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Around Muleshoe

The Jennysippers will have a regular quarterly meeting on Tuesday at 7:30 p.m. in the warehouse building at Five Area Telephone. All members are urged to attend this meeting.

The Bailey County Farm Bureau will be holding their Board of Directors' meeting on Thursday evening at 8:30 p.m., April 7, 1983 in the Bailey County Farm Bureau office. Any members are welcome to attend this meeting.

Airman Leslie E. Lynk, daughter of Joan P. McClure of 8909 E. Harborage, Tucson, Ariz., and Clive R. Lynk of 406 Chicago, Muleshoe, Texas, has completed Air Force basic training at Lackland Air Force Base, Texas. During the six weeks at Lackland, the airman studied the Air Force mission, organization and customs and received credits towards an associate degree in applied science through the Community College of the Air Force. The airman will now receive specialized instruction in the intelligence field at Fort George G. Meade, Md. She is a 1980 graduate of Sahuaro High School, Tucson.

A lot of effort has been made to see that this year's Spring Program for Cont. Page 8, Col. 1

Rempe Services Held Saturday

Services for Don Rempe, 54 were held at 2 p.m. on Saturday, April 2 in the Immaculate Conception Catholic Church under the direction of Father Pat Maher, Pastor and Father Tim Schwertner of Leveland. Interment was in the Bailey County Memorial Park under the direction of Ellis Funeral Home.

Rempe was a partner in the Dent-Rempe business until his retirement in February, 1983 and was active in civic and community affairs. He was a member of the Immaculate Conception Catholic Church, the Muleshoe Rotary Club and the Muleshoe Chamber of Commerce. He died on Friday, April 1.

The Plainville, Kansas native was born June 29, Cont. Page 8, Col. 5




DON REMPE

Wildlife Refuge To Hire Ten Youth Corpsmen

Muleshoe National Wildlife Refuge will be sponsoring a Youth Conservation Corps. Camp from June 6 through July 29, 1983. Young people 15 through 18 years of age are eligible to apply for the ten positions which will be available in this program. Applications are available from area high schools, Texas Employment Commission and Muleshoe National Wildlife Refuge. A random drawing for the ten positions will be made at 4:00 p.m. on Friday April 15 from all applications received by 4:30 p.m. Thursday April 4. The drawing will be open to the public and all applicants are encouraged to attend. Enrollees will receive \$3.35 per hour for eight hours per day, five days a week, for eight weeks.

The program is open to males and females of all social, economic, racial, and ethnic backgrounds, regardless of work experience or skills. However, any applicant must meet the following requirements: Be 15 through 18 years old; Cont. Page 8, Col. 4

EASTER... a time for REJOICING



Let the Heavens be glad, and let the earth rejoice; and let men say among the nations, The Lord reigneth. I Chronicles 16:31

Easter joy is everywhere. Let us share with friends and family the unique blessings of this season of rebirth and renewal.

May the message of this holy Easter fill your hearts and uplift your spirits with gladness and hope. Rejoice.

Underground Water Shows Change Of Depths

The High Plains Underground Water Conservation District has completed its annual program of measuring depth-to-water levels in the 71 wells in Bailey County. These wells are part of a larger network of more than 950 observation wells scattered throughout the District's 15-county service area.

Don McReynolds was able to complete all measurements of "static" water levels in observation wells and tag them with the District's identification sticker for owner information.

"Several irrigators stopped me in the field to ask about declines and what their water was doing," said Don. "We have initial results for each of the 15 counties, but tabulated data on the entire observation network readings is not expected to be complete until mid-year."

Bailey County's 1982-1983 depth-to-water table below surface minimum reading was at 25.91 feet, and the maximum level read was at 176.03 feet. This year's average change in depths-to-water in the county was -0.79 of a foot, which compares with a 1981-1982 county reading of -1.18 feet. Comparing the rate of change calculated

the Water District keeps a record of annual decline and rate of change going back to 1962. The data is used for making projections of decline rates, for determining the amount of water left in storage, and as a basis for the income tax depletion allowance claims on landowner's tax returns.

Farmers Reminded Of Final Sign-Ups

Bailey County's ASCS office will be a beehive of activity in the next few days and weeks with the beginning of sign-ups for aerial measurements and for the new or additional cost sharing program funds being offered to Bailey County producers. Both sign-ups begin on April 4.

April 8 is the final sign-up date for the additionally allocated \$44,000 which is tagged for the underground pipe cost sharing program. As before, ASCS Executive Director, Rusty Williamson encourages any farmer interested in getting his underground pipe in shape to get signed into this program. Williamson stated, "If we don't use these funds now, the word is that this type program will not be offered to Bailey County again."

Measurement service sign ups will also begin on April 4 and according to

Williamson, ground rates will be charged on all beginning applications and refunds will be given following the performance of services.

Those producers who wished to enter in the 1982 reserve or regular commodity loan for wheat should have signed in by March 31, 1983; however May 31, 1983 is the final sign-up date for corn, grain sorghum or cotton.

Producers in Bailey County need to remember that final certification dates are just around the corner. For fall-seeded small grains the final certification date is May 16; for spring seeded crops, the final date of certification is July 15, 1983. Wheat which is designated as conservation use acreage (CUA) must be designated as such by May 16.

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Commodity Credit To Buy Excess Grains

★★★ ★★★

Varsity Mules Win Bovina Track Meet

Muleshoe's varsity boys track team traveled to Bovina on March 31 for the sole purpose of bringing back the first place trophy - which they did. Thurman Coleman ran the 100 meter in 10:82 and the 200 meter in 22:88, moving him into the all-time top ten list for Muleshoe and earning him a name jersey for this award. Coleman was greatly aided by the wind. Also in the pole vault event, Ricky Rasco vaulted a personal best of 11'6", improving over the 10'6" he had previously. This jump also put Rasco in the top ten list. According to Coach Kevin Wiseman this was one of the best track meets, bringing together a combination of the varsity and junior varsity athletes. Muleshoe won with 151 total points.

In other events on Saturday, the 400 meter relay team placed first with team members Kirvin, Shaw, Flowers and Coleman running a time of 46.0. In the 3200 meter run, Tony Luna placed first with a time of 10:597 and Tony Rojas placed second with 11:18.43. Luna also placed sixth in the 800 meter run with 2:18.97.

In the 100 meter dash, Thurman Coleman placed second with 11:02 and Chris Kirvin placed fifth

with 11:36. Coleman placed first in the 200 meter dash with a time of 22.88.

Eddie Alvarado, Michael Del Toro and Smiley Orozco placed third, fourth and fifth respectively in the 400 meter dash with times of 54.77, 55.82 and 56.45.

In the 300 Intermediate hurdles, Mark Moton placed first with a time of 42:87. Aldo Almanza placed first in the 1600 meter run with 4:47.63, Martin Mendoza placed second with 4:51.3. In the 1600 meter relay, the team placed second with a total time of 3:36.52. Team members include Orozco, Perez, Del Toro and Neman. In the pole vault, Raul Garcia placed fourth with 11'6" and Ricky Rasco placed fifth with 11'6".

Chris Kirvin placed third in the high jump with 6 foot even and Mark Moton placed fifth with 5'8". In the Long Jump, Moton placed second with 20'5"

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Program To Bolster PIK Needs

Bailey County Executive Director of the ASCS office released information late Friday regarding the need of the USDA's acquiring of additional loan collateral for the PIK program.

Williams stated that his information included the fact that a "heavy sign up in the PIK Program had made it necessary for

Commodity Credit Corporation to either acquire additional grain from producers or to exercise the previously announced option to require producers to obtain loans on 1983 commodities to satisfy PIK contracts.

Reports indicate that the CCC will offer to purchase corn, wheat and sorghum from producers who have outstanding regular or reserve loans with the CCC in excess of their PIK needs. Eligible producers are only those producers with outstanding regular or reserve loans in excess of PIK needs. The purchasing of these commodities will be handled through a bidding process with the County Offices. Corn,

wheat or sorghum that is needed to satisfy a producer's PIK needs or quantities that have been designated to satisfy other producer's PIK needs are considered ineligible for this new program.

Letters to producers in the Bailey County area are being mailed now, informing them of the new program in which the sign-up begins on April 4. The sign-up period will run until close of business on April 15, with a public opening if needed on April 16 at 9 a.m.

Williamson explained that a sign up in the new program could result in a producer getting his note paid off, getting a percentage of his commodity back free and clear while helping fulfill the outstanding PIK contracts. One contract per loan is allowed.

The delivery of the purchased commodity will be handled the same as loan forfeitures or deliveries of loan grain, except that a producer may retain a portion of the offered quantity for feed or marketing. The quantity that may be retained will be determined by the percent bid.

All offers bidding a "0" percent will be accepted. In a case like this, the full offered quantity must be delivered to the CCC.

Offers made by a producer in the bid method may not be withdrawn or amended after they have been filed. Offers must also be submitted to the County ASCS office where the loan was obtained. Liquidated Cont. Page 8, Col. 1

Mule Day Festival Meet Set

Using the positive theme, "We Can - If We Try" Jeff Smith and Larry Winkler, co-founders of the Mule Day Festival scheduled this year for August 13, have scheduled a general meeting Tuesday night.

Scheduled for 7:30 p.m. at the Muleshoe State Bank community room, a large number of clubs, officials and organizations have been invited. All interested individuals are encouraged to attend the meeting.

Smith and Winkler will bring the group up to date on the annual event, and will be soliciting volunteers Cont. Page 8, Col. 5

Commissioners To Meet In Special Session

The Bailey County Commissioner's Court will meet in a special session in the Courthouse on Monday April 4, beginning at 10 a.m. and continuing until all business is concluded. Several items are scheduled on the agenda.

The Court will meet with Virgie Perry and with Ray Lynk; they will also take into consideration repairs on a typewriter for the County Extension office.

The Commissioners will consider a resolution for

Annual Spring Program Planned

Parents of students involved in the Chapter 1 Programs at the Muleshoe Elementary and Junior High Schools are in for a very special treat at the Annual Spring Program for Parents on Thursday evening, April 7, 1983 at 7:00 p.m. in the Muleshoe High School Cafeteria according to those planning the program.

Roy Anzaldua will be the Master of Ceremonies for an evening of games and parents and students will have a chance to win some very nice prizes which include, games, books, puzzles and educational toys. There is no charge to anyone for playing the games and everyone will have a chance of going home a winner.

Six members will be elected to serve on the Chapter 1 Parent Advisory Council and the following nominations have been received: Manuel Fabela, Juana Fabela, Johnny Cisneros, Maria Cisneros and Ramon Sanchez.

Refreshments will be Cont. Page 8, Col. 6

District Court Set To Begin Monday

Jury trials have been set for 287th District Court of Bailey County with jurors scheduled to report on Monday, April 11 at 1:30

p.m. Jury settings for this date include the following cases: B. Gene Hamilton Vs. Gloria T. Perez; Shirley Servis vs. Muleshoe Antenna Company, Inc.; Equico Lessors, Inc. vs. D.B. Ivy and Judy Van Dyck Morin vs. Joseph Paul Van Dyck, Individually, and as Independent Executor of the Estate of B.H. Dyck, and Barbara Van Dyck Mills. These cases will be called and tried in the order listed beginning at 10 a.m. on April 11.

