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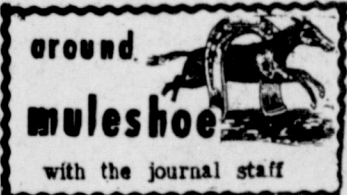
EASTER CURIOSITY . . . The Easter Bunny has already visited with Miss Becky Black, five year old daughter of Mrs. Lou Ann

Black of Muleshoe. Becky anticipates the Easter Egg Hunt coming up. She is ready with her basket ready to go.

Senator Bentsen's Son Speaks In Muleshoe

For over five years now, he has represented the people of Texas and their views. He represents all of them, not any one narrow segment. A look at his ratings, by the various special interest groups in Washington will tell that.

When Bentson ran for the Senate in 1970, one of his main complaints was the lack of leadership in Washington. He has represented the constituents, and also sought to provide leadership.



Wednesday night, April 14, Miss Jana Oyler of Muleshoe, was honored at an awards dinner sponsored by the department of German and Slavic languages.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim O'Grady of Muleshoe, visited Cadet Stephen O'Grady, a Plebe (Freshman) at the United States Military Academy, during the annual Plebe-Parent Weekend activities March 31 through April 3. Cadet O'Grady a 1975 graduate of Muleshoe High School in Muleshoe, escorted his parents, as they had an opportunity to meet with faculty members and gain first-hand knowledge of the rigorous schedule followed by Plebes at the Military Academy.

Travis Clements, son of Mr. and Mrs. S.D. Clements of Muleshoe, will receive a B.S. degree in law enforcement from Wayland Baptist College during commencement exercises May 15.

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Among the things Bentsen has accomplished is the protection of the natural gas supplies from raiding by other states and increased funding for agricultural research, so as to better assist the farmers to increase their productivity.

He co-sponsored and helped lead the efforts to save the rural electrification program and the funding for agricultural disease and pest control programs. In addition, he helped lead the fight to pass the emergency livestock credit act which makes available loans to farmers and ranchers who suffer losses due to reversals in the livestock markets.

Criminal Cases Over This Week

Several criminal cases were heard Tuesday, Wednesday, and Thursday of this week, in the District Court in the Bailey County Courthouse.

On Monday, April 12, Carlos Garcia was found guilty to a charge of possession of marijuana and was sentenced to three years probation.

On Tuesday, April 13 Bobby Hayes was found guilty of arson. He was sentenced to seven years with probation.

On April 13, N.C. Davis was charged with theft and was sentenced to two years in the Texas Department of Corrections.

James Ray Clayton was found guilty on Wednesday, April 14, of possession of marijuana. He was granted three years probation.

Bentsen's first bill was for the creation of the Big Thicket National Park, which is now becoming a reality.

He was co-author and a floor manager for the Deepwater Ports Act, which is now law and is the foundation for Texas' first deepwater port.

Bentsen replies, "My position as Chairman of the Transportation Subcommittee of the Public Works Committee has enabled me to see to it that the State of Texas will have its fair share of federal highway money and that the interstate will be completed." He saved the depletion allowance for independent oil producers, and there is an even chance that his natural gas de-regulation bill will become law.

He was the principal sponsor of the military retirees Survivors Benefits bill and the Veterans' Education and Training Amendments, of 1972.

Muleshoe Wins Trophy At Canyon

The District 1-AAA University Interscholastic League Academic and Literary Contests were held on the campus of West Texas State University on Friday, April 9, under the direction of Gene Parker. Parker is Director of Placement and faculty representatives, from the Journalism, Math, English, Business, Speech, and Education departments.

Muleshoe High School won the over-all trophy with 155 points, followed by Canyon High School, with 117 points.

Those winning from Muleshoe in Debate were John Dean and David Smith; Lashelle Lewis and Royce Clay; and alternates were Tom Pepper and Lisa Mason.

Informative Speaking winners from Muleshoe were Martin Williams

Alex Williams

The Bi-monthly Membership Breakfast of the Muleshoe Chamber of Commerce and Agriculture is scheduled for Thursday, April 29, 1976, at 6:30 a.m., at the Corral Restaurant.

At this breakfast, immediate past Mayor of Muleshoe, Alex Williams, will be honored for the accomplishments and growth of the City of Muleshoe during his administration.

The Officers and the Board of Directors of the Muleshoe Chamber of Commerce and Agriculture want to urge everyone to remember to mark the calendar and make plans to attend this Breakfast.

Bentsen co-sponsored the act which has reformed the Congressional budget process which will help everyone get a handle on the runaway federal deficits. He was the principal sponsor of the legislation, which created the commission on federal paperwork and co-sponsoring legislation. These are to give a tax credit for federal forms filled out by taxpayers in order to force the bureaucracy, to stop strangling Americans with paperwork.

Through Bentsen's efforts, the major obstacles to major pension reform were removed in 1974. Legislation was passed affecting and protecting thousands of Texans. Also in 1974 he was responsible for an amendment which assured that no local school district received less money for educating disadvantaged children in 1974 than it received in 1972. In 1972 Bentsen was co-sponsor of the bill, increasing funds for bilingual

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Nowlin, Mary A. Gonzales and alternate was Connie Harmon. Larry Miller, Amy Clark and alternate, Morgan Pena won in the Poetry Interpretation contest.

The Muleshoe winner in Prose Reading was Bill Durham. Muleshoe also presented their play entitled "Reynard The Fox", directed by Kerry Moore. It took 38:30 minutes and eleven were in the cast. The play won first over two and alternate.

Other events Muleshoe won was Ready Writing with Jimmy Wedel as alternate. In Spelling, Cont. on Page 2, Col. 5

TSTA Hosts Public Relations Banquet

Mrs. C.E. Moore, president of the Muleshoe Local Texas State Teachers Association announces that the Annual Public Relations Banquet will be held Thursday, April 22, at 7:30 p.m. in the Muleshoe High School Cafeteria.

School Board members and wives, presidents and spouses of all local civic organizations representatives from the Muleshoe Journal, K.M.U.L., the Ministerial Alliance and all Muleshoe T.S.T.A. members and spouses will be in attendance.

Mrs. Grace Grimes, president elect of the Texas State Teachers Association, will be the keynote speaker. Mrs. Grimes is a supervisor in the Marshall Schools and has received many honors during her educational

Thunderstorms Hit Bailey County

Violent and deadly storms hit Bailey County and surrounding counties Sunday, Wednesday and Thursday of this week. Muleshoe received high winds, light rain and some hail.

City Council Meet Tuesday

City Council meeting will be held Tuesday, April 20 at 8:30 a.m. in the City Hall. Rad Richardson of General Telephone will address the city council concerning a general rate increase for telephone service in the city of Muleshoe.

The council will authorize the city manager to execute a purchase agreement with Plains Machinery Co. for one new bulldozer.

Council will consider potential 1976 Advalorem Tax Board of Equalization Members. This board adjusts, approves, and disapproves property value.

Marr will present names for this board to the council, to be considered at the meeting. General discussion will be displayed.

The SPAG (South Plains Association of Government) report will be given by Mayor Protem, Clarence Christian, of the SPAG Board meeting held in Lubbock, Tuesday, April 13.

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Jimmy Briggs of Lazbuddie reported receiving about an inch of rain and Mrs. Robert Hunt of West Camp community reported very light showers. Raymond Gage received no wind and light showers. Spencer Tanksley said that Maple, Needmore and Muleshoe have still got to have two to three inches of rain to plant. The rain was just light over the south and west portions of Bailey County.

Sunday night, April 11 there was rain, high winds and storm warnings. Friday morning, Peeler reported that muleshoe had received .30 of an inch of rain and Thursday, Muleshoe got .15 of an inch of rain. Thursday, there was rain, tornado watches and hail coming down, swiftly. There has been a total of one inch and .20 of an inch of rain recorded this year. Purveyor of the turbulent wea-

ther was a mid-April cold front, almost as traditional on the South Plains as Easter.

The dry Pacific cold front appeared to stagnate over New Mexico Tuesday before pursuing its steam roller attack on the Panhandle and South Plains. A strong upper level low pressure trough located over the south eastern California apparently gave support to the activity, over the Panhandle.

Mrs. Cox Appointed Rural Chairwoman

The Rural Chairwoman for the Arthritis Victory March is Mrs. Reagan Cox. The drive will start Monday, April 26 through Wednesday, April 28 in Bailey County.

Mrs. Cox lives with her husband and three children, Marleea, eleven; Brandon, seven; and Stephanie, age four. They live on the Plainview Highway. Her husband is an electrician and they have lived in the Muleshoe area for seven years.

Besides caring for her family, she does gardening, sewing and home decorating. Mrs. Cox has served the two previous years as president of Alpha Zeta Pi

Chapter of Beta Sigma Phi Sorority. She is the vice president of the United Methodist Women. Mrs. Cox is also past chairwoman and vice chairman of the Joyce Hill Circle.

Mrs. Cox is active in community affairs and takes time for volunteer work with the arthritis campaign. She wants to inform the public that the following area chairmen will be working with her in the Bailey County Rural Victory March.

Chairwomen are Mrs. Nannie Blackman of Enochs; Mrs. Kay Kinde of Maple; Mrs. Iva Locker of Progress; Mrs. Joe Simmacher of West Camp; Mrs.



Mrs. Reagan Cox

Reagan Cox, of Y.L. and Plainview Highways; Mrs. Jess Penndgrass, of Friona Highway; Mrs. Clifford Mardis, east of Morton; and Mrs. Lewis Wayne Shafer, of Needmore.

Witnesses Testified At Lowe Trial Wednesday

Eileen Lowe, silently sobbed, jolting as she sat rigid at the defense table. She shook her head negatively Wednesday when a prosecution witness pointed to her as the woman she saw staring into an Albuquerque hospital nursery window, at a newborn baby kidnapped only days later.

Mrs. Laverne Marquez, one of 14 witnesses to testify in the opening day of the bizarre kidnapping trial, said she saw the 30-year-old Mrs. Lowe at the nursery of Albuquerque's Presbyterian Hospital, twice.

"She was standing at the nursery window where the Norris baby was," Mrs. Marquez told the district court jury. "He was by the window. She didn't seem interested in anything around - just the babies."

