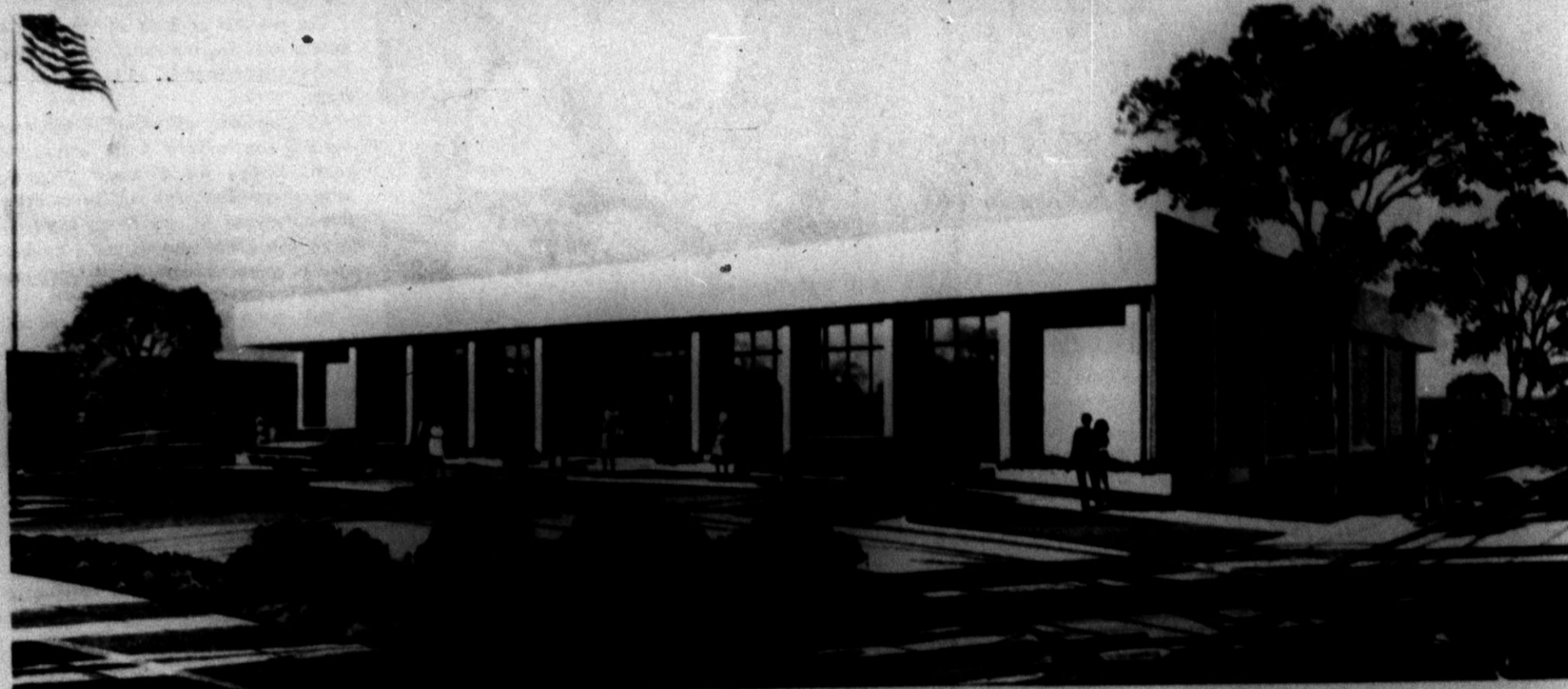


Building Boom Continues

Hereford State Bank Plans New Building



Proposed Hereford State Bank Building

Hereford's building boom is marching forward as predicted with the announcement this week that Hereford State Bank is building a new, modernly designed structure behind its present building. It will have 17,800 square feet in floor space, almost two and half times the size of the present structure.

Joining in the formal disclosure of the HSB plans were Harlan VanderZee HSB president, and Jeff Carlile, executive vice president and trust officer. They said, "On behalf of the board of directors and our employees, we are proud to announce that a new bank building will be constructed and the present one razed to the ground."

THE BUILDING combined with the development of a new 20-unit townhouse complex (Masters Apartments) indicate a strong residential and commercial building trend which began in January with a high amount of building permits issued by the city. See story on page two concerning the apartment complex.

Bids for the bank structure will be opened around March 30 and a decision will follow shortly about the selection of the contractor. Presently, specifications

are in the hands of prospective bidders. VanderZee said construction time is estimated at about nine or 10 months depending on weather. Plans call for the use of the present building until the new is ready and then a massive and rapid move-in is planned, possibly over a long weekend.

"There will be no interrupted service to our customers," the bank president said.

THE PRESENT LOCATION was retained because of its convenient proximity to downtown merchants and the courthouse. A parking lot will be located where the present building is and the new one will cover the lot between the present structure and the drive-in window booths. Possibly two new booths will be opened up directly behind the present ones.

The new banking facility will house a large community or hospitality room, which can be divided by a partition into a meeting room and a room with a coffee bar so refreshments can be served. Also five or six times the present space will be

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By Speedy Niman

That feller on Tierra Blanca Creek says the happy life is made up of love, laughter and work.

Almost all marriages are happy—it's the living together afterwards that causes all the trouble.

This writer made his first trip to Washington, D.C. the past week, accompanying the Deaf Smith Chamber of Commerce group which attended the annual West Texas C of C Texas Congressional Dinner and made numerous contacts with government officials to discuss agricultural problems. Even though I am one of those who think we are getting too much government for our own good, I was still overwhelmed by the bigness of our seats of power—the office buildings and federal employees number far more than I ever dreamed.

The Washington metropolitan area ranks eighth in population in the U.S. at 2,970,000. It boasts the highest average household income of any of the metro areas, which may be one of our problems. Twenty-five percent of the population is employed by the federal government; another 12 percent works for state and local governments, and many others work in industries that deal with the government, for trade associations, labor unions, etc.

The most difficult decision facing visitors to Washington is not deciding what to do, but what must be left out. We didn't have to make that choice, however, as Bill Albright had appointments lined up for the Hereford group that left no time for sight-seeing. The members of the Hereford group commended the chamber's executive vice president for his efficient planning and organization on the trip.

A highlight for this writer was sitting by Congresswoman Barbara Jordan during the Texas Congressional Dinner. We had seen the Houston representative on a "60 Minutes" TV show, and found her to be an interesting conversationalist and highly-informed individual. There are some rumors around Washington that she could be a vice presidential candidate for the Democrats.

The Hereford group was well received in all governmental offices and, while no specific solutions to ag problems are forthcoming, the trip was considered worthwhile by the local citizens. Communications and understanding problems is a big factor, and we've got to keep trying to get our message to the right people.

You may have noticed an article (See HEREFORD BULL, Page 2A)

Absentee Voting Begins Tuesday

Absentee voting for city and school district offices on the joint April 3 election day begins Tuesday at the school tag office and city hall.

It will be the first opportunity of the year for local voters to express their feelings on the political races. Of course, it all culminates with the presidential contest in November.

The absentee voting will last through March 30 with the elections set for Saturday, April 3 at the Hereford Community Center. This is the first year that the city and school districts are holding elections on the same day.

On the ballot will be one contested race each for the school board and the city commission. Two other city and school races are uncontested. The city candidates are Frank Barrett in place 4 and Jim Vines and Stan Fry in place 3. Barrett is an incumbent and incumbent Dub Boyd decided not to seek re-election in place 3.

In the school race, both incumbents Ron Zimmerman and Danny Martin are not running again. In their place, Alex Schroeter in the uncontested place 4 slot and Mrs. Sallie Strain, Bill Kester and Pat Robbins. They will all address a gathering of the Parent-Teacher-Student Organization (PTSO) at 7:30 p.m. Monday at the Hereford High School Library. The public is welcome.

Of course, other elections and important political deadlines are set for this year. A list of them is as follows:

ELECTION INFORMATION

March 15-30--School and city absentee voting.
April 3--City and school election.
April 12-27--Democratic Primary and county election absentee voting.
April 24--Possible school runoff election.

May 1--Democratic Party Primary election.

CANDIDATES

School:
Place 4--Alex Schroeter
Place 5--Mrs. Sallie Strain, Pat Robbins, and Bill Kester.

City:
Place 3--Stan Fry and Jim Vines.
Place 4--Frank Barrett.

County:
Sheriff--Travis McPherson.
Tax Assessor-Collector--Mrs. Nell Miller.

County Commissioners:
Precinct 3--Bruce Coleman and Roy Botkin.
Precinct 1--Leroy Bodkin, Wallace Shelton, Gerald Parker, Donald Henslee and Alfred Smith.

Groups Combine Efforts For Tea

A diverse group of community organizations are merging their efforts to celebrate the nation's Bicentennial at a Colonial Green and Silver Tea from 3-6 p.m. March 25 in the home of Mrs. James W. Witherspoon of Plains Ave.

An invitation has been extended to the entire community to attend the tea, sponsored by the Hereford Bicentennial Committee. Co-chairmen are Mrs. Clint Formby and Mrs. Joe Reinauer Sr.

Cultural aspects from 210 years ago

will be reincarnated in the Witherspoon home through the contributions of several local clubs. Musical selections dating back to the American Revolution will be performed by members of Hereford Music Study Club under the direction of Mrs. Ken Walser and Mrs. Wesley Gulley.

Also, Mrs. Dick Barnard, who is wardrobe coordinator at Deaf Smith County Historical Museum, will direct a style show featuring fashions from 200

years ago. Working with Mrs. Barnard are Mrs. Gerald Parker representing L'Allegre Study Club, Mrs. Bill Walden from Valeda Study Club, and Mrs. Dean Herring, president of La Madre Mia Study Club.

In addition to the Witherspoons' private art collection, pieces of artwork borrowed from members of Hereford Art Guild will be on display.

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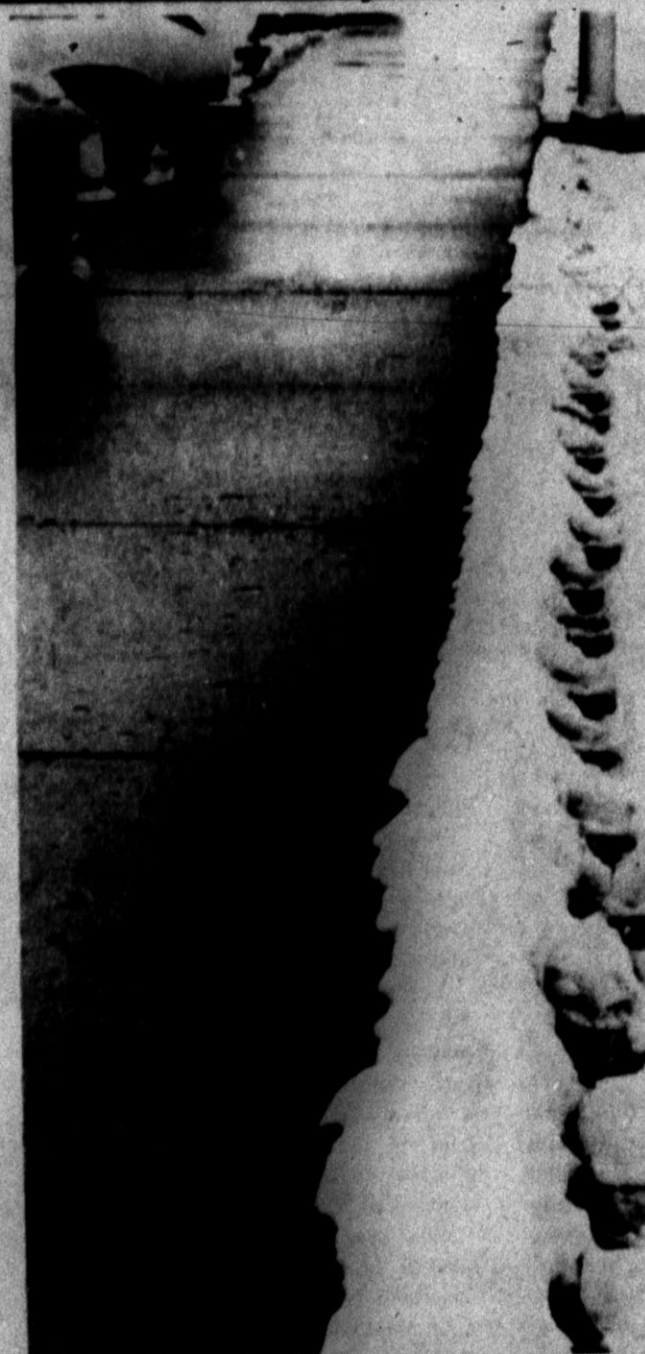


Smoky Situation

The gusty winds Thursday caused this volunteer Hereford fireman havoc as it continually blew a grass fire across land owned by Jake Diehl just southeast of Hereford Feedyards. The fire was called in about 11:30 a.m. with a second alarm called in at 12:30 p.m. causing five units of the

Hereford Volunteer Fire Department to respond. It was finally put out at about 1:22 p.m. It scorched a large section of the dry grassland, which hasn't seen any moisture for three or four months except the recent three and half-inch snow.

(Brand Photo)



Surprise Snowstorm

An anonymous pedestrian left tell-tale tracks along a seemingly passable sidewalk on the side of the Deaf Smith County courthouse Monday morning. However, the person in question no doubt trekked in the snow early in the morning when the sidewalk was slushy mess and not very safe to walk on. Later in the day, the sidewalk snow melted due to the warming temperatures. The 3-inch snowfall was better late than never for the farmers, who are experiencing the driest spell in years.

(Brand Photo)

Firefighting Still Hectic

After a brief respite brought on by light snowfall here earlier this week, things got hectic again for Hereford firemen as they answered three calls Thursday.

Units were called to 142 Roosevelt where an electrical short had caused a fire in the attic of a home owned by Branden Clark Jr. The home was under rent to Dennis Sims Jr.

Fire units were also called to the site of an accident at the intersection of farm roads 1057 and 2397 in Castro County to wash down the area.

High winds hampered firemen in their efforts to extinguish a grassfire shortly before noon Thursday. The fire was near Hereford Feed Yards and required nearly two hours to extinguish. A total of five units responded to the call.

Weather

Day	Hi	Lo
Thursday	63	46
Friday	41	33
Saturday	55	19

[Courtesy of KPAN Radio]

Hospital Board Meets

The board of directors of the Deaf Smith County Hospital District will meet in regular session at 7 a.m. Tuesday at the Deaf Smith General Hospital to consider a four item agenda.

Ron Welty, hospital administrator, will present the operating report for February as well as other miscellaneous reports of the administrator. Dr. A.T. Mims, chief of staff, will give the monthly medical staff report.

Townhouse Complex In Construction Stage

The Hereford residential community will soon have the opportunity to live in a contemporary townhouse complex being presently constructed in the 100 block of E. 15th Street in the northern part of town.

The Masters apartments, provided by four local investors, will feature one, two and three bedroom apartments with one of the more unique designs by a leading architect. The complex is scheduled for a July completion date with a forthcoming announcement on leasing in the near future.

The floor plans for the apartments are included with living and dining area, multiple bathrooms, a laundry room, roomy storage facilities, courtyards, and convenient kitchens. The builders say the apartments are solely for the comfortable living of their inhabitants and no facilities such as a swimming pool will be built.

The exterior design will consist mostly of brick with cedar siding. Front and rear entries of each townhouse will offer convenient access. Each unit will include fenced patios and multiple choice of floor plans.

The complex is divided into five separate buildings with four living units per building.

Other features of the apartments are fire places, two carports per unit, coordinated landscaping, spacious living quarters, individually controlled air-conditioning and heating, utility rooms with washer and dryer connections, vaulted ceilings, different color schemes, carpeting throughout, decorative light fixtures and wallpapered bathroom and kitchen areas.

The kitchen will feature wood cabinets,

four burner self cleaning range and oven, garbage disposal and automatic dishwasher. Bathrooms will have separate vanity areas, full mirrors and ceramic tile walls.

Building on the complex began in the February with a building permit for \$600,000. The displacement of the apartments is 36,855 square feet.

Police Make Marijuana Arrests

Hereford police made two arrests for possession of marijuana and investigated the thefts of two CB radios in recent days.

Charles Anthony Anderson, 19, and Allen Dean Lowell, 23, both of Hereford, were arrested for possession of marijuana March 7.

According to police reports, the two were stopped on a traffic matter and officers discovered that the men were in possession of marijuana.

Vera High of 1513 Wulf reported the theft of a CB radio from her car Wednesday.

Kathy Hickerson of Hereford reported the theft of clothing and linens from Edwards Laundry Tuesday. The items had been left in a dryer at the laundry when they were stolen.

A CB radio and suitcase owned by Bobby Grubb of Odessa were stolen Wednesday. The items were taken from Grubb's vehicle, which was parked at Bill James Trucking.



Planning Ahead

Harlan VanderZee, HSB president, and Jeff Carlile, executive vice president, review plans for the new Hereford State Bank building. Both announced this week that a new building, two and

a half times the size of the present one, will be constructed during the next year behind the present structure.

Sheriff's Office Files Monthly Report

The monthly sheriff's report by Travis McPherson to the Federal Bureau of Investigation shows a total of 97 arrests and 19 total offenses reported to the department during February.

The report listed the value of stolen

property at \$5,854. This consists of currency and notes, clothing, motor vehicles, office equipment, televisions, radios, stereos, firearms, household goods, and uncategorized miscellaneous items.

The total value of property recovered was \$648. Broken down, it included currency, notes, etc., \$7.50; motor vehicles-\$250; firearms-\$90; and miscellaneous-\$300.

The largest portion of the arrests was 42 for driving while intoxicated (DWI). The rest were for the following offenses: drunkenness, 21; larceny-theft, six; drug abuse, four; and burglary. Motor vehicle theft-fraud-and carrying prohibited weapons, one each. All other offenses amounted to 20.

Of the offenses reported, 10 were for larceny-theft; eight for burglary; and one for motor vehicle theft.

Total offenses cleared by arrest or exceptional means were 11.

The report consists of activity of the sheriff's department and Texas Highway Patrol stationed here. The city police department lists their report separately.

Drivers Reminded To Stop For Buses

City police are reminding drivers that they've been forgetting an important traffic regulation lately, and carelessness on their part could lead to a tragedy.

According to Capt. Ray Morgan of the city police department, numerous complaints have been received this week concerning failure on the part of the drivers to stop when school buses are loading or unloading children.

"Three students came close to being struck by vehicles near the high school Thursday because drivers failed to stop," said Morgan. "The law requires drivers to stop when approaching or following a school bus when the lights are flashing. This is for both loading and unloading," he added.

The fine for failure to stop ranges from \$10 to \$200.

"We would advise drivers to remember to use due caution. Taking a little extra time could save someone's life," Morgan concluded.

The municipal airport for a hangar. The final item is being sought by Caviness Meat Packing, members of the Joe Reinauer family and Pitman Grain.

Routine items include seal coat bids, a bid on a city truck and a discussion concerning the Community Center director.

City commissioners include Mayor Jim Sears, Frank Barrett, Emory Brownlow, Paul Abalos, and Dub Boyd.

City Commission Plans To Meet Monday Night

The Hereford City Commission will meet in regular session at 7:30 p.m. Monday on the second floor of city hall to consider a seven-item agenda of rather routine nature.

The commissioners will be acting on a request to change the name of 25-Mile Avenue to Broadway Street, changes in the "electrical" code, a street paving program, and a request to lease space at

Demos To Meet Saturday

The Deaf Smith County Democratic Party executive committee will convene at 2 p.m. Monday in the County Commissioner's Court room on the second floor of the courthouse.

Clinton Jackson, secretary for the committee, said the committee is meeting to receive certificates showing names of state and district candidates, to determine by lot the order of candidates' names on the ballot, and to decide the hour and place at which the county convention shall be held on Saturday, May 8.

Also, the committee members are to determine at the meeting or at another one if electronic voting systems are to be used and to decide the use of voting machines in absentee voting. The second consideration applies to counties where voting machines are used in all or part of the election precincts.

The democratic primary election is

scheduled for Saturday, May 1, with absentee voting occurring between April 12 and 27 at the courthouse.

Pioneer Corp. Acquires Oil Industry Firm

The Board of Directors of Pioneer Corporation announced today they had reached an agreement-in-principle with the stockholders of International Tool and Supply Company, Inc., for Pioneer to acquire that Company by a tax-free exchange of stock.

International Tool and Supply

Company, Inc. (ITS), is an oil field supply, manufacturing and service organization with headquarters in New York.

ITS supplies drilling and production equipment to the oil industry throughout the free world. The Company is one of the larger suppliers of drilling and production equipment to the oil

industry, and has a plant and offices in Houston, Texas.

Details of the financial arrangements were not made public, but it was announced that the present management of ITS, Robert G. Chadderdon, Earl N. Stone, and other key employees will remain with the organization.

Pioneer Corporation, through subsidiary operations, is engaged in the exploration for, and production of oil and natural

gas, as well as the production of liquid hydrocarbons, coal,

vanadium, and uranium. Pioneer also operates a state-wide network of heavy construction equipment dealerships and a contract oil and gas drilling business. Pioneer Natural Gas Company, the utility division, serves natural gas customers in an area about the size of the State of Ohio, in the Panhandle and High Plains of Texas.

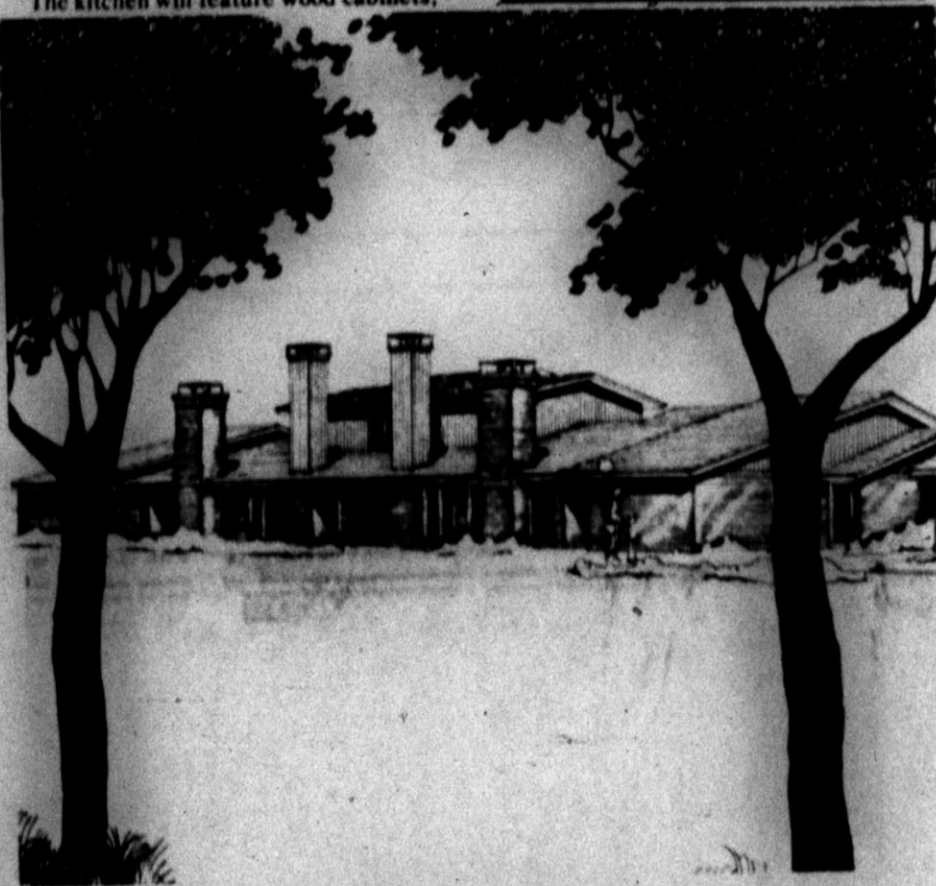
Big Brother-Big Sisters Board Gathered Wed.

The board of Big Brothers-Big Sisters met in regular monthly session Wednesday morning. They welcomed new board member, Patsy Giles, who is employed by the Hereford Independent School District.

The public relations committee reported on the cable TV show to be aired Thursday night, at 6:30 p.m. on Channel #6. This show will feature Big Brother-Little Brother, Big Sister-Little Sister matches. Tom Simons will host the show.

The membership committee announced the approval of 2 new Big Brothers, Virgil Sientz and Ken Ball, and a new Big Sister, Frieda Ball.

The events and activities committee reminded the board of the Appreciation Dinner, March 18. This will be held at the American Legion Hall at 7:00 p.m. This affair is to honor Big Brothers and Big Sisters and is open to the public. The cost of the dinner is \$3.00, and is being catered by K-Bobs.



Masters Apartments

Vets To Be Sent Checks

The Veterans Administration has good news for war veterans living in Deaf

Soc. Security Lists Dates For Hereford

A representative of the Amarillo Social Security Office will be at the Deaf Smith County Courthouse from 9:15-12:00 and from 1:00-3:00 every Tuesday during April, May and June to counsel anyone needing help on matters relating to Social Security, Supplemental Security Income or Medicare.

Service can also be obtained by going to the Social Security Office at 317 East 3rd St., Amarillo or by telephone 806/376-2241. The Amarillo office is open from 9:00 a.m. to 4:45 p.m. Monday through Friday.

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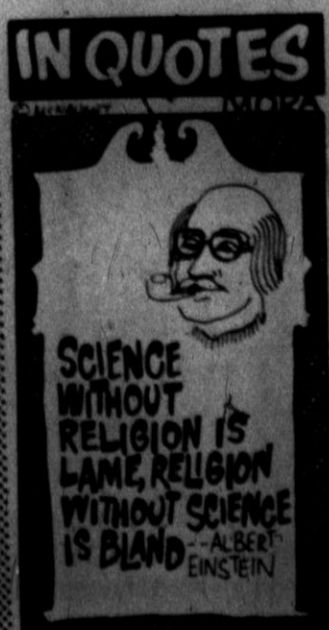
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By Bill Albright, Executive VP
Chamber of Commerce



No new construction! No money for repairs! Those words are not mere threats—they promise to replace the reputation of the "Best Roads in America."

In visiting with Highway officials, I was surprised to learn that our Texas Highway network is headed downhill. This is unless some strong measures are taken to provide funds for our fine outstanding road system.

I first became aware of the problem about a year ago when I wrote my usual periodic request for 100 Texas Highway maps - which we distribute to visitors and tourists. Of course, I was totally surprised when I received a single map and a letter stating that there would be no more multiple map issues due to limited funds. While that's important to Texas Tourism - an even more important feature of the cut back will be the deterioration of our intrastate transportation system.

The urgency of the situation is quite critical - more so than folks would realize - and that's because of the great size of the network! No other place in the world has such a complex, huge road system and when it begins to deteriorate it will be a gigantic task to try to catch up.

What we need to do is to prevent the loss on degrading of our roads and to insist on a continued program of good maintenance and additional construction to keep up with increased demands.

If you're interested in this matter and you want to do something about it - let us know.

Much has already been said and printed about the West

Texas Chamber of Commerce Washington Reception. I'll add my comments in very abbreviated form. Fourteen of us carried a message to Washington D. C. We communicated that message - realized a measure of understanding - represented our community in typically proud fashion and feel like some progress has been accomplished. I was very pleased that we had so many good people from such different professional backgrounds - that was truly impressive. And you can bet that we'll keep working to educate folks on what "Food Production" means to everyone.

While I commented briefly on The Miss Hereford Scholarship Pageant last week, I just want to say that I've never seen a more professionally produced pageant. Each contestant is a winner and is a beautiful representation of the best of Hereford and Deaf Smith County. It would be really well for each of us to let them - all of them know how much we appreciate them and how proud they make us feel.

A reminder! The Chamber FUN Breakfast will be on TUESDAY, MARCH 23 at 6:30 a.m., Hereford High School Cafeteria. A great program is planned and we want to disappoint no one - so won't you please make your plans now to attend and call the Chamber Office THIS WEEK with your reservation. Bring a friend.

There will be FUN & GAMES & ENTERTAINMENT AND A GOOD Breakfast and fellowship and CASH PRIZES!

But you'd better HUSTLE, HUSTLE, HUSTLE!

'Father Power' Gains Importance

"Just being a man" is the most important aspect of fatherhood, Mrs. Ilene Miller, a family life education specialist, says.

"From their dad's examples children learn what it means to be masculine. Watching and listening to their father helps children perceive how men should behave. They learn that men are more than only fathers—they're husbands, career men, citizens and individuals with varied interests and talents," she added.

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

"The best gift a father can give a son or daughter is himself—spending time working and playing with his children."

"Fathers also help their children become sociable and behave acceptably as they interpret the codes of society. They show and tell children what is right and wrong—what they can and cannot do, and why."

"Fathers are one of the

children's prime links with the wide world of the community. Through his conversations, interests and activities, a father influences his child's attitudes about the community," she said.