A list of 100 jurors have been called for these trials and they include: Gladys Ballard Myers, Elias Noe Anzaldua, Trenea Bryant Matthews, Tina Lea McDaniel, Nora Reyes, Roby Darren Kelton, Carroll Ray Precure, Terry Lynn McCamish, Maldean Masten Mrs., Mollie Cox Degge, Eufemio Y. Rodriguez.

Delfina Lopez Martinez, Dorothy McMahan Mick, Terry R. Pollard, Albert Garcia, Robert Lee Odle, Isaac Newton Wilcox, C.J. Feagley, J.D. Smith, William Eugene Meyers, Don-

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UIL REGIONAL SCIENCE FAIR WINNERS--Several Muleshoe Junior High students traveled recently to the Regional Science Fair competition, bringing back a number of ribbons with them for their efforts. From left (bottom) Ester Acosta, Becky Vela, Deaun Crozier, Shane Burris, Michael Duncan, Dusty Rhodes and Chris Young. Second row: Misti Brewer, Angela Kidd, Van Gregory, Dalyn Bratcher, Donnie Nowlin, Ed Chance and Shawn Neiman. Third: Torey Cox, Scottie Spies, Jennifer Green, Sue Haire and Julie Crittenden. Fourth: David Sanders, Debbie Brown, Lisa Noble, Sergio Gonzales and Diane Eros.

Girlstown, USA, A Unique Living Experience



THEY'RE RIGHT THERE TO GREET YOU, AT GIRLSTOWN, U.S.A.—Several of the 60 plus girls who reside at Girlstown, U.S.A. near Whiteface were caught by the camera at the entrance to Girlstown. The girls were found to be friendly and helpful to visitors on-campus during a visit there last week by Jeff Smith, Lonnie Adrian and Clea Williams. The group was in Girlstown to help set up the annual Mule Day Festival, with the proceeds scheduled to go to Girlstown. (Bailey County Journal Photo)

Outstanding Citizens Honored At Chamber Banquet

Sudanites bestowed tributes Saturday night on Outstanding Citizens during the Second Annual Chamber of Commerce Banquet. They also recognized members of the Hornette State Champions and their coach, Jim Kirkland.

"Community Participation In Action" was the theme for the banquet and many local businesses made displays depicting their work or business with miniature replicas of their shops, or places of business. Rainbows, floral arrangements and displays decorated the hall.

Tom Rigby was Master of Ceremony and Pudd Wiseman made the presentation of Awards to the Outstanding Citizens and Hoyt Robertson made the presentation to the person having lived the longest continuously in Sudan; Lendle McCarty who has lived here since 1919 except for the time served in the armed forces. The newest residents as of March 1983 were Mr. and Mrs. Jim Fields who recently moved back to Sudan from Crosbyton.

Special tributes were paid to Sara Woods, "Outstanding Woman of the Year," who was commended for her outstanding service to the community. She's a member of the 4th of July Celebration Committee, Pioneer Independence Day Committee; has served and is serving on many Chamber of Commerce Committees; (including decorating committee for the banquet); active in Ex-Student-Teacher Homecoming activities; active in Booster Club, Senior Citizens and a member of the First Baptist Church. It was said of her "She does many things, small insignificant, but yet useful to her friends and neighbors and community, always serves on any committee when asked and is on the Hotel Restoration Committee.

The James Withrow family was named "Farm Family of the Year". This family, James and his wife,

Bette, came 25 years ago and took a sandy old Johnson grass farm and made it into a very productive farm today ALMOST free of Johnson grass.

Betty drives a tractor from time to time and the three girls, Martha, Ruth and Marie have run module builders as well as move pipelines and hoe. They also have caused some "near accidents" by chopping cotton near their home on Highway 84 in the hot summertime. Marie, who is a senior this year is a member of the State Champion Hornette team. James has served as the school board for the past 15 years and served as President for the past 8 years. He has also served the Co-op Gin Board; FHA County Board; County Tax Appraisal Board; A.S.C.S. Committee and is an elder in the local Church of Christ.

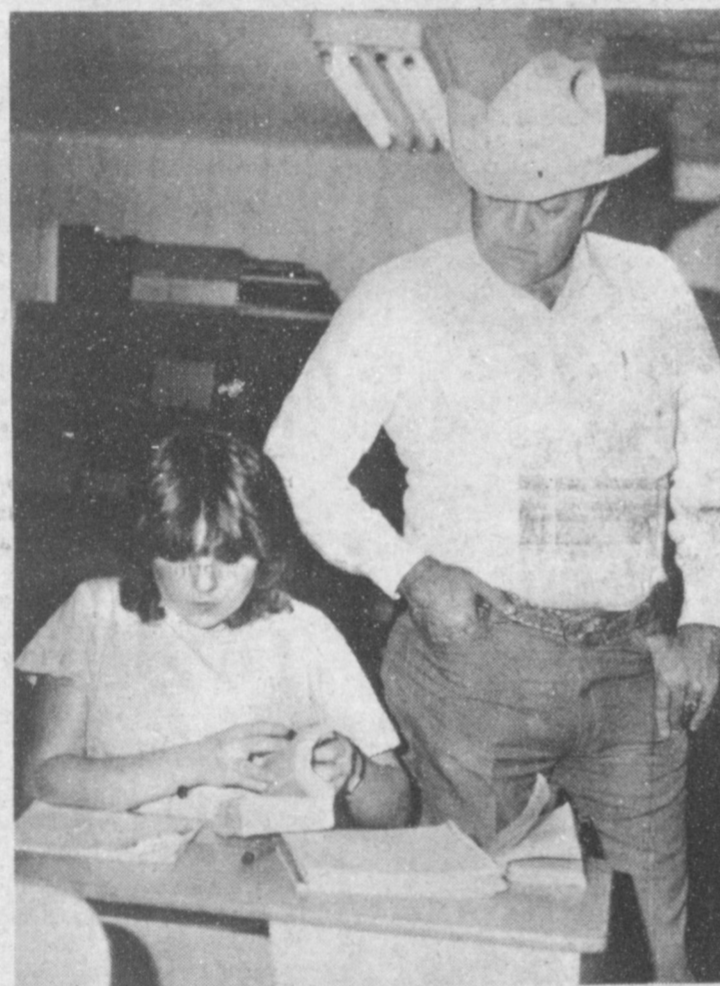
"Man of the Year" award went to Orville Hill who has devoted many hours of his time and efforts to helping our community live a little safer; through the fire department of which he has served for years and is presently serving as Fire Chief; he serves as an EMS; ECA; and is a 4-H Adult leader and member of the First Baptist Church and has done many good samaritan aids.

"Citizen Through the Years" Award went to Marvin Tollett who has been a member of Sudan community for over 30 years. He has served as president of Rotary Club, Sudan City Council, President of Chamber of Commerce and Agriculture; active in Fall Festival work and was instrumental in purchasing the last Christmas lights for the city. He was active in Boy Scout work in keeping it alive. He is presently active in Lions Club; president of Senior Citizens group; member of the Chamber of Commerce, Heritage Committee, 4th of July Celebration Committee; Booster Club and is active in his

church, the First United Methodist Church where he sings in the choir. He has contributed much to our community for many years and hasn't let up yet.

Jay Livingston Lamb County Deputy, was recognized and given tribute for his willing and uncomplaining service to Sudan day or night.

Dr. Dan Kamp, Pars and Recreational Director of the City of Lubbock and a former Sudan resident was speaker of the evening. He said, along with a little humor, there are three things needed for purpose of life. Challenge, Recognition and Contribution. His speech was "Freedom & Individuality."



A GIRLSTOWN CLASSROOM—Amy, seated, looked through a book with Jeff Smith as an onlooker during a trip to Girlstown, U.S.A. last Friday. Several girls attend the alternate school on campus at Girlstown. (Bailey County Journal Photo)

Take a large measure of love, liberally sprinkle in care, stir well with discipline, mix in quality education, fill with caring, concerned adults, and when all is completed -- you find Girlstown, U.S.A.

Located south of Whiteface, in Cochran County, Girlstown, U.S.A. is a unique living experience for more than 60 girls. They live, love and leave Girlstown knowing they have had the best care, the most loving care possible to have.

Mr. and Mrs. Marshall Cooper moved to Girlstown just over 19 years ago where he became manager of the financially troubled organization which was trying to exist without government funding.

Girlstown still exists today without government funding. With 76 percent of the funding for Girlstown coming from contributions and public support, the remainder is provided by fees, farm income and income from securities. Girlstown has grown, and Cooper and his wife say new funding must be found.

The Coopers said they are most grateful for all the support Girlstown has received from clubs, organizations and individuals since it first started in 1949. A \$10 contribution looks large to them, as the Coopers said Girlstown operates "in the black" only three months out of the year. For the other nine months, it is a hit and miss proposition, with any and all money, food and clothing, as well as furniture, books, "just anything," said the Coopers. "We manage to find a use for almost anything that is given to us."

A major contributor to Girlstown is the District 272, Lions Club, which includes Muleshoe.

Mrs. Cooper said it costs approximately \$800 per month to house one girl at Girlstown -- but, it costs approximately \$2000 to house one girl in a government-funded institution.

If you have not visited Girlstown -- and watched the entire thing in action -- you have missed a most unique experience. Driving in, it looks like a small college campus, with a gymnasium, a classroom for an alternate school on campus. There is an office housing the case worker for Girlstown, and an administration office. There is a combination dining/kitchen/chapel, which also can be converted to a theatre for movies and a host of other activities. There's a swim-

ming pool, a fire station with a new fire truck (since the devastating fire that destroyed one cottage last year) and the cottages where the 60 plus girls make their homes.

The cottages are constructed of brick, and in each cottage are house parents (man and wife) and one single female houseparent. The girls are housed three to a room, a large, airy room, and are responsible for keeping their own room.

Most of the kitchen duties are by the girls, although the girls from the "honor cottage" are exempt from kitchen duty. The honor cottage is for girls who excel in deportment, have adapted the best to Girlstown living, are academically high, and better adjusted.

The alternate classroom on the Girlstown campus is for newly-arrived girls, so they can adjust before going to public schools at Whiteface, for girls who have failed to adjust to the school at Whiteface, and for girls with other disciplinary problems. The teacher in the school, Renee Houchins, is a Texas-certified teacher, and is paid by the state to teach at Girlstown.

The cottages have a kitchen and dining room, as well as a living room with television and each has a basement-playroom, which also doubles as a storm shelter.

At this time, ages of the girls at Girlstown range from 11-17, although one graduate of Girlstown is currently still residing there while attending college. The youngest girl has entered Girlstown at the age of six-months, having been placed there by the court.

