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WEATHER

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Area Firemen Kept 'On The Run' In High Winds



 Bailey County Commissioners will consider payment of routine county bills; review the county treasurer report for February and miscellaneous items on Monday.

They will be meeting at 10 a.m. in the commissioners courtroom at the Bailey County courthouse.

 Charles Harvey, son of Charles K. Harvey and Darlene Walker, both of Muleshoe, was recently named to the President's Honor Roll for the Winter Quarter at Texas State Technical Institute, Amarillo.

He is a 1976 graduate of Muleshoe High School and is a Computer Electronics Technology student at TSTI.

 Donna Horn Corder, daughter of Wanda Cockerham, and granddaughter of Vernon and Mary Nell Bleeker, has received a prestigious honor at Texas Tech University, where she will be a May 14 graduate.

She graduated from Muleshoe High School as salutatorian in 1984, and is in the top ten list in the College of Home Economics Education Department at Texas Tech.

She has been selected for Who's Who in American Colleges and Universities, and is one of only 60 students from Tech so designated.

She has also been selected for Phi Delta Phi.

Her husband, Elvin, is the grandson of Mr. and Mrs. Cont. Page 6, Col. 3



WIND, SAND, AND FIRES PLAY HAVOC IN AREA--Not only members of the Muleshoe Fire Department, but each and every fire department in the area has been kept busy all this week, with a furious outbreak of cotton burr fires, ranging from cotton gins to feed yards. Firemen have spent hour after hour fighting the stubborn deep fires. It was especially bad during high wind and sand storms on Thursday and Friday.

When you get a combination of high wind, sand, and burr piles, there is a potentially combustible combination -- and that's exactly what has happened in the Muleshoe area during this week.

Farmers Asked

For Compliance

In Conservation

According to the U. S. Department of Agriculture, Soil Conservation Service in Muleshoe, the Tax Reform Act made some changes in how farmers and ranchers deduct expenses for installing conservation measures.

James Lutz, district conservationist for the USDA Soil Conservation service said, "producers who want to claim a deduction for the cost of a conservation practice on their 1987 income tax returns need to make certain that the practice is listed in the county plan or that they have a site specific plan."

"They will also need to complete Internal Revenue Service form 8645 "Soil and Water Conservation Plan Certification" to file with their return," he said.

Lutz also added, "management practices such as fencing, brush management, range seeding, and pasture planting are listed in the county plan. For such practices, a dated site specific plan is not necessary."

"However, practices that require technical design and layout need to be in a site specific plan," Lutz added. "These include terraces, waterways, and grade stabilization dams."

Lutz said he has copies of the county plan as well as a few forms 8645. Producers who use the form certify that soil and water expenses paid or incurred after December 31, 1986, were Cont. Page 6, Col. 5

opened in the Muleshoe area during this week.

Muleshoe's Fire Department is 100 percent volunteer, as are all the surrounding fire departments, and they have found themselves bone weary, hungry, cold and smoke blackened following a series of fires during the last several days.

In Muleshoe, the fire that has drawn the most attention has been the burr pile fire at the Muleshoe Co-op Gin, which got daily visits from the Muleshoe Fire Department this week.

Then on Thursday, in a high wind, the fire really broke loose, forcing firemen to be at the cotton gin for more than eight hours straight, as wind-whipped burning burrs raced into fields and down ditches before being semi-contained for the night.

On Thursday night, Sudan, who had their own fire 'woes' during the day, sent two trucks and six firemen to assist the Muleshoe firemen. They finally rolled up all the hoses and could call it a day around midnight.

At the same time, approximately 17 miles north of Muleshoe, near Hub, four units from the Lazbuddie Fire Department had been summoned to Paco Feed Yard for a stubborn burr pile fire.

On Friday, around noon, two trucks and several firemen from Muleshoe went to Paco Feed Yard to help fight the ongoing fire there.

But, they were called back to Muleshoe when the Co-op Gin fire again broke out, this time burning nearly a dozen cotton trailers as the firemen battled the fire again in a high wind.

Smaller fires, such as in the median east of Muleshoe on Highway 84, was 'knocked down' by Joe Don Prather of the Texas Highway Department, using a shovel to cover the fire with dirt and smother it out.

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'88 Farm Programs In Local Spotlight

In the latest report from Danny Noble, county executive director of the ASCS office, he touches on the 1988 Program Provisions.

1988 PROGRAM PROVISIONS
 Producers are reminded that Friday, March 11, was the final date to sign into 0-92 for wheat and/or feed grains.

Producers who failed to sign into 0-92 by this date will not be allowed to designate any CU for payment on these crops at a later date.

If you signed into 0-92, you will be notified after March 14, 1988, as to whether your offer of CU for payment was totally

accepted, or a factor will be applied. At that time, you can cancel your CU for payment offer and either get out of the program or participate in the program without any CU for payment by not later than April 15, 1988.

After March 11, 1988, you can still sign into the regular wheat and/or feed grain program or go outside the program as long as you do not plant more than your base, if participating on another crop.

April 15, 1988, is the final date to sign into the 1988 cotton, wheat, corn, grain sorghum, barley and oat program

if you have no intentions of going 0-92. Noble says please don't wait until the last week to sign into the 1988 farm program. You can call now and get an appointment, he said.

HAYING AND GRAZING
 You may hay and/or graze your ACR and CU acres during the 7-month period beginning October 15 and continuing through May 14.

Don't forget -- you cannot hay or graze from May 15 through October 14.

PERSON DETERMINATIONS
 April 15, 1988 is the final date for determining the status Cont. Page 6, Col. 4

In Profile

'Reaching For The Stars; And Latching On

(Editor's note: This week, *In Profile* is wandering away from law enforcement for awhile, and will concentrate, at least for this week, on a very interesting, unique and enterprising resident of Muleshoe. Come along as you get just a brief glimpse of Gayle Fuller.)

Gayle Fuller saw a need, and decided to fill that need for her fellow co-workers -- teachers throughout the State of Texas.

As a result, the former classroom teacher now juggles, and most successfully, at least three careers.

Two days a week, Mrs. Fuller maintains her close touch with students as she teaches Gifted/Talented students at both Dillman and DeShazo Elementary Schools.

The wife of Muleshoe Independent School District Superintendent H. John Fuller, she also teaches teachers, all over the state, and in Muleshoe, writes books and publishes books.

Some four years ago, when the Texas State Legislature approved HB 72 and began to implement major changes in Texas schools, especially with the TEAMS tests, Mrs. Fuller saw a need for teachers to learn more about the TEAMS tests they would be adminis-

tering students, she first came out with a third grade TEAMS test practice booklet for teachers, and was the first person and the first company to come out with something to help teachers prepare students for the tests.

Her first book was for teachers of third grade students, and then 'to be fair to kids' worked up worksheets for the young students to study for the test that determined what, if anything, they were learning.

Mrs. Fuller said teachers were asking for worksheets, and "where there's a need, there's a way to fulfill that need."

So, Mrs. Fuller went to work on the third grade booklet.

With the full support of her husband, and the assistance of her children, she started her venture, not realizing the impact it would soon be making on education in Texas, and then spreading out over the nation.

After preparing her first book, with the family binding the book at home, Mrs. Fuller managed to put books in three bookstores, and then sent out cards to schools.

Incidentally, her first 'big' order of books was by a bookstore in San Antonio, who obtained a big 30 books. Now, orders of 2,000 are more common for the author/publish-

er to fill.

As teachers throughout Texas started getting familiar with Gayle Fuller's *Teacher's Touch* booklets, they started asking for more and more, on other levels.

During the next summer, Mrs. Fuller prepared a booklet for the fifth grade level and "exit" level math and language arts.

This was followed by booklets for teachers of first grade students, then seventh and ninth grade students.

At this point, Mrs. Fuller had to make a choice. She could continue with her publishing of the very needed booklets, or could continue her teaching career.

It wasn't an easy choice to make, but she decided to go ahead with her writing and publishing of books.

Then, too, she was beginning to be quite busy in another area -- counseling. She conducts workshops over the State of Texas for teachers.

Today, she may be in El Paso, then fly off another day of the week to Houston or to Austin.

Her summers are spent conducting teacher workshops in the Lubbock area. She is asked to come in anywhere that schools need help -- and her name is easily recognizable

across the state.

Gayle Fuller is known as a TEAMS specialist and is called *The TEAMS Lady of Texas*.

In Austin, she conducted workshops for 60 principals and assistant principals for schools who had scored lower on TEAMS tests. She also went into some schools in that area to teach teachers how to teach.

She declined moving her publishing company to Lubbock for city recognition, preferring to keep the "Muleshoe" recognition before the teachers.

Most all of her orders are by mail order, and shipments go out almost daily. She exhibits at state conventions and her books are on sale in 106 book stores. They are purchased almost altogether by teacher demand.

As her publishing and counseling has grown, she has added a part time secretary, who is also a college student. Other teachers now write for her, although she edits and approves each book before it is printed.

Now, her orders are going out 1,000-2,000 at a time, with the best sellers going about 2,000 each order.

To date, some 73,700 books have been distributed by her publishing company, and over 30 books, and computer soft-

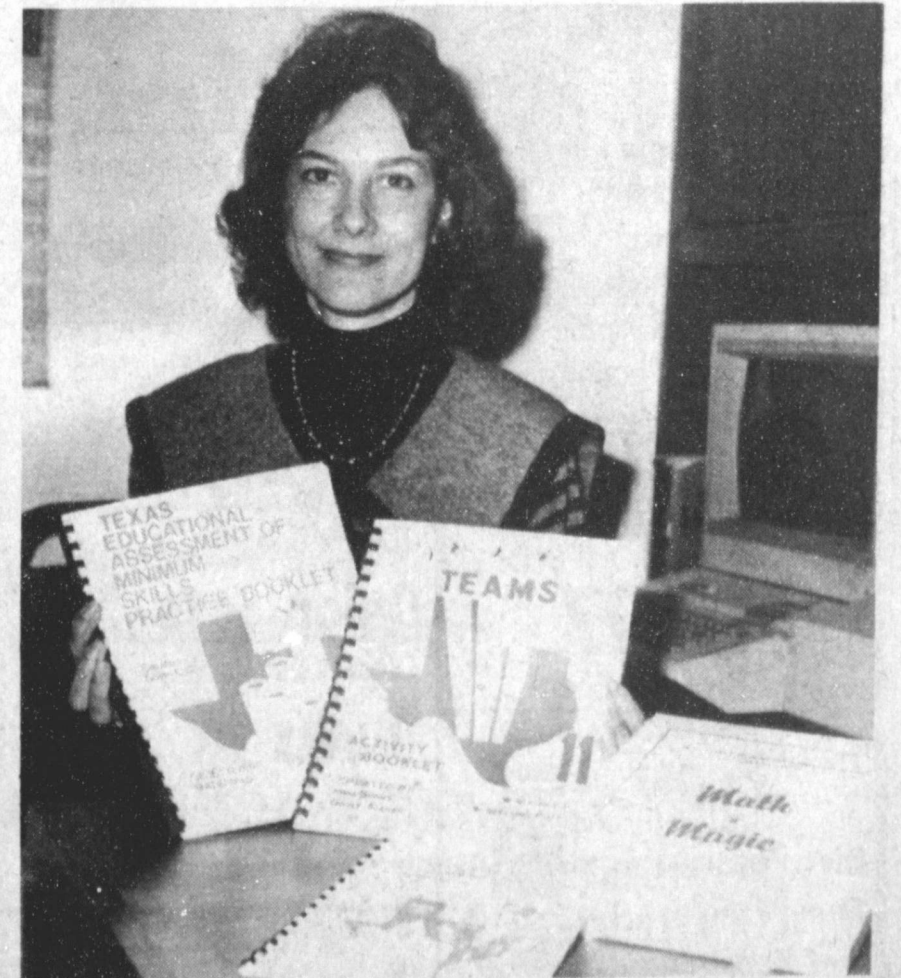
ware programs are now avail-

able. And, do you know what, it's all produced right here in

Muleshoe.

Bob Stovall Printing does all her printing and stores her

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GAYLE FULLER, A TEACHER FOR TEACHERS--Gayle Fuller is shown with just a 'few' of the more than 30 books and teaching aides, such as software, now available through her publishing company. She is known throughout the State of Texas as "A Teacher-For Teachers."

Muleshoe Menu

MARCH 14-18-88
BREAKFAST
MONDAY
 Milk, Cereal, Toast, Fruit
TUESDAY
 Milk, Cheese Toast, Fruit
WEDNESDAY
 Milk, Honey Buns, Juice
THURSDAY
 Milk, Pancakes, Syrup, Fruit
FRIDAY
 Milk, Biscuits, Gravy, Sausage, Fruit
LUNCH
MONDAY
 Milk, Pizza, Mixed Vegetables, Pickles and Fruit.
TUESDAY
 Milk, Hamburgers, Lettuce and Tomato, Pickles and Onions, Tater Tots and Cobbler.
WEDNESDAY
 Milk, Burritos, Macaroni and Tomatoes, Cheese Stick, Fruit and Cake.
THURSDAY
 Milk, Frito Pie, Beans, Corn, Crackers, and Peanut Butter Confection.
FRIDAY
 Milk, Turkey/Gravy, Creamed Potatoes, English Peas, Hot Rolls and Fruit.
COMBO
MONDAY
 Milk, Steak & Gravy, Creamed Potatoes, Green Beans, Hot Rolls, Fruit

TUESDAY
 Milk, Hamburgers, Lettuce & Tomato, Pickles & Onions, Tater Tots, Cobbler
WEDNESDAY
 Milk, Taco's, Beans, Salad, Cheese, Crackers, Cake
THURSDAY
 Milk, Bar-B-Que, Beans, Corn, Corn Bread, Peanut Butter, Confection
FRIDAY
 Milk, Fish, Macaroni & Cheese, Eng. Peas, Hot Rolls, Fruit

Lazbuddie Menu

MARCH 14-18-88
BREAKFAST
MONDAY
 Cinnamon Rolls, Fruit, Milk
TUESDAY
 Toast, Bacon, Milk
WEDNESDAY
 Cereal, Juice, Milk
THURSDAY
 Donuts, Fruit, Milk
FRIDAY
 Toast, Bacon, Juice, Milk
LUNCH
MONDAY
 Pizza, Corn, Green Salad, Fruit, Milk
TUESDAY
 Chalupas, Pinto Beans, Salad, Cake, Milk
WEDNESDAY
WEDNESDAY
 Sliced Turkey, Mashed Potatoes /Gravy, Green Beans, Hot Rolls, Fruit, Milk
THURSDAY
 Tacos, Green Salad, Pudding Milk
FRIDAY
 Hamburgers, French Fries, Lettuce, Pickles, Apples, Milk
SALAD BAR WILL BE SERVED DAILY
HAPPY ST. PATRICK'S DAY!