Being a good father is closely tied with being a good husband, the specialist added.

"Children benefit from family situations where father and mother share their work, friends, concerns, along with their joys too. The child's attitudes about home and parental roles are shaped by these early contacts with both father and mother and remain with him all his life," she said.

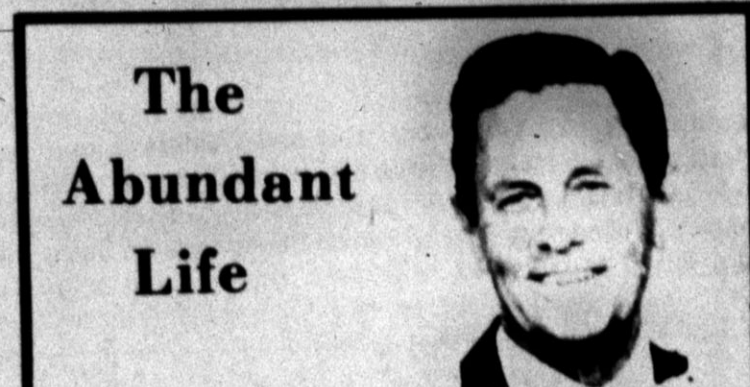
Fathers' roles have changed over the past 20 years. They are becoming more involved with home affairs and child rearing and realizing that fathering is a full time position beginning with the baby's birth, she said.

"Children grow self-confident and independent through warm, concerned and continuous contact with parents," Mrs. Miller said.



Volunteer At Work

Rosie Griffin, Stanton Junior High School Volunteer, right, encourages one of her pupils while ninth grade math teacher, Reelin Suttle, center, watches approvingly. See Volunteer registration form on this page.



Many things are involved in pleasant and continuing desirable human relationships, but not too many. All of us should be cheerfully doing our very best to achieve the greatest degree of success we can in all of them.

There would probably be different opinion about which one of these things is most important; and it may be that no one thing is most important. Nevertheless, all of us will agree that "understanding" is certainly essential to satisfactory and meaningful interactions.

THIS UNDERSTANDING is a broad-based ingredient in happy associations, and is expressed in different ways. The most helpful is in the generous attitude toward the mistakes of others.

Mistakes are going to be made by all of us, but one of the very worst mistakes is in the faulty behavior of the persons who "rub it in". Such people make too much to do about the mistake, and continue talking about it and reminding the person, who made it, about it.

SOME HAPPENINGS, involving mistakes, and wrongdoings, must be dealt with; but any can be ignored. Most of the people making mistakes or engaging in wrongdoings will feel unhappy enough, because of what they have done. It is cruel of others to "rub it in".

Once in awhile, there may be sound reason for reminding

someone of a mistake that has been made. When this is done, it must be done in the very best way; with compassion and understanding.

"DON'T RUB IT IN", when someone makes a mistake. It is better that we say and do what we can to help each other throw off the discouragement and embarrassment which may be caused by what has happened. This is one of the positive and constructive ways we can better use our lives.

All of us are better off, if we say and do the things that will build up. In many instances we can ignore the mistakes; or forgive and forget. When possible, this is just exactly what we must do.

"I told you that you were wrong" may be a necessary reminder, once in awhile, but most of the time it is out of order. When this statement is necessary, for the purpose of accomplishing a well-defined constructive purpose, it must be made with the greatest humility and kindness. "Don't Rub It In." In most cases, it will be necessary to exercise the greatest degree of restraint; but the effort is more than justified.

THERE IS A GENERAL INCLINATION toward the harmful and non-productive practice of "rubbing it in"; but, as we refine our attitudes and increase our sympathetic understanding, we will do less of it.

MANSFIELD TO RETIRE

Mike Mansfield, who provided the Senate with low-key leadership through the troubled years of Vietnam and Watergate, has announced he will not seek re-election.

SCRANTON GETS NOD

The Senate has approved President Ford's naming of former Pennsylvania Gov. William Scranton to succeed Daniel Moynihan as ambassador to the U.N. He will continue a policy of defending the United States "against unfair attacks."

ON THE PILL

Three major drug companies have stopped marketing sequential oral contraceptives because of new evidence that they may be harmful to women, the Food and Drug Administration said.

ON MAIL INTERCEPTION

A House subcommittee has begun contempt action against five federal agents who, under orders from top administration officials, refused to testify on interception of cable traffic for intelligence purposes.

WARNS CUBA

Secretary of State Henry A. Kissinger has warned Cuba not to take U.S. inaction in Angola as a guide to this country's response to any future Cuban intervention in Africa or the Western Hemisphere.

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Program Is Not Reopening

Land Commissioner Bob Armstrong has said that the decision to sell new bonds for the Veterans Lan Program does not mean the immediate reopening of the Program.

"The Veterans Land Board today decided to go to the bond market the first week in April if conditions are favorable. However this does not necessarily mean we will begin taking new applications as soon as new bonds are sold," Armstrong said.

Armstrong said he did not anticipate beginning taking new applications for loans under the program until at least mid-summer of 1976.

Armstrong explained that unless the processing of most of the applications on hand is completed before the program reopens, new delays will await veterans who may apply for loans.

Acceptance of new applications for veteran's real estate loans under the program was temporarily suspended December 31, 1975. Bond money available for loans had been committed more quickly than anticipated because of an unexpected flood of applications.

More than 1,700 applications were received during the month of December alone.

Armstrong said that more

than 500 loans had been closed during the six weeks the program has been suspended and that his staff is increasing its percentage of closings each week.

"I am proud of the staff's

efficiency in processing the backlog," Armstrong said. "But until the backlog is reduced substantially, it won't be possible to take new applications. We will do so just as soon as possible."

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Committee Continues To Lay Groundwork For YMCA

"We want the fact emphasized that we intend to try to offer programs which will be of interest to as many people as possible," stated one of the temporary board members of the Hereford and vicinity YMCA at their noon luncheon Thursday at the Country Club.

The previously planned election of a permanent Board of Directors was postponed until the next meeting which will be on March 25 also at the Country Club.

The three major committees of the project were organized.

The Personnel Committee which will seek a Director, the Finance Committee which will try to budget expenses for the next two years and the Fund Raising Committee which as the name implies will be in charge of raising the money.

The members were in agreement that any program would be provided in which sufficient interest was shown and for which sufficient money could be raised and proper leadership provided.

Bill Johnson is temporary chairman of the group which has

laid the groundwork for the formation of the YMCA.

Thus, far, a state charter has been obtained and the project has been incorporated as a non-profit organization.

A large amount of money has already been raised but it was emphasized that all donations will be gladly accepted regardless of how much has already been accumulated. There is no way a project such as this can ever have too much money.

Inquires have also been sent to the National YMCA in New York for help in finding a Director.

TEA Seeks Location Of Handicapped Kids

AUSTIN—The Texas Education Agency (TEA) is beginning a statewide effort to locate and identify every handicapped child of school age not now in school.

State Board of Education Chairman Joe Kelly Bulter of Houston announced the beginning of project "Child Find" at a Capitol news conference in Austin.

"Child Find," he said, "is designed to search out young people between the ages of 3 and 21 who are blind, deaf, physically handicapped, emotionally disturbed, or mentally retarded, and those with learning disabilities."

The program will be implemented by education service centers in 20 regions throughout Texas, with the cooperation of the state's 1,121 independent school districts. In each region, door-to-door contacts will be made in one specific community served by a school district with an average daily attendance of approximately 3,000 students.

Kelly said through the news media and through door-to-door canvasses, handicapped children not in school will be contacted, their families will receive counseling services, and the children will begin receiving the education they need.

No statistics are available on the number of uneducated handicapped children, Bulter said. "We believe the number is 10,000 children. These children are not receiving educational services promised them by Texas law, and it is the duty of public education agencies to make their parents or guardians aware that free special education is available."

"Texas has made dramatic improvements in special education," Bulter added. "Today, public education is serving more than 300,000 students in special education programs. But that is only 76 per cent of the handicapped children now in the state. It is the goal of public education to be serving the needs of every handicapped child in Texas between the ages of 3 and 21 by 1980—more than 450,000 children."

Child Find is a project of Texas Education Agency's division of special education and is financed by a grant from the U.S. Office of Education, Bureau of Education for the Handicapped.

"Hope is what we're offering thousands of Texas youngsters through the project called Child Find," Bulter points out. If a child's needs cannot be met educationally, Child Find serves as a coordinator, matching

available services and resources to the individual situation of the child. The Board chairman emphasized the program will not duplicate services of other public agencies or private organizations. He said Child Find will act as a "catalyst," representing the child's best interests to appropriate organizations and communicating the availability of special services to parents and guardians on a person-to-person basis.

DEPOSIT RETURNED
COLUMBUS, OHIO—Mrs. Ethel Kehrer, a 72-year-old widow, pressed city officials for the past two years, seeking return of \$5 she felt she was owed for a water service deposit paid 47 years ago. The city finally returned the deposit.

BICENTENNIAL FRUIT
MILLBROOK, N. Y. — Rep. Hamilton Fish Jr., whose upstate New York district is known for apples, is cosponsoring a resolution that the apple be designated the official Bicentennial fruit.

CHIEF DIES
SIOUX FALLS, S. D. — Sioux Chief William Red Fox—probably the last living person who was anywhere near the Little Big Horn massacre of the 7th Cavalry—is dead. He was 105.

The average speed of the housefly is four and a half miles per hour.



Pintail Banded

This pintail duck is ready to be banded by Texas Parks and Wildlife Department biologists after being trapped in the Hereford area. Duck banding information is used to help set future waterfowl seasons in Texas and the Central Flyway. Successful hunters and nature observers who turn in bands taken from ducks and geese anytime they are found or collected help make the banding efforts of biologists worthwhile.

Corporate Productivity Increases During 1975

Washington — Productivity in nonfinancial corporations increased 3.9 percent in 1975, according to preliminary figures announced by the Bureau of Labor Statistics of the U.S. Department of Labor.

The increase compares with a 2.7 percent decline in 1974. The increase in 1975 reflects a larger decline in hours than in output, as both measures continued the declines begun in 1974.

In 1975, output declined 2.4 percent and hours declined 6.1 percent on an annual average basis. The nonfinancial corporate sector includes all corporations doing business in the United States, with the exception of banks, stock and commodity brokers, and insurance and credit agencies.

Hourly compensation, which includes both wages and supplements, increased 10.2 percent in 1975, compared with a 9.6 percent increase in 1974. The 1975 increase was the largest in the 1959-1975 period.

Unit labor cost, which reflects changes in both output per hour and compensation per hour, increased substantially less in

1975 (6.1 percent) than in 1974 (12.6 percent), owing in large part to the increase in productivity in 1975 (3.9 percent). In 1974, productivity declined 2.7 percent.

Real hourly compensation (hourly compensation adjusted for changes in the Consumer Price Index) increased 1.0 percent in 1975, compared with a 1.3 percent decline in 1974.

Unit nonlabor cost (including capital consumption allowances, net interest, and indirect business taxes) increased 13.2 percent in 1975, compared with a 16.1 percent increase in 1974.

Excepting the 1974 increase, the rise in 1975 was the largest in the 1959-1975 period. Total unit costs (labor and nonlabor costs combined) increased 7.9 percent in 1975, compared with a 13.5 percent increase in 1974.

Unit profits recovered strongly in 1975, after having declined in the 2 prior years. The 31.1 percent increase for the year brought unit profits to their highest level since 1968.

The implicit price deflator for the nonfinancial corporate sector rose 9.7 percent in 1975,

compared with a 10.7 percent increase in 1974. This measure, which reflects changes in unit labor cost, unit nonlabor cost, and profits, posted its second largest increase in the 1959-1975 period, the largest increase having occurred in 1974.

The demand for labor reflected the decline in output which occurred in 1975. Compared with 1974 levels, employment was off 4.9 percent and average weekly hours down 1.3 percent, so that employee-hours declined 6.1 percent. In 1974, aggregate hours were also lower (down 0.1 percent) than in the preceding year, but employment grew 1.1 percent.

Any interest penalty paid in 1975 for withdrawing money early from a time savings account is deductible, Lynn Bourland, family resource management specialist with the Texas Agricultural Extension Service, The Texas A&M University System, says. Those accounts pay higher interest rates than ordinary passbook accounts if the depositor does not withdraw funds from them before a specified date. Claim the deduction on line 41 of Form 1040. The deduction applies only to those who use the long form. Form 1040A cannot be used for this purpose. Be sure to include the forfeited interest with the total interest income on line 11, she said.

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Travel Map Of Area Offered

Burvin Hines, Chairman of the West Texas Chamber of Commerce Tourist and Travel Development Committee, has announced that the 1976 Bicentennial Edition of the "Wonderful West Texas" Fun and Adventure Map was released at the Dallas Sports and Vacation Show scheduled March 7-14.

Among the points of interest noted on the map is a section on Hospitable, Hustlin' Hereford, its agricultural importance and its National Cowgirl Hall of Fame.

The full color folder offers travel information on 69 attractions, towns, museums, colleges, and universities.

Throughout West Texas and number keys each to a 4-color travel map of the area for easy reference.

Hines, who is Senior Vice President of the First National Bank of Arlington, stated that "People traveling in West Texas and prospective visitors to the area, by using the map, can easily plan a complete vacation or a weekend outing. Many points of interest are shown that might easily be overlooked by the visitor. By using the Fun and Adventure Map, savings can also be made in travel time and distance."

Hines went on to say that "Total distribution for the Fun and Adventure Map designed to sell West Texas as a prime travel destination would exceed 100,000 copies, and that distribution would include direct mail-outs from the WTCC office, Texas Highway Department Information Centers, Travel Clubs, Travel Shows and participants."

Free copies of the Fun and Adventure Maps are available by contacting the WTCC Travel Department, P. O. Box 1561, Abilene, TX 79604.

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DAIRY PRICE SUPPORT

The Agriculture Department said it will raise dairy price supports April 1 by 5.4 percent, which economists said will prevent any major decline in consumer prices for milk and milk products.

ON NAVAL OIL

House and Senate conferees have approved a compromise bill to open the huge Elk Hills naval petroleum reserve in California to commercial production while leaving it under the jurisdiction of the secretary of the Navy.

ON SS TAX

President Ford's plan to raise Social Security payroll taxes by \$3.3 billion next year was tentatively rejected by the Senate Finance Committee.



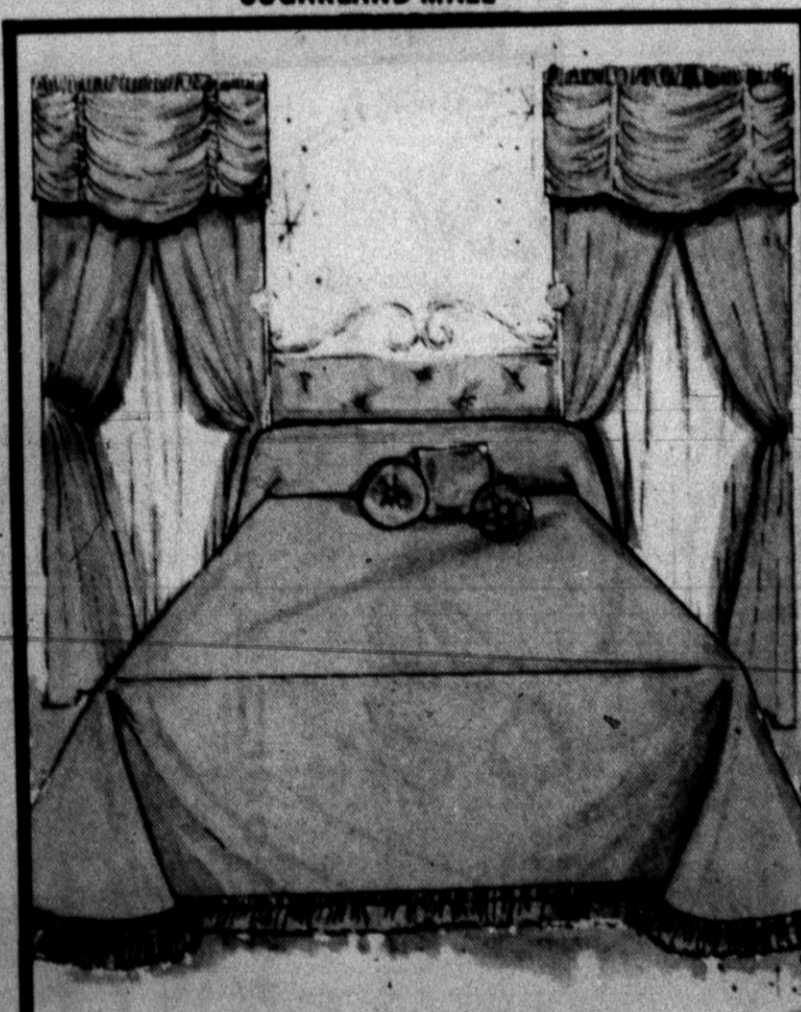
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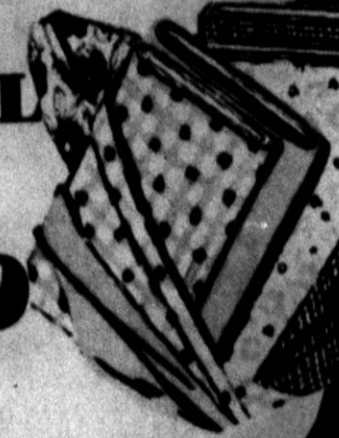
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Spring means new life, which is evident all around us; it brings Easter (April 18th), a symbol of new life, warmer weather, baseball, the approach of holidays and spring fever and taxes. As we witness the resurgence of nature's vital forces around us, many seek to grasp the moral, the hope represented therein.

These inexorable laws of nature continue year after year their inevitable procession, inviting men and women to enjoy the delightful experience, to think about spring's meaning and the fundamental purpose and cycle of life, death, and time.

From the 20th until September, six months hence, our days will be longer than nights. They will also be the warmest of the year, at the end of which we will once again welcome cooler air and brisk days—and be ready again for what nature has in store—in its life cycle.

American Life & Style

In material wealth and work-saving devices the American standard of living is among the highest in the world. Americans like to boast that their country is the richest in the world.

Measured by many material guidelines the U.S. standard is high—not the highest, however, in all. But there is more to life than material wealth and critics of America often argue, sometimes convincingly, that the American way of life seems to force everyone into a sort of mass-production mold of standardized behavior, mannerisms and living.

Perhaps that criticism partly misses the point in that there is such a large, affluent middle class in this country outsiders tend to compare it with upper classes in other countries. But there is also substance to the accusation that we are such a mass production society too many fail to achieve or seek a quality life.

Do we all want to act like the unmannered masses pictured in TV commercials cramming hamburgers down craws? Do we all want to emulate the morons in the beer commercials, giggling and grinning over nothing? Are too many of us buying mass-produced junk furniture, junk children's toys, flashy and poorly tailored clothes, nutritionally-lacking artificial foods and drink, etc.?

Quality is worth seeking. Style, culture, pride and poise are worth the effort. Mass-production has done wonders in reducing living costs but something else must be added in life if we are not all to be comminized into stereotypes, into an uninteresting, ordinary average.

Three-Day Mail?

One of the more asinine possibilities suggested by a top Washington official recently was the feeble or tentative suggestion by a high Postal Service official that mail delivery might be curtailed to three-times-a-week delivery.

There have been many indications of late that new top leadership is needed in the Postal Service. This is but the latest. If the United States is to come to something less than daily mail delivery (and it isn't), while most of the world's other developed nations provide daily service, something obviously is wrong with management.

The idea of mail delivery was originally one of government service to the people, especially in rural areas, and it's still a service the people expect, and demand. Whoever the President, voters would surely turn him out if such a scheme were ever inaugurated. It's hard to imagine, therefore, the thinking, or lack of it, behind such a suggestion.

The Brand Files

1 YEAR AGO

The Hereford School Board of Trustees approved the local textbook committee listings, renewed contracts for most teachers at all campuses, accepted insurance proposals for vehicles and school board members and appointed three members to the Board of Equalization at a regular meeting Tuesday at the school district administration building. Deaf Smith County commissioners adopted two resolutions and took care of some routine business during a regular meeting Monday, but much of the session centered on requests for the county to participate in two community programs—one for kids and the other for alcoholics.

5 YEARS AGO

Registered voters in Deaf Smith County can get their writing hands limbered up beginning Monday if they plan to be out of town on election days and wish to vote absentee. The Hereford Brand, the only non-daily newspaper entered in the Associated Press Managing Editor's Association Contest, collected one first, one second and two honorable mention certificates Saturday during the awards ceremonies of the contests in El Paso. The Tierra Blanca Soil and Water Conservation District last week donated \$125 to the local Boy and Cub Scout organization to help finance its five-year "Save our American Resources (SOAR) project.

25 YEARS AGO

Faced with the probability of foreclosure on March 20, stockholders in the Hereford Community Hotel Corporation last Thursday night took a candid look at conditions after one year of operation of Hotel Jim Hill. Prospects for making a wheat crop in Deaf Smith county this year are very slim, producers and agricultural advisors agreed this week. A considerable amount of the nearly 300,000 acres planted to wheat last fall is already dead-killed by greenbug and cutworm infestation. Representing the contribution of many individuals, \$275.83 per month has been pledged by Hereford citizens for Boy's Ranch, according to Mrs. Roy Ford, chairman of the Boy's Ranch Round-up committee, who believes Hereford may reach a goal of \$300 per month for the boys.

50 YEARS AGO

The influenza epidemic seems to have abated to some extent in the local schools. For the past ten days or two weeks, a large number of children have been out of school each day though not as many as have been reported out of other schools. The Commissioners Court met Monday and Tuesday in regular monthly session and attended to routine matters. Every year the court goes over every foot of county road and studies and needs of these thoroughfares so as to plan their work and expenditure for the year. A gentleman from California is interested in the possible establishment of a cheese factory at Hereford.



Editorial Forum

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Talk of Texas

By Jack Maguire

IRISH BRIGADOON— Those whose ancestors came from the Emerald Isle swear that if it weren't for St. Patrick's Day, the Texas town named for their patron saint would have been destroyed by an ancient curse.

In 1831, immigrants from Erin picked a spot 30 miles up the Nueces River from Corpus Christi Bay and founded a settlement called San Patricio de Hibernia (for St. Patrick of Ireland). For three decades, the community grew. But on Friday, the 13th of November, 1863, the 1,000 residents of San Patricio signed their town's own death warrant when they hanged Chipita Rodriguez to a mesquite tree.

Chipita was a woman—the only one ever hanged in Texas—and she was found guilty of murder. She never spoke during her trial or at her execution, and most of the townspeople believed she was innocent. By sentencing her to die, many felt that her silent curse would always haunt the settlement.

For whatever reason, San Patricio began to lose population almost from the day Chipita was hanged. In a few years, the county seat was moved to Sinton. By 1920, the post office had closed. Today, with some 40 residents, San Patricio is almost a ghost town. Old-timers still believe that it's because their ancestors hanged an innocent woman.

Only on St. Patrick's Day does San Patricio become something of its old self. Thousands of descendants of the Irish colonists return to celebrate the birthday of their patron saint. Then after 24 hours of revelry, they leave. San Patricio, like the legendary Brigadoon, becomes a ghost town again.

THE SPIRIT OF '76— At least 47 soldiers who fought in the American

Revolution later migrated to Texas. The names of most have been lost to history.

Recently, however, the grave of one was discovered in Fannin County. He was John Lee (1757-1855). His grave, the marker still intact, is in the Lee-Lloyd family cemetery north of Windom.

WHAT'S IN A NAME?— There are two versions of how the Marion County weekly newspaper, the Jefferson Jimblecute, got its unusual name.

Legend has it that when the paper was about to print its first edition, the typesetter had taken on too much East Texas moonshine.

He set the type for the name by simply throwing some letters of the alphabet together.

The true story behind the name is that Jefferson, once the largest city in all of Texas, wanted to remain so. The publisher of the newspaper decided to use the name of his weekly to promote growth of the town, so he came up with: "Join Industry, Manufacturing, Planting, Labor, Energy, Capital, Unity, Together, Everlasting."

The initial letters spell "Jimblecute" in any language.

ANTIQUE TOWN, U.S.A.— Tioga, the Grayson County village once famous for the curative powers of its mineral springs, hopes to attract health-seekers again.

Two years ago, Jim Wendover, Dallas attorney and oil man, bought 14 of Tioga's remaining business buildings. He put western fronts on them, installed board sidewalks and installed antique shops and restaurants on the main street.

Now he's bottling Tioga Mineral Water for sale and planning to reopen the old hotel as a health spa.

Letters to the Editor

Dear Editor,

I want to commend the Volunteer Reserve Deputies for the work they are doing in Hereford. They put in a great deal of time and effort in training and in helping to protect our lives and property. We need more people who will make it their business to learn about law enforcement and to be alert for any evidence of crime.

We can never have adequate law enforcement until the

citizens add their efforts to those of the officers by watching for and reporting any suspicious actions. Every individual citizen bears some responsibility in keeping our town safe and peaceful. The volunteers are certainly doing a great deal to help.

At a time when all salaried people are demanding higher pay it becomes more necessary for us to do some of our own work instead of expecting paid

employees to do everything for us. It is time for us to take individual responsibility in all types of work and start doing things for ourselves under the framework of our laws and rules. The sheriff's volunteers are showing us how.

I say a great big "Thank You" to the sheriff and his volunteers.

Most sincerely,

Audine B. Dettmann
117 Beach

FBI Director fears Bicentennial terrorism.

Bobby Templeton

The Name Game

What's in a name? Plenty!

The name on top of this column isn't one that I would particularly call rare, but it certainly isn't a common name like the Smiths or Jones which fill page after page in the Metropolitan phone books. It has come to my attention, however, that I am not sole possessor of the Templeton identification.

It's not that I mind others being born under the same nameplate but at least their parents might have chosen more unusual first names so as not to be confused with me. I like my name, but I guess my parents might have done the same thing although heaven knows what oddities they might have called me.

Everywhere I have moved in the last seven years, a namesake has remained close on my heels and causing much confusion although not of any great proportions. It's just that I selfishly treasure my identity as I'm sure the other Templetons do.

It all started in Commerce where I attended East Texas State University. There, I had two fellows who got in my way. A Robert Templeton was a local veterinarian who just happened to keep a bank account at the same one I dealt with for cashing checks.

I only kept small change in my account as most college students do to keep it active but not prosperous. The vet had a standing note at the bank for about \$90 a month, which was paid for through automatic withdrawals from his account.

Well, one month it was taken out my account and I had over 10 hot checks floating around town. The bank of course apologized but I never could get my name removed from the "bad check lists" of two retail stores.

The other person was Danny Templeton, who married about the same time I did and moved right next door to Lois and I in the married dorm. He also majored in Journalism and I had known him, but not so well as to switch mail with him. It wasn't so bad except that I continually feared I would be paying his rent bill one month.

I finally got out of college and then moved to Bryan, where another Templeton appeared. He was the local school choir director and I naturally was the education writer. It didn't create any real hassles except for a switching of first names. I was often called Mike and he Bobby.

It didn't bother me too much although I just wish I had his music ability to go with the name. We were always running into each other on the course of my beat assignment. Moving to Hereford surely would have afforded me an escape from all those name swipers, I thought. Not so.

I have double trouble here. First there's the Tom Templeton (also the name of one of my brothers), and elementary school counselor, and Robert (Bob) Templeton, the Amarillo attorney of some note.

Sometimes I almost start writing Tom on my by-lines from time to time because people had brainwashed me into thinking I'm him based on all the "Hi Tom" greetings I get. There are so many of them that I just have learned to overlook them, although the situation does seem to be improving.

A recent telephone exchange with the district clerk went like so:

"Hello, this is Bobby Templeton with Brand," I said. "Are there any scheduled meetings of the Grand Jury coming up?"

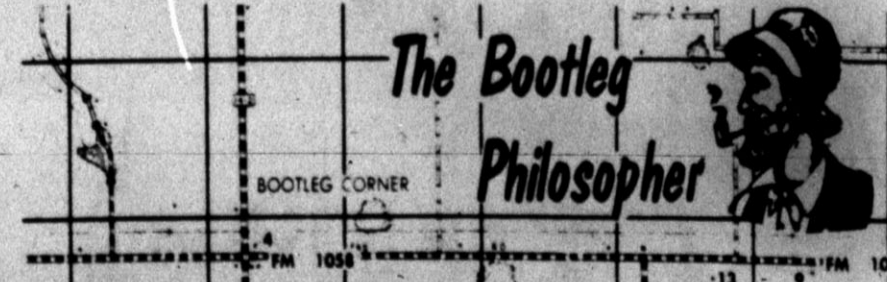
"No. Not that I know of," the answer came.

"Is the district judge in town?" I asked.

"Yes," came the reply.

"Is he busy?"