Girlstown operates under very stringent government rules even though it is not government funded. Inspectors are very strict and the entire structure must conform in order to continue to be licensed.

In March, 1949, Girlstown, U.S.A. was founded by Amelia Anthony at

Buffalo Gap, Texas. In July of that same year, Tom Duggan, a Lubbock attorney donated 1425 acres of land near Whiteface to Mrs. Anthony and her girls. Since that time, Girlstown has expanded to four campuses, Whiteface, Berger, Lubbock and Austin.

Cooper said the ongoing philosophy of Girlstown, U.S.A. is that love, security and Christian values should be offered in a home environment to girls in need. Also, added Cooper, in recent years, Girlstown has begun providing special help for pre-delinquent, delinquent, troubled, and disturbed children.

Records indicate that most of the referrals to Girlstown, U.S.A. are made by juvenile courts, child guidance clinics, other child care institutions and local private professionals. Cooper said, "Girlstown accepts girls from infancy to age 17 who are demonstrating emotional problems for which residential care would be beneficial.

"Each girl's needs are assessed and an individual treatment plan is drawn up," he continued. "This plan is periodically reassessed for modification. The staff meets regularly to

identify any group or individual problems, and develop plans necessary to resolve these problems. Unit living stresses self-government and peer interaction."

If you would make a trip to Girlstown, U.S.A., you cannot help but be impressed with the people who work at this most unusual home for girls, and with the progress of the girls, themselves. It's well worth the drive and visitors are always welcome.



"He said unto them, Go ye into all the world, and preach the gospel to every creature."

1. Who is speaking in this command?
2. To whom was he speaking at the time?
3. Does this command apply today?
4. Where may it be found?

Answers to Bible Verse

1. Mark is recording the command of Jesus.
2. He was speaking to his disciples.
3. Certainly.
4. Mark 16:15.



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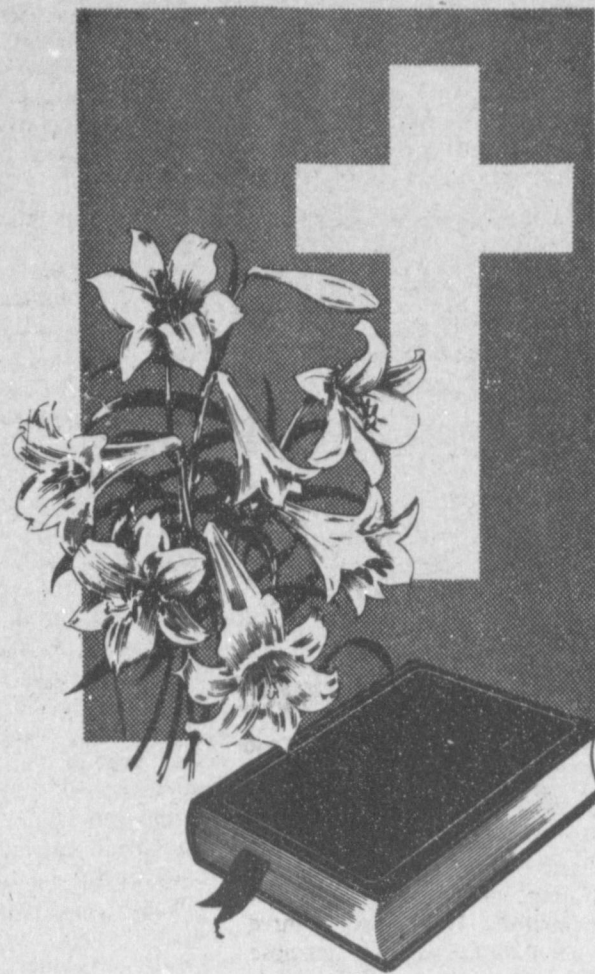
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Peace And Joy At Easter, 1983



EASTER SUNDAY--Josie Pedroza and children, David a fifth grade student at Mary DeShazo and Jessica, four years of age are on their way to Easter services at the Spanish Assembly of God Church. Ms. Pedroza is employed by the Texas Department of Health. She enjoys listening to Gospel music. Some of her activities include being president of the Texas Migrant Council. She is also a Sunday School Teacher, a youth leader and a Deaconess of the church.



Christ--

The Resurrection And The Life

By JAMES WILLIAMS

"I am the resurrection and the life..." John 11:25, 26.

Introduction:

The death and resurrection of Christ are the two grand fundamental facts on which the whole of Christianity rests. Hence, says the apostle, "If Christ be not risen, then is our faith vain..."

What evidences have we that these events really took place?

A. They were public events.

B. They were seen by a great number of persons.

C. They were written down in a book at the time.

D. Monuments, to commemorate those events, were erected -- *The Lord's Day* and *The Lord's Supper*.

In addition to the great miracle of Christ's resurrection, similar miracles were wrought both by the Apostles and the Saviour Himself. One of the most interesting of these, and one that excited the greatest attention was the resurrection of Lazarus.

Come with me to the home of Lazarus, and let us observe:

I. The Facts Stated

"I am the resurrection and the life."

"I am the author and cause of the resurrection -- It so depends on me that it may be said that I am the resurrection itself." This is a strong mode of expression and is often used. He is said to be made unto us Wisdom, Righteousness, Sanctification and Redemption.

II. The Promise

There is scarcely, in the whole compass of Revelation, a more beautiful and comprehensive promise than this. Notice--

A. *The persons to whom it applies.* "Whosoever believeth."

B. *The nature of the promise.*

1. The dead shall live. It would seem that this has reference to those in a state of physical death. He who believed and is now in the grave, though his body moulders there, shall be restored. Jesus illustrated

this in the case of Lazarus.

2. The living shall never die. To the believer, the curse is removed, and the last hour is an hour of victory -- of glorious triumph!

III. The Appeal

"Believest thou this?"

Let me apply this on a little wider scale than, perhaps, was intended in the text.

A. *To the penitent.* --You are anxious to obtain pardon; you feel you must be pardoned or die. Listen to what is addressed to you in Isa. 1:18; Jer. 31:34; II Cor. 5:19. "Believest thou this?"

B. *To the doubting soul.*

--You are not quite sure that your sins are forgiven. You want to hear the voice of God -- to know that your name is in the Book of Life. You want the witness of the Spirit. This is a privilege given upon believing -- (Acts 15:8; I John 5:19) as our evidence of adoption (Rom. 8:16) and as an evidence of Christ in you (I John 3:24), an evidence of God in you (I John 4:13). "Believest thou this?"

C. *To believers.*

1. It is your duty to strive to be free from sin, to be like Christ and to love God with all your heart. This is promised (Ezek. 36:25; Jer. 33:8; I Thess. 5:23; Col. 2:10). "Believest thou this? What is your answer? "Believest thou this?"

2. God has engaged to provide you with every necessary temporal blessing; Psa. 37:28; Matt. 10:30, etc. "Believest thou this?"

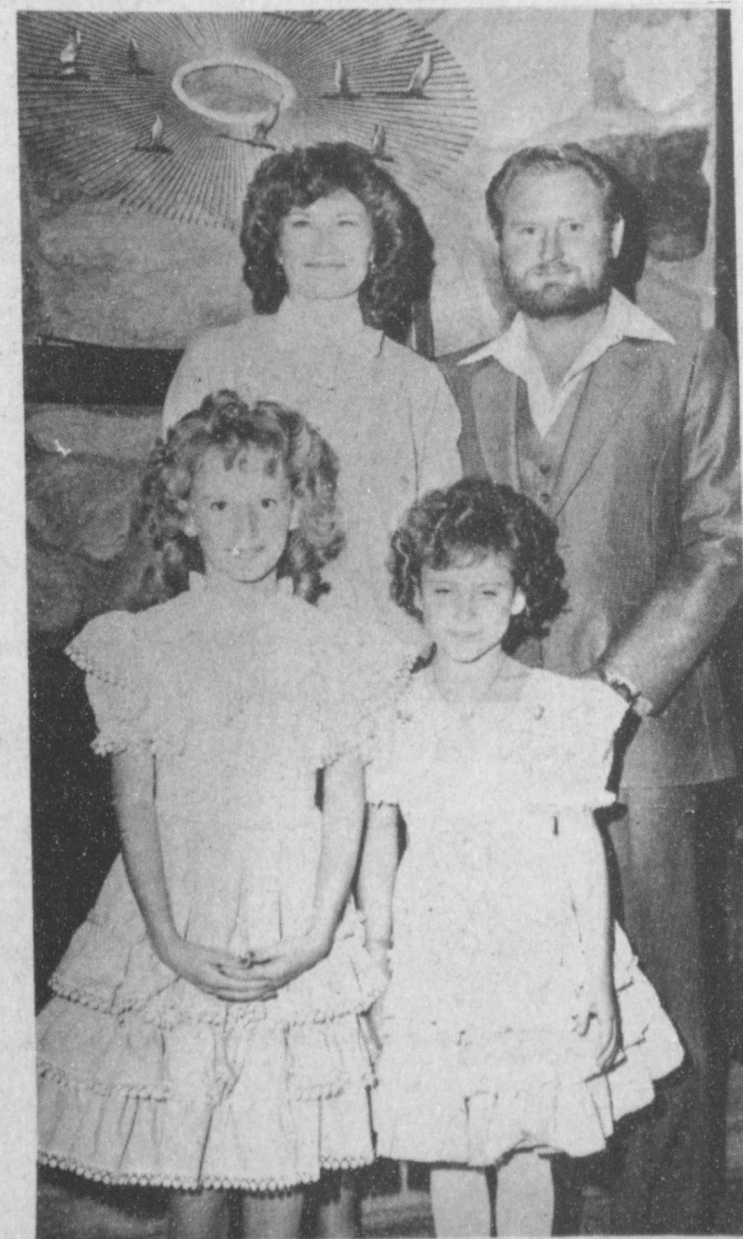
3. There is a glorious heaven provided for you and promised to you.



JOYOUS EASTER--Mr. and Mrs. Willis Wood are on their way to Easter services at the Primitive Baptist Church. The Wood's moved to Muleshoe in 1946. They have five children, Carolyn Wilhoite, Dale Wood, Virginia Gage, Lonnie Wood and Larry Wood, 15 grandchildren and eight great grandchildren. Wood is semi-employed and lists hunting as his hobby. Mrs. Wood enjoys sewing.



A TIME TO REJOYCE--Mr. and Mrs. David Williams and daughters, Michelle, four, and Melissa, two, are on their way to Easter services at the Progress Baptist Church. Williams is engaged in farming and Mrs. Williams is attending South Plains College.



ATTENDING EASTER SERVICES--Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Copley and daughters, Tena and Gail, are all ready for Easter services at the Community Church. Tena is eight years of age and a third grade student at Mary DeShazo Elementary. Six year old Gail, is in the first grade at Dillman Elementary. Copley is self employed with Wayne Copley Trucking.



