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Five Named To All-District Teams



MR. AND MISS HART HIGH SCHOOL--Ronnie Barham and Reba English were bestowed the honor of the title of Mr. and Miss HHS earlier this school term. They are shown here at the refreshment center at Hart High.

Cast Of One-Act Play Awarded District Honors

Hart High School's one-act play was picked in the top two plays in the district University Interscholastic League competition Tuesday in Turkey.

The recognition scene from "Anastasia" was presented in competition with play casts from Turkey, Es-

telline, Dodson, Spade and Cotton Center. Critic judge was Dr. William A. Moore of West Texas State University.

The entry, a drama by Marcelle Maurette, was produced by permission of Samuel French Incorporated, Publishers.

Members of the cast are Iona Clevenger, Rebecca Futrell and Harold Bob Bennett, narrator. Alternates are Bonnie Seymour and Carol Miller. Weldon Bates is director.

Iona Clevenger was chosen to the all-star cast and Rebecca Futrell named outstanding actress of the contest following their presentation Tuesday.

The cast is now entered

in competition during the week of March 24 through March 28. One play will be selected to compete in regional UIL held in Lubbock early in April.

Absentee Votes May Be Cast

Voters are reminded that absentee voting for school board members began March 17 and will continue through March 31.

Six men's names will appear on the ballot, those being Vernon Mapp, Dwight Miller, Deryl Clevenger, Bill Rich, W. T. King and Preston Upshaw.

Five Hart youngsters were named to the District 5-B All-District basketball team recently.

On the boys' team were Rex Henderson, Donnie Black and Jerry Heller. Girls making the dream team were Rebecca Futrell and Roni Cox.

The boys' team was composed of Pat Duffy, Royce Mc Adams and Mickey Johnson, all of Amherst; Wayne

Matthews and Raymond Sewell, both of Spade; Ronald Schulz, Cotton Center; Steve Foster, Lazbuddie and the three Hart boys.

Girls' forwards included Beverly Barrett, Cotton Center; Marilyn Barnes, Lazbuddie; Linda Johnson, Amherst; Rebecca Futrell, Hart; Joella Myers and Belinda Thompson, both of Spade.

Guards on the girls' team

were Janie Burnett, Cotton Center; Linda Hodges, Lazbuddie; Debbie Landers, Amherst; Roni Cox, Hart, Carole Stubblefield and Gloria Johnson both of Spade.

Hart Lions Slate Sale

Hart Lions will combine their annual light bulb and broom sales this year with a door-to-door campaign April 5th.

The van filled with brooms and other articles made by the Lighthouse for the Blind will be parked at the fire station and anyone not contacted by the door-to-door drive or rural residents may make purchases there.

Light bulbs will be sold in handy Project-Paks.

Weather Slows Track Season For Longhorns

The 1969 track season got off to a slow start for the Hart Longhorns because of bad weather.

Things brightened up last week when the track squad went to Happy and competed against the Happy Cowboys and the Turkey Turks in a practice track meet.

The Longhorns showed a lot of promising ability in many events and came out

well in the meet.

The next meet will be at Sundown, March 21 followed by Kress, March 29, and the District meet at Levelland April 1.

Longtime Hart Resident Services Held Saturday

Funeral services were conducted for Oliver Jackson, 69-year-old longtime resident of Hart, Saturday at the Hart Methodist Church with the Rev. Fred Brown officiating. Services were under direction of Lemons Funeral Home, Plainview, Weldon Bates, principal.

Jackson, who had been in ill health for a number of years, died at his home in Hart Thursday.

He was born Jan. 29, 1900 in Indian Territory, Okla., and was married Jan. 12, 1922 in Oklahoma. He moved to Hart in 1932. A retired carpenter, he was a

member of the Methodist Church.

Surviving are his wife, Maude; four daughters, Mrs. Arno Cox, Hobbs, N. M.; Mrs. Roy Stone, Odessa; Mrs. C. D. Adams, Hereford; and Mrs. Jean Obde, Oakland, Calif.; one son, Bob Jackson, Odessa; one brother, Claude Jackson, Ada, Okla.; one sister, Mrs. Annie McDonald, Ardmore, Okla.; nine grandchildren and two great-grandchildren.

Pallbearers were Calvin Alexander, Wayne Beaver, Aubrey Myers, Ed Bennett, Pete Steiert, and Bud Steiert.

Honor Rolls Are Released

Honor rolls for Hart Junior High and Hart High School were released this week by Weldon Bates, principal.

In order for a student's name to appear on the honor roll, he or she must carry a full load and have all A's or all A's and one B, Mr. Bates stated.

Seventh grade students were Alberta Guzman, Jim Tucker, Jan Harris and James McLain.

Eighth grade honor students are Jean Foster, Dirk Rambo, and Alan Shive.

Freshmen honor students are Cindy Dyer, David Bass and David Guzman.

Denise Lowery was the only sophomore on the honor roll.

There were none on the junior honor roll.

Seniors making the honor roll were Iona Clevenger, Reba English, Bobbie Ethridge, Rebecca Futrell and Cathy Sharp.

Boy Scouts Sponsor Bike Safety Clinic

A bike safety clinic is scheduled for Saturday afternoon and will be sponsored by Troop 246 Boy Scouts.

Scouts will be on duty from 1 p. m. until 4 p. m. in front of the high school. Bikes will be inspected and adjustments made to make

them safer. Reflector tape will be put on bikes that have no reflectors.

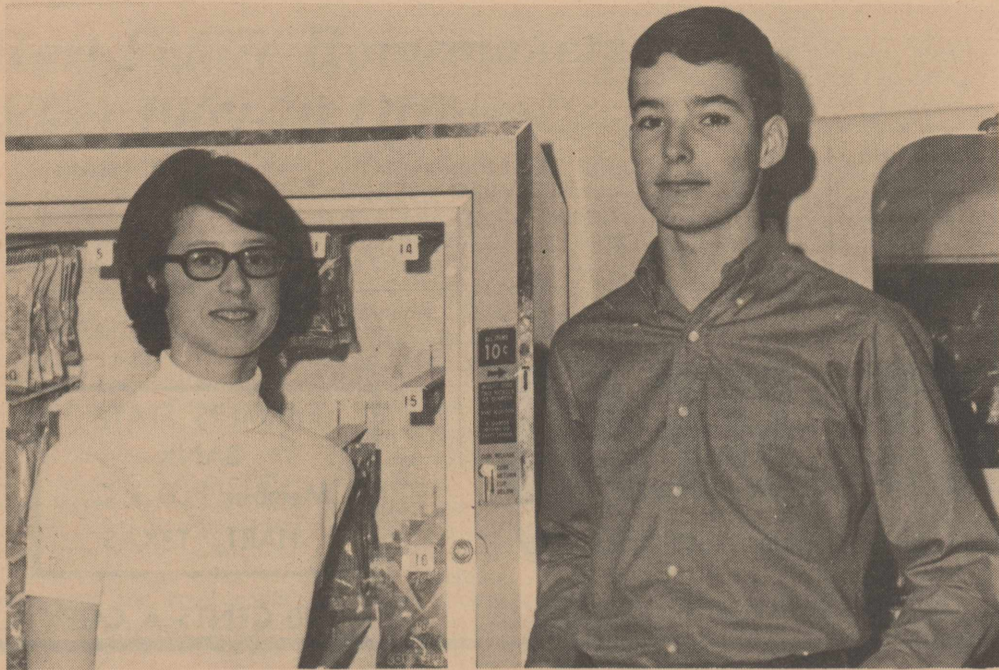
Bike owners are encouraged to bring their bicycles to the clinic and have them conditioned for spring.