Best of Press

Wisdom
 When we discuss, we show our intelligence, when we argue, we display our ignorance. -Grit.

Defined
 Fishing—An uninhabited body of water surrounded by liars in old clothes. -The Leader.

Enochs News

By: Mrs. J.D. Bayless

Dinner guests in the home of Mrs. Etta Layton Thursday were Harold Layton and son Robert of Dell City and Mr. and Mrs. J.E. Layton.

Mr. and Mrs. E. N. McCall spent Friday night in the home of a daughter, Brenda and Robert George, at Lubbock. The George's daughter, Mrs. Marthan Walker and baby, Trinity, of Eagar, Az. were also visiting her parents. Saturday Mrs. Dolores Mosser and son, Kelly, had dinner with them and Kelly came home with his grandparents, the McCall's. He stayed till Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Dale Nichols and Mrs. Paula Grant attended the funeral service of David Davis Wednesday at 11 a.m. at the Chapel at Woodrow, they also visited in the home of his sister, Mr. and Mrs. L.B. Davis, at Shallowater.

Visitors at the Baptist Church Sunday morning were, Mr. and Mrs. Donnie Nichols and children of Canyon, and Mr. and Mrs. James Grant and baby of Odessa and Kelly Mosser of Slaton.

Mr. and Mrs. Dale Nichols met their son, the Donnie Nichols Friday at Friona and picked up their grandchildren, David and Bethany and they spent till Sunday with them.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Key visited in the home of her sister, Mr. and Mrs. Bud Huff, Sunday afternoon the Huff's son, Marcus Huff, of Levelland was also visiting his parents the Huffs.

Guests in the home of Mrs. Lorella Jones and Wendell last Monday was her sisite-in-law, Mrs. Ben Farmer, and Joe Carson of Quail, Texas.

City Police Report

Three theft reports led the list of reports at the Muleshoe City Police Department for the past week.

One person reported the theft of a cassette player and speakers, valued at \$228; another individual reported a stolen stereo, valued at \$109.99 and a local businesswoman reported the theft of her wallet from her purse, containing \$200 in cash.

Also reported were an antique cart found; a teenage girl was reported for driving recklessly; there was one report of obscene telephone calls and a forged check reported.

Leading the list of arrests were two for failure to appear in answer to traffic citations; and one each for no drivers license and no liability; failure to identify; operating an unregistered motor vehicle and exhibition of acceleration.

Patients At West Plains Medical Center

MARCH 7
 Adrienne Ashford and Elco Mata.

MARCH 8
 Adrienne Ashford, Elco Mata and Alex Aguirre

MARCH 9
 Adrienne Ashford, Elco Mata, Francisco DeLaRosa and Alex Aguirre.

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JAN BOLTON

Local Church Plans Meeting For Area Women

Community Church of Muleshoe will sponsor a Women's Fellowship meeting at the Santa Fe Depot at 7 p.m. on Thursday, March 17.

Jan Bolton of Lubbock, who is director of Women's Ministries and Director of Outreach, will be the guest speaker.

She has been on the staff at Trinity Church in Lubbock for almost three years.

She attended Abilene Christian College and more recently worked on her degree in "Family Crisis Intervention"

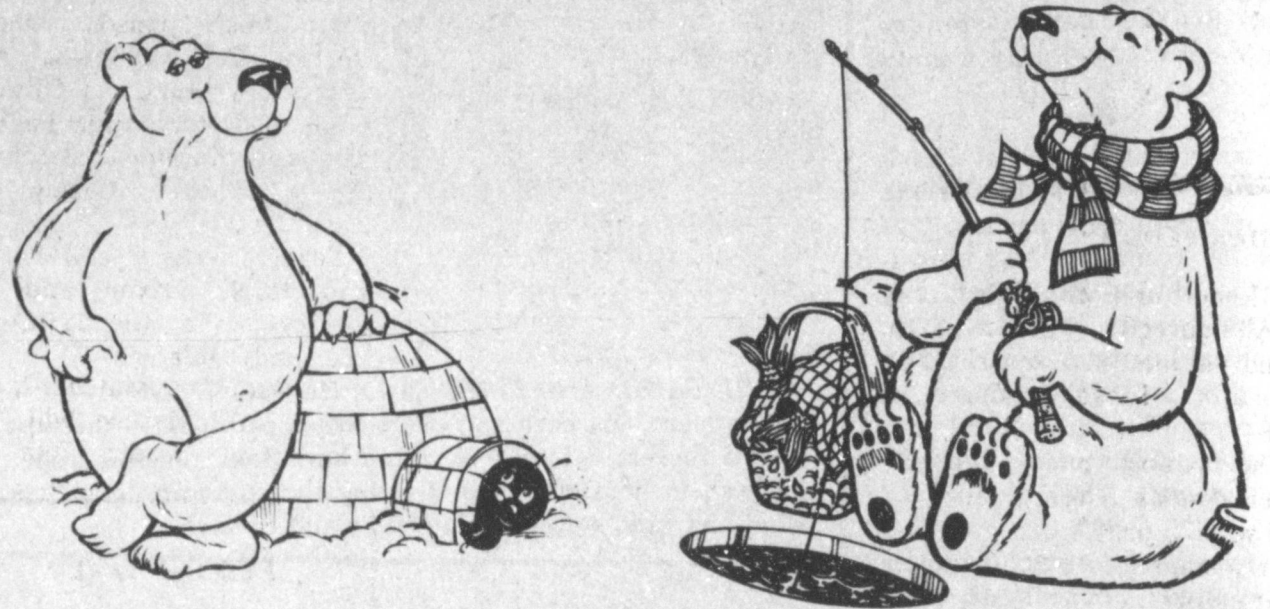
from Texas Tech. The laws of conscience, though we ascribe them to nature, actually come from custom. -Michel De Montaigne.

We Are So Sorry!

Due to our Supplier being unable to furnish us with the merchandise, all of the BW Products on page 14 of this Sundays A&M Tabloid; "A&M St. Patrick's Day Specials," are not available. The Products were:

- Ladies Shorts
- Men's Short Sleeved Sweatshirts
- Men's Long Sleeved Sweatshirts
- Ladies' Pullover Short Sleeved
- Girls Long Sleeved Sweatshirts
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I.R.A. Sequel, The Bear Facts

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Yes. Each one may contribute up to \$2,000.

What Are The Maximum Contributions?

Maximum contributions for Contributory I.R.A. is \$2,000

Maximum contribution for Spousal I.R.A. is \$2,250

(or 100% of compensation, whichever is less).

Are There Different Types of I.R.A.'s?

Yes. Contributory I.R.A.'s as I.R.A.s are for wage earning individuals. Spousal I.R.A.s are for married couples where only one spouse is employed.

When Are Taxes Paid?

No Federal income tax is paid on either savings or interest until distribution begins. At that time, most individuals are in a lower tax bracket, with perhaps more exemptions available so that the tax savings can be considerable.

When Are The Benefits Paid?

Anytime after 59½, but payments must start before 70½ or upon permanent disability or upon death (to named beneficiaries).

How Are Benefits Taxed?

Benefits are taxed as ordinary income as they are received in a taxable year. If you choose to receive your benefits in a lump sum, you may be able to use the five-year income averaging provisions available to all taxpayers.

Open an Individual Retirement Account, I.R.A., now at Muleshoe State Bank or call 272-4561 for additional information. Waiting until April 15 can cost you tax dollars.

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MULESHOE GIRL SCOUTS PARTICIPATE--Saturday, March 5 Brownie Girl Scouts from Troop 322 demonstrate how to make home-made play dough and showed different ways to use it in making shapes with cookie cutters, during the Girl Scout Fair. Girls attending included: Misty Dixon, Misti Johnson, Vanessa Orozco, Cambri Lewis, Amy Campbell, Margaret Olvera, Leslie Radford, Kayna Puckett, Kimberly Anzaldua, Stephanie Sexton, Rhonda Copley and Anna Zera, along with their leaders, Cheryl Puckett and Paula Dixon. Mothers going along were Glenda Copley and Cindy Quintana.

Girl Scouts Celebrates Seventy-Sixth Birthday

On Saturday, March 5 Brownie Girl Scouts from Troop No. 322 attended the annual Girl Scout Fair in Lubbock at the Lubbock Memorial Civic Center. In their booth the girls demonstrated how to make home-made play dough and showed different ways to use it making shapes with cookie cutters. It was reported that the Brownies enjoyed sharing their project with other Girl Scouts from all over the Caprock Council.

There were booths set up by other Scout Troops in the Council showing how to make bows, face painting Friendship pins and bracelets and many many other fun and educational activities.

The opening and closing ceremonies were conducted by Girl Scouts carrying their troops flags and singing Girl Scout songs. Troops participating with a booth received a ribbon and those troops participating in the Juliette Low Friendship parade also received a ribbon. Troop leaders who attended the fair were presented with a corsage of silk daisies. Troop 322 received both ribbons and their leader a corsage.

Girls from Troop No. 322 attending the fair were Misty Dixon, Misti Johnson, Vanessa Orozco, Cambri Lewis, Amy Campbell, Margaret Olvera, Leslie Radford, Kayna Puckett, Kimberly Anzaldua, Stephanie Sexton, Rhonda Copley and Anna Zera.

Leaders were Cheryl Puckett and Paula Dixon and the mothers were Glenda Copley and Cindy Quintana.

On Saturday, March 12, Girl Scouts in Muleshoe will celebrate Girl Scouts 76th anniversary with a Promise Circle at the Girl Scout Hut at 4 p.m.

From 2:30 to 4 p.m. the girls and leaders will have an Out of Doors Day at the hut to clean up the yard and just have fun. Family and friends are invited to go and have fun and celebrate the anniversary of the biggest and best organization for girls in the world.

Sunday, March 6 was Girl Scout Sunday and to begin Girl Scout Week in Muleshoe, Girl Scouts and their leaders attended church together as a group. Junior Troop No. 190 and Daisy Girl Scout Troop No. 304 attended the First Baptist Church in Muleshoe. Brownie Girl Scout Troop No. 322 attended the Calvary Baptist Church together.

March 12, 1988 marks the 76th anniversary of Girl Scouting in the U.S.A. From the vision of one woman Juliette Gordon Low the Girl Scout movement has expanded to touch the lives of millions of girls, women and men across the nation. Through its informal education program Girl Scouting provides opportunities for partnerships between girls and adults.

As girls widen their horizons and explore their world they gain knowledge and skills confidence and self-reliance that will carry them forward to a productive adulthood. An anniversary is a time of celebration and recognition of achievement along the way. It is also a time of reflection and re-evaluation an opportunity to think about the past and look toward the future.

Melissa Nix

Finalist In Queen Contest

Miss Melissa Nix, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Mike Nix of Sudan has been selected as a finalist for Texas' Eighth Annual Homecoming Queen selection to be held on April 9 and 10 at the Dallas Fort Worth Airport Marriott in Irving. She is the Sudan High School Homecoming Queen.

Texas' Homecoming Queen will receive a cash scholarship plus an expense paid trip to compete with queens from the other states for America's Homecoming Queen July 20 thru 26 in Honolulu, Hawaii.

America's Homecoming Queen will receive a cash scholarship plus an expense paid educational trip to Europe. America's Homecoming Queen, INC. is a non profit organization promoting education and educational travel for high school homecoming queens in all fifty states.

BUSINESS OUTLOOK

By Charles Carlson
Since the October 19 plunge, investors have been focusing more of their attention on "defensive" stocks. "Defensive" stocks are stocks in companies whose profits are relatively unaffected by changes in the economy.

These stocks tend to decline less in price than the stocks of companies which experience changes in the demand for their products.

For example, people will continue to drink pop, use the phone, and blow-dry their hair during a recession.

Thus, the profits of food and soft drink companies, telephone companies, and electric utilities will remain fairly steady no matter what the economy does. But if the economy slows, consumers may postpone the purchases of cars, major appliances, and new homes.

The various industries that supply automakers, appliance manufacturers, and builders will also slow down. As sales and profits decline, investors are less willing to purchase stock in these non-defensive companies.



ATTENDING GIRL SCOUT FAIR--Brownie Troop No. 322 and their leader, Cheryl Puckett, attended the Girl Scout Fair in Lubbock Saturday. Girl Scouts from all over the Caprock District had booths at the fair showing all of the things they had learned in the Scouting program.

In Fashion

Buying the latest fashions is not always wise unless you can afford to discard the garment after wearing it only once or twice.

The new "puff" evening dress or the "bubble skirt" are two examples. One might consider--do I have ample space to store these costumes that require an enormous amount of space. Also, some fashions last only one season.

Spring prom dresses are very feminine. Many are short, featuring sweetheart

necklines, trills and flounces.

Of Course!

Professor: "Didn't you have a brother in this course last year?"

Student: "No sir, it was I. I'm taking it over again."

Professor: "Extraordinary resemblance, thought--extraordinary!"

Jump In

Luther (to taxi driver)--I say driver, is your Noah's Ark full?

Driver--One monkey short, sir; jump in.

Latest Arrivals



James Robert Cleveland

Robert and Mona Cleveland of Albuquerque, N.M. are the proud parents of a son born at 8:45 a.m., Tuesday, March 8, 1988.

The young man weighed seven pounds and eight ounces and was 20 inches long. He has been named James Robert.

Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. E. Y. Cleveland of Albuquerque, N.M. and Mr. and Mrs. Harold Pruitt of Hobbs, N.M.