MRS. BENNY GASS
[nee Cindra Robison]

Evening Ceremony Unites Miss Robison, Gass

Miss Cindra Dee Robison became the bride of Benny Charles Gass Saturday evening, March 12 at the First Baptist Church in O'Donnell. The Rev. Floyd E. Haddock of Seagraves read the double ring vows. Parents of the couple are Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Robison and Mr. and Mrs. Charles Gass. Grandparents of the couple are Mr. and Mrs. Chester Wilson of Breckenridge, Mr. and Mrs. Sylvan Robison of Muleshoe, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Brewer of O'Donnell, and Mr. and Mrs. W.G.

Glass of Tahoka. Vows were exchanged before a 15 point arched fan of white cathedral tapers decorated with greenery, lavender and violet mums with touches of white daisies. Matching 15 point spiraling candelabra decorated in similar design stood to each side of the fan. Mrs. C.A. Doss, pianist and Mrs. Kenneth Pearson, organist, played a prelude of traditional and popular wedding selections and accompanied Kay Mires of Plains as she presented "Truly" and "Bind Us Together."

Given in marriage by her father and mother and escorted to the altar by her father, the bride chose a formal length gown of sheer, white organza over a flowing A-line skirt, cascading softly from the waist. The molded bodice was edged with tiny seed pearls and reembodyered Venice lace and beaded in a scroll of flower design. The empire waistline accented the wateau train.

To complete her ensemble the bride wore a fingertip veil of silk illusion with scalloped edges of embroidered Venice lace. The bride carried a cascading bridal bouquet of white silk roses with highlights of violet and lavender satin streamers tied in love knots.

Shonda Hancock of San Angelo attended her sister's matron of honor. Bridesmaid was Kevia Black, cousin of the bride of Plainview. Amber Hancock and Chera Forbes, niece of the couple, served as flower girls.

Attending the groom as best man was Travis Mires of Plains. The groomsmen were Randy Brewer, uncle of the groom of O'Donnell. Ushers included Todd Gass of San Angelo and Brady Gass of Lubbock, cousins of the groom, Lanny Jackson of San Angelo and Monty Hancock of O'Donnell. Justin Robison, brother of the bride and Corey Gass, brother of the groom, served as junior groomsmen.

Following the ceremony a reception was held in the fellowship hall of the church. The bridal table was centered with a silk arrangement consisting of lavender daisies and lilies, white lilies, carnations and baby's breath and violet azaleas.

The three tiered confection was decorated with lavender, orchid and purple flowers and atop the cake was placed three satin wedding bells inside a heart of silk flowers. Cry-

stal and silver appointments were used in serving guests. Rhonda Forbes, Lynda Read, Kathy Bessire and Milete Clard assisted. The groom's table featured a chocolate cake with marzipan fruit. A hurricane lamp accented with greenery decorated the table. A gold coffee service was used in serving those attending. Mrs. Don Forbes and Mrs. Randy Brewer assisted.

Hobby Club

The Muleshoe Hobby Club met in the community room of Muleshoe State Bank for an all day meeting and luncheon with 17 members and one visitor present.

Crochet articles were taken to work with and patterns which were copied for future use.

Those present were: Vickie Hendricks, Blanche Awbrey, Nan Gatlin, Myrtle Creamer, Jane Williams, Myrtle Wells, Ethel Julian, Myrtle Chambliss, Mabel Caldwell, Mae Provence, Elsie Allen, Fidel Shafer, Edith Fox, Verna Dement, Sammie Ethridge and Angie Bowden.



ENGAGEMENT ANNOUNCED--Mr. and Mrs. Jack Dunham and Mr. and Mrs. Clayton Myers announce the engagement and approaching marriage of their children, Rhonda and Thurman. A June 24 wedding has been scheduled at the First Assembly of God Church.

Creative Woman

By Sheryl Borden

Topics to be presented on "The Creative Woman" show on April 5 and 9 include information on putting in shoulder pads and sleeve heads in blazers, protein complementarity ideas and how to make a homemade jewelry cleaner.

Ann Meyer, Education Representative for Pellon Corp. in New York will discuss and illustrate how essential shoulder pads and sleeve heads are in a well-made blazer or jacket. Mrs. Meyer explains "you see, most of us have a hollow just below the shoulder and shoulder pads fill this out giving a smooth, contoured look to the whole shoulder area. Sleeve heads support and fill out the sleeve cap -- they are a must for a professional look."

Another guest, Beverly Harder, a former home economist with Arrowhead Mills in Hereford, Texas, will talk about protein complementarity ideas. Since amino acids are necessary for muscle and blood formation, protein is especially important in all our diets. But, Mrs. Harder will point out ways to incorporate protein in our meals through meat-less dishes, which are still high

in protein and much less expensive. And to conclude the show, Joy Best, Extension Home Economist in Portales will share an old recipe for a jewelry cleaner that works well. This part of the program is called "Housecleaning on a Shoestring."

On April 7, the show will feature information on interfacing basics and tips on food drying.

Ann Meyer with Pellon Corp. will talk about choosing interfacings, why an interfacing is so important in sewing any garment, and how to apply sewn-in and fusible interfacings. As Mrs. Meyer says "The most important point to remember is when

you choose an interfacing, make sure it is compatible with the weight of your fabric and the styling of your garment."

Connie Moyers, Marketing Representative with Southwestern Public Service Co. in Clovis will conclude the show with tips on food drying. She will discuss types of food that can be successfully dried, explain how to prepare foods for drying and will demonstrate drying some foods in the microwave oven -- which is only one way to dry foods. Other methods will be demonstrated on later shows.

"The Creative Woman" show is produced and hosted by Sheryl Borden. The show is aired at 12:30 p.m. on Tuesdays and Thursdays and at 2:00 p.m. on Saturdays on KENW-TV.

*** Rich gifts wax poor when givers prove unkind.

TOPS Club Chapter 34

TOPS chapter Tx. No. 34 met Thursday, March 24 at 6:30 p.m. in the meeting room of Bailey County Electric.

Clara Lou Jones, president, called the meeting to order. The TOPS pledge was recited and the fellowship song sung. Clara Crain called the roll with 19 members weighing in.

Ann Vinson reported on the boat contest. An auction was held with Jewel Peeler and Lou Knowles as auctioneers. Leavern James celebrated her birthday.

It was reported that the 20 year anniversary celebration will be held April 14 and all past leaders and charter members are welcome to attend this meeting.

Best loser for the week was Lou Knowles. Skeet Bradshaw was first runner up and Zeffa Shafer was second runner up.

The meeting was dismissed with the singing of the goodnight song.

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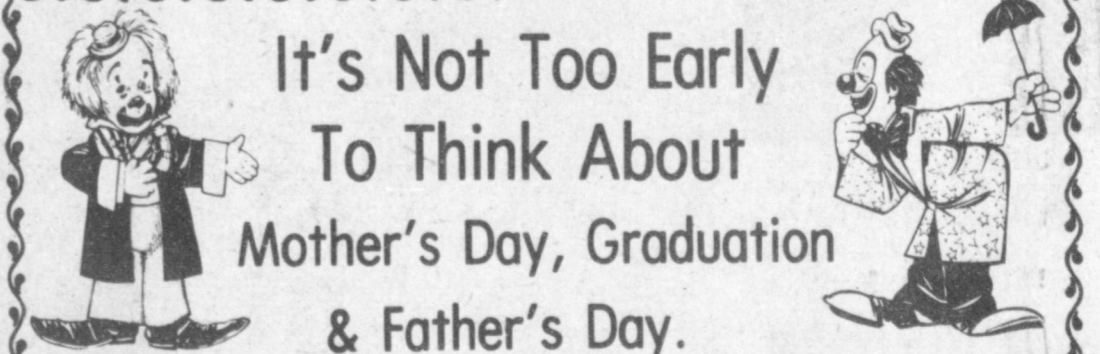
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LATEST ARRIVALS



Terra Dawn Chandler

Mr. and Mrs. Charlie R. Chandler of Bryan, Texas are the proud parents of a daughter born at 4:10 a.m. March 15.

The young lady weighed six pounds and five and a half ounces and has been named Terra Dawn. She is the first child for the couple.

Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Homer Redwine of Port Arthur and Mr. and Mrs. Orbie R. Chandler of Lubbock.

Great Grandparents are Mrs. Opal Pugh of Port Arthur and Mrs. Minnie Redwine and Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Watson all of Muleshoe.

Maria Madalena Vargas

Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Vargas are the proud parents of a daughter, Maria Madalena, born at 12:45 p.m. March 21.

Maria Madalena weighed seven pounds and four ounces. The couple have six other children, Jesse, 12; Orlande, 10; Leo, nine; Gloria, six; Janet, five; and Francis, two years of age.

Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Joe Casillas of Austin and Manuela Vargas of Odessa.

Shanda Kristen Bentley

Mr. and Mrs. Bentley of Texico, N.M. are the proud parents of a daughter born at 11:41 p.m. March 28 in West Plains Medical Center.

The young lady weighed nine pounds and ten ounces and has been named Shanda Kristin. She is the first child for the couple.

Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Everett Prather of Farwell, Dale Bentley and Shirely Jackson.

Great grandparents are

Mrs. J.T. Prather of Bowie and Mrs. Delanie Vincent of Bovina.

Rebekah Lodge Meeting Held Tuesday

Grand Lodge Rebekah Assembly met in Abilene March 18 thru 21. Twenty attended from Muleshoe. Mrs. Dimple Sims, representative, gave a report at the lodge meeting Tuesday evening, March 29.

District five of Rebekahs, composed of Lodges from Dimmitt, Hereford, Friona and Muleshoe is planning to send a delegate to United Nations. The boy or girl selected must be either a sophomore or junior. The one selected this year will be either from Muleshoe or Springlake-Earth.

The Lodge will send Joylene Costen, Noble Grand, to Canyon to the Panhandle West Texas "Distinguished Women" award banquet, to be recognized as an outstanding woman.

Thirty-three were present for Tuesday's meeting.



Muleshoe Singing Group

The Muleshoe Singing Group met Saturday, March 26 at the Trinity Baptist Church with 23 present. Invocation was given by Clara Coffman. Cecil Rundell was in charge of the singing.

"Everyone enjoyed the arrangements of solo's, duets, quartets and congregational singing" says Ms. Coffman.

Everyone who likes singing or plays an instrument is welcome to attend.

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Conscience doesn't keep you from doing anything-it just takes all the enjoyment out of it.
-Golden Gate.

MULESHOE MEET-Muleshoe Twisters boys and girls competed in a Tumbling Meet hosted by Hawkins and Purdy School of Dance and Gymnastics. Front row (L-R) Cassie Cuevas, Kelli Calowell, Jenna Glover, Chris Thrasher, Shane Schuster and Jarah Redwine. Back row (L-R) Leslee Treadwell, Keetha Glover, Emily Harris, Jeanne Cox, Sean Flannery, Josh Slayden, Fara Black, Allison Field and Emily Bomer.

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- Boys 8-14..... \$11⁸⁸
- Students..... \$13⁸⁸

**Letter To
The Editor**

Dear Editor,
I would like to take a moment to express my thanks and appreciation to several groups of people and individuals that help in making a successful track program.