The clinic is a service project for the troop and no charges will be made.

Warning Greenbugs!

Farmers should be alerted to the fact that greenbug infestation may be found in winter wheat.

Entomologists warn that ungrazed wheat in particular may be attacked by the damaging insects.



MR. AND MISS HART JUNIOR HIGH--Named earlier in the school year to the high honor were Alan Shive and Jan Harris.

Dear Editor

Legion's Golden Anniversary

During the month of March, The American Legion here in Hart and throughout the Nation and even in many cities beyond our borders will climax its 50th Anniversary observance. It was March 15-17, 1919, that the Legion was founded in Paris, France, during a meeting of representatives of the various outfits which made up the World War I American Expeditionary Force.

A citizen-veteran organization conceived in duty to its fellow man, The American Legion has been a responsible contributor to American thought and deed during the years of our Nation's emergence as a world power. American Legion history of the past 50 years is filled with achievements in behalf of mankind through active, continuous campaigns to preserve the lofty concepts of Justice, Freedom and Democracy.

However, there's an unusual aspect to the Golden Anniversary celebration of this organization of war veterans. Any 50th anniversary celebration is an appropriate time to reflect on past accomplishments. During its year-long Golden Anniversary observance, though, the American Legion is taking a somewhat "let-the-record-speak-for-itself" attitude. Instead, this gigantic fraternity of service is tuned to its

Golden Year theme of "Forging The Future."

The first 50 years of American Legion existence have been years of ever-increasing waves of change for both the Nation and the world. Change is still the order of the day. Today's greatest challenge is whether man shall manage change or change manage man. It is to this challenge that The American Legion addresses itself during its Golden Year as it charts its course of service to a changing community, state, and Nation.

With a 2.6 million membership drawn from the veteran ranks of four wars - World Wars I and II, Korea, and Vietnam - The American Legion is dedicated to "Forging The Future" of a strong vigorous, compassionate America of the next half-century.

Through its Golden Anniversary observance, The American Legion is declaring its confidence in the future of America, seeking wider avenues of involvement in meeting the challenge of change.

To the American Legion and the Legionnaires of Hart we wish to add our congratulations during their 50th Anniversary and best wishes for every success in "Forging The Future."



Financial Facts

By Willis A. Hawkins, Jr.

Last week I described the first steps in the minting of coins. After the blanks have been approved, they are put through an edge-rolling machine which gives the rims only a slight thickness.

This higher rim not only protects the face of the finished coin but permits precision stacking.

With the blanks edged, they are then ready to be fed into the presses. Under many tons of pressure, the upper die is brought down, impressing the blank, while the under die makes its impression and the collar forms the edge corrugations.

As coins come from the presses, they pass along an endless belt where trained inspectors check them for defaults.

Watch Next Week For "CURRENCY COUNTERFEITING"

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Legislation Report Given

Legislature has now completed its seventh week and there have been areas of real progress made toward legislation that will have lasting effect on Texas, and especially the West Texas area.

Representative Bill Clayton was successful this week, in passing through the House of Representatives a Constitutional Amendment that, if passed by the State Senate and voted for by the people, would be the first step in implementing the overall proposed water development program for Texas.

This amendment provides constitutional authorization for three and one-half billion dollars of bonds to be issued over the next fifty years, and would start a program to bring surplus water into the water deficient areas of Texas. This amendment was proposed as the result of an intensive study that was made by the House Interim Water Study Committee during the last two years; Clayton was Chairman of the Water Study Committee that made these recommendations.

HOUSE BILL 300 -- the package bill that came from the Governor's Public School Education Study Committee has been set for a public hearing on March 25, at 1:30 p. m., at the Press Table in the House of Representatives. This is the bill that contains, among other recommendations, the proposal that the schools with less than 2600 pupils be consolidated and also recommends that the school tax structure be drastically changed.

Representative Clayton has publicly stated that he will oppose the consolidation of the schools and also will oppose the proposed change in the tax structure.

Vets Reminded Of Benefits

The Veterans Administration reminded veterans today that VA benefits are generally tax exempt and need not be reported as income on federal or state income tax returns.

Except for interest earned on GI insurance dividends left on deposit with VA (which is a reportable item), all proceeds from GI insurance policies are tax exempt.

Other major items of income that need not be reported include educational assistance allowances, pension and compensation payments, subsistence payments to vocational rehabilitation trainees and grants for special automobiles and "wheelchair homes" for the severely disabled.

Also tax exempt are all benefits to surviving dependents of deceased veterans and compensation allowances for dependents of disabled veterans.

OKLAHOMA SAYS "NO"

It is illegal to advertise liquor in the State of Oklahoma, according to Texas Alcohol Narcotics Education



Rebecca Futrell

Iona Clevenger

Longhorn Trails

To use FHA term "It's all up to you: to know, to care, to do."

Future Adults of America, you know you are soon to take the steering wheel of the nation.

Do you really care what happens to you, your friends and family? Which way America is going to go is upon your shoulders.

If you know, and really care, it's time to take action by doing. Prepare yourselves for the future by getting an education, accepting responsibility and wanting to have mature outlooks on life situations.

Future Adults of America, I want to know which way America is going to go.

Track season is fully in swing. Workouts are tough but rewards make up for the sacrifice.

(But what about the snow? Only warm blankets and a heater can make up for that!)

The 'Horns have gone to Sundown and Kress this week. We'll let you know next week how things came out.

Say, what's this about Mr. Burns having a daughter, not a kid?

Have you seen the diapers, curtains, bottles and blankets she's been eating lately?

Mr. Burns, you might oughta' scope the situation again!

Spring will soon be here! Spring means different things to different people.

To a teacher it means Easter vacation! How could they survive without it!

To a girl it means beautiful new clothes after wearing bulky woolens all winter.

And to a boy spring means ... Ah! yes, in spring a young man's fancy lightly turns to thoughts of what the young ladies have been thinking about all winter!

Spring brings many new romances and brings re-

newed spizz to old romances. And romance brings the problem of "P.D.A."*

The big problem with "P.D.A."* is that the participants are oblivious to those around them, but "P.D.A."* is so obvious to non-participants that it causes them to blush with embarrassment.