Earlier, assistant U.S. attorney Charles Sandoval told the nine-man, three-woman jury that Mrs. Lowe went shopping for a kidnap victim before she abducted John Paul Norris, from his Albuquerque home at gunpoint, January 30.

The child was found apparently unharmed, February 2 in Muleshoe where Mrs. Lowe was arrested by FBI agents.

Mrs. Lowe, a Muleshoe teacher's aide and mother of two daughters, wept intermittently throughout the half-day testimony, repeatedly clutching the hand of a jail matron who sat beside her.

On several occasions the ma-

tron held a cup of water to Mrs. Lowe's lips when she appeared too shaken to hold it for herself. Earlier in opening remarks, public defender William Deaton indicated Mrs. Lowe's defense probably will center on insanity.

"Our defense... goes directly to Eileen Lowe's state of mind at the time the Norris baby was taken," Deaton said. "We expect Mrs. Lowe will testify on her own behalf."

Mrs. Lowe, her long dark hair pulled back and tied with a pink and white scarf, stared at the defense table and sobbed quietly throughout most of the testimony. She appeared so distraught that the matron helped her to and from the third-floor courtroom.

The prosecutor, Sandoval, described Mrs. Lowe as a woman who masqueraded as being pregnant by wearing padded clothing and who methodically abducted the newborn baby to prove her pregnancy.

Pointing to a \$150 per month support payment ordered from her estranged husband for the unborn child, Sandoval said, "that was, in part, a motive for her stalling that baby."

The manager of an Albuquerque industrial parts and supply firm, Bert Adams, testified Mrs. Lowe spent 4 1/2 days prior to the kidnapping with him at his apartment. Adams also admitted that he posed as her husband so that she could buy a .22 caliber pistol.

The Albuquerque manager said Mrs. Lowe had tried to buy the pistol in Albuquerque, but was refused because she was an out-of-state resident. "She wanted a small gun to carry with her because she went from rodeo to rodeo and she stayed at rest stops - so she needed a gun," Adams said.

Adams said he flew to Los Angeles on business prior to the kidnapping and didn't find out about it until he heard it on television after his return to Albuquerque. "I was flabbergasted," he said.

Adams said Mrs. Lowe had told him that she was in Albuquerque to visit a sister who recently had a baby.

Kathy Vernon, a Muleshoe waitress, testified that she drove Mrs. Lowe to Lubbock Regional Airport one week before the kidnapping. "She said she couldn't get into a hospital in Muleshoe; she said she didn't have any money," said Mrs. Vernon, who described herself as a close friend.

Mrs. Vernon said Mrs. Lowe told her she was going to Oklahoma City to have her baby. "She said she knew some people there who would help her. I told her I was afraid she'd have it on the plane. She said she could make it."

Later that day on January 23, Mrs. Vernon said Mrs. Lowe phoned her about 11:30 p.m. "She said she had a baby in

Oklahoma City at 11:08," Mrs. Vernon said. "She said it was a boy and weighed four pounds, seven ounces."

Mrs. Vernon said Mrs. Lowe worked parttime with her at the XII Restaurant in Muleshoe in addition to working fulltime as a teacher's aide. "She held both jobs and sometimes worked 11 hours a day," Mrs. Vernon said. Deaton asked Mrs. Vernon if she believed Mrs. Lowe to be pregnant. Mrs. Vernon said, "Yes sir, I did. She had a large stomach like most pregnant women do."

Mrs. Vernon described Mrs. Lowe as a good mother who cared for her two daughters, ages four and six.

Other prosecution witnesses included two Albuquerque pawn shop clerks who sold the pistol; a Lubbock ticket agent for TMN&O bus lines who identified a one-way Albuquerque ticket; and managers of an Albuquerque motel and car rental agency whose records placed Mrs. Lowe in that New Mexico city immediately prior to the kidnapping.

Another testifying was Edward T. Norris, an Albuquerque real estate broker and father of the abducted child. Norris said he received a telephone call about 10:30 a.m. the day of the kidnapping, from a woman who said she worked for a florist. He said the woman asked his address so she could deliver

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WAITING FOR A PAINT JOB . . . The City of Muleshoe is just waiting for the sub-contractors to come in and paint the new tank. It lacks cathodic protection and some electrical work.



BENTSEN . . . On April 14, Bentsen was in Muleshoe, speaking on the Senatorial race. L to r are Gordon Green, D.A. of Bailey County; Lan Bentsen, son of Senator Lloyd Bentsen; Jack Young, D.A.; and Johnny Actkinson, C.A. of Parmer County.

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TSTA...

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Teaching, more than any other, is the profession that writes the script, prepares the actors and develops the scenery for the drama called tomorrow," adds Mrs. Grace Grimes.
The Muleshoe School Board will present service awards to teachers who have taught five, ten, 15, 25 and 30 years in the Muleshoe schools.
The Jaycees will present the "Outstanding Young Educator" award to the educator under 35 years of age nominated by the

T.S.T.A. membership.
The following new officers for the 1976-77 term will be installed. President, Mike Richardson; President-Elect, Mrs. Jack Obenhaus; Second Vice-President, Mrs. W.T. Watson; Secretary, Mrs. R.G. Wilson; Treasurer, Mrs. Oscar Rudd; Parliamentarian, Keith Bray.
Retiring officers for 1975-76 are Mrs. C.E. Moore, President; Mike Richardson, President-Elect; Second Vice-President, Jo Anne Bray; Secretary, Mrs. W.T. Watson; Treasurer, Mrs. Peggy Burnett; and Parliamentarian, Bill Bickel.



Grace Grimes,

Around...

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The Chamber of Commerce will meet Thursday, April 22, at 7:30 p.m., in the city hall council room.
The meeting is to discuss final plans on the Fourth of July celebration. All plans and suggestions will be appreciated.

The jewelry and commemorative coins are in. They are available here at the Chamber of Commerce office or at city hall. Everyone is urged to come and pick them up while they last.

The South Plains Association

of Chamber Executives held a South Plains Leaders Workshop April 13, at the Lubbock Country Club.
Those attending the meeting from Muleshoe were Chamber of Commerce President Ted Barnhill; Vice President John Clark; Executive Director Tommy Black and Director, Howard Watson.

Mr. and Mrs. Larry Goree lost their new trailer house this week. A tornado hit it in Hereford, and it was reported a total loss. Nobody was hurt.

Senator...

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education. He is still fighting to maintain its funding.
Over the past five years, his office has handled over 2,100 special projects for Texas communities. Bentsen has answered over one-half million pieces of mail, and responded to over 13,000 requests for special assistance from constituents.
"I believe that I have well-represented the people of Texas, that they have confidence in me, and that when I speak in their behalf in Washington, others listen," replies Bentsen.

City...

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A slide presentation will be given of the construction of the new water tank.

Muleshoe...

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Connie Johnson won and last was Brad Baker competing in Typewriting.

Witnesses...

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flowers to his wife.
According to Norris, he gave her the address of his home where they had moved only two weeks earlier. Norris also identified a watch with a turquoise band that was missing from his house the day of the abduction.
U.S. District Judge Howard Bratton of Albuquerque, who moved to the Cruces trial on a change of venue, recessed the court until 9 a.m. (MST) Thursday.
One of the first witnesses to be called will be Cheryl Norris, the child's mother, who, with her mother-in-law, was bound and gagged during the gunpoint abduction.

Mary DeShazo Elementary Honor Roll

The Mary De Shazo Elementary honor roll for the fifth six weeks of the 1975-76 school year is as follows:

THIRD GRADE
Melissa Albro, Melanie Blackwell, Melonie Briscoe, Trisha Burgess, Missy Baldwin, Rebecca Barber, Russell Bradstreet, Kristi Campbell, Sonya Edwards, and Adam Espinoza.
Also, Lori Ellis, Joy Gabbert, Zonell Gatewood, Polly Harrison, Kristi Heathington, John Charles Isaac, Missy Jones, Laurie Kelton and Louise Lopez.
And, Mark Moton, Tammy Nowell, Connie Puckett, Vana Pruitt, Tracy Tunell, Shelly Sain, Barbara Seaton, Kristi Spies, Suzanne Williams, Jana Wuerflein and Gary Watkins.

FOURTH GRADE
John David Agee, Sherri Bessire, James Blair, Ronald Briggs, Deena Burris, Dan Bouchelle, Brenda Flowers, Mary Kathryn Flowers, and Kacy Henry.
Also, Kelly Sue Hamblen, Susie Hyde, Traci Hutton, Keisha Johnson, Sherri Kinard, Jimmie Lee, Candace Long, Deidre McGee, Sharla Morrison, and Rayshell Massingill.
And, Martha Pepper, Sandy Payne, Randall Stevens, Dana Splawn, Chad Williams, and Melissa Wilbanks.

FIFTH GRADE
Kelly Bayless, Debra Briscoe, Linda Beel, Scott Campbell, Belinda Clayton, Annette Crabtree, Cecil Chavez, Rhonda

Dunham, Perry Flowers, and Patty Garcia.
Also, Tamara Gilliland, Todd Holt, Sharla Hawkins, Ervin Howell, Michael Isaac, Shawn da Knowlton, Rebecca Lobough and Karen Martin.
And, Ervin Parton, Barbar Pedroza, Dana Smith, Joni Sud duth, Stacy Schroeder, Lincoln Snell, and Martina Valdez.

Could Be True
"How'd you come out in that fight with your wife the other night?"
"Aw, she came crawling to me on her hands and knees."
"What did she say?"
"Come out from under that bed, you coward."

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- *Grew Up On A Farm And Attended Public Schools In Lamb County, 1928-1944
- *U.S. Navy, World War II, 1944-1946
- *Married Maribeth Bilderback, June 23, 1945, Has Two Children
- *Farmed In Lamb County, 1946-1947
- *BBA Degree - January 1950, Texas Technological College
- *Employed By General Motors, 1950
- *Farmed In Parmer County, 1951 - 1961
- *Lived In Muleshoe, Texas 1952
- *MBA - Accounting, 1962 - Texas Tech University
- *Dr. Of Jurisprudence, 1965 - University Of Texas
- *General Practice Of Law In Friona, Texas Since 1965

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UIL WINNERS . . . These winners all had perfect scores. They are in District Two, Conference B of Lazbuddie School. L to r are Lori Ivy, Frank Jesko, Mark Lust and Daniel Schacher.

