Mar. 4 Mar. 3

Mar. 2

Published Every Sunday at Muleshoe, Bailey County, Texas 79347

'The Community of Opportunity-Where Water Makes the Difference'

Sunday, March 6, 1983

No Extensions On PIK Deadline Date



In the shower story for Jerria (Beasley) Free, the name of Lena Ruthardt was omitted as a hostess. Mrs. Ruthardt was also to be listed as a hostess.

Army Pvt. Ricky E. Moore, son of William E. and Yvonne Moore, Sudan has completed basic training at Fort Jackson, S.C.

During the training, students received instruction in drill and ceremonies, weapons, map reading, tactics, military courtesy, military justice, first aid, and Army history and traditions. Cont. Page 6, Col. 1

Little League Sign-ups Set Next Week

Sign-ups for Little League teams will be held on Monday and Tuesday, March 7, 8 from six until eight p.m. in the Western Auto Building on Main Street here in Mule-

Youth between the league ages of six to twelve years of age is eligible to play. 'League age' is that age attained prior to

Each child signing up must have a copy of their birth certificate at registra-Cont. Page 6, Col. 2

Local Schools To Host **Open House**

Texas Public School Week will be observed with Open House in the Muleshoe Junior High and High School on Thursday, March 10 from 7:00 - 9:00 P.M.

Mr. Fred Mardis, Junior High principal, encourages parents and patrons to visit the History and Science Fairs that will be held in the Junior High Building. Displays, projects, research reports and demonstrations will be available.

Mr. Wayland Ethridge, principal of the Muleshoe High School, invites patrons to come see the changes made in the building since the renovation and to visit with teachers and administrators.

"All interested citizens are urged to visit school during this special week and show support because a strong nation needs strong schools," said school representative.



WHO WOULD HAVE THOUGHT IT???? Gas prices in Muleshoe took another significant drop this week, with most stations and consignees being able to offer their customers anywhere from 5 to 8 cents less on retail sales. Most dealers are reflecting a definite increase in business since the drops have become evident. At any rate, those who were skeptical of a drop past \$1 last week, are no longer skeptical - their worst fears have come

Local Gasoline Prices Continue Downward Trend be provided by students from the Muleshoe School Band, featuring Dixieland

ranging from December, 1982 to over \$1.30 in years past, prices for regular gas took a drop in mid-week this week to just under \$1.00 in most retail sales outlets in Muleshoe. Owners who just last week were very negative about any further drops in prices expressed their surprise and opinions that the final drop has not yet come. Unleaded gas and diesel have also taken a dive price-wise and another scheduled drop is anticipated this coming week. Most station operators are extremely pleased about the amount of business they've been doing since the prices have de-

creased. Of all the stations and consignees surveyed, only one station (and, that one a Company-owned station) failed to report a drop in prices for the week. Their costs of \$1.13/ \$1.17 and \$1.39 for diesel remained the same this week as last. Most other stations and outlets received their notices of the price drops late Tuesday or early Wednes-

day morning. One station operator had recorded a seven cent drop from last week to this

SCOUTS TAKE A TRIP . . . Several members of the

Muleshoe Pack 620 Boy Scouts of America left Friday

afternoon for a week-end of 'roughing it' at Camp Post,

located near Post, Texas. They were accompanied by Scort

Master Elmer Scarbrough and Assistant Scout Master

Howard Watson. The group will return on Sunday, March

6 from their week-end jaunt.

and the same amount of drop in unleaded and diesel. This particular operator told the Journal that he had heard talk of more drops on the way, and that travelers stopping in his place of business had quoted paying prices from 79 to 75 cents on a trip from California to Texas. He did state too that his business volume was up tremen-

Another self-serve station indicated to the Journal that they had received their price change last Monday about 5 p.m. "We dropped from \$1.07 to \$.99 just that drop," the manager stated. That manager also expressed delight at the amount of increase in sales. "People are buying more gas and traveling more," the manager stated.

The Journal contacted two or three larger consignees who deliver gas to the pumps or to farms and who obtain the same prices either way. As of Wednesday, regular gas at these two places was priced at \$.99 9 and \$1.039 for unleaded. One other was priced at \$1.00 for regular; \$1.05 for unleaded and \$.90 Cont. Pagè 6, Col. 3

DeShazo Schedules Jump For Heart

Students of Mary De-Shazo Elementary School will jump rope to raise funds for the American Heart Association in a Jump Rope for Heart scheduled for Saturday, March 12 from 8:30 a.m. until 11:30 a.m. at the Bailey

County Civic Center. The three-hour event will feature students who will jump rope as members of six-person teams to earn

Ten File For School Trustee

Upcoming school board trustee elections scheduled for April 2 will have seven individuals vying for full term board positions and three for unexpired terms. Late Wednesday, the final day of filing Max King

per minute pledges. Each team member will jump until tiring and then pass the rope to another team member. The sequence is repeated for a maximum of three hours. Prior to the event each participant recruits sponsors who make pledges based on the number of minutes the participants team jumps. Thus, the emphasis is based on team performance and not the individual student. Following the event, the student will return to the sponsors with a verified report of how long they jumped and collect the pledges. These pledges will then be turned in to the Jump Rope for Heart co-

Allison and student teacher

the local American Heart Association. Sponsors are Cont. Page 6, Col. 3

ordinator and forwarded to

Chamber Banquet

The 33rd Annual Banquet of the Muleshoe Chamber of commerce and Agriculture will be held in the Muleshoe High School Cafeteria on Thursday, March 17. Tickets for the banquet are now on sale, for \$9.00 in advance, and \$10.00 the day of the banquet. All area citizens are encouraged to buy their tickets early, to take advantage of this price break, and to allow the Chamber to better plan the amount of food necessary for the banquet. The meal will include barbeque beef brisket and German-style sausage.

Grady Jim Robinson, a humorous and motivational speaker from St. Louis, Missouri, will be featured at this year's banquet. Robinson is rapidly earning a reputation as a speaker. He has appeared in nationally known night clubs from New York to Las Vagas; he served as a youth minister, and he has written speeches for Art Linkletter and Zig Ziglar.

The entertainment will music. There will also be a number of awards presented, including Man of the Year, Woman of the \$10,000 in national prize

appreciation to retiring officers and directors of the Chamber. The Blackwater Valley Soil and Water Con servation District will be awarding their conservation Farmer of the Year Award. The Jennyslippers will also be presenting a scholarship award to a Muleshoe High School Student. Tickets are on sale now

Year, and plaques of

at the Chamber Office, Muleshoe State Bank, Dent-Rempe, Federal Land Bank, Morrison Oil Co., Muleshoe Motor Co., Ellis Funeral Home, Adrian Photography, 5-Area Telephone, Thornton Chevrolet, Reynolds & Young, Sonic Drive In and from members of the Jennyslippers, the Women's Division of the

Ladies having a beef dish that they are particularly proud of should be getting ready now to enter it into the Texas Beef Cook-Off. First prize money is \$300 and the state winner can go on to compete for

March 11Scheduled For Mock Trial Case Public Hearing

"Is it easy to prove sex discrimination?" you ask. Well, several members of the Muleshoe High School Mock Trial Team will be trying to prove and/or disprove sex discrimination in THE CASE OF WILLIAM RAYBURN vs. CURIE MEMORIAL HOSPITAL in a special presentation on

Friday, March 11. The case will be heard and offered for the public at 7:30 p.m. on Friday, March 11, in the Bailey County Courtroom. Team members, civics students and their sponsors Jean

Scouts Take Week-end Camp Out

Troop 620 of the Boy Scouts of America of Muleshoe left Friday afternoon, March 4 about 4 p.m. for a week end camp out at Camp Post which is located southwest of Post, Texas.

Those scouts attending the campout included James Stevens, Troy Watson, Darrell McCamish, Charlie Reigal, Thomas Pelton, Johnny Horn, J.J. Cont., Page 6, Col. 2

Gary Miller urgently request that the public attend this presentation.

A 'real life judge' will preside over the proceedings and mock trial team members will be doing their utmost to win their case, whether it be the offense or the defense.

Team members include Freddy Vela and Robert Nowlin as attorneys for the plaintiff; Scott Ellard and Jay Pearson as attorneys for the defense. Walker and David Pruitt will portray witnesses for the plaintiff and Lynda Bell and Perry Flowers will be witnesses for the defense.

These students have spent many hours in perfecting their courtroom procedure and show a great Cont. Page 6, Col. 7

PIK Final Sign-Up 5 P.M. Friday

"The March 11 Payment repeatedly urged In Kind deadline will not be extended, nor any special consideration given for farmers who have not met the PIK sign up requirements," reports Rusty Williamson, Bailey County Executive ASCS Director. Only five working days remain for the sign-up program, which is scheduled to end on Friday, March 11. According to Williamson, those farmers still in the office or halls at 5 p.m. on Friday, March 11, will be taken care of; however, there will be no Saturday work for the public, nor will there be a register sign-up. "We will lock our door at 5 p.m. on March 11, and those who have not taken advantage of the time alloted for the sign-up in the PIK program will have no further opportunity for the 1983 signup," Wil-

liams said.

Texas Cowbelles Will Sponsor Beef Cook Off Five finalists will com-

pete at the Texas Beef Cook Off on April 15, 16 to be held in Laredo, Texas. Prizes are \$300 for first place; \$200 for second place and \$100 for third place. Additionally, first place winner will represent Texas at the National Beef Cook Off on September 19-21 in Bismarck, North Dakota. Prizes on the national level include \$5,000 for first place, \$2,500 for second place and \$1,000 for third place. There will be five honorable mentions with prizes of \$300 each.

Recipes must contain a minimum of two pounds of meat, and not more than five. The meat must be exclusively beef. Cooking time may not exceed four hours and the recipe must be specific, with no use of brand names. It must state the number of servings and approximate preparation time. All entries become the property of the Texas Cowbelles.

Contestants must be 18 years or older. All recipes are judged according to taste, ease of preparation and practicality; originality and appearance.

The Texas Cook-off is sponsored by the Texas CowBelles in cooperation with the Beef Industry Council of the Meat Board.

farmers to get into the office and get signed into the program before the deadline to avoid any complications. "There will be no sign-ups after the March 11 date regardless of misinformation currently being published by several other sources," Williamson

commented. Williamson explained that at this particular time (Friday) the signup was going well for Bailey County and there was a distinct possibility that each farmer who wanted to could get signed up, unless they begin to create a backlog by waiting until the latter part of next week. All farmers for which a 1983 acreage base and yield has been established for wheat, feed grain, upland cotton, and rice under the previously announced farm programs are eligible to participate in PIK.

Both state and county ASCS officials are optimistic for quick action to change the tax treatment of PIK commodities, allowing farmers to pay the tax on the crops in a regular fashion, instead of before-

Area producers are once again reminded of the opening of "Whole Base County. The opening of bids will occur on Friday, March 18 at about 10 a.m. in the Community Room of the Muleshoe State Bank Building. Information the Bailey County ASCS sends to the national headquarters will be used to determine the amounts, if any, of whole base bid acres that will be eligible in Bailey County. These county bids will be opened by the County Committee Cont. Page 6, Col. 5

Commissioners Have Quiet Meeting

The Bailey County Commissioner's Court met on Wednesday, March 2 for a special session in the Courthouse, beginning at 10 a.m.

No action was taken on the proposed meeting with Bob Blackwood regarding cancer policies for county employees.

The County Treasurer's monthly report was read and approved by the Court for the month of February. Cont. Page 6, Col. 2



MHS BAND IN CONCERT The Muleshoe High School Band performed their annual spring concert for the public on Thursday evening in the High School auditorium under the direction of Eddie Chance. Band Director. Four students were honored for their outstanding endeavors in the field of music. They were: Laura Leal, Nicki Haggins, Donna Horn and Robert Nowlin. Members of all three Muleshoe Schools were included in the

Marketing Alternatives Given For PIK Grains grain may be marketed in In answer to the many

questions offered up by this area and other producers, the United States Department of Agriculture has come up with some of the most pertinent questions along with the answers deemed necessary by them. The following information is paraphrased from Texas Notice IF-172 from the USDA, printed on February 10, 1983; and, provides producer marketing alternatives for PIK wheat and feed grains. The Payment in Kind

program will guarantee wheat and feed grain farmers a quality adjusted quantity of grain at his regular harvest time for his area. The PIK grain may come from several sources: Farmer stocks farmer-owned reserve, or under loan, whether in farm storage or from stocks that the CCC owns. The much the same fashion as grain that has been grown and harvested on the farm. The option of a CCC loan on PIK grain, however, is not available. According to the USDA, the best PIK marketing depends on the individual farmer. For PIK grain the best marketing option may depend on whether the farmer's PIK Commodities are located on Cont. Page 6, Col. 3



LUBBOCK TUMBLING MEET--Five, six and seven year old boys and girls from Hawkins and Purdy School of Dance and Gymnastics competed recently in a Lubbock tumbling meet. From left: Cassie Cuevas, Jarah Redwine, Sean Flannary, Guywayne Nickels, Emily Harris, and Jeanne Cox. Not pictured: Jenna and Keetha Glover.

Sudan News

By Evelyn Ritchie

Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Swart entertained their family Saturday night with a supper in their home. Attending were Arron Swart of Denver, Colo., Mr. and Mrs. Britt Seart and children of Clayton, N.M., Mrs. Ruth Swart of Littlefield, Mr. and Mrs. Roger Swart and Dusty of Abilene; Mr. and Mrs. Terry Swart and Kelsey, Mr. and Mrs. James Humphreys and Krystal all of Sudan. Mrs. Ruth Swart had all four of her great grandchildren with her for the first time. Joining them were Mr. and Mrs. Bud DeLoach.

Mr. and Mrs. Roger Swart and Dusty of Abilene were weekend visitors in the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Swart and were here to attend the 50th wedding anniversary celebration of his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Bud DeLoach.

Mrs. Katie Turner was released Monday from the Lubbock General Hospital where she had been a patient for the past several

Barbara Conley was released Wednesday from the Methodist Hospital in Lubbock where she underwent surgery last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Stewart of Logan, New Mexico were guests Sunday night in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Bud DeLoach.

They are old time friends of the DeLoach family and were here to attend the 50th wedding anniversary reception for Bud and Ida

Polly Kent was in Levelland last week to visit her granddaughter, Heather

Members of the Sudan ISD School Board and their wifes were in Clovis Friday night for dinner at Poor Boys.

Mr. and Mrs. Greg Humphreys of Lubbock visited during the weekend with his father, Mr. and Mrs. John A. Humphreys and grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Dood Haragan and his brother, Mr. and Mrs. James Humphreys and daughter.

Among those who are or have been patients in the Amherst Hospital recently include, Mrs. Viola Core, Mrs. J.P. Arnold, Mrs. Viola Shupe, Kim Messamore, June Pierce, Alice McCarty, Ray Wood, Veda Terrell, Clara Kent, Paul and Lila Wersel.

LATEST ARRIVALS

Rachel Lynn Whalin

Mr. and Mrs. Randall Whalin of Lubbock are the proud parents of a daughter, Rache! Lynn, born Feb.

Rachel Lynn weighed seven pounds and four ounces and was 21 and a fourth inches long. She is the couple's first child.

Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Herb Whalin of Muleshoe and Mr. and Mrs. Gene Holcomb of

Great grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Weaver of Amarillo and Aubrey Lummus of Sundown.

Brandon Chad Richardson

Mr. and Mrs. Brent Richardson of Morton are the proud parents of a son born March 1 at 2 p.m. at South Park Hospital in Lubbock.

The young man weighed seven pounds and 14 ounces and has been named Brandon Chad. He is the first child for the

Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Coy Hicks of Houston and Mr. and Mrs. Don Richardson of Morton. Great grandmother is Mrs. Ella Hallford

John's Custom Mill



PURINA PRODUCTS

50# Hi Pro Dog Food	\$15.50
50# Field & Farm Dog Food	\$11.40
20# Purina Cat Chow	\$11.50
10# Purina Cat Chow	\$6.50
50# Purina Horse & Mule Feed	
50# Omolene 100	\$6.25
50# Omolene 200	
50# Purina Pig Starter	
50# Purina Pig Grower	
50# Purina Hi-O Starter	

We give a 2% discount on cash sales.



High Octane® Hog Chow®

This 27% produce more pork using less feed.

JOHN'S CUSTOM

272-4373 523 E. Amer.

Classical Clothing Projects A Professional Image

Classically styled gar- these women, 86 percent ments help the professional woman project an appropriate image for business. With the competitiveness of today's job market, projecting this image is important," says Nancy Brown, clothing specialist with the Texas Agricultural Extension Service, Texas A&M University System.

According to Brown, a recent survey shows working women believe their manner of dress is important in creating a successful image, and most said that purchasing garments which project competance is vital to their careers. Of

50 Lb. Bag 916 Regular

preferred classically styled clothing and were generally less influenced by current fashion.

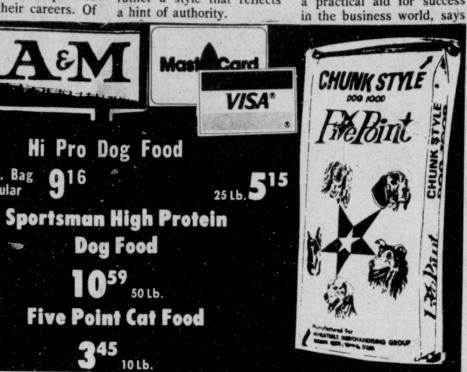
Because classical garments are an investment that will last for several years, less money must be allocated to the clothing budget each year, adds Brown.

Classical designs, unlike fads, are seasonless. In women's clothing they are similar to men's tailored suits: simple, clean, yet elegant. There is no clutter and no direct focus, but rather a style that reflects a hint of authority.

To acheive a classic look, Brown recommends emphasis on suits, skirts, soft blouses, blazers and jacket dresses to develop a slim and natural silhouette.

For a businesslike appearance use straight lines, restrained curves, and vertical movement. Brown advises. Avoid soft curves, small detail and pastel colors because they project a weaker, feminine image.

People who dress and look successful tend to receive preferential treatment. in business encounters. So the proper wardrobe can be a practical aid for success



Golden Gleams

Say no ill of the year till it be past. -George Herbert.

A Play On Words American women are the world.

NOTES---- COMMENTS . Too many individuals

try to be smart instead of truthful. A politician's paradise is a campaign without

opposition.

A little confidence in a person can often produce great results.



DON'S BACKHOE SERVICE

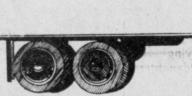
965-2370

Your Money Buys More!