"P.D.A."* is especially out of place in class rooms, halls, on the street, in cafes and restaurants, at ball games and in the school bus.

"P.D.A."* in the class rooms embarrasses the teacher and distracts the students.

Besides, all that it makes those of us who haven't found a "new romance" jealous!!

P.D.A.* Public Display of Affection.

RICKY FARRIS'S IDEAL GIRL

Most Beautiful - not enough to choose from

Cutest - Margaret Swindle

Personality - Pam Shive

Eyes - Janet McLain

Nose - Roni Cox

Hair - De Rhonda Brown

Walk - Nancy Reed

Laugh - Bonnie Seymour

Smile - Vicki Six

Figure - 36-24-36

I.Q. - Denise Lowery

Hands - Debbie Davis

Best Dressed - Sandy Bennett

My Pal - Becky King

DEE CLEVENGER'S IDEAL BOY

Most Handsome - ?

Cutest - Andy Rogers

Eyes - Donny Shive

Smile - Steve Cox

Physique - Johnny Ethridge

Best Dressed - David Harris

Laugh - Steve Brown

IQ - David Bass

Meanest - Larry Sanders and Steven Hanes

Walk - Ricky Farris

Personality - Gary Six

Best All Around - Harold Bob Bennett

My Pal - Bobby Bledsoe

Hands - Steven Hanes

Whose Pants?

Many women today may be wearing pants instead of petticoats, but the fashion trend is just one more interesting reversal in the long history of clothing. The first feminine petticoat was an adaptation of the masculine "kirtle," an undergarment made of quilted cotton worn by soldiers in the Crusades.

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Any erroneous reflection upon the character, firm or corporation which may appear in the columns of The Hart Beat will be gladly corrected upon being brought to the attention of the publisher.

Focus On Positive Action Is Theme Of FHA Week

"Focus on positive Action" is the theme of National Future Homemakers of America Week, March 23-29, 1969.

During the week more than 600,000 members in 12,000 FHA Chapters throughout the U.S. and Puerto Rico will complete projects to give exposure to what youth is doing to promote the principles of good citizenship.

National President, Estelle Hunter, a high school senior at Sunbury, Ohio, had this to say about National FHA Week: "The overall objective of Future Homemakers of America is to help individuals improve personal, family and community living. With this objective in mind we have chosen FOCUS ON POSITIVE ACTION as the theme for our National FHA Week. During this week FHA members across the country will stress constructive activities which show that we are dedicated to improving life in America as we move toward new horizons in the future."

The young adults, members of the Future Homemakers of America believe that the homes of the future are in the hands of youth. The members contribute to the community by working as volunteers with such groups as Head Start, the

mentally retarded and handicapped, March of Dimes and UNICEF.

Since the Future Homemakers of America was founded in 1945, twelve million high school students have benefited from the total program of development for the future.

The annual state meeting of Future Homemakers of America, an organization of

high school homemaking students, will be held in Memorial Auditorium, Dallas, Texas, May 2-3, 1969.

More than 5000 members and advisors representing 75,000 members in 1550 chapters throughout the state will attend.

The theme of the meeting is "FHA: Gateway to Dreams." Key note speaker will be Miss Marilyn Van Derbur, Former Miss America, who has chosen "Goals and Dreams" as the topic of her talk.

THE VINTNER'S FRIEND

Nickel stainless steel, because it is easy to clean and resists corrosion, is favored for equipment used in crushing and fermenting grapes during winemaking. To protect the product's flavor, huge stainless tanks are also used to store wine after it has been aged in wooden tanks and casks.

Soybean Growers Ass'n Are Halfway To Goal

Aroused soybean growers, starting from scratch in late August 1968, have collected well over \$50,000 toward launching a program of accelerated worldwide soybean and soybean product market development and maintenance.

The bulk of the funds--\$38,000--have come from voluntary 1/2¢ - per-bushel self-assessments by growers on 1968 soybean sales. Agribusiness has contributed the remainder.

A first-year goal of \$100,000 was set by growers at the American Soybean Association annual meeting in New Orleans last August. The halfway point was reached in just over five months.

Individual grower checks have ranged from under one dollar to over \$1,500. Self-assessments have come from growers in 27 different states. The leaders are Illinois, Arkansas, Mississippi, Iowa, Missouri, Louisiana and Ohio.

The ASA recently opened a new regional office in West Memphis, Ark., and also hired full-time fieldmen jointly with both the Arkansas Soybean Assn. and the Land of Lincoln Soybean Assn. to Illinois.

The growers' program calls for each state to pursue self-assessment collections in the manner best

suited to the region with ASA to coordinate a national united effort.

Leaders predict self-help legislation will be approved in several states. Louisiana legislators have passed a 1/2¢ soybean check-off bill and a referendum vote is scheduled within the next six weeks. Passage requires a "yes" vote from two-thirds of the growers voting.

A referendum vote in South Carolina is expected to be taken before planting time. Several other states are considering legislation.

QUESTION OF THE WEEK

How long do I have to stay in the Army to collect a pension?

A person can retire after 20 years of service at half of his monthly base pay or 30 years at two-thirds of his base pay. For example, a typical enlisted man would retire, at today's pay scales, after 20 years with a pension of \$248.55 a month and after 30 years with a pension of \$397.80 per month. An officer who retires after 20 years would receive, at today's rates, a pension of \$541.05 a month and after 30 years of service, a pension of \$915.40. Since it is possible to retire at a relatively early age, you can begin a civilian career and add that salary to your military pension. And, of course, you would also be eligible for social security pension.

INSTANT CITIZENSHIP

A new law makes it possible for most aliens in the Armed Forces to become eligible immediately to apply for American citizenship. The new law waives all waiting requirements and could save a serviceman a wait of up to five years. To be eligible, a person must enlist in the United States or in a U. S. territory. If anyone wants additional information, he can contact us.

MODERN MOWERS

Starting a power mower is easier when it is done with a rechargeable nickel-cadmium battery-powered ignition system. A built-in generator recharges the battery while the motor is running.



BEST CITIZENS at Hart High School chosen earlier this year were Joe Quiroz and Rebecca Futrell.



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LICENSE THE COST?

Drunken drivers can lose their licenses for life in Iceland, according to Texas Alcohol Narcotics Education (TANE).



COLONEL STEVEN CHANCE, right, receives his auctioneering diploma from Col. Richard W. Dewees, president of the Missouri Auction School in Kansas City, Mo. Col. Chance has lived in Dimmitt 17 years and is associated with his father.

Scout-O-Rama Tickets Go On Sale March 15

Ticket sales for the SCOUT-O-RAMA of the South Plains Boy Scout Council will begin on Saturday, March 15, according to Dick Proctor, the ticket sales chairman.

The annual Scout show will be held on April 12 with displays in Lubbock, Plainview and Seminole.

The tickets to be sold by Cub Scouts, Boy Scouts and Explorers will admit purchasers to any of the three shows. This year tickets will sell for one dollar each. They are family tickets and an entire family can see the SCOUT-O-RAMA on one ticket, regardless of the number in the family.

