerning the benefits their Government provides for them

through the Veterans Administration. Below are some representative queries. Additional information may be obtained at any VA office.

**Q—My Mother receives Veterans Administration Dependency and Indemnity Compensation (DIC) based on the service-connected death of my father during World War II. Is she eligible for extra financial benefits since she is ill and requires almost constant attention?**

**A—**She would be eligible for an additional amount of DIC if she is shown to be helpless or so nearly helpless as to require the regular aid and attendance of another person or nursing home care.

**Q—I am a 20-year-old student attending college under the Veterans Administration's program for orphans of deceased veterans. Now that I am married, will my \$270 monthly allowance be increased?**

**A—**No. The law makes no provision for payment of increased allowance for dependents of eligible persons training under the War Orphans' and Widows' Educational Assistance program.

**Q—I have been on active duty for the last 10 years and have a year of obligated service remaining. If I start my college career in 1977, my four years of learning would extend into the 1980s. Would my veterans' benefits under the GI Bill finance this education?**

**A—**Yes. For individuals still on active duty the present law provides for educational assistance up to 10 years following the last honorable discharge or release from active duty.

**Q—I was married when I went to school on the World War II GI Bill. Can I collect the retroactive money VA is paying women veterans who did not receive the GI Bill allowance for their husbands?**

**A—**No. The special payment to women veterans is only for those who trained under the GI Bill between June 1, 1966, and October 24, 1972. Application deadline is July 1, 1976.

**Q—I would like to work as a volunteer at a VA hospital. Do I have to have special training and do I have to buy a uniform?**

**A—**After being accepted as a volunteer by a VA hospital, you will receive whatever training is required. Volunteers are not required to wear uniforms on most assignments; when they are, the VA provides them.

**Q—My wife and I were divorced. I am a World War II veteran and drawing nonservice**

connected disability pension. Since I have lost a dependent, when will the VA reduce my pension?

**A—**The effective date of reduction of your VA benefits will be the last day of the calendar year in which your divorce occurred.

The government has proposed guidelines to help authorities get more rape convictions and to reduce the humiliations suffered by many victims during investigations and trials.

**POLITICAL PRISONERS UNITED NATIONS, N.Y.**  
—The United States has introduced a resolution in the U.N. General Assembly's social committee calling for the release of all political prisoners anywhere in the world.

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**Costume Winners**

Pictured above are the costume winners in the Bicentennial Day costume contest at Stanton Junior High School. Left to right are Janet Arango

and Anthony Levario, first place; Tawana Moton and Kenneth Waters, second place; and Sandra Thomas and Joe Marquez, third place.

**Stanton Observes Bicentennial Day**

Bicentennial Day was held at Stanton Junior High School last week with an assembly program and judging of the best costumes among the students.

Four musical presentations depicted different periods of early American history. They included piano solos as the first part of the program. They were presented by Becky Hughes, "America the Beautiful"; Ronald Plummer, "English Dances"; Sammie Cherry, "The Liberty Tree"; Debbie Byers, "1812 Overture"; and Cindy Cox, "Battle Hymn of the Republic".

The second part was a square dance number by Curt McNaney, Dawson Clark, Kenneth Waters, Kirk Clark, Brenda Rusher, Elizabeth Willis, Sherri Jones, and Reta Sims.

A string quintet led by Royce Caatney was also on the program. It was composed of Kay Suttle, Amy Tiemann, Cara Loyd, Lori Parker and Sherry Strain.

A guitar group led by Doug Morris performed. Included in the group were Dale Garcia, Regina Bryant, Rusty Thoma-

son, Carla Greenway, Billy Carr and John Carroll.

A piano and flute duet was composed of Rhonda Clark and Sarah Suarez. They played "God Bless America".

Two contestants from each fourth period class were chosen to compete for the costume contest. First, second and third place winners in girls and boys divisions were selected. Fifty-two students crossed the stage in the parade of costumes.

First place winners, Janet Arango, wearing a National costume of Mexico and Anthony Lavaris, dressed as Ben Franklin, were presented brushed silver Deaf Smith County Bicentennial medallions.

Second place winners, Kenneth Waters, dressed as Daniel Boone, and Tawana Moton, dressed as a slave girl, were presented bronze Bicentennial medallions.

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Third place winners, Sandra Thomas, dressed as a pioneer woman, and Joe Marquez, dressed as an early day cowboy, were presented bronze Jubilee

medallions. Almost all the student body and teachers dressed for the special day at Stanton Junior High.

**BSP Women Slate Christmas Party**

Plans for the Alpha Alpha Christmas party were made by members of the Beta Sigma Phi Chapter during a meeting Tuesday night in Community Center.

Ollene Williams, president, directed the business session, during which the holiday gathering was scheduled at 7 p.m. Dec. 16 in the home of Mrs. James Shearer at Dimmitt. Members' husbands will be guests at the Mexican supper.

A letter expressing appreciation and seasons greetings was

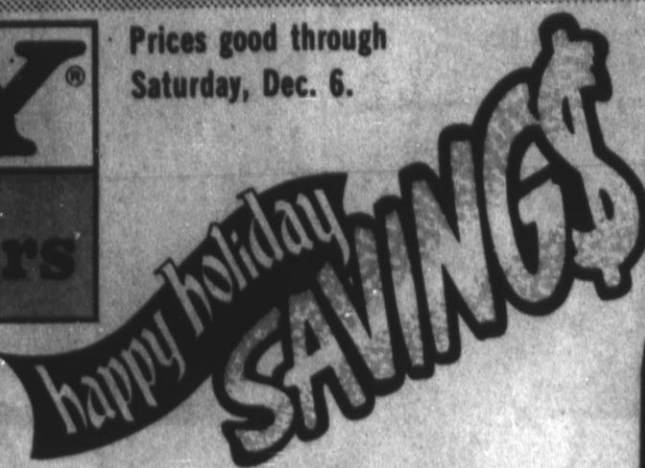
received from Girlstown residents. Sorority women also wrapped yuletide presents, to be given to Girlstown.

Mrs. C.D. Fitzgerald and Mrs. Jim Cramer were welcomed by chapter members as they progressed to preceptor ranking.

Others present were Mmes. Howard Gore, John Schneider, Dink Godwin, Max Stipe, Hicks Roberson, Joe Story, Nolan Grady, Chuck Laing, Bill Kendall and R.J. Cramer.

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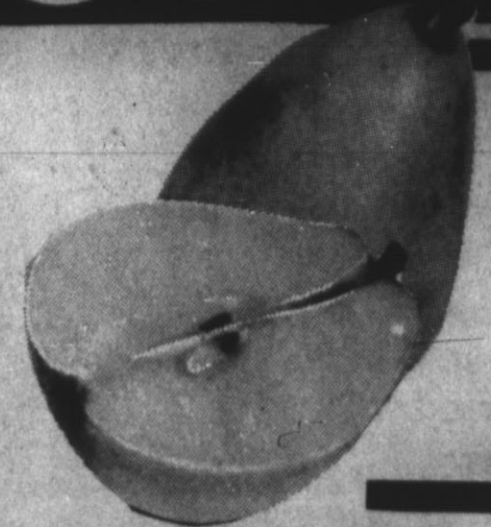
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Walter Eubanks, chairman of public safety education, will instruct the class to be held at the West campus School of Vocational Arts. Cost is \$11.

Enrollment is now in progress in the registrar's office at either the Washington Street campus or West campus, 6222 W. 9th. More information is available from Gaither at AC.

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### A Doll On Her List

Heather Arnold, five-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Carrol Arnold, 430 Ave. G, is looking forward to Christmas and wishing Santa would bring her a new doll. Several Hereford stores are full of toys for the youngsters.

## Social Security

(Have you a question about social security? Address it to the Social Security Administration, 317 East Third Street, Amarillo, Texas 79101. You will receive an answer in this column or by mail.)

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Q. I will be 62 in March 1976, and I might retire then. How much work credit will I need to get social security retirement payments?

A. You will need credit for at least 6 1/2 years—25 quarters—of work under social security. Most people who reach 62 in

1976 can get social security checks if they've worked as little as 6 1/2 years.

Q. I'm going to retire in April 1976 when I reach 65. How can I find out if all my earnings have been credited to my social security record?

A. Call any social security office and ask the people there to send you a "Request for Statement of Earnings" post card. Complete the post card and mail it to the Social Administration. You will get a statement of your earnings free of charge.

Q. I have to go into the hospital some time this month, and I will probably be there through part of January 1976. Do I have to pay the 1976 or the 1975 Medicare hospital insurance deductible?

A. If you are hospitalized in 1975, you will be responsible for the 1975 hospital insurance deductible of \$92, even if your

hospital stay extends into 1976. The 1976 deductible of \$104 applies only to benefit periods starting in 1976.

Q. Is the hospital insurance deductible under Medicare going to go up next year? If so, what will the new amount be?

A. Starting January 1, 1976, the Medicare hospital insurance deductible will be \$104, up from \$92 in 1975. Under the law, the deductible will increase to keep it in line with the average cost of one day's stay in a hospital. The increase is the result of a review of hospital costs during 1974.

**Fashion**  
Most all patterns for knitted and crocheted articles and accessories are being shown in magazines. For the woman who has to budget, these things will be appreciated as Christmas gifts.

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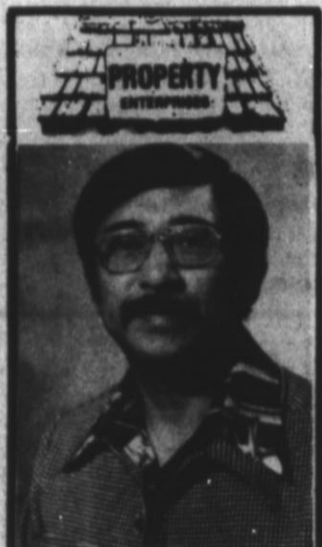
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Overcare is the single most prominent factor in the devastation of house plants.

Be especially careful not to overwater. Almost every plant which grows in

pots indoors prefers a light drying-out period between waterings. If you are in doubt as to how much to water a specific plant, experiment by seeing how little water a plant can survive on. Few house plants perish from insufficient soil moisture and most will signal when they really need a drink by drooping their leaves a bit.

Also, although most house plants will appreciate your increasing atmospheric moisture, plants with hairy leaves (gloxinias, velvet plants) will not tolerate being sprayed, misted or showered. Protect them when you moisturize the others.

Now, if you're expanding your collection and buying new plants, remember that a plant you buy has probably been recently potted. If you buy plants inexpensively, they will probably come in flimsy containers filled with insufficient soil and you'll need to repot them with fresh soil as soon as you get home. If you're relatively new to house

plant care, you will probably soon be guilty of overfeeding and the best solution I can recommend for this problem is to always use a weak organic fertilizer (5-1-1 fish emulsion, for example, is one which it's difficult to overdose a plant with). Just remember that too little is better than too much when it comes to house plant care.

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## The Modern Little Red Hen.



Once upon a time, there was a little red hen who scratched about the barnyard until she uncovered some grains of wheat. She called her neighbors and said, "If we plant this wheat, we shall have bread to eat. Who will help me plant it?"

"Not I," said the cow.

"Not I," said the duck.

"Not I," said the pig.

"Not I," said the goose.