"Not if you don't bring us any more cases."



Editor's note: The Bootleg Philosopher on his Deaf Smith grass farm on Bootleg Corner get off on several different topics this week. We don't know how far off.

Dear editor:

As I understand it, a bunch of Federal Judges who make \$42,000 a year plus free office rent and a secretary, are claiming that inflation has in effect reduced their net pay and this is unconstitutional because the Constitution says a Federal Judge's salary shall not be diminished. The Judges say the rising cost of living has diminished their salary and they're suing for a raise plus about \$50,000 in back pay through 1968.

I'm all for the judges, but they're going about it backwards. Instead of suing the government for more pay, they ought to inform the government that inflation is unconstitutional and it has 90 days to put a stop to it. If in 90 days a Federal Judge goes to the supermarket and finds that his \$42,000 won't buy as many groceries as it did in 1968, then everybody in Washington is in contempt of court, and will have to ride to work in a bus.

like the two week jury trial you brought here several weeks ago," said the official.

"What case?" I pondered.

"You know, the... (a long pause) I'm sorry, I thought it was the Bob Templeton attorney calling," the district clerk apologetically said.

Another similar mis-identification occurred recently with the attorney. At the rate it's going, I'm thinking of putting the typewriter on the shelf and entering a law practice for the money I could make based on the good legal reputation built for me.

The only solution so far may be just to stay here for an extended length of time and get people to identify the game with the face. Of course, the other Templetons are never bound to move off and no matter where I go, I find the same problem.

Of course I could legally change my name and solve the predicament once and for all. Not really since my name is already shared by my wife and new born son and they might not cotton to the idea.

That combined with all the trouble of changing credit cards and subscriptions would not be worth the effort. All that red tape would create two beings and I have a hard enough time of living for one person without having to live for two.

I can only now think optimistically, and remind myself that Templeton must be a fine name indeed if so many fine people have it.

—BT—

A misunderstanding has arisen over some working in a story in the last issue concerning the Title IX (sex discrimination) requirements being considered by the Hereford School Board.

The story stated that the present after school athletic program for elementary boys, supervised by assistant principals, is the first area in which the school district must comply with federal dictates by the summer. It went on to state that "adding girls to it (the program) would probably not be worth the effort."

I admit the choice of words was inappropriate without qualification. The statement was in reference to the reasons why the program could not feasibly include girls. The law states that equal opportunities must be provided girls if they are presently provided for boys.

It was recommended that the program be dropped all together although the board has taken no such action as yet. The reasons for not adding girls include shorter playing time for boys and girls of only about 20-25 minutes each, lack of interest by boys in the program at present, a large expense necessitated to provide equal facilities and equipment and more time spent by principals in conducting the program.

These were some of the reasons why the Title IX committee suggested no program thereby complying with federal mandates. In no way was wording meant to insult anyone by suggesting that girls are not worth including in athletic competition.

If anything, it is a very desirable goal to increase girls athletics such as girls basketball. The school officials are behind the idea but it will have to be implemented carefully. I too naturally favor it as any emphasis on physical activity is needed to encourage people to better their health.

As is too often the case, a few words are worse than none. Limited space forces concise newspaper writing and more information, in this case, would obviously have helped.

Changing the subject, I noticed the postal service is "trying to shut down several hundred small postoffices around the country, saying they're unprofitable. "They're losing money and they ought to be closed," officials said.

This could get out of hand. You shut down every postoffice that isn't showing a profit and what have you got left?

Changing the subject again, I have finally found the answer to the problem of sports, where one side always loses. What I've been looking for is a way for both teams to come out a winner, and the Presidential candidates have discovered it.

"If I can get 40 per cent of the votes, I'd consider that a victory," one candidate says. Another says 25 per cent would mean a victory for him, and so it goes.

That's the answer. All a coach has to do from now on is announce ahead of the game, "If we can get 40 per cent of the score, we win."

I hope that works better in basketball and football than it does in Presidential primaries.

Yours faithfully,
J.A.



TENNIS BUFF UNCORKS OVERHAND

..... During tournament here

Boys Doubles Teams In Net Semi-Finals

Everyone played about as expected on the first day of the Hereford Team Tennis Tournament, a cold and windy Friday.

Hereford has two boys doubles teams in the semi-finals Saturday. Rocky Rodriguez and Steve Hoover, seeded No. 2 defeated Baron and Jackson of Borger 6-1, 6-2 and Landry and Gallimore of Plainview 6-4, 6-3

to advance to the semi's. Hereford's other boys doubles team, Clayton Faubion and David Rudder defeated Halloway and McKnight of Palo Duro 6-3, 6-4 and Shipmen and Faulkner of Borger 6-4, 4-6, 6-4 to also advance to the semi-finals.

Rodriguez and Hoover will meet Harris and Stanford of

Caprock in their match while Faubion and Rudder will play top seeded Steve Farrell and Dale Anderson of Coronado.

In girls action Saturday, Hereford's Susan Grimsley will play Lubbock High's Jane Griffin in the consolation semi's. She was beaten by Linda Malouf of Coronado 6-3, 6-2 but came back to defeat Deanna Davis of Pampa 6-2, 6-1.

Hereford, Caprock, and Lubbock Coronado boys are leading in points in the boys' division, while Coronado and Borger girls' teams lead in points for the girls.

Cumpton Former Herd Aide To Be At Muleshoe

Don Cumpton, assistant coach at Hereford High from 1970 to 1974 and head coach at Sanford-Fritch for the past two years has agreed to become head football coach and athletic director at Muleshoe High School.

While he was at Hereford, his track team won the district championship in 1973 and he played a role in the Whiteface quarter finalist football squad of 1971 and the regional finalist 1973 team.

In 1975, he led Sanford-Fritch to an 8-4 record and the regionals, the Eagles best season in their history.

In going to Muleshoe, he is coming to a school which is dropping down in classification from 1-AAA to 3-AA and which went 3-7 in football last season.

He is a graduate of Bovina High School and West Texas State University.

Fem Softball League Will Organize

A girls softball organizational meeting is slated for Wednesday, March 17th at 7:30 p.m. in the Flame Room.

Ford wants taxes cut even more in 1977.

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Golf Coach Sees Improvement

One bright spot in the day was the play of Curtis Stoerner, who had a 75 and was one shot out of the medalist position. The scores of the other players on the varsity were George Yocum with an 82, Kelly Kitchens also with an 82, Tommy Weaver with an 84 and Billy Word with an 84.

"It was a simple case of the nerves," commented Coach Terry Russell on his golf team's performance at Lubbock on Wednesday. "They have been playing well all Spring but they are inexperienced and they just didn't have it today. There is no doubt in my mind that we will improve as we go along. This is only the first leg of the district tour, there's a long way to go yet."

The scores of the Junior

Varsity were as follows, James McDowell with an 85, Don Shaw who had an 86, Gregg Pagett who carded an 89, Jim Lyles also with an 89 and Doug Walterscheid who shot 90.

Lubbock High led for the day with a total of 311, Lubbock Monterey followed with a 314 followed by Lubbock Coronado and Plainview at 317 and Hereford at 323.

The "JV" squads were led by Monterey's 327, Lubbock High's 329, Hereford's and Coronado's 349 and Plainview's 352.

The Herd's next district play will be here next Thursday, March 18th followed by the big Deaf Smith County Tournament March 19th and 20th.

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The Herd Baseball team continued to have problems getting a game in the books as their second contest in a row was postponed because of weather conditions.

This one was with Amarillo Tascosa at Amarillo. The game will hopefully be made up as part of a doubleheader with Tascosa here Tuesday.

COW POKES

By Ace Reid



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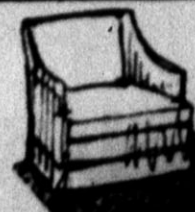
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Some 3,700 persons in this country die each year from swallowing poisons, and about 10 per cent of these are children, too young to read, the American Red Cross said today.

John Gilliland chairman of the First Aid Committee for the Deaf Smith County Red Cross Chapter here, urged parents of children in this age group—unable to decipher the "poison" warnings on labels—to take special measures to keep such death-dealing substances out of their offspring's reach.

These measures are taught in courses in Health in the Home and First Aid offered by the Chapter, he said. Persons interested in enrolling may do so by calling 364-2211.

"Many items in common use around the house are poisonous," Gilliland said. "They include detergents and other cleaners, waxes, polishes, turpentine and pesticides. Also, some medicines can be fatal to small children if swallowed accidentally in too-large doses."

"The danger to a baby begins as soon as he can crawl, reach the cabinet under the kitchen sink, and be attracted by a brightly colored container that is poisonous if taken internally. The hazards increase when the child learns to climb."

He recommended these precautions to prevent children from swallowing poisonous substances:

1. Keep household products out of sight and out of reach of children, preferably in a locked cabinet or closet.
2. If you must leave the room even for an instant, while using one of these products, remove the container to a safe spot.
3. Store medicines separately from household cleaners, and always keep these items in their original containers, never in cups, soft drink bottles, or bottles bearing other prescription labels.
4. Since children tend to imitate their elders, avoid taking medicine in their presence.
5. Forbid children to eat or drink medicines, chemicals, plants or berries they find. Insist on this.

6. Call medicines by their right names to children, and do not refer to them as candies. Safeguard especially pills that are candied, flavored or colored, since children will eat them as candy.

Teen-agers and adults also are susceptible to accidental oral poisoning, Gilliland commented. To the six rules especially for children, he added these for the protection of older persons:

1. Do not take medicine from an unlabeled bottle. Be sure that all products are properly marked and read the label before using.
2. Always turn the light on before taking or giving medicine at night.
3. Clean out your medicine cabinet periodically. Get rid of old medicines by flushing them down the drain, rinsing the container in water, and then discarding it. Date all drugs when you buy them. Weed out the leftovers regularly, especially prescription drugs you

physician ordered for a particular illness.

4. Do not eat or serve foods that look or smell abnormal.

5. Protect your eyes and skin when using insect poisons, weed killers, solvents, and cleaning agents. Follow directions carefully. Be sure to wash thoroughly after each use of these articles and promptly

remove contaminated clothing. If products are spilled, be sure to clean up thoroughly.

One final recommendation—take a Red Cross first aid course. It teaches poison prevention and what to do when someone has swallowed poison. The local Red Cross chapter can provide a schedule of first aid classes.



NOVA PIERSON

First Assembly Plans Service

Pastor H.T. Goodwin of the First Assembly of God, 606 E. 15th St. said services tonight will include Rev. and Mrs. Charley Pierson. The service will begin at 7 p.m.

Charley Pierson is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Walter Pierson of Hereford and Nova Pierson is the daughter of Rev. and Mrs. H.T. Goodwin. They are members of the local congregation.

Rev. Pierson is a 1966 graduate of Hereford High School. He has received his B.S.

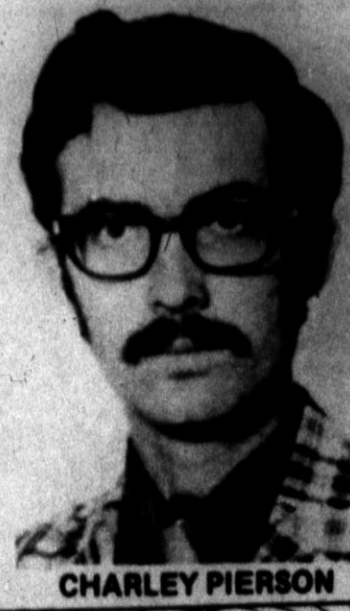
from Southwestern Assemblies of God College and has done further work at W.T.S.U. Rev. Pierson spent one and a half years in Ghana West Africa teaching in a Bible School, training native pastors.

Nova worked with Youth With A Mission, a youth evangelization group, where she graduated from their School of Evangelism in Switzerland. She has worked in North and East Africa, Europe and Afghanistan. They have pastored and

worked in some missions/work since their marriage in 1972.

They will be working with Rev. Cary Tidwell in Weisbaden, Germany. Rev. Tidwell is heading a Teen Challenge Leadership school there. The Piersons will be Dean

of Men and Women for the school. They will spend two years teaching, counseling and helping to keep the school running.



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Division I Choir

Members of the Stanton Junior High choir receiving Division I ratings at the UIL solo and ensemble contest in Canyon March 6 included Kenny Shore, Ed Fry, Joe Mitchem, Donna Riley and Pam Vinson.

Gardeners To Add Plants At Center

Members of Hereford Garden Club planned to add plants to the landscape at Hereford Garden Center Friday afternoon while meeting in the home of Mrs. W.L. Albright. Mrs. R.L. Layman was co-hostess.

During a business session led by Mrs. O.G. Hill Sr., Mrs. Layman and Mrs. A.L. Manjeot reported that the recent environmental poster contest involving elementary school students received successful response. Also, Mrs. Aaron Hutto received approval from her fellow members when she suggested that a plant sale be conducted here in early May.

KM Auxiliary Offers Bingo Party Tickets

Members of King's Manor Auxiliary will be selling tickets during the coming weeks to a bingo party, to be held at the Manor March 29.

The party, which provides an evening of entertainment for the public as well as Manor residents, is the Auxiliary's annual fund-raising project. Chairman is Mrs. Frances Hill who directs a committee of Mmes. Wes Fisher, Rodger Ruland and Robert Strain.

the topic discussed by Mrs. Hutto, as the first segment of the program. Next, Mrs. Art Stoy described "Planting Plans for Garden Borders." In conclusion, Mrs. L.W. Norvell explained "March Things to Do in the Garden."

Taking information from the Lone Star Gardener magazine, Mrs. R.W. Mitchell summarized "Your Headquarters--Texas Garden Clubs, Inc." Other members in attendance were Mmes. J.N. Jacobsen, D.N. Garner, R.L. Ethridge, W.S. Fluit, S.S. Williams, Edgar Lemons, W.C. Hromas, O.W. Newsom and R.L. Wilson.



Second Division At Stanton

Stanton Junior High choir members competed in the UIL solo and ensemble contest in Canyon last weekend. Among those receiving second division ratings were, front row, from left, Kenny Shore, Leslie Mullins, Lynn Pope, Jimmy Burns, Ronald Plummer, and Billy Carr. Pictured front row, from left are Donna Riley, Pam Vinson, Cynthia Cox, Debbie Byers, Mary Lee Simon and Becky Smith. Also receiving Division III ratings were Cynthia Cox, Rose Mary Arzola, Patti Marquez and Deanne Pool. Amy Cox accompanied the soloists in the contest and Jeff Bertat served as judge for all groups.

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The collection of inspirational art will be displayed for the public during the week prior to Easter at a local church. Art pieces contributed for the festival will be safeguarded and need not be original creations.

Mrs. Bob Josseland, festival chairman, stated that all mediums of religious art will be accepted, including paintings, drawings, sculpture, poetry and prose, tapestries and others. Further information can be obtained from Mrs. Josseland, 364-6677.

Naval oil reserve opening approved.

C of C CARE Group Holds Meeting

The Culture, Arts, Religion and Education Committee of the Chamber of Commerce met recently at the Caison House for lunch, to discuss the projects and activities for the year. Officers attending included Pat Hughes, Chairman; Nancy Josseland, Vice Chairman; and Mary Lyles, Secretary.

Bill Devers, Director of Chamber Singers, reported on activities of the Chamber Singers and the Boys and Girls Choirs who are now rehearsing

for their public concert April 24 in the high school auditorium and their participation as part of the Fine Arts Festival April 25.

The Religious Arts Festival to be held during Holy Week is under the direction of Nancy Josseland. Any one with art work in any media with a broadly religious theme is urged to contact her and contribute to this display.

The Decent Committee of the Museum welcomes guests to their special displays set up each month emphasizing some area of community life, reported Johnny Turrentine.

Support of the Bicentennial Committee was discussed and additional projects will be sought.

The next meeting of this committee will be held the first Thursday, April 2.

Bandsmen Win Honors

Members of the Stanton Junior High Band took Division I and II honors at the UIL solo and ensemble contest held at Canyon last weekend. Pictured front row, from left are Jimmy Ramirez, Rhonda Henderson, Deborah Fielder, and Vanessa Bishop, all Division I winners, and Reyes Cano, a Division II winner. Pictured at rear, from left, are David Witte, Tim Ruland, Rhonda Clark and Dalene Henson, Division II winners.

Knights Of Columbus Ball Planned

Grand Knight Paul Aguirri of the local Knights of Columbus Council, announced that the Knights of Columbus Council of the area will again hold their St. Patrick's Charity Ball at the

parish hall in Umbarger on Saturday evening, March 20. Knights of Columbus of the area have sponsored this function each year for the last twelve years with all proceeds going to

"Catholic Family Services." This is an organization, which administers many social services over the area. Having been one of the leading organizations of this nature, Catholic Family Services probably places more children in adoptive homes than any other organization.

During the past year there were 63 children with some being placed in homes in the Hereford area. It is a non-sectarian service as 74 percent of these children were placed in homes other than Catholics.

The main financial support for this Charity Ball is received from individuals and merchants from all over the area. This support is usually recognized at the dance. Knights of Columbus of the area have pledged to furnish all of the expenses, so that all of the support from friends and merchants goes directly to Catholic Family Services. Its annual budget exceeds \$200,000 per year.

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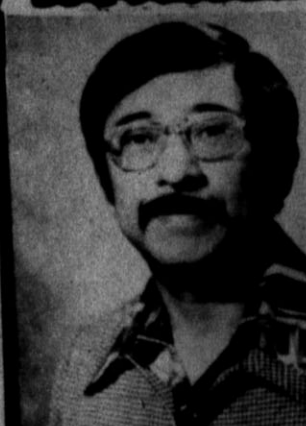
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Busy Realtors

Officers of the Hereford Board of Realtors pose with Mark Hanna, second from left, of the Texas Association of Realtors. He gave the program at

the Board's luncheon meeting this week. Officers are [L-R] Jeane Coker, president; Marie Griffin, secretary; and Tommy Bowling, vice president.



Members of Busy Bluebirds made thank you notes to send to their sponsors at their regularly scheduled meeting Thursday afternoon at Camp Fire Girl Lodge.

During the brief business meeting, the group discussed various projects.

Adult leaders are Mmes. Lloyd Thomas, Don Daugherty and Herman Cherry. Members present included Jo Ellen Harrell, Pam Bell, Tammy Crouch, Sandra Daugherty, and Jana Cherry.

Also, Whitney Drake, Ann Marie Ford, Gracie Flores, Lille Johnson, Brenda Jo McDowell, Melanie Duggan, Cynthia and Jeannine Thomas, Melissa O'Rand.

Others, Kay Lynn Wells, Jenne Valdez, Kim Battey, Sherry French, Sharie Hayes and Beverley Husley.

Friendly Bluebirds had a pantomime party Thursday afternoon at Camp Fire Girl Lodge.

During the business session, they discussed Camp Fire Birthday Week and decided to attend church together in observance of the celebration.

Barbara Williams served refreshments to 14 members

present. They included Esmer Arellano, Christie Black, Belinda Flores, Linda Gonzales, Mikala Moore, Penny Parker, Kimberly Parson, Duann Retman, Tammy Torres, Sylvia Vera and Sandra Zepeda.

Adult leaders are Carol Retman and Dolly Parker.

Wa-Ca-Tawasi Camp Fire group met Tuesday afternoon at Temple Baptist Church Fellowship Hall for their regularly scheduled meeting.

Members answered roll call with their Indian names and following a brief business meeting, they worked on the group scrapbook.

After painting ceramic rabbits, refreshments were served by Gloria De La Paz to members present. They were Rosie Garza, Teresa Carr, Laurie High, Holly McNeese.

Also, Jo Elda Salazar, Diana Rodriguez, Sandra Cornado, Carrie Thompson, Shirley Morrison, Stacey Yarbrough, and Tanya Jones. Adult leaders are Linda Houston and Betty Jones.

Po-Ne-Wa Horizon Club girls had as their special guest Wednesday evening at their regularly scheduled meeting, Susan Ryan, American foreign

exchange student from New Zealand.

Susan, the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Eon Ryan of Le Rio Farm Bayswater, New Zealand, is living with the Lonnie Bell family in Dimmitt. She is currently attending Dimmitt High School as a senior student.

Following a salad supper, the group viewed slides of New Zealand, Miss Ryan's family and views of her home.

Other special guests included Lisa Hill of Dimmitt, the He-Jo-Lo Freshman Horizon Club with advisors Mrs. Robert Higgins and Mrs. Lee Drake and the sophomore Horizon club, Hah-Ki-Ya-Ko with advisor Mrs. Jerry Coker and Mr. and Mrs. Mac Alpperspach.

AUBURN, ALA.--Dogs are more effective than mechanical devices in finding bombs planted in the nation's airports, a federal aviation expert told southeastern airport managers.

NEW YORK -- Exxon U.S.A. reports that it is reducing the price of all grades of its gasoline by one cent a gallon.

WASHINGTON -- Two American research teams have linked multiple sclerosis with an apparent virus but scientists said it may take years to find out if the agent actually causes the disease that cripples hundreds of thousands of Americans.

Course Offered Realtors Attending TAR

Members of the Hereford Board of Realtors gathered this week to hear Mark Hanna, assistant director for government affairs for the Texas Association of Realtors, (TAR) encourage more participation in government to combat the legislation not good to the real estate industry.

Meeting at Dickie's Restaurant, the Board members completed internal business affairs and then listened to Hanna, who provided the program for the March meeting. The Board meets monthly.

Hanna, a lobbyist for the Texas Real Estate Political Action Committee (TREPAC), emphasized the openness of communication between Washington D.C. and Texas real estate interests. He outlined

specific increases in government spending which are paid for "from our savings."

He said the federal budget for 1986 years was under \$100 billion and that in nine years it rose to \$200 billion and in six years to \$300 billion. "In the last two years (1975-76), the budget is predicted to equal the preceding 20 years."

He also pointed out the state and local government employment increased 120 per cent over 20 years, domestic federal employees' (not armed services) average wages are 46 per cent higher than wages in the private sector, and the welfare has risen in cost from \$250 million in 1969 to \$6 billion in 1975.

Specifically for the realtors, he said their interests are being affected by sales of treasury

bonds at attractive rates, which cuts down the dollar spent on constructions. "There are people with their rights who are active in politics which adversely affect our industry. Their rights (those of such groups as the Sierra Club and AFL-CIO) are fine, but their ideas too often go uncontested," he said.

Hanna and an associate named Gerhard Schulle are paid lobbyists in Austin and TREPAC plans expenditures of \$225,000 statewide for political gains. The money is handed out to candidates according to the recommendations of local boards of realtors.

"The state representatives

and senators in this area are good friends to the real estate industry," Hanna said.

The effectiveness of realtors is evident in that they rank third in campaign assistance in the state. Doctors are number one and lawyers number two.

Also, he said that last year eight of 10 bills endorsed by TAR were passed and that realtors were the first to point against dangers in the proposed state constitution which was defeated.

He praised the Hereford board for its contributions which topped the goal for 1975. "Region I (Panhandle) has done far better than any other in the state," he concluded.

Choirs Get Division II

Hereford's junior high choir competed in the annual UIL choir contest in Amarillo Tuesday, receiving Division II ratings in concert and sight reading.

Concert singing is composed of three songs from a prescribed list of songs to be performed, and sight reading is performing totally unfamiliar song one time with piano accompaniment and a second time without accompaniment.

Stanton's mixed choir received a Division II rating in

concert and sight reading and the girls' choir received a Division III rating in concert and a Division IV in sight reading.

La Plata's 8th and 9th grade choirs received Division II ratings in concert and sight reading.

Judges at the contest included Jim Casey of Mesquite High School; Maurice Alfred of Odessa Jr. College; Bill Cormack, supervisor of music at Midland; and Bill Davis of Nimitz High School in Irving.

CAIRO, EGYPT--Treasury Secretary William E. Simon has praised a "courageous" Anwar Sadat for ending Egypt's economic dependency on Moscow and encouraging private enterprise.

A LONG LIFE

CHESHIRE, CONN.--The oldest resident of this rural community has celebrated her 107th birthday. When asked her secret for longevity, Mrs. Minnie LeVitt said she "never worked a day in my life."



Mother's Darling
The possibility of a land slide so intimidated the inhabitants of a little village that one couple decided to send their son, aged 9, to

an uncle until the danger had passed. Three days later they received a telegram. "Am returning boy. Please send landslide instead."

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Willing Volunteer

Mrs. Pearl Ricketts, at typewriter, shows what she does on a volunteer basis each Thursday for Mrs. Jo Ann Dwyer, executive director of the Big Brothers-Big Sisters of Hereford Inc. Mrs. Ricketts voluntarily types up forms and letters for the organization and has been doing so for three weeks. Mrs. Dwyer said she greatly appreciates the help in the BB-BS office in the lobby of the Hereford Civic Center.

Holly To Sponsor Student Contest

Holly Sugar Corporation will sponsor a student contest to determine the most creative use of sugar in a bicentennial theme. R. F. Ginn, Agricultural Manager, has announced.

He said that the contest will have two categories: one for high school students and one for elementary school students. He said that participation as class projects would be welcome.

A \$100 U. S. Savings Bond will be awarded as first prize in each category. Second and third prizes in each group will be \$50 and \$25 Savings Bonds.

Ginn said that entries could be sculptured out of spun sugar, a pastry creation, a replica of a historic building constructed out of sugar or anything that the imagination can come up with.

"The only rules are that the entry be made with sugar and that it have a bicentennial theme. Outside of that, anything goes," Ginn said.

He said that judges, drop off points and deadline for entries would be announced later.

Nuclear energy downgraded in energy plan.

Charles Skinner AMERICA'S SUPER ROCKS, PART II

In my last article I spoke of two important diamond discoveries, the Eagle and the Uncle Sam. The latter stone was procured from the Crater of Diamonds near Murfreesboro, Arkansas. Three other famous stones found in the area are the Eisenhower, the Gary Moore, and the Star of Arkansas.

The Eisenhower is a 3.11 carat diamond found in 1957. It has been retained in its rough form which resembles the profile of President Eisenhower. Mrs. Ruth McKee of Texas, its discoverer and owner, had it mounted as a pendant.

Wear Presents Message To Lions

Bob Wear, minister of Central Church of Christ, presented a special Bicentennial message when he appeared as guest speaker for the Hereford Lions Club Wednesday at Civic Club Center.

Other highlights of the program included the recognition of "students of the six weeks" from La Plata Junior High, and the start of the club's annual election campaign.

Polly Robinson and Felix Soliz were presented pens by president Weldon Dickson, recognizing them for selection as students of the six weeks. Students are selected on the basis of grades, citizenship, attitude toward teachers and school, and participation in

school activities. The club's election party is scheduled Thursday night with Cleo Corliss and James Gentry vying for the president's position. Nominees for first vice-president are Tommy Bowling and Lynn Brisendine, second VP-Victor Cantu and David Ruland, third VP-Lester Wagner and Charles Skinner. Candidates for secretary are Gayle Cotten and Ken Hagar, treasurer-Ted Higgins and Buddie Evans, Lion tamer (2)-Phillip Shook, John Bryant, Sid Shaw and Wayne Thomas; tail twister (2)-C.W. Allen, Chuck Boyd, Ben Harris, Sammy Gonzales; directors (2)-Lester Rape, Dickie Gerles, Al Sauter, John Thames.

Hereford Graduate Included In Who's Who

Cynthia M. Parten, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Roy O. Parten of 227 Greenwood Street, in Hereford has been chosen for inclusion in the 1976 edition of Who's Who Among Students in American Vocational and Technical Schools.

A graduate of Hereford High School in 1975, Cynthia has two brothers, Rob 15 and Roland 12. She also has a sister.

Miss Parten was nominated by Miss Wade's Fashion Merchandising College, located in The Dallas Apparel Mart. The College is Accredited by The National Association of Trade and Technical Schools. They offer careers in Fashion Design, Interior Design, Merchandising, and Merchandising Art. All courses are required and completed in twelve months. An Optional European Fashion Tour is offered, and the students visit the Fashion Capitals such as Rome, Paris, and London. The trip is taken in the Summer, and is for two weeks.

Who's Who Among Students in American Vocational and Technical Schools is a prestigious honors program dedicated to recognizing vocational students on a national level for their outstanding achievements and contributions to school and community. It is sponsored by the founders of Who's Who Among Students in American Universities and Colleges programs.

WHO KNOWS?

1. Who is credited with saying, "It is an era of intellectual dishonesty and hypocrisy."
2. Who was elected President in 1920?
3. For how long has Mike Mansfield been Senate Majority Leader?
4. What is the Hatch Act?
5. When was this act passed?
6. Who is credited with discovering Canada?

Answers To Who Knows

1. James M. Cox, Democratic candidate for President, 1920.
2. Warren G. Harding.
3. Fifteen.
4. Federal workers barred from political activities.
5. 1939.
6. Jacques Cartier.



CYNTHIA PARTEN

Golden Gleams

Come, gentle Spring, ethereal mildness, come!