Great grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Calvin Embry and great-great-grandparents are J. E. Embry, Mae Wilterding and Jess Pruitt, all of Muleshoe.

Brock Allen Grumbles

Brock Allen Grumbles was born to Jana Grumbles at 4:32 a.m. Monday, March 7, in South Plains Hospital at Amherst.

The young man weighed three pounds and seven and a half ounces and was 17 inches long.

Grandparents are Dianne and Bobby Grumbles of Muleshoe.

Great-grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Buddy McLaughlin of Panhandle.

Mr. and Mrs. Bobby Grumbles, Jr., of Muleshoe, are his aunt and uncle.

MICROWAVE COOKING

By Linda Attaway

Has spreading butter or margarine resulted in torn bread? Has your spaghetti dinner been ruined by balky butter? There's an easier way.

Simply place the stick of butter or margarine in your microwave--on or in a microwave-safe container--and heat for about 30 seconds on high. This will soften the butter and allow easy spreading across even the roughest surface.

It's easy to melt butter or margarine too. Place the butter or margarine in a microwave-safe container and cover loosely with a piece of wax paper.

This is to prevent splattering. To melt the butter evenly, try heating at a medium or medium-high heat level rather than the high. This may take a minute longer but will prevent scorching.

Three-Way News

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Reeves and boys were dinner guests in the home of Jack's sister, the Bill Davis family, at Arch, N.M. Sunday.

Jonathan Pool from Morton spent Sunday with his great grandmother, Mrs. J.S. Simpson.

Leon Dupler from Andrews visited his mother, Minnie Dupler, Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack McCarty and children from Logan, N.M. and Mr. Mike Sowder from Arkansas spent the week end with their parents, the Joe Sowders.

Jack Lane and his mother, Mrs. V.A. Lane, and a sister attended the funeral of Jacks aunt, Alice Lane, at Pleasant Valley.

Mrs. H.W. Garvin visited her brother, Mr. and Mrs. George Tyson, Sunday afternoon.

The Jack Lane family all had lunch in the home of Mrs. Lanes mother, Mrs. Nettie Quesenberry, Saturday honoring her on her 85th birthday.

Mrs. Rodger Hatcher and Mrs. Ora Hatcher from Clovis spent Sunday in the Lane home.

TAXPAYERS' Rights, Remedies, Responsibilities

Want to learn more about the property tax system? That's possible by reading a pamphlet the State Property Tax Board has written and made available at the local appraisal district office.

It's called "Taxpayers' Rights, Remedies, Responsibilities" and it may help you save money. Learn about tax relief available through

- homestead exemptions
- disabled veteran exemptions
- special productivity value for farm, ranch, and timber land
- tax deferral for over-65 homeowners

You'll learn how your property is appraised. That way, you can decide if the appraisal district's value is reasonable.

If you think it isn't, the pamphlet tells you how to prepare an appeal to the appraisal review board. You'll learn the types of protests the appraisal review board can hear and useful evidence to bring to your hearing.

Important dates in the tax year are listed. You'll know what your responsibilities are and when you are obligated to satisfy them.

"Remedies" is free to taxpayers. Ask for yours today at

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Bridal Shower Honors Miss Robin Burgess

Robin Burgess, bride elect of Jeff Picard, was feted with a bridal shower, Sunday, March 6 from 2 until 4 p.m. in the home of Cindy Purdy.

Guests were greeted by the honoree; her mother, Elaine Burgess, and Mrs. Purdy, and registered by Lanice Chappell, cousin of the honoree.

Patsy Weidner of Lubbock and Penny Rainey of Lamesa served a white cake decorated in shades of pink and teal blue, the honoree's chosen colors, pineapple sherbet punch, coffee and mints from silver, crystal and china appointments.

The serving table was accented with a cut embroidered table cloth in off white color, and enhanced by two arrangements of spring silk flowers and candles in crystal, and rice napkins in the honoree's chosen colors.

The honoree's corsage was a white orchid with a pink center.

Special guests included: the bride's mother, Elaine Burgess; the prospective groom's mother, Jean Picard of Amarillo; the bride's grandmother, Thelma Grizzle of Crosbyton; the bride's sisters, Laurie Burgess of Ft. Worth, and Tish Burgess of Lubbock; the prospective groom's sister, Lynn Picard of Lubbock; the bride's aunts, Dorothy Hodges of Crosbyton and Sandra Smith of White River; and the bride's cousins, Carolyn and Lanice Chappell of Crosbyton.

The hostesses gift was a Sunbeam Electric mixer of stainless steel.

Hostesses for the occasion

included: Donna Black, Rhonda Myers, Pat Prater, Jeanetta Precure, Sharon Grant, Barbara Finney, Starla Ellis, Mary Moore, Sue Holt, Joy Whitt, Carol Cox, and Cindy Purdy.

The couple will exchange vows on April 30 at 11 a.m. in the chapel of the Polk Street Methodist Church of Amarillo.

TOPS CLUB

Muleshoe TOPS Club chapter No. 34 met at 5:30 p.m. Thursday, March 10 in the Heritage Thrift Shop with Laverne James, leader, in charge of the meeting.

The TOPS pledge was recited and the fellowship song sung. Thersia Davis read the minutes of the previous meeting and there was one correction, Rose Sain received a charm from National Headquarters for enlisting a new member. Evelene Harris called the roll with 12 members answering with the amount they had lost or gained.

Orddie Burris was named best loser for the week and Rose Sain was first runner-up with Inez McWilliams being named second runner-up.

A new contest started this week and will continue through April 21.

Everyone was reminded that installation of officers will be held on April 21.

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



ROBIN BURGESS

Study Club News

The Muleshoe Study Club met in the home of Mrs. Rufus Gilbreath on Thursday, March 10 at 4 p.m.

Mrs. Marquita Adamson from Muleshoe High School gave a program on Nutritional Foods. There are five basic foods and each has an important place in the daily diet. They are meat; dairy products; fruits; vegetables; and carbohydrates.

The business meeting was then conducted as usual with the roll call being answered by 13 members. Those attending were: Mrs. R.O. Gregory, Mrs. Wanda Lewis, Mrs. Doyle Turner, Mrs. Wilma Thompson, Mrs. John Agee, Mrs. Lee Pool, Mrs. Betty Carpenter, Mrs. T.R. White, Mrs. Charles Shain, Mrs. Mervin Wilterding, Mrs. Wilson Witherspoon and the hostess, Mrs. Gilbreath.

Mrs. Shain led in the salute to the United States Flag.

Mrs. Thompson gave the treasurer's report. A discussion was held on the Caprock District Convention and Mrs. Shain was nominated as a delegate from the Muleshoe Study Club.

Things of interest for new programs and money making projects were discussed for the

Muleshoe Art Association Meets Tuesday

Muleshoe Art Association will meet Tuesday, March 15 in the community room of Summit Savings for their regular monthly meeting.

Kay Houston of Morton will be the guest artist for the day and will give an oil demonstration.

Some of Matilda Slemmons' paintings will be on display this month at the Muleshoe Public Library. She was a charter member of the Muleshoe Art Association.

Everyone is asked to take paintings to hang at the Old Corral Restaurant. Mildred Williams stated that the public is welcome to attend the meetings.

coming club year.

The next meeting will be in the home of Mrs. Wilma Thompson on March 24.

Rebekah Lodge News

Muleshoe Rebekah Lodge No. 114 met Tuesday, March 8 in regular session with Noble Grand Novella Price presiding. Ruby Green gave the opening prayer.

June Green, secretary, called the roll and read the minutes of the previous meeting. Rebekahs and Oddfellows use to make a float in the parade each year.

Plans are still being made to entertain the South Plains Association which will be held in Muleshoe on April 16 for the Oddfellows and Rebekahs of this area.

Refreshments were served to 18 members by Mary Parish and Mildred Kindrick.



WEDDING PLANS REVEALED—Mr. and Mrs. Marlin Mills announce the engagement and approaching marriage of their daughter, Rhonda Mills to David Low, son of Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Low of Muleshoe. Miss Mills is a 1982, graduate of Muleshoe High School, a 1986, graduate of Wayland Baptist University, and is a business instructor with VTI Business School at Arlington. Low is a 1978, graduate of Plainview High School and a 1983, graduate of Texas Tech University. He is presently a Mechanical Engineer at SPS. Vows will be exchanged at 7 p.m. May 14 in the New Covenant Church of Muleshoe.

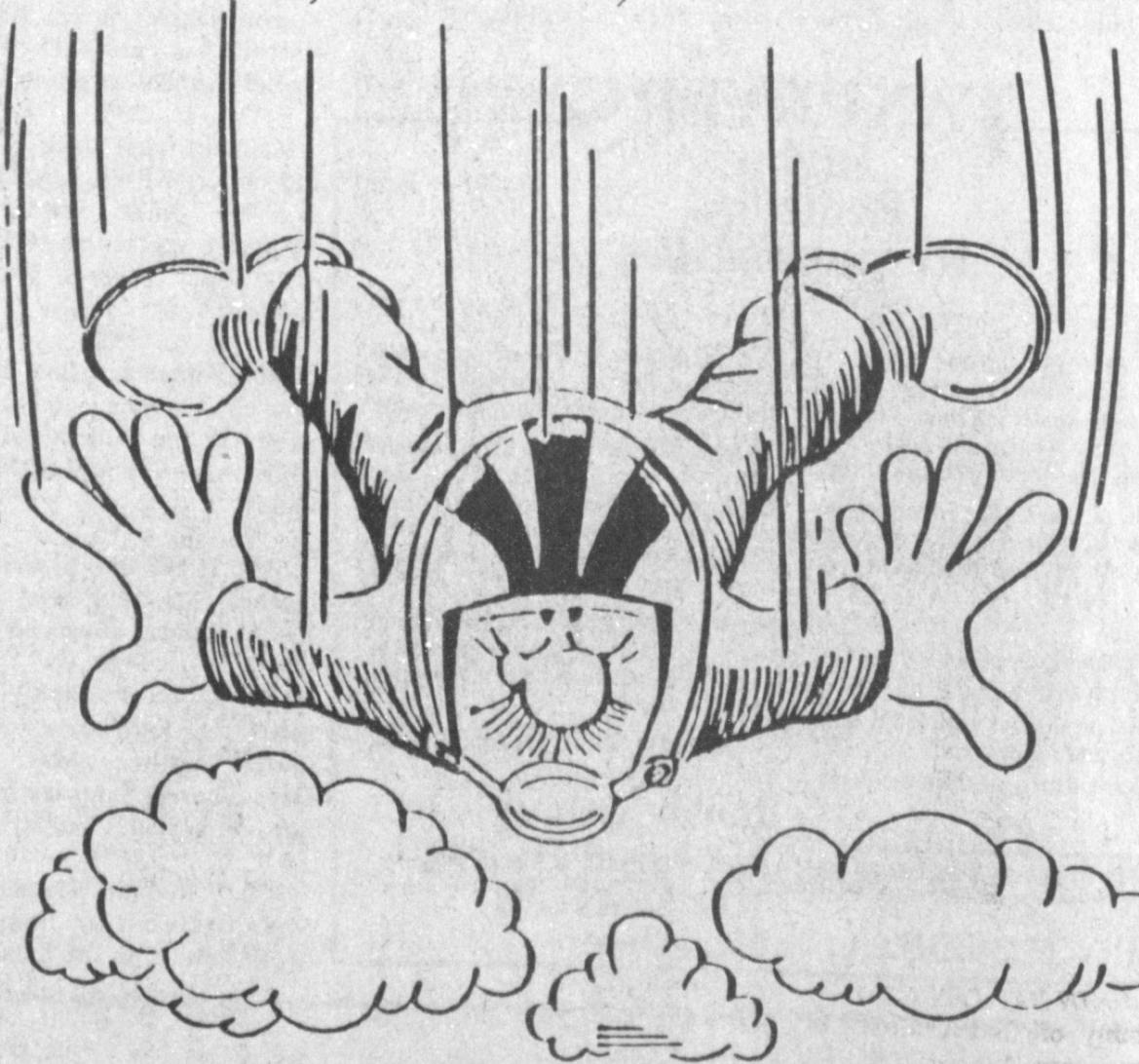
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Jennyslippers Hear Reports On Upcoming Activities

Muleshoe Jennyslippers met at noon Tuesday, March 8 in the Old Depot for their regular bi-monthly meeting. Donna Kirk, president was in charge of the business meeting.

Minutes of the previous meeting were read by Ellen Ladd, secretary, and they were approved as read. A treasurer's report was given by the treasurer, Norma Bruce.

Two visitors, Linda Tosh and Maude Young were introduced and welcomed by Mrs. Kirk.

Upcoming events for the month of March and April were reported on and discussed and include skating Friday night, March 18. Pat Langfitt reported that this was family night and reminded everyone to get out their skates and go on out for a night of fun.

The annual Easter Egg hunt set for Saturday, March 26 was also discussed.

Tuesday, April 12 will be the next quarterly meeting and Ruby Green reminded the group that it will be a night meeting. Members will also be conducting a membership drive and if you are interested in becoming a Jennyslipper, you are asked to either contact any member or go out to the meeting.

April 30 is the tentative date set for the Walk-A-Thon.

A report was given by Mrs. Bruce and Exempt Status, legalities and Mrs. Bruce stated that the executive board will meet with the Muleshoe Chamber of Commerce.

Lucy Mardis reported on the donation made to the hospital and Billy Downing reported on the Parents/Seniors Scholarship meeting which she stated was a tremendous success.

Vivian White reported on the history book "Bailey County Tales and Trails." She stated that the books was coming along real well. "After lots of hard work and a lot of cooperation from the folks of Bailey County, the history book is becoming a reality. Manuscripts for over 700 stories and a lot of community histories have been sent to Taylor Publishing Company in Dallas and soon we will

be seeing the actual pages of the book.

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All family histories are expected to be mailed to Taylor Publishing Co. by April 15 and after that date the price will be \$75.