First of all I would like to thank the school board for their support in the approval of a sufficient budget in order to run a quality program. We have been allowed the opportunity to take an overnight trip to the San Angelo Relays each of the past two years. This item alone runs into some expense for a single meet, but this is an enjoyable as well as an educational experience for our boys. I would also like to add that I as a coach have been on many overnight trips with teams before, but the Muleshoe boys are the most polite and respectful group I have ever been associated with. You as parents and a community can be proud of the way your boys represented you during their stay in San Angelo. In my book they are what you call class.

We have also upgraded our uniforms and equipment over the last two years thanks to the support of the board, booster club and our athletic director. I would also like to thank all

of the merchants of Muleshoe who have supported us through our track poster each year. This project has enabled us to let the community get involved and they have been so willing to help.

Some individuals that have helped us include: Carlton Newell of Art-Craft Printing, Lonnie Adrian of Adrian Photography, Johnny St. Clair of St. Clair's, Paul Wilbanks of Western Drug, Shirley Farmer and all the staff at the Muleshoe Journal, KVOP Radio, Gil Lamb and Channel 6 and Steve Thasher at Anthony's.

I would like to thank Wayland Ethridge and Bob Graves for all of their help and support along with the other faculty members and coaching staff. A special thanks goes to Betty Cowan and Sue Mader, also, Tom Jinks and Billy Murphy along with rest of the school maintenance dept.

As a result of all the support and cooperation Muleshoe has been quite successful in all phases of the Track and Field program including both boys and girls over the last three years. This year alone we have the class AAA State Champion cross country team, our 7-8 boys and girls won the Muleshoe Invitational, our girls Varsity team has won two meets already this year, and the boys have won three meets. Coach Brandon and his girls have an opportunity to capture the district championship this year, and the boys will try to repeat as district champions.

In closing I want to share a dream with you that the kids and our coaches have, that I hope will be the good of this community. We have talked about having an all-weather track, and I hope that though the continued support, this can become a reality in the near future. This is something that would affect both boys and girls in the top six grades as well as providing local joggers an excellent facility. Once again a big thanks to everyone for making Track in Muleshoe a success.

Sincerely,
Kevin Wiseman

**West Plains
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March 28-Jessica Vidna, Danny Collins, Romelo Toscano, Rickie Claybrook, Linda Nowell, Juanita Busby, Socorro Favor, Rena Huff, Ruby Goo and Margie Stringer.

March 29-Amy Jesko, Mary Ann Hall, Antonio DeLeon and Debra Bentley
March 30-Susie Medley and Bertha Arce

March 31-Lou Ann Pike and Winnie Berry

DISMISSED
March 28-Christina Pena, Sam Blackwell, Ernest Martin, Nancy Kidd and Grace Kemp

March 29-Martin Chandler, Charles Brommit, Raymond Roubinek, Jewel McCormick, Maneula Rejino and Anita Guest

March 30-Diane Gonzales, Renay Huff and Rickie Claybrook.

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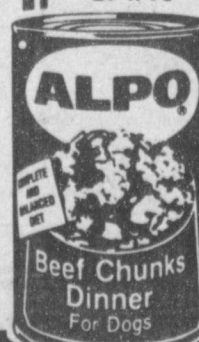
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David W. Hamblin and wife, Wanda L. Hamblin to J.B. Fowler and wife, Patricia A. Fowler -- A 160 acre tract of Land out of the Northwest part of Section (41), Block Z, WD&FW Johnson Subdivision, Bailey County, Texas. S.D. Clements and wife, Ruth Clements to Leroy Sandefer--All of Lot (7),

Block (3), Wagnon Addition to Muleshoe, Bailey County, Texas.
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Water Conservation Program Outlined

Agriculture Commissioner Jim Hightower and state Sen. John Montford (D-Lubbock) Thursday presented details of a water conservation proposal that potentially "could save almost 200 times as much water as Texans presently drink."

The proposed constitutional amendment, co-sponsored by Senators Montford and Bill Sarpalius (D-Hereford), would create a state Agricultural Water Conservation Loan Fund to make low-interest money available to Texas farmers to convert to more water-efficient crop irrigation systems. The proposal is a component of a comprehensive "state water plan," a package of legislation unveiled Monday by Lt. Gov. Bill Hobby, Hightower and the senate sponsors of the bills.

"More than 70 percent of all the fresh water used in Texas is used for agricultural purposes," Hightower explained at a Thursday news conference in the Senate Chamber, "so it goes without saying that agricultural water use must be a major component of any statewide plan addressing Texas' future water needs. We're all in this together, so it's critical that we come up with a plan that urban Texans and rural Texans, West Texans and East Texans can agree on."

"I'm supporting the whole package," Hightower said, "but I'm especially pleased with the approach of this proposal sponsored by Senators Montford and Sarpalius. It will be financed by the sale of bonds, and the loans made to farmers from the fund would be repaid to the state, so the cost to the taxpayers will be precisely zero. Our farmers will save money on their production costs. And the water they save through more efficient irrigation techniques will then be available to cover the needs of industrial development and population growth. Everybody wins."

"The focus of the entire water plan is essentially on conservation," Hightower noted, "but in no other area of water use is the potential for conservation savings as great as in the agricultural sector."




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While not too much actual bid information was available on Friday, ASCS offices in Bailey County and in surrounding counties hoped to be ready to answer producer's questions on this new program Monday.

The following few paragraphs contain some rules and regulations regarding the invitation to sell program:

Offers will not be accepted for a quantity for which the first part of the

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WIFE

The Muleshoe and Area W.I.F.E. (Women Involved In Farm Economics) have developed an on-going project for WIFE which is designed to help raise funds for travel expenses for state officers.

The WIFE project is now offering an associate membership to interested area women and to businessmen. Plans include keeping the majority of the associate membership fees in the State of Texas for the travel and various other projects, as called for.

Associate Memberships for WIFE are priced on a yearly basis and will be \$50 for a small business; \$100 for a large business; \$300 for a corporate business; \$850 for Life Membership and \$500 for Farmer's Life Membership. Those desiring to sign up will receive "WIFE-Line" (a WIFE publication) and the state newsletter. New members will also receive a placard showing the type of membership that they have purchased.

For further information contact any member of the Muleshoe Area WIFE organization.

NOTES... COMMENTS

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to the farmer.

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CCC, in its discretion, reserves the right to accept or reject any offer.

All offerors will be notified by CCC in writing of the acceptance or rejection of their offer.

A list of successful offerors in a county will be available at the county ASCS office.

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nie Dee Stewart, Sherri Suzanne Pierce, Tommie Bovell Bratcher.

Dale Newsom, Nelda Branden Mullins, John Lee Dunbar, Louise King, Luis Pacheco, Pina Hurtado Lopez, Jim Kenneth Haynes, Adele Sterling Tompkins, Alfred N. Flores, Dianne Brown Nieman, Norman Bays, David Paul Poyner, Sharon Middlebrooks Grant, Carroll Lynn Rhodes, R.A. Gross, Haney Caldwell Poyner, Rocky Joe Gore, Ruby Peacock, Kimberly Kay Williams, Nick Manzanares, Ronald Byron Green, Marvin George Davenport, Royce Earl Harris, Alta Locker Bruns, Janice Rae Self, Sheri Brockmeier Hawkins.

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Mary Johnson Mardis, Mildred Arnold Lambert, Linda McCormick Wilhite, Johnny Lee Barnes, Nona Clem Griffin Mrs., Mack Anthony Norman, William Orozco, Lonnie Dewey Adrian, Billy Jo Barker, Linda Dell Davis, Glen Dalton Harris, Darlene Black Henry, Ellen Darice Kinde, Willie Martin James.

Mildred Mallett James, Edna Bryant Haynes, Doris Crouch Scott, Gloria Hilda Garcia, David Alton Parker,

City Council Will Canvass

Votes Tuesday

Members of the Muleshoe City Council will meet in a special meeting on Tuesday, April 5 beginning at 8:30 a.m. in order to canvass election results and consider a resolution declaring the results of the City Council election held on April 2.

Also to be canvassed will be the election results and the consideration of a resolution declaring the results of the bingo election to legalize bingo games as authorized under the Bingo

Sign-ups...

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"I can't remind producers too much to keep these dates in mind and to be sure that they meet them," Williamson said.

enabling act.

In other council business, consideration of bids on the general purpose tractor being considered for purchase by the City.

A resolution authorizing the addition of new street lights to the City lighting system will also be considered at the Tuesday meeting.

Festival...

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to help stage the large all-day show on Saturday, August 13.

All proceeds from the Mule Day Festival will be presented to Girlstown, U.S.A. at Whiteface. See the related story about Girlstown in this issue of The Journal.

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1928 and married Joan Margaret Westcott in July, 1953. They moved to Muleshoe in April of 1967. He was a veteran of World War II, serving in the U.S. Army.

Survivors include his wife Joan, two sons Kent of Lubbock and Keith of Wichita Falls and one daughter Mrs. Jolene Clement of Perryton, four sisters: Mrs. Wayne Slimmer of Plainville, Kansas, Mrs. Ellen McCarty of Dallas, Mrs. Lester Hawkins of Garland and Mrs. Fred Thompson of Seward, Nebraska. Also three brothers, Gary of Richland, New York, Bernard of Hays, Kansas and Dale of Plainville, Kansas, and two grandchildren.

The family has requested that memorials be made to the Don Rempe Cancer Fund Memorial at either Muleshoe bank. A rosary was held at 6:30 p.m. on Friday.

The best years can always be ahead.

Golfers Play

Three Tournaments This Week

The Muleshoe High School girls golf team competed this past week in three golf tournaments, with one being held in Muleshoe, dubbed the Muleshoe Invitational on Monday. The girls finished second in a nine team

Track...

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and Kirvin placed third with 19'9". Hector Garcia placed third in the shot put with 43'2 1/2" and Hector Flores placed fifth with 40'8 1/4".

field, with Denise Wilson winning the Low Medalist with a score of 80. Tulia placed first overall in the tournament.

On Tuesday, the team traveled to Sundown and finished up the session there with second place in that six team tournament. Denise was again the low medalist in the Sundown tournament with a score of 87. Sundown finished first in the tournament.

The second of three rounds of district play was played at Abernathy on Wednesday, March 23. The

Spring...

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served and it promises to be an evening of fun for the entire family. Make plans to be there!

Muleshoe team moved from a third place position into second place in the Abernathy tournament with a team score of 388. Denise Wilson was the low medalist with a two-round total of 162. Polly Harrison played well in the second round and shot an 88, according to her coaches.

The Muleshoe Girls Golf team is made up of Denise Wilson, Polly Harrison, Melissa Wilbanks, Debbie Hicks and Kristi Speis.

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Farmers Will Idle Less Productive Acres In PIK

Surveys show that farmers who participate in the government's Payment in Kind (PIK) program this season will be inclined to idle their less productive acres.