Centennial Film On April 21

A 30-minute documentary film for Texas A&M University's Centennial will be shown on KLBK-TV Lubbock at 6:30 p.m. on April 21, 1976.

Titled "That Certain Spirit", the film is part of the year-long observance of the 100th anniversary of Texas' first public institution of higher learning, points out our Spencer Tanksley, county agent for the Texas Agricultural Extension Service, a part of the Texas A&M University System.

The film offers a glimpse at the university's colorful history, beginning when only six students showed up for the first classes in October, 1876, and contrasting that dubious start with today's Texas A&M, which ranks as the fastest-growing university in the nation and serves as headquarters for research and public service programs with far-reaching impact.

According to Tanksley, the film offers a look at Texas A&M as seen through the eyes of Richard Quine, one of the leading

characters in the mid-forties movie filmed at Aggieland called "We've Never Been Licked". The film is both entertaining as well as informing.

"That Certain Spirit" was prepared by Cinema Independent Artists, a Hollywood-based firm which has produced material for NFL Sports and other nationally known organizations. The script was written by Don Widener, who has three Emmy Awards to his credit.

For anyone interested in a look at Texas A&M from its humble beginning to an institution of national prominence today Tanksley suggests viewing "That Certain Spirit".

Victory Dinner Set For Scouts

A recent report meeting of the South Plains Council, Boy Scouts of America, Sustaining Membership Steering Committee, brought the total of the goal now reached to \$177,000, reported Dr. John Bradford, Chairman.

Several decisions are over their goal and it is anticipated that the Council will reach its total goal by April 26.

Plans are being made for a Victory Dinner to be held on Tuesday, April 27. Most encouraging reports are coming in every day and we are confident that our Council goal will be reached on our report date so that we may celebrate a great success of April 27, Bradford stated.

Max Tidmore, Council President, stated that it is most gratifying to see the great number of people who have worked so enthusiastically to make this membership enrollment successful. Thousands of our youth and Scout leaders will benefit from this successful venture with the help, program and facilities made available to them as a result of enrollment, Tidmore stated.

A wise man will hear, and will increase in learning. -Proverbs 1:5.

Lazbuddie School Menu

- April 20 - 23 - 1976
- TUESDAY**
Chicken and Noodles
Cranberry Sauce
Green Beans
Yams
Yeast Biscuits - Butter
Coconut Pudding
1/2 Pt. Milk
- WEDNESDAY**
Enchiladas
Hot Sauce
Buttered Corn
Green Salad
Hot Rolls
Butter - Jelly
1/2 Oz. Peanut Butter
1/2 Pt. Milk
- THURSDAY**
Hamburgers and Sloppy Joes
Potatoe Sticks
Lettuce - Pickles
Peaches
1/2 Pt. Milk
- FRIDAY**
Tuna Salad
Pork and Beans
Carrot Sticks
Peanut Butter Cookies
Hot Rolls - Butter
1/2 Pt. Milk

YMCA Youth, Government Club Journeys To Santa Fe

The Clovis YMCA Youth and Government Club will journey to Santa Fe Wednesday, April 21, 1976 for three days of the 1976 New Mexico Model Legislature.

The local youth will join with some 150 high school youths from Albuquerque, Roswell, and Los Alamos.

The local youngsters who are officers in the legislative houses are: Ann Harrell, Attorney Gen-

eral; Scott Petty, Majority Floor Leader of the Senate; and Gina Morrison, Sergeant at Arms of the House. The committeemen chairmen are Greg Southard and Randy McWilliams. Other youth legislators are Carol Chisum, Cara and Frank Benson, David Kline, Sharon Boatwright and Brenda Adams.

This group has prepared legislative bills pertaining to extend-

ing the tenure laws, requiring scoliosis examinations, having pathways by the highways for bicyclist, transferring teacher's experience within New Mexico, and open meeting laws.

These bills will be argued from the various committees to the floor of both houses to get to the youth governor's approval.

These high school youths will participate in the legislative process as well as the electrical

Good Advice
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process for the various state offices. The use of the actual respective state legislative houses add to this tremendous

With hue like that when some great painter dips His pencil in the gloom of earthquake and eclipse.
-Shelley.

educational experience.

The Youth and Government advisor is Mrs. Terry Osborn. Mrs. Osborn will be assisted by members' parents.

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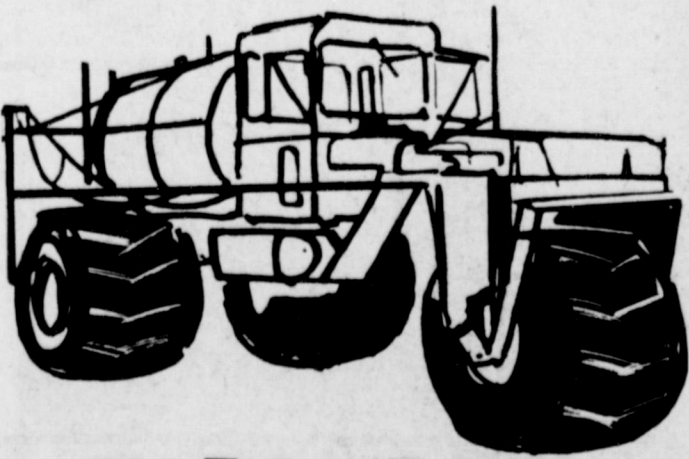
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The Family-Living Committees of Bailey, Parmer, Lamb and Cochran counties are sponsoring the Spring Fashion Fair, to be held at the Fellowship Hall of the First United Methodist Church in Muleshoe. The date for the event is Thursday, April 22, from 10:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m. Mrs. Vivian Trimple, Home Economist with Viking Machine

Co. of Phoenix, Arizona, will present a slide presentation of creative sewing, such as machine embroidery, monograms, appliques, sewing technique on different types of fabrics, accompanied by a brief description on "How to do it". Mrs. Trimple has been actively engaged in the educational sewing field for many years. She taught

some of the first Sew-Knit-N-Stretch sewing classes and has continued to do so over the years, along with presentations showing the latest sewing techniques used in creating clothing of all types and demonstrating the interesting effects which can be achieved with machine embroidery. Her primary objective is to foster an enjoyment and

appreciation of sewing as a creative outlet. Mrs. Trimple will present the program starting at 10:00 a.m. ending at 10:00 a.m.

Becky Culp, Area Clothing Specialist at Texas A&M University will present a program beginning at 11:00 a.m. on "Quick and Easy Recycling". Ideas and techniques for how to update your current wardrobe for the spring and summer will be shown. Time saving, easy and inexpensive ideas for lengthening hemlines, making fashionable accessories and using trims will be emphasized.

Mrs. Culp received her B.S. in clothing and textiles and home economics education at Texas Tech University, along with her M.S. in clothing and textiles. Mrs. Culp is a native of Floydada, her husband Gary R. Culp is from Happy.

Mrs. Dickie Perkins, fashion co-ordinator and buyer for Gabriel's Department Store in Plainview will show ideas for accessories, with a special emphasis on scarves and how to tie them. Mrs. Perkins has been in the retail merchandising field for 23 years. She is married to B.D. Perkins and is the mother of two teenage children. Her part of the program will take place at 1:15 p.m.

Miss Jeri More, Educational Representative for the Simplicity Pattern Company in New York City, will present a fashion show of both youth and adult clothing, using both age groups as models. Miss More received her Bachelor of Arts from Colorado State University in Fort Collins, Colorado. She travels in the Rocky Mountain States conducting educational fashion presentations for junior and senior high schools. One of Miss More's greatest sources of satisfaction has been her sewing "Know-How".

Door prizes will be given and everyone will have an opportunity to see exhibits and ask questions of program participants.

Crafts Shown By Hobby Club

The Muleshoe Hobby Club met Thursday, April 15, with the following members present: Verna Dement, Sammie Etheridge, Mrs. Bub Shaffer, Levina Pitts, Mabel Caldwell and the hostess, Ethel Julien.

An invitation to visit all day at the Friona Hobby Club, Friday, May 21, at 9:30 was accepted by the club. Articles on display were two

West Plains Hospital Hospital Briefs

ADMISSIONS

April 13 - Mrs. J.O. Parker, Rudy Orozco and Mrs. Joe Whiteside; Albert Kube, Mrs. Dean Waltrip and John Estep.
April 14 - Mrs. Don Strahan, Mrs. Robert Shugart and Mrs. L.L. Estep.

April 15 - Mrs. Bonnie Harlin.

DISMISSALS

April 13 - Bert Gordon, Mrs. Alvin Allison, Mrs. Cecil Osborne and Mrs. J.O. Parker.

April 14 - J.I. Hawkins, Mrs. Joe Whiteside, Rudy Orozco, Celestine Lewis and Raymond Gonzales.

April 15 - Barbara Defoor.



BAUDER FASHION COLLEGE is proud to announce that Miss Teresa Hamilton, the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Gene Hamilton, of Muleshoe has been accepted by Bauder College for the Fashion Merchandising and Modeling Program beginning in September 1976. Miss Hamilton will be studying Fashion Merchandising and Modeling and plans a career in that field. During her year at Bauder Fashion College, Miss Hamilton will be active in Civic and College Activities such as: Field trips to museums, manufacturers, display or advertising departments in retail stores, fashion and trade shows, modeling trainee assignments, seasonal proms and monthly social activities.

Mrs. Garth Attended State Meet

Mrs. D.T. Garth, President of the Muleshoe DeMolay Mothers Club, Area I Director and District IV Representative for the Texas State DeMolay Mothers Auxiliary, spent April 10 and 11 in Dallas at a State Executive Meeting. Kip Garth, Zeb Payne, and Brad Williams, Muleshoe DeMolay officers, accompanied Mrs. Garth and attended the 16th Annual Tournament of Champions.