Mrs Harrison

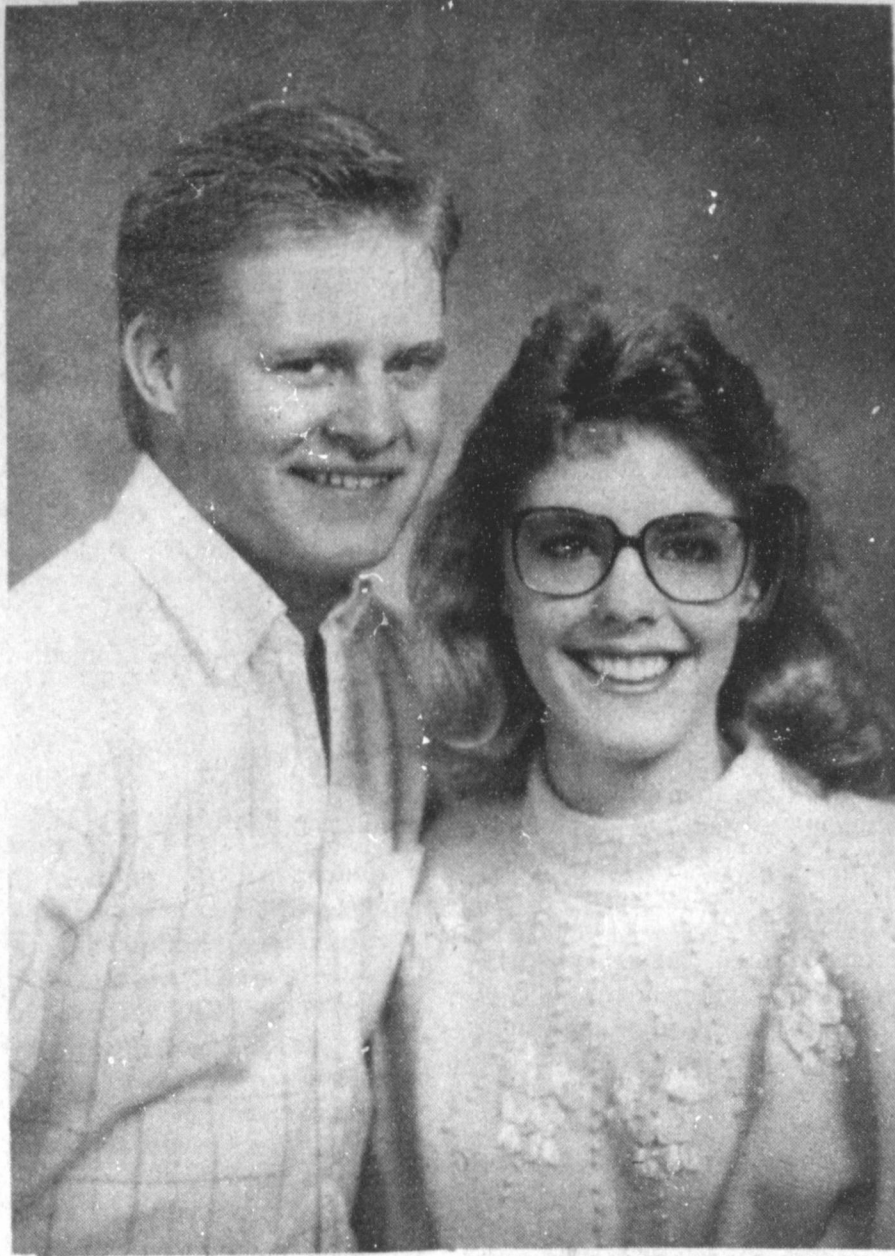
Hosts Sorority

Meeting Tuesday

Tuesday, March 1, Xi Omicron Xi met in the home of Diana Harrison. She served a meal of Mexican Fiesta, ice cream and brownies.

Debbi Green presented a program on food corn, and the process of testing for Afala Toxin sometimes found in corn. Ms. Green supplied the corn chips served with the meal.

Fourteen members enjoyed the evening and they include: Annette Bonds, Dawn Williams, Ricki Warren, Kathy Franks, Debbi Green, Diana Harrison, Alice Liles, Debbi Nickels, Lindy Schuster, Rayniel Bamert, Gayla Gear, Barbara Mutschler and Pat Young.



JUNE WEDDING PLANNED--Bill and Norma Jean Homer of Groom are proud to announce the engagement and approaching marriage of their daughter, Mary Jo to Daniel Eugene Schacher, son of Gene and Vernie Schacher of Lazbuddie. The bride elect is employed with the Amarillo Quarterhorse Association of Amarillo. Schacher is employed with the Fish Construction Company of Borger. The couple plan a June Wedding.

**Bovina Church
Annual Dinner
Set March 20**

St. Ann's Catholic Church of Bovina, Texas is sponsoring their Annual German Sausage Dinner, Sunday, March 20, 1988, from 11:30 A.M. till 2:00 P.M.

We will be serving: German Sausage, Creamed Potatoes & Gravy, Green Beans, Sauerkraut, Cranberries, Relish Plate, Bread & Butter, Carrot or Chocolate Cakes, Tea or Coffee.

Donations will be \$5.00 for Adults, \$2.50 for Children under six. Take-out plates will be .25 cents extra per plate. Door prizes will be awarded. Serving

will be at St. Ann's Parish Hall on 3rd street in Bovina, Texas.

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Sudan CofC Sets Banquet

Dr. Marvin Baker, president of South Plains College, Levelland, will be the guest speaker for the annual Sudan Chamber of Commerce Banquet, to be held Saturday, March 19, at 7 p.m. in the Sudan High School Cafetorium.

Tickets are \$7.50 for adults and \$5 for children under the age of 12, and theme for the banquet this year is "Sudan, Going Great in '88!"

A country/western group from the South Plains College Music Department will provide

entertainment during the evening.

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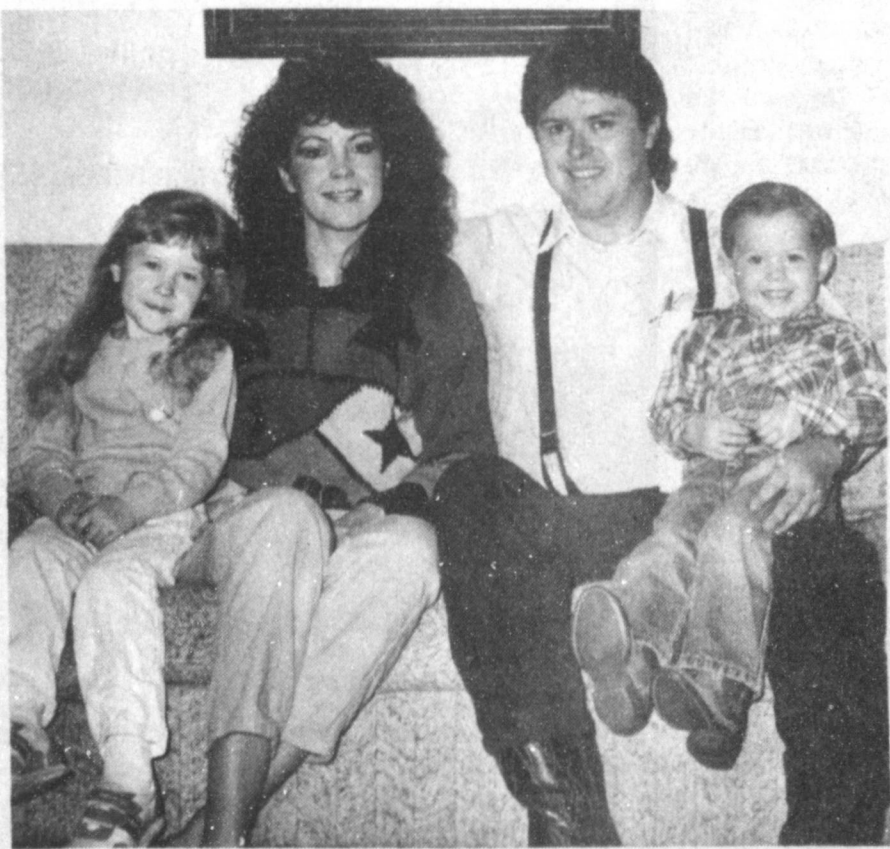
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TAKING AN ORDER--Taking time out Wednesday afternoon to take a telephone order from the Hereford Schools, Gayle Fuller makes notes on the book, and amount of teaching aides ordered by the area school. This is common in the Fuller home these days.

Reaching The Stars

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inventory. She said she goes to him with an idea, "And Bob goes with it."

She highly praised Bob and Eva Nell Stovall, commenting, "Bob and Eva Nell work day and night and weekends to get books out to meet my deadlines," and never complain about it, she added.

Muleshoe High School art teacher, Hellen Adrian, who is an accomplished graphic artist, creates the covers for Mrs. Fuller's books.

This 15-year teacher is vibrant, expressive and believes firmly in what she is doing.

As her business expands, her time shortens and she says, "I have to make every minute count."

She is in a consultant pool in 16 states, and keeps a firm control on the final product that is shipped out to any school.

At this time, her books are in 90 percent of the schools in the state, and State Migrant programs in eight states have ordered her books, including New York, Minnesota, Ohio and Colorado.

Mrs. Fuller has just added computers and desk top publishing to her company, and expects the new technical equipment help prepare her publications somewhat easier.

Much of the work that had been done, very carefully, by hand, can now be done by computer, and much faster.

Gayle Fuller listens to Time Management tapes, and very carefully budgets her time.

When she writes -- not a book -- but concentrating on writing pages, she writes from 6-9 a.m. or from 9 p.m.-midnight.

Other time is reserved for her husband and five children. She and her family decide priorities each day -- dental appointments, basketball, other school activities, or family activities, and those are the priorities for the day.

With such a busy life, her family is rather independent.

When the children arise in the morning, each dresses himself or herself -- although Mrs. Fuller does choose the clothing for six year old twins, Callie and Cassie. She also does their hair each morning.

The children have breakfast, and then each is off to school. The Fullers have children on each of the four campuses in Muleshoe. The twins are at Dillman Elementary; eight year old Heather attends DeShazo Elementary; Kris is 12 and a student at Watson Junior High School and 16-year old Jason is a sophomore at Muleshoe High School.

"Each of the children is learning responsibility," said Mrs. Fuller. "They are fairly independent and manage very well."

Her husband is very busy as superintendent of schools, and is currently working on his dissertation.

But, he does keep the children when she is out of town conducting a school workshop.

They try to arrange trips so that one of them will be with the children most of the time. But, on occasion, when both must be out of town, and with no local or area relatives, the children are cared for by a friend.

Most women find it very difficult to juggle a household and a job -- try having multi-careers like Gayle Fuller, and you will find it both fulfilling, at times a little frustrating, and definitely interesting.

The family of Gayle Fuller are exposed to one real fact -- Gayle Fuller reached for the stars -- and latched onto them. As they help her collating or binding books, they too, are realizing that they are part of a very successful and very rewarding lifestyle.

The Fullers deserve credit for their achievements, and for helping Muleshoe be recognizable throughout the state, and very soon, nationwide.

Around Muleshoe

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Leonard McCormick, also of Muleshoe.

Charles Bratcher, Republican County Chairman for Bailey County, has announced the Republican county/senatorial convention. It will be held at 5 p.m. on Saturday, March 19, in the Summitt Savings Association meeting room.

An invitation has been issued to interested area residents for Scout Show '88, scheduled for Saturday, April 16, 12 noon-5 p.m. in the Rex Baxter building in Amarillo.

Tickets are \$1 each, and will each contain \$6 in coupons to be redeemed.

During the regular meeting of the Board of Trustees of the Muleshoe Independent School District Monday night, informational reports will be given on Dillman Elementary School by principal, Barbara Finney.

Personnel evaluations and recommendations will be considered in executive session and appropriate personnel action will follow the session.

Financial reports will be given on bank and fund balances and approval of payment of current bills will be considered.

Business items will include appointing judges and clerks for the May 7 Trustee election and absentee voting; and board members will consider changing the March 28 meeting to Monday, March 21.

Reports will be given by the board president and superintendent of schools, who will review questions on school operations and 1988-89 calendar options.

Were you a 1979 graduate of Muleshoe High School? Guess What!! It's time to be planning for the 10 year reunion of the class.

If you were a graduate or know the location of a graduate, or graduates, who have moved from Muleshoe, please contact one of the following after 6 p.m. in the evening:

Keith Hawkins, 965-2896

Firemen...

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A truck hauling cotton burrs was forced to stop and quickly put off a load, when it was discovered the burrs were burning, threatening the truck.

Late Friday night, firemen were continuing to monitor the fire at the Muleshoe Co-op Gin, as cotton burrs burn deep, and it is hard to force water deep enough to completely extinguish the embers.

Wind whips through and the fire again breaks out -- this was the case after 11 p.m., when cotton trailers continued to catch fire and burn.

At midnight on Friday, the Paco Feed Yard fire was also continuing to burn, with several fire departments on hand trying to contain the stubborn fires.

The cold front that raced into the Panhandle and South Plains carried no moisture -- just wind and sand -- that continued to hamper efforts to contain the fires that continued to break out.

Gina (Burden) Smith, 965-2629 or Terie (Wilemon) Snell, 272-5453.

Services are pending at Ellis Funeral Home in Muleshoe for Olin Irene Whitmire, 84, who died at 9:55 p.m. Friday in the Muleshoe Nursing Home following an illness.

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Program...

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of individuals or entities in applying 1988 maximum payment limitation requirements.

1987 FINAL COTTON DEFICIENCY

The ASCS office said they hope to have made all 1987 final cotton deficiency payments (Exceptions: for producers who operate in more than one county may be delayed pending cross county limitation). If you think you should have received a payment and didn't, please call the ASCS office.

1987 CROP LOAN DEADLINE

The final date for placing 1987 crops in the loan are as follows:

Wheat - March 31, 1988.
Soybeans, cotton, corn, and grain sorghum - May 31, 1988.

INTEREST RATE

The loan interest rate for March is 6.750 percent.

Fifth Grade

Students Have

Computer 'Fun'

Although 'Super Tuesday' is all over, students in Mrs. Lillia Snitker's fifth grade classes are quite proud of their accomplishments leading up to the election last Tuesday.