"Then I will," said the little red hen. And she did. The wheat grew tall and ripened into golden grain. "Who will help me reap my wheat?" asked the little red hen.

"Not I," said the duck.

"Out of my classification," said the pig.

"I'd lose my seniority," said the cow.

"I'd lose my unemployment compensation," said the goose.

"Then I will," said the little red hen, and she did.

At last it came time to bake the bread. "Who will help me bake the bread?" asked the little red hen.

"That would be overtime for me," said the cow.

"I'd lose my welfare benefits," said the duck.

"I'm a dropout and never learned how," said the pig.

"If I'm to be the only helper, that's discrimination," said the goose.

"Then I will," said the little red hen.

She baked five loaves and held them up for her neighbors to see.

They all wanted some and, in fact, demanded a share. But the little red hen said, "No, I can eat the five loaves myself."

"Excess profits!" cried the cow.

"Capitalist leech!" screamed the duck.

"I demand equal rights!" yelled the goose.

And the pig just grunted. And they painted "unfair" picket signs and marched round and round the little red hen, shouting obscenities.

When the government agent came, he said to the little red hen, "You must not be greedy."

"But I learned the bread," said the little red hen.

"Exactly," said the agent. "That is the wonderful free enterprise system. Anyone in the barnyard can earn as much as he wants. But under our modern government regulations, the productive workers must divide their product with the idle."

And they lived happily ever after, including the little red hen, who smiled and clucked, "I am grateful. I am grateful."

But her neighbors wondered why she never again baked any more bread.

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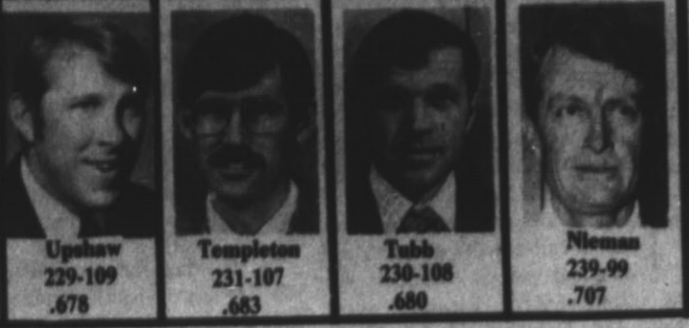
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### Tourney...

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and rebounding last year, and was selected to a couple of all-tournament teams.

Levelland's Lobos posted an impressive 23-8 record last year and went to region before losing to eventual state champion Lamesa. The Lobos return three lettermen. Lorenzo Childers, Lewis Palmer and Hardie Demans. Coach Don Abbott says his team lacks height but has good overall speed.

The Dumas Demons lost all five starters from last year's team, so Coach Dick Rector may be in for a rebuilding season. The Demons were second in 1-AAA behind Canyon last season. He thinks the squad has players with good ability but are lacking experience. Richard George, Jeff Fagan and Jimmy Hulsey are leading players on the team.

Adult tournament passes can be purchased at the chamber office, Hereford State Bank, or at the gate. Fans who desire to watch several or more games can save by purchasing the tourney passes.

#### FRANCO LOSES FIGHT

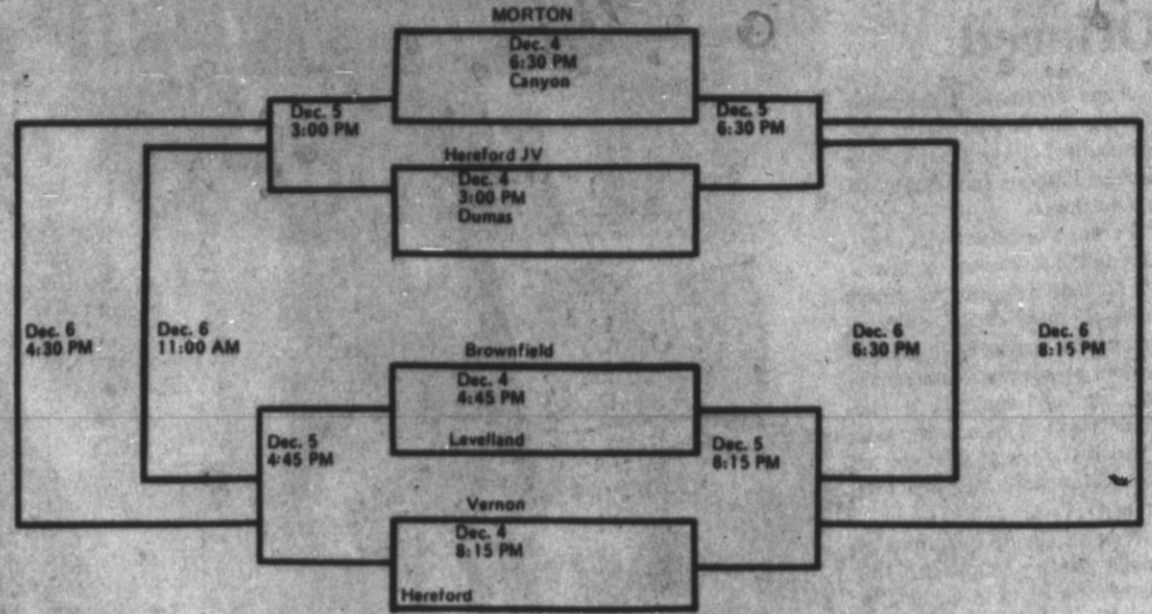
MADRID, SPAIN—Generalissimo Francisco Franco, dictator of Spain for 36 years, is dead, the government announced. He was 82 and had been gravely ill for more than a month.

#### ON MOYNIHAN

UNITED NATIONS, N.Y.—Daniel P. Moynihan, the outspoken U.S. ambassador to the United Nations, received a declaration of confidence from President Ford and said he would remain at his post.

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## Nieman Tops Grid Panel

Publisher Speedy Nieman emerged as the top football prognosticator for The Brand's panel of Fearless Forecasters this season as he correctly picked 20 of the 26 games last week.

Nieman ended the season with a forecasting percentage of 70.2, picked 239 of the 338 winners over the 13-week period. Only one game separated the other three panelists.

News editor Bobby Templeton took runner-up honors with a 68.3 average, while booster club president Mack Tubb was a game back at 66 percent, and coach Fred Upshaw finished with a 67.8 guessing factor.

Upshaw missed six games the last week to almost overtake Templeton and Tubb. Templeton missed 8 games the final week, and Tubb missed 11.

Upshaw got all the pro games right the last week, while Nieman missed one pro game and only one schoolboy game.

All of the panel members missed the Sanford-Fritch loss to New Deal, and all missed the Vanderbilt win over Tennessee.

The four panel members predicted the winners each

week in the games listed on the football contest page. Usually the winner in the readers' contest came out ahead of the "experts" on the panel.

The Brand has published the Fearless Forecaster panel for several years as an added feature during football season.

## Tech Plays Notre Dame

With a tough victory over 16th ranked Kansas State and an easy win over Northwestern State (Okla.) behind them, the Texas Tech basketball team begins a two-game road trip Saturday against 9th ranked Notre Dame.

The noon game Saturday at South Bend, Ind., will be

televised over a Dallas station (UHF 39), and Lubbock station UHF 28 is picking up the broadcast off the Notre Dame network. The Raiders then go to Oxford, Miss. Monday to play the Mississippi Rebels.

Hereford's Keith Kitchens will be in the starting lineup for the Raiders.

## Boxing Club In Action Here Friday

Hereford Boxing Club will host teams from Lubbock and Levelland at the Bull Barn Friday night with bouts getting underway at 8 p.m.

Harold Wheeler, Hereford club director, reported there would be approximately 18 to 20 bouts on the boxing card. The Hereford

team got off to a good start two weeks ago, winning 10 of 15 matches in two tournaments.

Special guests at the meet here Friday night will be youngsters of the Big Brothers-Big Sister organization.

Admission for the fight program is \$1 for students and \$1.50 for adults.

## Teams To Meet In Wrestling Bouts

Ricky Romero, 229 pound speedster from Old Mexico, returns Saturday to the Bull Barn to partner with 235 pound Scott Casey of Dallas against a formidable team of heavyweights. They face off against 310 pound Frank Goodish, a hippie athlete who says he is from "Amaeria", and Canadian Randy Tyler, a 262 pounder.

Ray Stevens, 234 pound internationally known wrestler, and deserving of his reputation as "The Crippler", meets Angelo Poffo, who at 230 pounds is perhaps one of the best-conditioned athletes in any sport today. He is remembered

as the man who did 6,033 sit-ups in four hours and ten minutes. A few months ago he did 1189 sit-ups in less than one hour on a televised program. Stevens is a well known for his rodeo exploits as his wrestling. He is a professional bulldogger and roper, as well as professional motorcycle racer. He is now living on a Panhandle spread where he raises quarter horses and pit bulldogs.

In another match, Sputnik Monroe meets the newly-crowned international heavyweight wrestling champion in a non-title bout. The new champion is Super Destroyer, a bear-like 250 pounder who is the first masked

contestant to win so high a crown. Sputnik Monroe, the "sweet man" from Louisiana, was disqualified in his last appearance here against the gentleman Lord Alfred Hayes. At 238 pounds, Sputnik is a veteran of the mat wars knows and uses all the tricks. His

battered face, scarred forehead, cauliflower ears, and half-toothless but active mouth, all bear witness to a life of violence of brawling, both in and out of the ring.

Action at the Bull Barn begins at 8:00 p.m.

**HOLDING DOWN THE GREEN** — If you make your Christmas arrangements with artificial greens, here's a handy way to keep the stems firmly anchored. Pour melted candle stubs into your metal or pottery container. After the wax hardens, make the proper size holes with a screwdriver and just insert the greens.

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# Capture 65-62 Decision at Levelland Herd Wins First Game

With seven players in the scoring column, Hereford's Whitefaces chalked up their first basketball victory of the season at Levelland Tuesday night, capturing a 65-62 triumph over the Lobos.