-James Thomson.

Spring makes everything young again, save man.

-Jeanie Paul Richter.

Spring is sooner recognized by plants than by man.

-Chinese Proverb.

In the Spring a young man's fancy lightly turns to thoughts of love.

-Alfred Tennyson.

When lovers are far apart they are made even sadder by the loveliness of Spring.

-Bhartrihari.

Spring is a virgin, Summer a mother, Autumn a widow, and Winter a stepmother.

-Polish Proverb.



Students Of The Six Weeks

Polly Robinson and Felix Soliz were honored as "students of the six weeks" during the Hereford Lions Club luncheon meeting Wednesday in Civic Club Center. The club recognizes students from high school and the two junior highs each six weeks, with president Weldon Dickson presenting pens to the students. The honor is based on grades, citizenship, attitude toward teachers and school, and participation in school activities.



Circus Tickets Presented

George Jones, left, president of the Oasis Shrine Club, presents circus tickets to BB-BS director JoAnn Dwyer and Kiwanis President Ed Coplen. The tickets will be given to Big Brothers and Big Sisters members and to a special group of handicapped children in the Hereford School System. The children will be taken by bus to the Khiva Shrine Circus April 3 at Amarillo's Fair Park Coliseum. The buses will be given a motorcycle escort by the Khiva Shrine Cycle Corps through Amarillo to the circus.

Commendation Medal Awarded To Gutierrez

Specialist Sergeant Six Jimmy P. Gutierrez, son of Mr. and Mrs. George Gutierrez, 200 Blevins, has received the U.S. Army Commendation Medal for "meritorious service at Ft. Carson, Colo., from Feb. 12, 1973 through Nov. 6, 1975.

According to the citation, he served admirably as platoon

sargeant of company A, first battalion of the 61st Infantry. He was assigned to the first battalion, 10th Infantry, as a legal clerk and advisor to two battalion commanders. The career officer is presently serving in Germany in the MP battalion.

While he is overseas, his wife Tonna and his children are staying here with his parents.



JIMMY GUTIERREZ

Marine Bound For Okinawa

Pvt. First Class Fernando C. Roeha III, son of Mr. and Mrs. Butch Trevino of Hereford is awaiting stationing on Okinawa with the US Marines following graduation from training at Parris Island, N.C. in December.

He is currently stationed at Camp Lejeune, N.C. Roeha has been awarded medals for pistol and rifle expertise in addition to a National Defense medal. He is a 1975 graduate of Hereford High School.



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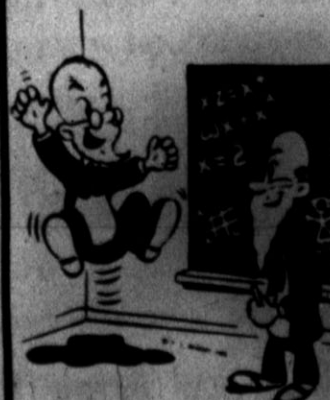
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Comings And Goings At Kings Manor

NEW RESIDENTS

George Kinyon moved into King's Manor from Lubbock on March 2. His wife, recently deceased, was the aunt of Dr. Milton Adams, optometrist here in Hereford. Kinyon is very personable and we are delighted to have him occupy room 106.

No wonder Ford has received honors nation-wide as Christian leader, Founder of "Back to Nature Foods," Conference on World and National Hunger, farmer, poetry and prose writer, as well as other related activities.

WESTGATE NEWS

Mr. and Mrs. Frank H. Morgan from Canyon are our most recent residents. Morgan was Registrar and Director of Admissions at West Texas State University for 21 years. Mrs. Morgan is the charming sister of Mrs. Ardis Stamper who has been here and at Westgate for several years and is identifiable immediately as the most handsome, queenly resident of the entire campus.

We welcome these good friends to our midst here. They occupy a two-room suite number 115.

U.M.W. GENERAL MEETING

The general meeting of Hereford Methodist Women met March 3rd in the Lamar Memorial Garden Room at King's Manor for a luncheon, the Nettie Slaton Circle acting as hostesses. Business was dispensed with by president, Mrs. Cox.

Two delegates to the annual meeting at Polk Street Church in Amarillo April 7 and 8, were elected. They are Mrs. Sallie Strain and Winnie Wiseman. There were 53 in attendance.

Mrs. Jordan Grooms, chairman of a committee on Bible Study initiated the first session on Prophets of the Bible.

Frank Ford, Bible student extraordinaire, gave a resume of dates, periods, names and messages of the prophets. Ford's knowledge is amazing. He used no notes other than a chalk board and his knowledge flows from him as if he were reading a revolving telecast prompter.

Thursday morning, March 4, the Sunshine Cart was in the halls, with Mrs. Millard Nobles and Mrs. Emil Dettmann in charge. We welcome the Sunshine Cart each Thursday morning.

We were privileged to have the Assistant Pastor, Rev. Jerry Buckner of the First Baptist Church to give the Bible Study at our Thursday morning services. Mrs. Cala Mountz sang a solo - "No Never Alone" and dedicated the song to Mr. Evans as this song is one of his favorite songs. She was accompanied by Mrs. Doug Manning.

Others attending the Bible Study as visitors were Mrs. Cecil Boyer, Mrs. Louis Lemons and Mrs. John Seiver. We welcome visitors to attend any of the activities with our residents.

The 5th and 6th grade G. A. Girls of the First Baptist Church made birthday cards and brought out to those having a birthday in March.

The residents all enjoyed watching the snow fall Monday morning.

Mrs. Jessie Boardman and Mrs. Edna Lippard went to the Manor to Alice Ward Circle Wednesday morning.

Mrs. Clara Trowbridge, Mrs. Nancy Duncan and Mrs. Elizabeth Hellman were out to Crafts Wednesday afternoon and the ladies made some decorated tea balls to be used for sachet containers, all the ladies enjoyed decorating the holders.



Division I La Plata

Winning honors as Division I bandsmen in the UIL solo and ensemble contest at Canyon last weekend were these La Plata students. Pictured front row, from left, are Terry Melugin, Janice Albracht, Kerry Hacker, Zann Zimmerman and Denese

Albracht. Center row, from left, Eddie Echevarria, Randy Ellis and Ricky Moore. At rear, from left are Barry Morgan, Karen Woods, Debbie McPherson, Denise Cotten and Laurie Pittard.

If it were left to some folks, it would be a crime to smile.

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No editor can praise everyone at the same time.

Phil Sciumbato Speaks To Club

Phil Sciumbato, local police officer, was program speaker at the Los Ciboleros Chapter of the Daughters of the American Revolution meeting Thursday afternoon at Deaf Smith County Historical Museum.

"National Defense" was the topic of the program and Sciumbato showed official slides as to the source and use of narcotics both nationally and locally.

During the business session with regent Mrs. L.W. Norvell presiding, the chapter voted to participate in the Bicentennial Arts and Crafts show to be held in April. Also, members decided to enter two member's names as the WTSU Panhandle Women of the Year. The women will be recognized during the luncheon scheduled April 24 at Canyon.

It was announced that an all day lineage research workshop is to be held March 30 and any person interested in family lineage will be welcome.

Hostesses for the meeting included Mmes. LeRoy Williamson, Jeff Smart and Stan Knox. Other members present were Mmes. H.M. Booser, E.S. Brainerd, Miss Sydney Brainerd, Mrs. T.J. Carter.

Also, Mmes. J.J. Durham,

J.W. Gilliland, Earl Holt, Sue James, Andrew Jordan, L.W. Norvell, Joe Reinauer Sr., Jess Robinson and Miss Mildred Elliott.

Legion Plans

Birthday Party

Tuesday

Hereford's American Legion Post 192 has made plans to host a 57th birthday party for Legion members and their families. It will take place at 7:30 p.m. Tuesday at the American Legion Hall in Veteran's Park.

A special treat will be the cutting of a large bicentennial cake and its serving to those in attendance. This will follow the evening meal.

A program for the affair has been planned. An invitation has been extended to the Legionnaires for a night of "fun and fellowship."

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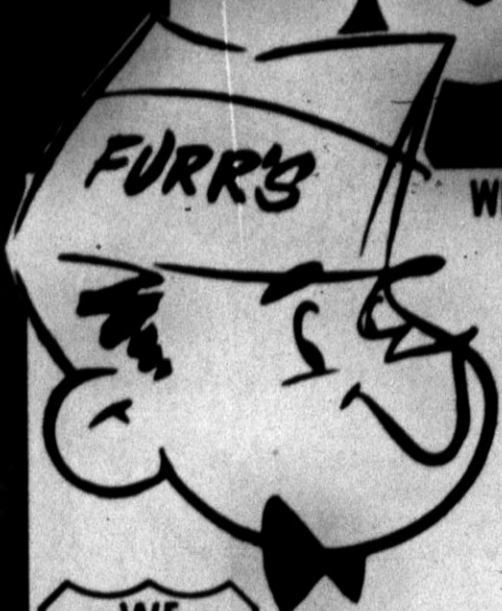


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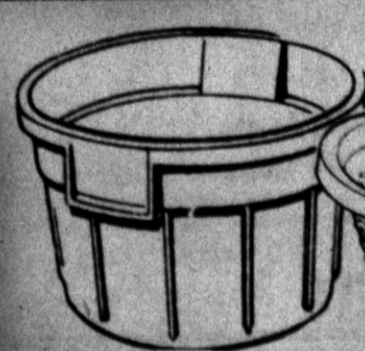
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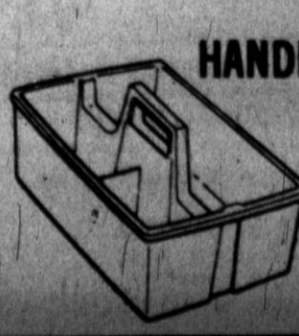


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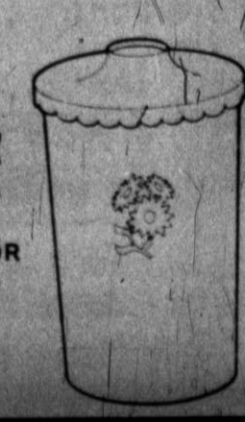
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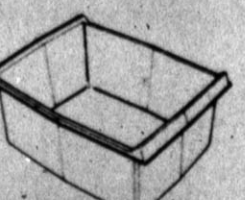


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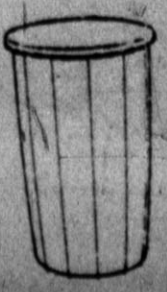
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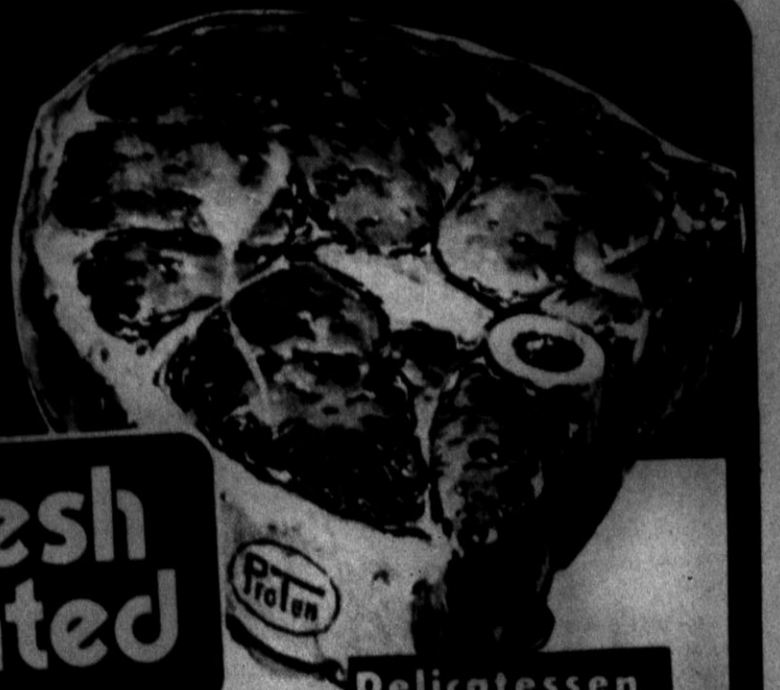


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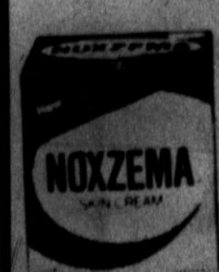


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Joyce's Journal

BY JOYCE SHIPP
Deaf Smith County Extension Agent

Make plans to attend the child abuse program to be held at the Community Center, 7:30 p.m., Thursday, March 18. The county welfare department will show a new film on child abuse in general and Richard Green, local lawyer, will discuss the child abuse situation in Deaf Smith County.

This program should be of utmost interest to all citizens of this county. Bring your friends and neighbors and learn what you can do to help stop child abuse in Hereford and Deaf Smith County.

This program is open to the public and free of charge. Congratulations to these Deaf Smith County 4-H'ers who won the County Food Show and were contestants in the District 14-H Food Show yesterday in Amarillo:

Senior Division - Geni Welty,

Rhonda Hagar, Carla West and Melody Kendrick.

Junior Division - Missy Merritt, Kristy Simons, Glenna West and Becky Hughes.

We'll announce results next week.

If one of our girls in the Senior division is a winner, she'll advance to state competition in June. Watch for results next week.

FASHION-IS IT FITTING

Good fit in a garment should create an attractive, pleasing look—no matter what style garment it is.

Diagonal or horizontal wrinkles, not a part of the garment design, indicate an improperly fitted garment. Consumers should avoid buying clothing with these characteristics unless they have skills in altering for fit.

And when sewing a garment, try it on periodically, during

construction to make adjustments for fitting problems.

Steps in solving fitting problems:

—Recognize the evidence: tightness or looseness, line out of place, off-grain or wrinkles.

—Determine the cause: body or pattern proportions.

—Decide a remedy: let out or take up a seam, raise or lower a dart, raise or lower hemline.

—Correct by the simplest, neatest method.

By a slight change in seams and darts, grain can be righted, wrinkles removed, balance created, lines straightened and ease restored.

Suggested pattern alterations for better fit are outlined in the Extension publication "Personalizing Patterns" -Mp 1037. Call 364-3573 to order a copy.

Try these chewy caramel bars for a "sweet" treat.

CHEWY CARAMEL BARS

32 caramels
1/2 (5 1/2 fl. oz.) can of evaporated milk
1 c. flour
1/4 c. old fashioned or quick oats, uncooked
1/2 c. packed brown sugar
1/2 t. soda
1/4 t. salt
1/4 c. margarine
6 oz. pkg. semi sweet chocolate pieces

Melt caramels with milk in covered double boiler or heavy saucepan over low heat. Combine dry ingredients; cut in margarine until mixture resembles coarse crumbs. Reserve 1 cup.

Press remaining crumb mixture onto bottom of greased 13x9 baking pan. Bake at 350 degrees F for 12 minutes. Sprinkle chocolate pieces over baked crust. Spread caramel mixture evenly over chocolate pieces; sprinkle with reserved crumb mixture. Continue baking 20 minutes.

Chill 2 hours.

Public Invited To Drama

Members of Bud to Blossom Garden Club will present a Bicentennial drama at 10 a.m. Friday in Heritage Room of Deaf Smith County Library. The public is invited to attend free of charge.

The drama "Vignettes From Yesterday" will consist of visits "through the looking glass" to the early days in each of the eight regions of the United States.

Members hope to use this means of interesting local gardeners in their past and of communicating to them the urgent need for understanding and for preservation of quality in America.

It is now said that chimpanzees laugh.

The youngest girl ever to make a million dollars was Shirley Temple. She put it together before her tenth birthday.



Division II At La Plata

A number of La Plata Junior High bandsmen captured Division II honors at the UIL solo and ensemble contest in Canyon last weekend. Among those honored were, front row, from left, Tracy Keating, Ryan Lawson, Becky McGilvary, Staci Payne, Kristi Shook, Syndy Moore and Barbara

Scott. Center row, from left, includes Jennifer Griffin, Carla West, Sonja Paschall, Alice Reinart, Lisa Blakely, Elizabeth Rains, and Janelle Coupe. At rear, from left, are Barry Morgan, David Jones, Bud Hughes, Beverly Nixon, Karen Trice, Delma Padilla and Karen Woods.

Music Festival Honors Bestowed

The annual Festival of Music for junior members of the Texas Federation of Music Clubs were conducted Friday at First Baptist Church.

Assisting the judges were senior club sponsors, including Mmes. J.B. Caraway, Jim Tilley, Carl Wimberley and Alfred Smith, all of Dawn Music Club. Representing Hereford Music Club were Mmes. Paul Lyons, Lyle Holmes, Sam Long and Wesley Fisher. Both clubs are federated by TFMC.

Piano performances were judged by Mmes. Charles Hambric, Robert Goodnow and Charles Thurmon, all of Amarillo. Mrs. Allen Cansler judged the vocal portion of the competition.

Approximately 125 voice, piano, organ and flute students

participated, representing Hereford, Friona and Dawn. Instructors of the students are Mrs. Roy Miller and Mrs. Johnny Walters of Friona. Mmes. Joe Hacker, Dolson Palmer and Lyle Holmes, all of Hereford, and Mrs. Wimberley of Dawn.

Mrs. Ray Stewart of Dawn is district chairman and director of the Section I, District I festivals conducted here.

Receiving superior ratings were:

Section I-Adult IV
Pre-Primary Class
Melissa Sims, Phillip Bridges
PRIMARY CLASS I
Shyla Gerk, Carla Frye, Lou Ann Flores, Kristi Herring
PRIMARY CLASS II
Tammy Gries, Joe Zetzsche

PRIMARY CLASS III
Sara Gay Ellis, Shannon Allen
PRIMARY CLASS IV
Diane Johnson
SENIOR CONCERTO
Tonja Black, Zann Zimmerman
Hymn Playing
CLASS III
Sarah Meers, Lisa Edelman, Kim Frye, Tonja Black

ELEMENTARY I
Cynthia Lady, Gwendolyn Maurer
ELEMENTARY II
Lisa Snyder, Gina Griffin, Beth Frye, Jeff Paschel, Bonnie Lunday
ELEMENTARY III
Shelley Frye, Brenda Strauss, Glenna West, Karla Fleming, Sandy Spring, Christie Wiseman
ELEMENTARY IV
Keith Lyles, Karen Coplen, Judy Flores, Ben Flores, Quinten Renfro, Sunny Horton

DIFFICULT II
Linda Anthony
VERY DIFFICULT I
Patti Hendon, Clint Meers
VERY DIFFICULT II
Tonja Black
MUSICALLY ADVANCED I
Zann Zimmerman
Section IV
VOCAL SOLO
ELEMENTARY I
Doris Hough
ELEMENTARY II
Sunny Horton
ELEMENTARY III
Johnnie Walker
Intermediate Division
CLASS III
Sharia Duggins, Marta Jorde, Connie Ware
Junior Division
BARITONE II
Alan Rhodes
BASS CLASS II
John Carson
FOLK SONG
Jyl Hight, Alan Rhodes, Mark Edelman
ENSEMBLE SSA
Treblaires
Laura Ellis

Speakers Explain Bank Services

Mrs. Irene McKinster and Mrs. Joy Bunch, representing Hereford State Bank, spoke to members of La Madre Mia Study Club Thursday afternoon in the bank's Friendship Room.

The topic of the program concerned the SOS plan the bank offers. In conjunction with the program, Charles Watson of Gilliland-Watson Funeral Home explained aspects of arranging a funeral.

During the business session, the next meeting was scheduled at 8 p.m. March 25 in the home

of Mrs. Bud Snyder. Serving as hostesses were Mrs. Butch White and Mrs. Stanley Simmons. Members present were Mmes. C.D. Adams, Lynton Allred, Jimmy Anderson, Herschel Black.

Also, Mmes. Charles Frye, James Gentry, Dickie Gries, Dean Herring, Wayne Lady, Don Lane, Gerald Martin, G.C. Merritt, Bobby Owen, W.E. Sparks, Don Taylor, Charles Watson and Roger Williams.

THE COMMUNITY CREDIT UNION ANNOUNCES THEIR 39th ANNUAL STOCKHOLDERS MEETING MONDAY MARCH 29th 1976

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By The Garden Gate With Glad

By Gladys Manjeot

HINTS FOR GARDENING IN MARCH:

The strategic month to start laying the foundation for your summer garden. March is an active month in the outdoor garden in all but the coldest sections of North America. Those who have greenhouses are especially busy this month. Being systematic in planning your work sheets for this month is important. Take advantage of every favorable opportunity the weather affords. In reality, it is in March and early April that some of the foundations for summer gardens are laid. It is no time to fritter away time; indeed the results of such procrastination will be showing up all during the following busy days.

When the soil is well thawed out, and the ground is not sticky, the outdoor work should be started. Check the overall picture of the yards, gardens, lawns and borders.

Take an invoice of the entire property. Check plants, shrubs, trees or other things which should be removed. Plants which have not added anything to the landscape plan should be removed and plans made for replacement. Probably, it would be best to plant some of the newer introductions. New plants, shrubs, trees and vegetables should be studied and those which would give more satisfaction should be added.

In planning vegetable and flower gardens, check what was grown in the different areas and make plans to rotate plantings. If the same plantings are grown in the same location from year to year, the gardener does not receive the best results. For instance, in planning my cutting garden, I plan to rotate my gladioli and in the place where they have been grown, plant something different. Maintenance should always be considered.

Lawn maintenance should be started, especially if it is an old lawn. Dead grass should be removed, lawn mowed, watered thoroughly and then fed with a reliable lawn food. It is also recommended that a weed killer (dandelions, etc) be added in the application of the fertilizer. I have used this procedure for several years and have found that it saves time, expense and maintenance.

The planting of leaf-losing trees and shrubs may be started whenever the soil is in suitable condition. With evergreens, it is advisable to wait until they are just ready to start into new growth before transplanting them. Bare root roses should be planted at this time, if and when the soil is starting to warm up.

Complete all spring pruning (except roses since they are already leafed out, it would be best to wait until Good Friday). All dead wood of shrubs, trees, climbing roses and hedges should be pruned carefully and shaped to improve their pattern.

This is especially applicable to hedges and other shrubs which are kept in various shapes or patterns. Lilacs, yews and other shrubs known to be capable of renewing themselves from their bases, and those which are straggly and overgrown, may be cut back now to within a foot or two from the ground. Follow this

treatment with mulching using old manure or rich compost, and by watering freely if dry. The new shoots which will spring from the stumps will soon form shapely plants.

Soil underneath the shrubs may be forked over shallowly and compost or other organic matter turned under. However, use care that roots are not damaged. If they seem shallow, added soil would be beneficial before forking and mulching.

Check all border plantings and, if needed, thin them out by removing old plants and woody stems. Surplus and overgrown plants should be lifted. Lifting, dividing and replanting of many perennials may be done now. Use care in removing worn-out central portions, which are to be discarded. In this process be careful to not damage tender growths and the vigorous parts of the clumps.

When weather conditions are suitable and soil has the right temperature. The new plants can be planted in borders and other flower beds. When finished with the border, a side dressing with a well-balanced fertilizer would be beneficial. Water thoroughly when task is completed.

Caution: Do not prune the spring flowering shrubs now; this should be done when the flowering has been completed. This is rule of thumb for all flowering shrubs, whether they flower in spring, summer or fall. Prune after they have bloomed.

Indoor gardening, which has become so popular, should also receive attention now. House plants should all be checked and groomed by removing all faded or bruised leaves. Check soil and clean it carefully around the base of the plants.

Residue should be cleaned from foliage with cotton balls, using lukewarm water. Check moisture and water if needed, using water which is lukewarm. Also, it is recommended, if

water source adds minerals, draw the water from the tap. Let stand for several hours then apply slowly to the plant. It is important that plants be kept clear because they breathe through their foliage and, if clogged with dust or other residue, they cannot breathe properly. Many plants thrive much better if they are misted (sprayed) with lukewarm water. This is especially true of ferns and philodendrons. When blossoms of the flowering plants are faded, they should be removed carefully and destroyed with the other cleanings from the plants.

REMINDER—Take it easy when gardening is started in earnest. Remember, the muscles will have to adjust to the new work program. Work an hour or two, then rest a bit, and work some more. Increase work time as you adjust to the

work program. The forsythias throughout town are very pretty. The beauty of their golden flowers adds cheer to many beauty spots, along with the beautiful hyacinths which are now blooming.

There is an especially beautiful bed of white hyacinths at the Marlin Gilliland home. Beauty is also being created via the pretty yellow daffodils.

I have been enjoying to the fullest, arrangements of daffodils and grape hyacinths. Also it is always thrilling to note the colorful crocus in many of the gardens. I especially enjoy the pretty golden clumps of crocus blossoms as I work at the kitchen window.

Bicentennial thought: Abraham Lincoln pulled up weeds and planted flowers in their place.

Victory SS Class Honors Mrs. Townsend Thursday

Mrs. Johnie Townsend, instructor of Victory Sunday School Class of Avenue Baptist Church, was honored Thursday evening when the group met in the Hospitality Room of First National Bank.

Mrs. Townsend was surprised with a special presentation of "This Is Your Life" in honor of her birthday. The honoree's family made guest appearances throughout the program, along with a close family friend, Bill Combs.

Another highlight of the presentation was a long distance phone call from Mrs. Townsend's daughter and family in Kansas. The evening concluded with gifts presented to Mrs. Townsend along with a large wicker basket filled with an arrangement of flowers presented by the family.

Members participating in the program included Mmes. Bill Wall, Herman Hendrix, Carlyle Sargent and C.E. Coleman. Refreshments were served to Mr. and Mrs. Terry Johnson and Jill and Wade and Mr. and Mrs. Gene Combs and Chip and Eugenia.

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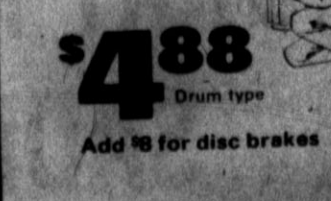
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Tips Given To Green Up Lawns

About this time of the year home lawns need a boost to get them in shape for the spring season just around the corner.

A turfgrass specialist for the Texas Agricultural Extension Service suggests three operations that can get a lawn off to a good start—scalping, fertilizing and applying a weed killer.

"Scalping a lawn in later winter serves to revitalize it and promote spring and summer plant growth," points out Dr. Richard Duple.

"Begin the operation by lowering the blade of your lawnmower one-half inch below the normal setting. Then mow the lawn in two directions that are at right angles to each other. Remove the clippings after each mowing."

Duple also recommends keeping the lawnmower blade lowered until mid-summer.

"After scalping the lawn, apply a complete fertilizer (one containing nitrogen, phosphorus and potassium) to promote leaf and root growth," advises the Texas A&M University System specialist.

"Use one pound of nitrogen per 1,000 square feet of lawn area. This is equal to 12 pounds of an 8-8-8 fertilizer or 8 pounds of a 12-4-8 fertilizer. Repeat the application in the fall."

For a dark green lawn, Duple suggests applying nitrogen every 60 days at the rate of one pound to 1,000 square feet. Monthly applications of iron chelate or iron sulfate during the spring and summer promote a healthy color in St. Augustine grass lawns.

"To keep crabgrass or other unsightly weeds from appearing, apply a preemergence herbicide (weed killer) containing benefin, dacthal or bensulfide early in the spring," says Duple. "Combinations of herbicides with fertilizers are available and convenient to use but should only be used according to instructions on the label. Formulations containing atrazine should not be applied around trees or shrubs," he cautions.

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FFA'ers At Houston

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Harrell, Craig Kerr, Jimmy Sims, Stan McCabe, Jay Boren, Curtis Smith and Rob Pope. Back row, from left, Sam Finley, Herman Lopez, Mark Etheridge, Jerry Johnson, Doug Reinart, and Brian Reinart. Also attending were Cory Springer and Bob Ward, HHS FFA advisor.

Researchers Join Staff At Lubbock, Halfway

LUBBOCK -- Two research scientists with the Texas Agricultural Experiment Station at Lubbock have received promotions and two others have joined the Experiment Station staff at Lubbock and Halfway. These actions are the result of recent approval by the Board of Regents of Texas A&M University.

Receiving promotions are Dr. Otto Wilke, formerly assistant professor promoted to associate professor, and James Phillips, technician working in grain sorghum, promoted to research associate.

Recently named to the

Experiment Station staff at Lubbock is Dr. Charles Ward, associate professor of entomology. Dr. Bill Lyle, associate professor of agricultural engineering, joins the Texas Agricultural Experiment Station at Halfway.

Lyle received a B. S. degree in 1961 from Texas Tech University, and an M. S. degree in 1963 and Ph. D. in 1970 from Texas A&M University. He is a member of Gamma Sigma Delta Honor Society of Agriculture and the Society of Sigma Xi.