6 Ways To Buy

- 90 Days Free Interest
- Regular Monthly Pay Mastercard
 Visa
- · Layaway · Cash Free Delivery

111 Main





Broyhill

5 Piece Pine **Bedroom Suite** Free Nightstand

Mary Olds, Bertha Ver-

een, Gina Nichols and Mrs.

E.E. Lam of Wichita Falls

all vacationed last week in

Ruidoso, N.M. Accompany-

ing them was their other

sister, Maureen Faris, They

At The Shoe Store

Don't tell a woman that one

foot is larger than the other--

in this shop we say,

"Madam, your left foot is

Manager (to salesman)--

home

returned

Thursday.

***799**

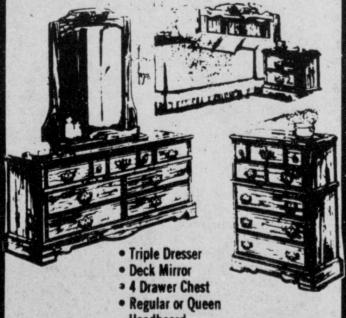
Lehigh 6 Piece Pine 4 Poster

***1,188**

Bedroom Suite Gillespie

Was *1,995

6 Piece Oak **Bedroom Suite** \$1,550 Was *2,195



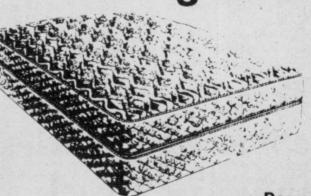
4 Piece Pine

Bedroom Suite

All Tables



Sealey **Bedding Sale**



Per Set & Up

100% Nylon Installed CARPET

Sofa & **Loveseat Set** \$499 & Up

Sofa Sleeper \$ **599 Loveseat With Purchase**

\$ 100

5 Piece

Dinette Set

Gillespie

Oak **Diningroom Suite**

Table 6 Chairs

1,550 **China Cabinet** Was 1,995

Gillespie

Oak **Diningroom Suite**

Table 6 Chairs

***1,295**

China Cabinet

Was 1,795

Swivel Rockers



Baby Shower Honors Mrs. Terry Scott

honored with a baby shower Sunday, Feb. 27 from 2 to 3:30 p.m. in the home of Mrs. Terry Field.

Guests were greeted by Mrs. Field, Mrs. Gene Caldwell and the honoree. Mrs. W.B. Wagnon and Mrs. Joe Mack Wagnon

served thumbprint cookies, banana punch, nuts and mints from a brass punchbowl and trays.

The serving table was covered with a white cloth and accented with an arrangement of silk spring flowers. The honoree's corsage was made of ivory and red silk flowers.

Special guests included: Mrs. Gene Caldwell, mother of the honoree; Mrs. Mabel Caldwell, grandmother; and Carolyn Sanders, sister in law.

The hostesses gift was a

Area Resident Volunteer Time To KENW-TV

Residents from Muleshoe will volunteer their time this March to help make KENW-TV's Festival '83 a success. The Festival airs March 5-20.

Doug and Rhoda Buie of Muleshoe will travel to VENW's Portales studios to take telephone pledges one night during the

Festival. The 16-day Festival is the main fund-raising effort made by public television stations across America.

playpen. Hostesses for the occasion included: Mrs. John Jones, Mrs. Larry Broyles, Mrs. W.B. Wagnon, Jr., Mrs. James Brown, Mrs. Kenneth Johnson, Mrs. Doug Bales, Mrs. Gene McGuire, Mrs. Joe Mack Wagnon, Mrs. Ben Green, Mrs. Gordon Wilson, Mrs. Mack Hodges and Mrs. Terry Field.

Bridge, Shanghai

Tournament

Scheduled

Zeta Rho sorority will sponsor a Bridge and Shanghai Tournament at the Bailey County Coliseum on Saturday, March 12, from 1:30 to 5:30. Card enthusiasts will enter the tournament of their choice and refreshments will be served.

Prizes are to be awarded to the high point and second high in bridge. Shanghai prizes will be given for low point and second low. In addition, all entrants will be ellegible in a drawing for a door prize.

Prizes for the event have graciously been donated by Western Drug, Poynor's White's Store, Antiques and Junk, Anthony's, Decorator's Nursery and Floral, and Lookin' Good.

Tickets are available for a \$3.00 donation at the Muleshoe office of General Telephone from any Zeta Rho member, or at the door. For further information contact Doris Scoggin at 272-5080, or Sherri Shipman at 272-3318.

24-HOUR PLUMBING **SERVICE**

LEAL'S PLUMBING

272-3588

There are over 100 changes in this year's tax laws and forms.

H&R Block preparers have received special training. to help you this year. Did you know there are two different short forms, increased deductions for an IRA, and increased child care credits ... and many more changes? We've done our homework on the new tax laws, so you don't have to.

224 W. 2nd

Weekdays 9-6 Sat. 9-5

272-3332

H&R BLOCK

Set of 2 Ducks

The new tax laws.



MRS. TERRY SCOTT

Anniversary Reception Honors

Mr. And Mrs. De Loach Loach of Spade and Marja

Swart.

gifts.

the guests.

Mr. and Mrs. Bud De-Loach were honored Sunday, Feb. 20 with a reception in the fellowship hall of the Sudan First Baptist Church in observance of their 50th. wedding anniversary. The event was hosted by their children, Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Swart and family and Mr. and Mrs. Robert DeLoach and family, all of Sudan.

The serving table was covered with a floor length all over ecru lace over an ecru underskirt and accented with a silk flora! arrangement of yellow roses.

The three tiered cake was decorated in white, trimmed with white roses and a gold "50" in the center with gold leaves around the base. Coffee, punch, nuts and white bell shaped mints were served from crystal and gold

Serving were their granddaughters, Kelly De-

Jason Hanna Celebrates Third Birthday

Mr. and Mrs. Mark Jason, on his third birth-

napkins.

Others attending were his grandmothers, Mrs. Margaret Williams, Mrs. Mary Hanna; Vicki Bailey, Lisa, Curtis and Stephen, Mechele Edwards and Johnathan, Mike Hanna, Brad Hanna, Charles and Pam Williams and his brother, Jeremy

Hanna honored their son, day, February 16 with a party in their home.

A "Clown" theme was carried out with a clown cake, tablecloth, cups and

March 22. City Council will meet Wednesday, March 9, at the Corrall to discuss Founder's Day. It was also announced

bake sale on March 29.

Schedules Ritual Of Jewels

Alpha Zeta Pi Sorority met Tuesday, March 1 in the home of Mary Pool. were the hostesses for the

Marilyn Riley called the meeting to order. Debbi

Ms. Riley announced that the next meeting will be on March 15 in the home of Alice Liles.

The closing Ritual was recited and the meeting adjourned.

Black gave a program titled "How Well Do You Know Your Mate."

German chocolate cake, Italian Cream cake, tea and Annette Bonds, Debbie Green, Pool, Kristi Phelps, Marilyn Riley, Gina Smith, Jenice Williamson and Jan

Baby Shower Honors Mrs. Shellye Pickering

and son, Jake Cameron, were honored with a baby shower Saturday, Feb. 26 from 2 to 4 p.m. in the

ipananananananananananananan WOTS Weekly

Meeting

CONTRACTOR OF THE PROPERTY OF Kay Moncrief and Donna Noriega were the hostesses for the March 3 WOTS luncheon held at Summit Savings.

Members present includ-

ed Mildred Williams, Pat Cummins, Alice Phillips, Bertha Welkener, Kay Moncrief and Tyson, Mary Ann Rameriz, Nora Flannary, Linda Cogliandra, Lois Martinec, Kathy Railsback, Mary Smith, Pat Mudford, Kay Madry, Lydia Wright, Denna Noriega, Margaret Quintana and Joseph, Faye Wellborn, Rhonda Hugg, Shera Wood, Glenda Duncan, Johnnie Ferris, Rose Crosswhite, Kiley and Deborah, Linda Shellye Pickering, Jerrod and Jake, Deanna Rasco, Pamela Thomason and Brandon, Adelia Jones, Edna Haynes and Brenden, Ramona Engram, Karen Mason.

Guests present included Ada Thomsen. The group welcomed Pam Acklin as a new member. Her husband, Wayne works for

Hostesses for the March 10 luncheon will be Johnnie Ferris and Linda Sims.

For more information on WOTS you may call Alice Phillips at 272-5172 or Lois Martinec at 272-3019.

the chapter \$20.00 instead.

Following the business

meeting, tea and desserts

were served to the mem-

bership. The next meeting

Summit Savings, with

Donna Green and Margorie

Merritt hostessing.

be March 15, at

XI Omicron XI Meeting Held In Purdy Home

Xi Omicron Xi chapter of Each member will need to Beta Sigma Phi met Tues- bring baked goods that will day, March 2, at 8:00 p.m. sell for \$20.00 or pay into of Cindy in the nome Purdy, with Joan Lewis and Cindy Purdy serving as

Swart of Abilene. Kathy

Humphreys and Deanna

both of Sudan assisted in

opening and recording

granddaughter, registered

On display were a group

of family photographs from

before their wedding on

down through their four

Out of town guests were

registered from Logan,

N.M., Abilene, Lubbock,

Muleshoe, Littlefield and

great grandchildren.

Shawni

granddaughters,

DeLoach,

hostesses. Keith Medole, Bailey County Juvenile Probation Officer, gave an interesting program on child abuse. He also encouraged everyones assistance with the juvenile employment service ("YES") soon to be

underway. Lindy Schuster presided over the business meeting. Those in attendance were: Lindy Schuster, Cindy Purdy, Joan Lewis, Pat Black, Vicki Black, Gayla Toombs, Judy Wilbanks, Joy Glover, Rickie Warren, Anita Allgood, Margie Merritt and Jean Tread-

Judy Wilbanks reported that the chapter has \$272.52 in the bank. Lindy Schuster announced that the makeup meeting will be held March 15. The Progressive Party will be held

that the chapter will have a

Alpha Zeta Pi

Tonya Pool and Gina Smith

Nickels reported that Ritual of Jewels is scheduled for April 5, at Debbie Hutto's

Tonya Pool and Tammy

coffee were served to Bush, Lyniece Goodnough, Heathington, Debbie Hutto, Alice Liles, Paula Mc-Means, Debbie Nickels, Peggy Pohlmeier, Tonya

Guests were greeted by Mrs. Glenda Powell and the honoree.

A lace tablecloth accented the serving table along with a baby blanket cake made by the honoree's

Corsages made of blue netting, bows and baby rattlers were given to the honoree, her mother and mother in law.

Chocolate chip and peanut butter cookies, mixed nuts and pink lemonade were served. Special guests included:

Nell Shaver, mother of the honoree and Shirley Neugebauer, mother in law of the honoree. The hostesses gifts were blanket, bumper pads, crib sheet and a bath

colored teddy bear print. Hostesses for the occasion included Glenda Duncan, Pamela Thomason, Linda Cogliandro Glenda Powell.

sponge, all with a pastel

presenter Muleshoe Singing Group eservery

The Muleshoe Singing Group met Saturday, Feb. 26 in the fellowship hall of the Trinity Baptist Church.

Twenty-three were present including two from Portales, one from Farwell, Mr. and Mrs. Bub Shafer and Mr. and Mrs. R.L. Clark of Muleshoe.

Cecil Rundell, president, was in charge of the meeting. Rundell and Mrs. J.C. Shanks presented two numbers with Rundell on the harmonica and Mrs. Shanks at the piano.

After several arrangements of solo's, duets, quartets, Fred Wilbanks gave the benediction.

Classroom Etiquette "What dirty hands you have, Tommy!" said the young teacher. "What would you say if I came to school

without washing my hands?" "Wouldn't say anything," replied Tommy. "I'd



MRS. SHELLYE PICKERING AND JAKE CAMERON

Kropp's Celebrate Birthdays

Mr. and Mrs. Claude Kropp were honored Sunday by their children and grandchildren with dinner, in observance of their birthdays, in the home of their son, Mr. and Mrs. Butch Waller, Tyrel, Jason and Katrina of Dimmitt. A Mexican Fiesta buffet style was served.

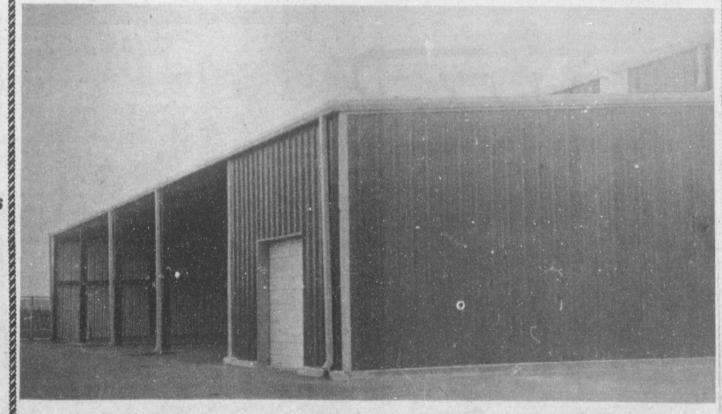
Others attending included Mr. and Mrs. Troy Waller of Canyon, Mr. and

Mrs. Mark Parker and Regina Croft of Amarillo; Mrs. Linda Minchew, Kirkland, Kyle and Rosie Walker, Mr. and Mrs. John Kropp, Sonny, Blu , Errin and Matthew, all of Hereford.

No matter how big a scoundrel a man may seem, always remember that, to someone, he's a pretty good guy.



5-AREA TELEPHONE CO-OP YOUR NEW ADDITION



WE ARE HAPPY TO HAVE HAD THE OPPORTUNITY TO SERVE YOU



BUTLER

Butler Metal Buildings and Grain Bins

HARDIN CONSTRUCTION

West Hwy. 84

Jim Nichols

Muleshoe

Fans & Fancies 1609 N. Prince

CERAMIC BASE.

Handpainted Porcelain

MADE OF LOVELY BISQUE PORCELAIN.

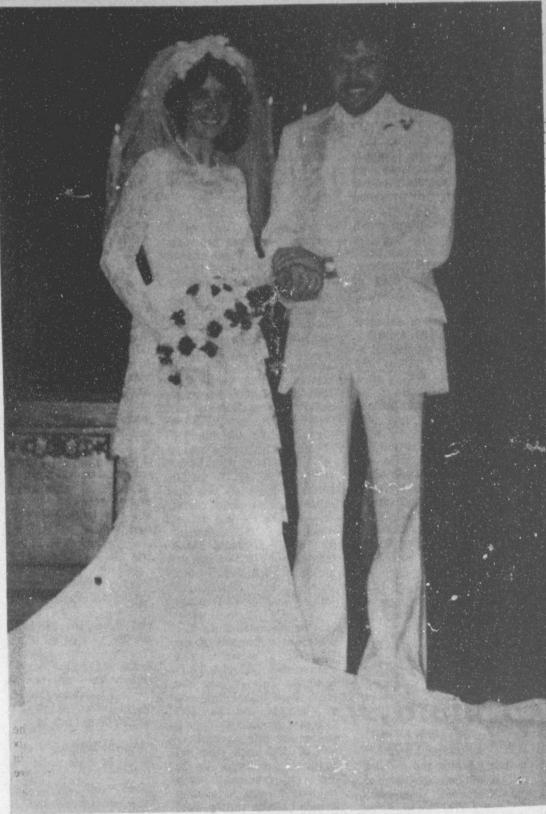
HANDPAINTED WITH AUTHENIC

DETAILING.

MOUNTED ATOP A WOOD-GRAIN

762-5704

Reg. '1995



MARRIAGE ANNOUNCED . . . Regina Gail Williams and Buddy Criss Eshleman exchanged marraige vows Feb. 5 at the First Baptist Church of Levelland. Dr. Thrash read the double ring vows. Parents of the couple are Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Williams of Levelland and Mr. and Mrs. Jack Eshleman of Clovis, N.M. Debra Briddle served as maid of honor. Bridesmaids were Rhonda Boggs of Levelland, sister of the bride and Ava Williams of Portales, N.M., cousin of the bride. Melissa Boggs, niece of the bride, served as ring bearer. Candlelighters were Peggy Ann Baldwin of Levelland and Susan Raye Huckabee of Friona. Carlton Reed of Clovis served as best man. Groomsmen were David Ruther of Enid, Okla. and Farron Williams of Levelland. Ushers were Jackie Williams and Jerry Boggs of Levelland and Larry Livingston of Albuquerque, N.M. Following the ceremony a reception was held in the fellowship hall. Grandparents of the couple are Mr. and Mrs. H.A. Huckabee of Levelland, Mrs. Belle Williams of Muleshoe, Mr. and Mrs. Orris Eshleman of Texico, N.M. and Mr. and Mrs. J.D. Burton of Conchas Dam, N.M. The bride is a graduate of Levelland High School and South Plains College. Eshleman is a graduate of Texico High School. They will make their home in Enid, Okla.

Firemen Auxiliary Meeting Held

The Firemen Auxiliary of the Sudan Fire Department met Monday, February 14

at 7:30 at the fire hall. Vice-president, Ann Carson presided over the meeting. Several items of

business were discussed. It in the year. ELECTRICAL CONTRACTING RESIDENTIAL - COMMERCIAL - TROUBLESHOOTING



was decided to start having again each

The Auxiliary voted to have a salad supper Tuesday, March 8 at 6:30 at the Community Center. All ladies whose husband are on the fire department are urged to attend.

It was also decided to organize a ladies pumper team and to challenge the men's pumper team later

ONE MINUTE SPORTS OUIZ 1. In what sport is Andrea Jaeger known?

> 2. Who won the Joe-Garagiola-Tucson Open golf tour-

The salad supper will

take the place of the reg-

ular meeting in March.

Next meeting will be April

11th and the group will be

going to Lubbock General

Hospital to tour the burn

Members present were

Mary Ann Gordon, Ann

Carson, Louise DeLa Riva,

Linda Summer, Dorothy

Hill and Norma Burnett.

3. Who was named NFL offensive player of the year?

Answers To Sports Quiz

1. Women's tennis.

2. Gil Morgan. 3. Dan Fouts, quarterback for San Diego Chargers.



VALLEY GRAIN PRODUCTS P.O. BOX 484 Muleshoe, Texas

Valley Grain Products, Inc. is LOOKING FOR NEW GROWERS for the 1983 growing season.

We are OFFERING NEW MARKETS for corn.

We are in the process of completing our 60 million pound per year masa (corn flour) facility.