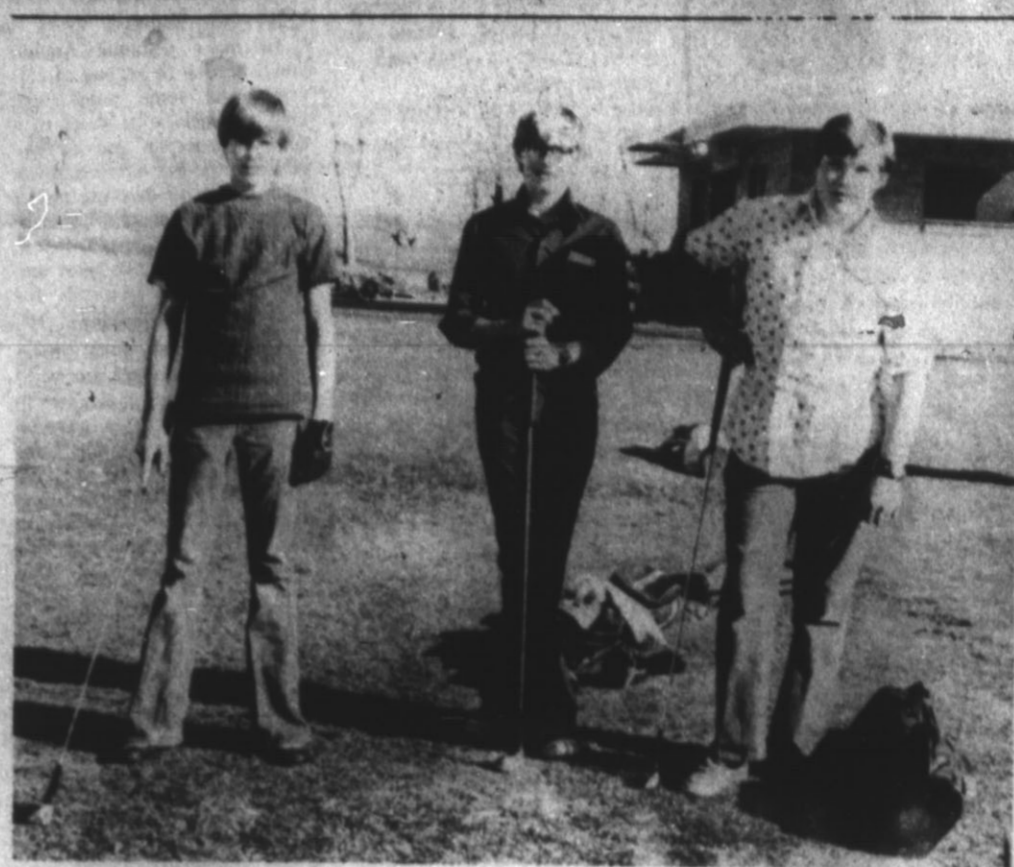
Guard James Mays tossed in 21 points to lead the Herd cagers, while Paul Trolinder added 14 and Barry Muller hit 10. Hereford trailed by one point, 32-31, at halftime, but pulled to a 51-49 advantage going into the final quarter.

It was a roughly-played contest with 53 fouls being charged—27 against Hereford and 26 against the home team. The Whitefaces picked up 19 points at the free-throw line, and Levelland had 18 charity tosses. Three Herd cagers went to the bench with five fouls—Mays, Mike Hull and Steve Cornelius. Levelland lost one player via personal fouls.

Lorenzo Childers led the Lobo scoring with 16 points and three more were in double figures. Randy Roberts had 11; Russ Phillips and Greg Melton had 10 each. The game was close all the way, with Levelland gaining a 4-point advantage in the first half, and Hereford taking an 8-point lead during fourth-quarter action.

Coach Barry Arnwine said he was pleased to get balanced scoring from his team. He reported that Hull, Trolinder and Cornelius did a good job rebounding in the game. The victory gives Hereford a 1-2 record going into the Hereford tournament Thursday.

The Hereford JV lost a close 60-54 decision to Levelland in the preliminary clash. Albert Del Toro hit 14 points for Hereford, while Mike Oglesby and Larry Ritter chipped in 13



Beautiful Weather

Saturday was certainly no day to play golf with gusts up to 70 miles per hour. But Monday and Tuesday was perfect weather with the sun shining and temperatures in the upper 60's. Taking advantage of the weather are three members of the Stanton Junior High golf team. They are, left to right, Barry Crouch, Jeff O'Rand and Kenny Shore.



## C of C Tourney Trophies

Jerry Payne, chairman of the sports committee of Deaf Smith County Chamber of Commerce, looks over the trophies which will be presented at the first annual C of C basketball tournament here. The tourney starts today with eight teams participating and will conclude Saturday night. Payne holds one of the trophies to be presented to the all-tournament players.

## Cross Country Girls

### Go To Regional Meet

Hereford High's cross country girl's team, after taking district runner-up honors in Lubbock recently, will travel to Abilene Saturday to compete in the regional meet.

Hereford's team came in second behind Coronado in

Lubbock. The team was sparked by performances by Kay Hall who came in ninth and Joyce Betzen who was right behind her in 10th place. Monterey also qualified for regional by coming in third in the district meet.

Coach Roy Shipp said cross country and track, in general, was more challenging this year because last year Hereford had only Plainview to compete for district and this year every town in the district has a girls track program.

The cross country team will leave Hereford Friday at noon and they plan to return late Saturday.

Coach Shipp said the girls will run a distance of one mile, beginning at approximately 11 a.m. The meet will take place at Abilene Christian College under the direction of Coach Don Smith.

Hereford will compete with schools from Amarillo, Lubbock, El Paso, Abilene, Midland and Odessa. The top teams and the top 10 members will qualify to go to the state meet in Austin.

Members of the cross country team are Suzanne Duvall, Rene Payne, Kay Hall, Joyce Betzen, Judy Birdwell, Kathy Wilson, Stephanie Kelso, Pam Whitley and Sharon Straffuss.

After the regional meet, the girls will have two months to train before entering the first track meet. Coach Shipp expects to have about 25 girls out for track.

## Grid Playoff Games Listed

The schoolboy football playoffs continue this week with the Class AAA and Class B teams going into the semifinals, while the other classes are in the quarterfinals.

The Harris-Rating System lists the playoff teams in each classification, records, and the team picked to win:

**AAAA**  
Odessa Permian (11-1) by 7 over E.P. Coronado (10-1-1)  
Longview (12-0) by 7 over Dallas Carter (11-1)  
Pt. Neches-Grove (11-1) by 1 over Houston Kashmere (11-1)  
S.A. Lee (12-0) by 10 over McAllen (11-1)

**AA**  
Slaton (8-4) by 1 over Childress (11-0-1)  
Gladewater (12-0) by 7 over Decatur (12-0)  
Cameron Yoe (12-0) by 14 over Hamshire-Fannett (12-0)  
Lagrange (11-1) by 10 over Hebbronville (11-0-1)

**A**  
Seagraves (12-0) by 5 over New Deal (9-3)  
DeLeon (12-0) by 9 over Holliday (11-1)  
Groveton (12-0) by 4 over Grapeland (10-2)  
Falls City (12-0) by 7 over Schulenburg (9-3)

**AAA**  
Pecos (11-1) by 2 over Ennis (10-1-1)  
Cuero (13-0) by 4 over Jacksonville (10-2)

**B**  
Celina (13-0) by 6 over Groom (11-0-1)  
Big Sandy (12-0) by 15 over Moody (11-0-1)

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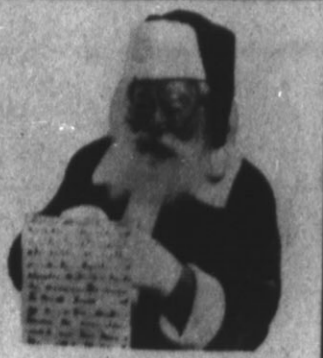
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To make Caramel Apples, you'll need a 14-oz. bag of caramels and some water. Just melt caramels with water in a covered saucepan and dip apples into the hot mixture. Invite your family to decorate apples with cereal or miniature marshmallows. Set out raisins, chopped nuts and coconut too; they're all tasty toppings for delicious caramel apples.

Although crisp, juicy apples and creamy caramels are available year 'round, apples are in greatest abundance in autumn. The International Apple Institute reminds you that you can use your favorite harvest-time variety for Caramel Apple-making, making sure that the fruit is firm and vivid in color. They also suggest you wash and dry apples thoroughly for best results.

The apple industry expects a bumper crop this fall, so you'll find plenty of apples in the produce section of your supermarket. You'll find caramels there too, as well as on the candy shelf, with sticks for making Caramel Apples right in the bag.

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Variation: Before chilling apples, roll in crisp rice cereal or dot with Kraft miniature



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### Confetti Mallow Popcorn Balls

4 cups Kraft miniature marshmallows  
1/2 cup Parkay margarine  
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1/4 teaspoon salt  
3 quarts unsalted popped corn  
1 cup chopped gum drops

Melt marshmallows with margarine in saucepan over low heat; stir occasionally until smooth. Stir in vanilla and salt. Pour mixture over combined popped corn and gum drops; toss lightly until well coated. With hands slightly moistened with water, shape into 1 1/2-inch balls; place on greased baking sheet.

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### CANCER RATE UP

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Are there any "space age" drugs as a result of our space program? - C.K.

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Merry Christmas  
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Jeannette Torres

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Leslie Ann Torres

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# Christmas Plans Told To Chamber Women

Plans for the Christmas lighting contest and tour of homes for senior citizens were revealed when the board of directors of the Women's Division of Deaf Smith County Chamber of Commerce met for lunch at the Hereford Country Club Tuesday.

Mrs. Melvin Hoover reported on the Christmas lighting contest which is open to all

residents of Hereford. Prizes will be awarded in three divisions—window, door and neighborhood decorations. Judging will be held the night of December 16 which will be the same night as the tour. Senior citizens will be picked up at Kings Manor the night of the tour. A school bus will be used to take the residents around the town to view the lighting.

Mrs. Hoover also gave a report on the Miss Hereford Pageant which has been set for February 21 in the Hereford High School auditorium. Theme for this year's pageant will be "Old Glory". Mrs. Hoover announced an added feature to the pageant which is a "Younger Division Pageant" to be held that afternoon. Miss Teen will also reign as Miss Bicentennial for Hereford.

She also reported that volunteer workers in the summer youth program will be treated at a special luncheon next week. Workers will be guests of the Women's Division summer youth committee.

Mrs. Waldo Baxter told the

plans formulating for the January general membership meeting of the Women. The meeting has been set for January 6 in the Civic Center. New officers will be installed. The Woman of the Year will be announced and the Chamber Singers will entertain the group. Chamber directors and their wives and husbands of members will be invited as guests to the dinner meeting.

Mrs. Sid Killough, secretary at the Chamber of Commerce, reported that a new secretary has been hired to replace Mrs. Percy Willson, who retired from the job. The new secretary is Tarche McCulley. Mrs. Killough also submitted a financial

report showing a balance of \$1,309.86 in the Women's Division treasury. It was noted that the organization had donated \$100 to United Way, \$200 to Chamber Singers and \$150 towards the purchase of a piano for the county library, among other monthly projects this year.

Mrs. Speedy Nieman made a presentation to Mrs. Rocky Lee who has served on the board of directors for the past four years, one year as president.

Attending the Tuesday meeting were Mrs. Nieman, who conducted the business meeting, Mmes. Joe Henry, Joe Railey, Bill Johnson, Lee, Bub Sparks, Baxter, Hoover and Killough.

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### VOE Student

Alice Hernandez, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Jose S. Hernandez of 439 Ave. E., has been selected as Vocational Office Education student of the week. The Hereford High School senior is employed at J.C. Panney's in Sugarland Mall as a sales clerk. She is shown with her supervisor, Clete Corlis, store manager.

### Food Show To Display 4-H Work

Deaf Smith County's 4-H Community Center. The public awards program will commence at 4 p.m. The public is invited to view

the entries and their exhibitors at 4 o'clock that afternoon.

The contest is open to all boys and girls who have completed a 4-H Food and Nutrition project, in which basic nutrition was researched as well as cooking. More than 95 4-H'ers conducted these type projects during the month of November.

The Veterans Administration employs 31 of the nation's 292 recipients of the Medal of Honor.

#### Perfect

The perfect example of minority rule is a baby in the house.

-Dispatch, Covington.