He was area irrigation specialist for the Texas Agricultural Extension Service

at Lubbock from 1965 to 1967, and was named associate professor of agricultural engineering at Texas Tech University in 1970.

At Texas Tech, he received the Outstanding Professor award in the Department of Agricultural Engineering. He is a member of the American Society of Agricultural Engineers.

Lyle has owned and operated his own farm north of Ralls since 1973.

As research engineer for the Experiment Station at Halfway, Lyle's research will concentrate on irrigation systems design and water use efficiency.

Ward joins the Lubbock Experiment Station as associate professor of entomology, assuming the position held by Dr. George Teetes who was transferred to Texas A&M University at College Station.

Ward was at Texas Tech University from 1967 to 1976 where he rose from assistant professor in 1967 to associate professor in 1972.

A member of the Entomological Society of America, American Mosquito Control Association and a number of other professional and academic societies, Ward received an Associate in Arts degree from South Plains College in 1960, a B. S. degree in 1962 and an M. S. degree in 1964 from Texas Tech University, and a Ph. D. degree from Cornell University in 1968.

He was a National Institute of Health research fellow at Texas Tech and at Cornell University.

Ward is author of numerous professional publications and papers, many of which were presented at state, regional and national meetings. His research

work has primarily been in the fields of sorghum midge, greenbug and mosquito control.

His research studies have taken him to Argentina, Puerto Rico, Mexico, Australia, New Zealand, Tahiti and Fiji Islands.

Ward was recently elected president of Texas-New Mexico chapter of American Registry of Professional Entomologists. He has been chosen a member of the Community Leaders in the Southwest and American Men of Science.

Dr. Otto Wilke, who is being promoted to associate professor, has conducted research on design and operation criteria for furrow irrigation systems, including return flow systems.

Working with associates, he investigated the potential use of tensiometers in scheduling corn irrigations on the High Plains.

He also has studied the response of several crops to various irrigation treatments and investigated the potential for harvesting rainfall from shaped and compacted soil surfaces to provide water for municipal and irrigation use.

Among Wilke's more recent achievements is the design of a low-cost emitter which is now being produced commercially. To complement this design, he developed computational procedures for obtaining uniform distribution of water from drip irrigation systems, and worked with associates in developing automated drip irrigation systems.

Wilke also has cooperated with fellow researchers in a study of nitrate movements in the soils. This research is an effort to find how fast and at what distances nitrates move through soils, and the effects of this movement on underground

water. Other work has been on use of evaporative cooling to delay blooming of peaches, and assisting in developing methods and principles used in an annual soil moisture survey.

Wilke is currently cooperating with the irrigation industry on the development of a center-pivot system equipped with drip irrigation trail lines to reduce evaporation losses and power requirements.

James Phillips, who started work in plant breeding research with the TAES at Lubbock in 1972 as a grain sorghum technician, is assuming duties

as a research associate.

Phillips graduated from Texas Tech University with a B. S. degree in entomology in 1967, and served a four-year tour of duty in the Navy prior to joining TAES. He is a member of the Entomological Society of America and the American Registry of Professional Entomologists.

Since joining the Texas Agricultural Experiment Station in 1972, Phillips has assisted Dr. Jerry Johnson, working extensively on greenbug resistance, sorghum midge resistance and banks grass mite resistance in sorghums.

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While the national observes its bicentennial, that gadget in your home that rings even if you're in the shower will be turning its 100th year.

It's been a century now since Alexander Graham Bell spoke the first words into the invention he called the telephone: "Mr. Watson, come here! I want you!"

The telephone and the nationwide network it's hooked into have come a long way since the inventor spilled acid on his pants and cried to his assistant

for help—not even knowing the contraption worked.

Bell went on to improve his invention, and telephones were installed in the East for those few Americans who could afford them. As America embarked on its second hundred years, the telephone offered an alternative to travel.

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GI Home Loan Applications Up

Applications for GI home loans during the first half of fiscal year 1976 were 15 percent higher than the total received during the same period in FY 1975, Jack Coker, Veterans Administration Regional Director, reported today.

Loan guaranty staffs at 49 VA regional offices processed 182,900 loan applications from July through December, Coker said. December applications—25,466—were 23 percent higher than a year ago.

More than 362,800 GI loan applications were received during 1975, a 6 percent increase over the previous calendar year.

Appraisal requests also were running ahead of last year's figures. The 279,500 requests received during the first six months of FY 1976 were 14 percent higher than the number received during the first half of FY 1975. The 1975 calendar year total of 585,700 appraisal requests were 7 percent above 1974 figures.

The Veterans Housing Act of 1974 relaxed restrictions on reinstating GI loan eligibility. Previously, loan benefits could be restored only for "compelling reasons."

Since January 1, 1975, the VA has been permitted to restore loan benefits whenever the

property has been disposed of and the GI home loan paid in full.

Almost nine million GI home loans, valued at \$118 billion, have been guaranteed since the program was established during World War II. Almost 4.6 million veterans have paid their loans in full, and thus could qualify for loan restoration if they dispose of the property which secured their loans.

The VA guarantees 60 percent of the loan up to a maximum of \$17,500 of home loans made by private lenders to eligible service personnel and veterans of World War II and later periods. There is no limitation on the amount except that the loan may not exceed the reasonable value of the property as established by the VA.

Veterans who used their benefits before December 31, 1974, may have some additional entitlement while technically obligated for an earlier loan. Maximum home loan benefits were raised from \$4,000 to \$7,500 in 1950, to \$12,500 in 1968, and to \$17,500 in 1974. The amount of additional eligibility would be the difference between the present \$17,500 maximum and the amount of entitlement used on prior home loans.

Complete loan information may be obtained at any VA regional office, veterans county service officer, or from representatives of local veterans organizations.

The inventor's patents had run out by 1894, and telephone companies sprang up everywhere. Duplicate wires filled the air in many large eastern cities, and complications developed. To be in touch with everyone who had a telephone, customers had to subscribe to two or more telephone companies, have one phone and directory for each company and pay separate bills to each.

The confusion and cost

increased, and the first president of the Bell Telephone Company, Theodore N. Vail, asked for regulation. His request was granted, and government regulators ended duplication of services. Phone service began to improve.

Though Bell invented the telephone, it was Vail who developed the system. Vail described his view of the telephone's future as dependent on "one policy, one system, universal service. The strength

of the system lies in this universality."

Vail became president of the Bell Company in 1878 and his theories—now almost 100 years old—are still in operation. Nearly 95 per cent of Americans have telephone service, and, according to a 1968 report issued by President Johnson's Task Force on Communications Policy, "It can be truly said that the United States has the finest telephone system in the world."

companies should be treated as a utility just like waterworks and electric companies and should be granted exclusive franchises for geographical areas. He bought out rival companies in some towns and sold out in others. He agreed to allow the non-Bell companies to use the Bell long distance lines to insure universal service.

At his direction the Bell Company acquired controlling interest in the Western Electric Company of Chicago and in 1882, made that company the manufacturer of Bell equipment.

Bell scientists studied ways of improving both telephone service and productivity. Not only did they find ways of improving the telephone, but many other important discoveries.

The transistor, which opened the door to the space age, was invented at Bell Labs. The vacuum tube electronic amplifier, which extended the range of long distance service, also led to commercial radio and television.

The Bell System evolved with Bell Laboratories researching and developing ideas, Western Electric manufacturing the final products, and 24 Bell operating companies responsible for installation, maintenance and repair.

Today customers no longer call "central" to complete a call. Calls can be dialed and

completed in seconds across the street or the continent. Not too many years ago, routine long distance calls sometimes took hours to complete.

The Bell System today is installing Electronic Switching System (ESS) equipment, which offers customers custom calling features. One service enables customers to complete a local or long distance call by dialing two or three digits. Another enables customers to add on a party to existing conversations. And another enables the customer to transfer calls to a different number. Still another feature gives you an audible tone when another person is trying to reach you while you're talking on your line.

Dataphone sets used in business can transmit the complete New York Stock Exchange report accurately from one computer to another in 97 seconds.

What lies ahead in the telephone industry? C.L. Todd, vice president and general manager for Southwestern Bell's San Antonio Area, which covers more than half of Texas, said: "We are working on technology to transmit telephone calls on a beam of light to handle the tremendous calling volumes expected by the year 2000."

"And we are still developing the Picturephone set, but we don't feel it's time has come just

yet," Todd continued. "Right now, we are more interested in providing good telephone service at reasonable cost to all Americans who want it. This was Vail's objective of universal service, and today for all practical purposes, we're there."



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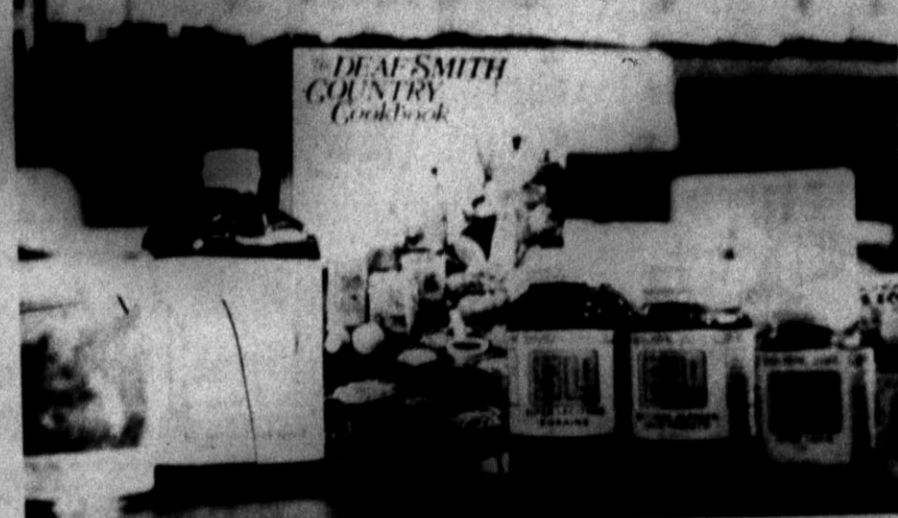
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Composing Indian Symbols

Fourth grade students from Bluebonnet Elementary compose the membership of the Owa-Sa-Ka-Ta-To Camp Fire group. Here,

Rosemary Castillo, Felita Zepeda and Lisa Roark cut out Indian symbols under the supervision of their leader, Mary Roark.

Camp Fire Girls Exalt Concepts

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Rehearsing For Play

The Ite Tayo Discovery Group is composed of 8th grade girls under the leadership of Mrs. A.T.

Griffin, who is pictured rehearsing for a play with Tania Willison, Lesly and Karen Woods.



Tennis Technique

Members of the Ki-Nun-Ka Tanda Camp Fire group, composed of fifth graders from St. Anthony's parochial school bone up on tennis.

Pictured from left are Stephanie Foster, Roxane Gomez, Mrs. Burns Hamilton, adult leader, and Shannon Gerk.



Display Wall Hangings

Showing off wall hangings which they constructed are members of the Merry Bluebirds. The group draws its membership from the third grade at Bluebonnet

Elementary. Pictured are Janis Conkwright, adult leader, and members Polly West, Sandy Hope and Andrea Jorde.



Entertain Visitor

Susan Ryan, left, a foreign exchange student from New Zealand was a guest at a recent meeting of the Po Ne Wa Horizon Club. Club members pictured include Kristi Springer, Laurie Higgins and Joni Webb. Members who have attained Horizon Girl status have reached the highest plateau of Camp Fire Girls membership.

Ben Konis Classes To Be Held Here



BEN KONIS

Over The Fence
Never waste household scraps—open the windows and let the neighbors hear them.

—News, San Diego.

Ben Konis, well-known portrait and landscape artist, will be in Hereford to conduct a workshop Oct. 25-29.

The instruction will be spaced across five days, with each class period lasting six hours. Konis teaches oils, pastels and charcoal, allowing students to work with the medium of their choice. He will offer lessons in landscape, portraiture, figures and still lifes.

Interested persons are invited to contact Mary Hamby, 364-6905, or Peggy Furr, 364-3514, as soon as possible. Konis worked in New York

City for 18 years as a commercial artist and has studied at the Art Students League in New York, the Catan-Rose Institute of Fine Arts and the New School for Social Research. He is a member of the Texas and New Mexico Fine Arts Associations, Equity Artists and the Salmagundi Club.

He has been an exhibitor and award winner in numerous shows and is represented in art galleries throughout Texas, New Mexico, Arizona and Wyoming.

Mrs. Draper Nominated

Mrs. Tom Draper was nominated for honors at the WTSU Bicentennial luncheon scheduled April 24 at Canyon by members of Sweet 'N' Fancy Decorating Club Friday morning at Community Center.

Also during the business session with Mrs. Carl Kleuskens presiding, the next meeting was planned at 9:30 a.m. March 26 at Community Center.

Mrs. Dale Henson presented a program where she demon-

strated the art of making sugar molded Easter eggs. Members will continue the project and will donate them to Westgate Nursing Home to be used in a centerpiece during the Easter holidays.

There were 10 members present.

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Community Concert Association members are invited to hear Hal Shane, triple-treat entertainer, perform at 3 p.m. today in the high school auditorium.

Shane, who has appeared on Broadway, is a singer, musician and dancer in addition to composing songs. His talents include self-accompaniment on the guitar and banjo.

The CCA program today, will encompass a variety of songs, ranging from English madrigals to Broadway show tunes, current folk music and his own compositions.

Shane, at the age of 27 has already performed throughout the country in concert, conducted workshops and lecture demonstrations on various college campuses and has

acquired an impressive list of theatre credits. He is currently appearing in the revival of Jerome Kern's "Very Good Eddy."

Fun Breakfast

Rescheduled

The monthly Chamber Fun Breakfast, originally scheduled for Tuesday, has been delayed one week and will be held at 6:45 a.m. Tuesday, March 23 in the high school cafeteria. Cash prizes will be given and games will be played. The public is welcome.

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Today Begins Observance Of CFG Birthday Week

This week will mark the 66th birthday of Camp Fire Girls Inc. which was founded by Dr. and Mrs. Luther Gulick in 1910. The Gulicks' program concept for girls was, for the times, the most revolutionary and aggressive idea in existence. Dr. Gulick felt that girls should be in the out-of-doors with an opportunity to develop their own individual abilities.

The Hereford Council will celebrate Camp Fire's birthday with each of the groups having parent programs in order that the girls can show what they are doing.

In observance of the organization's birthday, individual groups will be participating in the week-long celebration. Today, girls will be honoring the founding of Camp Fire Girls by attending the church of their choice in uniforms.

One of the groups, Po-Ne-Wa Horizon Club, will attend services at First Christian Church with advisors Mmes. State Norvell, Lewis Lea and Arthur B. Clark.

Friendly Blue Birds, also participating in the celebration, will recognize their sponsors with a specially decorated cake and will tour Arrowhead Mills.

Other groups are recognizing their sponsors in special ways and some of them are honoring their mothers at afternoon teas. Various groups will cite men's service clubs with a Bicenten-

nial project for their support and service to the community.

Officers serving on the local Camp Fire Board of Directors include Buddy Peeler, president; Rex Easterwood, vice president; Mrs. Rudy Metz, secretary; and Mrs. Blue Turpin, treasurer.

There are 42 groups with volunteer leaders and sponsors to ensure the continuing process of development of young girls into self-sufficient individuals.

The local council has 850 registered members and continues to grow through the value and contributions of volunteer leadership.

Camp Fire is one of the societal links between youth and adult, between black and white, between technological advance and humanization. The organization "has always and continues to stand for the creative, the search for truth and the pursuit of excellence."

Scribbles and Scratches

By KERRIE WOMBLE
Women's Editor

NINETY-NINE STUDENTS of Hereford have had the chance to receive the education they desired and deserved due to help from Opportunity Plan, Inc. over the past 18 years. These youth were given the boost they needed to become doctors, teachers, mechanics, secretaries and a variety of other working citizens.

On April 1, the Hereford Division of OPI will sponsor a supper and business meeting at the Bull Barn in order to inform local residents of the program, Milton "Buff" Morris, founder and executive vice president of OPI, will explain the need to continue this scholarship concept for the benefit of deserving students.

Headquartered at West Texas State University, the Opportunity Plan provides "loans" rather than gifts to students, who may repay the borrowed money at the conclusion of their schooling, interest free.

However, although OPI has proven successful, the Hereford Division is out of funds and students are being turned away.

You, as an individual or representative of an organization, can keep OPI working, thus supporting Hereford's youth.

Reservations to attend the public meeting March 30th must be made no later than March 29 by contacting Carolyn Baxter, local OPI secretary, at 364-4546.

To cover the cost of the meal to be provided by Hereford Rotarians, \$2.60 will be charged.

If unable to attend the upcoming meeting, questions can be answered by John D. Aikin, chairman of Hereford's OPI chapter.

**S&S
REMEMBER THAT MEM-**

BERS of Hereford Art Guild are continuing their sponsorship today of an Art Extravaganza from noon until 6 p.m. at Community Center. The show will include sale booths featuring works of professional and amateur artists.

The Guild festivals have a reputation for attracting interesting and impressive artwork and this extravaganza promises to be no different.

S&S
A RICH TASTE of yesteryear will be served along with tea from 3-6 p.m. March 25 in the home of Mrs. James W. Witherspoon. The Colonial Green and Silver Tea is being sponsored by the Hereford Bicentennial Committee and local women's clubs will be taking an active part.

Mrs. Clint Formby and Mrs. Joe Reinauer Sr., Bicentennial co-chairmen, have stressed that the tea is open to the entire community in celebration of the nation's 200th birthday.

Those of you who are familiar with the Witherspoon residence will welcome an opportunity to again be a visitor and I advise local residents who have not had that pleasure—take advantage of this opportunity.

As the story in this issue explains, the tea will offer a look at patriotic art and fashions from the American Revolution era. Also, guests will be invited to lend an ear to those talented members of Music Study Club performing some "Yankee Doodle" dandies.

All in all, the tea should be one of the nicest social occasions of the season...and you're invited.

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Nuptial Vows Unite Couple At Canyon

The marriage of Miss Rhonda Stewart and Richard F. Wildman of San Antonio was sanctified Saturday afternoon in the Chapel of St. George at Canyon. The Rev. Jack Gist, pastor of St. Anne's Catholic Church at Canyon, officiated.

The altar in the chapel was garnished with greenery and a spiral candelabra for the ceremony.

The bride, assistant librarian at Deaf Smith County Library, is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs.

E.E. Stewart, 707 Blevins. A former teacher at Hereford High School, the bridegroom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. T.J. Wildman of Albuquerque, N.M.

Miss Jean Percival of Springfield, Ill. attended the bride and James Brockman of Canyon was best man.

Serving as ushers were Gary Anderson and Delton Moore, both of Canyon.

With Jim Hutzler of Amarillo providing accompaniment, Douglas Lane vocalized "Wedding Song" and "Whither Thou Goest."

Escorted to the altar by her step-father, the bride wore a slipper-length wedding gown of jersey knit. The shirtwaist dress was styled with an open collar and full bishop sleeves.

Complementing her trousseau was a tie belt, emphasizing the soft gathers of her full skirt. She wore a picture hat with satin roses cascading

along one side of the brim.

Her bridal bouquet included a cluster of gardenias with stephanotis on orange leaves.

For good luck, the bride borrowed a strand of cultured pearls from Mrs. Joe Bradley.

The bridesmaid wore a turquoise blue dress styled with cap sleeves and a full skirt falling in soft gathers from the yoke. A sash tied at back of the gown. Miss Percival carried a nosegay of spring flowers with yellow accents.

The wedding reception was given in the reception room of the Episcopal University Center at Canyon. Clusters of yellow roses cascaded across each of the three heart-shaped tiers of the wedding cake. The serving table was draped by a cloth crocheted by the bride's mother.

Serving refreshments were Miss Bunny Wildman of Albuquerque and Mrs. George Johnson of Amarillo. Miss Cynthia Carlson of Canyon, Mrs. W.C. Davis and Mrs. Paul Rameriz. Registering guests was Mrs. Delton Moore of Canyon.

For a honeymoon trip to Las Vegas, Nev., Mrs. Wildman wore a long-sleeved blue dress and rolled collar. Completing the ensemble was a matching vest with belt.

The couple will be at home in Sacramento, Calif. after March 27.

A graduate of Hereford High School, the bride received her degree from West Texas State University in 1974. Her husband earned his bachelor's degree from WTSU in 1972 and his masters in 1974.

Out-of-town guests attending the recent ceremony were Mr. and Mrs. Charles Wildman of Sierra Vista, Ariz.; Capt. and Mrs. Tom Wildman of Omaha, Neb.; Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Mead of Portales, N.M.; Sgt. and Mrs. Ernie Mead of Portales, N.M.; and Mrs. Paul Paterson of Rosemont, Minn.



MRS. RICHARD WILDMAN
...nee Rhonda Stewart

School Lunch Menu

PUBLIC SCHOOLS

MONDAY--Barbecued beef, French fries, tossed salad, prunes, cookie, milk.

TUESDAY--Western beans, spinach, whole kernel corn, gingerbread with whipped topping, cornbread and butter, milk.

WEDNESDAY--Cook's choice.

THURSDAY--Hamburger, tomato, lettuce pickle and onion, French fries, fruit pie, milk.

FRIDAY--Chicken salad sandwich, tomato vegetable soup, cole slaw, rosy applesauce, milk.

ST. ANTHONY'S PAROCHIAL SCHOOL

MONDAY--Corn dogs, French fries, tossed salad, peaches, rolls, milk.

TUESDAY--Chicken salad, cabbage-apple slaw, buttered corn, peanut butter bars, buttered bread, milk.

WEDNESDAY--Beef and cheese pizza, green beans, Jello with fruit, milk.

THURSDAY--Hamburgers, lettuce and tomatoes, potato chips, plum cobbler, milk.

FRIDAY--Tuna noodle casserole, tossed salad, red beans, cookies, milk.

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Tickets To Go On Sale

Tickets will go on sale Monday for the annual 4-H Bean Supper, scheduled from 5-8 p.m. March 30 in the Bull Barn.

One dollar will buy "all the beans you can eat." Tickets can be bought from any 4-H member or at the door. Proceeds from the event will be used to fund 4-H trips, including the journey to Washington, D.C. each summer for the National Citizenship Short-course.

The junior and senior 4-H'er selling the most tickets will each win a \$25 prize. Mrs. Bobby Kendrick, who is organizational leader for the 4-H Teen Leaders Association, is chairman of the bean supper.

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Shooting The Breeze

By Butch White

What is it about human nature that makes it easier to break a commandment than a habit?

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A cease-fire seems to be a condition in which people are still shooting at each other, but nobody notices.

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HD Members Give Coffee

Mrs. Minnie Cannon of Clarendon and Mrs. Ralph Packard were guests at a coffee given by members of Cultural Home Demonstration Club Thursday morning in the home of Mrs. M.H. Wiseman.

Mrs. John Hunter, vice president, conducted a brief business session and announced that the next meeting will convene at 2:30 p.m. March 26

Hardening of the heart ages people more quickly than hardening of the arteries.
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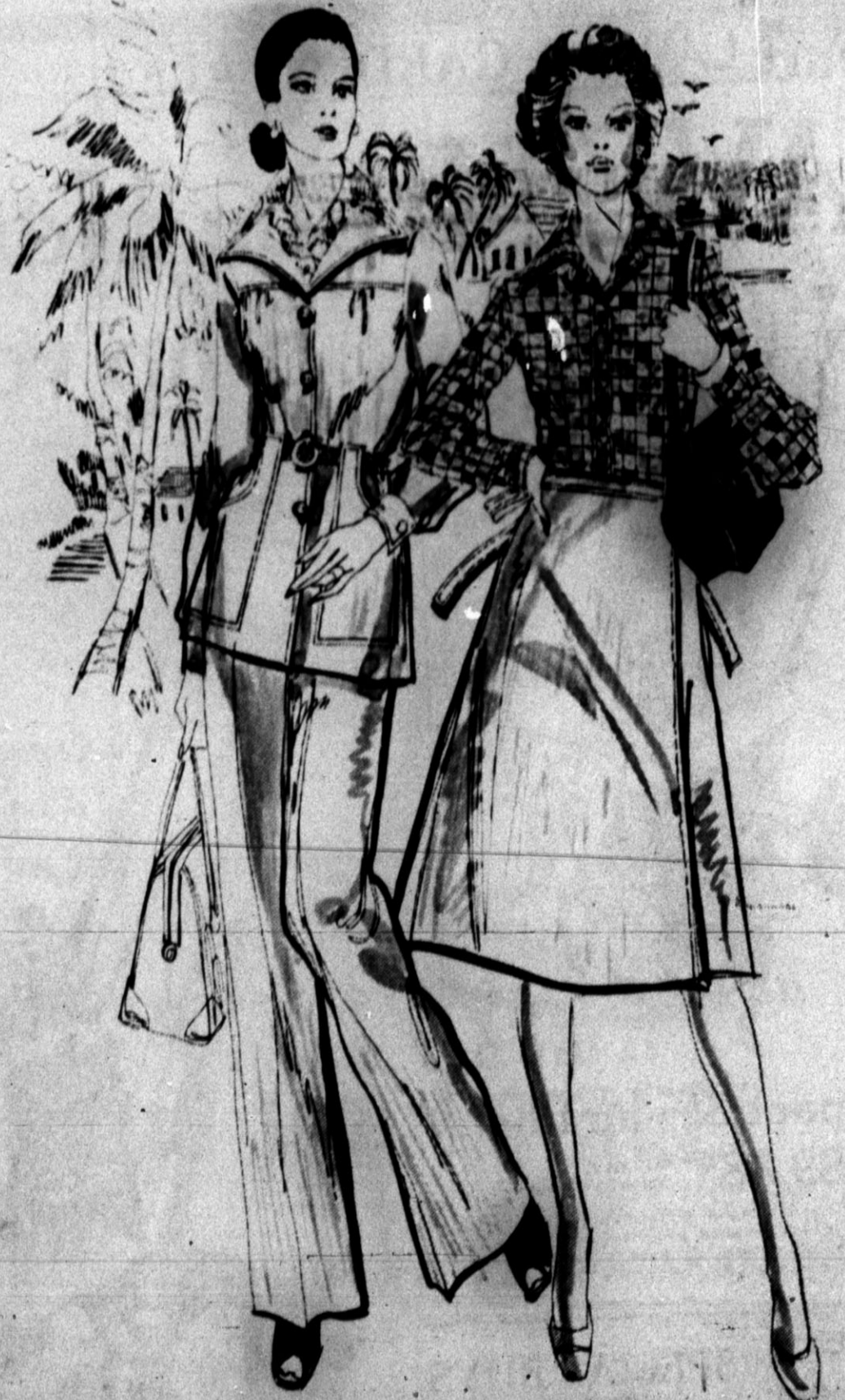
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CowBelle Luncheon Scheduled Tuesday

Plans for the promotion of National Ag Day March 22 will be announced by the local chairman, Mrs. David Hutchins, to fellow Hereford CowBelles,

who will meet for lunch Tuesday at Community Center. The meal will begin at 11:45 a.m.

A cooking demonstration will be given on Pro-Tem Beef by Katherin Berry and Betty Brown. The beef will then be served to complement the salads and vegetables brought by the CowBelles.

The "Bicentennial Beef Cookbook--The 100 Greatest Beef Dishes of America's First 200 Years" will be on sale by Mrs. LeRoy Johnson, beef promotion chairman. The cookbook is priced at \$2 and is published by the Beef Industry Council of the National Livestock and Meat Board.

Mrs. Ray Polan, CowBelle president, urges all women who are interested in promotion of the beef industry to attend the meeting and join forces with the CowBelles.

PUBLIC INVITED

A jumbo cartoon parade will be featured at 4 p.m. Monday in the Heritage Room of Deaf Smith County Library. The public is invited to attend free of charge.

A series of three films will be presented and children are especially urged to attend. They must be accompanied by a parent or guardian.

G. E. D. TESTS

The next testing session for the GED Tests will be March 29 and 30, at 8:30 A.M., at the School Administration Office. It takes about ten hours to complete the tests.

For details call Robert L. Thompson, 364-0843, after March 22nd.



MRS. LEE ALTON HARTLEY
...nee Christine Marnell

Genealogy Seminar Slated

Members of Deaf Smith County Genealogical Society have announced that they will be sponsoring a genealogical seminar beginning at 10 a.m. Monday, March 22, at Deaf Smith County Library.

All interested persons are invited to attend free of charge. Genealogical lecturer will be Richard H. Shepherd, who makes appearances at more than a dozen seminars per week throughout the United States. Born and reared in Utah, he is an authority on genealogical sources and techniques.

A member of the Utah Genealogical Association, Shepherd has personally visited most of the major record depositories in the country.

Shepherd presents a program which is of benefit to the beginner as well as the professional. He is a recognized expert in the use of genealogical and historical records and specializes in the usage of rare record sources.