The Tournament of Champions is held for competition in DeMolay Degrees. Our region includes Illinois, Kansas, Oklahoma, Texas, Louisiana, Arkansas, Mississippi and this year South Carolina was represented. There were over 8,000 DeMolays, Advisors and Mothers in attendance this year. The Muleshoe competitive teams were not able to go in full force so our

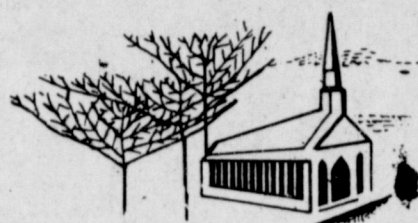
DeMolays were observers. They gained information which will be helpful when they compete next year.

Competition began at 8:00 a.m. Saturday and ran continuously until after midnight. Lunch and dinner were served Saturday by the Dallas Scottish Rite and Masonic Lodge members. A breakfast banquet and awards ceremony were held Sunday morning, followed by a short sightseeing tour to the Kennedy Memorial.

Mrs. Garth had continuous meetings Saturday and came back with some new ideas for the local Mothers Clubs. Mrs. Garth stated she appreciated the help the Mothers Club members gave her, making it possible for her to participate in this event.

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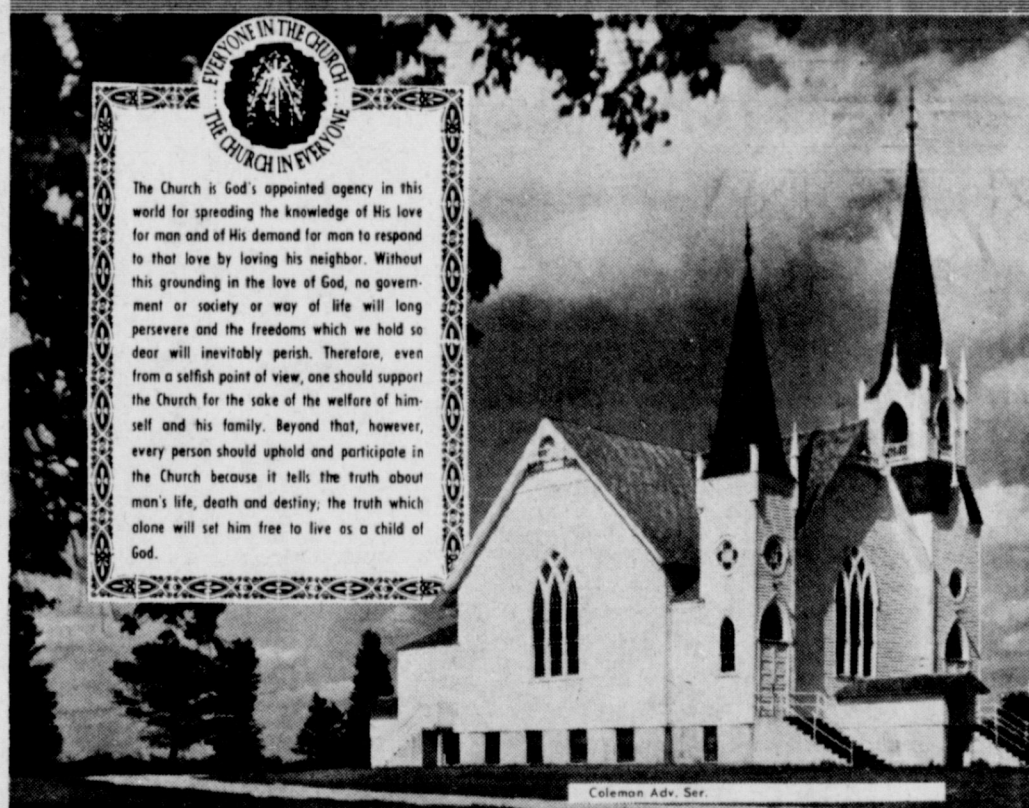
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Observing Easter

"Jesus said, I am the resurrection and the life. he that believeth in me, though he were dead, yet shall he live: and whosoever loveth and believeth in me shall never die." John 11:25.

Easter, the day on which we celebrate the resurrection of our Lord, should find us worshipping Him in His Church. He is alive! His presence fills the sanctuary! All things are made new. It is the time of beginning again. Attend church and join your neighbors in singing praises to God for His Glory and Power and Love; and some of this Resurrection Joy and Power will come to you.



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

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Names for each office will be listed in the Political Column in the order they are received at the newspaper office.

The Journal has been authorized to announce the following candidates for public office:

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- Precinct 1**
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- Precinct No. 3**
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New Members Welcomed To Llano Estacado Club



LLANO ESTACADO WELCOMES NEW MEMBERS . . . The Llano Estacado Civic Club held their regular meeting Tuesday, April 13, in the First National Bank community room. They voted into the following new members: L to R Shirley Williams, Mrs. Stanley Burleson, Mrs. Carlin Long, Mrs. Fred Clements and Linda Jo Sinnacher.

The Llano Estacado Civic Club met Tuesday, April 13, at the First National Bank. Willie Reeder called the meeting to order. Mrs. Jess Bryant gave an inspirational reading and Mrs. Dick Kelton lead the club in its creed.

A program on flower arrangements for the spring was given by Mrs. Mildred Howell. Mrs.

Sam Damron and Mrs. Frank Ellis presented a film and program on arthritis to the members.

Officers for the coming year were elected. They are: President, Mrs. Willie Reeder; Vice President, Mrs. Dick Kelton; Treasurer, Mrs. Ronald Ashford; Recording Secretary and Reporter, Miss Debbie Kerr;

Corresponding Secretary, Mrs. Jess Bryant; Historian, Mrs. Royce Harris; and Parliamentarian, Mrs. Mike Armstrong. New officers will be installed at the May meeting and secret pals will be revealed.

The members voted to host the

monthly Bingo Party at the nursing home in May. It was also agreed to send several children to Camp Kiwanis this summer. This has been a special project of Llano Estacado for several years. Entry of a Fourth of July Parade float was voted

on and passed. Six guests attended the meeting and were welcomed into Llano Estacado as new members. They are: Miss Linda Jo Sinnacher, Mrs. Betty Hopper, Mrs. Carlin Long, Mrs. Shirley Williams, Mrs. Stanley Bur-

son and Mrs. Fred Clements. Members attending were: Mrs. Jess Bryant, Mrs. Homer R. Long, Mrs. Ronald Ashford, Mrs. Mike Armstrong, Mrs. Odell Rasco, Mrs. Willie Reeder, Miss Debbie Kerr and Mrs. Dick Kelton.

Jr., Sr. Prom Planned

A meeting for mothers of Juniors and Seniors was held in the Muleshoe State Bank meeting room, April 5. Plans were made for the parents sponsored Junior-Senior Prom. It was decided that the Prom will be in the Catholic Center following the Junior-Senior Banquet, May 15. The charge will be \$10.00 per family and \$2.50 for a guest that isn't a member of the Junior or Senior class.

Cookie Bamert was elected Chairman with Marlene Martin and Janie Balderas co-chairmen. Committee Chairmen are: Decorating, Betty Carpenter; Co-Chairman, Pat Gunter; Finance, Carelean Hamilton; Co-Chairman, Marlene St. Clair; Invitations, Betty Bruns; Co-Chairman, Norma Prather; Band, Marsha Rasco; Co-Chairman, Margaret Kimbrough; Refreshment, Leatrice Mardis; Co-Chairman, Gergette Isaac; Clean-up, Wanda Shafer; Co-Chairman, Pat Gunter; Publicity, Maxine Rogers; Committee Chairman; Photography, Mary Alice Ramm; Committee Chairman, Guest Register, Arlene Phelps. The guest register is to be presented to the Senior Class President after the Prom.

Mothers on the Decorating Committee are: Marie Orozco, Janie Balderas, Betty Ramage, Mary Alice Ramm, Barbara Marlow, Wanda Kittrell, Wanda Shafer, Sallie Ellis, Ece Benedict, Mrs. Juan Madrid, Lupe Castarino, Mary Valdez, Jackie Buckner, Saferina Levoice, Alma Burton, Marsha Rasco, Norma Jo Prather, Betty Bruns, Amelia Madrid, Mrs. Jim Crabtree, Ann Moore, Betty Hopper, Margaret Kimbrough, Sharon Dale, Carelean Hamilton, and Maxine Rogers.

Serving on the refreshment committee are: Eva Nell Stovall, Marjorie Precure, Nelda Merriott, Jackie Buckner, Fefeina Levorio, Ece Benedict, Juan Madrid, Francis Bruns, Pat Beene, Helen Head, Margaret Kimbrough, Sammie Lewis, Peggy Bates, Sharon Dale, Ruth Roberts, Georgie Pena, Kathleen Hayes, Arelene Phelps, Skeg Kellough, and Mattie Hisc.

The finance committee consists of the following: Carelean Hamilton, chairman, Mrs. Juan Madrid and Marlene St. Clair, co-chairman, Mrs. David Pedroza Sr., Mrs. Buddie Buckner, Charles Stewart, Lee Kimbrough, Clarence Mason, Jack Dunham and Eugene Buhrman, John Lowery. You may turn your money for the prom in to any of the people on this committee.

Other parents wishing to help with the Prom should contact Betty Carpenter at 925-3373 or Cookie Bamert at 272-4787.

Nursing Home News

by Myrtle Guinn

Mrs. Bryan of Clovis, N.M. came to see her sister, Miss Armstrong on Tuesday.

Mrs. Alice Johnson of Bovina, entered the home on Friday of last week. She is in room 74.

Mrs. Spurlin returned to her home in Farwell on Thursday of last week. We will miss her here.

Mrs. Lela Wolsey of Sun City, Ariz., a niece of Mrs. Walding and nephews and their wives, Mr. and Mrs. Lois Carmichele of Friona, and Mr. and Mrs. J.E. Stone of Texico all visited Mrs. Walding on Sunday and Monday of this week.

The following ladies from the Town and Country Study Club of Earth, each brought a delicious home made cake for us. They are Zella Mae Rutherford, Gladys Parish, Mary Butler, Helen Kelley, Bessie Clearley, Lillian Hamilton, Adria Welch, and Marie Ross. We so very much want you to know how much they were enjoyed and we do so much appreciate your thoughtfulness to us here.

Mrs. Sybil Simpson came Thursday morning and took her mother, Mrs. Annie Brown out for lunch, which she enjoyed so much.

Mr. and Mrs. Murry Hall of Dimmitt visited his mother, Mrs. Lottie Hall Tuesday afternoon.