## Contest Deadline Dec. 16

Less than two weeks remain to submit entry forms in the annual Home Christmas Lighting Contest, which is offering cash prizes totaling \$100.

A grand prize of \$50 will be awarded to the overall winner with \$20 going to the best spot decoration, in a window or enclosed area. The best doorway motif will receive \$20

and the remaining \$10 will be presented to the neighborhood of at least four houses with the most impressive decorations.

Mrs. Travis McPherson, chairman of the Chamber of Commerce Women's Division beautification committee, is directing the contest. She stated that entrants must complete their registration

forms and return them to the Chamber office before Dec. 16. Last year's prize winners will not be eligible for awards, but everyone is urged to "light up Hereford for the Yuletide."

Judges will place emphasis on attractiveness, adherence to the Christmas theme, creativity and unity. Entries will be judged Dec. 18.

## Plans Underway For Miss Hereford Pageant

A Younger Division Pageant has been added to the Miss Hereford Pageant, according to Mrs. J.W. Robinson, chairman. Preliminary plans for the two pageants were made recently when the steering committee and directors met at the Chamber of Commerce office.

The pageants have been set for February 21 in the Hereford High School auditorium. The Younger Division Pageant will be held at 2 p.m., with finalists in each division being presented that evening at the Miss Hereford Pageant. Winners will be named at the night pageant.

Mrs. Dan Warrick has been named director for the Younger Division Pageant. There will be three divisions: 3 to 5 years of age—Cutest Miss Hereford; 6 to 9 years of age—Miss Poteet Hereford; and 10 to 12 years of age—Miss Junior Hereford. There will be a \$3 entry fee.

Anyone interested in entering may call Mrs. Warrick or the Chamber of Commerce office.

Mmes. Dwight McGee and Terry Caviness will direct the Miss Hereford Pageant for the fourth year. Entries chairman is Mrs. Glenn Watts and girls interested in entering may call her or Mrs. Robinson or the Chamber of Commerce office.

Girls at Hereford High School are invited to attend a meeting at the school on Dec. 9 when a film of last year's pageant will be shown. Girls may fill out an entry form at the meeting.

Miss Hereford will also compete in the Miss Texas Pageant held in Fort Worth in July. Miss Teen Hereford will also be named the Bicentennial Queen along with a senior queen to be introduced at the pageant. They will represent Hereford as the Bicentennial year is celebrated in 1976.

Members of the steering committee for both pageants are Mrs. Robinson, chairman, Mmes. Ken Rogers, Eugene Hendon, Roy Shipp, Bill Albright, Melvin Hoover and Speedy Nieman.

## Yuletide Programs Slated At Library

Christmas films for children will begin at 4 p.m. each Monday of this month at Deaf Smith County Library, which has slated several activities during December.

For the whole family, a full color movie about Finland will be shown at 10:30 a.m., 3:30 p.m. and 7:30 p.m. Monday in the library's Heritage Room. There will be no admission fee for this entertainment, which will include scenes of the wintry country.

"You Can Get There From Here" by Shirley MacClaine will be the subject of a book review to be given by Mrs. Dayton McWhorter at 10 a.m. Tuesday. The commentary will be given on the library's upper floor.

A comedy movie entitled "The Little Nuns," will be shown on family film night, Tuesday, Dec. 16, beginning at 7:30 p.m.

Other upcoming events on the

library agenda for this month include a current issues discussion group meeting at 7:30 p.m. today. Also, the Great Books group will convene at 7:30 p.m. Dec. 11. On that same day, the newly-formed Genealogy Society will meet at 7 p.m.

Featured displays during December are artwork by Ruth Herring and a collection of Madonnas owned by Mrs. Jordan Grooms.

Scheduled in January is an organizational meeting to coordinate volunteers who are interested in supporting library programs. This meeting is slated to start at 3 p.m. Jan. 5. Also kicking off the new year will be the annual membership meeting of Friends of the Library, who will assemble at 7:30 p.m. Jan. 8.

The library will be closed for the Christmas holidays from 12 noon Dec. 24 until Monday, Dec. 29.

Gwen London, librarian, stated that donations for a filmstrip projector are being accepted and that any contributions are appreciated.

When painting siding, paint the underside first. Then apply the paint in short strokes across the siding, or up and down if it's vertical siding. Next spread the paint out with smooth even strokes. Mrs. Pat Seaman, housing and home furnishings specialist with the Texas Agricultural Extension Service, The Texas A&M University System, says.

Congress legalized the use of the metric system in the United States as long ago as 1866, according to Mrs. Janice Carberry, family resource management specialist with the Texas Agricultural Extension Service, The Texas A&M University System.

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## Madonnas Are Shown At Library

Display of the month at Deaf Smith County Library is a collection of Madonnas owned by Mrs. Jordan Grooms. This avocation began over thirty years ago and she has amassed 105 figurines during that period.

The Madonnas which have national and racial characteristics from countries all over the world are made from glass, wax, clay, wood, tin, porcelain and ivory.

They show the artist's conception of the ideal Mother Mary, the Mother of Christ. Each figurine was a gift to Mrs. Jordan.



MRS. JORDAN GROOMS  
...displays her collection of Madonnas

## Christmas Programs Are Heard

Joint programs were given by Mrs. Larry Paetzold and Mrs. Jimmy Christie to members of Young Homemakers Home Demonstration Club Monday afternoon in the home of Mrs. Joe Wallace.

During the club's Christmas party-business meeting, Mrs. Paetzold read scriptures of The Christmas Story and Mrs. Christie presented a program entitled "How Mrs. Santa Claus Saved Christmas."

Following the presentations, club members made bookmarkers to be given to patients in the hospital during Christmas.

During the business meeting, members discussed providing food for a local needy family during the holidays.

Depicting a Christmas motif, the refreshment table was covered with a poinsettia designed cloth centered with a candle.

Refreshments of pumpkin cake, fudge and hot tea were served to members present. They included Mmes. Ralph Warren, and Dan Gorman, Paetzold and Christie.

The next meeting was scheduled at 2:30 Jan. 5 in the home of Mrs. Gorman.

## Jehovah's Witnesses Persecuted

"Thousands of Christians are now under brutal persecution in Malawi," declared Noe Orta of Hereford, presiding overseer of the Spanish Congregation of Jehovah's Witnesses.

"Starting August 19, 1975, more than 34,000 Jehovah's Witnesses from Malawi who fled as refugees to Mozambique in 1972 because of severe persecution were forced to return to Malawi and now experience brutal persecution again. All of this is because of their refusal to join a political party."

Orta said he had received a report from N.H. Knorr at the Brooklyn Headquarters of Jehovah's Witnesses.

In some instances, the Witnesses were allowed to enter their villages and take up occupancy of houses they abandoned in 1972. However, in most cases, Youth Leaguers soon called to ask if they were prepared to buy political party cards.

Referring to Jesus' example of political neutrality, the Witnesses refused. Immediately beatings, rapings and other atrocities began again and many were driven from their homes. In Kanchenche six Witness women were all raped by several men.

Early in September, youths under the direction of the Kasonjola branch of the Malawi Congress Party visited homes of Jehovah's Witnesses in six villages, demanding they buy party cards. When they refused, the youths stole all their belongings, subjected them to terrible beatings and urinated on the supply of flour that these refugees had brought with them, making it unfit for food.

Because no one will accept them, many Witnesses have been forced to wander in the cities by day, sleeping in nearby forests at night. Upward of 4,800 fled to neighboring Zambia, but reports just received say they were repatriated to Malawi by force.

Whole congregations of Witnesses, men and women, have been rounded up and put in detention to further pressure them into buying political party membership cards and to prevent flight from Malawi, according to the latest reports.

Many so-called "adult diseases" may begin as birth defects, says The National Foundation-March of Dimes. An inherited tendency to heart disease, stroke, diabetes, and emphysema may escape detection in childhood and youth but surface later in life.

Babies born to poor parents are often smaller and more likely to have birth defects than infants of the more affluent, reports The National Foundation-March of Dimes. Poor nutrition during pregnancy is a contributing factor, according to a recent study.

## At The Library

### Search Leads To Terrorist Leader

Modern air terminals are the scene of action in two novels being promoted by Deaf Smith County Library this week.

Leading to the heart of the Holy War, an American agent and an Arab terrorist create conflict in "The Gargoyle Conspiracy" by Marvin Albert. Caught in the tornadic whirl of international society, the hunter and his dangerous prey head for a climactic confrontation.

Threatened by lethal cosmic rays, a supersonic transport becomes a death trap for its passengers in "Supersonic" by Basil Jackson. Told with detailed accuracy, this science fiction story unravels a desperate situation involving a motley crew of characters.

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by Basil Jackson

Striking across the Atlantic three times faster than the speed of sound and thirteen miles above the earth, a supersonic transport turns into a nightmare for the 160 passengers and crew aboard Flight 01. Desperately trying to avoid

deadly cosmic radiation from outer space, Captain Thomas Bartlett and First Officer Peter Kowaky struggle to keep the plane aloft despite a chain of events that, if not corrected, will lead to certain catastrophe.

In a race against time and technology, rapidly diminishing fuel supplies pose an additional threat to the lives of all aboard. Prominent among those aboard the craft are the U.S. Secretary of State, a famous surgeon, a million dollar thief and a very pregnant young woman.

The reader is taken behind scenes of Air Traffic Control, where highly trained workers pit their skills against the plane's self-destructive maneuvers.

Written with scientific author-

ity, the author's vision of the hazards posed by the coming era of travel is compelling, terrifying and all too probable.

Basil Jackson is the science editor for the Toronto Financial Post. His previous two novels also explore with prescience the human factors in modern technology.

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**Artist Of The Month**

Mrs. L.B. Herring of 122 Oak has been selected as artist for the month of December. Her paintings, which include landscapes and still-lives are on display at Deaf Smith County Library.

**ON FISHING**

The Navy and Air Force chiefs said a 200-mile fisheries limit could hamstring their service's operations throughout the world.

**INCOME GROWTH SLOWER**

Americans' personal income grew at a slower pace for the second consecutive month in October, the Commerce Department reported.

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**Orientation Tea Planned By DKG**

Orientation tea for new members was scheduled by Delta Xi Chapter of the Delta Kappa Gamma Society when they met Monday evening at Community Center.

The membership committee including Mrs. Bob Lasiter, Miss Della Stagner, Bettye Mercer and Mrs. Rodney Laubhan set the date for the tea at 4 p.m. Dec. 11 in Hereford High School Library.

Mrs. Roland Hairgrove called roll which was answered by 34 members and Sue Painter led the chapter collect.

During the business meeting with Mrs. Charles Bell presiding, a "Chinese Auction" to benefit the scholarship fund

was conducted by Mrs. Sidney Kerr, Opal Bookout, Elizabeth Wills and Mrs. Don Waters.

Miss Stagner, chairman of the world fellowship committee, explained the purpose of the "love offering." These monies will make it possible for women educators elsewhere to come to the United States for graduate study.

Before the close of the meeting, Christmas carols were led by Mrs. Jim Neill with Mrs. Marvin Hall accompanying her.

Spiced cider and other delicacies were served by the hostesses, Rubye Crawford and Mmes. Hall, Lawrence Carlson and Fred Mulkey.