Shepherd attended the University of Utah and served in the U.S. Navy. He is a former microfilmer for the Genealogical Society in Salt Lake City, Utah. Shepherd is a representative of Gencor, Inc., a large genealogical corporation which specializes in seminars, publishing, microfilming, ancestral research, forms and supplies.

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Couple Exchanges Vows Early Friday Evening

Miss Christine Maria Marnell and Lee Alton Hartley were married Friday evening at First United Methodist Church with the Rev. Bernard McGorry, pastor of St. Anthony's Catholic Church, and the Rev. Doug Manning, pastor of First Baptist Church, officiating.

The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. F.A. Marnell of 124 Aspen and the bridegroom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Hartley of 321 Cherokee.

The bride's sister, Miss Dorothy Marnell of Dallas, served as maid of honor and Roy Newton, the bridegroom's cousin, was best man.

Sisters of the bridegroom, Mrs. Dean Kirby and Miss Colette Hartley, were bridesmaids and Dean Kirby and Gary Bolinger were groomsmen.

Escorting guests to their seats were David and Tom Marnell, brothers of the bride.

The bride's niece, Laura Minks of Elkhart, Ind., daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Larry Minks, was flower girl and Dennis Kirby, son of Mr. and Mrs. Dean Kirby, was ring bearer. Ronald Kirby served as candle lighter.

Miss Lesley Euler sang principal wedding selections, "If," "The Twelfth of Never" and "Wedding Song," accompanied by Randy Singer of Plainview, the bridegroom's cousin, who played the organ.

Processional was "Ode to Joy" and recessional was "Follow Me."

Given in marriage by her father, the bride selected a white silk organza gown over bridal taffeta designed with a fitted empire bodice. The high neckline was formed by cluny lace with a sheer yoke of English net.

The full bishop sleeves, adorned with English net and lace, gathered to form deep lace cuffs and the waistline was marked by light blue satin

ribbon entwined in lace. The A-line skirt of the gown, which swept into a full length chapel train, was fashioned with a flounce hemline edged in rows of Venise and cluny lace.

Matching lace edged the floor-length veil of imported bridal illusion which was attached to a camelot cap of lace. Appliques of Venise lace in a floral design enhanced the veiling.

She carried a bouquet of carnations, roses, daisies and babybreath with touches of color picked from the bridesmaids bouquets.

Bridal attendants wore long light blue shimmer knit dresses fashioned with empire waistlines knotted at the bodice and long full sleeves. They carried bouquets of flowers mixing pink, purple, yellow and red.

Mrs. Joe Kuper invited guests to sign the guest book at the reception held in Ward Parlor of the church.

Mrs. Larry Minks served the three-tiered cake decorated with blue trim and orchids of white confection. It was topped with kissing angels.

Centering the refreshment table was a branched candelabra entwined with ivy.

Others assisting were Miss Taffy Herr, Miss Ginger Newton and Mmes. George Turrentine, Justin McBride and Walt Warren.

Leaving for a wedding trip, the bride wore a light blue pant suit with a pastel printed blouse and a corsage taken from her bridal bouquet.

The couple will make their home on Sycamore Street here.

The bride is currently employed at Deaf Smith General Hospital and is a graduate of Hereford High School. The bridegroom, also a graduate of HHS, is employed by Lloyd Newton Trucking.

Out-of-town guests included Mrs. W.C. Singer of Brownwood, Mr. and Mrs. N.L. Singer and Leon Foster, all of Tulsa, Mrs. T.L. Jameson, Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Ebling and Mrs. Randy Singer and children, all of Plainview and Mrs. Frank Lentz and Mr. and Mrs. Fred Lentz and daughters, all of Wichita Falls.

GI Forum Organized

A group of local men have assembled and formed the American GI Forum, a family organization for patriotic veterans.

Serving on the board of directors is Joe Leal, chairman; Rumaldo Garcia, vice chairman; Juan DeLaCruz, secretary; Freddie Torres, treasurer; the Rev. Jose Gilligan, chaplain; Juan Carvera, sergeant-at-arms.

The forum has chosen as its motto: "Education is our freedom and freedom should be everybody's business." Among the objectives of the organization are to award scholarships to deserving students and to encourage leadership and political awareness in the Spanish-speaking community.

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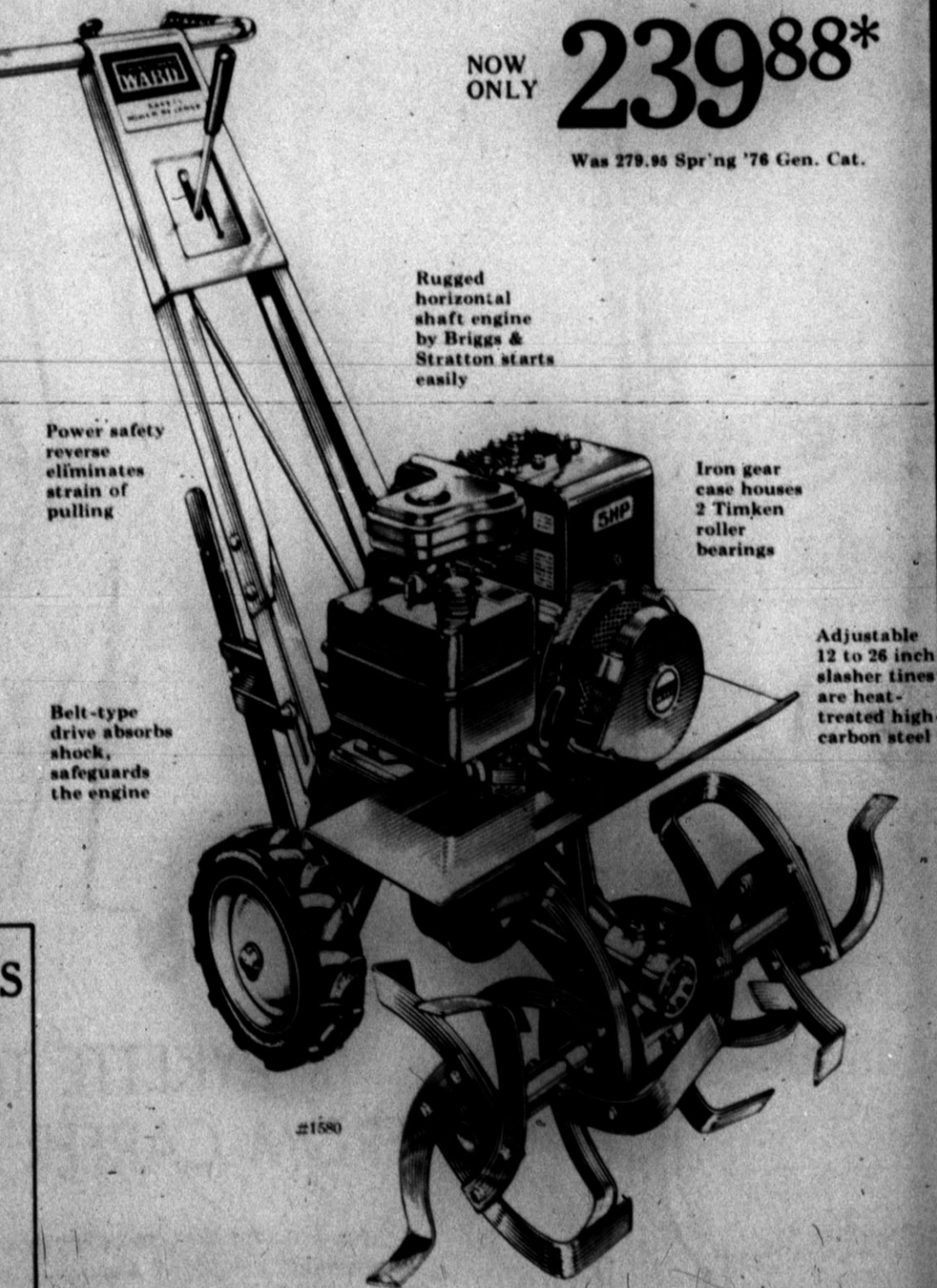
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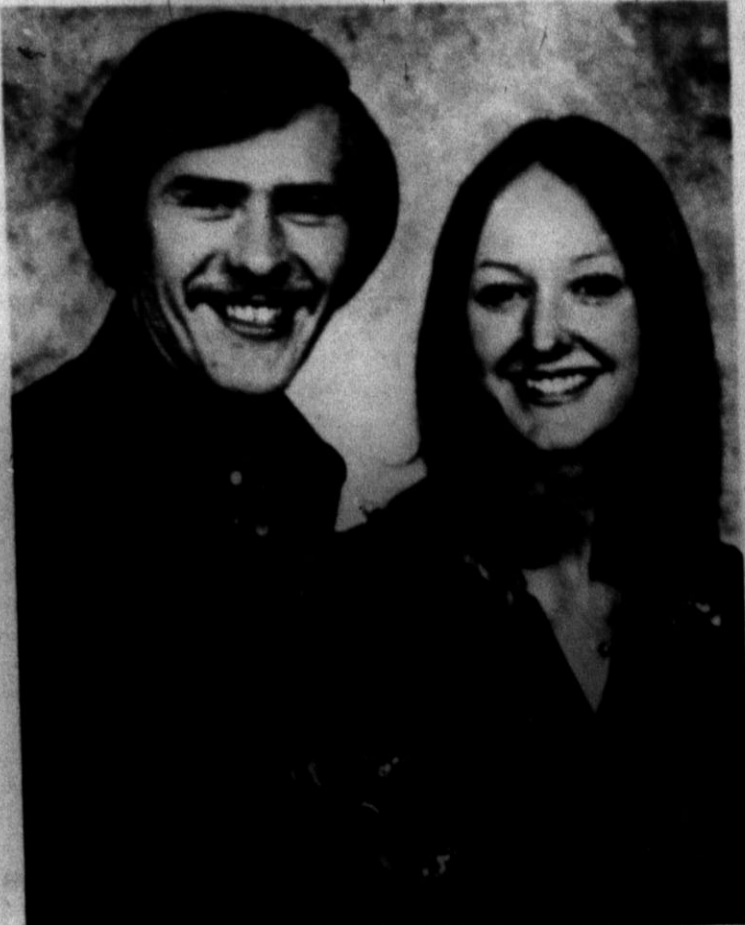
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Spring Ceremony Slated

Ralph Ellerd of Austin and Miss Debbie Sorrells of Amarillo will pledge nuptial vows in First United Methodist Church here on May 1. The engagement was announced by her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J.E. Sorrells, Harrison Highway. An employee of Continental Airlines, Ellerd is the son of Mr. and Mrs. C.L. Ellerd of Tulla. He attended West Texas State University after graduation in 1970 from Tulla High School. He also received special training for airline personnel at Los Angeles. Miss Sorrells, a 1974 graduate of Hereford High School, is employed by Hertz Rent-A-Car Agency at the Amarillo Air Terminal.

Candidates' Views To Be Aired Monday

The public is invited to hear statements from school board candidates and current school board members during a meeting of Parent Teacher Student Organization at 7:30 p.m. Monday in Hereford High School library.

In contention for positions on the school board are Alex Schroeter in place 4 and Sallie Strain, Pat Robbins and Bill Kester, all in place 5. Each of the candidates will make a brief statement concerning their political views. This will be followed by remarks from current board members.

A question and answer period is scheduled.

Calendar of Events

MONDAY
Order of Rainbow for Girls, Masonic Temple, 7:15 p.m.
American Association of University Women, Heritage Room of Deaf Smith County Library, 7:30 p.m.
Combined meeting of Happy Hustlers, Showmanship and WIN 4-H Clubs, Community Center, 7:30 p.m.
El Llano Study Club, home of Mrs. Melvin Thompson, 8 p.m.
Rotary Club, Civic Club Center, noon.
Odd Fellows Lodge, 100F Hall, 8 p.m.
Evening Lions, K-Bob's Steak House, 7:30 p.m.
TOPS Evening, Chapter, Community Center, 6 p.m.
Square Dance Lessons, Community Center, 7:30 p.m.
Greenvalley 4-H Club, Dawn Community Center, 4:30 p.m.

TUESDAY
Alpha Alpha Chapter of Beta Sigma Phi Sorority, home of Mrs. Larry Summers, 7:30 p.m.
Association of the WWWWW, organizational meeting at Community Center, 7:30 p.m.
Kappa Iota Chapter of Beta Sigma Phi Sorority, home of Mrs. Lynn Brisendine, 7:30 p.m.
Rebekah Lodge, 100F Hall, 8 p.m.
Baptist Women of Summerfield Baptist Church to meet at the church, 10 a.m.
La Alifatus Estudio Club, home of Mrs. Sam Morgan, 3 p.m.
La Plata Study Club, Pioneer Natural Gas Flame Room, 8 p.m.
Xi Epsilon Alpha exemplar chapter of Beta Sigma Phi Sorority, home of Mrs. Davie Sorrells, 7:30 p.m.
Hereford CowBelles, salad and vegetable luncheon at Community Center, 11:45 a.m.
Social Security representative at the Courthouse from 9:15 a.m.-12 noon and from 1-3 p.m.
Hereford TOPS Club 576, Community Center, 9 a.m.
Story hour for preschool children at Deaf Smith County Library, 10 a.m.
Weight Watchers at First Baptist Church, 6:30 p.m.
Singles group in Fellowship Hall of First Baptist Church, 7:30 p.m.

WEDNESDAY
Christian Women's Fellowship, lunch at First Christian Church, noon.
Noon Lions, Civic Club Center, noon.
Story hour for preschool children at Deaf Smith County Library, 3:30 p.m.
Knights of Columbus at KC Hall, 8 p.m.

THURSDAY
Wyche Home Demonstration Club, home of Mrs. H.L. Ward, 2:30 p.m.
Lions Club Election Party, Civic Club Center, 7:30 p.m.
Child Abuse Program open to public at Community Center, 7:30 p.m.
Westway Home Demonstration Club, home of Mrs. Gaylong Bryan 9:30 a.m.
Farm and Ranch Club, home of Mrs. J.B. Odom, lunch at noon.
L'Allegria Study Club, guest day with game shows at Pioneer Natural Gas Flame Room from 10 a.m.-2 p.m.
Bay View Study Club, home of Mrs. R.B. Miller, 2 p.m.
Hereford Study Club, home of Mrs. Melvin Thompson, 8 p.m.
Alpha Iota Mu Chapter of Beta Sigma Phi Sorority, First National Bank Community Room, 8 p.m.
Red Cross Uniformed Volunteers, Civic Club Center, noon.
Kiwanis Club, Civic Club Center, noon.
Hereford Jaycees, Civic Club Center, 8 p.m.
Hereford TOPS Club, Community Center, 9 a.m.
AARP at Community Center, 7 p.m.
VFW, VFW Clubhouse in Veterans' Park, 8 p.m.
BPOE Lodge in Elks Hall, 8:30 p.m.

FRIDAY
Merry Mixers, Square Dance Club, salad supper at Civic Club Center, 7 p.m.
Bud to Blossom Garden Club, guest day in the home of Mrs. Ray Polan, 119 Kingwood, 9:30 a.m.
Kiwanis Whiteface Breakfast



Engaged To Kansas Man

Mr. and Mrs. LeRoy D. Rein of Hereford have announced the engagement of his daughter, Betty, of Concordia, Kans. Miss Rein will exchange nuptial vows with Gary Trude, son of Mr. and Mrs. Carl Trude of Jamestown, Kans. on Oct. 2 at St. Mary's United Methodist Church at Manhattan, Kans. The bride-elect is a graduate of St. Mary's High School and Crum's Beauty School at Manhattan. She is employed by Classique Hair Fashions at Concordia. Trude is employed by Mid-State Armature Works and is a graduate of Jamestown (Kans.) High School and the Salina Area Vocational-Technical School.

Club at Dickies Restaurant, 6:30 to 5; Sunday 2-5; closed a.m. Monday. Free admission.

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.

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Fashions Presented

Joyce Shipp, county extension agent, presented a demonstration on spring fashions and fabric to members of Bippus Extension Club Wednesday afternoon in the home of Mrs. Wayne Sifford.

Mrs. Charlie Burke presented a program on "Women of Texas" to member present. They included Mmes. C.F. Homfeld, Jimmy D. Bradley and

C. T. Douglass. The next meeting was scheduled at 2 p.m. April 7 in the home of Mrs. G.V. Hall.

The trouble with spring is that it makes you too lazy to work. Incidentally, summer, autumn and winter have the same fault.

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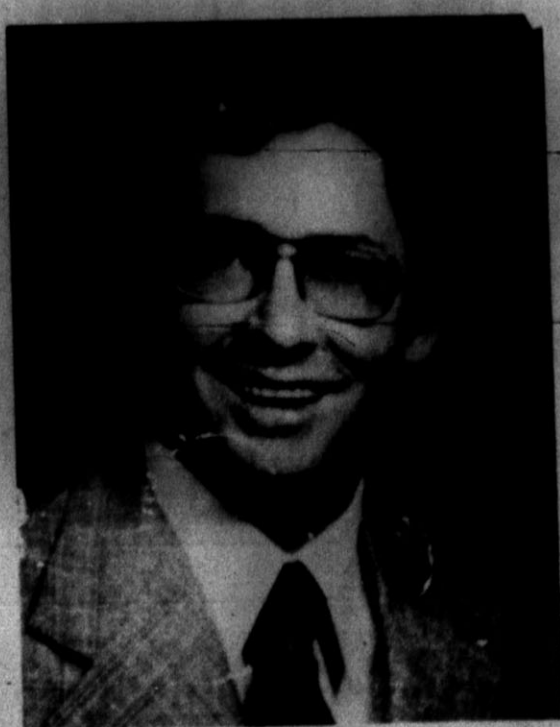
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Speaker Recalls Pioneer Days

Bill Brady spoke to members of Delta Xi Chapter of Delta Kappa Gamma Society Monday evening at Community Center.

Introduced by Mrs. Joe Don Cummings, who had a display of pioneer memorabilia on exhibit, the speaker told of the early struggles of his family to survive and recalled the early education which was offered in the Panhandle pioneer days.

Mrs. Charles Bell presided over the business meeting in which several reports were given by members. They included Mrs. Don Waters, research committee; Mrs. Joe Bradley, program committee; Mrs. Betty Mercer, membership committee; Phyllis Gerdson, personal growth and services committee; Mrs. Audrey Powell, treasurer; and

Mrs. Lawrence Carlson, nominating committee.

Also on the business agenda, members voted to become members of Friends of the Library and to support Miss Della Stagner at the Bicentennial luncheon at WTSU April 24.

This luncheon will honor women who have distinguished themselves by outstanding business, professional or volunteer service.

Chapter collect was led by Mrs. J.J. Durham and members adjourned after singing the Delta Kappa Gamma song led by Mrs. Edward Dziuk Jr.

Punch, cookies and coffee were served by hostesses Mmes. Don Shipley, Harold Wester, Jim Bookout and Dziuk.



First Division Winners

Fourteen members of La Plata Junior High School orchestra received first division ratings at the University Interscholastic League solo-ensemble contest held recently at Canyon. Back row from left are, Richard Olson, Robbie Fish, Ben Flores, Jaime Garza, Frank Maes and Tommy Rodriguez.

Front row, from left are, Stephanie Paetzold, Elizabeth Rudd, Lylene Behrends, Brenda Brown, Tommy Fischbacher and Rebecca Rudd. Not pictured are Jesse Aguilon and Brent Boyd. Orchestra director is Ray Jenkins.

La Plata Receives Honors At Contest

Orchestra students at La Plata Junior High School received numerous honors at the University Interscholastic League contest held in Canyon recently.

The solo-ensemble contest for Region I was held on the West Texas State University campus involving 26 strings students at La Plata.

The group consisted of 11 seventh graders, 10 eighth grade students and five freshmen students. They entered a total of 10 solos and eight ensembles and brought home 17 first division medals and 14 second division certificates.

Those students earning a first division for solos included Rebecca Rudd, class II, violin solo; Richard Olson, class II, string bass solo; Elizabeth Rudd, class III, violin solo; and Jaime Garza, class III, cello solo.

Three additional students earned a second division for solos. They were Tammy Fischbacher, class II, violin solo; Dana Barger, class III, violin solo; and Holly Hale, class III, violin solo.

Three of the string ensemble earned a first division rating. They included a class I, quintet, Rebecca Rudd and Tammy Fischbacher, violins; Brent Boyd, viola; Robbie Fish, cello; and Richard Olson, string bass.

A class III quartet: Brenda Brown and Stephanie Paetzold, violins; Ben Flores, viola; and Robbie Fish, cello. A class III quartet, Frank Maes and Kylene Behrends, violins; Jesse Aguilon, viola; and Tony Rodriguez, cello.

Three additional ensembles earned a second division rating: a class III quartet, Imelda Barrera and Lylene Behrends, violins; Gregory Martinez, viola; and Johnny Casarez, cello. A class III violin quartet consisting of Sharon Lowrie, Shari Riley, Crystal Zinser and Holly Hale. A class III violin Trio consisted of Lynn Garrett, Brenda Brown and Nancy Ferguson.

Almost half of these students attending the contest were

seventh grade students. It is their first year in junior high orchestra and this was their first solo-ensemble and competition of this type.

The La Plata string quintet was the only class I junior high ensemble heard the day of the contest and they won a first division rating as well as favorable comments from the judge.

Three of the members of this group included freshmen, Rebecca Rudd, Tommy Fischbacher and Richard Olson, Robbie Fish, eighth grade student, and Brent Boyd, seventh grade student.

Orchestra director is Ray Jenkins.

Who's New

Mr. and Mrs. Nelson Kendall of Route 3 are the parents of a son, Mr. Garrett, born March 11. He weighed 6 lbs. 14 1/2 oz. Mr. and Mrs. Leon Tuckett Jr. of 714 Ave. G. are the parents of a daughter, Tammi Rhue, born March 11. She weighed 7 lbs. 8 oz.

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Along The Frio

By MRS. OWEN ANDREWS
Brand Correspondent

Frio Homemakers Club met Tuesday in Flame Room of Pioneer Natural Gas building. The program for the meeting was in displaying by members of clothing and other items, including quilts, pictures, decorator items, all hand-made. Hostesses for the occasion were Alma Andrews and Mrs. Eugene Baldwin. Attending were Mmes. Annie Springer, E.F. Vogler, Tony Urbanczyk, Harlan Barber, D.F. Yandell, Jerry Richardson, T.L. Sparkman, Jr., Tommy Sparkman, J.E. Warrick, Fred Walton, Owen Andrews and Frank Robbins.

Mr. and Mrs. T.L. Sparkman Jr., Mrs. Owen Andrews and Clark Andrews went to Hale Center Monday, to attend the funeral of Mrs. Norma Price Robertson, 68 years old relative. The service was in Hale Center Methodist Church at 2:00 p.m. They then went on to Plainview, where they attended the funeral of another relative, Luther Gaither, at 4:00 p.m. in Grace Presbyterian Church. Mr. Gaither was 42 years of age and lived at Plainview.

Owen Andrews went with son-in-law George Zetzsche to Raymondville the first of the week. George was hauling a load of seed for a local firm.

W.H. Andrews returned home the first of the week from a several days visit, first in Maryland with his children, Mr. and Mrs. Godfrey Baldwin and boys, and then to Springfield, Mo., with the Bill Boyd family and at Carthage, Mo. with the Glen Andrews. He also visited relatives in Oklahoma City and

Marlowe, Okla.

Herbert Schmidt of Dalhart, was in Hereford Thursday and reports the birth of a granddaughter born to the Dale Schmidts on Wednesday, March 10. The Schmidts have a son, Doug, five, and daughter Melanie, two years of age.

The Tommy Schmidts of Amarillo, are preparing to move to Vega where they have bought a house. Tommy is working for Co-Op Elevators.

AAUW To Stage Learning Fair

Local residents are welcome to attend a "Learning Fair" sponsored by members of American Association of University Women at 7:30 p.m. Monday in Deaf Smith County Library Heritage Room.

Various crafts will be

displayed and demonstrated under the direction of Mrs. Robert Hickman. In conjunction with the creative program, a bazaar will be held. President of the local AAUW chapter is Miss Dorothy Sydzloski.

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The city served as the distribution point for a trade territory that extended over 100 miles west into the Ozarks and south into the lowlands.

Settlers from the surrounding area formed long wagon trains to bring their cotton into Cape Girardeau for ginning. By 1867, two gins were located there and merchants who bought the settlers' cotton shipped it by boats to New Orleans.

Angus Association Adds Stock To Sale At Ranch

The Greater West Texas Angus Association members have added club steers, open and bred heifers to the top 30 performance bulls to be sold April 10 at the West Texas State University Nance Ranch.

The top 30 bulls have tentatively been selected on the basis of the 112 day gain, conformation, score and weight per day of age, according to Dr. Don Beerwinkle, director of the test. The top indexing bull had the second high gain of 3.84 pounds per day, and the highest conformation score for an index of 123.7. The second indexing bull had the highest gain of 4.19; both bulls are owned by Hinkson-Lust, Lazbuddie.

Top sire groups at 112 days were by Biffles Emulous 29, owned by Hinkson-Lust, with 3.64 gain, Geordus of Bar 1582, owned by WTSU, 3.55, and Tail N. Emulous 3.40, owned by

Blackhawk Angus, Amarillo. The 30 bulls selected for the sale averaged 3.34 pounds per day of gain and have been classified as to conformation by the American Angus Association.

Breeders of other top performing bulls are Stanley Crow, Amarillo; Worth Jones, Happy; Richmond Hales, Canyon; Pinon Angus Ranch, Tatum NM; J.D. Cobb, Plainview; Earl Tollet, Borger; Ray Adams, Tahoka; Rex Robinson, Snyder, A.F. Flint and Sons, Bard NM; and J.H. Nail, Abilene.

The bulls may be inspected at the WTSU Nance Ranch.

It's an Ag-fact

It's an ag-fact. It costs more in labor to move a loaf of bread from the bakery to the grocery store than the farmer receives for the wheat that goes into the bread.



Service Recognized

Jim Hysinger, chairman of the Tierra Blanca Soil Conservation District board present a plaque to Herb Bruns, recognizing him for his service at the local soil conservation service office. Bruns has served as a soil scientist here for 21 years and has been promoted and transferred to Corsicana, where he will serve as an area soil scientist.

Ford promises new grain deals.

University debunks killer bee story.

Management Is Key To Heard's Success

BY JIM STEIERT
Brand Farm Editor

EDITOR'S NOTE -- The following is the second in a series of articles prepared from information supplied by the outstanding beet growers for the Holly Sugar Corporation Hereford plant in 1975. It concerns management practices utilized to obtain top yields. Information for the following article was taken from Dan Heard of Dimmitt.



DAN HEARD

Dan Heard, who farms near Dimmitt, was the top beet producer for Holly Sugar Corporation's Merrill E. Shoup plant in Hereford in 1975.

Relying on a program of intensive management which included numerous applications of various chemicals and careful irrigation, Heard harvested beets which yielded 30.6 tons per acre with a sugar content of 16.08 per cent. This was despite the fact that the ground was hard at harvest time and portions of some of the beets harvested were broken off underground.

Beets were planted on land that had grown wheat during 1974 on the Heard farm.

"We applied 200 pounds of 26-23 fertilizer per acre, chiseling the ground 10 inches deep with knives on chisels, and listed up 30 inch rows," Heard explained. "On March 25 we plowed and applied row-net with 1/2 pint of di-syston and planted 10 pounds of HH23 seed to the acre," he added.

Heard then followed a schedule of irrigation, cultivation and pesticide application which included the following:

Irrigation on March 28 and 29 to obtain a stand of beets, and subsequent cultivation as soon as the ground was dry.

Application of Treflan May 15 with hoeing and hand thinning to a spacing of six inches on May 21 and 22, followed by another cultivation.

Water furrows were made May 29 and irrigations were applied June 3 and July 2.

Weeds in the field were pulled in mid-July and beets were sprayed with Benlate at a cost of \$6.05 per acre on July 19. Beets were sprayed with 1/4

pound of kocide, 1/4 pound of manzate and one quart of sulphur on Aug. 11 at a cost of \$5.30 per acre.

A third irrigation was applied Aug. 21, and 8 oz. of Benlate and 1/2 gallon of sulphur were applied Aug. 22 at a cost of \$8.05 per acre.

A total of approximately 16 inches of irrigation water was applied to the crop, with applications averaging four inches per irrigation. Moisture was supplemented by 11 inches of rainfall during the growing season.

Harvesting operations were conducted Nov. 10, 11 and 12 utilizing a John Deere model 430 digger.

"At the time of harvest the ground was extremely dry and hard. My wife drove the tractor for me while digging the beets, as the ground was so hard I had to watch the digger from the back of the tractor and keep it running correctly. We didn't do as good a job of harvesting as we would have liked because of the beets breaking off in the hard ground," Heard explained.