The boys who sell tickets will be able to win prizes for themselves and they will also earn cash commissions for the treasuries of their Cub Packs, Scout Troops and Explorer Posts.

In Lubbock and Plainview

the tickets for each unit will be distributed to unit representatives on Friday, March 14. The other three districts in the twenty-county council area will distribute tickets to their units at Roundtable meetings during the week, Proctor said.

FEW CONSUME MUCH

Less than six percent of the adult population of the U. S. consumes nearly half the total alcoholic beverages sold, according to Texas Alcohol Narcotic Education (TANE).

DEATH ON RISE

Cirrhosis of the liver deaths per 100,000 population dropped from 13 in 1914 to 7 in 1920. It is now back up to 13.7 according to Texas Alcohol Narcotics Education (TANE).

TOUGH CONNECTION

The liquid-oxygen dome in each of the five F-1 engines used to power the first stage of the Apollo spacecraft is also the point where each engine's 1.5 million pounds of thrust meet the 6 million pound weight of the rocket-spacecraft. Each dome is fabricated of a nickel-base alloy called X-750.

Nephew Dies

Ronnie McLain, son of Mr. and Mrs. Alpha McLain of Larkin, Kans. died in the Veteran's Hospital in Denver, Colo. Saturday, March 15. Grandparents of the 20 year old man are Mr. and Mrs. Roy N. McLain of Hart.

Attending funeral services Thursday, March 19 were Mr. and Mrs. Roy N. McLain, Mr. and Mrs. Hubert McLain, Mr. and Mrs. Tom McLain, Mr. and Mrs. Let McLain, Mr. and Mrs. L. C. McLain, Tump McLain, Mr. and Mrs. Bob McLain of Dimmitt and Alan McLain of Lubbock.

Your Social Security

Residents of the Lubbock area who are receiving monthly social security checks are reminded by John G. Hutton, social security manager in Lubbock, to report directly to the Lubbock office any change of address or other events affecting continued receipt of their checks. Reports may be made by mail, phone, or in person. Appropriate forms are available at the Lubbock office.

Hutton said this reporting method enables the district office to take advantage of the increased capacity of its high speed communication circuits to transmit information to record centers. Until recently, social security beneficiaries were encouraged to notify the Social Security Administration about the occurrence of these events by mailing pre-addressed postcard forms to a record center.

Events that affect receipt of monthly social security checks, in addition to address changes, are starting or stopping work (employment), marriage or remarriage in some instances, divorce, and death.

SPARKLESS CARPETS

Carpeting containing fine strands of stainless steel as part of the backing and pile does not build up static electricity that can cause dangerous or unpleasant sparking. Nickel stainless steel is used because it will not rust when carpets are cleaned.

INTERNATIONAL SET

In 1968, 21 countries were producing or circulating 44 denominations of pure nickel coins and 94 countries were producing or circulating 271 denominations of 75% copper, 25% nickel coins.

SPARKING NICKEL

More than 600 million automotive spark plugs are manufactured in the U. S. each year. For dependable service, 97 per cent nickel resistance wire is used in each plug.

FLYING NICKEL

Modern, super jetliners, capable of carrying from 360 to 490 passengers, require about 10,000 pounds of nickel in alloy form for engines, landing gear, engine mounts, thrust reversers and miscellaneous pressure tubing.

HOT CHAMBERS

The thrust chambers used in the first stage of Project Apollo's Saturn rocket must withstand heat of 4,000 degrees F. -half the temperature on the sun's surface. The fuel is used as a coolant by circulating it through tubular thrust chamber walls made of high-temperature nickel - chromium alloy. This cooling system lowers the thrust chamber walls to a mere 1,000 degrees F.



HART PRESENTS---Dennis Michael Smith, three-month-old son of Mr. and Mrs. David Smith. Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Lester Richburg and Mr. and Mrs. Harold Smith. Great grandparents are Mrs. Prebble Smith of Erick, Okla. and Mr. and Mrs. V. T. Ellis of Willa, Okla.

Bob Lilly, Dallas Cowboy, 'Tackles' Bigger Team

Bob Lilly, who usually plays defensive tackle for the Dallas Cowboys professional football team, this spring is heading up a bigger team. Lilly is chairman of the Texas Football Boys' Lily Day for Crippled Children, an event being staged March 22 by the Easter Seal Society for Crippled Children and Adults of Texas.

Lily Day, the offering of plastic Lily lapel pins for donations in shopping districts, will be conducted by football players from Texas high schools all over the state. Each team will handle its own local areas, and will be competing for trophies for the five teams doing best.

Trophies, which were donated by a national firm, will be awarded the top team in each classification.

Lily Day Chairman, Bob Lilly, invited over 500 high school coaches in Texas asking that their teams join in the event.

Over 1,400 Texas football boys took part in the Lily Day event to raise funds to help provide treatment and services to disabled children and adults in Texas. Funds will be used by the Easter Seal Societys in Texas to provide services to the disabled in Texas. Lily Day has been planned for March 22, with March 29 or April 5 set as alternate dates in case of poor weather on the 22nd.

Scholarship Opportunities Offered By Foundation

College scholarship opportunities totaling more than \$138,000 in new grants and \$98,000 in renewals are available to participants in University Interscholastic League activities.

Applicants must graduate from high school during the current year, compete in UIL State Meet academic contests or rank as runners-up in regional meets and submit College Entrance Examination Board scores, along with completed application forms, before June 1.

Scholarships are made possible by eight foundations and numerous individual awards administered through the Texas Interscholastic League Foundation.

Rodney J. Kidd, retired director of The University of Texas Division of Extension's Bureau of Public School Service, notes that athletic coaches roam the countryside to find "blue chip" athletes, but often

"blue chip academic champions" have been forgotten.

The Interscholastic League Foundation, in which Mr. Kidd acts as secretary and chief administrative officer, is designed to assist those academic champions.

Scholarships from the foundation now aid 155 students enrolled in 25 universities and colleges in Texas.

"Many talented Texas high school graduates are long on talent, but short on cash," Mr. Kidd said. "Herein lies the need for the Interscholastic League Foundation. We want to make sure that every talented youngster has the opportunity to develop his talent to the fullest."

Application forms are available from Texas Interscholastic League Foundation, Box 8028, University Station, Austin, Texas 78712.

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KITCHEN KORNER

BY LELA GALLION

Everyone who watches their diet and cuts down on calories seems to suddenly, if not before, get an urge for sweets. Here are a few low calorie desserts which might help curb that desire.

COTTAGE FRUIT SALADS

1 can (8 oz.) diet-pack cling-peach slices
1/2 c. cream-style cottage cheese
1 T. honey
1 tsp. lemon juice
1/4 tsp. paprika
2 c. shredded iceberg lettuce
1 can (8 oz.) diet-pack apricot halves, drained

1. Drain syrup from peaches into a cup.
2. Combine cottage cheese, honey, lemon juice, 2 tablespoons of the peach syrup, and paprika in a small bowl; beat until blended.
3. Place lettuce on four salad plates; arrange peach slices and apricots on top. Drizzle each with about 2 tablespoons of the cheese dressing.