Mrs. Kaltwasser's company Tuesday were her son's wife,

Mrs. Walter Kaltwasser of Farwell, her granddaughter and her baby boy, Mrs. Vicki Lynn Lynn whose husband is coach in the school here.

Mrs. Erma Ray comes to see and be with her mother, Mrs. Duke who needs help with her meals.

Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Symphon of Clovis, visited her mother, Mrs. Annie Brown and her father, Mr. Brown on Thursday of last week.

Miss Linda Hart is visiting her grandmother and great grandmother, Mrs. Blackburn and Mrs. Bray. She is a junior at Baylor University at Waco and is the daughter of Joyce and Bob Hart of Farwell.

The following under the title of "Sketches" by Ben Burroughs was in a magazine I recently read, and it appealed to me and I re-read it over again. I hope you will like it too. It follows.

"Among the greatest privileges -- this life time will unfold -- is the opportunity you have of growing old -- The blessing to traverse each year -- and mellow with your age -- the gift of being able to -- behold life's changing stage -- the thrill of having memories -- of times a way back when -- the golden living memories -- of which the poets pen -- old age is like a giant oak -- that's rooted in life's sod -- quite firmly till you're notified -- to journey to your God -- so if you've gained the privilege -- and your hair is snowy white -- Thank God because you will have seen -- the world in its true light." Each phase of life as we live them hold blessings for us and happiness if we look for we can find we too are so thankful to God for loving family and friends that have been ours to share and enjoy.



Heather Suzanne

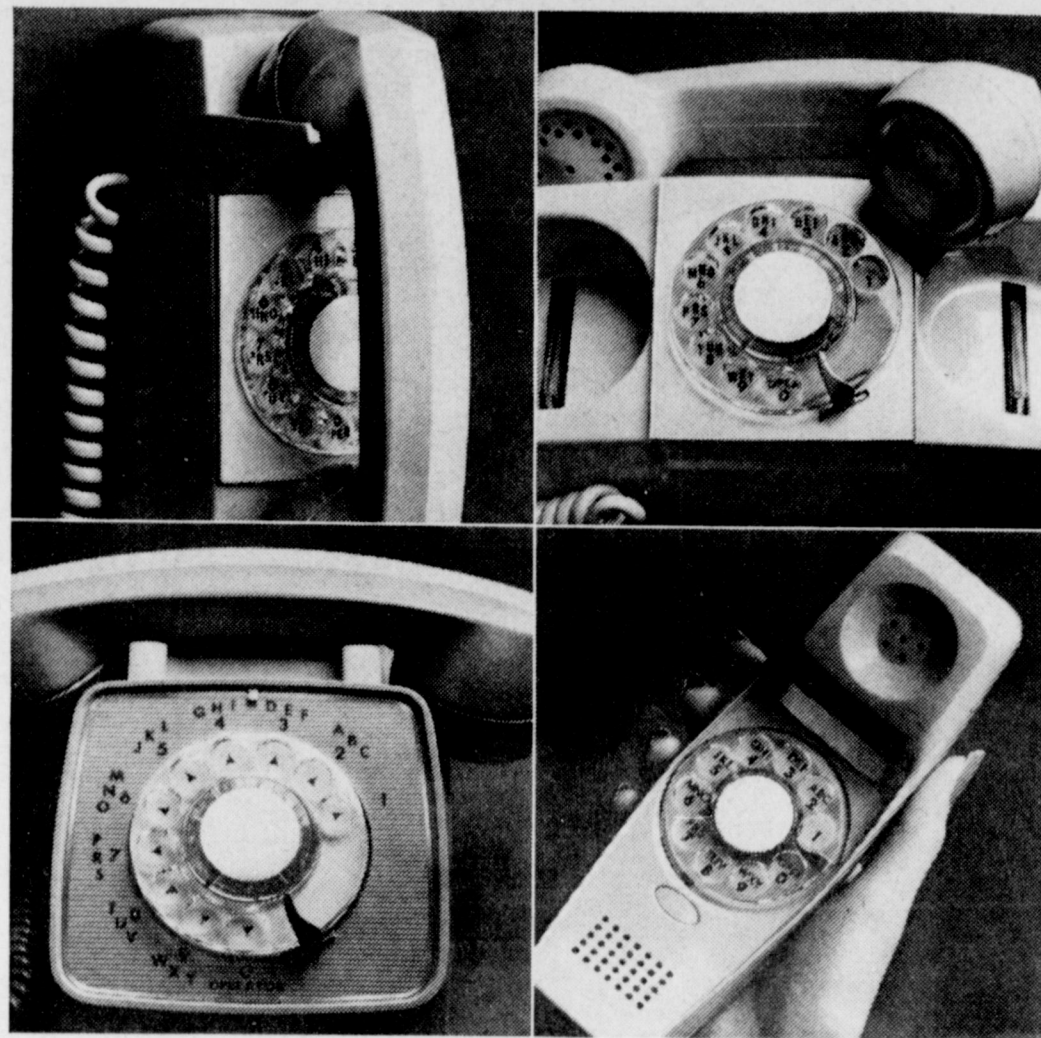
Mr. and Mrs. Neil Finley of Lubbock, wish to announce the birth of their daughter, Heather Suzanne, born April 2, at 10:10 p.m., in Methodist Hospital in Lubbock. She weighed six pounds, twelve and one half ounces.

Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Leldon Phillips of West Camp and Mr. and Mrs. Clifton Finley of Muleshoe.

Fashion

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Area Families Celebrate Easter



ANOTHER EASTER TOGETHER . . . Mr. and Mrs. E.O. Baker of 521 West 7th, plan to celebrate another Easter together, as well as Mrs. Baker's 77th birthday. The Bakers have two daughters, Mrs. Ernest Kerr of Muleshoe and Mrs. Lowry Mallory of Fort Worth. They have six grandchildren and four great grandchildren. Mr. and Mrs. Baker plan to attend the Muleshoe Church of Christ on Easter Sunday.



By: Rev. David Evetts
TRINITY BAPTIST CHURCH



WAITING FOR THE EASTER BUNNY . . . Mr. and Mrs. Howard Watson of 1726 West Avenue E in Muleshoe and their two sons, four year old Troy and baby brother, Neal, plan to attend Primitive Baptist Church on Easter Sunday. Troy is eagerly awaiting the Easter Bunny and hopes to find a basket full of eggs. The Watson's have made their home in Muleshoe since 1958. They are the owners of Watson Alfalfa.



The shadow of death hangs heavy over the heads of those who declare that man's existence ends at the grave. No satisfaction can possibly be found in such a morbid concept of life and death. Those who deny life after death cannot be truly happy.

The first century Christians, by contrast, were vibrant and joyous, even though they were dreadfully persecuted. WHY? Because they proclaimed the resurrection of Jesus Christ and expected to share in it with HIM someday. They knew Jesus had broken the power of death, and they were not afraid of dying. Believers from their time to our own have experienced a happiness the world cannot give. We who know Christ today make no apology for believing that Jesus literally arose from the grave. We declare it to be a well-attested fact; we believe it has great significance; and we contend that it is a truth everyone must believe.

Faith in Christ's resurrection gives certainty, peace, joy, and hope. It produces certainty because it confirms the claims of Christ made for himself. It brings peace because it declares that sin's debt has been paid in full. It gives reason for joy because it speaks of our union with the living Savior who is now interceding for us. It inspires hope because it tells us that we too shall someday possess glorified bodies like Jesus.

The Resurrection was God's confirmation that Jesus Christ was all He claimed to be. The Lord Jesus had asserted HIS deity plainly when HE said, "Before Abraham was, I am." John 8:58. Again and again Jesus had stated that He was "the Son of God" and not merely "a son of God." Everyone, in those days, knew that Jesus of Nazareth had claimed to be equal with God, and the Jewish leaders, shocked at His declarations of deity, had attempted to stone Him for blasphemy. Now if Christ was a blasphemer, you can be assured God would never have raised Him from the grave. So, the resurrection was God the Father's declaration that Jesus Christ was His co-eternal and co-equal Son, and proof that every statement Jesus had made was absolutely true.

The Resurrection of Jesus Christ also sounded a glorious evangelistic note, for it was God's declaration that the great debt of human sin had been paid. If Jesus Christ had failed to satisfy completely the just demands of the Father so that God could righteously forgive every sinner for every sin, He would not have been victorious over death. The penalty for sin had been met, however, for Paul says that Christ "was delivered for our offenses, and was raised again for our justification" (Romans 4:25) Why did Jesus die? He died on account of our sins - to pay the penalty God's holiness required. Why was Jesus Christ resurrected? He was raised on account of our justification, to give evidence that all our sins are gone, their debt fully cancelled. The resurrection of Christ is your guarantee that your sins and failures of the past are under the blood and that now because He lives we may live also.

The Resurrection of Jesus Christ also has profound spiritual value for the one seeking to live the Christian life. In Romans 6 Paul declares that every believer has died to sin and is united with Christ in death, burial, and resurrection. Before conversion, every person is a fallen son after Adam and lives in spiritual death and is in bondage to sin. The old relationship ends, however, when one accepts Christ as his Savior. He then becomes a child of God, a member of the new humanity which lives in union with the risen Christ. God wants this oneness with Christ to become a dynamic truth in our lives (Romans 6:11). Apply this truth to your day-to-day life. You can have victory over sin, and it is possible for you to know joy and fullness of life.

The Resurrection of the Lord Jesus is also the basis of our hope. We can joyously anticipate Heaven. This expectation would be nothing more than wishful thinking, however, if the Lord Jesus had failed to conquer death. If He had not emerged from the tomb, His promise to the apostles that He was going to Heaven to prepare a place for them (John 14:1-6) would have been empty and meaningless. Without the resurrection the Christian hope would be exactly the same as vain pagan longing for immortality. But Jesus has conquered death, and His victory is the basis for complete confidence in our own resurrection. Jesus arose from the grave bodily, and so shall we. What a "blessed hope" is ours:

Up from the grave He arose,
With a mighty triumph o'er His foes;
He arose a Victor from the dark domain,
And He lives forever with His saints to reign;
He arose! He arose!
Hallelujah! Christ arose!