The Dimmitt farmer credits his family for assisting him in producing a successful crop. In addition to his wife, he points out that he receives help from his daughter Pam, 17, who runs errands for him, a 15 year old son, Leslie, who "can operate any piece of machinery on the farm" and 10 year old son Danny, who also drives tractors and assists with other farm work.

Ag Development Fund Established At WTSU

To financially assist agriculture students and West Texas State University agriculture endeavors, the Agriculture Development Association and the WTSU School of Agriculture has established a tax-deductible Agriculture Development Fund.

Through contributions to the fund, the board of directors of the association plans to raise \$350,000 over the next 10-year period, according to Dr. Charles Smallwood, dean of agriculture.

The school uses funds to find part-time employment for students, to provide scholarships, students loans, funds for research, grants and travel for students and faculty, according to Dr. Ray Henders, association president.

For public service purposes, the WTSU School of Agriculture

sponsors meetings, holds contests, judges livestock shows, provides speakers and other services not supplied by state funds.

Donation may be made in the form of cash, property endowments or trusts.

In 1974, donations to the fund provided 42 scholarships totaling \$8,400. Approximately 80 per cent of the school's graduates enter farming, ranching or agriculture industry in the West Texas region, Dr. Smallwood said.

Additional information may be obtained from Dr. Smallwood at Box 755, WT Station, Canyon, Texas 79016.

Friona Ind. Declares Dividend

The board of directors of Friona Industries, Inc., has declared a cash dividend of 5 cents per share on its common stock. The dividend is payable May 3, 1976 to shareholders of record as of April 16, 1976. The board will give consideration to future quarterly dividends based on the company's financial performance.

This is the first cash dividend the company has declared since its stock was initially offered to the public in October, 1973.

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'Longhorn' Donated

The massive steer pictured at left, sporting an impressive horn spread, was donated to the Hereford CowBelles' Beef for Girlstown project Friday afternoon by Big Tex Feedyards. Wayne Barber, feedyard manager, indicated that although the steer has the appearance of a longhorn, the lineage of the animal is unknown, and termed the



2,000-pounder "Just a big old steer." At right, Barber accepts a certificate from Mrs. N.E. Tyler of the Hereford CowBelles, recognizing the cattle feeding firm for its contribution. Caviness Packing slaughtered the steer and processing of the animal was donated by Hereford Meat Market.

Maunder Named As New DeKalb Officer

Dr. Bruce Maunder, of Lubbock, has recently been promoted to vice president of sorghum research for DeKalb AgResearch, Inc., a northern Illinois based seed company, according to Tom Roberts, Jr., president.

Roberts says Maunder's new role will include responsibilities for sorghum research in the United States, Argentina, Brazil and Australia. Maunder began work for DeKalb in 1960 and has directed sorghum research efforts for the company since 1961.

"Because of his alert and early recognition of the threat posed by greenbugs," Roberts says, "Maunder has enabled our company to market hybrids with resistance to this pest in volume this year, well ahead of all competitors." Roberts expects this accomplishment to have substantial and long-lasting competitive gains for the company's hybrids.

Roberts credits Maunder with the release of more than 50 commercial grain sorghum type hybrids which are now in use by farmers on approximately 6 million acres in the U.S., Mexico, Argentina and Australia.

Maunder graduated from Purdue University in 1960 with a Ph.D. in genetics and plant breeding; undergraduate work at the University of Nebraska. He's listed in Who's Who of America and was winner of the Gerald Thomas Outstanding Agriculturist Award in 1974. The University of Nebraska recognized Maunder as a Master Alumni in 1973 and he now serves in the Chancellor's

Ag-safety Tip

Members of farm and ranch families are the most susceptible to agricultural accidents, analysis of farm accident statistics by Sperry New Holland reveals. Some 89 percent of all farm and ranch accidents happen to family members, while eight percent to employees and three percent to guests and visitors.

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Professionally, Maunder is a member of the American Society of Agronomy, Council for Agricultural and Scientific Technology, High Plains Nutrition Council and the American Seed Trade Association.

Two other plant breeders named as DeKalb vice presidents include: Dr. Basil Tsotsis, vice president of corn research, DeKalb, Illinois and Dr. J.A. Wilson, vice president of wheat research, Wichita, Kansas.



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Variety, Planting Date, Irrigation Can Increase Returns From Sunflowers

Paying attention to variety, planting date, and irrigation can greatly increase returns from sunflowers. These were conclusions drawn from three experiments conducted in 1975 by Dr. Paul Unger, USDA Soil Scientist at the USDA Southwestern Great Plains Research Center at Bushland.

In one study, 13 varieties and hybrids were irrigated three times after the emergence irrigation. The test was planted on May 12 and treated two times with parathion during flowering to control head moth. Soil tests showed fertility on the field to be adequate. Seed yield of some commercial hybrids were up to 38 per cent greater than open pollinated varieties. Yield of the top US hybrid was 40 per cent greater than that of Romanian hybrid Romson 52, which was widely grown in Texas in 1975. US hybrids produced from 2,700 to 3,185 pounds of seed per acre. The six high yielders in the test, which all placed near the top, were Hybrid 896, Sunbred

212, Hybrid 204, Sun-Gro 372, Hybrid 8944, and Hybrid 8541. Peredovik and Sputnik, open pollinated varieties, were low yielders in the test and made 2,440 and 2,300 pounds of seed per acre.

Unger states that US hybrid seed should be available in 1976, because of increased seed production in 1975 and decreased planting in 1976. To obtain high quality seed for 1976, Unger suggests buying certified seed or seed that have been subjected to winter grow-out to test quality. High quality seed should be 95 per cent or more hybrid.

In a second irrigated study conducted by Dr. Unger, Hybrid 896 sunflowers were planted every 2 weeks between March 21 and July 28. The May 16 planting yielded 2,790 pounds per acre of seed, the best in the study. All other plantings in March, April, or May yielded from 2,140 to 2,310 pounds per acre, about 500 to 700 pounds per acre less than the best.

Yields decreased to as low as 816 pounds per acre with June and July plantings.

Sunflowers planted in March required 25 days for emergency, those planted in April or May took 8 to 12 days and later plantings emerged in 4 to 6 days. Slow emergence from March plantings resulted from cold weather. Soil temperature dropped well below freezing several times after planting, but a good stand was obtained. Unger said slow emergence increases opportunity for insect and disease damage to seeds and young plants, but none occurred in 1975.

The study indicates that the middle of May is the best time to plant sunflowers. "On the other hand," Unger said, "planting any time in April and May resulted in good yields." Because planting date is not too important, sunflower planting can be scheduled before, in between, or after other crops that have critical planting dates in April and May.

A third experiment showed that an emergence irrigation and one well-timed seasonal irrigation made the most efficient use of irrigation water in this study. Unger planted Hybrid 896 sunflowers on May 12 and irrigated for germination and emergence the next day. For one treatment, sunflowers were not irrigated again. Other treatments were one additional irrigation at either early budding, early flowering, or late flowering. A fully-irrigated treatment received three irrigations during the season.

Sunflowers irrigated only for emergence produced 1,410 pounds of seed per acre. When one additional irrigation was applied at early budding, seed yield was 1,960 pounds per acre. Delaying this irrigation until early flowering increased yields to 2,470 pounds per acre. The best irrigation time proved to be late flowering and yield jumped to 2,740 pounds per acre. Sunflowers receiving three growing season irrigations

produced 2,970 pounds per acre, only 240 pounds per acre more than plants irrigated once at late flowering. The scientist said sunflowers irrigated during flowering benefited from earlier rainfall. However, he feels that timing of irrigation is very critical. To make the best use of limited water, irrigation should be applied from 10 to 14 days after sunflowers start flowering.

Dr. Unger stated, "Our 1975 research told us a lot about producing sunflowers at a profit." The first step is selecting a high yielding US hybrid; the second, planting about May 15; and third, irrigating twice—once prior to or for emergence and again 10 to 14 days after flowering starts. Fertility must be adequate and insects controlled to obtain maximum yields.



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Champion Duroc

Doug Walterscheid of the Hereford FFA exhibited the champion Duroc barrow at the Houston Livestock Show last week. The 234 pound barrow brought \$5 per pound at the show auction. Walterscheid is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Walterscheid of Hereford.

FFA, 4-H Members Win Houston Honors

Members of the Deaf Smith County 4-H and FFA traveled to Houston last week to compete in the annual stock show there and captured a number of honors in the barrow and steer divisions of the show.

Doug Walterscheid of the Hereford FFA exhibited the champion Duroc barrow, which sold for \$5 per pound.

Stan McCabe showed the first place light crossbreed barrow.

The third place heavy crossbreed was shown by Pam Cosper and the fourth place light Berkshire was shown by Mark Etheridge.

The local FFA chapter took 21 barrows to the Houston show and placed a total of 14 animals.

According to Marcus Phillips, FFA advisor, a total of 1850 barrows were entered in the show, and three of the seven breed champions named at the show were also shown at the

Hereford show. Four of the seven champions came from the four county area involved in the Hereford show.

In addition to winning honors in the show ring, the local FFA also brought home an award in livestock judging as Doug Reinart topped a field of 1500 contestants to be named high individual. He was awarded a heifer calf in addition to a year's supply of feed.

Local 4-H members also fared well at the Houston show with Terry Barrier exhibiting the reserve champion Chianina, a middleweight calf which sold for \$2 per pound.

Jolisa Barrier had the second light Angus and Kevin Douglas had the fourth place Simmental.

Micki Merritt showed the fifth place medium Angus and Monty Hutto showed the sixth place Duroc barrow.



High Individual

Doug Reinart of the Hereford FFA was high point individual in the beef and dairy judging contest held at the Houston Stock Show last week. He had the top score over a field of some 1500 contestants. Here, Reinart is pictured with Richard Reed of Earl Campbell Construction Co.

TSCRA Convention Scheduled For Galveston

Galveston will be the site of the 99th annual convention and first annual trade show of the Texas and Southwestern Cattle Raisers Association March 21-24, says TSCRA President Hilmar G. Moore. All activities will be held in the Moody Civic Center there.

Headlining the impressive list of speakers will be former Texas governor John B. Connally, a possible U.S. presidential candidate, and Texas Governor Dolph Briscoe, Moore says. Other speakers include Wray Finney, president of the American National Cattlemen's Association; John L. Hill, attorney general of Texas; Mrs. Frances Owen, president of the Texas CowBelles; Topper Thorpe, general manager of Cattle-Fax, ANCA's marketing information service; and John C. White, Texas commissioner of Agriculture.

More than 1,000 members and their wives are expected to attend this year's convention, Moore says.

This year marks the advent of the first annual TSCRA Trade Show. Conventioneers will have

an opportunity to view and discuss with company representatives the latest livestock equipment, supplies and services. Seventy exhibits will be on display at the civic center, Moore says.

The Texas CowBelles will hold their fourth annual semi-annual spring meeting in conjunction with the TSCRA convention-trade show, Mrs. Owen says. Registration for their three-day meeting will begin Sunday, March 21, at the civic center.

TSCRA President Moore will speak to the CowBelles at their general membership meeting Monday. Several workshops, including one on beef promotion conducted by a National Stock and Meat Board representative, have been scheduled.

The cattle raisers will kick off their activities with a membership social hour beginning at 5 p.m. Sunday. The trade show will be open Sunday afternoon and throughout the remainder of the convention.

The convention agenda includes several important committee meetings, and Moore

emphasizes that all committee and business meetings are open and an invitation to sit in on these meetings is extended to all registrants.

The Monday morning session will include committee meetings dealing with animal health, the Mexican border, legislation, agricultural research and education and soil conservation.

Dr. Vaughn Nelson, physics department head at West Texas State University, Canyon, will address the ag research and education committee on the use of wind as an energy source. He and colleagues have done research in this area for several years. Nelson will be accompanied by Coy Harris, president of the Sigma Engineering, a Lubbock, Texas, company that distributes wind turbines for industrial and rural use.

The special membership luncheon will be highlighted by Connally's address.

Monday afternoon John Hill will speak to the wildlife committee on current trespassing laws. The TSCRA board will hold a meeting at 2 p.m. Monday and the afternoon will

conclude with a hosted social hour at the trade show.

Climaxing the first full day's activities will be a western dinner-dance featuring country-western entertainer Jim Ed Brown.

A general assembly will be held Tuesday morning with Governor Briscoe delivering the keynote address at noon. The afternoon committee meetings include those on membership activities, taxes, marketing and resolutions. A special side trip featuring a musical tribute to the life and works of Irving

Berlin has been scheduled for the ladies at 2 p.m. Tuesday in the famed Balinese Room.

A hosted social hour will follow the committee meetings that afternoon at the trade show. Highlight of the evening will be the traditional Cattle-men's Ball. Ed Gerlach and his orchestra will provide the music.

Reports by the president, secretary-general, manager, committee chairmen and the election of directors and officers will conclude the convention Wednesday.

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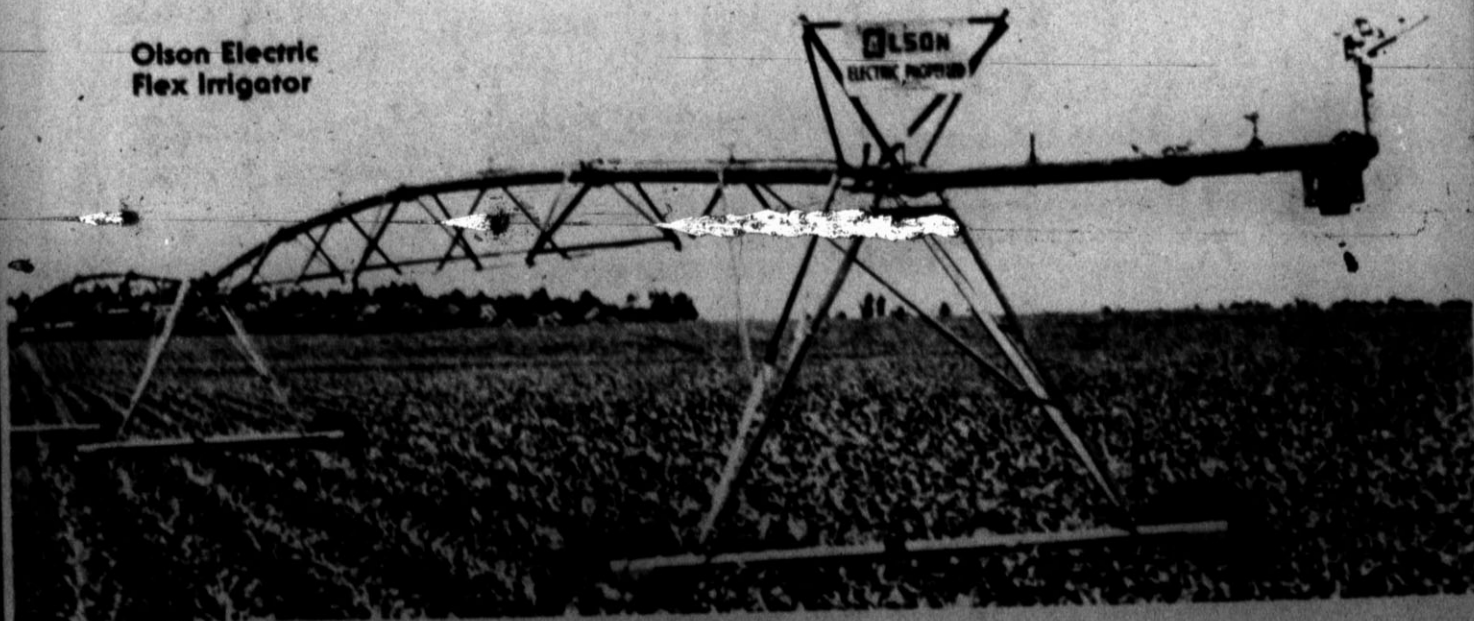
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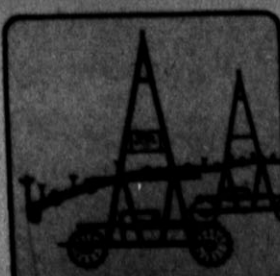
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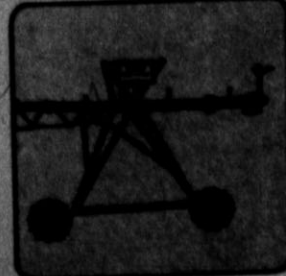
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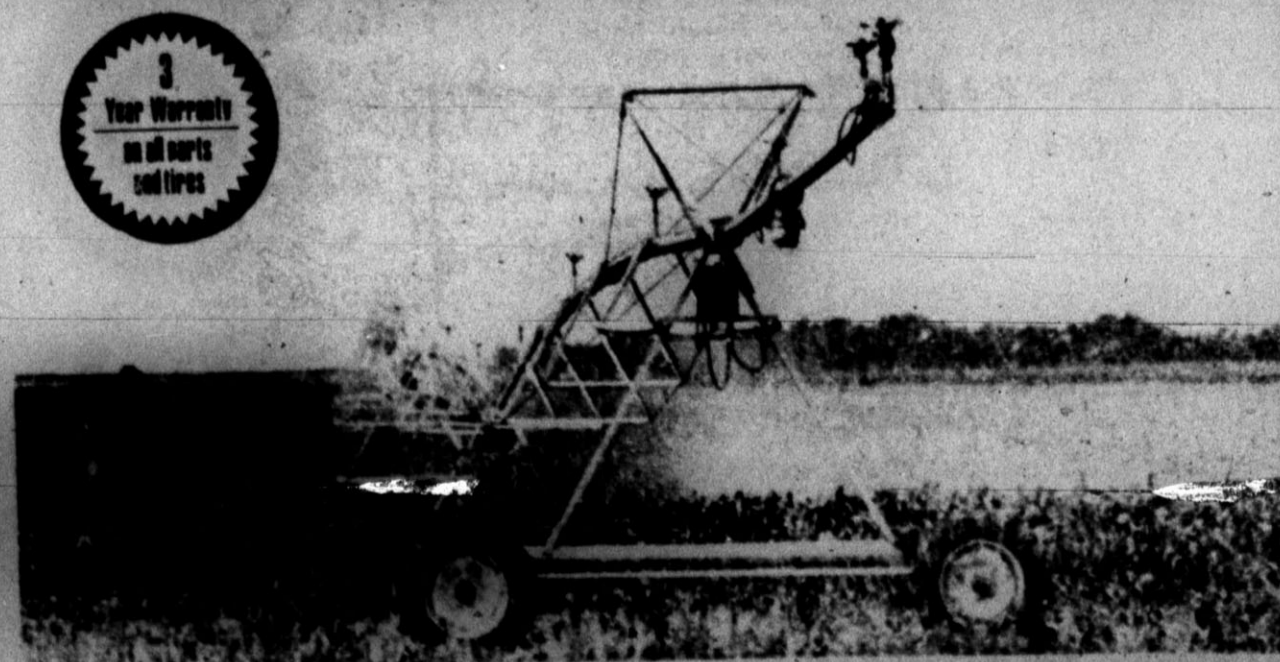


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Citizen band radio fans can save lives using their radios. Yet many operators do not know about code 10-33 and channel 9, two valuable aids for getting help in emergencies, the Texas Medical Association says.

The Federal Communications Commission (FCC) says channel 9 is to be used exclusively for obtaining aid. This channel, which usually is not very busy, is intended mainly for use during serious emergencies. However, the FCC says it does not have to be a life-or-death situation. One veteran operator says car trouble on the freeway would be a legitimate reason to use channel 9. Many law enforcement agencies and some CB clubs monitor this channel continuously.

Announcing a code 10-33 should get attention on any of the 23 CB channels, including channel 19, the most commonly used channel. A 10-33 notifies listeners there is serious trouble, usually a medical emergency.

An emergency call might go like this:

"Break 19 for a 10-33." (The caller is asking to interrupt a conversation to tell about an emergency.)

"Go ahead, break." (Phrases are limited only by operators' imaginations but most will acknowledge a break some way after the first or second request.)

"There's a bad wreck two miles north..."

Law enforcement officials often monitor channel 19 and may hear the call directly. However, most officers currently only receive and cannot transmit on their CBs. So a caller does not know if a "smokey" has heard the message. To make sure the call reaches the proper people, a caller can ask a listener to "10-5" it. This is a request to relay a message, usually until it reaches a town where a listener can telephone authorities. Often a message will be relayed

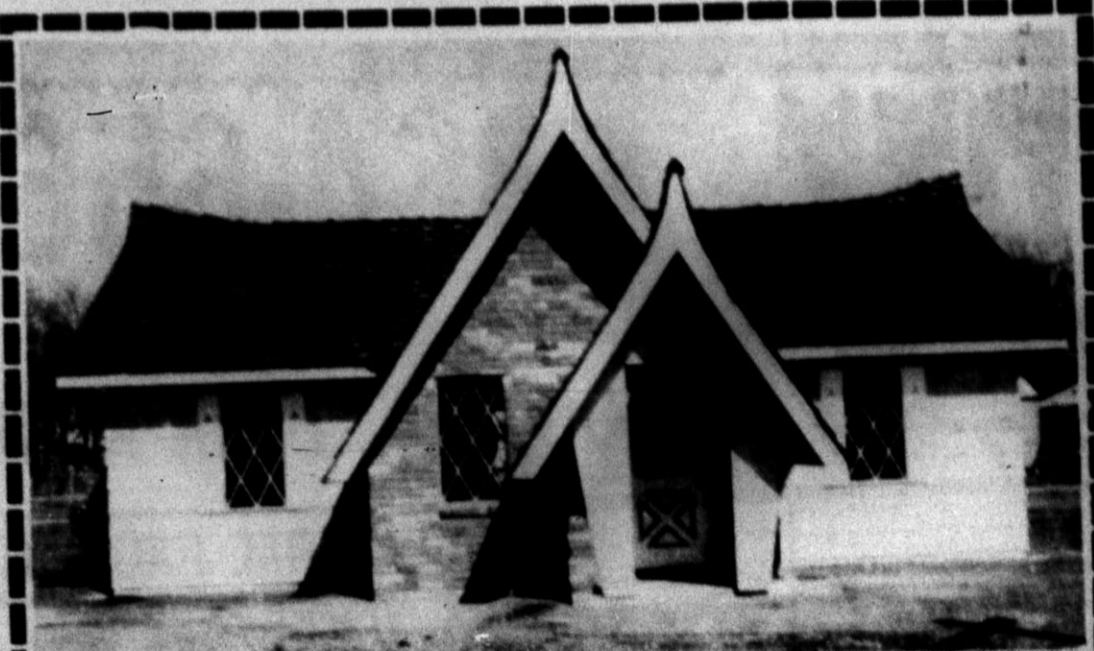
caller also can ask for a base station (stronger and more powerful than a vehicle unit) to relay a message.

Some operators say they prefer transmitting emergency messages on channel 19 because more people listen to it than channel 9. Numerous "smokeys," "county mounties" (sheriffs), "bulls," "bears," "Tijuana taxis" (local lawmen), "local PDs" (police depart-

ments), "THPs" (Texas Highway Patrol), and "super troopers"—just a few of the names for law enforcers (usually in cars)—often listen in. Many doctors also have CB sets.

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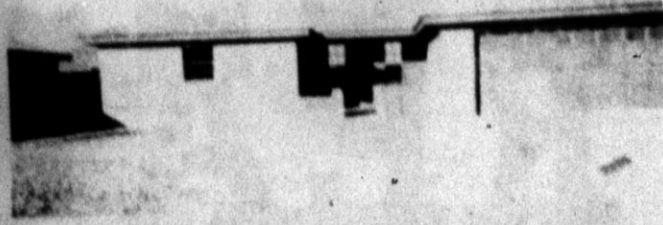


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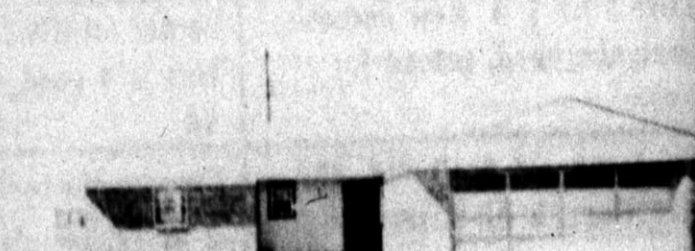
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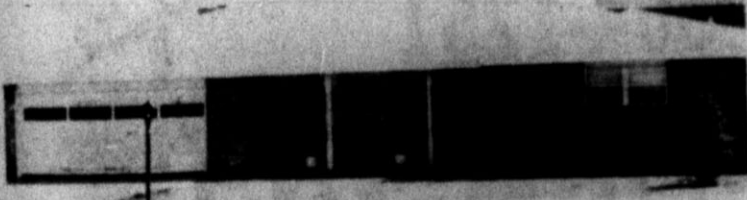
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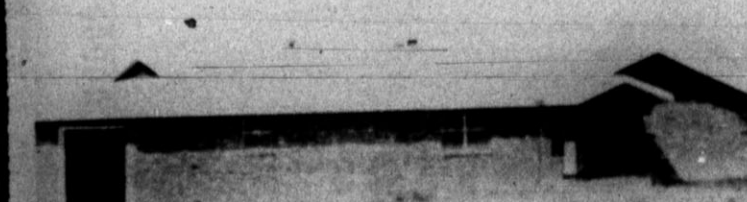
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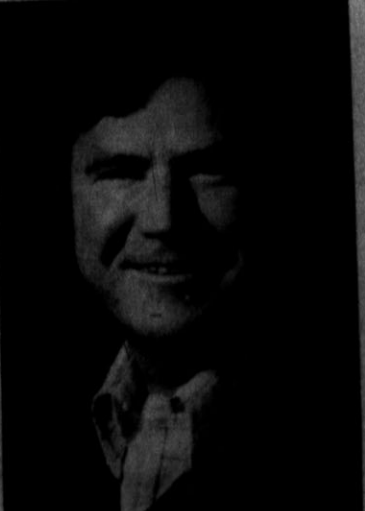
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Tornado Season Here

The heaviest tornado season is nearing, and the American Red Cross today gave pointers on what to do to save yourself in case one threatens.

"A tornado may occur in any state, Lee Umsted chairman of the Deaf Smith County Red Cross Chapter, said today. They are most common in the Midwest, South and South-

west."

He urged that Americans everywhere pay close attention to the tornado warnings of the National Weather Service and be guided by them, especially in the months of greatest tornado frequency, from March to early fall.

Umsted explained that the term "tornado watch" means

tornadoes may be expected to develop. "Tornado warning" means a tornado has actually been sighted. When the Weather Service has issued a tornado warning, persons close to the danger area should take cover immediately, he said. Those farther away should take cover if threatening conditions occur.

The first precaution against an approaching tornado is to seek shelter at once, Umsted said—preferably in a storm cellar, underground excavation, or steel-framed or reinforced concrete building.

In an office building, go to an interior hallway on the lowest floor or to a designated shelter area. "Workers in a factory should move quickly to the section of the plant offering the greatest protection."

In the home, the basement

offers the greatest safety. Umsted continued. In homes without basements, seek cover in the center part of the house on the lowest floor in a small space such as a bathroom or closet, or under sturdy furniture. Keep some windows open on the side away from the expected twister, but stay away from them, he went on.

"Mobile homes are particularly vulnerable to destructive winds," he said. "Secure tie-downs will help to prevent

overturning and lessen danger. In times of danger from tornadoes, a warden should be appointed in mobile home parks to watch the skies and listen for radion warnings. A hand siren should be kept on hand to alert residents.

"The best thing is to get out of a mobile home when a twister threatens, Umsted emphasized. "Endangered residents should seek refuge in a nearby sturdy building or, as a last resort, in a ditch, culvert or ravine. In any

case, do not remain in the mobile home."

Students and school personnel should follow prearranged plans to go to an interior hallway on the lowest floor for safety.

They should stay out of auditoriums, gymnasiums, or other structures with wide, free-span roofs. If a building is not of reinforced construction, go quickly to a nearby reinforced building, or to a ravine or open ditch and lie flat.

"If you are in open country

and there is no time to find suitable shelter, lie face down in the nearest depression and protect your head with your arms," he said. "Do not take shelter in an automobile."

He concluded with the advice that communities cooperate with the National Weather Service's SKYWARN operation.