We are PAYING PREMIUM PRICES for human consumption white and yellow food corn varieties.

We will be here ... after PIK is gone.

CALL: 272-5545 or 272-4636

ASK FOR: Jeff Smith or Max Crittenden Division Manager or Field Representative Researchers & Processors of Premium Quadity Corn Produc





BOYS AND GIRLS COMPETE--Muleshoe Twisters from Hawkins and Purdy School of Dance and Gymnastics competed in a meet at Lubbock recently. Back row (L-R) Kent Oliver, Casey Estep, David Lutz, and Chad Nickels. Front row (L-R) Angie King, Lashelle Scoggin and D'Anne Box.

Nursing Home News Joy Stancell

Fri. Russ Duncan, Cordelia Cochran, Ora Roberts, Bunnie Hurd, Cleo Bellar, Alma Henley, Lois Eth-ridge, Ruby McCamish attended the A.A.R.P. meeting at the Civic Center. They enjoyed a delicious meal and fellowship with the members. Our thanks to Helen Free, Minnie Singleterry and Mr. and Mrs. F.B. Ruthardt for helping us.

Fri. afternoon Bro. Don

Knight from the Trinity Baptist Church came to have a Devo. with the residents.

Louise Sullivan celebrated her birthday Sat. Her son and his family were here visiting for the occasion. Her daughter Patti sent her a big bouquet of

We are enjoying our silk plant given to us by Decorators Floral.

Wed. morning the nursing home was presented with a big beautiful T.V. This was made possible by memorial funds donated to our Hospital and Nursing

quality and growth of the

arts in Texas. Formed in

1976, the Alliance supports

the goals of the Texas

Commission on the Arts,

In concert with other

state arts organizations, it

serves the arts as advo-

cates, educating and in-

forming its members and

the public about legislative

and program issues in the

the state arts agency.

Texas Arts Awards Call For Nominations voted to supporting the

Nominations are being accepted through March 15 for the 1983 Texas Arts Awards for Distinguished Contributions to the Arts.

The awards, co-sponsored by the Texas Arts Alliance and the Texas Commission on the Arts, recognize volunteers who have made significant contributions to the arts in the categories of Business, Community, Creativity, Individual, Media, Organiza-Professional and

Award winners will be honored at a public award ceremony on April 27 in Austin. Category guidelines, nomination forms and ceremony information may be requested from the Texas Arts Alliance, Box 5513, Austin, TX 78763 or by calling (512)474-2263.

The Texas Arts Alliance is a grassroots, nonprofit organization of citizens de-

Study Club

The Muleshoe Study Club met Feb. 24 in the home of Mrs. Wilma Thompson, the hostess.

The state of the s

Mrs. Betty Jo Carpenter led the Club Collect and Mrs. A.C. Neely led the salute to the flag.

Mrs. J.G. Arnn called the roll and read the minutes of the previous meeting. Mrs. Wilma Thompson gave the treasury report.
Mrs. Orval Williams,

President of Caprock Disttrict TFWC, gave a program on the many things clubs do for the community, state and nation. "As Federated Womens Club we are community calalyst, assessing the needs of our community and volunteering to meet the needs," Mrs. Williams said.

She placed special emphasis as each club department, Fine Arts, Conservation, Texas Heritage, Education, International Affairs, Home Life and Public Affairs. She stated that if we wanted to accomplish something to ask the busy people to help, they are the ones who get things done. She said the word America has three words in it, Me. I, and Can, to get it done.

Mrs. Costen conducted a short business meeting. Cheese cake, coffee and tea was served to the following members and guest: Mrs. J.G. Arnn, Mrs. Betty Jo Carpenter, Mrs. Joe Costen, Mrs. A.C. Neely, Mrs. Rufus Gilbreath, Mrs. Charles Shain, Mrs. Doyle Turner, Mrs. Barry Lewis, Mrs. Wilson Witherspoon and Mrs. Orval Williams.

SENIOR CITIZENS

The Bailey County Senior Citizens met in the First United Methodist Church fellowship hall for a covered dish luncheon. Invocation was given by Fred

Wilbanks. Thirty nine were present including 11 from the Nursing Home, Cordelia Cochran, Alma Henley, Cleo Bellar, Lois Ethridge, Louise Sullivan, Lena Ruthardt, Ruby McCamish, Ruby Gore, Bunnie Hurd, Helen Free, and Joy Stancell.

Other visitors were Mr. and Mrs. Fred Wilbanks, Wenona Gibson, Rose Sain and Gil Lamb. Wenona Gibson is a new member.

The meeting was called to order by the president, Mrs. Mildred Head. Minutes of the previous meeting were read and approved. A collection of \$23.70 was taken for cards and memorials.

Wed. morning Mrs.

Minnie Cash was visited

several times by her

Annie Dunn spent the

weekend at the home of

her daughter Benny Weid-

bush. She states that she

Mr. Baker was visited by

his wife, his daughter Mrs.

Ruby Kerr, his grand-

daughter Lindy and her

daughters Wed. They also

Louise Sullivan, Ruby

Gore, Ruby McCamish,

Alma Henley, Lois Ethridge, Cleo Bellar, Bunnie

Hurd, Cordelia Cochran at-

tended the Senior Citizens

luncheon Mon, at the

Methodist Church. Our thanks to Homer Milsap for

taking us on the Senior

Marie Engram was vis-

ited by Jerry Hutton, Lav-

erne Stephens of Earth,

Wilma Waddle, Nelda

Merriott, Mrs. Austin, Nan

Gatlin, Josie Flowers, Lela

Ann Smith, Maud Kersey,

Mrs. Alta Tyler was vis-

ited by her family Wed.

Citizens bus.

Sonia Florace.

visited Ernest Kerr.

had a "wonderful time."

daughter Marie Bradley.

Alma Henley was visited

by her daughter Cleo.

Mr. and Mrs. Doc Goucher were selected as the "Sweetheart Couple." "Let Me Call You Sweetheart" was sung, led by Mae Wilterding.

Five celebrated birthdays, Eva Ashford, Durward Head, Clarence Wilhite, Ruby McCamish and Fred Wilbands. Happy birthday was sung

Eva Ashford and Mae Wilterding was in charge of the program and they presented the Muleshoe Singers, who sang several

The group was dismissed numbers. with the singing of "Bless Be The Tie That Binds."

By Sarah Anne Sheridan

Sweet potatoes have more starches and sugars and, therefore, yield about one-third more energy value than white potatoes.

One medium-sized deep yellow sweet potato will supply the normal person's daily need of vitamin A.

Baked Sweet Potatoes

Select potatoes of uniform size for baking. Wash and trim off ends. Grease skins slightly.

Put potatoes in a pan and bake slowly. Turn once during baking. Butter generously when eating.

Sweet Potato Secrets

- 1 c cold mashed sweet
- potatoes 1 T milk
- Salt and pepper
- 1 t baking powder 12 marshmallows Fine dry bread crumbs

2 eggs beaten Beat potatoes with a little hot milk until they are fluffy but not too soft. Mix in bak-

ing powder and seasoning. Form 2 tablespoons of potato mixture around each marshmallow. Roll in bread crumbs, then in egg which has been diluted with milk, then in bread crumbs.

Cook 3 minutes in hot fat. Drain on paper and serve at once with baked apple rings.

Planting Time Is Here

We Have Garden Seed & Onion Sets.

Ray Griffiths & Sons Grain Elevator Main & American Blvd.

Also See Us For Your Field Crop Seeds.





Editor: Kacy Henry

Official Publication of Muleshoe High School Written and Edited by Students of the Muleshoe Schools

In the very near future, a

for the public.

Monthly

Meeting

NHS Holds

money making projects.

English Class

Visits ENMU

The senior English IV

students traveled to the

Eastern New Mexico Uni-

versity Library Wednesday,

March 2nd. They left the

high school parking lot at

8:30. Mrs. Walker, ENMU

librarian, took the students

on a tour of the library and

then the students found re-

sources to assist them in

writing their research

papers. The students went

to lunch at the Student

Union building and had

free time to play games,

bowl, etc. until 2:00. The

class then returned home.

Library

Sunday, March 6, 1983



On Thursday, February 24, members of the Muleshoe High School Mock Trial Team and their sponsors traveled to Lubbock to compete in the Regional Mock Trial Competition. Team members and their positions are Robert Nowlin and Freddy Vela, attorneys for the plaintiff; Scott Ellard and Jay Pearson, attorneys for the defense; Lynda Bell and David Pruitt, witnesses for both the plaintiff and the defense; also Shelli Walker and Perry Flowers, student managers. Sponsors attending were Jean Allison, Civics teacher; Wayland Ethridge, Principal of Muleshoe High School; and Gary Miller student teacher

under Mrs. Allison. The Muleshoe Mock Trial Team was matched against Lubbock Coronado in round 1 with Muleshoe drawing

Muleshoe School Menu

BREAKFAST & LUNCH MONDAY BREAKFAST Milk Cereal Fruit

MONDAY LUNCH

Steak & Gravy Creamed Potatoes Green Beans Hot Rolls TUESDAY BREAKFAST Milk

Toast Jelly Fruit TUESDAY LUNCH

Milk Hamburgers Lettuce & Tomato Pickles & Onions Tater Tots

Fruit Cobbler WEDNESDAY BREAKFAST

Honey Buns Juice WEDNESDAY LUNCH Milk Enchailada Casserole Pinto Beans Cole Slaw

Corn Bread Peanut Butter Confection THURSDAY BREAKFAST Milk Toast

Jelly Fruit THURSDAY LUNCH

Corn Dogs Veg. Beef Soup Crackers Cinnamon Rolls Fruit

FRIDAY BREAKFAST Milk Cereal Fruit

FRIDAY LUNCH Milk Fried Chicken & Gravy Creamed Potatoes

Eng. Peas Hot Rolls

COMBO LINE MARCH 7-11-1983 MONDAY

Milk Pizza Mixed Vegetables

Pickles Fruit TUESDAY

Milk Hamburgers Lettuce & Tomato Pickles & Onions Tater Tots Fruit Cobbler

WEDNESDAY Mexican Salad Fried Okra Crackers

Fruit THURSDAY Milk

Burritos Cheese Corn on Cob Fruit

FRIDAY Milk Fish Sandwiches Cheese Stick Salad

Fruit

defense. This meant that Jay Pearson and Scott Ellard were defense attorneys with Lynda Bell and David Pruitt acting as witnesses for the defense. Each team performed very professionally, and the judges noted that it was very difficult to choose the winner. They chose Muleshoe as the team which best proved its side, but chose Lubbock Coronado as the team making the best presenta-

In round two, Muleshoe went against Floydada with Muleshoe presenting the plaintiff's side, Robert Nowlin and Freddy Vela being the attorneys, and with Lynda Bell and David Pruitt acting as witnesses for the plaintiff. Muleshoe won both the presentation and the case in this round.

In round three, Lubbock Coronado and Floydada went against each other with the judges finding Lubbock the winner of both the case and presentation. At this points, Lubbock and Muleshoe had both won three parts each in the competition, but because Lubbock did win two of the presentations, they will be the team which will advance to the State Mock Trial Competition in Dallas March 17.

FHA, HERO Attends Convention

Last Thursday, February 24th, HERO and FHA held a combined meeting to discuss the Area Convention which will be held in Lubbock on Friday and Saturday, March 4th and 5th. The top ten students with the highest points will be attending from each club. Those attending for HERO are Marleea Cox, Beth Harmon, Charli Hawkins, Tamara Gilliland, Jeff Combs, David Pruitt, Kristin Wanner, Berna Lopez, Sandra Agundis, Abbye Kennedy, and Cathy Lopez. Representing FHA will be Shelly Sain, Donna Horn, Wuerflien, Holly Janna Oakes, Andrea DeLeon,

and Rachael Hodges. They have an exciting weekend ahead of them, but at this time there have been no results turned in to the staff.

Jeans still reign as popular casual wear, but this season they are seen in evening wear. Black jeans, for dress and evening wear, are paired with tuxedo shirt and black tie. Popular tops are seen in silk, lurex, sweaters and

The Muleshoe team was praised as being very polite and showing a great deal of experience in handling their case. Although it was disappointing not getting to go to State, all concerned decided that this was a wonderful learning experience, not only for the team members but also for all the Civics classes. The Lubbock sponsor was very

interested in knowing how the mock trial competition was incorporated into the classroom activities as this has not been done in the case of Lubbock Coronado. Congratulations to the Muleshoe Mock Trial Team and the civics classes for competing so outstandingly against a much larger

Artist Featured

Mrs. Sandi Chitwood, the MHS Art teacher is beginning a new program to recognize Outstanding students in her art classes this spring. Each week the Mule's Tale will feature the "Artist of the Week" who will be chosen by Mrs. Chitwood for his or her exceptional work in art.

The first student to be recognized is senior artist Raul Garcia. Raul has been in art for four years in high school, and also participates in track and field events at MHS. In the past four years, he has been involved in just about all kinds of art, but he says he has especially enjoyed his senior year because he has been able to work in areas in which he feels he is the most capable. Raul is an accomplished sculptor and also enjoys clay modeling. He commented, "I feel more comfortable trying to create something out of a piece of plaster, and gives me great pleasure when I am finished and other people, especially friends of mine, appreciate the work I did.'

According to Mrs. Chitwood, Raul is a very enthusiastic Art student and he is always willing to help his fellow students and share his talents with those around him.

When asked about his future, Raul said that he

***** Calendar Of Events

Monday March 7, 1983 Pictures of all school organizations by Lonnie

Tuesday 8, 1983 One Act Play Festival 5-9 p.m. Girls Golf at Tulia, Tennis tour. with Friona at Muleshoe 4:00 p.m.

Wednesday March 9, 1983 Girls Golf at Littlefield Thursday March 10, 1983 Open House 7-9 p.m.

Friday March 11, 1983 7-8-9 Track at Bovina, Tennis tourn. with Friona at

Saturday March 12, 1983 Track, Boys and Girls at Floydada.



State University, and pursue his art career, "probably in some form sculpting.

Congratulations to Raul Garcia, this Week's Feature Artist!

Local Lodgers Sponsor Essay Contest

The Odd Fellows and Rebekahs of America lodges are sponsoring the annual "United Nations Pilgrimage for Youth." This is an essay contest in which the winner will take part in a fabulous educational bus tour to New York. The trip varies from six to twenty-one days in duration and is paid for by the lodges except for spending money which amounts to about \$50.00 -

\$75.00. In order to apply, stu-dents must get a "candi-date's experience sheet" from the sponsoring Odd Fellow and/or Rebekah lodge. Boys and girls who next summer will be 16 or 17 years of age and will have completed their Sophomore or Junior year of high school are eligible.

Seniors are not eligible. Most selecting committees expect each candidate to take a 50 question exam on the United Nations. They will also review each 'Candidate's experience for sheet" scholarship, leadership, character, extra-curricular activities, concern for community welfare, and interest in world affairs. Interviews will be arranged. A written essay on "What the U.N.

Means to Me" or a similar topic will be required from among the six or eight top ranking candidates in each local area. Deadline is March 22, 1983, when the essays will be picked up from the high school principal. Students wishing to apply and compete for a delegate's position to the United Nations Pilgrimage for Youth should contact the local Oddfellows or Rebekahs for information.

Varsity Golf Has First Tournament

The varsity boys golf team traveled to Hereford for their first tournament of the season on Thursday and Friday March 3rd and

Coach Jerry Robinson took the five boys who had the best qualifying scores from practice. All team members however, will attend the District meets. The five boys participating in the tournament were Sammy Gonzales, senior, Scoggin, Jason Hector Flores, sophomore, Loy Triana and Sergio Leal, both freshman. The results of this

tourney were not available at presstime. The Mule's Tale Staff wishes the golf team a successful season!!

***** Happy Birthday ****

February 27, Cathy Guz-February 28, Jessie

Holmes, Lupe Martinez March 2, Laurey Grant March 3, Jose Sanchez, Elvira Nunez March 4, Alfredo Ville-

gas, Kim Holman, Brenda Flowers March 5, Kevin Peterson, Perry Whalin, Misti Prater, Lee Free

HAPPY BIRTHDAY March 7, Heather Merritt March 9, Lucy Padillo March 10, Hector Gardea March 12, Ben Payne, Sylvia Ibarra, Kristi Heath-

ington, Jackie Holmes.



AT THE FTA CONVENTION in Dallas the Muleshoe FTA delegates managed to find time to do a little ice skating. Pictured L-R are Michael Isaac who was among the top six finalists for Mr. FTA, Rhonda Dunham, Cristal Taylor who was the third place winner in the Miss FTA competition, Scott Campbell, Kacy Henry, and Jeff Hamilton. In front are Darin Shaw who is the new Texas FTA financial secretary, and Sherri Bessire. One Act Play Gets

Superior Rating Muleshoe High School's one act play received a 1st division rating of superior at the Eastern New Mexico University Drama Festival this past weekend. Michael Isaac, Freddy Vela and Jeff Combs all received superior acting ratings. This year's one act play is entitled 'Royal Hunt of the Sun." It is, a story about how 167 Spanish conquistadors conquered the Inca Empire. The conflict between Pizarro, Spanish General, and

iards and Incas alike. Cast members include: Scott Ellard, Perry Flowers, Hector Garcia, Jeff Combs, Chevenne Bickel, Michael Isaac, David Pruitt, Freddy Vela, David Vela, Chad Williams, Jimmie Lee, Danny Seales, Kelly Hamblen, Brenda Flowers, and Tonda Gunstream. The stage crew consists of Dale Hughes, Cary Watkins, and Melissa Wagnon. Belinda Clayton and Shelli Walker are in

Inca Empire, determines

the life and death of Span-

Performances of the play will be: March 12-Muleshoe Drama Festival, March 22-District 2-AAA Contest, and March 26-Dinner Theatre at the high school cafeteria. The Area Contest at Plainview will be April 9. the Regional Contest at Odessa will be April 15, and the State Contest in Austin will be April 28. The Mule's Tale Staff

charge of the make-up.

would like to congratulate the one act play members for their superior performance at ENMU and wish them Good Luck in the upcoming contests!

Atahualpa, sun god of the Fine Arts Boosters-A Valuable Asset

Over the years many people of our community have heard of the Fine Arts Boosters organization and thought of them as a nameless group who are always asking for donations of food, money, or manpower for various projects.

The organization started many years ago as Band Boosters, and as the need increased for financial aid for speech and art, the present Fine Arts Boosters evolved.

