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The Bison, April 7, 1989
Taxes due April 17

Along with spring fever, colds, and pollen, the tax man cometh, albeit two days later than usual. April 17 is the deadline for filing your federal and possible state income tax returns, but to make avoiding the stress and make your taxes less taxing, do them A.S.A.P.

Who must file? If you are independent and single, the cutoff for exemption from filing is $4,000 in annual earnings. According to the Internal Revenue Service (IRS), if you can be claimed as a dependent on someone else's return and your earned income was more than $3,000, or if you had any unearned income, and the total of that income plus your earned income was more than $650, you must file a return.

Students who receive scholarships or fellowships awarded after August 16, 1986, should be aware that part or all of such income may be taxable. Only degree candidates can exclude these amounts from income, and only "qualified amounts" can be excluded. For more information, call 1-800-424-3676 for a free copy of IRS publication 328, "Scholarships and Fellowships."

Robert Chambers

Need help preparing your tax return?

Volunteers in Tax Assistance (VITA) will help. On campus, contact David Allen, ext. 438, or stop by Malbee 122 on Thursdays, 2:30 p.m.-4:30 p.m.

AMA chapter counts its way to the top

Marketing Association has been a part of that marketing research. Harding's 40-member chapter, made up mostly of business majors, has entered a case competition in which it enters a written marketing strategy to improve the effectiveness of counting certain people and companies.

The national case competition helps develop a marketing strategy to improve participation of three particular groups in the 1990 census, says AMA (Harding) sponsor Dr. James Ferguson, associate professor of marketing and management.

Charles Walker, associate professor of marketing and business, is another sponsor of Harding's AMA chapter.

"Our students have researched lifestyles, (See AMA, page 5)"
EDITORIAL

Everyday life at Harding will be missed after May 6

I walk to the library to hit the books as I have several hundred times before (gotta exaggerate — mom and dad might be planning a surprise). As I enter the swinging doors and kill my hip on the "Enter!" button, I find an unoccupied table (not a rarity for this time of the semester). I flop my backpack onto the table. Boy, that pack has seen more than its fair share of books and notebooks.

As a 17-year-old (my birthday comes three days later), I remember breathing the putridly humidified air of Searcy. I remember gawking at the incredible plethora of fast-food placemats weed onto one another. I remember carting my stuff up three flights of stairs in CatChat (those were the days before Student Impact), only to find out that we had to get our own window-air conditioner (which never worked, even after several repairs).

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What kind of 'poor stories' will we tell our kids?

The fire which once was an inferno now faces into glimmering coals in the wood burning stove our family just acquired (one of those ones you buy at Sears which is made to look like you salvaged it at your great-grandmother's homestead).

Mom is crocheting an afghan while Dad meanders through the scrapbook of his youth. There he is, on the dirt road (some were paved then). What's that he's playing with? "The only thing we had to play with, Greg," my dad said. "We rolled a tire around."

"A tire?" I said laughing. "Was it a whitewall," I said, thinking I was being cute.

"Nah."

"Didn't you have anything else you played with as a kid?"

"Yeah, we rolled around in a 50 gallon barrel. My older sisters talked me into getting in it and they rolled me down a bumpy hill. I didn't have enough sense to cling to the inside. I've never been bounced around so much in my life," Dad said.

That was just the prelude to Dad's stories. I've heard most of them before but I'll forever enjoy hearing them again.

By Greg Taylor
Bison editor

Chapter 1: Mom and Dad trudged three and a half miles to school on an old dirt road each morning in snow up to their navals. Uphill. Both ways, beating back giant mountain lions on the way. Mom lived on the plains of the Oklahoma panhandle.

Chapter 2: Dad eats dirt for supper every night, and that's dessert. On alternate nights his family dined on dirtbash.

Chapter 3: No indoor plumbing is to be found in six counties. This is Blue Jacket, Okla., and two holter are luxury items. In Beaver County, my mother lives, only the affluent have two holters, and Sears & Roebuck catalogs were used for mail orders.

Chapter 4: Mom starts a new row on her afghan as she begins to explain the difference between a "nice" house and the one in which she lived. Meanwhile, I ponder what I will tell my kids about how poor I have been in my childhood and college years. I'll tell them...uh.

Well, maybe I could lecture my little ones about their bank accounts. "My bank account was always less than $500." I'll say. "You should be grateful." Then there's the time when my Air Jordans were a hole in the side and I had to wear them in the snow, just like George Washington's fighting men.