FIRST EASTER TOGETHER . . . Mr. and Mrs. Billy Gilbreath of 214 Birch in Muleshoe are looking forward to their first Easter together. The couple has been married for nine months. They will attend First Assembly of God Church in Muleshoe this Sunday. The Gilbreaths are both graduates of Muleshoe High School. He is employed at Piggly Wiggly and she works at Western Drug.



A FAMILY GATHERS FOR EASTER . . . Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Ramm of Lariat and their daughters, Nancy, Alta, Ruth and Son, Clayton, plan to spend Easter Sunday together. They will attend St. John's Lutheran Church at Lariat. The Ramms have lived in the Lariat community for 45 years and are engaged in farming.

Telephone Customers Face Threat Of Higher Bills

SAN ANGELO -- Telephone customers throughout the United States face the threat of substantially higher phone bills if the Federal Communications Commission continues its present controversial policies, L. Gray Beck, president of General Telephone Company of the Southwest declared today (April 13).

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And yielding, soft metal flowed to human form.
-Pope.

A kiss from my mother made me a painter.
-Benjamin West.

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"The controversial new policies of the FCC permit non-utilities to provide telephone equipment for interconnection with the nationwide telephone network and to provide intercity private-line telephone services," Beck pointed out. "The effect of these two types of so-called 'competition' authorized by the FCC is to reduce the subsidies traditionally provided to basic telephone service by the revenues from long-distance calling, business communications services, and various op-

Hard features every bungler can command;
To draw true beauty shows a master's hand.
-Dryden.

Painting is silent poetry and poetry is painting with the gift of speech.
-Simonides.

tion services." The reduced size of the subsidies is expected to result in rate increases of as much as 60 percent to residential customers and 56 percent to business users of basic telephone service within 10 years, exclusive of inflation, the executive said. The anticipated rate increases are indicated in a recent study conducted by Systems Applications, Inc., a telecommunications research organization. The study was sponsored by the U.S. independent Telephone Association, whose membership includes the more than 1,600 independent (non-Bell) telephone companies across the country.

SUBSIDIES HELP ASSURE "UNIVERSAL SERVICE" FOR U.S.
In keeping basic telephone

rates lower than they otherwise would be, the subsidies reflect the stated objective of the Communications Act of 1934 to assure "Universal Service" -- a phone in every home and office, at the lowest practicable cost to the consumer, Beck pointed out. "Although the reduction in the subsidies will bring about higher phone bills for millions of residential and business customers, the effect obviously will be felt most severely by low income families and persons on fixed incomes," Beck observed.

FCC POLICIES SEEN INHIBITING TELCOS' FUTURE
Two types of "competitors" have arisen as the result of the FCC policies, he said. One group consists of the "interconnect companies" which sell or lease telephones, switchboards, and other kinds of equipment to telephone users for connection

to the nationwide telephone network. The other group is comprised of the so-called "specialized common carriers" which provide private-line telephone service over high-traffic routes between selected cities.

The specialized common carriers can concentrate on these heavy traffic routes which are highly profitable, while telephone companies are required to provide a broad range of services not only on the high traffic routes but also the far less profitable low traffic routes such as those serving smaller communities and remote areas, Beck pointed out.

"We at General Telephone of the Southwest, the rest of the telephone industry, and unions representing many thousands of telephone people view the FCC policies as having an inhibiting effect on the growth of our industry and its ability to pro-

vide the public with its traditional high level of service in the years ahead," he asserted. "We therefore, believe that Congress should enact new legislation to reaffirm the stated objective of the Communications Act."

REMEDIAL LEGISLATION INTRODUCED IN CONGRESS
To meet this need, the "Consumer Communications Reform Act of 1976" (S-3192) has been introduced in the United States Senate by Senator Vance Hartke (D-Indiana), a member of the Senate Communications Subcommittee. Representative Samuel Devine of Ohio, ranking Republican member of the House Interstate and Foreign Commerce Committee, has introduced generally similar legislation (H.R. 12844) in the House of Representatives. Other representatives have introduced similar bills.

In summary, the Act would: Reaffirm the long-standing national communications policy of "Universal Service" -- the provision of high quality, low cost telephone service to the maximum number of people. Reaffirm the authority of the various state commissions to regulate the interconnection of the telephone network of customer-provided equipment utilized in local telephone service. Declare that regulatory policies which would authorize specialized common carriers to provide intercity private line services and other long distance services are contrary to the public interest if such authorization would result in unnecessary duplication of facilities and services. Require that the FCC, prior to authorizing a specialized common carrier to provide intercity private line services, must as-

sure that such authorization will not result in increased charges for local telephone service.

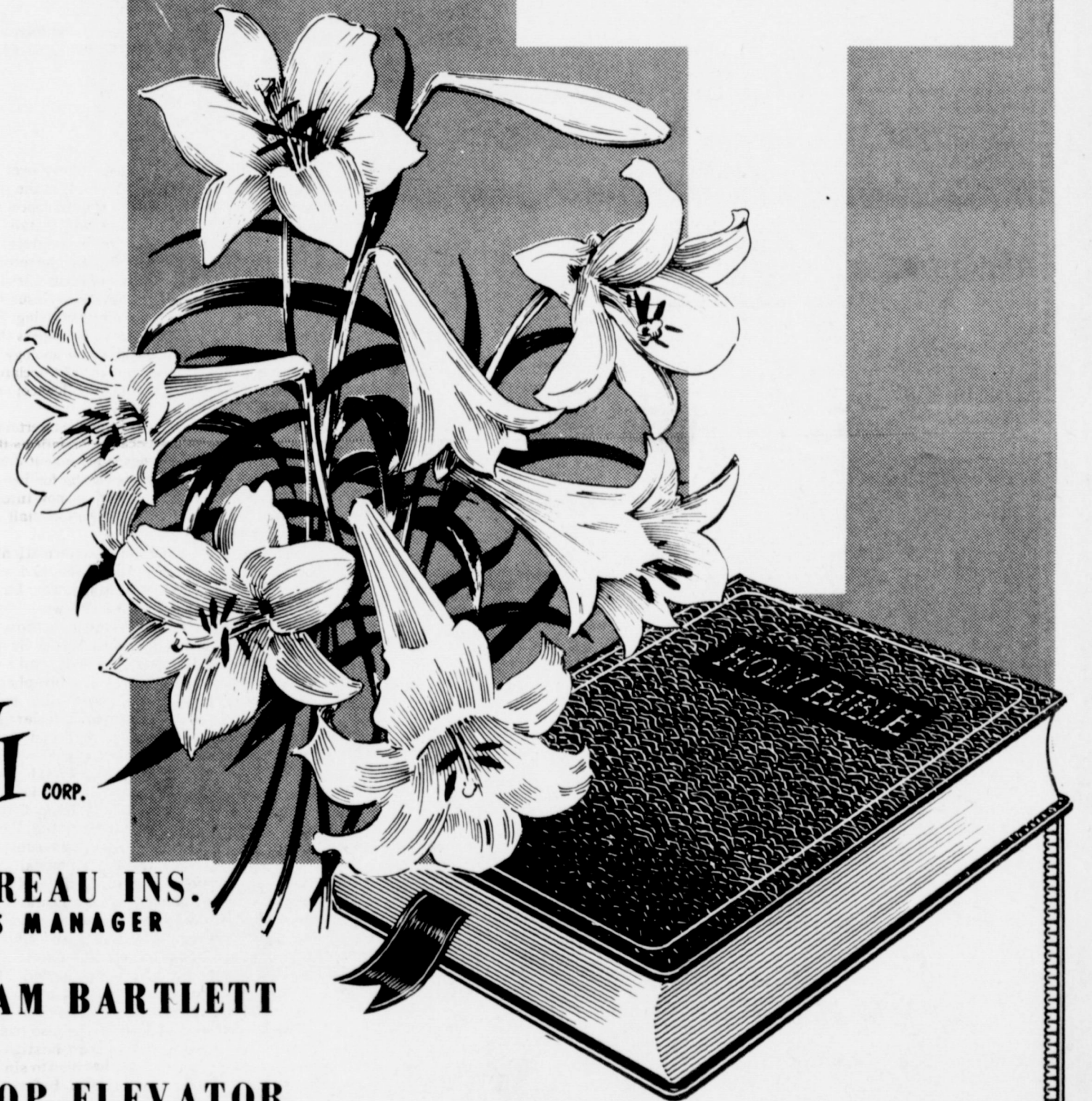
BILL WINS EARLY SUPPORT
The legislation has the support of the GTE and Bell System companies, the U.S. Independent Telephone Association, various unions, the National Telephone Cooperative Association, and other industry groups, Beck reported. The goals of the Bill are also considered compatible with the recent legislative position taken by the National Association of Regulatory Utility Commissioners, which represents the state public utility commissioners throughout the country.

"We anticipate that many of our customers, once they learn how the FCC's policies will eventually raise their monthly phone bills, will add their support to this important legislation," Beck concluded.

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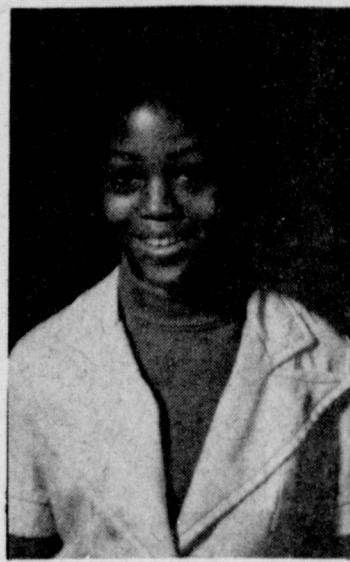
BEVERLY BIGGERSTAFF



GINA BURDEN



GLENDAS RASCO



ANNIE KIRVEN

Junior Varsity Cheerleaders For The 1976-77 Year

The Junior Varsity Cheerleading try-outs were held in the High School Gymnasium April 7, 1976. The enthusiasm and spirit was very high and all 10 girls trying out did a real good job.

The 1976-77 Junior Varsity Cheerleaders are Beverly Big-

gerstaff, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. G.C. Biggerstaff; Gina Burden, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Dale Burden; Glenda Rasco, daughter of Mr. and Mrs.

Odell Rasco; Amy Clark, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Clark;

and Annie Kirven, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Will Norman. Congratulations to these girls!