Many people do not know just what the FA Boosters do for the school. In the past band uniforms have been purchased by this group. Three years ago the beautiful black blazers worn by the Jr. High band were bought by the boosters. Meals for students attending UIL Competition and All Region Band meets are also furnished by the FA Boosters. Money is given to aid student leaders in summer camp programs. Each year teachers from Band, Art, and Speech Depts. of Jr. High and High School submit a budget to the Boosters, and that amount is usually met, unless the organization is very low on funds. This supplements what the school budgets each department, and still there

are needs. the biggest One of Booster projects is the concession stand at all Jr. High and High School home football games. This takes much manpower and many hours of planning. Usually during the school year, the Boosters sponsor a salad luncheon. The Fine Arts Dinner Theatre is rapidly becoming a favorite. As last year, a saladcasserole supper, a fantastic style show, a stage band concert, and a very entertaining play from the Speech and Drama Dept. will be presented. Also Art work from the Art Students will be on display. All this may be enjoyed for the price of one ticket. This event is scheduled for

Monday night, March 28th.

Be watching for more pub-

The Booster organization feels that the Fine Arts and Academic structure of our school is very important, and the students involved need all the encouragement we can give.

If you are interested in

being a Fine Arts Booster member, they meet in the band hall at 7:30 p.m. on the 4th Mon. of each month of the school year. If you are interested in helping with projects and cannot attend the monthly meetings, call Dianne Allison at 272-3304.

Muleshoe Attends **Tennis Tourney**

The Muleshoe Varsity Tennis Team attended a tournament in Dimmitt last Friday. With a total team score of 24 points, Muleshoe placed third in the tournament which is very good considering it was the first tournament of the

In their first Laurie Grant and Isabel Posadas defeated Burnet and Green easily with set counts of 7-5, 6-2. Of course this was a doubles match. Staci Smith and Deborah Nieman defeated Ropes and Harris. They had a great doubles match 6-0 and 6-1. In boy's doubles, Rob Donaldson and Robert Vela lost to Christian and Daniel of Farwell 6-3, 5-7, 6-0. Preston Scoggin and Tyree Vandiver also lost to two boys from Petersburg.

In girls singles Staci Smith defeated Jana Rogers 6-2, 6-2, then she lost to Ortiz 6-3, 7-5. She turned around and beat Leslie Wienkie of Petersburg 7-5, 7-6 and we would like to congratulate Staci for a good show and 3rd place position in the tournament. Laurie Grant defeated Jane Decker 7-6, 6-4, and lost to Castie Berry of Farwell 6-0.

In the boy's singles Paul Silguero lost to Bryan Hugi of Pettersburg 6-4, 6-4. Terry Graves defeated Eubank of Farwell 7-6, 6-3. and then defeated Mathews of Petersburg 6-2, 6-4. Terry lost to Joe Saucets of Dimmitt 3-6, 6-4, 6-4, then

defeated Brian Sheffield also of Dimmitt 6-3, 7-5, and took the position of third place tournament.

The teams entered in the tournament were Anton (the 1st place winner in the tourney), Farwell, Petersburg, Dimmitt, and Muleshoe. The Mule's Tale Staff would like to congratulate the Mules coach, Rosalind Stapleton, and the teams for p tting on such a great

MHS Open House To Be Held

During Texas Public Schools week, March 7th through 11th, Muleshoe High School will hold open house on Thursday night from 7:00 to 9:00. Everyone is invited to attend and view the results of the renovation project that has taken place this year. All parents of high school students are encouraged to come by and visit with the teachers and administration. The MHS Gifted-Talented Program is planning a preview of their Present Problem Solving contest entry on the miniature golf course in Muleshoe, and Student Council members will be on hand to greet visitors and show people around. Please support your Public Schools during this special week!



This group found themselves at Taos for a fun-filled weekend. Pictured L-R are Eddie

Flowers, senior, John David Agee, Tonda Gunstream, and Jeff Hamilton, all juniors, Scott

Campbell, senior, and Candy Long and Jay Cage, juniors.

Land Commissioners Agent Visits In Muleshoe

Texas Land Commissioner Garry Mauro has appointed Lorenzo M. Sedeno as Area Representative for the Veterans Outreach program in the Panhandle region of Texas. Veterans Outreach is an extension of the Veterans Land Program of the General Land Office. Sedeno and four other field representatives will be going out to every county in Texas to establish contact with veterans groups and their representatives. The object of the statewide drive is to acquaint Texas veterans with the benefits of the land loan program and assist them with problems and questions concerning the loan process.

"For all the success this program has had in the past, it has to be upgraded and updated to meet the current needs of our Texas veterans. I'm concerned about each and every vet-

Elections...

Cont. from Page 1

filed for an unexpired position on the school board. He is joined for the unexpired terms by Dewey Moore and Hugh Young. Those who filed for full

terms included Gerry Pierce, Kearney Scoggin, Jim Crawford, Eugene Shaw, Julie Cage and incumbents refiling: R.D. 'Tub' Angeley and Ronnie Holt.

City Council elections will be held on Saturday, April 2 also, with Tommy Gunstream having filed for place 1 and, A.V. Wood filing for place 2. Election days will be the same for both City and school.

Muleshoe...

Cont. from Page 1 The private is a 1979 graduate of Sudan High School. ****

Airman John G. Graham, son of William J. and Betty J. Graham of 4707 64th. Lubbock, Texas, has been assigned to Keesler Air Force Base, Miss., after completing Air Force basic training.

During the six weeks at Scouts... Lackland Air Force Base, Texas, the airman studied the Air Force mission, organization and customs and received special training in human relations.

The airman will not receive specialized instruction in the communicationselectronics systems field.

His wife, Rhonda, is the daughter of Carl Houston of Route 2, Muleshoe, Texas.

Graham is a 1979 graduate of William G. Mather High School, Munising, Mich.

* Developed

272-4315

Call

Why Rent Mobile Home Spaces

When You Can Own Your Own

Half-Acre.

* Electrical

Hunter Furniture

*Natural Gas

After 6 p.m.

272-4140

★ City Water

eran in this state, especia- a minimum of 10 acres. lly Vietnam veterans, and I'm concerned prompt service. This program is going to run like a business and it will be manned by trained professionals both in the central office and out in the field," said Mauro.

Authorized by the people of Texas in 1946, nearly 80,000 veterans have participated in the Veterans Land Program. The loan program operates at no cost to the taxpayer and actually returns money from proceeds. Long term, low interest loans of up to \$20,000 can be obtained for

League...

.Cont. from Page 1 tion. No child will be signed up without this docu-

Follow-up dates for those who can not register at either of these times have been set for March 14 and 15 at the Western Auto Building.

Parents or players wishing to obtain more information on the Little League should contact Brock Sanders at 272-3229 or Bill Liles at 272-3010.

Commissioners

Cont. from Page 1

A motion was passed by the court allowing the county Judge and County Treasurer to be authorized to pay routine periodic obligations of the county for 1983. A report of disbursements will then be given to the court on a monthly basis. Such payments would include various insurance, office supplies, rents and other such like office expense.

The request for indigent medical assistance were tabled at this meeting until such time as the court can establish a rule of thumb or guidelines for this type

Routine county bills were paid and minutes of the previous meeting were read and approved.

Cont. from Page 1

Neptune and Jason Simms. Adult leaders who accompanied the troop were Elmer Scarbrough, Scout Master and Howard Watson, assistant Scout Mast-

The boys will learn such things as cooking, how to build a fire, the art of ax and knife care and use and pioneering.

The troop is scheduled to return to Muleshoe around 3 p.m. Sunday, March 6.

Lorenzo M. Sedeno is a native Texan from San Angelo who now lives in Lubbock. For three years he was administrative aide to Congressman Kent Hance. In that position he was in charge of Veterans affairs and social programs among his many other responsibilities. Prior to that he was self employed as a life underwriter for 14 years. He has been a member of the Lubbock Human Relations Commission, the Legal Aid Society, the Community Service Commission, the Bilin-

tions and several other organizations. Sedeno has held many community service offices, including President of the Pastorial Council of the Diocese of Amarillo, President of Bozeman Elementary School P.T.A. and Vice President of Project Upward Bound.

"I am happy to have a person of Lorenzo's experience representing the Veterans Land Program. His familiarity with veterans needs as well as his background in government and community affairs will make him a great asset to the program," commented Commissioner Mauro.

PIK Grain Marketing

and any farmer who has submitted a whole base bid will know whether or not it has been accepted that day. Williamson encourages producers to come to this meeting so that they can see what really goes on and what the actual procedure is in deciding who and how a whole base bid is accepted.

gual and Biculture Commi-

ttee on Mass Communica-

Local farmers should also remember that harvestable crops may not be planted on set aside or lay out land. Hay may be grazed. Spot checks will help to keep farmers honest on their amounts of layout land. Any act which would lead to the breaking of the PIK contract could result in liquidated damages being levied on the producer in question. For breaking a contract, the liquadated damage rate on corn is \$7.57.2 per bushel; for grain \$.544 per bushed; for cotton \$.152 per pound and for wheat \$.86 per bushel. Interest and late payments would also be assessed after a 30 day period has passed also.

The final kicker to the story is that farmers in the Bailey County Area who have not yet made an effort to get signed up, must without fail, do so the earlier part of this week. That is, if you plan to enter the programs at all, according to Williamson. "Waiting will only add to the problems a producer has in signing up, so don't

hold back," the Exec

Gasoline Prices

for diesel. Still another had prices of \$.99 9 for regular and \$1.039. Most prices have dropped at least six to eight cents per gallon during this past week. One particular Company who makes wholesale as well as retail sales charges two cents more for retail sales; another charges one cent more. Still another, single station operator stays below the major companies by

Almost all of the oil and people contacted agreed that the gas price drops had caused an increase in the amount of business that they have done, but some feel that it won't last. Even though more drops are expected and the end of the drops is not in sight yet, a general

consensus reveals that the price will go back up once the major companies cut back on production as they are now threatening to do. Some also allay the troubles onto the back of OPEC, and think that when that situation is corrected, so will the oil prices go back to normal. Looking back at the

changes, while they are incomplete, the last three weeks have provided the most significant drops in prices. Although the reprieve may not last, as some predict, at least Muleshoe residents can enjoy what they have while they have it. At any rate, this is the first time in quite some time that gas prices have gone lower than \$1 per gallon.

Jump Rope

Cont. from Page 1

urged to check and be sure the pledge report has been signed by Tony Eagle, coordinator, before paying the pledges.

In addition to raising much needed funds to use in the fight to reduce early death and disability from heart disease, Jump Rope for Heart introduces children to a valuable form of exercise. Jumping rope is a great physical exercise, it offers both young people and adults a lifetime physical activity. Jumping rope helps the jumper to lose weight, condition the body, release tension, increase stamina and coordination. It requires a minimum of space and equipment, and can be pursued and enjoyed throughout life. All participants will receive a Certificate of Appreciation. Each school participating also competes for statewide prizes. The top three elementary schools raising the most money per student and the top three elementary schools raising the most money per school have a chance to win springboards, tumbling tables, vaulting beams, horizontal bars and tumbling mats.

The public is invited to come out and join in the fun and competition. Persons wishing to pledge support of the rope jumping teams may contact Tony Eagle, Jump Rope for Heart coordinator.



MULESHOE VISITORS--Area representatives for Garry Mauro, Land Commissioner visited Muleshoe Thursday. (L) Lorenzo M. Sedeno of the Panhandle Region and Manny Rivas of the El Paso District. Both are with the Veteran's Outreach program.

PIK Deadline

Cont. from Page 1

the farm or at nearby

warehouses.

In cash marketing, grain producers can sell their PIK grains on cash or spot markets which are the most commonly used. These may be sold at anytime after the beginning of normal harvest time. Selling grain on the cash market provides immediate cash income. In spite of where the grain is located, the CCC will provide up to five months of storage after the normal harvest. This offers farmers the flexibility in choosing a time to sell on the cash

at the farmer's expense. Experts say "Price the grain now for later delivery," and producers who sign up for PIK could price the grain now by (1) hedging on the futures market, or (2) by selling through forward contracts and arranging for delivery after the grain becomes

market. Any PIK commo-

dity held past the five

months allowed would be

Since the assurance of receiving a given amount of PIK grain will reduce exposure to the risk of quantity shortfalls, many problems can be solved.

Farmers signed up for PIK can also committ delivery of their PIK grains within a five month period after normal harvest time, but can postpone setting the price through deferred pricing agreements. Grain producers involved

in livestock operations can use PIK grains for on-thefarm livestock feeding. Again, the PIK program can assure the farmer of a fixed quantity of grain, with a quality which is the average of grains produced for livestock feeding. Sales through Coopera-

tive grain marketing pools are an option in some areas. Where this is an option, arrangements can be made to market PIK grain in this fashion. The Coops will likely work with farmers and CCC in making arrangements that will allow farmers to market their PIK grain. The trouble with stock

speculation is that you usually sell too soon or too ***

Lazbuddie To Offer Basic Microcomputer Course Again

Lazbuddie ISD is again offering classes in Basic language programming for the microcomputer. There will be 4-21/2 hour classes beginning March 8-9 and running every Tuesday and

Mock...

Cont. from Page 1 deal of expertise in questioning and in answering questions Mrs. Allison states.

The audiance will be asked to serve as the jury and the side winning the case will be given special recognition. "We extend a special invitation to parents and other townspeople to come to the Bailey County Courthouse on Friday, March 11 for an enjoyable evening and to see their youth in action," said Jean Allison, civics instructor.

Wednesday until March 30. There will be a 5:30 session or an 8:00 session each day. Each session will be beginning basic lang. uage programming assuming a persons has never sat in front of a microcomputer before. Enrollment is 35.00 and will be limited to nine a class. To enroll or for more information call Dennis Owen at Lazbuddie ISD 965-2156 or 965-2638 after 4 p.m.

This Week's Definition

A statesman knows everything; a politician knows everyone. -Sentinel, Philippines.

.....

A symbol is worthless unless you know what it stands for.

Apply Now

ferti·lom

WEED

and

FEED

SPECIAL

before

you

see the

weeds

ferti·lome



They Come Up

ferti-lome

IN DOUBT? USE ferti-lome **Weed & Feed Special**

IN DOUBT? USE ferti-lome Weed & Feed Special

Red

A fertilizer with high nitrogen

content and with phosphoric

acid, potash and trace

3

BAKER Farm Supply



Crabgrass Preventer

22-3-11 Fertilizer

For a thick, healthy lawn, app-

ly early in the spring. Contains,

fast-acting green up power

with slow-release, root

* * * * * * * *

building nutrients.

MET WT. 48 LDS.

4110

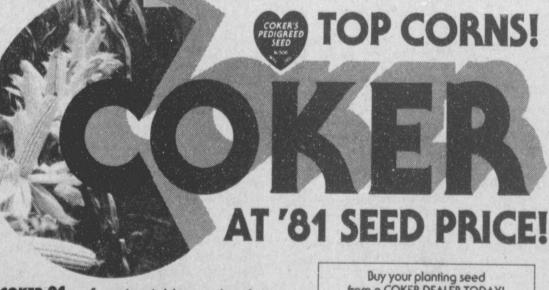
Craligrass Presenter

Plus

22-3-11 Fertilizer

Plus

BENEFIN® Crabgrass Contro



COKER 21 ... Superior yielder worthy of your best land and intensive management. Has topped most of our tests! Single cross tolerant to drought and leaf blights.

coker 19 6 19A . . . Sister lines. Coker 19 made 181 + bu/A in test at Halfway and is the 5-year yield leader there. 19A has extra stress tolerance for less productive soils. Both dry fast; mature early.

BUY COKER MILO & COTTONSEED TOO!

Buy your planting seed from a COKER DEALER TODAY!

Ag Chem Arch, NM 505-276-8237

COKER'S PEDIGREED SEED COMPANY Lubbock, TX Ph: 806-762-0832



CELEBRATES BIRTHDAY-Coach Cowley of Hawkins and Purdy School of Dance and Gymnastics celebrated his birthday with the Muleshoe Twisters recently.

Sudan News By Evelyn Ritchie

Mr. and Mrs. J.C. Wells were in Brownfield Monday to attend funeral services for her uncle. J.C. Hartman 92 who died Saturday. Services were held at the Church of God in Brown-

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Gawkoski and his son Edward of Denver visited during the weekend with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J.C. Wells, and her sisters, Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Doty and Mr. and Mrs. Glen

Mrs. Barry Nettles. Christa and Danielle of New Home visited this week with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Glen Cardwell.

Mr. and Mrs. Eddie Bond and family of Vega visited recently with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Tommy Seymore and her Tommy Wayne Seymore ed. and children.

Mr. and Mrs. Tim Kent have moved to Olton where she is employed at the Olton schools. Their son, Robbie remained here with grandmother, Polly Kent so that he may continue his senior year here in Sudan.

Mrs. Katie Turner has been a patient in the Lubbock General Hospital for the past several days.

Mr. and Mrs. Kyle Martin hosted a get together in honor of her grandmothers. (Mrs. Marv Lance of Amherst) 80th birthday. Cake, ice cream and punch were served. Others attending were Mr. and Mrs. Mike Grant of Whitharral, Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Young and Estelle Mann of Amherst and

his aunts, Mrs. Virginia Rone and Mrs. Edna Dent.

Mrs. Gladys Terry has been in Hot Springs, Ark: recently to visit her son, Dr. and Mrs. Bill Terry and also underwent tests while there.

Dr. Delbert Serratt of Amarillo visited last Monday with his mother, Mrs. Louzelle Serratt.

Hobby

The Muleshoe Hobby Club met Thursday, March 3 in the community room of Muleshoe State Bank with Mabel Caldwell, vice president, presiding over the meeting.

Minutes of the previous meeting were read and approved. A card was read from Allie Barbour and a thank you greeting card was read from Hallie Briscoe. One birthday and an anniversary were recogniz-

Articles on display included an antique embroidered dress collar, spice ball, family tree sweater, two crochet centerpieces, large rag doll, crewel embroidered picture, crochet chair pin cushion, antique spoon, seven crochet hot pan holders, yarn duster, quickpoint pin cushion and an album

cover of quickpoint. Vickie Hendricks drew the hostess gift, three crochet hot plate mats.

The 17 members present included Mabel Caldwell, Mae Provence, Francis Bruns, Edith Fox, Myrtle Wells, Jo Wilson, Ola Epperley, Fidel Shafer, Myrtle Chambless, Mae Loyd, Opal Robinson, Jane Williams, Elsie Allen, Blanche Awbrey, Ethel Julian, Vickie Hendricks and Nan

Coffee, punch and Dr. Pepper were served by the hostesses, Jane Williams and Elsie Allen.