Or, there's the time when I went a whole day without a meal. Then, when I did eat I had to eat oat bran — SOOEI! Mom woke me from my parental state, calling the hogs. No, not the Razorbacks; she was calling real hogs and milking real cows. Maybe I'll tell my kids how I use to dispense a whole glass of milk in the cafeteria without any foam.

Early to bed and early to get up was Mom's motto. I'm sure she rose at the dawn to milk the cow for the first ten times that day (Melise only needed milk twice but they always thought they'd check for more). Kinda like us college students check for mail before and after meals. Maybe I could get my kids to cry when I lament the horrid lack of love I was shown because I only got mail every other day.

Of course, I could tell my kids that I rose at the crack of 8:57 a.m., took only seven minutes to get ready, and ran to school (well, I ran to the car). One of the greatest hardships for those harsh mornings was the fact that I couldn't even take a shower. Sometimes I even had to ride with Toby to school, in his car. Life was rough.

We had to park a quarter mile away from the school. My legs burned each morning after such a walk. As Mom finished her story about milking bovines, I finished in my mind a series of "poor stories" which I would proclaim to my children.

I could see the respect in their eyes, the awe from their mouths as they drop open at each tale. Yeah, I had a budget of $30 a week. In college I couldn't even go on the spring break ski trips. Boy, was life rough. Sure tuition was expensive, but I had to work my way through school to be able to buy the essential Domino's late night care packages.

"There were certain luxuries in my society," I'd tell my kids, "but I only suffered through with the necessities."

Saturday
April 22

A MADD DASH

Harry Miller Memorial 10K
and MADD Dash 5K

Location & Time

Carmichael Community Center, Searcy, Corner, South Elm & West Chriesip
Registration 6:00 a.m.
5K and 10 K Race 8:00 a.m.
(Entry Fee $8.00 preregistration, $13.00 day of race)

1 mile Fun Run 8:00 a.m. (Entry Fee $4.00)
Day of race $6.00
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A cash prize of $25.00 plus a sports bag will be given to the person who has the highest total pledged. The money must be turned in on the day of race to win. All with $25 turned in get to run Free. Registration forms available at all sporting good stores, Searcy, or in Bible office. For more info call 268-1196 or 268-6161, ext. 554.

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Carmichael Community Center
10K — 5K — 1 Mile Fun Run

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10-K Race ($8.00 in advance, $13.00 day of race)
5-K Race ($8.00 in advance, $13.00 day of race)
1-mile Fun Run ($4.00 in advance, $6.00 day of race)

1st 400-10-K & 5-K entrants receive T-shirts S M L XL TOTAL

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**Quilters become 'singers' tonight**

by Trish Shanklin  
From staff writer

The musical, "Quilters," opens tonight at 7:00 p.m. in the Little Theater on the second floor of the Administration Building.

The two act musical performed by Harding students, will last 2 hours. Admission is $2.50 and tickets can be bought at the door. The performance times are: tonight, April 7 at 7:00 p.m., Saturday, April 8 at 2:00 p.m. and Monday, April 10 at 8:00 p.m.

The play is directed, acted, and accompanied by students. Theresa Hawkins is the director, John Epling is the stage manager, Chuck Rae is the assistant choreographer, Shiki Moore is the accompanist, and Dr. Morris Ellis is the faculty advisor for the production.

The actresses include: Anaura Leek, Jena Graeter, Lori Westbroок, Melanie McKechnie, Sheree Corbett, Marissa Thomas, and Savannah Morley.

Costume and pring began in February.

The story is about a woman and her six daughters. The play progresses through their lives and tells of important events which occurred in the pioneer days of early America. "If you laugh, you'll cry, you'll want to see more," Epling, stage manager, said.

**Pledge Week**

(continued from page 1)

seem to mind the move one way or the other," Burks said.

"We need to plan some special activities for the freshmen for next semester because they will go four weeks longer without club activities," says Burks.

Burks said the conflict with the Lectureship is a problem because visitors just don't understand what is going on during their stay for the Lectureship.

"Lectureship visitors are normally two types of people: retired persons and preachers, and when they visit they see the pledging activities and think the students aren't serious, that they are involved in frivolous activity. They just don't understand."
Supreme Court nominee to give final lecture

Bork to speak in American Studies

by R. Joannie Martingale

The American Studies Institute presents Robert Bork Thursday, April 13 in the Benson Auditorium at 7:30 p.m. Bork will be speaking about the judicial system of the United States. Bork, former President Ronald Reagan's controversial nominee to the U.S. Supreme Court in 1987, is the author of "The Antitrust Paradox: A Policy at War with Itself." He not only has had experience as an author, but a circuit judge, lawyer, and educator.