Utilizing computers, the students worked on posters, designs and cutouts of the symbolic Donkey and Elephant, with vote slogans enclosed, as well as patriotic slogans.

Shawn Porter of the Gifted/Talented fifth grade class and Kristi Turner, another fifth grader conducted theory tests, with the assistance of Monica Chavez, Pete Bond, Fara Black, Tommy Day, Lance Latham and Julie Villalobos.

In one test on 'Theory', the students asked male and female students and male and female faculty members to choose a number between 'One' and 'Four.'

It was proven that without exception, almost everyone asked to make the choice, chose the Number 'Three.'

Nineteen people chose Number One, 21 persons chose Number Four; 29 chose Number Two, with 31 persons choosing the Number Three.

The children are very involved in learning to do different and fascinating things on the computers under guidance of Mrs. Snitker.

Summer Session Driver Training Starts

Muleshoe High School students can begin signing up in the principal's office for summer driver education. The instructional part of the program

Farmers

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made according to a plan approved by SCS.

"If anyone needs a site specific plan, we will be glad to try to schedule a date to work out one," Lutz said. "However, we will not be permitted to back-date a plan just to help someone claim a deduction."

The deductible amount is limited to 25 percent of the gross income from the agricultural activity during the tax year.

For more information, producers should talk to their tax consultant.

will begin April 10 and run for a total of 32 hours of instruction time. MHS is planning to offer two classes of driver education provided enough students are interested.

One of the classes will be scheduled at times to allow students in athletic and UIL events to get the hours needed without causing a conflict with these events.

Another class will be scheduled from 5 p.m. until the 32-hour time limit is met. The driving instruction for the classes will be individually scheduled during the summer months of June and July.

Students who will be 15 at least by the time the instructional classes are completed will be eligible to enroll. A student must be at least 15 by May 15 of this year.



FUN WITH COMPUTERS--At DeShazo Elementary School, fifth grade students are having fun with the computers as they learn. Kristy Turner, left, fifth grade student; teacher Lillie Snitker, and Gifted/Talented student, Shawn Porter, are shown with some of the students' work.

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MHS Tennis Teams Sixth At Brownfield

Muleshoe School tennis coach Marvin Rupe, said the varsity boys and girls tennis' teams participated in the Brownfield Tennis Tournament on March 4-5, with the Muleshoe players placing sixth of the 16 teams participating.

Gant Barnhill defeated Lon Dale Cannon of Abernathy, 6-2 6-3; then downed Doug Smith of Denver City, 6-4 7-6; finishing with a defeat of Casey Cannon of Sundown, 6-3 6-2.

Hector Flores defeated Justin Prather of Abernathy 7-5 6-2; downed Wes Welch of Denver City 7-5 3-6 and 6-3; and Cortez of Sundown, 6-1 7-5.

Jerry Bob Graves played Hugh Knox of Denver City, falling to the DC player 0-6 7-6 and 1-6. He was then defeated by Almrud of Seminole 5-8.

It was double defeat for Chaun Gunstream when he fell to Mitchell Allen of Denver City 4-6 1-6, then to Almrud of Seminole 5-8.

A. J. Liles defeated James Lumpkin of Denver City 3-6 6-4 and 6-2, then downed Cory Dannon of Sundown 6-2 6-3.

Frank Precure was over Russell Miller of Abernathy 6-0 5-7 and 6-0. He then defeated Bruce Barrera of Denver City 6-1 7-5.

Selina Gonzales met Slazar of Abernathy in her first match. It was 7-5 4-6 and 6-4; this was followed by defeats of Mason of Sundown 6-1 6-7 and 6-3, then she fell to Gomez of Seminole 0-8.

Wendy Green downed Moraldez of Abernathy 6-0 6-0; then fell to Stacie Roberts of Denver City 0-6 4-6; and came back with wins of 6-2 6-2 against Sanders of Sundown.

Amy Harrison went over Whitaker of Abernathy 6-2 6-0;

Tiffany Vogt of Denver City downed Harrison 0-6 0-6; and Amy downed Love of Sundown 6-0 6-0.

Stacy McElroy met Mejando of Abernathy 7-5 4-6 6-4; then met Schulmyer of Sundown for results of 6-7 7-5.

Lisa Triana met Kester of Abernathy with 6-3 5-6 6-4; Rachel Fleming of Denver City defeated Triana 3-6 4-6 and she downed Lopez of Sundown 6-1 6-3.

Noel Vourazeris first met Ortiz of Abernathy, falling 0-6 4-6; then she was downed by Kendra Bowman of Denver City 0-6 3-6; Spagen of Sundown won 1-6 6-7 and Johnson of Seminole defeated her 0-8.

In doubles action, it was Gant Barnhill and Hector Flores vs. Garcia and Salazar of Abernathy with results of 6-0 6-1.

Barnhill and Flores met Cannon and Cortez of Sundown with 6-3 6-1.

They then fell to Shephard and Shephard of Seminole 7-9.

Jerry Bob Graves and Chaun Gunstream met Heath and Lucero of Abernathy 6-1 6-3.

Graves and Gunstream met Allen and Knox of Denver City for a defeat of 0-6 0-6.

Graves and Gunstream then played Tennyson and Collins of Sundown for 7-6 3-6 6-1.

Then fell 1-8 to Almrud and Cottrell of Seminole.

A. J. Liles and Frank Precure played Peeples and Givens of Abernathy for 6-1 6-1. Then they defeated Villarreal and Cannon of Sundown 6-1 6-1; and followed up with a 4-8 defeat by Hill and Huggins of Seminole.

Selina Gonzales and Stacy McElroy played O'Neill and Roberts of Denver City, falling 1-6 7-6 and 1-6; then lost to Gomez and Johnson of Seminole 1-8.

Wendy Green and Amy Harrison downed Vogt and Straun of Denver City 6-4 4-6 1-6; and then fell to Costillo and Espinoza of Seminole 7-9.

Lisa Triana and Noel Vourazeris were defeated by Bowman and Fleming of Denver City 3-6 0-6; then fell to Casarez and Espinoza of Seminole 3-8.

Overall results were Muleshoe 10-Abernathy 1; Muleshoe 4-Denver City 10; Muleshoe 10, Sundown 2; and Muleshoe 0, Seminole 10.

In their first match of the season, Muleshoe was defeated by Friona, 6-4.

Nursing Home News

By: Joy Stancell

We are planning a food and bake sale Thurs. March 17th from 10:00 till 5:00 in the Nursing Home old dining room. We invite you to take your coffee break and have a bowl of Effie Smith's special recipe of homemade chili at noon with us. We are raising money to help Ruth Riley, our HECE student, go to Europe this summer.

Fri. morning Lena Ruthardt came to show us films from the Library. Special guest were F.B. Ruthardt and M.E. Hickman.

Friday afternoon Mr. and Mrs. Harold Carpenter came for a Sing-A-Long of good old fun and Gospel songs and to reminiscence with the residents. Special guest were Ollie Sebring, Lena Hawkins and Irene Splawn.

Sunday afternoon The Calvary Baptist church came to sing and play Gospel music.

Dora Chaney celebrated her 99th Birthday Fri. her daughter, Ruth Clements and granddaughter Ginger served birthday cake to guest in her room. Mrs. Chaney received at least 80 birthday cards. She received greetings from the White House, Gov. Clements and the mayor of Muleshoe Darrell Turner, her family and a host of friends.

Lula Maye Shanks made and brought angel food cakes and lemon bars for the residents Tues.

Ruth McCamish went out with her son Frank McCamish Sat.

Oneita Wagon visited in the home of her daughter Jeanene Gunstream. Sunday. Willie Mae Graves visits her daily.

Dan and Michel Harper took Marlene to the dentist Monday.

Thelma Stearns was visited by Joylene Costen, Lena Hawkins and Ruby Garner.

Beryl Hollis was given a perm by Bernice Holderman Tues. morning. She also set and shampooed Oneita Wagon's hair.

Dean Gunstream gave Vera Gunstream a new perm Tues. afternoon.

All of our ladies looked nice after beauty shop Tues. afternoon. We appreciate the special treatment our volunteers give.

Ora Roberts is visiting with her friends from New Zealand in the home of her daughter, Ruby Clark. Rosie Martin visited her Friday.

Grace Scarbrough visited Effie Smith Fri. Curtis Shelburne visited her Monday.

Members of the Muleshoe Church of Christ came to visit and play games with the residents Monday.

Sammie Moore was visited by Helen Schmitz and Fern Warren and Starla Ellis.

Olin Whitmires' granddaughter, Linda and her little son also Mrs. Shafer spent the day with her Tues.

Gabriel Salazar has a birthday this month. He was born March 28, 1905.

Cari Kidd is sick this week and unable to come to work. Get well soon Cari, we miss you.

Our sympathy to the family and friends of Dora Chaney. We share your loss.

We are enjoying the beautiful amaryllis plants given to us by Jacque Baker.

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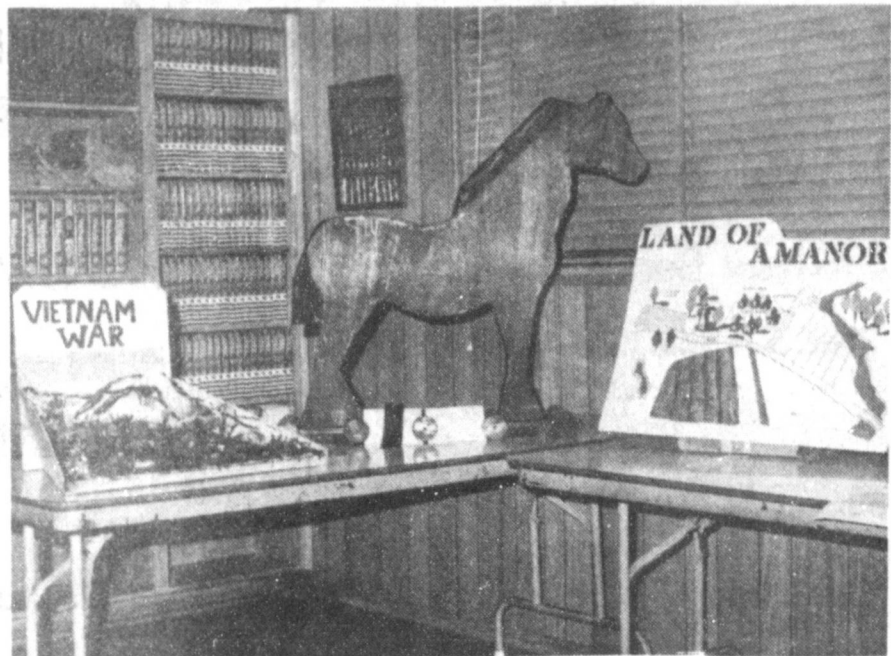
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What's Happening At Jr. High & High School

Week Of March 7 - 11



TROJAN HORSE IS A WINNER--Mason Conklin's Trojan Horse was a first place winner for the sixth grader at the History Fair at Watson Junior High School Tuesday night.



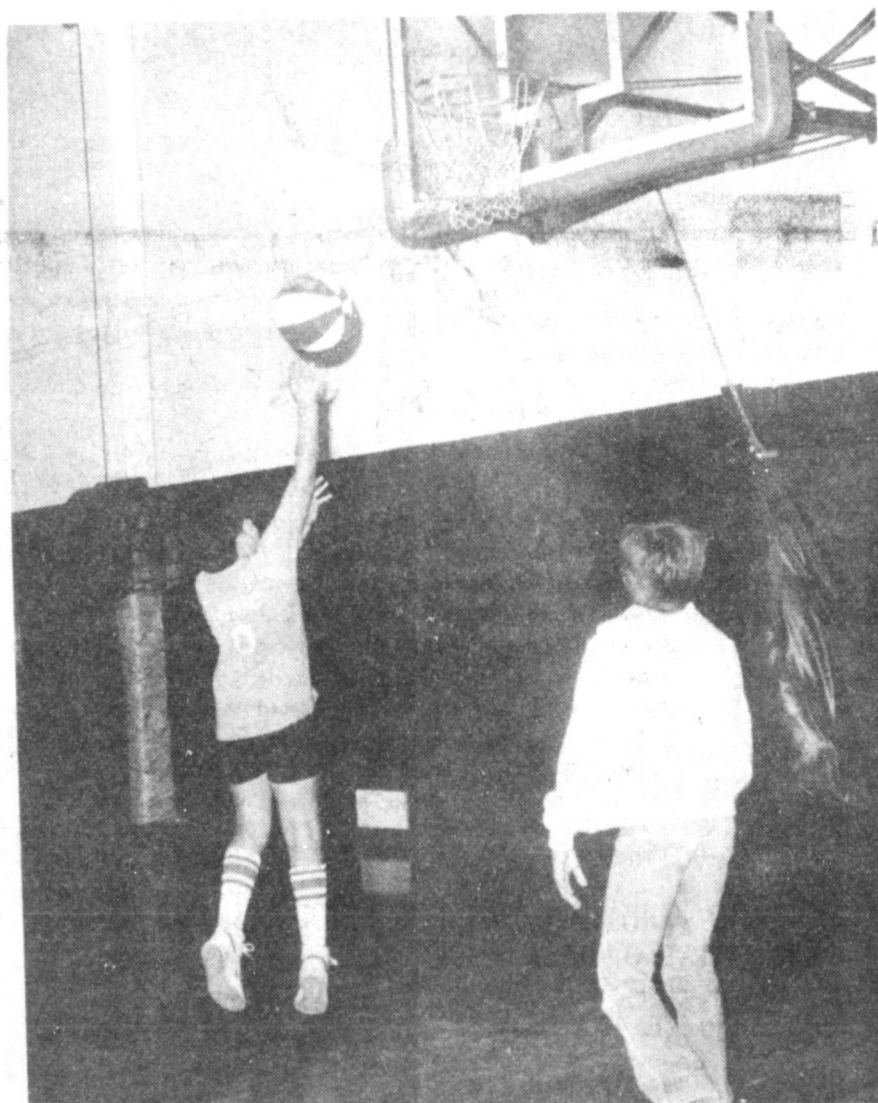
SHANE SCHUSTER HAS PRIZE WINNER--With an eye-catching display on Australia, Shane Schuster won a first place ribbon for the annual History Fair at the open house for Watson Junior High School this week.