Wayne Howell received word Tuesday that his brother, J.W. Howell, 88,

morning. *** The Senior Spotlight shines this week on Rhonda Ann Merryman who is the 17 year old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. William

of Amarillo had died that

Merryman of Sudan. She was born Feb. 13, 1965 in Corpus Christi, Texas and is now 5'3" tall, has brown hair and green

Chicken fried steak tops her list of favorite foods; blue (all colors) her favorite colors; her boyfriend, her favorite persons, Alan Alda her favorite actor. Sally Fields is her favorite actress and "Rosanna" her song. Supply" is her favorite singing group; Bookkeeping and Senior Science her favorite subject with Mr. Lowrance her favorite

teacher at SHS. Rhonda likes to play baseball and volleyball and her hobbies include reading and listening to the radio. plans to attend Amarillo College and becoming a nurse and hopes to move back to Amarillo.

Jan Parker of Lubbock visited Tuesday with her aunt and uncle, Mr. and Mrs. Claud Kropp and they went to Clovis to have dinner in observance of their birthdays.

Sheila Summer, Paul Kent and Dale Harper were among college students home for the weekend.

Cheryl Phillips and a friend of Lubbock visited Sunday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Pete Phillips and attended church services Sunday morning at the FBC with them. They also visited her sister, Mr. and Mrs. Kevin Humphreys and family.

Ron Montgomery was admitted Tuesday to the Amherst Hospital.

junior can know his lessons when he doesn't look

gy inconstruction and a second account of the second account of th Letters To The Editor

Dear Editor:

There are several bills pending in the State Legislature which are very important to our children of divorced parents, to the parents and to the grandparents. I would like to use this means of bringing them to the attention of your readers, and to urge people to contact their representatives in Austin regarding the need for passage of these bills.

It would be wise to also contact Lt. Gov. William Hobby and Gov. Mark White, asking for their assistance in getting these bills through the legislature and enacted into law.

Two of the bills are:

House Bill No. 367 by Alan Schoolcraft - relating to joint managing conserva-torship of children; and Senate Bill No. 79 by Chet Brooks - relating to the rights of grandparents to have access to their

grandchildren. Among others to be considered are: SB No. 45 by Ray Farabee, HB No. 94 by Matt Garcia and HB No. *262 by Rollin Khoury.

If you wish to read the bills before voicing your concern, you may obtain a copy by calling Senate Bill 475-2520; Distribution House Bill Distribution 475-8452 (there will be a small charge for copies) or by contacting the Austin

272-4574

office of the sponsoring legislator. Address for senators, governor and lieutenant governor: P.O. Box 12068, Capitol Station, Austin, Texas 78711; for representatives: P.O. Box 2910,

Austin 78769. For the name of the senator representing your district, call: 475-4271; for representative in House, call: 475-2213.

The Time is now -- these bills are in committee or probably will be shortly. Thank you,

/s/ Evelyn E. Lehmann Evelyn E. Lehmann Rt. 1, Box 358 Seguin, Texas 78155

Ellis Funeral Home Pre-Need Funeral Needs Price Is Frozen At Time Of Purchase & Guaranteed Muleshoe

Bailey County Journal, Muleshoe, Texas, Sunday, March 6, 1983, Section B Page 1

Time Enough "Man can do no wrong." "Right. If there's a mistake made at home, it's the

wife's fault; and if there's

one made at the office, it's

his secretary's."

Bachelor to newlywed: "How do you like married

Newlywed: "Just great. It's almost like being in

SPECIAL Oil Change

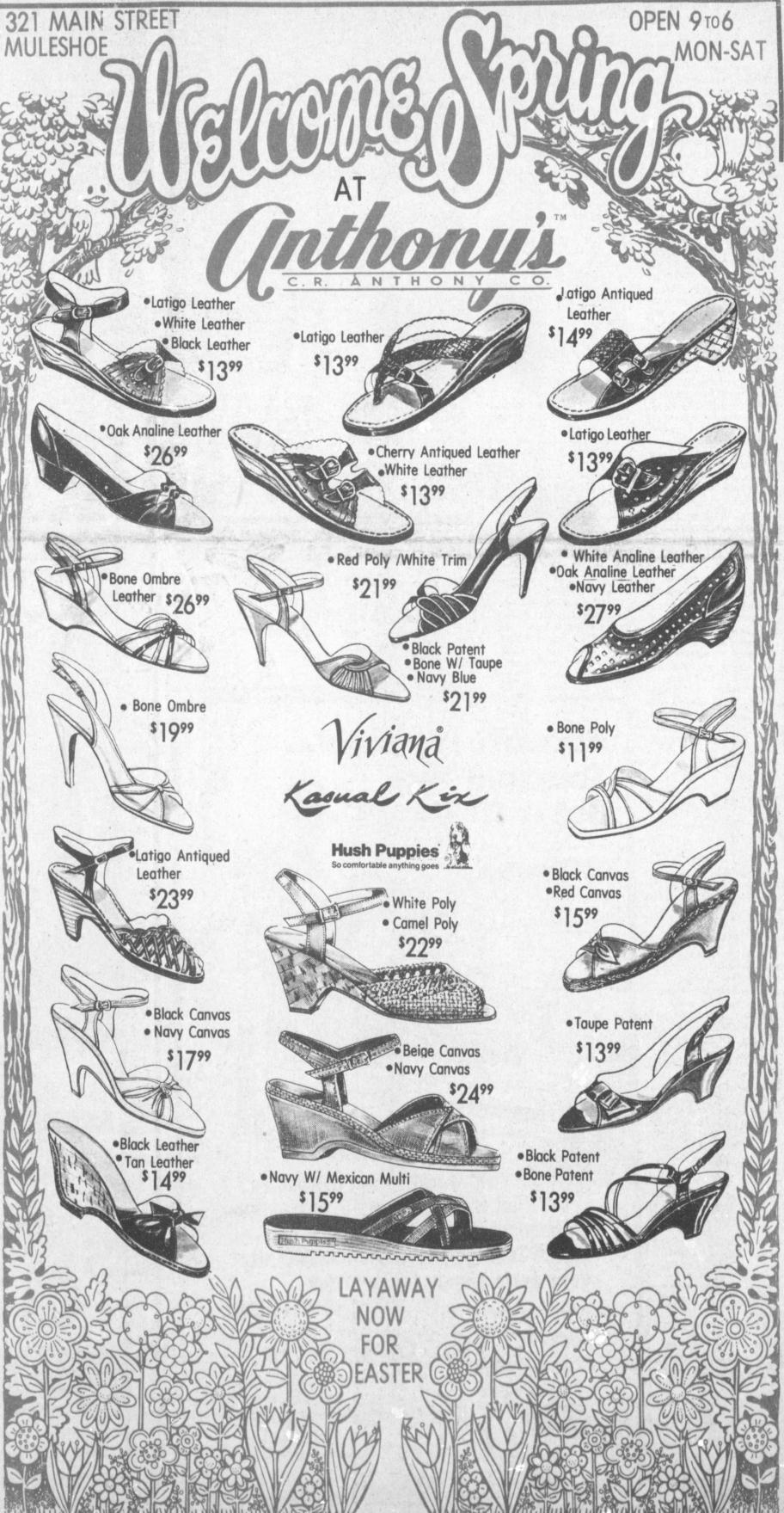
Havoline 10-40 Or Havoline 30

Up To 5 Qts.

& Filter Monday, Thru Friday, March 11

Richland Hills Texaco

1914 W. American 272-4875





Cotton Farmer To Reduce Planting

Cotton farmers plan to plant 9.2 million acres of upland cotton in 1983, according to the U.S. Department of Agriculture's Feb. 1 survey.

The total compares with 1982 plantings of 11.4 million acres. A National Cotton Council survey in mid-January indicated total cotton plantings of about 8.5 million acres, or 700,000 acres less than the USDA survey.

The major variations in the two surveys were in Texas and Oklahoma. The Council's survey put planting intentions at 4,161,000 acres in Texas while the USDA report indicated 4,800,000 acres. Council figures for Oklahoma totaled 343,000 acres and the report, 450,000 acres.

Net new sales of cotton for the 1982-83 marketing year increased by 50,900 running bales for the week ended Feb. 10 to bring the season's total commitments to 3,868,400 bales.

Major buyers were South Korea, 23,000 bales; Italy, 8.900; and Japan, 8,400,

.......

Lisa's Lines by Lisa Hamilton

We did it!! The Annual Staff finally mailed the annual. Everyone was happy especially since Annual Staff went out to eat, and we ate so much we were sick.

There were eliminations for U.I.L. events. Different events were Spelling, Number Sense, Oral Reading, and Ready Writing. All three of the grades competed in this and the winners will go to Tulia on March 8, for the district U.I.L. meet.

The annual staff is sponsoring another movie on April 13. The admission will be 75 cents and the movie is Davy Crocket.

Two seconds of laughter is worth two visits to the

Senior Spotlight

SENIOR SPOTLIGHT John Snitker, son of Mr. and Mrs. J.C. Snitker of Enochs and Mrs. Carolyn Snitker of Lubbock, was born in Muleshoe on January 2, 1965.

John's favorite food is shrimp and the color blue. He enjoys learning about the economic system of 'America in Free Enterprise. He also enjoys being the highest class and is looking forward to his Senior Trip in May. After graduation John plans on attending a diesel mechanics course at South Plains.

John played center for the Eagles. Also he playes tennis and has run track.

SENIOR SPOTLIGHT Mr. and Mrs. Leo Rubalcava are the parents of a daughter, Maria Nancy, born on Nov. 6, 1964 in Muleshoe. So goes an announcement telling of the birth of a pretty senior at

Nancy likes enchiladas and the color yellow. Her favorite subject is Home and Family living because she has learned many different things and she enjoys the class. She plans on going to college after graduation. She likes her Senior year because she gets an opportunity to do many things and have fun. She is ready for graduation and looking forward to the Senior Trip.

Nancy was '82 coming Queen, Senior Favorite, Who's Who and Most Bashful.

TEXAS PRESS ASSOCIATION

Open Letter To The Public

We all hear a lot of talk about "bare bones" budgets and "no frills" budgets. And "hold the line"

If I had to come up with a label for my budget request, I'd call it a "working budget," because that's what it is -- getting more work out of what we've already got.

We aren't asking for any

I'm saying that we can take the same people we have now and do a bigger and better job in the next two years than they are

8th Grade Boys Basketball News

The Mules played Tulia in a make-up game, and the Hornets came out on top 50-9. The high pointer for the Mules was Norman Perez with 4. This was the last game of the season for the Mules.

Previous games included the game against Friona, in which the Chieftans came out on top with a 16 to 53 victory. Roger Pean and Sidney Lewis each had 4

points for the Mules. In another Mules' game, they met the Littlefield Wildcats. The final score was 32-41, with Norman Perez receiving high point honors with 12 points.

Dimmitt defeated the Mules by a score of 32-41. Roger Pean was high pointer with 11 points.

8th Grade Mulettes

The 8th Mulettes played Friona and came away with a 22-19 score, Mulettes favor. High rebounder was Debbie Isaac with 3, Shannon Pelton with 1. Casey King came away with 6 steals followed by Lisa Black and Shannon Pelton with 3. High pointer was Debbie Isaac with 10, followed by Shannon Pelton

with 5. Congratulations!! When the 8th Mulettes played Littlefield they lost with a score of 22-41. High scorer was Debbie Isaac with 10, Jana Brown with 8 and Tisha Cox with 4. Jana Brown made 6 free throws and Debbie Isaac made 2. Field goals were made by Debbie with 4, Tisha Cox with 2, and Jana Brown already doing. We aren't asking any

new and exotic programs. We've got good programs in place now. We will simply make them produce more, faster. But you want to know

We are asking for a 2.9 percent per year increase, over present spending, simply to meet inflation in the costs of our paper and pencils and to reclassify our key producing people.

about the dollars.

Now, gentlemen, if our revenue estimate was based on a 2.9 percent inflation figure, this state would be in a world of

My figures don't include a general employee pay raise. The LBB recommendations do, and we would be happy to accept their recommendations. The Comptroller's De-

partment can live with this 'no growth'' budget and still handle the 19 percent increase we will have in the number of taxpayers we will serve. We can take the people we've got and still increase

the dollars brought in by every man and woman who works in the field. We will increase the number of audits, both in Texas and those done by

our out-of-state offices. Now, there shouldn't be any big secret as to how

Fuel-efficient tractors are goal of **Texas A&M engineers**

COLLEGE STATION -Texas A&M University agricultural engineers are developing an automated tractor system that could tell a farmer when to slow down or even shift gears to conserve fuel.

The research conducted by Texas A&M's Agricultural Engineering Department is part of an effort to help farmers improve energy efficiency, reduce their costs and lower consumers' grocery bills.

The researchers are connecting a complex network of sensors to a tractor for measuring such things as fuel flow, forward travel speed and the amount of power that's being produced.

Business Phone

806 272-4588

505 762-2772

Hybrid Corn

You've tried other hybrids,

a dependable corn crop, no one can

good performance you get from

NC +7120 - Consistently

Out-Produced NC +59 &

Other Brand Varieties

match the high yields and consistently

806-272-4647

but when it comes to harvesting

NC+ HYBRIDS.

BUTLER

Butler Metal Buildings and Grain Bins

HARDIN CONSTRUCTION

P. O. Box 367 - West American Blvd.

Muleshoe, Texas 79347

JIM NICHOLS

No More Maybe's...

This Year Has

Got To Be Good!

we are going to accomplish all this, as to how we are going to get 10 pounds of production out of a 5-pound

The answer is people -not new people, but good people. The kind of people

Farm Chemicals License Change

A recent announcement ers which are state limitedby the Texas Department of Agriculture (TDA) has indicated several important changes which apply to those farm producers who wish to obtain their private applicator certification for the use or supervision of use of a restricted or state limited pesticide for the purpose of producing an agricultural commodity. This applies on the producers own land or that he rents or leases from someone else; it also applies on the property of another if the producer applies the commodity without compensation other than trade

out of services. A major change in the rules and regulations for 1983 involve the use of Temik 15G. Temik 15G has been placed on the restricted pesticide list and each producer will need a card in order to buy the material this spring. Temik is widely used in the Bailey County area as a nematacide and for thrip control during planting, according to records. Producers must be certified as private applicators in order to purchase and use

To obtain a private applicator certificate, a producer may do one of two things: Obtain manuals, study them and fill out the test and application forms and mail to the Texas Department of Agriculture. Or - if enough producers in one location wish to take the test on a local level, the County Agent may arrange for such a meeting and testing. For more information on manuals and applications, contact the County Agent's office.

chemical.

In addition to Temik 15G, there are some other pesticides which are used frequently by some produc-

Home Phone

806 272-4948

ROBERT D. GREEN, INC

MULESHOE, TEXAS 79347

OLDSMOBILE - BUICK - PONTIAC - GMC

TERRY YELL

Sales Representative

to Temik apply to the others. According to Spencer Tanksley, Bailey County Extension Agent, a third area of consideration is chemigation. Those producers who intend to inject pyrethroids into their irrigation systems must also

use pesticides. These in-

cluded 2-4-D type herbi-

cides, Banvel and arsenic

acid which is used to

poison Johnson grass. The

same guidelines that apply

be certified. Special training meetings involve a review of approximately three hours of tapes and slide presentations and a review test.

A&M expert says price scanners will benefit consumer

COLLEGE STATION Despite consumer complaints, price tags must be removed from grocery items if supermarkets hope to realize the full benefits of new scanner systems used at checkout stands, says a marketing expert.

Most of the 5,000 grocery stores in the United States that use scanners aren't getting their money's worth from the equipment and won't realize the full economic benefits until they eliminate costly and laborintensive item price-marking, says Dr. Valarie Zeithaml of Texas A&M's College of Business Administration.

"They haven't removed the price tags because of consumer resistance," she said, "but with time, and by using proper strategies that recognize customer needs, stores should be able to successfully overcome the resistance.

we have on board right

You start with good people and you add good in-house training. There's no such thing as too much training. Then you hand these well-trained, good people a worthwhile job to

What you come up with is productivity, and that's what our budget request is all about.

The tax collector never

has a popular job. That is even more true in these hard economic times. Even a fool and his money are not easily parted by the tax

But we're not out to win a popularity contest. Our business is to get the job done in the most efficient, most creative, most direct way it can be done to pay the bills to run the rest of

state government. Thank you.

Happiness is in part the conclusion that you can't remake people or the world.

We must admit that the younger generation learns fast, but we are not so sure what.

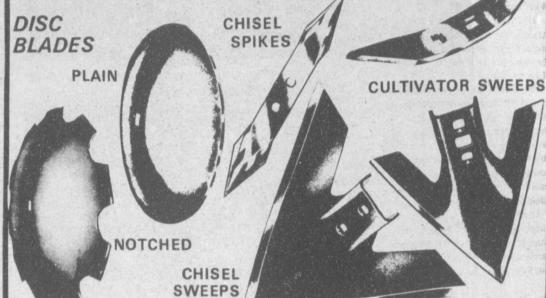
When you have work to do, you might as well do it--no one will do it for

CULTIVATOR CHISEL

SPIKES

Quality Products at A Low Price For Farm Bureau Members! TILLAGE TOOLS

A FARM BUREAU SAFEMARK* SERVICE FARM BUREAU MEMBERS - your membership card entitles you to purchase high quality American made tillage tools at a substantial savings.



BE SURE TO HAVE YOUR MEMBERSHIP CARD WITH YOU.

For Additional Information, Contact:

* Trademark registered by Farm Bureau

Baker Farm Supply

1532 W. American

272-4613





\$49.00 P165/75-13 XZXWWT 82.53 56.00 P195/75-14 XWWT 79.00 121.23 P205/75-14 129.38 84.00 P215/75-14 88.00 P205/75-15 XAWWT 86.00 131.63 P215/75-15 XWWT 89.00 P225/75-15 141.73 P235/75-15 " 148. FET: \$1.50-2.96 WHITEWALL

CUSTOM WHEELS AS LOW AS \$25

LIGHT TRUCK TIRE 700-15 XCA 8ply

94.00 99.00

Brake Service Front Disc

Turn rotors Replace front disc pads

Pack front bearings

Alignment

· Adjust caster

and camber Set toe-in •Inspect tires

Shocks

Heavy Duty

• Famous Brand Lifetime Warranty Installation

Available

Battery

24 Month •Group 24

PEACE OF MIN Ask about it at Shook. Complete Road Hazard Protection

Prices good thru March 12, 1983 FREE MOUNTING!