APPLE CRUNCH

1/4 c. water
1/2 tsp. grated lemon rind
1 two-inch piece stick cinnamon
Low-calorie or no-calorie sweetener
2 medium-size apples, pared, halved, and cored
1/3 c. quick-cooking rolled oats
3 T. flour
3 T. brown sugar
Dash of ground nutmeg
2 T. butter or margarine melted
2 T. frozen whipped dessert topping

1. Combine water, lemon rind, and cinnamon stick in a small saucepan; stir in your favorite sweetener, using the equivalent of 12 teaspoons sugar; heat to boiling. Place apple halves in pan; cover. Simmer 10 minutes, or until apples are tender but still firm enough to hold their shape.

2. Lift apples from syrup and place, cut sides up, in an 8-inch pie plate. Remove cinnamon stick from syrup; pour syrup over apples.

3. Combine rolled oats, flour, brown sugar, and nutmeg in a small bowl, stir in butter or margarine until mixture is crumbly. Pat evenly over apple halves.

4. Bake in hot oven (400) 15 minutes, or until topping is crispy-brown. Spoon into dessert dishes; garnish each with whipped topping, dividing evenly. Serve warm.

SERVICE IN DEPTH

Two-thousand feet below the surface at the International Nickel's Creighton mine in the Sudbery District of Ontario, a fully equipped garage has been built to service diesel-powered mining equipment. A grease job, oil change, tires and parts replacement can be performed,

CHOCOLATE ANGEL PUFFS

2 egg whites
1/4 tsp. cream of tartar
1/4 c. low-calorie granulated sweetener
1/2 square semisweet chocolate, grated
1/4 c. shelled walnuts
2 c. puffed rice cereal

1. Beat egg whites with cream of tartar until foamy-white and double in volume in a medium-size bowl. Slowly beat in granulated sweetener, 1 tablespoon at a time, until meringue stands in firm peaks. Fold in grated chocolate, walnuts, and cereal.

2. Drop by rounded teaspoonfuls, 1 inch apart, on a lightly greased cookie sheet.

3. Bake in moderate oven (350) 15 minutes, or until lightly browned. Remove carefully from cookie sheet to wire racks; cool completely.

Jonalyn Jones Wins In TOPS

Jonalyn Jones was winner for the week and received a grab bag gift Monday evening at the regular meeting of Hart of Texas TOPS Club.

Members sang TOPS songs and plans were discussed for coronation ceremonies which are slated for March 24 in the United Methodist Church.

BSP Tourney Is Successful

A bridge and "42" tournament held Friday and Saturday nights was successful despite inclement weather, according to members of Beta Sigma Phi sorority. Proceeds are approximately \$100.

Bridge winners were Mrs. Wister Clevenger and Mrs. Doyle Davis. Robert Lacy and J. D. Myrick were winners in "42".

The tournament included 12 tables of bridge and three tables of "42".

VISIT ALEXANDERS

Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Phillips and family of Senora and Dean Phillips of Amarillo visited on the weekend in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Calvin Alexander and Kathy.

TRAINS TO PLANES

The first rapid transit system in the U.S. to connect a city airport and downtown opened in November, 1968, to speed Cleveland airline passengers to Hopkins International Airport. The new, nickel stainless steel sheathed cars make the trip in half the time it takes by car.

Miss Wool And Mohair To Be Chosen In Dallas

Flashes of photographers' lights and congratulations of well-wishers will mark the start on May 26 of a magic year for some young Texas woman.

Miss Wool & Mohair of Texas for 1969-1970 will be crowned in the Great Hall of Dallas' Apparel Mart to climax four days of fast-paced activity and as the finale of a glittering pageant to be presented before retail buyers attending the Fall-Winter apparel market.

Competing in the Dallas pageant will be 15 finalists between the ages of 18 and 25 who will have been selected for the honor by a screening committee.

Contest officials outlined the basic requirements for the 18th Miss Wool & Mohair of Texas contest. They are: applicants must be between 18 and 25 years of age, enrolled in an accredited college or university, be a resident of Texas, unmarried and able to wear a size 10 in women's apparel.

According to contest officials, applicants are not required to have sponsors on their behalf. Rather than representing a specific city or a specific area, finalists will be from the state at large. Those young women chosen as finalists will travel to Dallas on May 23 to compete in the 4-day contest.

Contest directors have reported a great deal of interest in this year's contest, but stressed that April 1 is the deadline for all entries. Applications postmarked on or before that date will undergo an intensive screening, with names of the 15 finalists to be announced about May 1.

The 15 finalists will go through a fast-paced schedule in Dallas, starting off with fittings in the all-Texas,

all-wool-and-mohair costumes they will model in the May 26 pageant. On tap are show rehearsals and intensive interviews with a distinguished panel of judges.

Miss Wool & Mohair of Texas, 1969-1970, will assume her crown from the reigning Jonni Kay Johnson of Fort Worth on July 1. As a traveling representative for Texas Sheep & Goat Raisers' Association, Mohair Council of America and Texas Fashion Creators Association, she will present style shows in the major areas of the state, working closely with leading apparel stores in various cities. In addition, she will make selected trips to other sections of the nation.

As a fashion representative, she will be outfitted from head to toe in the best of Texas fashions of wool and mohair, travel with a matched set of Samsonite luggage and be feted wherever she goes. She receives a 2-season wardrobe of DeLiso Debs shoes, and has the loan of a new Chevrolet Impala convertible during her reign.

The climax of her year will arrive in June of 1970 when she will represent Texas in the Miss Wool of America pageant, held annually in San Angelo. This pageant, where representatives of the 20 wool producing councils of the nation compete, is televised nationally in color.

Contest applications may be obtained by writing: Frank A. Fecher, Womack/Claypoole Advertising, Inc., 301 West Beauregard, San Angelo, Texas, 76901.



NEW MAINTAINER FOR PRECINCT I---This road grader was recently purchased from West Texas Equipment Company who submitted the low bid of \$16,240. The machinery will be used in Precinct I.

Genealogical Research Workshop Set For Lubbock

The annual Spring Genealogical Research Workshop presented by the South Plains scheduled for Friday, March 21 and Saturday, March 22, at the Municipal Garden & Arts Center, 4215 University Avenue, Lubbock.

The two-day, concentrated research event is open to the public and no admission fee is charged. Hours will be 9 a. m. - 9 p. m. on Friday, March 21 and 9 a. m. - 5 p. m. on Saturday, March 22.

"Searching For Your Ancestors" is the theme of the workshop and materials to aid in this search will be supplied from the library of the Genealogical Society

and from the private libraries of interested individuals.