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**Mrs. Fuhrmann Gets Coveted PLS Rating**

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The PLS examination is offered to those who have been legal secretaries for five years or longer and are members of National Association of Legal Secretaries, International. The test includes six parts: written communication skill and knowledge, human relations, legal secretarial procedures, legal secretaries accounting, legal terminology and techniques and legal secretaries skills and exercise of judgment.

The PLS exam was first given in 1960 and 633 legal secretaries have qualified for the coveted rating since that time. The Deaf Smith-Castro Counties Legal Secretaries Association now has four members who have earned

the PLS title. They include Mildred Sheffy, secretary for Burrell Evans, Evans, and Evans in Tulsa; Ruth Wynne, secretary for the law firm of Kendrick and Tarlton in Amarillo; Barbara Wheat, secretary for the law firm of Burkett, Ross and Edwards in Dimmitt; and Mrs. Fuhrmann.

**Bazaar Wares To Be Sold On Weekend**

Macrame, hand-made dolls and other craft articles will be featured at the Creative Women's Club Bazaar scheduled from 3:30-5 p.m. Friday and 10 a.m.-5 p.m. Saturday at 121 Greenwood.

Items were made by the club women who include Mrs. Mack Tubb, hostesses for the event; Mmes. Marvin Hall, David Pruitt, Johnny Cloud and Stan Solomon.

**FOOD STAMPS & ID**  
The Agriculture Department now believes it has legal authority to test photographic identification card systems for food stamp recipients, officials told a Senate panel.

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Bob Clark et ux to Reed M. Yandell et ux, lot 12, Blk. 4, Engler Add.

**MARRIAGE LICENSES**

Willie Earl Houston and Ethel Mae Brown, Nov. 28.  
Arthur Vargas and Lydia Marie Martinez, Nov. 28.

Andrew Allon Sturges and Hilcira Balba, Nov. 26.

Abel Garza and Cresilia Flora Gomez, Nov. 26.

Edward Anton Dzuik Jr. and Mary Elizabeth Hale, Nov. 25.

Tony Roger Rios and Imelda Garza, Nov. 25.

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**FARM HARVEST**

Farmers have almost completed a record corn harvest of 5.8 billion bushels this fall, 25 per cent larger than last year's and 1 per cent more than was forecast in October, the Agriculture Department reports.

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# Carol Of Lights Slated At Tech

With a fanfare and flourish, 32,500 lights burning into color will launch the holiday season, Dec. 5, during Texas Tech University's annual Carol of Lights.

Thousands of people from throughout the South Plains will gather on the campus' Science Quadrangle beginning at 6:30 p.m. At 6:55, members of the Saddle Tramps, men's spirit organization, will lead a torchlight procession from the fountain at the Broadway

entrance to the campus to the Quadrangle. The route of the procession will be marked with 1,000 luminarias (paper bag and candles lanterns) lining the central campus walkways and streets.

Clint Formby of Hereford, chairman of the Texas Tech Board of Regents, will deliver the invocation for the evening.

Traditional Christmas carols will ring through the crisp winter air aided by the Oakwood Baptist Church Bell Choir, the

Texas Tech Choir and the audience.

The magic moment of the evening is at 7:30 p.m. Ten buildings in the central campus, strung with 32,500 red, white and yellow lights, will burst into holiday color.

Carols, sung by the audience, again will fill the air to be joined by the victory bells in the tower of the Administration Building in ringing in the holiday season.

The Carol of Lights program is sponsored by the Texas Tech

Residence Halls Association. Ruth Foreman, president of the association, will preside.

Work crews began stringing lights for the Carol in late October. More than 47,800 feet (nearly 10 miles) of electrical wiring is used. Buildings to be lit include the Administration Building, the three buildings on the Science Quadrangle, Mass Communications, West Engineering, Industrial-Textile Engineering, East Engineering, and

Holden Hall and Home Economics.

Economics.

The idea for lighting the campus was conceived in 1958 by Harold Hinn, former member of the Texas Tech Board of Regents and Foundation Board. Hinn sponsored and raised funds for the lighting of West Engineering, Social Science, Chemistry and the Administration Buildings. His efforts were repeated in 1960.

In 1961, the lighting display was expanded to include East Engineering, Industrial-Textile Engineering, Journalism and part of the Home Economics Building. The name Carol of Lights was coined that year.

Some 16,500 lights were used in 1964 on nine buildings and the television tower on the campus. In 1965, another 500 lights were added to the display.

Holden Hall joined the number of lit buildings in 1967 increasing the number of lights used to 20,000.

The Carol of Lights program and display grew in popularity until 1972, when the community singing of carols was suspended because a policy regarding use of campus areas for such events was under study. However, lighting for the program continued.

By 1973, the policy had been

clarified to permit use of the science quadrangle for the program, but the lighting display was curtailed because of the energy situation. The lights burned only from dusk to 10:30 p.m. on the night of the Carol of Lights program, the Friday before Christmas and Christmas Eve.

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Are mirrored in an ice-encrusted pond:  
Some see it only as the year grown old.  
The earth devoid of life, so dead and cold:  
A dormant land where nothing seems to grow  
And future hopes lie buried in the snow.  
But those of faith see beauty in this scene:  
Through Church they know that one day it will mean  
A miracle that God will always bring:  
The new rebirth of life that's known as Spring.

— Gloria Nowak

"While the earth remaineth,  
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## Girlstown Drive Now Underway

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The 5th annual "coat-and-shoe campaign", sponsored by Lions Clubs of District 21-1, is now underway with a goal of providing each Girlstown citizen a gift certificate of \$75 for Christmas.

"As we have discovered in year's past, it will mark the first time for some of the girls to pick out a new coat," said Nolan Grady of Hereford, district director of the fund drive.

The three Girlstown campuses at Whiteface, Berger and Austin now have 106 girls enrolled. Any funds raised over the amount needed for the gift certificates will be presented to Girlstown for use in operating expenses.

The contribution appeal goes out to all residents in the Panhandle and South Plains. Checks can be mailed to the Girlstown Christmas Fund, Box 414, Hereford, Tx. 79045.

Although the U.S. infant death rate has dropped to an all-time low, seventeen other countries are doing better, reports The National Foundation March of Dimes. Sweden and Iceland have the lowest rates, according to latest data.



## DE Student

Chosen as Distributive Education student of the week is Carla Dobbins, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Dobbins of Route 3. The Hereford High School junior is employed as a sales clerk at Helen's Youth Shop. She is shown with her supervisor, Mrs. Helen Higgins, store owner-manager.

The rubella (German measles) epidemic of 1964 caused an estimated 50,000 abnormal pregnancies in this country, according to The National Foundation March of Dimes. To head off another epidemic, routine vaccination of children age one to puberty is recommended.

About one in 500 Americans 40,000 people—has an inherited tendency to very high blood cholesterol, according to The National Foundation-March of Dimes. MOD grantees are trying to find a cure for this abnormality, which can contribute to heart attacks and strokes.

## Mayo In Field Exercise

Army Specialist Four Joe C. Mayo, son of Mr. and Mrs. Allen Mayo of 205 W. 6th St., Hereford, recently participated in Exercise Reforger in Germany.

Spec. Mayo is regularly assigned as a training Clerk in Company A of the 7th Engineer Brigade's 237th Engineer Battalion in Heilbronn.

The purpose of the annual exercise was to sharpen techniques for receiving, equipping, assembling, and deploying dual-based units. This year the exercise was incorporated in a broader, coordinated series of NATO and national exercises known as the "Autumn Forge 75 Exercise Series." The broad objective of the series was to improve the capability of NATO forces.

The U.S. Air Force Military Airlift Command flew approximately 10,000 U.S. based soldiers and their equipment to Germany to participate in the exercise.

The 21-year-old soldier entered the Army in April 1974,

completed basic training at Ft. Polk, La., and was last stationed at Ft. Leonard Wood, Mo.

Mayo is a 1971 graduate of Hereford High School. Before entering the Army, he was manager of Scene West in Amarillo.

## Homecoming At Adrian

Linda Pinnell Pohlmer was crowned the exes Homecoming Queen during the seventh Triennial Adrian Homecoming held Nov. 22 in the Adrian cafeteria.

Other nominees for the honor included Jean Finley Carr and Mary Hammock Garnett.

Exes basketball games also highlighted homecoming activities with even year graduates

challenging odd year graduates. Wayne Thomas, Hereford attorney, presented a talk on past events at the Adrian school and spoke on the achievements of the community.

Approximately 475 guests were served at a barbecue dinner hosted by the Adrian Lions Club at the Ag Barn.

Former Secretary of State Rusk wants free press.

## ANNOUNCING!

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## Calendars To Be Sold

Mrs. Robert Trowbridge, chairman of Saturday's bazaar at Wesley United Methodist Church, shows a sample of 1976 Bicentennial calendars to be sold as part of the fund-raising drive. Proceeds from the all-day fair will be used for improvements at the church.

## Church Fair To Be Held On Saturday

Rummage items, baked goods and chili will be sold during a fund-raising fair all day Saturday at Wesley United Methodist Church. Opening at 9 a.m. at the church, the fair is being directed by Mmes. Robert Trowbridge, C.W. Riddle and William Frank. Chili will be sold beginning at 11 a.m. until the close of the fair at 6 p.m.

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## Mrs. Poarch Given Courtesy Tuesday

Mrs. Kim Poarch, nee Joan Josseland, was honored during a post-nuptial shower Tuesday afternoon in the Halbert Room of Hereford Country Club.

The honoree received guests with her mother, Mrs. Robert Josseland, her mother-in-law, Mrs. J.D. Poarch of Amarillo and grandmothers of the couple, Mrs. John E. Peterson of Loveland, Colo. and Mrs. Mary Poarch. Each member of the receiving line was presented a chrysanthemum corsage.

A green and white motif was conveyed on the serving table, centered by a silver candelabra adorned with white daisy pompon chrysanthemums, greenery and babybreath.

Punch was served by Mrs. Joe Reinauer Sr. while Mrs. Jack Wilcox offered cake. Guests were greeted at the registry table by Mrs. Craig Poarch.

Hostesses for the recent courtesy include Mmes. H.E. Roark, Frank Barrett, Richard Dittsen, Dyal Garner, Marcus Hoelscher, Bill Lyman and Wesley Fisher.

Others were Mmes. Earnest Langley, Jim Arney, Reece Lawson David Hutchins, C.E. Rush, Pete Caviness, Kenneth Halbert, Bill Walden, Carol Newsom and Paul Scott.

## VA News

One out of every five among the 214 million Americans changes his address by moving each year, and at least half of these moves are potential problems for the Veterans Administration, Jack Coker, VA Regional Director, observed.

Almost half these people are veterans, their dependents or their survivors, and the continuing migration can produce massive headaches at Veterans Administration records centers, Coker said.

To avoid delays in benefits checks and confusion in other veterans records, VA urges all veterans or other entitled to VA benefits to promptly notify it of any changes of address.

Even if a veteran is not presently receiving benefits, Coker pointed out that it will save time and eliminate possible error should they be sought in the future if the veteran's records always reflect his correct address.

With files on more than 29 million living veterans, duplications of thousands of names are common and an incorrect address only serves to increase the possibility of error or delay in processing claims, Coker said. There are 1,594,000 veterans in Texas.