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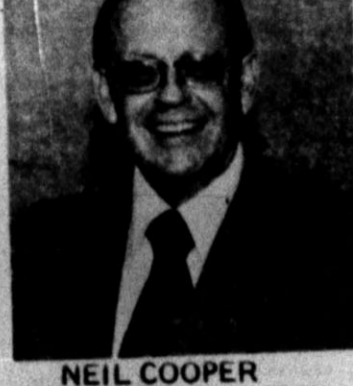
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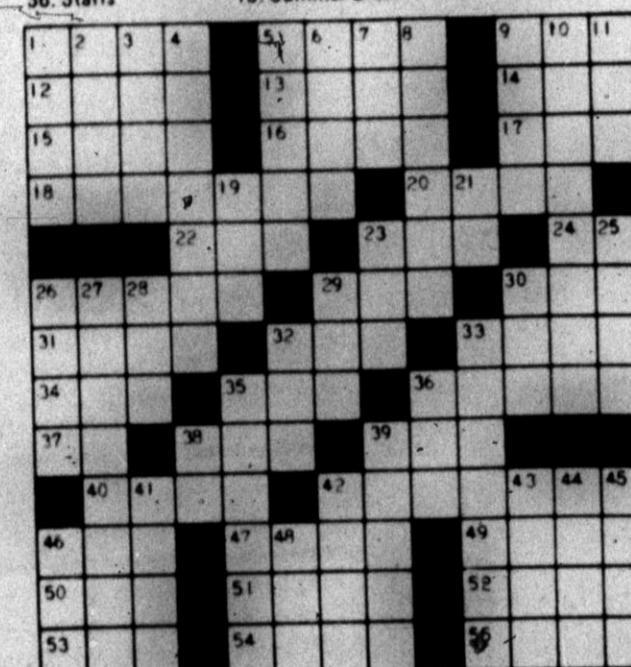
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28. French island
29. First lady
30. Prohibit
32. Lung fuel
33. Structures for climbing
35. Boat propeller
36. Auto
38. Mixed type
39. Analyze grammatically
41. Absorbed
42. Drops
43. Notion
44. Flood tide
45. Footballers
46. Wing-like
48. "Listener"



14. CARD OF THANKS

We wish to take this means of expressing our sincere thanks and appreciation for the many acts of kindness extended to us by friends and neighbors during Floyd's recent illness and stay in the hospital. A special thanks to Drs. Mims and Rush, the nurses at Station No. 2 and other hospital personnel. Also for prayers, calls, visits, flowers and cards we are deeply grateful to each of you.
Mr & Mrs. Floyd Dunavant.
B-22-1p

PUBLIC NOTICES "BECAUSE THE PEOPLE MUST KNOW"



THE STATE OF TEXAS

TO: Eduardo C. Robledo

YOU ARE HEREBY COMMANDED to appear and answer before the Honorable District Court, 69th Judicial District, Deaf Smith County, Texas at the Courthouse of said county in Hereford Texas, at or before 10:00 o'clock a.m. of the Monday next after the expiration of 20 days from the date of service of this citation, then and there to answer the petition of Guadalupe Robledo, Petitioner filed in said Court on the 8 day of December, 1975, against Eduardo C. Robledo Respondent and the said suit being number DC 7617 on said docket of said Court, and entitled, "In the Matter of the Marriage of Guadalupe Robledo and Eduardo C. Robledo," the nature of which suit is a request to grant a divorce to Guadalupe Robledo.

The Court has authority in this suit to enter any judgement or decree dissolving the marriage and providing for the division of property which will be binding on you.

Issued and given under my hand and seal of said Court at Hereford, Texas, this the 11 day of March, 1976.

Lola Faye Veazey
Clerk of the District Court
Deaf Smith County, Texas
B-22-1c

LEGAL NOTICE

Notice is hereby given that the Zoning Commissioner of the City of Hereford will convene at the City Hall at 7:30 P.M. on the 30th day of March, 1976 to consider the rezoning of the following property:

E108.71' of N143.71' of lot 1, Block 8 Events Addition to the City of Hereford, Deaf Smith County, Texas

The above property requested to be rezoned from "B Two Family District" to "D-Restricted District". Those interested in the above request are invited to attend the meeting on the date set forth above.

Recommendation of the Zoning Commission on the above described property will then be considered by the City Commission on the 5th day of April, 1976 at 7:30 P.M.
/s/ Mary V. Watts,
City Secretary
B-22-1c

13. LOST & FOUND

\$50 REWARD for a little white poodle, 14 years old. Red bows in hair. Missing off of Hwy. 60. Answers to "Rainy". 357-2517 or 364-2175.
B-13-23-22-2c

Safety of nuclear power questioned.

France acts on inflation and unemployment.

NOTICE OF DISSOLUTION
Notice is hereby given that the partnership lately consisting between JOHN W. NORTHCUTT and JOHNNY M. NORTHCUTT of Hereford, Deaf Smith County, Texas, under the firm name of NORTHCUTT CATTLE COMPANY was dissolved by mutual consent as of March 1, 1976, and under the terms of such dissolution, JOHNNY M. NORTHCUTT is to continue the business of such partnership as an individually owned business.
John W. Northcutt
Johnny M. Northcutt
B-22-1c

ORDER AND NOTICE OF COUNTY SCHOOL TRUSTEE ELECTION

THE STATE OF TEXAS
COUNTY OF Deaf Smith
WHEREAS, under the terms and provision of Chapter 17 Sub-Chapter A, Texas Education Code, an election is to be held in Deaf Smith County, Texas, on Saturday, April 3rd, 1976, for the purpose of electing 2 members of the Board of County School Trustees of said County.

Said Education Code further provides that the election officers appointed to hold the election for district trustees in each school district shall hold the regular election for Board of County School Trustees and that all candidates' application for place on the ballot must be filed with the County Judge not less than 30 days prior to the day of the election and that said election shall be ordered by the County Judge at least 30 days prior to election day and said order must designate as polling places within each common or independent school district the same places at which votes are cast for the District Trustees.

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Sam Morgan, in my official capacity as County Judge of Deaf Smith County, Texas, on the 3rd day of April, 1976, for the purpose of electing the Board of County School Trustees of said County, the member of said Board elected from the county at large, the member of said Board elected from Commissioner Precinct No. 3

Said election shall be held at the following places which have been heretofore designated by the trustees of the school districts located within this county, to-wit:

1. In Hereford Independent School District at Courthouse, Hereford, Texas and the election officials appointed to hold the election for said district's trustee election (both absentee voting and regular polling place) shall hold said county school trustee election.

2. In Walcott Independent School District at Walcott School and the election officials appointed to hold the election for said district's trustee election (both absentee voting and regular polling place) shall hold said county school trustee election.

The polls at the above designated polling places shall on election day be open from 7:00 o'clock a.m. to 7:00 o'clock p.m.

The returns of the election shall be made to the County Clerk within 5 days after said election and delivered by the County Clerk to the Commissioners Court to be canvassed by the Commissioners Court.

A copy of this order shall serve as notice of said election and said notice shall be published one time in a newspaper of general circulation published in this county and said publication shall be not more than 25 days nor less than 10 days before the date of the election or said notice shall be posted in each precinct in which this election is to be held at least 20 days before said election.

DATED this 3rd day of March, 1976.

Sam Morgan
County Judge
Deaf Smith County, Texas

ORDEN Y AVISO DE ELECCIONES DE ADMINISTRADOR DE ESCUELA DEL CONDADO

EL ESTADO DE TEXAS
CONDADO DE Deaf Smith
EN VISTA DE QUE, bajo los terminos y provisiones del Capitulo 17, Sub-Capitulo A, del

Codigo Educativo de Texas, se llevara a cabo una eleccion en el Condado de Deaf Smith, Texas, el sabado tres de abril, de 1976, para el proposito de elegir a dos miembros al Consejo de Administradores Escolares del mencionado Condado.

Dicho Codigo Educativo requiere ademas que los oficiales electorales nombrados para llevar a cabo la eleccion de administradores de distrito en cada distrito escolar deberan llevar a cabo la eleccion regular para Administradores del Consejo de Escuelas del Condado y que todas las solicitudes de candidatos para ser incluidos en la boleta electoral deben ser registradas con el Juez del Condado no menos de 30 dias anteriores a la fecha de elecciones y que dicha eleccion sea ordenada por el Juez del Condado por lo menos 30 dias anteriores al dia de elecciones y que dicha orden debe designar como lugares de votacion dentro de cada distrito escolar comun o independiente los mismos lugares en los cuales se vota para Administradores del Distrito.

POR LO TANTO, YO Sam Morgan en mi capacidad oficial como Juez del Condado del Condado de Deaf Smith, Texas, por la presente ordeno que se lleve a cabo una eleccion en el Condado de Deaf Smith, Texas, el dia tres de abril, de 1976, para el proposito de elegir al Consejo de Administradores de Escuela de Condado de dicho Condado al miembro de dicho Consejo del Condado en general, a elegir al miembro de dicho Consejo del Distrito de Comisionados Num. cuatro.

Dicha eleccion se llevara a cabo en los siguientes lugares que han sido designados previamente por los administradores de los distritos escolares que se encuentran dentro de esta Condado, a saber:

1. En el Distrito Escolar Hereford Independent en Courthouse, Hereford, Texas y los oficiales electorales nombrados para llevar a cabo la eleccion de administradores de dicho distrito (tanto la votacion ausente como tambien los lugares de votacion regular) llevaran a cabo la eleccion de administradores de escuela del condado.

Los lugares de votacion arriba mencionados se mantendran abiertos el dia de eleccion de las 7:00 a.m. a las 7:00 p.m.

Los resultados de la eleccion seran dados al Secretario del Condado dentro de 5 dias despues de dicha eleccion y seran entregados por dicho Secretario del Condado a la Corte de Comisionados para ser examinados por la Corte de Comisionados.

Una copia de esta orden servira como aviso de dicha eleccion y dicho aviso sera publicado una vez en un periodico de circulacion general, publicado en dicho condado y dicha publicacion se hara no mas de 25 dias ni menos de 10 dias anteriores a la fecha de eleccion o dicho aviso sera colocado en cada distrito en el que se lleve a cabo esta eleccion por lo menos 20 dias antes de la eleccion.

FECHADO este tres dia de March, de 1976.

Sam Morgan
Juez del Condado
Condado de Deaf Smith, Texas

FIRES OFFICIAL
President Ford has fired H.R. Crawford, top housing management official in the Department of Housing and Urban Development because of questions raised about possible conflict of interest, officials report.

Cuba's Angola action ends any U.S. detente.

FOR MANURE SPREADING

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PUBLIC NOTICES BECAUSE THE PEOPLE MUST KNOW

ORDEN Y AVISO DE ELECCION

EL ESTADO DE TEXAS CONDADO DE DEAF SMITH

En este día 13 de January, de 1976, el Consejo de Administradores del Distrito Escolar Independiente de Herford se reunio en sesion regular, abierta al publico, con siguientes miembros presentes, a saber: Jim Conkwright, Presidente Ronald Zimmerman, Danny Martin, Jim Arney, James Gentry, Clark Andrews, Lynton Allred y los siguientes ausentes: constituyendo un quorum y entre otros actos tomadas por dicho Consejo de Administradores se encuentra la siguiente:

EN VISTA de que el regimen de Ronald Zimmerman Place No. 4 and Danny Martin Place No. 5 miembros del Consejo de Administradores expira el primer sabado de abril de 1976, dicho primer sabado siendo el 3 de abril de 1976, y en dicha fecha se llevara a cabo una eleccion de administradores en dicho Distrito Escolar.

EN VISTA de que es necesario que este Consejo pase una orden estableciendo el procedimiento para archivar y conducir dicha eleccion de administrador:

POR LO TANTO, SE ORDENA POR EL CONSEJO DE ADMINISTRADORES DEL DISTRITO ESCOLAR DE HERFORD:

1. Que se lleve a cabo una eleccion en dicho Distrito Escolar el día 3 de abril, de 1976, para el proposito de elegir al Consejo de Administradores de dicho Distrito Escolar dos miembros

2. Que todas las solicitudes de candidatos a que se incluyan sus nombres en la boleta de la arriba mencionada eleccion, se haran por escrito y firmadas por las candidatas y archivadas con el secretario del Consejo de Administradores en la oficina del superintendente antes de los 30 dias anteriores a la fecha de dicha eleccion.

Todos los candidatos deben agregar para que la solicitud sea archivada, el acta notarial de lealtad como lo requiere el Artículo 6.02 del Código Electoral.

El Secretario del Consejo de Administradores debe colocar en la tabilla de avisos en el edificio donde se reúne el Consejo de Administradores, los nombres de todos los candidatos que hayan archivado sus solicitudes de acuerdo con los terminos y provisiones de esta Orden, y dicho Secretario deba en toda forma cumplir con los terminos y provisiones del Art. 13.32 del Código Electoral.

3. Que dicha eleccion se llevara a cabo en los siguientes lugares, y las personas nombradas a continuacion se les nombra por la presente como oficiales de dicha eleccion:

(a) En los distritos electorales numero en el Edificio Community Center en Herford, Texas, en dicho Distrito Escolar, con Robbie Seeds como Juez Directivo y Jerry Jackson y minimo de diez Ayudantes.

Los lugares de votacion arriba designados se mantendran abiertos el día de eleccion de las 8 a.m. a las 7 p.m.

4. A Orpha L. Click se le nombra Secretario de votacion ausente, y Geraldine Frank y Sue Morris se les nombra por esta como Secretarios Delegados para votacion ausente. La votacion ausente para la eleccion arriba designada se llevara a cabo en dentro de los limites del Distrito Escolar arriba nombrado y dicho lugar de votacion ausente se mantendra abierto por lo menos ocho horas cada día de votacion ausente no siendo sabado, domingo a día festivo oficial del Estado, principiando 20 dias y continuando hasta el cuarto día anterior a la fecha de dicha eleccion.

Dicho lugar de votacion se mantendra abierto de las 8 a.m. a las 5 p.m. horas cada día de votacion ausente. El lugar arriba descrito para votacion ausente es tambien la direccion postal del secretario de votacion ausente a la cual se podran enviar por correo solicitudes de boletas y tambien las boletas con votos.

7. Inmediatamente despues de haberse contado los votos, los oficiales a cargo de dicha eleccion deberan completar y entregar los resultados de dicha eleccion y ejecutar todos los

deberes como esta provisto por el Código Electoral.

8. El Consejo de Administradores dara aviso de dicha eleccion, y esta combinacion de Orden de Eleccion y Aviso servira como Aviso de dicha eleccion. Al Presidente del Consejo de Administradores se le autoriza y ordena por la presente a colocar a causar que se coloque dicha combinacion de Orden de Eleccion y Aviso en tres lugares publicos en donde se acostumbra colocar avisos en este distrito escolar, llevandose a cabo dicha colocacion por lo menos 20 dias anteriores a la fecha de dicha eleccion.

El Presidente tambien causara que una copia de esta combinacion de Orden de Eleccion y Aviso sea publicada una vez en un periodico de circulacion general en el condado donde se encuentra este distrito escolar. Dicha publicacion se hara no mas de 30 dias ni menos de 10 dias anteriores a la fecha de dicha eleccion.

Ademas se encuentra y determina que de acuerdo con una orden del Consejo de Administradores, el Secretario colo aviso escrito de la fecha, lugar y proposito de esta junta en la tabilla de avisos situada en la oficina central administrada de este distrito escolar, un lugar conveniente y facilmente accesible al publico en general, y dicho aviso, habiendose colocado en esta forma, permanecio colocado por lo menos 72 horas anteriores a la hora programada para dicha junta.

Ademas se encuentra y determina que de acuerdo con una orden del Consejo de Administradores, el Secretario proporcione aviso de la fecha, lugar y proposito de esta junta al secretario del condado, Condado de Deaf Smith, Castro and Parmer, Texas, el condado en el cual residen el mayor numero, sino es que todos los alumnos de este distrito escolar.

Habiendose dado lectura a lo anterior, se hizo la mocion y fue secundada para ser adoptada. Despues al llamado sobre esta pregunta, los siguientes miembros del Consejo votaron AFIRMATIVAMENTE: Martin, Conkwright, Arney, Zimmerman, Andrews, Allred, Gentry; y los siguientes votaron NEGATIVAMENTE:

CERTIFICA: Jim Conkwright, Presidente, del Consejo de Administradores
Danny Martin, Secretario del Consejo de Administradores

B-222-1c

ELECTION ORDER AND NOTICE

THE STATE OF TEXAS COUNTY OF DEAF SMITH

On this 13 day of January, 1976, the Board of Trustees of Herford Independent School District convened in regular session, open to the public, with the following members present, to-wit:

Jim Conkwright, President Ronald Zimmerman, Danny Martin, Jim Arney, James Gentry, Clark Andrews, Lynton Allred, and the following absent: constituting a quorum and among other proceedings had by said Board of Trustees was the following:

WHEREAS, the term of office of Ronald Zimmerman Place #4 and Danny Martin Place #5 members of the Board of Trustees of this School District will expire on the first Saturday in April, 1976, said first Saturday being April 3, 1976, and on said date a trustee election will be held in said School District.

WHEREAS, it is necessary for this Board to pass an order establishing the procedure for filing for and conducting said trustee election;

THEREFORE, BE IT ORDERED BY THE BOARD OF TRUSTEES OF HERFORD INDEPENDENT SCHOOL DISTRICT:

1. That an election be held in said School District on April 3, 1976, for the purpose of electing to the Board of Trustees of said School District two members.

2. That all requests by candidates to have their names placed upon the ballot for the above mentioned election shall be in writing and signed by the candidate and filed with the secretary of the Board of Trustees at the superintendent's office not later than 30 days prior to the date of said

election.

All candidates shall file with said application the loyalty affidavit required by Art. 6.02 of the Election Code.

The Secretary of this Board of Trustees shall post on the bulletin board in the building where the Board of Trustees meets the names of all candidates that have filed their applications in accordance with the terms and provisions of this Order, and said Secretary shall otherwise comply with the terms and provisions of Art. 13.32 of the Election Code.

3. That said election shall be held at the following places, and the following named persons are hereby appointed officers for said election:

(a) In election precincts numbered at Community Center Building, in Herford, Texas, in said School District, with Robbie Seeds as Presiding Judge and Jerry Jackson and minimum of ten, Clerks.

The polls at the above designated polling places shall on election day be open from 8 o'clock a.m. to 7 o'clock p.m.

4. Orpha L. Click is hereby appointed Clerk for absentee voting, and Geraldine Frank and Sue Morris are hereby appointed Deputy Clerks for absentee voting. The absentee voting for the above designated election shall be held at School Tax Office within the boundaries of the above named School District and said place of absentee voting shall remain within the open for at least eight hours on each day for absentee voting which is not a Saturday, a Sunday, or an official State holiday, beginning on the 20th day and continuing through the 4th day preceding the date of said election. Said place of voting shall remain open between the hours of 8 a.m. and 5 p.m. on each day for said absentee voting. The above described place for absentee voting is also the absentee Clerk's mailing address to which ballot applications and ballots voted by mail shall be sent.

6. The manner of holding said election shall be governed, as nearly as may be, by the Election Code of this state, and this Board of Trustees will furnish all necessary ballots and other election supplies requisite to said election.

7. Immediately after the votes have been counted, the officers holding said election shall make and deliver the returns of said election and perform all other duties as provided by the Election Code.

8. The Board of Trustees shall give notice of said election, and this combined Election Order and Notice shall serve as Notice for said election. The President of the Board of Trustees is hereby authorized and instructed to post or cause to have posted said combined Election Order and Notice of three public places where notices are customarily posted in this school district, and said posting shall be made at least 20 days before the date of said election.

The President shall also cause a copy of this combined Election Order and Notice to be published one time in a newspaper of general circulation in the county where this school district is located. Said publication shall be not more than 30 days nor less than 10 days before the date of said election.

It is further found and determined that in accordance with an order of the Board of Trustees, the Secretary posted written notice of the date, place and subject of this meeting on the bulletin board located in the central administrative office of this school district, a place convenient to the public, and said notice, having been so posted, remained posted for at least 72 hours preceding the day of this meeting.

It is further found and determined that in accordance with an order of the Board of Trustees, the Secretary furnished a notice of the date, place and subject of this meeting to the county clerk of Deaf Smith, Castro and Parmer County, Texas, the county in which most, if not all, of this school district's pupils reside.

The above order being read, it was moved and seconded that the same do pass. Thereupon, the question being called for, the following members of the Board voted AYE: Conkwright, Martin, Arney, Zimmerman, Andrews, Allred, Gentry; and the following voted NO:

ATTEST: Jim Conkwright, President, Board of Trustees
Danny Martin, Secretary, Board of Trustees

B-22-1c

NOTICE OF CITY OFFICERS' ELECTION CITY OF HERFORD

Notice is hereby given that a City Officers' Election will be held on the 3rd day of April, 1976 in the above named city for the purpose of electing the following officers for said city:

COMMISSIONER PLACE THREE

COMMISSIONER PLACE FOUR

Said election will be held at the following polling place in said city:

COMMUNITY CENTER BUILDING

The polls at the above designated polling place shall on said election day be open from 7:00 o'clock a.m. to 7:00 o'clock p.m.

Absentee voting for the above designated election shall be held at the City Hall Building, in said city, and said place of absentee voting shall remain open for at least 8 hours on each day of absentee voting which is not a Saturday, Sunday or an official State holiday, beginning on the 20th day and continuing through the 4th day preceding the date of said election. Said place of voting shall remain open between the hours of 8:00 o'clock a.m. and 5:00 o'clock p.m.

Dated this 1st day of March, 1976.

James H. Sears, Mayor
B-22-1c

AVISO DE ELECCION DE FUNCIONARIOS DE LA CIUDAD DE HERFORD, TEXAS

Se da aviso por la presente que se llevara a cabo una Eleccion de Funcionarios de la Ciudad el día 3 de Abril, de 1976, en la ciudad arriba mencionada para el proposito de elegir a los siguientes funcionarios para dicha ciudad:

COMISIONADO LUGAR TRES COMISIONADO LUGAR CUATRO

Dicha eleccion se llevara a cabo en los siguientes lugares de votacion en dicha ciudad:

COMMUNITY CENTER BUILDING

Los lugares de votacion arriba designados para dicha eleccion se mantendran abiertos en el mencionado día de elecciones de las 7:00 a.m. a las 7:00 p.m.

La votacion ausente para la eleccion arriba designada se llevara a cabo en el Edificio City Hall Building, en dicha ciudad, y dicho lugar de votacion ausente se mantendra abierto por los menos ocho horas en cada día de votacion ausente no siendo sabado, domingo a día festivo oficial del Estado, principiando 20 dias y continuando hasta el cuarto día anterior a la fecha de dicha eleccion. Dicho lugar de votacion se mantendra abierto de las 8:00 a.m. a las 5:00 p.m.

Fechado esta día 1 de Marzo, de 1976.

James H. Sears, Alcalde
B-22-1c

During 1975-76, some 10,000 men and women are expected to enroll in adult vocational industrial courses sponsored by local public schools in cooperation with the Texas Education Agency.

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B-22-1c

Continuation Of Program Is Approved

AUSTIN—Migratory bird research, vital in determining harvests and seasons for some of the most popular game birds in the state, will continue with refunding approval secured for Texas Parks and Wildlife Department's migratory game bird program.

Continuing research and collection of data on migration patterns, population dynamics, management, habitat needs, size of population, nesting areas of waterfowl, mourning doves, white-winged doves and migratory shore and upland game birds are all secured and analyzed under the project.

Species covered in waterfowl projects include ducks, geese and coots, while migratory shore and upland game bird projects include sandhill cranes, snipe, gallinules, rails and woodcocks.

"There is one new project, and all the rest are carryovers from on-going programs," said Dr. Harold Irby, P&WD program director.

The new project will cover the leasing of 150 acres in the lower Rio Grande Valley by P&WD, where grain will be planted in efforts to retain white-winged doves for longer periods of time.

Irby noted that by planting corn, milo and sunflowers near nesting areas, "We hope the birds will stay at the sites for extended periods, possibly repeat nesting cycles and increase production."

With the available food source, "the doves will remain longer, instead of flying south into Mexico in search of food. If food is available near the nesting sites, perhaps more pairs will go into a second nesting cycle," Irby explained.

The waterfowl program is concerned primarily with providing population dynamics information that is used in making annual harvest recommendations and hunting season dates. Also, investigations are made to determine what areas are suitable for waterfowl management wintering sites in Texas.

Management of migratory waterfowl in Texas started in 1947, with the first aerial waterfowl population survey conducted on the Gulf Coast.

Later, habitat investigations, harvest surveys and banding programs were begun and conducted on a yearly basis.

Most activities are done in winter when northern birds enter the state. It is during this time that several population surveys are conducted at the most important wintering areas, along the Gulf Coast and the Panhandle.

These surveys provide information on the size and geographic distribution of flocks. The availability of the

flock to a great extent determines the hunting regulations for the coming year, Dr. Irby noted.

The mourning dove program, begun in 1966, is primarily concerned with gathering of population dynamics data for Texas' most important game bird.

Information is gathered on spring breeding levels and indexing of wintering dove populations to monitor trends and distribution of the bird across the state.

Questionnaires are mailed to hunters each year so P&WD can estimate harvest and hunting

activity. Also, studies are undertaken to determine degrees of production, annual and hunting season mortality rates, and migration patterns.

The white-winged dove, favored game bird of Rio Grande Valley hunters, requires close game management, Dr. Irby stated.

The project was begun in 1951 to determine the spring breeding population size and the recommendation of harvests.

Other whitewing projects now include determination of the fall hunting season population;

banding to provide estimates on annual mortality; degree of influx of Mexican-banded birds and gathering of information to determine migration patterns.

Irby said that beginning this year, a harvest survey questionnaire, using names and addresses derived from the sale of white-winged dove stamps, will be implemented to provide P&WD with precise data on hunter-harvest success ratios on a regional basis.

Research conducted at Las Palomas Wildlife Management Area in the Valley includes reforestation of desirable tree species for nesting and control of nest depredation by boat-tailed grackles.

Research results are used to insure a continued white-winged dove population of huntable size in the Rio Grande Valley, Irby said.

A sandhill crane cooperative study, conducted by the department in conjunction with the Fish and Wildlife Service and other Central Flyway states, centers on crane population size and distribution on wintering habitats in Texas, Oklahoma and New Mexico.

Of six crane subspecies, three are Texas winter residents of the Panhandle and the middle and lower coastal prairies. Of those three subspecies, the greater sandhill and the Canadian or intermediate sandhill are not open to hunting.

Only the little brown crane is hunted in West Texas and the Panhandle in season.

Area Oil, Gas Reserves Drained, O'Rourke Says

Crude oil and natural gas reserves in the Deaf Smith County area are being wantonly drained by the East coast non-producing states under present federal regulations, according to Texas Railroad Commission candidate Terence L. O'Rourke.

"The East coast states want our oil, they want our gas and for some reason, they feel they are entitled to this state's natural resources at a low price and without taking the risks to develop their own," O'Rourke said.

"Estimates of proved reserves of crude oil and natural gas in Texas are dangerously declining, and if this state turns into another Appalachia from taking care of the rest of the country, the East coast states will still be draining Texas for more under present federal programs," he added.

O'Rourke, a Houston attorney and former Texas assistant attorney general, pointed out that this county is in District 10 of the Texas Railroad Commission's oil and gas division. Estimated proved natural gas reserves in this district were at their peak in 1945 with 26,118,090 million cubic feet. By 1974, those reserves had declined 46 per cent to 9,054,639 million cubic feet.

O'Rourke added that estimated proved crude oil reserves were at their highest in the district in 1955 with 362,264,000 barrels. Those reserves dropped off 53 per cent by 1974 to 168,871,000 barrels. The 1975 reserve figures are not yet available.

"Texas produces almost one-third of the oil and gas used in this country and upcoming generations will be dependent on this energy," O'Rourke said, "but we are subsidizing a few East coast states at the future expense of Texans."

NEWS VIEWS

Carl Albert, House Speaker, in tribute to Congressman Patman:

"He is probably unmatched in his devotion to the problems of human beings."

Earl L. Butz, Agriculture Secretary:

"The dairy price support is necessary to help offset farmers' rising cost of production and to insure an adequate flow of milk."

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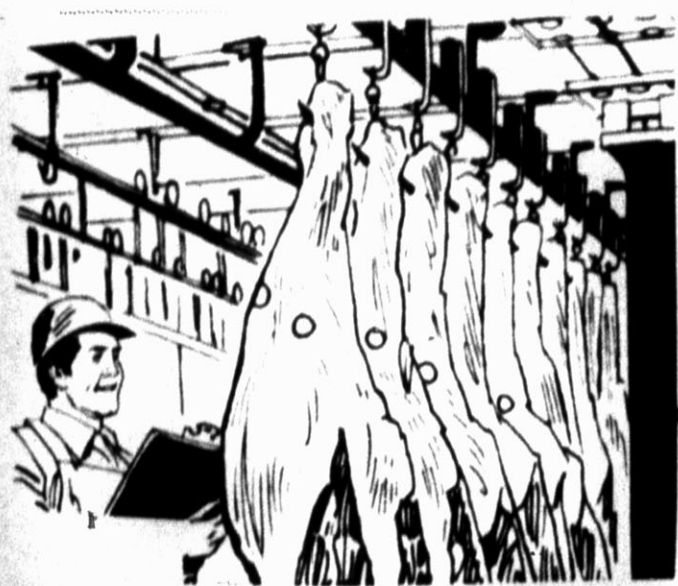
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