CHAD FREEMAN HAS GRAND PRIZE PROJECT--Chad Freeman, sixth grader, had the grand prize History Fair project -- History of the Space Project--on display at the Watson Junior High School open house Tuesday night.



TRY THIS ONE!--It was like trying to fit a jigsaw puzzle together when students from English I at Muleshoe High School visited The Journal offices Wednesday, and got to put a news page together (for practice.)



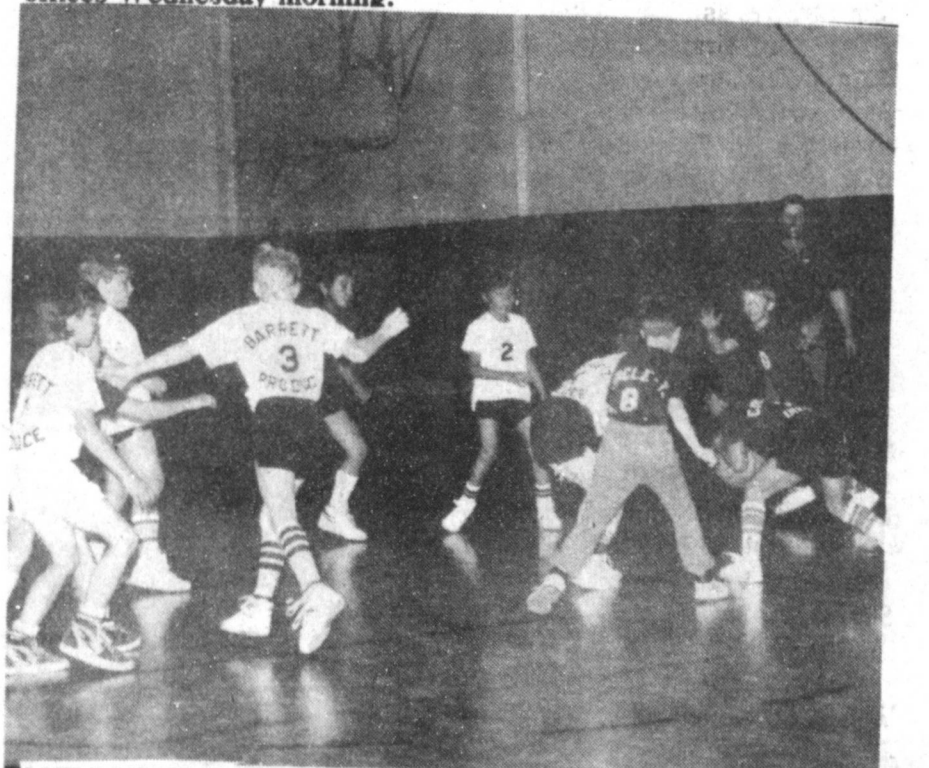
IT TAKES A LITTLE BIGGER LEAP--Short Muleshoe Youth Basketball players find they have to jump just a little higher trying to put the round ball through the hoop in Muleshoe Youth Basketball action this week.



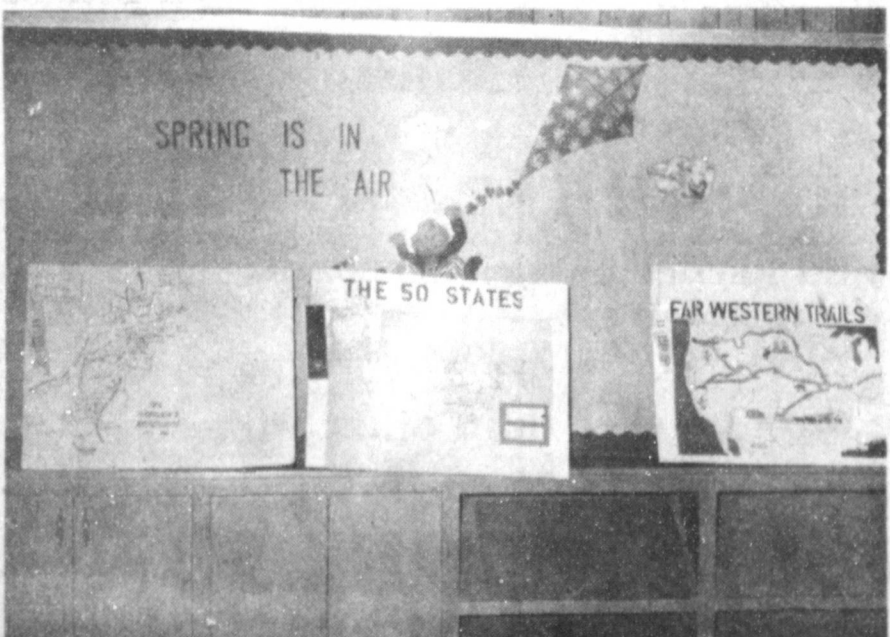
PRACTICAL EXPERIENCE--Students from David Gray's English I class at Muleshoe High School got in a little practical experience in making up a newspaper page when they visited The Journal offices Wednesday morning.



CONCENTRATING ON THE ACTION--Students from David Gray's English I class visited The Journal Wednesday morning and got to watch how newspaper copy is actually set up on the typesetting computer.



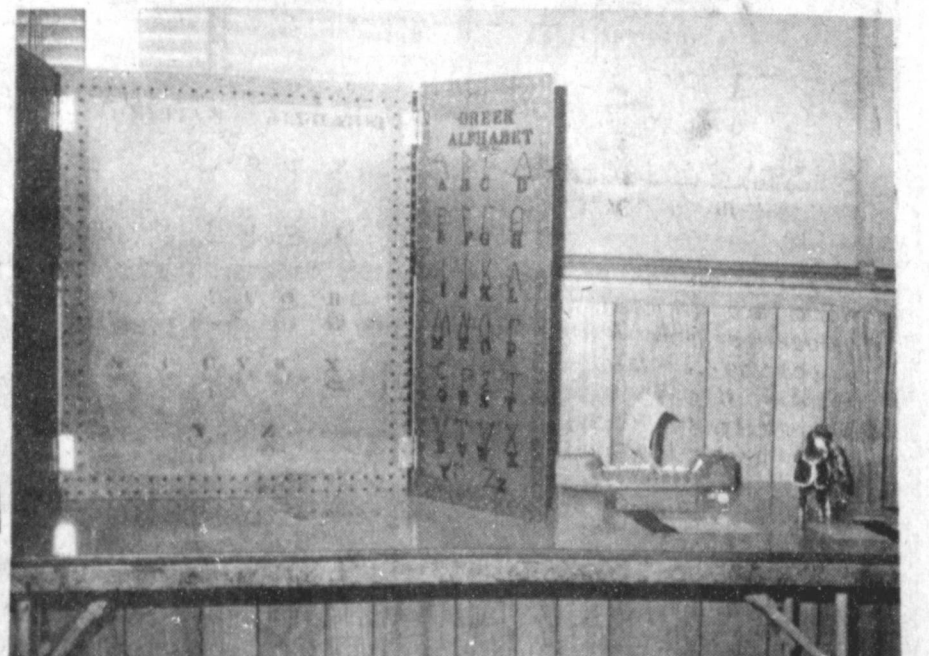
MULESHOE YOUTH BASKETBALL IN ACTION--The youngsters shown here take their game of basketball as seriously as the bigger 'kids' in action in Muleshoe on Thursday night. MYB is taking place four nights a week here.



THREE DISPLAYS AT HISTORY FAIR--Three of the displays at the Watson Junior High School History Fair are shown here -- they were on display with many other projects this week during open house at the school.



ALLRED ADMINISTRATION--Gilbert Rennels won a grand prize ribbon for this display from the administration of Texas Governor James. V. Allred, who began his term in office in 1935.



GREEK, ROMAN AND EGYPTIAN ALPHABETS--Chad Montgomery went to a lot of work to put together this prize winning display for the Watson Junior High School History Fair this week during open house at WJHS and Muleshoe High Schools.

**Ms. Beversdorf
Former Muleshoe
Resident Dies**

Services for Bernadine Beversdorf, 59, of Littlefield were held at 2 p.m. Friday, March 11 in the First United Methodist Church with the Rev. Jimmy Low, pastor of the New Covenant Church of Muleshoe, officiating, assisted by the Rev. Gary Archbold, pastor of the First United Lutheran Church. Burial was in Littlefield Memorial Park under the direction of Hammons Funeral Home.

**Faye DeBord
Local Woman's
Sister Dies**

Funeral services for Faye Marie DeBord, 72, of Lubbock were held at 3:30 p.m. Saturday, March 12 in Sanders Memorial Chapel with the Rev. David Treat, pastor of Agape Methodist Church, officiating. Burial was in Resthaven Memorial Park under the direction of Sanders Funeral Home. Mrs. DeBord died Thursday morning in Methodist Hospital following a lengthy illness.

A native of Knox County, she worked for First Federal Savings Bank from 1954-1974. She was a member of United Methodist Women's Association and Agape United Methodist Church.

Survivors include her husband, Clovis; a son, Roger of Dallas; three sisters, Helen Redwine of Lubbock, Doris Lambert of Muleshoe and Mildred Autrey of Texico, N.M.; and two brothers, Grady Walker and Leonard Walker, both of Lubbock.

The family suggests memorials to the American Lung Association of Texas.

**Courthouse
News**

MARRIAGE LICENSE

Wesley Lynn Robinson and Dorothy LaVerne Payton, Portales, N.M.

Joel Arthur Basler, II, Cannon AFB, N.M. and Ramona Murillo, Muleshoe.

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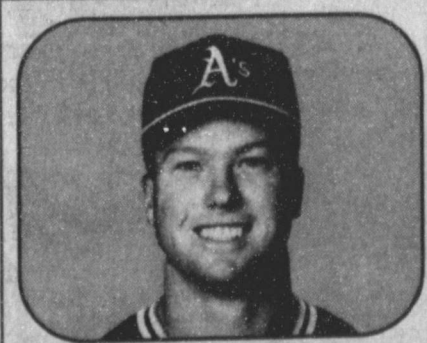
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Jeri Wiedebush and wife, Dianne Wiedebush to Dale Newsom and wife, Patty H. Newsom--All of the (NW/4) of Section No. (12), League No. 142, Hansford County School Lands, Bailey County, Texas.

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She died at 6:20 p.m. Monday in the Methodist Hospital at Lubbock following a brief illness.

**Dora Chaney
Funeral Services
Held Friday**

Born in Milwaukee, Wis., she moved to Littlefield in 1970, from Muleshoe. She was a weaver for American Cotton Growers Denim Mill and a Lutheran.

Survivors include five sons, Daniel, Jesse and Samuel, all of Littlefield, Frederick of Muleshoe and Marcus of Amherst; three daughters, Toni King of Muleshoe, Esther Waltermire of Oracle, Ariz., and Donna Saunders of Phoenix, Ariz.; her mother, Edith Crema of Random Lake, Wis.; three sisters, Charlotte Becker of Random Lake, Alma Mayr of Franklin, Wis., and Janet Lilly of Milwaukee; and nine grandchildren.

Funeral services for Dora Chaney, 99, were held at 11 a.m. Friday, March 11 in Ellis Funeral Home Chapel of the Chimes with Dean Brookshire, minister of the Plainview Church of Christ, officiating, assisted by Bret McCasland, minister of Muleshoe Church of Christ.

Interment was in Plainview Cemetery under the direction of Ellis Funeral Home of Muleshoe. Mrs. Chaney died at 5:45 a.m. Wednesday in Muleshoe Nursing Home.

Born March 4, 1889, in Lipan, she had been a resident of Muleshoe since Nov. 1, 1982, moving here from Plainview. She was a homemaker and a member of the Plainview Church of Christ. She married

William A. Chaney on Sept. 25, 1904, in Lipan. He died Jan. 25, 1951.

Survivors include two daughters, Mrs. Ruth Clements of Muleshoe and Mrs. Mae Chambers of Denton; 13 grandchildren; 32 great grandchildren; and 21 great great grandchildren.

**BIBLE
VERSE**



"Lay not up for yourselves treasures upon earth, where moth and rust doth corrupt, and where thieves break through and steal."

1. Who made the above statement?
2. Upon what occasion?
3. What was the concluding remark in this instance?

Answers to Bible Verse

1. Jesus.
2. During the Sermon on the Mount.
3. "For where your treasure is, there will your heart be also."

**Local Woman's
Father Dies
At Lubbock**

Funeral services for James D. Mabry of Lubbock were held at 4 p.m. Saturday, March 12. He died Thursday in Lubbock following a short illness.

He moved to Lubbock in 1987, and had lived in Friona and Lazbuddie where he had been a farmer and cotton gin owner and operator.

Survivors include his wife, Taleta; two sons, Jimmy of Lubbock and John of Grants, N.M.; two daughters, Margaret Gleason of Muleshoe and Terri Carther of Friona; three brothers, Orville of Pomona, Calif., Floyd of Gordonville, and Walt of Marble Falls; two sisters, Dollie Danill of Tishomingo, Okla. and Artie Van Horn of Jacksboro; 12 grandchildren; and one great grandchild.

Grandsons served as pallbearers.

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Rev. Darrel Martin

Muleshoe Baptist Church

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Bob Dodd, Pastor

Progress Baptist Church

Paul Brigham, Pastor
Progress, Texas

**Richland Hills Baptist
Church**

17th and West Ave. D.
David McAdams, Pastor

**St. Matthews
Baptist Church**

Corner of West Boston &
West Birch
M.S. Brown, Pastor

**Progress Second
Baptist Church**

1st and 3rd Sunday
Clifford Slay, Pastor

The Community Church

Morton Hwy.
Jim Cope, Pastor, 272-5992

MAKING WAY...

The drawbridge makes way for the boat to come into the city and down the canal. Dredges make canals in open waters such as the gulf to make way for ships to travel an inter-coastal waterway. Police officers and secret service men clear a path in the crowds to make way for an important foreign potentate so that he might arrive at his destination.