Included among the more than 1,200 books, magazines and quarterlies provided for the two days will be state and county histories, family histories, records of immigrants, lists of soldiers and pensioners, census records, land grants, pioneer accounts and lineage books of the Daughters of the American Revolution.

Early-day business and legal records, historical documents, maps, Bible records and photos will be on display.

Lunch will be available at the Garden & Arts Center on both days of the workshop. Everyone interested is invited to attend this event.

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DEATHS DECLINE

London area road deaths dropped 55% the first Christmas Season after the "breath test" went into effect to detect drunken drivers, according to Texas Alcohol Narcotics Education (TANE) "MORE" FOR TEXAS

Alcohol blood content of more than .05% is illegal for drivers in Norway, Sweden, and Iceland. This is half the allowed alcohol blood content in Texas, according to Texas Alcohol Narcotics Education (TANE).

UNDERGROUND PIPELINE

More than 1,300 miles of piping are used to service the underground mines of The International Nickel Company of Canada, Limited at its Ontario and Manitoba operations.



DEN I OF HART CUB SCOUTS--Scouts were honored recently with a Blue and Gold Banquet. Pictured left to right, Duane Clevenger, Den Chief, Mrs. Melvin Aven and Mrs. Clinton Billingsley, den mothers; Johnny Newsom, Charles Ray Jones, Cary McLain, Kelley King, Mike Clevenger, Kent Hill, Brett Aven and Barry Billingsley.

SCOUT NEWS

Boy Scout Troop 246 met Monday evening in the American Legion building.

Members sang songs and made plans for a bike clinic to be held Saturday, March 22.

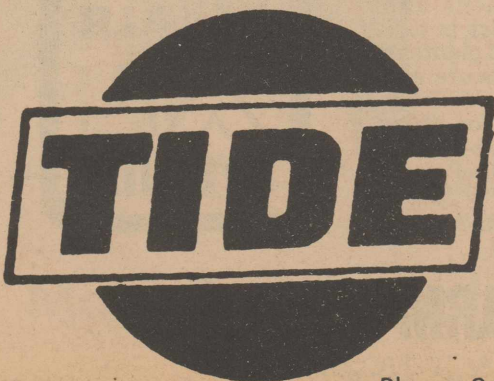
Members of the troop are selling tickets to the Scout-a-Rama which will be held April 12 in the Plainview Agriculture Center. The troop is making preparations to participate in the scouting show.

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New Arrivals

Mr. and Mrs. Honorio Rodriquez are the parents of a son born March 12 in Community Hospital. He weighed eight pounds 14 ounces and has been named Christopher.

Mr. and Mrs. Ardilio Sabaria announce the arrival of a daughter born March 13 in Plainview Hospital. She weighed seven pounds 14 ounces and has been named Robbie Ann.

Den Two of Cub Scouts met Thursday, March 13 at 3:15 p. m. for a regular meeting, and a program on Indian Lore.

Each scout discussed an Indian tribe, telling how they lived, dressed, hunted and worked.

The troop made plans for a pack meeting March 25 in the school cafeteria.

Members present were Glen Black, Keith Reed, Robert Lacy Jr., Kelley Jones, Jackie Davis and James McLain, den chief.

Refreshments of Cokes and cookies were served by Robert Lacy Jr.

Den I of Scout Troop 246 met Wednesday, March 12 at 3:15 p. m. in the Community Room of the Farmers State Bank where they viewed a demonstration on artificial respiration.

Topic of the program for the afternoon was "Indians".

Attending the meeting were Bret Aven, Barry Billingsley, Mike Clevenger, Kent Hill, Charles Jones, Cary McLain, Kelley King and Johnny Newsom and den chief, Duane Clevenger.

Refreshments were served by Kent Hill.

Happy Birthday

MARCH 23
Jan Averitt

MARCH 24
Othello Jones

MARCH 25
Sheila Brooks

MARCH 27
Everette Heller
F. L. Bass Jr.

MARCH 28
Patsy Six
Jim Bob Kendrick

MARCH 29
Brenda Armstrong

Happy Anniversary

MARCH 24
Mr. and Mrs. Ted Averitt

MARCH 28
Mr. and Mrs. R. J. Murray

Coming Events

MARCH 24
Lions Club
City Council Meeting
TOPS Coronation

MARCH 25
Zealot Club

ALCOHOLICS AND TEETH

Permanent tooth loss in alcoholics is three times higher than the national average, according to Texas Alcohol Narcotics Education (TANE).

DRUG LAW VIOLATORS

Ten percent of all arrests in New York City are for drug law violations according to Texas Alcohol Narcotics Education (TANE).

DRINKING DRIVERS

Fifty percent of drivers involved in fatal accidents in the United States had been drinking, according to Texas Alcohol Narcotics Education (TANE).

LIQUOR ADS BANNED

Liquor advertising has been banned on Philippine highways, according to Texas Alcohol Narcotics Education (TANE).

POLE DRINKS MORE

The average Pole drinks more than twice as much now as he did in 1938, according to Texas Alcohol Narcotics Education (TANE).

School Menu

March 24 through 28, 1969

MONDAY - Macaroni and cheese and weiners, English peas and carrots, lettuce wedge, hot rolls, peach cobbler, milk and butter.

TUESDAY - Corn dogs and mustard, whipped potatoes, tossed salad, hot rolls, chocolate cake, milk and butter.

WEDNESDAY - Chili beans, whole kernel corn, onion slice, cornbread, coconut pudding, milk and butter.

THURSDAY - Pork Pizza, lima beans, chopped turnips and greens, onion slice, cornbread, apple sauce, cake, prunes, milk and butter.

FRIDAY - Hamburgers on home made buttered bun, mustard onion pickle relish, French fries, catsup, lettuce and tomato, fruit cup, milk and butter.

Moments OF Meditation

C. T. Cunningham, Pastor of The First Baptist Church

You are building a house - your life - and You are the only one who can live in it!

Therefore, I think you will agree that the materials which you put in to your life should be of the very highest quality - for if they are not, you will be cheating no one but yourself.

Some Christians are experiencing nothing more than basement living. In some unrestricted subdivisions we have all seen "basement houses" - plots on which the owner has built deep foundations and walls for a basement, and then, because of inadequate funds, simply erected a roof over the basement, planning to live there until he is able to complete the structure.

But in almost every case, the completed structure is never built. - and the basement-house remains a continual eye-sore. And the lives of many Christians are much like that - they start to build their lives, and then run out of incentive, and remain for the rest of their lives in the basement.

A good, firm foundation is essential, but it is only the start. Jesus stressed the importance of a good foundation when He told the story of the two men who

built, one upon the sand and the other upon the solid rock.

It seems hard to believe, but it is true that many of those who build "basement houses" have no definite plans as to the type of building they intend to erect when they are able to complete the structure.

So you have accepted the Lord Jesus Christ as your Saviour.

That is fine. You have built a good, firm foundation.

Now sit down and plan your life.