301 North First • 272-3420 Manager: John Robinson

SBA's Answer Desk Provides Help To Small Business Owner

Have you called SBA's "Answer Desk" yet? According to Philip J. O'Jibway, district director of the local SBA office, "Answer Desk" received

A: First read your contract

tions required to get a refund.

Then send a certified letter of de-

amount you are entitled to, and re-

quest a reply in 10 days. Send

copies to the Better Business

Bureau and the Attorney General's

Consumer Affairs Division. In the

letter notify the clinic that you are

cies and you will hire an attorney

if you are not paid in 10 days.

Q: I am interested in changing

my entire name. However, I am not yet 18 years old. What steps

A: Before you alone are legal-

ly capable of changing your name

you must be considered an "adult"

in the eyes of the law. If you are

not an adult - defined in Texas as

age 18 or married - your parents

must give their permission to the

name change. Once you have their

signatures on the petition, it is a

brief and simple lawsuit: file the

petition with the District Clerk;

ask when the District Judge will

hear uncontested matters; present

certified copy of that Order will

serve to change your name on all

license and social security. The

Court only asks you to prove you

RED TAG SALE

LUPER TIRE & SUPPLY

108 E. Washington

Morton, Tex 79347

8/16-266-507-5330

CASH AND CARRY

VISA and MASTER CARD HONORED

Mounting and Balancing Available

Federal Excise Tax Included

MICHELINS - GOODYEARS - STARS

Some Sizes and Quantity Limited

Discontinued Designs

1/2 PRICE AND BELOW

MICHELINS

\$49.95

P215/75x15 MPS

P205/75x15 MPS

P205/75x14 MPS

P195/x15 MPS

P195/x14 MPS

DR 78x14

GR 70x14

HR 78x15

FR 78x14

HR 78x14

GR 78 x 14

P 205/74 R14 - BLEM

P215/75 R14 - BLEM

\$39.95

P175/75 413

13

GOODYEAR

\$49.95

P215/75 R15

P205/75 R15

P225/75 R15

P205/75 R14

GR78x15

FR78x15

HR78x15

\$39.95

G60x14 Rally GT

\$29.95

F60x14 Rally GT

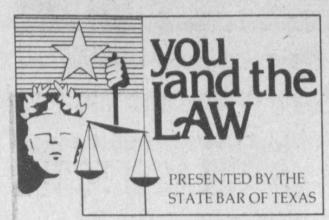
D78x14

B78x13

PLUS MANY MORE

Luper Tire & Supply

are open to me?



Q: My wife and I do not have a physical. Two days into the prowills. While we recognize the gram, I had to withdraw on the necessity for wills, we do not have advice of my physician. I have filled out all the forms for refund a spare dime to pay a lawyer. What do you suggest? ... but, so far, nothing. I need the money ... can you help me?

A: Ask your County Bar Association whether attorneys are available at reduced charge carefully and meet all the condithrough a new organization called "Lawyers Care."

You should also telephone at- mand to the clinic specifying the torneys who have a special interest in will-planning. Since they have electronic typing and similar timesaving equipment, they are often able to charge less for a will, particularly one in which the spouses leave all to each other or to an reporting this to these two agenadult for their children.

Texas does recognize a will com-to collect the refund plus legal fees pletely in your own writing-a "holographic will" - but these are rarely adequate to care for all a family's needs.

Q: The house I rent is a roach ranch and the landlord refuses to have an exterminator called in. Do I have any recourse? Can I force the landlord to have my house debugged?

A: According to the Texas Apartment Association, you do have a legal recourse should your landlord ignore your requests to have his or her property debugged. Texas law provides that when there is no contrary lease provision in the rental of a dwelling unit, there is an "implied warranty of an Order to the Court to sign. A habitability." Additional information may be obtained by contacting the Texas Apartment Associa- other records such as driver's tion at 512/458-3173.

Q: Several months ago I are not changing your name to joined a weight loss clinic, paying defraud creditors. 243 dollars in advance with the understanding, if, for any reason, I would be refunded all my money, save that money spent for

15,000 calls during its first

three months of existence. Manned by SBA's Office of Advocacy, the "Answer Desk" became operational in October 1982. SBA experts are prepared to handle questions from small business persons needing help or guidance with problems connected with their firm and the U.S. Govern-

Interested persons may dial, toll free, 800/368-5855 Monday through Friday from 8:30 a.m. to 6:00 p.m. (EST). During other hours, calls will be handled by a recording device and answered the next business

While loan questions are still in the majority, a slight decrease has been noted and more businessoriented questions are asked:

How many women-owned businesses are there, a Xerox Corporation office asked. "Answer Desk" personnel mailed a copy of the 1982 President's Report on Small Business.

Can we provide a list of manufacturers of gold chains? No, but the

Thomas Register of American Manufacturers in your city public library would be the source.

A new manufacturer of women's blouses needed to know how to obtain a required "RN" number to be stamped on each item. "Answer Desk" told him how to obtain it from the Federal Trade Commission.

An area which is now particularly topical is that of tax questions. "Answer Desk" refers callers to their accountants or local IRS, including the new TELE-TAX taped message service covering 140 tax

"SBA's 'Answer Desk' is proving to be an important and needed service to help small business men and women deal with the complexities of Government," said O'Jibway.

"If our Office of Advocacy cannot answer a question directly, they will be ready to refer the caller to the appropriate Government office in Washington or around the country. Our specialists will also be supported by a wide variety of resource materials."

The public should continue to call the Lubbock SBA office at (806)743-7462 for inquiries of a routine nature or to inquire on specific cases.

No Comparison Between Soviet, U.S. Agriculture

Most discussions regarding the United States and Russia usually center on military strength. But in the crucial area of agriculture and the capacity of each country to feed its own people, Russia is in deep trouble.

"While our exportable food surplus is climbing, the Soviet Union's dependence on imported foods is growing," says Dr. Bill Black.

"This year Russia will import more than 40 million tons of grain, or nearly one-fourth of all the grain fed to Soviet people and livestock. About one-half of their grain imports will come from the North breadbasket, American mostly from the U.S.," says Black, an economist with the Texas Agricultural Extension Service, Texas A&M University System.

By comparison, the U.S. will export about three times more grain than Russia's total imports, notes the economist.

Black describes the Soviet Union as a centrally planned economy in which the country's leaders annually plan that their agriculture will produce sufficient food to feed their people and livestock. However, each year their production continues to fall short by a growing amount, with bad weather generally blamed for the deficit.

With 3.7 million people in U.S. agriculture--of which 2.4 million are family farm managers--this nation produced twice as much grain the past year as the Soviet Union with its 26 million farm workers.

"Individual productivity and individual decisionmaking in the U.S. make all the difference in the world," emphasizes Black. "Our farmers respond daily to market signals and information; they are flexible, adaptive creatures."

In turn, the government makes all the decisions in Russia. Farm workers on collective farms customarily leave their tractors promptly at five o'clock regardless of the circumstances. "This clearly shows that the proprietary initiative of the U.S. farmer is missing," says Black.

As long as this situation exists, the Soviet Union will continue to depend heavily on other countries for its food and fiber notes supplies, economist.

"The long line of ships that now connect American farms with Soviet dining tables constitutes a growing economic link between the

two countries," says Black. "This eventually could affect their political relations as well."

Old Man Remains Found Near Austin

known man in Texas and possibly North America have been discovered by archeologists at a burial site north of Austin.

Dr. Frank Weir, head of the archeology section of the State Department of Highways and Public Transportation (DHT), is certain the skeletal remains are older than 7,000 B.C. Exact dating for the burial remains will have to await radio-carbon testing which will take about a month.

What is possibly more significant about the site is the abundance of artifacts that have been found to depth of 12 feet or more. Typical sites in Texas yield 3 to 7 artifacts such as dart points and scrapers but this site, in continuous use for at least 7,000 years, has already vielded over 100.

Dr. Dave Dibble, director

of the Texas Archeological Survey based at the University of Texas at Austin, has termed it "the best Plainview site in the Western Hemisphere." Plainview is the term archeologists give to prehistoric artifacts of a certain type, generally the oldest in North America. Another significnt finding

thought previously to have existed in separate historic periods were found to have inhabited the site at the same time. Dart points of the Gower and Angostura types were found mixed during an his-

which the unusual quantity

of artifacts yielded is that

certain cultural groups

toric period tentatively estimated at 3,000-6,000 DHT archeolotists are

continuing to work at removing the skeletal re-

ATTEND THE CHURCH OF YOUR CHOICE

EMMANUEL BAPTIST CHURCH Iglesia Bautista Emmaneul 107 East Third Isaias Cardenas, Pastor RICHLAND HILLS BAPTIST CHURCH 17th and West Ave. D Brock Sanders, Pastor SPANISH BAPTIST MISSION East Third and Ave. E. Roy Martinez, Pastor RINITY BAPTIST CHURCH 314 Ave. B

Don Knight, Pastor LONGVIEW BAPTIST CHURCH Phone 946-3413

B.C. Stonecipher, Pastor SIXTEENTH AND AVE.D CHURCH OF CHRIST James Johnson, Pastor

Sunday - 10:30 a.m. Evening - 6 p.m. Wednesday - 8 p.m. PROGRESS BAPTIST CHURCH Donald G. Proctor, Pastor Progress, Texas NORTHSIDE CHURCH OF CHRIST 117 E. Birch Street SPANISH ASSEMBLY OF GOD East 6th and Ave. F Luis campos, Pastor UNITED PENTECOSTAL GOSPEL LIGHTHOUSE CHURCH 207 E. Ave G. George Green, Pastor

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH 220 West Ave. E J.E. Meeks, Pastor TEMPLO CALVARIO 507 S. Main Sunday - 10:00 a.m. Sunday evening - 7:00 p.m.

Evangelistic Services

J.L. Soto, Pastor

201 Main

Dairy

Queen

MULESHOE BAPTIST CHURCH

8th and Ave. G

Bob Dodd, Pastor

FAITHFUL AND OBEDIENT The dog has a reputation for being faithful and obedient. Many have been known to give their lives in sacrifice for their master. How wonderful are the joys when we faithfully attend the Lord's house and obey his word. How great the praise when



"Well done, thou good and faithful

the Lord can say ...

for man and of His demand for man to respond to that love by loving his neighbor. Without truth which alone will set him free to live as a child of God.

> CHURCH OF THE NAZARENE 9th and Ave. C Jimmie Williams, Pastor

FIRST CHRISTIAN CHURCH 130 W. Ave. G Dick Tarr, Pastor Sunday School - 10:00 a.m. Worship 11:00 a.m. LATIN AMERICAN METHODIST MISSION 5th and Ave. D R.Q. Chavez, Pastor THE COMMUNITY CHURCH Morton Highway H.D. Hunter, Pastor CALVARY BAPTIST CHURCH 1733 W. Ave. C James Williams, Pastor PROGRESS SECOND BAPTIST CHURCH 1st and 3rd Sundays Clifford Slay, Pastor FIRST UNITED METHODIST CHURCH 507 W. 2nd, Muleshoe Bill Kent, Pastor ST. JOHN LUTHERAN Lariat, Texas Sunday School - 10:00 a.m. Worship Service - 11:00 a.m. Herman J. Schelter, Pastor PRIMITIVE BAPTIST CHURCH 621 S. First Elder Bernard Gowens MULESHOE CHURCH OF CHRIST Clovis Highway JOHN A. BOOR, Minister Jehovah Witness Friona Highway Boyd Lowery, Pastor IMMACULATE CONCEPTION CATHOLIC Father Patrick Maher Northeast of City in Morrison Edition ST. MATTHEW BAPTIST CHURCH Corner of West Boston and W. Birch

> NEW COVENANT CHURCH Plainview Highway Sunday - 10:00 a.m. Wednasday - 7:00 p.m. Jimmy Low, Pastor

M.S. Brown, Pastor

FIRST ASSEMBLY OF GOD 521 South First Lee R. Rich, Pastor

Bratcher Motor Supply

\$ 107 E. Ave. B Western Drug

5 114 Main

Thornton Chevorlet

272-3100

Manager 272-3412

Market Co. 272-4288 506 W. Amer. Blvd. 272-4361 First National

James Roy Meat

Bank "Home Owned" 272-3106 202 S. 1st 272-4515

Five Area Telephone Cooperative Inc. 272-5533

Margie Hawkins Farmers Spraying American Valley Service

Grocery Where Friends Meet & Prices Talk

White's Cashway

Irrigation Pumps & Power

> Baker Farm Supply Inc.

Dent-Rempe Inplement Co. John Deere Dealer 272-4297

Muleshoe Co-op Gins

Lambert Cleaners

Steam Carpet Cleaning **Drapery Cleaning** 123 Main 272-4626

Farmers Co - Op **Elevators** 3 Locations to Serve You

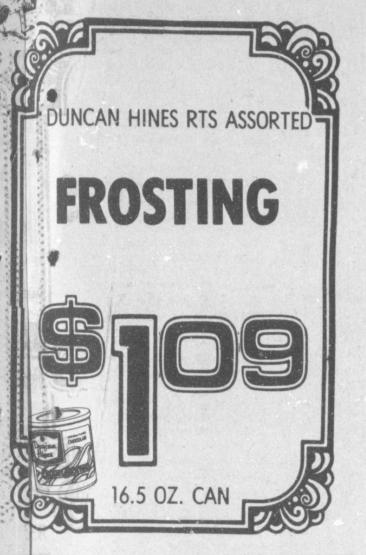
Morton, Tx.



4! 11/65



Warren Givens Won Circle W Blue Stamps Worth \$50000





7° OFF LABEL

FROZEN FOODS & DAIRY

ICE CREAM LADY BORDEN & 239 RD. CTN. FROSTY POPS REGULAR 24 CT. PKG.

BUTTERMILK BORDEN 1/2 GAL. S

COBBLERS PET RITZ 26 OZ.

SHELLS PET RITZ

SHELLS PET RITZ MULTI-PIE

SPREAD SHEDD'S 5-ALIVE SNOW CROP 12 OZ. CAN

HEALTH & BEAUTY AIDS

BAND AID sheer

5439

50 CT. CAN

J&J ALL WIDE/KITCHEN

AL 40° OFF LABEL 24 OZ. MOUTHWASH BTL.

AIM 30° OFF LABEL



HORMEL SUPER SELECT LEAN TRIM QUARTER PORK LOIN/ FAMILY PAK 9-11 ASSTD. CHOPS

Ever wonder what Oscar Mayer has in store for you...

BOLOGNA OSCAR MAYER MEAT/ \$4 59 PKG. ARIETY PAK OSCAR MAYER \$4 99 PKG.

CHOPS SUPER SELECT LEAN \$219 SAUSAGE HATCH COUNTRY 1 LB. ROLL

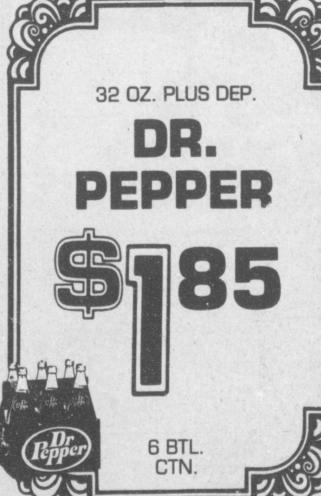
SAUSAGE HATCH COUNTRY 2 LB. 5317

SUPER SELECT LEAN TRIM COUNTRY STYLE

SPARE







STORE ADDRESS:

515 W. AMER. BLVD.

272-4406



News

MARRIAGE LICENSE Edward Bernard Chisom and Elida Ramirez, Friona. WARRANTY DEEDS

Lional R. Lane and wife, Rita Lane to David L. Robinson and wife, Jeri L. Robinson -- The West 30.08 feet of Lot (131) and the East 44.92 feet of Lot (132), Richland Hills Addition to the City of Muleshoe, Bailey County, Texas.

Joe L. Smallwood to Cruz Villalobos and wife, Mary Tina Vallalobos -- The Southerly 163/3 feet of Lot (4) and the Northerly 163/3 feet of Lot (5), Block (2), Golf Course Addition to the Town of Muleshoe, Bailey County, Texas.

Jimmy G. Watson and wife, Sandra Joyce Watson to Jerry N. Hicks and wife, Mary K. Hicks -- All of Lot Number (1), Block Number (3), Muleshoe Park Addition to the Town of Muleshoe, Bailey County, Texas.

Marton K. Myrick to J. Nazario Flores and wife, Sylvia Flores - - Lot (3) in Block (3), Warren Addition Number (2) to the City of Muleshoe, Bailey County, Texas.

COUNTY COURT Jesse Navajar, Public Intoxication, \$50; Cecilio Chavec, Order of Dismissal, Alonzo Melendez Sigala, DWI, \$200; Ethel Mae Busby, DWI, 3 days jail, \$250 fine.

Sudan Hornettes Win Area

The Hornettes won 65-29 over Motley County in Area Basketball play Tuesday night to advance to the Regional Tournament to be played this weekend.

Three Hornettes hit in double figures in the game Sharla 17; Missy 10 and

The Hornettes took an 18-6 lead in the first quarter and maintained the ead throughout. Lisa hit the nets with 3; Sharla and Missy 2 and Judy from the floor and Shanda 2 from the line. The locals added another 15 in the second quarter with Jeannie, Sharla and Lisa all hitting 2 field goals and Sharla 1 free and Missy one field goal. Motley County hit 8 for a half time score of

In the third quarter, Lisa exploded with 5 from the floor and Jeannia, Judy and Sharla all added a field goal for another 16. Motley Co. added 8.

The Hornettes added 16 more in the fourth quarter with Sharla hitting 2 each for 6; Marie 2 free ones; Missy 2 field goals and Lisa and Jeannia each a field goal. Their opponents added 7 more.

This brings the Hornettes up to play against Phillips Regional Tournament Friday afternoon.

The Hornettes deprated Phillips 55-35.

Courthouse

W.H. Eubanks and Ruth Eubanks VS Burl Cooley and Barbara Cooley, Default Judgment. Manuela Serrano and Jesse Serrano, DV **NEW VEHICLES BOUGHT** IN FEB.* 1983

DISTRICT COURT

Scott L. Gober, 1983 GMC PU. Robert Green, Inc.; Aaron Lee, 1982 GMC PU, Robert D. Green, Inc.; Billy E. Askins, 1983 Buick 4dr, Robert D. Green, Inc.; E.T. Ford, 1983 Ford PU, Gentry Ford, Mercury, Inc.