The American Studies Institute makes possible these lecture series to promote a better understanding of values and ideas of liberty and democracy. This is the final lecture of the series.

NBC White House reporter to keynote Communication Dept. dinner

by Angela Haley

NBC Network White House correspondent James Polk, will speak at the Communication Department Awards Banquet April 11. Polk, a 1984 Pulitzer Price winner, will speak at 7:30 p.m. in Banquet Room C of the Heritage Cafeteria.

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Pied Pipers to perform tomorrow for community

by Andy Kronenwetter

The eight members of the Pied Pipers troupe are scheduled to perform tomorrow at 11 a.m. in the recording studio. The show is free and open to the community.

This is the first year for a group such as the Pied Pipers to be at Harding. The troupe is directed by Andy Kronenwetter along with his assistant Sharon Jordan. The members are: Robbie Counts, Duane Jones, Heather Ledford, Christy Myers, Sheila Parsley, Elise Robinson, Eric Svenson, and Marisa Thomas. Each member auditioned and interviewed for their position.

The troupe, dressed in colorful overalls, entertain children in pre-school through the sixth grade. Their programs consist of improvisational theatre. Singing songs, telling stories, acting out fables and creating rhythms are all part of the group's program. Each show is different. Every member learns all the parts so the roles can be switched to add variety for the players.

The performances usually last from 45 to 50 minutes.

The group practices two nights a week. The group performs throughout the area, ranging from the Thursday School at the College Church to the students at Harding Academy in Memphis.

Kronenwetter is a graduate student at Harding. He is studying for his master's degree in education. Kronenwetter was formerly the director of theatrical activities at Ohio Valley College in Parkersburg, W. Va. There he also directed a similar group. The group is now getting finely tuned for their final shows, says the troupe's director. The performance Saturday begins at 11:00 a.m. Kronenwetter described the show as, "About the best time anyone could have."

Do you know how many Beatles songs topped the "Billboard Hot 100" singles list in early April 1964 (25 years ago)?

1964

...AS THE BEATLES

From Number 1 to Number 5: "Can't Buy Me Love," "Twist and Shout," "She Loves You," "I Want To Hold Your Hand," and "Please, Please." The feat has never been duplicated.

If you miss the Beatles, don't miss a group which recreates the magic. 1964 as the Beatles are scheduled to perform on the Benson stage Friday, April 14 at 7:30 p.m.

Tickets are still on sale in Dr. Jerome Barnes' office on the second floor of the Student Center.

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Sports Scope

We're still little boys out there

by Rick Butler

I was eight, maybe nine years old. The family car was the newest thing I'd ever seen.

There were bleachers (new ones then), dugouts, and a fence with colorful signs with funny letters on them. I didn't ask what the letters meant. I figured it was 'big boy' stuff and if I was supposed to know, mom or dad would have told me. This was Christmas Eve at grandma's and while thoughts of new bicycles, toy trucks, and train sets kept millions of other little boys awake, the only thing on my mind was that softball field. I thought it was a baseball field, actually. A Little League baseball field.

We weren't too far from it. Maybe I could sneak back and run the bases or something, the thought of that field in Searcy kept me awake many nights after that.

I didn't know I was coming to Harding until my senior year in high school. Friends would ask why I wanted to go to "a school like that?" "It has good academics," I would say, or "I have relatives there". Those were both sound reasons, I knew, plus two of my best friends were there. Every time I heard the name Harding, though, the first thing I thought of was that softball field.

Two years ago, as a freshman, pledge week came along and we were required to learn the Greek alphabet. All I kept thinking was, "I can read the fence now!" My freshman year also marked my first appearance on that field. It was like a dream come true.

I got a bit in my first at-bat and I felt like the game should stop and I should be given the last, 77.5 base or something. The day that this beautiful piece of God's earth became "any other field" was a week later when the bases loaded, two men out, and my team down a run in the last inning. I popped out to the pitcher.

There have been so many exciting things happen on that field since I've been here. Several times I have felt like an eight-year-old again sitting in the stands, watching Dave Fowler make diving catches in the outfield or Greg White throw from center field into the Armstrong parking lot.

Somewhere out there, there's a little boy who on special occasions gets to ride by the new field. That boy has dreams of playing there with the 'big boys'. I just hope he doesn't pop up.

Top 10 men's club softball

by Rick Butler

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Sports

Bisons will go where pitching takes them in AIC

by David Van Buskirk

The Harding baseball team continued their winning ways by sweeping a doubleheader Monday against Henderson State University.