When making that decision, Dr. Allen Wiese, Extension weed control specialist at Texas A&M University, says farmers can "improve their long-term profitability by diverting

those acres most severely infested with problem perennial weeds.

"There are a number of weeds that offer growers the opportunity for significant population reduction while the land is idle," says Dr. Wiese. "These include johnsongrass, shattercane, field bindweed, barnyard grass and several more."

Under PIK rules, grow-

ers must control weeds on idled acres. The rules state: A farm operator shall, in a timely manner, use needed control measures for erosion, insects, weeds and rodents on the conservation use acreage." Failure to do so can result in a reduction or complete loss of program benefits. What are the control options? There are really only two: mechanical or chemical.

Mechanical weed control could include clipping or tillage. Clipping does not kill weeds but can prevent them from setting seed and increasing future weed control problems. In the case of perennial weeds,

clipping will not control growth of underground rootstock.

Tillage poses a number of problems. First, it's expensive in terms of equipment, fuel and labor. Second, it often compounds the problem by spreading the perennial's reproductive root systems and by turning up annual weed seeds so they can germinate. Third, it enhances the opportunity for wind and water erosion, which must be controlled to comply with PIK regulations. A cover crop, which is required to protect the soil from erosion unless a farmer requests and receives ASCS permission to leave the ground as stubble from the previous crop, will not usually provide adequate suppression of weed growth. Tillage as a means of weed control would only serve to destroy the soil conservation benefits of the cover crop or stubble.

It should be a farmer's goal to keep expenses to a minimum on PIK idled acres, according to the university weed control specialist. Complying with the

erosion and weed control requirements of the program will incur some costs, so examine each expense carefully. While there's no return on tillage costs, an investment in chemical weed control can pay dividends for several years to come.

By diverting acres with severe weed problems and making a small investment in a sound herbicide program, growers can bring the weeds under control so the land can be returned to maximum production in fu-

ture years. And since the land is idle, farmers have maximum flexibility in both herbicide choice and application timing.

While the treatment season is still months away, a grower needs to plan now to set aside those fields, or portions of fields, with severe weed problems, advises Dr. Wiese.

"Then a good herbicide program can accomplish significant reduction of the problem. For johnsongrass you'll probably want to use Roundup.

"Field bindweed, redvine, trumpet creeper, pepperweed, milkvine and silverleaf nightshade can best be controlled with either Banvel or Banvel plus 2,4-D," advises Dr. Wiese.

Dr. Wiese says that treating while the land is idle offers growers an excellent opportunity to reduce the population of many problem weeds, with the payoff coming in future crop yields.

It's easier to sit back and criticize the do-gooders than to do some good.

Kind, sincere words will take the average man or woman a long way along the journey of life.

The unsatisfied, or envious member of a community, is always ready to tear down those who have something he or she wants--and doesn't have.

Local Man Will Join Fertilizer Institute

Larry D. Meyers will join the staff of The Fertilizer Institute as vice president, legislative affairs, effective April 1, according to Institute president, Gary D. Myers.

"Larry's proven effectiveness in agricultural public affairs will further strengthen our Institute's role in working with the Congress, its staffs and the governmental agencies," Myers said.

Meyers most recently served as a founding partner in the Washington-based consulting firm of Hackler, Meyers, Dutko and Associates, and from 1978 to 1981 was director of the U.S. Department of Agriculture's office of congressional affairs. In this position, he was responsible for all contact between the Congress and USDA, as well as legislative liaison with the White House.

Hale Weed Conference Set

A Weed Conference on Hard to Kill Weeds will be held April 4, 1983 announced Flip Calhoun, Chairman of the Hale County Soil and Water Conservation District. This meeting will be held at the Hale County Agricultural Center on Business 87, South of Plainview at 9:30 a.m.

The main objective of this conference is to inform local producers on what is available to them in their efforts to control problem weeds. "Our program will consist of two parts," Calhoun said, "the first part will consist of presentation by Dr. John Abernathy, Dr. James Supak and Dr. Paul Unger, and the other part will be a series of presentations by a number of chemical and equipment dealers." The Hale County Soil and Water Conservation District at (806) 296-2149.

Texas, Meyers received his bachelor's degree in business/marketing in 1971 from Texas Tech University in Lubbock. He began his career in U.S. government affairs in 1972, serving as legislative aide to Sen. Lloyd Bentsen (D-Texas).

In 1977, he joined USDA as its legislative liaison with the U.S. Senate prior to heading the department's congressional affairs office in 1978.

During the past two years, Meyers and his consulting firm have been involved in a variety of client services, including lobbying, issues research, project casework, congressional and agency monitoring, and legislative planning.

He and his wife, Kris, reside in Arlington, Va., a Washington suburb.

The Fertilizer Institute represents, by voluntary membership, more than 90 percent of the nation's fertilizer industry. Producers, manufacturers, retailers, trading firms, and equipment manufacturers who comprise its membership are served by a full-time Washington, D.C. staff in various legislative, educational and technical areas, as well as with information and public relations programs. The association and its predecessor organizations this year mark 100 years of service to this agricultural industry.

Circus Here Monday

The Boy Scout's Grounds on the South end of Main Street in Muleshoe will provide the setting on Monday morning for the raising of the big top of the Fort Brothers Circus. Unleashing will take place between 7 and 8 a.m. and the kids who are early-risers will get an opportunity to see the big tent pulled into place between 9 and 10 a.m.

The event is being sponsored by the Muleshoe Chamber of Commerce and Agriculture and will have two performances on that day. One performance is at 6 p.m. and the other begins at 8 p.m. Since, with the Easter Holidays at hand, so many businesses will have changed hours, tickets may be purchased in advance from Chamber directors, from the Chamber office and at the Muleshoe State Bank. The Sonic Drive In will also have tickets for sale. Everyone is urged to buy their tickets ahead of time, since the Chamber only benefits from tickets sold prior to circus day.

Ford Brothers have been active since 1971 and plays more than 225 cities and towns in twenty states.

White Declares Texas Job Safety, Health Week

In a recent capital ceremony Texas Governor Mark White declared the week of April 24-30, 1983, as Texas Job Safety and Health Week. The special week of emphasis on job safety and health coincides with the annual meeting of the 1400-member Texas Safety Association.

The Texas Job Safety and Health Week gives special emphasis to the problems and opportunities of on-the-job safety. Each year hundreds of Texas workers are killed on the job and hundreds of thousands of workers apply for Workers' Compensation insurance benefits for the injuries they suffered on the job.

Members of the Texas Safety Association work to provide safer, healthier workplaces for all Texans through comprehensive safety training and education. These efforts result in fewer deaths and disabling injuries on the job, increased job productivity and lower operating and production costs.

Moisture Good In County Now

A recent check with the new Bailey County assistant agent Kirby Rankin revealed to us, just what is going on now that PIK is over with. Good snows and underground moisture have put Bailey County farmers in pretty good shape according to Rankin. However, the drying winds don't help much.

Rankin stated that the wheat crop in the county is growing extremely well, with producers grazing lots of acreage. Cattle are growing well as a result of the good feed Rankin noted, and no bugs or insects to speak of have been noted.

The extension agent said that some farmers have just recently began to pre-water, but did not start until after the PIK program finally was settled up. He felt this in part was due to the fact that some, especially those who had made whole base bids, did not know just how much land they would be farming. Rankin stated that it appeared that Bailey County producers had cut back some on their pre-watering programs.

Vegetables, other than hardy ones, have not yet been planted, although the agent has spotted some potato ground being readied for planting.

All in all, Rankin says that Bailey County is in excellent shape for moisture, but unless the wind lays, the moisture will dry out rapidly. "A good two or three inch rain would put us in really good shape for planting."

Late Minute Taxpayers Wait To File Forms

"About one-third of all taxpayers wait until April to file their federal tax return," observed Diana Marmolejo, Volunteer Income Tax Assistance (VITA) Coordinator for Lubbock. "That's why our VITA sites are gearing up to assist those who need free return preparation. With the average refund at \$650, we know there are lots of taxpayers anxious to file an accurate return tak-

ing advantage of all the tax breaks which may apply including the child care credit, marriage deduction and Earned Income Credit."

Diana noted that last-minute filers, in their haste to make the April 15th deadline, sometimes make errors which will delay any refunds due.

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Sudan News

By Evelyn Ritchie

Lisa Wood, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Dan Wood and a member of the Sudan Hornette basketball team has received another honor, that of TABC All-State first team. She will be playing in the North-South Texas Coaches All Star Game in July in Lubbock. Lisa has been named All South Plains, All District, All South Plains Player of the Year, District Most Valuable Player, All-State Tournament and TABC All-State first team.

Tanya Bell, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Ray, was recently installed into the Kappa Delta Pi National Education Honor Society in the Theta Epsilon Chapter at Abilene Christian University on March 10 in the University Library Auditorium. Tanya has maintained a 3.0 average during her studies as Junior Education major.

Mr. and Mrs. Glen Cardwell were in New Home recently to take their two granddaughters, Krista and Danielle back to their home following a visit here with them and their aunt, Glenda.

John Burnett has been transferred to the Veteran's Hospital in Amarillo where he has been seriously ill for several days.

Mr. and Mrs. Dexter Baker were in Hereford Sunday to attend a family gathering honoring an uncle who was 92 years old.

Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Knox, of Abilene, visited Sunday with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. R.B. Knox and other family members.

Among those visiting in the home of Mrs. Dell Aycock during the weekend were her daughter, Tommy and Roy Keeters of Ruidoso, N.M. and her nieces and nephews, Dolly Porter and Tonnette of Clovis, N.M., Pete and Tommy Fulcher of Lariat, Reba Matthews and Fonda Astlander of Lubbock. They were also here to attend funeral services for their aunt, Pauline Fulcher.

Mr. and Mrs. Dan Wood and Lisa were in Amarillo during the weekend to watch some of the All-Star basketball games.

Jack Fisher has been a medical patient in the Amherst Hospital this week.

Yvonne Pierce underwent surgery at St. Mary's Hospital in Lubbock on Wednesday.

Bob Terry of Red River, N.M. visited recently with his mother, Mrs. Gladys Terry who has returned from the Amherst Hospital. She was in Arkansas where she was hospitalized for several days and then returned home and was readmitted to the Amherst Hospital. She is recuperating at home now.

Louzelle Serratt has returned home from Hico where she visited her son, Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Serratt and family. While there, Mr. and Mrs. Gaylon Beavers and Angie of Waco, formerly of Sudan, visited with her. They send their congratulations to the Sudan Hornets for winning State and a hello to all their friends. Also joining them for a visit was Louzell's brother, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Brown of Brownwood.

Mr. and Mrs. F.M. Smith have returned home from vacationing in Florida.

Hazel Gaston has returned from Ballinger where she visited relatives.

Elsie Cate has returned home from visiting family members in Corsicana.

Mrs. Polly Hargrove has recently purchased the Clara Kent home at 400 Furneaux.