Shower Guests Welcomed

Mrs. John E. Peterson of Loveland, Colo. (left) was at Hereford Country Club Tuesday afternoon for a post-nuptial shower honoring her granddaughter, Mrs. Kim Poarch of Amarillo.

Also in attendance were the honoree's mother, Mrs. Robert Josseland, and her mother-in-law, Mrs. J.D. Poarch of Amarillo.

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## Youth For Understanding Bicentennial Project

Twelve Texas high school students will be selected to serve as Bicentennial Couriers in Europe, South America and the Far East next summer through an essay contest conducted by Youth for Understanding (YFU), an international teenage exchange program.

The Youth for Understanding "Bicentennial Courier" project has been selected as the international youth program by the American Revolution Bicentennial Administration in Washington, D.C.

Cathy Rigby, America's first female gymnastic gold medalist in the 1972 Olympiad, is the National Chairman for the "Bicentennial Courier" project.

Miss Rigby has invited high school students between the ages of 15 and 18 to enter the essay competition which will be conducted in Texas and in 28 other states during the coming school year.

The deadline for submitting essays is February 1, 1976. The winners will be announced and then designated official Bicentennial Couriers on April 1, 1976.

Under the program, a total of 184 young people from 29 states will go abroad during the summer of 1976 to live with carefully selected host families in 25 countries throughout the world. Each Bicentennial Courier will carry Bicentennial greetings and invitations from local and state officials and organizations in the United States for presentation to local, provincial and national officials in the countries in which the courier will be living for two months.

The couriers will also be encouraged to speak to groups in their host countries about the Bicentennial celebration and about American life in general. Bicentennial celebration and about American life in general. Bicentennial scholarships will be funded by grants from various civic, corporate and local Bicentennial agencies. The only costs which the students will be responsible for are their passport fees and personal spending money.

During the last week of October, every high school Social Studies Department office received a packet of information with details about the essay competition and the "Bicentennial Courier" project. Students are advised to contact their high school's Social Studies office.

Youth for understanding is a non-profit educational organization which cooperates with

and receives an annual grant from the U.S. State Department. Since its inception in 1951, YFU has made it an overseas living experience. The international headquarters of this organizations is in Ann Arbor, Mich.

Information about the "Bicentennial Courier" project can be obtained by contacting Jo Ellen Jorde, Project Coordinator for Texas, Route 5, Hereford, Texas 79045.

Senator Lloyd Bentsen is Honorary Chairman of the Y.F.U. "Bicentennial Courier" project and President Ford has endorsed this project personally.

## The Abundant Life

### Re-enforce Self

By BOB WEAR



Most of us have must greater capacity for becoming strong to meet the requirements of effective and satisfying living. We make one of the most hurtful mistakes, when we assume that we are weak and vulnerable, and just can't help being so. We can "re-enforce self"; we can be strong.

IF WE LET ourselves drift along, or depend upon chance; we may become reasonably strong, but will never be as strong as we have the possibility of being. In fact, we are not likely to be as strong as we will need to be. Therefore, one of the biggest mistakes we can make is in leaving the formation of our personal strength to chance.

It is also a mistake to assume that we can, in some sort of mysterious way, call to our aid whatever help the situation demands. If we do not "re-enforce self", and prepare ourselves and keep ourselves prepared, so that we are strong from day-to-day; we will be weak when we should be strong. We must prepare ourselves, so we can be at our best at all times.

All of us know about what to expect in challenges and difficulties, including the more extreme testings of our strength. We can and must be ready beforehand, because we cannot prepare after the need arises.

"BORROWING TROUBLES" is one thing, and is a tragic mistake; but knowing about what can occur, and making ourselves strong is something else; and is the only wise action for us.

"Our grand business life is not to see what lies dimly at a distance, but to do what lies clearly at hand." - Carlyle.

We can "re-enforce self" by making up our minds that we are not going to be upset by the difficulties and problems which we know will very likely occur somewhere in our life experi-

ence. We can equip ourselves with the time-tested attitudes and a wisely-formed value system, so that we will be ready for the good days and the bad days. Life for all of us is a mixture of the desirable and the undesirable, but our life pursuit can be steady; and must be.

WE DO NOT KNOW which is more difficult to handle effectively, the good fortune or the setback. We do know, however, that, when we properly "re-enforce self", we will be able to maintain our stability; in our day-to-day movement through time; and this is what we must do.


Some times will be easier than other times, but we must prepare ourselves for the more difficult times. Thus, we will be prepared for all times.

"We re-enforce self" by making the time-tested qualities of honesty, dependability, understanding, industry, decency faith and related traits active in our thinking and living. With all of these, we must blend good sense and good judgement.

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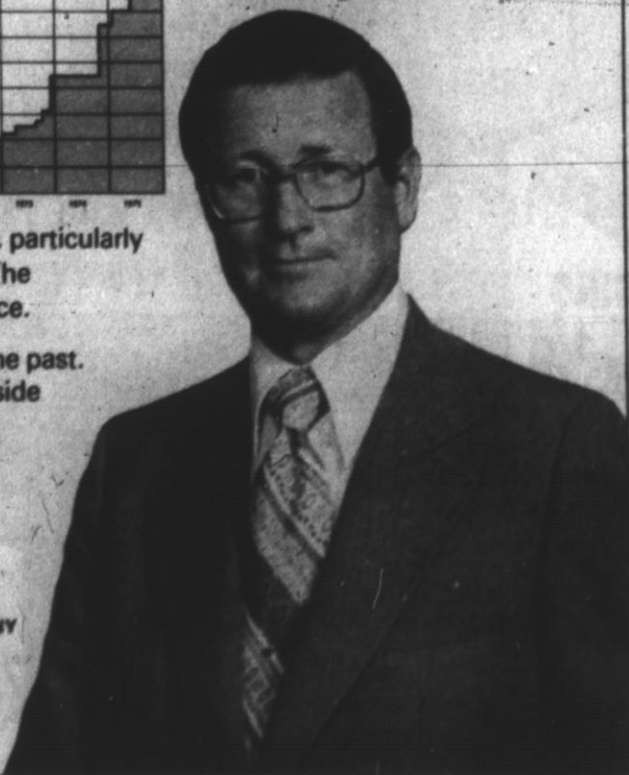
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## Reducing Cows Offers Other Alternatives

Going into the winter season, cow-calf producers should give serious consideration to pregnancy testing their cow herd and then culling open cows as soon as possible. Once the cow herd is reduced, a number of alternatives become possible.

points out Justin McBride, county agent for the Texas Agricultural Extension Service. He lists the following possibilities:

herd, thus permitting conservation of pastures and rangelands.

2. Cash outflow is reduced during the winter period since less outside feed resources will be needed.

3. Other types of production could be integrated into the cow-calf operation. With winter pastures, ownership of steer calves might be retained after they go to custom feedlots. Calves also might be retained as yearlings although such a program delays income and requires financial planning.

4. All steers could be sold and the heifers retained. After being bred and pregnancy tested in the spring, only the early breeders could be kept while the remaining heifers could be sold as breeding females or fed as finished beef.

Although market prices are still low, the time is really opportune to sell off open cows, points out McBride. This is due to the fact that competitive meat supplies are low and the demand for beef remains strong. This situation may change next year as pork supplies will likely increase.

Cattlemen must take the first step in turning around the current economic crisis that envelops each of them. That step is to reduce cow numbers.

The national cow herd must be brought back in balance with demand emphasizes McBride.

## Electronic Selling System Is Working Well For PCCA

The electronic selling system of Plains Cotton Cooperative Association known as Telcot is in its fourth week of operation and performing as planned.

C.L. Boggs, Assistant General Manager of the 20,000-member association, said this week.

Volume harvesting and ginning will be underway this week in nearly all areas of the Southwest territory served by PCCA. The association expects traffic on the selling system to be heavy throughout the season.

"We have already moved several hundred lots of cotton, involving thousands of bales, over TELCOT in the initial phase of the season," Mr. Boggs stated. "We are confident the system can accommodate the hundreds of thousands of bales we anticipate receiving. This system will obtain the best competitive price for the producer."

TELCOT incorporates the use of modern-day technology, relying on televisual Cathode Ray Tube screens and high-speed data printers to offer PCCA members' cotton for bid to major merchants situated in Lubbock, Dallas and Memphis.

Sixteen merchant offices are linked by electronic circuits to the PCCA computer in Lubbock. Each participating merchant office is equipped with a CRT unit and data printer.

A gin can call the TELCOT center and obtain the general price level for any particular list of cotton. If a producer wishes to offer his cotton at that "going price" level, his listing will be electronically flashed to the data printers in the merchant offices. Merchants are given a 15-minute period in which to submit bids on a list of cotton.

**FDA ON ALCOHOL**  
The Food and Drug Administration has scrapped a 35-year-old agreement with the Treasury Department and said it will order the alcohol industry to put on the label what is in beer, wine and liquor.

Consumer panel says toys safer this year.

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# FB Leader Says Concern Exists Over Future Supplies Of Food

The president of the Texas Farm Bureau told the organization's 42nd annual meeting Monday that the general public is now concerned about future food supplies and has a new respect for farmers and ranchers. The TFB convention is being held Nov. 30-Dec. 3 in San Antonio's Convention Center.

Carroll Chaloupka said that although agriculture still has problems, "we can see opportunities, too. Our challenge is to use the new-found influence to get the true value of our products."

In his annual address to the TFB delegates, the Dalhart livestock and grain farmer said major issues facing agriculture are inflation, threats to farm exports, the energy crisis, government interference and the need for more research.

"Inflation hurts everybody," Chaloupka said, "but it is particularly bad on farmers and ranchers because modern agriculture buys in large quantities. We cannot automatically pass along cost increases to our customers."

"The solution is to stop

inflation—not control it—but stop it! Deficit spending by the federal government causes inflation. We must insist upon pay-as-you-go government."

Chaloupka said that despite the announcement of a long-range trade agreement with the Soviet Union, "we are still vulnerable to export restrictions. It's grain now, but it could be another commodity next time."

Chaloupka said President Ford promised farmers last Spring that farm products would have "unfettered access" to world markets. Referring to the later temporary ban on grain sales, the farm leader said, "agriculture was the victim of a sell-out by the administration."

Farmers had been asked to produce more this year, and "we greatly expanded our acreage, planting from fence to fence in many instances," he said.

"We believed we were doing our part to meet the needs of our people for adequate food and also to earn valuable dollars in world markets," he said. "We depend upon exports to take the production from one acre in four. Losing any part of our export market threatens our ability to stay in business."

"At stake in this is the farmer's right to his legitimate market," the farm leader said. "If we accept the idea that politicians or Big Labor can dictate how much we can sell and to whom, then we may as well give up now. Let us serve notice loud and clear that when farm exports are involved, the President of the United States is to consult with farmers, not George Meany."

On energy needs, the TFB president reported that the Federal Power Commission "after listening to farmers" has finally granted a Number 2 priority for use of natural gas for irrigation motors.

"We must be realistic," he warned. "If supplies get tight

enough, there will be tremendous pressure from the public to take away this priority."

He said the solution to energy problems is to provide oil and gas producers with a profit incentive.

"We might as well recognize that price increases in petroleum products mean high production costs for us," he said. "The alternative is to live with shortages, and I don't believe agriculture can do that. In the long run, American consumers cannot afford to let agriculture run short of fuel."