Muleshoe Wins In Relay

At the Amarillo Relays held last Friday and Saturday, April 16 and 17, the Muleshoe track team finished with tenth place out of eighteen teams, eleven of which were 4-AAAA schools.

In the individual standings, Billy Balderas set a new Muleshoe school record in the discus. Billy had a throw of 150' 2" beating the old record of Dusty Davis set in 1975 of 148' 1". The mile relay ran their best time of the year with a 3:29.6. The mile relay is composed of Larry Sexton, Reuben Gonzales, Gary Wrinkle, and Ronnie Smith. The mile relay finished fourth, and they have one of the best times in the Panhandle. Gary Wrinkle ran one of his best times in the 120 high hurdles and placed fifth in this event.

The Muleshoe track team is now working very hard for their district track meet which will be held at Canyon on Saturday, April 24.

FFA Livestock Team Wins At Littlefield

Results of the Texas Tech FFA judging contest held Saturday, April 10, have been announced. The Muleshoe FFA Livestock team placed first in the Littlefield District with ten teams competing. Team members are Robbie Young, David Head, and Darrell Rasco.

The Dairy Cattle team placed fourth in judging Holsteins and seventh in Jersey judging. Dee Buckner placed sixth in judging Holsteins and third in the entire contest.

The teams over all standings were fourth in the Texas Tech contest, fourth in the Area 1 contest, and second in the Littlefield District. There were 119 teams participating in the contest.

Muleshoe FFA team members are Dee Buckner, Kyle Kimbrough and Rickey Grogan. They will compete in the State Contest at Texas A&M on April 2.

Rivals In Language
Old Lady (in New York): "Isn't it wonderful how a single policeman can dam the flow of traffic?"
Boy: "Yes, grannie, but you should hear the bus drivers."

Girls Qualify For Regional Meet

The girls District 1-AAA track meet was held at the WTSU track in Canyon, Saturday, April 10. The Mullettes team finished third over-all with a total of

89.75 points behind the strong Canyon and Perryton track teams. In the meet, the first and second place finishers in each event qualified for the Regional track meet at Odessa. Muleshoe will be represented at regional by seven girls.

Sheryl Stovall won first place in the broad jump with a leap of 17' 2 1/2". Tanya Burton took second in the shot put; Denise Reeder finished second in the 880 yard run; and Teresa Hamilton placed second in the 80 yard hurdles. The 440 yard Relay Team of Joie Carpenter, Tammy Bruns, Evelyn Grace, and Sherly Stovall finished second behind the record-setting Canyon team. Nancy Ramm served as alternate on the 440 Relay Team. These girls will go to Odessa, April 24, to compete in the Regional AAA meet.

Other results include Joie Carpenter, third, 60 yard dash; Teresa Hamilton, fifth, high jump; Sherly Stovall, third, 220 yard dash; Francis Brown, fifth, 440 yard dash; and Nancy Ramm, sixth, 220 yard dash. The 880 yard Relay Team of Joie Carpenter, Nancy Ramm, Evelyn Grace, and Sherly Stovall took third in the 880 Relay. Evelyn Grace, Tammy Bruns, Nancy Ramm and Francis Brown took third in the Mile Relay.

Track coaches Bob Graves and Ronnie Jones were proud of the strong finish of their team and the competitive spirit that these girls showed.

If you live by high principles, you won't have to tell many people.

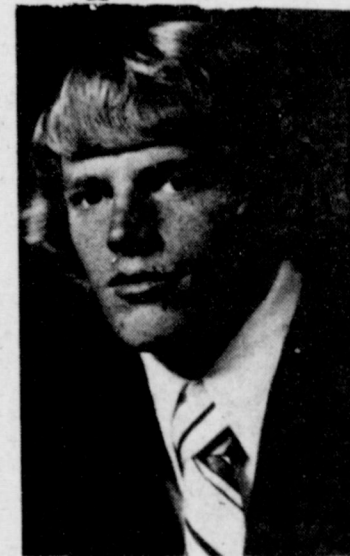
FHA Tea To Honor Students

Rose and Rosebud members are planning the annual Tea, honoring eighth grade students, in the Homemaking Department for May 3, third period during orientation. At this time next year's Freshman girls will be honored with a tea and given a tour of the Homemaking Department. Rose and Rosebud members are given the opportunity to explain what Homemaking and FHA has meant to them and the importance of enrolling in those classes in High School.

A party is also being planned in the Park on May 13 for girls and their dates. This party replaces the annual Sweetheart Banquet as a trial change for the year. A hot dog supper, games, and activities are planned for the evening.

Wrinkle Chosen For Best Of MHS

Gary Wrinkle has been chosen the Best of MHS this week. Gary is the 18 year old son of Mr. and Mrs. Roy Wrinkle. He is a Senior at MHS and is involved in FTA, Dusty Pages, Football, Basketball and track. Gary's comments on track were, "This year has been a good experience and also a lot of fun for me. I hope when district rolls around the school will be proud of our accomplishments." CONGRATULATIONS Gary for being selected the Best of MHS!!!!



GARY WRINKLE

David Smith Competes In Speaking At Chicago

"Everything's Coming Up Diamonds!" This is the theme of the Distributive Education Career Development Conference that is being held May 8 through May 13 in Chicago, Illinois.

Muleshoe DECA student, David Smith, will be attending the conference as a competitor in the public speaking division. David won first at the State Conference in Houston and will depart from Dallas for Chicago with the Texas Delegation.

The headquarters for the Career Development Conference will be at the Pick Congress Hotel, with other events being held at the Conrad Hilton and Blackstone Hotels. The main sessions of the conference will be held at the Auditorium Theater in Chicago. The theater was formerly an opera house and it contains three balconies and box seats.

The Opening and Recognition

Session of the CDC will be based on the theme "Forward in the Spirit of '76". The session will feature representatives from the two State Associations that will be chartered this year - the Marianas and the Virgin Islands.

A special Bicentennial Night will be held commemorating America's 200th Birthday. The United States Navy Band will perform for the delegates at the conference. This special performance will highlight the celebration of the birth of America.

The Awards Session of the CDC will be based on the theme "Everything's Coming Up Diamonds." Trophies, certificates, plaques, and the Olympic medals will once again be awarded

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Literary Squad Won District 1-AAA At West Texas State

Muleshoe High School's literary event squad won the District 1-AAA literary first place trophy for the fifth consecutive year

Iris Clements Selected Weekly Employer

Iris Clements has been manager of Sears for four years and has been with Sears for ten years. Iris was credit manager before she became manager.

Iris has one son, Tommy Clements, who lives in Lubbock and is attending Texas Tech. Iris has employed three DECA students in her four years as manager. Matt Williams and Pam Vinson worked for Sears

this past weekend at West Texas state University. Muleshoe scored 155 points to second place Canyon with 117 points. Muleshoe High's Speech team won the district speech sweep-

place. Students placing will compete in the Regional Tournament in Odessa, April 24. They placed as follows: Debate - John Dean and David Smith, first place; Lashelle Lewis and Royce Clay, second place; Poetry Interpretation - Larry Mills, first place and Amy Clark, second place; Prose Reading - Bill Durham, second

place; Informative Speaking - Martin Nowlin, first place and Mary Anne Gonzales, second place; Persuasive Speaking - Mike O'Grady, second place and Billy Barry, third place; Typewriting - Brad Baker, first place; and Spelling - Connie Johnson, third place.

Girls District Track Meet Held In Canyon

April 10, the freshman girls track team traveled to Canyon to the District 1-AAA. The Freshman girls finished fourth over all with a total of 68 points.

The 440 relay team of Annie Kirvin, Debra Washington, Paula Pepper and Shelly McGlaun, placed third as did the Mile Relay Team. Members of the Mile Relay team include Debbie Whalin, Maria Pacheco, Joann Lopez, and Shelly McGlaun. The 880 relay team, Annie Kirven, Debra Washington, Paula Pepper, and Shelly McGlaun, placed second behind a strong Levelland team.

The relay teams were not the only event the Mullettes placed high in. Others placing in the meet include Maria Pacheco, third, 440 yard dash; Paula Pepper, fourth, 220 yard dash; Annie Kirven, fourth, 60 yard dash; Janell Garrett, fifth, 80 yard hurdles; Rhonda Griggs, sixth, 80 yard hurdles; Debra Washington, fifth, 100 yard dash; Shelly McGlaun, sixth, high jump; and Glenda Rasco, fourth, Discus.

The District meet was the freshmen girls first track meet this year. The girls did an outstanding job competing with

Schedule of Events

- MONDAY, APRIL 19: J.V. Volleyball Tournament - High School Gym. No School.
- TUESDAY, APRIL 20: Hard Travelers LLC in auditorium 9:30 - 10:30, 50 cents admission. J.V. Volleyball Tournament - High School Gym. Start Drivers Ed Classes.
- WEDNESDAY, APRIL 21: National Honor Society Practice, second period.
- THURSDAY, APRIL 22: J.V. Volleyball Tournament - High School Gym. National Honor Society Installation at 12:00 noon. TSTA Banquet High School Cafeteria at 7:00 p.m.
- FRIDAY, APRIL 23: Literary meet at Odessa. J.V. Volleyball Tournament - High School Gym. Girls Regional Track - Odessa.
- SATURDAY, APRIL 24: J.V. Volleyball Tournament - High School Gym. District 1-AAA - Boys track. Girls Regional Track - Odessa.

Happy Birthday

Happy Birthday to students who have birthdays from April 18 to April 24.
April 18 - Barbara Glass and Sherri Edwards; April 20 - LaDene Dudley and Rhonda Atwood; April 21 - Faye Glass; April 23 - Julio Garcia; April 24 - Chana Eubanks.
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IRIS CLEMENTS

HECE Has Banquet Thursday, April 8

The HECE girls held their annual Employer Banquet last Thursday evening, April 8, in the High School Cafeteria.

This banquet is held every year to honor the Employers in the Program. The girls say that it is their way of saying "Thank You" to their Employers.

Darla Hunter, the President of

the HERO group, was the Mistress of Ceremonies. The invocation was given by Elva Lozano. Then Connie Griffin gave the Welcome with the Response by Howard Watson.