West Plains Medical Center

ADMITTED Feb. 28-Geneva Thomason, Jeri Herzog, Thresia Davis, Elvira Trevina, Mary Edminston and Maggie Daniell

March 1-Lashelle Morris, Lorena Ronguillo, Mildred Bonez, Guaina Mendoza and Margarita Martinez.

March 2-J.D. Bayless, Timmy Gonzales and Myra Robertson

DISMISSED

Feb. 28-Jose Ibarra March 1-Chelsi Koltwasser, John Welch, Donna Kirk and baby girl, David

March 2-Charlie Villareal, Ann Moore, Billy Joe Galvon, Raymond Roubinek, Bernice Amerson, Jeri Herzog and Geneva Thomason

March 3-Joshua Tientona and Lovi Pohlmeier

Letter To The Editor

Gentlemen: I would like to take the

opportunity thru your newspaper to publicly thank Mr. and Mrs. Robert Harrison of Muleshoe. On Saturday, February 19th I was enroute to Lubbock's Methodist Hospital with my son who was seriously ill. Outside of the Lubbock city limits I had trouble with my car and could not drive on in to the hospital. Mr. and Mrs. Harrison stopped and helped me to get my son in their car along with our luggage and took us right on in to the hospital's emergency room with out any problems. Within 30 minutes he was in emergency surgery and has been very ill. Without their help, I wonder what would have happened to us.

Again I would like to thank Mr. and Mrs. Harrison for their help and concern and let them know that they are truly "Good Samaritan's."

My son is lots better and we are looking forward to returning to our home in Brownfield soon. Sincerely

/s/Wonda Thomas Mrs. Wonda Thomas & Bill 1306 South Pecos Brownfield, TX 79316





Time To Use ferti-lome.

Flowering Shrub Food

Baker Farm Supply

1532 W. American

Murder Trends In Texas

is increasing almost three times as fast as the population growth rate, according to a recent study by the Criminal Justice Center at Sam Houston State University.

While the state's population increased 26.7% in the 10 years from 1972-81, the murder rate shot up 69.9%. The United States a whole had an 8.8% population increase and 21.6% murder rate increase.

The figures come from the first comprehensive study of Texas murder statistics ever published. The study was a joint effort of the Criminal Justice Center and the Texas Department of Public Safety.

"Murder is the ultimate crime," said Colonel Jim Adams, Department of Public Safety director. "It is a crime that touches every citizen of Texas. Many of us know or are related to victims and the rest of us are surely conscious of its threat. Other findings of the

study included: *More murders, proportionately, occur in large cities:

*Females are much less likely to be murder victims than males:

*White males are much less likely to be victims than black males: *Murder is moving up on

the list of the top 10 causes *The "lovers' triangle" is declining as a cause of

murder; *Handguns are being used less as murder weapons, with other weapons, knives and other sharp ob-

jects being used more; *Murder case disposition and sentencing has changed little in 10 years;

*Unless something is done, murder rates will continue to rise faster than population increases.

Dr. Raymond H. C. Teske, Jr., director of the Criminal Justice Center's Survey Research Program, said that 80% of all Texans live in areas of 50,000 or larger, yet 87.7% of the murders occur in such

In 1981, the report says 18.2 of every 100,000 persons living in urban areas (above 50,000) were victims of murder. The rate for rural areas was 11.3 and for small cities 8.9.

A Texan's chance of becoming a murder victim increased dramatically in 10 years. In 1972 one of every 8,118 Texans was murdered; in 1981 one in 5,906.

During 1981 a man was almost five times as likely to be murdered as a woman. One in every 3,545 men was a murder victim, and one of every 17,465 women.

A black male was eight times more likely to be murdered than a male--one of every 6,259 white males to one of every 1,241 black males.

A particularly scary figure for black males aged 30-39 is that in 1981 one of every 573 in that category

"The data suggest that during the 25 year span from age 20 to age 54 a black male is running an exceedingly high risk of being murdered," said Teske.

In the population as a whole, the 20-29 age group was the one most affected by murder (1 in 3,018), with 30-39 next (1 in 3,733), followed by 40-54 (1 in 5,109).

The murder statistics were compiled by Teske and Michael Hazlett, a Criminal Justice Center research assistant. They were taken from the Federal Bureau of Investigation and Texas Department of Public Safety Uniform Crime Reporting Bureau reports. That data were compared with statistics from other agencies, such as the Texas Department of Health, for additional analysis.

That comparison, for instance, revealed that in 1972 murder ranked 10th among the leading causes of death in Texas. In 1981 it had climbed to 7th, overtaking early infant death, disbetes and arteriosclerosis.

Heart disease was the No. 1 killer, followed by cancer, stroke, motor vehicle accidents, all other accidents, and influenza

and pneumonia. One of the problems in undertaking such a study, Teske said, is that good statistics are often available. Several of the categories of information have been available only since the DPS began its

Uniform Crime Reporting Bureau in 1976.

"They have the finest state Uniform Crime Reporting Bureau in the United States," said Teske. "The study illustrates the value and utility of their work."

"The crime data which they have collected and will collect in years to come should provide makers in Texas with a sound basis for decisionmaking and evaluation."

The newest DPS statistics include information on victim/offender relationships and homicide circumstances.

In 1976, for instance, 67% of all murder victims knew the offender. By 1981 the percentage had fallen

Homicides during argu ments accounted for 39.9% of all such crimes in 1976, falling to 34.7% in 1981, and was the single greatest factor both years. Categories which showed increases in 1981 were justifiable homicide (3.8% of murders, 420% increase) and homicides during commission of another crime (13.2%; 10.8% in-

A circumstance category which showed a decrease was "lovers' triangle" (2.5%; 16.8% decrease), and one which remained constant was "brawl influenced by alcohol drugs" (10% both years).

Although still accounting for more than half (50.1%) of all murders, handguns were decreasing in frequency of use in comparison with other firearms (19.9% of weapons used, 17.9% increase) and knives or other sharp objects (18.6%; 22.9% increase).

The greatest change in disposition and sentencing came in the number of convicted murderers sentenced to the Texas Department of Corrections. În 1976 61.1% were sent to state prison; in 1981 65.5%. The average sentence declined slightly from 22 to 21.6 years.

Life sentences declined almost 5% and death sentences staved the same at 2%. Death sentences were given to 147 persons convicted of murder and none were executed.

In the number of murders in cities of 50,000 or more there were few

changes in the top 10 cities in six years. The top five remained constant-Houston, Dallas, San Antonio, Fort

Worth and Corpus Christi. El Paso, 6th in 1976, swapped places with Austin, which had been 7th. Lubbock remained 8th and Longview 9th. Waco dropped from 10th to 20th and Beaumont moved from 14th

In murders per 100,000 residents, Houston was 3rd in 1976 and 1st in 1981. Dallas dropped from 1st to 2nd. Fort Worth moved from 5th to 3rd.

Others which moved up in rankings were Galveston, 10th to 4th; Corpus Christi, 13th to 5th; San Antonio, 9th to 6th; Port Arthur, 8th to 7th; Lubbock, 11th to 9th; and Odessa, 18th to

Tyler was the only top 10 city of 50,000 or more besides Dallas to improve its murder per 100,000 residents climate, going from 7th to 8th.

Most of the cities in the clearance rate top 10 in 1981 had improved their rankings in the past six years. Richardson moved from 32nd to 1st. Waco from 30th to 2nd, and Tyler from 29th to 3rd.

Plano was 4th both years, Midland moved from 6th to 5th, Mesquite from 7th to 6th, Irving from 33rd to 7th, Brownsville from 14th to 8th, and Amarillo from 24th to 9th. Abilene went from 1st to 10th.

Looking to the future, Teske said that if characteristics of the Texas population remain consistent and changes are not made in laws and society, the murder rate will continue to rise faster than the population rate. The rate per 100,000 residents is expected to increase from 16.5 in 1981 to 23.3 in 1991, said Teske.

One evidence of maturity is the failure of an individual to blame someone else for his

In this day and generation there's so much information that one finds it difficult to select what to

Bullock Claims Can **Handle Work Load** Without Extra Hiring SPS employees already are

State Comptroller Bob Bullock has told legislative budget writers that the number of taxpayers his office serves will grow 19 percent in the next two years but that he can handle the workload without hiring more employees.

"The key is productivity." Bullock told a Senate Finance Committee hearing this week.

Bullock said that the only new money he needs in his budget is a 2.9 percent per year increase to meet inflation in the cost of supplies and to upgrade his most productive employees.

The no-growth budget requested by Bullock is the only one of its kind among the 300 state agencies now going through the Legislature's appropriations

Bullock also told the senators that he wants to

quit using one of the three airplanes the Legislature awarded the Comptroller's office in past years.

He said the plane is no longer needed because he has auditors stationed fulltime in six out-of-state offices instead of flying them from Texas to audit national companies which do business in Texas.

The Legislative Budget Board has recommended that Bullock's two-year budget request of \$197.8 million be increased to include the same 6.6 percent pay raises recommended all other

The Comptroller currently has 2,500 regular fullpects to collect \$20.9 billion in taxes over the next two vears without additional

SPS Will Patrol Against Crime

Employees of Southwestern Public Service Company under a new program being developed at SPS will help local and area law enforcement off-

icers stop crime. The program, called "Partners on Patrol," will unleash almost 750 "extra pairs of eyes and ears" against prowlers, burglars, vandals, and other criminals, said Larry Milner, SPS vice president, communication and public affairs.

"Southwestern Service employees who work outdoors in our communities--such as meter readers, servicemen, line department personnel--will be on the lookout for crime, and be ready to report it," Milner said.

"We're just asking our employees to learn to spot suspicious activity, and to make quick reports to law enforcement agencies," he said. "The law officers will take care of the suspects. We'll help by being alert for problems.

Milner stressed that SPS employees are not to try to handle a crime situation themselves. "We do not want them to tackle a burgler--just report him."

Milner noted that many watching out for crimes in progress or for suspicious events, and that in many SPS communities law enforcement officials and SPS employees already work together closely.

The "Partners on Patrol" program will include training for SPS employees, he said, and will establish that one of the SPS employee responsibilities is to help SPS customers fight crime.

Local office managers in SPS communities in four states (Texas, New Mexico, Oklahoma, and Kansas) have contacted law officers this week to explain the program, offer more cooperation, and establish reporting procedures, Milner

"There may be other competition. emergency conditions, such as accidents or fires, which

will notice first," he said. "We know we can be of

The "Partners on Patrol" program reflects Southwestern Public Service Company's theme, "You and SPS, partners managing electricity, make the difference," both in name and intention, Milner said. "We want to work with as well as for the people we serve."

Southwestern Public Service Company primarily provides electrical service to a population of more than one million in a 70,000-square-mile area in the Panhandle and South Plains of Texas. eastern and southeastern New Mexico, the Oklahoma Panhandle, and western Kansas.

Cutting Horse Finals

End In Tie Score

Two Texas horses shared

the championship title in

Sunday night's exciting

conclusion of the NCHA

World's Championship Fin-

als in the open division.

With matching cumulative scores of 672.5 Handle Bar

Doc and Tenino San were

named as co-champions in

one of the most dramatic

events held at the Houston

Livestock Show Horse

The World's Champion-

ship Finals is an open cut-

ting event held annually by

the NCHA. For the first

time, it was held in

Houston, co-sponsored by

the Houston Livestock

Show in cooperation with

Gold River and Silver

Creek Smokeless Tobaccos.

Each of the co-sponsors

contributed \$25,000 for the

purse. With added entry

fees, the total purse was

\$96,075 making this com-

petition one of the richest

After two preliminary

go-rounds, the field of 115

Arena.

our people working in the alleys and on the streets help."

in Bailey County prepare for spring planting, their first step should be to control soil insects. Soil insects can reduce vegetable quality and yields if left uncontrolled, points out Spencer Tanksley, county agent with the

> University System. For effective control, mix insecticides into the soil at a depth of 4-6 inches at least two weeks before the garden plot is planted, suggests Tanksley.

Texas Agricultural Exten-

sion Service, Texas A&M

By Spencer Tanksley

As vegetable gardeners

County Extension Agent

Among destructive soil insects are wireworms, white grubs, seed corn maggots, cabbage maggots, mole crickets, sowbugs, slugs, snails and cutworms. Some destroy plant seeds, roots, tubers and under-

entries in the open division

was narrowed to the top 12

finalists for Sunday nights's

competition. Handle Bar

Doc is owned by Jim Edd-

ings of Athens, TX and

was ridden by Mike

Mowery, Scottsdale, AZ.

The stallion earned a total

of \$7,305.19 for his work

\$6,189.20 in prize money

for owners Dan Agnew,

Centralia, WA, Bob and

Patsy Brooks, Vail, AZ,

and Buster Welch, Merkel,

TX. The horse was trained

and ridden by Welch's son,

Greg, from Corsicana, TX.

"This was one of the

greatest groups of horses

ever assembled for a cut-

ting competition," said

treasurer of the NCHA. In

both divisions, non-pro and

open, some 194 horses

were entered from 16

If everyone worked as

hard as he described it

there would be no undone

secretary-

Zack Wood.

states and Canada.

during the three rounds.

Tenino San

ground stem parts while others cut off young plants at or near the soil surface.

Most soil insects can be controlled with diazinon 25 percent liquid concentration or Spectracide 6000 applied as a 5 percent granule. Granules usually give the best control, says Tanksley. If cutworms or sowbugs become a problem after the garden has been planted, broadcast 5 percent Sevin bait over the soil surface. This bait containing metaldehyde will also control slugs and snails. However, it is not formulated to be

mixed into soil. Garden sites planted for the first time or those previously in grass or weeds are more likely to harbor damaging numbers of soil pests. Before treating with an insecticide, inspect the garden site by taking soil samples at several locations to a depth of 5 to 6 inches. Remove one square foot section of soil from each location and record the number of soil insect pests present. As a general rule, an average of one or more soil insects per sample suggests the need for insecticide treatment.

Before applying any pesticide always read and follow label instructions, adds Tanksley.

BIBLE VERSE

"Be ye steadfast and unmovable, always abounding in the work of the Lord, knowing that your labor is not in vain in the Lord."

1. Name the author. 2. To whom was he writing? 3. How does it encourage

the Christian? 4. Where may this verse be found?

Answers to Bible Verse

1. Paul, the Apostle. 2. The members of the church at Corinth. 3. Persistence and service in the Lord's work.

4. I Corinthians 15:58.

"Well, I'll tell you what I'm doing. I'm cutting back on my corn acres. How 'bout you?"

"Planting less corn, but more XL-73 and XL-72aa."

"Do you really have that much confidence in them?"

"Sure do. Can't beat them for the way they yield and stand up in the weather. And that XL-73 produces top-quality grain every time."



Local corn grower talks with his DEKALB-PFIZER GENETICS dealer about top-yielding hybrids.

"Sounds good to me. But do you have any kind of performance data?"

"Right here. And take a look at T1230 while you're at it. It's another consistent hybrid you'll want to try."

"I see what you mean. This is mighty convincing."

"You'll be even more convinced when you plant them on your own farm, and prove it to yourself."



"DEKALB" is a registered brand name. Numbers designate hybrids. As a condition of sale, please note statement of limited warranty and remedy on DEKALB-PFIZER GENETICS orders and tags.

END-OF-MODEL REBATES UP TO \$5,500 ON 40- to 228-HP JOHN DEERE TRACTORS

The signals are improving: the farm economy is turning up for the 1980s. Reading those signals, consider this money-saving fact: You can now get a new John Deere 40 Series tractor at a model closeout price that will never be as low again. A price that competes with offers on tractors of any make. A bargain price on a tractor that will return you top dollar when traded in.

So, even if you're going into the PIK program to the maximum, you'll be dollarwise to take advantage of this closeout offer. on 40 Series tractors. Because you'll never again be able to match these savings.

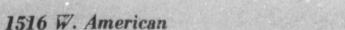
John Deere's offering you a maximum cash rebate up to \$5,500* (see chart below) on top of our best deal on a 40 Series. tractor. And we're discounting from list prices that date back to 1981! Or you can qualify for a cash rebate waiver of John Deere finance charges to November 1, 1983.* See us for

Special cash rebates up to \$8,200 on 50 Series 4WD tractors, too...with the added attraction of waiver of finance charges to

Model	Cash Rebate on Purchase	March '83 Cash Rebate in Lieu of Walver	Maximum Rebate
228-hp 8640	\$3,200	\$2,300	\$5,500
179-hp 8440	3,000	1,800	4,800
180-hp 4840	2,700	1,600	4,300
155-hp 4640	2,300	1,400	3,700
130-hp 4440	1,700	1,100	2,800
110-hp 4240	1,500	1,000	2,500
90-hp 4040	600	900	1,500
80-hp 2940	1,400	650	2,050
70-hp 2640	900	550	1,450
60-hp 2440	400	450	850
50-hp 2240	100	400	500
40-hp 2040	100	350	450
300-hp 8850	\$8,200	NA a	NA NA
235-hp 8650	6,400	NA "	NA
185-hp 8450	5,700	NA	NA
	(Offer subject to t	ractor availability)	

Maximum rebates on 40 Series tractors include a bonus for cash purchase, for financing with John Deere without walver, or financing where you choose. Availability of John Deere financing subject to approval of credit. These offers may be reduced or withdrawn at any firme.





CHECK OUT THE ...

CIASSIFIED ADS

DEADLINE FOR CLASSIFIED ADS IS TUESDAYS AND FRIDAYS 11:00A.M

219.

3-8t-6tc

272-3107.

4-9t-tfc

IMMEDIATE POSITIONS

available on 3-11 and 11-7

shift in 31 bed acute care

facility for RN's and LVN's.

Must be eligible for Texas

License. Excellent fringe

benefits. For more infor-

mation contact: Trina Wil-

son RN, Director of Nurses,

West Plains Medical Cen-

ter, Muleshoe, Texas. 806-272-4524 ext. 226 or

4. HOUSES FOR RENT

SMALL UNFURNISHED

house for rent. Call

14x60 2 bedroom & 1

house for rent. Central

5. APTS. FOR RENT

FOR RENT: 3 room apart-

ment. Fully furnished. All

bills & T.V. Cable paid.

8. REAL ESTATE

FOR SALE

IDEAL 90' lot for mobile

home or double wide,

mobile home and 50' lot, 2

EXTRA NICE 3-11/2-1. New

carpet, paneling through

out. Screened in patio. Call

4541 or 5671 after 5:00

FOR SALE: Nice 3 Br, 1

bath house to be moved.