The Texas farm leader said government interference in management of farm and ranches is a growing major problem. He said this was particularly true of regulations ordered by the Environmental Protection Agency and the Occupational Safety and Health Administration.

"The use of agricultural chemicals has been curtailed without adequate research to back up the curtailment," Chaloupka charged. "Although EPA recently made changes, it

is still virtually impossible to use the chemical Mirex to control the fire ant. No one has found damage resulting from Mirex except under certain laboratory conditions.

Chaloupka said agriculture is in a continuous struggle with EPA about animal wastes and run-off from agricultural production. He said that in many cases, the requirements create more problems than they solve.

"Agriculture will abide by reasonable and needed measures to safeguard the environment because we depend totally upon the environment," he said. "As stewards of the soil,

our goal is to leave a better environment for those who come after us."

Chaloupka said government does have a role to play in agricultural research.

"To a large extent the success of American agriculture has resulted from technology developed by scientists and the practical application of that technology by farmers," he said.

The farm leader said there are almost four billion people on Earth now and it is estimated that there will be six and a half and seven billion by the year 2,000.

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For additional wheat recipes write Commissioner John C. White, Texas Department of Agriculture, P.O. Box 12847, Austin, Texas 78711.

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# Accent on Health

Fratris L. Duff, M.D., Director

Creativity takes on its finest forms at Christmastime as homes are beautified both within and without, and safety should be woven into the finished product.

The Yule season is no time for accidents, asserts the Texas Department of Health Resources. There's a lot of room for a mistake, however. Trees, lights, candles, trees and mantle trimmings, your fireplace and excess paper can be a source of trouble.

Center of most home decorations is the brilliantly lighted and colorful tree, and it should be the place for starting your safety efforts.

In selecting a cut green tree, get one with a good green color. Needles of a fresh tree should be hard to pull from branches, and needles won't break when bent. Bounce the tree hard against the ground and you won't get a shower of needles if the tree is fresh.

Trees should be placed in a base which holds water, and this

water should be checked regularly while the tree is up. Before mounting the tree, cut about two inches off the trunk to allow it to better absorb the water.

Placement of trees also is important, says the Department

of Health Resources. Keep them away from stoves, fireplaces and radiators which could cause a tree to dry out quickly and perhaps catch fire.

What about decorations? Never use lighted candles on a tree or near other evergreens, decorations or wrapping paper. Candles should be in non-flammable holders and in locations where they cannot be knocked down or blown over.

In selecting lights, check for the Underwriters' Laboratories "UL" label. On all strings of lights, make certain that all connections are tight and that there are no frayed or bare wires. These could cause short

circuits and perhaps a fire—or a shock to the person installing them.

Outdoor lights should be waterproof. They are especially made for the outdoors.

When away from home, or when you go to bed, turn off all lights.

And, never use electric lights on metallic trees.

Trimnings for trees and elsewhere in the home should be of flame-retardant material, something that won't flare up if accidentally ignited.

If there are small children in the home, care should be taken in selecting decorations. The United States Product Safety

Commission urges parents to avoid decorations that are sharp or breakable—including bubbly tree lights. It also warns against trim with small removable parts if used where children can get at them. Pieces could be swallowed or inhaled. And, trimmings resembling candy could be eaten by a child.

When installing their trees, many people burn the trimmings from branches in their fireplaces. If burned a piece at a time, this shouldn't cause any problem. But piling up a big mound of evergreens could cause popping and cracking and a large number of sparks. So be careful. And always use a

screen before the fireplace.

The Product Safety Division of the Department of Health Resources hopes that all clothing will someday be flame resistant. Standards are now in effect for certain types of children's clothing. But until that time, extreme care needs to be taken.

Matches, lighters and candles should be kept out of the reach of children. Children and adults should avoid the wearing of loose, flowing clothes—especially long, open sleeves—near the open flames for a fireplace, stove or candle-lit table.

Here's another reminder about children's toys. Efforts

have been made to remove dangerous toys from retail sources. But, a safe toy in the hands of one child may be unsafe if used by a younger one.

When purchasing a toy, look for a warning label stating that the toy isn't recommended for a child under a certain age: If the label warns that the toy is too advanced for the child in mind, the purchaser should heed the warning and find one to fit the child. This will help reduce the chance of injury.

And, once those presents under the tree have been opened, gather up all those wrappings from the tree and fireplace area and remove them

from the home.

Christmas should be a joyous occasion. Keep it that way by planning for safety, says the Texas Department of Health Resources. It will add to your enjoyment of the season to know that you and your loved ones are as safe as possible.

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**MRS. WRIGHT'S ENGLISH MUFFINS 39c**  
12-oz. Pkg. SUPER SAVER

**DOWNY FABRIC SOFTENER 99c**  
33-oz. Botl. EVERYDAY LOW PRICE

**CRAGMONT BRAND SOFT DRINKS 4 \$1**  
12 To A Case. Ot. Botl. Plus Deposit. EVERYDAY LOW PRICE

**PIEDMONT SALAD DRESSING 69c**  
32-oz. Jar

**DISHWASHING COMPOUND WHITE MAGIC 109**  
50-oz. Box

**SUNSHINE KRISRY CRACKERS 45c**  
1-lb. Box SUPER SAVER



# Calendar of Events

**THURSDAY**

Hereford Study Club, Hereford Country Club, 7:30 p.m.  
 L'Allegria Study Club, REC Medallion Room, 9:30 a.m.  
 Bay View Study Club, home of Mrs. Keith Simmer, 203 N. Texas, 2 p.m.  
 Alpha Iota Mu Chapter of Beta Sigma Phi, First National Bank Community Room 7:30 p.m.

Kiwanis Club, Civic Club Center, noon.  
 Jaycees, Civic Club Center, 8 p.m.  
 VFW, VFW Clubhouse, 8 p.m.  
 American Association of Retired Persons, Community Center, 7 p.m.  
 BPOE Lodge at Elks Hall, 8:30 p.m.

**FRIDAY**

Merry Mixers Square Dance

Club, Christmas party and election of officers, Dickies Restaurant, 6:45 p.m.  
 Garden Beautiful Club, home of Mrs. N.D. Bartlett, 537 W. 15th, 9:30 a.m.  
 Cultural Home Demonstration Club, holiday dinner at Pioneer Natural Gas Flame Room, 7 p.m.  
 Camp Fire Girls Leaders Association at CFG Lodge, 9:30 a.m.  
 Kiwanis Whiteface Breakfast

Club at Dickies Restaurant, 6:30 a.m.  
 Duplicate Bridge at 309 Western, 7:30 p.m.  
 Story hour for children, grades 1-4 at Deaf Smith County Library, 4-4:45 p.m.  
 Patriarchs Militant and Auxiliary, 100F Hall, 8 p.m.

**MONDAY**

County Home Demonstration Club Christmas Tasting Bee at Community Center, noon.  
 Ceramic Art Club, Christmas party in the home of Mrs. Lloyd Kirkeby, 133 Nueces, 11:45 a.m.  
 City Beta Sigma Phi Council, Hereford State Bank Friendship Room, 8 p.m.  
 Music Study Club, home of Mrs. J.R. Allison, 113 N. Texas, 2 p.m.  
 4-H Teen Leaders, Community Center, 7:30 p.m.  
 VFW and Auxiliary, VFW

Clubhouse in Veterans Park, 7:30 p.m.  
 Rotary Club, Civic Club Center, noon.  
 Odd Fellows Lodge, 100F Hall, 8 p.m.  
 Evening Lions, K-Bob's Steak House, 7 p.m.  
 TOPS Evening Chapter, Community Center, 6 p.m.  
 Square Dance Lessons, Community Center, 7:30 p.m.  
 Masonic Lodge, Masonic Temple, 7:30 p.m.  
 Easter Lions, Easter Clubhouse, 8 p.m.

**TUESDAY**

Hereford CowBelles Tasting

Bee in the home of Mrs. C.F. Newsom, 150 Liveoak, 11:30 a.m.  
 Dawn Music Club home of Mrs. Carl Wimberley, 2 p.m.  
 Ford 4-H Club, Ford Schoolhouse, 5 p.m.  
 Dandi Doers 4-H Club, Christmas Party at Community Center, 4 p.m.  
 Rebekah Lodge, 100F Hall, 8 p.m.  
 Pioneer Study Club, luncheon at Caison Steak House, 11:30 a.m.  
 Hereford Newcomers Club, luncheon at Community Center, noon.  
 Order of Eastern Star in

Masonic Temple, 7:30 p.m.  
 Velela Study Club, Christmas party in the home of Mrs. George Olson, 8 p.m.  
 Young Mothers Study Club, Santa Clause party for children in Southwestern Public Service Reddy Room, 7:30 p.m.  
 Hereford TOPS Club, Community Center, 9 a.m.  
 Weight Watchers at First Baptist Church, 8 p.m.  
 Singles group in Fellowship Hall of First Baptist Church, 7:30 p.m.  
 Hereford Board of Realtors, lunch at Dickies Restaurant, noon.

**WEDNESDAY**

Bippus Home Demonstration Club, home of Mrs. C.F. Homfeld, 2 p.m.  
 Noon Lions, Civic Club Center, noon.  
 Story hour for preschool children at Deaf Smith County Library 3-3:30 p.m.



DEAF SMITH COUNTY MUSEUM HOURS

Open Tuesday-Saturday, 10 to 5; Sunday 2-5; closed Monday. Free admission.

## Who's New

Mr. and Mrs. A. Ortiz of 1106 Dayton are the parents of a son born Nov. 26. He weighed 6 lbs. 10 oz.

Mr. and Mrs. Dennis Latham of 205 Funston are the parents of a daughter, Stefanie Ann born Nov. 28. She weighed 5 lbs. 14 oz.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Mickler of Route 5 are the parents of a son born Nov. 29. He weighed 7 lbs. 5 1/4 oz.

Mr. and Mrs. E. Mendoza of 829 Brevard are the parents of a daughter, Alice, born Nov. 29.

Mr. and Mrs. R. Fuentes of 204 Hereford St. are the parents of a daughter, Maizie, born Nov. 30. She weighed 5 lbs. 12 1/2 oz.

Mr. and Mrs. G. Thomas of 219 Douglas are the parents of a daughter, Andrea Lynn, born Dec. 1. She weighed 7 lbs. 3 oz.

Mr. and Mrs. S. Esquivel of 134 Ave. 1 are the parents of a son, David, born Dec. 1. He weighed 7 lbs.

Mr. and Mrs. M. Conaway of Summerfield are the parents of a son born Dec. 1. He weighed 6 lbs. 5 oz.

Mr. and Mrs. D. Simons of 800 Irving are the parents of a son, Robin Kristopher, born Nov. 26. He weighed 6 lbs. 8 oz.

To be a good buy and an appropriate gift, a toy must be suitable for the child's age, size and developmental level, Mrs. Ilene Miller, family life education specialist with the Texas Agricultural Extension Service, The Texas A&M University System, says.

Plastic bags are ideal for storing jewelry since they keep out dust, lint and moisture, Mrs. Becky Culp, area clothing specialist with the Texas Agricultural Extension Service, The Texas A&M University System, notes.