At least three elements must enter that planning.

First, your prayer life. The Lord Jesus is present in your life. He will help you as you make your plans.

Second, Your Guide Book. The reason that so many get lost as they travel the Christian Way is that they fail to consult their Guide Book, the Word of God.

Third, be a witness - by both example and speech. Let others know that you are Christ's.

ATTEND GRADUATION

Mr. and Mrs. Tom McLain and Mr. and Mrs. Bob Bennett attended the graduation of Sandy Bennett and Janet McLain from the Robert Spence school. The girls' teacher was Mrs. Max White, former Mrs. Texas.

SCOUT NEWS

Preparations for the upcoming Father-daughter Banquet was the order of business when the Girl Scout Troop 23 met Tuesday, March 18 in the community room of the Farmers State Bank at 3:30 p. m.

Songs were practiced that are to be sung at the banquet.

Girls present were Retha Aven, Sharla Carson, Tammy Bates, LeAnn Friday, LaDonna Hart, Sandy Heck, Debbie Lacy, Jana Mapp, Lisa Nelson, DeAnn Richburg, Rhonda Rowland and Patricia Smith. Leaders were Marilyn Covington and Shirley Nelson, Lisa Nelson served refreshments.

There will be no meeting of the troop next week.

VISITS MOTHER

Mrs. Carl Godfrey visited Sunday in Dimmitt with her mother, Mrs. Ella Conard in the Golden Spread Rest home.

IN NEW MEXICO

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Welty returned home Monday after spending two weeks at Hobbs, N. M. visiting in the home of their son, Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Welty.

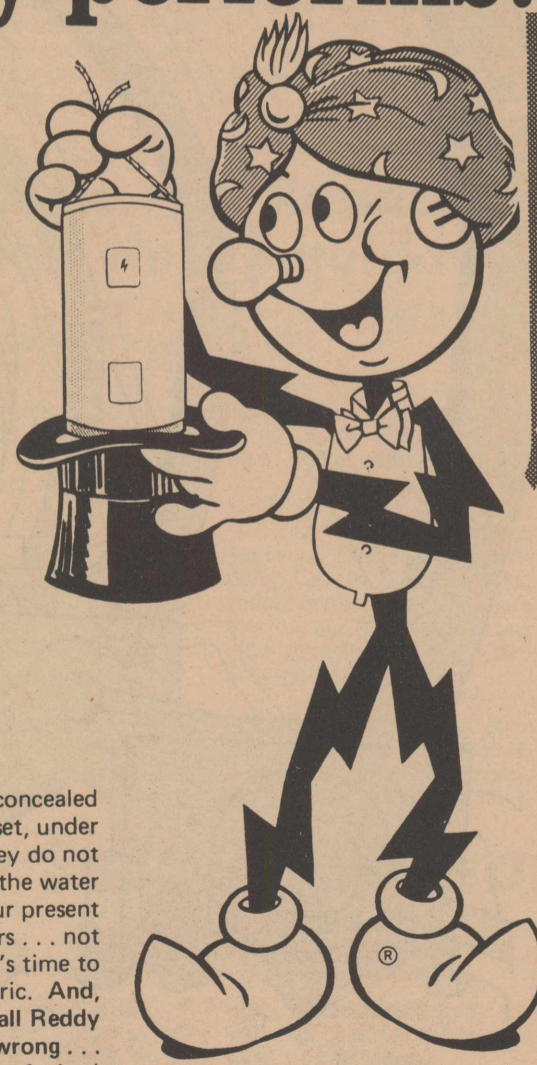
VISIT BROOKS

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Hart Future Homemakers Elect 1969-70 Officers

Meitzie Kennedy was named Girl of the Month Wednesday at the regular meeting of the Hart Chapter of Future Homemakers.

Meeting in the library, members elected officers for 1969-70. Heading the new slate as president is Pam Shive. Other officers include Frances Cunningham, first vice president and program chairman; Carol Miller, second vice president and degree chairman; Carol Sharp, third vice president and point system chairman; Bonnie Seymour, fourth vice president and song leader; and Vicki Six, fifth vice president and publications chairman.

Others were Becky King, secretary; Roni Cox, treasurer; Dee Ann Clevenger, parliamentarian; Cindy Dyer and Denise Lowery, historians; Kathy Crawford, refreshment chairman; Roni McGill, Suzanne Hawkins and Rita Heck, yearbook committee.

Dee Ann Clevenger was named voting delegate to the area meeting March 22 in Lubbock.

Plans were made to have a "Pa, Ma and Me" salad supper March 24 in the school cafeteria. A foreign exchange student from Wayland Baptist College will be the speaker.

IN OKLAHOMA

Mrs. Bob Bennett, Mrs. Kenneth Lambert and Mrs. Sid Cooper and son of Plainview spent a few days last week visiting in Hammon, Okla. with Mrs. W. A. Lambert. They reported that they ran into quite a lot of snow on their way home and had to spend Saturday and Saturday night in Amarillo due to bad roads.

IN SPEARMAN

Mr. and Mrs. Everette Cole, Gary and Carolyn were in Spearman Sunday to visit their son, Mr. and Mrs. Curtis Davis and family. They visited in the hospital there with their small grandson Kirk who is very ill at this time.

FACTS ABOUT THE ARMY

Did you know

--That not all generals in the Army were West Point graduates? Out of the 489 generals in the Army today, 155 received their commissions through ROTC and 46 through Officers Candidate School.

--That there is equality of pay in the Army among sexes? Women in the service make the same amount of money as men holding similar rank.

--That the Army has a blue uniform? It is called the "Dress Blues" and is usually worn for formal occasions.

How To Cope With Housewife Boredom

It isn't him, it isn't them. It isn't you.

So, if boredom bugs you, don't blame your husband, the children or yourself. Instead seek a cure for boredom and you may gain a whole variety of new pleasures.

Your best-intentioned friend may give you absurd-sounding advice if you confide that the day-to-day routine is getting you down. "You have to get out more and do more things," she may say.

Isn't that a laugh with a schedule as full as yours? If you're like most

women, you are probably either (a) a member of something you wish you were out of; (b) tied to a project you feel you OUGHT to complete though you don't feel like it; or (c) a victim of the common psychological tendency to put unpleasant housework off by doing a lot of little things that aren't really necessary.

Take a tip -- do less! Duck. Pass the buck. If you want to get out of the group, make up your mind and do it. Tired of the project? Drop it, and make it up to the family (if it's something for them) by tossing them a special banquet. In housework, do the bad part first, then let the small stuff compete for your attention with more pleasurable activities.

But don't stop there. You can save time in other ways. Make a deal with another mother to pick up your children after school, then do the same for her a week later; you both get an afternoon off!

Spend 49¢ on a package of paper plates, then skip dishwashing for as long as they last.

Tack a "duty sheet" to the refrigerator door showing which child is to do what household chore, and when. Why should you be the horse?