Mrs. M.S. Lane, mother of Frank Lane has been a patient in the Methodist Hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Hal Cardwell returned Monday to their home in Greenville following a visit here last week with their son, Mr. and Mrs. Glen Cardwell and family.

The First Baptist Church will be holding a Sunrise Service at the church on Easter Sunday, April 3. That evening at 7:00 p.m. the film "Greater Than Gold" will be shown.

The Baptist revival meeting has been set for April 17-22 and a Stadium Crusade has been set for July 24-28 this summer.

Mrs. J.K. Milam and Mrs. Jay Harper visited recently in Canyon with their sister-in-law, Mrs. Margaret Harper.

Mr. and Mrs. Claud Kropp visited in Hereford during the weekend with their children, Mr. and Mrs. John Kropp and family and Mr. and Mrs. Charles Minchew and family.

Faye Dorsey has been a patient in the Amherst Hospital this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Lyle of Houston has been visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Calvin Vernon and Shanda and grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Russell Ingle.

Becky Byerley student at Tech has been home during spring break with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Elray Rasco.

Mr. and Mrs. Morris Phillips of Muleshoe visited Sunday with their daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Cox, Jamie who is home for spring break from WTSU and Danene. They all had dinner at Chick-n-Sea Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Billy Hanna visited recently in Petersburg with their son, Mr. and Mrs. Larry Hanna and children.

Mr. and Mrs. Halbert Harvey visited recently with their daughter, Cheryl in Fort Worth and in San Angelo with their son, Ryan Dale.

Ruby Fulcher has returned home from the Muleshoe hospital where she had been a patient for several days.

Mr. and Mrs. Larry Durham and family of Lubbock and Mr. and Mrs. Ronnie Hill and boys of Hobbs, N.M. visited during the weekend with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Connie Hill and Sandra.

Mr. and Mrs. James Withrow and Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Seart visited in Amarillo recently with the Don Ham family. Ruth Ham underwent by-pass surgery at the St. Anthony's Hospital where she remains a patient and is reportedly doing well at this time.

Mrs. Muriel Crouch, Elsie Seymore and Mr. and Mrs. Van Seymore and children were in Post Sun-

day to pick up Elsie's grandson, Jeffrey McAndrews of Abilene. While there they also visited Mrs. Inez Grantham, a former Sudan resident.

Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Doty were in Lubbock Saturday to visit her sister, Mr. and Mrs. Claude Patton. Patton recently underwent heart surgery and it was reported that he is doing well.

Mrs. Dorothy Drake has been in Florida the past several days to be with her sister who was ill. Following the death of her sister, she remained there for services and a longer visit.

Mrs. Byron Lynn has returned home from visiting in Fort Worth with her daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Bobby Alfred and Paula Jones and son.

Herb Potter remains a patient in the Amherst Hospital.

Raegan May, Tech student was home during the spring break with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ray May.

Wendy Knox, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Knox of Abilene spent some of the weekend with her aunt, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Kuykendall and attended the birthday party for her cousin, Missy, on Saturday.

Missy Kuykendall was honored Saturday on her seventh birthday with a skating party held at the Skate Ranch in Lubbock.

Refreshments of cupcakes, ice cream and cokes were served to each guest. Others attending were her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Kuykendall and her brother, Len, a cousin, Wendy Knox of Abilene, and Jan Smith, Charlie and Joe, Brooke Baker, Heather Harrison, Heather Houghton, Chad King, Bennie Baker, David Damron, Jacob Fisher and Kelli Baker.

Hoyt Robertson resigned as Mayor of Sudan for personal reasons on February 28, 1983 to be effective April 1, 1983.

Charles Scott Churchman, son of Mr. and Mrs. Scott Churchman of Muleshoe was honored Sunday with a party on his third birthday. Following a dinner served at his home for his grandmother, Patty Bausman and his uncle David Bausman of Amarillo, his other grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Gilbert Churchman joined them for a birthday party. Birthday cake and goodies were served.

Mrs. E.C. Minyard spent the weekend in Dallas with Mr. and Mrs. Ron Milliken and Mr. and Mrs. R.D. Ormand.



THREE AND FOUR YEAR OLDS--At the recent Tumbling Meet held here three and four year olds competing included (from left) Vikas Mittal, Jason Rasco, Mark McGuire, Taylor Robinson, Jason Barron, Aaron Purdy and James Cox. Not pictured, Cory Williams.

President Urged To Reconsider Costly Cotton Decision

U.S. Rep. Kent Hance, D-Texas, today urged the Reagan Administration to reconsider a decision that could rob cotton farmers to the tune of 600,000 bales of a needed foreign market.

In a letter to President Reagan, the Texas Democrat asked the President to reconsider a decision reached by a sub-cabinet level group to deny South Korea \$20 million of "blended credit." The Department of Agriculture has a \$1.5 billion fund to use to

Comptroller Warns Of Deficit Finance Dangers

State Comptroller Bob Bullock Tuesday said the State of Illinois' loss last week of its coveted Triple-A bond rating "should be a clear warning to Texans of the dangers of deficit financing."

Last Thursday Standard and Poor's Corporation lowered its rating of Illinois bonds in what Governor James Thompson called "a warning for us to get our fiscal house in order."

"I've called deficit state financing the fast lane to nowhere," Bullock said. "I'm reporting the Illinois situation because it's the kind of danger that is right around the corner for Texas unless we stay on the pay-as-you-go plan."

"The State of Illinois has a \$300 million deficit and might have to take out short term loans to cover it," Bullock pointed out. "In Texas, our Governor is saying the only way he can balance his budget is with \$700 million worth of bonds and \$800 million worth of

encourage foreign countries to buy U.S. agriculture commodities. The interest-free direct government credit is "blended" with commercial bank credit offered under the Commodity Credit Corporation export credit guarantee program to achieve overall lower interest rates.

Hance said he did not understand how the U.S. could deny such credit to South Korea, a country that has an excellent credit history with the U.S., and

especially since such blended credit entails no additional government expenditures. "The decision to exclude South Korea from using 'blended credit' will perpetuate the loss of foreign markets accessible to U.S. agricultural commodities," Hance wrote. "I'm sure you would agree that maintaining trade relations with dependable partners is just as important as developing new trade partners. It is much easier and less costly to maintain an established market than to regain a lost market."

Hance also noted that the U.S. share of the South Korean cotton market has fallen from 95% in July 1982 to 79.8% in February 1983. "And if the trend continues, Mr. President, the annual loss for cotton farmers in Texas and across the nation could total 600,000 bales by the end of the 1985 marketing year."

The Texas Democrat also expressed concern that the Administration's decision would "cause an even greater decline in our share of South Korea's cotton market and have an adverse impact on the United States cotton industry. I would appreciate your consideration of my concern in this matter and I look forward to hearing from you

"Trying to balance our state budget on these bonds is a fiscal shell game," Bullock said.

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The Gerald Myers Summer Basketball Camp will be instructed this year by Tech basketball coach Myers and his staff, as well as several outstanding high school and college coaches.

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Workouts will be held in the LCC Fieldhouse with meals provided at the college cafeteria. Resident campers are housed in air conditioned dorms. Boys who attend will be taught the fundamentals of shooting, dribbling, passing and individual moves plus the strategy of the game. More advanced drills and techniques will be taught older players. Individual attention will be stressed for all boys.

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High Plains Aquifer Water OK For Irrigation, Drinking

High Plains aquifer water from about 80 percent of the eight-state area underlain by the aquifer has salinity low enough to permit general use of the water, barring other problems, to irrigate most crops, according to a report published by the U.S. Geological Survey.

Water from this 80 percent of the aquifer area also meets U.S. Environmental Protection Agency drinking-water standards for dissolved-solids concentrations. Amounts of dissolved solids in water are also used to measure salinity levels.

Water from most of the remainder of the aquifer, although higher in salinity as measured by dissolved solids, can be used for irrigation of most crops if soils are permeable enough and if farmers take special precautions to prevent salt buildup in soils, says the report, which is accompanied by a map.

There are isolated areas in the High Plains aquifer, however, where salinity is too high, because of either natural or man-caused conditions, to permit successful use of the water for irrigation.

Generally, salinity levels increase from north to south in the 174,000 square miles underlain by the aquifer in parts of South Dakota, Nebraska, Wyoming, Kansas, Colorado, Oklahoma, Texas and New Mexico. The High Plains aquifer, which consists of the Ogallala Formation and associated rocks, is the principal source of water over most of its area for municipal and domestic use as well as for irrigation.

Ground-water levels in most parts of the aquifer have been falling since World War II, mainly because of extensive irrigation. Local and area economies in many parts of the region are heavily dependent on irrigated agriculture, which includes about 170,000 wells irrigating about 25,000 square miles (16 million acres).

The dissolved solids map and text and a companion map and text on sodium concentrations in the High Plains aquifer are part of a five-year U.S. Geological Survey study of the aquifer begun in 1977. The study should provide a better understanding of the aquifer so that its water resources can be more wisely used and conserved. Computer models will be developed to predict aquifer response to possible future changes in ground-water level and use.

Noel C. Krothe, a USGS hydrologist in Denver, Colo., and principal author of the report, said most crops can tolerate water containing as much as 500 milligrams per liter (mg/L) of dissolved solids without adverse effect. Solids include calcium, sodium, sulfate, chloride and other minerals that, in the main, are dissolved from surrounding rocks.

Dissolved solids concentrations of 500 to 1,500 mg/L in irrigation water are not likely to be harmful if leaching or drainage is adequate, Krothe added. He explained that if soil is permeable enough or drainage is adequate, salts left behind in soil from earlier irrigation water will be leached or dissolved out to drainageways or down to lower soil levels by new applications of irrigation water. He added, however, that farmers may have to take steps to ensure proper drainage and may have to apply more irrigation water than needed by crops in order to provide enough water for this flushing effect and to prevent salt buildup in soils.

Areas with water containing more than 1,000 mg/L dissolved solids include parts of Howard, Glasscock, Midland, Martin, Andrews, Gaines, Dawson, Lynn, Terry, Yoakum, Lubbock, Hockley and Lamb counties in Texas; Beaver County in Oklahoma; Kearny, Finney and Gray counties in Kansas; Kiowa County in Colorado; Wayne, Stanton, Lincoln and Keith counties in Nebraska; and Goshen County in Wyoming.

The maximum concentration of dissolved solids found during the study was 20,200 mg/L in Gaines County, Texas, caused by contamination from disposal of oil-field brines in surface pits. Most concentrations of dissolved solids are caused by natural conditions, however, such as when water dissolves materials from surrounding rocks or when saline water from lower depths leaks into the aquifer.

The dissolved solids text includes a table showing chemical analyses of water samples from 15 sites in the High Plains aquifer. The table shows that

um, in milligrams per liter. This, however, is not a direct indication of suitability of water for irrigation purposes or for drinking.