Let Carol Rose show you how you can qualify for FHA, VA or Conventional Loans  
 205 S. 25 Mile Ave.  
 364-6633

**PICK OF CHICK** Fryer Legs, Thighs and Breast Lb. **89c**

**FRYER** Drumsticks or Thighs **89c**

**SALAD SHRIMP** Brilliant Cooked 9-oz. **\$1.29**

**CATFISH STEAK** Fresh Super Water Saver lb. **88c**

**FISH STEAKS** Perch or Cod Super Saver 10-oz. **39c**

**PORTERHOUSE STEAK** Super Saver **\$2.19**

**PORK CHOPS** Wilson's Corn King Smoked Super Saver lb. **\$1.99**

**BURRITOS** Senior, Blues Beef & Bean (10-lb. Case '42) Super Saver lb. **79c**

**CHICKEN FRY** Tendermade Pre-Cooked Steak Saver (10-lb. Case '91) Super Saver lb. **99c**

**CORN DOGS** Little Boy Blues (10-lb. Case '91) Super Saver lb. **\$1.09**

**FRYER PARTS** Grade 'A' Mixed Parts **39c** Lb.

3 Breast Quarters 3 Giblets  
 3 Leg Quarters 3 Extra Wings

**T-BONE STEAK** USDA Choice **\$2.19** Lb.

**SIRLOIN STEAK** USDA Choice **\$1.78** Lb.

**SIRLOIN BUTT** USDA Choice 16 to 20 lbs. **\$1.39** lb.

**SHORT LOIN** USDA Choice 16 to 20 lbs. **\$1.89** lb.

# AT SAFEWAY...

FULL CASES OF THESE QUALITY SAFEWAY BRANDS...

**SAVE** ON FULL CASES THIS WEEK!

**PEAS OR CORN** 3 17-oz. Cans **89c**  
 TOWN HOUSE SUPER SAVER 24-ct. Case **\$6.99**

**PORK & BEANS** 5 16-oz. Cans **\$1.00**  
 TOWN HOUSE SUPER SAVER! 24-ct. Case **\$4.69**

**SPINACH** 5 15-oz. Cans **\$1.00**  
 TOWN HOUSE SUPER SAVER! 24-ct. Case **\$4.69**

**NEW POTATOES** 5 15-oz. Cans **\$1.00**  
 TOWN HOUSE WHOLE OR SLICED SUPER SAVER! 24-ct. Case **\$4.13**

**INST. POTATOES** 5 5-oz. Boxes **\$1.00**  
 TOWN HOUSE SUPER SAVER! 24-ct. Case **\$4.49**

**TOMATOES** 3 16-oz. Cans **\$1.00**  
 TOWN HOUSE STEWED OR WHOLE PEELED SUPER SAVER! 24-ct. Case **\$7.69**

**NON-FOODS & VARIETY**

**BROOMS** \$3.69

Marigold Straw Brooms

EVERYDAY LOW PRICE

Toothpaste 49c  
 Shampoo 89c  
 Cream Rinse 78c  
 Hand Lotion 78c  
 Aspirin 49c  
 Mouthwash 69c  
 Vitamin C \$1.29  
 Baby Shampoo \$1.49  
 Flashlight Batteries 59c  
 Oil Filters \$1.99  
 Cleans & Shines \$1.19

**MOTOR OIL** \$9.36

Safeway Regular 20 & 30 wt. 24-ct. Case **\$10.08**  
 Heavy Duty 24-ct. Case **39c** Per Qt.

**GARDEN FRESH PRODUCE**

**CABBAGE** \$9.99

AVOCADOS For Salads or Dips Super Saver 3 for \$1.00

RUSSET POTATOES All Purpose 10-lb. Bag **98c**

JUMBO WALNUTS New Crop lb. **59c**

TOMATOES Red Ripe Super Saver 2-lb. Tray **79c**

ACORN SQUASH Baking Size Ea. **29c**

NEW CROP PECANS **89c**

**APPLES** Red Rome For Snacks or Delicious Baked Super Saver 5 lbs. for **\$5.11**

FRESH MUSHROOMS Large Brown lb. **99c**

CARROTS Tender Sweet 2-lb. Bag **49c**

FIRELOGS Safeway Multi Flame (Case of 6...4") Ea. **85c**

ENGLISH CUCUMBERS lb. **79c**

AIRPLANE PLANTS 9 inch Hanging Basket Ea. **\$6.59**

POINSETTIAS Beautiful Christmas Plant 6 in. Pot **\$2.98**

**KITCHEN CRAFT** REGULAR **FLOUR** **69c**

5-lb. Bag **69c**  
 10-lb. Bag **\$1.19**

**WHITE MAGIC** LIQUID **DETERGENT** **89c**

32-oz. Botl. **89c**

**10¢ OFF LABEL** LIQUID DETERGENT **IVORY** **70c**

22-oz. Botl. **70c**

**COCA COLA** 32-oz. Botl. PLUS DEPOSIT **\$1.39**

**SUPER SAVER**

**TUNA** Sea Trader 6.5 oz. **43c**

**EVERYDAY LOW PRICE**

**10¢ OFF LABEL** LAUNDRY DETERGENT **TIDE** **\$1.24**

49-oz. Box **\$1.24**

**ORANGES** Seedless New Crop Navels Super Saver 4 lbs. for **\$4.11**

**SAFEWAY**

**FRIENDLY PEOPLE... FRIENDLY SERVICE**

Isn't it fun to shop where you get help when you need it? If you have a problem, be sure we'll do all we can to help!

**THIS COUPON IS WORTH...**

Towards the purchase of a 24-oz. Jar of **EMPRESS HONEY** **25c**

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# LOOK AT THESE FOOD SAVINGS!

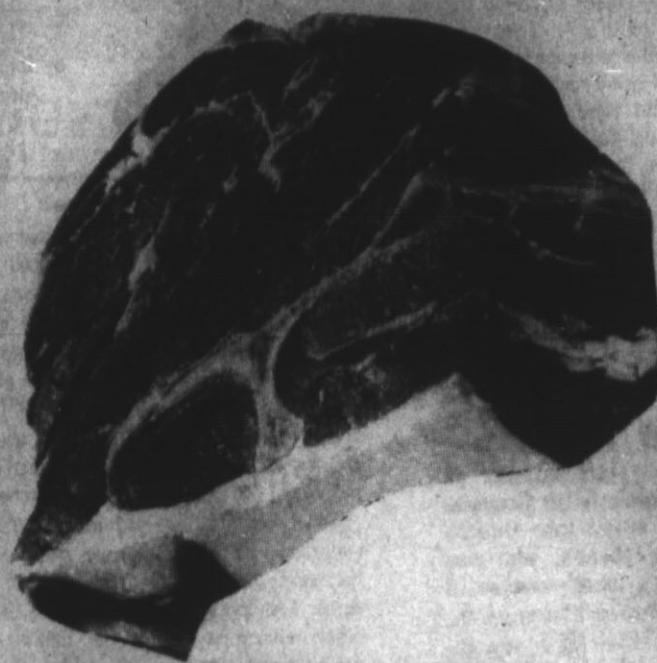


## GRAIN Fed BEEF



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BETTER  
WAY  
TO  
SAVE!

SLICED SLAB <b>Bacon</b> .....	LB.	<b>\$1.39</b>
FAMILY PAK <b>Pork Chops</b> .....	LB.	<b>\$1.39</b>
CENTER CUT <b>Pork Chops</b> .....	LB.	<b>\$1.69</b>
AUSTEX NO BEANS <b>Chili</b> .....	19 OZ.	<b>79¢</b>



BLADE CUT  
**Chuck  
Roast**

LB. **79¢**

**Rib Steak**..... LB. **\$1.29**

**T-Bone Steak**..... LB. **\$1.79**

**1/2 Beef** USDA GOOD or CHOICE 240 to 250 LB. AV. LB. **84¢**

**Ground Beef** FAMILY PAK LB. **79¢**



**POTATOES**  
ALL PURPOSE  
10-LB. BAG..... **89¢**

**AVOCADOS**..... **29¢**

**APPLES** RED OR GOLDEN DELICIOUS 4 LBS. **\$1.00**

CALIFORNIA

**LETTUCE** FIRM HEADS..... HEAD **29¢**

**Cracker Jacks**..... 3 PAK **33¢** **RICH & READY Orange Drink**..... 1-GAL. **99¢**

DETERGENT  
**TIDE**  
**\$4.25**  
FAMILY SIZE

PUREX  
**BLEACH**  
1-GAL. **69¢**

GENERAL ELECTRIC  
Steam Iron  
3-Speed Mixer **\$9.99**  
Can Opener YOUR CHOICE.

**COCA COLA**  
32 OZ.  
RETURNABLE  
**23¢**

SUPER SUDS  
LAUNDRY  
DETERGENT  
GIANT SIZE **69¢**

DOUBLE GUNN BROS.  
STAMPS EVERY  
TUESDAY &  
WEDNESDAY

THRIFTY GROCERY BUYS  
CHIPS AHOY NABISCO  
**Cookies**..... 14-OZ. **89¢**  
POPS-RITE  
**Popcorn**..... 2-LB. BAG **69¢**  
LITTLE BROWNIE  
**Cookies**..... 12 VARIETIES **3/\$1.00**  
FLOORSHINE  
**Klean N' Shine**..... 14-OZ. CAN **\$1.09**

SHURFINE  
**Spinach**..... 303 CANS **4/\$1.00**  
SHURFINE  
**Fruit Cocktail**..... 303 CANS **39¢**  
JOAN OF ARK  
**Sweet Peas**..... 303 CANS **3/\$1.00**  
RENUZIT  
**Air Freshener**..... 7-OZ. SPRAY CAN **49¢**  
VAN CAMP  
**Pork & Beans**..... 300 CANS **29¢**

FROZEN AND DAIRY VALUES  
BIRDSEYE  
**Cool Whip**..... 9-OZ. **59¢**  
TROPHY SWEETENED  
**Strawberries** 30 LB. CAN **\$13.95**  
SHURFINE WHOLE KERNEL  
**Corn**..... 10-OZ. **35¢**

PARKAY  
**Margarine**..... 1-LB. QUARTERS **45¢**  
WELCH'S 40 OZ. BOTTLE  
**Orange or Grape Drink** **49¢**  
SUPREME BETTY CROCKER  
**Brownie Mix**..... 23-OZ. **89¢**  
FOLGERS INSTANT  
**Coffee**..... 13-OZ. JAR **\$2.69**  
GEBERHARDT'S  
**Tamales**..... JUMBO SIZE **69¢**

PURE VEGETABLE  
SHORTENING  
**CRISCO**  
**\$1.59**  
3 LB. CAN

GOLD MEDAL  
**FLOUR**  
10-LB. BAG **\$1.58**

EAGLE BRAND  
**MILK**  
15 OZ. CAN **53¢**

MAXWELL HOUSE  
**COFFEE**  
ALL GRINDS  
1 LB. CAN **\$1.19**

INSTANT TEA  
**NESTEA**  
3 OZ. JAR **\$1.19**

BETTY CROCKER  
**CAKE MIX**  
LAYER CAKE **59¢**

GOOD THROUGH WED. DEC. 3, 1975

# THRIFTWAY

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