Skip the late at night movie in favor of bed, then get up two hours early and just loaf.

Schedule the household chores, instead of just doing them "as they come up," and you can arrange an extra day each week free of toil.

What to do with the time you save? Plenty -- and pleausrably. Pick one from Group "A" and one from Group "B" and see what many women miss out on.

Group "A" -- Outside Activities

1. Get a job. Working in a retail store, you'll meet new people, see more of your friends, and probably trim your waistline (if it isn't a bakery). Retarded children's homes need mothers who understand. Door-to-door sales companies need representatives (it's easier than it sounds). How about helping as a doctor's receptionist, or joining one of the poverty programs? There's plenty of part-time work around if you look for it.

2. Go to school. Pay, and you can take college courses. For free, a local high school may have classes two nights a week. By mail, you can learn all kinds of things. You can add to your knowledge of child psychology, learn to

sculpt, or find out how tough things really were for Marie Antoinette and her crowd. Or, wouldn't it be fun to learn the meaning of terms on a Chinese menu? (In MooGoo Gai Pan, for instance, "Moo Goo" means mushroom, "Gai" means chicken, and "Pan" means sliced.)

3. Lead a protest demonstration. If you want better school facilities, more cops on the beat, rubber mats under the playground slide, or whatever, marching down to city hall may do you a lot more good than writing letters. Getting girl friends together and signs painted can be exciting, and worthwhile. Be sure you clear your plans with the police; they are almost always neutral.

Group "B" -- at Home

1. Read the Bible from cover to cover, skipping wherever you wish. Start with the Book of Proverbs. Whether you are deeply religious or close to the borderline, says Dr. Oswald Hoffmann of radio's famed Lutheran Hour, "the Bible's advice on family relations and child rearing is one of the most enlightening guides a woman can find." The book is filled with ideas.

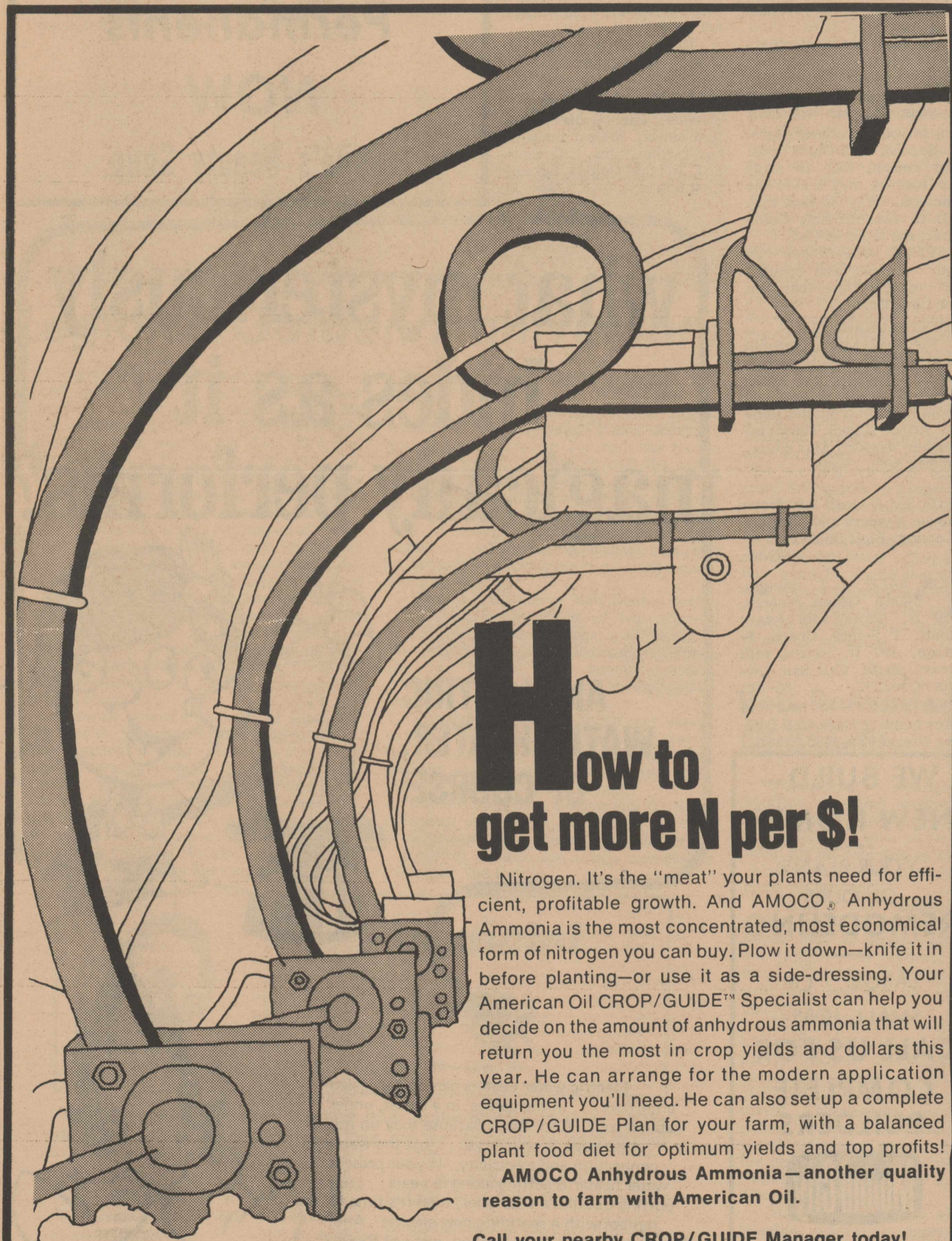
2. Paint! So you're not a Da Vinci -- who cares? A "how to do it" book plus some brushes and oils will get you started, and you may surprise yourself. But look, painting on canvas isn't the only way; paint walls! Or windowsills! How about painting the attic into a tropical paradise (a lot of green and yellow, fake in the trees somehow, make the top blue, and throw in a few birds -- distant ones so all you have to show is the outline)?

3. Buy a marriage manual. Let your husband see you reading it, and leave it where he can find it. We rarely see as much as we can when we travel, many people would enjoy concerts more if they knew what to listen for, and books help us to get maximum pleasure out of travel, music and marriage.

4. Joke around. Two quarts of coffee and three girl friends, each of whom is told to be ready with three jokes before she comes. Mix, and enjoy. Serves four.

5. Plan on being rich. Think of a fat after-tax income level (how about \$50,000 a year?), get some girl friends to do the same, then decide how you'll spend it. Cut things out of magazines. Make a scrapbook. In this world anything can happen, and you wouldn't want to be caught unprepared, would you? Any number can play.

When the game is over, don't be surprised if you realize that you have the greatest treasures of all. Once you are relaxed, enjoying life fully, free of boredom, delighted with your friends and new adventures, you may find that you have new glee in greeting your children after school and your husband after work. You'll have the home and family that millions of girls crave--plus freedom from boredom to boot.



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