Church members are the ones who can clear the way, and show the right path to those who have not found the way to our Lord.

Isaiah 40:3B reads, "Prepare ye the way of the Lord, make straight in the desert a highway for our God."

Support your church in every way you can. Ask someone to attend church with you this week.

The Church is God's appointed agency in this world for spreading the knowledge of His love for man and of His demand for man to respond to that love by loving his neighbor. Without this grounding in the love of God, no government or society or way of life will long persevere and the freedoms which we hold so dear will inevitably perish. Therefore, even from a selfish point of view, one should support the Church for the sake of the welfare of himself and his family. Beyond that, however, every person should uphold and participate in the Church because it tells the truth about man's life, death and destiny; the truth which alone will set him free to live as a child of God.

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Boyd Lowery, Pastor

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Plainview Hwy.
Sunday 10:00 a.m.
Wednesday, 7:00 p.m.
Jimmy Lowe, Pastor

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9th and Ave. C.
Dennis Hayes, Pastor

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Sunday School 10:00 a.m.
Worship 11:00 & 6:00 p.m.
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Sam Billingsley, Minister

**Muleshoe Church
Of Christ**

Clovis Hwy.
Bret McCasland, Minister

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Evening 6:00 p.m.
Wednesday 8:00 p.m.

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6:30 Evening Services
7:30 Mid Week Services
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Luis Campos, Pastor

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Boy Scout Exec Visits

Kiwanis Club

By: R.A. Bradley

Seventeen Kiwanians, one guest and Sweetheart Sue Haire met Friday morning at the Old Corral.

President Max Crittenden was in charge and called the meeting to order. Howard Watson led the club in the pledge to the flag and Nick Bamert gave the invocation.

R. A. Bradley finally found the friendship coin. After passing out monthly bills last week, Brad wasn't sure he had a friend. Brad gave the friendship coin to Nick Bamert who is looking for a permanent friend to his family real soon.

Program for the morning was given by David Alexander, who is District Scout Executive in charge of the George White and South Plains Districts.

He received his Eagle Scout in 1976.

He said the Boy Scout program started in England in 1907. A Mr. W. A. Boyce was trying to find a certain address in London one night in a dense fog. A young boy came up to him and asked if he could assist the gentleman.

After leading Mr. Bovec to the correct address, Mr. Boyce tried to tip the young man. The young man said he could not accept a tip because he was a Scout.

Mr. Boyce met Baydon Powell who started the Boy Scouts and in the last 80 years, the Boy Scouts have gone international and over 88,400,000 boys have gone through the Scouting program.

Lots of things have changed, but the principles of Scouting have not.

There is a good Scouting program in Muleshoe, with the help of many good volunteers.

Curtis Wellburn is the local Cub Master and Howard Watson is the Scout Master.

The Boy Scout Council is

having their fund drive (A Friend of the Scouts) to help keep the Scouting program going.

It takes \$54 per year or \$1.04 per week to support a boy in Scouts at the council level.

If anyone in business is interested in helping keep the Scouting program going, please contact one of the Kiwanis members.

Three-Way News

By: Mrs. H.W. Garvin

Johnny Furgeson was in Lubbock Tuesday to be with his father Jack Furgeson who underwent surgery in Methodist Hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Adolph Wittner were in Lubbock Monday on business.

Mrs. Garvin Long is a patient in High Plains Hospital in Amarillo.

Mrs. Rita Tyson visited Mr. and Mrs. George Tyson Saturday evening.

The ones that attended the Houston fat stock show returned home Saturday.

Dinner guests in the James Kindle home Sunday were all of the Kindle families.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Dolle and Darla were dinner guests in Littlefield Sunday with Bills parents, Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Dolle.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Dupler were in Lubbock over the week end to be with her mother, Marie Sowder, who underwent surgery in Methodist Hospital.

Planning Fund Drive Protective Services

With the theme of "Help Us Keep Them Safe," Women's Protective Services (WPS) of Lubbock, has begun a major capital fund drive to pay off the mortgage on its shelter for victims of domestic violence.

Judi Blakey and Kathee Lupton, co-chairpersons of the campaign, have announced a goal of \$215,000 to be raised over the next six months.

Mrs. Blakey pointed out that WPS provides a safe haven for an average of 90 women and children each month from Lubbock and the surrounding counties. A total of 1,215 women were sheltered in 1987.

"An excellent cross section of civic and community leaders will be heading up the various committees for the drive," Mrs. Blakey said. "And we are looking forward to the support of public spirited citizens in this crucial effort to maintain the shelter."

In addition to victims in Lubbock County, WPS serves a surrounding 12-county area in its outreach program funded by a grant from the Criminal Justice Division of the Governor's office.

Counties served include Bailey, Lamb, Cochran, Yoakum, Hockley, Terry, Lynn, Garza, Crosby, Dickens, King and Lubbock.

Joe Love Nelson, executive Director of WPS points out that the F.B.I. estimates that one out of two women will be physically abused at some point in their lives by men with whom they live.

Conservative estimates are that over 100,000 Texans are subject to spouse abuse on at least a weekly basis, she said.

Twenty percent of all hospital emergency room visits by women are attributed to wife

beating. Seventy percent of all emergency room assault cases are wives, she said.

Absenteeism from work due to domestic violence results in an estimated economic loss to the businesses of this country of \$3.5 billion per year, plus another \$100 million in medical bills, she said.

Chairmen for the drive to retire the mortgage for the QPS shelter are Nancy Klein, advanced gifts; Gary Bellair, in-kind gifts; Ruth Lauer, women's clubs and organizations; Debbie Hubbard, special events; Freda McVay, media; George Nelson, men's clubs and organizations; Liz Hall, Texas Tech clubs and organizations.

Women's Protective Services, a United Way agency, provides emergency shelter for victims of family violence and their dependents. The shelter, with a capacity of 75 clients, has been at its current facility since August, 1985.

Blakey pointed out that the main purpose of the capital fund drive will be not only to retire the existing mortgage, but also to renovate the facility to bring it up to basic operating standards to serve a continually increasing client population, and the surrounding area.

She pointed out that eighty percent of Texas spouse abuse cases go unreported because of fear of reprisal adding that WPS services are provided, without regard to income, to intervene in the cycle of violence. The shelter assists adult persons and their dependents who have been battered by members of their household in the following ways:

- Educating the community as to the incidence of family violence.
- Setting up an emergency shelter for battered victims (women or men) and their dependents.
- Developing supportive services for victims of family violence.

Spouse May Find Trouble

With Finances

If your spouse always pays the bills, fills out the tax forms and handles other family finances, you could be seriously uninformed about your financial picture.

"While it used to be that many wives were in this situation, it's now just as likely to be a husband," says family economics expert Nancy L. Granovsky.

"Although having each spouse specialize in certain chores can be a time-saver, finances are important enough that both should have a working knowledge of their situation," she adds.

"It's very difficult to consider the possibilities of divorce or the death of a spouse, yet these two events cause the most financial devastation for a family," observes the Texas A&M University Agricultural Extension Service specialist.

While gathering materials together to prepare this year's income taxes, she suggests that both spouses review their financial picture, make sure they have the answers to the following questions:

- Are family assets, including bank accounts, available to both spouses, so they won't be tied up in probate in the case of a partner's death?
- Do both spouses have current wills that take into account guardianship of minor children in the event both of you die?
- Do each of you have adequate life insurance protection to ensure the maintenance of the household?
- Do you each have credit established in your own names, so that you won't be caught without a credit rating?
- What are your rights to group health insurance continuation through your spouse's employer?
- What pension or survivors' benefits would you be entitled to from your spouse's employer, the Veteran's Administration or Social Security?
- Can you easily locate important papers, including past tax returns, deeds, insurance policies, wills, marriage and birth certificates?
- Do you both know the

location of the key to your safety deposit box and have a separate list of its contents?

St. Patrick's Day

St. Patrick, the patron saint of Ireland, died March 17, 493. The anniversary of his death is observed not only by Irishmen but those of other races, and not only Catholics, but those of other faiths.

The New York organization in memory of St. Patrick, the Friendly Sons of St. Patrick, was organized by both Irish Catholics and Presbyterians, and its first president was a Presbyterian.

The most famous tale about St. Patrick is the one which tells of his banishment of snakes from Ireland.

Yet Cardinal Moran, who some years ago wrote an article on St. Patrick for the Catholic Encyclopedia, fails to mention it.

He does mention the ordeal of St. Patrick when surrounded by demons in the shape of vultures, and tells of the drowning of the demons in answer to his prayers.

Irishmen, particularly, take pride

in the observance, and on some occasions have brought pieces of the "ould sod" from Ireland in honor of the occasion.

There's only one license for people who carry a lot of weight.

A new law for truck and bus drivers.

You may have only one driver's license issued by the state where you live, according to a new federal law. You should return any other licenses you hold to the states that issued them. Effective July 1, 1987, if you have more than one license, it will be illegal, and you may be fined up to \$2,500.

For additional information and exceptions, contact your local Texas Department of Public Safety office or your employer.

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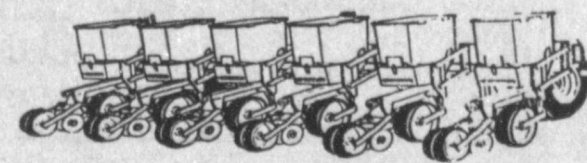
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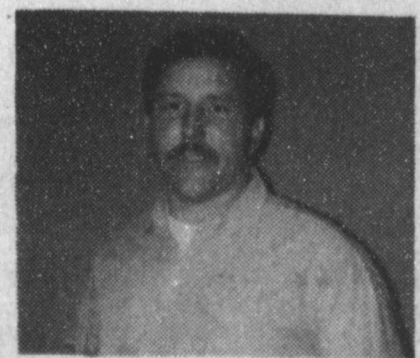
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We have secured John Hime, from Bangs, Texas, as our new Service Manager. John and his wife, Kathy have three children, Cindy (12), John Allen (8), and Kristy (6). His family will be joining him shortly in Muleshoe.

For any of your service needs, feel free to call John Hime.

History On Parade; Viewed During School Open House

On Tuesday night, open house was conducted at both Muleshoe High School and Watson Junior High School.

For many WJHS students, it was a time to display their various science and history projects, and show off ribbons received for their work.

For instance, Mark Garcia won a first place for a computer program for the sixth grade.

Chad Freeman, sixth grade, won grand prize for his History of U. S. Manned Space Flight.

Other sixth grade awards included:

Ruben Gonzales, honorable mention, City Called Tikal; Woody Villa, honorable mention, Pyramid; Sonya Smith, third place, The Sphinx; Jeanne Cox, second, Honduras; Shawna Delaney, honorable mention, Wars; Gage Angeley, third, Catapult; Emily Harris, second, Holland; Stephanie Quintana, honorable mention, Olympic Games Champions and Susan Franco, honorable mention, History of Vowels.

Shane Schuster had a first for Australia; Nadine Gillian got an honorable mention for Climates of the U. S.; Angela Clark's American Revolution was in third place for the eighth grade.

Also for the eighth grade, Mina Garcia received a third for Far Western Trails.

Other sixth grade winners were Ruben Saldana, second, Vietnam War; Chad McCormick, second, Trojan Horse; Vincent Reyna, third, Land of Amanor; Kalam Puckett and Neal Watson, second for The Great Pyramid of Giza.

Other sixth grade winners were:

Chad Montgomery, third for Roman, Egyptian and Greek Alphabet; Scott Springfield, an honorable mention for Viking Ship; Jamie Williams, honorable mention for Chariot; Kelli Caldwell, second, Poster and Report on Australia; Guillermo Sanchez, honorable mention, Australia's States; Mason Conklin, first for Roman Home; Frank Guzman, second for Temple;

April Franklin, first, Egypt; and Casie Dodd, third, Wright Flyer.

Another eighth grade prize went to Jessy Espinoza for The Declaration of Independence.

Abigail Garcia was second for The Parthenon and Susan Salazar won a third placed for States of Mexico.

Winners from the seventh grade included:

The Six Flags, third for Rosalinda Ramos; Eric Cisneros won second for Alamo Heroes; Joe Hernandez was first with Ship; Robert Rodriguez got an honorable mention for Goliad.

Also, Ellen Salcido was third with a Map of Texas; Sonya Flores was third with Texas Railroads and Bryan Rasco won a first for Texas Artifacts.

Colleen Dodd was in second with the 666 Ranch; Christy Chapman won an honorable mention for The Lexington of Texas; and Cornelius Loewen received an honorable mention for Cattle Trails.

And, Don Gibbins won third with San Jacinto River; Jimmy Mardis got an honorable mention for Cannon; Dustin Wilhite also got an honorable mention for Texas Revolution; Brandon Wilhite was third with Spindletop; Chad Green got a first place for Dog Run House and Santana Chavez was third with the Alamo.

The Dust Bowl got Rebecca Green a first place and Gilrobert Rennels received a first place for the Allred Administration. He also received the Grand Prize for the seventh grade.

John Robin Watkins was second with Family History; Amanda Ashford was third with Battle of San Jacinto; Stacey Langfitt's Barbed Wire won second place; Rachel Toscano got an honorable mention for Agriculture Regions; Jennifer Johnson was third with Texas Railroads; Kyle Kenmore got an honorable mention for a report on Aviation in Texas and Elvira Alanis received an honorable mention for an Indian Village.



CALF SCRAMBLE WINNER--A beaming Rick Copp, left, Vo-ag teacher at Lazbuddie, is justifiably proud of Casey Bradshaw, second from left, who latched onto a calf during the annual Calf Scramble at the Houston Livestock Show last weekend. Also pictured are some of the co-sponsors of the event, Nancy Britner and Jerry Britner of Budget Rent-A-Car.

Lazbuddie FFA Youth Calf At Houston Bags

Among the arms and legs of 28 energetic contestants and 14 unruly, exuberant calves, Casey W. Bradshaw, a FFA member from Muleshoe, Texas managed to scramble into the winner's circle with his calf in tow during the March 5th Evening performance of the 1988 Houston Livestock Show and Rodeo.

The object of the calf scramble is to catch, halter and maneuver an uncooperative calf across the finish line in the Astrodome's 2.75-acre arena to win a \$600 calf purchase certificate.