Priced to sell. 1/2 mile

North Clay's Corner. Call

J. B. SUDDERTH

REALTY, INC.

Drawer 887

Phone 481-3288

Farwell, Texas

COUNTRY LIVING AT

ITS BEST--3 BR, 134

bath. Brick home, all on approximate 10 ½ acres west of eshoe on Highway cossible terms

available. Need immed-

322 A. W of Clays Cor-

ner. Lays good, 2-8 in.

wells with electric mot-

ors. 1-6 in. well. Priced

GET THE FAMILY OUT

OF TOWN and into this

3 BR, 11/2 bath stucco

house in Lariat. Has do-

mestic well, ontral heating and of iditioning, insulat 50 ith garage, incineral, corrals and

small feed shed, all on

approximately 7/10 of

1. PERSONALS

CARD OF THANKS

Your expression of sympathy will

We greatly appreciate your loving

The phone calls, prayers and visits

are such a comfort during our time of

Inene Stephens

Marlin Stephens

Dannell Stephens & Family Kanen Wright & Family

Keith Stephens & Family

always be remembered by the lamily

an acre. Just \$20,000.

iate sale.

to sell.

p.m. Ask for Debby.

8-8t-4tp

965-2846.

and 3 br. houses.

heat. Real

257-3776.

4-3s-stfc

Call 272-4025.

5-9s-tfc

furnished trailer

Clean.

WE RESERVE THE RIGHT TO CLASSIFY, REVISE OR REJECT ANY AD.

NOT RESPONSIBLE FOR ANY ERROR AFTER AD HAS RUN ONCE.

1. PERSONALS

Want to do babysitting in my home. Call 272-3222. 1-30t-tfc

Want to do housecleaning. 272-4414. 1-6t-tfc

NEED WORK: 7 years experience interior and exterior painting. 272-5604 ask for Sherry. 1-9s-tfc

SPRUCE UP for spring. A complimentary Mary Kay facial. Call Ginger Damron. 946-3394. 1-9s-tfc

Need tractor driving job. George Allen. 272-4898. 1-9s-3tc

Will do babysitting in my home. 272-5644. 1-8t-2tsc

COSMETICS. ESPREE Aloe Vera based, natural organic. Aloe Vera Juice. Erney Little 502 W 20th. Muleshoe, Phone 272-4931. 1-9t-2tc

3. HELP WANTED

START YOUR own business as an independent Representative with Avon. America's #1 direct-selling company. Call Phyliss Duff 794-3498 or 272-3208. 3-9t-9tc

.EARN \$4.87 HR... We need assistance in evaluating and responding to daily work reports submitted by our agents throughout the state. No experience necessary; Paid to complete training. Work at home. For information send self-addressed, stamped envelope 9½ inches long to AWGA, Dept. E, Box 49204, Atlanta, GA 30359. 3-10s-1tp

APPLICATIONS now being taken for Operating Room Supervisor. For more information contact: Trina Wilson RN, West Plains Medical Center, Muleshoe, Texas. 806-272-4524 ext 226 or 219. 3-8t-6tc

DISTRIBUTORSHIP available. National Mfg. Co. based in Denton, Texas. Looking for distributors to handle complete line of low cost steel homes. Single and multi-family, one and two story, and tri level. Tremendous benefits and earnings potential. Show homes available \$3,000 investment required. 100 percent refundable. Total line of commercial and agricultural buildings also available. Call Mr. Brown at 817-566-1386. 3-10s-3tc

0

1. PERSONALS

of Loud Stephens.

SO TROWS

BY OWNER: 3 Br., 11/2 bath, carport, 1 car detached heated garage with room for storage or shop, cent. A&H. Immediate possession - Priced to sell. Call 272-4378.

NICE 2 and 3 bedroom homes for sale, ideal locations, reasonably priced. 272-4732 days, 272-4827 evenings and weekends.

A 2,000 SQ. FT. building on Main Street in Friona. New roof plus basement for \$14,500. Excellent location for a business. 8-9s-2stc

TOWN and COUNTRY

Real Estate

Extra Nice 1 bedroom house with fireplace, car

port and lots of goodies.

Enjoy country living in this 4 year old house on 2 acres - 3 bedroom and 2 bath, 4 miles out and just 100 yards off pavement.

Elegent 3-2-2 brick in Country Club Addn. Ref. air, fireplace and all the things you'd want in your dream home.

Industrial building - 5000 sq.feet with large fenced

John W. Smith 806/272-5335 223 East Ave. B Muleshoe, Tx 79347 8-3T-TFC

preimmary

SMALLWOOD INSURANCE AND REAL ESTATE 272-4531 and 272-4838

SMALLWOOD INSURANCE IS CERTIFIED TO SELL AND SERVICE F.C.I.C. ALL RISK CROP INSURANCE FOR COTTON, CORN, GRAIN SORGHUM, SOY BEANS. SUNFLOWERS, AND WHEAT. CALL OR COME TO THE OFFICE FOR INFORMATION ON INCREASED YIELD GUARANTEE FOR PARTICIPA-TING IN THE PIK PROGRAM.

REID REAL ESTATE **WEST HIWAY 84**

-Homes-

NEW LISTING - Beautiful 3 Bedroom Home, 11/4 Bath, Double Car Garage. Located on 15 Acres close to town. Planted in Alfalfa. Barns, Corrals, Fruit Trees, Lots of Extras. Out of the Ordinary Country Living!

Double Car Garage. Lots of Storage. large Workshop.

Bath, 2-Car Garage on 1/2 Acre close to town.

Assumable Loan.

Den with Fireplace. Huge patio.

BEAUTIFUL BACKYARD FOR SPRING - 3 Bedroom, 2 Bath Home with Single Car Garage.

Car Garage. Corner Fireplace in Beamed Living Area.

Payment on 2 Bedroom Home with Garage.

-Farmswith Sideroll Sprinklers. Lots of Depreciation.

144 Acres. Valley Pivot Sprinkler System. Good

272-3142

Thursie Reid----272-3142 Karen Harris----272-5183 Lucille Harp----272-4693 Rex Harris - Broker

If the world had no fanatics, eccentrics and partisans, life would be rather dull and tiresome.

REAL ESTATE

FOR SALE 8-8s-tfc ESTABLISHED DRY Cleaning Business for sale Jimmie Crawford in Friona, Texas. Priced at Real Estate & Ins. \$30,000, Property Associate Realtors, 102, E. 11th 1725 W Ave E Muleshoe, Texas Phone 272-3666

8-9s-2stc PRICED TO SELL: 3-2-2. Lots of extras, best location. 3 yrs. old. Call 272-5049.

Street, Friona. Phone

247-2745. After 5 247-2505.

HOUSE FOR SALE: by

owners. 3 Br. 11/2 bath,

brick. Lots of storage.

Large room. Priced reason-

ably. Large back yard,

covered patio. 272-3839 after 5, 272-3831 or

965-2240.

8-8t-tfc

KREBBS REAL ESTATE Appraisals 201 W. Ave. C

Tel. 272-3191

350A-good red land. 2 circle sprinklers, exceptionally good water, some min.

Nice 3 br. home, Terms, Will trade for land.

Beautiful 160A. Will sell or trade.

Perfect 1/2 Sec. 2-8 in. Wells.

Quarter Sec .- good land, well located.

Have good lots and acreages. 1 mile E. on Hwy 84. Give terms. Utilities available.

80 A, in Alfalfa, close in.

31/2 A land-large brick home, 2 br home, close in, well and sprinkler lines, Reasonable. 8-7s-stfc

HOME, AUTO, COMMERCIAL, LIFE AND HEALTH INSURANCE.

FARMS, COMMERCIAL PROPERTY, AND HOMES WE WANT YOU FOR OUR CUSTOMERS.

NEW LISTING - 4 Bedroom, 134 Bath Home with

STRICTLY FIRST CLASS - Beautiful 3 Bedroom, 13/4 Bath, 2 car Garage. Fireplace. Cedar Roof. Ash Paneling with Bookshelves. Lots of extras. Excellent

ENJOY COUNTRY QUIET - Extra nice 2 Bedroom, 11/2

SUPER LOCATION - Near High School and Junior High. 3 Bedroom, 13/4 Bath, Double Car Garage.

RICHLAND HILLS - 3 Bedroom, 2 Bath Home. Large

BUILDER SAYS SELL - 3 Bedroom, 13/4 Bath, Double

53/4 % LOAN and 10% Owner Financing with Down

Small Acreage near Muleshoe. Allotments. 6" Well

Section. Excellent for stocker cattle operation. 2 Electric Valley Pivots and 6 Sideroll sprinkler systems.

Assumable loan. Owner Financing.

272-3565

John Craig - Builder

8-10s-stfc

9. AUTOMOBILES FOR SALE

272-4321, after 6 272-3482. 9-9s-3tc

JEEPS, Cars, Trucks under \$100 available at local gov't sales in your area. Call (refundable) 1-619-569-0241 ext. 7964 for your 1983 directory. 24 hrs. 9-8t-7tp

3 bedroom house in Lenau addition. 40 acres East of

160 acres West of town with 2 wells.

town with 8" well.

320 acres N.E. of town with 3 wells. 8-7s-stfc

BINGHAM & **NIEMAN REALTY** 116 E. Ave. C

272-5285 *** 272-5286 Just Listed-2 bdrm., 1 bath with new roof & carpeting. Great Buy!!!

Lenau Add. 3-1-1, freshly painted interior, new roof, nice covered patio, fenced yard. Priced for quick sale!!!

High Sch. Area 3-13/4-2 Brick, isolaten master, Cent. A 50 fireplace, beamed Sceilings, buy equity & assume 12% loan!!!

Clay's Corner-3 bdrm. home on approx. 3.5 acres on Hwy 214. Would make a nice little truck farm. Priced to sell!!!

This 4-13/4-2 home has been totally remodeled in earth tones, Priced under \$40,000 ... 100 100 01

Want to move to the country? Let's look at this 3-2-2, on 1 acre, storage space galore, and located on pavement, close to town.

DeShazo Elem. 3-23/4 home, built-ins, Cent. A&H, Large gameroom, 2 fireplaces, storage basement, & much more.

Richland Hills - 3-13/4 Brick, Approx 1,000 sq. ft. living den, wood 1 50 g fireplace. Plus many extras...

Clovis Hwy.-3-1 plus 2 car carport (remodeled & very nice), & a 2-1 home for a rental unit, all on approx. 4.4 acres. This tract has a sprinkler system & would make an ideal truck farm...

4-13/4-2 Brick home, Cent. A&H, Large workshop. Owner said to bring an offer!!!

Richland Hills - 3-13/4 Brick, fireplace, fenced yard, very nice, & an excellant location!!!

Richland Hills - 3-2-1 Brick, Cent. A&H, builtins, fenced yard, & Price in the mid \$40's...

3-1 home, new siding & roof, would make a nice starter home, & Priced in the mid \$20's...

3-1 home, large living area. Lets take a look...

4 homes-(2 bdrm.-1 bath ea.), excellent rent property. Priced to sell!!! Richland Hills - 3 nice

lots, just right for that new home. Reasonably priced!!!

commercial property list-

Richland Hills - 3-134-1 Brick, Cent. A&H, builtins, fenced yard, buy equity & assume!!! Tx. 79347. 15-5s-stfc We also have a good selection of farms and

ed. Check with us for details on these listings. WE APPRECIATE YOUR BUSINESS" George and mates. Dianne Nieman

1980 MODEL Ford Fairmont. 24,000 miles. 4 door. Excellent condition. Call

FOR SALE: 79 Merc. Cougar XR-7 A/C, Cruise, Tilt, Power Windows, AM/FM 8 track, 5 new radial tires and shocks. 272-3542 or 272-4112.

FOR SALE: 1979 T-bird. Loaded. 30,000 miles. \$4,500.00. Sudan. 227-2593. 9-9t-4tp

10. FARM EQUIP.

WANTED TO BUY sideroll sprinklers, 2", 3", 4", sprinkler pipe. Call Stateline Irrigation. 272-3450 or 385-4487. 15-49s-tfc

11. FOR SALE OR TRADE

FOR SALE: Registered UKC Rat Terrier puppies. 965-2740. 11-9s-4tp

HONEY FOR SALE

Nick Landers 334 W. Ave. J.

12. HOUSEHOLD GOODS

BURROWS UPHOLSTERY AND FURNITURE REPAIR 209 W. 2nd Phone 272-4255 15-5t-tfc

WE BUY USED **FURNITURE AND** APPLIANCES CALL 272-3030 HARVEY BASS APPLIANCE 15-5t-tfc

15. MISCELLANEOUS

FRANK'S REFRIGERATION APPLIANCE & SERVICE PARTS & REPAIR 315 W. 3rd. Ph. 272-3822 15-5t-tfc

CUSTOM BUILT storm windows and doors. Call Carl Ellington, 272-5402 after 5:00 for appointment and estimate. 15-48t-tfc

KILL Over Wintering Bugs - Use Dormant Spray. Baker Farm Supply, 1532 W. American, 272-4613. 15-9s-tfc

HOME REPAIR. F.M. Saldana Construction. Specialize in cement, workcarpenter, remodel, painting, acoustical ceiling. Also plumbing. 272-4955. 15-6s-tfc

STOP WEEDS: Also feeds lawn for deep green growth. Baker Supply, 1532 W. American, 272-4613. 15-9s-tfc

SUPER SHELTERS

Pre fabricated storm cellars ready to be installed. Dump truck & dirt work. Contact Don's Backhoe Service, Muleshoe, 965-2370. 15-10s-8tc

ALEX'S TIRE SERVICE For service 24 hours a day telephone 272-5012 or Mobile 965-2242. 224 East Fourth Street, Muleshoe.

ROOF DAMAGE? J. L. Soto, Construction. Shingles - new - repair acoustical ceilings, painting, carpentry. 272-4142. Free esti-15-5s-stfc

WANTED TO BUY: Service station equipment. Call collect 385-5027. 15-10s-2tp

STORAGE ROOMS FOR RENT \$25.00-\$30.00 TED BARNHILL 272-4903 15-14s-stfc

GARZA RECYCLING 112 W. 6th Clovis, N.M. 88101 762-2247 "WE BUY" Aluminum Cans 25 cents Lb./Copper/Brass Radiators/Batteries Mon.-Fri. 8-5 Sat.

> DAVIS COMMERCIAL **PUMPING**

8-12 Mountain Time

15-2s-stfc

"If it's part liquid & not over 20 ft. deep we'll try to drain it."

Phone 806 272-3467 P.O. Box 71 1510 W. Ave. D Muleshoe, TX 15-5t-stfc

18. LEGAL NOTICES

PUBLIC NOTICE THE CITY OF MULESHOE will be accepting bids on a general purpose tractor and a 1983 pickup truck. Specifications may be picked up at City Hall, 215 South First, Muleshoe, Texas. Sealed bids will be opened at the council meeting which will be held on Tuesday, March 22, 1983 at 8:30 a.m.

THE CITY OF MULESHOE WILL ACCEPT BIDS ON THE FOLLOWING

18-10s-2tc

VEHICLES: 1. 1977 Chevrolet (9361) 2. 1974 Pontiac (5833) The vehicles will be sold

"As is" and may be seen at the City Barn. Sealed bids should be received at City Hall, 215 South First Street, Muleshoe, Texas, no later than 5:00 on Monday, March 21, 1983. Bids will be opened at the council meeting on Tuesday, March 22, 1983 at 8:30 a.m. a cashiers check of money order should accompany your bid. Your

check or money order will

be returned to you if you

18-10s-2tc

do not get the bid.

Many of America's approximately 25 million people who are over 65 are asking Congress to repeal a tax bill that could affect

The new rule requires savings institutions, banks, corporations, money market mutual funds and others country does, that pay taxable interest or

exemptions-but will have to file with each payer of interest or dividends to get them, disclosing sensitive information about their incomes and ages.

not have been withheld.

The Sandhills Philosopher

BULLIAN SANCH SANC

accommunicación de la communicación de la comm Dear editor:

Candidates out over the country are always saying: "Let's send a message to

Washington." Well, it has finally worked. According to an article I

read last night. 22 states have developed huge deficits for 1983 and 13 more are bordering on it. Washington has got the message: if deficits are

show them what a real deficit looks like. This explains the Federal government's 200 billion dollar deficit this year and no telling what the year

what the people want, we'll

after that. The states have got to be more careful about the kind of message they send to

Washington. I got to wondering, if three-fourths of the states are faced with big deficits, two-thirds of the cities and about 90 percent of the countries of the world, what happens if the whole world declares bankruptcy?

Who'd be the receiver? One explanation of the world's financial plight is that it's caused by the colossal military expenditures of about 400 billion dollars a year, although this won't cover the plight of states and cities, as few of them maintain standing armies

and guided missiles. For a while I thought perhaps the world could cover its deficits by putting up its armaments as collateral, but I've been told that most of the armaments have been bought with borrowed money and are already heavily mortgaged. Banks that have already loaned money to countries to buy armaments aren't going to be interested in taking a second mortgage on the stuff, and if they did and then had to foreclose, what would they do

with it? A banker could maybe beat a sword into a plowshare or hire it done but what could he beat a

nuclear bomb into? And as for more plows, farmers already have so many they're going broke over-producing.

to you and will wash my hands of the whole matter if I can buy a bar of soap on credit.

I turn the problem over

them particularly.

percent of all taxable interest and dividend payments before paying them out to trying to pull out of a investors. This is especially hard on

new rule, as the rest of the D.C. 20510.

Yours faithfully J.A.

effect on the recession. dividends to withhold ten Withhold ag will be a disincent /e to save, at a time when the economy is recession and savings are needed to finance home senior citizens and retirees. buyers and industrial revi-Many will be entitled to talization. It removes savings that would otherwise be on deposit, point out the experts at the United States League of Savings Insti-

Some people will be too What's more it will not ill to file for exemption or bring in nearly as much refunds of tax that should revenue as the Treasury claims it will, the League People whose income has determined. An increasfrom other sources falls ing number of senior citiduring the year they retire zens are joining other will not be able to file for taxpayers asking Congress an exemption if their to repeal this rule. They are taxable income was rela- writing to the House of tively high in the previous Representatives, Washingyear. Senior citizens are also ton, D.C. 20515 and the likely to suffer under this U.S. Senate, Washington,



The longest road in the Western Hemisphere is the Pan-American Highway.