An accompanying table shows, among other things, specific-conductance values for water samples from 28 sites in the High Plains aquifer region. Specific conductance reflects the electrical conductivity of water, which increases with higher concentrations of dissolved solids and therefore is an indirect measure

of dissolved solids and salinity. The table also shows that water samples from eight counties, based on specific-conductance tests, can be used for irrigation, but good crop growth can be obtained only with "good land management and favorable drainage conditions." These eight counties are Niobrara in Wyoming; Kearny, Finney, Clark and Reno in Kansas; Beaver in Oklahoma; Ochiltree in Texas; and Lea in New Mexico.

Other authors of the report are John B. Weeks, a USGS hydrologist in Denver and director of the overall High Plains aquifer study; and Joseph W. Oliver, a former USGS hydrologist in Denver.

The latest report was published as USGS Hydrological Investigations Atlas HA-658, titled "Dissolved Solids and Sodium in Water from the High Plains Aquifer in parts of Colo-

rado, Kansas, Nebraska, New Mexico, Oklahoma, South Dakota, Texas and Wyoming."

Copies of the atlas can be purchased for \$6 each from the Western Distribution Branch, U.S. Geological Survey, Box 25286, Federal Center, Denver, Colo. 80225. Orders must

include the identification number HA-658 and checks or money orders payable to the U.S. Geological Survey. Copies can be purchased over the counter at USGS Public Inquiries Offices in Denver, Colo. (169 Federal Bldg., 1961 Stout St.) and Dallas, Texas (1C45 Federal Bldg., 100 Commerce St.).

EPA drinking-water standards for dissolved-solids concentrations were exceeded for water samples from Niobrara County, Wyo. (678 mg/L); Kiowa County, Colo. (2,140 mg/L); Barton County, Kan. (694 mg/L); Meade County, Kan. (900 mg/L); Gaines County, Texas (507 mg/L); and a second place in Gaines County, Texas (3,970 mg/L).

The table also shows that EPA drinking-water standards were exceeded for sulfate, chloride and fluoride concentrations in water samples from Gaines County, Texas; and for sulfate and fluoride concentrations in water samples from Kiowa County, Colo.

EPA drinking-water standards for nitrate also were exceeded in water samples from Barton and Stanton counties in Kansas and from Union County, N.M. Also, EPA drinking-water standards for chloride were exceeded in water samples taken from Meade County, Kan.

The sodium concentration map and text shows areas of the High Plains aquifer that have water with various concentrations of sod-

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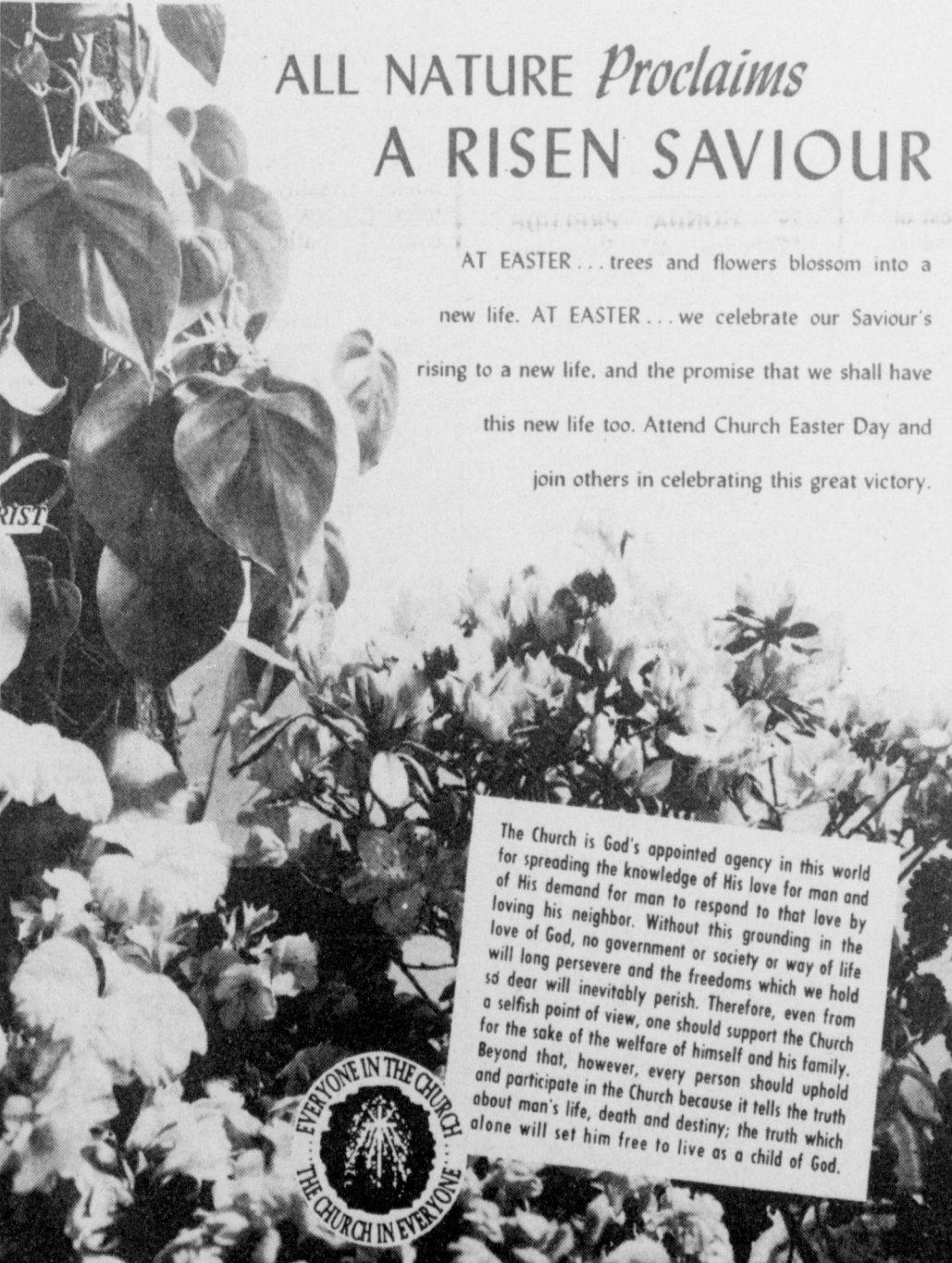
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18. LEGAL NOTICES

PUBLIC NOTICE
Bailey County Electric Cooperative Association, Drawer N, Muleshoe, Texas 79347 (Phone A/C 806-272-4504) is in the process of constructing 7 1/2 (seven and one-half) miles of 69 kv transmission line. This line is located between our existing Dodd Substation and our Lazbuddie Substation for 3 miles on the west side of a county road, then west along the south side of State road 145, 4 1/2 miles to our Lazbuddie Substation. The purpose of this construction will be to upgrade the Cooperative's system and provide a better quality and reliability of member's service in the immediate area. It is part of a continuing system improvement plan of completing another portion of a "looped transmission feed" of substations north of Muleshoe. The new line will be single-pole structure with two (2) crossarms and

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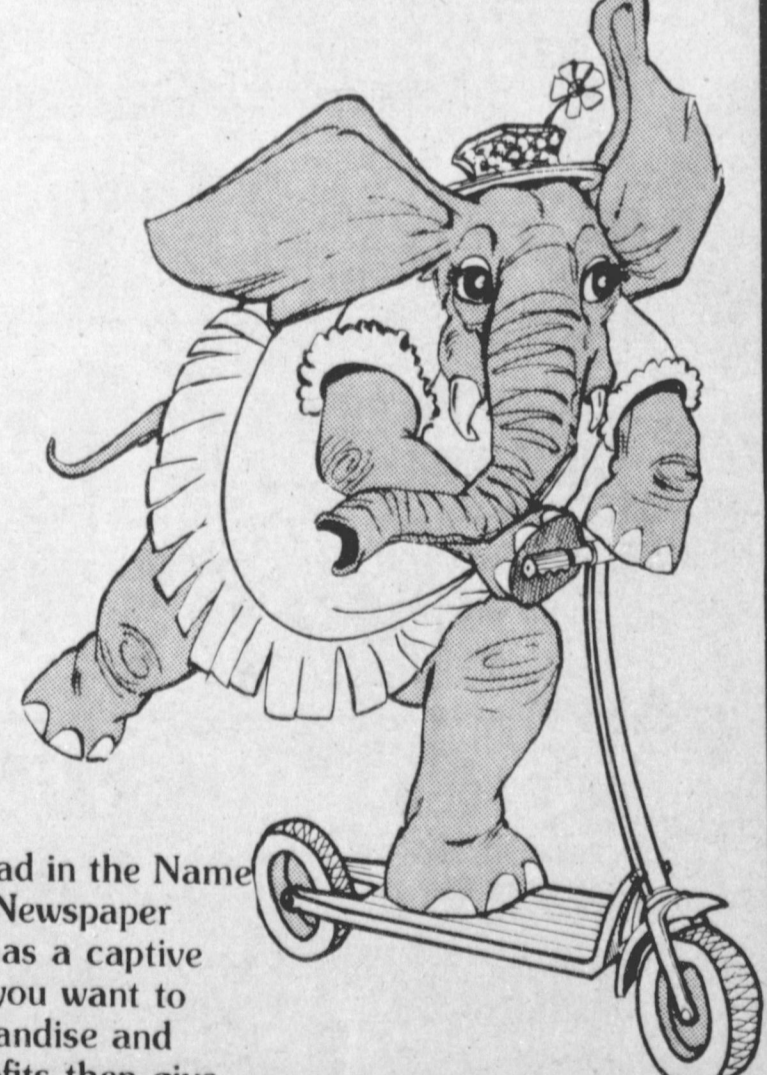
three (3) energized conductors, and one (1) grounded neutral wire. All construction will conform to standard R.E.A. specifications. It will be identical to the lines that the Cooperative has constructed, maintained and operated in the area for forty (40) years. No adverse effect on the quality of the environment is anticipated to result from this proposed construction. This construction is under the jurisdiction of the Public Utility Commission of Texas. An Application for a Certificate of Convenience and Necessity for this transmission line has been submitted to the Public Utility Commission of Texas. Anyone wishing to intervene in this proceeding or protest or comment on the action sought should contact the Public Utility Commission of Texas at 7800 Shoal Creek Boulevard, Suite 450N, Austin, Texas 78757 (Phone A/C 512-458-0100), within fifteen (15) days from the date of this public notice. 18-14s-25tc

18. LEGAL NOTICES

NOTICE FOR BIDS
The Bailey County Commissioner's Court will receive bids until 10 a.m., Monday, April 11, 1983, for the purchase of a New Motor Grader. The minimum specifications for said motor grader are as follows, to wit:
Operating weight: 28,500 lbs.; engine: diesel, 6 cylinder, turbocharged, 150 SAE net horsepower; power shift transmission; power steering; tires: 14.00 - 24, 10PR, 10-inch rims and one extra wheel; locking differential; cab: fully enclosed
The Commissioner's Court reserves the right to reject any or all bids and to waive formalities. /s/ by Gordon H. Green
Gordon H. Green
Bailey County Judge
15-13s-2tsc

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