The entertainment this year was T.C. & Company. They were really great and without their help our banquet wouldn't have been such a success. After the entertainment, Sandra Walker introduced the special guests. Introduction of Past Honorary Members was made by Alice Lopez.

Every year the Chamber of Commerce gives an award to the outstanding student of the year. It is based on the amount of work the student puts in as well as time and effort. She is selected by the HERO girls. This year, the girls chose Joy Frazier, who really worked hard. The award was presented to her by Tommy Black.

Tonya James then introduced the employers. Cheryl Crabtree presented Student Training Cer-

tificates to the seniors. Recognition of Past HECE Members was made by Geneva Madrid.

This year they added three new people to their list of Honorary Members: Rev. and Mrs. H.D. Hunter, Jr. and Mrs. Wanda Gramling. These people were chosen on the basis of how they helped the girls this year. These three people have given the girls their time, energy, effort, and love without any complaints.

The girls honored Mrs. Gramling with roses and a charm to express their appreciation for her. Mrs. Gramling has given her spare time, understanding, help, a smile, and many other things and they wanted everyone to know they appreciate her. Sherrell Rasco gave the Benediction.

The HERO girls would like to say a special "Thank You" to Decorators 216, Underwoods of Lubbock, T.C. & Company, Muleshoe Floral, and others who helped them make their banquet a success.

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ONE MINUTE SPORTS QUIZ

- 1. Who tied the record score of 271 at the recent Masters?
2. Paul Warfield plays pro football for what team?
3. Who nabbed the Rebel 500 NASCAR race?
4. Andy Messersmith signed with what pro baseball team?
5. What pro basketball team does Bill Russell coach?

Answers To Sports Quiz

- 1. Ray Floyd.
2. Cleveland Browns.
3. David Pearson.
4. Atlanta Braves.
5. Cleveland Cavaliers.

Famous Americans Suffer Osteoarthritis

"As we celebrate our nation's Bicentennial, The Arthritis Foundation looks forward to another American victory - over arthritis," reports Bruce R. Bartholomew, M.D., Medical Committee Director, of the West Texas Chapter of the national voluntary health organization. "Arthritis has afflicted too many Americans -- from Thomas Jefferson and Ben Franklin to Betty Ford and Rose Kennedy," he continued. "One form of the disease, osteoarthritis, strikes practically everyone who lives long enough. It afflicts 97 percent of all people over 60. Years of wear and tear contribute to degeneration of the body's joint machinery. The smooth cartilage surface loses its elasticity and becomes pitted and frayed," said Dr. Bartholomew. "Sections of cartilage can wear away completely, leaving

bone ends exposed to each other and open to damage." Also called "degenerative joint disease," this form of arthritis

BIBLE VERSE

"Behold, I stand at the door and knock; if any man hear my voice and open the door, I will come in to him, and will sup with him, and he with me."

- 1. Who was the author of the above invitation?
2. Of whom was he speaking?
3. Where was the author at the time of his writing?
4. Where may this verse be found?

Answers To Bible Verse

- 1. The Apostle John.
2. Jesus
3. A prisoner on the Isle of Patmos.
4. Revelation 3:20.

usually is relatively mild. Although over 50 million Americans have some x-ray evidence of the disease, only about one-fourth of them have it seriously enough to cause painful problems and loss of mobility. For those who do have severe joint pain and stiffness, a medical examination by a qualified physician is essential. "We can do a lot more for victims of arthritis today than when our country was founded," Dr. Bartholomew said. He urged all West Texas residents to join the Bicentennial Revolution Against Arthritis, and suggested they begin by writing for a free booklet, Southern Communications Area. Airman King, an electronic-mechanical communications and cryptographic equipment systems repairman, is assigned at Kelly AFB, Texas, with the 193rd Communications Group which received the annual award for exceptional performance and professionalism throughout 1975. The airman is a 1971 graduate of Muleshoe High School. His wife, Sonya, is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Dale Newsom of Sudan.

"Osteoarthritis - A Handbook for Patients," available from the West Texas Chapter of the Arthritis Foundation, 3701 North Big Spring, Midland, Texas 79701.

News Of Our Servicemen

SAN ANTONIO -- Airman First Class Kenneth N. King, son of Mrs. Fred Clements of 226 E. Date St., Muleshoe, is a member of a unit which has earned the U.S. Air Force Communications Service Commander's Achievement Award for the

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Sample Ballot Democratic Party / Boleta de Muestra Partido Democratico. Includes candidate lists for various offices and a public interest statement from First National Bank.

Courthouse News

Plainview Production Credit Association to Ben Roming, et ux with the West half of Section 14, Block X, W.D. and F.W. Johnson's Subdivision.

Adella Beavers Rocky, et vir to Spencer Beavers, all of one-third interest totaling 1/2 interest in Lot Six, Block Five, Earren Addition, No. One, Town of Muleshoe. All of 1/2 interest in East half of Lots Seven, Eight and Nine, Block Five, Warren Addition, No. One.

Mary Stevenson to Billy Don Williams, et ux, a rectangular tract of land 75' by 140', all of Lot No. 6, Northwestern 1/2 of Lot No. 5, in Block 6.

Teddy F. Harrison, et ux to Gary L. Duncan, et ux all of Lot 10, Block No. 3, Muleshoe Park Addition.

Jack Felix Leinen, et al to Oris A. Jones South 1/2 of Section 67, Block "Z".

K.B. Martin, et ux to Donald T. May tract One, SW 1/4 of Lots No. One and Two, Block No. One, East Blocher Street and SW 1/4 of Lot No. One, Block No. One, Blocher Street. Tract Two, SW 1/4 of Lots No. Two, Three and Four, Block No. One, Blocher Street, SW 1/4 of Lot No. One, Block No. One, West Blocher Street.

Joe Gonzales et ux to Jessie Anzaldua all of Lots No. One, Two, Three and Four, Block No. One, Buenas Casas Addition.

T.R. White et ux White's Cashway Grocery, Inc., all of Lots No. Six, Seven, Eight, Nine, Ten, Eleven and Twelve, Block No. 28.

Talmage W. Day to Dualine Dunn, all of Lot, No. 10 (Tates Subdivision) Block No. Five, Hillcrest Addition, No. Two. Ten deeds were executed by et al R.C. Houston to Tom Payne,

all of Lot Seven, Block Eight, of the Lenau Subdivision.

MARRIAGES

Charles Amos Lee of Hart to Barbara Ann Woodards, of Muleshoe.

Larry Glenn Olsson of Clovis, to Marilyn Denise Talley of Clovis.

Leobardo Comez of Muleshoe to Oralia Alvarado of Muleshoe.

What is beautiful is good, and who is good will soon be beautiful. -Sappho.

In life beauty perishes, but not in art. -Leonardo Da Vinci.

All orators are dumb where beauty pleadeth. -Shakespeare.

Beauty should be kind, as well as charm. -George Granville.

Higher Production Help Dairy Outlook

COLLEGE STATION -- The average Texas dairy cow is producing 75 pounds more milk per month this year than last year and milk prices have improved. These two factors have boosted the outlook for dairymen in Texas, says Dr. Randall Stelly, a dairy marketing economist for the Texas Agricultural Extension Service and the Texas Agricultural Experiment Station.

Stelly attributes the increased milk production to the fact that dairymen are feeding cows more concentrated feed due to the improved milk price situation. "Dairymen can afford to feed a higher percentage of concentrated feed because they are getting \$1.35 more per hundred pounds of milk this year than last and are paying about the

same prices for feed." The economist believes the heavier concentrate feeding and gains in milk production will probably continue throughout 1976.

Stelly says milk production during the first half of the year could be one percent higher than last year's levels and that milk prices this spring will be 10 to 15 percent above prices received a year ago.

"Even though milk prices are higher than those last spring, they are lower than prices received in December of 1975 because of a drop in wholesale prices and an increase in available milk supplies," says the Texas A&M University System economist.

The support level for milk will be raised to \$8.13 per hundred-

weight beginning April 1, notes Stelly. This price, which is an increase of 42 cents, is 80 percent of parity.

The official Class I (bottled fresh milk) price will be \$10.57 per hundredweight in April, an

That Sort

"Your husband told my husband that his word at home was law."

"Oh, yes? Well, it's one of those laws that are never enforced."

Modern Age

Children are very smart these days: At 6 they know all the questions, and at 16 they know all the answers.

-Tri Supply, Philadelphia.

increase of \$1.40 over last April's price. However, it is 65 cents below the March price and 83 cents below February's price. The economist says cash receipts in the U.S. dairy industry for 1975 totaled \$9.8 billion, up

\$400 million from 1974 totals. He also expects cash receipts for 1975 to exceed last year's level because of more marketings and higher prices for milk.

On the retail price front, Stelly believes milk prices will be six to eight percent higher than those of 1975.

As far as consumption is concerned, the average American consumed 546 pounds of fluid milk and equivalent in dairy products in 1975. This included more butter and ice cream but less cheese than in 1974, Stelly says. He attributes the decrease in cheese consumption to lower beef prices.

Beauty is truth, truth beauty. -John Keats.

Beauty is its own excuse for being. -R.W. Emerson.

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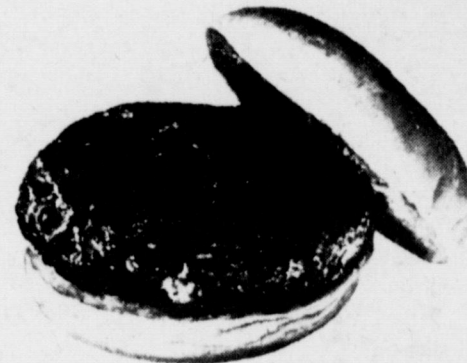
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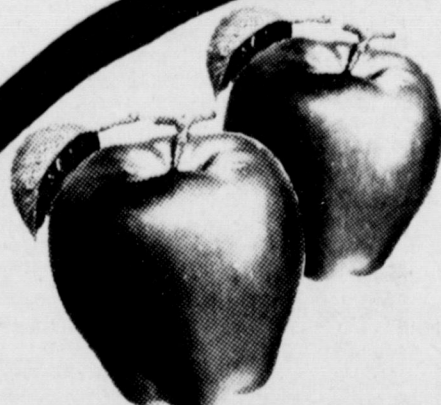
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