Casey will use the certificate, sponsored by Budget Rent-A-Car to purchase a registered beef or dairy heifer. The winner is required to raise the animal and maintain monetary records, progress reports and a scrapbook detailing the project. In addition, the youth returns to Houston the following year to compete against other scramble

winners in a special showing competition. A vocational agriculture teacher or county extension agent works with the winner to make sure all requirements are met.

The calf scramble contest awards 264 certificates each year. Some 10,796 calves valued at more than \$2 million, have been donated to young Texans since 1942 through the help of generous sponsors. The real value of the program is not measured in dollars, but is based on the emotional impact felt by the youngsters as they struggle to catch and subsequently raise the calves.

The southwest's largest civic event, the Houston Livestock Show and Rodeo packs a wealth of opportunities into one reasonably priced ticket including the world's largest livestock show, a horse show and much more family entertainment.

The Show, which runs now

through March 6, reaches for past the Houston community through its 57 Go Texan counties and 6,000 volunteers. Net proceeds from the event funds scholarships for more than 1,000 students attending Texas colleges and universities. The Houston Show also provides money for agricultural research projects at 11 different Texas colleges and universities each year.

Tickets for the Show range from \$4 to \$10 and are available at all Ticketron and Rainbow Ticketmaster locations or at the Astrodome box office.

Enochs News By: Mrs. J.D. Bayless

Mrs. Ima Roberts, Mrs. Bill Key and Mrs. Bonnie Long visited in the home of Mrs. Winnie Spear and family recently, all of her children were home, Rev. Ted and Mrs. Spear of Weatherford, all four boys were present and two daughters, Donna and two children of Plainview, Mrs. John Young and new baby girl, Jessica of Lubbock. They also visited Mrs. Wilma Petree while in Lubbock.

Mrs. Clifford Snitker was dismissed from the hospital in Lubbock Wednesday and Mrs. Elwood Autry was dismissed from the hospital in Littlefield Thursday. Get Well real soon.

Guests in the home of Mrs. Ellen Bayless Friday evening for supper and spent till after dinner Saturday were her daughter, Wanda and Joe Dale Doak and daughter, Stefanie, of Wylie, Texas.

Mrs. Paula Grant and baby Ashley of Odessa spent the week with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Dale Nichols. They all also visited in the home of Paula's sister-in-law, Mrs. Debra Kimbrell, and family at Littlefield.

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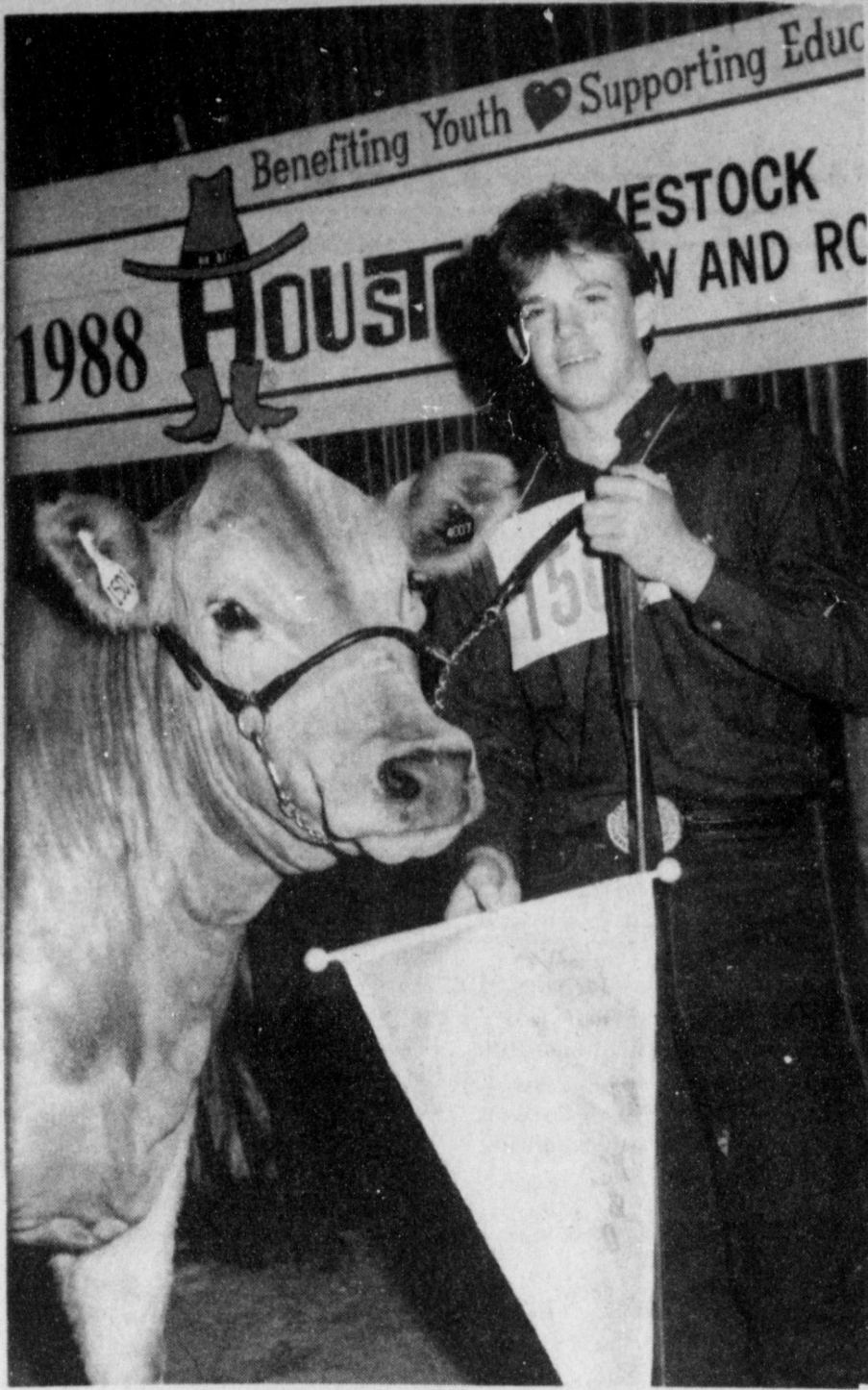
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RESERVE CHAMPION CHAROLAIS--Last week, at the Houston Livestock Show, Colin Tanksley, son of Spencer and Linda Tanksley, exhibited the Reserve Breed Champion Charolais. He exhibited in the Junior Market Steer Show.

Tanksley Has Reserve Champion At Houston

John Chisum's dream of showing a breed champion at the Houston Livestock Show and Rodeo came true today when his 1,211-pound steer, "Jolly Roger," took up honors in the Charolais Market Steer Show.

"We knew he was pretty good, but we didn't know he was that good," John said with a grin.

Judge Harlan Ritchie of East Lansing, Mich., said that John's steer was the most desirably finished in the medium weight class and chose him as the champion of the 105 Charolais steers.

John, 14, is a freshman at Springlake-Earth High School and an FFA member. His parents are Melvin and Susan Chisum of Earth, Texas. John's mother was on hand to boast that John has attended the Houston Livestock Show and Rodeo every year of his life--literally, and his father's comment was, "We're pleased," as they stood by their excited son.

John said, "This will be my first time to show in the Dome. It's a highlight for any steer exhibitor to have a shot at the Grand Champion Steer of the Houston Livestock Show and Rodeo."

Judge Ritchie chose the

second place 1,200-pound medium weight steer as the Reserve Champion. Colin Tanksley, 15, of Muleshoe, Texas, was the proud exhibitor. He, too, is a veteran exhibitor at the Houston Show, beginning at age 9.

Colin's dad, Spencer, the Bailey County extension agent, said, "He loves it. Hopefully he will remain in agriculture because of this."

Colin is a freshman at Muleshoe High School and a member of Bailey County 4-H. He plans to put the money from the sale of his steer in savings for future use when he attends Texas A&M University.

Price Alexander, Georgetown FFA member, exhibited the 1,115-pound steer that won the light weight class. Renee' Allen from Carrizo Springs, Texas, had the second place steer.

Ritchie commented on the outstanding carcasses of the first and second place heavy weight steers. Live Oak County 4-H member, Laurie Smith of George West, Texas showed her 1,303-pound steer to a first place finish. A 1,273-pound steer exhibited by FFA member Sarah Cook of Hallettsville, Texas, was second.

Farm Bureau Assured Legislation Changed

Texas Farm Bureau President S.M. True has been assured by an USDA official that the Agriculture Department has decided to shelve tough new farm payment limitation rules for determining a "person" for 1988.

The problem was a complex set of rules established by the Agricultural Stabilization and Conservation Service (ASCS) to enforce a statutory limitation of \$50,000 a farm on some farm program payments. ASCS maintained the Texas program was not in compliance with national

rules, some of which have been in existence since 1970. The ASCS sent notice February 25 for the new rules for Texas farms.

True pointed out in a letter to Agriculture Secretary Richard Lyng on March 2 that TFB was concerned with the joint venture and/or partnership financing rules, custom farming rules, and deferred payment of debt between landlord and tenant. It was his understanding, True said in the letter, that the custom farming and deferred payment problems had been

resolved.

Regarding the joint venture and/or partnership financing rules, True urged in the letter that an exemption be provided for the 1988 crop year for situations that "do not increase the number of limitations beyond what a producer was allowed in the 1986 and 1987 crop years."

"We believe this will provide the necessary relief needed as a transition to the new 'Huckaby amendment' rules which will be in effect for the 1989 crop," the letter said.

The president of the state's largest farm organization also praised Sen. Lloyd Bentsen (D-Tex) on his efforts in getting the rules changed. Bentsen had

objected March 1 in a letter to Lyng about the new regulations, terming them "outrageous."

He noted in the letter that Texas farmers had a similar problem last year, and it was resolved by allowing them to operate as they had in the past, as long as they were not increasing the number of payments for which they were eligible.

Bentsen was also notified March 2 that USDA had agreed to the request.

"This means that the many Texas farmers who would have been trapped by the proposed new interpretations of rules governing partnerships, custom farming and other technical provisions will be able to farm in 1988 just as they did in 1987," he said.

Congressman Introduces Bill Repealing Diesel Tax

"Farmers, oil field drillers, shrimpers, and builders are having a hard time understanding the logic of a law which requires them to pay a tax they do not owe, prove to the government they do not owe it, then apply to the government, who will hopefully refund the payment," Congressman Larry Combest (R-Texas) said Thursday during a congressional hearing on his legislation.

The Subcommittee on Energy and Agriculture of the Small Business Committee held hearings on Combest's bill, H.R. 3865, to restore the tax-exempt status for off-highway diesel purchasers. A new tax law, which takes effect April 1, 1988, requires off-road diesel users to pay a 15 cents per gallon tax at the time of purchase and later apply for a government refund.

"For multi-million dollar corporations, an extra 15 cents a gallon for diesel fuel will not matter that much. But, it could mean the crucial difference for many small businesses in my district and throughout the nation," Combest stated.

"Many small business owners and farmers will be the ones to feel the pinch if we do not repeal this ludicrous provision."

"During the hearing, Combest noted that one oil driller in his district estimated that this tax will cost him a total of \$377.50 per day, \$11,325.00 per month, \$137,787.50 per year, n"

interest cost. "This is absurd. By forcing off-road diesel operators to pay a tax they do not owe, we may force them out of business," said Combest.

"Quite simply, this tax law is bad policy resulting only in serious cash flow burdens and paperwork headaches."

H.R. 3865 has been cosponsored by more than 90 members of Congress and is supported by dozens of organizations, including: American Farm Bureau, Texas Farm Bureau, Permian Basin Petroleum Association, North Texas Oil and Gas Association, American Soybean Association, National Cattleman's Association, National Cotton Council of American, the Associated General Contractors of America, National Grange, National Corn Growers Association, National Council of Farmer Cooperatives, National Association of Wheat Growers, American Waterways Operators Association, American Shrimpers Association, and others.

Testifying in behalf of Combest's bill was S. M. True, president of the Texas Farm Bureau; Harry Spannaus, Executive Vice President of the Permian Basin Petroleum Association; U. S. Senator Phil Gramm (R-TX); House Agriculture Chairman E. Kika de la Garza (D-TX), and other congressional officials and small business representatives.

Farmers Encouraged To Become Certified

Area farmers who apply their own pesticides should plan on attending a pesticide application training meeting and becoming certified according to Fred W. Locker, president of Ag Aviation, Inc. in Muleshoe.

"Being certified allows farmers to use restricted use products," says Locker. "And with the current regulatory trend toward classifying more and more pesticides as 'Restricted Use', farmers need to become certified so that they can preserve their right to choose and use the most effective pesticides available for their particular operation."

Besides protecting a farmer's right to use the pesticides of his choice, Locker observes, certification makes good business sense.

"Certification can help farmers get more for their chemical dollar," Locker continues. "For example, studies show that proper mixing or calibration can save \$10 or more per acre. Certification helps fine-tune mixing, calibration and application skills. That means better control of weeds, insects and diseases. And it can mean more profits."

Equally important, the farm chemical expert says, certification training provides a valuable update on changes in pesticide laws and regulations.

"Beyond business considerations, however, certification is the responsible thing to do," the dealer adds. "It demonstrates a professional attitude towards the safe, responsible use of farm chemicals. And by increasing awareness of safety procedures, it helps farmers take those steps necessary to protect themselves, their families and their farms."

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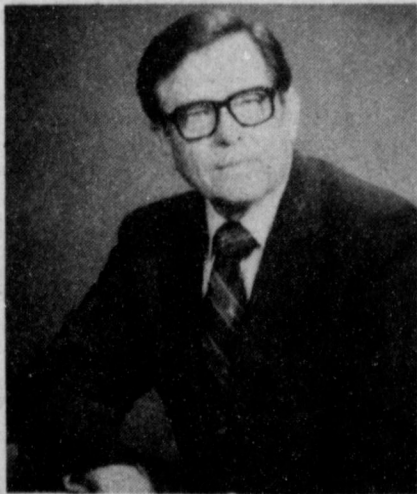
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