The victories moved Harding into sole position of second place, a half game behind Southern Arkansas University in the AIC regular season race.

In the first game John Kodati pitched a three hitter as Harding defeated Henderson State 9-1. The victory gave Kodati a flawless 7-0 record at the mound. Harding's offensive attack of 19 basehits was led by Andy Kinser, who had a perfect 3 for 3 performance at the plate.

Pitcher David DePew picked up his fourth win of the season as Harding squeezed out a 4-3 win in the second game. The Bisons were shut down offensively, being allowed only three hits, but capitalized in key situations to take the lead in the bottom of the sixth inning. DePew shut down the Reddies in seven innings to improve his record to 4-2.

Bisons second in home meet

Central Arkansas and the University of Arkansas-Pine Bluff came away as the winners in the Harding University Invitational Track and Field Meet last week at Alumni Field.

UCA captured the men's team title with 89 points, followed by Harding with 64, Southern Arkansas with 42 and UAPB with 32. UAPB's women won their division with 69 points, followed by Harding's 47, UCA's 36, UA-Little Rock's 11 and Hendrix College's 5 points.

CORRECTION

John Kodati, Bison pitcher who is 7-0 this season, was incorrectly identified as Perry Parr under his picture in last week's Bison sports page.

Tennis squad aces AIC teams

by Rick Butler

The Bison netters ran their record to 12-3 Monday with an 8-4 decision over Arkansas Tech in Russellville. The team was led by Ernesto Tovar who won number one singles without losing a game. Gregg Barden also coasted to easy wins in number two and three singles. Enrique Valero, Ruy Martinez and Leonardo all coasted to easy wins in numbers three through six. Richie Roberts won in the day's most exciting match, 6-7; 7-5; 4-6.

In doubles action, Martinez and Valero pounded their opponents 6-1; 6-3 and Bravo and Barden won easily 6-1; 6-1.

The Bisons moved to 13-3 Tuesday with a 9-0 decision over Hendrix. Details were not available at press time.

Linksters +2 in AIC ranks

by Brett Biggs

The Harding University golf team entered Tuesday's second round of AIC play at Rob-samson Park in Little Rock in a surprising and disappointing fifth place.

At the end of the day, the Bisons had posted a well earned second place finish and had climbed into third overall in the conference.

All five Bison golfers finished in the top 20 of the 45 golfers entered in the tournament.

Harding's steady play pleased coach Phil Watkins who had expected this type of balance during the year.

"I feel this is a much better indication of how we can really play this year," said Watkins.

The only team ahead of the Bisons Tuesday was Henderson State, currently rated 10th in the nation. The margin of victory, however, was only ten total strokes.

The Bisons will play the third round of AIC play on Wednesday at Longhills Golf Course in Benton.

2ND ROUND INDIVIDUAL RESULTS

Todd Shineshart 73
Robert Master 76
Matt Patton 77
David Converse 78
Brett Biggs 83

Bisons women a top in AIC

ERNESTO TOVAR serves during a home match.

A strong non-conference schedule consisting of Division I teams Southwest Louisiana, Arkansas State, and Memphis State has prepared the Bisons well for the tough AIC competition.

Critical games with Arkansas Tech and the University of Central Arkansas are scheduled for next Wednesday and Friday.

"The next couple of weeks are the most important part of the season for us," said Kodati. "They will either make us or break us."
SA Elections... (continued from page 11)

Dana Cash, a senior next semester, is running unopposed for Married Student Representative.

Shawn Morgan and John Ogren plan to run for Senior Men's Representative.

Write-ins must have been approved and have 10 percent of their class signed on their petition.

On the ballot representatives must obtain 25 signatures from the student body, normally from their class, while candidates for offices need 50 signatures.

Try-outs for the fall 1989 musical, "Brigadoon," will be held Tuesday, April 11, beginning at 6 p.m.

Country music comic singer Ray Stevens will appear in concert here at Harding Thursday, April 20, at 7:30 p.m. in the Benson Auditorium.

Tickets for the concert are on sale now for $14 and can be purchased at the Daily Citizen, Stewards TV & Appliance, and Brook's Appliances. Some of the singer's comic hits include "Would Jesus Wear a Rolex?" "Ahab the Arab," "Mississippi Squirrel Revival," "The Streak," "The Haircut Song," and "Everything is Beautiful."

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Ray Stevens concert April 20

by Sheila Morrison

Bison staff writer

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